# REPORT OF THE DIRECTORS AND FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 SEPTEMBER 2011 FOR

COUNTYWIDE J9 M6 (NO.2) LIMITED

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#### **COUNTYWIDE J9 M6 (NO.2) LIMITED**

# COMPANY INFORMATION for the year ended 30 September 2011

DIRECTORS:

A C Gallagher

G H Gosling

SECRETARY:

S A Burnett

**REGISTERED OFFICE:** 

15 Hockley Court

Stratford Road Hockley Heath

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**REGISTERED NUMBER:** 

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**AUDITORS:** 

**BDO LLP** 

125 Colmore Row

Birmingham B3 3SD

#### REPORT OF THE DIRECTORS

for the year ended 30 September 2011

The directors present their report with the financial statements of the company for the year ended 30 September 2011

#### PRINCIPAL ACTIVITY

The principal activity of the company in the year under review was that of property investment

#### REVIEW OF BUSINESS

The company owns 68,000 square feet of retail space which was fully let throughout the year

The management of the business and the execution of the company's strategy are subject to a number of risks

The key business risks and uncertainties affecting the company are considered to relate to changes in the UK property investment market, movements in property rental yield and changes to UK interest rates. Further information is provided in the Countywide group's annual report which does not form part of this report

Given the nature of the business as disclosed in these financial statements, where maximising rental income and the capital values of its investment property represents the key objectives, the company's directors are of the opinion that analysis using additional KPIs is not necessary for understanding the performance or position of the business

Both the results for the year, and the year-end financial position were satisfactory. The directors consider future prospects to be satisfactory

#### DIVIDENDS

No dividends have been paid for the year ended 30 September 2011 (2010 £nil)

#### **DIRECTORS**

The directors shown below have held office during the whole of the period from 1 October 2010 to the date of this report

A C Gallagher

G H Gosling

#### FINANCIAL RISK MANAGEMENT

The company's operations expose it to a variety of financial risks that include the effects of credit, liquidity and interest rate risks

The directors actively monitor these risks and the potential costs

The credit rating of property tenants is regularly assessed and changes in the risk profile are managed

The company utilises a mixture of bank and group funding designed to ensure it has sufficient working capital available. Floating interest rates are reviewed and swapped for fixed rates where appropriate to reduce exposure to adverse interest rate fluctuations.

### REPORT OF THE DIRECTORS for the year ended 30 September 2011

#### STATEMENT OF DIRECTORS' RESPONSIBILITIES

The directors are responsible for preparing the Report of the Directors 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 these 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,
- 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 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.

#### STATEMENT AS TO DISCLOSURE OF INFORMATION TO AUDITORS

So far as the directors are aware, there is no relevant audit information (as defined by Section 418 of the Companies Act 2006) of which the company's auditors are unaware, and each director has taken all the steps that he ought to have taken as a director in order to make himself aware of any relevant audit information and to establish that the company's auditors are aware of that information

#### **AUDITORS**

The auditors, BDO LLP, will be proposed for re-appointment at the forthcoming Annual General Meeting

ON BEHALF OF THE BOARD:

G H Gosling - Director

Date 11 April 2012

# REPORT OF THE INDEPENDENT AUDITORS TO THE MEMBERS OF COUNTYWIDE J9 M6 (NO.2) LIMITED

We have audited the financial statements of Countywide J9 M6 (No 2) Limited for the year ended 30 September 2011 which comprise the profit and loss account, the balance sheet, the statement of total recognised gains and losses 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 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 a Report of the Auditors 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 three, 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 financial statements to identify material inconsistencies with the audited financial statements. 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 30 September 2011 and of its profit 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 Report of the Directors for the financial year for which the financial statements are prepared is consistent with the financial statements

# REPORT OF THE INDEPENDENT AUDITORS TO THE MEMBERS OF COUNTYWIDE J9 M6 (NO.2) LIMITED

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

BOD LLP

Mark Anslow (Senior Statutory Auditor) for and on behalf of BDO LLP, statutory auditor 125 Colmore Row Birmingham B3 3SD

Date 11 April 2012

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# PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT for the year ended 30 September 2011

No	otes	30 9 11 £	30 9 10 £
TURNOVER		2,796,775	851,378
Cost of sales		(143,066)	(101,104)
GROSS PROFIT		2,653,709	750,274
Administrative expenses		(140,544)	(11,365)
OPERATING PROFIT	3	2,513,165	738,909
Interest receivable and similar income		-	24
Interest payable and similar charges	4	(1,422,401)	(1,878,767)
PROFIT/(LOSS) ON ORDINARY ACTIVITIES BEFORE TAXATION		1,090,764	(1,139,834)
Tax on profit/(loss) on ordinary activities	5	<u>(471,299</u> )	144,010
PROFIT/(LOSS) FOR THE FINANCI	AL YEAR	619,465	(995,824)

#### **CONTINUING OPERATIONS**

All of the company's activities relate to continuing operations

# STATEMENT OF TOTAL RECOGNISED GAINS AND LOSSES for the year ended 30 September 2011

	30 9 11 £	30 9 10 £
PROFIT/(LOSS) FOR THE FINANCIAL YEAR Revaluation of freehold investment property	619,465 5,739,147	(995,824) 17,492,026
TOTAL RECOGNISED GAINS AND LOSSES RELATING TO THE YEAR	6,358,612	16,496,202

#### NOTE OF HISTORICAL COST PROFITS AND LOSSES

There is no difference between the results as disclosed in the profit and loss account and the results on an unmodified historical cost basis

# BALANCE SHEET 30 September 2011

	Notes	30 9 11 £	30 9 10 £
FIXED ASSETS Tangible assets	6	58,400,000	52.683,056
CURRENT ASSETS Debtors Cash at bank	7	3,464,612 	3,331,533 28,229
		3,464,612	3,359,762
CREDITORS Amounts falling due within one year	8	(24,319,972)	(24,857,960)
NET CURRENT LIABILITIES		(20,855,360)	(21,498,198)
TOTAL ASSETS LESS CURRENT LIABILITIES		37,544,640	31,184,858
CREDITORS Amounts falling due after more than one year	9	(22,650,448)	(22,646,924)
PROVISIONS FOR LIABILITIES	11	(49,972)	(52,326)
NET ASSETS		14,844,220	8,485,608
CAPITAL AND RESERVES			
Called up share capital	12	20.050.001	15 220 754
Revaluation reserve Profit and loss account	13 13	20,959,901 (6,115,683)	15,220,754 (6,735,148)
TOTAL SHAREHOLDERS' FUNDS	15	14,844,220	8,485,608

The financial statements were approved by the Board of Directors on 11 April 2012 and were signed on its behalf by

G H Gosling - Director

# NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS for the year ended 30 September 2011

#### ACCOUNTING POLICIES

Accounting convention

The financial statements have been prepared under the historical cost convention as modified by revaluation of investment properties in accordance with applicable Accounting Standards in the United Kingdom. In order to show a true and fair view, the company's accounting policy in respect of investment properties departs from the requirement of the Companies Act 2006. Details of this departure are given below. A summary of the more important accounting policies, which have been applied consistently in both periods, is set out below.

#### Cash flow statement

The company is a wholly-owned subsidiary of Countywide Developments Limited and is included in the consolidated accounts of Countywide Developments Limited, which are publicly available Consequently, the company has taken advantage of the exemption from preparing a cash flow statement under the terms of FRS1 (revised) - 'Cash flow statements'

#### Turnover

Turnover represents rental income receivable, service charges and other recoveries from investment properties in the United Kingdom

In circumstances where a tenant has been given an incentive to enter into a lease by way of a payment the incentive is included in other debtors and treated as a reduction in rental income. It is amortised on a straight line basis over the period from term commencement to the date of the first rent review in accordance with UITF 28. Similarly, where an incentive is given to a tenant by way of a rent free period the total rental income receivable for the period to the first rent review is recognised on a straight line basis from term commencement to the date of the first rent review in accordance with UITF 28.

#### Cost of sales

Cost of sales represents expenses relating to the servicing of property and collection of rental income

#### Deferred tax

Full provision is made on a non-discounted basis for deferred tax assets and liabilities arising due to timing differences between the recognition of gains and losses in the financial statements and their recognition in a tax computation at the current rate of tax. Deferred tax assets are recognised if their utilisation is considered more likely than not. Deferred tax is not provided on the revaluation of investment property unless there is a binding commitment to sell the asset.

#### Investment property

Until investment properties are completed they are included in the financial statements at cost. Once completed open market valuations are performed on annual basis. The valuations are incorporated into these financial statements with the resulting revaluation adjustments taken to the revaluation reserve.

The Companies Act 2006 requires all properties to be depreciated However, this requirement conflicts with the generally accepted accounting principle set out in SSAP 19. The directors consider that, because these properties are not held for consumption but for their investment potential, to depreciate them would be inappropriate. The accounting policy adopted is therefore necessary for the accounts to give a true and fair view. Depreciation is only one of many factors reflected in the annual valuation and the amount which might otherwise have been shown cannot reasonably be separately identified or quantified.

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### NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS - continued for the year ended 30 September 2011

#### ACCOUNTING POLICIES - continued

#### Amortisation of loan issue costs

Costs incurred in respect of obtaining loan finance are disclosed against the bank loan creditor and the costs are amortised on a straight-line basis over the term of the loan

#### Going concern

Notwithstanding the fact that at 30 September 2011 the company had net current liabilities, the accounts have been prepared on a going concern basis as the company has received confirmation from Countywide Developments Limited and Countywide J9M6 Limited that they will not call for repayment of their inter company loans until the company has sufficient funds to repay them

#### 2 STAFF COSTS

There were no direct staff costs for the year ended 30 September 2011 (2010 none) However, £Nil (2010 £1,366) was payable to J J Gallagher Limited, a related company, for the service of individuals who had performed work on behalf of Countywide J9 M6 (No 2) Limited

The average monthly number of employees during the year was as follows

		30 9 11 Number	30 9 10 Number
	Directors	2	2
3	OPERATING PROFIT		
	The operating profit is stated after charging	30 9 11	30 9 10
	Auditors' remuneration	£ 1,500	£ 1,500
	Directors' remuneration	-	
4	INTEREST PAYABLE AND SIMILAR		
	CHARGES	30 9 11 £	30 9 10 £
	Bank interest	1,068,822	1,672,578
	Interest payable on loans from group undertakings	350,055	202,665
	Amortisation of loan issue costs	3,524	3,524
		1,422,401	1,878,767

# NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS - continued for the year ended 30 September 2011

#### 5 TAXATION

Analysis of the tax charge/(credit)				
The tax charge/(credit) on the profit on ordinary activities for the year was as follows				
	30911	30 9 10		
Current tax	£	£		
Group relief	473,653	(144,203)		
Deferred tax	(2,354)	193		
Tax on profit/(loss) on ordinary activities	471,299	<u>(144,010</u> )		
The current corporation tax charge/(credit) differs from the standard Uk to the profit/(loss) for the year The differences are	Corporation ta	x rate applied		
to the promuteous for the year. The enterences and	30 9 11	30 9 10		
	£	£		
Profit/(loss) on ordinary activities at the standard rate of 27% (2010				
28%)	294,506	(319,153)		
Expenses not deductible for tax purposes	180,791	177,082		
Capital allowances in excess of depreciation	(1,644)	(2,131)		

The amount of tax on the capital gain which would have become payable in the event of the sale of the investment property for the amount at which it is stated in Note 6 is in the region of £2,900,000 (2010 £2,600,000)

473,653

(144,203)

#### 6 TANGIBLE FIXED ASSETS

IANGIBLE FIXED ASSETS	Freehold investment property £
COST OR VALUATION At 1 October 2010 Additions Revaluations Reclassification/transfer to profit and loss	52,683,056 66,504 5,739,147 (88,707)
At 30 September 2011	58,400,000
NET BOOK VALUE At 30 September 2011	58,400,000
At 30 September 2010	52,683,056

The carrying value of fixed asset properties was reviewed by the directors in accordance with the group's accounting policy

The historic cost of tangible fixed assets is £37,440,100 (2010 £37,462,303)

Freehold investment properties are held for letting

#### NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

- continued for the year ended 30 September 2011

7	DEBTORS: AMOUNTS FALLING DUE WITHIN ONE
	VEAR

	YEAR		
		30 9 11	30 9 10
		£	£
	Trade debtors	234,865	22,986
	VAT	-	175,000
	Prepayments and accrued income	_3,229,747	_3,133,547
		<u>3,464,612</u>	3,331,533
8	CREDITORS: AMOUNTS FALLING DUE WITHIN ONE YEAR		20.0.10
		30 9 11	30 9 10
		£	£
	Trade creditors	3,800	123,438
	Amounts owed to group undertakings	23,734,667	23,939,703
	Other creditors	82,551	444,000
	Accruals and deferred income	498,954	350,819
		04.010.070	24.857.060
		24,319,972	24,857,960
9	CREDITORS: AMOUNTS FALLING DUE AFTER		
	MORE THAN ONE YEAR	20.0.11	20.0.10
		30 9 11 £	30 9 10 £
	Bank loans (see note 10)	22,650,448	22,646,924

The bank loan is on normal commercial terms and is secured by a fixed and floating charge over the assets of the company Associated interest is payable at a mixture of fixed rates ranging from 5 5% to 6 46% The loan apportioned to the company amounting to £22million is repayable in full in 2013

The company is a joint borrower and party to an £80 million bank loan facility of which £64,025.000 has been drawn, with Countywide J9 M6 Limited and Wednesbury & Sandwell Properties Limited The loan is secured on the property held by these companies and those held by Countywide J9 M6 (No 2) Limited When Wednesbury & Sandwell Properties Limited surrendered its leasehold interest in Phase I of the Gallagher Retail Park, Wednesbury to Countywide J9 M6 (No 2) Limited, it also terminated its interest in the bank loan

# NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS - continued for the year ended 30 September 2011

#### 10 LOANS

	An analysis of	the maturity of loans is given below		30 9 11 £	30 9 10 £
	Amounts fallin Bank loans Deferred issue	ng due between one and two years		22,655,000 (4,552)	<u>.</u>
				22,650,448	<del></del>
	Amounts falling Bank loans Deferred issue	ng due between two and five years		- 	22,655,000 (8,076)
				<u>-</u>	22,646,924
11	PROVISION	S FOR LIABILITIES		30 9 11	30 9 10
	Deferred tax -	- accelerated capital allowances		£ 49,972	£ 52,326
					Deferred tax £
	Balance at 1 C Accelerated ca Rate change c	apıtal allowances			52,326 1,522 (3,876)
	Balance at 30	September 2011			49,972
12	CALLED UP	SHARE CAPITAL			
	Allotted, issue Number	ed and fully paid Class	Nominal value	30 9 11 £	30 9 10 £
	2	Ordinary	£1	2	2

## NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS - continued for the year ended 30 September 2011

#### 13 RESERVES

	Profit and loss account £	Revaluation reserve £	Totals
At 1 October 2010	(6,735,148)	15,220,754	8,485,606
Profit for the year	619,465	-	619,465
Revaluation		5,739,147	5,739,147
At 30 September 2011	(6,115,683)	20,959,901	14,844,218

#### 14 RELATED PARTY DISCLOSURES

The company has taken advantage of the exemption in FRS 8 - 'Related party disclosures', not to disclose transactions with other group companies, as it is a wholly owned subsidiary within a consolidated group

During the year ended 30 September 2011, the company paid £Nil (2010 £1,727,848) on infrastructure and construction costs and £Nil (2010 £2,613) on project management fees to Gallagher Projects Limited, a company controlled by Mr A C Gallagher

Other than as disclosed in note 2 and above there are no other related party disclosures to be made concerning the year ended 30 September 2011 (2010 None)

#### 15 RECONCILIATION OF MOVEMENTS IN SHAREHOLDERS' FUNDS

	30 9 11 £	30 9 10 £
Profit/(loss) for the financial year Other recognised gains and losses	619,465	(995,824)
relating to the year (net)	5,739,147	17,492,026
Net addition to shareholders' funds	6,358,612	16,496,202
Opening shareholders' funds	8,485,608	(8,010,594)
Closing shareholders' funds	14,844,220	8,485,608

#### 16 CONTROLLING PARTY

Countywide J9 M6 (No 2) Limited is a wholly owned subsidiary of Countywide Developments Limited (incorporated in England and Wales) The ultimate controlling party of the company is Mr A C Gallagher by virtue of his ownership of the entire share capital of the parent undertaking