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REPORT OF THE DIRECTORS AND **UNAUDITED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS** FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2009 <u>FOR</u> SOTRA PROPERTY COMPANY LIMITED

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SOTRA PROPERTY COMPANY LIMITED

COMPANY INFORMATION For The Year Ended 31 December 2009

DIRECTORS:

Hon Mrs E L Astor

R H Astor

SECRETARY:

R H Astor

REGISTERED OFFICE:

North Lea House 66 Northfield End Henley on Thames

Oxfordshire RG92BE

REGISTERED NUMBER:

939465

ACCOUNTANTS:

James Cowper LLP North Lea House 66 Northfield End Henley on Thames Oxfordshire

REPORT OF THE DIRECTORS For The Year Ended 31 December 2009

The directors present their report with the financial statements of the company for the year ended 31 December 2009

PRINCIPAL ACTIVITY

The principal activity of the company in the year under review was that of property dealing, mainly through the medium of membership of property-dealing syndicates and partnerships

DIRECTORS

The directors shown below have held office during the whole of the period from 1 January 2009 to the date of this report

Hon Mrs E L Astor R H Astor

This report has been prepared in accordance with the special provisions of Part 15 of the Companies Act 2006 relating to small companies

ON BEHALF OF THE BOARD:

Robert At

RAH

R H Astor - Director

26 August 2010

PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT For The Year Ended 31 December 2009

	Notes	2009 £	2008 £
TURNOVER		71,500	72,500
Administrative expenses		7,567	9,897
OPERATING PROFIT	2	63,933	62,603
Interest receivable and similar incom-	е	4,625	7,885
		68,558	70,488
Interest payable and similar charges		5	
PROFIT ON ORDINARY ACTIVITIES BEFORE TAXATION	S	68,553	70,488
Tax on profit on ordinary activities	3	14,340	14,625
PROFIT FOR THE FINANCIAL YEA AFTER TAXATION	R	54,213	55,863
PROFIT FOR THE YEAR		54,213	55,863
Retained profit brought forward		230,231	174,368
RETAINED PROFIT CARRIED FOR	WARD	284,444	230,231

BALANCE SHEET 31 December 2009

		2009)	2008	
	Notes	£	£	£	£
FIXED ASSETS Tangible assets	4		1		1
CURRENT ASSETS Cash at bank		332,462		279,835	
CREDITORS Amounts falling due within one year	5	47,919		49,505	
NET CURRENT ASSETS			284,543		230,330
TOTAL ASSETS LESS CURRENT LIABILITIES			284,544		230,331
CAPITAL AND RESERVES					
Called up share capital	6		100		100
Profit and loss account			284,444		230,231
SHAREHOLDERS' FUNDS			284,544		230,331

The company is entitled to exemption from audit under Section 477 of the Companies Act 2006 for the year ended 31 December 2009

The members have not required the company to obtain an audit of its financial statements for the year ended 31 December 2009 in accordance with Section 476 of the Companies Act 2006

The directors acknowledge their responsibilities for

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- (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 profit or loss 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

The financial statements have been prepared in accordance with the special provisions of Part 15 of the Companies Act 2006 relating to small companies and with the Financial Reporting Standard for Smaller Entities (effective April 2008)

The financial statements were approved by the Board of Directors on 26 August 2010 and were signed on its behalf by

RAH

R H Astor - Director

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS For The Year Ended 31 December 2009

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)

Turnover

Shares of partnership and syndicate profits are recognised when remitted to the company or, if earlier, on the date on which the relevant partnership or syndicate accounts are approved

Tangible fixed assets

Depreciation is provided at the following annual rates in order to write off each asset over its estimated useful life

Deferred tax

Deferred tax assets in respect of timing differences are recognised to the extent that they are regarded as being recoverable in the short to medium term. No provision is made for taxation on permanent differences.

2 OPERATING PROFIT

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The operating profit is stated after charging

•	2009 £	2008 £
Depreciation - owned assets	-	161 =====
Directors' remuneration and other benefits etc	5,000	5,000
TAXATION		
Analysis of the tax charge The tax charge on the profit on ordinary activities for the year was as follows	2009 f	2008 £

	£	£
Current tax UK corporation tax	14,340	14,625
Tax on profit on ordinary activities	14,340	14,625

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS - continued For The Year Ended 31 December 2009

4 TANGIBLE FIXED ASSETS

			Plant and machinery etc £
	COST		_
	At 1 January 2009		
	and 31 December 2009		9,103
	DEPRECIATION		
	At 1 January 2009		
	and 31 December 2009		9,102
	NET BOOK VALUE		
	At 31 December 2009		1
	At 31 December 2008		1
5	CREDITORS: AMOUNTS FALLING DUE WITHIN ONE YEAR		
		2009	2008
		£	£
	Taxation and social security	12,970	14,624
	Other creditors	34,949	34,881
		47,919	49,505
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Other creditors include £25,736 (2008 - £25,736) owed to the Trustees of H W Astor Deceased, a trust in which Mrs E L Astor, a director of the company, has an interest as a beneficiary. This amount is interest free and has no fixed date of repayment.

6 CALLED UP SHARE CAPITAL

Allotted, iss	ued and fully paid			
Number	Class	Nominal	2009	2008
		value	£	£
100	Shares	£1	100	100

7 ULTIMATE CONTROLLING PARTY

The company is controlled by the trustees of a settlement for the benefit of Mrs E L Astor, a director of the company