Company Registration No. 05135183 (England and Wales)

CAMBRIA AUTOMOBILES (SWINDON) LIMITED ANNUAL REPORT AND FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 AUGUST 2020

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DIRECTORS' REPORT

FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 AUGUST 2020

The directors present their annual report and financial statements for the year ended 31 August 2020.

Principal activities

The company is dormant and has not traded during the year.

Results and dividends

The results for the year are set out on page 4.

No ordinary dividends were paid. The directors do not recommend payment of a final dividend.

No preference dividends were paid. The directors do not recommend payment of a final dividend.

Directors

The directors who held office during the year and up to the date of signature of the financial statements were as follows:

M J J Lavery J A Mullins T A Duckers

Qualifying third party indemnity provisions

The company has made qualifying third party indemnity provisions for the benefit of its directors which were made during the year and remain in force at the reporting date.

Financial instruments

The company is exposed to normal levels of exposure to interest, liquidity, price and credit and cash flow risks arising from its trading activities which are only conducted in sterling. As part of a larger group, such risks are managed on a group basis through the use variable interest rate bank funding, new venture specific funding, group purchasing policies, credit limits and regular monitoring by directors and local management. Such monitoring allows preventative and corrective measure are to be taken as necessary. The company does not enter into any hedging transactions.

DIRECTORS' REPORT (CONTINUED) FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 AUGUST 2020

Statement of directors' responsibilities

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 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), including FRS101 Reduced Disclosure Framework.

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;
- 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 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.

Going concern

The company ceased trading in the year to 31 August 2017.

On behalf of the board

J A Mullins Director

5 February 2021

CHARTERED ACCOUNTANTS' REPORT TO THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS ON THE PREPARATION OF THE UNAUDITED STATUTORY FINANCIAL STATEMENTS OF CAMBRIA AUTOMOBILES (SWINDON) LIMITED FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 AUGUST 2020

In order to assist you to fulfil your duties under the Companies Act 2006, we have prepared for your approval the financial statements of Cambria Automobiles (Swindon) Limited for the year ended 31 August 2020 which comprise the profit and loss account, the balance sheet, the statement of changes in equity and the related notes from the company's accounting records and from information and explanations you have given us.

As a practising member firm of the Institute of Chartered Accountants in England and Wales (ICAEW), we are subject to its ethical and other professional requirements which are detailed at http://www.icaew.com/en/members/regulations-standards-and-guidance.

This report is made solely to the Board of Directors of Cambria Automobiles (Swindon) Limited, as a body, in accordance with the terms of our engagement. Our work has been undertaken solely to prepare for your approval the financial statements of Cambria Automobiles (Swindon) Limited and state those matters that we have agreed to state to the Board of Directors of Cambria Automobiles (Swindon) Limited, as a body, in this report in accordance with ICAEW Technical Release 07/16 AAF. To the fullest extent permitted by law, we do not accept or assume responsibility to anyone other than Cambria Automobiles (Swindon) Limited and its Board of Directors as a body, for our work or for this report.

It is your duty to ensure that Cambria Automobiles (Swindon) Limited has kept adequate accounting records and to prepare statutory financial statements that give a true and fair view of the assets, liabilities, financial position and result of Cambria Automobiles (Swindon) Limited. You consider that Cambria Automobiles (Swindon) Limited is exempt from the statutory audit requirement for the year.

We have not been instructed to carry out an audit or a review of the financial statements of Cambria Automobiles (Swindon) Limited. For this reason, we have not verified the accuracy or completeness of the accounting records or information and explanations you have given to us and we do not, therefore, express any opinion on the statutory financial statements.

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Chartered Accountants

5 February 2021

St James Building 79 Oxford Street Manchester M1 6HT

PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 AUGUST 2020

		2020	2019
	Notes	£000	£000
Tax on profit		-	-
Profit and total comprehensive income for the			
financial year		-	-
			

The company ceased trading in the year to 31 August 2017.

BALANCE SHEET

AS AT 31 AUGUST 2020

	Notes	2020 £000	2019 £000
Current assets Debtors	4	149	149 ———
Total assets less current liabilities		149 ——	149
Net assets		149 ——	149 ====
Capital and reserves Called up share capital Profit and loss reserves	5	150 (1)	150 (1)
Total equity		149	149

For the financial year ended 31 August 2020 the company was entitled to exemption from audit under section 480 of the Companies Act 2006 relating to dormant companies.

The directors acknowledge their responsibilities for complying with the requirements of the Companies Act 2006 with respect to accounting records and the preparation of financial statements.

The members have not required the company to obtain an audit of its financial statements for the year in question in accordance with section 476.

The financial statements were approved by the board of directors and authorised for issue on 5 February 2021 and are signed on its behalf by:

J A Mullins **Director**

Company Registration No. 05135183

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN EQUITY FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 AUGUST 2020

	Share capital £000	Profit and loss reserves £000	Total
Balance at 1 September 2018	150	(1)	149
Year ended 31 August 2019:			
Balance at 31 August 2019	150	(1)	149
Year ended 31 August 2020:			
Balance at 31 August 2020	150	(1)	149

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 AUGUST 2020

1 Accounting policies

Company information

Cambria Automobiles (Swindon) Limited is a private company limited by shares incorporated in England and Wales. The registered office is Swindon Motor Park, Dorcan Way, Swindon, Wiltshire, SN3 3RA. The company's principal activities and nature of its operations are disclosed in the directors' report.

1.1 Accounting convention

The financial statements have been prepared in accordance with Financial Reporting Standard 101 Reduced Disclosure Framework (FRS 101) and in accordance with applicable accounting standards.

The financial statements are prepared in sterling, which is the functional currency of the company. Monetary amounts in these financial statements are rounded to the nearest £1,000.

The financial statements have been prepared under the historical cost convention. The principal accounting policies adopted are set out below.

The company has taken advantage of the following disclosure exemptions under FRS 101:

- the requirements of paragraphs 45(b) and 46-52 of IFRS 2 Share based Payment;
- the requirements of paragraphs 62, B64(d), B64(e), B64(g), B64(h), B64(j) to B64(m), B64(n)(ii), B64 (o)(ii), B64(p), B64(q)(ii), B66 and B67of IFRS 3 Business Combinations. Equivalent disclosures are included in the consolidated financial statements of Cambria Automobiles plc in which the entity is consolidated:
- the requirements of paragraph 33 (c) of IFRS 5 Non current Assets Held for Sale and Discontinued Operations;
- the requirements of IFRS 7 Financial Instruments: Disclosures;
- the requirements of paragraphs 91-99 of IFRS 13 Fair Value Measurement;
- the requirements of the second sentence of paragraph 110 and paragraphs 113(a), 114, 115, 118, 119 (a) to (c), 120 to 127 and 129 of IFRS 15 Revenue from Contracts with Customers;
- the requirement in paragraph 38 of IAS 1 'Presentation of Financial Statements' to present comparative information in respect of: (i) paragraph 79(a) (iv) of IAS 1, (ii) paragraph 73(e) of IAS 16 Property Plant and Equipment (iii) paragraph 118 (e) of IAS 38 Intangibles Assets, (iv) paragraphs 76 and 79(d) of IAS 40 Investment Property and (v) paragraph 50 of IAS 41 Agriculture;
- the requirements of paragraphs 10(d), 10(f), 16, 38A to 38D, 39 to 40 ,111 and 134-136 of IAS 1 Presentation of Financial Statements;
- the requirements of IAS 7 Statement of Cash Flows;
- the requirements of paragraphs 30 and 31 of IAS 8 Accounting Policies, Changes in Accounting Estimates and Errors;
- the requirements of paragraph 17 of IAS 24 Related Party Disclosures;
- the requirements in IAS 24 Related Party Disclosures to disclose related party transactions entered into between two or more members of a group, provided that any subsidiary which is a party to the transaction is wholly owned by such a member; and
- the requirements of paragraphs 134(d)-134(f) and 135(c)-135(e) of IAS 36 Impairment of Assets.

Where required, equivalent disclosures are provided in the group accounts of Cambria Automobiles plc. The group accounts of Cambria Automobiles plc are available to the public and can be obtained as set out in note 7.

1.2 Going concern

The company ceased trading in the year to 31 August 2017.

1.3 Cash at bank and in hand

Cash and cash equivalents include cash in hand, deposits held at call with banks, other short-term liquid investments with original maturities of three months or less, and bank overdrafts. Bank overdrafts are shown within borrowings in current liabilities.

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONTINUED) FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 AUGUST 2020

1 Accounting policies

(Continued)

1.4 Financial instruments

Non-derivative financial instruments comprise trade and other debtors, cash and cash equivalents, loans and borrowings, and trade and other creditors.

Trade and other debtors - are recognised initially at fair value. Subsequently they are measured at amortised cost using the effective interest method.

Trade and other creditors - are recognised initially at fair value. Subsequently they are measured at amortised cost using the effective interest method.

Interest bearing borrowings - are recognised initially at fair value less attributable transaction costs. Subsequently they are stated at amortised cost using the effective interest method less any impairment losses.

Impairment of financial assets

Financial assets, other than those measured at fair value through profit or loss, are assessed for indicators of impairment at each reporting end date.

Financial assets are impaired where there is objective evidence that, as a result of one or more events that occurred after the initial recognition of the financial asset, the estimated future cash flows of the investment have been affected.

1.5 Equity instruments

Equity instruments issued by the company are recorded at the proceeds received, net of direct issue costs.

Dividends unpaid at the balance sheet date are only recognised as a liability to the extent that they are appropriately authorised and are no longer at the discretion of the company. Unpaid dividends that do not meet these criteria are disclosed in the notes to the financial statements.

2 Employees

The average monthly number of persons (including directors) employed by the company during the year was:

	2020 Number	2019 Number
Administration	3	3

3 Directors' remuneration

No directors remuneration was paid by the Company as the directors of the company are remunerated through the ultimate parent company, Cambria Automobiles plc. The directors all benefited from qualifying third party indemnity provisions during the financial year

4 Debtors

Debicis	2020 £000	2019 £000
Amounts owed by fellow group undertakings	149	149

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONTINUED) FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 AUGUST 2020

5	Share capital	2020 £000	2019 £000
	Ordinary share capital		
	Issued and fully paid		
	75,000 Ordinary shares of £1 each	75	75
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	Preference share capital		
	Issued and fully paid		
	75,000 Preference shares of £1 each	75	75
			

The holders of ordinary shares are entitled to receive dividends as declared from time to time and are entitled to one vote per share at meetings of the company.

The redeemable preference shares could have been redeemed at the company's option at par within a 5 year period from the date of issue, 18 October 2006, and have the right to a fixed cumulative preferential cash dividend of 7% per annum of the nominal value. The redeemable preference shares have no voting rights and on winding up with surplus assets, the redeemable preference shares are paid up to the original subscription price. The right to dividend and redemption has been permanently and irrevocably waived and as a result the shares are classed as equity.

6 Contingent liabilities

The company is jointly and severally liable in respect of value added tax liabilities arising in other group undertakings. At the year end the potential amount due under this arrangement was £7,955,000.

The company benefits from participation in the Cambria Automobiles plc amalgamated group overdraft facility with Bank of Scotland.

In recognition of the Cambria Automobiles plc Group bank and used vehicle funding facilities, the following companies have entered into a joint arrangement to guarantee liabilities with banks and finance houses of the motor manufacturers that provide new and used vehicles to the group:

Cambria Automobiles plc
Cambria Automobiles Property Limited
Cambria Automobiles Group Limited
Cambria Automobiles Acquisitions Limited
Cambria Automobiles (Swindon) Limited
Grange Motor (Swindon) Limited
Thoranmart Limited
Cambria Automobiles (South East) Limited
Grange Motors (Brentwood) Limited
Invicta Motors (Maidstone) Limited
Cambria Vehicle Services Limited
Invicta Motors Limited
Repair and Maintenance Plans Limited
E-Warranty Limited.

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONTINUED) FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 AUGUST 2020

7 Ultimate parent company and controlling party

The immediate parent company is Cambria Automobiles Acquisitions Limited, a company registered in England and Wales.

The ultimate parent company and parent of the largest group in which the company's results are included is Cambria Automobiles plc, a company registered in England and Wales. The address from which group accounts can be obtained from is Dorcan Way, Swindon, SN3 3RA.

In the opinion of the directors, the distribution of ordinary shares in Cambria Automobiles plc and the rights attributing to them means there is no overall controlling party of the company.