# Worldpay AP Ltd.

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# **Company information**

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# Strategic report

The Directors of Worldpay AP Ltd. ("the Company") present their Strategic report for the year ended 31 December 2021. The Company is wholly owned by Fidelity National Information Services, Inc. (the "Group" and/or "FIS"). The Company forms part of the Group's Merchant Solutions division ("Worldpay").

# Statement by the Directors in relation to Performance of their Statutory Duties in accordance with Section 172(1) Companies Act 2006

The Directors are fully aware of their duty under section 172(1) of the Companies Act 2006 to promote the success of the Company for the benefit of its members as a whole. This statement describes how the Directors have taken account of the matters set out in section 172(1) (a) to (f) of the Companies Act 2006, when performing their duty to promote the success of the Company.

- the likely consequences of any decision in the long-term
   The Directors take a long-term view in reaching key decisions, with a strategy designed to ensure that our business remains successful in a rapidly changing market, creating sustainable value for all our stakeholders.
- the interests of the Company's employees

  The Directors want the Company to be a great place to work and for colleagues to have long-term successful careers within the Company and we invest in our people to realise their full potential. The Company expects colleagues to treat each other, our clients and our partners with respect and embrace each other's differences. The Company is committed to promoting diversity and inclusion in the workplace.
- the need to foster the Company's business relationships with suppliers, customers and others. When making decisions, the Directors look to act in the interests of stakeholders as a whole and to ensure all stakeholders are fairly treated. The Company's stakeholder engagement activities help to inform the Directors' decisions.
- the impact of the Company's operations on the community and the environment

  The Company is committed to bringing out the best in its people and fostering a sense of community and belonging, and it actively encourages colleagues to make a meaningful contribution by giving something back to their local communities. We provide employees with one day's paid leave, in addition to their annual leave provision, so that they can use that time to volunteer for a good cause of their choice. The Company is committed to helping ensure that our planet is a sustainable home for current and future generations. The Company's strategy is to build a sustainable business and includes focusing on energy and emissions reduction, energy efficiency and proper waste management.
- the desirability of the Company maintaining a reputation for high standards of business conduct. The Company promotes high legal, ethical, corporate and colleague-related standards in our own business. FIS is strongly opposed to slavery and human trafficking, and we will not knowingly support or do business with any organisation that is involved in either. This commitment is underpinned by our corporate policies which seek to ensure transparency in our employment and supply chains.
- the need to act fairly between members of the Company
  As a wholly owned subsidiary of FIS, the Directors of the Company always give fair and due consideration to all proposals to ensure the sole member is treated fairly whilst acting with the required autonomy.

#### **Business review**

The Company is a UK FCA regulated global payments service provider that offers single point access to popular local payment and collection services worldwide (including many real time payment services). This global network is used to send and receive money at low cost, quickly and securely on behalf of merchants to and from suppliers, affiliates, partners, overseas offices and customers worldwide.

The Company forms part of the group headed by Fidelity National Information Services, Inc., (NYSE:FIS).

The Company's business forms part of Worldpay's Merchant Solutions business and is focused on six global eCommerce vertical markets: Digital Content, Global Retail, Airlines, Travel, Gambling and Video Games.

#### Business review (continued)

Revenues at £29.0m were lower than the prior year (2020: £41.8m) due to a decrease in merchant activity, particularly in the Gambling and Travel verticals. As a result, gross profit decreased to £15.8m (2020: £23.1m).

#### Key performance indicators (KPIs)

The Company is part of a group that monitors performance at a level defined by the principal market segments in which the Group operates. KPIs are measured on the performance of such market segments rather than at a legal entity level.

Profit after tax for the year was £9.6m (2020: £11.2m) leaving net assets of £48.3m (2020: £38.7m).

#### **Future developments**

The Directors of the Company are satisfied with the Company's performance in the year which is presented in the profit and loss account on page 12. The future objectives continue to be the growth and development of the business and the Directors consider it well positioned to take advantage of opportunities for further growth in the future.

#### Principal risks and uncertainties

#### Risk management

The Company seeks to minimise its exposure to external financial risks and is party to the Company's Enterprise Risk Management Framework (ERMF) which drives the Company's approach to risk management. The framework sits alongside the Strategic Plan and sets out the activities, tools and techniques used to ensure that all material risks are identified and that a consistent approach is integrated into business management and decision making.

Whilst the Board of Directors is ultimately responsible for the management and governance of risk in the Company, the Company expects every employee to be responsible for the management of risk. To facilitate this, the Company operates within the Group's 'three lines of defence' model which clearly identifies accountabilities and responsibilities for risk as follows:

- Business line management has primary responsibility for the management of risk,
- Risk and compliance functions assist management in developing their approach to fulfil their responsibilities and provide oversight of our first line activities; and
- The internal Audit function checks that the risk management process and the risk management and internal control framework are effective and efficient.

Below is a list of the principal risks which the Group has identified. Further details can be found in Fidelity National Information Services, Inc.'s 10K document which can be obtained from 347 Riverside Avenue, Jacksonville, FL 32202, USA.

#### Principal risks

#### Industry

Potential key risk: Worldpay's acquiring business model is dependent on licences/sponsors and the continuing support from the payment franchises such as Visa and Mastercard. Any infringement by Worldpay of the franchise rules and regulations, or the inability to correctly implement mandatory changes, could result in the loss of the eard franchise support. This could result in unanticipated consequences such as the loss of licences or sponsors or the inability to obtain new ones, financial penalties or reputational damage.

#### Risk appetite

Worldpay will always seek to remain current and adhere to all franchise rules unless prevented from doing so by its system infrastructure. Where this is the case, Worldpay will apply for specific waivers pending full compliance.

#### Potential impacts

- Failure to meet franchise requirements for products and services may lead to reputational damage and to financial penalties from the payment franchises.
- As a last resort, payment franchises may revoke Worldpay's franchise licence in existing markets or not grant new licences in prospective markets.
- Failure to operate franchise licences to required specifications may lead to lower acceptance rates and therefore potential reputational damage and customer impact.

#### Principal risks and uncertainties (continued)

#### Legal

Potential key risk: Worldpay fails to adhere to legal requirements leading to financial and/or reputational damage.

#### Risk appetite

Worldpay will comply with the spirit and letter of the laws that apply to us. In areas of uncertainty or ambiguity, we will have a robust justification and clear rationale for the choices we make and will be prepared to defend our choices with the relevant authorities and, if necessary, publicly in the media.

#### Potential impacts

- Failure may result in Worldpay or its customers breaching laws, resulting in reputational damage, loss of customers and financial penalties.
- Worldpay may be used to facilitate financial crime.

#### Compliance and regulatory

Potential key risk: Worldpay breaches regulation due to inadequate/insufficient design, resourcing or implementation of a risk-based compliance programme, resulting in regulatory fines/financial loss and reputational damage.

#### Risk appetite

Worldpay has no appetite to knowingly breach the spirit and letter of the laws and regulations that apply to it.

#### Potential impacts

- Failure may result in Worldpay or its customers breaching regulations, resulting in reputational damage, loss of customers and financial penalties.
- Non-compliance may result in loss of business licence.

#### Settlement

Potential key risk: Failure to settle with merchants due to lack of available funds as a result of card scheme or systemic bank failure, or funds not processed correctly, resulting in financial loss (compensation) and severe reputational damage.

#### Risk appetite

Worldpay endeavours to settle to all customers within the agreed terms and will maintain sufficient liquidity or have ready access to additional liquidity funding if required.

#### Potential impacts

- Failure or delay to customer payments.
- Severe reputational damage and/or financial loss.

#### Credit

Potential key risk: Potential loss outside of agreed appetite arising from the failure of a merchant, card franchise, partner bank or alternative payments provider to meets its obligations in accordance with agreed terms.

#### Risk appetite

Worldpay budgets for credit loss on an annual basis, however our risk appetite seeks to optimise a high level of return whilst achieving appropriate risk versus reward performance in line with Worldpay's growth strategy.

#### Potential impacts

- Increase in credit exposure leading to increase in financial loss.
- Rejection of applications leading to decrease in profitability.
- Merchant fails to provide goods or services to their customers leading to an increase in chargebacks that cannot be passed on to a failed merchant, resulting in financial loss.

#### Principal risks and uncertainties (continued)

#### Data security

Potential key risk: Significant financial loss and reputational damage due to data breach of highly confidential data or technology disruption caused by internal/external attack on Worldpay or its third-party suppliers/merchants.

#### Risk appetite

Worldpay has no tolerance for the loss of confidentiality, integrity or availability of customer or other highly confidential information. Worldpay will comply with the spirit and letter of the laws that apply to it including all new regulations (e.g. GDPR).

#### Potential impacts

- The loss of confidentiality, integrity or availability of customer or other sensitive information could result in regulatory or legal sanctions and/or significant reputational damage.
- Increased costs for remediation and reduced ability to deliver strategic objectives.
- Additional costs by way of compensation, litigation, fines, loss of sponsorship and loss of productivity as resources are redirected to manage incidents.

#### Technology

Potential key risk: Inability to provide merchant services due to unforeseen technology downtime, resulting in loss of revenue and reputational damage.

#### Risk appetite

Worldpay is not willing to accept risks which compromise our ability to process merchant transactions.

#### Potential impacts

- Any disruption to the availability of Worldpay's global platform or network could result in interruption of service to customers, loss of business and revenue and significant additional costs by way of contractual damages and operating expenses.
- Increased costs for remediation and reduced ability to deliver strategic objectives.

#### Scale of change

Potential key risk: Risk of loss of profit, opportunity, reputation or disruption to business activities as a result of our inability to manage the magnitude of change being undertaken.

#### Risk appetite

Worldpay has no appetite for the failure to deliver high-priority projects on time, to budget, to expected quality.

#### Potential impacts

- Failure to deliver high-priority projects impacting customer and/or reputation.
- Disruption to normal business activities.
- Development of single points of failure.
- Increased attrition rates amongst colleagues.

#### Third parties

Potential key risk: Third parties fail to carry out core business activities, resulting in financial loss, regulatory impact and reputational damage.

#### Risk appetite

Worldpay is willing to accept the risk of working with third parties for core business activities, however it would never knowingly breach regulatory standards.

#### Potential impacts

- Suppliers critical to Worldpay's success are unable to meet the capability and service levels required.
- Non-compliance with legal or regulatory requirements relating to supplier management.
- Inconsistent and/or undesirable approach to the sourcing and management of key suppliers resulting in poor relationships and poor levels of service.

#### Principal risks and uncertainties (continued)

#### People

Potential key risk: Worldpay fails to sufficiently recruit, retain and develop its people leading to poor colleague engagement and the inability to create a high-performing culture.

#### Risk appetite

We seek to create a great place to work, powered by great people. We balance the costs and risk to ensure that our colleagues are motivated and engaged and have the capability to deliver our strategy.

#### Potential impacts

- Colleague capability does not meet the needs of the organisation.
- Poor culture leading to ineffective performance and inappropriate behaviours.
- Low colleague engagement leading to increased attrition.
- Unable to retain key people.

#### Competitive landscape

Potential key risk: Worldpay loses its relative competitive position.

#### Risk appetite

We have no appetite for allowing Worldpay's relative competitive position to be eroded or undermined. In this regard we will ensure that we monitor, assess and respond appropriately to Regulatory, Technological, Competitor, Customer and Security changes.

#### Potential impacts

- New players disintermediate Worldpay.
- Loss of customers because competitors innovate and develop new enhanced products.
- Pricing and margin pressure.

On behalf of the Board



Krunal Patel
Director

25 January 2023

# Directors' report

The Directors of Worldpay AP Ltd. present their report and the financial statements for the year ended 31 December 2021. The business review and principal risks and uncertainties which are required by law to be included in this report have been included instead in the Strategic report.

#### **Directors & Secretary**

The Directors who held office during the period and to the date of signing of these financial statements were as follows:

Directors

VA Daughtrey

JE Roberts (resigned 8 Sept 2022) KT Thompson (resigned 31 May 2022)

P Wickes

JM Robinson (appointed on 7 April 2021)

GLAM Bernard deMontessus de Ballore (appointed on 17 May 2021)

K Patel (appointed on 2 Oct 2021) SL McKnight (resigned on 26 May 2021) RSD Thacker (resigned on 25 Feb 2021) DG Brames (resigned on 4 August 2021)

Secretary

Worldpay Governance Limited

#### Dividends

No dividends were paid during the year (2020: £nil). Dividend of £1.8m have been approved and paid since 31 December 2021 to the date of approval of these financial statements.

#### Future developments

Details of the future development of the business are set out in the Strategic Report.

#### UK membership of the European Union

The UK left the European Union ("Brexit") on 31 January 2020, pursuant to the terms of a withdrawal agreement concluded between the UK Government and the Council of the EU. The withdrawal agreement included a transition period until 31 December 2020, during which time the UK followed the EU's rules and regulations and remained in the single market and customs union while the future terms of the UK's relationship with the EU were being negotiated. That transition period has now ended. On 24 December 2020, the UK and the EU announced they had struck a new bilateral trade and cooperation deal governing the future relationship between the UK and the EU (the "Trade and Cooperation Agreement"), which sets out the principles of the relationship between the EU and the UK following the end of the transition period. The Trade and Cooperation Agreement was formally approved by the 27 Member States of the EU on 29 December 2020 and was formally approved by the UK Parliament on 30 December 2020. It was announced on 28 April 2021, that the EU Parliament approved the Trade and Cooperation Agreement which means that the Agreement applies permanently from 1 May 2021.

The Trade and Cooperation Agreement provides clarity in respect of the intended shape of the future relationship between the UK and the EU and some detailed matters of trade and cooperation. However, there remain unavoidable uncertainties related to Brexit, and although the potential impact of Brexit on our business cannot be fully assessed until the new relationship between the UK and EU is developed and defined, and the UK negotiates, concludes and implements successor trading arrangements with other countries, Brexit is likely to result in ongoing political, legal and economic uncertainty in the UK and wider European markets. Such uncertainty could cause volatility in currency exchange rates, in interest rates, and in EU, UK or worldwide political, regulatory, economic or market conditions and could contribute to instability in political institutions, regulatory agencies, and financial markets, and may cause clients to closely monitor their costs and reduce their spending on our solutions and services.

However, given the global nature of our business and our experience working across multiple regulatory regimes, our expectation remains that the UK's exit from the EU will not have a material effect on our business overall.

# Directors' report (continued)

#### Disabled employees

Applications for employment by disabled persons are always fully considered, bearing in mind the abilities of the applicant concerned. In the event of members of staff becoming disabled every effort is made to ensure that their employment with the Company continues and that appropriate training is arranged. It is the policy of the Company that the training, career development and promotion of disabled persons should, as far as possible, be identical to that of other employees.

#### Political contributions

The Company made no political donations during the year.

#### Statement of corporate governance arrangements

Pursuant to Paragraphs 21 to 30, Part 8, Schedule 7 of the Large and Medium-sized Companies and Groups (Accounts and Reports) Regulations 2008 (SI 2008/410). The Board of Directors of the Company have formally adopted and applied The Wates Corporate Governance Principles for Large Private Companies, ("The Wates Principles").

In line with the 'apply and explain' approach guidance under each principle, the Directors hereby explain their approach to applying each principle in respect of the corporate governance arrangements of the Company.

As a large private regulated subsidiary of FIS, the Board operates autonomous decision-making whilst incorporating and aligning to FIS Group-wide policies and culture, this demonstrates the Directors' commitment to accountability and acknowledgement of their Directors' duties whilst continually considering the needs of all Company stakeholders.

#### PRINCIPLE 1: PURPOSE AND LEADERSHIP

The Board of Directors develops and promotes the purpose of the Company, and ensures that its values, strategy and culture align with that purpose. The 'One FIS' group-wide culture forms the basis for this approach, always striving to win as one team, lead with Integrity and be the change. The 'FIS 3Cs' define the groups that the purpose and values are delivered for - our Colleagues. Clients and Communities. The FIS Culture is a result of these values being brought to life. The Board carries out its leadership and work in guiding the way in which the Company communicates, learns, leads, works as a team and challenges itself to always deliver for the 3Cs.

The Board meets annually to plan strategy. The Board clearly articulates and implements its strategy throughout the Merchant Solutions organisation, whilst working alongside its stakeholders.

The Board follows and aligns to the FIS group-wide policies in respect of business ethics, conflicts of interest and the prevention of financial crime in order to achieve the highest standards in the payments industry. A memorandum of understanding is in place with FIS to set out the role and matters reserved for the Board of the Company and to encourage local autonomy for the Company's stakeholders.

### PRINCIPLE 2: BOARD COMPOSITION

The composition of the Board is established with a balance of skills, backgrounds, experience and knowledge, with individual Directors having sufficient capacity to make a valuable contribution and an effective Chair. The Chair of the Board ensures the promotion of open debate and facilitates constructive discussion during the course of each Board meeting. Directors are provided with appropriately detailed information and sufficient time is given for meaningful Board discussion. Care is taken to ensure the Board's composition continues to accommodate an understanding of the Company's business needs and stakeholder interests, whilst establishing an appropriate balance of expertise, diversity and objectivity.

FIS champions a group-wide diversity and inclusion approach which goes beyond policy making, the composition of the Board which is aligned to the Group's approach to diversity and inclusion. The Board is made up of representatives from the business and from the ultimate shareholder to ensure ongoing engagement and stakeholder interests continue to be met.

The Board evaluates its performance and effectiveness bi-annually.

#### PRINCIPLE 3: DIRECTOR RESPONSIBILITIES

The Board, as a collective, and each individual Director have a clear understanding of their accountability and responsibilities. The Board's processes are designed and maintained to support effective decision-making. Board Directors have, in addition to their legal responsibilities as Directors of the Company, notably to act in the best interests of the Company and its stakeholders, the responsibility also to act in recognition of the FIS Group, FIS Group's regulatory

# **Directors' report** (continued)

#### Statement of corporate governance arrangements (continued)

PRINCIPLE 3: DIRECTOR RESPONSIBILITIES (continued)

obligations and the FIS Policy Management Framework, which provides a suite of frameworks and policies covering business and financial planning, governance and risk management for the FIS Group, including its subsidiary companies.

Pursuant to the Companies Act 2006 and the Group-wide FIS Conflicts of Interest Standard, the Board ensures that, where any conflicts of interest are disclosed, that these are recorded and managed appropriately and if any on-going conflicts were to arise, consideration would be given to membership of the Board.

The Chair and Company Secretary periodically review the appropriateness and strength of the Company's corporate governance processes, continually considering areas for development. There is sufficient linkage between Company and its ultimate parent by way of Director representation on the Board. Because a number of those Directors are based in other areas of the wider FIS group, this enables an objective viewpoint on the Board to the Merchant Solutions business.

The Board retains overall responsibility for all matters reserved for the Board. However, the oversight of a variety of items have been delegated to the oversight of the Board Risk Committee, which was established and first convened January 2021, this has enabled a focussed approach to more complex risk management matters.

Board papers and supporting management information is accurate, clear, comprehensive, up-to-date and provided in a timely manner to the Board.

#### PRINCIPLE 4: OPPORTUNITY AND RISK

The Board promotes the long-term sustainable success of the Company by identifying opportunities to create and preserve value and establishing oversight for the identification and mitigation of risks.

As part of its annual strategic planning, the Board considers and assesses how the Company creates and preserves value over the long-term, taking into account tangible and intangible sources of value and stakeholder contribution. In line with the Matters Reserved for the Board, the Board oversees new opportunities for innovation and entrepreneurship and Board approval is required for new business opportunities.

The Board Risk Committee oversees financial, non-financial and reputational risk at each quarterly Board Risk Committee meeting, this is compiled and presented by the FIS Risk team. The Chairman of the Board Risk Committee provides a verbal report to each quarterly Board meeting, escalating any matters of significance, and as a result, the Board is able to remain appropriately accountable to stakeholders. In considering the size and nature of the business, internal control systems are in place to manage and mitigate emerging and principal risks. Established internal control systems enable the Board to make informed and robust decisions.

The Board Risk Committee currently determines the risk appetite of the Company and makes recommendations to the Board for approval following in-depth analysis.

#### PRINCIPLE 5: REMUNERATION

The FIS group aims to attract, engage and cultivate colleagues who can adapt and thrive in an ever-changing business and technology space. FIS are committed to helping colleagues learn, grow and excel with rewarding carcers. The group-wide remuneration policy exists to support these objectives and attract the best possible talent to enable the business to grow, ultimately benefitting all stakeholder groups. As the Company is a wholly-owned subsidiary of FIS, the parent company sets remuneration practices and policies. Further details in respect of compensation processes can be found in the FIS Annual Report as well as the corporate governance section and careers sections of the FIS website, all of which can be found at <a href="https://www.fisglobal.com">www.fisglobal.com</a>.

# PRINCIPLE 6: STAKEHOLDER RELATIONSHIPS AND ENGAGEMENT

Directors foster effective stakeholder relationships aligned to the Company's purpose. The Board is responsible for overseeing meaningful engagement with stakeholders, including the workforce, and having regard to their views when taking decisions. Please refer to the section 172(1) statement in the Strategic Report to see further detail explaining how the Company achieves these objectives.

#### Going concern

The Directors have prepared forecasts for the Group by business unit, covering a period of more than 12 months from the date of signing of these financial statements. On the basis of their assessment of the Company's financial position, the Directors have a reasonable expectation that the Company will be able to continue in operational existence for a minimum

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# Directors' report (continued)

Going concern(continued)

period of 12 months from the date of signing and therefore the financial statements have been prepared on the going concern basis.

# Directors' indemnities

The Company has made qualifying third-party indemnity provisions for the benefit of its directors which were made during the period and remain in force at the date of this report.

#### **COVID** - 19

During 2021, the Group has continued to model financial projections allowing for the market impacts of the COVID-19 pandemic as well as undertaking a number of scenario analysis exercises for both the Group and its subsidiaries. The outcome of these have continued to demonstrate that both the Group and the Company are expected to maintain sufficient resources to remain viable for the foreseeable future and notably, for the purposes of these accounts, in line with the going concern assessment as outlined in the Directors' Report. The Group continually monitors liquidity as a matter of course and has a variety of cash management initiatives to ensure adequate liquidity across the Group's and its subsidiary entities.

#### Auditor

For the year ended 31 December 2021, the company was entitled to the exemption from an audit under section 479A of the Companies Act 2006 relating to subsidiary companies.

By order of the Board

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Krunal Patel 25 January 2023

Director

Registered office: The Walbrook Building, 25 Walbrook, London, EC4N 8AF, United Kingdom

# Statement of directors' responsibilities in respect of the strategic report, the directors' report, and the financial statements

The directors are responsible for preparing the Strategic Report, 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 UK accounting standards and applicable law (UK Generally Accepted Accounting Practice), including FRS 101 *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 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:
- assess the company's ability to continue as a going concern, disclosing, as applicable, matters related to going concern;
- 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.

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.

# **Profit and Loss account**

for the year ended 31 December 2021

	Notes	2021 £000	2020 €000
Turnover	2	28,965	41,832
Cost of sales		(13,206)	(18,723)
Gross profit Administrative expenses		15,759 (6,639)	23,109 (12,093)
Operating profit	3	9,120	11,016
Interest receivable and similar income Interest payable and similar charges	6 7	510 (23)	256 (30)
Profit before taxation Taxation	8	9,607	11,242
Profit for the year		9,608	11,238

All results relate to continuing operations and represent the Company's comprehensive income for the year. Accordingly, a separate statement of other comprehensive income has not been presented.

The accompanying notes on pages 15 to 23 form an integral part of these financial statements.

# Balance Sheet at 31 December 2021

	Notes	2021 £000	2021 £000	2020 £000	2020 £000
Non-current assets					
Investments	9	2		2	
Deferred tax asset		100		84	
			102		86
Current assets					
Debtors	10	21,276		35,949	
Merchant float		172,522		180.966	
Cash at bank and in hand		43,390		22,241	
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		237,188		239.156	
Creditors: amounts falling due within one year	11	(188,967)		(200,527)	
Net current assets			48,221		38,629
Total assets less current liabilities			48,323		38,715
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Net assets			48,323		38,715
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Capital and reserves					
Called up share capital	12				
Share premium	12		1,276		1,276
Capital contribution			225		225
Other reserves			94		94
Profit and loss account			46,728		37,120
Shareholders' funds			48,323		38,715
Shareholders fullus			·		30,713

The accompanying notes on pages 15 to 23 form an integral part of these financial statements.

For the year ended 31 December 2021 the Company was entitled to exemption from audit under section 479A of the Companies Act 2006 relating to subsidiary companies. Directors' responsibilities:

- The members have not required the Company to obtain an audit of its accounts for the year in question in accordance with section 476;
- The directors acknowledge their responsibilities for complying with the requirements of the Act with respect to accounting records and the preparation of accounts.

The financial statements were approved by the Board of Directors and signed on its behalf by:

25 January 2023

Director

Krunal Patel

Company number: 05593466

# Statement of Changes in Equity for the year ended 31 December 2021

	Share capital £000	Share Premium £000	Capital contribution £000	Other Reserves £000	Profit & loss account £000	Total equity £000
At 1 January 2020	-	1.276	225	94	25.882	27,477
Profit for the year	-	-	-	-	11,238	11,238
At 31 December 2020		1.276	225	94	37,120	38.715
At 31 January 2021		1.276	225	94	37,120	38.715
Profit for the year	-	-	-	-	9,608	9,608
At 31 December 2021	-	1,276	225	94	46,728	48,323

The accompanying notes on pages 15 to 23 form an integral part of these financial statements.

#### Notes to the financial statements

#### 1 Accounting policies

Basis of preparation

Worldpay AP Ltd. ("the Company") is a private company limited by shares and incorporated, domiciled and registered in England and Wales.

The address of the registered office is given on page 1. The nature of the Company's operations and its principal activities are set out on the Strategic report.

These financial statements are presented in Pound Sterling which is the company's functional currency. All information is given to the nearest thousand pounds.

These financial statements have been prepared in accordance with FRS 101 Reduced Disclosure Framework and under the historical cost basis.

In preparing these financial statements, the Company has applied the recognition, measurement and disclosure requirements of International Financial Reporting Standards as adopted by the EU ("Adopted IFRSs"), but makes amendments where necessary in order to comply with the Companies Act 2006 and has set out below where advantage of the FRS 101 disclosure exemptions has been taken.

- Statement of Cash Flows and related notes;
- Comparative period reconciliations for share capital, tangible fixed assets, intangible assets:
- Disclosures in respect of transactions with wholly owned subsidiaries:
- Disclosures in respect of capital management;
- The effects of new but not yet effective IFRSs; and
- Disclosures in respect of the compensation of Key Management Personnel.

The Company is exempt by virtue of s400 of the Companies Act 2006 and IAS 27 Consolidated and Separate Financial Statements from the requirement to prepare group financial statements. These financial statements present information about the Company as an individual undertaking and not about its group.

The Company's immediate parent company is Worldpay eCommerce Limited. The ultimate parent undertaking is Fidelity National Information Services, Inc. ("the Group"). The consolidated financial statements of the Group are available to the public and may be obtained from 347 Riverside Avenue, Jacksonville, FL 32202, USA.

As the consolidated financial statements of the Group include the relevant disclosures, the Company has also taken the exemptions under FRS 101 available in respect of the following disclosures:

- IFRS 2 Share Based Payments in respect of group settled share-based payments;
- Certain disclosures required by IAS 36 *Impairment of Assets* in respect of the impairment of goodwill and indefinite life intangible assets; and
- Certain disclosures required by IFRS 13 Fair Value Measurement and the disclosures required by IFRS 7 Financial Instrument Disclosures.

#### Going concern

The Directors have prepared forecasts for the Group by business unit, covering a period of more than 12 months from the date of signing of these financial statements. On the basis of their assessment of the Company's financial position, the Directors have a reasonable expectation that the Company will be able to continue in operational existence for a minimum period of 12 months from the date of signing and therefore the financial statements have been prepared on the going concern basis

Critical accounting judgements and key sources of estimation uncertainty

The reported results of the Company for the financial year ended 31 December 2021 are sensitive to the accounting policies, assumptions and estimates that underlie the preparation of its financial statements.

The judgements and assumptions involved in the Company's accounting policies that are considered by the Directors to be the most important to the portrayal of its financial condition are discussed below.

The use of estimates, assumptions or models that differ from those adopted by the Company would affect its reported results.

#### 1 Accounting policies (continued)

Critical accounting judgements and key sources of estimation uncertainty (continued)

Key sources of estimation uncertainty

- Trade receivable impairment provisions

A trade receivable is impaired when there is objective evidence that, due to events since the trade receivable was created, the Company cannot recover the original expected cash flows from the trade receivable. Trade receivable impairment provisions can be either bad debt provisions or merchant potential liability provisions.

A bad debt provision represents the difference between the carrying value of the trade receivable and the present value of estimated future cash flows.

Accounting developments

New standards and interpretations not vet adopted

There are no standards that are not yet effective and that would be expected to have a material impact on the Company in the current or future reporting periods and on foreseeable future transactions.

Key accounting policies are set out below:

#### 1.1 Foreign Exchange

Foreign currency transactions are initially recorded at the rate ruling on the date of the transaction. At the end of each reporting period, foreign currency items on the balance sheet are translated as follows:

- Non-monetary items, including equity, held at historic cost are not retranslated.
- Non-monetary items held at fair value are translated at the rate ruling on the date the fair value was determined.
- Monetary items are retranslated at the rate prevailing at the end of the reporting period.

Foreign exchange gains and losses arising from the retranslation of foreign currency transactions are recognised in the profit and loss account. Amounts arising from financing balances, whether intra-Group or external, are stated within finance costs whereas those arising from trading are included in operating profit.

#### 1.2 Revenue recognition

Revenue is recognised when a customer obtains control of promised services or goods. The amount of revenue recognised reflects the consideration to which the Company expects to be entitled to receive in exchange for these services.

The Company has contractual agreements with its customers that set forth the general terms and conditions of the relationship including line item pricing, payment terms and contract duration. Revenue is recognised when the obligation under the terms of the Company's contract with its customer is satisfied. Revenue is measured as the amount of consideration the Company expects to receive in exchange for transferring goods or providing services. The Company generates revenue primarily by processing electronic payment transactions.

#### Performance Obligations

Since the majority of the Company's revenue relates to payment processing services for its customers, the Company's core performance obligation is to provide continuous access to the Company's system to process as much as its customers require. The Company's payment processing services consist of variable consideration under a stand-ready service of distinct days of service that are substantially the same with the same pattern of transfer to the customer. The Company's revenue from products and services is recognised at a point in time or over time depending on the products or services, with most of the revenue recognised at a point in time.

#### Remaining Performance Obligations

IFRS15 requires disclosure of the aggregate amount of the transaction price allocated to unsatisfied performance obligations; however, as permitted by IFRS 15, the Company has elected to exclude from this disclosure any contracts with an original duration of one year or less and any variable consideration that meets specified criteria. As discussed above, the Company's core performance obligation consists of variable consideration under a stand ready series of distinct days of service. Such variable consideration meets the specified criteria for the disclosure exclusion; therefore, the majority of the aggregate amount of transaction price that is allocated to performance obligations that have not yet been satisfied is variable consideration that is not required for disclosure. The aggregate fixed consideration portion of customer contracts with an initial contract duration greater than one year is not material.

#### 1 Accounting policies (continued)

#### 1.2 Revenue recognition (continued)

The Company capitalises commission fees as costs of obtaining a contract when they are incremental and expected to be recovered. The Company amortises these capitalised costs consistently with the pattern of transfer of the good or service to which the asset relates. If the expected amortisation period is one year or less, the commission fee is expensed when incurred

#### 1.3 Employee benefits

Expenses related to services rendered by employees are recognised in the period in which the service is rendered. This includes wages and salaries, social security contributions, pension contributions, bonuses and termination benefits.

Where payments of amounts due are outstanding at the end of the reporting period, an accrual is recognised. Where payments have been made in advance prior to the end of the reporting period, a prepayment is recognised.

The Company participates in the Group's defined contribution pension scheme. The amounts charged to the profit and loss account in respect of pension costs and other post-retirement benefits are the contributions payable in the period. Differences between contributions payable in the period and contributions actually paid are shown as either accruals or prepayments on the balance sheet.

Equity-settled share-based payments are measured at fair value at the date of grant. The fair value determined at the grant date of the equity-settled share-based payments is expensed on a straight-line basis over the vesting period, based upon estimation of the number of shares which will eventually vest, with a corresponding increase in equity. Fair value is measured by reference to the market value of the Group's shares, adjusted as necessary for the terms and conditions of the award, or an appropriate option pricing model, depending on the nature of the award.

Cash-settled share-based payments are measured at fair value at the date of grant. The fair value determined at the grant date of the cash-settled share-based payments is expensed on a straight-line basis over the vesting period, based upon estimation of the number of shares which will eventually vest, and a corresponding liability will be recognised for that settlement. Fair value is measured by reference to the market value of the Group's shares, adjusted as necessary for the terms and conditions of the award, or an appropriate option pricing model, depending on the nature of the award.

#### 1.4 Taxation

The tax expense represents the sum of the current tax and deferred tax for the period.

#### Current tax

The current tax charge is based on taxable profit for the period. Taxable profit differs from profit before tax as reported in the profit and loss account because it excludes items of income or expense that are taxable or deductible in other periods and it further excludes items that are never taxable or deductible. The Company's liability for current tax is calculated using tax rates that have been enacted or substantively enacted by the balance sheet date.

#### Deferred tax

Deferred tax is the tax expected to be payable or recoverable on differences between the carrying amounts of assets and liabilities in the financial statements and the corresponding tax bases used in the computation of taxable profit. Deferred tax liabilities are generally recognised for all taxable temporary differences and deferred tax assets are recognised to the extent that it is probable that taxable profits will be available against which deductible temporary differences can be utilised. Such assets and liabilities are not recognised if the temporary difference arises from goodwill or from the initial recognition of other assets and liabilities in a transaction that affects neither the taxable profit nor the accounting profit.

The carrying amount of deferred tax assets is reviewed at each balance sheet date and reduced to the extent that it is no longer probable that sufficient taxable profits will be available to allow all or part of the asset to be recovered. Deferred tax is calculated at the tax rates that are expected to apply in the period when the liability is settled or the asset is realised.

Deferred tax is charged or credited to the profit and loss account, except when it relates to items charged or credited directly to equity in which case the deferred tax is also dealt with in equity. Deferred tax assets and liabilities are offset when the Company has a legally enforceable right to offset current tax assets and liabilities and the deferred tax assets and liabilities relate to taxes levied by the same tax authority.

# 1 Accounting policies (continued)

#### 1.5 Intangible assets

Intangible assets acquired in a business combination, and recognised separately from goodwill, include brands and customer relationships. These are initially recognised at their fair value at the acquisition date. Subsequently, they are reported at cost less accumulated amortisation and any impairment losses.

Amortisation is recognised on a straight-line basis over the estimated useful economic life. The estimated useful economic lives and the amortisation method are reviewed at the end of each reporting period, with any changes being accounted for on a prospective basis.

The useful economic lives applied by the Company are as follows:

Software & licences

3 to 10 years

Development costs that are directly attributable to the design and testing of identifiable and unique software products controlled by the Company are recognised as intangible assets. These costs include directly attributable employee costs. However, any costs incurred in the research phase or as maintenance are expensed as incurred.

#### 1.6 Tangible assets

Tangible assets are initially recognised at cost and include all expenditure directly attributable to bringing the asset to the location and working condition for its intended use. Subsequent measurement is at cost less accumulated depreciation and impairment losses.

Subsequent expenditure is capitalised only when it is probable that it will give rise to future benefits i.e. maintenance expenditure is excluded but enhancement costs that meet the criteria are capitalised.

Tangible assets are depreciated to their residual value over their useful life on a straight-line basis. Estimates of the useful life and residual value, as well as the method of depreciation, are reviewed as a minimum at the end of each reporting period. Any changes are classified as a change in accounting estimate and so are applied prospectively.

The useful lives applied by the Company are as follows:

Leasehold improvements
 Computers & office equipment
 3 to 5 years

Depreciation begins when an asset is ready for use and ceases on the disposal of the asset, classification as held for sale or the end of its useful life, whichever is the sooner.

The gain or loss on disposal is the difference between the net proceeds received and the carrying amount of the asset.

#### 1.7 Investments in subsidiary undertakings

Investments in subsidiary undertakings are stated at cost less any provisions for impairment.

Investments in subsidiary undertakings purchased from companies under common control are transferred across at carrying value.

#### 1.8 Impairment of intangible and tangible assets

The Company assesses its other intangible assets and tangible assets for indicators of impairment at least annually. If such indicators exist, the recoverable amount of the asset (or its cash-generating unit if the asset does not generate largely independent cash flows) is estimated. The recoverable amount of an asset is the higher of its fair value less costs of disposal and its value in use. Value in use is the present value of the future cash flows from the asset or the cash-generating unit, discounted at the appropriate pre-tax rate.

The Company recognises any impairment loss resulting from these reviews in separately disclosed items in the profit and loss account. Impairment losses may be reversed in subsequent periods. However, the revised carrying value of the asset may not exceed the carrying value had the original impairment not arisen.

# 1.9 Cash and cash equivalents

Cash and cash equivalents comprise of cash and demand deposits with banks, together with short-term highly liquid investments that are readily convertible to known amounts of cash and subject to insignificant risk of change in value.

#### 1 Accounting policies (continued)

#### 1.10 Trading assets and liabilities

#### Merchant float and merchant creditors

Merchant float, scheme debtors and merchant creditors represent intermediary balances arising in the merchant settlement process.

Merchant float represents surplus cash balances that the Company holds on behalf of its customers, when the incoming amount from the card schemes or networks precedes when the funding to customers falls due. The funds are held in a fiduciary capacity and are stated separately from the Company's own cash in the balance sheet.

Merchant creditors consist primarily of:

- Liabilities to customers for transactions that have been processed but not yet funded by the card networks, where they
  are a member of that particular network;
- Liabilities to customers for transactions where it is holding funding from the members under the sponsorship agreement but has not funded customers on behalf of the sponsoring bank; and
- Merchant reserves and the fair value of the Company's guarantees of cardholder chargebacks. These are amounts held as deposits from customers, either from inception of Worldpay's working relationship with them, or accrued throughout the relationship due to payment issues arising or potential chargebacks.

#### Debtors

Debtors are initially recognised at fair value in the period to which they relate. They are held at amortised cost, less any provision for bad or doubtful debts. Provisions for bad or doubtful debts are presented net with the related receivable on the balance sheet. Trade receivables primarily include amounts due from merchants for services provided to process transactions between the cardholder and an acquiring bank.

#### Creditors

Creditors are recognised initially at fair value in the period to which they relate. They are subsequently held at amortised cost using the effective interest rate method. They are derecognised when payment has been made.

# 1.11 Provisions

The Company recognises a provision for a present obligation resulting from a past event when it is probable that it will be required to transfer economic benefits to settle the obligation, and the amount of the obligation can be estimated reliably.

#### 1.12 Capital contribution reserve

The capital contribution reserve represents the capital contribution made by Worldpay Group Limited in respect of share options issued to employees of the Company over the shares of Worldpay Group Limited and is equivalent to the cumulative charge recognised under IFRS 2.

#### 2 Turnover

	2021 £000	2020 £000
Alternative payments	16,397	33,327
Treasury management and foreign exchange services	12,549	8,357
Ancillary income	19	148
	28,965	41,832

All turnover is generated within the United Kingdom.

3 Operating profit		
	2021	2020
Operating profit for the year is stated after charging:	€000	£000
Amortisation of intangible assets	-	50
Bad debt charge	1,163	5,192
Intra Group recharges	7,120	7.735

For the year ended 31 December 2021 the Company was entitled to exemption from audit under section 479A of the Companies Act 2006 relating to subsidiary companies and consequently no Auditor's remuneration.

4 Employee numbers and costs	2021	2020
The average number of employees (including Directors) during the period was:	2021	2020
Staff	7	5
Their aggregate remuneration comprised:	2021 £000	2020 €000
Wages and salaries (including redundancy costs) Social security costs Pension costs	458 75 35	167 62 7
	568	236

#### 5 Directors' remuneration

The Directors of the Company do not receive specific remuneration for services to this Company nor is it possible to accurately apportion the total remuneration paid to the Directors of the Worldpay Group among the companies of the Group.

# 6 Interest receivable and similar income 2021 2020 £000 2000 £000 Foreign exchange gains 510 256 510 256

7 Interest payable and similar charges			2021	2020
			£000	£000
Bank charges Interest payable to other Group companies			38 (15)	2 28
interest payable to other order companies				
			23	30
8 Taxation				
Total Smith in the project and the same	:021 :000	2021 £000	2020 £000	2020 £000
Current tax	_		<u>-</u>	
UK corporation tax charge for the year Adjustments in respect of prior periods	15		13	
				13
Total current tax charge		15		13
Deferred tax Credit for the year	8		_	
	(24)		(9)	
Total deferred tax (credit) charge		(16)		(9)
Total deferred tax (creati) charge				(*)
Tax (credit) charge on profit		(1)		4
Reconciliation of effective tax rate			2021 £000	2020 £000
Profit			9,607	11,242
Tax charge using the UK corporation tax rate of 19.00% (2020: 19.0	9%)		1,825	2.136
Effect of changes in tax rates	,		(24) 15	(9) 13
Deferred tax adjustments in respect of prior periods Group relief claimed from other Group companies for nil considerati	on		(1,817)	(2,136)
Total tax (credit) charge for the year			(1)	4

#### Factors affecting future tax charges

A reduction in the UK corporation tax rate from 19% to 17% (effective 1 April 2020) was substantively enacted on 6 September 2016. The March 2020 Budget announced that a rate of 19% would continue to apply with effect from 1 April 2020, and this change was substantively enacted on 17 March 2020. An increase in the UK corporation rate from 19% to 25% (effective 1 April 2023) was substantively enacted on 24 May 2021. This will increase the company's future current tax charge accordingly. The UK deferred tax asset as at 31 December 2021 has been calculated at 25% (2020: 19%).

#### 9 Investments

	Investments in group undertakings £000
Cost and net book value At 1 January 2021 Additions	2 -
At 31 December 2021	2

As part of the FIS Group-wide legal entity rationalisation exercise begun in previous years, the Company dissolved its interests in Envoy Services Pty Ltd following deregistration of company on 5 March 2021, Envoy Services Bulgaria Ltd following the deregistration of the company on 25 November 2021 and Canadian Envoy Technology Services Ltd on 31 December 2021.

		Country of		Ordinary shares
Con	ipany name	Incorporation /registration	Registered place of business	held
Enve	by Services South Africa (Pty) Ltd <sup>1</sup>	South Africa	$3^{\rm rd}$ Floor, 200 on Main, Cnr Bowwood and Mains Road, Claremont, Cape Town, 7708, South Africa	100%
ŧ	Nature of business Non-trading company and in liquida	ation		
10	Debtors			
			2021 £000	2020 £000
Trad	e receivables		4,175	3,511
	ision for bad and doubtful debts		(1,783)	(1.864)
			2,392	1.647
	unts owed from Group companies		16,394	31.623
	ent tax asset		- •	15 38
	r debtors ayments and accrued income		4 2,486	2,626
			21,276	35.949
Amoı	ints owed from Group companies a	re unsecured and	repayable on demand.	
11	Creditors: amounts falling du	e within one yea	r	
	_		2021	2020
.,	to a second		£900	£000
	chant creditors ounts owed to Group companies		172,522 5,035	180,966 6,865
	r creditors		1,454	9
	uals and deferred income		9,956	12,687
			188,967	200,527

Amounts owed to Group companies are unsecured and repayable on demand.

#### 12 Share capital

	2021 £	£
Allotted, called up and fully paid 2,587 ordinary shares of €0.10	259	259
	-	

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.

#### 13 Related parties

Transactions between the Company and other wholly owned members of the same Group have not been disclosed, in accordance with the provisions of FRS 101. There were no transactions with other related parties.

#### 14 Ultimate parent company and controlling party

Worldpay eCommerce Ltd is the Company's immediate parent company.

Worldpay International Group Ltd is the undertaking that heads the smallest group of companies for which consolidated financial statements are prepared. Copies of the financial statements of Worldpay International Group Limited can be obtained from the Walbrook Building, 25 Walbrook, London EC4N 8AF. FIS, a company incorporated in the United States of America, is the undertaking that heads the largest group of companies for which consolidated financial statements are prepared. The Directors consider FIS to be the ultimate controlling party and ultimate parent company.

Copies of the financial statements of Fidelity National Information Services, Inc. can be obtained from 347 Riverside Avenue, Jacksonville, FL 32202, USA.