Annual report and unaudited financial statements for the year ended 30 April 2019

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Company information

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His Grace, The Duke of Fife

Peter Landale

Charles Wolrige Gordon

Secretary

His Grace, The Duke of Fife

Company number

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Directors' report

For the year ended 30 April 2019

The directors present their annual report and financial statements for the year ended 30 April 2019.

Principal activities

The company is dormant and has not traded since incorporation.

Directors

The directors who held office during the year and up to the date of signature of the financial statements were as follows:

His Grace, The Duke of Fife Peter Landale Charles Wolrige Gordon

This report has been prepared in accordance with the provisions applicable to companies entitled to the small companies exemption.

On behalf of the board

His Grace, The Duke of Fife

Director_

Date: 28 /5 /19

Statement of financial position As at 30 April 2019

		2019			2018
	Notes	£	£	£	£
Current assets					
Cash and cash equivalents		2		2	
Net current assets			2		2
					
Equity					
Called up share capital	3		2		2

For the financial year ended 30 April 2019 the company was entitled to exemption from audit under section 480 of the Companies Act 2006 relating to dormant companies.

The directors acknowledge their responsibilities for complying with the requirements of the Companies Act 2006 with respect to accounting records and the preparation of financial statements.

The members have not required the company to obtain an audit of its financial statements for the year in question in accordance with section 476.

These financial statements have been prepared in accordance with the provisions applicable to companies subject to the small companies regime.

The financial statements were approved by the board of directors and authorised for issue on ... 33.5... and are signed on its behalf by:

His Grace, The Duke of Fife

Director

Company Registration No. 01216593

Notes to the financial statements For the year ended 30 April 2019

1 Accounting policies

Company information

Elsick Farms Limited is a private company limited by shares incorporated in England and Wales. The registered office is 71 Queen Victoria Street, London, EC4V 4BE.

1.1 Accounting convention

These financial statements have been prepared in accordance with FRS 102 "The Financial Reporting Standard applicable in the UK and Republic of Ireland" ("FRS 102") and the requirements of the Companies Act 2006 as applicable to companies subject to the small companies regime. The disclosure requirements of section 1A of FRS 102 have been applied other than where additional disclosure is required to show a true and fair view.

The financial statements are prepared in sterling, which is the functional currency of the company. Monetary amounts in these financial statements are rounded to the nearest £.

The financial statements have been prepared under the historical cost convention. The principal accounting policies adopted are set out below.

1.2 Income statement

The company has not traded during the year or the preceding financial period. During this time the company received no income and incurred no expenditure and therefore no Income statement is presented in these financial statements.

1.3 Cash and cash equivalents

Cash and cash equivalents are basic financial assets and include cash in hand, deposits held at call with banks, other short-term liquid investments with original maturities of three months or less, and bank overdrafts. Bank overdrafts are shown within borrowings in current liabilities.

1.4 Financial instruments

The company has elected to apply the provisions of Section 11 'Basic Financial Instruments' and Section 12 'Other Financial Instruments Issues' of FRS 102 to all of its financial instruments.

Financial instruments are recognised in the company's statement of financial position when the company becomes party to the contractual provisions of the instrument.

Financial assets and liabilities are offset, with the net amounts presented in the financial statements, when there is a legally enforceable right to set off the recognised amounts and there is an intention to settle on a net basis or to realise the asset and settle the liability simultaneously.

Basic financial assets

Basic financial assets, which include trade and other receivables, are initially measured at transaction price including transaction costs and are subsequently carried at amortised cost using the effective interest method unless the arrangement constitutes a financing transaction, where the transaction is measured at the present value of the future receipts discounted at a market rate of interest. Financial assets classified as receivable within one year are not amortised.

Notes to the financial statements (continued) For the year ended 30 April 2019

1 Accounting policies (continued)

1.5 Equity instruments

Equity instruments issued by the company are recorded at the proceeds received, net of transaction costs. Dividends payable on equity instruments are recognised as liabilities once they are no longer at the discretion of the company.

2 Employees

No persons were employed by the company during the current or prior year.

3 Called up share capital

	2019	2018
	£	£
Ordinary share capital		
Issued and fully paid		
2 Ordinary of £1 each	2	2
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4 Security

On the 16 August 2016 the company granted a security in favour of Clydesdale Bank PLC (trading as both Clydesdale Bank and Yorkshire bank), in its capacity as trustee of the Southesk 1951 Settlement. The security is over all and whole Dalgety Farm, Brechin, Haughs of Kinnaird, Farnell, Brechin and others.

On the 11 August 2017 the company granted a security in favour of Clydesdale Bank PLC (trading as both Clydesdale Bank and Yorkshire bank), in its capacity as trustee of the Southesk 1951 Settlement. The security is over 28.2 acres of gardens and ground and Kinnaird Castle and 603 acres of farmland at Kinnaird Park.