Annual report and financial statements for the year ended 31 December 2014

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Strategic Report for the year ended 31 December 2014

The directors present their strategic report on the company for the year ended 31 December 2014.

Principal activities

The Company did not trade during 2014 and it is the intention of the directors that the Company remains non-trading in 2015.

Business Review

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The Company did not trade during 2014. Any recognised profit before taxation is from interest received on amounts owed to the Company by other Jardine Lloyd Thompson Group plc (JLT Group) companies.

The results of the Company for the year ended 31 December 2014 are set out in the financial statements on pages 7 to 15.

Principal risks and uncertainties and financial risk management

From the perspective of the Company, the principal risks and uncertainties and financial risks of the Company are integrated with those of Jardine Lloyd Thompson Group plc (JLT Group) and are not managed separately. Accordingly the principal risks and uncertainties and financial risks of JLT Group, which include those of the Company, are set out in the Finance Director's and Risk Management Reports on pages 41 to 42 of the 2014 annual report of JLT Group which does not form part of this report.

Key performance indicators (KPIs)

The directors of Jardine Lloyd Thompson Group plc manage the Group's operations on a divisional basis. For this reason, the Company's directors believe that analysis using KPIs for the Company is not necessary or appropriate for an understanding of the development, performance or position of the business. The development, performance and position of JLT Group, which includes the Company, is discussed further in the Group's annual report which does not form part of this report.

Approved by the Board on 5 May 2015 and signed on its behalf by:

T A Clutterbuck Director

(Company Number: 00676122)

Directors Report for the year ended 31 December 2014

The directors present their annual report and the audited financial statements of the Company for the year ended 31 December 2014.

Future Outlook

The Company did not trade in 2014 and it is the directors view that the Company remains non-trading in 2015.

Dividends

Final dividends of £nil were recommended by the directors and paid during the year (2013: £nil).

Directors

The directors set out below held office during the year ended 31 December 2014 and up to the date of signing these financial statements:

T A Clutterbuck

I M Robinson

G M Wood (Resigned on 30 April 2015)

There being no provision in the Company's Articles of Association for the retirement of directors by rotation, the present directors will continue in office.

Statement of directors' responsibilities

The directors are responsible for preparing the Strategic Report, Directors Report and 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 prepared the financial statements in accordance with United Kingdom Generally Accepted Accounting Practice (United Kingdom Accounting Standards and applicable law). Under company law the directors must not approve the financial statements unless they are satisfied that they 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 accounting estimates that are reasonable and prudent;
- state whether applicable UK Accounting Standards have been followed, subject to any material departures disclosed and explained in the financial statements; and
- 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 adequate accounting records that are sufficient to show and explain the Company's transactions and 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 2006. 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.

(Company Number: 00676122)

Directors Report for the year ended 31 December 2014

Disclosure of information to the auditors

So far as the directors are aware, there is no relevant audit information of which the Company's auditors are unaware, and the directors have taken all the steps that they ought to have taken as a director in order to make themselves aware of any relevant audit information and to establish that the Company's auditor is aware of that information.

Independent auditors

The auditors, PricewaterhouseCoopers LLP, have indicated their willingness to continue in office and a resolution concerning their re-appointment will be proposed at the Annual General Meeting.

Approved by the Board on 5 May 2015 and signed on its behalf by:

T A Clutterbuck Director

Independent Auditors' report to the members of JLT Actuaries and Consultants Limited for the year ended 31 December 2014

Report on the financial statements

Our Opinion

In our opinion, JLT Actuaries and Consultants Limited's financial statements (the "financial statements"):

- give a true and fair view of the state of the Company's affairs as at 31 December 2014 and of its profit for the year then ended;
- have been properly prepared in accordance with United Kingdom Generally Accepted Accounting Practice; and
- have been prepared in accordance with the requirements of the Companies Act 2006.

What we have audited

JLT Actuaries and Consultants Limited's financial statements comprise:

- the Profit and loss account for the year ended 31 December 2014;
- the Balance sheet at 31 December 2014; and
- the notes to the financial statements for the year ended 31 December 2014, which include a summary of significant accounting policies and other explanatory information.

The financial reporting framework that has been applied in their preparation comprises applicable law and United Kingdom Accounting Standards (United Kingdom Generally Accepted Accounting Practice).

In applying the financial reporting framework, the directors have made a number of subjective judgements, for example in respect of significant accounting estimates. In making such estimates, they have made assumptions and considered future events.

Opinion on other matter prescribed by the Companies Act 2006

In our opinion the information given in the Strategic Report and the Directors' Report for the financial year for which the financial statements are prepared is consistent with the financial statements.

Independent Auditors' report to the members of JLT Actuaries and Consultants Limited for the year ended 31 December 2014

Other matters on which we are required to report by exception

Adequacy of accounting records and information and explanations received

Under the Companies Act 2006 we are required to report to you if, in our opinion:

- · we have not received all the information and explanations we require for our audit; or
- adequate accounting records have not been kept, or returns adequate for our audit have not been received from branches not visited by us; or
- the financial statements are not in agreement with the accounting records and returns.

We have no exceptions to report arising from this responsibility.

Directors' remuneration

Under the Companies Act 2006 we are required to report if, in our opinion, certain disclosures of directors' remuneration specified by law have not been made. We have no exceptions to report arising from this responsibility.

Responsibilities for the financial statements and the audit

Our responsibilities and those of the directors

As explained more fully in the Statement of directors' responsibilities Statement set out on page 2, the directors are responsible for the preparation of the financial statements and for being satisfied that they give a true and fair view.

Our responsibility is to audit and express an opinion on the financial statements in accordance with applicable law and International Standards on Auditing (UK and Ireland) ("ISAs (UK & Ireland). Those standards require us to comply with the Auditing Practices Board's Ethical Standards for Auditors.

This report, including the opinions, has been prepared for and only for the Company's members as a body in accordance with Chapter 3 of Part 16 of the Companies Act 2006 and for no other purpose. We do not, in giving these opinions, 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.

Independent Auditors' report to the members of JLT Actuaries and Consultants Limited for the year ended 31 December 2014

Responsibilities for the financial statements and the audit (continued)

What an audit of financial statements involves

We conducted our audit in accordance with ISAs (UK & Ireland). An audit involves obtaining evidence about the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements sufficient to give reasonable assurance that the financial statements are free from material misstatement, whether caused by fraud or error. This includes an assessment of:

- whether the accounting policies are appropriate to the Company's circumstances and have been consistently applied and adequately disclosed;
- the reasonableness of significant accounting estimates made by the directors; and
- the overall presentation of the financial statements.

We primarily focus our work in these areas by assessing the directors' judgements against available evidence, forming our own judgements, and evaluating the disclosures in the financial statements.

We test and examine information, using sampling and other auditing techniques, to the extent we consider necessary to provide a reasonable basis for us to draw conclusions. We obtain audit evidence through testing the effectiveness of controls, substantive procedures or a combination of both.

In addition, we read all the financial and non-financial information in the Annual Report to identify material inconsistencies with the audited financial statements and to identify any information that is apparently materially incorrect based on, or materially inconsistent with, the knowledge acquired by us in the course of performing the audit. If we become aware of any apparent material misstatements or inconsistencies we consider the implications for our report.

Claire Clough (Senior Statutory Auditor)

For and on behalf of PricewaterhouseCoopers LLP Chartered Accountants and Statutory Auditors

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5 May 2015

JLT Actuaries and Consultants Limited Profit and loss account for the year ended 31 December 2014

	Note	Year ended 31 December 2014 £000's	Year ended 31 December 2013 £000's
Interest receivable and similar income	7	450	402
Profit on ordinary activities before taxation		450	402
Tax on profit on ordinary activities	8	(3)	12
Profit for the financial year		447	414

The activities of the Company relate entirely to discontinued operations.

There is no difference between the profit on ordinary activities before taxation and the profit for the financial year stated above and their historical cost equivalents.

The Company has no recognised gains or losses for the year other than the results above and therefore no separate statement of total recognised gains and losses has been presented.

JLT Actuaries and Consultants Limited Balance sheet at 31 December 2014

	Note	31 December 2014 £000's	31 December 2013 £000's
Current assets			
Debtors	9	20,734	20,283
Creditors amounts falling due within one year	10	(97)	(93)
Net current assets		20,637	20,190
Capital and reserves			
Called up share capital	11	18,750	18,750
Profit and loss account	12	1,887	1,440
Total shareholders' funds		20,637	20,190

The financial statements on pages 7 to 15 were approved by the Board of Directors on 5 May 2015 and were signed on its behalf by:

T A Clutterbuck

1 Accounting policies

a Basis of preparation

The financial statements are prepared under the going concern basis, under the historical cost convention and in accordance with the Companies Act 2006 and applicable accounting standards in the United Kingdom which have been consistently applied.

There are no applicable accounting policies that are relevent to the Company.

2 Cash flow statement and related party disclosures

The Company is a wholly owned subsidiary of Jardine Lloyd Thompson Group plc and is included in the consolidated financial statements of that group, which are publicly available. Consequently, the Company has taken advantage of the exemption from preparing a cash flow statement under the terms of Financial Reporting Standard 1 (revised 1996). The Company is also exempt under the terms of Financial Reporting Standard 8 from disclosing related party transactions with entities that are part of the JLT Group. All related party transactions external to the group are disclosed in the consolidated financial statements of Jardine Llyod Thompson Group Plc.

3 Turnover

The Company did not trade during 2014 and therefore no turnover is shown (2013: nil).

4 Auditors' remuneration

Auditors' remuneration for the statutory audit of the financial statements of the Company for the year ended 31 December 2014 is £2,500 (2013: £2,500).

The Auditors' remuneration is paid, on behalf of the Company, by a fellow subsidiary, JLT Benefit Solutions Limited which is part of Jardine Lloyd Thompson Group plc.

5 Directors' emoluments

The directors' remuneration for the year was as follows:

	Year ended 31 December 2014 £000's	Year ended 31 December 2013 £000's
Aggregate emoluments excluding pension scheme contributions	7	6
	7	6

There were 1 directors (2013 - 3) for whom retirement benefits were accruing under money purchase pension schemes.

All the costs in relation to Directors have been borne by JLT Benefit Solutions Limited, a fellow group company.

Highest paid director

The highest paid director for the year has not been disclosed as the aggregate emoluments shown above do not exceed £200,000 in accordance with schedule 5, part 2, paragraph 3 of the Statutory Instrument of the Companies Act 2006.

6 Employee information

The Company employed no staff during the year with the exception of directors (2013: nil). The directors' remuneration was paid by fellow Jardine Lloyd Thompson Group subsidiary, JLT Benefit Solutions Limited.

7 Interest receivable and similar income

ended Decem 2		Year ended 31 December 2013 £000's
Interest receivable – Group	450	402

8 Tax on profit on ordinary activities

	Year ended 31 December 2014 £000's	Year ended 31 December 2013 £000's
UK Corporation Tax		
Current tax on income for the year	97	93
Adjustments in respect of prior periods	(94)	(105)
	3	(12)
Tax on profit on ordinary activities	3	(12)

The UK Government has announced various measures in relation to UK corporation tax including a 2% reduction in the headline rate of corporation tax from April 2014, and a reduction of 1% in 2015. These reductions reduce the UK tax rate from 23% to 20%. As at 31 December 2014 the 2% rate reduction to 21% is already in force and the subsequent 1% rate reduction has been enacted. The impact of the 2% and the 1% reduction have therefore been incorporated into the income tax charge for the year ended 31 December 2014.

The standard rate of corporation tax in the UK changed from 23% to 21% with effect from 1 April 2014. Accordingly, the Companys profits for this accounting year are taxed at an effective rate of 21.5%.

The tax charge for the year is lower than (2013 - lower than) the standard rate of Corporation Tax in the UK of 21.5% (2013 - 23.25%). The differences are explained overleaf:

	Year ended 31 December 2014 £000's	Year ended 31 December 2013 £000's
Profit on ordinary activities before taxation	450	402
UK Corporation Tax on profit on ordinary activities 21.50% (2013: 23.25%)	97	93
Adjustments in respect of prior periods	(94)	(105)
Current tax charge for the year	3	(12)

9 Debtors

	31 December 2014 £000's	31 December 2013 £000's
Amounts falling due within one year	00.700	00 004
Amounts owed by group undertakings Other debtors	20,732	20,281
	20,734	20,283

An effective interest rate of 2.24% (2013: 2.04%) has been charged on certain amounts owed by group undertakings. The remaining amounts are unsecured, interest free and repayable on demand.

10 Creditors - amounts falling due within one year

	31 December 2014 £000's	31 December 2013 £000's
Taxation and social security	97	93

11 Called up share capital

Allotted and fully paid

	2014	ļ.	2013	3
	Number of shares	Nominal value £000's	Number of shares	Nominal value £000's
Ordinary share of £1.00 each	18,750,000	18,750	18,750,000	18,750

12 Reserves

	Profit and loss account £000's	Total £000's
At 1 January 2014	1,440	1,440
Profit for the financial year	447	447
At 31 December 2014	1,887	1,887
13 Reconciliation of movement in shareholders' funds		
	31 December 2014 £000's	31 December 2013 £000's
Profit for the financial year	447	414
Net addition to shareholders' funds	447	414
Opening shareholders' funds	20,190	19,776
Closing shareholders' funds	20,637	20,190

14 Parent undertakings

The Company's immediate parent undertaking is JLT EB Holdings Limited, a company registered in England.

Jardine Lloyd Thompson Group plc is the ultimate parent undertaking and controlling party for which consolidated group financial statements are prepared and of which the Company is a member.

Copies of the group financial statements can be obtained from:

Name

Country of incorporation or registration Address from where copies of the group financial statements can be obtained Jardine Lloyd Thompson Group plc England The St Botolph Building,138 Houndsditch, London EC3A 7AW