Thomas Cook Signature Limited Annual report for the year ended 30 September 2010

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Directors' Report

The directors present their annual report on the affairs of the Company, together with the financial statements

Business Review & Activities

The company is dormant and has not traded during the year and there are no plans to commence trading activities in the foreseeable future

Directors

The directors, who served throughout the year, except as noted, were as follows

C J Gadsby (resigned 06 04 11)
D M W Hallisey (resigned (01 03 11)
Thomas Cook Group Management Services Limited (appointed 28 10 10)
J L Seary (appointed 06 04 11)

Company Secretary

Shirley Bradley

Statement of directors' responsibilities

The directors are responsible for preparing the Annual 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 International Financial Reporting Standards (IFRSs) as adopted by the European Union 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,
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- make judgments and accounting estimates that are reasonable and prudent,
- state whether applicable International Financial Reporting Standards (IFRSs) as adopted by the European Union have been followed, subject to any material departures disclosed and explained in the financial statements.
- prepare the financial statements on the going concern basis unless it is inappropriate to presume that the company will continue in business

The directors confirm that they have complied with the above requirements in preparing the financial statements

The directors are responsible for keeping proper accounting records that 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.

Directors' report (continued)

Disclosure of information to auditors

For the year ended 30 September 2010 the company was entitled to the exemption from audit under section 480 of the Companies Act 2006 relating to dormant companies. Members have not required the company to obtain an audit in accordance with section 476 of the Companies Act 2006

17 Coningsby Road Peterborough Cambs PE3 8SB By order of the Board,

S Bradley, Company Secretary

13th July 2011

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Balance Sheet

As at 30 September 2010

	Notes	30 September 2010 £'000	30 September 2009 £'000
Current assets			
Trade and other receivables	3	2,986	2,986
		2,986_	2,986
Total assets		2,986	2,986
Current liabilities			
Trade and other payables		<u>-</u>	
		<u> </u>	-
Total liabilities		-	-
Net assets/(liabilities)		2,986	2,986
Equity			
Called up share capital	4	1	1
Share premium account		199	199
Retained earnings		2,786	2,786
Equity attributable to equity holders of the company		2,986	2,986

Advantage has been taken of the audit exemption available for dormant companies conferred by section 480 of the Companies Act 2006

Members have not required the company to obtain an audit of the financial statements for the year ended 30 September 2010 in accordance with section 476 of the Companies Act 2006

The directors acknowledge their responsibility for

- 1 ensuring the company keeps accounting records which comply with section 386 of the Companies Act 2006, and
- 2 preparing financial statements which give a true and fair view of the state of affairs of the company as at the end of the financial year, and of its profit and loss for the financial year, in accordance with the requirements of section 394 of the Companies Act 2006, and which otherwise comply with the requirements of the Companies Act 2006 relating to financial statements, so far as applicable to the company

The financial statements were approved by the board of directors and authorised for issue on 13th July 2011

They were signed on its behalf by

S Bradlev

For Thomas Cook Group Management Services Ltd, Director

Statement of changes in equity Year ended 30 September 2010

	Share Capital	Share	Profit and loss	Shareholders'
	£'000	premium £'000	account £'000	equity £'000
Balance at 1 October 2008	1	199	(2,511)	(2,311)
Net profit for the year		-	5,297	5,297
Balance at 30 September 2009	1	199	2,786	2,986
Net profit for the year	-	•	<u>-</u>	
Balance at 30 September 2010	1	199	2,786	2,986

Notes to the financial statements Year ended 30 September 2010

1 General information

Thomas Cook Signature Limited is a company incorporated in England and Wales under the Companies Act 2006. The address of its registered office is 17 Coningsby Road, Peterborough, PE3 8SB. The nature of the Company's operation and its principal activities are set out in the Directors' report. These financial statements are presented in pounds sterling because that is the currency of the primary economic environment in which the Company operates. The Company is a wholly-owned subsidiary company and is included within the audited consolidated financial statements of Thomas Cook Group plc, a company incorporated in England and Wales which have been prepared in accordance with International Financial Reporting Standards as adopted by the European Union and filed with the Registrar of Companies. The company is therefore exempt from the obligation to prepare consolidated financial statements in accordance with section 400 of the Companies. Act 2006

In the current year, the following new or amended standards have been adopted and have affected the amounts reported or the disclosure and presentation in these financial statements

IAS 1 (Revised) 'Presentation of Financial Statements' is effective for annual reporting periods commencing on or after 1 January 2009. The amendments require a number of presentational changes, including the requirement to present a statement of changes in equity as a primary statement.

Certain Accounting Standards and Interpretations have recently been issued or amended but are not yet effective and have not been adopted by the Company for the annual reporting period ended 30 September 2010. The directors have not early adopted any of these new or amended standards or interpretations. The directors have not yet fully assessed the impact of these new standards (to the extent relevant to the Company) and interpretations.

2 Significant accounting policies

The principal accounting policies applied in the preparation of these financial statements are set out below These policies have been applied consistently to the periods presented unless otherwise stated **Basis of preparation**

These financial statements have been prepared in accordance with IFRSs as adopted by the EU, IFRIC interpretations and with those parts of the Companies Act 2006 applicable to Companies reporting under IFRS

The accounting policies adopted are consistent with those of the previous financial period

The financial statements have been prepared under the historical cost convention except for revaluation of certain financial instruments. The principal accounting policies adopted are set out below

Income statement presentation

As the company has not traded during the period, a statement of comprehensive income and statement of cash flows has not been prepared

Financial instruments

Given the simple nature of the company's operations, the directors do not believe that the company has any material exposure to price risk, credit risk, liquidity risk or cash flow risk. As such, no sensitivity analysis of the impact of reasonably possible changes in these risk variables on the company has been presented

Critical judgements and key sources of estimation uncertainty

Given the simple nature of the company's operations, the directors do not believe there are any critical judgements or key sources of estimation uncertainty in the preparation of these financial statements

Notes to the financial statements

Year ended 30 September 2010

3 Trade and other receivables

	30 September 2010 £'000	30 September 2009 £'000
Amounts due from Group undertakings	2,986	2,986
	2,986	2,986

All of the above financial assets are categorised as loans and receivables for the purposed of IFRS 7, "Financial instruments. Disclosures" The directors consider that the carrying amount of other receivables approximates their fair value

Credit quality of financial assets

The Company's principal financial assets subject to a credit risk are these receivables, and as such the Company's credit risk is attributable to these other receivables. An allowance for impairment is made when there is an identified loss event which, based on previous experience, is evidence of a reduction in the recoverability of the cash flows No impairments have been made against these financial assets, and none of these assets are overdue

These receivables are not subject to restrictions on title and no collateral is held as security. All these financial assets are denominated in pounds sterling

4 Called up share capital

	30 September 2010 £'000	30 September 2009 £'000
Authorised:		
500,000 ordinary shares of £1 each	500	500
Allotted, issued and fully paid:		
1,000 ordinary shares of £1 each	1	1

The company has one class of ordinary shares, which carry no right to fixed income

5 Related party transactions

Transactions between the Company and other member	Amounts	Amounts owed by related parties		Amounts owed to related parties	
	2010 £'000	2009 £'000	2010 £'000	2009 £'000	
Parent and fellow subsidiary	2,986	2,986	-	-	

The amounts outstanding are unsecured and will be settled in the normal course of business. No guarantees have been given or received No provisions have been made for doubtful debts in respect of the amounts owed by related parties

6 Ultimate controlling party

The Company is a subsidiary of Thomas Cook Scheduled Tour Operations Limited, which is incorporated in England and Wales

Thomas Cook Group plc, incorporated in England and Wales, is the company's ultimate parent company

The smallest group in which the results of the company are consolidated is that of which Thomas Cook Group plc is the parent company. The consolidated accounts of Thomas Cook Group plc may be obtained from 6th Floor South, Brettenham House, Lancaster Place, London, WC7E 7EN

7 Post balance sheet events

There are no events that have occurred after the balance sheet date that will affect the future of Thomas Cook Signature Limited