## Novoquote Limited

Report And Financial Statements

31 December 2009

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Rees Pollock Chartered Accountants

## **COMPANY INFORMATION**

Directors

A Chalupa S W Clark

B Craig

Company secretary

A P Rutherford

Registered office

Winchester House

1 Great Winchester Street

London EC2N 2DB

Auditors

Rees Pollock

35 New Bridge Street

London EC4V 6BW

Company number

02519192

### **DIRECTORS' REPORT**

For the year ended 31 December 2009

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

### Principal Activities and Business Review

Formerly the principal activity of the Company was property investment, but for the year ended 31 December 2009 the Company was dormant

### **Future Outlook**

It is the intention of the directors to place the Company into members' voluntary liquidation

#### Results and Dividends

Throughout the period ended 31 December 2009 the Company was dormant

The directors do not recommend the payment of a dividend for the year ended 31 December 2009

#### Directors

The directors who served during the year were

A Chalupa

S W Clark

B Craig (appointed 13 September 2010)

D D O Keen (resigned 13 September 2010)

As at the date of approval, and during the year, the Company had in force a third party qualifying indemnity provision for the benefit of its directors

## Statement of directors' responsibilities

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

## **DIRECTORS' REPORT**

For the year ended 31 December 2009

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.

### 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

Rees Pollock are willing to continue in office and the Directors have agreed to their so continuing

This report was approved by the board on 17 September 2010 and signed on its behalf

A P Rutherford Company secretary

Winchester House 1 Great Winchester Street London EC2N 2DB



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## INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT TO THE MEMBERS OF NOVOOUOTE LIMITED

We have audited the financial statements of Novoquote Limited for the year ended 31 December 2009, set out on pages 4 to 7 The financial reporting framework that has been applied in their preparation is applicable law and United Kingdom Accounting Standards (United Kingdom Generally 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 results 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

## 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 Rees (Senior statutory auditor) for and on behalf of Rees Pollock, Statutory Auditor 27 September 2010

## Novoquote Limited

# PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT For the year ended 31 December 2009

	Note	2009 £	2008 £
PROFIT ON ORDINARY ACTIVITIES BEFORE TAXATION		-	-
Tax on profit on ordinary activities		<u>-</u>	<u> </u>
PROFIT FOR THE FINANCIAL YEAR	7	<u>-</u>	<del>-</del>

All of the activities of the Company are classed as discontinued

There were no recognised gains and losses for 2009 or 2008

The notes on pages 6 to 7 form part of these financial statements

## BALANCE SHEET As at 31 December 2009

		2009		2008
Note	£	£	£	£
4	1,000		1,000	
	38,916		38,916	
_	39,916	_	39,916	
5	(9,683)		(9.683)	
_		30,233		30,233
S	•	30,233		30,233
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6		100		100
7		248,451		248 451
7		(218,318)	_	(218,318)
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The financial statements were approved and authorised for issue by the board on 17 September 2010 and were signed on its behalf by

A Chalupa Director

The notes on pages 6 to 7 form part of these financial statements

## NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

For the year ended 31 December 2009

## 1 ACCOUNTING POLICIES

## Basis of preparation of financial statements

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

## Going concern

It is the intention of the directors to place the Company into members' voluntary liquidation. Therefore these accounts are not prepared on the going concern basis

## Cash flow statement

The Company is exempt from the requirement to prepare a cash flow statement under Financial Reporting Standard 1 (Revised 1996) as it is a wholly owned subsidiary undertaking of a company which prepares consolidated accounts which are publicly available

## Related parties transactions

As permitted by paragraph 3(c) of FRS 8, no disclosure is made of transactions with members or associates of the Deutsche Bank group

## 2 AUDITORS' REMUNERATION

Auditors' remuneration is borne by the ultimate parent company

## 3 PARTICULARS OF EMPLOYEES

No salaries or wages have been paid to employees including the directors, during the year

## 4 DEBTORS

		2009 £	2008 £
	Amounts owed by group undertakings	1,000	1,000
5	CREDITORS Amounts falling due within one year		
		2009 £	2008 £
	Amounts owed to group undertakings Accruals and deferred income	8,933 750	8,933 750
		9,683	9,683

# NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS For the year ended 31 December 2009

## 6 SHARE CAΡΙΓAL

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	2009 £	2008 £
Authorised		
1,000 Ordinary shares of £1 each	1,000	1,000
Allotted, called up and fully paid		
100 Ordinary shares of £1 each	100	100
RESERVES		
	Other	Profit and loss
	reserves	account
	£	£
At 1 January 2009 and 31 December 2009	248,451	(218,318)
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RECONCILIATION OF MOVEMENT IN SHAREHOLDERS' FUNDS		

2009

30 233

£

2008

30 233

£

## 9 ULTIMATE PARENT COMPANY

Shareholders' funds at 1 January 2009 and 31 December 2009

B T I Investments, a company incorporated in the UK, is the Company's immediate controlling entity

Deutsche Bank AG, a joint stock corporation with limited liability incorporated in the Federal Republic of Germany is the Company's ultimate controlling entity, also being the ultimate parent company and the parent undertaking of the largest and smallest group for which group financial statements are drawn up

Copies of the group financial statements prepared in respect of Deutsche Bank AG may be obtained from the Company Secretariat, Deutsche Bank AG London branch Winchester House, I Great Winchester Street, London EC2N 2DB