GROUP STRATEGIC REPORT,
REPORT OF THE DIRECTORS AND
AUDITED
CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2023
FOR

**AKM UK GROUP LTD** 

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## **AKM UK GROUP LTD**

# COMPANY INFORMATION FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2023

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Mr M Yasin Mrs F Akhtar Mrs R Kouser

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**REGISTERED NUMBER:** 03730377 (England and Wales)

AUDITORS: GKP (Ampthill) Limited

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## GROUP STRATEGIC REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2023

The directors present their strategic report of the company and the group for the year ended 31 March 2023.

## **REVIEW OF BUSINESS**

The activities of the group consist of the following elements:

Producing pizzas and other associated food products under the Domino's brand name

Delivery of pizzas and associated food products

The principal activity of the parent company for the foreseeable future is to rent its portfolio of investment properties, whilst providing services to its subsidiaries.

The group continues to be committed to offering reliable and efficient pizza delivery of the highest quality.

## PRINCIPAL RISKS AND UNCERTAINTIES

The board of directors and management continually monitor the key risks facing the group together with assessing the controls used for managing these risks.

The principal risks and uncertainties facing the group are as follows:

Economic conditions Interest rates Health and safety of staff and customers

## **KEY PERFORMANCE INDICATORS**

Our key performance indicators are considered to be the following:

	2023	2022
	£	£
Turnover	28,062,018	27,843,916
Gross profit percentage	29.88%	35.54%
Net profit percentage	4.64%	10.25%

The financial position of the company remains strong and the company is well placed to take advantage of business opportunities as they arise. The directors look forward to the future with confidence.

### ON BEHALF OF THE BOARD:

Mr A M Yasin - Director

29 December 2023

# REPORT OF THE DIRECTORS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2023

The directors present their report with the financial statements of the company and the group for the year ended 31 March 2023.

The group holds or issues financial instruments in order to achieve three main objectives, being:

- a) to finance its operations;
- b) to manage its exposure to interest and currency risks arising from its operations and from its sources of finance;
- c) for trading purposes

In addition, various financial instruments (e.g. trade debtors, trade creditors, accruals and prepayments) arise directly from the group's operations.

Transactions in financial instruments result in the group assuming or transferring to another party one or more of the financial risks described below.

### Interest rate risk

The group's financial instruments exposure to interest rate risk is very small due to the fact that most of the instruments are on a fixed term repayment basis.

### Credit Risk

The group has no significant exposure to credit risk.

## Liquidity risk

The group's policy in terms of its liquidity risk is to have good relations with its bankers.

### Currency risk

The group is not exposed to currency risk.

## Fair values of financial assets and liabilities

The financial values of the group's assets and liabilities as contained in the balance sheet fairly represents the open market value.

### PRINCIPAL ACTIVITY

The principal activity of the group in the year under review was that of the rental of its portfolio of investment properties and the operation of takeaway food outlets.

## **DIVIDENDS**

The total distribution of dividends for the year ended 31 March 2023 will be £ 750,000.

### **FUTURE DEVELOPMENTS**

The company expects future profitability in line with previous years.

## **DIRECTORS**

The directors shown below have held office during the whole of the period from 1 April 2022 to the date of this report.

Mr A M Yasin

Mr M Yasin

Mrs F Akhtar

Mrs R Kouser

## **POLITICAL DONATIONS AND EXPENDITURE**

The company made no political donations in the current or previous years.

# REPORT OF THE DIRECTORS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2023

## **EQUAL OPPORTUNITIES POLICY**

The aim of the policy is to ensure no job applicant, employee or worker is discriminated against either directly or indirectly on the grounds of race, colour, ethnic or national origin, religious belief, political opinion, or affiliation, sex, marital status, sexual orientation, gender reassignment, age, part time status, trade union membership or disability.

We will ensure that the policy is circulated to any agencies responsible for our recruitment and a copy of the policy will be made available for all employees and made known to all applicants for employment.

The policy will be communicated to all private contractors reminding them of their responsibilities towards the equality of opportunity.

The policy will be implemented in accordance with the appropriate statutory requirements and full account will be taken of all available guidance and in particular any relevant Codes of Practice.

We will maintain a neutral working environment in which no employee or worker feels under threat or intimidated.

Breaches of this policy will lead to disciplinary proceedings and, if appropriate, disciplinary action.

### Recruitment and selection

The recruitment and selection process is crucially important to any equal opportunities policy. We will endeavour through appropriate training to ensure that employees making selection and recruitment decisions will not discriminate, whether consciously or unconsciously, in making these decisions.

## Training and promotion

Senior staff will receive training in the application of this policy to ensure that they are aware of its contents and provisions.

All employees will have full and equal access to training, re-training, promotion and career development opportunities, subject to company requirements, and based on their individual aptitudes and abilities.

All promotion will be in line with this policy.

### Disability

The company is under a legal obligation not to discriminate against people with a disability by subjecting or allowing them to be subjected to less favourable treatment. In addition the company may be under a duty to take positive steps to ensure that people with a disability are not disadvantaged in the workplace. If an employee considers that they are disadvantaged as person with a disability or have any concerns then the employee should contact a manager. These concerns will be discussed and positive steps may be taken to remedy the problem. We will strive to accommodate any reasonable adjustment to positive participation in the workplace.

# REPORT OF THE DIRECTORS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2023

## STATEMENT OF DIRECTORS' RESPONSIBILITIES

The directors are responsible for preparing the Group Strategic Report, the Report of the Directors 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), including Financial Reporting Standard 102 'The Financial Reporting Standard applicable in the UK and Republic of Ireland'. 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 the group and of the profit or loss of the group 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;
- 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 and the group's transactions and disclose with reasonable accuracy at any time the financial position of the company and the group 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 the group and hence for taking reasonable steps for the prevention and detection of fraud and other irregularities.

## STATEMENT AS TO DISCLOSURE OF INFORMATION TO AUDITORS

So far as the directors are aware, there is no relevant audit information (as defined by Section 418 of the Companies Act 2006) of which the group's auditors are unaware, and each director has taken all the steps that he or she ought to have taken as a director in order to make himself or herself aware of any relevant audit information and to establish that the group's auditors are aware of that information.

## ON BEHALF OF THE BOARD:

Mr A M Yasin - Director

29 December 2023

# REPORT OF THE INDEPENDENT AUDITORS TO THE MEMBERS OF AKM UK GROUP LTD

### Opinion

We have audited the financial statements of AKM UK Group Ltd (the 'parent company') and its subsidiaries (the 'group') for the year ended 31 March 2023 which comprise the Consolidated Income Statement, Consolidated Other Comprehensive Income, Consolidated Balance Sheet, Company Balance Sheet, Consolidated Statement of Changes in Equity, Company Statement of Changes in Equity, Consolidated Cash Flow Statement and Notes to the Consolidated Cash Flow Statement, Notes to the Financial Statements, including a summary of significant accounting policies. The financial reporting framework that has been applied in their preparation is applicable law and United Kingdom Accounting Standards, including Financial Reporting Standard 102 'The Financial Reporting Standard applicable in the UK and Republic of Ireland' (United Kingdom Generally Accepted Accounting Practice).

In our opinion the financial statements:

- give a true and fair view of the state of the group's and of the parent company affairs as at 31 March 2023 and of the group's 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.

### Basis for opinion

We conducted our audit in accordance with International Standards on Auditing (UK) (ISAs (UK)) and applicable law. Our responsibilities under those standards are further described in the Auditors' responsibilities for the audit of the financial statements section of our report. We are independent of the group in accordance with the ethical requirements that are relevant to our audit of the financial statements in the UK, including the FRC's Ethical Standard, and we have fulfilled our other ethical responsibilities in accordance with these requirements. We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion.

## Conclusions relating to going concern

In auditing the financial statements, we have concluded that the directors' use of the going concern basis of accounting in the preparation of the financial statements is appropriate.

Based on the work we have performed, we have not identified any material uncertainties relating to events or conditions that, individually or collectively, may cast significant doubt on the group's and the parent company's ability to continue as a going concern for a period of at least twelve months from when the financial statements are authorised for issue.

Our responsibilities and the responsibilities of the directors with respect to going concern are described in the relevant sections of this report.

## Other information

The directors are responsible for the other information. The other information comprises the information in the Group Strategic Report and the Report of the Directors, but does not include the financial statements and our Report of the Auditors thereon.

Our opinion on the financial statements does not cover the other information and, except to the extent otherwise explicitly stated in our report, we do not express any form of assurance conclusion thereon.

In connection with our audit of the financial statements, our responsibility is to read the other information and, in doing so, consider whether the other information is materially inconsistent with the financial statements or our knowledge obtained in the audit or otherwise appears to be materially misstated. If we identify such material inconsistencies or apparent material misstatements, we are required to determine whether this gives rise to a material misstatement in the financial statements themselves. If, based on the work we have performed, we conclude that there is a material misstatement of this other information, we are required to report that fact. We have nothing to report in this regard.

# REPORT OF THE INDEPENDENT AUDITORS TO THE MEMBERS OF AKM UK GROUP LTD

## Opinions on other matters prescribed by the Companies Act 2006

In our opinion, based on the work undertaken in the course of the audit:

- the information given in the Group Strategic Report and the Report of the Directors for the financial year for which the financial statements are prepared is consistent with the financial statements; and
- the Group Strategic Report and the Report of the Directors have been prepared in accordance with applicable legal requirements.

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

In the light of the knowledge and understanding of the group and the parent company and its environment obtained in the course of the audit, we have not identified material misstatements in the Group Strategic Report or the Report of the Directors.

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 by the parent company, or returns adequate for our audit have not been received from branches not visited by us; or
- the parent company 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.

## Responsibilities of directors

As explained more fully in the Statement of Directors' Responsibilities set out on page five, the directors are responsible for the preparation of the financial statements and for being satisfied that they give a true and fair view, and for such internal control as the directors determine necessary to enable the preparation of financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

In preparing the financial statements, the directors are responsible for assessing the group's and the parent company's ability to continue as a going concern, disclosing, as applicable, matters related to going concern and using the going concern basis of accounting unless the directors either intend to liquidate the group or the parent company or to cease operations, or have no realistic alternative but to do so.

# REPORT OF THE INDEPENDENT AUDITORS TO THE MEMBERS OF AKM UK GROUP LTD

## Auditors' responsibilities for the audit of the financial statements

Our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements as a whole are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error, and to issue a Report of the Auditors that includes our opinion. Reasonable assurance is a high level of assurance, but is not a guarantee that an audit conducted in accordance with ISAs (UK) will always detect a material misstatement when it exists. Misstatements can arise from fraud or error and are considered material if, individually or in the aggregate, they could reasonably be expected to influence the economic decisions of users taken on the basis of these financial statements.

The extent to which our procedures are capable of detecting irregularities, including fraud is detailed below:

- A part of the audit planning process was to look at each area of the financial statements and ascertain the level of risk for each applicable audit assertion. Where an increased risk was identified, specific audit work was designed to
- risk for each applicable audit assertion. Where an increased risk was identified, specific audit work was designed to
  ensure those risks were at the forefront of the audit work carried out.
- During the audit planning process, important laws and regulations applying to the company were identified by making enquiries of management in addition to our own checks of the laws and regulations applying to a business of this nature.
- The audit process has documented the systems and internal controls adopted by the company and considered their adequacy. Our audit work included testing journal entries due to an inherent risk of management override of controls.
- An audit team planning meeting was held which communicated areas of identified risks and considered possible opportunities for fraud within the company.
- The engagement partner assessed the experience and abilities of the engagement team to ensure they were collectively competent to identify irregularities.
- All risks identified at the planning stage and the related audit work were reviewed and results considered to confirm that no irregularities had been identified.
- Our audit has included a review of the disclosures in the financial statements and comparison of those disclosures with the results of our audit work to identify any disparities.
- Analytical review of the financial statements has been undertaken at both the planning and completion stages of the audit to identify risks of irregularities and the results of the audit work carried out on those areas of risks.

A further description of our responsibilities for the audit of the financial statements is located on the Financial Reporting Council's website at www.frc.org.uk/auditorsresponsibilities. This description forms part of our Report of the Auditors.

### Use of our report

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 a Report of the Auditors 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.

Tara Aldwin ACA (Senior Statutory Auditor) for and on behalf of GKP (Ampthill) Limited Statutory Auditor 3 Doolittle Yard Froghall Road Ampthill Bedfordshire MK45 2NW

29 December 2023

# CONSOLIDATED INCOME STATEMENT FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2023

		2023	2022 restated
	Notes	£	£
TURNOVER	3	28,062,018	27,843,916
Cost of sales GROSS PROFIT		<u> 19,678,367</u> 8,383,651	<u>17,946,937</u> 9,896,979
Administrative expenses		<u>7,425,377</u> 958,274	7,046,540 2,850,439
Other operating income OPERATING PROFIT	5	<u>510,186</u> 1,468,460	<u>526,385</u> 3,376,824
Investment property revaluation	6	<u>387,858</u> 1,856,318	<u>273,539</u> 3,650,363
Interest receivable and similar income		<u>6,399</u> 1,862,717	<u>420</u> 3,650,783
Interest payable and similar expenses PROFIT BEFORE TAXATION	7	<u>62,717</u> 1,800,000	39,371 3,611,412
Tax on profit PROFIT FOR THE FINANCIAL YEAR Profit attributable to:	8	<u>498,687</u> <u>1,301,313</u>	776,215 2,835,197
Owners of the parent		1,301,313	2,835,197

# CONSOLIDATED OTHER COMPREHENSIVE INCOME FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2023

	2023	2022 restated
Notes	£	£
PROFIT FOR THE YEAR	1,301,313	2,835,197
OTHER COMPREHENSIVE INCOME TOTAL COMPREHENSIVE INCOME FOR THE YEAR	1,301,313	<u>-</u> 2,835,197
Total comprehensive income attributable to: Owners of the parent	1,301,313	2,835,197

The notes form part of these financial statements

# CONSOLIDATED BALANCE SHEET 31 MARCH 2023

		202	23	202 as rest	
	Notes	£	£	£	£
FIXED ASSETS					
Intangible assets	12		242,790		365,117
Tangible assets	13		1,260,820		1,421,846
Investments	14		-		-
Investment property	15		8,888,539 10,392,1 <b>4</b> 9		8,476,430 10,263,393
CURRENT ASSETS					
Stocks	16	176,912		151,731	
Debtors	17	2,424,047		362,174	
Cash at bank and in hand		1,895,811 4,496,770		3,641,634 4,155,539	
CREDITORS					
Amounts falling due within one year	18	3,720,651	-	3,681,121	
NET CURRENT ASSETS			776,119		474,418
TOTAL ASSETS LESS CURRENT LIABILITIES			11,168,268		10,737,811
CREDITORS					
Amounts falling due after more than one year	19		(1,214,718)		(1,443,952)
PROVISIONS FOR LIABILITIES	24		(576,948)		(468,570)
NET ASSETS			9,376,602		8,825,289
CAPITAL AND RESERVES					
Called up share capital	25		2,400		2,400
Investment property reserve	26		970,859		739,880
Retained earnings	26		8,403,343		8,083,009
SHAREHOLDERS' FUNDS			9,376,602		8,825,289

The financial statements were approved by the Board of Directors and authorised for issue on 29 December 2023 and were signed on its behalf by:

Mr A M Yasin - Director

# COMPANY BALANCE SHEET 31 MARCH 2023

		202	23	202 as res	
	Notes	£	£	£	£
FIXED ASSETS				-	
Intangible assets	12		-		-
Tangible assets	13		326,379		370,996
Investments	14		631,225		631,225
Investment property	15		8,888,539 9,846,143		8,476,431 9,478,652
CURRENT ASSETS					
Debtors	17	2,323,972		446,568	
Cash at bank and in hand		354,645		544,258	
		2,678,617	•	990,826	
CREDITORS					
Amounts falling due within one year	18	2,809,964		1,434,428	
NET CURRENT LIABILITIES			(131,347)		(443,602)
TOTAL ASSETS LESS CURRENT LIABILITIES			9,714,796		9,035,050
CREDITORS					
Amounts falling due after more than one					
year	19		(1,145,272)		(1,356,614)
PROVISIONS FOR LIABILITIES	24		(327,739)		(176,702)
NET ASSETS			8,241,785		7,501,734
CAPITAL AND RESERVES					
Called up share capital	25		2,400		2,400
Investment property reserve	26 26		970,859		739,880
Retained earnings	26		7,268,526		6,759,454
SHAREHOLDERS' FUNDS	20		8,241,785		7,501,734
OFFICE TOURS			0,2+1,700		7,501,754
Company's profit for the financial year			1,490,051		3,733,832
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The financial statements were approved by the Board of Directors and authorised for issue on 29 December 2023 and were signed on its behalf by:

Mr A M Yasin - Director

# CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN EQUITY FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2023

Balance at 1 April 2021	Called up share capital £ 2,400	Retained earnings £ 6,969,226	Investment property reserve £ 518,466	Total equity £ 7,490,092
Changes in equity Dividends Total comprehensive income Balance at 31 March 2022	2,400	(1,500,000) 2,613,783 8,083,009	221,414 739,880	(1,500,000) 2,835,197 8,825,289
Changes in equity Dividends Total comprehensive income Balance at 31 March 2023	- - 2,400	(750,000) 1,070,334 8,403,343	230,979 970,859	(750,000) 1,301,313 9,376,602

The notes form part of these financial statements

# COMPANY STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN EQUITY FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2023

	Called up share capital £	Retained earnings £	Investment property reserve £	Total equity
Balance at 1 April 2021	2,400	4,747,036	518,466	5,267,902
Changes in equity Dividends Total comprehensive income Balance at 31 March 2022	2,400	(1,500,000) 3,512,418 6,759,454	221,414 739,880	(1,500,000) 3,733,832 7,501,734
Changes in equity Dividends Total comprehensive income Balance at 31 March 2023	- - 2,400	(750,000) 1,259,072 7,268,526	230,979 970,859	(750,000) 1,490,051 8,241,785

The notes form part of these financial statements

# CONSOLIDATED CASH FLOW STATEMENT FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2023

		2023	2022 restated
	Notes	£	£
Cash flows from operating activities			
Cash generated from operations	1	2,554,800	3,504,846
Interest paid		(62,717)	(39,371)
Tax paid		(711,311)	(900,052)
Net cash from operating activities		1,780,772	2,565,423
Cash flows from investing activities			
Purchase of tangible fixed assets		(243,539)	(125,957)
Purchase of investment property		(24,250)	(2,231,698)
Sale of tangible fixed assets		13,376	-
Interest received		6,399	420
Amount loaned to related companies		(1,753,967)	<del>_</del>
Net cash from investing activities		<u>(2,001,981</u> )	(2,357,235)
Cash flows from financing activities			
Loan repayments in year		(224,535)	(460,843)
Amount introduced by directors		-	604,311
Amount withdrawn by directors		(550,079)	(550,322)
Equity dividends paid		(750,000)	(1,500,000)
Net cash from financing activities		<u>(1,524,614</u> )	(1,906,854)
Decrease in cash and cash equivalents		(1,745,823)	(1,698,666)
Cash and cash equivalents at beginning of year	2	3,641,634	5,340,300
Cash and cash equivalents at end of year	2	1,895,811	3,641,634

# NOTES TO THE CONSOLIDATED CASH FLOW STATEMENT FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2023

# 1. RECONCILIATION OF PROFIT BEFORE TAXATION TO CASH GENERATED FROM OPERATIONS

	2023	2022
	а	restated is
	£	£
Profit before taxation	1,800,000	3,611,412
Depreciation charges	478,505	572,122
Loss on disposal of fixed assets	35,011	-
Investment property revaluation	(387,858)	(273,539)
Provision for onerous lease	(229,500)	229,500
Finance costs	62,717	39,371
Finance income	(6,399)	(420)
	1,752,476	4,178,446
Increase in stocks	(25,181)	(45,432)
Increase in trade and other debtors	(106,906)	(65,624)
Increase/(decrease) in trade and other creditors	934,411	(562,544)
Cash generated from operations	2,554,800	3,504,846

## 2. CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS

The amounts disclosed on the Cash Flow Statement in respect of cash and cash equivalents are in respect of these Balance Sheet amounts:

## Year ended 31 March 2023

31.3.23	1.4.22
£	£
1,895,811	3,641,634
31.3.22	1.4.21
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£	£
3,641,634	5,340,300
	£ 1,895,811 31.3.22 as res £

# NOTES TO THE CONSOLIDATED CASH FLOW STATEMENT FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2023

## 3. ANALYSIS OF CHANGES IN NET FUNDS

	At 1.4.22 £	Cash flow £	At 31.3.23 £
Net cash			
Cash at bank and in hand	3,641,634	(1,745,823)	1,895,811
	3,641,634	(1,745,823)	1,895,811
Debt		· .	
Debts falling due within 1 year	(239,602)	13,193	(226,409)
Debts falling due after 1 year	(1,356,614)	211,342	(1,145,272)
	(1,596,216)	224,535	(1,371,681)
Total	2,045,418	(1,521,288)	524,130

# NOTES TO THE CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2023

## 1. STATUTORY INFORMATION

AKM UK Group Ltd is a private company, limited by shares, registered in England and Wales. The company's registered number and registered office address can be found on the General Information page.

### 2. ACCOUNTING POLICIES

### Basis of preparing the financial statements

These financial statements have been prepared in accordance with Financial Reporting Standard 102 "The Financial Reporting Standard applicable in the UK and Republic of Ireland" and the Companies Act 2006. The financial statements have been prepared under the historical cost convention as modified by the revaluation of certain assets.

### Basis of consolidation

The consolidated financial statements incorporate the audited financial statements of its subsidiaries, AKM North Ltd and AKM South Ltd.

All intra-group transactions, balances, income and expenses are eliminated on consolidation.

## **Subsidiaries**

A subsidiary is an entity in which the Group and the Company have power to control the financial and operating policies so as to obtain benefits from its activities. The existence and effect of potential voting rights that are currently exercisable or convertible are considered when assessing whether the Group has such power over the other entity.

An investment in a subsidiary, which is eliminated on consolidation, is stated in the Company's separate financial statements at cost less impairment losses, if any.

### Related party exemption

The company has taken advantage of exemption, under the terms of Financial Reporting Standard 102 'The Financial Reporting Standard applicable in the UK and Republic of Ireland', not to disclose related party transactions with wholly owned subsidiaries within the group.

Transactions between group entities which have been eliminated on consolidation are not disclosed within the financial statements.

## Critical accounting judgements and key sources of estimation uncertainty

The directors do not consider there to be any critical accounting judgements.

## Key sources of estimation uncertainty

The annual depreciation charge for tangible fixed assets is sensitive to changes in the estimated and useful economic lives and residual values of the assets. The useful economic lives and residual values are re-assessed annually. They are amended when necessary to reflect current estimates, based on technological advancement, future investments, economic utilisation and the physical condition of the assets. The remaining useful economic life of the asset is considered a key source of estimation uncertainty.

The market value of investment properties are determined annually based on information provided by the directors based on their knowledge and understanding of the property market. There is an inevitable degree of judgement involved in that each property is unique and value can only ultimately be reliably tested in the market itself.

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## 2. ACCOUNTING POLICIES - continued

#### Turnovei

Turnover represents the value of goods and services provided to customers, net of value added tax and discounts.

### Goodwill

Goodwill, being the amount paid in connection with the acquisition of businesses, is being amortised evenly over its estimated useful life of ten years.

## Tangible fixed assets

Depreciation is provided at the following annual rates in order to write off each asset over its estimated useful life.

Freehold property 20% on cost, 10% on cost, 5% on cost and 2% on cost

Short leasehold 15% on cost and 10% on cost

Plant and machinery 15% on cost and 15% on reducing balance

Fixtures and fittings - 15% on cost

Motor vehicles - 15% on reducing balance

Computer equipment - 33.33% on cost

Tangible assets are stated at cost less accumulated depreciation. Cost includes the original purchase price, costs directly attributable to bringing the asset to its working condition for its intended use, dismantling and restoration costs.

### Investment property

Investment property is shown at most recent valuation. Any aggregate surplus or deficit arising from changes in fair value is recognised in profit or loss.

### **Stocks**

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

## Financial instruments

Basic financial assets, which include debtors and cash and bank balances, are initially measured at transaction price including transaction costs and are subsequently carried at amortised cost using the effective interest method unless the arrangement constitutes a financing transaction, where the transaction is measured at the present value of the future receipts discounted at a market rate of interest. Financial assets classified as receivable within one year are not amortised.

Basic financial liabilities, including creditors, bank loans, loans from fellow group companies and preference shares that are classified as debt, are initially recognised at transaction price unless the arrangement constitutes a financing transaction, where the debt instrument is measured at the present value of the future receipts discounted at a market rate of interest. Financial liabilities classified as payable within one year are not amortised.

## **Taxation**

Taxation for the year comprises current and deferred tax. Tax is recognised in the Consolidated Income Statement, except to the extent that it relates to items recognised in other comprehensive income or directly in equity.

Current or deferred taxation assets and liabilities are not discounted.

Current tax is recognised at the amount of tax payable using the tax rates and laws that have been enacted or substantively enacted by the balance sheet date.

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## 2. ACCOUNTING POLICIES - continued

### **Deferred tax**

Deferred tax is recognised in respect of all timing differences that have originated but not reversed at the balance sheet date.

Timing differences arise from the inclusion of income and expenses in tax assessments in periods different from those in which they are recognised in financial statements. Deferred tax is measured using tax rates and laws that have been enacted or substantively enacted by the year end and that are expected to apply to the reversal of the timing difference.

Unrelieved tax losses and other deferred tax assets are recognised only to the extent that it is probable that they will be recovered against the reversal of deferred tax liabilities or other future taxable profits.

### Hire purchase and leasing commitments

Rentals paid under operating leases are charged to profit or loss on a straight line basis over the period of the lease.

## Pension costs and other post-retirement benefits

The group operates a defined contribution pension scheme. Contributions payable to the group's pension scheme are charged to profit or loss in the period to which they relate.

## 3. TURNOVER

The turnover and profit before taxation are attributable to the one principal activity of the group.

## 4. EMPLOYEES AND DIRECTORS

	2023	as	2022 restated
	£		£
Wages and salaries	9,512,830		9,010,851
Social security costs	637,249		582,158
Other pension costs	96,974		90,719
	10,247,053		9,683,728
The average number of employees during the year was as follows:	2023	as	2022 restated
Administration	23		20
Delivery	394		400
Production	351		314
	768		734
	2023		2022
		as	restated
	£		£
Directors' remuneration	<u>50,000</u>		49,920

5.	OPERATING PROFIT			
	The operating profit is stated after charging/(crediting):			
		2023	as	2022 restated
	Other operating leases Depreciation - owned assets Loss on disposal of fixed assets Goodwill amortisation Auditors' remuneration Auditors' remuneration for non audit work Government grants	£ 335,983 356,178 35,011 122,327 33,200 32,857		£ 710,497 437,797 - 134,325 16,500 9,865 (62,224)
6.	EXCEPTIONAL ITEMS	2023	as	2022 restated
	Investment property revaluation	£ 387,858		£ 273,539
7.	INTEREST PAYABLE AND SIMILAR EXPENSES	2023	as	2022 restated
	Bank loan interest	£ 62,717		£ 39,371
8.	TAXATION			
	Analysis of the tax charge The tax charge on the profit for the year was as follows:	2023	as	2022 restated
		£		£
	Current tax: UK corporation tax Adjustment re prior years Total current tax	361,809 - 361,809		711,311 530 711,841
	Deferred tax Tax on profit	136,878 498,687	,	64,374 776,215
	UK corporation tax has been charged at 19 % (2022 - 19 %).			

## 8. TAXATION - continued

## Reconciliation of total tax charge included in profit and loss

The tax assessed for the year is higher than the standard rate of corporation tax in the UK. The difference is explained below:

	2023	2022 restated
	£	£
Profit before tax	1,800,000	3,611,412
Profit multiplied by the standard rate of corporation tax in the UK of 19 % (2022 - 19 %)	342,000	686,168
Effects of:		
Expenses not deductible for tax purposes	12,336	10,209
Depreciation in excess of capital allowances	34,406	66,907
Adjustments to tax charge in respect of previous periods	-	530
Deferred tax	81,458	64,374
Investment property revaluation	(26,933)	(51,973)
Impact of change of rate change	55,420	
Total tax charge	498,687	776,215

The UK Government announced that from 1 April 2023 the corporation tax rate would increase to 25%. The deferred tax charge has been calculated using the corporation tax rate of 25%.

## 9. INDIVIDUAL INCOME STATEMENT

As permitted by Section 408 of the Companies Act 2006, the Income Statement of the parent company is not presented as part of these financial statements.

## 10. **DIVIDENDS**

	2023 as	2022 restated
A Coding week area of CA and	£	£
A Ordinary shares of £1 each Interim	187,500	375,000
B Ordinary shares of £1 each Interim C Ordinary shares of £1 each	187,500	375,000
C Ordinary shares of £1 each Interim	187,500	375,000
D Ordinary shares of £1 each Interim	187,500 750,000	375,000 1,500,000

## 11. PRIOR YEAR ADJUSTMENT

During the year, it was identified in a subsidiary that the lease premium due on two properties had not been recognised when the leases were entered. The payment of the liabilities associated with the lease premium had been recognised in the profit and loss account.

The following corrections has been made to the comparatives:

	£
Administrative expenses decrease	7,756
Profit for the year increase	7,756
Tangible asset increase	117,542
Creditors falling due within one year increase	17,892
Creditors falling due after one year increase	87,338
Retained earnings at 1 April 2021 increase	4,556
Retained earnings at 31 March 2022 increase	12,312

During the year, it was identified that property historically categorised under Freehold Property should have been reported as Investment Property. This has been corrected in these financial statements. The value of the correction was £208,900 and there was no impact to the profit and loss account.

## 12. INTANGIBLE FIXED ASSETS

## Group

	Goodwill
	£
COST	
At 1 April 2022	2,250,390
Disposals	(416,496)
At 31 March 2023	1,833,894
AMORTISATION	
At 1 April 2022	1,885,273
Amortisation for year	122,327
Eliminated on disposal	(416,496)
At 31 March 2023	1,591,104
NET BOOK VALUE	
At 31 March 2023	242,790
At 31 March 2022	365,117

12.	INTANGIBLE FIXED ASSETS - continued			
	Company			Goodwill
	COST			£
	At 1 April 2022			416,496
	Disposals			(416,496)
	At 31 March 2023			
	AMORTISATION			
	At 1 April 2022			416,496
	Eliminated on disposal At 31 March 2023			<u>(416,496</u> )
	NET BOOK VALUE			<del>-</del>
	At 31 March 2023			_
	At 31 March 2022			
13.	TANGIBLE FIXED ASSETS			
13.	TANGIBLE FIXED ASSETS			
	Group			
	•	Freehold	Short	Plant and
		property	leasehold	machinery
	0007	£	£	£
	COST	610.070	0 564 470	1 560 007
	At 1 April 2022 Additions	618,870	2,561,173 69,995	1,568,997 106,524
	Disposals	_	-	100,024
	At 31 March 2023	618,870	2,631,168	1,675,521
	DEPRECIATION			<del> </del>
	At 1 April 2022	264,448	1,890,179	1,315,707
	Charge for year	40,752	195,404	81,855
	Eliminated on disposal	205.000	2.005.502	4 207 500
	At 31 March 2023 NET BOOK VALUE	305,200	2,085,583	1,397,562
	At 31 March 2023	313,670	545,585	277,959
	At 31 March 2022	354,422	670,994	253,290
			<u> </u>	

## 13. TANGIBLE FIXED ASSETS - continued

## Group

	Fixtures and fittings £	Motor vehicles £	Computer equipment £	Totals £
COST	404 700	400.000	407.704	5 454 400
At 1 April 2022	161,728	102,620	437,781	5,451,169
Additions	-	16,891	50,129	243,539
Disposals	161 709	(52,845)	497.010	(52,845)
At 31 March 2023 DEPRECIATION	161,728	66,666	487,910	5,641,863
	464 700	22 E 40	274 742	4 000 000
At 1 April 2022	161,728	22,548	374,713	4,029,323
Charge for year	-	9,020	29,147	356,178
Eliminated on disposal At 31 March 2023	161,728	(4,458)	403,860	(4,458) 4,381,043
NET BOOK VALUE	101,720	27,110	403,000	4,361,043
At 31 March 2023		30 EEG	84,050	1 060 000
	<u>-</u>	<u>39,556</u>		1,260,820
At 31 March 2022		80,072	63,068	1,421,846
Company				
Company	Freehold	Plant and	Computer	
	property	machinery	equipment	Totals
	£	£	£	£
COST				
At 1 April 2022	618,870	27,911	158,275	805,056
Additions	-	-	6,782	6,782
At 31 March 2023	618,870	27,911	165,057	811,838
DEPRECIATION				
At 1 April 2022	264,449	27,911	141,700	434,060
Charge for year	40,752	<u> </u>	10,647	51,399
At 31 March 2023	305,201	27,911	152,347	485,459
NET BOOK VALUE		_ <del></del>	_ <del></del>	
At 31 March 2023	<u>313,669</u>		12,710	326,379
At 31 March 2022	354,421		16,575	370,996

#### 14. **FIXED ASSET INVESTMENTS**

Com	pany
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Shares in group undertakings £

COST

At 1 April 2022 and 31 March 2023

631,225

**NET BOOK VALUE** 

631,225

At 31 March 2023 At 31 March 2022

631,225

2022

893,215

£

The group or the company's investments at the Balance Sheet date in the share capital of companies include the following:

## **Subsidiaries**

## **AKM North Ltd**

Registered office: 3 Doolittle Yard, Froghall Road, Ampthill, Bedfordshire, MK45 2NW

Nature of business: Fast food outlets

holding

100.00

Class of shares: 300 Ordinary £1 Shares

2023 2022 £ £

Aggregate capital and reserves Profit for the year

824,608 988,630 336,278 1,268,848

## **AKM South Ltd**

Registered office: 3 Doolittle Yard, Froghall Road, Ampthill, Bedfordshire, MK45 2NW

Nature of business: Fast food outlets

%

Class of shares: 1,000 Ordinary £1 Shares holding 100.00

Aggregate capital and reserves Profit for the year

2023 £ 698,338 662,660

535,678

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# NOTES TO THE CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS - continued FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2023

INVESTMENT PROPERTY	
Group	Total
FAIR VALUE At 1 April 2022 Additions Revaluations At 31 March 2023	8,476,430 24,250 387,859 8,888,539
NET BOOK VALUE At 31 March 2023 At 31 March 2022	8,888,539 8,476,430
Fair value at 31 March 2023 is represented by:	0
Valuation in 2023	£ <u>8,888,539</u>
If investment property had not been revalued it would have been included at the following historic	al cost:
2023	2022 restated
Cost £ 7,514,075	£ 7,489,825
	7,489,825 nd
Cost 7,514,075  The directors have valued the investment property at 31 March 2023 based on their knowledge a understanding of the property market. They do not have any recognised professional qualification	7,489,825 nd as in
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# NOTES TO THE CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS - continued FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2023

## 15. INVESTMENT PROPERTY - continued

### Company

If investment property had not been revalued it would have been included at the following historical cost:

2023 2022 restated as Cost 27,514,075 7,280,925

The directors have valued the investment property at 31 March 2023 based on their knowledge and understanding of the property market. They do not have any recognised professional qualifications in this field.

## 16. STOCKS

		Group		
	2023	2022 restated		
	£	£		
Stocks	176,91;	<u> 151,731</u>		

## 17. DEBTORS: AMOUNTS FALLING DUE WITHIN ONE YEAR

	G	roup	Com	ipany
	2023	2022	2023	2022
		as		as
		restated		restated
	£	£	£	£
Trade debtors	55,584	99,806	396,447	82,206
Amounts owed by group undertakings	-	-	-	270,891
Other debtors	2,120,011	89,624	1,916,155	88,624
Prepayments	248,452	172,744	11,370	4,847
	2,424,047	362,174	2,323,972	446,568

Amounts owed by group undertakings are unsecured, interest free, have no fixed date of repayment and are repayable on demand.

Included in other debtors is an amount owed from related companies of £1,753,967 (2022 - £nil)

## 18. CREDITORS: AMOUNTS FALLING DUE WITHIN ONE YEAR

	Group		Company	
	2023	2022	2023	2022
		as		as
		restated		restated
	£	£	£	£
Bank loans and overdrafts (see note 20)	226,409	239,602	226,409	239,602
Trade creditors	761,820	326,652	38,237	17,229
Amounts owed to group undertakings	-	-	1,879,796	-
Tax	361,809	711,311	127,211	134,014
Social security and other taxes	117,697	61,307	7,001	6,621
VAT	1,147,114	470,326	17,578	36,192
Other creditors	38,833	37,965	20,941	20,073
Directors' current accounts	335,138	885,217	335,138	885,217
Accruals	731,831	948,741	157,653	95,480
	3,720,651	3,681,121	2,809,964	1,434,428

Amounts owed to group undertakings are unsecured, interest free, have no fixed date of repayment and are repayable on demand.

# 19. CREDITORS: AMOUNTS FALLING DUE AFTER MORE THAN ONE YEAR

	Group		Company	
	2023	2022	2023	2022
		as		as
		restated		restated
	£	£	£	£
Bank loans (see note 20)	1,145,272	1,356,614	1,145,272	1,356,614
Other creditors	69,446	87,338	<u>-</u>	
	1,214,718	1,443,952	1,145,272	1,356,614

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# NOTES TO THE CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS - continued FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2023

## 20. LOANS

An analysis of the maturity of loans is given below:

	Group		Company	
	2023	2022	2023	2022
		as		as
		restated		restated
	£	£	£	£
Amounts falling due within one year or	on demand:			
Bank loans	<u>226,409</u>	239,602	226,409	239,602
Amounts falling due between one and	two years:			
Bank loan repayments due after more	185,504	246,274	185,504	246,274
than one year				
Amounts falling due between two and	five years:			
Bank loans - 2-5 years	<u>242,569</u>	<u>437,003</u>	<u>242,569</u>	<u>437,003</u>
Amounts falling due in more than five	years:			
Repayable by instalments				
Bank loans more 5 yr by instal	717,199	673,337	<u>717,199</u>	673,337

Bank loans are repayable monthly in accordance with the terms of the bank loan agreements and attract interest at the agreed bank rate.

## 21. **LEASING AGREEMENTS**

Minimum lease payments fall due as follows:

## Group

·	Non-cancellable 2023	operating leases 2022
	as	restated
	£	£
Within one year	776,068	555,478
Between one and five years	2,316,640	1,725,654
In more than five years	2,591,724	1,860,348
	5,684,432	4,141,480

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# NOTES TO THE CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS - continued FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2023

## 21. LEASING AGREEMENTS - continued

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O Simpany	Non-cancellable 2023 as	operating leases 2022 restated
Within one year Between one and five years	£ 3,471 	£ 7,222 <u>3,471</u> 10,693

## 22. SECURED DEBTS

The following secured debts are included within creditors:

	Group		Company	
	2023	2022	2023	2022
		as		as
		restated		restated
	£	£	£	£
Bank loans	1,371,681	1,596,216	1,371,681	1,596,216

The bank holds a First Legal Charge over the company's investment properties.

Bank loans are secured by way of a fixed and floating charge over the undertaking and all property and assets present and future including goodwill, uncalled capital, buildings, fixtures, plant and machinery.

Fixed assets, stock and debtors are pledged as security against bank loans.

## 23. FAIR VALUE MEASUREMENT

	2023 £	2022 £
Assets Investment property fair valued through the profit and loss account	8,888,539	8,476,431

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## 24. PROVISIONS FOR LIABILITIES

	Group		Company	
	2023	2022 as	2023	2022 as
	£	restated £	£	restated £
Deferred tax Accelerated capital allowances Other timing differences	50,624 325,324 375,948	65,517 173,553 239,070	2,415 325,324 327,739	3,149 173,553 176,702
Other provisions	201,000	229,500		
Aggregate amounts	576,948	468,570	327,739	<u>176,702</u>
Group				
			Deferred tax £	Other provisions £
Balance at 1 April 2022 Provided during year			239,070 136,878	229,500 -
Credit to Income Statement during year Unused amounts reversed during year			-	(21,375) (7,125)
Balance at 31 March 2023			375,948	201,000
Company				
				Deferred tax £
Balance at 1 April 2022				176,702
Provided during year Balance at 31 March 2023				151,037 327,739

Deferred tax relates to capital allowances in excess of depreciation and a provision for deferred tax on revaluation of investment property.

Other provisions relates to an onerous lease, held in the subsidiary, which is expires 9 November 2030. During the year, the company entered into a licence to assign the lease to a third party. An asset has been recognised for the expected reimbursement under the licence (Note: Debtors).

The onerous lease provision expected to reverse next year is £28,500. The reimbursement asset expected to reverse next year is £28,500.

## 25. CALLED UP SHARE CAPITAL

Allotted, issue	ed and fully paid:			
Number:	Class:	Nominal	2023	2022
		value:		as restated
			£	£
2,000	Ordinary	£1	2,000	2,000
100	A Ordinary	£1	100	100
100	B Ordinary	£1	100	100
100	C Ordinary	£1	100	100
100	D Ordinary	£1	100	100
			2,400	2,400

The A, B, C and D ordinary shares have the following rights:

No voting rights are attached except in the case where the special rights are varied (in such a case each share will carry one vote)

The shares will rank equally with existing ordinary shares to a return of capital on a winding up

No rights are attached to a share in the surplus assets of the company after a repayment of capital

## 26. RESERVES

## Group

-, - a - p	Retained earnings £	Investment property reserve £	Totals £
At 1 April 2022 Profit for the year Dividends Property revaluation reserve	8,083,009 1,301,313 (750,000) (230,979)	739,880 230,979	8,822,889 1,301,313 (750,000)
At 31 March 2023	8,403,343	970,859	9,374,202
Company			
	Detained	Investment	
	Retained	property reserve	Totals
	earnings £	£	£
At 1 April 2022 Profit for the year Dividends	6,759,454 1,490,051 (750,000)	739,880	7,499,334 1,490,051 (750,000)
Property revaluation reserve At 31 March 2023	(230,979) 7,268,526	230,979 970,859	8,239,385

# NOTES TO THE CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS - continued FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2023

## 27. PENSION COMMITMENTS

At 31 March 2023 pension commitments of £16,420 (2022: £17,533) were included in accruals.

## 28. RELATED PARTY DISCLOSURES

A composite company unlimited multilateral guarantee has been given to the company's bankers by AKM UK Group Ltd, AKM South Ltd, AKM North Ltd, AFJ Group Ltd and MIE Group Ltd.

Entities with control, joint control or significant influence over the entity

2023	as	2022 restated
£		£
<u>1,753,967</u>		

Amount due from related parties

Amounts due from related parties are interest free and repayable on demand.

## 29. ULTIMATE CONTROLLING PARTY

The company is controlled by the directors by virtue of their ultimate shareholdings.

## 30. OPERATING LEASE INCOME

Minimum lease income due to the company is as follows:

Group

	No	Non-cancellable operating leases	
	2023	2022	
	£	£	
Within one year	424,546	525,835	
Between one and five years	995,649	1,366,368	
In more than five years	937,4 <u>68</u>	1,557,095	
	2,357,663	3,449,298	

Company

	Nor	Non-cancellable operating leases	
	2023	2022	
	£	£	
Within one year	424,546	506,835	
Between one and five years	995,649	1,366,368	
In more than five years	937,468	1,557,095	
	2,357,663	3,430,298	

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