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# **COMPANY REGISTRATION NUMBER 2902264**

# FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 OCTOBER 2007



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# **OFFICERS AND PROFESSIONAL ADVISERS**

The board of directors

R F M Adair

P A J Leech T G Walsh

Company secretary

Park Circus (Secretaries) Limited

Registered office

1 Portland Place

London W1B 1PN

**Auditor** 

BDO Stoy Hayward LLP Chartered Accountants

& Registered Auditors

55 Baker Street London W1U 7EU

### THE DIRECTORS' REPORT

### YEAR ENDED 31 OCTOBER 2007

The directors present their report and the financial statements of the company for the year ended 31 October 2007

### PRINCIPAL ACTIVITIES

The principal activity of the company is the co-ordination of the activities of its subsidiaries and associates and property investment. There have been no changes in the company's activities in the year under review.

### DIRECTORS

The directors who served the company during the year were as follows

R F M Adair T G Walsh P A J Leech

The company is a wholly owned subsidiary and the interests of the directors are disclosed in the financial statements of the parent company

### **DIRECTORS' RESPONSIBILITIES**

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). The financial statements are required by law to 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 estimates that are reasonable and prudent,
- 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 proper accounting records that 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 1985. 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.

In so far as the directors are aware

- there is no relevant audit information of which the company's auditor is unaware, and
- the directors have taken all steps that they ought to have taken to make themselves aware of any
  relevant audit information and to establish that the auditor is aware of that information

# THE DIRECTORS' REPORT (continued)

# YEAR ENDED 31 OCTOBER 2007

### **AUDITOR**

A resolution to re-appoint BDO Stoy Hayward LLP as auditors for the ensuing year will be proposed at the annual general meeting in accordance with section 385 of the Companies Act 1985

# SMALL COMPANY PROVISIONS

This report has been prepared in accordance with the special provisions for small companies under Part VII of the Companies Act 1985

Registered office 1 Portland Place London W1B 1PN

Signed by order of the Board

PARK CIRCUS (SECRETARIES) LIMITED

Company Secretary

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Approved by the directors on 22 August 2008

# INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT TO THE SHAREHOLDERS OF WESTVIEW INVESTMENTS LIMITED

### YEAR ENDED 31 OCTOBER 2007

We have audited the financial statements of Westview Investments Limited for the year ended 31 October 2007 which comprise the profit and loss account, statement of recognised gains and losses, the balance sheet and related notes. These financial statements have been prepared under the accounting policies set out therein

### RESPECTIVE RESPONSIBILITIES OF DIRECTORS AND AUDITOR

The directors' responsibilities for preparing the financial statements in accordance with applicable law and United Kingdom Accounting Standards (United Kingdom Generally Accepted Accounting Practice) are set out in the statement of directors' responsibilities

Our responsibility is to audit the financial statements in accordance with relevant legal and regulatory requirements and International Standards on Auditing (UK and Ireland)

We report to you our opinion as to whether the financial statements give a true and fair view and have been properly prepared in accordance with the Companies Act 1985 and whether the information given in the directors' report is consistent with those financial statements. We also report to you if, in our opinion, the company has not kept proper accounting records, if we have not received all the information and explanations we require for our audit, or if information specified by law regarding directors' remuneration and other transactions is not disclosed.

We read the directors' report and consider the implications for our report if we become aware of any apparent misstatements within it

Our report has been prepared pursuant to the requirements of the Companies Act 1985 and for no other purpose. No person is entitled to rely on this report unless such a person is a person entitled to rely upon this report by virtue of and for the purpose of the Companies Act 1985 or has been expressly authorised to do so by our prior written consent. Save as above, we do not accept responsibility for this report to any other person or for any other purpose and we hereby expressly disclaim any and all such liability.

### BASIS OF AUDIT OPINION

We conducted our audit in accordance with International Standards on Auditing (UK and Ireland) issued by the Auditing Practices Board. An audit includes examination, on a test basis, of evidence relevant to the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. It also includes an assessment of the significant estimates and judgements made by the directors in the preparation of the financial statements, and of whether the accounting policies are appropriate to the company's circumstances, consistently applied and adequately disclosed

We planned and performed our audit so as to obtain all the information and explanations which we considered necessary in order to provide us with sufficient evidence to give reasonable assurance that the financial statements are free from material misstatement, whether caused by fraud or other irregularity or error. In forming our opinion we also evaluated the overall adequacy of the presentation of information in the financial statements.

# INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT TO THE SHAREHOLDERS OF WESTVIEW INVESTMENTS LIMITED

# YEAR ENDED 31 OCTOBER 2007

Report of the independent auditors (Continued)

### **OPINION**

### In our opinion

- the financial statements give a true and fair view, in accordance with United Kingdom Generally Accepted Accounting Practice, of the state of the company's affairs as at 31 October 2007 and of its result for the year then ended,
- the financial statements have been properly prepared in accordance with the Companies Act 1985, and

the information given in the directors' report is consistent with the financial statements

55 Baker Street London W1U 7EU BOO Sty Hayward LLP
BDO STOY HAYWARD LLP
Chartered Accountants
& Registered Auditors

22 August 2008

# **PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT**

# YEAR ENDED 31 OCTOBER 2007

TURNOVER	Note 2	2007 £ 30,000	2006 £ 30,000
Administrative expenses		320,306	327,845
OPERATING LOSS	3	(290,306)	(297,845)
Income from shares in group undertakings Interest receivable Interest payable and similar charges	5 6	2,159 8 (40,167)	1,661 (87,039)
LOSS ON ORDINARY ACTIVITIES BEFORE TAXATION		(328,306)	(383,223)
Tax on loss on ordinary activities	7	-	_
LOSS FOR THE FINANCIAL YEAR		(328,306)	(383,223)

All of the activities of the company are classed as continuing

# STATEMENT OF TOTAL RECOGNISED GAINS AND LOSSES

# YEAR ENDED 31 OCTOBER 2007

	2007 £	2006 £
Loss for the financial year attributable to the shareholders	(328,306)	(383,223)
Unrealised profit on revaluation of Shares in group companies	19,357,053	9,552,506
Total gains and losses recognised since the last annual report	19,028,747	9,169,283

# **BALANCE SHEET**

# **31 OCTOBER 2007**

	2007			2006
	Note	£	£	£
FIXED ASSETS				
Tangible assets	8		2,161,072	2,148,838
Investments	9		57,168,411	37,803,538
			59,329,483	39,952,376
CURRENT ASSETS				
Debtors	10	276,170		365,972
CREDITORS: Amounts falling due within one				
year	11	10,703,076		10,444,518
NET CURRENT LIABILITIES			(10,426,906)	(10,078,546)
TOTAL ASSETS LESS CURRENT LIABILITIE	S		48,902,577	29,873,830
CAPITAL AND RESERVES				
Called-up equity share capital	13		100	100
Revaluation reserve	14		54,934,832	35,577,779
Profit and loss account	15		(6,032,355)	(5,704,049)
SHAREHOLDERS' FUNDS	16		48,902,577	29,873,830

These financial statements were approved by the directors and authorised for issue on the 22 August 2008 and are signed on their behalf by

T G WALSH

### NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

# YEAR ENDED 31 OCTOBER 2007

# 1. ACCOUNTING POLICIES

### Basis of accounting

The financial statements have been prepared under the historical cost convention, modified to include the revaluation of certain fixed assets

The financial statements present information about the company as an individual undertaking and not about its group. The company is exempt from preparing group accounts as it is itself a subsidiary undertaking and its ultimate parent undertaking is established under the law of a member state of the European Union and prepares consolidated financial statements.

### Cash flow statement

The directors have taken advantage of the exemption in Financial Reporting Standard No 1 (Revised 1996) from including a cash flow statement in the financial statements on the grounds that the company is small

### Turnover

Turnover represents rental income receivable excluding Value Added Tax and arises solely in the United Kingdom

### **Investment properties**

All completed investment properties revalued by the Directors annually and by independent valuers' at least every five years, to reflect current market value Changes in the value of investment properties are disclosed as movements on revaluation reserve, except for permanent diminutions which are charged to the profit and loss account

No depreciation or amortisation is provided in respect of freehold investment property in accordance with Statement of Standard Accounting Practice 19 (revised) The Directors consider that this policy results in the financial statements giving a true and fair view Profits and losses on the sale of investment properties are calculated on the difference between proceeds and net carrying amount, whether at valuation or at historic cost

Investment properties under development are included in the balance sheet at cost or, in the case of a property which was a previously completed investment property, at book value with subsequent expenditure at cost Cost includes interest and other attributable direct overheads less rents received where appropriate

Investment property sales are reflected in the accounts if an unconditional contract is exchanged by the balance sheet date and the sale has been completed before the date of approval of the accounts

### NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

### YEAR ENDED 31 OCTOBER 2007

### 1 ACCOUNTING POLICIES (continued)

### Deferred taxation

Deferred tax is recognised in respect of all timing differences that have originated but not reversed at the balance sheet date where transactions or events have occurred at that date that will result in an obligation to pay more, or a right to pay less or to receive more, tax, with the following exceptions

Provision is made for tax on gains arising from the revaluation (and similar fair value adjustments) of fixed assets, and gains on disposal of fixed assets that have been rolled over into replacement assets, only to the extent that, at the balance sheet date, there is a binding agreement to dispose of the assets concerned. However, no provision is made where, on the basis of all available evidence at the balance sheet date, it is more likely than not that the taxable gain will be rolled over into replacement assets and charged to tax only where the replacement assets are sold,

Provision is made for deferred tax that would arise on remittance of the retained earnings of overseas subsidiaries, associates and joint ventures only to the extent that, at the balance sheet date, dividends have been accrued as receivable,

Deferred tax assets are recognised only to the extent that the directors consider that it is more likely than not that there will be suitable taxable profits from which the future reversal of the underlying timing differences can be deducted

Deferred tax is measured on an undiscounted basis at the tax rates that are expected to apply in the periods in which timing differences reverse, based on tax rates and laws enacted or substantively enacted at the balance sheet date

### Investments in subsidiary undertakings

Investments in subsidiary and associated undertakings are accounted using the alternative accounting rules whereby the original cost of the investment is adjusted for changes in the value of the underlying net assets. Changes in the net asset value of subsidiaries are allocated to a revaluation reserve except permanent diminution in value which are charged to the profit and loss account

### 2. TURNOVER

The turnover and loss before tax are attributable to the one principal activity of the company An analysis of turnover is given below

	2007	2006
	£	£
United Kingdom	30,000	30,000
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# NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

# YEAR ENDED 31 OCTOBER 2007

### 3. OPERATING LOSS

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Operating loss is stated after charging

	2007 £	2006 £
Directors' emoluments Auditor's remuneration	103,756	41,800
	2007 £	2006 £
Auditor's remuneration - audit of the financial statements	103,756	41,800
PARTICULARS OF EMPLOYEES		
There were no employees other than the directors, during the year		
INCOME FROM SHARES IN GROUP UNDERTAKINGS		
Income from group undertakings	2007 £ 2,159	2006 £
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# 6. INTEREST PAYABLE AND SIMILAR CHARGES

	2007	2006
	£	£
Interest payable on bank borrowing	40,167	87,039

### 7. TAXATION ON ORDINARY ACTIVITIES

# Factors affecting current tax charge

The tax assessed on the loss on ordinary activities for the year is higher than the standard rate of corporation tax in the UK of 30% (2006 - 30%)

Loss on ordinary activities before taxation	2007 £ (328,306)	2006 £ (383,223)
Profit/(loss) on ordinary activities by rate of tax	(70,036)	(114,967)
Expenses not deductible for tax purposes	<u>-</u>	15,000
Utilisation of tax losses	70,036	99,967
Total current tax	<del>-</del>	-

# Factors that may affect future tax charges

The 2007 Finance Act reduced the UK main rate of corporation tax to 28% from 30%. The reduction will take effect from 1 April 2008 onwards. The relevant legislation was substantively enacted on 26 June 2007.

# NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

### YEAR ENDED 31 OCTOBER 2007

### 8. TANGIBLE FIXED ASSETS

	Freehold Property
	£
COST OR VALUATION At 1 November 2006	2,148,838
Additions	12,234
At 31 October 2007	2,161,072
DEPRECIATION	
At 1 November 2006 and 31 October 2007	
NET BOOK VALUE	
At 31 October 2007	2,161,072
At 31 October 2006	2,148,838
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The historical cost of the investment property at 31 October 2006 is £2,015,078 (2006 £2,002,844)

No depreciation is provided in respect of investment properties, as stated in the accounting policies note 1. The directors consider that this policy results in the accounts showing a true and fair view as depreciation is reflected in the open market valuation of these properties and cannot be separately quantified.

# 9. INVESTMENTS

	Investment in Investment in		
	Subsidiaries	Associates	Total
	£	£	£
COST OR VALUATION			
At 1 November 2006	37,732,889	70,649	37,803,538
Additions	-	7,820	7,820
Revaluations	19,357,053		19,357,053
At 31 October 2007	57,089,942	78,469	57,168,411
NET BOOK VALUE			
At 31 October 2007	57,089,942	78,469	57,168,411
At 31 October 2006	37,732,889	70,649	37,803,538

The company's principal subsidiary is Terrace Hill Limited, a wholly owned subsidiary registered in England & Wales Terrace Hill Limited had net assets of £54,532,372 at 31 October 2007 and made a profit for the ten month period ended 31 October 2007 of £14,013,574

# NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

# YEAR ENDED 31 OCTOBER 2007

# 10. DEBTORS

Amounts owed by group undertakings Other debtors Prepayments and accrued income	2007 £ 259,842 16,327	2006 £ 363,293 2,678
	276,170	365,972
11. CREDITORS: Amounts falling due within	one year	
	2007 £	2006 £
Bank loans and overdrafts (unsecured)	1,936	1,300,000
Trade creditors	1,937	17,977
Amounts owed to group undertakings	10,576,581	8,991,264
Other creditors	17,622	10,149
	10,598,076	10,319,390
Accruals and deferred income	105,000	125,128
	10,703,076	10,444,518

### 12. RELATED PARTY TRANSACTIONS

The controlling party during the period was Saffery Champness Trust Corporation, trustees of a life interest trust of which R F M Adair is a beneficiary R F M Adair is a director of the ultimate parent company, Terrace Hill Group Plc

The company has taken advantage of the exemption allowed by Financial Reporting Standard 8, 'Related Party Transactions', not to disclose any transactions with entities that are included in the consolidated financial statements of Terrace Hill Group Plc

### 13. SHARE CAPITAL

# Authorised share capital:

			2007 £	2006 £
1,000 Ordinary shares of £1 each			1,000	1,000
Allotted, called up and fully paid:				
	2007		2006	
	No	£	No	£
Ordinary shares of £1 each	100	100	100	100

# NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

# YEAR ENDED 31 OCTOBER 2007

### 14. REVALUATION RESERVE

Balance carried forward

	2007	2006 £
Balance brought forward Revaluation of investment in subsidiaries	35,577,779 19,357,053	26,025,273 9,552,506
Balance carried forward	54,934,832	35,577,779
15. PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT		
	2007 £	2006 £
Balance brought forward	(5,704,049)	(5,320,826)
Loss for the financial year	(328,306)	(383,223)

# 16. RECONCILIATION OF MOVEMENTS IN SHAREHOLDERS' FUNDS

	2007	2006
	£	£
Loss for the financial year	(328,306)	(383,223)
Revaluation of investment in subsidiaries	19,357,053	9,552,506
Net addition to shareholders' funds	19,028,747	9,169,283
Opening shareholders' funds	29,873,830	20,704,547
Closing shareholders' funds	48,902,577	29,873,830

(5,704,049)

(6,032,355)

# 17. ULTIMATE PARENT COMPANY

The parent company is Terrace Hill Group Plc, which is registered in Scotland

Copies of the consolidated financial statements of Terrace Hill Group Plc are available from the company's registered office