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Caparo House Limited

Report and Financial Statements

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Officers and professional advisers

Directors

The Honourable Ms Anjlı Paul The Honourable Angad Paul D P Dancaster

Secretary

M J Stilwell

Registered Office

Caparo House 103 Baker Street London W1U 6LN

Auditor

Deloitte LLP Chartered Accountants and Statutory Auditor Birmingham, UK

Directors' report

The directors present their annual report and the audited financial statements for the year ended 31 December 2011 The company is a wholly owned subsidiary of Caparo Group Limited, a company registered in England and Wales

Principal activity

The principal activity of the company is that of property investment. The company's property is situated at 103 Baker Street, London Part of the property provides accommodation for other Caparo companies, whilst the remaining accommodation is let to external tenants

Results and dividends

The profit and loss account is set out on page 6 The company made a profit after tax of £306,000 during the year (2010 £500,000)

No interim dividend was paid during the year (2010 £nil) The directors do not recommend a final dividend for the year (2010 £nil)

The company has operated satisfactorily during the year. The directors are of the opinion that the company will continue to be profitable in the foreseeable future. Therefore the accounts have been prepared on the going concern basis

Directors

The directors of the company during the year were

The Honourable Ms Anılı Paul The Honourable Angad Paul D P Dancaster

(appointed 2 June 2011)

Indemnity cover

Third party indemnity cover for the directors was in force during the financial year and at the year end

Financial instruments

Details of the financial risk management objectives and policies and details of the use of financial instruments by the company are provided in note 14 to the financial statements

Auditor

All of the current directors have taken all the steps that they ought to have taken to make themselves aware of the information needed by the company's auditor for the purposes of their audit and to establish that the auditor is aware of that information. The directors are not aware of any relevant audit information of which the auditor is unaware

BDO LLP resigned as auditor during the year and Deloitte LLP were appointed 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

In preparing the directors' report advantage has been taken of the small companies' exemption under the Companies Act 2006

By order of the Board

M J Stilwell
Secretary
Date 29 May 2012

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 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 judgments and accounting estimates that are reasonable and prudent,
- state whether applicable UK Accounting Standards have 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 Caparo House Limited

We have audited the financial statements of Caparo House Limited for the year ended 31 December 2011, which comprise the Profit and Loss Account, the Balance Sheet and the related notes 1 to 15 The financial reporting framework that has been applied in their preparation is applicable law and United Kingdom Accounting Standards (United Kingdom Generally Accepted Accounting Practice)

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. 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 2011 and of its profit for the year then ended,
- have been properly prepared in accordance with United Kingdom Generally Accepted Accounting Practice, 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 Directors' Report for the financial year for which the financial statements are prepared is consistent with the financial statements

Independent auditor's report to the members of Caparo House Limited (continued)

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 take advantage of the small companies exemption in preparing the directors' report

Une Whitlock (Senior statutory auditor)

for and on behalf of Deloitte LLP

Chartered Accountants and Statutory Auditor

May 2012

Birmingham, UK

Date

Profit and loss account Year ended 31 December 2011

	Note	2011 £'000	2010 £'000
Turnover	2	556	581
Cost of sales		(49)	(151)
Operating profit and profit on ordinary activities before taxation	5	507	430
Taxation on profit on ordinary activities	6	(201)	70
Profit for the financial year	12	306	500

All amounts relate to continuing activities

All recognised gains and losses are included in the profit and loss account for the current and prior year

The notes on pages 8 to 14 form part of these financial statements

Balance sheet 31 December 2011

Company number 1718594	Note	2011 £'000	2011 £'000	2010 £'000	2010 £'000
Fixed assets					
Tangible assets	7		5,014		5,045
Current assets					
Debtors due within one year	8	15		26	
Debtors due after more than one year	8	3,445		3,113	
Cash at bank and in hand		82		83	
	•	3,542	-	3,222	
		0,212		0,	
Creditors: amounts falling due within one year	9	(348)		(365)	
Net current assets	-		3,194		2,857
Net assets			8,208	•	7,902
Capital and reserves				·	
Called up share capital	11		-		_
Revaluation reserve	12		1,522		1,533
Profit and loss account	12		6,686		6,369
Total shareholders' funds	12		8,208	-	7,902

The financial statements were approved by the Board of Directors and authorised for issue on 29 May 2012

The Honourable Angad Paul

Director

D P Dancaster

Director

The notes on pages 8 to 14 form part of these financial statements

Notes to the financial statements (continued) Year ended 31 December 2011

1. Accounting policies

The financial statements have been prepared under the historical cost convention, as modified by the revaluation of properties, and are in accordance with United Kingdom Accounting Standards

The following principal accounting policies have been applied

Basis of preparation

The company is expected to operate within its cash facilities based on cash flow forecasts for the period to May 2013 prepared by the directors. The directors have therefore prepared the accounts on the going concern basis.

Turnover

Turnover, stated net of value added tax, represents amounts invoiced to third parties Rent receivable under the terms of the leases is adjusted, in accordance with Urgent Issues Task Force Abstract 28 'Operating Lease Incentives', for the effect of any incentives given, which are spread on a straight line basis up to the time when the prevailing market rent will be payable

Taxation

Current tax, including UK corporation tax and foreign tax, is provided at amounts expected to be paid (or recovered) using the tax rates and laws that have been enacted or substantively enacted by the balance sheet date

Deferred tax is recognised in respect of all timing differences that have originated but not reversed at the balance sheet date where transactions or events that result in an obligation to pay more tax in the future or a right to pay less tax in the future have occurred at the balance sheet date. Timing differences are differences between the company's taxable profits and its results as stated in the financial statements that arise from the inclusion of gains and losses in tax assessments in periods different from those in which they are recognised in the financial statements.

A net deferred tax asset is regarded as recoverable and therefore recognised only to the extent that, on the basis of all available evidence, it can be regarded as more likely than not that there will be suitable taxable profits from which the future reversal of the underlying timing differences can be deducted

Deferred tax is not recognised when fixed assets are revalued unless by the balance sheet date there is a binding agreement to sell the revalued assets and the gain or loss expected to arise on sale has been recognised in the financial statements. Neither is deferred tax recognised when fixed assets are sold and it is more likely than not that the taxable gain will be rolled over, being charged to tax only if and when the replacement assets are sold.

Deferred tax is measured at the average tax rates that are expected to apply in the periods in which the timing differences are expected to reverse, based on tax rates and laws that have been enacted or substantively enacted by the balance sheet date

Deferred tax is measured on a non-discounted basis

Fixed assets and depreciation

Depreciation is provided to write off the cost, or valuation, less the estimated residual value of tangible fixed assets by equal instalments over their expected useful economic lives as follows

Fixtures and fittings

15% - 20% per annum

Freehold buildings

2% per annum

Freehold land is not depreciated

Following the reclassification of the property from an investment property to a fixed asset in 2007 the book amount of the last valuation of the property was retained, and is being depreciated from that date

Notes to the financial statements (continued) Year ended 31 December 2011

1. Accounting policies (continued)

Financial risk management

Exposure to movements in interest rates is reviewed regularly by the directors. The company utilises financial instruments to limit the company's exposure to movements in interest rates where in the opinion of the directors the expected benefits of such arrangements exceed the expected costs or at the request of the company's lenders

Further information is provided in note 14 to the financial statements

Cash flow statement

Under Financial Reporting Standard 1 'Cash Flow Statements (Revised 1996)' (FRS 1), the company is exempt from the requirement to prepare a cash flow statement on the grounds that at least 90% of the voting rights in the company are controlled within the group headed by Caparo Group Limited and the company is included in the consolidated financial statements of Caparo Group Limited, which are publicly available Consequently, the company has taken advantage of the exemption from preparing a cash flow statement under the terms of FRS 1

2. Turnover

All the company's turnover is derived from its principal activity carried on within the United Kingdom

3. Employees

The company does not employ any personnel The activities of the company are managed by employees of a fellow subsidiary company of Caparo Group Limited, the ultimate parent company

4. Directors' remuneration

No director received any remuneration during the current or prior year in relation to services provided to this company. The directors are remunerated by fellow subsidiary companies of Caparo Group Limited, the ultimate parent company

5. Operating profit

This has been arrived at after charging

This has been arrived at area enaughing	2011 £'000	2010 £'000
Depreciation of owned assets	31	31

No audit fee was borne by this company

Notes to the financial statements (continued) Year ended 31 December 2011

6. Taxation on profit on ordinary activities

The taxation on profit on ordinary activities comprises	2011 £'000	2010 £'000
Current tax		
Corporation tax charge for the year	176	129
Adjustment in respect of previous years	41	(199)
Total current tax charge/(credit)	217	(70)
Deferred tax		
Movement in deferred tax provision (note 10)	(16)	-
Taxation charge/(credit) on profit on ordinary activities	201	(70)

The current tax on ordinary activities for the year is different from the standard rate of corporation tax in the UK. The differences are explained below

2011 £'000	2010 £'000
507	430
135	120
43	9
(2)	-
41	(199)
217	(70)
	135 43 (2) 41

Factors that may affect future tax charges

The company has unprovided UK deferred tax assets, excluding tax on potential gains on revaluation of fixed assets of £nil (2010 £15,000) (note 10)

Based on current capital investment plans, the company expects depreciation to exceed capital allowances in future years

No provision has been made for deferred tax on gains recognised on revaluing the property to its market value or on the sale of the property. Such tax would become payable only if the property were sold without it being possible to claim rollover relief or to offset the gain against tax losses brought forward in the Caparo Group. The amount unprovided is disclosed in note 10. At present, it is not envisaged that any tax will become payable in the foreseeable future.

Notes to the financial statements (continued) Year ended 31 December 2011

7. Tangible fixed assets

	Freehold land and buildings £'000	Fixtures and fittings £'000	Total £'000
Cost or valuation At 1 January and 31 December 2011	5,169	5	5,174
Depreciation At 1 January 2011 Charge for the year	124	5	129 31
At 31 December 2011	155	5	160
Net book value At 31 December 2011	5,014	_	5,014
At 31 December 2010	5,045	-	5,045

The historic cost of the freehold land and buildings is £3,599,000 (2010 £3,599,000)

8 Debtors

	2011	2010
	£'000	£'000
Amounts falling due within one year:		
Prepayments and accrued income	-	26
Other debtors	15	-
	15	26
Amounts falling due after more than one year:		
Amount owed by group undertakings	3,429	3,113
Deferred tax (note 10)	16	-
	3,445	3,113
Total debtors	3,460	3,139

The amounts owed by group undertakings have no fixed repayment date and are non-interest bearing

Notes to the financial statements (continued) Year ended 31 December 2011

9. Creditors: amounts falling due within one year

	2011	2010
	£'000	£'000
Corporation tax	176	129
Accruals and deferred income	-	64
Other creditors	172	172
	348	365

10. Provisions for liabilities and charges

Total deferred tax is included in the balance sheet as follows

At 1 January 2011	
Movement in deferred tax	(16)
At 31 December 2011	(16)

In the opinion of the directors, the company will generate sufficient taxable profits in the future such that the future reversal of the underlying timing differences, which give rise to the deferred tax asset, will be deducted Such reversal was not foreseen at 31 December 2010, with the result that the deferred tax asset at that date was not provided for

Deferred tax is included in 'Debtors' in the balance sheet (note 8)

Deferred tax comprised the following liabilities/(assets)

	Provided 2011 £'000	Unprovided 2011 £'000	Provided 2010 £'000	Unprovided 2010 £'000
Accelerated capital allowances On revaluation of assets	(16)	- 4	-	(15) 86
	(16)	4	-	71

11. Called up share capital

	Authorise	Authorised, allotted, called up and fully paid			
	2011	2011	2010	2010	
	Number	£'000	Number	£'000	
Ordinary shares of £1 each	100	-	100	-	

£'000

Notes to the financial statements (continued) Year ended 31 December 2011

12. (a) Reserves

	Revaluation reserve £'000	Profit and loss account £'000
At 1 January 2011 Profit for the financial year	1,533 -	6,369 306
Difference between actual and historical cost depreciation	(11)	11
At 31 December 2011	1,522	6,686
(b) Note of historical cost profits and losses		
	2011 £'000	2010 £'000
Reported profit on ordinary activities before taxation Difference between actual and historical cost depreciation	507 11	430 9
Historical cost profit on ordinary activities before taxation	518	439
Historical cost profit for the year after taxation	317	509
(c) Reconciliation of movements in shareholders' funds		
	2011 £'000	2010 £'000
Opening shareholders' funds Profit for the financial year	7,902 306	7,402 500
From for the Infancial year		
Closing shareholders' funds	8,208	7,902

13. Related party transactions

The company has taken advantage of the exemptions granted under Financial Reporting Standard 8 'Related Party Transactions', from disclosing transactions entered into between two or more members of a group provided that any subsidiary undertaking which is a party to the transaction is wholly owned by a member of that group

Transactions between two or more members of the group where any subsidiary undertaking party to those transactions is not wholly owned by a member of the group are considered immaterial and have not, therefore, been disclosed

14. Financial instruments

The company holds or issues financial instruments to finance its operations and enters into contracts to manage risks arising from those operations and its sources of finance in accordance with its accounting policies

Various financial instruments such as trade debtors and trade creditors arise directly from the company's operations. The company performs rigorous credit checks for all customers, and credit insurance is obtained, where available, to minimise bad debt risk

Notes to the financial statements (continued) Year ended 31 December 2011

15. Ultimate parent company and controlling parties

The company is a wholly owned subsidiary undertaking of Caparo Group Limited, which is also the ultimate parent company

The only group in which the results of the company are consolidated is that headed by Caparo Group Limited Copies of the consolidated accounts of Caparo Group Limited are available from Companies House, Cardiff

The Right Honourable The Lord Paul of Marylebone, The Honourable Ms Anjli Paul, The Honourable Ambar Paul, The Honourable Akash Paul and The Honourable Angad Paul, directors of Caparo Group Limited, are jointly and indirectly interested in the whole of the issued share capital of Caparo Group Limited through shareholdings registered in the name of Caparo International Corporation, a company registered in the British Virgin Islands Caparo International Corporation ultimately holds the issued share capital of Caparo Group Limited on behalf of a series of family trusts