# SPEN HILL MANAGEMENT LIMITED ANNUAL REPORT AND FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE 52 WEEKS ENDED 25 FEBRUARY 2017

Registered Number: 02460426



## STRATEGIC REPORT FOR THE 52 WEEKS ENDED 25 FEBRUARY 2017

The Directors present their Strategic Report of Spen Hill Management Limited (the "Company") for the 52 weeks ended 25 February 2017 (prior period: 52 weeks ended 27 February 2016).

#### Review of the business

The principal activity of the Company is to manage the property owners' interests in a portfolio of properties and to provide services in accordance with the terms of the Property Pool Management Agreements for Tesco joint ventures and certain other property owners. There has been no significant change in the nature or level of this activity during the period and we do not expect this to change significantly throughout the next financial period.

#### Results and dividends

The results for the period show a pre-tax loss of £316,000 (2016: £nil), and revenue of £3,229,075 (2016: £3,874,670).

The Directors do not recommend a payment of a dividend for the 52 weeks ended 25 February 2017 (2016: £nil).

## Principal risks and uncertainties

The principal risks relate to the recoverability of management fees, accountancy fees and insurance fees. To manage this risk the Company periodically reviews the financial position of the entities to which the Company provides these services.

From the perspective of the Company, the principal risks and uncertainties are integrated with the principal risks of the Tesco PLC Group (the "Group") and are not managed separately. Accordingly, the principal risks and uncertainties of the Group, which include the Company, are discussed on pages 26 to 30 of the Tesco PLC Annual Report & Financial Statements 2017, which does not form part of this Report.

# **Business risk**

On 29 March 2017, the government invoked Article 50 to initiate the process of leaving the European Union within two years. This could cause disruptions and uncertainties which could have an adverse effect on our property business, financial results and operations.

# **Key performance indicators (KPIs)**

Given the straightforward nature of the business, the Directors are of the opinion that analysis using key performance indicators is not necessary for an understanding of the development, performance or position of the business.

The development, performance and position of the operations of the Group, which includes the Company, is discussed on pages 12 to 13 of the Tesco PLC Annual Report & Financial Statements 2017, which does not form part of this Report.

On behalf of the Board

**%** August 2017

A Soni Director

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# DIRECTORS' REPORT FOR THE 52 WEEKS ENDED 25 FEBRUARY 2017

The Directors present their report and the audited financial statements of Spen Hill Management Limited (the "Company") for the 52 weeks ended 25 February 2017 (prior period: 52 weeks ended 27 February 2016).

#### Results and dividends

Details of results and dividends can be found in the Strategic Report.

#### **Political contributions**

There were no political donations for the period (2016: £nil).

#### **Future outlook**

The Company's performance is expected to continue throughout the next financial period and it is anticipated that the current performance levels will be maintained.

The Company's future developments form a part of the Group's long-term strategy, which is discussed on pages 6 to 10 of the Tesco PLC Annual Report and Financial Statements 2017, which does not form part of this Report.

# Principal risks and uncertainties

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#### Going concern

The Directors have a reasonable expectation that the Company has adequate resources to continue in operational existence for the foreseeable future. A letter of comfort for a period of 12 months has been received from Tesco Stores Limited regarding the £6.97 million intercompany payable. The letter confirms that it is currently the intention of Tesco Stores Limited not to seek repayment of the £6.97 million intercompany payable for at least 12 months from the date of signing the financial statements of the Company for the 52 weeks ended 25 February 2017 unless replacement funding has been arranged. Thus they continue to adopt the going concern basis in preparing the annual financial statements.

#### Research and development

The Company does not undertake any research and development activities (2016: none).

## **Employees**

The Company had no employees during the period (2016: none).

# **DIRECTORS' REPORT FOR THE 52 WEEKS ENDED 25 FEBRUARY 2017 (continued)**

#### Directors and their interests

The following Directors served during the period and up to the date of signing the financial statements.

Tesco Services Limited

J Gibney

A Soni (Appointed on 11 April 2016)
P Moore (Resigned on 11 April 2016)

As set out below, none of the Directors had any disclosable interests in the Company during this period.

#### Directors' indemnities

A qualifying third-party indemnity provision as defined in Section 234 of the Companies Act 2006 is in force for the benefit of the Tesco PLC Company Secretary (who is also a Director of Tesco Services Limited, which is appointed to the Board of the Company) in respect of liabilities incurred as a result of their office, to the extent permitted by law. In respect of those liabilities for which Directors and Officers may not be indemnified, Tesco PLC maintained a Directors' and Officers' liability insurance policy throughout the financial period and up to the date of signing the financial statements.

# Directors' responsibilities statement

The Directors are responsible for preparing the Strategic Report and 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 period. Under that law the Directors have prepared the financial statements in accordance with applicable law and United Kingdom Accounting Standards (United Kingdom Generally Accepted Accounting Practice), including Financial Reporting Standard 101 Reduced Disclosure Framework (FRS 101).

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 judgements and accounting estimates that are reasonable and prudent;
- state whether applicable United Kingdom Accounting Standards, including FRS 101 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.

# **DIRECTORS' REPORT FOR THE 52 WEEKS ENDED 25 FEBRUARY 2017 (continued)**

# Disclosure of information to auditor

Each of the persons who is a Director at the date of approval of this report confirms that:

- so far as the Director is aware, there is no relevant audit information of which the Company's auditor is unaware; and
- the Director has taken all the steps that he ought to have taken as a Director in order to make himself aware of any relevant audit information and to establish that the Company's auditor is aware of that information.

This confirmation is given and should be interpreted in accordance with the provisions of S 418 of the Companies Act 2006.

# **Auditor**

Deloitte LLP have been deemed re-appointed under section 487 of the Companies Act 2006.

On behalf of the Board S August 2017

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# INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT TO THE DIRECTORS OF SPEN HILL MANAGEMENT LIMITED

We have audited the financial statements of Spen Hill Management Limited for the 52 weeks ended 25 February 2017 which comprise the Statement of Comprehensive Income, the Balance Sheet, the Statement of Changes in Equity and the related notes 1 to 9. 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), including FRS 101 "Reduced Disclosure Framework".

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 and to identify any information that is apparently materially incorrect based on, or materially inconsistent with, the knowledge acquired by us in the course of performing the audit. 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 25 February 2017 and of its loss for the 52 weeks then ended:
- have been properly prepared in accordance with United Kingdom Generally Accepted Accounting Practice including Financial Reporting Standard 101 "Reduced Disclosure Framework"; and
- have been prepared in accordance with the requirements of the Companies Act 2006.

## Opinion on other matters prescribed by the Companies Act 2006

In our opinion, based on the work undertaken in the course of the audit:

- the information given in the Strategic Report and the Directors' Report for the financial period for which the financial statements are prepared is consistent with the financial statements; and
- The Strategic Report and the Directors' Report have been prepared in accordance with applicable legal requirements.

In the light of the knowledge and understanding of the Company and its environment obtained in the course of the audit, we have not identified any material misstatements in the Strategic Report and the Directors' Report.

# INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT TO THE DIRECTORS OF SPEN HILL MANAGEMENT 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.

Simon Letts (Senior Statutory Auditor)

For and on behalf of Deloitte LLP

Statutory Auditor London, United Kingdom

Date: 8 August 2017

# STATEMENT OF COMPREHENSIVE INCOME FOR THE 52 WEEKS ENDED 25 FEBRUARY 2017

	Notes	52 weeks to 25 February 2017 £	52 weeks to 27 February 2016 £
Revenue		3,229,075	3,874,670
Cost of sales		(3,229,075)	(3,874,670)
Gross profit		-	-
Administrative expenses		(316,000)	-
Operating loss	3	(316,000)	<u>-</u>
Loss on ordinary activities before taxation		(316,000)	-
Tax on loss on ordinary activities	4	•	
Total comprehensive loss for the period		(316,000)	-

All operations are continuing for the financial period.

The notes on pages 9 to 13 form part of these financial statements.

# STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN EQUITY FOR THE 52 WEEKS ENDED 25 FEBRUARY 2017

	Notes	Share capital	Share premium	Profit and loss account	Total equity
		£	£	£	£
At 28 February 2015		2	-	(315,088)	(315,086)
Total comprehensive income for the period		-	-	-	-
Share capital issued		1	315,999	-	316,000
At 27 February 2016		3	315,999	(315,088)	914
Total comprehensive loss for the period		-	-	(316,000)	(316,000)
At 25 February 2017	7	3	315,999	(631,088)	(315,086)

# **BALANCE SHEET AS AT 25 FEBRUARY 2017**

		25 February	27 February
		2017	2016
	Notes	£	£
Current assets			
Debtors: amounts falling due within one year	5	5,481,134	4,907,371
Cash at bank and in hand		1,218,168	4,765,497
		6,699,302	9,672,868
Creditors: amounts falling due within one year	6	(7,014,388)	(9,671,954)
Net current (liabilities)/assets		(315,086)	914
Net (liabilities)/assets		(315,086)	914
Capital and reserves			
Share capital	7	3	3
Share premium		315,999	315,999
Profit and loss account		(631,088)	(315,088)
Total equity		(315,086)	914

The financial statements on pages 7 to 13 were approved by the board and authorised for issue on  $\mathcal{C}$  August 2017. They were signed on its behalf by:

Director

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# NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE 52 WEEKS ENDED 25 FEBRUARY 2017

# 1. AUTHORISATION OF FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AND STATEMENT OF COMPLIANCE WITH FRS 101

The financial statements of Spen Hill Management Limited (the "Company") for the period cndcd 25 February 2017 were approved by the Board of Directors on a August 2017 and the balance sheet was signed on the board's behalf by A Soni. Spen Hill Management Limited is a private company, limited by shares and incorporated and domiciled in England and Wales.

These financial statements were prepared in accordance with Financial Reporting Standard 101 Reduced Disclosure Framework (FRS 101) and in accordance with applicable accounting standards. The financial statements have been prepared in accordance with the Companies Act 2006.

The Company's financial statements are presented in pounds sterling and all values are rounded to the nearest pound (£) except when otherwise indicated.

The results of Spen Hill Management Limited are included in the consolidated financial statements of Tesco PLC which are available from Tesco House, Shire Park, Kestrel Way, Welwyn Garden City, United Kingdom, AL7 1GA.

The principal accounting policies adopted by the Company are set out in Note 2. These policies have been consistently applied to all periods presented unless otherwise stated.

These financial statements are presented in pounds sterling because that is the currency of the primary economic environment in which the Company operates.

## 2. ACCOUNTING POLICIES

#### **Basis of preparation**

These financial statements have been prepared in accordance with Financial Reporting Standard 101, 'Reduced Disclosure Framework' (FRS 101) and the Companies Act 2006. FRS 101 sets out a reduced disclosure framework for a 'qualifying entity' as defined in the standard which addresses the financial reporting requirements and disclosure exemptions in the individual financial statements of qualifying entities that otherwise apply the recognition, measurement and disclosure requirements of EU-adopted IFRS.

The Company is a qualifying entity for the purposes of FRS 101. Note 8 gives details of the Company's parent and from where its consolidated financial statements prepared in accordance with IFRS may be obtained.

The disclosure exemptions adopted by the Company in accordance with FRS 101 are as follows:

- The requirement in paragraph 38 of IAS 1 'Presentation of Financial Statements' to present comparative information in respect of:
  (i) paragraph 79(a)(iv) of IAS 1;
- The requirements of paragraphs 10(d) and 134-136 of IAS 1 Presentation of Financial Statements;
- The requirements of IAS 7 Statement of Cash Flows;
- The requirements of paragraphs 30 and 31 of IAS 8 Accounting Policies, Changes in Accounting Estimates and Errors; and
- The requirements in IAS 24 Related Party Disclosures to disclose related party transactions entered into between
  two or more members of a group, provided that any subsidiary which is a party to the transaction is wholly owned
  by such a member.

The financial statements have been prepared under the historical cost convention. Principle accounting policies are set out below.

# NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE 52 WEEKS ENDED 25 FEBRUARY 2017 (continued)

# 2. ACCOUNTING POLICIES (continued)

# **Going Concern**

The Directors have a reasonable expectation that the Company has adequate resources to continue in operational existence for the foreseeable future. A letter of comfort for a period of 12 months has been received from Tesco Stores Limited regarding the £6.97 million intercompany payable. The letter confirms that it is currently the intention of Tesco Stores Limited not to seek repayment of the 6.97 million for at least 12 months from the date of signing the financial statements of the Company for the 52 weeks ended 25 February 2017 unless replacement funding has been arranged. Thus they continue to adopt the going concern basis in preparing the annual financial statements.

# Critical accounting judgements and key sources of estimation uncertainty

In the application of the Company's accounting policies, which are described in Note 2, the Directors are required to make judgements, estimates and assumptions about the carrying amounts of assets and liabilities that are not readily apparent from other sources. The estimates and associated assumptions are based on historical experience and other factors that are considered to be relevant. Actual results may differ from these estimates. The Directors do not consider that any of the estimates made within these financial statements are significant.

#### **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.

The tax currently payable is based on taxable profit for the period. Taxable profit differs from net profit as reported in the Statement of Comprehensive Income because it excludes items of income or expense that are taxable or deductible in other periods and it further excludes items that are never taxable or deductible.

# Revenue recognition

The Company provides property and financial management services for which it charges an annual fee outlined by each individual Property Pool Management Agreement.

Revenue is recognised evenly throughout the period to match the level of service provided throughout the period.

## **Debtors and creditors**

Debtors and creditors including intercompany balances are non-interest-bearing and are recognised initially at fair value and subsequently measured at amortised cost using the effective interest method.

#### 3. OPERATING LOSS

The Directors received no emoluments for their services to the Company (2016: £nil).

The Company had no employees during the period (2016: none).

The auditor's remuneration of £6,264 (2016: £6,264) was borne by Tesco Stores Limited.

# NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE 52 WEEKS ENDED 25 FEBRUARY 2017 (continued)

## 4. TAXATION ON LOSS ON ORDINARY ACTIVITIES

# Factors that have affected the tax charge

The Finance Act 2015 included legislation to reduce the main rate of UK corporation tax to 20% from 1 April 2015 to 31 March 2017, and to 19% from 1 April 2017 to 31 March 2020. The blended tax rate for the period is therefore 20%. From 1 April 2020, the rate will be reduced to 17%, in accordance with Finance Act 2016.

There is no current tax or deferred tax amount in the previous or current period.

	52 weeks to 25 February 2017	52 weeks to 27 February 2016
	£	£
Loss on ordinary activities before tax	(316,000)	<u>-</u>
Loss on ordinary activities multiplied by blended rate in the UK 20% (2016: 20.1%)	(63,200)	-
Effects of:		
Other non-deductible items	63,200	-
Total income tax charge for the period	-	-

The Finance Act 2016 included legislation to reduce the main rate of UK corporation tax from 20% to 19% from 1 April 2017 and to 17% from 1 April 2020. These rate reductions were substantively enacted by the balance sheet date and therefore included in these consolidated financial statements. Temporary differences have been remeasured using the enacted tax rates that are expected to apply when the liability is settled or the asset realised.

#### 5. DEBTORS: AMOUNTS FALLING DUE WITHIN ONE YEAR

	25 February 2017 £	27 February 2016
		£
Trade debtors and accrued income	2,631,132	1,741,369
Amounts owed by group undertakings	2,850,002	3,166,002
	5,481,134	4,907,371

The amounts owed by group undertakings are unsecured, interest free, have no fixed date of repayment and are repayable on demand.

## 6. CREDITORS: AMOUNTS FALLING DUE WITHIN ONE YEAR

	25 February 2017 £	27 February 2016 £
Amounts owed to group undertakings	6,968,802	9,651,135
Accruals and deferred income	21,860	20,819
Other creditors	23,726	-
	7,014,388	9,671,954

The amounts owed to group undertakings are unsecured, interest free, have no fixed date of repayment and are repayable on demand.

# NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE 52 WEEKS ENDED 25 FEBRUARY 2017 (continued)

# 7. CALLED UP SHARE CAPITAL

	25 February 2017	27 February 2016
	£	£
Allotted, called up and paid:		
3 Ordinary shares of £1 each	<b>3</b> ·	3
	3	3

# 8. ULTIMATE PARENT UNDERTAKING AND CONTROLLING PARTY

The immediate parent undertakings of the Company are Tesco PLC and Spen Hill Properties (Holdings) PLC.

The ultimate parent undertaking is Tesco PLC which is registered in England and Wales. The results of the Company are included in the consolidated financial statements of Tesco PLC, which is the smallest and largest group to consolidate these financial statements. Copies of the Tesco PLC financial statements are available from it registered office: The Company Secretary, Tesco House, Shire Park, Kestrel Way, Welwyn Garden City, AL7 1GA.

# 9. RELATED PARTY TRANSACTIONS

The Company has taken advantage of the exemption under paragraph 8(k) of FRS 101 not to disclose transactions with fellow wholly owned subsidiaries.

Transactions between the Company and its joint ventures are disclosed below:

Entity	Relationship	Transaction
The Blackpool Unit Trust	Joint Venture of ultimate parent	The Company charged £26,054 (2016: £69,843) for
-	undertaking	property management fees.
The Broadstairs Unit	Joint Venture of ultimate parent	The Company charged £63,560 (2016: £136,955) for
Trust	undertaking	property management fees.
The Coventry Unit Trust	Joint Venture of ultimate parent	The Company charged £147,706 (2016: £317,995) for
·	undertaking	property management fees.
The Tesco Coral Limited	Joint Venture of ultimate parent	The Company charged £71,542 (2016: £70,716) for
Partnership	undertaking	property management fees.
The Tesco Atrato Limited	Joint Venture of ultimate parent	The Company charged £311,976 (2016: £306,352) for
Partnership	undertaking	property management fees. At the period end the Company
		was owed £266,364 (2016: £182,579).
Tesco TLB Properties	Joint Venture of ultimate parent	The Company charged £99,216 (2016: £257,457) (2016
Limited	undertaking	grouped: £260,377) for property management fees. At the
		period end the Company was owed £nil (2016: £70,875).
The Tesco Blue Limited	Joint Venture of ultimate parent	The Company charged £238,306 (2016: £234,221) for
Partnership	undertaking	property management fees. At the period end the Company
		was owed £330,325 (2016: £139,416).
The Tesco Passaic	Joint Venture of ultimate parent	The Company charged £773,136 (2016: £759,884) for
Limited Partnership	undertaking	property management fees. At the period end the Company
		was owed £458,142 (2016: £452,307).
The Tesco Navona	Joint Venture of ultimate parent	The Company charged £439,496 (2016: £435,029) for
Limited Partnership	undertaking	property management fees. At the period end the Company
		was owed £486,262 (2016: £272,889).
The Tesco Jade Limited	Joint Venture of ultimate parent	The Company charged £51,904 (2016: £51,462) for
Partnership	undertaking	property management and accounting fees. At the period
		end the Company was owed £14,858 (2016: £nil).
Shopping Centres Limited	Joint Venture of ultimate parent	The Company charged £nil (2016: £86,638) for property
	undertaking	management and accounting fees.

# NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE 52 WEEKS ENDED 25 FEBRUARY 2017 (continued)

# 9. RELATED PARTY TRANSACTIONS (continued)

Entity	Relationship	Transaction
The Teesport Limited	Joint Venture of ultimate parent	The Company charged £18,323 (2016: £18,009) for
Partnership	undertaking	property management fees. At the period end the
		Company was owed £32,708 (2016: £10,720).
The Tesco Sarum	Joint Venture of ultimate parent	The Company charged £194,892 (2016: £190,239)
Limited Partnership	undertaking	for property management fees. At the period end the
		Company was owed £116,176 (2016: £113,113).
The Tesco Dorney	Joint Venture of ultimate parent	The Company charged £361,587 (2016: £315,623)
Limited Partnership -	undertaking	for property management fees. At the period end the
		Company was owed £174,485 (2016: £199,788).