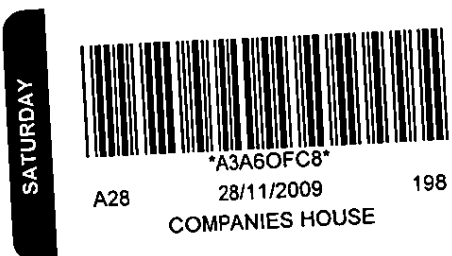


**THE COUNTRY MARKET LIMITED**  
**ANNUAL REPORT AND FINANCIAL STATEMENTS**  
**FOR THE 53 WEEKS ENDED**  
**28 FEBRUARY 2009**  
**Registered Number:**  
**1621213**



# THE COUNTRY MARKET LIMITED

## BALANCE SHEET AS AT 28 FEBRUARY 2009

	Note	2009 £'000	2008 £'000
<b>CURRENT LIABILITIES</b>			
Creditors - Amount owed to group undertakings		(330)	(330)
<b>NET CURRENT LIABILITIES</b>		<b>(330)</b>	<b>(330)</b>
<b>CAPITAL AND RESERVES</b>			
Called up share capital	3	100	100
Profit and loss account		(430)	(430)
<b>EQUITY SHAREHOLDERS' FUNDS</b>		<b>(330)</b>	<b>(330)</b>

For the period ended 28 February 2009 the company was entitled to exemption under section 249AA(1) of the Companies Act 1985.

No members have required the company to obtain an audit of its accounts for the period in question in accordance with section 249B(2) of the Companies Act 1985.

The Directors acknowledge their responsibility for :

- a) Ensuring the company keeps accounting records which comply with section 221.
- b) Preparing accounts which give a true and fair view of the state of affairs of the company as at the end of its financial year, and of its profit and loss for the financial period in accordance with section 226, and which otherwise comply with the requirements of the Companies Act relating to accounts, so far as applicable to the company.

Approved by the Board on 17th November 2009



Jonathan Lloyd  
Director  
The Country Market Limited  
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The notes on pages 3 to 4 form part of these financial statements.

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### NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE PERIOD ENDED 28 FEBRUARY 2009

#### 1. PRINCIPAL ACCOUNTING POLICIES

The financial statements are prepared on the going concern basis in accordance with applicable accounting standards, under the historical cost convention, and in accordance with the Companies Act 1985. These have been applied consistently during the period.

In accordance with FRS 2 "Accounting for subsidiary Undertakings" and section 228 of the Companies Act 1985, group financial statements have not been prepared because the company is a wholly owned subsidiary of a body corporate, incorporated in England and Wales.

In accordance with paragraph 5 of FRS1 (revised), the company, being the wholly owned subsidiary of another company which prepares a cash flow statement including the cash flows of this company, has not prepared such a statement itself.

#### 2. ACTIVITY AND DIRECTORS

During the year the company has not traded and consequently a profit and loss account has not been disclosed.

The directors received no emoluments for their services to the company (2008: £nil).

The company had no employees during the period (2008: nil).

#### 3. CALLED UP SHARE CAPITAL

	2009 £'000	2008 £'000
Authorised:		
100,100 Ordinary shares of £1 each	100	100
Allotted, called up and fully paid		
100,000 Ordinary shares of £1 each	100	100

## **THE COUNTRY MARKET LIMITED**

### **NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE PERIOD ENDED 28 FEBRUARY 2009 (Continued)**

#### **4. ULTIMATE PARENT UNDERTAKING**

The company's immediate parent undertaking is Adminstore Limited.

The company's ultimate parent undertaking and controlling party is Tesco PLC, which is incorporated in Great Britain and registered in England and Wales, and which is the parent undertaking of the smallest and largest group to consolidate these financial statements. Copies of the Tesco PLC financial statements can be obtained from the Company Secretary, Tesco PLC, Tesco House, PO Box 18, Delamare Road, Cheshunt, Hertfordshire, EN8 9SL.

#### **5. RELATED PARTY DISCLOSURES**

Transactions with other companies within the group are not disclosed as the company has taken advantage of the exemption under Financial Reporting Standard 8 "Related Party Disclosures", as the consolidated financial statements of Tesco PLC, in which the company is included, are available at the address noted above.