INTERTEK TESTING SERVICES HOLDINGS LIMITED. ANNUAL REPORT AND FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2021

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COMPANY INFORMATION

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STRATEGIC REPORT

FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2021

The Directors of Intertek Testing Services Holdings Limited. (the "Company") present the Strategic Report and audited financial statements for the year ended 31 December 2021.

Review of the business

The results for the year and the state of affairs of the Company at 31 December 2021 are shown in the financial statements on pages 9 to 37.

Principal risks and uncertainties

The principal risks and uncertainties affecting the Company are closely aligned with those discussed in the Intertek Group plc's (the "Group") annual report, which is publicly available from the Group Company Secretary, Intertek Group plc, 33 Cavendish Square, London, W1G OPS or on the website www.intertek.com. Risks relating specifically to the Company are as follows:

Financial risk management

Market risk

At 31 December 2021, the Company had investments in Group companies of £1,341,870,000 (2020: £1,341,947,000) and amounts due from Group companies of £57,674,000 (2020: £56,900,000). A sustained period of economic recession could impact the operating results and financial position of these Group companies and impact their carrying value and ability to repay the amounts due to the Company.

Foreign exchange risk

The amounts payable to, and receivable from, Group undertakings include amounts denominated in currencies other than sterling; therefore, fluctuations in currency exchange rates will impact the results and financial position of the Company.

Business outlook

The management expects that future performance will improve with additional dividends received from subsidiary entities.

Key performance indicators

As a holding company which also provides funding to other Group companies, performance is monitored by a review of the Company's investments by reference to underlying intercompany balances for their susceptibility to impairment.

Environment

The Company is committed to complying with relevant environmental legislation and preventing any adverse impact on the environment as a result of its operations. Where an adverse environmental impact is identified, a practicable, timely and environmentally sympathetic solution will be implemented. If a serious risk to the environment is identified, that activity will be halted and appropriate remedial action taken to eliminate the risk.

S172(1) statement and stakeholder engagement

The Directors have acted in a way that they consider, in good faith, to be most likely to promote the long-term success of the Company for the benefit of the shareholders as a whole while having regard for all stakeholders. Stakeholder engagement is managed in accordance with the Group policies and procedures which are discussed on pages 55 to 61 of the annual report of Intertek Group plc, which does not form part of this report.

Employees

The Company employed 2 people on average in 2021 (2020: 2).

On behalf of the Board

L Hedley Director

Date: 28 June 2022

DIRECTORS' REPORT

FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2021

The Directors present their annual report and audited financial statements for the year ended 31 December 2021.

Principal activities

The principal activity of the Company continued to be that of a holding company with interests in subsidiary undertakings which provide testing, inspection and certification services. No significant changes in the Company's activities are expected in the foreseeable future.

Results and dividends

The results for the year are set out on page 9.

Income from shares in Group undertakings of £26,800,000 (2020: £62,119,000) was received in the year.

Dividends of £50,000,000 (2020: £75,000,000) were paid in the year. The Directors do not propose the payment of any further dividends in respect of the year.

Directors

The Directors who held office during the year and up to the date of signature of the financial statements are as follows:

F M Evans

N A Hare (Resigned 12 April 2021) R McCluskey (Resigned 12 April 2021) (Appointed 12 April 2021) J Hedley J Timmis (Appointed 12 April 2021)

Future developments

The Company will continue to be a holding company for its subsidiary companies for the foreseeable future. The entity continues to operate as a going concern as discussed within note 1 on page 13.

Independent auditors

The independent auditors, PricewaterhouseCoopers LLP, are deemed to be reappointed under section 487(2) of the Companies Act 2006.

Strategic Report

The Company has chosen in accordance with Companies Act 2006, s.414C(11) to set out in the Company's Strategic Report information required by Large and Medium-sized Companies and Groups (Accounts and Reports) Regulations 2008, Sch. 7 to be contained in the Directors' Report. It has done so in respect of:

- · principal risks and uncertainties; and
- · financial key performance indicators.

Statement of disclosure to independent auditors

So far as each person who was a director at the date of approving this report is aware, there is no relevant audit information of which the Company's independent auditors are unaware. Additionally, the directors individually have taken all the necessary steps that they ought to have taken as directors in order to make themselves aware of all relevant audit information and to establish that the Company's independent auditors are aware of that information.

Going concern

The Directors believe that preparing the financial statements on the going concern basis is appropriate due to the continued financial support of a fellow Group undertaking, Intertek Finance plc. The Directors have received confirmation that Intertek Finance plc intends to support the Company for at least one year after these financial statements are signed.

DIRECTORS' REPORT (CONTINUED)

FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2021

Directors' indemnities

As permitted by the Articles of Association, the Company purchased and maintained throughout the financial year Directors' and Officers' liability insurance in respect of itself and its directors. No qualifying third party indemnity provisions for the benefit of its Directors were made during the year.

The financial statements on pages 9 to 37 were approved by the Board of Directors on ... 28 June 2022... and signed on its behalf by

Director

Date: 28 June 2022

DIRECTORS' RESPONSIBILITIES STATEMENT

FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2021

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 prepared the financial statements in accordance with United Kingdom Generally Accepted Accounting Practice (United Kingdom Accounting Standards, comprising FRS 101 "Reduced Disclosure Framework", 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 accounting estimates that are reasonable and prudent;
- state whether applicable UK Accounting Standards, comprising FRS 101, have been followed, subject to any material departures disclosed and explained in the financial statements; and
- 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.

The Directors 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.

INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT

TO THE MEMBERS OF INTERTEK TESTING SERVICES HOLDINGS LIMITED.

Report on the audit of the financial statements

Opinion

In our opinion, Intertek Testing Services Holdings Limited.'s financial statements:

- give a true and fair view of the state of the Company's affairs as at 31 December 2021 and of its loss for the year then ended:
- have been properly prepared in accordance with United Kingdom Generally Accepted Accounting Practice (United Kingdom Accounting Standards, comprising FRS 101 "Reduced Disclosure Framework", and applicable law); and
- have been prepared in accordance with the requirements of the Companies Act 2006.

We have audited the financial statements, included within the Annual Report, which comprise: the balance sheet as at 31 December 2021; the profit and loss account and the statement of changes in equity for the year then ended; and the notes to the financial statements, which include a description of the significant accounting policies.

Basis for opinion

We conducted our audit in accordance with International Standards on Auditing (UK) ("ISAs (UK)") and applicable law. Our responsibilities under ISAs (UK) are further described in the Auditors' responsibilities for the audit of the financial statements section of our report. We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion.

Independence

We remained independent of the Company in accordance with the ethical requirements that are relevant to our audit of the financial statements in the UK, which includes the FRC's Ethical Standard, and we have fulfilled our other ethical responsibilities in accordance with these requirements.

Conclusions relating to going concern

Based on the work we have performed, we have not identified any material uncertainties relating to events or conditions that, individually or collectively, may cast significant doubt on the Company's ability to continue as a going concern for a period of at least twelve months from when the financial statements are authorised for issue.

In auditing the financial statements, we have concluded that the Directors' use of the going concern basis of accounting in the preparation of the financial statements is appropriate.

However, because not all future events or conditions can be predicted, this conclusion is not a guarantee as to the Company's ability to continue as a going concern.

Our responsibilities and the responsibilities of the Directors with respect to going concern are described in the relevant sections of this report.

INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT (CONTINUED)

TO THE MEMBERS OF INTERTEK TESTING SERVICES HOLDINGS LIMITED.

Reporting on other information

The other information comprises all of the information in the Annual Report other than the financial statements and our auditors' report thereon. The Directors are responsible for the other information. Our opinion on the financial statements does not cover the other information and, accordingly, we do not express an audit opinion or, except to the extent otherwise explicitly stated in this report, any form of assurance thereon.

In connection with our audit of the financial statements, our responsibility is to read the other information and, in doing so, consider whether the other information is materially inconsistent with the financial statements or our knowledge obtained in the audit, or otherwise appears to be materially misstated. If we identify an apparent material inconsistency or material misstatement, we are required to perform procedures to conclude whether there is a material misstatement of the financial statements or a material misstatement of the other information. If, based on the work we have performed, we conclude that there is a material misstatement of this other information, we are required to report that fact. We have nothing to report based on these responsibilities.

With respect to the Strategic report and Directors' Report, we also considered whether the disclosures required by the UK Companies Act 2006 have been included.

Based on our work undertaken in the course of the audit, the Companies Act 2006 requires us also to report certain opinions and matters as described below.

Strategic Report and Directors' Report

In our opinion, based on the work undertaken in the course of the audit, the information given in the Strategic Report and Directors' Report for the year ended 31 December 2021 is consistent with the financial statements and has been prepared in accordance with applicable legal requirements.

In light of the knowledge and understanding of the Company and its environment obtained in the course of the audit, we did not identify any material misstatements in the Strategic report and Directors' Report.

Responsibilities for the financial statements and the audit

Responsibilities of the directors for the financial statements

As explained more fully in the Directors' Responsibilities Statement, the Directors are responsible for the preparation of the financial statements in accordance with the applicable framework and for being satisfied that they give a true and fair view. The Directors are also responsible for such internal control as they determine is necessary to enable the preparation of financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

In preparing the financial statements, the Directors are responsible for assessing the Company's ability to continue as a going concern, disclosing, as applicable, matters related to going concern and using the going concern basis of accounting unless the Directors either intend to liquidate the Company or to cease operations, or have no realistic alternative but to do so.

INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT (CONTINUED)

TO THE MEMBERS OF INTERTEK TESTING SERVICES HOLDINGS LIMITED.

Auditors' responsibilities for the audit of the financial statements

Our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements as a whole are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error, and to issue an auditors' report that includes our opinion. Reasonable assurance is a high level of assurance, but is not a guarantee that an audit conducted in accordance with ISAs (UK) will always detect a material misstatement when it exists. Misstatements can arise from fraud or error and are considered material if, individually or in the aggregate, they could reasonably be expected to influence the economic decisions of users taken on the basis of these financial statements.

Irregularities, including fraud, are instances of non-compliance with laws and regulations. We design procedures in line with our responsibilities, outlined above, to detect material misstatements in respect of irregularities, including fraud. The extent to which our procedures are capable of detecting irregularities, including fraud, is detailed below.

Based on our understanding of the company and industry, we identified that the principal risks of non-compliance with laws and regulations related to fraud and direct tax, and we considered the extent to which non-compliance might have a material effect on the financial statements. We also considered those laws and regulations that have a direct impact on the financial statements such as the Companies Act 2006 and relevant tax legislation. We evaluated management's incentives and opportunities for fraudulent manipulation of the financial statements (including the risk of override of controls), and determined that the principal risks were related to fraudulent journal entries to manipulate the financial performance of the Company and management bias in significant accounting estimates. Audit procedures performed by the engagement team included:

- Enquiry of management, those charged with governance and the Group's legal counsel around actual and potential fraud and non-compliance with laws and regulations.
- Auditing the risk of management override of controls, including through testing journal entries and other
 adjustments for appropriateness, testing accounting estimates (because of the risk of management bias), and
 evaluating the business rationale of significant transactions outside the normal course of business.
- Enquiry of Group's staff in tax and compliance functions to identify any instances of non-compliance with laws and regulations.
- Reviewing financial statement disclosures and testing to supporting documentation to assess compliance with applicable laws and regulations.

There are inherent limitations in the audit procedures described above. We are less likely to become aware of instances of non-compliance with laws and regulations that are not closely related to events and transactions reflected in the financial statements. Also, the risk of not detecting a material misstatement due to fraud is higher than the risk of not detecting one resulting from error, as fraud may involve deliberate concealment by, for example, forgery or intentional misrepresentations, or through collusion.

A further description of our responsibilities for the audit of the financial statements is located on the FRC's website at: www.frc.org.uk/auditorsresponsibilities. This description forms part of our auditors' report.

Use of this report

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.

INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT (CONTINUED)

TO THE MEMBERS OF INTERTEK TESTING SERVICES HOLDINGS LIMITED.

Other required reporting

Companies Act 2006 exception reporting

Under the Companies Act 2006 we are required to report to you if, in our opinion:

- we have not obtained all the information and explanations we require for our audit; or
- adequate accounting records have not been kept by the Company, or returns adequate for our audit have not been received from branches not visited by us; or
- certain disclosures of Directors' remuneration specified by law are not made; or
- the financial statements are not in agreement with the accounting records and returns.

We have no exceptions to report arising from this responsibility.

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Daniel Chan (Senior Statutory Auditor)
for and on behalf of PricewaterhouseCoopers LLP
Chartered Accountants and Statutory Auditors
London

PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT

FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2021

| | | 2021 | 2020 |
|--|------|-------------|----------|
| | Note | £'000 | £'000 |
| | | | |
| Administrative expenses | | (1,253) | (1,365) |
| Income from shares in Group undertakings | 5 | 26,800 | 62,119 |
| Interest receivable from Group undertakings | 5 | 2,153 | 2,320 |
| Other interest receivable and similar income | 5 | - | 1,630 |
| Interest payable and similar expenses | 6 | (34,084) | (35,107) |
| Amounts written off investments | 7 | (77) | - |
| | | | |
| (Loss)/profit before taxation | 3 | (6,461) | 29,597 |
| Tax on (loss)/profit | 8 | 5,695 | 5,532 |
| | | | |
| (Loss)/profit and total comprehensive (expense)/ | | | |
| income for the financial year | | (766) | 35,129 |
| | | | |

The profit and loss account has been prepared on the basis that all operations are continuing operations.

BALANCE SHEET

AS AT 31 DECEMBER 2021

| | Notes | 2021 £'000 | 2020 £'000 |
|---------------------------------------|-------|--------------------|------------------|
| Fixed assets | | | |
| Investments | 10 | 1,341,870 | 1,341,947 ——— |
| Current assets | | | |
| Debtors | 13 | 64,042 | 62,862 |
| Cash at bank and in hand | • | 96 | 105 |
| | | 64,138 | 62,967 |
| Creditors due within one year | | | |
| Creditors | 15 | (1,056,570) ——— | (1,004,710) |
| Net current liabilities | | (992,432) | (941,743) |
| Total assets less current liabilities | | 349,438 ——— | 400,204 |
| Net assets | · | 349,438 | 400,204 |
| Capital and reserves | | | |
| Called up share capital | 19 | 106,286 | 106,286 |
| Share premium account | | 6,428 | 6,428 |
| Profit and loss reserves | | 236,724 | 287,490 |
| Total equity | | 349,438 | 400,204 |

The notes to the financial statements on pages 12 to 37 form an integral part of these financial statements.

The financial statements were approved by the Board of Directors and authorised for issue on 28 June 2022 and are signed on its behalf by:

Director

Company Registration No. 03227453

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN EQUITY

| | Called up share capital | Share premium account | Profit and loss reserves | Total |
|---|----------------------------|-----------------------------|--------------------------|----------|
| | £'000 | £'000 | £'000 | £'000 |
| Balance at 1 January 2020 | 106,286 | 6,428 | 327,361 | 440,075 |
| Year ended 31 December 2020: | | | | |
| Profit and total comprehensive income for the financial | | | | |
| year | - | - | 35,129 | 35,129 |
| Dividends paid | - | - | (75,000) | (75,000) |
| Balance at 31 December 2020 | 106,286 | 6,428 | 287,490 | 400,204 |
| Year ended 31 December 2021: | | | | |
| Loss and total comprehensive expense for the financial | | | | |
| year | - | - | (766) | (766) |
| Dividends paid | - | - | (50,000) | (50,000) |
| Balance at 31 December 2021 | 106,286 | 6,428 | 236,724 | 349,438 |
| | | | | |

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2021

1 Accounting policies

Company information

Intertek Testing Services Holdings Limited. (the "Company") is a private company limited by shares incorporated and domiciled in England and Wales. The registered office address is Academy Place, 1-9 Brook Street, Brentwood, Essex, CM14 5NQ.

1.1 Accounting convention

The financial statements have been prepared in accordance with Financial Reporting Standard 101 Reduced Disclosure Framework (FRS 101) and in accordance with applicable accounting standards. In preparing these financial statements, the Company applied the recognition, measurement and disclosure requirements of the International Financial Reporting Standards as adopted by the United Kingdom ("Adopted IFRS"), but makes amendments where necessary in order to comply with Companies Act 2006.

The financial statements have been prepared on the historical cost basis. The principal accounting policies adopted are set out below.

These accounting policies have been applied consistently, other than where new policies have been adopted.

The financial statements are prepared in sterling, which is the functional currency of the Company. Monetary amounts in these financial statements are rounded to the nearest £'000.

The Company has taken advantage of the following disclosure exemptions under FRS 101:

- the requirements of paragraphs 45(b) and 46-52 of IFRS 2 Share based Payment;
- the requirements of paragraphs 62, B64(d), B64(e), B64(g), B64(h), B64(j) to B64(m), B64(n)(ii), B64 (o)(ii), B64 (p), B64(q)(ii), B66 and B67 of IFRS 3 Business Combinations. Equivalent disclosures are included in the consolidated financial statements of Intertek Group plc in which the entity is consolidated;
- the requirements of paragraph 33 (c) of IFRS 5 Non-current Assets Held for Sale and Discontinued Operations;
- the requirements of IFRS 7 Financial Instruments: Disclosures;
- the requirements of paragraphs 91-99 of IFRS 13 Fair Value Measurement;
- the requirement in paragraph 38 of IAS 1 'Presentation of Financial Statements' to present comparative information in respect of: (i) paragraph 79(a) (iv) of IAS 1, (ii) paragraph 73(e) of IAS 16 Property Plant and Equipment and (iii) paragraph 118 (e) of IAS 38 Intangibles Assets;
- the requirements of paragraphs 10(d), 10(f), 16, 38A to 38D, 40A to 40D, 111 and 134-136 of IAS 1 Presentation of Financial Statements;
- the requirements of IAS 7 Statement of Cash Flows;
- the requirements of paragraphs 30 and 31 of IAS 8 Accounting Policies, Changes in Accounting Estimates and Errors:
- the requirements of paragraph 17, 18(a) of IAS 24 Related Party Disclosures;
- the requirements in IAS 24 Related Party Disclosures to disclose related party transactions entered into between two or more members of a group, provided that any subsidiary which is a party to the transaction is wholly owned by such a member; and
- the requirements of paragraphs 130(f)(ii), 130(f)(iii), 134(d)-134(f) and 135(c)-135(e) of IAS 36 Impairment of Assets.

As permitted by FRS 101, the Company has taken advantage of the disclosure exemptions available under that standard in relation to share based payments, financial instruments, capital management, presentation of a cash flow statement, presentation of comparative information in respect of certain assets, standards not yet effective, impairment of assets, business combinations, discontinued operations and related party transactions.

Where required, equivalent disclosures are given in the Group financial statements of Intertek Group plc. The Group financial statements of Intertek Group plc are available to the public and can be obtained as set out in note 21.

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONTINUED)

FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2021

1 Accounting policies (Continued)

The Company has taken advantage of the exemption under section 400 of the Companies Act 2006 not to prepare consolidated financial statements. The financial statements present information about the company as an individual entity and not about its group.

Intertek Testing Services Holdings Limited. is a wholly owned subsidiary of Intertek Group plc, the ultimate parent undertaking, and the results of Intertek Testing Services Holdings Limited. are included in the consolidated financial statements of Intertek Group plc which are available from 33 Cavendish Square, London, W1G OPS or on the website www.intertek.com.

1.2 Going concern

The Company's business activities, together with the factors likely to affect its future development and position, are set out in the Directors' Report on pages 2 and 3. The Company generated a loss of £766,000 (2020: a profit of £35,129,000) in the year and has net current liabilities of £992,432,000 (2020: £941,743,000) as at 31 December 2021. The Company participates in the Group's centralised treasury arrangements and so shares banking arrangements with its parent and fellow subsidiaries.

The Directors believe that preparing the financial statements on the going concern basis is appropriate due to the continued financial support of a fellow Group undertaking, Intertek Finance plc. The Directors have received confirmation that Intertek Finance plc intends to support the Company for at least one year after these financial statements are signed.

1.3 Fixed asset investments

Interests in subsidiaries, associates and jointly controlled entities are initially measured at cost and subsequently measured at cost less any accumulated impairment losses. The investments are assessed for impairment at each reporting date and any impairment losses or reversals of impairment losses are recognised immediately in profit or loss.

1.4 Fair value measurement

IFRS 13 establishes a single source of guidance for all fair value measurements. IFRS 13 does not change when an entity is required to use fair value, but rather provides guidance on how to measure fair value under IFRS when fair value is required or permitted. The Company is exempt under FRS 101 from the disclosure requirements of IFRS 13.

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONTINUED)

FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2021

1 Accounting policies (Continued)

1.5 Financial assets

Financial assets are recognised in the Company's balance sheet when the Company becomes party to the contractual provisions of the instrument. Financial assets are classified into specified categories, depending on the nature and purpose of the financial assets.

At initial recognition, financial assets classified as fair value through profit and loss are measured at fair value and any transaction costs are recognised in profit or loss. Financial assets not classified as fair value through profit and loss are initially measured at fair value plus transaction costs.

Financial assets held at amortised cost

Trade debtors are recognised initially at the value of the invoice sent to the customer and subsequently at the amounts considered recoverable (amortised cost). Estimates are used in determining the level of debtors that will not, in the opinion of the Directors, be collected. The Company applies the simplified approach permitted by IFRS 9, which requires the use of the lifetime expected loss provision for all debtors, including contract assets.

The provision calculations are based on historic credit losses and specific country-risk classifications with higher default rates applied to older balances. This approach is followed for all debtors unless there are specific circumstances, such as the bankruptcy of a customer or emerging market risks, which would render the debtor irrecoverable and therefore require a specific provision. A provision is made against trade debtors and contract assets until such time as the Company believes the amount to be irrecoverable, after which the trade debtors or contract assets balance is written off.

Other debtors that have fixed or determinable payments that are not quoted in an active market are classified as 'other debtor'. Other debtors are measured at amortised cost using the effective interest method, less any impairment.

Interest is recognised by applying the effective interest rate, except for short-term debtors when the recognition of interest would be immaterial. The effective interest method is a method of calculating the amortised cost of a debt instrument and of allocating the interest income over the relevant period. The effective interest rate is the rate that exactly discounts estimated future cash receipts through the expected life of the debt instrument to the net carrying amount on initial recognition.

Impairment of financial assets

Financial assets, other than those at FVTPL, are assessed for indicators of impairment at each reporting end date. Financial assets are impaired where there is objective evidence that, as a result of one or more events that occurred after the initial recognition of the financial asset, the estimated future cash flows of the investment have been affected.

Derecognition of financial assets

Financial assets are derecognised only when the contractual rights to the cash flows from the asset expire, or when it transfers the financial asset and substantially all the risks and rewards of ownership to another entity.

1.6 Financial liabilities

The Company recognises financial debt when the Company becomes a party to the contractual provisions of the instruments. Financial liabilities are classified as either 'financial liabilities at fair value through profit or loss' or 'other financial liabilities'.

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONTINUED)

FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2021

1 Accounting policies (Continued)

Other financial liabilities

Other financial liabilities, including loans and overdrafts, trade creditors and other short-term monetary liabilities, are initially measured at fair value net of transaction costs directly attributable to the issuance of the financial liability. They are subsequently measured at amortised cost using the effective interest method. For the purposes of each financial liability, interest expense includes initial transaction costs and any premium payable on redemption, as well as any interest or coupon payable while the liability is outstanding.

Derecognition of financial liabilities

Financial liabilities are derecognised when, and only when, the Company's obligations are discharged, cancelled, or they expire.

1.7 Equity instruments

Equity instruments issued by the Company are recorded at the proceeds received, net of direct issue costs. Dividends payable on equity instruments are recognised as liabilities once they are no longer at the discretion of the Company.

1.8 Taxation

The tax expense represents the sum of the tax currently payable and deferred tax.

Current tax

The tax currently payable is based on taxable profit for the year. Taxable profit differs from net profit as reported in the profit and loss account because it excludes items of income or expense that are taxable or deductible in other years and it further excludes items that are never taxable or deductible. The Company's liability for current tax is calculated using tax rates that have been enacted or substantively enacted by the reporting end date.

Deferred tax

Deferred tax is the tax expected to be payable or recoverable on differences between the carrying amounts of assets and liabilities in the financial statements and the corresponding tax bases used in the computation of taxable profit, and is accounted for using the balance sheet liability method. Deferred tax liabilities are generally recognised for all taxable temporary differences and deferred tax assets are recognised to the extent that it is probable that taxable profits will be available against which deductible temporary differences can be utilised. Such assets and liabilities are not recognised if the temporary difference arises from goodwill or from the initial recognition of other assets and liabilities in a transaction that affects neither the tax profit nor the accounting profit.

The carrying amount of deferred tax assets is reviewed at each reporting end date and reduced to the extent that it is no longer probable that sufficient taxable profits will be available to allow all or part of the asset to be recovered. Deferred tax is calculated at the tax rates that are expected to apply in the period when the liability is settled or the asset is realised. Deferred tax is charged or credited in the profit and loss account, except when it relates to items charged or credited directly to equity, in which case the deferred tax is also dealt with in equity. Deferred tax assets and liabilities are offset when the Company has a legally enforceable right to offset current tax assets and liabilities and the deferred tax assets and liabilities relate to taxes levied by the same tax authority.

1.9 Foreign exchange

Transactions in currencies other than pounds sterling are recorded at the rates of exchange prevailing at the dates of the transactions. At each reporting end date, monetary assets and liabilities that are denominated in foreign currencies are retranslated at the rates prevailing on the reporting end date. Gains and losses arising on translation are included in the profit and loss account for the period.

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONTINUED)

FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2021

1 Accounting policies (Continued)

1.10 Dividends on shares presented within shareholders' funds

Dividend income is recognised in profit or loss on the date that the Company's right to receive payment is established.

Dividends unpaid at the balance sheet date are only recognised as a liability at that date to the extent that they are appropriately authorised and are no longer at the discretion of the Company. Unpaid dividends that do not meet these criteria are disclosed in the notes to the financial statements.

2 Critical accounting estimates and judgements

In the application of the Company's accounting policies, the Directors are required to make judgements, estimates and assumptions about the carrying amount of assets and liabilities that are not readily apparent from other sources. The estimates and associated assumptions are based on historical experience and other factors that are considered to be relevant. Actual results may differ from these estimates.

The estimates and underlying assumptions are reviewed on an ongoing basis. Revisions to accounting estimates are recognised in the period in which the estimate is revised, if the revision affects only that period, or in the period of the revision and future periods if the revision affects both current and future periods.

The estimates and assumptions which have a significant risk of causing a material adjustment to the carrying amount of assets and liabilities are outlined below.

Critical judgements

Recoverability of debtors

Amounts owed by Group undertakings are recognised initially at the value of the invoice or loan raised and subsequently at the amounts considered recoverable (amortised cost). Estimates are used in determining the level of debtors that will not, in the opinion of the Directors, be collected. The Company applies the simplified approach permitted by IFRS 9, which requires the use of the lifetime expected loss provision for all debtors. The provision calculations are based on a review of all debtors to see if there are specific circumstances which would render the debtor irrecoverable and therefore require a specific provision.

Investments impairment review

Interests in subsidiaries, associates and jointly controlled entities are initially measured at cost and subsequently measured at cost less any accumulated impairment losses. Estimates are used in determining the level of investment that will not, in the opinion of the Directors be recoverable.

3 (Loss)/profit before taxation

| | 2021 £'000 | 2020 £'000 |
|---|---------------|---------------|
| (Loss)/profit before taxation is stated after charging: | | |
| Fees payable to the Company's auditors for the audit of the Company's financial | | |
| statements | 2 | 2 |
| | | |

Amounts disclosed above reflect services provided by the Company's auditors in respect of auditing these financial statements. These amounts, however, have been paid by the ultimate parent company, Intertek Group plc.

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4 Employees

The average monthly number of persons (including directors) employed by the Company during the year was:

| | | 2021 Number | 2020 Number |
|---|---|-----------------------|----------------|
| | Employees not remunerated by the Company | 2 | 2 |
| 5 | Interest receivable and similar income | | |
| | | 2021 | 2020 |
| | | £'000 | £'000 |
| | Interest income | | |
| | Interest receivable from Group undertakings | 2,153 | 2,320 |
| | Other investment income | | |
| | Foreign exchange gains | • | 1,630 |
| | | | |
| | Total income excluding fixed asset investments | 2,153 | 3,950 |
| | Income from fixed asset investments | | |
| | Income from shares in Group undertakings | 26,800 | 62,119 |
| | Total interest receivable and similar income | 28,953 | 66,069 |
| | | === | === |
| • | Interest namelie and similar synances | | |
| 6 | Interest payable and similar expenses | 2021 | 2020 |
| | | £'000 | £,000 |
| | Interest on financial liabilities measured at amortised cost: | | |
| | Interest payable to Group undertakings | 32,388 | 35,107 |
| | Other finance costs: | | |
| | Foreign exchange losses | 1,696 | - |
| | | | |
| | Total finance costs | 34,084 | 35,107 |
| | | | |
| 7 | Amounts written off investments | | |
| • | | 2021 | 2020 |
| | | £'000 | £'000 |
| | Loss on disposal of fixed asset investments | (77) | _ |
| | 2000 Off disposar of fixed asset investments | === | |

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| 8 | Tax on (loss)/profit | | |
|---|--|---------|---------|
| | | 2021 | 2020 |
| | | £'000 | £'000 |
| | Current tax | | |
| | UK corporation tax on (loss)/profit for the current year | (6,304) | (5,920) |
| | Adjustments in respect of prior periods | 202 | 33 |
| | Total UK current tax | (6,102) | (5,887) |
| | Foreign taxes and reliefs | 407 | 355 |
| | | | |
| | Taxation (credit) | (5,695) | (5,532) |
| | | | |

The main rate of UK corporation tax is 19.00% and it has been substantively enacted on 24 May 2021 that the rate will increase to 25.00% from 1 April 2023. This has a consequential effect on the company's future tax charge and net deferred tax position.

The Company is a wholly owned subsidiary of a company registered in England and Wales, therefore there are no tax consequences for either the Company or the parent on payment of a dividend.

The credit for the year can be reconciled to the (loss)/profit per the profit and loss account as follows:

| | 2021 | 2020 |
|--|-------------|-------------|
| | £'000 | £'000 |
| the Market Color for the second of | /C 454\ | 20 503 |
| (Loss)/profit before taxation | (6,461) | 29,597 |
| | | |
| Expected tax (credit)/charge based on a corporation tax rate of 19.00% | | |
| (2020:19.00%) | (1,228) | 5,623 |
| Effect of expenses not deductible in determining taxable profit | 246 | 260 |
| Income not taxable | (5,092) | (11,803) |
| Adjustment in respect of prior periods | (20) | 33 |
| Effect of overseas tax rates | 399 | 355 |
| | | |
| Taxation credit for the year | (5,695) | (5,532) |
| | | |

9 Directors' remuneration

None of the Directors were remunerated directly by the Company or any of its subsidiaries (2020: none). The Directors of the Company are remunerated by Group companies, due to no qualifying services being provided in relation to Intertek Testing Services Holdings Limited. during the year.

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| 10 | Investments | | |
|----|-----------------------------|-----------|-----------|
| | · | Non-curr | ent |
| | | 2021 | 2020 |
| | | £'000 | £'000 |
| | Investments in subsidiaries | 1,341,870 | 1,341,947 |
| | | 1,341,870 | 1,341,947 |
| | | | |

The Company has not designated any financial assets that are not classified as held for trading as financial assets at fair value through profit or loss.

Fair value of financial assets carried at amortised cost

Except as detailed below, the Directors believe that the carrying amounts of financial assets carried at amortised cost in the financial statements approximate to their fair values.

Movements in fixed asset investments

| | Shares in Group undertakings |
|--------------------------------------|---------------------------------|
| | £'000 |
| Cost or valuation | |
| At 1 January 2021 | 1,603,493 |
| Disposals | (77) |
| | |
| At 31 December 2021 | 1,603,416 |
| | |
| Impairment | |
| At 1 January 2021 & 31 December 2021 | (261,546) |
| | |
| Carrying amount | |
| At 31 December 2021 | 1,341,870 |
| · | |
| At 31 December 2020 | 1,341,947 |
| | |

Disposals

During the year the Company disposed of the investment in its subsidiary undertaking, Charon Insurance Limited.

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11 Subsidiaries

Details of the Company's subsidiaries as at 31 December 2021 are as follows:

| Name of undertaking | Country of incorporation | Ownership interest (%) | Class of shares | Address |
|--|--------------------------|------------------------|--------------------------|--|
| International Inspection Service Limited | esisle of Man | 100% | Ordinary | 33/37 Athol Street, Douglas, IM1 1LB, Isle of Man |
| Intertek Capital Resources Limited | United Kingdom | 100% | Ordinary | Academy Place, 1-9 Brook Street, Brentwood, Essex, CM14 5NQ, England |
| Intertek Finance plc | United Kingdom | 100% | Ordinary | Academy Place, 1-9 Brook Street, Brentwood, Essex, United Kingdom, CM14 5NQ, United Kingdom |
| Intertek Holding Deutschland GmbH | Germany | 100% | Ordinary | Stangenstrasse 1, 70771, Leinfelden-Echterdingen, Germany |
| Intertek Holdings France SAS | France | 100% | Ordinary | ZAC Ecopark 2, 27400, Heudebouville, France |
| Intertek Holdings Italia SRL | italy | 100% | Quota capital shares | Via Guido Miglioli 2/A, Cernusco sul Naviglio, 20063, Milano, Italy |
| Intertek Holdings Nederland B.V | /. Netherlands | 100% | Ordinary | Leerlooierstraat 135, 3194AB Hoogvliet, Rotterdam, Netherlands |
| Intertek Holdings Norge AS | Norway | 100% | Ordinary | Oljeveien 2, Tananger, 4056, Norway |
| Intertek Testing Services Hong Kong Limited | Hong Kong | 100% | Ordinary | 2/F Garment Centre, 576 Castle Peak Road, Kowloon, Hong Kong |
| ITS Testing Holdings Canada Limited | Canada | 100% | Common Stock shares | 3771 North Fraser Way, Suite 17, Burnaby BC V5J 5G5, Canada |
| Moody International (Holdings) Limited | United Kingdom | 100% | Ordinary & Ordinary-A | Academy Place, 1-9 Brook Street, Brentwood, Essex, CM14 5NQ, England |
| Testing Holdings Sweden AB | Sweden | 100% | Ordinary | Torshamnsgatan 43, Box 1103, KISTA, S-164 22, Sweden |
| Intertek USD Finance Limited | United Kingdom | 100% | Ordinary | Academy Place, 1-9 Brook Street, Brentwood, Essex, CM14 5NQ, England |

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| 11 | Subsidiaries | | | | (Continued) |
|----|---|--------------------------|------------------------|---------------------------|--|
| | Name of undertaking | Country of incorporation | Ownership interest (%) | Class of shares | Address |
| | A full list of indirect related und | ertakings and their | country of incorp | oration are show | n below: |
| | 0949491 B.C. Limited | Canada | 100% | Ordinary | 1200-925 West Georgia Street, Vancouver BC V6C 3L2, Canada |
| | Admon Labs Servicios Corporativos y Administrativos, S.A. de C.V. | Mexico | 100% | Ordinary | Boulevard Adolfo Lopez Mateos #2259, Atlamaya, Alvaro Obregon, Ciudad de Mexico, C.P. 01760, Mexico |
| | Ageus Solutions Inc. | Canada | 100% | Common Stock | 505 March Road, Suite 100, Kanata ON K2K 2V6, Canada |
| | Alchemy Investment Holdings, Inc. | United States | 100% | Common Stock shares | 5300 Riata Park Court, Building F, Austin TX 78727, United States |
| | Alchemy Systems L.P. | United States | 100% | Membership unit shares | 5301 Riata Park Court, Building F, Austin, Texas, 78727, United States |
| | Alchemy Systems Training Limited | United Kingdom | 100% | Ordinary shares | Academy Place, 1-9 Brook Street, Brentwood, Essex, CM14 5NQ, England |
| | Alchemy Systems Training, Inc. | United States | 100% | Common Stock shares | 5300 Riata Park Court, Building F, Austin TX 78727, United States |
| | Alchemy Training Technologies, Inc. | Canada | 100% | Ordinary shares | 1 Germain Street, Suite 1500, Saint John NB E2L 4V1, Canada |
| | Angus Management, LLC | United States | 100% | Membership unit shares | 5300 Riata Park Court, Building F, Austin TX 78727, United States |
| | Bigart Ecosystems, LLC | United States | 100% | Membership unit shares | 212 S. Wallace Avenue, Bozeman MT 59715, United States |
| | Catalyst Awareness Inc. | Canada | 100% | Class A Common shares | 43 Carolinian Lane, Cambridge ON N1S 5B5, Canada |
| | Frameworks Inc. | Canada | 100% | Class A Common shares | 1595 Sixteenth Avenue, Suite 301, Richmond Hill ON L4B 3N9, Canada |
| | Cantox U.S. Inc. | United States | 100% | Common Stock | 100 Davidson Avenue, Suite #102, Somerset, NJ 08873, United States of America |
| | Electronic Warfare Associates- Canada, Ltd | Canada | 100% | Class A Common shares | 1223 Michael Street North, 2nd Floor, Ottawa ON K1J 7T2, Canada |

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| 11 | Subsidiaries | | | | (Continued) |
|----|---|--------------------------|------------------------|-----------------|--|
| | Name of undertaking | Country of incorporation | Ownership interest (%) | Class of shares | Address |
| | Gamatek, S.A. de C.V. | Mexico | 100% | Ordinary | Alanis Valdez #2308, Industrial, Monterrey, Nuevo Leon, Mexico |
| | GCA Calidad y Analisis de Mexico, S.A. de C.V. | Mexico | 100% | Ordinary | Jacarandas No.19, Colonia San Clemente, Delegacion Alvaro Obregon, Mexico City, C.P. 01740, Mexico |
| | Intertek BA EOOD | Bulgaria | 100% | Ordinary | 24A Akad. Metodi Popov Str., Floor 5, Sofia, 1113, Bulgaria |
| | Intertek Belgium NV | Belgium | 100% | Ordinary | Kruisschansweg 11, 2040 Antwerp, Belgium |
| | Intertek C&T Australia Holdings PTY Ltd | Australia | 100% | Ordinary | 544 Bickley Road, Maddington WA 6109, Australia |
| | Intertek C&T Australia Pty Ltd | Australia | 100% | Ordinary | 544 Bickley Road, Maddington WA 6109, Australia |
| | Intertek Caleb Brett Germany GmbH | Germany | 100% | Ordinary | Georgswerder Bogen 3, D-21109, Hamburg, Germany |
| | Intertek Canada Newco Limited | Canada | 100% | Common | 1829 32nd Avenue, Lachine QC H8T 3JI, Canada |
| | Intertek Certification AB | Sweden | 100% | Ordinary-A | Torshamnsgatan 43, Box 1103, KISTA, S-164 22, Sweden |
| | Intertek Certification AS | Norway | 100% | Ordinary | Leif Weldings vei 8, 3208, Sandefjord, Norway |
| | Intertek Certification France SAS | France | 100% | Ordinary | 67 Boulevard Bessières, 75017, Paris, France |
| | Intertek Certification Japan Limited | Japan | 100% | Ordinary | Nihonbashi N Bldg, 1-4-2, Nihonbashi - Horidomecho, Chuo-ku, Tokyo, 103-0012, Japan |
| | Intertek Certification Limited | United Kingdom | 100% | Ordinary | Academy Place, 1-9 Brook Street, Brentwood, Essex, CM14 5NQ, England |
| | Intertek Consulting & Training (UK) Limited | United Kingdom | 100% | Ordinary | Northpoint Aberdeen Science & Energy Park, Exploration Drive, Bridge of Don, Aberdeen, AB23 8HZ, United Kingdom |
| | Intertek Consulting & Training Egypt | Egypt | 100% | Ordinary | 46B, Street #7, Maadi, Cairo, |
| | Intertek Consulting & Training Colombia Limitada | Colombia | 100% | Ordinary | Calle 127A No. 53A-45, Oficina 1103, Bogota, Colombia |

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| 11 | Subsidiaries | | | | (Continued) |
|----|---|--------------------------|------------------------|-----------------------|--|
| | Name of undertaking | Country of incorporation | Ownership interest (%) | Class of shares | Address |
| | Intertek Consumer Goods GmbH | Germany | 100% | Ordinary | Würzburger Strasse 152, 90766, Fürth, Germany |
| | Intertek Deutschland GmbH | Germany | 100% | Ordinary | Stangenstrasse 1, 70771, Leinfelden-Echterdingen, Germany |
| | Intertek DIC A/S | Denmark | 100% | Ordinary | Buen 12, 3, 6000 Kolding, Denmark |
| | Intertek Fisheries Certification Limited | United Kingdom | 100% | Ordinary | CVR Global LLP, Town Wall House, Balkerne Hill, Colchester, Essex, CO3 3AD, England |
| | Intertek Food Services GmbH | Germany | 100% | Ordinary | Olof-Palme-Strasse 8, 28719, Bremen, Germany |
| | Intertek France SAS | France | 100% | Ordinary | ZAC Ecopark 2, 27400, Heudebouville, France |
| | Intertek Global International LLC | Qatar | 100% | Membership unit | Building 242, Office No.3, C- Ring Road, Doha, PO BOX 47146, Qatar |
| | Intertek Global Limited | Jersey | 100% | Ordinary | 1st Floor, Liberation House, Castle Street, St Helier, JE1 1GL, Jersey |
| | Intertek Health Sciences Inc. | Canada | 100% | Classes A-E Common | 2233 Argentia Road, Suite # 201, Mississauga ON L5N 2X7, Canada |
| | Intertek Ibérica Spain, S.L.U. | Spain | 100% | Ordinary-A | Alda. Recalde, 27-5., 48009, Bilbao, Vizcaya, Spain |
| | Intertek Industrial Services GmbH | Germany | 100% | Ordinary | Marie-Bernays-Ring 19a, 41199, Monchengladbach, Germany |
| | Intertek Industry Services (PTY) LTD | South Africa | 100% | Ordinary | 3 EL Wak Street, Vereeniging, 1930, Gauteng, South Africa |
| | Intertek Industry Services (S) Pte Ltd | Singapore | 100% | Ordinary | 2 International Business Park, #10-09/10, The Strategy, 609930, Singapore |
| | Intertek Industry Services Brasil Ltda | Brazil | 100% | Ordinary | Alameda Mamore 503, Alphaville, Barueri-SP, 06454-040-SP, Brazil |
| | Intertek Industry Services Romania Srl | Romania | 100% | Ordinary | 266-268 Calea Rahovei Street, Building 63, 8th Floor, Sector 5, Bucharest, Romania |
| | Intertek Industry WLL | Bahrain | 100% | Ordinary | Office # 24, Building 400, Road 3207, Mahooz, Block 332, Manama, Bahrain |

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| 11 | Subsidiaries | | | | (Continued) |
|----|--|--------------------------|------------------------|-----------------|---|
| | Name of undertaking | Country of incorporation | Ownership interest (%) | Class of shares | Address |
| | Intertek Inspection Services Ltd | Canada | 100% | Common Stock | 2561 Avenue Georges V, Montreal-Est Québec H1L 6S4, Canada |
| | Intertek Inspection Services Scandinavia AS | Norway | 100% | Ordinary | Leif Weldings vei 8, 3208 Sandfjord, Norway |
| | Intertek Inspection Services UK Limited | United Kingdom | 100% | Ordinary | Academy Place, 1-9 Brook Street, Brentwood, Essex, CM14 5NQ, England |
| | Intertek International France SAS | France | 100% | Ordinary | 67 Boulevard Bessières, 75017, Paris, France |
| | Intertek International Kazakhstan, LLC | Kazakhstan | 100% | Ordinary | Building 2A, Abay street, Atyrau City, 060002, Kazakhstan |
| | Intertek International Ltd Egypt | Egypt | 100% | Ordinary | 69, Road 161, Intersection with Road 104, Ground Floor, Maadi, Cairo, Egypt |
| | Intertek International Nederland BV | Netherlands | 100% | Ordinary | Leerlooierstraat 135, 3194AB Hoogvliet, Rotterdam, Netherlands |
| | Intertek International Suriname N.V. | Suriname | 100% | Ordinary | Prins Hendrikstraat 49, Paramaribo , Suriname |
| | Intertek Italia SpA | Italy | 100% | Ordinary | Via Guido Miglioli 2/A, Cernusco sul Naviglio, 20063, Milano, Italy |
| | Intertek Kalite Servisleri Limited Sirketi | Turkey | 100% | Ordinary | Cevizli Mah Tansel Cad. No: 12-18, Maltepe, Istanbul, Turkey |
| | Intertek Korea Industry Service Ltd | Republic of Korea | 100% | Ordinary | Yeouido Dept Bldg #916, 36-2, Yeouido-Dong, Youngdeungpo- Gu, Seoul, 150-749, Republic of Korea |
| | Intertek Labtest S.A.R.L | Morocco | 100% | Ordinary | Route 110, (par Chefchaouni), Lot Saadi, no.20, Q.I. Ain Sebaa 20 250, 4eme Etage, Casablanca, Morocco |
| | Intertek Nederland B.V. | Netherlands | 100% | Ordinary | Leerlooierstraat 135, 3194 AB Hoogvliet Rt, Rotterdam, The Netherlands |
| | Intertek Nominees Limited | United Kingdom | 100% | Ordinary | Academy Place, 1-9 Brook Street, Brentwood, Essex, CM14 5NQ, England |
| | Intertek OCA France SARL | France | 100% | Ordinary | Route Industrielle - Centre Routier, 76600, Gonfreville L'Orcher, France |

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| 11 | Subsidiaries | | | | (Continued) |
|----|---|--------------------------|------------------------|-----------------|--|
| | Name of undertaking | Country of incorporation | Ownership interest (%) | Class of shares | Address |
| | Intertek Polychemlab B.V. | Netherlands | 100% | Ordinary | Koolwaterstofstraat 1 , 6161 RA, Geleen, Netherlands |
| | Intertek Portugal, Unipessoal Lda | Portugal | 100% | Quota capital | Rua Antero de Quental, 221- Sala 102, 4455-586, Perafita- Matosinhos, Portugal |
| | Intertek Quality Services Ltd | United Kingdom | 100% | Ordinary | Academy Place, 1-9 Brook Street, Brentwood, Essex, CM14 5NQ, England |
| | Intertek Resource Solutions (Trinidad) Limited | Trinidad and Tobago | 100% | Ordinary | #91-92 Union Road, Marbella, Trinidad, Trinidad and Tobago |
| | Intertek S.R.O | Czech Republic | 100% | Ordinary | Sokolovská 131/86, Karlín, Praha 8, 186 00, Czech Republic |
| | Intertek Saudi Arabia Limited | Saudi Arabia | 100% | Ordinary | Southern Olaya Center, Office No. 213 , Makkah Al- Mukaramah Street, P.O. Box 2526, Al-Khobar, 31952, Saudi Arabia |
| | Intertek ScanBi Diagnostics AB | Sweden | 100% | Ordinary | Box 166, SE-230 53, Alnarp, Sweden |
| | Intertek Secretaries Limited | United Kingdom | 100% | Ordinary | Academy Place, 1-9 Brook Street, Brentwood, Essex, CM14 5NQ, England |
| | Intertek Semko AB | Sweden | 100% | Ordinary-A | Torshamnsgatan 43, Box 1103, KISTA, S-164 22, Sweden |
| | Intertek Technical Inspections Canada Inc. | Canada | 100% | Class A & E | 1829 32nd Avenue, Montreal H8T 3J1, Canada |
| | Intertek Technical Services Pty Limited | Australia | 100% | Ordinary | 544 Bickley Road, Maddington WA 6109, Australia |
| | Intertek Testing Services (ITS) Canada Ltd. | Canada | 100% | Ordinary | 105-9000 Bill Fox Way, Burnaby BC V5J 5J3, Canada |
| | Intertek Testing Services (NZ) Limited | New Zealand | 100% | Ordinary | 3 Kepa Road, Ruakaka, Northland, 0171, New Zealand |
| | Intertek Testing Services NA Limited | Canada | 100% | Ordinary-A | 1829 32nd Avenue, Lachine QC H8T 3JI, Canada |
| | Intertek Vietnam Limited | Vietnam | 100% | Ordinary | 3rd & 4th floor, Au Viet Building, No. 01 Le Duc Tho Str., Mai Dich Ward, Cau Giay District, Hanoi City, Vietnam |

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| 11 | Subsidiaries | | | | (Continued) |
|----|--|--------------------------|------------------------|--|--|
| | Name of undertaking | Country of incorporation | Ownership interest (%) | Class of shares | Address |
| | Intertek West Lab AS | Norway | 100% | Ordinary | Oljevegen 2, 4056 Tananger, Norway |
| | KJ Tech Services GmbH | Germany | 100% | Share No 1, Share No 2.1 & Share No. 2.2 | Kirschberg 20, 64347, Griesheim, Germany |
| | Management & Industrial Consultancy | Egypt | 100% | Ordinary | 59 Road No.104, Second Floor, Maadi, Cairo, Egypt |
| | Management Systems International Limited | United Kingdom | 100% | Ordinary | Academy Place, 1-9 Brook Street, Brentwood, Essex, CM14 5NQ, England |
| | Moody (Shanghai) Consulting Co., Ltd | China | 100% | Ordinary | Room 403, No.5-6, Lane 1218, Wanrong Road, Jing 'an District, Shanghai, China |
| | Intertek Algeria Ltd EURL | Algeria | 100% | Ordinary | Zone urbaine Garidi 1, , N°C7/ C8, Bâtiment F1, 1er étage Local No°1, 16051, Kouba, Wilaya d'Alger, Algeria |
| | Moody Energy Technical Service Co Ltd | China | 100% | Ordinary | Suite B2206 Dongyu Building , A1 Shuguangxili, Chaoyang District, Beijing, 100028, China |
| | Moody International (India) Private Limited | India | 100% | Ordinary | E-20, Block B1, Mohan Co- operative Industrial Area, Mathura Road, New Delhi, 110044, India |
| | Moody International (Russia) Limited | United Kingdom | 100% | Ordinary | Academy Place, 1-9 Brook Street, Brentwood, Essex, CM14 5NQ, England |
| | Moody International Bangladesh Limited | Bangladesh | 100% | Ordinary | House 6, Road 17/A, Block E, Ground Floor, Banani, Dhaka, 1213, Bangladesh |
| | Moody International Certification India Limited | India | 100% | Ordinary | E-20, Block B1, Mohan Co- operative Industrial Area, Mathura Road, New Delhi, 110044, India |
| | Moody International Lanka (Private) Ltd. | Sri Lanka | 100% | Ordinary | no. 5, St Albans Place, Colombo - 4, Sri Lanka |
| | Moody United Certification Limited | China | 100% | Ordinary | 2F, No. 5 Building, 912 Bibo Road, Pudong, Shanghai, 201203, China |
| | PT. Moody Technical Services | Indonesia | 100% | Ordinary | Graha STR 3rd floor, Suite#302, Jl. Ampera Raya No. 11, Jakarta, 12550, Indonesia |

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| 11 | Subsidiaries | | | | (Continued) |
|----|--|--------------------------|------------------------|--------------------------|--|
| | Name of undertaking | Country of incorporation | Ownership interest (%) | Class of shares | Address |
| | PT. RCG Moody | Indonesia | 100% | Ordinary | Graha STR 3rd floor, Suite#302, Jl. Ampera Raya No. 11, Jakarta, 12550, Indonesia |
| | RCG Moody International Uruguay S.A. | , Uruguay | 100% | Ordinary | Cerrito 507, 4th Floor, Off.46, 47, Montevideo 11000, Uruguay |
| | RCG-Moody International Limited | United Kingdom | 100% | Ordinary | Academy Place, 1-9 Brook Street, Brentwood, Essex, CM14 5NQ, England |
| | Van Sluys & Bayet NV | Belgium | 100% | Ordinary | Kruisschansweg 11, 2040 Antwerp, Belgium |
| | 4th Strand, LLC | United States | 100% | Membership unit | 1950 Evergreen Boulevard, Suite 100, Duluth GA 30096, United States |
| | Alta Analytical Laboratory, Inc. | United States | 100% | Ordinary | 200 Westlake Park Blvd, Westlake Building 4, Suite 400, Houston TX 77079, United States |
| | Architectural Testing Holdings, Inc. | United States | 100% | Common Stock | 130 Derry Court, York PA 17406, United States |
| | Architectural Testing, Inc. | United States | 100% | Ordinary-A | 130, Derry Court, York PA 17406, United States |
| | Center for the Evaluation of Clean Energy Technology, Inc. | United States | 100% | Common Stock | 3933 US Route 11, Cortland, NY , 13045, United States of America |
| | Entela-Taiwan, Inc | United States | 100% | Ordinary | 4700 Broadmoor Avenue SE, Suite 200, Kentwood MI 49512, United States |
| | Global X-Ray & Testing Corporation | United States | 100% | Ordinary | 112 East Service Road, Morgan City LA 70381, United States |
| | Global X-Ray Holdings, Inc. | United States | 100% | Ordinary , Preference | 112 East Service Road, Morgan City LA 70381, United States |
| | H.P. White Laboratory Inc. | United States | 100% | Voting Common Stock | 3114 Scarboro Road, Street MD 21154, United States |
| | Hawks Acquisition Holding, Inc. | United States | 100% | | 545 E. Algonquin Road, Arlington Heights, Illinois 60005, United States |
| | Hi-Tech Holdings, Inc. | United States | 100% | Common Stock | CT Corporation System, 1200 S.Pine Island Road, Plantation FL 33324, United States |

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| Subsidiaries | | | | (Continued) |
|--|--------------------------|------------------------|------------------------|--|
| Name of undertaking | Country of incorporation | Ownership interest (%) | Class of shares | Address |
| Hi-Tech Testing Service, Inc. | United States | 100% | Common Stock | CT Corporation System, 1999 Bryan Street Suite 900, Dallas TX 75201, United States |
| Inspection Services (US), LLC | United States | 100% | Membership unit | 237 Stuart Road, Amelia LA 70340, United States |
| International Cargo Services, Inc. | United States | 100% | Ordinary | c/o CT Corp, 8550 United Plaza Blvd, Baton Rouge LA 70809, United States |
| Intertek Asset Integrity Management, Inc. | United States | 100% | Ordinary | 25025 I-45, Suite 300, Houston TX 77380, United States |
| Intertek Consulting & Training (USA), Inc. | United States | 100% | Common Stock | 25025 I-45, Suite 300, Houston TX 77380, United States |
| Intertek Industry and Certification Services (Thailand) Limited. | Thailand | 100% | Ordinary | 539/2 Gypsum Metropolitan Tower, 11C Fl., Sri-Ayudhaya Road, Tanon - Phayathai Subdistrict, Khet Ratchathewi, Bangkok, 10400, Thailand |
| Intertek Industry Services Japan Limited | Japan | 100% | Ordinary | Nihonbashi N Bldg, 1-4-2, Nihonbashi - Horidomecho, Chuo-ku, Tokyo, 103-0012, Japan |
| Intertek International Inc. | United States | 100% | Ordinary | 8600 NW 17th Street, Suite 100, Miami FL 33126, United States |
| Intertek Resource Solutions, Inc. | United States | 100% | Ordinary | 25025 I-45, Suite 300, Houston TX 77380, United States |
| Intertek Technical Services, Inc. | United States | 100% | Ordinary Preference | 25025 I-45 North, Suite #111, The Woodlands TX 77380, United States |
| Intertek Testing Services (Japan) K. K. | Japan . | 100% | Ordinary | Nihonbashi N Bldg, 1-4-2, Nihonbashi - Horidomecho, Chuo-ku, Tokyo, 103-0012, Japan |
| Intertek Testing Services (Thailand) Limited | Thailand | 100% | Ordinary | 1285/5 Prachachuen Road, Wong-Sawang Sub-District, Bangsue District, Bangkok, 10800, Thailand |
| Intertek Testing Services De Mexico, S.A. De C.V. | Mexico | 100% | Class A & B | Poniente 134, No 660 Industrial Vallejo, Mexico DF CP, 02300, Mexico |

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| 11 | Subsidiaries | | | | (Continued) |
|----|--|--------------------------|------------------------|---|---|
| | Name of undertaking | Country of incorporation | Ownership interest (%) | Class of shares | Address |
| | Intertek Testing Services Environmental Laboratories Inc. | United States | · 100% | Ordinary | Lexis Document Services, 15 East North Street, Dover, Delaware, 19901, United States of America |
| | Intertek Testing Services NA Sweden AB | Sweden | 100% | Ordinary | c/o Intertek Semko AB, Box 1103, Kista, 16422, Sweden |
| | Intertek Testing Services NA, Inc. | United States | 100% | Ordinary | 3933 US Route 11, Cortland, NY, 13045, United States of America |
| | Intertek USA Finance LLC | United States | 100% | Ordinary | c/o CSC Services of Nevada, Inc., 2215-B Renaissance Dr, Las Vegas NV 89919, United States |
| | Intertek USA, Inc. | United States | 100% | Ordinary-A,B | 200 Westlake Park Blvd., Westlake Building 4, Suite 400, Houston TX 77079, United States |
| | ITS Hong Kong NA, Limited | Hong Kong | 100% | Ordinary | 2/F Garment Centre, 576 Castle Peak Road, Kowloon, Hong Kong |
| | Laboratorio Fermi S.A. de C.V. | Mexico | 100% | Ordinary | Jacarandas No.19, Colonia San Clemente, Delegacion Alvaro Obregon, Mexico City, C.P. 01740, Mexico |
| | Laboratorios ABC Quimica, Investigacion y Analisis, S.A. de C.V. | Mexico | 100% | Class I series B, Class II series B, | Jacarandas No.19, Colonia San Clemente, Delegacion Alvaro Obregon, Mexico City, C.P. 01740, Mexico |
| | Labtest International Inc. | United States | 100% | Ordinary | 545 E. Algonquin Road, Arlington Heights IL 60005, United States |
| | Louisiana Grain Services, Inc | United States | 100% | Common Stock | c/o CT Corp, 8550 United Plaza Blvd, Baton Rouge LA 70809, United States |
| | Mace Land Company, Inc | United States | 100% | Voting Common Stock | 3114 Scarboro Road, Street MD 21154, United States |
| | Materials Testing Lab, Inc. | United States | 100% | Ordinary | 145 Sherwood Avenue, Farmingdale NY 11735, United States |
| | Midwest Engineering Services, Inc. | United States | 100% | Common Stock | CT Corporation System, 8020 Excelsior Dr. Suite 200, Madison WI 53717, United States |
| | Moody International Holdings LLC | United States | 100% | Membership unit | 237 Stuart Road, Amelia LA 70340, United States |

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| 11 | Subsidiaries | | | | (Continued) |
|----|--|--------------------------|------------------------|---------------------------|---|
| | Name of undertaking | Country of incorporation | Ownership interest (%) | Class of shares | Address |
| | MT Group LLC | United States | 100% | Ordinary | 145 Sherwood Avenue, Farmingdale NY 11735, United States |
| | MT Operating of New Jersey, LLC | United States | 100% | Membership unit | 145 Sherwood Avenue, Farmingdale NY 11735, United States |
| | MT Operating of New York, LLC | United States | 100% | Membership unit | 145 Sherwood Avenue, Farmingdale NY 11735, United States |
| | Pittsburgh Testing Laboratory Inc. | United States | 100% | Common Stock | PSI, 850 Poplar Street, Pittsburgh PA 15220, United States |
| | Professional Service Industries (Canada) Inc. | Canada | 100% | Common | 200 Bay Street , Suite 3800, Royal Bank Plaza, South Tower, Toronto ON M5J 2J7, Canada |
| | Professional Service Industries Holding, Inc. | United States | 100% | Common Stock & Class A | 545 E. Algonquin Road, Arlington Heights, Illinois 60005, United States |
| | Professional Service Industries, Inc. | United States | 100% | Common Stock | 545 E. Algonquin Road, Arlington Heights, Illinois 60005, United States |
| | PSI Acquisitions, Inc. | United States | 100% | Common Stock | Corporation Service Company, 2711 Centerville Road, Suite 400, Wilmington 19808, United States |
| | Schindler & Associates (L.C.) | United States | 100% | Membership unit | 24900 Pitkin Rd, Suite 200, The Woodlands TX 77386, United States |
| | Testing Holdings USA, Inc. | United States | 100% | Common Stock | 3933 US Route 11, Cortland, NY , 13045, United States |
| | White Land Company, Inc | United States | 100% | Voting Common Stock | 3114 Scarboro Road, Street MD 21154, United States |
| | Wilson Inspection X-Ray Services, Inc. | United States | 100% | Common Stock | Michael E Wilson, 6010 Edgewater Dr., Corpus Christi TX 78412, United States |
| | Acucert Labs, LLP | India | 100% | Membership unit | 82/2 , Shreyas, 25th Road, Sion West, Mumbai, 400022, India |
| | Acumen Security, LLC | United States | 100% | Ordinary | 2400 Research Blvd, Suite 395, Rockvilled MD 20850, United States |

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| Subsidiaries | | | | (Continued) |
|--|------------------------------------|---------------------------|--|--|
| Name of undertaking | Country of incorporation | Ownership interest (%) | Class of shares | Address |
| Intertek Certification GmbH | Germany | 100% | Ordinary | Marie-Bernays-Ring 19a, 41199, Monchengladbach, Germany |
| Intertek Industry Holdings (Pty) Ltd | South Africa | 100% | Ordinary No Par Value | 53 Phillip Engelbrecht Drive, Woodhill Office Park Building 2, 1st Floor Unit 8B Meyersdal, Gauteng, 1448, South Africa |
| Intertek Medical Notified Body AB | Sweden | 100% | Ordinary | Torshamnsgaten 43, Box 1103, Kista, S-164 22, Sweden |
| Laboratory Services International Rotterdam B.V | Netherlands | 100% | Ordinary | Pittsburghstraat 9, 3047 BL, Rotterdam, Netherlands |
| Intertek Certification International Sdn. Bhd. | Malaysia | 100% | Ordinary | 6-L12-01, Level 12, Tower 2, Menara PGRM, No. 6 & 8 Jalan Pudu Ulu, Cheras, 56100 Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia |
| Intertek Training Malaysia Sdn. Bhd. | Malaysia | 100% | Ordinary | 6-L12-01, Level 12, Tower 2, Menara PGRM, No. 6 & 8 Jalan Pudu Ulu, Cheras, 56100 Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia |
| Intertek Inspection (Malaysia) Sdn. Bhd. | Malaysia | 100% | Ordinary , Redeemable Preference | D-28-3, Level 28, Menara Suezcap 1, No. 2 Jalan Kerinchi, Gerbang Kerinchi Lestari, 59200 Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia |
| Intertek Industry Services Colombia Limited | Colombia | 99% | Ordinary | Calle 127A, No. 53A-45, Office 1103, Bogotá, Colombia |
| Moody International Holdings Chile Ltda | Chile | 99% | Ordinary | Avenida Las Condes N° 11287 Torre A, oficina 301 A Las Condes, Santiago, Chile |
| RCG Moody International de Venezuela S.A. | Bolivarian Republi of Venezuela | c99% | Ordinary | Res Morgana, p_4, #04, Av.Andres Bello, Fco de Miranda, Los Polos Grandes, Caracas, Venezuela |
| Moody International Philippines, Inc. | Philippines | 93% | Ordinary | Intertek Building, 2310 Chino Roces Avenue Extension, Metro Manila, Makati City, 1231, Philippines |
| Shanghai Moody Management & Technical Services Co. Ltd | China | 90% | Ordinary | Room 225, No. 14 at Lane No. 1700 Luo Shan Road, Shanghai, China |

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| 11 | Subsidiaries | | | | (Continued) |
|----|--|--------------------------|------------------------|-------------------|---|
| | Name of undertaking | Country of incorporation | Ownership interest (%) | Class of shares | Address |
| | Intertek Test Hizmetleri Anonim Sirketi | Turkey | 85% | Ordinary | Merkez Mahallesi, Sanayi Cad. No.23, Altindag Plaza, Yenibosna-34197, Istanbul, Turkey |
| | International Inspection Services LLC | Oman | 70% | Ordinary | PO Box 193, Al Hamriyah, Muscat, PC 131, Oman |
| | Moody International Angola Ltda | Angola | 53% | Quota capital | Rua de Macau, Edifico ex Edil Apto 1, Res de Chao Esq. C.P 215, Cabinda, Angola |
| | ITS Caleb Brett Deniz Survey A S | Turkey | 50% | Ordinary | Ulus Mah. Oz Topuz cad. no.32, Besiktas, Istanbul, 34340, Turkey |
| | Intertek - QNP LLP | Kazakhstan | 50% | Charter fund • | Building 2A, Abay Street, Atyrau City, 060002, Kazakhstan |
| | Intertek Geronimo JV Limited | Ghana | 49% | Ordinary | 1, North Industrial Area, Klan Street, Accra, Ghana |

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12 Associates

Details of the Company's indirect associates as at 31 December 2021 are as follows:

| Name of undertaking | Country of incorporation | Ownership interest (%) | Class of shares | Address |
|---|--------------------------|------------------------|-----------------|--|
| Intertek Kimsco Co. Ltd. | Republic of Korea | 50% | Ordinary | 9F, Hansan Building, 115, Seosomun-ro, Jung-gu, Seoul, 04515, Republic of Korea |
| Intertek Testing Services Kore- Limited | a Republic of Korea | 50% | Ordinary | 1st Fl., Aju Digital Tower, 284-56, Seongsu-dong 2-ga, Seongdong-gu, Seoul 133-120, Republic of Korea |
| Lynx Diagnostics Inc. | Canada | 50% | Ordinary-A | #220, 8 Perron Street, St Albert AB T8N 1E4, Canada |
| Moody International Certification Ltd | Malta | 40% | Ordinary | 53, Nautic, Triq I-Ortolan, San Gwann, SGN 1943, Malta |
| Intertek Myanmar Limited | Myanmar | 39% | Ordinary | Classic Strand Cono, No.693/701, Room (4-A), (4th Floor), Merchant Road, Pabedan Township, Yangon, Myanmar |
| Moody International SA | Cote d'Ivoire | 35% | Ordinary | 4 Rue Des Brasseurs, Zone 3 , Abidjan, Cote d'Ivoire |
| Moody International Morocco | Morocco | 30% | Ordinary | 28, Rue de Provins, 2 eme etage, Casablanca, Morocco |
| Intertek Industry Services de Argentina S.A. | Argentina | 26% | Ordinary | Cerrito 1136, 2nd floor CF, Ciudad Autonoma de, Buenos Aires, C1010AAX, Argentina |

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13 Debtors

| | 2021 £'000 | 2020 £'000 |
|--|---------------|---------------|
| VAT recoverable Amounts owed by fellow Group undertakings | 63 57,674 | 41 56,900 |
| Current tax recoverable | 6,102 | 5,921 |
| | 64,042 | 62,862 |
| | | |

. Amounts due from Group undertakings are unsecured, have no fixed date of repayment and are repayable on demand. A mixture of the amounts due is interest bearing and interest free.

14 Credit risk

Credit risk arises in relation to loans receivable from other Group entities.

The carrying amount of financial assets recorded in the financial statements, which is net of impairment losses, represents the Company's maximum exposure to credit risk.

The Company does not hold any collateral or other credit enhancements to cover this credit risk.

Past due and impaired financial asset investments

A credit loss assessment was made under IFRS 9 for all current debtors. It was determined, based on an assessment of current liquidity and the availability of future operating cash flows, that amounts due from Group undertakings should be reported net of accumulated impairment provisions of £2,357,000 (2020: £230,000).

15 Creditors

| | 2021 | 2020 |
|---|-----------|-----------|
| | £'000 | £'000 |
| Trade creditors | 681 | 2 |
| Amounts owed to fellow Group undertakings | 1,055,889 | 1,004,708 |
| | | - |
| | 1,056,570 | 1,004,710 |
| | | |

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16 Market risk

Market risk management

Foreign exchange risk

The carrying amounts of the Company's foreign currency denominated monetary assets and liabilities at the reporting date are as follows:

| | Assets | | Liabilities | |
|-------|--------|--------|-------------|-------|
| | 2021 | 2020 | 2021 | 2020 |
| | £'000 | £'000 | £'000 | £'000 |
| USD | 23,600 | 642 | 56 | 1 |
| EUR | 6,783 | 7,086 | 86 | 39 |
| Other | 1,749 | 25,617 | 33 | - |
| | | | | |
| | 32,132 | 33,345 | 175 | 40 |
| | | | | |

Interest rate risk

The carrying amounts of financial liabilities and applicable interest rates at the reporting date are as follows:

| • | Carrying amount of financial liabilities | |
|---|---|---------|
| | 2021 | 2020 |
| | £'000 | £'000 |
| Amounts owed to fellow Group undertakings | 914,242 | 917,264 |
| | | |
| | Weighted average effective interest rate | |
| | 2021 | 2020 |
| Amounts owed to fellow Group undertakings | 3.01% | 3.28% |

17 Deferred taxation

The Company has not recognised a deferred tax asset on losses of £3,487,655 (2020: £3,487,655) as it is not probable that there will be future profits against which these can be utilised.

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18 Retirement benefit schemes

The Company participates in a group defined benefit scheme for qualifying employees. Under the scheme, the employees are entitled to retirement benefits, payable from age 65.

There is no contractual agreement or stated policy for charging the net defined benefit cost. In accordance with IAS 19 (Revised 2011), the company recognises a cost equal to its contribution payable for the period, which in the year ended 31 December 2021 was £Nil (2020: £Nil).

Further details of the Group defined benefit scheme are disclosed on pages 203-206 of the Group consolidated financial statements.

| 19 | Called up share capital | 2021 | 2020 |
|----|--|---------|---------|
| | | £'000 | £'000 |
| | Ordinary share capital | | |
| | Issued and fully paid | | |
| | 10,628,598,896 (2020: 10,628,598,896) Ordinary shares of 1p each | 106,286 | 106,286 |
| | | | |

20 Contingent liabilities

The Company is a member of a group of UK companies that are a part of a composite banking cross-guarantee arrangement. This is a joint and several guarantee given by all members of the Intertek UK cash pool guaranteeing the total gross liability position of the pool which was £401,000 at 31 December 2021 (2020: £3,957,000). The Company has also guaranteed the lease obligations of a fellow Group company.

From time to time, in the normal course of business, the Company may give guarantees in respect of certain liabilities of other Group undertakings. In this respect, the Company treats the guarantee contract as a contingent liability until such time as it becomes probable that the Company will be required to make a payment under the guarantee.

21 Controlling party

The immediate and ultimate parent undertaking and controlling party is Intertek Group plc, which is the parent undertaking of the smallest and largest group to consolidate these financial statements. Copies of Intertek Group plc's consolidated financial statements can be obtained from the Group Company Secretary at 33 Cavendish Square, London, W1G OPS, or on the website www.intertek.com.

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22 Related party transactions

Under FRS 101 reduced disclosure framework, the Company has taken advantage of the exemption from the IAS24 requirement to disclose transactions with entities that are wholly owned by the Group and disclosures in respect of the compensation of key management personnel.

Other transactions with related parties

| | Interest income | |
|---|-------------------------|-------|
| | 2021 | 2020 |
| | £'000 | £'000 |
| Other related parties | 16 | 18 |
| | === | |
| The following amounts were outstanding at the reporting end date: | | |
| | Amounts owed by related | |
| | parties | |
| | 2021 | 2020 |
| | £'000 | £'000 |
| Other related parties | 575 | 606 |
| | == | |

Other related parties constitute entities that are not fully owned by the Group as presented in note 23 of the Group's consolidated financial statements. Amounts have been reviewed for impairment by reviewing the value in use of the entity from which the balance is due. No impairment of balances was deemed necessary.