

Directors' Report And Financial Statements

For the year ended 31 December 2009

Company Registration No 05406927 (England And Wales)

COMPANY INFORMATION

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DIRECTORS' REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2009

The directors present their report and financial statements for the year ended 31 December 2009

Principal activities and review of the business

The company principal activity is the provision of investment management services with respect to publically traded real estate related securities

Since the start of the business, the company has been able to show better investment returns than the market which attracted new clients and the directors expect this to continue in the future

The directors have overall responsibility for identifying, evaluating and managing major business risks. They regularly assess the business risks exposure and control including compliance assessments and determine any appropriate action required.

Principal business risks reviewed include allocation of responsibilities and control environment, financial control, quality and integrity of personnel, compliance controls and IT systems

The company has experienced increased assets under management (AUM) during the year

AUM £419,600,000 (2008 £250,000,000)

In a more difficult equity market environment AEW Global Advisors has still managed to build a strong track record and shown ability to add value for its clients. Based on that we've strengthened our position in the market place

Results and dividends

The results for the year are set out on page 5

The directors do not recommend payment of an ordinary dividend

Future developments

The directors are optimistic about the future growth of the business and profitability. The company will continue to explore other investment management opportunities.

Directors

The following directors have held office since 1 January 2009

James Finnegan
Jeffrey Furber
Richard Lewis
Robert Oosterkamp
Louise Staniforth

(Resigned 1 May 2009)

Auditors

The auditors, Kingston Smith LLP, are deemed to be reappointed under section 487(2) of the Companies Act 2006

DIRECTORS' REPORT (CONTINUED) FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2009

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 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,
- 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 of disclosure to auditors

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

On behalf of the board

Robert Oosterkamp

29 04 2010

INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT TO THE MEMBERS OF AEW GLOBAL ADVISORS (EUROPE) LIMITED

We have audited the financial statements of AEW Global Advisors (Europe) Limited for the year ended 31 December 2009 set out on pages 5 to 14. 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 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 directors and auditors

As explained more fully in the Directors' Responsibilities Statement set out on pages 1 - 2, 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 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.

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 2009 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 Directors' Report for the financial year for which the financial statements are prepared is consistent with the financial statements

INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT (CONTINUED) TO THE MEMBERS OF AEW GLOBAL ADVISORS (EUROPE) 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

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Martin Burchmore (Senior Statutory Auditor) for and on behalf of Kingston Smith LLP

Chartered Accountants Statutory Auditor

21st April 2010

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PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2009

		2009	2008
	Notes	£	£
Turnover	2	2,041,430	1,816,157
Administrative expenses		(1,811,732)	(1,055,803)
Operating profit	3	229,698	760,354
Other interest receivable and similar income	4	1,495	64,635
Profit on ordinary activities before taxation		231,193	824,989
Tax on profit on ordinary activities	5	(64,735)	(235,226)
Profit for the year	12	166,458	589,763

The profit and loss account has been prepared on the basis that all operations are continuing operations

There are no recognised gains and losses other than those passing through the profit and loss account

BALANCE SHEET AS AT 31 DECEMBER 2009

		20	009	20	08
	Notes	£	£	£	3
Current assets					
Debtors	7	658,922		410,306	
Cash at bank and in hand		597,616		557,972	
0		1,256,538		968,278	
Creditors amounts falling due within one year	8	(328,189)		(391,387)	
Total assets less current liabilities			928,349		576,891
Provisions for liabilities	9		(185,000)		-
			743,349		576,891
Capital and reserves					
Called up share capital	11		200,000		200,000
Profit and loss account	12		543,349		376,891
Shareholders' funds	13		743,349		576,891

Approved by the Board and authorised for issue on 20/04/2010

Robert Oosterkamp

Director

Company Registration No 05406927

CASH FLOW STATEMENT FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2009

	£	2009 £	£	2008 £
Net cash inflow from operating activities		121,926		692,108
Returns on investments and servicing of finance				
Interest received	1,495		64,635	
Net cash inflow for returns on investments and servicing of finance		1,495		64,635
Taxation		(83,777)		(265,091)
Equity dividends paid		-		(1,000,000)
Net cash inflow/(outflow) before management of liquid resources and financing		39,644		(508,348)
Increase/(decrease) in cash in the year		39,644		(508,348)

NOTES TO THE CASH FLOW STATEMENT FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2009

1	Reconciliation of operating profit to net cash activities	inflow from o	perating	2009	2008
	activities			£	£
	Operating profit			229,698	760,354
	Increase in debtors			(196,816)	(118,231)
	(Decrease)/Increase in creditors within one year			(95,956)	49,985
	Other reserve movement			185,000	-
	Net cash inflow from operating activities			121,926	692,108
2	Analysis of net funds	1 January 2009	Cash flow	Other non- cash changes	31 December 2009
		£	£	£	£
	Net cash				
	Cash at bank and in hand	557,972	39,644	-	597,616
	Net funds	557,972	39,644	-	597,616
3	Reconciliation of net cash flow to movement i	n net funds		2009	2008
				£	£
	Increase/(decrease) in cash in the year			39,644	(508,348)
	Movement in net funds in the year			39,644	(508,348)
	Opening net funds			557,972	1,066,320
	Closing net funds			597,616	557,972

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2009

1 Accounting policies

1.1 Accounting convention

The financial statements are prepared under the historical cost convention

12 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)

13 Turnover

Turnover represents fees receivable for investment management services provided net of VAT

14 Pensions

The company operates a defined contribution scheme for the benefit of its employees. Contributions payable are charged to the profit and loss account in the year they are payable.

1.5 Deferred taxation

In accordance with FRS 19, deferred tax is recognised as a liability or asset if transactions or events that give the company the obligation to pay more tax in future or a right to pay less tax in future have occurred by the balance sheet date

2 Turnover

The total turnover of the company for the year has been derived from its principal activity wholly undertaken in the United Kingdom

3	Operating profit	2009	2008 £
	Operating profit is stated after charging Auditors' remuneration (including expenses and benefits in kind) Non-audit services taxation	4,485 -	7,500 325
4	Investment income	2009 £	2008 £
	Bank interest	1,495	64,635
		1,495	64,635

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONTINUED) FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2009

5	Taxation	2009 £	2008 £
	Domestic current year tax	_	_
	U K corporation tax	116,535	235,226
	Current tax charge	116,535	235,226
	Deferred tax		
	Deferred tax charge credit current year	(51,800)	<u> </u>
		64,735	235,226
	Factors affecting the tax charge for the year		
	Profit on ordinary activities before taxation	231,193	824,989
	Profit on ordinary activities before taxation multiplied by standard rate of		
	UK corporation tax of 28 00% (2008 - 28 50%)	64,734	235,099
	Effects of		
	Non deductible expenses	51,801 	127
		51,801	127
	Current tax charge	116,535	235,226
6	Dividends	2009 £	2008 £
	Ordinary interim paid	-	1,000,000
7	Debtors	2009	2008
		£	£
	Trade debtors	602,996	403,347
	Other debtors	706	4,002
	Prepayments and accrued income	3,420	2,957
	Deferred tax asset (see note 9)	51,800	
		658,922	410,306

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONTINUED) FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2009

8	Creditors: amounts falling due within one year	2009 £	2008 £
	Corporation tax Other taxes and social security costs Other creditors Accruals and deferred income	112,550 178,218 2,653 34,768	79,792 272,962 2,648 35,985
	-	328,189	391,387
9	Provisions for liabilities		Other
			Other £
	Profit and loss account	_	185,000
	Balance at 31 December 2009	=	185,000
	Provisions for liabilities represents a deferred compensation bonus in respect which is contingent on his continued employment by the company until at least. The deferred tax asset (included in debtors, note 7) is made up as		
	follows	2009	
	Profit and loss account	£ (51,800)	
		2009 £	2008 £
	Timing difference in relation to deferred compensation bonus	(51,800)	-
10	Pension and other post-retirement benefit commitments Defined contribution		
		2009 £	2008 £
	Contributions payable by the company for the year	21,851	21,808

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONTINUED) FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2009

11 Share capital	2009 £	2008 £
Authorised	_	_
200,000 Ordinary shares of £1 each	200,000	200,000
Allotted, called up and fully paid		
200,000 Ordinary shares of £1 each	200,000	200,000
12 Statement of movements on profit and loss account		
		Profit and
		loss
		account £
Balance at 1 January 2009		376,891
Profit for the year		166,458
Balance at 31 December 2009		543,349
13 Reconciliation of movements in shareholders' funds	2009 £	2008 £
Deafit for the financial year	166,458	589,763
Profit for the financial year Dividends	100,436	(1,000,000)
Net addition to/(depletion in) shareholders' funds	166,458	(410,237)
Opening shareholders' funds	576,891	987,128
Closing shareholders' funds	743,349	576,891

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONTINUED) FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2009

14 Directors' emoluments	2009 £	2008 £
Emoluments for qualifying services	1,147,694	521,734
Company pension contributions to money purchase schemes	12,500	12,500
	1,160,194	534,234
Emoluments disclosed above include the following amounts paid to the highest paid director	e	
Emoluments for qualifying services	1,147,694	521,734
Company pension contributions to money purchase schemes	12,500	12,500
15 Employees		
Number of employees The average monthly number of employees (including directors) during the year was	e	
year was	2009	2008
	Number	Number
Financial and administration	3	3
Employment costs	2009	2008
	£	£
Wages and salaries	1,427,084	769,814
Social security costs	158,686	98,708
Other pension costs	21,851	21,808
	1,607,621	890,330

16 Control

The company's immediate parent entity is AEW Capital Management LP, registered in the United States

The ultimate parent company and controlling entity is Natixis, a company incorporated and registered in France

Natixis is the parent undertaking of the largest and smallest group of undertakings of which the company is a member and for which group financial statements are prepared. The group financial statements may be obtained from the Finance Director, AEW Global Advisors (Europe) Limited, 33 Jermyn Street, London, SW1Y 6DN

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONTINUED) FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2009

17 Related party transactions

The company has taken advantage of the exemption by FRS 8 paragraph 3(c) not to disclose transactions with related parties as it is a wholly owned subsidiary of Natixis, the consolidated financial statements for which are publically available