Registered number: 03196600

# GUTHRIE CASTLE LIMITED ABBREVIATED ACCOUNTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2015



SCT 29/09/2016 COMPANIES HOUSE

#25

The following reproduces the text of the report in respect of the company's annual financial statements, from which the abbreviated accounts (set out on pages 2 to 6) have been prepared.

# REPORT TO THE DIRECTORS ON THE PREPARATION OF THE UNAUDITED STATUTORY FINANCIAL STATEMENTS OF GUTHRIE CASTLE LIMITED FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2015

In order to assist you to fulfil your duties under the Companies Act 2006, we have prepared for your approval the financial statements of Guthrie Castle Limited for the year ended 31 December 2015 which comprise the Profit and loss account, the Balance sheet and the related notes from the company's accounting records and from information and explanations you have given to us.

As a member firm of the Institute of Chartered Accountants of Scotland, we are subject to its ethical and other professional requirements which are detailed at http://www.icas.com/technical-resources/framework-for-the-preparation-of-accounts-revised-april-2010.

This report is made solely to the Board of directors of Guthrie Castle Limited, as a body, in accordance with the terms of our engagement letter dated 18 March 2008. Our work has been undertaken solely to prepare for your approval the financial statements of Guthrie Castle Limited and state those matters that we have agreed to state to the Board of directors of Guthrie Castle Limited, as a body, in this report in accordance with the requirements of the Institute of Chartered Accountants of Scotland as detailed at http://www.icas.com/technical-resources/framework-for-the-preparation-of-accounts-revised-april-2010. To the fullest extent permitted by law, we do not accept or assume responsibility to anyone other than Guthrie Castle Limited and its Board of directors, as a body, for our work or for this report.

It is your duty to ensure that Guthrie Castle Limited has kept adequate accounting records and to prepare statutory financial statements that give a true and fair view of the assets, liabilities, financial position and profit of Guthrie Castle Limited. You consider that Guthrie Castle Limited is exempt from the statutory audit requirement for the year.

We have not been instructed to carry out an audit or review of the financial statements of Guthrie Castle Limited. For this reason, we have not verified the accuracy or completeness of the accounting records or information and explanations you have given to us and we do not, therefore, express any opinion on the statutory financial statements.

**EQ Accountants LLP** 

Chartered Accountants Westby 64 West High Street Forfar Angus DD8 1BJ

27 September 2016

# GUTHRIE CASTLE LIMITED REGISTERED NUMBER: 03196600

### ABBREVIATED BALANCE SHEET AS AT 31 DECEMBER 2015

		2015		2014	
	Note	£	£	£	£
FIXED ASSETS					
Tangible assets	2		917,621		651,959
Investments	3		6,878		-
			924,499		651,959
CURRENT ASSETS					
Stock	·	1,000		1,000	
Debtors		135,421		88,410	
Cash at bank and in hand		427,757		121,926	
		564,178		211,336	
CREDITORS: amounts falling due within one year		(2,768,406)		(2,786,790)	
NET CURRENT LIABILITIES			(2,204,228)		(2,575,454)
TOTAL ASSETS LESS CURRENT LIABILI	TIES		(1,279,729)		(1,923,495)
CREDITORS: amounts falling due after more than one year			(145,666)		
NET LIABILITIES			(1,425,395)		(1,923,495)
CAPITAL AND RESERVES					
Called up share capital	4		2		2
Profit and loss account			(1,425,397)		(1,923,497)
SHAREHOLDERS' DEFICIT			(1,425,395)		(1,923,495)

The directors consider that the company is entitled to exemption from the requirement to have an audit under the provisions of section 477 of the Companies Act 2006 ("the Act") and members have not required the company to obtain an audit for the year in question in accordance with section 476 of the Act.

The directors acknowledge their responsibilities for complying with the requirements of the Companies Act 2006 with respect to accounting records and for preparing financial statements which give a true and fair view of the state of affairs of the company as at 31 December 2015 and of its profit for the year in accordance with the requirements of sections 394 and 395 of the Act and which otherwise comply with the requirements of the Companies Act 2006 relating to financial statements, so far as applicable to the company.

# ABBREVIATED BALANCE SHEET (continued) AS AT 31 DECEMBER 2015

The abbreviated accounts, which have been prepared in accordance with the special provisions relating to companies subject to the small companies regime within Part 15 of the Companies Act 2006, were approved and authorised for issue by the board and were signed on its behalf on 26 September 2016.

Mr A M Watson

Director

The notes on pages 4 to 6 form part of these financial statements.

#### NOTES TO THE ABBREVIATED ACCOUNTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2015

#### 1. ACCOUNTING POLICIES

#### 1.1 Basis of preparation of financial statements

The full financial statements, from which these abbreviated accounts have been extracted, have been prepared under the historical cost convention and in accordance with the Financial Reporting Standard for Smaller Entities (effective January 2015).

#### 1.2 Cash flow

The financial statements do not include a Cash flow statement because the company, as a small reporting entity, is exempt from the requirement to prepare such a statement under the Financial Reporting Standard for Smaller Entities (effective January 2015).

#### 1.3 Turnover

Turnover comprises revenue recognised by the company in respect of goods and services supplied during the year, exclusive of Value Added Tax and trade discounts.

#### 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 of fixed assets, less their estimated residual value, over their expected useful lives on the following bases:

Tenants improvements

2%-12.5% straight line

Website

25% straight line

Motor vehicles

- 10%-20% straight line

Furniture and equipment

12.5% straight line

#### 1.5 Investments

Investments held as fixed assets are shown at cost less provision for impairment.

#### 1.6 Leasing and hire purchase

Assets obtained under hire purchase contracts and finance leases are capitalised as tangible fixed assets. Assets acquired by finance lease are depreciated over the shorter of the lease term and their useful lives. Assets acquired by hire purchase are depreciated over their useful lives. Finance leases are those where substantially all of the benefits and risks of ownership are assumed by the company. Obligations under such agreements are included in creditors net of the finance charge allocated to future periods. The finance element of the rental payment is charged to the Profit and loss account so as to produce a constant periodic rate of charge on the net obligation outstanding in each period.

#### 1.7 Stocks

Stocks are valued at the lower of cost and net realisable value after making due allowance for obsolete and slow-moving stocks. Cost includes all direct costs and an appropriate proportion of fixed and variable overheads.

# NOTES TO THE ABBREVIATED ACCOUNTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2015

#### 1. ACCOUNTING POLICIES (continued)

#### 1.8 Foreign currencies

Monetary assets and liabilities denominated in foreign currencies are translated into sterling at rates of exchange ruling at the balance sheet date.

Transactions in foreign currencies are translated into sterling at the rate ruling on the date of the transaction.

Exchange gains and losses are recognised in the Profit and loss account.

#### 2. TANGIBLE FIXED ASSETS

			£
	Cost At 1 January 2015 Additions		1,333,096 368,751
	At 31 December 2015		1,701,847
	<b>Depreciation</b> At 1 January 2015 Charge for the year		681,137 103,089
	At 31 December 2015		784,226
	Net book value At 31 December 2015		917,621
	At 31 December 2014		651,959
3.	INVESTMENTS		£
	Cost or valuation		
	Additions		6,878
	At 31 December 2015		6,878
	Net book value At 31 December 2015		6,878
4.	SHARE CAPITAL	2015 £	2014 £
	Allotted, called up and fully paid		
	2 Ordinary shares of £1 each	2	2

# NOTES TO THE ABBREVIATED ACCOUNTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2015

#### 5. CONTROLLING PARTY

Mr D S Pena, the sole shareholder of Guthrie Castle Limited, has control of the company.

#### 6. GOING CONCERN

The balance sheet shows that the company has an excess of liabilities over assets. The accounts have been prepared on a going concern basis with the continuing support of The Guthrie Group (US) Inc and Mr D S Pena.

For this reason it is anticipated that the company will continue to trade for the foreseeable future.