Diageo (IH) Limited

Financial statements 30 June 2006

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Directors' report

The directors have pleasure in submitting their annual report, together with the audited financial statements, for the year ended 30 June 2006

Activities

The company is an investment holding company. The directors foresee no changes in the company's activities

Capital increase

On 27 June 2006, the company increased its authorised share capital from £2,000 to £2,000,000 by the creation of 1,998,000 new ordinary shares of £1 each ranking pari passu in all respects with the existing ordinary shares of the company

The company issued and allotted at par 55,010 ordinary shares of £1 each to Diageo Venture Holdings Limited, its immediate parent undertaking, the proceeds of which were used to subscribe for additional capital in the company's subsidiary, Trelawny Estates Limited

Financial

The results for the year ended 30 June 2006 are shown on page 6 The directors do not recommend the payment of a dividend (2005 - £nil) The profit for the year transferred to reserves is £1,866,000 (2005 - £920,000 loss transferred from reserves)

Directors

The directors who held office during the year were as follows

S M Bunn

C D Coase

M C Flynn

M J Lester

CRR Marsh (appointed 17 February 2006)

N Makos was appointed as a director of the company on 27 July 2006

M J Lester resigned as a director on 31 August 2006

Directors' emoluments

None of the directors received any remuneration during the year in respect of their services as directors of the company (2005 - £nil)

Directors' interests

No directors had any interest, beneficial or non-beneficial, in the share capital of the company or had a material interest during the year in any significant contract with the company or any subsidiary

Directors' report (continued)

Directors' interests (continued)

The directors who held office at the end of the financial year had the following beneficial interests in the ordinary shares of 28^{101/108} pence each in the ultimate parent company, Diageo plc

(1) Ordinary shares and conditional rights to ordinary shares

	Ordinary shares		Conditional rights to ordinary shares				
	At beginning At end		At beginning	Granted	Vested	Lapsed	At end
	of year (or date of	of year of year (or date of		ın year	ın year	ın year	of year
	appointment)		appointment)				
S M Bunn	128	132	-	-	-	_	-
C D Coase	14,207	15,000	-	23,380	-	-	23,380
M C Flynn	11,743	12,377	-	-	-	-	-
M J Lester	26,306	28,852	30,790	8,361	(3,521)	-	35,630
C R R Marsh	984	1,067	-	-	-	-	-

The directors were granted conditional rights to receive ordinary shares or, exceptionally, a cash sum under certain long-term incentive plans. Any conditional rights are shown in the table as ordinary share equivalents. The conditional rights to ordinary shares are subject to share performance criteria of Diageo plc ordinary shares. The numbers disclosed in the above table represent the maximum number of conditional rights. Full details of the performance criteria are disclosed in the annual report of the ultimate holding company, Diageo plc.

(11) Options

() 0 [0]		Options over ordinary shares				
	At beginning of year (or date of appointment)	Granted in year	Exercised during year	At end of year		
S M Bunn	52,437	12,420	(19,033)	45,824		
C D Coase	141,269	16,366	(18,550)	139,085		
M C Flynn	17,991	3,037	(3,608)	17,420		
M J Lester	113,567	17,693	(55,550)	75,710		
C R R Marsh	10,004	· -	-	10,004		

The directors held the above options under Diageo plc share option schemes at prices between 518 pence and 815 pence per ordinary share exercisable between 2006 and 2015. Certain options granted in the Republic of Ireland were granted at a price of Euros 7.37 per ordinary share. The options are granted at market value on the date the option is granted and the option price is payable when the option is exercised.

Directors' report (continued)

Directors' interests (continued)

The mid-market share price of Diageo plc shares fluctuated between 778 pence and 928 pence per share during the year. The mid-market share price on 30 June 2006 was 917 pence.

At 30 June 2006 all the directors had an interest in 17,791,320 shares and 8,045,000 shares subject to call options held by trusts to satisfy grants made under Diageo incentive plans and savings related share option schemes M J Lester had a further interest in 6,460,442 shares held by a trust to satisfy grants made under Diageo incentive plans and savings related share option schemes

Auditor

The company has taken advantage of Section 386(1) of the Companies Act 1985, as amended, to dispense with the obligation to appoint an auditor annually. The auditor, KPMG Audit Plc, is willing to continue in office and will be deemed to be re-appointed on the expiry of its term in office in respect of the year ended 30 June 2006.

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 auditor is unaware, and each director has taken all the steps that they ought to have taken as a director to make themselves aware of any relevant audit information and to establish that the company's auditor is aware of that information

By order of the board

J Nicholls Secretary

8 Henrietta Place

London

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14 December 2006

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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)

The financial statements are required by law to 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 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 proper accounting records that disclose with reasonable accuracy at any time the financial position of the company and enable them to ensure that its financial statements comply with the Companies Act 1985. 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 auditor's report to the members of Diageo (IH) Limited

We have audited the financial statements of Diageo (IH) Limited for the year ended 30 June 2006, which comprise the Profit and Loss account, the Balance Sheet, and the related notes These financial statements have been prepared under the accounting policies set out therein

This report is made solely to the company's members, as a body, in accordance with section 235 of the Companies Act 1985. 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 auditor

The directors' responsibilities for preparing the financial statements in accordance with applicable law and UK Accounting Standards (UK Generally Accepted Accounting Practice) are set out in the Statement of Directors' Responsibilities on page 4. Our responsibility is to audit the financial statements in accordance with relevant legal and regulatory requirements and International Standards on Auditing (UK and Ireland)

We report to you our opinion as to whether the financial statements give a true and fair view and are properly prepared in accordance with the Companies Act 1985. We also report to you whether in our opinion the information given in the Directors' Report is consistent with the financial statements. In addition, we report to you if, in our opinion, the company has not kept proper accounting records, if we have not received all the information and explanations we require for our audit, or if information specified by law regarding directors' remuneration and other transactions is not disclosed

We read the Directors' Report and consider the implications for our report if we become aware of any apparent misstatements within it

Basis of audit opinion

We conducted our audit in accordance with International Standards on Auditing (UK and Ireland) issued by the Auditing Practices Board. An audit includes examination, on a test basis, of evidence relevant to the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. It also includes an assessment of the significant estimates and judgements made by the directors in the preparation of the financial statements, and of whether the accounting policies are appropriate to the company's circumstances, consistently applied and adequately disclosed.

We planned and performed our audit so as to obtain all the information and explanations which we considered necessary in order to provide us with sufficient evidence to give reasonable assurance that the financial statements are free from material misstatement, whether caused by fraud or other irregularity or error. In forming our opinion we also evaluated the overall adequacy of the presentation of information in the financial statements.

Opinion

In our opinion

- the financial statements give a true and fair view, in accordance with UK Generally Accepted Accounting Practice, of the state of the company's affairs as at 30 June 2006 and of its profit for the year then ended,
- the financial statements have been properly prepared in accordance with the Companies Act 1985, and
- the information given in the Directors' Report is consistent with the financial statements

KPMG Audit Plc
Chartered Accountants
Registered Auditor
London

20 December 2006

Profit and loss account

	N.	Year ended 30 June 2006	Year ended 30 June 2005
	Notes	£'000	£'000
Foreign exchange loss		(2,260)	(1,310)
Operating loss		(2,260)	(1,310)
Gain on liquidation of Myers Rum Company, Limited	4	3,585	-
Interest received from/(paid to) group undertaking - Diageo			
Finance plc		165	(4)
Amounts written off investments	4	(252)	-
Profit/(loss) on ordinary activities before taxation		1,238	(1,314)
Taxation on profit on ordinary activities	3	628	394
Profit/(loss) for the financial year transferred to/ (from)			
reserves	8	<u>_1.866</u>	<u>(920)</u>

There are no recognised gains and losses other than the result for the year and consequently a statement of total recognised gains and losses has not been presented as part of the financial statements

There is no difference between the results for the years shown in the profit and loss account and the results for the relevant years restated on an historical cost basis

All results arise from continuing activities

Balance sheet

		30 Ju	ne 2006	30 Jı	me 2005
	Notes	£'000	£'000	£'000	£'000
Fixed assets					
Investments	4		613		90,528
Current assets					
Debtors – due within one year	5	119,599		112,052	
Creditors - amounts due					
within one year	6	(<u>148,589</u>)	(20.00)	(<u>232,878</u>)	(120,026)
Net current liabilities			(<u>28,990</u>)		(<u>120,826</u>)
Net liabilities			<u>(28,377)</u>		(30,298)
Capital and reserves					
Called up share capital	7		57		2
Reserves					
Profit and loss account	8		<u>(28,434</u>)		<u>(30,300</u>)
Equity shareholder's deficit	9		<u>(28,377)</u>		(30,298)

The financial statements on pages 6 to 13 were approved by the board of directors on 14 December 2006 and were signed on its behalf by

N Makos Director

Accounting policies

The following accounting policies have been applied consistently in dealing with items which are considered material in relation to the company's financial statements

Basis of preparation

The financial statements are prepared under the historical cost convention and in accordance with applicable UK accounting standards

The company is a wholly owned subsidiary of Diageo plc and is included in the consolidated financial statements of Diageo plc, which are publicly available. Consequently, the company has taken advantage of the exemption from preparing a cash flow statement under the terms of Financial Reporting Standard No 1 (Revised 1996)

The company is exempt under the terms of Financial Reporting Standard No 8 from disclosing related party transactions (but not balances) with entities that are part of the Diageo plc group ("group undertakings") or investees of the Diageo plc group

The company is exempt from the requirement to prepare group accounts under Section 228 of the Companies Act 1985 as its results are included in the consolidated accounts of Diageo plc

Going concern

The financial statements have been prepared on a going concern basis as a fellow group undertaking has agreed to provide financial support for the foreseeable future. The only liabilities at the balance sheet date are in respect of balances due to group undertakings.

Fixed asset investments

Income from fixed asset investments is credited to the profit and loss account when it is declared by the paying company. Investments are stated individually at cost less, where appropriate, provision for impairment in value where such impairment is expected by the directors to be permanent.

Foreign currencies

Transactions in foreign currencies are recorded at the rate of exchange at the date of the transaction Assets and liabilities in foreign currencies are translated into sterling at the financial year end exchange rates

All exchange gains and losses are taken to the profit and loss account

Notes to the financial statements

1. New accounting policies

The accounting policies of the company are consistent with those applied last year, apart from where the company has adopted the following accounting standards in the year

FRS 21 – Events after the balance sheet date This standard specifies the accounting treatment to be adopted and the disclosures to be provided by entities for events occurring after the balance sheet date. The adoption of this standard has not resulted in the restatement of information reported in respect of the year ended 30 June 2005, nor has it impacted the results in respect of the year ended 30 June 2006.

FRS 25 – Financial Instruments: Disclosure and Presentation The company has adopted the presentation requirements of FRS 25 in these financial statements. The presentational requirements apply to the classification of financial instruments into financial assets, financial liabilities or equity instruments, the classification of related interest, dividend, gains and losses, and the circumstances around which financial assets and liabilities should be offset. The adoption of these requirements has not resulted in the restatement of the information is respect of the year ended 30 June 2005, nor has it impacted the results in respect of the year ended 30 June 2006. Note that the company has not adopted the disclosure requirements of FRS 25 in these financial statements.

FRS 28 – Corresponding amounts FRS 28 sets out the requirements for the disclosure of corresponding amounts for items disclosed in a company's primary financial statements and the notes to the financial statements

2. Operating costs

The company did not employ any staff during either the current or prior year

None of the directors received any remuneration during the financial year in respect of their services as directors of the company (2005 - £nil)

Details of the directors' share interests and any share options exercised during the year are included within the directors' report on pages 1 to 3

The auditor's remuneration was paid on behalf of the company by a fellow group undertaking. There were no fees payable to the auditor in respect of non-audit services (2005 - £nil)

3. Taxation

(i) Analysis of taxation credit for the year	Year ended 30 June 2006 £'000	Year en 30 June 2 £'	
Current tax UK corporation tax at 30% (2005 - 30%)	628		394
Taxation on profit on ordinary activities	628	_	394
(ii) Factors affecting current tax credit for the y	30	Year ended June 2006 £'000	Year ended 30 June 2005 £'000
Profit/(Loss) on ordinary activities before taxation	ı	1,238	(1,314)
Taxation on profit on ordinary activities at UK co tax rate of 30% (2005 - 30%) Items not chargeable for tax purposes Amounts written off investments	rporation	(371) 1,075 (76)	394
Current ordinary tax credit for the year		628	394

4. Fixed assets - investments

Shares in subsidiary undertakings

	30 June 2006
	£'000
Cost	
At beginning of the year	107,815
Additions	879
Disposals	(107,772)
At end of the year	<u>922</u>
Provision	
At beginning of the year	(17,287)
Provided during the year	(252)
Disposals	<u>17,230</u>
At end of the year	(309)
Net book value	
At 30 June 2005	<u>90,528</u>
At 30 June 2006	<u>613</u>

The company's subsidiary undertakings are as follows

Subsidiary undertakings	Country of incorporation	Principal activity	Class of shares held
Direct:			
Trelawny Estates Limited Indirect:	Jamaica	Administrative company	Ordinary shares
Myers Rum Company (Jamaica) Limited *	Jamaica	Dormant	

^{*} Subsidiary of Trelawny Estates Limited

Diageo (IH) Limited also has an indirect interest in Claredon Distillers Limited, a company incorporated in Jamaica, which is an associate of Trelawny Estates Limited (49%) Claredon Distillers Limited produces and exports bulk rum

All subsidiary undertakings are wholly owned

Myers Rum Company, Limited, a former subsidiary undertaking, was liquidated on 20 December 2005, resulting in a £3,584,704 profit for Diageo (IH) Limited

In the opinion of the directors of the company, the investment in and amounts due from the company's subsidiary undertakings are worth at least the amount at which they are stated in the financial statements

5.	Debtors – due within one year		
	·	30 June 2006 £'000	30 June 2005 £'000
	Amounts owed by group undertakings		
	Justerini & Brooks, Limited	1,022	394
	Diageo Canada Holdings Inc	1,216	1,138
	Diageo Finance plc	6,841	-
	Diageo Scotland Limited	<u>110,520</u>	<u>110,520</u>
		<u>119,599</u>	<u>112,052</u>
6.	Creditors - amounts due within one year		
		30 June 2006 £'000	30 June 2005 £'000
	Amount owed to parent undertaking (Diageo Venture	1.5000	4.45.065
	Holdings Limited) Amount owed to subsidiary undertaking (Myers Rum Company, Limited – liquidated)	145,086	145,065
			84,256
	Amounts owed to other group undertakings	-	07,230
	Diageo Finance plc	_	68
	Diageo plc	<u>3,503</u>	<u>3,489</u>
		<u>148,589</u>	<u>232,878</u>
7.	Called up share capital		
		30 June 2006 £'000	30 June 2005 £'000
	Authorised		
	2,000,000 (2005 2,000) ordinary shares of £1 each	<u>2,000</u>	2
	Allotted, called up and fully paid		
	57,010 (2005 2,000) ordinary shares of £1 each	<u>57</u>	2
8.	Reserves		
			Profit and loss
			account
			£'000
	At 30 June 2005		(30,300)
	Profit for the year		<u>1,866</u>
	At 30 June 2006		(28,434)

9. Reconciliation of movement in shareholders' deficit

	30 June 2006 £'000	30 June 2005 £'000
Profit/(loss) for the financial year	<u>1,866</u>	<u>(920</u>)
Net reduction in/(addition to) shareholders' deficit	1,866	(920)
New share capital issued	55	-
Shareholders' deficit at beginning of the year	(30,298)	(<u>29,378</u>)
Shareholders' deficit at end of the year	(28,377)	(30,298)

10. Immediate and ultimate parent undertaking

The immediate parent undertaking of the company is Diageo Venture Holdings Limited, a company incorporated and registered in Scotland. The ultimate parent undertaking of the company is Diageo plc, a company incorporated and registered in England. The consolidated financial statements of Diageo plc can be obtained from the registered office at 8 Henrietta Place, London W1G 0NB