# Company Registration No. 03117899

Men from the North Limited

**Unaudited Report and Financial Statements** 

Year ended 31 December 2018

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# Directors' report

The directors present their Directors' report and unaudited financial statements for the year ended 31 December 2018 for Men from the North Limited (the "Company").

## **Principal activities**

The Company is dormant and did not trade during the year. It is not expected to trade in the foreseeable future.

#### **Business review**

The Company has been dormant as defined in section 1169 of the Companies Act 2006 throughout the current and prior year. It is anticipated that the Company will remain dormant for the foreseeable future. Key performance indicators are not considered necessary for an understanding of the development, performance or position of the business or the Company.

The Company did not trade in the current year or prior year.

#### Political and charitable contributions

The Company made no political or charitable contributions or incurred any political expenditure during the current year or prior year.

#### **Directors**

The directors who held office during the year, except as noted, were as follows:

Jonathan Baker (appointed 31st December 2018)
Maximilian Dressendörfer
Benjamin Katovsky (appointed 31st December 2018)
Hartwig Masuch
Peter Stack
Paul Wilson

Approved by the Board of Directors and signed on behalf of the Board

Paul Wilson Director

7 January 2019

# **Registered Office**

8<sup>th</sup> Floor, 5 Merchant Square London United Kingdom W2 1AS

# Statement of financial position As at 31 December 2018

	Notes	2018 £	2017 £
Current assets Trade and other receivables	3	8,160	8,160
Net assets		8,160	8,160
<b>Equity</b> Share capital Retained earnings	4	2 8,158	2 8,158
Total shareholder's equity		8,160	8,160
Total equity		8,160	8,160

The accompanying notes are an integral part of this Statement of financial position.

Men from the North Limited, did not trade during the current year and has made neither profit nor loss, nor any other recognised gain or loss.

## **Audit Exemption Statement**

For the year ending 31 December 2018 the Company was entitled to exemption from audit under section 480 of the Companies Act 2006 relating to dormant companies.

## **Directors' Responsibilities**

The members have not required the Company to obtain an audit of its accounts for the year in question in accordance with section 476.

The directors acknowledge their responsibilities for complying with the requirements of the Companies Act 2006 with respect to accounting records and the preparation of accounts.

The financial statements of Men from the North Limited, registered number 03117899 were approved by the Board of Directors on 7 January 2019.

Signed on behalf of the Board of Directors

Paul Wilson Director

# Notes to the financial statements Year ended 31 December 2018

## 1. Accounting policies

Men from the North Limited (the "Company") is a Company incorporated in the United Kingdom.

## Basis of preparation

The Company's financial statements have been prepared and approved by the directors in accordance with International Financial Reporting Standards as adopted by the European Union ("EU").

The financial statements are presented in pounds sterling. They are prepared on the historical cost basis.

The Company has taken exemption from preparing consolidated financial statements afforded by section 400 of the Companies Act 2006, because it is a wholly owned subsidiary of Bertelsmann SE & Co. KGaA which prepares consolidated financial statements that are publicly available (refer to note 6).

## 2. Employee costs and directors' remuneration

The directors received no remuneration from the Company for services during the year (2017: £nil).

The average number of persons employed by the Company (including directors) was nil (2017: £nil) and as a result incurred no staff costs (2017: £nil).

#### 3. Trade and other receivables

		2018 £	2017 £
	Trade and other receivables from Group companies	8,160	8,160
4.	Share capital		
		2018 £	2017 £
	Authorised Share Capital: 1,000 ordinary shares of £1 each	1,000	1,000
	Allotted, called up and fully paid: 2 ordinary shares of £1 each	2	2

# 5. Related parties

## Identity of related parties

The immediate parent company is Sanctuary Records Group Limited, a company incorporated in the United Kingdom. The Company's ultimate parent company and Group is the international media Company Bertelsmann SE & Co. KGaA.

The Company had related party relationships in the year with subsidiaries of Bertelsmann SE & Co. KGaA, and with its directors and executive officers.

### Related party transactions

The Company had a trade and other receivable balance due from BMG Rights Management (UK) Limited of £8,160 (2017: £8,160).

# Notes to the financial statements Year ended 31 December 2018

# 6. Ultimate parent company and controlling party

The immediate parent company is Sanctuary Records Group Limited, a company incorporated in the United Kingdom. The ultimate parent company is Bertelsmann SE & Co. KGaA.

The results of the Company are included in the consolidated financial statements of Bertelsmann SE & Co. KGaA which is registered at Carl-Bertelsmann-Strasse 270, 33311 Gütersloh, Germany. These consolidated accounts are publicly available.

No other Group financial statements include the results of the Company.