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# ANNUAL REPORT AND FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2021

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#### **DIRECTORS' REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2021**

The Directors present their annual report, together with the audited financial statements, for the year ended 31 December 2021.

#### Company activities and review of developments

Corporate Medical Management Limited (the 'Company') is a subsidiary of Willis Towers Watson plc. Willis Towers Watson plc, together with its subsidiaries ('WTW'), is a leading global advisory, broking and solutions company that provides data-driven, insight-led solutions in the areas of people, risk and capital. The Company is domiciled and incorporated in the UK.

The Company ceased to trade on 1 June 2019 but has continued to be provided finance through intercompany balances with other group companies.

#### Proposed acquisition by Aon plc

On 9 March 2020, Willis Towers Watson plc ('WTW plc') and Aon plc ('Aon') issued an announcement disclosing that the respective boards of directors of WTW and Aon had reached agreement on the terms of a recommended acquisition of WTW by Aon.

The transaction was approved by the shareholders of both WTW plc and Aon during meetings of the respective shareholders held on 26 August 2020. On 16 June 2021, the U.S. Department of Justice filed suit in U.S. District Court in the District of Columbia against WTW plc and Aon, seeking to enjoin the proposed business combination between the two companies (among other relief). On 26 July 2021, WTW plc and Aon announced they had terminated the business combination and that Aon had agreed to pay WTW plc, in connection with such termination, a \$1 billion termination fee. Pursuant to the terms of the termination agreement, among other things, the business combination agreement between WTW plc and Aon was terminated by mutual consent, subject to payment in cash by Aon of the \$1 billion, which was received by WTW plc on 27 July 2021 (the 'Termination Agreement'). Under the Termination Agreement, WTW plc and Aon on behalf of themselves and certain other related and affiliated parties, each agreed to release the other from all claims and actions arising out of or related to the business combination agreement and the transactions contemplated thereby, subject to certain exceptions.

#### Review of the year and future prospects

The profit after taxation amounted to £nil (2020: profit of £6,000) as shown in the income statement. The decrease in profit is attributable to the transfer of trade to a fellow group company on 1 June 2019 and which resulted in 5 months trade for 2019 compared with nil for 2020.

#### Balance sheet

The balance sheet shows the Company's financial position at the year end.

The directors are satisfied with the financial performance of the Company and with its future prospects, the expected level of activity in the forthcoming year is expected to remain the same.

WTW manages its operations on a business segment basis. For this reason, the Company's Directors believe that key performance indicators for the Company are not meaningful for an understanding of the development, performance or position of the business. The performance of WTW, which includes the Company, is discussed in WTW's financial statements which do not form part of this report.

#### Principal risks and uncertainties

#### Political risk

The Company is exposed to additional risks by virtue of being part of WTW, including those relating to the United Kingdom having left the European Union on 31 January 2020. On 24 December 2020, the E.U. and the U.K. agreed to the terms of a Trade and Cooperation Agreement (the 'TCA') that reflects certain matters agreed upon between the parties in relation to a broad range of separation issues which provisionally applied as of 1 January 2021, and entered into force on 1 May 2021. While many separation issues have been resolved, some uncertainty remains. These risks have been discussed in WTW's consolidated financial statements which do not form part of this report.

#### DIRECTORS' REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2021 (continued)

#### Principal risks and uncertainties (continued)

COVID-19

The COVID-19 pandemic ('COVID-19') has had an adverse impact on global commercial activity, including the global supply chain, and at times has contributed to strain in financial markets, including, among other effects, significant volatility in equity markets, changes in interest rates and reduced liquidity on a global basis. It has also resulted in increased travel restrictions and extended shutdowns of businesses in various industries including, among others, travel, trade, tourism, health systems and food supply, and significantly reduced overall economic output. As such, there is a risk that COVID-19 and its variants could have a substantial negative impact on client demand and cash flow in certain or all of WTW's business.

COVID-19 risks could magnify other risks. For example, the effectiveness of external parties, including governmental and non-governmental organisations, in combating the spread and severity of COVID-19 and its variants could have a material impact on demand for WTW's business. The rapid development and fluidity of the COVID-19 pandemic, including the continued development, availability, distribution and acceptance of effective vaccines and the emergence of vaccine-resistant variants, precludes any prediction as to the duration of the COVID-19 pandemic and the ultimate adverse impact of COVID-19 on WTW's business. Nevertheless, COVID-19 continues to present significant uncertainty with respect to demand for WTW's products and services.

Supply and labour market disruptions caused by COVID-19 as well as other factors, such as accommodative monetary and fiscal policy, have contributed to significant inflation in many of the markets in which WTW operates. This impacts not only the costs to attract and retain employees but also other costs to run and invest in WTW's business. If WTW's costs grow significantly in excess of its ability to raise revenues, WTW's margins and results of operations may be materially and adversely impacted and WTW may not be able to achieve its strategic and financial objectives.

All of the foregoing events or potential outcomes could cause a substantial negative effect on the Company's own results of operations in any period and, depending on their severity, could also materially and negatively affect its financial condition. Furthermore, such potential material adverse effects may lag behind the developments related to the COVID-19 pandemic. Such events and outcomes also could potentially impact WTW's reputation with clients and regulators, among others.

Further details on risks relating to COVID-19 are discussed in WTW's consolidated financial statements which do not form part of this report.

#### Going concern

The Directors evaluate at each annual period whether there are conditions or events, considered in the aggregate, that raise a material uncertainty about the Company's ability to continue as a going concern within one year after the date that the financial statements are issued. The Directors' evaluation is based on relevant conditions and events that are known and reasonably knowable at the date that the financial statements are issued.

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#### **DIRECTORS' REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2021 (continued)**

#### Going concern (continued)

COVID-19 has disrupted certain aspects of WTW's business and could continue to disrupt WTW's business and the Company's own business operations and those of its clients, suppliers and other third parties with whom it interacts. In the light of this, the Directors considered it was appropriate to perform analysis, specific to COVID-19, to consider whether these events and uncertainties cast a material uncertainty upon the Company's ability to continue as a going concern. These procedures were carried out as part of a WTW-wide exercise in conjunction with WTW, and considered business resilience and continuity plans, current and future cash obligations, both for the Company and wider WTW group and stress testing of liquidity and financial resources.

The Company has net current liabilities of £11,000 as at 31 December 2021 (2020: £11,000). Willis Towers Watson plc, the ultimate parent company, has undertaken to provide support for at least the next twelve months to enable the Company to continue to trade and to meet its financial obligations as they fall due. Willis Towers Watson plc will also not demand repayment or, where appropriate, will procure its subsidiaries not to demand repayment of any intercompany debt where the Company does not have the financial resources to effect such payment.

Having assessed the responses to their enquiries, including those related to COVID-19, the Directors have no reason to believe that a material uncertainty exists that may cast significant doubt upon the ability of the Company to continue as a going concern or its ability to repay loans due from time to time. As a consequence of the enquiries, the Directors have a reasonable expectation that the Company has appropriate resources to continue in operational existence for a period of at least twelve months from the date of approval of the financial statements. For this reason, they continue to adopt the going concern basis in preparing the financial statements. Further details regarding the adoption of the going concern basis can be found in note 1.

#### **Dividends**

No interim dividend was paid in the year (2020: £nil). The Directors do not recommend the payment of a final dividend (2020: £nil).

#### Events after the balance sheet date

There have been no post balance sheet events since the year end.

#### Directors

The current Directors of the Company are shown on page 1, which forms part of this report. There were no other changes in Directors during the year or after the year end.

The activities of the Directors are covered by a WTW-wide Directors and Officers Insurance policy.

#### Directors' responsibilities statement

The Directors are responsible for preparing the Annual 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), 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 UK Accounting Standards have been followed; 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 YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2021 (continued)**

#### Disclosure of Information to the 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/she ought to have taken as a Director in order to make himself/herself 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 Section 418 of the Companies Act 2006.

#### Auditor

Deloitte LLP have indicated their willingness to be reappointed for another term and appropriate arrangements have been put in place for them to be deemed reappointed as auditor in the absence of an Annual General Meeting.

The Directors' Report has been prepared in accordance with the provisions applicable to companies entitled to the small companies exemption provided by section 415A of the Companies Act 2006. The Strategic Report has not been prepared in accordance with the small companies exemption provided by section 414B of the Companies Act 2006.

This Directors' report was approved by the Board of Directors and authorised for issue on 16 September 2022 and signed on its behalf by:

KJ Newman Director

51 Lime Street

London EC3M 7DQ

## INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT TO THE MEMBERS OF CORPORATE MEDICAL MANAGEMENT LIMITED

#### Report on the audit of the financial statements

#### **Opinion**

In our opinion the financial statements of Corporate Medical Management Limited ('the company'):

- give a true and fair view of the state of the company's affairs as at 31 December 2021 and of its profit for the year 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.

We have audited the financial statements which comprise:

- the income statement;
- the balance sheet;
- the statement of changes in equity; and
- the related notes 1 to 10.

The financial reporting framework that has been applied in their preparation is applicable law and United Kingdom Accounting Standards, including Financial Reporting Standard 101 'Reduced Disclosure Framework' (United Kingdom Generally Accepted Accounting Practice).

#### **Basis for opinion**

We conducted our audit in accordance with International Standards on Auditing (UK) ('ISAs (UK)') and applicable law. Our responsibilities under those standards are further described in the auditor's responsibilities for the audit of the financial statements section of our report.

We are independent of the company in accordance with the ethical requirements that are relevant to our audit of the financial statements in the UK, including the Financial Reporting Council's (the 'FRC's') Ethical Standard, and we have fulfilled our other ethical responsibilities in accordance with these requirements. We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion.

#### Conclusions relating to going concern

In auditing the financial statements, we have concluded that the directors' use of the going concern basis of accounting in the preparation of the financial statements is appropriate.

Based on the work we have performed, we have not identified any material uncertainties relating to events or conditions that, individually or collectively, may cast significant doubt on the company's ability to continue as a going concern for a period of at least twelve months from when the financial statements are authorised for issue.

Our responsibilities and the responsibilities of the directors with respect to going concern are described in the relevant sections of this report.

#### Other information

The other information comprises the information included in the annual report, other than the financial statements and our auditor's report thereon. The directors are responsible for the other information contained within the annual report. Our opinion on the financial statements does not cover the other information and, except to the extent otherwise explicitly stated in our report, we do not express any form of assurance conclusion thereon.

Our responsibility is to read the other information and, in doing so, consider whether the other information is materially inconsistent with the financial statements or our knowledge obtained in the course of the audit, or otherwise appears to be materially misstated. If we identify such material inconsistencies or apparent material misstatements, we are required to determine whether this gives rise to a material misstatement in the financial statements themselves. If, based on the work we have performed, we conclude that there is a material misstatement of this other information, we are required to report that fact.

We have nothing to report in this regard.

## INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT TO THE MEMBERS OF CORPORATE MEDICAL MANAGEMENT LIMITED (continued)

#### Responsibilities of directors

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, and for such internal control as the directors determine is necessary to enable the preparation of financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

In preparing the financial statements, the directors are responsible for assessing the company's ability to continue as a going concern, disclosing, as applicable, matters related to going concern and using the going concern basis of accounting unless the directors either intend to liquidate the company or to cease operations, or have no realistic alternative but to do so.

#### Auditor's responsibilities for the audit of the financial statements

Our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements as a whole are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error, and to issue an auditor's report that includes our opinion. Reasonable assurance is a high level of assurance, but is not a guarantee that an audit conducted in accordance with ISAs (UK) will always detect a material misstatement when it exists. Misstatements can arise from fraud or error and are considered material if, individually or in the aggregate, they could reasonably be expected to influence the economic decisions of users taken on the basis of these financial statements.

A further description of our responsibilities for the audit of the financial statements is located on the FRC's website at: <a href="www.frc.org.uk/auditorsresponsibilities">www.frc.org.uk/auditorsresponsibilities</a>. This description forms part of our auditor's report.

#### Extent to which the audit was considered capable of detecting irregularities, including fraud

Irregularities, including fraud, are instances of non-compliance with laws and regulations. We design procedures in line with our responsibilities, outlined above, to detect material misstatements in respect of irregularities, including fraud. The extent to which our procedures are capable of detecting irregularities, including fraud is detailed below.

We considered the nature of the company's industry and its control environment, and reviewed the company's documentation of their policies and procedures relating to fraud and compliance with laws and regulations. We also enquired of management about their own identification and assessment of the risks of irregularities.

We obtained an understanding of the legal and regulatory frameworks that the company operates in, and identified the key laws and regulations that:

- had a direct effect on the determination of material amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. These included UK Companies Act and tax legislation; and
- do not have a direct effect on the financial statements but compliance with which may be fundamental to the company's ability to operate or to avoid a material penalty. These included the company's regulatory permissions and environmental regulations.

We discussed among the audit engagement team regarding the opportunities and incentives that may exist within the organisation for fraud and how and where fraud might occur in the financial statements.

In common with all audits under ISAs (UK), we are also required to perform specific procedures to respond to the risk of management override. In addressing the risk of fraud through management override of controls, we tested the appropriateness of journal entries and other adjustments; assessed whether the judgements made in making accounting estimates are indicative of a potential bias; and evaluated the business rationale of any significant transactions that are unusual or outside the normal course of business.

In addition to the above, our procedures to respond to the risks identified included the following:

- reviewing financial statement disclosures by testing to supporting documentation to assess
  compliance with provisions of relevant laws and regulations described as having a direct effect on
  the financial statements;
- performing analytical procedures to identify any unusual or unexpected relationships that may indicate risks of material misstatement due to fraud;
- enquiring of management, internal audit and in-house legal counsel concerning actual and potential litigation and claims, and instances of non-compliance with laws and regulations; and
- reading minutes of meetings of those charged with governance, reviewing internal audit reports.

## INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT TO THE MEMBERS OF CORPORATE MEDICAL MANAGEMENT LIMITED (continued)

#### Report on other legal and regulatory requirements

#### Opinions 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 directors' report for the financial year for which the financial statements are
  prepared is consistent with the financial statements; and
- the directors' report has 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 directors' report.

#### Matters on which we are required to report by exception

Under the Companies Act 2006 we are required to report in respect of the following matters 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; or
- the directors were not entitled to take advantage of the small companies' exemption in preparing the directors' report and from the requirement to prepare a strategic report.

We have nothing to report in respect of these matters.

#### Use of our report

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.

Nicholas Bowker ACA (Senior Statutory Auditor)

for and on behalf of Deloitte LLP

**Statutory Auditor** 

London, United Kingdom

16 September 2022

### INCOME STATEMENT FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2021

		2021	2020
	Notes	£000	£000
Turnover		_	
Operating income		_	8
Operating profit	3		8
Interest receivable and similar income			
Profit before taxation	_	<del>_</del>	8
Tax on profit	6	_	(2)
Profit for the year	-		6

All results are from continuing operations.

There are no recognised gains and losses for the current or preceding financial year other than the results shown above. Therefore, a statement of comprehensive income is not presented.

### **BALANCE SHEET AS AT 31 DECEMBER 2021**

	Notes	2021	2020
		£000 ·	£000
Current assets			
Debtors:			
Amounts falling due within one year	7	_	230
Current liabilities			
Creditors: amounts falling due within one year	8	(11)	(241)
		(11)	(241)
Net current liabilities	_	(11)	(11)
Total assets less current liabilities		(11)	(11)
Net liabilities		(11)	(11)
Equity			
Called up share capital	9 .	165	165
Capital contribution reserve		172	172
Retained losses		(348)	(348)
Shareholder's deficit		(11)	(11)

The financial statements of Corporate Medical Management Limited, registered company number 02707678, were approved by the Board of Directors and authorised for issue on 16 September 2022 and signed on its behalf by:

KJ Newman Director

## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN EQUITY FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2021

	Called up share capital	Capital contribution	Retained losses	Total equity
				£000
Balance at 1 January 2020	165	172	(354)	(17)
Profit for the year			6	6
Total comprehensive income for the year			6	6
Balance at 31 December 2020	165	172	(348)	(11)
Profit for the year	_	_	_	
Total comprehensive income for the year				
Balance at 31 December 2021	165	172	(348)	(11)

#### NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2021

#### 1. General information and accounting policies

#### General information

The Company is a private company limited by shares incorporated in the United Kingdom under the Companies Act 2006 and is registered in England and Wales. The registered number and address of the Company's registered office is shown on page 1 of this report.

#### Basis of preparation

The Company meets the definition of a qualifying entity under Financial Reporting Standard 100 and, consequently, has prepared these financial statements in accordance with Financial Reporting Standard 101 - Reduced Disclosure Framework ('FRS 101').

The financial statements have been prepared on the historical cost basis.

The principal accounting policies adopted are set out below.

#### Disclosure exemptions

The Company has taken advantage of certain disclosure exemptions permitted under FRS 101 in relation to, primarily: (i) financial instruments; (ii) presentation of a cash flow statement; (iii) related party transactions; and (iv) new International Financial Reporting Standards ('IFRSs') that have been issued but are not yet effective as, where required, equivalent disclosures are given in the group financial statements of Willis Towers Watson plc.

#### Going concern

The Directors have conducted enquiries into the nature and quality of the assets, liabilities and cash that make up the Company's capital. Furthermore, the Directors' enquiries extend to the Company's relationship with WTW and external parties on a financial and non-financial level. Having assessed the responses to their enquiries, the Directors have no reason to believe that a material uncertainty exists that may cast significant doubt upon the ability of WTW to continue as a going concern or its ability to repay loans due to the Company from time to time.

Willis Towers Watson plc, the ultimate parent company, has undertaken to provide support for at least the next twelve months to enable the Company to continue to trade and to meet its financial obligations as they fall due. Willis Towers Watson plc will also not demand repayment or, where appropriate, procure its subsidiaries not to demand repayment of any intercompany debt where the Company does not have the financial resources to effect such payment.

As a consequence of the enquiries, the Directors have a reasonable expectation that the Company has appropriate resources to continue in operational existence for a period of at least twelve months from the date of approval of the financial statements. For this reason, they continue to adopt the going concern basis in preparing the financial statements.

#### Parent undertaking and controlling party

The Company's:

- immediate parent company and controlling undertaking is PMI Health Group Limited; and
- ultimate parent company and ultimate controlling undertaking is Willis Towers Watson plc, a company incorporated in Ireland, whose registered office is Willis Towers Watson House, Elm Park, Merrion Road, Dublin 4, Ireland.

The largest and smallest group in which the results of the Company are consolidated is Willis Towers Watson plc, whose financial statements are available to members of the public on WTW's website www.wtwco.com, in the Investor Relations section.

## NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 December 2021 (continued)

#### 1. General information and accounting policies (continued)

#### Foreign currency translation

Transactions in currencies other than the functional currency are initially recorded at the rate of exchange at the date of the transaction. Monetary assets and liabilities denominated in foreign currencies at the balance sheet date are reported at the rates of exchange ruling at that date. Non-monetary items that are measured in terms of historical cost in a foreign currency are not retranslated.

Exchange differences are recognised in the income statement in the period in which they arise.

#### Income taxes

Current 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.

Deferred tax is recognised on all temporary differences arising between the tax bases of assets and liabilities and their carrying amounts in the financial statements although deferred income tax assets are recognised only to the extent that it is probable that taxable profit will be available against which the deductible temporary differences, carried forward tax credits or tax losses can be utilised.

Deferred income tax assets and liabilities are measured on an undiscounted basis at the tax rates that are expected to apply when the related asset is realised or liability is settled, based on tax rates and laws enacted or substantively enacted at the balance sheet date.

The carrying amount of deferred income tax assets is reviewed at each balance sheet date. Deferred income tax assets and liabilities are offset only if a legally enforceable right exists to set off current tax assets against current tax liabilities. The deferred income taxes relate to the same tax authority and that authority permits the Company to make a single net payment.

Income tax is charged or credited to other comprehensive income if it relates to items that are credited or charged to other comprehensive income. Similarly, income tax is charged or credited directly to equity if it relates to items that are credited or charged directly to equity. Otherwise, income tax is recognised in the income statement.

#### Leases (effective from 1 January 2019, under IFRS 16 'Leases')

As a result of the adoption of IFRS 16 on 1 January 2019, the Company has updated its accounting policies for leases. These policies govern the recognition and accounting for leases in tandem with the Company's option to elect certain practical expedients offered by IFRS 16. These policies are consistent with the cumulative catch-up approach guidance and with those practical expedients offered by IFRS 16 that the Company has elected to apply.

The Company has not entered into a lease, in its own right, for the property from which the Company operates, but pays for a portion of the annual rent along which a fellow subsidiary company. The lease arrangement is with the parent company and no formal arrangement exists between the parent and subsidiary undertakings for the lease.

The right of use obligation is reflected in the financial statements of the parent company.

#### Financial assets and financial liabilities

Financial assets and financial liabilities include cash and cash equivalents, trade debtors and other receivables as well as trade creditors and other payables (including amounts owed to/by group undertakings).

The Company classifies its financial assets as at amortised cost, on the basis of the business model in which a financial asset is managed and its contractual cash flow characteristics. The Company classifies its financial liabilities as at amortised cost.

Financial assets or financial liabilities at amortised cost are initially recognised at fair value, plus or minus transaction costs that are directly attributable to the acquisition or issue of the financial asset or financial liability, and subsequently measured at amortised cost using the effective interest method. Any resulting interest is recognised in interest receivable or interest payable, as appropriate.

## NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 December 2021 (continued)

#### 1. General information and accounting policies (continued)

At each reporting date, the Company measures the loss allowance for financial assets at amortised cost. Impairment losses on financial assets at amortised cost are recognised in profit or loss on an expected loss basis: lifetime expected losses are recognised for relevant financial assets for which there have been significant increases in credit risk since initial recognition, whereas 12-month expected losses (cash shortfalls over the life of the loan arising from a default in the next 12 months) are recognised if the credit risk on a financial asset has not increased significantly since initial recognition. There would be a rebuttable presumption that the credit risk on a financial asset had increased significantly if it were more than 30 days past due and a rebuttable presumption that a financial asset was in default if it were more than 90 days past due. The amount of any impairment loss is recognised in profit or loss.

#### Recent accounting pronouncements adopted in the current period

No amendments to International Financial Reporting Standards ('IFRSs') or International Accounting Standards ('IASs') issued or adopted by the International Accounting Standards Board ('IASB') and endorsed by the E.U. that became effective for the Company during the financial year had a significant effect on the Company's financial statements.

#### 2. Critical accounting judgements and estimates

The preparation of financial statements in conformity with FRS 101 and in the application of the Company's accounting policies, which are described in note 1, requires management to make judgements, estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of assets and liabilities and disclosures of contingent assets and liabilities as at the dates of the financial statements and the reported amounts of revenues and expenses during the year. Judgements, estimates and assumptions are made 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 estimates and underlying assumptions are reviewed on an ongoing basis. Revisions to accounting estimates are recognised in the period in which the estimate is revised if the revision affects only that period, or in the period of the revision and future periods if the revision affects both current and future periods.

The following are the critical judgements that management has made in the process of applying the Company's accounting policies and/or the key assumptions or sources of estimation uncertainty that have a significant risk of causing a material adjustment to the carrying amounts of assets and liabilities within the next financial year.

#### Critical judgements in applying the Company's accounting policies

The directors identified no critical judgements in applying the Company's accounting policies.

#### Key sources of estimation uncertainty

The key assumptions concerning the future, and other key sources of estimation uncertainty at the balance sheet date, that have a significant risk of causing a material adjustment to the carrying amounts of assets and liabilities within the next financial year, are discussed below.

The directors identified no sources of estimation uncertainty

		2021	2020
3.	Operating profit	£000	£000
	Operating profit is stated after charging / (crediting)		
	Net foreign currency exchange gain	<u>_</u>	(12)
	Auditor's remuneration of £8,000 (2020: £8,000) was borne by an	other WTW company.	

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 December 2021 (continued)

#### 4. Employee costs

The Company had no employees during the current and prior year.

#### 5. Directors' remuneration

The Directors of the Company are remunerated by other WTW companies with no part of their remuneration being allocated to this Company. Therefore no disclosure of their remuneration has been made in these financial statements.

		2021	2020
6.	Tax on profit	£000	£000£
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(a)	Analysis of charge for the year		
	Current tax:		
	UK corporation tax	_	1
	Adjustments in respect of prior periods	<del></del> .	1
	Total current income tax		2
	Tax expense in the income statement (note 6(b))		2
	_	2021	2020
		£000	£000
(b)	Reconciliation of the total tax charge		
	The tax assessed for the year is equal to (2020: higher than) the standard rate of corporation tax in the UK of 19% (2020: 19%). The differences are explained below:		
	Profit before taxation		8
	Tax calculated at UK standard rate of corporation tax of 19% (2020: 19%)		1
	Effects of:		
	Adjustments in respect of prior periods	<del></del>	1
	Total tax expense in the income statement (note 6(a))	<u> </u>	2

#### (c) Change in corporation tax rate

The Finance (No.2) Act 2015, which received royal assent on 18 November 2015, reduced the rate of UK corporation tax to 19% with effect from 1 April 2017. The Finance Act 2016, which received royal assent on 15 September 2016, subsequently reduced the main rate of corporation tax to 17% from 1 April 2020. The Finance Act 2020, which received royal assent on 22 July 2020 repealed the reduction in the rate of UK corporation tax from 19% to 17% from 1 April 2020. The rate of UK corporation tax therefore remains at 19%.

The Finance Act 2021 which received Royal Assent on 10 June 2021, increased the main rate of UK corporation tax (on profits over £250,000) to 25% with effect from 1 April 2023. As the change was substantively enacted prior to 31 December 2021, it is reflected in these financial statements.

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	2021	2020
tors		£000
ounts falling due within one year:		
ounts owed by group undertakings	· —	230
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	2021	2020
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ouns owed to group undertakings	11	241
	2021	2020
ed up share capital	0003	£000
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The Company has one class of ordinary shares, which carry no right to fixed income.

The Company's other reserves comprise:

- Capital contribution of £172,000 (2020 £172,000) was a gift from a parent entity which is
  distributable as no conditions are attached to the gift.
- Profit and loss reserve which represents cumulative profits or losses, net of dividends paid and other adjustments.

#### 10. Related party transactions

FRS 101 (paragraph 8(k)) exempts the reporting of transactions between group companies in the financial statements of companies that are wholly owned within WTW. The Company has taken advantage of this exemption. There are no other transactions requiring disclosure.