Registered Number 03658335

Little London Boutique Limited

**Abbreviated Accounts** 

31 January 2012

# **Company Information**

# Registered Office:

41B Beach Road Littlehampton West Sussex BN17 5JA

## **Reporting Accountants:**

Reeves Wilkinson Limited trading as Botting & Co Chartered Certified Accountants 41b Beach Road Littlehampton West Sussex BN17 5JA

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# Balance Sheet as at 31 January 2012

	Notes	2012 £	£	2011 £	£
Fixed assets Intangible	2		18,781		21,531
Tangible	3		10,839		22,190
			29,620		43,721
Current assets					
Stocks		274,026		271,058	
Debtors		171,955		172,074	
Cash at bank and in hand		200		268	
Total current assets		446,181		443,400	
Creditors: amounts falling due within one year	4	(348,800)		(372,244)	
Net current assets (liabilities)			97,381		71,156
Total assets less current liabilities			127,001		114,877
Creditors: amounts falling due after more than one year	ar 4		(38,633)		(57,029)
Total net assets (liabilities)			88,368		57,848
Capital and reserves					
Called up share capital	5		100		100
Share premium account			102,537		102,537
Profit and loss account			(14,269)		(44,789)
Shareholders funds			88,368		57,848

- a. For the year ending 31 January 2012 the company was entitled to exemption under section 477 of the Companies Act 2006 relating to small companies.
- b. The members have not required the company to obtain an audit in accordance with section 476 of the Companies Act 2006.
- c. The directors acknowledge their responsibilities for complying with the requirements of the Act with respect to accounting records and the preparation of accounts.
- d. These accounts have been prepared in accordance with the provisions applicable to companies subject to the small companies regime.

Approved by the board on 31 October 2012

And signed on their behalf by:

Mrs L Waller, Director

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### Notes to the Abbreviated Accounts

For the year ending 31 January 2012

### Accounting policies

### Accounting convention

The financial statements have been prepared under the historical cost convention and in accordance with the Financial Reporting Standard for Smaller Entities (effective April 2008).

#### **Turnover**

Turnover represents net invoiced sales of goods, excluding value added tax.

#### Goodwil

Goodwill, being the amount paid in connection with the acquisition of a business in 1998, is being amortised evenly over its estimated useful life of twenty years.

#### Stocks

Stocks are valued at the lower of cost and net realisable value, after making due allowance for obsolete and slow moving items.

### Foreign currencies

Assets and liabilities in foreign currencies are translated into sterling at the rates of exchange ruling at the balance sheet date. Transactions in foreign currencies are translated into sterling at the rate of exchange ruling at the date of transaction. Exchange differences are taken into account in arriving at the operating result.

### Going Concern

At the balance sheet date, the company reported net assets of £88,368. However, included within current assets is an amount of £158,959 in respect of costs incurred developing and and manufacturing a unique brand of clothing designs and samples. The brand has not to date been exploited for profit, although the company is exploring various options and interest from third parties with a view to maximising the return on this investment. The company has undertaken a significant restructuring of the business, which has resulted in a reduction in the number of retail outlets to just a single shop in Chichester. The outcome of the shop closures is expected to be a considerable reduction in costs and allow for the business to be managed more profitably. The company encountered a serious computer problem in the accounting period, which caused an unavoidable delay in filing VAT returns and the accumulation of significant VAT arrears. The accounts have been prepared on the going concern basis, on the assumption that the brand costs are recoverable, the downsizing of the business generates the expected cost savings and the company is able to manage its VAT liabilities with HM Revenue & Customs.

### Depreciation

Depreciation has been provided at the following rates in order to write off the assets over their estimated useful lives.

Improvements to property 0% at varying rates on cost

	Computer equipment	0%at varying rates on cost		
2	Intangible fixed assets			
	Cost or valuation	£		
	At 01 February 2011	55,000		
	At 31 January 2012	55,000		
	Amortisation			
	At 01 February 2011	33,469		
	Charge for year	2,750		
	At 31 January 2012	<u>36,219</u>		
	Net Book Value			
	At 31 January 2012	18,781		
	At 31 January 2011	<u>21,531</u>		
3	Tangible fixed assets			
				Total
	Cost			£
	At 01 February 2011			117,134
	Additions			119
	Disposals			_ (73,445)
	At 31 January 2012			<u>43,808</u>
	Depreciation			
	At 01 February 2011			94,944
	Charge for year			498
	On disposals			_ (62,473)
	At 31 January 2012			<u>32,969</u>
	Net Book Value			
	At 31 January 2012			10,839
	At 31 January 2011			
4	Creditors			
			2012	2011
			£	£
	Secured Debts		101,719	123,231
_	Share capital			
5			2012	2011
			2012	
			£	£

# Allotted, called up and fully

paid:

100 Ordinary shares of £1 each

100

100

### **RELATED PARTY**

# 6 DISCLOSURES

At the balance sheet date the company owed £27,901 (2011: £37,606) to L Waller, director of the company. At the balance sheet date the parent company, Little London Holdings Limited owed the company £906. The holding company is under the control of the director.

### **ULTIMATE CONTROLLING**

# <sup>7</sup> PARTY

In the director's opinion the company's ultimate parent company and controlling party is Little London Holdings Limited. Little London Holdings Limited in under the control of the director.