William Morris Endeavor Entertainment (U.K.) Limited Company Registration Number: 00841344

Annual Report and Financial Statements
For the Year Ended 31 December 2017



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Officers and Professional Advisers For the Year Ended 31 December 2017

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Strategic Report

For the Year Ended 31 December 2017

The directors present their annual report and the audited financial statements for the year ended 31 December 2017.

Business review and principal activity

The principal activity of the company is the provision of agency services to Musicians and Authors. There have not been any significant changes to the company's principal activity in the year under review.

Our strategy to grow business in 2017 was to identify and sign new artists as well as pursue top artists to add to our current roster. Additionally, we have added effective agents to our team with the goal of developing our ongoing business. The directors are satisfied with the results for the year seeing strong revenue growth in the year, and they believe that the efforts made in 2017 will lead to a strong and stable platform for our performance in 2018 and beyond.

For 2018 and the coming years we plan to grow our business through organic development and strategic investment in other areas of our business.

The principal risks and uncertainties

A significant proportion of the company's revenue comes from providing booking services for Musicians within the live events industry. The company is therefore exposed to any changes in this market as a whole and the effects of competitors operating within.

The live events industry for Musicians in the UK is a well established, stable market and the business continues to expand globally into new territories. Although operating in such a competitive market brings its associated risks, the directors do not foresee any significant uncertainty surrounding the future and the size of these markets and respond to this challenge by aiming to retain key employees and clients and looking for innovation in the services the company provides.

William Morris Endeavor Entertainment (U.K.) Limited continues to be a major player within the Industry. The strength and depth of its current roster and that of its parent company mean the directors do not expect to lose market share to any of its competitors in the near future. For the long term the directors take pride in bringing in talented young potential agents and developing them through the company's internal training scheme. In order to ensure that the roster remains competitive the company actively seeks out new exciting musicians to represent.

Foreign Exchange Risks

The company's activities expose it primarily to the financial risks of changes in foreign currency exchange rates, and so where possible natural hedges are used.

Key Performance Indicators ("KPIS")

We use revenue as our main financial KPI, and revenue is driven by new signings, developing up and coming artists, and creating worldwide tours for our high profile clients. The rise in revenue for the current year was due to timing differences in key artists touring schedules as well as the development of artists already on our roster and the addition of new artists too. Revenue for 2017 was £9,235,573 (2016: £7,409,538), an increase of 25%.

The profit for the financial year after taxation was £507,133 (2016: £705,587), a decrease of 28%. This is largely due to a reduced tax credit in the current year and our continued investment in our staff contributing to higher staff costs in 2017.

Going concern

The accompanying financial statements have been prepared on the assumption that the company will continue as a going concern and we continue to see opportunities in the company for the financial year 2018 and beyond.

The company has received assurance of financial support from its parent company, William Morris Endeavor Entertainment LLC, which provided us with the reasonable expectation that the company has access to adequate resources to continue in operational existence for at least a period of 12 months from the approval of these financial statements.

Approved on behalf of the Board:

J Lublin

Date: 21 September 2018

William Morris Endeavor Entertainment (U.K.) Limited Company Registration Number 00841344

Directors' Report

For the Year Ended 31 December 2017

The directors present their annual report and the audited financial statements for the year ended 31 December 2017.

The Strategic Review forming part of this annual report and audited financial statements includes such matters that are otherwise required under section 416-418 of the Companies Act 2006 to be included in this Directors' report.

Future Developments

We anticipate growing and developing our business over the coming year by identifying, signing and adding new artists to our roster. This affords us the opportunity to build and develop the careers of new artists. Additionally, we will continue to target top acts, and bring to them a team of agents who will present ideas on how we can broaden their presence, and make them more successful both financially, and as a brand.

Additionally, we continue to grow and build internally by adding effective agents who will bring in top level artists and authors.

Result and Dividends

The profit for the financial year after taxation was £507,133 (2016: £705,587). The directors cannot recommend the payment of a dividend (2016: £nil)

Directors

The directors who held office during the year and up to date of signing the financial statements are given below:

J Lublin P Whitesell A Emanuel

Director's indemnities

The company has made no qualifying third party indemnity provision for the benefit of its directors, and this remains the case at the date of this report.

Auditor

Each of the persons who is a director at the date of approval of this report confirms that:

- so far as the director is aware, there is no relevant audit information of which the company auditor is unaware; and
- the director has taken all the steps that he/she ought to have taken as a director in order to make himself/herself aware of any
 relevant audit information and to establish that the company's auditor is aware of that information.

This confirmation is given and should be interpreted in accordance with the provisions of s418 of the Companies Act 2006.

Deloitte LLP have expressed their willingness to continue in office as auditor and a resolution to reappoint them will be proposed at the forthcoming Annual General Meeting.

Approved on behalf of the Board:

J Lublin Director

Date: 21 September 2018

Statement of 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), including FRS 102 "The Financial Reporting Standard applicable in the UK and Republic of Ireland".

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.

Independent Auditor's report to the members of William Morris Endeavor Entertainment (U.K.) Limited

Report on the audit of the financial statements

Opinion

In our opinion the financial statements of William Morris Endeavor Entertainment (U.K.) Limited (the 'company'):

- give a true and fair view of the state of the company's affairs as at 31 December 2017 and of its profit for the year then ended;
- have been properly prepared in accordance with United Kingdom Generally Accepted Accounting Practice, including Financial Reporting Standard 102 "The Financial Reporting Standard applicable in the UK and Republic of Ireland"; and
- have been prepared in accordance with the requirements of the Companies Act 2006.

We have audited the financial statements which comprise:

- the profit and loss account;
- the balance sheet;
- the statement of changes in equity;
- the related notes 1 to 15.

The financial reporting framework that has been applied in their preparation is applicable law and United Kingdom Accounting Standards, including Financial Reporting Standard 102 "The Financial Reporting Standard applicable in the UK and Republic of Ireland" (United Kingdom Generally Accepted Accounting Practice).

Basis for opinion

We conducted our audit in accordance with International Standards on Auditing (UK) (ISAs (UK)) and applicable law. Our responsibilities under those standards are further described in the auditor's responsibilities for the audit of the financial statements section of our report.

We are independent of the company in accordance with the ethical requirements that are relevant to our audit of the financial statements in the UK, including the Financial Reporting Council's (the 'FRC's') Ethical Standard, and we have fulfilled our other ethical responsibilities in accordance with these requirements. We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion.

Conclusions relating to going concern

We are required by ISAs (UK) to report in respect of the following matters where:

- the directors' use of the going concern basis of accounting in preparation of the financial statements is not appropriate; or
- the directors have not disclosed in the financial statements any identified material uncertainties that may cast significant doubt about the company's ability to continue to adopt the going concern basis of accounting for a period of at least twelve months from the date when the financial statements are authorised for issue.

We have nothing to report in respect of these matters.

Other information

The directors are responsible for the other information. The other information comprises the information included in the annual report, other than the financial statements and our auditor's report thereon. Our opinion on the financial statements does not cover the other information and, except to the extent otherwise explicitly stated in our report, we do not express any form of assurance conclusion thereon.

In connection with our audit of the financial statements, our responsibility is to read the other information and, in doing so, consider whether the other information is materially inconsistent with the financial statements or our knowledge obtained in the audit or otherwise appears to be materially misstated. If we identify such material inconsistencies or apparent material misstatements, we are required to determine whether there is a material misstatement in the financial statements or a material misstatement of the other information. If, based on the work we have performed, we conclude that there is a material misstatement of this other information, we are required to report that fact.

We have nothing to report in respect of these matters.

Responsibilities of directors

As explained more fully in the directors' responsibilities statement, the directors are responsible for the preparation of the financial statements and for being satisfied that they give a true and fair view, and for such internal control as the directors determine is necessary to enable the preparation of financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

In preparing the financial statements, the directors are responsible for assessing the company's ability to continue as a going concern, disclosing, as applicable, matters related to going concern and using the going concern basis of accounting unless the directors either intend to liquidate the company or to cease operations, or have no realistic alternative but to do so.

Auditor's responsibilities for the audit of the financial statements

Our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements as a whole are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error, and to issue an auditor's report that includes our opinion. Reasonable assurance is a high level of assurance, but is not a guarantee that an audit conducted in accordance with ISAs (UK) will always detect a material misstatement when it exists. Misstatements can arise from fraud or error and are considered material if, individually or in the aggregate, they could reasonably be expected to influence the economic decisions of users taken on the basis of these financial statements.

A further description of our responsibilities for the audit of the financial statements is located on the FRC's website at: www.frc.org.uk/auditorsresponsibilities. This description forms part of our auditor's report.

Report on other legal and regulatory requirements

Opinions on other matters prescribed by the Companies Act 2006

in our opinion, based on the work undertaken in the course of the audit:

- 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; and
- the strategic report and the directors' report have been prepared in accordance with applicable legal requirements.

In the light of the knowledge and understanding of the company and its environment obtained in the course of the audit, we have not identified any material misstatements in the strategic report or the directors' report.

Matters on which we are required to report by exception

Under the Companies Act 2006 we are required to report in respect of the following matters if, in our opinion:

- 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; or
- certain disclosures of directors' remuneration specified by law are not made; or
- we have not received all the information and explanations we require for our audit.

We have nothing to report in respect of these matters.

Use of our report

This report is made solely to the company's members, as a body, in accordance with Chapter 3 of Part 16 of the Companies Act 2005. Our audit work has been undertaken so that we might state to the company's members those matters we are required to state to them in an auditor's report and for no other purpose. To the fullest extent permitted by law, we do not accept or assume responsibility to anyone other than the company and the company's members as a body, for our audit work, for this report, or for the opinions we have formed.

Sandy Sullivan, FCA (Senior Statutory Auditor)

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for and on behalf of Deloitte LLP

Statutory Auditor

London, United Kingdom

Date: 28 September 2018

Profit and Loss Account For the Year Ended 31 December 2017

	Notes	2017 £	2016 £
TURNOVER Administrative expenses		9,235,573 (8,679,711)	7,409,538 (6,889,374)
OPERATING PROFIT		555,862	520,164
Interest receivable and similar income		16,015	3,168
PROFIT ON ORDINARY ACTIVITIES BEFORE TAXATION	4,	571,877	523,332
Tax on profit on ordinary activities	6	(64,744)	182,255
PROFIT FOR THE FINANCIAL YEAR	11	507,133	705,587

All amounts above in relation to the current and comparative year relate to continuing operations.

The company has no recognized gains and losses other than those included in the results above, and therefore no separate statement of other comprehensive income has been presented, for both the current and prior financial period.

Balance Sheet As at 31 December 2017

	Notes	2017 E	2016 £
FIXED ASSETS			
Tangible assets	7	1,422,580	1,652,283
CURRENT ASSETS		٠	
Debtors	8	7,252,319	4,865,464
Cash at bank and in hand	,	10,625,689	9,218,855
		17,878,008	14,084,319
CREDITORS: amounts failing due within one year	9	(14,328,359)	(11,300,681)
NET CURRENT ASSETS		3,549,649	2,783,638
TOTAL ASSETS LESS CURRENT LIABILITIES		4,972,229	4,435,921
CREDITORS: amounts falling due greater than one year		(100,681)	(71,506)
NET ASSETS		4,871,548	4,364,415
CAPITAL AND RESERVES	•		*
Called up share capital	10	1,000	1,000
Profit and loss account	11	(7,266,285)	(7,773,418)
Capital contribution reserve	12	12,136,833	12,136,833
TOTAL SHAREHOLDERS' FUNDS	12	4,871,548	4,364,415

The financial statements of William Morris Endeavor Entertainment (U.K.) Limited (Registered company number 00841344), were approved by the board of directors and authorized for issue on:

Signature on behalf of the Board

J Lublin Director

Date: 21 September 2018

Statement of Changes in Equity For the year ended 31 December 2017

	Called up Share capital	Profit and loss account	Capital contribution reserve	Total
·	£	£	£	, £
At 1 January 2016	1,000	(8,479,005)	•	(8,478,005)
Profit for the year	· •	705,587	<u></u>	705,587
Capital contribution	•		12,136,833	12,136,833
At 31 December 2016	1,000	(7,773,418)	12,136,833	4,364,415
At 1 January 2017	1,000	(7,773,418)	12,136,833	4,364,415
Profit for the year	· -	507,133		507,133
Capital contribution	-	•	•	-
At 31 December 2017	1,000	(7,266,285)	12,136,833	4,871,548

1 ACCOUNTING POLICIES

William Morris Endeavor Entertainment (U.K.) Limited ('the Company') is a private company limited by shares incorporated in the United Kingdom under the Companies Act and is registered in England and Wales. The address of the registered office is given on page 3. The nature of the Company's operations and its principal activities are set out in the strategic report on page 4.

The financial statements have been prepared under the historical cost convention and in accordance with Financial Reporting Standard 102 (FRS 102) issued by the Financial Reporting Council.

The functional currency of the Company is considered to be Pounds Sterling because that is the currency of the primary economic environment in which the Company operates. The presentational currency is Pounds Sterling.

The Company meets the definition of a qualifying entity under FR\$ 102 and has therefore taken advantage of the disclosure exemptions available to it in respect of its separate financial statements. The Company is consolidated in the financial statements of its parent, WME Entertainment Parent LLC which are available from our corporate offices located at 1360 E. 9th Street, Suite 100, Cleveland, Ohio, 44114, United States of America. Exemptions have been taken in these separate Company financial statements in relation to financial instruments, presentation of a cash flow statement and related party transactions. Effective 1 January 2016, the Company entered into a Sales support and Services Agreement with group company international Management Group (U.K.) Limited. Under this agreement the Company acts as a Service Provider to the group company and is compensated for services provided. Advantage has been taken of the exemption permitted by FR\$ 102 not to disclose transactions recorded in the period.

Going concern

The accompanying financial statements have been prepared on the assumption that the company will continue as a going concern and the directors continue to see opportunities in the company for the financial year 2018 and beyond.

The profit for the financial year after taxation was £507,133 (2016: £705,587). The net asset position at year-end was £4,871,548 (2016: £4,364,415) and the amount owed from the group, net of amounts owed to the group, was £1,581,550 (2016: £3,523,929).

The company has received assurance of financial support from its parent company, William Morris Endeavor Entertainment LLC, which provided us the reasonable expectation that the company has adequate resources to continue in operational existence for the foreseeable future. Thus the directors continue to adopt the going concern basis in preparing the financial statements.

Turnover

Turnover represents commission earned on an agent relationship with its talent in respect of services provided by the company during the year, excluding value added tax, and is recognized when the event to which it relates occurs.

Trade Debtors

Trade debtors represents income due to the agency net of bad debt provisions that has not yet been finalized, invoiced or settled, and are initially recognized at the amount due and then subsequently assessed for impairment.

Tangible fixed assets and depreciation

Tangible fixed assets are stated at cost, net of accumulated depreciation and any provision for impairment. Depreciation is provided on cost less residual value in equal annual instalments over the estimated useful lives of the assets. The rates of depreciation are as follows:

Short-term leasehold property

Straight-line basis over the lease of the building

Fixtures, fittings, and equipment

Straight-line basis over 3 to 7 years

Leasing

Rentals payable under operating leases are charged against income on a straight-line basis over the lease term.

Foreign currencies

Transactions in foreign currencies are recorded at the rate ruling at the date of the transaction. Monetary assets and liabilities denominated in foreign currencies are retranslated at the rate of exchange ruling at the balance sheet date.

All differences are taken to the profit and loss account as they are incurred.

ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

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Current tax, including UK corporation tax and foreign tax, is provided at amounts expected to be paid (or recovered) using the tax rates and laws that have been enacted or substantively enacted by the balance sheet date.

Deferred tax is recognized 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 are differences between the company's 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 those in which they are recognized in the financial statements.

Unrelieved tax losses and other deferred tax assets are recognized only to the extent that, on the basis of all available evidence, it can be regarded as more likely than not that there will be suitable taxable profits from which the future reversal of the underlying timing differences can be deducted.

When the amount that can be deducted for tax for an asset that is recognized in a business combination is less (more) than the value at which it is recognized, a deferred tax liability (asset) is recognized for the additional tax that will be paid (avoided) in respect of that difference. Similarly, a deferred tax asset (liability) is recognized for the additional tax that will be avoided (paid) because of a difference between the value at which a liability is recognized and the amount that will be assessed for tax.

Deferred tax is measured using the tax rates and laws that have been enacted or substantively enacted by the balance sheet date that are expected to apply to the reversal of the timing difference. Deferred tax relating to property, plant and equipment measured using the revaluation model and investment property is measured using the tax rates and allowances that apply to sale of the asset:

Current tax assets and liabilities are offset only when there is a legally enforceable right to set off the amounts and the company intends either to settle on a net basis or to realize the asset and settle the liability simultaneously.

Deferred tax assets and liabilities are offset only if: a) the company has a legally enforceable right to set off current tax assets against current tax liabilities; and b) the deferred tax assets and deferred tax liabilities relate to income taxes levied by the same taxation authority on either the same taxable entity or different taxable entities which intend either to settle current tax liabilities and assets on a net basis, or to realize the assets and settle the liabilities simultaneously, in each future period in which significant amounts of deferred tax liabilities or assets are expected to be settled or recovered.

Cash at bank and in hand

Included within here are client accounts held on an agent relationship basis with the Company's clients. Funds held in these accounts are restricted so that the Company has no access to them, and funds are held in deposit in these accounts until the event to which it relates occurs.

Pension costs

Pension costs relate to Group personal pension schemes, which are all part of a defined contribution scheme. The amount charged to the profit and loss account in respect of pension costs is the contributions payable in the year. Differences between contributions payable in the year and contributions actually paid are shown as either accruals or prepayments in the balance sheet.

2 SIGNIFICANT JUDGEMENTS AND ESTIMATES

In the application of the Company's accounting policies, which are described in note 1, the directors are required to make judgements, estimates and assumptions about the carrying amounts of assets and liabilities that are not readily apparent from other sources. The estimates and associated assumptions are based on historical experience and other factors that are considered to be relevant. Actual results may differ from these estimates.

The estimates and underlying assumptions are reviewed on an ongoing basis. Revisions to accounting estimates are recognized in the period in which the estimate is revised if the revision affects only that period, or in the period of the revision and future periods if the revision affects both current and future periods.

Critical accounting judgements and key sources of estimation uncertainty. There are no critical judgements or key sources of estimation uncertainty.

3 TURNOVER

The total turnover of the company for the year has been derived from its principal activity of providing of Agency services and has been wholly undertaken in the UK.

4 PROFIT ON ORDINARY ACTIVITIES BEFORE TAXATION

	2017	2016
	£	£
Profit on ordinary activities before taxation is after crediting:		
Depreciation of owned tangible fixed assets	235,963	235,665
Rentals under operating leases	895,768	895,768
Related party income	(2,428,755)	(3,450,507)
Auditor's remuneration		
Foreign exchange losses	4,109	•
- Fees payable to the Company's auditor for the audit of the Company's annual financial statements	40,250	39,350

5 INFORMATION REGARDING DIRECTORS AND EMPLOYEES

The average monthly number of persons (including executive directors) employed by the company during the year was:

·	2017	2016
·	No.	No.
Sales and distribution	49	48
Administration	22	20
	71	68
Staff costs during the year	2017	2016
	£	£
Wages and salaries	5,604,616	5,227,778
Social security	742,185	674,786
Pension costs .	203,082	166,902
Share based payments	689,889	411,446
	7,239,772	6,480,913
Directors' emoluments		
	2017	2016
	£	£
Remuneration and other benefits	·	<u>-</u>

During the year, the directors of the company received no emoluments directly from the company. The remuneration of the directors is borne by another group company. The number of directors contributing to defined contribution pension schemes during the year was £nil (2016: £nil).

6 TAX ON PROFIT ON ORDINARY ACTIVITIES

	2017	2016
,	£	£
UK total taxation		
Total tax on income for the period	3,083	
Adjustments in respect of prior periods	634	2,248
	3,717	2,248
Foreign tax		
Total tax on income for the period	=	, `-
Total tax	3,717	2,248
Deferred tax		
Origination and reversal of timing differences	61,027	(184,503)
Change in tax rates	÷	•
	61,027	(184,503)
Total tax charge/(credit) on profit on ordinary activities	64,744	(182,255)
Factors affecting current year tax credit	,	
Profit on ordinary activities before tax	571,877	523,332
Total tax at 19.25% (2016: 20%)	110,086	104,666
Effects of:		•
Expenses not deductible for tax purposes	253,580	26,591
Difference between capital allowances and depreciation	337	149
Short term timing differences	100,506	85,657
Utilisation of tax losses	(400,399)	(401,566)
Adjustments to tax charge in respect of previous periods	634	2,248
Total tax charge/(credit)	64,744	(182,254)

7 TANGIBLE FIXED ASSETS

,	,		
	Short-term	Fixtures,	
* ;	leasehold	fittings, and	•
	property	egulpment	
			Total
•	. £	£	£
Cost			
At 1 January 2017	1,721,822	789,066	2,510,888
Additions	•	6,260	6,260
At 31 December 2017	1,721,822	795,326	2,517,148
Accumulated depreciation			
At 1 January 2017	477,192	381,413	858,605
Charge for the year	172,182	63,781	235,963
•		 	
At 31 December 2017	649,374	445,194	1,094,569
Net book amount		•	
At 31 December 2017	1,072,447	350,132	1,422,580
At 31 December 2016	1,244,630	407,653	1,652,283
			•
8 DEBTORS			
		2017	2016
	·	Ė	£
Trade debtors		428,031	342,101
Other debtors		16,916	19,603
Deferred tax		123,476	184,503
Prepayments and accrued income		463,441	455,386
Amounts owed from group undertakings	•	6,220,455	3,863,871
		7,252,319	4,865,464
Amounts owed from group undertakings are repayable on dema	nd and do not attract interest		
		2017	2016
Deferred tax		£	£
The net deferred tax asset of £123,476 (2016: £184,503) is made	up as follows:	_	_
Tax losses		142,197	238,078
Short term timing differences		5,107	4,753
Fixed Asset timing difference		(23,827)	(58,328)
		123,476	184,503
The net reversal of deferred tax expected to occur next year is no	ot material.		
There is no expiry date on timing differences, unused tax losses	or tax credits.		
· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·		2017	2016
Current period movements:		£	£
At 1 January 2017		184,503	
Prior year adjustment		-	-
Charge to the profit and loss account for the year		(61,027)	184,503
At 31 December 2017		123,476	184,503
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A deferred tax asset in respect of tax losses and other timing differences of £34,425 (measured at 17%) has not been recognised due to uncertainty over suitable taxable profits against which it may reverse.

9 CREDITORS: AMOUNTS FALLING DUE WITHIN ONE YEAR	,	
	2017	2016
	£	£
Trade creditors	8,608,227	8,976,009
Amounts owed to group undertakings	4,638,905	339,942
Taxation and social security	392,637	683,870
Accruals and deferred income	688,590	1,300,860
	14,328,359	11,300,681
Amounts owed to group undertakings are repayable on demand and do not attract interest	est.	
10 CALLED UP SHARÉ CAPITAL	•	
TO CALLED OF SHARE CAPITAL	2017	2016
	£	£
Called up, allotted and fully paid	_	_
1,000 (2016: 1,000) ordinary shares of £1 each	1,000	1,000
11 RECONCILIATION OF MOVEMENTS IN PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT	,	
		Profit and
,		loss account
		£
At 1 January 2017	,	(7,773,418)
Profit for the financial year	•	507,133
At 31 December 2017		(7,266,285)
12 RECONCILIATION OF MOVEMENTS IN SHAREHOLDERS' FUNDS/(DEFICIT)		
.,	2017	2016
	£	£
Opening shareholders' funds/(deficit)	4,364,415	(8,478,005)
Profit for the financial year	507,133	705,587
Capital contribution	-	12,136,833
Closing shareholders' deficit	4,871,548	4,364,415

13 SHARE BASED PAYMENTS

Management Profits Units (WME Iris Management Holdco, LLC, WME Iris Management Holdco II, LLC, WME Iris Management III Holdco, LLC, WME Iris Management V Holdco, LLC) & Management Phantom Units

During the year ended 31 December 2017, the Board of WME Entertainment Parent, LLC (the "Parent Company") approved awards of indirect interests in the equity value appreciation of the Parent Company to certain employees and service providers for their time and commitment to the Company (collectively, "Management Awards").

Each Management Award may be granted in one of two ways: (a) by the Parent Company granting Profits Units to WME Iris Management Holdco, LLC, WME Iris Management Holdco, LLC, WME Iris Management III Holdco, LLC, WME Iris Management IV Holdco, LLC, WME Iris Management IV Holdco, LLC or WME Iris Management V Holdco, LLC, which are equity-holding vehicles (each a "Management Holdco"), and the applicable Management Holdco in turn granting management units that correspond to such Management Profits Units to the award recipient; or (c) WME IMG, LLC, a subsidiary of the Parent Company ("WME IMG LLC"), or the applicable Management Holdco, granting phantom equity units that correspond to Management Profits Units ("Management Phantom Units") to the award recipient, with those granted by WME IMG LLC so granted under the WME IMG, LLC Phantom Unit Appreciation Plan ("Management Phantom Plan"):

The total number of Management Profits Units and Management Phantom Units that were authorized for Management Awards as of 31 December 2017 was 334,993,243, subject to adjustment as provided for in the Operating Agreement, the LLC agreements of the Management Holdcos and the Management Phantom Plan, as applicable. Of these, 918,731 Management Phantom Units were granted as of 31 December 2017.

The terms of each Management Award, including vesting, forfeiture and repurchase terms, are fixed by the Board of the Parent Company. The applicable distribution threshold for each Management Award (i.e., generally the amount of distributions that need to be made by the Parent Company (or in certain circumstances the amount of appreciation allocated to the capital accounts of the Members) before such Management Award can participate in proceeds from certain liquidity events) is established by and subject to adjustment by the Board of the Parent Company.

Management Awards granted include the following terms: (a) time-based vesting over a five-year period; (b) cancellation upon termination of employment or services for any reason or in certain circumstances, as specified in the applicable Management Award; (c) certain vesting acceleration upon the Parent Company's attainment of certain equity value thresholds and a qualifying sale transaction; (d) partial vesting acceleration upon termination of employment or services in certain circumstances; and (e) optional repurchase by the Parent Company or an affiliated entity of all or part of any vested interests retained following termination of employment or services for 50% of fair market value of such repurchased interests as determined in accordance with the applicable Management Award. Terms of some Management Awards granted also include performance-based vesting at graduated levels upon the Parent Company's attainment of certain EBITDA thresholds as measured upon certain dates or of certain equity value thresholds as measured upon certain events.

13 SHARE BASED PAYMENTS (CONTINUED)

The Company utilizes the Black-Scholes option pricing model to determine the fair value of the Management Awards. Management is required to make certain assumptions with respect to selected model inputs. Expected volatility is based on comparable publicly traded companies' stock movements. The expected life of the Management Awards represents the period of time that the Management Awards are expected to be outstanding. The risk free interest rate is based on the U.S treasury yield curve in effect at the time of grant. The fair value and assumptions used for units granted in the year ended 31 December 2017 are as follows:

	2017
Risk-free interest rate	0.16% - 1.76%
Expected volatility	50%
Expected life (in years)	1 to 5
Expected dividend yield	0%

The following table summarises time-vested Management Awards activity:

Time vested Management Awards		Averag	inted e Grant iir Value
Outstanding at 31 December 2016	•	\$.	-
Granted	459,366	\$	0.40
Exercised	•	\$	-
Forfeited or expired	•	\$	•
Outstanding at 31 December 2017	459,366	\$	0.40
Expected to vest at 31 December 2017	422,617	\$	0.40

The following table summarises performance-vested Management Awards activity:

	Performance vested Management Awards	Averag	ghted e Grant iir Value
Outstanding at 31 December 2016	•	\$	
Granted	459,365	\$	0.27
Exercised	•	\$	
Forfeited or expired	<u></u> .	\$	•.
Outstanding at 31 December 2017	459,365	, \$	0.27
Expected to vest at 31 December 2017	429,966	· \$	0.27

As a result, share based payments being the fair value of equity instruments of £nil (2016: £nil) have been recognised as an employee expense in the year.

SCP Profits Units (WME IMG SCP, LLC) & SCP Phantom Plan

On 31 December 2014, certain employees agreed to reduce their salary or guaranteed compensation during the calendar years ending 31 December 2015, 2016 and 2017 and received indirect interests in the equity value appreciation of the Parent Company (collectively, "SCP Awards"). These SCP Awards represent an indirect interest in the Parent Company that may entitle the award recipient to share in the appreciation of the Parent Company's equity value after the date of grant. This salary and guaranteed compensation reduction program was made available to certain employees of the Company based on applicable legal, administrative and other considerations, and participation by such employees was voluntary.

Each SCP Award was granted in one of two ways: (a) by the Parent Company granting Profits Units ("SCP Profits Units") to WME IMG SCP, LLC, an equity-holding vehicle ("SCP Holdco"), and SCP Holdco in turn granting management units that correspond to such SCP Profits Units to the award recipients; or (b) by WME IMG LLC granting to the award recipient phantom equity units that correspond to SCP Profits Units ("SCP Phantom Units") under the WME IMG, LLC Phantom Equity Plan ("SCP Phantom Plan").

The total number of SCP Profits Units and SCP Phantom Units that were authorized for SCP Awards as of 31 December 2017 was 20,763,316, subject to adjustment as provided for in the Operating Agreement, the LLC agreement of SCP Holdco and the SCP Phantom Plan, as applicable. Of these, 132,090 SCP Phantom Units were granted as of 31 December 2017.

The terms of each SCP Award, including vesting, forfeiture and repurchase terms, are fixed by the Board of the Parent Company. The applicable distribution threshold for each SCP Award is established by and subject to adjustment by the Board of the Parent Company.

SHARE BASED PAYMENTS (CONTINUED)

All SCP Awards include the following terms: (a) annual time-based vesting over a three-year period on each anniversary of 1 January 2015; (b) cancellation upon termination of employment in certain circumstances, as specified in the applicable SCP Award; and (c) optional repurchase by the Parent Company or an affiliated entity of all or part of any vested interests retained following termination of employment for the greater of 100% of fair market value of such repurchased interests or the amount of salary or guaranteed compensation actually foregone as of the time of such repurchase, in each case as determined in accordance with the applicable SCP Award.

The Company utilizes the Black-Scholes option pricing model to determine the fair value of the SCP Awards. Management is required to make certain assumptions with respect to selected model inputs. Expected volatility is based on comparable publicly traded companies' stock movements. The expected life of the SCP Awards represents the period of time that the SCP Awards are expected to be outstanding. The risk free interest rate is based on the U.S treasury yield curve in effect at the time of grant. No units were granted in the year ended December 31, 2017. The fair value and assumptions used for units granted in the year ended December 31, 2016 are as follows:

	2017
Risk-free Interest rate	0.11% - 2.32%
Expected volatility	50%
Expected life (in years)	1 to 10
Expected dividend yield	. O%

The following table summarizes SCP Awards activity:

		Time vested SCP Awards	Weighted Average Grant Date Fair Value	
Outstanding at 31 December 2016		132,090	\$	0.43
Granted		• .	\$	•
Exercised	•	-	\$	-
Forfeited or expired	·	•	\$	-
Outstanding at 31 December 2017		132,090	\$	0.43
Expected to vest at 31 December 2017		132,090	\$	0.43

As a result, share based payments being the fair value of equity instruments of £38,592 (2016: £98,120) have been recognised as an employee expense in the year.

WME Holdco Membership Interests (WME Holdco, LLC) & WME Holdco Phantom Units

On 30 October 2014, the Executive Committee of the Parent Company approved a reclassification of Holdco's outstanding membership units, which represent indirect equity interests of the Parent Company. In addition, in the fourth quarter ended 31 December 2014, the Executive Committee of the Parent Company approved awards of profits interests or phantom equity units to certain employees and service providers of the Company. The reclassified membership interests and profits interests of Holdco and the phantom equity units of Holdco (collectively, "WME Holdco Awards") are subject to new vesting and other terms and conditions. These WME Holdco Awards represent an indirect interest in the Parent Company that may entitle the award recipient to share in the appreciation of the Parent Company's equity value after the date of grant, and that, with respect to some of the WME Holdco Awards, may entitle the award recipient to also share in other distributions received by Holdco from the Parent Company.

Each newly-issued WME Holdco Award was granted in one of two ways: (a) by Holdco granting to the award recipient membership units (which may consist of, or include, profits interests) ("WME Holdco Units"); or (b) by Holdco granting to the award recipient phantom equity units that correspond to WME Holdco Units ("WME Holdco Phantom Units") under the WME Holdco, LLC Phantom Unit Appreciation Plan ("WME Holdco Phantom Plan").

The total number of WME Holdco Units and WME Holdco Phantom Units that were authorized for WME Holdco Awards and other reclassified membership units as of 31 December 2017 was 665,247,103, subject to adjustment as provided for in the LLC of Holdco and the WME Holdco Phantom Plan, as applicable. Of these, 4,009,512 WME Holdco Phantom Units were granted as of 31 December 2017.

The terms of each WME Holdco Award, including vesting, forfeiture and repurchase terms, are fixed by the Executive Committee of the Parent Company and in certain circumstances approved by the Board of the Parent Company. The distribution threshold for each WME Holdco Award, if applicable, is established by and subject to adjustment by the Executive Committee of the Parent Company.

SHARE BASED PAYMENTS (CONTINUED)

Most WME Holdco Awards reclassified or granted include the following terms: (a) annual time-based vesting over a four-year period; (b) cancellation upon termination of employment or services for any reason or in certain circumstances, as specified in the applicable WME Holdco Award; and (c) optional repurchase by the Parent Company or an affiliated entity of all or part of any vested interests retained following termination of employment or services for 50% or 100% of fair market value of such repurchased interests as determined in accordance with the applicable WME Holdco Award. A limited number of WME Holdco Awards reclassified or granted are fully vested upon reclassification or at grant and not subject to repurchase by the Parent Company, or contain a put right exercisable by the award recipient subject to terms and conditions contained in the applicable WME Holdco Awards.

The Company utilizes the Black-Scholes option pricing model to determine the fair value of the WME Holdco Awards. Management is required to make certain assumptions with respect to selected model inputs. Expected volatility is based on comparable publicly traded companies' stock movements. The expected life of the WME Holdco Awards represents the period of time that the WME Holdco Awards are expected to be outstanding. The risk free interest rate is based on the U.S treasury yield curve in effect at the time of grant. No units were granted in the year ended 31 December 2017. The fair value and assumptions used for units granted in the year ended 31 December 2017 are as follows:

· '	2017
Risk-free Interest rate	0.11% - 2.32%
Expected volatility	45%
Expected life (in years)	1 to 10
Expected dividend yield	0%

The following table summarizes WME Holdco Awards activity:

	Time vested WME Holdco Awards	Weighted Average Grant Date Fair Value	
Outstanding at 31 December 2016	5,101,192	\$	0.33
Granted		Ş	-
Exercised	•	\$	-
Transferred Out	(405,358)	\$	0.43
Forfeited or expired	(686,322)	\$	0.39
Outstanding at 31 December 2017	4,009,512	٠ \$	0.32
Expected to vest at 31 December 2017	3,903,200	\$	0.32

As a result, share based payments being the fair value of equity instruments of £651,296 (2016: £313,326) have been recognised as an employee expense in the year.

Equity Buyback

During the year ended 31 December 2017, the Parent Company completed a unit buyback, which was approved by the Board of the Parent Company. For the Company, the buyback included a repurchase of 686,322 total vested units for £689,888, which was based on the fair value of the units. The Company recorded £490,854 to intercompany and £199,034 to equity-based compensation during the year ended 31 December 2017. The payments under the unit buyback are primarily being paid in three equal installments with the first payment made in March 2017, the second payment made in the first quarter of 2018 and the third payment being made in the first quarter of 2019. Remaining payments under the unit buyback are held at the Parent Company as of 31 December 2017.

14 OPERATING LEASE COMMITMENTS

At 31 December 2017 the company had future minimum lease payments as follows:

	Land and	Land and
	building	building
	2017	2016
	. £	£
Expiry date:		•
Less than one year	746,473	
In two to five years	•	1,642,241
In over five years	•	•
	746,473	1,642,241

The lease expires in over five years and the 2017 Profit and Loss account charges incurred were £895,768 (2016: £895,768). In the table above the disclosure for the total due relates to the minimum lease payments on the lease up until the break clause which is within one year.

15 ULTIMATE PARENT COMPANY AND CONTROLLING PARTY

As at 31 December 2017, the ultimate parent company and ultimate controlling party is William Morris Endeavor Entertainment Parent LLC, a company formed and located in the United States of America. Its address is 9601 Wilshire Blvd, Beverly Hills, California, 90210, United States of America.

William Morris Endeavor Entertainment Parent LLC is the largest and smallest group of which the company is a member and for which group financial statements are prepared.

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