# GROWELL HYDROPONICS AND PLANT LIGHTING LIMITED ABBREVIATED ACCOUNTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 OCTOBER 2013

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### INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT TO GROWELL HYDROPONICS AND PLANT LIGHTING LIMITED

#### **UNDER SECTION 449 OF THE COMPANIES ACT 2006**

We have examined the abbreviated accounts set out on pages 4 to 7, together with the financial statements of Growell Hydroponics and Plant Lighting Limited for the year ended 31 October 2013 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.

#### Other information

"We have audited the financial statements of Growell Hydroponics and Plant Lighting Limited for the year ended 31 October 2013 set out on pages 5 to 16. The financial reporting framework that has been applied in their preparation is applicable law and the Financial Reporting Standard for Smaller Entities (effective April 2008) (United Kingdom Generally Accepted Accounting Practice applicable to Smaller Entities).

This report is made solely to the company's members, as a body, in accordance with Chapter 3 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 Directors' Responsibilities Statement set out on pages 1 - 2, 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.

## INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT TO GROWELL HYDROPONICS AND PLANT LIGHTING LIMITED (CONTINUED)

#### **UNDER SECTION 449 OF THE COMPANIES ACT 2006**

#### 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 Directors' Report to identify material inconsistencies with the audited financial statements. If we become aware of any apparent material misstatements or inconsistencies we consider the implications for our report.

We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our unmodified opinion on the financial position and our qualified audit opinion on the financial performance.

#### Basis for qualified opinion on financial statements

We were appointed as auditors of the company on 23 September 2013 and thus did not observe the counting of the physical stock at the beginning of the year. We were unable to satisfy ourselves by alternative means concerning stock quantities and valuation held at 31 October 2012. Since opening stocks enter into the determination of the financial performance, we were unable to determine whether adjustments might have been necessary in respect of the profit for the year reported in the profit and loss account.

#### Qualified opinion on financial statements

In our opinion, except for the possible effects of the matter described in the Basis for Qualified Opinion paragraph, the financial statements:

- give a true and fair view of the state of the company's affairs as at 31 October 2013 and of its profit for the year then ended;
- have been properly prepared in accordance with United Kingdom Generally Accepted Accounting Practice applicable to Smaller Entities; and
- have been prepared in accordance with the requirements of the Companies Act 2006.

#### Other matter - comparative figures

"The financial statements of Growell Hydroponics and Plant Lighting Limited for the year ended 31 October 2012 were unaudited."

#### 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

In respect solely of the limitation on our work relating to stock referred to above:

- we have not obtained all the information and explanations that we considered necessary for the purpose
  of our audit; and
- we were unable to determine whether adequate accounting records had been maintained.

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:

- 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
- the directors were not entitled to prepare the financial statements in accordance with the small companies regime and take advantage of the small companies' exemption in preparing the directors' report."

## INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT TO GROWELL HYDROPONICS AND PLANT LIGHTING LIMITED (CONTINUED)

#### **UNDER SECTION 449 OF THE COMPANIES ACT 2006**

Spencer Garle Del Avoir	
Paul Dickins F C A (Senior Statutory Auditor)	28/7/14
for and on behalf of Spencer Gardner Dickins Audit LLP	28/1/14

**Chartered Accountants Statutory Auditor** 

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#### ABBREVIATED BALANCE SHEET

#### AS AT 31 OCTOBER 2013

		20	13	20	12
	Notes	£	£	£	£
Fixed assets					
Intangible assets	2		56,668		-
Tangible assets	2		325,507		229,341
Investments	2		1,550		-
			383,725		229,341
Current assets					
Stocks		1,357,367		1,157,424	
Debtors		201,295		139,928	
Cash at bank and in hand		271,606		348,357	
·		1,830,268		1,645,709	
Creditors: amounts falling due within					
one year	3	(1,274,358)		(962,329)	
Net current assets			555,910		683,380
Total assets less current liabilities			939,635		912,721
Creditors: amounts falling due after					
more than one year			(28,462)		-
Provisions for liabilities			(35,937)		(24,072)
			875,236		888,649
Capital and reserves					
Called up share capital	4		9,502		9,502
Profit and loss account			865,734		879,147
Shareholders' funds			875,236		888,649

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 28 7114

J E Henry

Director

Company Registration No. 02862671

#### NOTES TO THE ABBREVIATED ACCOUNTS

#### FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 OCTOBER 2013

#### 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).

#### 1.2 Turnover

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Turnover represents amounts receivable for goods net of VAT and trade discounts.

#### 1.3 Goodwill

Acquired goodwill will be written off in equal annual instalments over its estimated useful economic life of 3 years commencing 1 November 2013.

#### 1.4 Tangible fixed assets and depreciation

Tangible fixed assets are stated at cost less depreciation. Depreciation is provided at rates calculated to write off the cost less estimated residual value of each asset over its expected useful life, as follows:

Leasehold land and buildings

10% straight line and over the term of the lease

Plant and machinery

20% straight line

Computer equipment

33.3% straight line

Fixtures, fittings and equipment

20% straight line

Motor vehicles

25% straight line

#### 1.5 Leasing

Rentals payable under operating leases are charged against income on a straight line basis over the lease term.

#### 1.6 Investments

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

#### 1.7 Stock

Stock is valued at the lower of cost and net realisable value.

#### 1.8 Deferred taxation

Deferred taxation is provided in full in respect of taxation deferred by timing differences between the treatment of certain items for taxation and accounting purposes. The deferred tax balance has not been discounted.

#### 1.9 Foreign currency translation

Monetary assets and liabilities denominated in foreign currencies are translated into sterling at the rates of exchange ruling at the balance sheet date. Transactions in foreign currencies are recorded at the rate ruling at the date of the transaction. All differences are taken to profit and loss account.

#### 1.10 Group accounts

The financial statements present information about the company as an individual undertaking and not about its group. The company and its subsidiary undertaking comprise a small-sized group. The company has therefore taken advantage of the exemptions provided by section 399 of the Companies Act 2006 not to prepare group accounts.

# NOTES TO THE ABBREVIATED ACCOUNTS (CONTINUED) FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 OCTOBER 2013

2	Fixed assets				
		Intangible	Tangible	Investments	Total
		assets	assets		
		£	£	£	£
	Cost				
	At 1 November 2012	-	723,641	-	723,641
	Additions	56,668	172,537	2,000	231,205
	Disposals	-	-	(450)	(450)
	At 31 October 2013	56,668	896,178	1,550	954,396
	Depreciation				
	At 1 November 2012	-	494,300	-	494,300
	Charge for the year	-	76,371	· -	76,371
	At 31 October 2013	-	570,671	-	570,671
	Net book value				
	At 31 October 2013	56,668	325,507	1,550	383,725
	At 31 October 2012	-	229,341	-	229,341

#### 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	
	incorporation	Class	%
Subsidiary undertakings			
Lewco 152 Limited	UK	Ordinary	100.00
Aqua Laboratories Limited	UK	Ordinary	55.00

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

		Capital and reserves 2013	Profit/(loss) for the year 2013
	Principal activity	£	£
Lewco 152 Limited	Supply of hydroponic equipment	1,000	652
Aqua Laboratories Limited	Fertiliser manufacturer	(33,801)	(34,801)

The capital and reserves and profit/(loss) for the year of both Lewco 152 Limited and Aqua Laboratories Limited are based on the latest available management accounts for the period ended 31 October 2013.

# NOTES TO THE ABBREVIATED ACCOUNTS (CONTINUED) FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 OCTOBER 2013

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

The aggregate amount of creditors for which security has been given amounted to £57,537 (2012 - £7,515).

4	Share capital	2013	2012
		£	£
	Allotted, called up and fully paid		
	9,502 Ordinary shares of £1 each	9,502	9,502