Registered number: 3237079

# **MARCHAM FARMS LIMITED**

# **UNAUDITED**

# **ABBREVIATED ACCOUNTS**

FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 SEPTEMBER 2008

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# ABBREVIATED BALANCE SHEET AS AT 30 SEPTEMBER 2008

	Note	£	2008 £	£	2007 £
FIXED ASSETS					
Intangible fixed assets	2		7,000		8,750
Tangible fixed assets	3		2,026,284		2,085,651
			2,033,284		2,094,401
CURRENT ASSETS					
Stocks		291,308		402,927	
Debtors		238,522		200,701	
Cash at bank		42,568		43,386	
	,	572,398	•	647,014	
CREDITORS: amounts falling due within one year	4	(266,204)		(470,706)	
NET CURRENT ASSETS			306,194		176,308
TOTAL ASSETS LESS CURRENT LIABILI	TIES		2,339,478		2,270,709
CREDITORS: amounts falling due after more than one year			(1,905,400)		(1,905,400)
NET ASSETS			434,078		365,309
CAPITAL AND RESERVES					
Called up share capital	5		2,500,000		2,500,000
Profit and loss account			(2,065,922)		(2,134,691)
					365,309

The directors consider that the company is entitled to exemption from the requirement to have an audit under the provisions of section 249A(1) of the Companies Act 1985 and members have not required the company to obtain an audit of its accounts for the year in question in accordance with section 249B(2) of the Act. The directors acknowledge their responsibilities for ensuring that the company keeps accounting records which comply with section 221 of the Act and for preparing financial statements which give a true and fair view of the state of affairs of the company as at 30 September 2008 and of its profit for the year then ended in accordance with the requirements of section 226 of the Act and which otherwise comply with the requirements of the Companies Act 1985 relating to the financial statements so far as applicable to the company.

# ABBREVIATED BALANCE SHEET (continued) AS AT 30 SEPTEMBER 2008

The abbreviated accounts, which have been prepared in accordance with the special provisions of Part VII of the Companies Act 1985 applicable to small companies, were approved and authorised for issue by the board and were signed on its behalf on 30 July 2009

J L Duffield Director

The notes on pages 3 to 6 form part of these financial statements.

### NOTES TO THE ABBREVIATED ACCOUNTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 SEPTEMBER 2008

#### 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 2007).

The financial statements are prepared in accordance with applicable United Kingdom Accounting Standards (United Kingdom Generally Accepted Accounting Practice), which have been applied consistently.

# 1.2 TURNOVER

Turnover represents amounts receivable from the sale of farming produce relating to the year. Turnover includes single payment receipts which are recognised on a calendar year basis and other farming subsidies receivable relating to the year. Countryside Stewardship Scheme receipts have been reclassified to turnover in these financial statements from other operating income; the comparatives have been restated.

### 1.3 INTANGIBLE FIXED ASSETS AND AMORTISATION

Purchased Single Farm Payment entitlements are stated at cost. They have been amortised over their useful economic life (taken to be six years from purchase, i.e. until 2012).

### 1.4 TANGIBLE FIXED ASSETS AND DEPRECIATION

Tangible fixed assets are stated at cost less depreciation. Depreciation is not charged on freehold land. Depreciation on other tangible fixed assets is provided at rates calculated to write off the cost of those assets, less their estimated residual value, over their expected useful lives on the following bases:

Freehold buildings - 2% straight line
Property improvements - 2% straight line
Plant and machinery - 20% reducing balance
Tenant's improvements - 2% straight line

### 1.5 STOCKS

Stocks are valued at the lower of cost and net realisable value and in accordance with BEN 19.

# NOTES TO THE ABBREVIATED ACCOUNTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 SEPTEMBER 2008

# 1. ACCOUNTING POLICIES (continued)

#### 1.6 DEFERRED TAXATION

Full provision is made for deferred tax assets and liabilities arising from all timing differences between the recognition of gains and losses in the financial statements and recognition in the tax computation.

A net deferred tax asset is recognised only if it can be regarded as more likely than not that there will be suitable taxable profits from which the future reversal of the underlying timing differences can be deducted.

Deferred tax assets and liabilities are calculated at the tax rates expected to be effective at the time the timing differences are expected to reverse.

Deferred tax assets and liabilities are not discounted.

### 1.7 GOING CONCERN

The company is reliant upon the continued support of J L Duffield (a director), the Trustees of the Peasmore Settlement and the Trustees of the Marcham Settlement, through their respective loan accounts, to continue to trade as a going concern. As they have confirmed that they have no intention of withdrawing their loans in the foreseeable future, the financial statements have been prepared on the going concern basis.

# 1.8 SHEEP FLOCK

The company's sheep flock is stated at cost. No depreciation is charged.

# 2. INTANGIBLE FIXED ASSETS

	£
COST	
At 1 October 2007 and 30 September 2008	10,500
AMORTISATION	<del></del>
At 1 October 2007	1,750
Charge for the year	1,750
At 30 September 2008	3,500
NET BOOK VALUE	
At 30 September 2008	7,000
At 30 September 2007	8,750

# NOTES TO THE ABBREVIATED ACCOUNTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 SEPTEMBER 2008

# 3. TANGIBLE FIXED ASSETS

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COST	
At 1 October 2007	2,611,007
Additions	5,005
Disposals	(2,457)
At 30 September 2008	2,613,555
DEPRECIATION	
At 1 October 2007	525,356
Charge for the year	61,915
At 30 September 2008	587,271
NET BOOK VALUE	
At 30 September 2008	2,026,284
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At 30 September 2007	2,085,651

Included within freehold land and buildings is land at a cost of £1,546,666 (2007 - £1,546,666) which has not been depreciated.

# 4. CREDITORS:

# **AMOUNTS FALLING DUE WITHIN ONE YEAR**

The following secured debts are included within creditors

	2008 £	2007 £
Bank loans and overdrafts	145,370	293,643

# NOTES TO THE ABBREVIATED ACCOUNTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 SEPTEMBER 2008

# 5. SHARE CAPITAL

	2008 £	2007 £
AUTHORISED		
2,500,000 A Ordinary shares of £1 each	2,500,000	2,500,000
2,500,000 B Ordinary shares of £1 each	2,500,000	2,500,000
	5,000,000	5,000,000
ALLOTTED, CALLED UP AND FULLY PAID		
1,250,000 A Ordinary shares of £1 each	1,250,000	1,250,000
1,250,000 B Ordinary shares of £1 each	1,250,000	1,250,000
	2,500,000	2,500,000