Directors' report and financial statements

For the year ended 31 December 2009 Registered number 01971232

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Directors' report

The directors present their report and the financial statements for the year ended 31 December 2009

Principal activities

The principal activity of the company is property investment

Results and dividends

The profit for the year, after taxation, amounted to £19,368 (2008 £18,958)

The directors do not recommend the payment of a dividend (2008 £nil)

Directors

The directors who held office during the year and up to the date of the directors' report were

W J Pearson (appointed 12 March 2009 & resigned 16 July 2009) I W Gatiss I J del Beato T Marfleet (appointed 16 July 2009) N J Harris (resigned 24 April 2009) M Uria Fernandez

Provision of information to auditors

Each of the persons who are directors at the time when this directors' report is approved has confirmed that

- so far as that director is aware, there is no relevant audit information of which the company's auditors are unaware, and
- that director has taken all the steps that ought to have been taken as a director in order to be aware of any
 information needed by the company's auditors in connection with preparing their report and to establish that
 the company's auditors are aware of that information

Auditors

Under section 487 of the Companies Act 2006, KPMG Audit Plc will be deemed to have been reappointed as auditors 28 days after these financial statements were sent to members or 28 days after the latest date prescribed for filing the financial statements with the registrar, whichever is earlier

This report was approved by the board and signed on its behalf

Director

Date

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30 Berkeley Square London W1J 6EW

Statement of directors' responsibilities for the year ended 31 December 2009

The directors are responsible for preparing the directors' 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 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,
- 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 auditors' report to the members of Haslemere Property Investment Limited

We have audited the financial statements of Haslemere Property Investment Limited for the year ended 31 December 2009, which comprise the profit and loss account, the balance sheet and the related notes. 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 auditors' 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 auditors

As explained more fully in the statement of directors' responsibilities, 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 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.

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 2009 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 auditors' report to the members of Haslemere Property Investment Limited

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

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W Meredith (senior statutory auditor)

for and on behalf of **KPMG Audit Plc**

Statutory Auditor Chartered Accountants

8 Salisbury Square London EC4Y 8BB

Date 15/6/10

Profit and loss account for the year ended 31 December 2009

	Note	2009 £	2008 £
Administrative expenses		<u>-</u>	(2)
Operating profit/(loss)		-	(2)
Interest receivable and similar income	4	26,898	26,271
Profit on ordinary activities before taxation		26,898	26,269
Тах ол profit on ordinary activities	5	(7,530)	(7,311)
Profit for the financial year	9	19,368	18,958

All amounts relate to continuing operations

There were no recognised gains and losses for 2009 or 2008 other than those included in the profit and loss account

The notes on pages 7 to 10 form part of these financial statements

Haslemere Property Investment Limited Registered number 01971232

Balance sheet as at 31 December 2009

	Note	£	2009 £	£	2008 £
Current assets					
Debtors	6	1,161,788		1,142,424	
Creditors amounts falling due within one year	7	(2,595)		(2,599)	
Net current assets	•		1,159,193	····	1,139,825
Net assets			1,159,193		1,139,825
Capital and reserves		•	<u> </u>		
Called up share capital	8		1,000,000		1,000,000
Profit and loss account	9		159,193		139,825
Shareholders' funds	10		1,159,193		1,139,825

The financial statements were approved and authorised for issue by the board and were signed on its behalf by

Director

Date

The notes on pages 7 to 10 form part of these financial statements

Notes to the financial statements

1 Accounting policies

11 Basis of preparation of financial statements

The financial statements have been prepared under the historical cost convention and in accordance with applicable accounting standards

12 Cash flow

The company, being a subsidiary undertaking where 90% or more of the voting rights are controlled within the group whose consolidated financial statements are publicly available, is exempt from the requirement to draw up a cash flow statement in accordance with FRS $\bf 1$

13 Taxation

Taxation for the year is based on the profit for the year

Full provision is made for deferred tax liabilities arising from all timing differences between the recognition of gains and losses in the financial statements and recognition in the tax computation

A net deferred tax asset is recognised only if 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 assets and liabilities are calculated at the tax rates expected to be effective at the time the timing differences are expected to reverse

Deferred tax assets and liabilities are not discounted

14 Transaction with related parties

The company, as a wholly owned subsidiary undertaking of General Electric Company, has taken advantage of an exemption contained in FRS 8, "Related Party Disclosures", in preparing its financial statements This exemption allows the company not to disclose details of transactions with other group companies or investees of the group qualifying as related parties, as the consolidated financial statements of General Electric Company, in which the company is included, are publicly available

2 Auditors' remuneration

Remuneration of £2,604 (2008 £2,800) paid to the auditors for their services to the company was borne by a fellow group undertaking

3 Staff costs

The company has no employees other than the directors, who did not receive any remuneration (2008 Enil)

4 Interest receivable and similar income

	2009 £	2008 £
Interest receivable from group companies	26,898	26,271

Notes to the financial statements

5 Taxation

	2009 £	2008 £
Analysis of tax charge in the year		
UK corporation tax charge on profit for the year Adjustments in respect of prior periods	7,530 -	7,487 (176)
Tax on profit on ordinary activities	7,530	7,311

Factors affecting current tax charge for the year

The current tax assessed for the year is lower than (2008 lower than) the standard rate of corporation tax in the UK of 28% (2008-285%). The differences are explained below

	2009	2008
	£	£
Profit on ordinary activities before tax	26,898	26,269
Profit on ordinary activities multiplied by standard rate of corporation tax in the UK of 28% (2008-28.5%)	7,531	7,486
Effects of		
Adjustments to tax charge in respect of prior periods	-	(176)
Other	(1)	1
Current tax charge for the year (see note above)	7,530	7,311

Factors that may affect future tax charges

There are no factors that may significantly affect future tax charges

There were no amounts of provided or unprovided deferred taxation as at 31 December 2009 or 31 December 2008

Notes to the financial statements

6	Debtors		
		2009	2008
	A second a sound by a second ward at the second	£ 1,161,788	£ 1,142,424
	Amounts owed by group undertakings	1,161,766	1,142,424
7	Creditors Amounts falling due within one year		
		2009	2008
		£	£
	Amounts owed to group undertakings Corporation tax	1,855 740	1,856 743
		2,595	2,599
8	Share capital		
		2009 £	2008 £
	Authorised		
	1,250,000 ordinary shares of £1 each	1,250,000	1,250,000
	Allotted, called up and fully paid		
	1,000,000 ordinary shares of £1 each	1,000,000	1,000,000
9	Reserves		
			Profit and loss account £
	At 1 January 2009		139,825
	Profit for the year		19,368
	At 31 December 2009		159,193
10	Reconciliation of movement in shareholders' funds		
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		£	£
	Opening shareholders' funds Profit for the year	1,139,825 19,368	1,120,867 18,958
	Closing shareholders' funds	1,159,193	1,139,825

Notes to the financial statements

11 Ultimate parent undertaking and controlling party

The company's immediate parent undertaking is Haslemere NV, a company incorporated in the Netherlands

The smallest and largest group in which the results of the company are consolidated is that headed by its ultimate parent undertaking, General Electric Company, a company incorporated in the United States of America. The consolidated financial statements of this company are available to the public and may be obtained from 3135 Easton Turnpike, Fairfield, Connecticut, 06828, USA or at www.ge.com