

# Company Registration No. 05046163 (England and Wales)

## **CEF TRADE FINANCE LIMITED**

## **DIRECTOR'S REPORT AND FINANCIAL STATEMENTS**

#### FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2008

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# **COMPANY INFORMATION**

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Secretary E L Services Limited

Company number 05046163

Registered office 25 Harley Street

London W1G 9BR

Auditors Gerald Edelman

25 Harley Street

London W1G 9BR

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#### **DIRECTOR'S REPORT**

#### FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2008

The director presents his report and financial statements for the year ended 30 June 2008.

#### Principal activities

The company was dormant throughout the year under review.

#### Director

The following director has held office since 1 July 2007:

M A Holyoake

#### **Auditors**

In accordance with the Company's Articles, a resolution proposing that Gerald Edelman be reappointed as auditors of the company will be put at a General Meeting.

#### Director's responsibilities

The director is responsible for preparing the financial statements in accordance with applicable law and regulations.

Company law requires the director to prepare financial statements for each financial year. Under that law the director has elected to prepare the financial statements in accordance with United Kingdom Generally Accepted Accounting Practice (United Kingdom Accounting Standards and applicable law). 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 those financial statements, the director is required to:

- select suitable accounting policies and then apply them consistently;
- make judgements and 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 director is responsible for keeping proper accounting records that disclose with reasonable accuracy at any time the financial position of the company and enable him to ensure that the financial statements comply with the Companies Act 1985. He is 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 of disclosure to auditors

So far as the director is aware, there is no relevant audit information of which the company's auditors are unaware. Additionally, the director has taken all the necessary steps that he ought to have taken as director in order to make himself aware of all relevant audit information and to establish that the company's auditors are aware of that information.

This report has been prepared in accordance with the special provisions of Part VII of the Companies Act 1985 relating to small companies.

On behalf of the board

M A Holydak Director

15 March 2009

#### INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT

#### TO THE SHAREHOLDERS OF CEF TRADE FINANCE LIMITED

We have audited the financial statements of CEF Trade Finance Limited for the year ended 30 June 2008 set out on pages 4 to 6. 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 auditors' 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 the director and auditors

The director's responsibilities for preparing the financial statements in accordance with applicable law and United Kingdom Accounting Standards (United Kingdom Generally Accepted Accounting Practice) are set out in the Statement of Director's Responsibilities.

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 director's 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 director's remuneration and other transactions is not disclosed.

We read the director's 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 director 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.

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# INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT (CONTINUED) TO THE SHAREHOLDERS OF CEF TRADE FINANCE LIMITED

### Opinion

In our opinion:

- the financial statements give a true and fair view, in accordance with United Kingdom Generally Accepted Accounting Practice, of the state of the company's affairs as at 30 June 2008 and of its results 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 director's report is consistent with the financial statements.

Gerald Edelman

15 March 2009

Chartered Accountants
Registered Auditor

25 Harley Street London W1G 9BR

# **BALANCE SHEET**

# **AS AT 30 JUNE 2008**

	Notes	2008 £	2007 £
Current assets			
Debtors	2	2	2
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Total assets less current liab	ities	2	2
Capital and reserves			
Called up share capital	3	2	2
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Shareholders' funds		2	2

These financial statements have been prepared in accordance with the special provisions of Part VII of the Companies Act 1985 relating to small companies.

Approved by the Board and authorised for issue on 15 March 2009

M A Holydak

#### NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

#### FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2008

#### 1 Accounting policies

#### 1.1 Accounting convention

The financial statements are prepared under the historical cost convention.

The company has taken advantage of the exemption in Financial Reporting Standard No 1 (Revised 1996) from the requirement to produce a cash flow statement on the grounds that it is a subsidiary undertaking where 90 percent or more of the voting rights are controlled within the group.

#### 1.2 Compliance with accounting standards

The financial statements are prepared in accordance with applicable United Kingdom Accounting Standards (United Kingdom Generally Accepted Accounting Practice), which have been applied consistently (except as otherwise stated).

#### 2 Profit and loss account

The company was inactive during the year under review and made neither profits nor losses on an historical cost or any other basis.

3	Debtors	2008	2007
		£	£
	Amounts owed by group undertakings and undertakings in which the company has a participating interest	2	2
4	Share capital	2008 £	2007 £
	Authorised		
	1,000 Ordinary shares of £1 each	1,000	1,000
	Allotted, called up and fully paid		
	2 Ordinary shares of £1 each	2	2
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#### 5 Control

The company is a wholly owned subsidiary of China Export Finance Holdings Limited. The ultimate controlling party is Mr M A Holyoake.

# NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONTINUED) FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2008

## 6 Related party transactions

The company has taken advantage of the exemption in Financial Reporting Standard Number 8 from the requirement to disclose transactions with group companies on the grounds that consolidated financial statements are prepared by the ultimate parent company.