

Financial Statements Fortus Kent Limited (formerly Enterprise Security Distribution (Kent) Limited)

For the financial year ended 31 December 2022

(A mended)



Registered number: 03836109

Company Information

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Statement of financial position

As at 31 December 2022

	Note		2022 £		2021 £
Fixed assets			~		~
Tangible assets	5		18,228		8,323
		-	18,228	_	8,323
Current assets					
Stocks	6	206,121		198,724	
Debtors: amounts falling due within one year	7	320,058		393,300	
Cash at bank and in hand	8	17,425		103,504	
	'	543,604	_	695,528	
Current liabilities					
Creditors: amounts falling due within one year	9	(413,425)		(529,225)	
Provision		-		(21,149)	
Net current assets	•		130,179		145,154
Net assets		_	148,407		153,477
Capital and reserves		-		=	
Called up share capital	11		120		120
Profit and loss account	11		148,287		153,357
		_	148,407	_	153,477
		=		_	

The financial statements have been prepared in accordance with the special provisions relating to companies subject to the small companies regime within Part 15 of the Companies Act 2006 and in accordance with the provisions of FRS 102 Section 1A - Small Entities.

The financial statements have been delivered in accordance with the provisions applicable to companies subject to the small companies regime.

The Company has opted not to file the statement of comprehensive income in accordance with provisions applicable to companies subject to the small companies' regime.

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

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Amanda Rowley

Director

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Mark Gerrard Brophy

Director

Date: 10/13/2023

The notes on pages 3 to 12 form part of these financial statements.

Statement of changes in equity For the financial year ended 31 December 2022

	Called up share capital	Profit and loss account	Total equity
	£	£	£
At 1 January 2022	120	153,357	153,477
Comprehensive loss for the financial year			
Profit for the financial year	-	60,619	60,619
Dividends: Equity capital	-	(65,689)	(65,689)
At 31 December 2022	120	148,287	148,407

Statement of changes in equity For the period ended 31 December 2021

	Called up share capital	Profit and loss account	Total equity
	£	£	£
At 1 December 2020	120	518,083	518,203
Comprehensive income for the financial period			
Loss for the financial period	-	(98,233)	(98,233)
Dividends: Equity capital	-	(266,493)	(266,493)
At 31 December 2021	120	153,357	153,477

The notes on pages 3 to 12 form part of these financial statements.

Notes to the financial statements

For the financial year ended 31 December 2022

1. General information

Fortus Kent Limited which is registered and incorporated in the United Kingdom is a private company limited by shares. The Company's core business is offering the most comprehensive range of CCTV Camera & Surveillance products to the Security industry nationwide. The Company's registered office is Camfield House, Avenue One, Letchworth Garden City, SG6 2WW, England.

2. Accounting policies

2.1 Basis of preparation of financial statements

These financial statements have been prepared in accordance with applicable accounting standards, including Section 1A of Financial Reporting Standard 102 – 'The Financial Reporting Standard applicable in the United Kingdom and Republic of Ireland' ('FRS 102'), and with the Companies Act 2006. The financial statements have been prepared on the historical cost basis.

The financial statements are presented in Sterling (£)

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 3).

The following principal accounting policies have been applied:

2.2 Going concern

The financial statements have been prepared on a going concern basis which assumes that the Company will continue in operational existence for at least one year from the date of approval of the financial statements.

The directors have also considered the future cash flows of the Company and believe the Company will continue to trade profitably in the future. On the basis of the foregoing the directors believe that it is appropriate for the financial statements to be prepared on the going concern basis.

2.3 Foreign currency translation

Functional and presentation currency

The Company's functional and presentational currency is Sterling (f).

Transactions and balances

Foreign currency transactions are translated into the functional currency using the spot exchange rates at the dates of the transactions.

At each financial year end foreign currency monetary items are translated using the closing rate. Non-monetary items measured at historical cost are translated using the exchange rate at the date of the transaction and non-monetary items measured at fair value are measured using the exchange rate when fair value was determined.

Foreign exchange gains and losses resulting from the settlement of transactions and from the translation at financial year-end exchange rates of monetary assets and liabilities denominated in foreign currencies are recognised in profit or loss except when deferred in other comprehensive income as qualifying cash flow hedges.

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2. Accounting policies (continued)

2.3 Foreign currency translation (continued)

Foreign exchange gains and losses that relate to borrowings and cash and cash equivalents are presented in the Statement of comprehensive income within 'finance income or costs'. All other foreign exchange gains and losses are presented in profit or loss within 'other operating income'.

2.4 Turnover

Turnover is recognised to the extent that it is probable that the economic benefits will flow to the Company and the turnover can be reliably measured. Turnover is measured as the fair value of the consideration received or receivable, excluding discounts, rebates, value added tax and other sales taxes. The following criteria must also be met before turnover is recognised:

Sale of goods

Turnover from the sale of goods is recognised when all of the following conditions are satisfied:

- the Company has transferred the significant risks and rewards of ownership to the buyer;
- the Company retains neither continuing managerial involvement to the degree usually associated with ownership nor effective control over the goods sold;
- the amount of turnover can be measured reliably;
- it is probable that the Company will receive the consideration due under the transaction; and
- the costs incurred or to be incurred in respect of the transaction can be measured reliably.

2.5 Operating leases: the Company as lessee

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

Benefits received and receivable as an incentive to sign an operating lease are recognised on a straightline basis over the lease term, unless another systematic basis is representative of the time pattern of the lessee's benefit from the use of the leased asset.

2.6 Interest income

Interest income is recognised in profit or loss using the effective interest method.

2.7 Pensions

Defined contribution pension plan

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 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.

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2. Accounting policies (continued)

2.8 Finance costs

Finance costs are charged to profit or loss over the term of the debt using the effective interest method so that the amount charged is at a constant rate on the carrying amount. Issue costs are initially recognised as a reduction in the proceeds of the associated capital instrument.

2.9 Taxation

Tax is recognised in profit or loss except that a charge attributable to an item of income an 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 countries where the Company operates and generates income.

2.10 Dividends

Equity dividends are recognised when they become legally payable. Interim equity dividends are recognised when paid. Final equity dividends are recognised when approved by the shareholders at an annual general meeting.

2.11 Tangible assets

Tangible 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.

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:

Motor vehicles - 25% straight line basis
Fixtures and fittings - 20% straight line basis
Office equipment - 33% straight line basis
Computer equipment - 20% straight line basis

The assets' residual values, useful lives and depreciation methods are reviewed, and adjusted prospectively if appropriate, or 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 profit or loss.

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2. Accounting policies (continued)

2.12 Impairment of fixed assets

Assets that are subject to depreciation or amortisation are assessed at each reporting date to determine whether there is any indication that the assets are impaired. Where there is any indication that an asset may be impaired, the carrying value of the asset (or cash-generating unit to which the asset has been allocated) is tested for impairment. An impairment loss is recognised for the amount by which the asset's carrying amount exceeds its recoverable amount. The recoverable amount is the higher of an asset's (or CGU's) fair value less costs to sell and value in use. For the purposes of assessing impairment, assets are grouped at the lowest levels for which there are separately identifiable cash flows (CGUs). Non-financial assets that have been previously impaired are reviewed at each reporting date to assess whether there is any indication that the impairment losses recognised in prior periods may no longer exist or may have decreased.

2.13 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 weighted average 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 profit or loss.

2.14 Debtors

Short-term debtors are measured at transaction price, less any impairment. Loans receivable are measured initially at fair value, inclusive of transaction costs, and are measured subsequently at amortised cost using the effective interest method, less any impairment.

2.15 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 are highly liquid investments that mature in no more than three months from the date of acquisition and that are readily convertible to known amounts of cash with insignificant risk of change in value.

2.16 Creditors

Short-term creditors are measured at the transaction price. Other financial liabilities, including bank loans, are measured initially at fair value, inclusive of transaction costs, and are measured subsequently at amortised cost using the effective interest method.

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2. Accounting policies (continued)

2.17 Provisions for liabilities

Provisions are made where an event has taken place that gives the Company a legal or constructive obligation that probably requires settlement by a transfer of economic benefit, and a reliable estimate can be made of the amount of the obligation.

Provisions are charged as an expense to profit or loss in the year that the Company becomes aware of the obligation, and are measured at the best estimate at the reporting date of the expenditure required to settle the obligation, taking into account relevant risks and uncertainties.

When payments are eventually made, they are charged to the provision carried in the Statement of financial position.

2.18 Financial instruments

The Company only enters into basic financial instrument transactions that result in the recognition of financial assets and liabilities like trade and other debtors and creditors, loans from banks and other third parties, loans to related parties and investments in ordinary shares.

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 debtors and creditors, 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 in case of an out-right short-term loan that is not at market rate, the financial asset or liability is measured, initially at the present value of future cash flows discounted at a market rate of interest for a similar debt instrument and subsequently at amortised cost, unless it qualifies as a loan from a director in the case of a small company, or a public benefit entity concessionary loan.

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. If a financial asset has a variable interest rate, the discount rate for measuring any impairment loss is the current effective interest rate determined under the contract.

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 Company 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.

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

Preparation of the financial statements requires management to make significant judgements and estimates. The items in the financial statements where these judgements and estimates have been made include:

Estimating variable considerations

The Company's contracts with its customers include rights of return and rebates that give rise to variable considerations. In estimating the variable consideration, the Company is required to use either the expected value method or the most likely amount method based on which method better predicts the amount of consideration to which it will be entitled.

The Company determined that the expected value method is the appropriate method to use in estimating the variable consideration for the sale of goods with rights of return.

The Company determined that the estimates of variable consideration are not constrained based on historical experience. Moreover, the uncertainty on the variable consideration will be resolved within a short time frame.

Determining net realisable value of stocks

Management estimates the net realisable values of stocks, taking into account the most reliable evidence available at each reporting date. The future realisation of these stocks may be affected by future technology or other marker-driven changes that may reduce future selling prices. The stock provision is £Nil for financial period ended 31 December 2022 (2021: £Nil).

Estimating useful lives of depreciation assets

The Company estimates the useful lives of tangible assets based on the period over which the assets are expected to be available for use. The estimated useful lives are reviewed periodically and are updated if expectations differ from previous estimates due to physical wear and tear, technical or commercial obsolescence and legal or other limits on the use of the assets. In addition, estimation of the useful lives of tangible fixed assets is based on collective assessment of industry practice, internal technical evaluation and experience with similar assets. Actual results, however, may vary due to changes in estimates brought about by changes in factors mentioned above.

Recoverability of debtors

Debtors arising out of operations are considered by the directors to have a low credit risks and therefore no provision for bad debts or doubtful debts has been made other than those already presented in the financial statements. The directors consider that the carrying amounts of debtor approximates to their value. All other receivable balances are due within one year and none are past due. The provision for bad debts is £16,695 for financial period ended 31 December 2022 (2021: £263).

4. Employees

The average monthly number of employees, including the directors, during the financial year was as follows:

	2022 No.	2021 No.
Employees	5	7

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5. Tangible assets

		Motor vehicles £	Fixtures and fittings £	Office equipment £	Computer equipment £	Total £
	Cost					
	At 1 January 2022	33,085	3,880	28,037	-	65,002
	Additions	-	15,394	2,183	1,057	18,634
	At 31 December 2022	33,085	19,274	30,220	1,057	83,636
	Depreciation					
	At 1 January 2022	30,005	3,523	23,151	-	56,679
	Charge for the financial year	3,080	3,222	2,310	117	8,729
	At 31 December 2022	33,085	6,745	25,461	117	65,408
	Net book value					
	At 31 December 2022	-	12,529	4,759	940	18,228
	At 31 December 2021	3,080	357	4,886	-	8,323
6.	Stocks					
		. '			2022	2021
					£	£
	Goods for resale				206,121	198,724
7.	Debtors: Amounts falling du	e within one	year			
					2022	2021
					£	£
	Trade debtors				256,409	295,841
	Amounts owed by group under	takings			23,280	69,938
	Other debtors				20,112	2,248
	Prepayments				20,257	25,273
					320,058	393,300

Amounts owed by group undertakings are unsecured, interest free and repayable on demand.

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8. Cash and cash equivalents

	2022 £	2021 £
Cash at bank and in hand Bank overdrafts	17,425 (86,006)	103,504 (149,408)
Dank Overdrants	(68,581)	(45,904)

9. Creditors: Amounts falling due within one year

·	2022	2021
	£	£
Bank overdrafts	86,006	149,408
Trade creditors	177,619	245,973
Amounts owed to group undertakings	83,356	48,106
Corporation tax	2,710	18,018
Taxation and social security	21,193	14,529
Other creditors	29,485	-
Accruals	13,056	53,191
	413,425	529,225

Bank overdrafts are repayable in line with the appropriate payment dates as specified within the overdraft agreement

Trade creditors, accruals and other creditors are repayable at various dates over the coming months in accordance with the suppliers' usual customary credit terms.

Amounts owed to group undertakings are unsecured, interest free and repayable on demand.

Taxation, social security and corporation tax are payable at various dates over the coming months in accordance with applicable statutory provisions.

	2022	2021
	£	£
Taxation and social security		
PAYE/NI control	5,146	5,136
VAT control	16,047	9,393
	21,193	14,529
		

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10. Provisions

	Provision
	£
At 1 January 2022	21,149
Utilised in financial year/period	(21,149)
At 31 December 2022	•

The provision is classified as a current provision as the returns will happen less than one year from financial year-end.

11. Reserves

Share capital

Represents the nominal value of shares that have been issued.

Profit and loss account

Includes all current and prior period retained profits and losses.

12. Operating lease commitments

At 31 December 2022, the Company had future minimum lease payments due under non-cancellable operating leases for each of the following periods:

		13 month
		period ended
		31 December
	2022	2021
	£	£
Within one year	56,000	-
Between one and five years	168,000	-
	224,000	-

13. Related party transactions

The Company has availed of the exemption provided in FRS102 Section 33, "Related Party Disclosures" not to disclose transactions entered into with fellow group companies that are wholly owned within the group of companies of which the Company is a member.

14. Post balance sheet events

There have been no significant events affecting the Company since the financial year end and the directors do not envisage any substantial changes to the nature of the business in the foreseeable future.

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15. Comparative information

Comparative information has been reclassified where necessary to conform to current period presentation.

16. Controlling party

As at 31 December 2022, the Company was a subsidiary of Fortus England & Wales Limited. Fortus Holdings Limited is the ultimate controlling party. Fortus Holdings Limited's registered office is 32 Lavery Avenue, Park West Industrial Park, Nangor Road, D12 A611, Dublin, Ireland where consolidated accounts are available.

Fortus Holdings Limited is controlled by Brian Honan.

17. Approval of financial statements

The board of directors approved these financial statements for issue on

18. Auditor's information

The auditor's report on the financial statements for the financial year ended 31 December 2022 was unqualified.

The audit report was signed on 13 October 2023 by Michael Shelley (Senior statutory auditor) on behalf of Grant Thornton.