Secret Hotels4 Limited

Report and financial statements

for the year ended 31 December 2010



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Secret Hotels4 Limited Company information

Directors J Donaldson

Secretary I Lindsay

Auditor Grant Thornton UK LLP Statutory Auditor Chartered Accountants Slough Berkshire SL1 2LS

Registered office 39 Victoria Street London SW1H 0EU

Registered number 04357078

Secret Hotels4 Limited Directors' report

The directors present their report and financial statements for the year ended 31 December 2010

Principal activities and review of the business

The results for the Company show a net loss after tax of £9 000 (2009 profit £197 000)

The Company ceased to trade as a retail travel agent following the sale of its trade to Hotels4U com Limited. The directors do not intend to resume trading

Principal risks and uncertainties

As the Company is no longer trading the directors do not consider there are any significant risks or uncertainties

Events since the balance sheet date

No matters or circumstances have arisen since the end of the financial period which significantly affected or may significantly affect the operations of the Company, the results of those operations or the state of affairs of the Company in financial years subsequent to the financial period ended 31 December 2010

Going concern

The Company is dependent on the group for continued financial support and the directors are satisfied that the financial support will be available when required. The directors have made enquiries and have formed the view that there is a reasonable expectation that such support will be available in the forseeable future. For this reason, the directors continue to adopt the going concern basis in preparing the accounts.

Directors

The directors who served during the year, and subsequently are as follows

J Donaldson

E Kamm (resigned 15 August 2011)

P Hoffstetter (resigned 19 July 2010)

I McCaig (resigned 26 November 2010)

Supplier payment policy

The Company agrees payment terms and conditions with individual suppliers which vary according to the commercial relationship and the terms of the agreements reached, and establishes terms of trade consistent with practice in its country of operation

Disclosure of information to the auditor

The directors confirm that so far as they are each aware

- there is no relevant audit information of which the Company's auditor is unaware, and
- the directors have taken all steps that they ought to have taken to make themselves aware of all relevant audit information and to establish that the auditor is aware of that information

Auditor

Grant Thornton UK LLP having expressed their willingness to continue in office will be deemed reappointed for the next financial year in accordance with Section 487(2) of the Companies Act 2006 unless the Company receives notice under Section 488(1) of the Companies Act 2006

Liability Limitation Agreement with the auditor

The Company has entered into a liability limitation agreement with Grant Thornton UK LLP, the statutory auditor in respect of the statutory audit for the year ended 31 December 2010. The proportionate liability agreement follows the standard terms in the Appendix B to the Financial Reporting Council's June 2008. Guidance on Auditor Liability Agreements.

On behalf of the board

J Donaldson

Director

22 August 2011

Secret Hotels4 Limited Statement of directors' responsibilities

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 the directors have elected to prepare the 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 of the profit or loss of the Company for that period in preparing those 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 will continue in business

The directors are responsible for keeping adequate accounting records that show and explain the Company's transactions and disclose with reasonable accuracy at any time the financial position of the Company and to 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.

Secret Hotels4 Limited

Independent auditor's report to the members of Secret Hotels4 Limited

We have audited the financial statements of Secret Hotels4 Limited for the year ended 31 December 2010 which comprise the profit and loss account, the balance sheet, and the related notes. The financial reporting framework that has been applied in their preparation is applicable law and United Kingdom Accounting Standards (United Kingdom Generally Accepted Accounting Practice)

This report is made solely to the Company's members, as a body, in accordance with Chapter 3 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 Statement of directors' responsibilities 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 and express an opinion on the financial statements in accordance with applicable law and International Standards on Auditing (UK and Ireland). Those standards require us to comply with the Auditing Practices Board's (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 website at www.frc.org.uk/apb/scope/private.cfm

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 2010 and of its loss for the
 year then ended,
- have been properly prepared in accordance with United Kingdom Generally Accepted Accounting Practice, and
- have been 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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Paul Creasey Senior Statutory Auditor for and on behalf of Grant Thornton UK LLP Statutory Auditor, Chartered Accountants Slough

22 August 2011

Secret Hotels4 Limited Profit and loss account for the year ended 31 December 2010

	Notes	2010 £000	2009 £000
Total Transaction Value (TTV)	2	<u> </u>	6
Turnover	2		2
Administrative expenses		(1)	69
Operating profit		(1)	71
Profit on sale of trade		-	135
Interest payable and similar charges	5	(8)	(9)
(Loss)/profit on ordinary activities before taxation		(9)	197
Tax on (loss)/profit on ordinary activities	6	-	-
Retained (loss)/profit for the financial year		(9)	197

All operations are now discontinued

There are no recognised gains or losses in either period other than the loss or profit for that period

The accompanying accounting policies and notes form an integral part of these financial statements

Secret Hotels4 Limited Balance sheet as at 31 December 2010

	Notes	2000	2010 £000	£000	2009 £000
Current assets		,	2000		
Debtors	7	3,666		4,001	
Creditors amounts falling due within one year	8 _	(5,137)		(5,463)	
Net current liabilities			(1,471)		(1,462)
Net liabilities		=	(1,471)	=	(1,462)
Capital and reserves					
Called up share capital	9		2		2
Profit and loss account	10		(1,473)		(1,464)
Equity shareholders' deficit	10	=	(1,471)	=	(1,462)

These financial statements of Secret Hotels4 Limited, registered number 04357078, were approved by the directors and authorised for issue on 22 August 2011, and are signed on their behalf by

J Donaldson Director

The accompanying accounting policies and notes form an integral part of these financial statements

Secret Hotels4 Limited Notes to the financial statements for the year ended 31 December 2010

1 Accounting policies

Basis of preparation

The financial statements have been prepared under the historical cost convention and in accordance with applicable United Kingdom accounting standards

The directors have reviewed the principal accounting policies of the Company and consider that they remain the most appropriate for the Company

The principal accounting policies of the Company are set out below

Going concern

The Company is dependent on the group for continued financial support and the directors are satisfied that the financial support will be available when required. The directors have made enquiries and formed the view that such support will be available in the foreseeable future. For this reason, the directors continue to adopt the going concern basis in preparing the accounts.

Deferred tax

Deferred tax assets are recognised only to the extent that the assets are expected to be realised, either in cash terms or by the mitigation of future liabilities, in the foreseeable future. Provision is made for deferred taxation using the liability method to take account of timing differences between the incidence of income and expenditure for taxation and accounting purposes.

Deferred tax is measured on an undiscounted basis at the tax rates that are expected to apply in the periods in which timing differences reverse, based on tax rates and laws enacted or substantively enacted at the balance sheet date

Foreign currencies

Transactions in foreign currencies are recorded at the rate ruling at the date of the transaction. Monetary assets and liabilities denominated in foreign currencies are retranslated at the rate of exchange ruling at the balance sheet date. All gains and losses arising as a result are taken to the profit and loss account.

Cash flow statement

In accordance with FRS 1 (Revised 1996) 'Cash flow Statements', these financial statements do not include a Statement of Cash Flows as the Company is a wholly owned subsidiary undertaking of Sabre Holdings Corporation whose accounts include a consolidated Statement of Cash Flows

2 TTV and turnover

Total Transaction Value (TTV), which is stated net of value added tax, does not represent the Company's statutory turnover TTV represents the invoice price at which the goods or services have been sold to the customer

The Company acts as agent and does not take ownership of the products or services being sold, with turnover representing commission earned and is recognised on a departure date basis

Turnover and pre-tax loss are attributable to the principal activity and are earned predominantly within the United Kingdom, notwithstanding the Company's activities as a travel agent are predominantly for destinations overseas

3 Auditor's remuneration

The auditor's remuneration has been borne by other group companies and the cost to the Company is estimated to be £3,675 (2009 £3,500) Fees for non audit services are estimated to be £3,000 (2009 £4,000)

4 Staff costs

All staff are contracted with Lastminute Network Limited, another group company. However, the Company has agreed to bear the cost for staff as appropriate through a monthly recharge from Lastminute Network Limited.

Directors' emoluments

The directors received no remuneration for their services in respect of the Company in either the current or preceding period

5 Interest payable and similar charges

more payable and similar starges	2010 £000	2009 £000
Bank loans & overdrafts	8	9

Secret Hotels4 Limited Notes to the financial statements for the year ended 31 December 2010

6 Tax

	Tax charge in the current year is £nil (2009 £nil)				
	(b) Factors affecting the current tax charge			2010 £000	2009 £000
	(Loss)/profit on ordinary activities before tax			(9)	197
	(Loss)/profit on ordinary activities multiplied by the sta	adard rate of corneration to	av in the LIV of		
	28% (2009 - 28%)	ndard rate of corporation to	ax iii tile OK oi	(3)	55
	Effects of				
	Permanent differences Capital allowances in excess of of depreciation			(6) -	(10) (12)
	Group relief surrender			9	•
	Capital gains transferred to another group entity			<u>-</u>	(33)
	Current tax charge for the year				<u> </u>
	(c) Deferred tax				
	At 31 December 2010 the Company did not have any	potential deferred tax asse	ts (2009 £nil)		
7	Debtors			2010	2009
	Associate and by associated above			£000	0003
	Amounts owed by group undertakings			3 666	4 001
8	Creditors amounts falling due within one year			2010 £000	2009 £000
	Bank overdraft			232	232
	Trade creditors			10	
	Amounts owed to group undertakings Accruals and deferred income			4,891 4	5,223 8
				5,137	5,463
9	Authorised and issued share capital	2010	2009	2010	2009
Ĭ	Training and rooms share suprai	No	No	€000	£000
	Authorised Ordinary 'A' shares of £0 01 each	49.900	49.900		
	Ordinary 'B' shares of £0 01 each	49,900 30,100	49,900 30,100	-	
	Ordinary 'C' shares of £0 05 each	10,000	10,000	1	1
	Ordinary 'D' shares of £0 05 each	10,000	10,000	1	1
		100,000	100,000	2	2
		2010	2009	2010	2009
		No	No	£000	£000
	Allotted, called up and fully paid	40.000	40.000		
	Ordinary 'A' shares of £0 01 each Ordinary 'B' shares of £0 01 each	49,900 30,100	49,900 30,100	-	•
	Ordinary 'C' shares of £0 05 each	10,000	10,000	1	1
	Ordinary 'D' shares of £0 05 each	10,000	10,000	1	1
		100,000	100,000		2
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Secret Hotels4 Limited Notes to the financial statements for the year ended 31 December 2010

10 Reconciliation of shareholders' deficit and movement on reserves

	Called up share capital £000	Profit and loss account £000	Total equity shareholders' deficit £000
At 1 January 2009	2	(1,661)	(1,659)
Profit for the year	•	197	197
At 31 December 2009	2	(1,464)	(1,462)
Loss for the year		(9)	(9)
At 31 December 2010	2	(1 473)	(1 471)

11 Contingent liabilities

The Company has entered into cross-guarantee and indemnity arrangements with the Group's bankers for the provision of various bonds guarantees and overdraft facilities provided by the bank to the company and other Group companies to a maximum of £85 9m (2009 £80 7m)

12 Related party transactions

The Company has taken advantage of the exemption available under FRS 8 'Related Party Disclosures' not to disclose transactions between entities whose voting rights are 100% controlled within the Sabre group of companies

13 Parent undertaking and controlling party

The immediate parent company is Holiday Autos Group Limited, a company incorporated in England and Wales. The ultimate holding company is Sovereign Holdings, Inc., a company incorporated in Delaware, United States of America.

The smallest and largest group for which consolidated financial statements are prepared is Sabre Holdings Corporation. The registered office of Sabre Holdings Corporation is 3150 Sabre Drive, Southlake, Texas, USA