DAVIES CONSTRUCTION & ENGINEERING LIMITED

ANNUAL REPORT AND UNAUDITED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2022

REGISTERED NUMBER 03993524

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Company Information

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COMPANY SECRETARY D Coombes

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DIRECTORS' REPORT

The directors present their report with the unaudited financial statements of the company, registered number 03993524, for the year ended 30 June 2022.

This report has been prepared in accordance with the special provisions of Part 15, Chapter 1 (Section 382 and 383) of the Companies Act 2006 relating to small companies.

For the year ended 30 June 2022 the Company was entitled to the exemption from audit under section 479A of the Companies Act 2006.

PRINCIPAL ACTIVITY

The principal activity of the company in the year under review was that of loss adjusters.

REVIEW OF BUSINESS

A summary of the results for the year is given in the Income Statement on page 5.

RESULTS AND DIVIDENDS

The company's loss for the financial year is £644 (profit 2021: £534). No dividends were paid or proposed during the year (2021: £nil).

GOING CONCERN

Going concern has been discussed in detail in note 1. The company has continued to trade since the year end in line with forecasts. As such, the Directors have a reasonable expectation that the company has adequate resources to continue in operational existence for the foreseeable future. The Directors therefore believe that it remains appropriate to prepare the financial statements on a going concern basis. The financial statements do not include any adjustments that would result from this basis of preparation being inappropriate.

QUALIFYING THIRD PARTY INDEMNITY PROVISIONS

Davies Topco Limited, the company's ultimate holding company until 2 August 2021, maintained cover for its directors and officers and those of its subsidiary companies under a directors' and officers' liability insurance policy as permitted by the Companies Act 2006 until 3 August 2022, when the new ultimate holding company, Tennessee Topco Limited assumed these responsibilities. The liability insurance is a qualifying third-party indemnity provision and was in force during the financial year and up to and including the date of the approval of the Annual Report and Financial Statements.

DIRECTORS

The directors who served during the year and up to the date of signing these financial statements unless otherwise stated are as follows:

D Coombes

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DIRECTORS' REPORT (continued)

STATEMENT OF DIRECTORS' RESPONSIBILITES

The directors are responsible for preparing the Annual Report and the unaudited 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 prepared the Group and parent company financial statements in accordance with United Kingdom Generally Accepted Accounting Practice (United Kingdom Accounting Standards 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 the company and of the profit or loss of the company for that year. 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 and the group will continue in business.

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 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.

By order of the Board

A Debiase **Director**

Date: 26 June 2023

INCOME STATEMENT FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2022

		Unaudited Year ended	Year ended 30 June 2021	
		30 June 2022		
	Note	£	£	
Turnover	3	-	5,999	
Cost of sales		<u> </u>	-)	
Gross Profit		-	5,999	
Administrative expenses		(644)	(5,285)	
Operating (Loss)/Profit		(644)	714	
(Loss)/Profit on ordinary activities before interest and taxation		(644)	714	
Tax on (loss)/profit on ordinary activities			(180)	
(Loss)/Profit for the financial year		(644)	534	

All amounts relate to continuing operations.

STATEMENT OF COMPREHENSIVE INCOME FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2022

	Unaudited	Year ended
	Year ended	30 June 2021
	30 June 2022	
	£	£
(Loss)/Profit for the financial year	(644)	534
Total comprehensive (loss)/income relating to the year	(644)	534

The notes on pages 8 to 11 form part of these financial statements.

STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION AS AT 30 JUNE 2022

			Unaudited		
		As at 30	June 2022	As at 30) June 2021
	Note	£	£	£	£
Current assets	•				
Debtors	5	745,864		745,762	
Deferred tax	6	-		-	
Cash at bank and in hand		2,635		3,264	
			748.499		749,026
Total assets			748,499		749,026
LIABILITIES AND EQUITY					
Capital and reserves					
Called up share capital	7	1.000		1,000	
Profit and loss account		742,034		742,678	
Total equity			743,034		743,678
Other liabilities					
Creditors: amounts falling due within one year	8	5,465		5,348	
Total other liabilities			5.465		5,348
Total equity and liabilities			748,499		749,026

For the year ended 30 June 2023 the company was entitled to exemption under section 479A of the Companies Act 2006.

The members have not required the company to obtain an audit of its accounts for the year in question in accordance with section 476 of the Companies Act 2006.

The directors acknowledge their responsibilities for complying with the requirements of the Companies Act 2006 with respect to accounting records and the preparation of financial statements.

The financial statements have been prepared in accordance with the provisions applicable to companies subject to the small companies' regime and in accordance with the provisions of FRS 102 Section 1A – small entities.

The financial statements on pages 5 to 11 were approved by the Board of Directors on 26 June 2023 and were signed on its behalf by:

A Debiase Director

Company registered number

03993524

The notes on pages 8 to 11 form part of these financial statements.

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN EQUITY FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2022

	Share capital	Profit and loss account	Total Equity	
	£	£	£	
Balance as at 1 July 2020	1,000	742,144	743,144	
Profit for the year	-	534	534	
Other comprehensive income for the year	-	-	-	
Total comprehensive income for the year	-	534	534	
Balance as at 30 June 2021	1,000	742,678	743,678	
Loss for the year	-	(644)	(644)	
Other comprehensive loss for the year		•	-	
Total comprehensive loss for the year	-	(644)	(644)	
Balance as at 30 June 2022 (unaudited)	1,000	742,034	743,034	

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

1 Accounting policies

Davies Construction and Engineering Limited is a private company limited by shares incorporated in England & Wales under the Companies Act 2006. The address of the registered office is given on the contents page and the nature of the company's operations, and its principal activities are set out in the directors' report. The financial statements have been prepared in accordance with FRS 102 Section 1A, the Financial Reporting Standard applicable in the United Kingdom and the Republic of Ireland.

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

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.

Going concern

The entity is a subsidiary of Tennessee Topco Limited and party to group funding facilities. Monitoring of financial performance and management of banking facilities is done on a group basis and incorporates the results of all subsidiaries of the group that are consolidated within Tennessee Topco Limited accounts.

The Group has performed ahead of expectations since the outbreak of the COVID-19 pandemic and after the first half of the year ending 30 June 2022 it is significantly ahead of its annual revenue, EBITDA and cash budgets. The Group still maintains significantly more cash resources on its balance sheet than required for normal working capital purposes and also access to a committed revolver credit facility of £90m should this be required.

The Group's most recent forecasting exercise covers a period from the balance sheet date to 30 June 2023. As part of their forecasting work, the directors undertook some detailed sensitivity analysis which showed that the Group revenue would need to drop by 35% by December 2022 for there to be a significant impact on future covenant headroom. The key mitigant for a covenant breach would be an equity injection from the shareholders which is permitted under the existing banking agreement. Additionally, a further mitigant should the Group experience a liquidity issue, would be to drawdown on the £90m RCF which can be accessed for any purpose.

In July 2022 the Group recommenced its M&A program. During the year ended 30 June 2022 the Group made 17 acquisitions. Since October 2022 the Group has made four acquisitions in the UK and the US: Insurance Risk Services Inc., Sionic, the BVS Group and Merlinos Actuarial Consultants. In September 2022 the Group announced a deal to acquire Asta, the market leading third party managing agent at Lloyds, and this deal will complete subject to the appropriate regulatory approvals. In August 2022, the Group completed a transaction with BC Partners who have acquired a majority stake in the business following a rigorous due diligence process. As part of this transaction, Blackstone replaced ICG as the Group's debt provider; upon completion new debt of £552m was drawn down, and an acquisition facility of £350m was secured alongside a c£90m rolling credit facility. This is a committed facility which can be utilised for any purpose including operational, working capital and M&A requirements and can be drawn down in 5 working days.

The company has continued to trade since the year end in line with forecasts. As such, The Directors have a reasonable expectation that the company has adequate resources to continue in operational existence for the foreseeable future. The Directors therefore believe that it remains appropriate to prepare the financial statements on a going concern basis. The financial statements do not include any adjustments that would result from this basis of preparation being inappropriate.

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (continued)

1 Accounting policies (continued)

<u>Turnover</u>

Turnover comprises the fair value of the consideration received or receivable for the sale of goods and provision of services in the ordinary course of the company's activities. Turnover is shown net or sales/vat added tax, returns, rebates and discounts.

All turnover is derived from within the United Kingdom.

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 entitlement so accrued at the balance sheet date.

Current and deferred taxation

Current tax is recognised for income tax payable in respect of the taxable profit for the current or past reporting periods using the tax rates and laws that have been enacted or substantively enacted by the reporting date.

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.
- Any deferred tax balances are reversed if and when all conditions for retaining associated tax allowances have been met and.
- -Where timing differences relate to interests in subsidiaries and the Group can control their reversal and such reversal is not considered probable in the foreseeable future.

Deferred tax balances are not recognised in respect of timing 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 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.

<u>Pensions</u>

The Group makes contributions under a defined contribution scheme, the assets of which are held in a separately administered fund. All pension contributions are charged to the profit and loss in the period in which they fall due.

Reserves

The company's reserves are as follows:

- Called up share capital represents the nominal value of the shares issued.
- Profit and loss account represents cumulative profits or losses, net of dividends paid and other adjustments.

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (continued)

1 Accounting policies (continued)

Financial assets

Financial assets, other than investments and derivatives, are initially measured at transaction price (including transactions costs) and subsequently held at cost, less any impairment.

Financial liabilities

Financial liabilities and equity are classified according to the substance of the financial instrument's contractual obligations, rather than the financial instrument's legal form. Financial liabilities, excluding convertible debt and derivatives, are initially measured at transaction price (including transaction costs), and subsequently held at amortised cost.

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

In application of the Company's accounting policies, which are described in note 1, the directors are required to make judgements, estimates and assumptions around carrying amounts of assets and liabilities that are not readily apparent from other sources. The directors confirm that the company does not have any critical accounting judgements and key sources of estimation uncertainty.

3 Turnover

All turnover is derived from the company's principal activity, which the directors consider comprises a single class of business and arose within the United Kingdom.

4 Employees

The average monthly number of employees, including Directors, during the year was nil (2021: nil).

5 Debtors due within one year

	Unaudited Year ended 30 June 2022	Unaudited Year ended 30 June 2021
	£	£
Amounts owed by group undertakings	726,682	726,596
Other debtors	19	4
Prepayments and accrued income	19,163	19,162
	745,864	745,762

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

6 Deferred tax

The movements on deferred tax are as follows:

	Unaudited	Unaudited	
	Year ended	Year ended	
	30 June 2022	30 June 2021	
	£	£	
At the beginning of year	•	180	
Deferred tax credit / (charge) in income statement for the year	<u> </u>	(180)	
At the end of year	<u>-</u>		
The deferred tax comprises:	Unaudited	Unaudited	
	Year ended	Year ended	
	30 June 2022	30 June 2021	
Fixed asset timing differences	£	£	
	-	-	
	•	-	

The company has no deferred tax assets on losses which are not recognised.

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (continued)

7 Called up share capital

Allotted, issued and fully paid	Unaudited Year ended 30 June 2022 £	Unaudited Year ended 30 June 2021 £
10,000 (2021: 10,000) Ordinary Shares of 10p each	1,000	1,000
8 Creditors: amounts falling due within one year		
	Unaudited	Unaudited
	Year ended	Year ended
	30 June 2022	30 June 2021
	£	f
Trade creditors	298	182
Amounts owed to Group undertakings	1,698	1,698
Other creditors	3,469	3,468
	5,465	5,348

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

9 Operating lease commitments

At 30 June 2022, the company had no future minimum lease payments under non-cancellable operating leases (2021: nil).

10 Ultimate parent undertaking and controlling party

Th The company is a wholly owned subsidiary of a Group whose parent company is Davies Group Limited which is the smallest Group to consolidate these financial statements. At 30 June 2022 Davies Group Limited was in turn ultimately owned by Tennessee Topco Limited which the directors considered to be the ultimate parent undertaking and the largest Group to consolidate these financial statements.

Copies of Davies Group Limited and Tennessee Topco Limited consolidated financial statements can be obtained from the Company 5th Floor, 20 Gracechurch Street, London, EC3V 0BG.

The directors consider BC Partners to be the ultimate controlling party of the Group.

11 Related party disclosures

The Group has taken advantage of the exemption confirmed by section 33 of FRS 102 not to disclose transactions with members of the Group headed by Davies Group Limited on the grounds that 100% of the voting rights in the company are controlled within that Group.