London and Regional Properties Limited

Annual report and financial statements

for the year ended 30 September 2011

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London and Regional Properties Limited Company information for the year ended 30 September 2011

Directors

Mr R J Livingstone Mr R N Luck

Company secretary

Mr R N Luck

Independent auditors

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Registered number

02909660

London and Regional Properties Limited Directors' report for the year ended 30 September 2011

The directors present their report and the audited financial statements for the year ended 30 September 2011

Principal activities

The company acts as a provider of a wide range of property management and development services. The company also holds investments in subsidiaries. The loss for the year is largely due to a one-off impairment of £69 2m in loans to joint ventures of a fellow group undertaking. Taking this into account the directors consider the financial position at 30 September 2011 to be satisfactory.

Principal risks and uncertainties

The key business risks and uncertainties affecting the company are considered to relate to the fact that the company operates within a highly fluctuating market place, which can result in large movements in foreign exchange and investment valuations. Further discussion of the risks and uncertainties, in the context of the group as a whole, are discussed in the company's ultimate parent's group annual report which does not form part of this report.

Key performance indicators

The company is managed by the directors in accordance with the group strategies of its ultimate parent company, Loopsign Limited, and for this reason, the director believes that key performance indicators for the company are not necessary or appropriate for an understanding of the development, performance or position of the business. These strategies and key performance indicators are discussed in the company's ultimate parent's group annual report which does not, form part of this report.

Results and dividends

The results for the financial year are set out in the profit and loss account on page 5. The directors do not recommend the payment of a dividend (2010. £nil)

Going concern

The directors believe that preparing the financial statements on the going concern basis is appropriate due to the continued financial support of London & Regional Group Holdings Limited. The directors have received confirmation that London & Regional Group Holdings Limited intend to support the company for at least one year after these financial statements are signed.

Directors

The directors of the company who served during the year and up to the date of signing the financial statements were as follows

Mr R J Livingstone Mr R N Luck

Qualifying third party indemnity provisions

The company maintains liability insurance for its director and officer. Following shareholder approval, the Company has also provided an indemnity for its director and the company secretary, which is a qualifying indemnity provision for the purposes of the Companies Act 2006.

Disclosure of information to auditors

In so far as the directors are aware

- -there is no relevant audit information of which the company's auditors are 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 company's auditors are aware of that information

Independent auditors

In the absence of a notice proposing that their appointment be terminated, PricewaterhouseCoopers LLP are deemed to have been re-appointed as auditors for the next year

By order of the board

Mr R N Luck

Company Secretary

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London and Regional Properties Limited Statement of directors' responsibilities for the year ended 30 September 2011

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 judgements 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

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.

By order of the board

Mr R N Luck

Company Secretary

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INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT TO THE MEMBERS OF LONDON & REGIONAL PROPERTIES LIMITED

We have audited the financial statements of London and Regional Properties Limited for the year ended 30 September 2011 which comprise the profit and loss account, the balance sheet and the related notes. 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)

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 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.

This report, including the opinions, has been prepared for and only for the company's members as a body in accordance with Chapter 3 of Part 16 of the Companies Act 2006 and for no other purpose. We do not, in giving these opinions, accept or assume responsibility for any other purpose or to any other person to whom this report is shown or into whose hands it may come save where expressly agreed by our prior consent in writing.

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. If we become aware of any apparent material mistatements we consider the implications for our report.

Opinion on the financial statements

In our opinion the financial statements

- give a true and fair view of the state of the company's affairs as at 30 September 2011 and of its loss 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 matters 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

Suzafine Woolfson (Senior Statutory Auditor)

For and on behalf of

PricewaterhouseCoopers LLP

Chartered Accountants and Statutory Auditors

London

31 July 2012

London and Regional Properties Limited Profit and loss account for the year ended 30 September 2011

	Note	2011 £	2010 £
Turnover		6,879,556	5,969,359
Administrative expenses		(9,471,287)	(18,497,821)
Provisions against loans to group undertakings		(51,868,287)	(56,718)
Operating loss	2	(54,460,018)	(12,585,180)
Exceptional items	4	(69,158,291)	(3,015)
Loss on ordinary activities before interest		(123,618,309)	(12,588,195)
Income from joint ventures	5	60,992,443	-
Interest receivable and similar income	6	4,229,354	3,100,778
Interest payable and similar charges	7	(300,899)	(5,070)
Loss on ordinary activities before taxation		(58,697,411)	(9,492,487)
Tax/(credit) on loss on ordinary activities	8	(3,684,190)	4,847,504
Loss for the financial year		(62,381,601)	(4,644,983)

All amounts relate to continuing operations

The company has no recognised gains and losses other than those included in the results above, and therefore no sperate statement of recognised gains and losses has been presented

There is no material difference between the profit and loss on ordinary activities before taxation and the profit and loss for the year stated above and their historical costs equivalents

London and Regional Properties Limited Registered number **Balance sheet** 02909660 as at 30 September 2011 Note 2011 2010 £ £ Fixed assets Tangible assets 9 112,257 176,061 Investments 50,444,768 10 119,428,915 50,557,025 119,604,976 **Current assets Debtors** 11 527,123,086 942,783,918 Investments held as current 7,038 assets 12 Cash at bank and in hand 160,985,269 25,791,267 688,115,393 968,575,185 Creditors: amounts falling due within one year 13 (788,699,595)(1,075,825,737)Net current liabilities (100,584,202)(107,250,552) Net (liabilities)/assets (50,027,177) 12,354,424 Capital and reserves Called up share capital 14 8 8 Profit and loss reserve 15 (50,027,185)12,354,416

These financial statements were approved by the Board of Directors on and signed on its behalf by

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12,354,424

(50,027,177)

Mr R N Luck

Total shareholder's (deficit)/funds

Director 3 1 July 2012

1 Accounting policies

Basis of preparation

These financial statements are prepared on the going concern basis, under the historical cost convention, and in accordance with the Companies Act 2006 and applicable accounting standards in the United Kingdom. The principal accounting policies, which have been applied consistently throughout the year, are set out below.

Going concern

The directors believe that preparing the financial statements on the going concern basis is appropriate due to the continued financial support of London & Regional Group Holdings Limited. The directors have received confirmation that London & Regional Group Holdings Limited intend to support the company for at least one year after these financial statements are signed.

Deferred taxation

Deferred tax is provided in respect of all timing differences that have originated, but not reversed, at the balance sheet date that give rise to an obligation to pay more or less tax in the future. Deferred tax is not recognised when fixed assets are revalued unless, by the balance sheet date, there is a binding agreement to sell the revalued assets and the gain or loss expected to arise on sale has been recognised in the financial statements.

Deferred tax is measured on a non-discounted basis. A deferred tax asset is regarded as recoverable and therefore recognised only when, on the basis of all available evidence, it can be regarded as 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 at the average tax rates that are expected to apply in the periods in which the timing differences are expected to reverse, based on tax rates and laws that have been enacted or substantively enacted by the balance sheet date

Investments

Investments in subsidiary undertakings are recorded at cost plus incidental expenses less any provision for impairment. Impairment reviews are performed by the directors when there has been an indication of potential impairment.

Other investments are stated at cost less any impairment provisions. Impairment reviews are performed by the directors when there has been an indication of potential impairment.

investments held as current assets

Investments held as current assets are recorded at the lower of cost and net realisable value

Turnover

Turnover comprises management charges receivable from group undertakings and other sundry turnover net of value added tax. The total turnover of the company for the year has been derived from its principal activity, wholly undertaken in the UK.

Depreciation

Provision is made for depreciation on all tangible assets at rates calculated to write off the cost of each asset over its expected useful life as follows

Fixtures & Fittings 20% Motor Vehicles 20%

20% per annum on a straight line basis 20% per annum on a straight line basis

Pension

The pension cost charge in the financial statements represents the contributions payable by the company during the year to employees' personal pension schemes

1 Accounting policies (continued)

Operating leases

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

Cash flow statement

The company has taken advantage of the exemption permitted by Financial Reporting Standard 1, (revised 1996) "Cash flow statements" from including a cash flow statement on the grounds that the company is wholly owned and its ultimate parent publishes a consolidated cash flow statement

Exemption from consolidation

The financial statements contain information about London and Regional Properties Limited as an individual company and do not contain consolidated financial information as the parent of a group. The company is exempt under section 400 of the Companies Act 2006 from the requirement to prepare consolidated financial statements as it and its subsidiary undertakings are included by full consolidation in the consolidated financial statements of its intermediate parent, London & Regional Group Holdings Limited, a company incorporated in England and Wales

2	Operating loss	2011	2010
	This is stated after charging/(crediting)	£	£
	Depreciation of owned fixed assets	69,704	72,871
	Operating leases - land and buildings	588,320	147,080
	Impairment loss on development projects Foreign exchange (gains)/losses on ordinary activities	(901,743)	-
	Auditors' remuneration	(1,857,932) 265,500	5,021,224 243,522
2	Chaff		
3	Staff costs	2011	2010
	Employee costs including executive directors amounted to	£	£
	Salaries	4,257,478	6,823,267
	Social security costs	600,440	850,335
	Pension costs	33,383	33,000
		4,891,301	7,706,602
	The pension costs comprise contributions to employees' personal pension schemes		
		2011	2010
		Number	Number
	The average monthly number of employees including executive directors was		
	Management and administration	38	41
		2011	2010
		£	£
	Directors' emoluments were as follows Directors' remuneration	474 447	
	Contributions to directors' personal pension schemes	471,447	461,348
	Contributions to directors personal pension schemes	25,200 496,647	15,400
	-	490,047	476,748
4	Exceptional items	2011	2010
	•	£	£
	Loss on sale of tangible fixed assets	-	456
	Loss on sale of investments in joint ventures	-	2,559
	Impairment of investments in joint ventures	69,158,291	
		69,158,291	3,015

5 Income from joint ventures

Income from joint ventures relates to dividend income from a joint venture held by an indirect subsidiary of the company

6	Interest receivable and similar income	2011 £	2010 £
	On amounts owed by group undertakings	2,970,092	2,822,896
	Other interest	1,259,262	277,881
		4,229,354	3,100,777
7	Interest payable and similar charges	2011	2010
		£	£
	Bank loans and overdrafts	-	253
	On amounts owed to group undertakings	300,899	4,817
		300,899	5,070
8	Tax/(credit) on loss on ordinary activities		
		2011	2010
	Analysis of charge for the year Current tax	£	£
	Adjustments in respect of previous years	3,684,190	(4,847,504)

The adjustments in respect of previous years arise due to receipts from a group undertaking for the surrender of tax losses by the company. No taxation for the current year is considered payable due to the utilisation of group tax losses.

Factors affecting tax credit for the year

From 1 April 2011 the rate of corporation tax has reduced from 28% to 26%, giving a blended average rate for the year of 27%

The tax assessed for the year is different (2010 different) than the blended/standard rate of corporation tax in the UK of 27% (2010 28%) The differences are explained below

Loss on ordinary activities before taxation	2011 £ (<u>5</u> 8,697,411)	2010 £ (9,492,487)
Loss on ordinary potivities multiplied by the blended standard and as	£	£
Loss on ordinary activities multiplied by the blended/standard rate of corporation tax in the UK of 27% (2010 28%)	(15,848,301)	(2,657,896)
Effects of		
Expenses not deductible for tax purposes	32,832,888	178,823
Income not taxable	(16,467,960)	-
Capital allowances for year in excess of depreciation	(8,735)	(12,379)
Adjustments to tax charge in respect of previous years	3,684,190	(4,847,504)
(Claim)/surrender of tax losses	(507,892)	2,491,452
Total current tax credit for the year	3,684,190	(4,847,504)

8 Tax/(credit) on loss on ordinary activities (cont.)

The corporation tax charge for the year has been reduced by £507,892 because of losses surrendered by fellow subsidiary undertakings. No payment for this surrender is to be made by the company. In the previous year the company surrendered the benefit of tax losses amounting to £8,898,043 to fellow subsidiary undertakings without receiving any payment.

Factors that may affect future tax charges

Reductions to the UK corporation tax rate were announced in the March 2011 Budget. The changes, which were enacted on July 19 2011 reduce the rate by 1% per annum to 23% by 1 April 2014. These changes have no impact on these financial statements.

9 Tangible fixed assets

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	Fixtures & Fittings £	Motor Vehicles £	Total £
Cost		-	L
At 1 October 2010	372,142	6,584	378,726
Additions	5,900	-	5,900
At 30 September 2011	378,042	6,584	384,626
Depreciation			
At 1 October 2010	196,081	6,584	202,665
Charge for the year	69,704	-	69,704
At 30 September 2011	265,785	6,584	272,369
Net book value			
At 30 September 2011	112,257	<u> </u>	112,257
At 30 September 2010	176,061		176,061

Investments	Investments in
Cost	subsidiary undertakings £
At 1 October 2010 & 30 September 2011	16,250

The company holds 20% or more of the share capital of the following companies, incorporated in England and Wales

Company	Principal Activity	Shares he Class	ld %
Mobyhold Limited	Ownership and operation of a corporate aircraft	Ordinary	100
First Central Management Company Limited	Property management	Ordinary	100
Panama Holding 1 BV	Holding company	Ordinary	100

10 Investments (continued)

	2011	2010
	£	£
Unlisted investments	50,428,518	119,412,665

Unlisted investments include £49,313,556 (2010 £118,471,847) of unsecured loan notes issued by the David Lloyd Leisure Group, and other related joint venture undertakings, which are repayable in 2017 and accrue interest at 12% per annum compounded. Interest has not been accrued on the loan notes due to uncertainty of payment. In the opinion of the directors, the value of the unlisted investments was not less than the impaired cost.

The directors believe that the carring value of the investments is supported by their underlying net assets

11 Debtors		2011	2010
		£	£
Trade debtors		690,494	344,921
Amounts owed by ultim	ate controlling parties	-	1,523,445
Amounts owed by grou	p undertakings	497,145,738	892,051,110
Amounts owed by joint	ventures	750	17,427,381
Amounts owed by asso	ciated undertakings	12,043,074	-
Amounts recoverable o	n development projects	11,193,782	12,658,254
Prepayments and accru	ued income	2,914,226	4,502,201
Corporation tax		· · · · · ·	1,976,668
Other taxation		-	48,190
Other debtors		3,135,022	12,251,748
		527,123,086	942,783,918

Amounts owed by associated undertakings were previously classified as amounts owed by joint ventures, there being a part disposal of the group's interest in the joint venture during the year

Amounts owed by joint ventures include £nil (2010 £17,426,631) repayable after more than one year. Amounts due from associates are all repayable after more than one year.

Amounts due from group undertakings are repayable on demand, unsecured and non-interest bearing with the exception of £76,276,959 (2010 £72,936,584) on which interest at 3 75% per annum is accrued

12 Investments held as current assets	2011 £	2010 £
Listed investments	7,038	
Valuation Listed investments - market value	7,049	

The directors believe that the carring value of the investments is supported by their underlying net assets

13 Creditors amounts falling due within one year	2011 £	2010 £
Amounts owed to ultimate controlling parties	5,582,392	-
Trade creditors	827,348	1,246,488
Amounts owed to group undertakings	771,238,277	1,071,563,314
Corporation tax	6,170,156	-
Taxation and social security	497,085	138,125
Other creditors	3,055,910	2,240,467
Accruals and deferred income	1,103,640	412,556
Amounts owed to joint ventures	224,787	224,787
	788,699,595	1,075,825,737

Amounts owed to group undertakings are repayable on demand, unsecured and interest free with the exception of USD\$500,000 (2010 USD\$9,850,000) on which interest at 1 month Libor + 0.75% is accrued

14 Called up share capital			2011	2010
			£	£
Authorised				
Ordinary shares of £1 each			2	2
Deferred shares of \$1 each			6	6
		-	8	8
	2011	2010	2011	2010
	Number	Number	£	£
Ordinary shares of £1 each	2	2	2	2
Deferred shares of \$1 each	10	10	6	6
	12	12	8	8

Class Rights:

The deferred shares of \$1 each carry the right to repayment of \$1 each on a winding up, carry no other right to participate in the capital or income of the company and the holders are entitled to one vote for every two shares held

15	Profit and loss reserve		2011 £
	At 1 October 2010 Loss for the financial year At 30 September 2011		12,354,416 (62,381,601) (50,027,185)
16	Reconciliation of movement in shareholder's (defict)/funds	2011 £	2010 £
	At 1 October Loss for the financial year At 30 September	12,354,424 (62,381,601) (50,027,177)	16,999,407 (4,644,983) 12,354,424

17 Other operating lease commitments

At the year end the company had annual commitments under non-cancellable operating leases as set out below

	Land and buildings 2011 £	Land and buildings 2010 £
Operating leases which expire		
in over five years	588,320	588,320

The lease referred to above was signed in May 2010

18 Related party transactions

At 30 September 2011 the company owed £5,582,392 to 1 M. Livingstone and R.J. Livingstone, the latter being a director of the company and both being the ultimate controlling parties of the company (2010 £1,523,447 owed to the company). The loan is included in creditors in note 12 (2010 included in debtors in note 10). The maximum amount owed to the company during the year was £3,661,065 (2010 £3,729,496). The loan is interest free and repayable on demand.

The company has taken advantage of the exemption under paragraph 3(c) from the provisions of FRS 8, 'Related Party Disclosures', on the grounds that it is wholly owned subsidiary of a group headed by Loopsign Limited, whose financial statements are publicly available

19 Parent undertaking

The immediate parent undertaking is London & Regional Group Holdings Limited, a company incorporated and registered in England and Wales

The ultimate parent undertaking is Loopsign Limited, a company incorporated in England and Wales

London & Regional Group Holdings Limited is the parent undertaking of the smallest group of undertakings to consolidate these financial statements as at 30 September 2011 Loopsign Limited is the parent undertaking of the largest group of undertakings to consolidate these financial statements at 30 September 2011 The consolidated financial statements of Loopsign Limited can be obtained from the company secretary at

Quadrant House, Floor 6 4 Thomas More Square London E1W 1YW

The ultimate controlling parties are I M Livingstone and R J Livingstone through their joint ownership of Loopsign Limited