

**CANARY WHARF (B4) LIMITED**  
**Registered Number: 3666185**

**DIRECTORS' REPORT AND ACCOUNTS**  
**FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2000**



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**DIRECTORS' REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2000**

The directors present herewith the audited accounts for the year ended 30 June 2000.

**ULTIMATE PARENT UNDERTAKING**

The company's immediate parent undertaking is Canary Wharf Holdings (B4) Limited, a company registered in England and Wales. The company's ultimate UK parent is Canary Wharf Group plc (CWG).

**PRINCIPAL ACTIVITIES AND REVIEW OF BUSINESS**

The principal activity of the company is to act as an investment holding company.

**DIVIDENDS AND RESERVES**

The company did not trade during the year and hence the directors do not recommend the payment of a dividend (1999:Nil).

**DIRECTORS**

The directors of the company during the year ended 30 June 2000 were:

A P Anderson II  
G Iacobescu  
G Rothman

**DIRECTORS' INTERESTS**

The directors have been granted options to subscribe for ordinary shares in CWG. Details of interests and options to subscribe for shares in CWG are disclosed in the accounts of either Canary Wharf Holdings Limited, an intermediate parent company, or CWG, as appropriate.

Other than the above, no director had any beneficial interest in the shares of the company, its parent undertaking or any of its United Kingdom subsidiaries at 30 June 2000 or at any time throughout the year then ended.

**AUDITORS**

The company's incumbent auditors, Arthur Andersen, have indicated their willingness to continue in office and a resolution confirming their re-appointment will be submitted at the Annual General Meeting.

**DIRECTORS' REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2000**

BY ORDER OF THE BOARD

  
..... Company Secretary  
J R Garwood

19 September 2000

Registered office:  
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Canary Wharf  
London  
E14 5AB

**STATEMENT OF THE DIRECTORS' RESPONSIBILITIES IN RESPECT OF THE ACCOUNTS**

Company Law requires the directors to prepare accounts for each financial year 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 the results of the company for the year then ended. In preparing these accounts the directors are required to:

- Select suitable accounting policies and then apply them consistently;
- Make judgements and estimates that are reasonable and prudent;
- State whether applicable accounting standards have been followed, subject to any material departures disclosed and explained in the accounts; and
- Prepare the accounts on the going concern basis unless it is inappropriate to presume that the company will continue in business.

The directors are responsible for keeping proper accounting records which disclose with reasonable accuracy at any time the financial position of the company and enable them to ensure that the accounts comply with the Companies Act 1985. They are also responsible for taking such steps as are reasonably open to them to safeguard the assets of the company and to prevent and detect fraud and other irregularities.

## **AUDITORS' REPORT TO THE MEMBERS OF CANARY WHARF (B4) LIMITED**

We have audited the accounts on pages 5 to 8 which have been prepared under the historical cost convention and the accounting policies set out on page 6.

### **Respective responsibilities of directors and auditors**

As described on page 3 the company's directors are responsible for the preparation of the accounts in accordance with applicable United Kingdom law and accounting standards. Our responsibilities, as independent auditors, are established in the United Kingdom by statute, the Auditing Practices Board and by our profession's ethical guidance.

### **Basis of opinion**

We conducted our audit in accordance with Auditing Standards issued by the Auditing Practices Board. An audit includes examination, on a test basis, of evidence relevant to the amounts and disclosures in the accounts. It also includes an assessment of the significant estimates and judgements made by the directors in the preparation of the accounts, and of whether the accounting policies are appropriate to the company's circumstances, consistently applied and adequately disclosed.

We planned and performed our audit so as to obtain all information and explanations which we considered necessary in order to provide us with sufficient evidence to give reasonable assurance that the accounts are free from material misstatement, whether caused by fraud or other irregularity or error. In forming our opinion we also evaluated the overall adequacy of the presentation of the information in the accounts.

### **Opinion**

In our opinion the accounts give a true and fair view of the state of the company's affairs as at 30 June 2000 and of its result for the year then ended and have been properly prepared in accordance with the Companies Act 1985.



Arthur Andersen  
Chartered Accountants  
and Registered Auditors  
1 Surrey Street  
London  
WC2R 2PS

19 September 2000

**CANARY WHARF (B4) LIMITED****BALANCE SHEET AS AT 30 JUNE 2000**

	Notes	30 June 2000	30 June 1999
		£	£
<b>FIXED ASSETS</b>			
Investments	4	270,002	270,000
<b>CURRENT ASSETS</b>			
Debtors	5	1	1
		1	1
<b>CREDITORS: AMOUNTS FALLING DUE WITHIN ONE YEAR</b>	6	(270,002)	(270,000)
<b>NET CURRENT LIABILITIES</b>		(270,001)	(269,999)
<b>NET ASSETS</b>		1	1
<b>CAPITAL AND RESERVES</b>			
Called-up share capital	7	1	1
Profit and loss account		-	-
<b>SHAREHOLDERS' FUNDS - EQUITY</b>	8	1	1

The company recorded neither a profit nor loss during the year to 30 June 2000.

There were no other recognised gains or losses for 2000 or 1999.

The notes on pages 6 to 8 form part of these accounts.

APPROVED BY THE BOARD ON 19 SEPTEMBER 2000 AND SIGNED ON ITS BEHALF BY:



A P ANDERSON II  
DIRECTOR

**NOTES TO THE ACCOUNTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2000**

**1 PRINCIPAL ACCOUNTING POLICIES**

A summary of the principal accounting policies of the company, all of which have been applied consistently throughout the year and the preceding period, is set out below.

Accounting convention

The accounts have been prepared under the historical cost convention and in accordance with applicable accounting standards.

In accordance with the provisions of Financial Reporting Standard (FRS) 1 (Revised), a cash flow statement has not been prepared as the company is a wholly-owned subsidiary of a body incorporated in the European Union. A consolidated cash flow statement will be included in the accounts of CWG.

Investments in subsidiary undertakings

Investments in subsidiary undertakings are stated in the company's balance sheet at cost less any provision for impairment.

Deferred Taxation

Taxation deferred or accelerated by the effect of timing differences is accounted for to the extent that it is probable that a liability or asset will crystallise.

**2 ADMINISTRATIVE EXPENSES**

None of the directors received any emoluments in respect of their services to the company during the year.

No staff were employed by the company other than the directors.

Auditors' remuneration has been borne by another group undertaking.

**3 TAXATION**

No charge for taxation has been made since the company recorded neither a profit nor loss for the year. There is no unprovided deferred taxation. The group has substantial tax losses which may impact on any future tax charge of the company.



## NOTES TO THE ACCOUNTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2000

## 4 INVESTMENTS

	Shares in Group Undertakings
<b>Cost</b>	£
At 1 July 1999	270,000
Additions	3
Disposals	(1)
At 30 June 2000	270,002
<b>Net Book Value</b>	
At 30 June 2000	270,002
At 30 June 1999	270,000

At 30 June 2000 the company's subsidiary undertakings were as follows:

<u>Name</u>	<u>Description of shares held</u>	<u>Principal activities</u>
Canary Wharf Contractors (B4) Limited	Ordinary £1 shares	Property contractor
Canary.co.uk limited (Formerly Canary Wharf (B4) T1 Limited)	Ordinary £1 shares	Non-trading
Canary Solutions Limited (Formerly Canary Wharf Leasing (B4) Limited)	Ordinary £1 shares	Non-trading

The above are wholly owned subsidiaries registered in England and Wales.

During the year, the company sold Canada Place Limited, formerly Canary Wharf Leasing (B4) Limited, to a fellow group company for a consideration of £1.

Financial information is only presented in these accounts about the company as an individual undertaking and not about its group because the company and its subsidiary undertakings are included in the consolidated accounts of a larger group (Note 9).

The directors are of the opinion that the value of the company's investments at 30 June 2000 were not less than the amount shown in the company's balance sheet.

## 5 DEBTORS

	30 June 2000	30 June 1999
	£	£
Amount owed by parent undertaking	1	1
	1	1

## NOTES TO THE ACCOUNTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2000

**6 CREDITORS: AMOUNTS FALLING DUE WITHIN ONE YEAR**

	30 June 2000	30 June 1999
	£	£
Loan owed to fellow subsidiary undertaking	270,000	270,000
Amounts owed to subsidiary undertakings	2	-
	<u>270,002</u>	<u>270,000</u>

The loan to a fellow subsidiary undertaking is repayable on demand and bears interest at a rate linked to LIBOR, subject to a cap equal to the company's net income.

**7 CALLED-UP SHARE CAPITAL**

	30 June 2000	30 June 1999
	£	£
Equity Shares		
Ordinary shares of £1 each		
Authorised	100	100
Allotted, called-up, and fully paid:	<u>1</u>	<u>1</u>

**8 RECONCILIATION OF MOVEMENTS IN SHAREHOLDERS' FUNDS**

	£
Shareholders' funds as at 30 June 1999 and 30 June 2000	<u>1</u>

**9 RELATED PARTIES**

The company's immediate parent undertaking is Canary Wharf Holdings (B4) Limited, a company registered in England and Wales. The company's ultimate UK parent is Canary Wharf Group plc, a company registered in England and Wales.

Copies of the consolidated accounts of CWG may be obtained from the Company Secretary, One Canada Square, Canary Wharf, London, E14 5AB.

The directors have taken advantage of the exemption in paragraph 3(c) of FRS8 allowing the company not to disclose related party transactions with respect to other group companies.