# Helmsley Securities Limited Abbreviated Accounts For The Year Ended 30 September 2015

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## INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT TO HELMSLEY SECURITIES LIMITED UNDER SECTION 449 OF THE COMPANIES ACT 2006

We have examined the abbreviated accounts set out on pages 2 to 6, together with the financial statements of Helmsley Securities Limited for the year ended 30 September 2015 prepared under section 396 of the Companies Act 2006.

This report is made solely to the company in accordance with Chapter 10 of Part 15 of the Companies Act 2006. Our work has been undertaken so that we might state to the company those matters we are required to state to it in a special 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, for our work, for this report, or for the opinions we have formed.

#### Respective responsibilities of directors and auditors

The directors are responsible for preparing the abbreviated accounts in accordance with section 444 of the Companies Act 2006. It is our responsibility to form an independent opinion as to whether the company is entitled to deliver abbreviated accounts to the Registrar of Companies and whether the abbreviated accounts have been properly prepared in accordance with the regulations made under that section and to report our opinion to you.

We conducted our work in accordance with Bulletin 2008/4 issued by the Auditing Practices Board. In accordance with that Bulletin we have carried out the procedures we consider necessary to confirm, by reference to the financial statements, that the company is entitled to deliver abbreviated accounts and that the abbreviated accounts to be delivered are properly prepared.

### **Opinion**

In our opinion the company is entitled to deliver abbreviated accounts prepared in accordance with section 444(3) of the Companies Act 2006, and the abbreviated accounts have been properly prepared in accordance with the regulations made under that section.

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Sarah Ashton (Senior Statutory Auditor) for and on behalf of Garbutt & Elliott Audit Limited

17 May 2016

**Chartered Accountants Statutory Auditor** 

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### ABBREVIATED BALANCE SHEET AS AT 30 SEPTEMBER 2015

		20	2015		2014	
	Notes	£	£	£	£	
Fixed assets						
Tangible assets	2		-		155,575	
Investments	2		272,312		272,312	
			272,312		427,887	
Current assets						
Stocks		1,394,815		1,319,602		
Debtors	3	661,310		696,103		
Cash at bank and in hand		24,876 ————		70,613		
		2,081,001		2,086,318		
Creditors: amounts falling due within		(050.045)		(4.000.500)		
one year	4	(656,617) ————		(1,293,528)		
Net current assets			1,424,384		792,790	
Total assets less current liabilities			1,696,696		1,220,677	
Creditors: amounts falling due after						
more than one year			(687,049)		(610,239)	
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			1,009,647		610,438	
Capital and reserves						
Called up share capital	5		2		2	
Profit and loss account			1,009,645		610,436	
Shareholders' funds			1,009,647		610,438	

These abbreviated financial statements have been prepared in accordance with the provisions applicable to companies subject to the small companies 'regime.

Approved by the Board for issue on .

Mr R J M Peak
Director

Company Registration No. 01990062

### NOTES TO THE ABBREVIATED ACCOUNTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 SEPTEMBER 2015

#### 1 Accounting policies

### 1.1 Accounting convention

The financial statements are prepared under the historical cost convention and in accordance with the Financial Reporting Standard for Smaller Entities (effective April 2008).

The financial statements have been prepared on a going concern basis which assumes the company will continue in operational existence for the foreseeable future. The validity of this assumption is dependent upon both the successful completion of the company's development properties together with the continuing support of the company's bankers and the support of the group.

The directors together with their development partners have continued to progress each development so that they can either be sold or refinance. The directors are conscious of the continuing challenging economic climate and depressed property market but have been encouraged by the increase in the profitable syndicated property activities of the company which they plan to expand in the future.

The company's banking facilities with its existing bankers were reviewed and renewed on 18 November 2014 and it has continued to operate within the agreed facilities since the year end. The directors believe that the company has the ongoing support of its current bankers to ensure sufficient funds are available for the foreseeable future.

On this basis the directors believe it appropriate to prepare the financial statements on a going concern basis.

### 1.2 Turnover

Turnover is recognised at the fair value of the consideration received or receivable for sale of goods and services in the ordinary nature of business. Property sales are included upon exchange and fees receivable are recognised per the terms of the individual agreements. The company's share of profit from partnership property developments is included as per the individual partnership accounts. Turnover is shown net of Value Added Tax.

### 1.3 Tangible fixed assets and depreciation

Investment properties are included in the balance sheet at their open market value. Depreciation is provided only on those investment properties which are leasehold and where the unexpired lease term is less than 20 years.

Although this accounting policy is in accordance with the Financial Reporting Standard for Smaller Entities (effective April 2008), it is a departure from the general requirement of the Companies Act 2006 for all tangible assets to be depreciated. In the opinion of the directors compliance with the standard is necessary for the financial statements to give a true and fair view. Depreciation or amortisation is only one of many factors reflected in the annual valuation and the amount of this which might otherwise have been charged cannot be separately identified or quantified.

Investment properties are valued annually by the directors on an open market basis.

#### 1.4 investments

Long term investments are classified as fixed assets.

Fixed asset investments are stated at cost less provision for diminution in value.

### NOTES TO THE ABBREVIATED ACCOUNTS (CONTINUED) FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 SEPTEMBER 2015

### 1 Accounting policies

(Continued)

#### 1.5 Stock

All stocks are valued at the lower of cost and net realisable value, after making due allowance for obsolete and slow moving items. Cost is included as per contractors' valuation certificates plus associated expenses.

Development stocks are interests in land and buildings in respect of which development has not been completed. Stock properties include minor participations in completed freehold property that are held on a short term basis. Joint venture developments stocks are the company's share of sites developed under joint arrangements with other companies.

### 1.6 Deferred taxation

Deferred taxation 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 any 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 period different from those in which they are recognised in the financial statements.

Deferred tax is measured at the average tax rates that are expected to apply in the periods in which 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.

### 1.7 Financial instruments

Financial instruments are classified and accounted for according to the substance of the contractual arrangement as financial assets, financial liabilities or equity instruments. An equity instrument is any contract that evidences a residual interest in the assets of the company after deducting all of its liabilities.

### 1.8 Joint arrangements

The company develops sites under joint arrangements with other companies, through corporate partnership agreements set up for this purpose. These arrangements are an extension of the company's business and are accounted for as joint arrangements which are not an entity in accordance with Financial Reporting Standard 9. The company accounts for its proportion of the turnover, results, assets, liabilities and cash flows measured in accordance with the terms governing the arrangements.

# NOTES TO THE ABBREVIATED ACCOUNTS (CONTINUED) FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 SEPTEMBER 2015

Fixed assets	Tangible assets	Investments	Total
,	£	£	£
Cost			
At 1 October 2014	155,575	272,312	427,887
Disposals	(155,575)	-	(155,575)
At 30 September 2015	-	272,312	272,312
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At 30 September 2014	155,575	272,312	427,887

### Holdings of more than 20%

The company holds more than 20% of the share capital of the following companies:

Company	Country of registration or	Shares held	0/
Participating interests	incorporation	Class	%
Heworth Green LLP	England and Wales	Capital and	
		voting rights	50.00

The aggregate amount of capital and reserves and the results of these undertakings for the last relevant financial year were as follows:

		Capital and	Profit/(loss) for the year	
		reserves		
		2015	2015	
	Principal activity	£	£	
Heworth Green LLP	Property development	(173,985)	349,314	

Included in the unlisted investments above is a 10.52% interest in the capital and reserves of Odyssey Venture LLP.

### 3 Debtors

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Debtors include an amount of £600,000 (2014 - £547,675) which is due after more than one year.

### 4 Creditors: amounts falling due within one year

The aggregate amount of creditors for which security has been given amounted to £24,747 (2014 - £130,170).

# NOTES TO THE ABBREVIATED ACCOUNTS (CONTINUED) FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 SEPTEMBER 2015

5	Share capital	2015 £	2014 £
	Allotted, called up and fully paid 2 Ordinary shares of £1 each	2	2

### 6 Ultimate parent company

The ultimate parent company is Colenso Group Limited.

The immediate parent company is Helmsley Group Limited.