Company number: 05529549

#### IMPAX NEW ENERGY INVESTORS (GP) LIMITED

**Directors' report and financial statements** 

for the year ended 31 December 2020



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### IMPAX NEW ENERGY INVESTORS (GP) LIMITED COMPANY INFORMATION

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## IMPAX NEW ENERGY INVESTORS (GP) LIMITED DIRECTORS' REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2020

The Directors present their report and the financial statements of the Company for the year ended 31 December 2020 (the "Year").

#### Principal activities and review of the business

During the year ended 31 December 2020 the principal activity of Impax New Energy Investors (GP) Limited ("the Company") was acting as a corporate member in INEI I (GP) UK LLP (the "LLP"). However, the Impax New Energy Investors LP (the "Fund") to which the LLP is the GP is now intending to sell its final asset and cease operations, accordingly the trade of the company will cease. As the directors do not intend to acquire a replacement trade/intend to liquidate the company following the settlement of the remaining net assets, they have not prepared the financial statements on a going concern basis. The effect of this is explained in note 1.

The Company made no political or charitable donations during the year.

#### **Results and dividends**

The results for the year are set out on page 8. No dividend was declared for the year ended 31 December 2020 (2019: nil). The net asset position of the Company as at 31 December 2020 is set out on page 9.

#### **Future developments**

The Company will continue to act as a corporate member of INEI I GP (UK) LLP.

#### Principal business risks and uncertainties

The principal business risk and uncertainty is that the Company is functionally dependent upon Impax New Energy Investors LP and if that entity ceased to operate the Company would no longer have a commercial purpose. There is no impact of COVID 19 on the Company.

#### **Directors' interests**

None of the Directors hold any interest in the Company's shares.

#### **Directors**

The following Directors held office during the financial year and at the date of this report.

- Ian R Simm
- Charles D Ridge
- Peter Rossbach (resigned 17 August 2020)

#### **Auditor**

The Company's auditor, KPMG LLP have indicated their willingness to continue in office and will be proposed for reappointment for the ensuing financial period in accordance with section 487 of the Companies Act 2006.

Each of the persons who is a Director at the date of approval of this report confirms that:

- (a) so far as the Director is aware, there is no relevant audit information of which the Company's auditor is unaware; and
- (b) the 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 auditor is aware of that information.

# IMPAX NEW ENERGY INVESTORS (GP) LIMITED DIRECTORS' REPORT continued FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2020

Statement of Directors' responsibilities in respect of the Directors' report and the financial statements

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 they have elected to prepare the financial statements in accordance with international accounting standards in conformity with the requirements of the Companies Act 2006 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 year. 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, relevant and reliable;
- state whether they have been prepared in accordance with international accounting standards in conformity with the requirements of the Companies Act 2006;
- assess the Company's ability to continue as a going concern, disclosing, as applicable, matters related to going concern; and
- use the going concern basis of accounting unless they either intend to liquidate the Company or to cease operations, or have no realistic alternative but to do so (as explained in note 1, the directors do not believe that it is appropriate to prepare these financial statements on a going concern basis).

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 responsible for such internal control as they determine is necessary to enable the preparation of financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error and have general responsibility for taking such steps as are reasonably open to them to safeguard the assets of the Company and to prevent and detect fraud and other irregularities.

The Directors are responsible for the maintenance and integrity of the corporate and financial information included on the Company's website. Legislation in the UK governing the preparation and dissemination of financial statements may differ from legislation in other jurisdictions.

On behalf of the Board

Charles D Ridge

**Director** 

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22 September 2021

### INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT TO THE MEMBERS OF IMPAX NEW ENERGY INVESTORS (GP) LIMITED

#### Opinion

We have audited the financial statements of Impax New Energy Investors GP Limited ("the company") for the year ended 31 December 2020 which comprise the Statement of comprehensive income, Statement of financial position, Statement of changes in equity, Cash flow statement, and related notes, including the accounting policies in note 1.

In our opinion the financial statements:

- give a true and fair view of the state of the company's affairs as at 31 December 2020 and of its result for the year then ended;
- whether the financial statements have been properly prepared in accordance with international accounting standards in conformity with the requirements of the Companies Act 2006; and
- have been prepared in accordance with the requirements of the Companies Act 2006.

#### **Basis for opinion**

We conducted our audit in accordance with International Standards on Auditing (UK) ("ISAs (UK)") and applicable law. Our responsibilities are described below. We have fulfilled our ethical responsibilities under, and are independent of the company in accordance with, UK ethical requirements including the FRC Ethical Standard. We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is a sufficient and appropriate basis for our opinion.

#### Going concern

The directors have prepared the financial statements on the going concern basis as they do not intend to liquidate the company or to cease its operations, and as they have concluded that the company's financial position means that this is realistic. They have also concluded that there are no material uncertainties that could have cast significant doubt over its ability to continue as a going concern for at least a year from the date of approval of the financial statements ("the going concern period").

In our evaluation of the directors' conclusions, we considered the inherent risks to the company's business model and analysed how those risks might affect the company's financial resources or ability to continue operations over the going concern period.

Our conclusions based on this work:

- we consider that the directors' use of the going concern basis of accounting in the preparation of the financial statements is appropriate;
- we have not identified, and concur with the directors' assessment that there is not, a material uncertainty
  related to events or conditions that, individually or collectively, may cast significant doubt on the
  company's ability to continue as a going concern for the going concern period.

However, as we cannot predict all future events or conditions and as subsequent events may result in outcomes that are inconsistent with judgements that were reasonable at the time they were made, the above conclusions are not a guarantee that the company will continue in operation.

#### Fraud and breaches of laws and regulations – ability to detect

Identifying and responding to risks of material misstatement due to fraud

To identify risks of material misstatement due to fraud ("fraud risks") we assessed events or conditions that could indicate an incentive or pressure to commit fraud or provide an opportunity to commit fraud. Our risk assessment procedures included enquiring of directors and inspection of policy documentation as to Impax Asset Management Group PLC's policies and procedures to prevent and detect fraud that apply to this group company as well as enquiring whether the directors have knowledge of any actual, suspected or alleged fraud.

As required by auditing standards, we perform procedures to address the risk of management override of controls, in particular the risk that management may be in a position to make inappropriate accounting entries. On this audit we do not believe there is a fraud risk related to revenue recognition because there are no revenue transactions. We did not identify any additional fraud risks.

### INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT TO THE MEMBERS OF IMPAX NEW ENERGY INVESTORS (GP) LIMITED continued

We performed procedures including agreeing all material accounting entries in the period to supporting documentation.

Identifying and responding to risks of material misstatement due to non-compliance with laws and regulations

We identified areas of laws and regulations that could reasonably be expected to have a material effect on the financial statements from our general commercial and sector experience and through discussion with the directors (as required by auditing standards), and discussed with the directors the policies and procedures regarding compliance with laws and regulations.

The company is subject to laws and regulations that directly affect the financial statements including financial reporting legislation (including related companies legislation), distributable profits legislation and taxation legislation and we assessed the extent of compliance with these laws and regulations as part of our procedures on the related financial statement items.

This company, as a holding company, is not subject to other laws and regulations where the consequences of non-compliance could have a material effect on amounts or disclosures in the financial statements.

Context of the ability of the audit to detect fraud or breaches of law or regulation

Owing to the inherent limitations of an audit, there is an unavoidable risk that we may not have detected some material misstatements in the financial statements, even though we have properly planned and performed our audit in accordance with auditing standards. For example, the further removed non-compliance with laws and regulations is from the events and transactions reflected in the financial statements, the less likely the inherently limited procedures required by auditing standards would identify In addition, as with any audit, there remained a higher risk of non-detection of fraud, as these may involve collusion, forgery, intentional omissions, misrepresentations, or the override of internal controls. Our audit procedures are designed to detect material misstatement. We are not responsible for preventing non-compliance or fraud and cannot be expected to detect non-compliance with all laws and regulations.

#### Directors' report

The directors are responsible for the directors' report. Our opinion on the financial statements does not cover that report and we do not express an audit opinion thereon.

Our responsibility is to read the directors' report and, in doing so, consider whether, based on our financial statements audit work, the information therein is materially misstated or inconsistent with the financial statements or our audit knowledge. Based solely on that work:

- · we have not identified material misstatements in the directors' report;
- in our opinion the information given in that report for the financial year is consistent with the financial statements; and
- in our opinion that report has been prepared in accordance with the Companies Act 2006.

#### Matters on which we are required to report by exception

Under the Companies Act 2006, we are required to report to you if, in

- 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; or
- the directors were not entitled to take advantage of the small companies exemption from the requirement to prepare a strategic report.

We have nothing to report in these respects.

### INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT TO THE MEMBERS OF IMPAX NEW ENERGY INVESTORS (GP) LIMITED continued

#### **Directors' responsibilities**

As explained more fully in their statement set out on page 4, the directors are responsible for: the preparation of the financial statements and for being satisfied that they give a true and fair view; such internal control as they determine is necessary to enable the preparation of financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error; assessing the company's ability to continue as a going concern, disclosing, as applicable, matters related to going concern; and using the going concern basis of accounting unless they either intend to liquidate the company or to cease operations, or have no realistic alternative but to do so.

#### **Auditor's responsibilities**

Our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements as a whole are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error, and to issue our opinion in an auditor's report. Reasonable assurance is a high level of assurance, but does not guarantee that an audit conducted in accordance with ISAs (UK) will always detect a material misstatement when it exists. Misstatements can arise from fraud or error and are considered material if, individually or in aggregate, they could reasonably be expected to influence the economic decisions of users taken on the basis of the financial statements.

A fuller description of our responsibilities is provided on the FRC's website at www.frc.org.uk/auditorsresponsibilities.

#### The purpose of our audit work and to whom we owe our responsibilities

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.

Jain Petel

Jatin Patel (Senior Statutory Auditor)
for and on behalf of KPMG LLP, Statutory Auditor
Chartered Accountants
15 Canada Square
London
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22 September 2021

# IMPAX NEW ENERGY INVESTORS (GP) LIMITED STATEMENT OF COMPREHENSIVE INCOME FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2020

Company number: 05529549

		2020	
	Notes	2020	2019
		€	
		•	
Revenue		• •	·-
Operating costs		-	• ·
·	<u> </u>		
Profit from operations	. 2	-	<b>-</b>
	:	•	
Finance income	3	2,518	9,605
Profit before taxation		2,518	9,605
4	•		
Tax on profit on ordinary activities	4	18,709	1,136,565
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Profit for the year		21,227	1,146,170
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Other comprehensive income		•	
Total comprehensive profit for the year		21,227	1,146,170

The notes on page 12 form part of these financial statements.

# IMPAX NEW ENERGY INVESTORS (GP) LIMITED STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION AS AT 31 DECEMBER 2020

Company number: 05529549

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		Notes	2020	2019
			€	€
		•		
Investments		5 .	115	115
Cash at bank and in hand		•	379	2
Trade and other receivables		6	1,393,376	1,372,526
Total current assets			1,393,870	1,372,643
Total assets	•		1,393,870	1,372,643
			•	•
Equity and liabilities		•		•
Called up share capital		7	2	2
Profit and loss account			1,393,868	1,372,641
Total equity			1,393,870	1,372,643
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Total equity and liabilities		· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	1,393,870	1,372,643

The notes on page 12 form part of these financial statements.

Authorised for issue and approved by the Board on 22 September 2021

Charles D Ridge

Director

# IMPAX NEW ENERGY INVESTORS (GP) LIMITED STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN EQUITY FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2020

Company number: 05529549

			• .	Profit and loss	•
		Share o	apital	account	Total
· · ·			€	€	€
At 1 January 2019		 	·. 2	226,471	226,473
Profit for the year	,		· -	1,146,170	1,146,170
At 31 December 2019		 · · ·	2	1,372,641	1,372,643
Profit for the year	:		-	21,227	21,227
At 31 December 2020			2	1,393,868	1,393,870

The notes on page 12 form part of these financial statements.

# IMPAX NEW ENERGY INVESTORS (GP) LIMITED CASH FLOW STATEMENT FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2020

Company number: 05529549

	2020	2019		
	€	. €		
Operating activities:	•			
Profit before taxation	2,518	9,605		
Movement in working capital	(2,141)	(9,604)		
Net cash generated from operating activities	377	1		
Net increase in cash and cash equivalents	377	1		
Cash and cash equivalents at beginning of year	2	1		
Cash and cash equivalents at end of year	379	2		

The notes on page 12 form part of these financial statements.

## IMPAX NEW ENERGY INVESTORS (GP) LIMITED NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2020

#### 1 Accounting policies

#### 1.1 Basis of preparation

The financial statements are prepared in accordance with International Financial Reporting Standards (IFRS) in conformity with the requirements of the Companies Act 2006

#### 1.2 Going concern

The financial statements have not been prepared on the going concern basis as Impax New Energy Investors LP (the "Fund"), to which the LLP is the General Partner, is intending to sell its final asset and cease operations, accordingly the trade of the company will cease. The directors therefore have not prepared the financial statements on a going concern basis. The Fund's assets and liabilities are all recognised as current at their net realisable value.

#### 1.3 Foreign exchange

The functional and presentational currency of the Company is the Euro.

#### 1.4 Taxation

Current tax is based on taxable profts for the year after all potential reliefs available have been utilised. Deferred tax is provided in full in respect of taxation deferred by temporary differences between the treatment of certain items for taxation and accounting purposes. Deferred tax is calculated at the rates that are expected to apply in the period when the liability or the asset is realised based on legislation substantially enacted at the year end.

#### 2 Profit from operations

Auditor remuneration of £4,492 (2019: £4,492) is borne by Impax Asset Management Group plc.

The Directors received no remuneration in respect of their services to the Company.

#### 3 Finance income and expense.

	2020	2019
	€	€
Bank charges	(182)	· 280
Foreign exchange	2,700	(9,885)
	2,518	(9,605)
Taxation		
(a) Analysis of charge in year		•
	2020	2019
· · ·	€	€
Payments receivable for Group relief	(18,709)	(4,416)
Release of deferred tax liability	· · · ·	(1,132,149)
•	(18,709)	(1,136,565)

## IMPAX NEW ENERGY INVESTORS (GP) LIMITED NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2020

(b) Factors affecting the tax charge for the	- ,		2020	2019
•			2020	2019
Profit before taxation			2,518	9,605
Tax at 19% (2019: 19%) of profit before ta Effects of:	xation	-	(478)	(1,825)
Foreign exchange and changes in tax rates Utilisation of brought forward tax losse				• •
relief given			19,187	6,241
Release of deferred tax liability	•		-	1,132,149
Tax charge on profit on ordinary activities	<u> </u>	, ,	18,709	1,136,565
(c) Deferred tax				
(4) 2 5 6 7 6 7 6 7 7 7 7 7 7 7 7 7 7 7 7 7 7	•		2020	2019
·			€	€
At the beginning of the year			-	1,132,149
Current year (income)/charge				(1,132,149)

Income recorded in the accounts is only taxable to the extent that INEI, and in turn the LLP, is profitable. This assessment is made on a cumulative basis. Accordingly, in periods when INEI is not profitable the Company will not have taxable income and will have tax losses available for Group relief to other Group Companies. If Group relief is given then the losses will not be available for offset against future taxable profits and a deferred tax liability is recognised. The Company's current policy is to charge the counterparty for Group relief given and records this income as an offset to the taxation charge. Prior to signing the 2019 accounts it was determined that INEI would not be profitable and accordingly the deferred tax liability was released.

#### 5 Investments

With effect from 19 December 2014 the Company became a corporate member of INEI I GP (UK) LLP, an English limited liability partnership and paid a capital contribution of £90 (€115). The Company has a 90% profit sharing and voting percentage in the LLP.

#### 6 Trade and other receivables

	2020	2019
		€
Amounts owed by Impax Asset Management Group plc	233,630	230,956
Amounts owed by Impax Asset Management Limited	1,083,305	1,061,625
Amounts owed by fellow subsidiary undertakings	76,441	79,945
	1,393,376	1,372,526

The receiveable balances are expected to be fully recoverable with no expected credit losses.

# IMPAX NEW ENERGY INVESTORS (GP) LIMITED NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2020

7	Share capital	* .			
	`		 •	2020	2019
				. € .	€
	Allotted and called			4	
	1 ordinary share of £1 each	<u> </u>	 · .	2	2

#### 8 Control

The immediate Parent Company is Impax Asset Management Limited, a limited company registered in England and Wales. The ultimate Parent Company is Impax Asset Management Group plc, an AIM-listed company, registered in England and Wales. Copies of the financial statements of these companies can be obtained online from Companies House.

The results of these financial statements are included in the consolidated accounts of Impax Asset Management Group plc.

#### 9 Related parties

Impax New Energy Investors LP is considered to be a related party of the Company. All of the revenue of the Company is earned from this entity. Transactions with Impax Asset Management Limited and INEI I GP (UK) LLP, fellow subsidiaries and Impax Asset Management Group plc are disclosed in Notes 2 and 6.

#### 11 Events after the end of the reporting period

There were no significant events following the end of the reporting period.