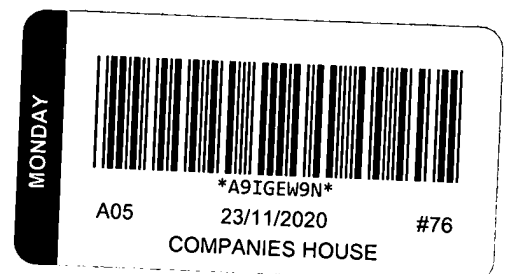


EQUITYCLEAR LIMITED
REPORT AND FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
For the year ended 31 December 2019

REGISTERED NUMBER: 03618659



Equityclear Limited (registered no. 03618659)

Year ended 31 December 2019

Directors' report

The directors present their report together with the financial statement for the year ended 31 December 2019.

Review of business

The Company has not traded during the period or the previous year and has not incurred any liabilities. The Company has made neither profit nor loss, nor any other recognised gain or loss. Therefore, neither an income statement nor a statement of recognised income and expenses has been prepared.

The Company is expected to remain dormant for the next financial year.

No dividend has been paid or proposed (2018: nil).

Principal risks and uncertainties

The Company is eligible to take advantage of the small companies' exemption within section 477 of the Companies Act 2006. The Company has taken advantage of this concession and consequently, no disclosure of the risks and uncertainties of the business is required.

Events after the reporting period

Since the emergence of Novel Coronavirus (COVID-19) in China at the end of 2019 the virus has spread rapidly across the rest of the world, triggering a set of interventions across major global economies with respect to travel restrictions, border controls and quarantine protocols. Measures increasingly involve social restrictions in public domains, education centres, recreational venues and changes to professional working arrangements. These measures are putting pressure on industrial productivity, suppressing demand for commodities, impacting global supply chains and consumption of goods and services. This has the potential to significantly impact global financial markets with severe shocks to asset prices and corporate earnings, further central bank intervention and accommodative monetary measures, and an extended period of low or negative interest rates. Management have considered the potential impact on the Company and concluded that the going concern assessment remains appropriate.

Directors

The following Directors have held office throughout the year and up to the date of approval of the financial statements:

Diane Bouwmeester
Simon Tutton

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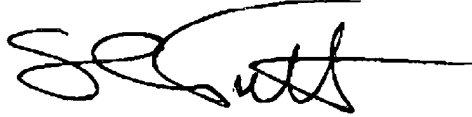
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Directors' report

None of the Directors had any interest in the shares of the Company. There are no Directors' interests requiring disclosure under the Companies Act 2006.

BY ORDER OF THE BOARD

For and on behalf of Equityclear Limited

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Simon Tutton

Director

30 September 2020

Equityclear Limited (registered no. 03618659)
Year ended 31 December 2019
Balance Sheet

	Note	2019 £	2018 £
ASSETS			
Current assets		<u>1</u>	<u>1</u>
NET ASSETS		<u>1</u>	<u>1</u>
SHAREHOLDER'S EQUITY			
Called up share capital	2	<u>1</u>	<u>1</u>
Total shareholder's equity		<u>1</u>	<u>1</u>

The Company was dormant throughout the financial year.

For the year ended 31 December 2019 the Company was entitled to exemption under section 480 of the Companies Act 2006.

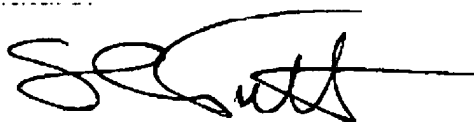
Members have not required the Company to obtain an audit in accordance with section 476 of the Companies Act 2006.

The directors acknowledge their responsibility for:

- (1) ensuring the Company keeps accounting records which comply with section 386; and
- (2) preparing accounts which give a true and fair view of the state of affairs of the Company as at the end of the financial year, and of its profit and loss for the financial year, in accordance with the requirements of section 396, and which otherwise comply with the requirements of the Companies Act 2006 relating to accounts, so far as applicable to the Company.

The notes on pages 4 to 5 form an integral part of these financial statements.

The financial statement on page 3 was approved by the Board of Directors on 30 September 2020:



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 Simon Tutton
 Director
 30 September 2020

1. REPORTING ENTITY

These financial statements are prepared for Equityclear Limited (the "Company"), which is dormant. The Company is a wholly owned subsidiary of LCH Limited and its ultimate parent company is London Stock Exchange Group plc.

The Company is a private limited company, incorporated in the United Kingdom and registered in England & Wales.

2. SHARE CAPITAL

Particulars of the Company's share capital are as follows:

The issued share capital of the Company is £1, (2018: £1), comprising 1 (2018: 1) ordinary share of £1 (2018: £1).

3. RELATED PARTY TRANSACTIONS

There have been no transactions with related parties requiring disclosure in either 2018 or 2017. The Company is dormant and all statutory fees are paid by the parent company.

4. ULTIMATE HOLDING COMPANY

The London Stock Exchange Group plc owns 82.6% of the ordinary share capital of LCH Group Holdings Limited (formerly LCH.Clearnet Group Limited) and is the Company's ultimate parent company and the largest company that prepares consolidated accounts. LCH Group Holdings Limited is the parent of the smallest group of companies that prepares consolidated accounts.

Copies of the consolidated financial statements for LCH Group Holdings Limited for the year ended 31 December 2019 are available from the Company Secretary at the registered office. Copies of the consolidated financial statements for London Stock Exchange Group plc for the year ended 31 December 2019 are available from the Company Secretary, London Stock Exchange Group plc, 10 Paternoster Square, London, EC4M 7LS.

5. SUBSIDIARY UNDERTAKINGS

The Company has no subsidiary undertakings.

Equityclear Limited (registered no. 03618659)

Year ended 31 December 2019

Notes to the financial statements

6. EVENTS AFTER THE REPORTING PERIOD

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