**Report and Financial Statements** 

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# 2014 REPORT AND FINANCIAL STATEMENTS OFFICERS AND PROFESSIONAL ADVISERS

### **DIRECTORS**

- F Enevoldsen
- C Thomas
- H Jensen
- K Johannesen
- E Bredholt
- P J Andersen
- S Gilliland

### **SECRETARY**

H Jensen

### **REGISTERED OFFICE**

Seton House Warwick Technology Park Gallows Hill Warwick CV34 6DA

### **BANKERS**

Nordea Bank Finland Plc London Branch 8th Floor City Place House 55 Basinghall Street London EC2V 5NB

### **SOLICITORS**

Lyons Davidson Victoria House Victoria Street Bristol BS1 6AD

### **AUDITOR**

Deloitte LLP Birmingham UK

### STRATEGIC REPORT

### PRINCIPAL ACTIVITIES

The principal activity of the company is an investment holding company. There have not been any significant changes in the company's principal activities in the year under review. The directors are not aware, at the date of this report, of any likely major changes in the company's activities in the next year.

### **BUSINESS REVIEW, KEY PERFORMANCE INDICATORS AND**

The directors remain confident about the prospects for the business going forward.

The result on ordinary activities after tax for the year ended 28 September 2014 amounts to a profit of £37,000,000 (2013: £nil). Net Assets of the company are £189,711,000 (2013: £189,711,000).

#### **GOING CONCERN REVIEW**

The principal activity of the company is an investment holding company and therefore, has no day to day working capital requirements.

After making enquiries, the directors have a reasonable expectation that the company has adequate resources to meet its liabilities for the foreseeable future, being no less than 12 months from the date of the signing of these accounts. Accordingly, they continue to adopt the going concern basis in preparing the financial statements.

### **KEY RISKS AND UNCERTAINTIES**

As a holding company, the only key risk is the carrying value of the investment in subsidiary undertakings. The company manages this risk by its directors being actively involved in the day to day running of Tulip Limited.

By order of the Board

Hensen - Director
H June 2015

### **DIRECTORS' REPORT**

The directors present their annual report on the affairs of the company, together with the financial statements and auditor's report for the year ended 28 September 2014.

#### **DIVIDENDS**

During the year, the company paid dividends totalling £37,000,000 (2013: nil).

#### DIRECTORS

The directors, who served during the year and up to the date of this report, are as follows:

F Enevoldsen

H Jensen

K Johannesen

E Bredholt

P J Andersen

S Gilliland

C Thomas

#### **AUDITOR**

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

- so far as the director is aware, there is no relevant audit information of which the company's auditor is unaware; and
- the director has taken all the steps that he or she ought to have taken as a director to make himself or 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 (2) of the Companies Act 2006.

Deloitte LLP have acted as auditor. 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.

By order of the Board

H Jensen Secretary

June 2015

Seton House

Warwick Technology Park

Gallows Hill

Warwick

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### **DIRECTORS' RESPONSIBILITIES STATEMENT**

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 Financial Reporting Standard 101 Reduced Disclosure Framework. 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 judgments and accounting estimates that are reasonable and prudent;
- state whether Financial Reporting Standard 101 Reduced Disclosure Framework has 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 TULIP INTERNATIONAL (UK) LIMITED

We have audited the financial statements of Tulip International (UK) Limited for the year ended 28 September 2014 which comprise the profit and loss account, the balance sheet, statement of changes in equity and the related notes 1 to 9. The financial reporting framework that has been applied in their preparation is applicable law and Financial Reporting Standard 101 Reduced Disclosure Framework.

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 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.

### Respective responsibilities of directors and auditor

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. 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 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.

### 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 28 September 2014 and of its profit for the year then ended;
- have been properly prepared in accordance with Financial Reporting Standard 101 Reduced Disclosure Framework; 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 Strategic Report and Directors' Report for the financial year for which the financial statements are prepared is consistent with the financial statements.

### 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.

### Daniel Holl, FUA

David Hall FCA (Senior Statutory Auditor) for and on behalf of Deloitte LLP Chartered Accountants and Statutory Auditor Birmingham
United Kingdom

### PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT Year ended 28 September 2014

	Note	2014 £'000	2013 £'000
Income from shares in subsidiary undertakings	. 3	37,000	-
PROFIT ON ORDINARY ACTIVITIES BEFORE TAX	4	37,000	-
Tax	5		-
PROFIT FOR THE FINANCIAL YEAR		37,000	-

All results derive from continuing operations.

There is no comprehensive income in either year other than as reported above. Accordingly, no Statement of Comprehensive Income has been prepared.

## BALANCE SHEET 28 September 2014

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The Board of Directors approved and authorised for issue the financial statements of Tulip International (UK) Limited, registered number 1330427 on June 2015. They were signed on its behalf by:

Telef Jusen

H Jensen

Director

## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN EQUITY 28 September 2014

	Share capital £'000	Share premium account £'000	Capital reserve £'000	Profit and loss account £'000	Total £'000
At 30 September 2013 Retained profit for year Dividends (£2.79456 per share)	13,240	155,971 - -	20,500	37,000 (37,000)	189,711 37,000 (37,000)
At 28 September 2014	13,240	155,971	20,500	-	189,711
· · · ·	Share capital £'000	Share premium account £'000	Capital reserve £'000	Profit and loss account £'000	Ťotal £'000
At 1 October 2012	13,240	155,971	20,500		189,711
At 29 September 2013	13,240	155,971	20,500		189,711

The capital reserve represents a capital contribution from the parent undertaking.

### NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS Year ended 28 September 2014

### 1. SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

#### **Basis of accounting**

The company meets the definition of a qualifying entity under FRS 100 (Financial Reporting Standard 100) issued by the Financial Reporting Council. The financial statements have therefore been prepared in accordance with FRS 101 (Financial Reporting Standard 101) 'Reduced Disclosure Framework' as issued by the Financial Reporting Council.

As permitted by FRS 101, the company has taken advantage of the disclosure exemptions available under that standard in relation to financial instruments, capital management, presentation of comparative information in respect of certain assets, presentation of a cash-flow statement, standards not yet effective, impairment of assets and related party transactions.

Where required, equivalent disclosures are given in the group accounts of Danish Crown AmbA. The group accounts of Danish Crown AmbA are available to the public and can be obtained as set out in note 9.

The company is incorporated in the United Kingdom under the Companies Act and has taken advantage under section 400 of the Companies Act 2006 of the exemption from preparing consolidated financial statements as it is itself a wholly owned subsidiary of Danish Crown AmbA, in whose consolidated financial statements, which are publicly available, the Company is included. The group accounts can be obtained as set out in note 9.

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

The company's business activities, together with the factors likely to affect its future development, performance and position are set out in the Directors' Report.

#### Going Concern

The principal activity of the company is that of an investment holding company and, therefore it has no day to day working capital requirements. After making enquiries, the directors have a reasonable expectation that the company has adequate resources to meet its liabilities for the foreseeable future, being no less than 12 months from the date of the signing of these accounts. Accordingly, they continue to adopt the going concern basis in preparing the financial statements.

### Investments in subsidiaries

Fixed asset investments are shown at cost less provision for impairment.

#### Income recognition

Dividend income from investments is recognised when the rights to receive payment have been established through board approval.

#### **Taxation**

The tax expense represents the sum of the tax currently payable and deferred tax.

The tax currently payable is based on taxable profit for the year. Taxable profit differs from net profit as reported in the Income Statement because it excludes items of income or expense that are taxable or deductible in other years and it further excludes items that are never taxable or deductible. The company's liability for current tax is calculated using tax rates that have been enacted or substantively enacted by the balance sheet date.

### NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONTINUED) Year ended 28 September 2014

### 1. SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

#### **Taxation (continued)**

Deferred tax is the tax expected to be payable or recoverable on differences between the carrying amounts of assets and liabilities in the financial statements and the corresponding tax bases used in the computation of taxable profit, and is accounted for using the balance sheet liability method. Deferred tax liabilities are generally recognised for all taxable temporary differences and deferred tax assets are recognised to the extent that it is probable net taxable profits will be available against which deductible temporary differences can be utilised. Such assets and liabilities are not recognised if the temporary difference arises from the initial recognition of goodwill or from the initial recognition (other than in a business combination) of other assets and liabilities in a transaction that affects neither the tax profit nor the accounting profit.

Deferred tax is calculated at the tax rates that are expected to apply in the period when the liability is settled or the asset is realised. Deferred tax is charged or credited in the income statement, except when it relates to items charged or credited directly to equity, in which case the deferred tax is also dealt with in equity.

#### Financial instruments

Financial assets and financial liabilities are recognised in the statement of financial position when the company becomes a party to the contractual provisions of the instrument. Other financial liabilities are held at amortised cost.

### 2. CRITICAL ACCOUNTING JUDGEMENTS AND KEY SOURCES OF ESTIMATION UNCERTAINTY IN APPLYING THE COMPANY'S ACCOUNTING POLICIES.

The preparation of the financial statements in conformity with FRS101 requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of the assets and liabilities at the date of the financial statements and the reported amounts of revenue and expenses during the year then ended. Management bases its estimates on historical experience and various other assumptions that are believed to be reasonable under the circumstances. Actual results may differ from those estimates.

Estimates are used in the accounting for allowances for impairment. Estimates and assumptions are reviewed periodically and effects of revisions are reflected in the period that an adjustment is determined to be required.

A key judgement in the preparation of the financial statements is the appropriateness of using the going concern basis as noted in Note 1.

In the process of applying the Company's accounting policies, which are described in note 1, management has not made any judgements that have had a significant effect on the amounts recognised in the financial statements.

### 3. INCOME

Income arises from the receipt of dividend income from subsidiary undertakings which are incorporated in the United Kingdom.

	2014 £'000	2013 £'000
Income from shares in subsidiary undertaking	37,000	

### NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONTINUED) Year ended 28 September 2014

### 4. PROFIT ON ORDINARY ACTIVITIES BEFORE TAX

Auditor's remuneration for the audit of the company's annual financial statements of £1,000 (2013: £1,000) was borne by other group companies in the current and prior year. There were no non-audit fees in either year.

The directors who held office in the current and prior year were remunerated through other group companies and no part of these emoluments has been borne by the company. It is not practical to split out the emoluments of the directors in the current or prior year.

The company has no employees (2013: none)

### 5. TAX

The tax charge comprises:	2014 £'000	2013 £'000
Current tax UK corporation tax	·	
Total current tax	·	

The differences between the total current tax shown above and the amount calculated by applying the standard rate of UK Corporation tax to the profit before tax is as follows:

£'000	2013 £'000
37,000	-
8,140 (8,140)	- -
	-
	37,000

The tax rate for the year of 22% is a blended rate of 23% up to 1 April 2014 and 21% thereafter.

The Budget 2013 introduced a reduction in the main rate of corporation tax to 20% from 1 April 2015. This legislation was substantively enacted on 2 July 2013.

### NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONTINUED) Year ended 28 September 2014

### 6. INVESTMENT IN SUBSIDIARIES

	£'000
Cost At 30 September 2013 and 28 September 2014	238,050
Provision for impairment At 30 September 2013 and 28 September 2014	
Net book values At 29 September 2013 and 28 September 2014	238,050

Investments primarily represent the cost of investments in subsidiary companies.

Details of the directly held trading subsidiary company are as follows:

Tulip Limited, incorporated in England and Wales, represents 100% of the ordinary share capital. The company's principal activities are the processing, packaging, sale and distribution of meat products.

Details of the indirectly held trading subsidiaries were acquired on 2 December 2011 and are as follows:

Parkam Foods Limited, incorporated in England and Wales, represents 100% of the ordinary share capital. Until the company became dormant on 11 October 2013, the company's principal activities were the manufacturing, processing and wholesale of food products.

Freshway Chilled Foods Limited, incorporated in England and Wales, represents 100% of the ordinary share capital. Until the company became dormant on 15 August 2014, the company's principal activities are the production of sandwiches and sandwich fillings.

The company also directly and indirectly owns 100% of the issued share capital of a number of other companies, which are not shown above as they all dormant.

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

	2014 £'000	2013 £'000
Financial liabilities falling due after more than one year: Amounts owed to subsidiary undertaking	48,339	48,339

The above amounts are interest free and there are no fixed terms for repayment. The directors have received confirmation that the amount will not be called within 12 months of the signing of these financial statements.

### NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONTINUED) Year ended 28 September 2014

### 8. SHARE CAPITAL

		2014 £'000	2013 £'000
Authorised 13,240,000 ordinary shares of £1 each (2013 : 13,240,000)		13,240	13,240
Allotted, called up and fully paid 13,240,000 ordinary shares of £1 each (2013: 13,240,000)		13,240	13,240

### 9. ULTIMATE PARENT COMPANY AND CONTROLLING PARTY

The immediate parent company of Tulip International (UK) Limited is Danish Crown A/S.

In the directors' opinion, the company's ultimate parent undertaking and controlling party is Leverandorselskabet Danish Crown AmbA, incorporated in Denmark. This is the largest and smallest group of which the company is a member that prepares group accounts including the results of the company. Copies of the group accounts of Leverandorselskabet Danish Crown AmbA are available from Leverandorselskabet Danish Crown AmbA, Marsvej 43, DK-8900, Randers, Denmark.