Report and Financial Statements
Period Ended
29 November 2018

Company Number 03819491

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## **Company Information**

**Directors** 

K Arkley

S Fairs

Company secretary

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Registered number

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## Directors' Report For the period ended 29 November 2018

The directors present their report and the financial statements for the 52 week period ended 29 November 2018 (2017: 53 week period).

#### Principal activities

The company's principal activity during the period continued to be that of the ownership and operation of the Ettington Park Hotel.

#### Review of business and future developments

The hotel turnover has increased by 2.1% to £3,363k (2017: £3,294k), operating loss was £300k (2017: £500k) and adding back depreciation EBITDA for the period was £112k compared to a loss of £173k for the period ended 2017.

Rooms performance showed a decrease of 2.6% in occupancy and for the period and and increase of £1.32 in revpar (revenue per available room).

The increase in total turnover is caused by an increase in events, such as conferences and weddings.

The directors are optimistic as to the future success of the company.

#### **Dividends**

No dividends were paid during the period ended 29 November 2018 (period ended 2017: £nil).

#### **Directors**

The following persons served as directors during the period :

K Arkley

J Hands (resigned 9 March 2018)

S Fairs (appointed 9 March 2018)

### Directors' responsibilities

The directors are responsible for preparing the Directors' 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 Standard 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.

## Directors' Report (continued) For the period ended 29 November 2018

### Directors' responsibilities (continued)

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.

### Provision of information to auditor

Each of the persons who was a director at the time when this report was approved has confirmed that:

- so far as the director is aware, there is no relevant audit information of which the company's auditors are unaware, and
- that director has taken all the steps that ought to have been taken as a director in order to be aware of any relevant audit information and to establish that the company's auditors are aware of that information.

This report was approved by the board on 29 August 2019 and signed on its behalf.

K Arkley Director

### Independent Auditor's Report to the Members of Wy (Ettington Park) Limited

#### Opinion

We have audited the financial statements of Wy (Ettington Park) Limited (the 'company') for the period ended 29 November 2018 which comprise Statement of Comprehensive Income, the Statement of Financial Position, the Statement of Changes in Equity and 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 company's affairs as at 29 November 2018 and of its loss for the period then ended;
- have been properly prepared in accordance with United Kingdom Generally Accepted Accounting Practice:
- 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 Auditor's responsibilities for the audit of the financial statements section of our report. We are independent of the company 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

We have nothing to report in respect of the following matters in relation to which the ISAs (UK) require us to report to you where:

- the directors' use of the going concern basis of accounting in the preparation of the financial statements is not appropriate; or
- the directors have not disclosed in the financial statements any identified material uncertainties that may
  cast significant doubt about the company's ability to continue to adopt the going concern basis of
  accounting for a period of at least twelve months from the date when the financial statements are
  authorised for issue.

#### Other information

The other information comprises the information included in the report and financial statements, other than the financial statements and our Auditor's Report thereon. The directors are responsible for the other information. 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 there is a material misstatement in the financial statements or a material misstatement of the other information. 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.

### Independent Auditor's Report to the Members of Wy (Ettington Park) Limited (continued)

## 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 Directors' Report for the financial period for which the financial statements are prepared is consistent with the financial statements; and
- the Directors' Report has 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 company and its environment obtained in the course of the audit, we have not identified material misstatements in the Directors' Report.

We have nothing to report in respect of the following matters in relation to which 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 prepare the financial statements in accordance with the small companies
  regime and take advantage of the small companies' exemptions in preparing the Directors' Report and
  from the requirement to prepare a Strategic Report.

## Responsibilities of directors

As explained more fully in the directors' responsibilities statement set out on page 1, 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 is 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 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 company or to cease operations, or have no realistic alternative but to do so.

## Auditor's 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 an Auditor's Report 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.

A further description of our responsibilities for the audit of the financial statements is located on the Financial Reporting Council's website at: <a href="https://www.frc.org.uk/auditorsresponsibilities">www.frc.org.uk/auditorsresponsibilities</a>. This description forms part of our Auditor's Report.

## Independent Auditor's Report to the Members of Wy (Ettington Park) Limited (continued)

## 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 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.

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lan Clayden (Senior Statutory Auditor)
For and on behalf of BDO LLP, Statutory Auditor
London
United Kingdom

Date: 30 August 2019

BDO LLP is a limited liability partnership registered in England and Wales (with registered number OC305127).

# Statement of Comprehensive Income For the period ended 29 November 2018

	Note	Period ended 29 November 2018 £	Period ended 30 November 2017 £
Turnover		3,362,920	3,293,734
Cost of sales		(771,192)	(744,756)
Gross profit		2,591,728	2,548,978
Administrative expenses		(2,912,080)	(3,152,306)
Provision against investments		20,610	103,143
Operating loss	3	(299,742)	(500,185)
Interest receivable	5	111,041	106,267
Loss on ordinary activities before tax		(188,701)	(393,918)
Tax on loss on ordinary activities	6	-	-
Loss for the period		(188,701)	(393,918)
Other comprehensive loss for the period		-	-
Total comprehensive loss for the period		(188,701)	(393,918)

All amounts relate to continuing activities.

The notes on pages 9 to 20 form part of these financial statements.

# Wy (Ettington Park) Limited Registered number: 03819491

## Statement of Financial Position As at 29 November 2018

	Note		29 November 2018 £		30 November 2017 £
Fixed assets					
Tangible assets	7		1,352,723		1,241,534
Fixed asset investments	8		4,494,393		4,515,003
			5,847,116		5,756,537
Current assets					
Stocks	9	34,392		29,646	
Debtors	10	2,506,657		2,358,019	
Cash and cash equivalents		433,986		736,724	
		2,975,035		3,124,389	
Creditors: amounts falling due within one year	11	(1,268,448)		(1,138,522)	
Net current assets			1,706,587		1,985,867
Net assets			7,553,703		7,742,404
Capital and reserves					
Called up share capital	12		8,913,601		8,913,601
Profit and loss account	13		(1,359,898)		(1,171,197)
Total equity			7,553,703		7,742,404

The financial statements were approved and authorised for issue by the board and were signed on its behalf on 29 9014

K Arkley Director

The notes on pages 9 to 20 form part of these financial statements.

## Statement of Changes in Equity For the period ended 29 November 2018

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	Called up share capital £	Profit and loss account £	Total equity
At 27 November 2016	8,913,601	(777,279)	8,136,322
Loss for the period	-	(393,918)	(393,918)
At 30 November 2017	8,913,601	(1,171,197)	7,742,404
Loss for the period	•	(188,701)	(188,701)
At 29 November 2018	8,913,601	(1,359,898)	7,553,703

The notes on pages 9 to 20 form part of these financial statements.

## Notes to the Financial Statements For the period ended 29 November 2018

#### 1. Accounting policies

#### General information

Wy (Ettington Park) Limited is a private limited company incorporated in England & Wales under the Companies Act. The address of the registered office is given on the Company Information page and the nature of the company's operations and its principal activities are set out in the Directors' Report.

#### Basis of preparation

The financial statements have been prepared under the historical cost convention unless otherwise specified within these accounting policies and in accordance with Financial Reporting Standard 102, the Financial Reporting Standard applicable in the UK and the Republic of Ireland and the Companies Act 2006.

The current period financial statements are prepared on a 52 week period (2017: 53 week period).

The preparation of financial statements in compliance with FRS 102 requires the use of certain critical accounting estimates. It also requires management to exercise judgement in applying the company's accounting policies (see note 2).

#### Going concern

The company participates in certain groups centralised treasury arrangements and so shares certain banking arrangements with its wider group.

The directors, having considered cash flow forecasts and available working capital of the company, and having assessed the responses of the directors of the company's parent Hand Picked Hotels Limited to their enquiries, have no reason to believe that a material uncertainty exists that may cast significant doubt about the ability of the Hand Picked Hotels Limited group to continue as a going concern or its ability to continue with the current banking arrangements.

The following principal accounting policies have been applied consistently throughout the preceding and current period.

## Financial reporting standard 102 - reduced disclosure exemptions

The company has taken advantage of the following disclosure exemptions in preparing these financial statements, as permitted by the FRS 102 "The Financial Reporting Standard applicable in the UK and Republic of Ireland":

- the requirements of Section 7 Statement of Cash Flows;
- the requirements of Section 3 Financial Statement Presentation paragraph 3.17(d);
- the requirements of Section 11 Financial Instruments paragraphs 11.39 to 11.48A;
- the requirements of Section 12 Other Financial Instruments paragraphs 12.26 to 12.29;
- the requirements of Section 33 Related Party Disclosures paragraph 33.7.

This information is included in the consolidated financial statements of Hand Picked Hotels Limited as at 29 November 2018 and these financial statements may be obtained from Companies House.

## Exemption from preparing consolidated financial statements

The company has taken advantage of section 400 of the Companies Act 2006 and elected not to prepare consolidated accounts as it is included in the consolidated accounts of a larger group. Accordingly these financial statements show company only results and not group.

## Notes to the Financial Statements For the period ended 29 November 2018

#### 1. Accounting policies (continued)

#### Turnover

Turnover represents amounts receivable for accommodation, food and beverage sales and ancillary hotel services provided in the normal course of business, net of trade discounts, VAT and other sales related taxes. Turnover is recognised at the point at which goods and services are delivered to the customer. Deposits which have been received at the balance sheet date for which services have not yet been provided are shown as payments in advance within creditors. All turnover arose within the United Kingdom.

### Tangible fixed assets

Tangible fixed assets under the cost model are stated at historical cost less accumulated depreciation and any accumulated impairment losses. Historical cost includes expenditure that is directly attributable to bringing the asset to the location and condition necessary for it to be capable of operating in the manner intended by management.

At each reporting date the company assesses whether there is any indication of impairment. If such indication exists, the recoverable amount of the asset is determined which is the higher of its fair value less costs to sell and its value in use. An impairment loss is recognised where the carrying amount exceeds the recoverable amount.

The company adds to the carrying amount of an item of fixed assets the cost of replacing part of such an item when that cost is incurred, if the replacement part is expected to provide incremental future benefits to the company. The carrying amount of the replaced part is derecognised. Repairs and maintenance are charged to profit or loss during the period in which they are incurred.

Depreciation is charged so as to allocate the cost of assets less their residual value over their estimated useful lives, using the straight-line method. Depreciation is provided on the following basis:

Fixtures and fittings

- 4 to 25 years

The assets' residual values, useful lives and depreciation methods are reviewed, and adjusted prospectively if appropriate, if there is an indication of a significant change since the last reporting date.

Gains and losses on disposals are determined by comparing the proceeds with the carrying amount and are recognised in the Statement of Comprehensive Income.

### Investments

Investments in subsidiaries are measured at cost less accumulated impairment.

#### Stocks

Stocks are stated at the lower of cost and net realisable value, being the estimated selling price less costs to complete and sell. Cost is based on the cost of purchase on a first in, first out basis.

At each reporting date, stocks are assessed for impairment. If stock is impaired, the carrying amount is reduced to its selling price less costs to complete and sell. The impairment loss is recognised immediately in the Statement of Comprehensive Income.

## Debtors

Short term debtors are measured at transaction price, less any impairment. Loans and other financial assets are initially recognised at transaction price including any transaction costs and subsequently measured at amortised cost determined using the effective interest method, less any impairment.

## Notes to the Financial Statements For the period ended 29 November 2018

#### Accounting policies (continued)

#### **Creditors**

Short term creditors are measured at the transaction price. Loans and other financial liabilities are initially recognised at transaction price net of any transaction costs and subsequently measured at amortised cost determined using the effective interest method.

## Holiday pay accrual

A liability is recognised to the extent of any unused holiday pay entitlement which has accrued at the balance sheet date and carried forward to future periods. This is measured at the undiscounted salary cost of the future holiday entitlement so accrued at the balance sheet date.

#### Interest

Interest income and expense is recognised in the Statement of Comprehensive Income using the effective interest method.

#### Current and deferred taxation

The tax expense for the period comprises current and deferred tax. Tax is recognised in profit or loss, except that a change attributable to an item of income or expense recognised as other comprehensive income or to an item recognised directly in equity is also recognised in other comprehensive income or directly in equity respectively.

The current income tax charge is calculated on the basis of tax rates and laws that have been enacted or substantively enacted by the reporting date in the country where the company operates and generates taxable income.

Deferred balances are recognised in respect of all timing differences that have originated but not reversed by the balance sheet date, except:

- The recognition of deferred tax assets is limited to the extent that it is probable that they will be recovered against the reversal of deferred tax liabilities or other future taxable profits; and
- Any deferred tax balances are reversed if and when all conditions for retaining associated tax allowances have been met.

Deferred tax balances are not recognised in respect of permanent differences except in respect of business combinations, when deferred tax is recognised on the differences between the fair values of assets acquired and the future tax deductions available for them and the differences between the fair values of liabilities acquired and the amount that will be assessed for tax. Deferred income tax is determined using tax rates and laws that have been enacted or substantively enacted by the reporting date.

#### Cash and cash equivalents

Cash is represented by cash in hand and deposits with financial institutions repayable without penalty on notice of not more than 24 hours. Cash equivalents include deposits with an initial term of less than 3 months.

#### Related party transactions

The company has taken advantage of the exemption under paragraph 33.1A of the Financial Reporting Standard 102 not to disclose transactions with other wholly owned members of the group.

### Operating leases

Rentals paid under operating leases are charged to the Statement of Comprehensive Income on a straight line basis over the period of the lease.

## Notes to the Financial Statements For the period ended 29 November 2018

#### 1. Accounting policies (continued)

#### **Pensions**

The company operates a defined contribution plan for its employees. A defined contribution plan is a pension plan under which the company pays fixed contributions into a separate entity. Once the contributions have been paid the company has no further payment obligations.

The contributions are recognised as an expense in the Statement of Comprehensive Income when they fall due. Amounts not paid are shown in accruals as a liability in the Statement of Financial Position. The assets of the plan are held separately from the company in independently administered funds.

#### Financial instruments

Debt instruments (other than those wholly repayable or receivable within one year), including loans and other accounts receivable and payable, are initially measured at present value of the future cash flows and subsequently at amortised cost using the effective interest method. Debt instruments that are payable or receivable within one year, typically trade payables or receivables, are measured, initially and subsequently, at the undiscounted amount of the cash or other consideration expected to be paid or received. However if the arrangements of a short-term instrument constitute a financing transaction, like the payment of a trade debt deferred beyond normal business terms or financed at a rate of interest that is not a market rate or in case of an out-right short-term loan not at market rate, the financial asset or liability is measured, initially, at the present value of the future cash flow discounted at a market rate of interest for a similar debt instrument and subsequently at amortised cost.

Financial assets that are measured at cost and amortised cost are assessed at the end of each reporting period for objective evidence of impairment. If objective evidence of impairment is found, an impairment loss is recognised in the Statement of Comprehensive Income.

For financial assets measured at amortised cost, the impairment loss is measured as the difference between an asset's carrying amount and the present value of estimated cash flows discounted at the asset's original effective interest rate.

For financial assets measured at cost less impairment, the impairment loss is measured as the difference between an asset's carrying amount and best estimate of the recoverable amount, which is an approximation of the amount that the group would receive for the asset if it were to be sold at the reporting date.

Financial assets and liabilities are offset and the net amount reported in the Statement of financial position when there is an enforceable right to set off the recognised amounts and there is an intention to settle on a net basis or to realise the asset and settle the liability simultaneously.

## Notes to the Financial Statements For the period ended 29 November 2018

## 2. Judgements in applying accounting policies and key sources of estimation uncertainty

In preparing these financial statements, the directors have made the following judgements:

- Determine whether leases entered into by the company either as a lessor or a lessee are operating
  or finance leases. These decisions depend on an assessment of whether the risks and rewards of
  ownership have been transferred from the lessor to the lessee on a lease by lease basis.
- Determine whether there are indicators of impairment of the company's fixed assets. Factors taken
  into consideration in reaching such a decision include the economic viability, current value and
  expected future financial performance of the asset.

Other key sources of estimation uncertainty

Tangible fixed assets (see note 7)

Tangible fixed assets are depreciated over their useful lives taking into account residual values, where appeopriate. The actual lives of the assets and residual values are assessed annually and may vary depending on a number of factors. In re-assessing asset lives, factors such as technological innovation, product life cycles and maintenance programmes are taken into account. Residual value assessments consider issues such as future market conditions, the remaining life of the asset and projected disposal values

Investments (see note 8)

Where indicators of impairment exist, impairment reviews consider the current value of the investments' assets and liabilities along with its future performance and timing of the expected return on these investments.

### 3. Operating loss

This is stated after charging:

	Period	Period
	ended	ended
	29	30
	November	November
	2018	2017
	£	£
Depreciation of tangible fixed assets	187,504	327,641
Auditor's remuneration for audit services	4,420	4,240
Operating lease rental - plant and machinery	2,096	3,046

## Notes to the Financial Statements For the period ended 29 November 2018

Staff costs

4.	Stair costs		
		Period ended 29	Period ended 30
		November 2018 £	November 2017 £
	Staff salaries	1,302,088	1,279,170
	Social security costs	106,005	98,171
	Other pension costs	33,032	30,420
		1,441,125	1,407,761
	Agency staff	70,923	102,465
٠		1,512,048	1,510,226
		Period ended 29	Period ended 30
		29 November	30 November
		2018	2017
		No.	No.
	Hotel operations	40	
	Administration	40	49
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		9	9
5.	Interest receivable	9	9
5.	Interest receivable	9 49 =	58 Period
5.	Interest receivable	9 49 Period ended	58 Period ended
5.	Interest receivable	Period ended 29 November	9 58 Period ended 30 November
5.	Interest receivable	Period ended 29 November 2018	Period ended 30 November 2017
5.	Interest receivable	Period ended 29 November	9 58 Period ended 30 November

## Notes to the Financial Statements For the period ended 29 November 2018

6.	Taxation		
		Period ended 29	Period ended 30
		November 2018 £	November 2017 £
	Current tax	_	
	UK corporation tax at 19% (2017: 19.35%)	-	-
	Deferred tax		
	Origination and reversal of timing differences	-	-
	Tax on loss on ordinary activities	-	<u>-</u>
	Reconciliation of tax charge		
		Period ended	Period ended
		29 November 2018 £	30 November 2017 £
	Loss on ordinary activities before tax	(188,701)	(393,918)
	Loss on ordinary activities multiplied by standard rate of corporation tax in the UK of 19% (2017 - 19.35%)	(35,853)	(76,215)
	Effects of:		
	Expenses not deductible for tax purposes	19,503	48,147
	Transfer pricing adjustment	(97,280)	(99,061)
	Group relief surrendered	93,671	91,994
	Deferred tax not recognised	17,858	30,872
	Difference in tax rates	2,101	4,263
	Total tax charge for the period	•	-

Potential deferred tax assets of £310,000 (2017: £292,000) and £42,000 (2017: £42,000) have not been recognised in respect of depreciation charged in excess of capital allowances at the end of the period and tax losses carried forward available for offset against future trading profits respectively.

The company also has capital losses carried forward of £24,000 (2017: £24,000) which creates a potential deferred tax asset of £4,100 (2017: £4,100).

## Notes to the Financial Statements For the period ended 29 November 2018

## 7. Tangible fixed assets

	Fixtures and fittings £
Cost	
At 1 December 2017	2,147,746
Additions	298,693
Disposals	(1,082,986)
At 29 November 2018	1,363,453
Depreciation	·
At 1 December 2017	906,212
Charge for the period	187,504
Disposals	(1,082,986)
At 29 November 2018	10,730
Net book value	
At 29 November 2018	1,352,723
At 30 November 2017	1,241,534

## Notes to the Financial Statements For the period ended 29 November 2018

### 8. Investments

	Shares in subsidiary undertakings £	Preference shares in subsidiary undertakings £	Total £
Cost			
At 1 December 2017	8,542,013	416,987	8,959,000
Impairment			
At 1 December 2017	4,443,997	-	4,443,997
Charge for the period	20,610	-	20,610
At 29 November 2018	4,464,607	-	4,464,607
Net book value			
At 29 November 2018	4,077,406	416,987	4,494,393
At 30 November 2017	4,098,016	416,987	4,515,003

## **Direct Subsidiary undertakings**

The company holds 20% or more of the share capital of the following companies:

Country of incorporation Holding Share held class Ettington Park Group Limited England and Wales 100 % Ordinary

The registered office is The Old Library, The Drive, Sevenoaks, Kent, TN13 3AB.

The nature of operation is other letting and operating of own or leased real estate.

### 9. Stocks

	2018 £	2017 £
Goods for resale	34,392	29,646

Stock recognised in cost of sales during the period as an expense was £411,532 (2017: £398,725).

## Notes to the Financial Statements For the period ended 29 November 2018

10.	Debtors		
		2018 £	2017 £
	Trade debtors	59,244	73,892
	Amounts due from group undertakings	2,403,528	2,241,850
	Other debtors	20,266	20,170
	Prepayments and accrued income	23,619	22,107
		2,506,657	2,358,019
11.	Creditors: Amounts falling due within one year		
		2018 £	2017 £
	Payments in advance	497,602	504,997
	Trade creditors	167,230	57,013
	Amounts due to subsidiary undertaking	243,895	243,895
	Other taxes and social security costs	95,931	91,938
	Other creditors	89,050	89,471
	Accruals	174,740	151,208
		1,268,448	1,138,522
12.	Share capital		
		2018 £	2017 £
	Allotted, called up and fully paid	_	_
	8,913,601 Ordinary shares of £1 each	8,913,601	8,913,601

## 13. Reserves

## Profit and loss account

This is cumulative profits or losses, net of dividends paid and other adjustments.

## Notes to the Financial Statements For the period ended 29 November 2018

## 14. Defined contribution pension plans

The company operates a defined contributions pension scheme. The assets of the scheme are held separately from those of the company in an independently administered fund. The pension cost charge represents contributions payable by the company to the fund and amounted to £33,032 (2017: £30,420). Contributions payable to the fund at the year end included in creditors totalled £8,481 (2017: £6,558).

## 15. Capital commitments

Total future minimum lease payments under non-cancellable operating leases:

	2018	2017
	£	£
Amounts contracted for but not provided in the accounts	240,000	34,955

At the period end the company had entered into construction contracts with unrelated parties for an amount of £240k for works on a lift.

## 16. Commitments under operating leases

Total future minimum lease payments under non-cancellable operating leases:

	2018 £	2017 £
Falling due:	-	-
Within 1 year	2,096	3,222
Within two to five years	5,939	13,158
	8,035	16,380

### 17. Contingent liabilities

The company has granted fixed and floating charges over its assets in respect of group borrowing facilities. The amount owed by the Hand Picked Hotels Limited group as at 29 November 2018 was £80,000,000 (2017: £80,000,000). However, subsequent to the period end this amount has reduced to £30,000,000.

## Notes to the Financial Statements For the period ended 29 November 2018

### 18. Ultimate parent company and controlling party

On 7 March 2018, the entire share holdings of Hand Picked Hotels Limited held by its ultimate parent, Alscot S.a.r.I, were transferred to Hand Picked Hotels Holdings (Guernsey) Limited, a company incorporated in Guernsey, resulting in Julian Holdings Limited becoming the ultimate parent of the company as of that date.

Hand Picked Hotels Holdings (Guernsey) Limited is a company incorporated in Guernsey, whose registered office address is 1st and 2nd Floors Elizabeth House, Les Ruettes Brayes, St Peter Port, Guernsey, GY1 1EW.

The company's immediate parent undertaking is Hand Picked Hotels Limited. The largest and smallest group in whose financial statements the results of the company will be consolidated is Hand Picked Hotels Limited. The consolidated financial statements of Hand Picked Hotels Limited will be available to the public and will be obtainable in due course from the Registrar of Companies, Companies House, Crown Way, Cardiff.

The ultimate parent company is Julian Holdings Limited, and the ultimate controlling party is Mr G Hands.

Julian Holdings Limited is a company incorporated in Guernsey, whose registered office address is PO Box 286, Floor 2 Trafalgar Court, Les Banques, St Peter Port, Guernsey, GY1 4LY.