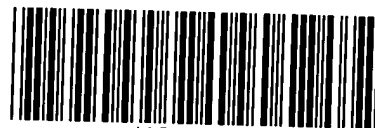


**HISTORIC STEAM LIMITED**  
**REPORT OF THE DIRECTORS AND**  
**FINANCIAL STATEMENTS**  
**FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2015**

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# **HISTORIC STEAM LIMITED**

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**HISTORIC STEAM LIMITED**  
**COMPANY INFORMATION**  
**FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2015**

**DIRECTORS:**

G P Houstoun  
O H J Pearcey  
A N Simkin

**SECRETARY:**

A N Simkin

**REGISTERED OFFICE:**

Kew Bridge Steam Museum  
Green Dragon Lane  
Brentford  
Middlesex  
TW8 0EN

**REGISTERED NUMBER:**

01185027 (England and Wales)

**AUDITORS:**

Collards  
Chartered Accountants  
Registered Auditors  
5-9 Eden Street  
Kingston-upon-Thames  
Surrey  
KT1 1BQ

**HISTORIC STEAM LIMITED**  
**REPORT OF THE DIRECTORS**  
**FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2015**

The directors present their report with the financial statements of the company for the year ended 31 December 2015.

**DIRECTORS**

The directors shown below have held office during the whole of the period from 1 January 2015 to the date of this report.

G P Houstoun  
O H J Pearcey

Other changes in directors holding office are as follows:

A N Simkin - appointed 25 June 2015.

**STATEMENT OF DIRECTORS' RESPONSIBILITIES**

The directors are responsible for preparing the Report of the Directors 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). 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;
- 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.

**STATEMENT AS TO DISCLOSURE OF INFORMATION TO AUDITORS**

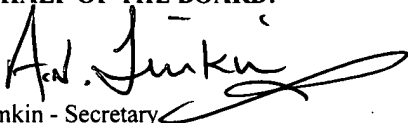
So far as the directors are aware, there is no relevant audit information (as defined by Section 418 of the Companies Act 2006) of which the company's auditors are unaware, and each director has taken all the steps that he ought to have taken as a director in order to make himself aware of any relevant audit information and to establish that the company's auditors are aware of that information.

**AUDITORS**

The auditors, Collards, will be proposed for re-appointment at the forthcoming Annual General Meeting.

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

**ON BEHALF OF THE BOARD:**

  
A N Simkin - Secretary

19 May 2016

## **REPORT OF THE INDEPENDENT AUDITORS TO THE MEMBERS OF HISTORIC STEAM LIMITED**

We have audited the financial statements of Historic Steam Limited for the year ended 31 December 2015 on pages five to eight. The financial reporting framework that has been applied in their preparation is applicable law and the Financial Reporting Standard for Smaller Entities (effective January 2015) (United Kingdom Generally Accepted Accounting Practice applicable to Smaller Entities).

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 2006. 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 a Report of the Auditors 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.

### **Respective responsibilities of directors and auditors**

As explained more fully in the Statement of Directors' Responsibilities set out on page two, 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). Those standards require us to comply with the Auditing Practices Board's Ethical Standards for Auditors.

### **Scope of the audit of the financial statements**

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. In addition, we read all the financial and non-financial information in the Report of the Directors 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.

### **Opinion on financial statements**

In our opinion the financial statements:

- give a true and fair view of the state of the company's affairs as at 31 December 2015 and of its loss for the year then ended;
- have been properly prepared in accordance with United Kingdom Generally Accepted Accounting Practice applicable to Smaller Entities; and
- have been prepared in accordance with the requirements of the Companies Act 2006.

### **Opinion on other matter prescribed by the Companies Act 2006**

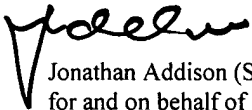
In our opinion the information given in the Report of the Directors for the financial year for which the financial statements are prepared is consistent with the financial statements.

**REPORT OF THE INDEPENDENT AUDITORS TO THE MEMBERS OF  
HISTORIC STEAM LIMITED**

**Matters on which we are required to report by exception**

We have nothing to report in respect of the following matters where the Companies Act 2006 requires us to report to you 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; or
- the directors were not entitled to prepare the financial statements in accordance with the small companies regime and take advantage of the small companies' exemption from the requirement to prepare a Strategic Report or in preparing the Report of the Directors.



Jonathan Addison (Senior Statutory Auditor)  
for and on behalf of Collards  
Chartered Accountants  
Registered Auditors  
5-9 Eden Street  
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Surrey  
KT1 1BQ

19 May 2016

**HISTORIC STEAM LIMITED**  
**PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT**  
**FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2015**

	Notes	2015 £	2014 £
<b>TURNOVER</b>		<b>96,889</b>	<b>73,490</b>
Cost of sales		<u>27,235</u>	<u>18,352</u>
<b>GROSS PROFIT</b>		<b>69,654</b>	<b>55,138</b>
Administrative expenses		<u>80,429</u>	<u>66,296</u>
<b>OPERATING LOSS and LOSS ON ORDINARY ACTIVITIES BEFORE TAXATION</b>	2	<b>(10,775)</b>	<b>(11,158)</b>
Tax on loss on ordinary activities	3	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>
<b>LOSS FOR THE FINANCIAL YEAR</b>		<b><u>(10,775)</u></b>	<b><u>(11,158)</u></b>

The notes form part of these financial statements

**HISTORIC STEAM LIMITED (REGISTERED NUMBER: 01185027)**

**BALANCE SHEET  
31 DECEMBER 2015**

	Notes	2015 £	2014 £
<b>CURRENT ASSETS</b>			
Stocks		<u>9,847</u>	<u>6,881</u>
<b>TOTAL ASSETS LESS CURRENT LIABILITIES</b>		<u>9,847</u>	<u>6,881</u>
<b>CREDITORS</b>			
Amounts falling due after more than one year	4	<u>42,582</u>	<u>28,841</u>
<b>NET LIABILITIES</b>		<u>(32,735)</u>	<u>(21,960)</u>
<b>CAPITAL AND RESERVES</b>			
Called up share capital	5	<u>100,100</u>	<u>100,100</u>
Profit and loss account	6	<u>(132,835)</u>	<u>(122,060)</u>
<b>SHAREHOLDERS' FUNDS</b>		<u>(32,735)</u>	<u>(21,960)</u>

The financial statements have been prepared in accordance with the provisions of Part 15 of the Companies Act 2006 relating to small companies and with the Financial Reporting Standard for Smaller Entities (effective January 2015).

The financial statements were approved by the Board of Directors on 19 May 2016 and were signed on its behalf by:



A N Simkin - Director

The notes form part of these financial statements

# HISTORIC STEAM LIMITED

## NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS 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 January 2015).

#### Exemption from preparing a cash flow statement

Exemption has been taken from preparing a cash flow statement on the grounds that the company qualifies as a small company.

#### Related party exemption

The company has taken advantage of exemption, under the terms of Financial Reporting Standard 8 Related Party Disclosures, not to disclose related party transactions with wholly owned subsidiaries within the group.

#### Turnover

Turnover represents net invoiced sales of goods, excluding value added tax.

#### Stocks

Stocks are valued at the lower of cost and net realisable value, after making due allowance for obsolete and slow moving items.

#### Deferred tax

Deferred tax is recognised in respect of all timing differences that have originated but not reversed at the balance sheet date.

### 2. OPERATING LOSS

The operating loss is stated after charging:

	2015	2014
	£	£
Auditors' remuneration	<u>916</u>	<u>926</u>
Directors' remuneration and other benefits etc	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>

### 3. TAXATION

#### Analysis of the tax charge

No liability to UK corporation tax arose on ordinary activities for the year ended 31 December 2015 nor for the year ended 31 December 2014.

### 4. CREDITORS: AMOUNTS FALLING DUE AFTER MORE THAN ONE YEAR

	2015	2014
	£	£
Amounts owed to group undertakings	<u>42,582</u>	<u>28,841</u>

### 5. CALLED UP SHARE CAPITAL

Allotted, issued and fully paid:

Number:	Class:	Nominal value:	2015	2014
			£	£
100,100	Ordinary	1.00	<u>100,100</u>	<u>100,100</u>

## HISTORIC STEAM LIMITED

### NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS - continued FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2015

#### 6. RESERVES

	Profit and loss account £
At 1 January 2015	(122,060)
Deficit for the year	(10,775)
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At 31 December 2015	<u>(132,835)</u>

#### 7. ULTIMATE CONTROLLING PARTY

In the director's opinion the company's ultimate parent company and controlling party is Kew Bridge Engines Trust Limited which is incorporated in the United Kingdom. Copies of its group accounts, which include the company, are available from the registered office.