## Company Registration No. 3337575

**Amshold Securities Limited** 

**Report and Financial Statements** 

**30 June 2013** 

WEDNESDAY



A13

12/03/2014 COMPANIES HOUSE

#300

# Report and financial statements 2013

Contents	Page
Officers and professional advisers	1
Directors' report	2
Independent auditor's report	4
Profit and loss account	6
Balance sheet	7
Notes to the financial statements	8

# Report and financial statements 2013

# Officers and professional advisers

## **Directors**

Claude Littner Michael Ray

## Secretary

Michael Ray

## **Registered Office**

Amshold House Goldings Hill Loughton Essex IG10 2RW

## **Auditors**

Deloitte LLP London

## Directors' report

The directors have pleasure in presenting their annual report and the audited financial statements for the year ended 30 June 2013. The directors have taken advantage of the special provisions available to small companies per Section 415A of the Companies Act 2006.

## Principal activities

The maintenance and administration of loan notes

#### Business review and future prospects

The company continues to administer the unguaranteed floating rate loan notes that expire in 2059 and 2060

#### Results

The company made a profit after tax of £74,376 (2012 £24,515) Details of the future prospects of the company are discussed in Note 1

#### **Dividends**

During the year a dividend of £70,000 was paid (2012 £nil)

#### **Directors**

The Directors listed on page 1 served throughout the year

## Statement of directors' responsibilities

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 elected to prepare the financial statements in accordance with United Kingdom Generally Accepted Accounting Practice (United Kingdom Accounting Standards and applicable law) Under company law the directors must not approve the financial statements unless they are satisfied that they give a true and fair view of the state of affairs of the company and of the profit or loss of the company for that period In preparing these financial statements, the directors are required to

- select suitable accounting policies and then apply them consistently,
- make judgements and accounting estimates that are reasonable and prudent,
- state whether applicable UK Accounting Standards have been followed, subject to any
  material departures disclosed and explained in the financial statements, 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. They are also responsible for safeguarding the assets of the company and hence for taking reasonable steps for the prevention and detection of fraud and other irregularities.

## **Directors' report (continued)**

## Auditors

Each of the persons who is a director at the date of approval of this report confirms that So far as the directors are aware, there is no relevant audit information of which the companies auditors are unaware, and the directors have taken all the steps in order to ensure their awareness of any relevant audit information and to establish that the company's auditors are aware of such information

This confirmation is given and should be interpreted in accordance with the provisions of Section 418 of the Companies Act 2006

A resolution to re-appoint Deloitte LLP as the Company's auditor will be proposed at the forthcoming Annual General Meeting

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

Michael Ray Secretary

28 February 2014

## Independent auditor's report to the members of Amshold Securities Limited

We have audited the financial statements of Amshold Securities Limited for the year ended 30 June 2013 which comprise the Profit and Loss Account, the Balance Sheet and the related notes 1 to 16 The financial reporting framework that has been applied in their preparation is applicable law and United Kingdom Accounting Standards (United Kingdom Generally Accepted Accounting Practice)

This report is made solely to the company's members, as a body, in accordance with Chapter 3 of Part 16 of the Companies Act 2006. Our audit work has been undertaken so that we might state to the company's members those matters we are required to state to them in an auditor's report and for no other purpose. To the fullest extent permitted by law, we do not accept or assume responsibility to anyone other than the company and the company's members as a body, for our audit work, for this report, or for the opinions we have formed

## Respective responsibilities of directors and auditor

As explained more fully in the Directors' Responsibilities Statement, the directors are responsible for the preparation of the financial statements and for being satisfied that they give a true and fair view. Our responsibility is to audit and express an opinion on the financial statements in accordance with applicable law and International Standards on Auditing (UK and Ireland). Those standards require us to comply with the Auditing Practices Board's Ethical Standards for Auditors.

#### Scope of the audit of the financial statements

An audit involves obtaining evidence about the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements sufficient to give reasonable assurance that the financial statements are free from material misstatement, whether caused by fraud or error. This includes an assessment of whether the accounting policies are appropriate to the company's circumstances and have been consistently applied and adequately disclosed, the reasonableness of significant accounting estimates made by the directors, and the overall presentation of the financial statements. In addition, we read all the financial and non-financial information in the annual report to identify material inconsistencies with the audited financial statements. If we became aware of any apparent material misstatements or inconsistencies we consider the implications for our report

## Opinion on financial statements

In our opinion the financial statements

- give a true and fair view of the state of the company's affairs as at 30 June 2013 and of its profit for the year then ended,
- have been properly prepared in accordance with United Kingdom Generally Accepted Accounting Practice, and
- have been prepared in accordance with the requirements of the Companies Act 2006

## Opinion on other matter prescribed by the Companies Act 2006

In our opinion the information given in the Directors' Report for the financial year for which the financial statements are prepared is consistent with the financial statements

# Independent auditor's report to the members of Amshold Securities Limited (continued)

## Matters on which we are required to report by exception

We have nothing to report in respect of the following matters where the Companies Act 2006 requires us to report to you if, in our opinion

- adequate accounting records have not been kept, or returns adequate for our audit have not been received from branches not visited by us, or
- the financial statements are not in agreement with the accounting records and returns, or
- certain disclosures of directors' remuneration specified by law are not made, or
- we have not received all the information and explanations we require for our audit, or
- the directors were not entitled to take advantage of the small companies exemption in preparing the director's report

Andrew Clark FCA (Senior Statutory Auditor)

for and on behalf of Deloitte LLP
Chartered Accountants and Statutory Auditor
London, UK

28 February 2014

## Profit and loss account Year ended 30 June 2013

	Notes	2013 £	2012 £
Other Income	2	3,904	25,186
Operating profit Income from shares in group undertakings Interest receivable and similar income	4	3,904 70,000 254,822	25,186 - 254,786
Interest payable and similar charges	5	(254,778)	(254,779)
Profit on ordinary activities before taxation	6	73,948	25,193
Tax on profit on ordinary activities	8	434	(678)
Profit for the financial year		74,382	24,515

All amounts relate to continuing activities

There were no recognised gains or losses in either period other than the profit for the financial year, consequently no statement of total recognised gains and losses has been presented

# Balance sheet 30 June 2013

	Notes	£	2013 £	£	2012 £
Fixed assets Investments	7		4		8
Current assets Debtors	10	89,174,501		89,185,003	
Cash at bank and in hand		6,093		12,208	
Creditors: amounts falling due within one year	11	89,180,594 (89,048,985)		89,197,211 (89,069,988)	
Net current assets			131,609	` <u></u> -	127,223
Net assets			131,613		127,231
Capital and reserves Called up share capital	12		1		1
Profit and loss account	13		131,612		127,230
Shareholders' funds	14		131,613		127,231

These financial statements of Amshold Securities Limited, registered number 3337575, were approved by the Board of Directors on 28 February 2014

Signed on behalf of the Board of Directors

Michael Ray

Director

## Notes to the financial statements Year ended 30 June 2013

#### 1. Accounting policies

The financial statements have been prepared in accordance with applicable United Kingdom accounting standards and under the historical cost convention. The principal accounting policies set out below have remained unchanged from the previous year.

#### Going concern

The company's purpose is to administer the outstanding loan notes detailed in note 11, and as a holding company for its subsidiaries detailed in note 7

All the secured loan notes expired on 1 January 2010 From that time only unsecured loan notes remain. The company has the available asset base and sufficient cash flow to meet these obligations as they arise

The Directors therefore have a reasonable expectation that the company has adequate resources to continue in operational existence for the foreseeable future. Accordingly, they continue to adopt the going concern basis in preparing the annual report and accounts

#### Cash Flow

The directors have taken advantage of the exemption in FRS1 (revised 1996) 'cashflow statements' from including a cashflow statement in the financial statements on the grounds that the company is small

#### Foreign currencies

Transactions in foreign currencies are translated at the exchange rate ruling at the date of the transaction Monetary assets and liabilities are translated at the rates of exchange ruling at the balance sheet date. All exchange differences are dealt with through the profit and loss account

## **Current taxation**

Current tax, including UK corporation tax and foreign tax, is provided at amounts expected to be paid (or recovered) using the tax rates and laws that have been enacted or substantively enacted by the balance sheet date

## Financial liabilities and equity

Financial liabilities and equity instruments are classified according to the substance of the contractual arrangements entered into. An equity instrument is any contract that evidences a residual interest in the assets of the group after deducting all of its liabilities.

## Exemption from preparing group accounts

The financial statement contains information about Amshold Securities Limited as an individual company and do not contain consolidated financial information as the parent of a group. The company is exempt under section 400 of the Companies Act 2006 from the requirement to prepare consolidated financial statements, as it is a wholly owned subsidiary of Amshold Limited (see note 16).

#### Investments

Investments are held at cost less provision for impairment in value

# Notes to the financial statements Year ended 30 June 2013

^	A	F* 4
2.	Operating	Drotit

3.

	£	£
Administrative expenses Other income	(15,640) 19,544	(13,942) 39,128
	3,904	25,186
Staff costs		
No directors received remuneration during the year (2012 $$ £nil) There were (2012 $$ nil)	no employees during t	he year
Interest receivable and similar income		

2013

2012

## 4.

٦,	interest receivable and similar income		
		2013 £	2012 £
	Interest receivable and similar income	254,821	254,786
5.	Interest payable and similar charges		
		2013 £	2012 £
	Interest payable and similar charges	254,778	254,779
6.	Profit on ordinary activities before taxation		
	Profit on ordinary activities before taxation is after charging		
		2013 £	2012 £
	Fees payable for the audits of company's annual accounts	2,520	2,460

## Notes to the financial statements Year ended 30 June 2013

## 7. Investments

<i>,</i> .	III Councillo			
			2013 £	2012 £
	Investments in subsidiary companies		4	8
	Name	% Owned	Princi	pal activity
	ACL (1997) Limited	100%	Closure of form	er Amstrad
	Amstrad Consumer Electronics Company During the year Amshold Trustees Limited and Amshold Investments Limited, two dormant subsidiaries, were formally closed	100%		Dormant
8.	Tax on profit on ordinary activities			
			2011	2012
	Current taxation		£	£
	UK corporation tax at 20 % (2012 20%)		434	(678)
	Total current taxation		434	(678)
	The standard rate of tax for the year, based on the UK standard rate. The actual tax charge of the current and the previous year differs from the following reconciliation.	e of corporation rom the standar	tax is 20% (201 d rate for the reas	2 20%) sons set out
			2013 £	2012 £
	Profit on ordinary activities before tax		73,948	25,193
	Tax on profit on ordinary activities before tax at 20 % (2012 20%)		(14,790)	(5,039)
	Factors affecting the charge for the year: Marginal relief		-	-
	Non taxable income		15,224	4,361
	Current tax charge for the year		434	(678)

## 9. Dividends

A dividend of £70,000 was declared and paid on  $13^{th}$  August 2012 (2012 £nil) This represents a dividend on £10,000 per share (2012 £nil per share)

## Notes to the financial statements Year ended 30 June 2013

1 6	ir ended 30 June 2013	
10.	Debtors	

10. Debtors		
	2013 £	2012 £
Corporation tax Amounts owed by group undertakings	5,906 89,168,595	6,412 89,178,591
Amounts owed by group undertakings		
	89,174,501	89,185,003
11. Creditors: amounts falling due within one year		
	2013 £	2012 £
Unsecured loan notes	84,694,984	84,694,984
Accruals	630,095	651,098
Amounts owed to group undertakings	3,723,906	3,723,906
	89,048,985	89,069,988
company  12. Called up share capital	2013	2012
	£	£
Authorised: 7 ordinary shares of 14 2/7p each	1	1
Allotted, issued, called up and fully paid		<del></del>
7 ordinary shares of 14 2/7p each	1	1
13. Profit and loss account		
		Profit and loss account £
At 1 July 2012		127,230
Profit for the financial year Dividend		74,382
		(70,000)

## Notes to the financial statements Year ended 30 June 2013

## 14. Reconciliation of movements in shareholders' funds

	£	2011 £
Shareholders' funds at 1 July Profit for the financial year Dividends paid	127,231 74,382 (70 000)	102,716 24,515
Shareholders' funds at 30 June	131,613	127,231

## 15. Related party transactions

In accordance with the exemption conferred by paragraph 3c of Financial Reporting Standard No 8 "Related Party Disclosures", transactions with other undertakings within the Amshold Group Limited group have not been disclosed in these financial statements

## 16. Ultimate parent company and controlling party

The ultimate and immediate parent company is Amshold Group Limited, a company registered in the United Kingdom The largest and smallest group in which the results of Amshold Securities Limited are consolidated is that headed by Amshold Group Limited Copies of the accounts can be obtained from the Registrar of Companies, Companies House, Crown Way, Cardiff, CF14 3UZ The company is indirectly wholly owned by Lord Sugar