# DUELGUIDE (NEWCASTLE) LIMITED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS 31 DECEMBER 2009

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# DÜELGUIDE (NEWCASTLE) LIMITED DIRECTORS AND ADVISERS

# **Directors**

M R Turner P C O'Driscoll J L Tuckey J G Draper

# Secretary

E L Services Limited

# **Registered Office**

25 Harley Street London W1G 9BR

# **Registered Auditors**

KPMG LLP 8 Salisbury Square London EC4Y 8BB

# DUELGUIDE (NEWCASTLE) LIMITED DIRECTORS REPORT

The directors present their report and the audited financial statements for the year ended 31 December 2009

#### Principal activity

The company no longer holds any property

#### Review of business

The company is in the process of being wound down due to the sale of its investment property

#### Results and dividends

The results for the year are shown in the profit and loss account on page 5. The loss for the year of £3,402 (2008 - loss of £30,607 has been transferred to profit & loss account.

During the year the directors do not recommend the payment of a dividend (2008 - £nil)

#### Directors and directors' interests

The directors of the Company during the year were as follows

MR Turner

P C O'Driscoll

D J Collins

(resigned on 7 July 2010)

J L Tuckey

J G Draper

(appointed on 7 July 2010)

None of the directors had any interest in the share capital of the company

#### Disclosure of information to auditors

The directors who held office at the date of approval of this directors' report confirm that, so far as they are each aware, there is no relevant audit information of which the Company's auditors are unaware, and each director has taken all the steps that he/ she ought to have taken as a director to make himself/ herself aware of any relevant audit information and to establish that the Company's auditors are aware of that information

#### **Auditors**

Pursuant to Section 487 of the Companies Act 2006, the auditors will be deemed to be reappointed and KPMG LLP will therefore continue in office

By order of the board

J G Draper Director

September 2010

# STATEMENT OF DIRECTORS' RESPONSIBILITIES IN RESPECT OF THE DIRECTORS' REPORT AND THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

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 they have elected to prepare the financial statements in accordance with UK Accounting Standards and applicable law (UK Generally Accepted Accounting Practice).

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 judgments and 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

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 have general responsibility for taking such steps as are reasonably open to them to safeguard the assets of the company and to prevent and detect fraud and other irregularities.

#### INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT TO THE MEMBERS OF DUELGUIDE NEWCASTLE LIMITED

We have audited the financial statements of Duelguide Newcastle Limited for the year ended 31 December 2009 set out on pages 5 to 10. The financial reporting framework that has been applied in their preparation is applicable law and UK Accounting Standards (UK Generally Accepted Accounting Practice).

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

## Respective responsibilities of directors and auditors

As explained more fully in the Directors' Responsibilities Statement set out on page 3, the directors are responsible for the preparation of the financial statements and for being satisfied that they give a true and fair view. Our responsibility is to audit the financial statements in accordance with applicable law and International Standards on requirements and International Standards on Auditing(UK and Ireland). Those standards require us to comply with the Auditing Practices Board(APB's) Ethical Standards for Auditors.

## Scope of the audit of the financial statements

A description of the scope of an audit of financial statements is provided on the APB's web-site at www frc org uk/apb/scope/UKNP

#### **Opinion on financial statements**

In our opinion the financial statements

- give a true and fair view of the state of the company's affairs as at 31 December 2009 and of its loss for the year then ended,
- have been properly prepared in accordance with UK Generally Accepted Accounting Practice and
- have been properly prepared in accordance with the requirements of the Companies Act 2006

#### Opinion on other matter prescribed by the Companies Act 2006

In our opinion the information given in the Directors' Report for the financial year for which the financial statements are prepared is consistent with the financial statements

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

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, 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

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Shaun Kirby (Senior Statutory Auditor) for and on behalf of KPMG LLP, Statutory Auditor Chartered Accountants 15 Canada Square London E14 5GL

16 September 2010

# PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2009

	Notes	2009 £	2008 £
Administrative expenses	2	(3,395)	(30,606)
Operating loss		(3,395)	(30,606)
Interest payable	3	(7)	(1)
Loss on ordinary activities before taxation		(3,402)	(30,607)
Taxation	4	•	-
Loss on ordinary activities after tax		(3,402)	(30,607)

The above results relate entirely to continuing operations

There is no material difference between the result as disclosed in the profit and loss account and the retained (loss)/profit for the year stated above and their historical equivalents

The notes on pages 7 to 10 form part of these audited financial statements

# BALANCE SHEET AS AT 31 DECEMBER 2009

	Notes	2009 £	2008 £
Fixed assets Investments	5	-	2
Current assets	^	50.004.505	50 744 000
Debtors amounts falling due within one year Cash at bank	6	50,884,797 -	50,711,300 321,111
Current liabilities	_	50,884,797	51,032,411
Creditors amounts falling due within one year	7	(50,731,947)	(50,876,162)
Net current assets	_	152,850	156,249
Net assets	- =	152,850	156,251
Capital and reserves			
Called up share capital	8	100,000	100,000
Profit and loss account	9	52,850	56,251
Equity shareholders' funds	10 =	152,850	156,251

The financial statements were approved by the board of directors on behalf by

J G Draper Director

## NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2009

#### 1 ACCOUNTING POLICIES

#### Basis of accounting

The financial statements have been prepared in accordance with applicable accounting standards and under historical cost accounting rules

#### **Taxation**

The charge for taxation is based on the results for the year. Deferred tax is provided in respect of all timing differences that have originated but not reversed at the balance sheet date where an event has occurred that results in an obligation to pay more or less tax in the future, except that

- (i) provision is not made in respect of property revaluation surpluses unless an unconditional sales agreement has been signed and rollover relief is not available to cover any gain arising, and
- (II) deferred tax assets are recognised only to the extent that it is more likely than not that there will be suitable taxable profits from which the future reversal of the relevant timing differences can be deducted

Deferred tax is measured on a non discounted basis at the tax rates which apply at the balance sheet date

#### **Cashflow statement**

Under FRS 1 the Company is exempt from the requirement to prepare a cash flow statement because it is a small company as defined by the Companies Act 2006

#### Investments

Fixed asset investments are stated in the balance sheet at cost less an impairment provision if, in the opinion of directors, there has been a permanent diminution in value

# NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2009 (continued)

2	ADMINISTRATIVE EXPENSES	2009 £	2008 £
	Group management charge	-	30,000
	Professional fees	3,350	22,247
	Cost recoveries	-	(27,006)
	Other administrative expenses	45	-
		3,395	25,241

None of the directors received any remuneration from the company during the year (2008 - £nil)

The company has no employees in the year

Audit fees are paid by Duelguide Management Services Limited, and accounted for by that entity. The group management fee charged covers these and other costs of administering the company. Audit fees attributable to Duelguide (Newcastle) Limited for the year are estimated to be £2,000 (2008 - £2,000).

3	INTEREST PAYABLE	2009 £	2008 £
	Bank interest payable	<u>(7)</u>	(1)
4	TAXATION	2009 £	2008 £
	Tax charge for the year	-	_
	Factors affecting tax charge for the year:		
	Loss on ordinary activities before tax	(3,402)	(30,607)
	Adjusted profit multiplied by standard rate of corporation tax in the UK of 28% (2008 28 5%)  Effects of	(953)	(8,723)
	Transfer of losses to/from other group companies for which no payment will be received/paid	953	8,723
	Current tax charge for the year		

# NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2009 (continued)

5	FIXED ASSETS - INVESTMENTS		
	Subsidiary undertakings	200 <del>9</del> £	2008 £
	As at 1 January Dissolutions	2 (2)	2 -
	As at 31 December	-	2
6	DEBTORS amounts falling due within one year	2009 £	2008 £
	Amounts due from related parties VAT recoverable	50,880,297 4,500	50,711,300
		50,884,797	50,711,300
7	CREDITORS <sup>1</sup> amounts falling due within one year	2009 £	2008 £
	Amounts owed to related parties Other creditors	50,532,295 199,652	50,532,297 343,865
		50,731,947	50,876,162
8	CALLED UP SHARE CAPITAL	2009 £	2008
	Allotted, called up and fully paid Ordinary shares of £1 each	100,000	£ 100,000

# NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2009 (continued)

9	PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT		2009 £	2008 £
	At 1 January Loss for the year		56,252 (3,402)	86,858 (30,607)
	At 31 December		52,850	56,252
10	RECONCILIATION OF MOVEMENTS IN SHAREHOLDERS' FUNDS		2009 £	2008 £
	At 1 January Loss for the year		156,252 (3,402)	186,858 (30,607)
	At 31 December		152,850	156,252
11	RELATED PARTY TRANSACTIONS  Balance Sheet		2009 £	2008 £
	Duelguide Management Services Limited Brookfield Developments (UK) Limited Aldersgate Investments Limited	Debtor-Loan Balance Debtor-Loan Balance Debtor-Loan Balance	827,420 25,016,376 25,036,500 50,880,297	658,423 25,016,376 25,036,500 50,711,300
	Duelguide (UK) Limited	Creditor-Loan Balance	(50,532,295)	(50,532,297)

# 12 HOLDING COMPANIES

The company's immediate holding and controlling company is R&M Investments (BVI) Limited R&M Invesmtents (BVI), incorporated in the British Virgin Islands is ultimately owned by Brookfield Asset Management Inc, registered in Canada as to 50% and Landal Worldwide Corp Ltd, registered in the British Virgin Isles as to 50% in respect of this company

On 30 June 2010, the ownership of the Company was transferred to R&M Investmens (BVI) Limited