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# PRIMEMODERN LIMITED

# **DIRECTORS' REPORT AND FINANCIAL STATEMENTS**

For the year ended 31 December 2013



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# **PRIMEMODERN LIMITED**

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#### **DIRECTORS' REPORT**

The directors of Primemodern Limited ("the Company") present their report and the audited financial statements for the year ended 31 December 2013.

## **ACTIVITIES AND BUSINESS REVIEW**

This directors' report has been prepared in accordance with the provisions applicable to companies entitled to the small companies exemption.

## **Principal activity**

The principal activity of the Company continues to be investment in property owning companies.

The Company is a subsidiary of The Royal Bank of Scotland Group plc ("the Group") which provides the Company with direction and access to all central resources it needs and determines policies in all key areas such as finance, risk, human resources or environment. For this reason, the directors believe that performance indicators specific to the Company are not necessary or appropriate for an understanding of the development, performance or position of the business. The annual reports of the Group review these matters on a group basis. Copies can be obtained from RBS Secretariat, RBS Gogarburn, Edinburgh EH12 1HQ, the Registrar of Companies or through the Group's website at www.rbs.com

#### **Business review**

The directors are satisfied with the Company's performance in the year.

#### Financial performance

The Company's financial performance is presented in the Profit and Loss Account on page 8. The profit before tax for the year was £353,969 (2012: £210,353). The retained profit for the year was £271,683 (2012: £158,822).

At the end of the year total assets were £8,541,362 (2012: £5,566,046). There was an increase of 53.5% in value of assets mainly due to increase in fair value of available-for-sale investments (note 9).

#### **Dividends**

The directors do not recommend the payment of a dividend (2012: £nil).

## Principal risks and uncertainties

The Company seeks to minimise its exposure to financial risks other than equity and credit risk.

Management focuses on both the overall balance sheet structure and the control, within prudent limits, of risk arising from mismatches, including currency, maturity, interest rate and liquidity. It is undertaken within limits and other policy parameters set by the RBS Group Asset and Liability Management Committee (GALCO).

The principal risks associated with the Company are as follows:

#### Interest rate risk

Interest rate risk arises where assets and liabilities have different repricing maturities. The Company manages interest rate risk by monitoring the consistency in the interest rate profile of its assets and liabilities, and limiting any re-pricing mismatches.

## **DIRECTORS' REPORT (continued)**

## Principal risks and uncertainties (continued)

## **Currency risk**

The Company is exposed to currency risk due to its investment in available for sale financial assets and loan from the intermediate parent company in Singapore Dollars.

The Company's policy is normally to match foreign currency receivables with borrowings in the same currency. Any open position would be as a result of fair value adjustments to the financial assets. This exposure would not be hedged as it is not structural in nature.

#### Credit risk

The objective of credit risk management is to enable the Company to achieve appropriate risk versus reward performance whilst maintaining credit risk exposure in line with approved appetite for the risk that customers will be unable to meet their obligations to the Company.

The key principles of the Group's Credit Risk Management Framework are set out below:

- approval of all credit exposure is granted prior to any advance or extension of credit;
- an appropriate credit risk assessment of the customer and credit facilities is undertaken prior to approval of credit exposure. This includes a review of, amongst other things, the purpose of credit and sources of repayment, compliance with affordability tests, repayment history, capacity to repay, sensitivity to economic and market developments and risk-adjusted return;
- credit risk authority is delegated by the Board and specifically granted in writing to all individuals involved in the granting of credit approval. In exercising credit authority, the individuals act independently of any related business revenue origination; and
- all credit exposures, once approved, are effectively monitored and managed and reviewed periodically against approved limits. Lower quality exposures are subject to a greater frequency of analysis and assessment.

The Company's exposure to credit risk is not considered to be significant as the credit exposures are with Group companies. At 31 December 2013 there were no outstanding or impaired loans due to the Company (2012: £nil).

#### Liquidity risk

Liquidity risk is the risk that the Company is unable to meet its obligations as they fall due. Liquidity risk is mitigated by the routine monitoring of key management information.

Liquidity risk arises where assets and liabilities have different contractual maturities. The Company has no liquidity risk.

#### Market risk

Market risk is the potential for loss as a result of adverse changes in risk factors including interest rates and equity prices together with related parameters such as market volatilities.

The Company is exposed to market risk due to assets and liabilities present in its Balance Sheet.

#### Market sensitivity analysis:

The sensitivity analysis below has been determined based on the Company's assets and liabilities present in the balance sheet as at the balance sheet date and by reference to a movement in market interest rates, price and currency rates reasonably possible in the Company's next financial reporting period.

#### Interest rate risk - sensitivity analysis

If interest rates for the current year had been 50 basis points lower and this movement applied to the assets and liabilities as at the balance sheet date, the pre-tax profit for the year ended 31 December 2013 would have been £24,379 higher (2012: £25,357 higher). This would have mainly resulted from lower financing costs in respect of its loans and lower interest income in respect of cash balances held. The inverse is equally true for the current year if interest rates had been 50 basis points higher.

#### **DIRECTORS' REPORT (continued)**

## Principal risks and uncertainties (continued)

#### Market risk (continued)

#### Currency risk - sensitivity analysis

If the Pound Sterling had been 5% weaker against its currency positions at balance sheet date, the pre-tax profit for the year ended 31 December 2013 would have been £338,072 (2012: £356,847 lower). This would have resulted in lower foreign exchange gain on loans.

The inverse is equally true for the current year if the Pound Sterling had been 5% stronger against its currency positions.

#### Price risk - sensitivity analysis

The Company has a quoted security. A 5% decrease in the year end quoted price would decrease the fair value reserve and the investment value by £349,319 (2012: £191,241).

The inverse is equally true for the current year if the quoted security traded 5% stronger.

#### Going concern

The directors, having a reasonable expectation that the Company has adequate resources to continue in operational existence for the foreseeable future, have prepared the financial statements on the going concern basis.

#### **DIRECTORS AND SECRETARY**

The present directors and secretary, who have served throughout the year, are listed on page 1.

## **DIRECTORS' RESPONSIBILITIES STATEMENT**

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 a directors' report and financial statements for each financial year. Under that law the directors have elected to prepare them in accordance with Financial Reporting Standard 101 Reduced Disclosure Framework, and must not approve the financial statements unless they are satisfied that they give a true and fair view of the state of affairs at the end of the year and the profit for the financial year of the Company. 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 Financial Reporting Standard 101 has been followed; and
- make an assessment of the Company's ability to continue as a going concern.

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 to enable them to ensure that the Directors' Report and financial statements comply with the requirements of 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 AUDITOR

Each of the directors at the date of approval of this report confirms that:

- in so far as they are aware, there is no relevant audit information of which the Company's auditor is unaware; and
- the director has taken all the steps that they ought to have taken to make themselves aware of any relevant audit information, and to establish that the Company's auditor is aware of that information.

This confirmation is given and shall be interpreted in accordance with the provisions of section 418 of the Companies Act 2006.

## **AUDITOR**

Deloitte LLP has expressed their willingness to continue in office as auditor.

Approved by the Board of Directors and signed on its behalf:

A R Aitken Director

Date: 16 June 2014

#### INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT TO THE MEMBERS OF PRIMEMODERN LIMITED

We have audited the financial statements of Primemodern Limited ('the Company') for the year ended 31 December 2013 which comprises the Profit and Loss Account, the Statement of Comprehensive Income, the Balance Sheet, the Statement of Changes in Equity and the related notes 1 to 14. The financial reporting framework that has been applied in their preparation is applicable law and Financial Reporting Standard 101 Reduced Disclosure Framework.

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 auditor

As explained more fully in the Directors' Responsibilities Statement, 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 Ethical Standards for Auditors.

## Scope of the audit of the financial statements

An audit involves obtaining evidence about the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements sufficient to give reasonable assurance that the financial statements are free from material misstatement, whether caused by fraud or error. This includes an assessment of: whether the accounting policies are appropriate to the Company's circumstances and have been consistently applied and adequately disclosed; the reasonableness of significant accounting estimates made by the directors; and the overall presentation of the financial statements. In addition, we read all the financial and non-financial information in the annual report to identify material inconsistencies with the audited financial statements and to identify any information that is apparently materially incorrect based on, or materially inconsistent with, the knowledge acquired by us in the course of performing the audit. If we become aware of any apparent material misstatements or inconsistencies we consider the implications for our report.

#### **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 2013 and of its profit for the year then ended;
- have been properly prepared in accordance with Financial Reporting Standard 101 Reduced Disclosure Framework; 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.

# INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT TO THE MEMBERS OF PRIMEMODERN LIMITED (continued)

#### 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.

 the directors were not entitled to take advantage of the small companies exemption from preparing a Strategic Report or in preparing the Directors' Report.

Simon Hardy, FCA (Senior Statutory Auditor)

For and on behalf of Deloitte LLP

Chartered Accountants and Statutory Auditor,

London, United Kingdom

Date: 16 June 2014

# PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT For the year ended 31 December 2013

			•
•		2013	2012
Income from continuing operations	Notes	£	£
Turnover	3	27,054	407,590
Operating expenses .	4	(42,299)	(39,753)
Operating (loss)/profit before tax		(15,245)	367,837
Foreign exchange gain/(loss)		390,548	(128,973)
Other interest income	. 5	5,424	6,977
Other interest expense	· 6	(26,758)	(35,488)
Non-operating income/(expense)		369,214	(157,484)
Profit before tax	······································	353,969	210,353
Tax charge	7	(82,286)	(51,531)
Profit for the financial year		271,683	158,822

The accompanying notes form an integral part of these financial statements.

# STATEMENT OF COMPREHENSIVE INCOME For the year ended 31 December 2013

		2013	2012
	Note	£	£
Profit for the financial year		271,683	158,822
Other comprehensive income:			
Increase in fair value of available-for-sale investments	9 -	3,161,571	694,844
Other comprehensive income before tax		3,161,571	694,844
Tax charge	•	(734,957)	(170,218)
Other comprehensive income after tax		2,426,614	524,626
Total comprehensive income for the year		2,698,297	683,448

The accompanying notes form an integral part of these financial statements.

# BALANCE SHEET As at 31 December 2013

		2013	2012
· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	Notes	£	£
Fixed Assets			
Investments in Group undertakings	8		24,531
Available-for-sale investments	9 _	6,986,387	3,824,816
		6,986,387	3,849,347
Current assets			
Cash at bank		1,554,975	1,716,699
Total assets		8,541,362	5,566,046
Creditore, emounts falling due within and year			
Creditors: amounts falling due within one year  Current tax liabilities	•	817,243	221,749
	10	38,945	8,000
Amounts due to Group undertakings	,	856,188	229,749
Creditors: amounts falling due after more than one ye	ar	· ·	•
Amounts due to Group undertakings	10	6,430,685	6,780,105
Total liabilities	_	7,286,873	7,009,854
Facility and the land or a sure	•		
Equity: capital and reserves	10	_	
Called up share capital	12	1 404 500	077.040
Available-for-sale reserve		3,404,560	977,946
Profit and loss account	<del></del>	(2,150,072)	(2,421,755)
Total shareholders' funds/(deficit)	-	1,254,489	(1,443,808)
Total liabilities and shareholders' funds		8,541,362	5,566,046

The accompanying notes form an integral part of these financial statements.

The financial statements were approved by the Board of Directors on 16 June 2014 and signed on its behalf by:

A R Aitken Director

# STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN EQUITY For the year ended 31 December 2013

	Share capital £	Available- for-sale reserve £	Profit and loss account £	Total £
At 1 January 2012	. 1	453,320	(2,580,577)	(2,127,256)
Profit for the year Increase in the fair value of	-	· -	158,822	158,822
investments available-for-sale	-	694,844	-	694,844
Tax charge on items taken to equity	-	(170,218)		(170,218)
At 31 December 2012	. 1	977,946	(2,421,755)	(1,443,808)
Profit for the year Increase in the fair value of		-	271,683	271,683
investments available-for-sale	-	3,161,571	-	3,161,571
Tax charge on items taken to equity		(734,957)		(734,957)
At 31 December 2013	1	3,404,560	(2,150,072)	1,254,489

Total comprehensive income for the year of £2,698,297 (2012: £683,448) was wholly attributable to the owners of the Company.

The accompanying notes form an integral part of these financial statements.

## NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

## 1. Accounting policies

#### a) Preparation and presentation of financial statements

These financial statements are prepared on a going concern basis and in accordance with the recognition and measurement principles of International Financial Reporting Standards issued by the IASB and interpretations issued by the International Financial Reporting Interpretations Committee of the IASB as adopted by the EU (together IFRS) and under Financial Reporting Standard 101 (Reduced Disclosure Framework). The Company meets the definition of a qualifying entity under FRS 100 (Financial Reporting Standard 100) issued by the Financial Reporting Council.

As permitted by FRS 101, the Company has taken advantage of the disclosure exemptions available under that standard in relation presentation of a cash flow statement, standards not yet effective, and related party transactions. Where required, equivalent disclosures are given in the group accounts of The Royal Bank of Scotland Group plc, these accounts are available to the public and can be obtained as set out in note 13.

The financial statements are prepared on the historical cost basis except that the available-for-sale financial assets are stated at their fair value.

The Company's financial statements are presented in Sterling which is the functional currency of the Company.

The Company is incorporated in the UK and registered in England and Wales. The Company's financial statements are presented in accordance with the Companies Act 2006.

## Adoption of new and revised standards

There are a number of changes to IFRS that were effective from 1 January 2013. They have had no material effect on the Company's financial statements for the year ended 31 December 2013.

## b) Consolidated financial statements

The financial statements contain information about Primemodern Limited as an individual company and do not contain consolidated financial information as the parent of a group. The Company is exempt under IFRS 10 Consolidated Financial Statements and section 400 of the Companies Act 2006 from the requirement to prepare consolidated financial statements as the Company and its subsidiaries are included by full consolidation in the IFRS consolidated financial statements of its parent, The Royal Bank of Scotland Group plc, a public company registered in Scotland.

#### c) Foreign currencies

Transactions in foreign currencies are translated into Sterling at the foreign exchange rate ruling at the date of the transaction. Monetary assets and liabilities denominated in foreign currencies are translated into sterling at the rates of exchange ruling at the balance sheet date. Foreign exchange differences arising on translation are recognised in profit or loss. Non-monetary items denominated in foreign currencies that are stated at fair value are translated into Sterling at foreign exchange rates ruling at the dates the values were determined and exchange differences on such items are recognised in equity.

#### d) Revenue recognition

Interest income on financial assets that are classified as loans and receivables or available-for-sale and interest expense on financial liabilities other than those at fair value through profit or loss are determined using the effective interest method. The effective interest method is a method of calculating the amortised cost of a financial asset or financial liability (or group of financial assets or liabilities) and of allocating the interest income or interest expense over the expected life of the asset or liability. The effective interest rate is the rate that exactly discounts estimated future cash flows to the instrument's initial carrying amount. Calculation of the effective interest rate takes into account fees payable or receivable, that are an integral part of the instrument's yield, premiums or discounts on acquisition or issue, early redemption fees and transaction costs. All contractual terms of a financial instrument are considered when estimating future cash flows.

Dividend income is recognised when the paying entity is obliged to make the payment.

## 1. Accounting policies (continued)

#### e) Taxation

Income tax expense or income, comprising current tax and deferred tax, is recorded in the Profit and Loss Account except income tax on items recognised outside profit or loss which is credited or charged to other comprehensive income or to equity as appropriate.

Current tax is income tax payable or recoverable in respect of the taxable profit or loss for the year arising in income or in equity. Provision is made for current tax at rates enacted or substantively enacted at the balance sheet date.

Deferred tax is the tax expected to be payable or recoverable in respect of temporary differences between the carrying amount of an asset or liability for accounting purposes and its carrying amount for tax purposes. Deferred tax liabilities are generally recognised for all taxable temporary differences and deferred tax assets are recognised to the extent that it is probable that they will be recovered. Deferred tax is not recognised on temporary differences that arise from initial recognition of an asset or liability in a transaction (other than a business combination) that at the time of the transaction affects neither accounting nor taxable profit nor loss. Deferred tax is calculated using tax rates expected to apply in the periods when the assets will be realised or the liabilities settled, based on tax rates and laws enacted, or substantively enacted, at the balance sheet date.

#### f) Investment in Group undertakings

The Company's interests in Group undertakings are stated at cost less provision for any impairment.

## g) Financial assets

On initial recognition, financial assets are classified into loans and receivables; available-for-sale financial assets.

#### Loans and receivables

Non-derivative financial assets with fixed or determinable repayments that are not quoted in an active market are classified as loans and receivables, except those that are classified as available-for-sale or as held-for-trading, or designated as at fair value through profit or loss. Loans and receivables are initially recognised at fair value plus directly related transaction costs. They are subsequently measured at amortised cost using the effective interest method (see accounting policy (d)) less any impairment losses.

#### Available-for-sale

Financial assets that are not classified as held-to-maturity; held-for-trading; designated as at fair value through profit or loss; or loans and receivables, are classified as available-for-sale. Financial assets can be designated as available-for-sale on initial recognition. Available-for-sale financial assets are initially recognised at fair value plus directly related transaction costs. They are subsequently measured at fair value. Impairment losses and exchange differences resulting from retranslating the amortised cost of foreign currency monetary available-for-sale financial assets are recognised in profit or loss together with interest calculated using the effective interest method (see accounting policy 1(d)). Other changes in the fair value of available-for-sale financial assets are reported in a separate component of shareholders' equity until disposal, when the cumulative gain or loss is recognised in profit or loss.

#### h) Impairment of financial assets

The Company assesses at each balance sheet date whether there is any objective evidence that a financial asset or group of financial assets classified as held-to-maturity, available-for-sale or loans and receivables is impaired. A financial asset or portfolio of financial assets is impaired and an impairment loss incurred if there is objective evidence that an event or events since initial recognition of the asset have adversely affected the amount or timing of future cash flows from the asset.

## i) Financial liabilities

On initial recognition financial liabilities are classified into amortised cost.

#### Amortised cost

All financial liabilities are measured at amortised cost using the effective interest method (see accounting policy 1(d)).

## 2. Critical accounting policies and key sources of estimation uncertainty

The reported results of the Company are sensitive to the accounting policies, assumptions and estimates that underlie the preparation of its financial statements. UK company law and IFRS require the directors, in preparing the Company's financial statements, to select suitable accounting policies, apply them consistently and make judgements and estimates that are reasonable and prudent. In the absence of an applicable standard or interpretation, IAS 8 'Accounting Policies, Changes in Accounting Estimates and Errors', requires management to develop and apply an accounting policy that results in relevant and reliable information in the light of the requirements and guidance in IFRS dealing with similar and related issues and the IASB's Framework for the Preparation and Presentation of Financial Statements. The judgements and assumptions involved in the Company's accounting policies that are considered by the directors to be the most important to the portrayal of its financial condition are discussed below. The use of estimates, assumptions or models that differ from those adopted by the Company would affect its reported results.

#### Fair value - financial instruments

Financial instruments classified as available-for-sale are recognised in the financial statements at fair value. Unrealised gains and losses on available-for sale financial assets are recognised directly in equity unless an impairment loss is recognised.

Fair value is the amount for which an asset could be exchanged, or a liability settled, between knowledgeable, willing parties in an arm's length transaction. Fair values are determined by reference to observable market prices where available and reliable. Where representative market prices for an instrument are not available or are unreliable because of poor liquidity, the fair value is derived from prices for its components using appropriate pricing or valuation models.

#### 3. Turnover

	2013	2012
	£	£
Dividend received on equity investments	-	407,590
Profit on sale of investments	27,054	_
	27,054	407,590
4. Operating expenses		
	2013	2012
	£	£
Management fees	30,945	24,753
Other expenses	11,354	15,000
	42,299	39,753

## Management recharge

Management charges relate to the Company's share of group resources such as the use of IT platforms, staff and a share of central resources. These are re-charged on an annual basis by The Royal Bank of Scotland plc ("RBS").

## Staff costs, number of employees and directors' emoluments

All staff and directors were employed by RBSG companies and RBSG, accounts for which contain full disclosure of employee benefit expenses incurred in the period including share-based payments and pensions. The Company has no employees and pays a management charge for services provided by other group companies. The directors of the Company do not receive remuneration for specific services provided to the Company.

The auditor's remuneration of £8,000 (2012: £8,000) for statutory audit work was borne by the Company.

## 5. Other interest income

	2013	2012
	£	£
Interest receivable on deposits	5,424	6,977
6. Other interest expense		
	2013	2012
<u></u>	£	£_
Interest payable on loan from parent	26,758	35,488
7. Taxation	•	
	2013	2012
<u> </u>	£	£_
Current taxation: UK corporation tax charge for the year	82,286	51,531

The actual tax charge is computed by applying the blended UK corporation tax rate of 23.25% (2012: 24.5%):

The actual tax charge does not differ from the expected tax charge.

In recent years the UK Government has steadily reduced the rate of UK corporation tax with the latest rates substantively enacted in July 2013, now standing at 21% with effect from 1 April 2014 and 20% with effect from 1 April 2015.

## 8. Investments in Group undertakings

		2013	2012
·		3	£_
As at 1 January and 31 December	•		24,531

The Company is the sole guarantor for £1 of Libra No.1 Limited, a company limited by guarantee.

The Company's subsidiary, Rose Barn Securities SAS was dissolved with effect from 18 February 2013 for a consideration of €61,004.

## 9. Available-for-sale investments

Movements during the year were as follows:

2013 £	2012 £
3,824,816	3,129,972
3,372,739	637,470
(211,168)	57,374
6,986,387	3,824,816
	3,372,739 (211,168)

The balances above at 31 December 2013 and 31 December 2012 relate to an investment in 125,887,500 equity shares of China New Town Development, a company listed on Singapore Stock Exchange. The notional currency in which the investments are traded is Singapore Dollars. The fair value of this investment is based on the quoted market price and is translated into GBP at spot exchange rate on the Balance Sheet date. The quoted market price of share as at 31 December 2013 was SGD 0.116 (2012: SGD 0.06).

## 10. Amounts due to Group undertakings

	2013	2012
	£	£
Loan from intermediate parent company	6,430,685	6,780,105
Accruals – management fees	38,945	8,000
	6,469,630	6,788,105

The loan from the Company's intermediate parent has been issued in Singapore Dollars. The balance of £6,430,685 (2012: £6,780,105) is the year end translated value of the Singapore Dollar loan. The loan is a one-month rolling loan with a maturity date of 30 January 2014. The effective interest rate on the Singapore Dollar loan during the year ended 31 December 2013 varied between 0.29% and 0.70%. The carrying value of the loan as at year end approximates to its fair value.

## 11. Financial instruments

The following tables analyse the Company's financial assets and liabilities in accordance with the categories of financial instruments in IAS 39 "Financial Instruments, Recognition and Measurement". Assets and liabilities outside the scope of IAS 39 are shown separately.

· ·			At N	lon financial	•
	Available- for-sale	Loans and receivables	amortised cost	assets/ liabilities	Total
2013	3	3	£	<u> </u>	3
Assets					
Available - for - sale					
investments	6,986,387	•	-	-	6,986,387
Cash at bank		1,554,975	. •		1,554,975
	6,986,387	1,554,975	-	-	8,541,362
Liabilities		•			
Current tax liability Amounts due to Group	-	. •	•	817,243	817,243
undertakings	_	· -	6,469,630		6,469,630
	-	-	6,469,630	817,243	7,286,873
Shareholders' funds			•		1,254,489
					8,541,362

## 11. Financial instruments (continued)

	Available- for-sale	Loans and receivables	At amortised cost	Non financial assets/ liabilities	Total
2012	£	£	£	£	£
Assets Available-for-sale			•		
investments Investments in Group	3,824,816	•		•	3,824,816
undertakings	-	-	•	24,531	24,531
Cash at bank		1,716,699	<u>.</u>	-	1,716,699
	3,824,816	1,716,699	•	24,531	5,566,046
<b>Liabilities</b> Amounts due to Group	• .				
undertakings	-,	, •	6,788,105	•	6,788,105
Current tax liability				221,749	221,749
			6,788,105	221,749	7,009,854
Shareholders' deficit					(1,443,808)
				_	5,566,046

There are no material differences between the carrying value and the fair value of the financial instruments.

## Valuation hierarchy

Financial assets and liabilities have been classified above according to a valuation hierarchy that reflects the valuation techniques used to determine fair value:

Level 1: valued by reference to unadjusted quoted process in active markets for identical assets and liabilities.

Level 2: valued by reference to observable market data, other than quoted market prices.

Level 3: valuation is based on inputs other than observable market data.

AFS investments are level 1 as price based on quoted stock in an active market.

## 12. Share capital

	2013 £	2012 £
Authorised: 1;000 Ordinary Shares of £1 each	 1,000	1,000
Allotted, called up and fully paid: 1 Ordinary Share of £1	1	. 1

The Company has one class of Ordinary Shares which carry no right to fixed income.



## 13. Related parties

#### **UK Government**

The UK Government through HM Treasury is the ultimate controlling party of The Royal Bank of Scotland Group plc. Its shareholding is managed by UK Financial Investments Limited, a company it wholly owns and as a result, the UK Government and UK Government controlled bodies are related parties of the Company.

The Company enters into transactions with these bodies on an arm's length basis. They include the payment of: taxes including UK corporation tax and value added tax together with banking loans and deposits undertaken in the normal course of banker-customer relationships.

#### **Group undertakings**

The Company's immediate parent company is RBS Specialised Property Investments Limited, a company incorporated in the UK. As at 31 December 2013, The Royal Bank of Scotland plc heads the smallest group in which the Company is consolidated, a company incorporated in the UK. Copies of the consolidated accounts may be obtained from RBS Secretariat, Gogarburn, PO Box 1000, Edinburgh EH12 1HQ.

The Company's ultimate holding company, The Royal Bank of Scotland Group plc, which is incorporated in the UK, heads the largest group in which the Company is consolidated. Copies of the consolidated accounts may be obtained from RBS Secretariat, Gogarburn, PO Box 1000, Edinburgh EH12 1HQ.

## **Capital Support Deed**

The Company, together with other members of the RBSG group, is party to a capital support deed (CSD). Under the terms of the CSD, the Company may be required, if compatible with its legal obligations, to make distributions on, or repurchase or redeem, its ordinary shares. The amount of this obligation is limited to the Company's immediately accessible funds or assets, rights, facilities or other resources that, using best efforts, are reasonably capable of being converted to cleared, immediately funds (the Company's available resources). The CSD also provides that, in certain circumstances, funding received by the Company from other parties to the CSD becomes immediately repayable, such repayment being limited to the Company's available resources.

## 14. Post balance sheet events

There have been no significant events between the year-end and the date of approval of the financial statements which would require a change or additional disclosure in the financial statements.