Registration number: 02286559

Signal House Limited

Annual Report and Financial Statements for the Year Ended 30 April 2017

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(Registration number: 02286559) Balance Sheet as at 30 April 2017

	Note	2017 £	2016 £
Fixed assets			
Tangible assets	4	217,477	164,202
Current assets			
Stocks	5	414,903	201,891
Debtors	6	1,114,120	977,644
Cash at bank and in hand		4,150	377
		1,533,173	1,179,912
Creditors: Amounts falling due within one year	7	(716,938)	(183,990)
Net current assets		816,235	995,922
Total assets less current liabilities		1,033,712	1,160,124
Creditors: Amounts falling due after more than one year	7	(47,891)	(4,385)
Provisions for liabilities		(38,471)	(29,182)
Net assets		947,350	1,126,557
Capital and reserves			
Called up share capital	9	52,630	52,630
Profit and loss account		894,720	1,073,927
Total equity		947,350	1,126,557

(Registration number: 02286559) Balance Sheet as at 30 April 2017

These financial statements have been prepared and delivered in accordance with the provisions applicable to companies subject to the small companies regime and the option not to file the Profit and Loss Account has been taken.

Approved and authorised by the Board	d on 32-1-18	and signed on its	s behalf by:
P Roberts			
Director			
P Hobbs			
Director			
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J A Leafe

Company secretary and director

Notes to the Financial Statements for the Year Ended 30 April 2017

1 General information

The company is a private company limited by share capital incorporated in England.

The address of the registered office is given in the company information on page 1 of the financial statements.

The principal place of business is: Cherrycourt Way Stanbridge Road Leighton Buzzard Bedfordshire LU7 4UH

2 Accounting policies

Summary of significant accounting policies and key accounting estimates

The principal accounting policies applied in the preparation of these financial statements are set out below. These policies have been consistently applied to all the years presented, unless otherwise stated.

Statement of compliance

These financial statements have been prepared in accordance with Financial Reporting Standard 102 Section 1A - 'The Financial Reporting Standard applicable in the UK and Republic of Ireland' and the Companies Act 2006.

Basis of preparation

These financial statements have been prepared using the historical cost convention except that as disclosed in the accounting policies certain items are shown at fair value.

The financial statements are presented in Sterling (£) and rounded to the nearest £1.

Going concern

The financial statements have been prepared on a going concern basis which assumes that the company will continue to trade. The directors are of the opinion that the company's forecasts and projections, which reflect the current economic outlook and take account of reasonable possible changes in trading performance, show that the company should be able to operate within its current facilities.

Based on the above the directors have a reasonable expectation that the company has adequate resources to continue in operation for the foreseeable future and consequently the directors continue to adopt the going concern basis in the preparation of the financial statements.

If the company were unable to trade, adjustments would be have to be made to reduce the value of assets to their recoverable amount, to provide for any further liabilities that may arise, and to reclassify fixed assets and long term liabilities as current assets and liabilities.

Audit report

The Independent Auditors' Report was unqualified. The name of the Senior Statutory Auditor who signed the audit report was Gavin Robert Booth, who signed for and on behalf of Ashgates Corporate Services Limited.

Notes to the Financial Statements for the Year Ended 30 April 2017

Revenue recognition

Turnover represents the total invoice value, excluding value added tax, of sales made during the year. Income is recognised based on the date goods are despatched and the level of completion of services.

Tax

The tax expense for the period comprises deferred tax. Tax is recognised in profit or loss, except that a change attributable to an item of income or expense recognised as other comprehensive income is also recognised directly in other comprehensive income.

The current income tax charge is calculated on the basis of tax rates and laws that have been enacted or substantively enacted by the reporting date in the countries where the company operates and generates taxable income.

Deferred income tax is recognised on temporary differences arising between the tax bases of assets and liabilities and their carrying amounts in the financial statements and on unused tax losses or tax credits in the company. Deferred income tax is determined using tax rates and laws that have been enacted or substantively enacted by the reporting date.

The carrying amount of deferred tax assets are reviewed at each reporting date and a valuation allowance is set up against deferred tax assets so that the net carrying amount equals the highest amount that is more likely than not to be recovered based on current or future taxable profit.

Tangible assets

Tangible assets are stated in the statement of financial position at cost, less any subsequent accumulated depreciation and subsequent accumulated impairment losses.

The cost of tangible assets includes directly attributable incremental costs incurred in their acquisition and installation.

Depreciation

Depreciation is charged so as to write off the cost of assets, other than land and properties under construction over their estimated useful lives, as follows:

Asset class

Fixtures and fittings
Plant and machinery

Depreciation method and rate

15% reducing balance 20% reducing balance

Stocks

Stocks are stated at the lower of cost and estimated selling price less costs to complete and sell. Cost is determined using the first-in, first-out (FIFO) method.

The cost of finished goods and work in progress comprises direct materials and, where applicable, direct labour costs and those overheads that have been incurred in bringing the inventories to their present location and condition. At each reporting date, stocks are assessed for impairment. If stocks are impaired, the carrying amount is reduced to its selling price less costs to complete and sell; the impairment loss is recognised immediately in profit or loss.

Notes to the Financial Statements for the Year Ended 30 April 2017

Borrowings

Interest-bearing borrowings are initially recorded at fair value, net of transaction costs. Interest-bearing borrowings are subsequently carried at amortised cost, with the difference between the proceeds, net of transaction costs, and the amount due on redemption being recognised as a charge to the Profit and Loss Account over the period of the relevant borrowing.

Interest expense is recognised on the basis of the effective interest method and is included in interest payable and similar charges.

Borrowings are classified as current liabilities unless the company has an unconditional right to defer settlement of the liability for at least twelve months after the reporting date.

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Leases are classified as finance leases whenever the terms of the lease transfer substantially all the risks and rewards of ownership to the lessee.

Assets held under finance leases are recognised at the lower of their fair value at inception of the lease and the present value of the minimum lease payments. These assets are depreciated on a straight-line basis over the shorter of the useful life of the asset and the lease term. The corresponding liability to the lessor is included in the Balance Sheet as a finance lease obligation.

Lease payments are apportioned between finance costs in the Profit and Loss Account and reduction of the lease obligation so as to achieve a constant periodic rate of interest on the remaining balance of the liability.

Defined contribution pension obligation

A defined contribution plan is a pension plan under which fixed contributions are paid into a pension fund and the company has no legal or constructive obligation to pay further contributions even if the fund does not hold sufficient assets to pay all employees the benefits relating to employee service in the current and prior periods.

Contributions to defined contribution plans are recognised as employee benefit expense when they are due. If contribution payments exceed the contribution due for service, the excess is recognised as a prepayment.

3 Staff numbers

The average number of persons employed by the company (including directors) during the year, was 22 (2016 - 18).

Notes to the Financial Statements for the Year Ended 30 April 2017

4 Tangible assets

4 Tangible assets			
	Fixtures and fittings £	Plant and machinery £	Total £
Cost or valuation			
At 1 May 2016	127,422	358,978	486,400
Additions	14,326	72,170	86,496
At 30 April 2017	141,748_	431,148	572,896
Depreciation			
At 1 May 2016	83,297	238,901	322,198
Charge for the year	6,293	26,928	33,221
At 30 April 2017	89,590	265,829	355,419
Carrying amount			
At 30 April 2017	52,158	165,319	217,477
At 30 April 2016	44,125	120,077	164,202
5 Stocks			
		2017 £	2016 £
Work in progress		74,055	19,305
Other inventories		340,848	182,586
		414,903	201,891
6 Debtors			
	Note	2017 £	2016 £
Trade debtors		356,577	143,830
Amounts owed by group undertakings	11	737,528	815,511
Other debtors		20,015	18,303
		1,114,120	977,644

Notes to the Financial Statements for the Year Ended 30 April 2017

7 Creditors

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	Note	2017 £	2016 £
Due within one year			
Loans and borrowings	8	526,930	84,464
Trade creditors		147,858	67,587
Taxation and social security		7,559	16,825
Other creditors	_	34,591	15,114
	=	716,938	183,990
Due after one year			
Loans and borrowings	8 _	47,891	4,385
8 Loans and borrowings			
		2017 £	2016 £
Current loans and borrowings		_	~
Bank borrowings		197,852	-
Bank overdrafts	•	70,645	14,776
Finance lease liabilities		19,017	2,824
Other borrowings	_	239,416	66,864
	-	526,930	84,464
		2017	2016
		£	£
Non-current loans and borrowings		47,891	4,385
Finance lease liabilities	_	47,031	4,303

Bank borrowings

Bank borrowings is denominated in Sterling with a nominal interest rate of 4% over base rate, and the final instalment is due in May 2017. The carrying amount at year end is £197,852 (2016 - £Nil).

There is a debenture creating a fixed and floating charge over all of the assets of the company.

Other borrowings

Hire purchase and finance lease liabilities are secured against the assets to which they relate. The carrying amount at the year end is £66,908 (2016 - £7,209).

Other borrowings, which relate to invoice discount facilities, are secured against the related debtors and also by virtue of cross guarantees between group companies. The carrying amount at the year end is £239,416 (2016 - £66,864).

Notes to the Financial Statements for the Year Ended 30 April 2017

9 Share capital

Allotted, called up and fully paid shares

	2017		2016	
	No.	£	No.	£
Ordinary shares of £1 each	52,630	52,630	52,630	52,630

10 Financial commitments, guarantees and contingencies

Financial commitments

The total amount of financial commitments not included in the balance sheet is £205,679 (2016 - £15,302). These commitments relate to obligations under operating leases and are analysed as follows:

	2017 £	2016 £
Not later than one year	53,039	10,819
Later than one year and not later than five years	152,640	4,483
Later than five years		
	205,679	15,302

Contingent liabilities

The company has entered into cross guarantees with its finance providers in respect of the liabilities of other group and related companies. This is supported by a debenture over the company's assets. The contingent liability at 30 April 2017 is £1,790,776 (2016 - £1,621,668). The future outcome is dependent upon the performance of individual companies concerned however the director's do not expect any liability to crystalise.

11 Related party transactions

The company has taken advantage of the exemption under FRS 102 Section 1A in respect of disclosing transactions with other members of the group.

12 Parent and ultimate parent undertaking

The company's immediate parent is Signal House Group Limited, incorporated in England. The ultimate controlling party is P Roberts.

Relationship between entity and parents

The smallest and largest group in which these financial statements are consolidated is Signal House Group Limited, incorporated in England. These financial statements are available upon request from Companies House, Crown Way, Maindy, Cardiff, CF14 3UZ.

The address of Signal House Group Limited is:

Salcombe Road, Meadow Lane Industrial Estate, Alfreton, Derbyshire, DE55 7RG.