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Gracefield Properties Limited Financial statements 30 September 2008

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Financial statements

Year ended 30 September 2008

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Officers and professional advisers

The board of directors

Andrew R Cunningham Rupert J Dickinson Andrew Pratt

Mark J Robson

Nick On

Company secretary

Michael P Windle

Auditor

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The directors' report

Year ended 30 September 2008

The directors have pleasure in presenting their report and the financial statements of the company for the year ended 30 September 2008.

Principal activities

The company has not traded during the year, other than paying a dividend.

Directors

The directors who served the company during the year were as follows:

Andrew R Cunningham Rupert J Dickinson Andrew Pratt Debra Yudolph Mark J Robson

Nick On was appointed as a director on 23 January 2009. Debra Yudolph resigned as a director on 19 December 2008.

Directors' responsibilities

The directors are responsible for preparing the Annual Report and the financial statements in accordance with applicable law and regulations.

Company law requires the directors to prepare financial statements for each financial year. Under that law the directors have elected to prepare the financial statements in accordance with United Kingdom Generally Accepted Accounting Practice (United Kingdom Accounting Standards and applicable law). The financial statements are required by law to give a true and fair view of the state of affairs of the company and of the profit or loss of the company for that period. In preparing these financial statements, the directors are required to:

- select suitable accounting policies and then apply them consistently;
- · make judgements and estimates that are reasonable and prudent;
- prepare the financial statements on the going concern basis unless it is inappropriate to presume that the company will continue in business.

The directors are responsible for keeping proper accounting records that disclose with reasonable accuracy at any time the financial position of the company and enable them to ensure that the financial statements comply with the Companies Act 1985. They are also responsible for safeguarding the assets of the company and hence for taking reasonable steps for the prevention and detection of fraud and other irregularities.

The directors' report (continued)

Year ended 30 September 2008

In so far as the directors are aware:

- there is no relevant audit information of which the company's auditor is unaware; and
- the directors have taken all steps that they ought to have taken to make themselves aware of any relevant audit information and to establish that the auditor is aware of that information.

Auditor

A resolution to re-appoint PricewaterhouseCoopers LLP as auditor for the ensuing year will be proposed at the annual general meeting in accordance with section 385 of the Companies Act 1985.

Small company provisions

This report has been prepared in accordance with the special provisions for small companies under Part VII of the Companies Act 1985.

Signed by order of the directors

Michael P Windle Company Secretary

Approved by the directors on 30 July 2009

Independent auditor's report to the shareholders of Gracefield Properties Limited

Year ended 30 September 2008

We have audited the financial statements of Gracefield Properties Limited for the year ended 30 September 2008, which comprise the Profit and Loss Account, the Balance Sheet and the related notes. These financial statements have been prepared under the accounting policies set out therein.

Respective responsibilities of directors and auditor

The directors' responsibilities for preparing the financial statements in accordance with applicable law and United Kingdom Accounting Standards (United Kingdom Generally Accepted Accounting Practice) are set out in the Statement of Directors' Responsibilities.

Our responsibility is to audit the financial statements in accordance with relevant legal and regulatory requirements and International Standards on Auditing (UK and Ireland). This report, including the opinion, has been prepared for and only for the company's members as a body in accordance with Section 235 of the Companies Act 1985 and for no other purpose. We do not, in giving this opinion, accept or assume responsibility for any other purpose or to any other person to whom this report is shown or into whose hands it may come save where expressly agreed by our prior consent in writing.

We report to you our opinion as to whether the financial statements give a true and fair view and are properly prepared in accordance with the Companies Act 1985. We also report to you whether in our opinion the information given in the Directors' Report is consistent with the financial statements.

In addition we report to you if, in our opinion, the company has not kept proper accounting records, if we have not received all the information and explanations we require for our audit, or if information specified by law regarding directors' remuneration and other transactions is not disclosed.

We read the Directors' Report and consider the implications for our report if we become aware of any apparent misstatements within it.

Basis of audit opinion

We conducted our audit in accordance with International Standards on Auditing (UK and Ireland) issued by the Auditing Practices Board. An audit includes examination, on a test basis, of evidence relevant to the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. It also includes an assessment of the significant estimates and judgements made by the directors in the preparation of the financial statements, and of whether the accounting policies are appropriate to the company's circumstances, consistently applied and adequately disclosed.

We planned and performed our audit so as to obtain all the information and explanations which we considered necessary in order to provide us with sufficient evidence to give reasonable assurance that the financial statements are free from material misstatement, whether caused by fraud or other irregularity or error. In forming our opinion we also evaluated the overall adequacy of the presentation of information in the financial statements.

Independent auditor's report to the shareholders of Gracefield Properties Limited (continued)

Year ended 30 September 2008

Opinion

In our opinion:

- the financial statements give a true and fair view, in accordance with United Kingdom Generally Accepted Accounting Practice, of the state of the company's affairs as at 30 September 2008 and of its result for the year then ended;
- the financial statements have been properly prepared in accordance with the Companies Act 1985; and
- the information given in the Directors' Report is consistent with the financial statements.

PricewaterhouseCoopers LLP

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Chartered Accountants and Registered Auditors

Newcastle Upon Tyne

30 July 2009

Profit and loss account

Year ended 30 September 2008

Turnover	Note 2	2008 £ –	2007 £ –
Cost of sales		-	(518)
Gross loss		_	(518)
Loss on ordinary activities before taxation		-	<u> </u>
Tax on loss on ordinary activities	4	-	155
Loss for the financial year			(363)

All of the activities of the company are classed as discontinued.

Statement of total recognised gains and losses
There are no recognised gains or losses other than the profit of £– attributable to the shareholders for the year ended 30 September 2008 (2007 - loss of £363).

Balance sheet

30 September 2008

	2008			2007	
	Note	£	£	£	
Current assets Debtors	6	261		3,216,957	
Creditors: Amounts falling due within one year	7	(161)		(175)	
Net current assets			100	3,216,782	
Total assets less current liabilities			100	3,216,782	
Capital and reserves					
Called-up equity share capital	9		100	100	
Profit and loss account	10		-	3,216,682	
Shareholders' funds	11		100	3,216,782	

These financial statements have been prepared in accordance with the special provisions for small companies under Part VII of the Companies Act 1985.

These financial statements were approved by the directors and authorised for issue on 30 July 2009, and are signed on their behalf by:

Andrew R Cunningham Director

Notes to the financial statements

Year ended 30 September 2008

Accounting policies Basis of accounting

The financial statements have been prepared under the historical cost convention, and in accordance with applicable UK accounting standards.

The financial statements are prepared on the going concern basis in accordance with the Companies Act 1985 and applicable accounting standards in the United Kingdom, which have been applied consistently throughout the year.

Cash flow statement

The company is a wholly owned subsidiary of Grainger plc and the cash flows of the company are included in the consolidated cash flow statement of Grainger plc. Consequently, the company is exempt under the terms of Financial Reporting Standard No 1 (Revised 1996) from preparing a cash flow statement.

2. Turnover

The total turnover of the company has been derived from its principal activity wholly undertaken in the UK as defined in the directors' report.

3. Operating loss

Operating loss is stated after charging:

	2008	2007
	£	£
Auditor's fees	400	400
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Audit fees are borne by another Group company.

There are no persons holding service contracts with the company. None of the directors received any remuneration from the company during the year, or in the previous year.

4. Taxation on ordinary activities (a) Analysis of charge in the year

	2008 £	2007 £
Current tax:	_	~
UK Corporation tax based on the results for the year at 29% (2007		
- 30%)	-	(155)
Total current tax	-	(155)

There is no unprovided deferred tax liability or unrecognised deferred tax asset in these financial statements.

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4. Taxation on ordinary activities (continued) (b) Factors affecting current tax charge

The tax assessed on the loss on ordinary activities for the year is the same as the standard rate of corporation tax in the UK of 29% (2007 - 30%).

	2008 £	2007 £
Loss on ordinary activities before taxation		(518)
Loss on ordinary activities by rate of tax	-	(155)
Total current tax (note 4(a))	<u>-</u>	(155)

(c) Factors that may affect future tax charges

A number of changes to the UK Corporation tax system were announced in the 2008 Budget Statement and were enacted in the 2008 Finance Act. All changes that had been enacted or substantively enacted at the balance sheet date are included in these financial statements where applicable. There are no other factors that are expected to significantly affect the taxation charge in future years.

5.	Dividends			
	Equity dividends			

	Equity dividends	2008 £	2007 £
	Paid during the year: Dividends on equity shares (£32,166.82 per share)	3,216,682	_
6.	Debtors	2008	2007
	Amounts owed by group undertakings	£ 261	£ 3,216,957
7.	Creditors: Amounts falling due within one year	2008 £	2007 £
	Other taxation Other creditors	1 <u>61</u>	14 161

8. Related party transactions

The company has taken advantage of the exemption available under Financial Reporting Standard No 8 and has not disclosed transactions with companies that are part of the Grainger plc group.

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9. Share capital Authorised share capital:

	Authorised share capital:				
	100 Ordinary shares of £1 each			2008 £ 100	2007 £ 100
	Allotted, called up and fully paid:				
	Ordinary shares of £1 each	2008 No 100	£ 100	200 No 100	7 £ 100
10.	Profit and loss account			2008	2007
	Balance brought forward Loss for the financial year Equity dividends			£ 3,216,682 - (3,216,682)	£ 3,217,045 (363)
	Balance carried forward			_	3,216,682
11.	Reconciliation of movements in sharehold	iers' funds		2008	2007
	Loss for the financial year Equity dividends			£ (3,216,682)	£ (363)
	Net reduction to shareholders' funds Opening shareholders' funds			(3,216,682) 3,216,782	(363) 3,217,145
	Closing shareholders' funds			100	3,216,782

12. Ultimate parent undertaking and controlling party

The directors regard Grainger plc, a company registered in England and Wales, as the ultimate parent undertaking and the ultimate controlling party, being the parent undertaking of the smallest and largest group to consolidate these financial statements. Copies of the Grainger plc consolidated financial statements may be obtained from The Secretary, Grainger plc, Citygate, St James' Boulevard, Newcastle upon Tyne, NE1 4JE.

BPT Limited is the immediate controlling party and parent company by virtue of its 100% shareholding in the company.