Annual Report and Financial

For the Year Ended 30 September

2019

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# ANNUAL REPORT AND FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 SEPEMBER 2019

#### OFFICERS AND PROFESSIONAL ADVISERS

#### DIRECTORS

J Valeur

E Bredholt

P Ravn

P Sunke

#### **REGISTERED OFFICE**

Danish Crown UK Limited 57 Stanley Road Whitefield Manchester England M45 8GZ

#### **BANKERS**

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#### INDEPENDENT AUDITORS

PricewaterhouseCoopers LLP
Chartered Accountants and Statutory Auditors
Cornwall Court
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#### STRATEGIC REPORT

#### PRINCIPAL ACTIVITIES

The principal activity of the company is an investment holding company. In August 2019 the company signed a contract to divest the only subsidiary with business activities, Tulip Ltd. The transaction was finalised on 15 October 2019 subsequent to the year end.

During the coming year, the directors expect to strike off the remaining dormant subsidiaries.

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

Due to the divestment of Tulip Ltd. the directors have performed an impairment review of the cost of investment. An impairment of £289,717,000 was recognised against the value of Tulip Limited to reduce it to its recoverable amount, leaving a carrying value of the investment as £118,185,000.

The result after tax for the year ended 30 September 2019 amounts to a loss of £289,939,000 (2018: £600,000). Net Assets of the company decreased by £289,939,000 in the year to £22,172,000 (2018: £312,111,000), due to the write down of assets.

#### GOING CONCERN REVIEW

The principal activity of the company is that of an investment holding company and therefore, it has no day to day cash requirements. The company is financed by an intercompany cash pool account.

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 financial statements. 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. After the divestment of Tulip Ltd all subsidiaries are dormant without risk.

On behalf of the Board

P Sunke Director

28 November 2019

#### **DIRECTORS' REPORT**

The directors present their Annual Report on the affairs of the company, together with the audited financial statements and auditors' report for the year ended 30 September 2019.

#### **FUTURE DEVELOPMENTS**

The company intends to continue its principal activities as an investment holding company for the foreseeable future.

#### DIVIDENDS

During the year, the company paid dividends totalling £nil (2018: £nil).

#### DIRECTORS

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

J Valeur

E Bredholt

P Ravn

P Sunke

T Moelgaard (resigned 15 February 2019)

A Cracknell (resigned 15 October 2019)

M Knudsen (appointed 20 March 2019, resigned 15 October 2019)

#### DIRECTORS' INDEMNITIES

The company has made qualifying third party indemnity provisions for the benefit of its directors which were made during the year and remain in force at the date of this report.

#### POST BALANCE SHEET EVENTS

On 15 October 2019 the company finalised its divestment of Tulip Ltd. The impact of the divestment has been included in the 2018/19 annual report and financial statements. The disposal of the investment balance will be reflected in the 2019/20 annual report.

#### INDEPENDENT AUDITORS

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 auditors
  are 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 auditors are
  aware of that information.

This confirmation is given and should be interpreted in accordance with the provisions of \$418 (2) of the Companies Act 2006.

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

On behalf of the Board

P Sunke - Director

Danish Crown UK Limited 57 Stanley Road Whitefield Manchester England M45 8GZ

28 November 2019

## STATEMENT OF DIRECTORS' RESPONSIBILITIES IN RESPECT OF THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

The directors are responsible for preparing the Annual Report and the financial statements in accordance with applicable law and regulation.

Company law requires the directors to prepare financial statements for each financial year. Under that law the directors have prepared the financial statements in accordance with United Kingdom Generally Accepted Accounting Practice (United Kingdom Accounting Standards, comprising FRS 101 "Reduced Disclosure Framework", 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 the financial statements, the directors are required to:

- select suitable accounting policies and then apply them consistently;
- state whether applicable United Kingdom Accounting Standards, comprising FRS 101, have been followed, subject to any material departures disclosed and explained in the financial statements;
- make judgements and accounting estimates that are reasonable and prudent; 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 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.

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

### Independent auditors' report to the members of Tulip International (UK) Limited

## Report on the audit of the financial statements

#### **Opinion**

In our opinion, Tulip International (UK) Limited's financial statements:

- give a true and fair view of the state of the company's affairs as at 30 September 2019 and of its loss for the year then ended;
- have been properly prepared in accordance with United Kingdom Generally Accepted Accounting Practice (United Kingdom Accounting Standards, comprising FRS 101 "Reduced Disclosure Framework", and applicable law); and
- have been prepared in accordance with the requirements of the Companies Act 2006.

We have audited the financial statements, included within the Annual Report and Financial Statements (the "Annual Report"), which comprise: the Balance Sheet as at 30 September 2019; the Profit and Loss Account, the Statement of Changes in Equity for the year then ended; and the notes to the financial statements, which include a description of the significant accounting policies.

#### **Basis for opinion**

We conducted our audit in accordance with International Standards on Auditing (UK) ("ISAs (UK)") and applicable law. Our responsibilities under ISAs (UK) are further described in the Auditors' responsibilities for the audit of the financial statements section of our report. We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion.

#### Independence

We remained independent of the company in accordance with the ethical requirements that are relevant to our audit of the financial statements in the UK, which includes the FRC's Ethical Standard, and we have fulfilled our other ethical responsibilities in accordance with these requirements.

#### Conclusions relating to going concern

ISAs (UK) require us to report to you when:

- the directors' use of the going concern basis of accounting in the 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 the above matters.

However, because not all future events or conditions can be predicted, this statement is not a guarantee as to the company's ability to continue as a going concern. For example, the terms on which the United Kingdom may withdraw from the European Union are not clear, and it is difficult to evaluate all of the potential implications on the company's trade, customers, suppliers and the wider economy.

#### Reporting on other information

The other information comprises all of the information in the Annual Report other than the financial statements and our auditors' report thereon. The directors are responsible for the other information. Our opinion on the financial statements does not cover the other information and, accordingly, we do not express an audit opinion or, except to the extent otherwise explicitly stated in this report, any form of assurance 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 an apparent material inconsistency or material misstatement, we are required to perform procedures to conclude whether there is a material misstatement of 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 based on these responsibilities.

With respect to the Strategic Report and Directors' Report, we also considered whether the disclosures required by the UK Companies Act 2006 have been included.

Based on the responsibilities described above and our work undertaken in the course of the audit, ISAs (UK) require us also to report certain opinions and matters as described below.

## Independent auditors' report to the members of Tulip International (UK) Limited

#### Report on the audit of the financial statements

#### Strategic Report and Directors' Report

In our opinion, based on the work undertaken in the course of the audit, the information given in the Strategic Report and Directors' Report for the year ended 30 September 2019 is consistent with the financial statements and has been prepared in accordance with applicable legal requirements.

In light of the knowledge and understanding of the company and its environment obtained in the course of the audit, we did not identify any material misstatements in the Strategic Report and Directors' Report.

#### Responsibilities for the financial statements and the audit

#### Responsibilities of the directors for the financial statements

As explained more fully in the Statement of Directors' Responsibilities in Respect of the Financial Statements set out on page 4, the directors are responsible for the preparation of the financial statements in accordance with the applicable framework and for being satisfied that they give a true and fair view. The directors are also responsible for such internal control as they 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.

#### Auditors' 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 auditors' 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 auditors' report.

#### Use of this report

This report, including the opinions, has been prepared for and only for the company's members as a body in accordance with Chapter 3 of Part 16 of the Companies Act 2006 and for no other purpose. We do not, in giving these opinions, accept or assume responsibility for any other purpose or to any other person to whom this report is shown or into whose hands it may come save where expressly agreed by our prior consent in writing.

# Independent auditors' report to the members of Tulip International (UK) Limited

## Report on the audit of the financial statements

## Other required reporting

#### Companies Act 2006 exception reporting

Under the Companies Act 2006 we are required to report to you if, in our opinion:

- we have not received all the information and explanations we require for our audit; or
- adequate accounting records have not been kept by the company, or returns adequate for our audit have not been received from branches not visited by us; or
- · certain disclosures of directors' remuneration specified by law are not made; or
- the financial statements are not in agreement with the accounting records and returns.

We have no exceptions to report arising from this responsibility.

Neil Philpott (Senior Statutory Auditor)

for and on behalf of PricewaterhouseCoopers LLP-

Chartered Accountants and Statutory Auditors

Birmingham

December 2019

## PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT For the Year Ended 30 September 2019

	Note	2019 £'000	2018 £'000
Administrative expenses		(211)	-
Other income Impairment of investment	•	(289,717)	22,548 (23,148)
OPERATING LOSS		(289,928)	(600)
Interest payable and similar expenses	•	(11)	
LOSS BEFORE TAXATION	3	(289,939)	(600)
Tax on loss	4	÷.	-
LOSS FOR THE FINANCIAL YEAR		(289,939)	(600)

All results derive from continuing operations.

The company has no income or expense other than the results above and, therefore, no Statement of Comprehensive Income has been presented.

## BALANCE SHEET As at 30 September 2019

,	Note	2019 £'000	2018 £'000
FIXED ASSETS		•	
Investments .	· <b>5</b>	118,185	337,902
•		118,185	337,902
CREDITORS: AMOUNTS FALLING DUE WITHIN ONE YEAR		110,105	337,902
Trade and other payables	6	(26,013)	-
Borrowings	7	(70,000)	-
CREDITORS: AMOUNTS FALLING DUE AFTER MORE THAN ONE YEAR	8 .		(25,791)
NET ASSETS		22,172	312,111
CAPITAL AND RESERVES			
	9	13,240	13,240
Share premium account	entra e de la compansión	278,971	278,971
Capital reserve		20,500	20,500
Profit and loss account		(290,539)	(600)
TOTAL SHAREHOLDERS' FUNDS		22,172	312,111

The Board of Directors approved and authorised for issue the financial statements of Tulip International (UK) Limited, registered number 1330427 on November 2019. They were signed on its behalf by:

P Sunke

Director

# STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN EQUITY For the Year Ended 30 September 2019

•	Called up share capital £'000	Share premium account £'000	Capital reserve £'000	Profit and loss account £'000	Total Shareholders' funds £'000
At 1 October 2018 Total comprehensive expense for the year	13,240	27 <b>8</b> ,971 -	20,500	(600) (289,939)	
At 30 September 2019	13,240	278,971	20,500	(290,539)	22,172
en erromaniste sammen state en	Called up share capital £'000	Share premium account £'000	Capital reserve £'000	account	Total Shareholders' funds £'000
At 1 October 2017 Total comprehensive expense for the year Issue of shares	up share capital	premium account	reserve	loss account	Shareholders' funds

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

### NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS For the Year Ended 30 September 2019

#### 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 financial statements of Leverandorselskabet Danish Crown AmbA. The group financial statements of Leverandorselskabet Danish Crown AmbA are available to the public and can be obtained as set out in note 10.

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 Leverandorselskabet Danish Crown AmbA, in whose consolidated financial statements, which are publicly available, the company is included. The group financial statements can be obtained as set out in note 10.

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 Strategic Report.

These financial statements are presented in pounds sterling because that is the currency of the primary economic environment in which the company operates.

#### 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 financial statements. 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.

#### Impairment of investments

At each reporting date investments are reviewed to determine whether there is any indication that those assets have suffered an impairment loss. If there is an indication of possible impairment, the recoverable amount of any affected asset is estimated and compared with its carrying amount. If estimated recoverable amount is lower, the carrying amount is reduced to its estimated recoverable amount, and an impairment loss is recognised immediately in profit and loss.

If an impairment loss subsequently reverses, the carrying amount of the asset is increased to the revised estimate of its recoverable amount, but not in excess of the amount that would have been determined had no impairment loss been recognised for the asset in prior years. A reversal of an impairment loss is recognised immediately in profit and loss.

#### Income recognition

Other income is recognised when the rights to receive payment or other economic benefit have been established through contractual or other legal agreement.

## NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONTINUED) For the Year Ended 30 September 2019

#### 1. SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

#### Taxation

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

The tax payable is based on taxable profit for the year. Taxable profit differs from net profit as reported in the Profit and Loss Account 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.

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.

The estimates that have a risk of causing a material adjustment to the carrying value of assets and liabilities within the next financial year is in respect of the impairment assessment undertaken on the carrying value of the companies investment in Tulip Limited.

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.

# NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONTINUED) For the Year Ended 30 September 2019

#### 3. LOSS BEFORE TAXATION

Remuneration for the audit of the company's annual financial statements of £1,000 (2018: £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 (2018: none).

#### 4. TAX ON LOSS

The tax charge comprises:

The tax charge comprises:	2019 £'000	2018 £'000
Current tax  UK-corporation-tax	razuen i unulusukakakakai es s <b>u</b> en za	destruir e tura energia de la constanta de la c
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 loss before tax is as follows:

	£'000	£'000
Loss taxation	(289,939)	(600)
Corporation tax at 19% (2018: 19%) Disallowable expenditure	(55,088) 55,088	(114) 114
· Total tax		-

Changes to the UK corporation tax rates were substantively enacted as part of Finance Bill 2016 (on 6 September 2016). These include reductions to the main rate, to reduce the rate to 17% from 1 April 2020.

## NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONTINUED) For the Year Ended 30 September 2019

#### 5. INVESTMENTS

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Cost At 1 October 2018	361,050
Purchase of shares At 30 September 2019	70,000
At 30 deptember 2019	431,050
Provision for impairment	
At 1 October 2018	23,148
Impairment in the year	289,717
At 30 September 2019	312,865
Net book values	
At 30 September 2019	118,185
- At 30 September 2018	337,902

Investments 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.

The company directly and indirectly owns 100% of the issued share capital of the following entities, all incorporated in the United Kingdom:

Easey Holdings Limited\*
Easey Pigs Limited\*
Easey Herds Limited\*
Easey Veterinary Services Limited\*
D. Blowers Limited\*

The company also directly and indirectly owns 100% of the issues share capital of the following dormant entities:

Adams Pork Products Limited\*
Belvoir Foods Limited \*
Celebrity Food Factories Limited\*
Dalehead Foods Limited \*
Danish Bacon Company Limited
Danish Crown Holdings (UK) Limited
Flagship Fresh Meats Limited\*
Foodane Limited \*

Geo Adams & Sons (Farms) Limited\* Geo Adams & Sons Limited\*

Glenbrook Foods Limited\* Gott Foods Limited\* Gott Holdings Limited
Laxgate Limited\*

Meadowbrook Foods Limited\* Norman C Roach & Son Limited\*

Plumrose Limited\*
Prideaux Stables Limited\*
Roach Foods Limited\*

The Lane Food Company Limited\*

Trophy Foods Limited\*

Tulip International (UK) Cooked Meat Division Ltd\*
Tulip International (UK) Wellingborough Limited\*

VJS Foods Limited VJS Holdings Limited

These companies are all registered in England and have a registered address of: Seton House, Warwick Technology Park, Gallows Hill, Warwick, CV34 6DA.

Following a review of the investments held by the company at the year end, an impairment of £289,717,000 (2018: £23,148,000) was recognised against the value of Tulip Limited.

\*These investments were sold as part of the disinvestment of Tulip Limited see note 11 Post balance sheet events

# NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONTINUED) For the Year Ended 30 September 2019

#### 6. TRADE AND OTHER PAYABLES

	2019 £'000	2018 £'000
Amounts owed to subsidiary undertaking Accruals	25,791 222	-
	26,013	-

Trade and other payables are held at amortised cost. The directors consider that the carrying value approximates to their fair value.

Amounts due to fellow subsidiaries are unsecured, interest free have no fixed date of repayment and are repayable on demand.

#### 7. BORROWINGS

	2019 £'000	2018 £'000
Unsecured borrowings at amortised cost		,
Intercompany funding	70,000	
• •	70,000	-
Total borrowings		
Amounts due for settlement within 12 months	70,000	* <b>-</b>
Amounts due for settlement in 2 - 5 years	-	_
Amounts due for settlement after 5 years	-	•
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	70,000	-
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During the year, the company entered an intercompany cash pooling facility. The balance was the drawing on the rolling intercompany funding arrangement at an interest rate of 1.45%. All intercompany borrowings are unsecured.

#### 8: CREDITORS: AMOUNTS FALLING DUE AFTER MORE THAN ONE YEAR

•	2019 . £'000	2018 £'000
Financial liabilities falling due after more than one year:		
Amounts owed to subsidiary undertaking	• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •	25,791

The above amounts are interest free and there are no fixed terms for repayment.

# NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONTINUED) For the Year Ended 30 September 2019

#### 9. CALLED UP SHARE CAPITAL

•	2019 £'000	2018 £'000
<b>Authorised</b> 13,240,100 ordinary shares of £1 each (2018: 13,240,100)	13,240	13,240
Allotted and fully paid 13,240,100 ordinary shares of £1 each (2018: 13,240,100)	13,240	13,240

#### 10. 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 financial statements including the results of the company. Copies of the group financial statements of Leverandorselskabet Danish Crown AmbA are available from Leverandorselskabet Danish Crown AmbA, Marsvej 43, DK-8900, Randers, Denmark.

#### 11. POST BALANCE SHEET EVENTS

On 15 October 2019 the company finalised its divestment of Tulip Ltd. The impact of the divestment has been included in the 2018/19 annual report and financial statements. The disposal of the investment balance will be reflected in the 2019/20 annual report.