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Abbreviated Unaudited Accounts for the Year Ended 31 December 2015

for

Ludlow Race Club Limited(The)

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**Directors:** W Jenks (Chairman)

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# Abbreviated Balance Sheet

31 December 2015

		2015	2014
	Notes	£	£
FIXED ASSETS			
Tangible assets	2 3	2,137,436	2,209,784
Investments	3	26,900	26,900
		2,164,336	2,236,684
CURRENT ASSETS			
Debtors		639,757	563,478
Cash at bank and in hand		29,991	333
		669.748	563,811
CREDITORS		•	,
Amounts falling due within one year		(697,875)	(630,107)
NET CURRENT LIABILITIES		(28,127)	(66,296)
TOTAL ASSETS LESS CURRENT			
LIABILITIES		2,136,209	2,170,388
CREDITORS			
Amounts falling due after more than one			
year		<u>-</u>	(175,000)
<b>,</b>			(,)
ACCRUALS AND DEFERRED INCOM	E	(1,136,548)	(1,089,825)
NET ASSETS		999,661	905,563
RESERVES			
Other reserves		1,179,411	1,054,459
		(179,750)	(148,896)
Income and expenditure account		999.661	905,563
		979,001	903,303

The company is entitled to exemption from audit under Section 477 of the Companies Act 2006 for the year ended 31 December 2015.

The members have not required the company to obtain an audit of its financial statements for the year ended 31 December 2015 in accordance with Section 476 of the Companies Act 2006.

The directors acknowledge their responsibilities for:

- (a) ensuring that the company keeps accounting records which comply with Sections 386 and 387 of the Companies Act 2006 and
- (b) preparing financial statements which give a true and fair view of the state of affairs of the company as at the end of each financial year and of its surplus or deficit for each financial year in accordance with the requirements of Sections 394 and 395 and which otherwise comply with the requirements of the Companies Act 2006 relating to

financial statements, so far as applicable to the company.

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December 2015
the abbreviated accounts have been prepared in accordance with the special provisions of Part 15 of the Companies Act 200 ating to small companies.
the financial statements were approved by the Board of Directors on 3 June 2016 and were signed on its behalf by:
Jenks (Chairman) - Director
The notes form part of these abbreviated accounts

Abbreviated Balance Sheet - continued

Notes to the Abbreviated Accounts for the year ended 31 December 2015

### 1. ACCOUNTING POLICIES

### Accounting convention

The financial statements have been prepared under the historical cost convention and in accordance with the Financial Reporting Standard for Smaller Entities (effective April 2008).

Whilst the Balance sheet shows net current liabilities for the current and preceding year, the directors are satisfied that the company is a going concern for the following reasons. The new 5 year contract for the supply of pictures to betting shops commenced on 1 April 2013. This provided a substantial uplift in payments and is worth in excess of £1m per annum. There is an outstanding balance of £175K from the £750K loan from the HBLB towards the building of the Plymouth Stand.

#### Turnover

Turnover consists of Club Membership, Raceday, Plate enteries income and income from non-raceday use of facilities, stated net of value added tax.

### Tangible fixed assets

Depreciation is provided to write off the cost less any residual value over the estimated useful lives of the assets at the following rates and methods.

Freehold land Nil
Leasehold land and buildings Straight line over the lease term
Crossing mats 3 year straight line
Running rails 10 year straight line
Plant and machinery 25% reducing balance
Fixtures and fittings 20% reducing balance

The directors are of the opinion that the residual value of the freehold property is not less than cost and that, therefore, the depreciation charge per annum is nil.

## Deferred tax

Deferred tax is recognised in respect of all timing differences that have originated but not reversed at the balance sheet date where transactions or events that result in an obligation to pay more tax in the future or a right to pay less tax in the future have occurred at the balance sheet date. Timing differences between the companies taxable profits and its results as stated in the financial statements that arise from the inclusion of gains and losses in tax assessments in periods different from thise in which they are recognised in the financial statements.

# Operating leases

Leasing charges in respect of operating leases are recognised in the profit and loss account over the lives of the lease agreements using the straight line method. Rental income due from operating leases is included in the profit and loss account on a straight line basis over the period of the lease.

## Capital grants

Capital grants are received from the Horserace Betting Levy Board (HBLB) and others in respect of capital expenditure. Capital grants received are taken to the grant account. Credits are made to the profit and loss account by equal annual installments over a period which on average matches the period over which the relevant fixed assets are depreciated.

### **Pensions**

There is a Personal Stakeholder pension scheme in place with Scottish Widows. The company makes contributions to this for some of its permanent staff. Contributions payable in the year are charges to the profit and loss account.

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2.	TANGIBLE FIXED ASSETS	
		Total
		£
	Cost	
	At 1 January 2015	3,857,157
	Additions	58,287
	At 31 December 2015	3,915,444
	Depreciation	
	At 1 January 2015	1,647,373
	Charge for year	130,635
	At 31 December 2015	1,778,008
	Net book value	
	At 31 December 2015	2,137,436
	At 31 December 2014	2,209,784
3.	FIXED ASSET INVESTMENTS	
		Investments
		other
		than
		loans
		£
	Cost	
	At 1 January 2015	
	and 31 December 2015	26,900
	Net book value	
	At 31 December 2015	26,900
	At 31 December 2014	26,900

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