Registered number. 05700194 (England and Wales)

## LANCER PROPERTY HOLDINGS LTD

## **DIRECTORS' REPORT AND FINANCIAL STATEMENTS** FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 APRIL 2012



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#### **COMPANY INFORMATION**

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## DIRECTORS' REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 APRIL 2012

The Directors present their report and the financial statements for the Year ended 30 April 2012

#### **DIRECTORS' RESPONSIBILITIES STATEMENT**

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 the Group and of the profit or loss of the Group for that period. In preparing these financial statements, the Directors are required to

- select suitable accounting policies and then apply them consistently,
- make judgments and accounting estimates that are reasonable and prudent,
- prepare the financial statements on the going concern basis unless it is inappropriate to presume that the Group 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 the Group 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 the Group and hence for taking reasonable steps for the prevention and detection of fraud and other irregularities.

#### **PRINCIPAL ACTIVITIES**

The Principal activity of the Group and the Company was that of property asset management, investment in properties and realisation of rental income

#### **BUSINESS REVIEW**

The Directors are pleased with the performance of the Group, which operates a number of Companies mainly in the property sector, in asset management, property ownership, and investment

#### **RESULTS**

The profit for the Year, after taxation, amounted to £1,834,491 (2011 - £229,844)

### **DIRECTORS**

The Directors who served during the Year were

A J W Lax J T Kevill D R Ferguson B H Pull FCMA FStratPS CGMA

#### POLITICAL AND CHARITABLE CONTRIBUTIONS

There were no political or charitable contributions during the year

### DIRECTORS' REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 APRIL 2012

#### PRINCIPAL RISKS AND UNCERTAINTIES

The management of the Group, and the execution of the strategy, are subject to a number of risks and uncertainties. The Board regularly reviews business risks, and appropriate actions are taken to monitor and mitigate them. The key business risk are identified below.

#### Risk 1

Supply Chain - The business relies heavily on sub-contractors to complete work required by the Group, and their availability, performance and financial stability is important. To mitigate this risk, regular checks are performed on the sub-contractors, particularly in the present economic climate with respect to their financial stability, and the availability of alternate suppliers.

#### Risk 2

Margin Control - Gross margin both in value and as a percentage to sales, is critical to the Group, and the Directors review margins and take action on a regular basis using the internal controls developed for that purpose

#### **FUTURE DEVELOPMENTS**

The Directors expect the Group will develop further during the coming year as it makes progress with new opportunities within its core competencies

Subject to unforeseen circumstances, the Directors are confident about the current year, and expect the present level of performance to be maintained

#### FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS

Financial instruments are classified and accounted for, according to the substance of the contractual arrangement, as either financial assets, financial liabilities, or equity instruments. An equity instrument is any contract that evidences a residual interest in the assets of the Group after deducting all of its liabilities.

### PROVISION OF INFORMATION TO AUDITORS

Each of the persons who are Directors at the time when this Directors' Report is approved has confirmed that

- so far as that Director is aware, there is no relevant audit information of which the Company and the Group's auditors are unaware, and
- that Director has taken all the steps that ought to have been taken as a Director in order to be aware of
  any information needed by the Company and the Group's auditors in connection with preparing their
  report and to establish that the Company and the Group's auditors are aware of that information

#### **AUDITORS**

Under section 487(2) of the Companies Act 2006, Buzzacott LLP will be deemed to have been reappointed as auditors 28 days after these financial statements were sent to members or 28 days after the latest date prescribed for filing the accounts with the registrar, whichever is earlier

## **DIRECTORS' REPORT** FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 APRIL 2012

This report was approved by the board and signed on its behalf

J T Kevill Director

Date 31 January 2013

D R Ferguson

Director

Date 31 January 2013

#### INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT TO THE SHAREHOLDERS OF LANCER PROPERTY HOLDINGS LTD

We have audited the financial statements of Lancer Property Holdings Ltd for the Year ended 30 April 2012, which comprise the Group Profit and Loss Account, the Group and Company Balance Sheets, the Group Cash Flow Statement, the Group Statement of Total Recognised Gains and Losses and the related notes. 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, 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 and express an opinion on 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

A description of the scope of an audit of financial statements is provided on the Auditing Practices Board's website at www frc org uk/apb/scope/private cfm

#### **OPINION ON FINANCIAL STATEMENTS**

In our opinion the financial statements

- give a true and fair view of the state of the Group's and the parent Company's affairs as at 30 April 2012 and of the Group's 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 TO THE SHAREHOLDERS OF LANCER PROPERTY HOLDINGS LTD

### 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 by the parent Company, or returns adequate for our audit have not been received from branches not visited by us, or
- the parent Company 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

David Jarman (Senior Statutory Auditor)

for and on behalf of **Buzzacott LLP** 

130 Wood Street London EC2V 6DL

31 January 2013

# CONSOLIDATED PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 APRIL 2012

	Note	2012 £	2011 £
TURNOVER			
Group and share of joint venture's turnover		8,464,389	7,393,993
Less share of joint venture's turnover		(459,355)	(298,282)
Group turnover	1,2	8,005,034	7,095,711
Cost of sales		(3,064,581)	(3,316,215)
GROSS PROFIT		4,940,453	3,779,496
Administrative expenses		(2,646,211)	(3,365,274)
Other operating income		86,961	44,215
Other operating charges			(1,045)
OPERATING PROFIT	3	2,381,203	457,392
Share of operating profit/(loss) in joint ventures		142,261	(12,647)
TOTAL OPERATING PROFIT		2,523,464	444,745
Profit on disposal of investments		59,492	-
Interest receivable and similar income		9,144	3,830
Interest payable and similar charges	6	(95,438)	(105,304)
PROFIT ON ORDINARY ACTIVITIES BEFORE TAXATION		2,496,662	343,271
Tax on profit on ordinary activities	7	(662,171)	(113,427)
PROFIT FOR THE FINANCIAL YEAR	16	1,834,491	229,844

All amounts relate to continuing operations

# CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF TOTAL RECOGNISED GAINS AND LOSSES FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 APRIL 2012

	2012 £	2011 £
PROFIT FOR THE FINANCIAL YEAR	1,834,491	229,844
Share of unrealised surplus on Investment revaluation reserve of Joint Venture	1,040	6,427
TOTAL RECOGNISED GAINS AND LOSSES RELATING TO THE YEAR	1,835,531	236,271

There are no material differences between the profit on ordinary activities before taxation and the retained profit for the financial Year stated above and their historical cost equivalents

# LANCER PROPERTY HOLDINGS LTD REGISTERED NUMBER: 05700194 (ENGLAND AND WALES)

# CONSOLIDATED BALANCE SHEET AS AT 30 APRIL 2012

	Note	£	2012 £	£	2011 £
FIXED ASSETS		_		~	
Tangible assets	8		39,970		49,877
Investment property	9		2,667,089		2,667,089
Investments	10		-		254,999
Investments in joint ventures					
-Share of gross assets		383,867		401,766	
-Share of gross liabilities		(103,146)		(229, 262)	
Share of net assets	10		280,721		172,504
			2,987,780		3,144,469
CURRENT ASSETS					
Debtors	11	4,046,295		4,610,442	
Cash at bank		3,332,794		1,272,122	
		7,379,089		5,882,564	
CREDITORS: amounts falling due within one year	12	(4,372,799)		(3,984,767)	
NET CURRENT ASSETS			3,006,290		1,897,797
TOTAL ASSETS LESS CURRENT LIABILIT	TIES		5,994,070		5,042,266
CREDITORS: amounts falling due after more than one year	13		-		(882,000)
PROVISIONS FOR LIABILITIES					
Deferred tax	14		-		(1,727)
NET ASSETS			5,994,070		4,158,539
CAPITAL AND RESERVES					
Called up share capital	15		106		106
Share premium account	16		19,995		19,995
Revaluation reserve	16		12,173		11,133
Profit and loss account	16		5,961,796		4,127,305
SHAREHOLDERS' FUNDS	17				

## CONSOLIDATED BALANCE SHEET (continued) AS AT 30 APRIL 2012

The financial statements were approved and authorised for issue by the board and were signed on its behalf by

J T Kevill Director B H Pull FCMA FStratPS CGMA

Director

Date 31 January 2013

## LANCER PROPERTY HOLDINGS LTD REGISTERED NUMBER. 05700194 (ENGLAND AND WALES)

## COMPANY BALANCE SHEET AS AT 30 APRIL 2012

Note	£	2012 £	£	2011 £
	-	_	~	_
8		19,542		4,934
10		7,901		7,901
		27,443		12,835
11	3,121,562		2,893,961	
	248,148		1,496	
	3,369,710		2,895,457	
12	(40,854)		(25,486)	
		3,328,856		2,869,971
		3,356,299		2,882,806
15		106		106
16		19,994		19,994
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The financial statements were approved and authorised for issue by the board and were signed on its behalf on 31 January 2013

J T Kevill
Director

B H Pull FCMA FStratPS CGMA

Director

## CONSOLIDATED CASH FLOW STATEMENT FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 APRIL 2012

	Note	2012 £	2011 £
Net cash flow from operating activities	18	2,446,611	(1,085,444)
Returns on investments and servicing of finance	19	(90,066)	(101,175)
Taxation		(79,711)	(515,123)
Capital expenditure and financial investment	19	293,463	1,747,708
CASH INFLOW BEFORE FINANCING		2,570,297	45,966
Financing	19	(509,625)	-
INCREASE IN CASH IN THE YEAR		2,060,672	45,966

## RECONCILIATION OF NET CASH FLOW TO MOVEMENT IN NET FUNDS/DEBT FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 APRIL 2012

	2012 £	2011 £
Increase in cash in the Year	2,060,672	45,966
Cash outflow from decrease in debt and lease financing	509,625	
MOVEMENT IN NET DEBT IN THE YEAR	2,570,297	45,966
Net debt at 1 May 2011	(484,878)	(530,844)
NET FUNDS/(DEBT) AT 30 APRIL 2012	2,085,419	(484,878)
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#### NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 APRIL 2012

#### 1. ACCOUNTING POLICIES

#### 1 1 Basis of preparation of financial statements

The financial statements have been prepared under the historical cost convention as modified by the revaluation of certain investments and in accordance with applicable accounting standards

#### 1.2 Basis of consolidation

The financial statements consolidate the accounts of Lancer Property Holdings Ltd and all of its subsidiary undertakings ('subsidiaries')

#### 1.3 Turnover

Turnover comprises revenue recognised by the Company in respect of goods and services supplied during the Year, exclusive of Value Added Tax and trade discounts

## 1.4 Tangible fixed assets and depreciation

Tangible fixed assets are stated at cost or valuation less depreciation. Depreciation is provided at rates calculated to write off the cost or valuation of fixed assets, less their estimated residual value, over their expected useful lives on the following bases.

Freehold property - Nil

L/Term Leasehold Property - 25% - 30% Straight Line
Fixtures and fittings - 25% Straight Line
Office equipment - 33% Straight Line

Computer equipment - 33% Written Down Value

## 1.5 Revaluation of tangible fixed assets

As permitted by the transitional provisions of FRS 15, the Company has elected not to adopt a policy of revaluation of tangible fixed assets. The Company will retain the book value of land and buildings, previously revalued at 30 April 2012 and will not update that valuation.

#### 1.6 Investments

(i) Subsidiary undertakings

Investments in subsidiaries are valued at cost less provision for impairment

(ii) Joint venture undertakings

Investments in joint ventures are stated at the Company's share of net assets. The Company's share of the profits or losses of the joint ventures is included in the Profit and Loss Account using the equity accounting basis.

(III) Other investments

Investments held as fixed assets are shown at cost less provision for impairment

#### NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 APRIL 2012

#### 1. ACCOUNTING POLICIES (continued)

#### 17 Investment properties

Investment properties are included in the Balance Sheet at their open market value in accordance with Statement of Standard Accounting Practice No 19 and are not depreciated. This treatment is contrary to the Companies Act 2006 which states that fixed assets should be depreciated but is, in the opinion of the Directors, necessary in order to give a true and fair view of the financial position of the Company and the Group

#### 1.8 Operating leases

Rentals under operating leases are charged to the Profit and Loss Account on a straight line basis over the lease term

Benefits received and receivable as an incentive to sign an operating lease are recognised on a straight line basis over the period until the date the rent is expected to be adjusted to the prevailing market rate

#### 1.9 Deferred taxation

Full provision is made for deferred tax assets and liabilities arising from all timing differences between the recognition of gains and losses in the financial statements and recognition in the tax computation

Deferred tax is not provided on timing differences arising from the revaluation of fixed assets in the financial statements

A net deferred tax asset is recognised only if it can be regarded as more likely than not that there will be suitable taxable profits from which the future reversal of the underlying timing differences can be deducted

Deferred tax assets and liabilities are calculated at the tax rates expected to be effective at the time the timing differences are expected to reverse

Deferred tax assets and liabilities are discounted

#### 1.10 Foreign currencies

Monetary assets and liabilities denominated in foreign currencies are translated into sterling at rates of exchange ruling at the balance sheet date

Transactions in foreign currencies are translated into sterling at the rate ruling on the date of the transaction

Exchange gains and losses are recognised in the Profit and Loss Account

#### 1.11 Pensions

The Company operates a defined contribution pension scheme and the pension charge represents the amounts payable by the Company to the fund in respect of the Year

## NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 APRIL 2012

## 2. TURNOVER

The whole of the turnover is attributable to services and goods supplied by the various Companies in the Group

All turnover arose within the United Kingdom

#### 3. OPERATING PROFIT

The operating profit is stated after charging/(crediting)

	2012	2011
	£	£
Depreciation of tangible fixed assets		
- owned by the group	30,356	31,583
Auditors' remuneration	3,600	3,500
Auditors' remuneration - non-audit	19,250	20,500
Difference on foreign exchange	264	(521)
Operating lease charge - land and building	111,065	111,065

#### 4. STAFF COSTS

Staff costs, including Directors' remuneration, were as follows

	2012 £	2011
Wages and salaries	1,212,674	1,355,131
Social security costs	131,324	166,260
Other pension costs	86,472	237,498
	1,430,470	1,758,889

The average monthly number of employees, including the Directors, during the Year was as follows

	2012 No.	2011 No
Directors	4	4
Surveyors	5	5
Administration	3	3
	12	12

## NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 APRIL 2012

5.	DIRECTORS' REMUNERATION		
		2012 £	2011 £
	Emoluments	398,223	651,011
	Company pension contributions to defined contribution pension schemes	32,557	200,485
	Amounts paid to third parties for directors' remuneration services	666,001	231,254
	The highest paid Director received remuneration of £223,014 (2011 - £	258,306)	
6.	INTEREST PAYABLE		
		2012 £	2011 £
	On bank loans and overdrafts Other interest payable	95,434 4	105,304 -
		95,438	105,304
7.	TAXATION		
		2012 £	2011 £
	Analysis of tax charge in the Year/year		
	Current tax (see note below)  UK corporation tax charge on profit for the Year/year  Adjustments in respect of prior periods	630,377 (1,928)	96,888 3,635
	Group taxation relief	628,449	100,523 15,573
		628,449	116,096
	Share of joint ventures' current tax	38,855	(911)
	Total current tax	667,304	115,185
	Deferred tax (see note 14)		
	Short term timing difference	(5,133)	(1,758)
	Tax on profit on ordinary activities	662,171	113,427

## NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 APRIL 2012

## 7. TAXATION (continued)

## Factors affecting tax charge for the Yearlyear

The tax assessed for the Year/year is lower than (2011 - lower than) the standard rate of corporation tax in the UK of 24% (2011 - 26%) The differences are explained below

	2012 £	2011 £
Profit on ordinary activities before tax	2,496,662	343,271
Profit on ordinary activities multiplied by standard rate of corporation tax in the UK of 24% (2011 - 26%)	599,199	89,246
Effects of:		
Expenses not deductible for tax purposes, other than goodwill amortisation and impairment Capital allowances for Year/year in excess of depreciation Utilisation of tax losses Adjustments to tax charge in respect of prior periods Other timing differences leading to an increase (decrease) in taxation Dividends from UK companies	23,915 (17,923) - (1,928) - 120,000	26,358 (15,092) (4,326) 3,635 3,912
Other differences leading to an increase (decrease) in the tax charge Group relief Composite effective tax rate	(11,421) - (44,538)	15,817 (4,365) -
Current tax charge for the Year/year (see note above)	667,304	115,185

## Factors that may affect future tax charges

There are no factors of which the Directors are aware that may affect tax charges

## NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 APRIL 2012

TANGIBLE FIXED ASSETS			
	Fixtures and fittings	Computer equipment	Total
Group	£	£	£
Cost or valuation			
At 1 May 2011	200,322	33,103	233,425
Additions	9,850	10,599	20,449
At 30 April 2012	210,172	43,702	253,874
Depreciation			
At 1 May 2011	153,955	29,593	183,548
Charge for the Year	25,939	4,417	30,356
At 30 April 2012	179,894	34,010	213,904
Net book value			
At 30 April 2012	30,278	9,692	39,970
At 20 April 2011	<del></del>		
At 30 April 2011	46,367 <del>====================================</del>	3,510	49,877
Cost or valuation at 30 April 2012 is as fol	=======================================	3,510	49,877
	llows  Fixtures and	Computer	49,877
Cost or valuation at 30 April 2012 is as fol	llows  Fixtures and fittings	Computer equipment	Total
Cost or valuation at 30 April 2012 is as fol	llows  Fixtures and	Computer	
Cost or valuation at 30 April 2012 is as fol Company Cost or valuation	Fixtures and fittings	Computer equipment £	Total £
Cost or valuation at 30 April 2012 is as fol	llows  Fixtures and fittings	Computer equipment	Total
Cost or valuation at 30 April 2012 is as fol Company Cost or valuation At 1 May 2011	Fixtures and fittings £	Computer equipment £	Total £
Cost or valuation at 30 April 2012 is as follows:  Company Cost or valuation At 1 May 2011 Additions	Fixtures and fittings £	Computer equipment £ 33,103 10,599	Total £ 135,367 20,449
Cost or valuation at 30 April 2012 is as follows:  Company Cost or valuation At 1 May 2011 Additions At 30 April 2012	Fixtures and fittings £	Computer equipment £ 33,103 10,599	Total £ 135,367 20,449
Cost or valuation at 30 April 2012 is as follows:  Company Cost or valuation At 1 May 2011 Additions At 30 April 2012  Depreciation	Fixtures and fittings £  102,264 9,850  112,114	Computer equipment £  33,103 10,599  43,702	Total £ 135,367 20,449 155,816
Cost or valuation at 30 April 2012 is as follows  Company Cost or valuation At 1 May 2011 Additions At 30 April 2012  Depreciation At 1 May 2011	Fixtures and fittings £  102,264 9,850 112,114	Computer equipment £  33,103 10,599 43,702	Total £ 135,367 20,449 155,816
Cost or valuation at 30 April 2012 is as follows  Company Cost or valuation At 1 May 2011 Additions At 30 April 2012  Depreciation At 1 May 2011 Charge for the Year	Fixtures and fittings £  102,264 9,850  112,114  100,840 1,424	Computer equipment £  33,103 10,599 43,702  29,593 4,417	Total £ 135,367 20,449 155,816 130,433 5,841
Cost or valuation at 30 April 2012 is as follows:  Company Cost or valuation At 1 May 2011 Additions At 30 April 2012  Depreciation At 1 May 2011 Charge for the Year At 30 April 2012	Fixtures and fittings £  102,264 9,850  112,114  100,840 1,424	Computer equipment £  33,103 10,599 43,702  29,593 4,417	Total £ 135,367 20,449 155,816 130,433 5,841

Cost or valuation at 30 April 2012 is as follows

### NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 APRIL 2012

## 9. INVESTMENT PROPERTY

Freehold investment property

Group

**Valuation** 

At 1 May 2011 and 30 April 2012

2,667,089

The 2012 valuations were made by the Directors, on an open market value for existing use basis

## 10. FIXED ASSET INVESTMENTS

		Investment	
	Unlisted	in joint	
Group	investments £	ventures £	Total £
Cost or valuation	L	Z.	2.
At 1 May 2011	255 000	470 502	E07 E02
Disposals	355,000 (255,000)	172,503	527,503 (255,000)
Share of profit/(loss)	-	108,218	108,218
At 30 April 2012	100,000	280,721	380,721
Impairment	<del></del>		
At 1 May 2011 and 30 April			
2012	100,000	•	100,000
Net book value			
At 30 April 2012		280,721	280,721
At 30 April 2011	255,000	172,503	427,503
			Investments
			in
			subsidiary companies
Company			£
Cost or valuation			
At 1 May 2011 and 30 April 2012			7,901
Net book value			
At 30 April 2012			7,901
At 30 April 2011			7,901
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Details of the principal subsidiaries and joint ventures can be found under note number 26

## NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 APRIL 2012

## 11. DEBTORS

		Group		Company
	2012 £	2011 £	2012 £	2011 £
Due after more than one year	_	~	_	
Other debtors	6,723	13,525	-	-
Due within one year				
Trade debtors	1,721,402	2,678,053	720	-
Amounts owed by group undertakings Amounts owed by undertakings in	43,828	294,721	3,114,480	2,891,012
which the company has a participating				
ınterest	1,982,329	1,358,070	-	=
Other debtors	132,150	170,87 <b>6</b>	5,012	2,949
Prepayments and accrued income	156,457	95,197	1,350	-
Deferred tax asset (see note 14)	3,406	-	-	-
•	4,046,295	4,610,442	3,121,562	2,893,961

## 12. CREDITORS.

Amounts falling due within one year

		<u>Group</u>		Company
	2012	2011	2012	2011
	£	£	£	£
Bank loans and overdrafts	1,247,375	875,000	-	-
Payments received on account	979	979	-	-
Trade creditors	369,485	301,777	-	10,281
Amounts owed to group undertakings	1	191,331	1,201	1,201
Amounts owed to other participating				
interest	-	322,214	-	-
Corporation tax	630,323	<i>79,365</i>	353	-
Social security and other taxes	640,819	<i>5</i> 72, <b>468</b>	-	-
Other creditors	113,990	15,802	-	-
Accruals and deferred income	1,369,827	1,625,831	39,300	14,004
	4,372,799	3,984,767	40,854	25,486

## 13. CREDITORS:

Amounts falling due after more than one year

		Group		Company
	2012	2011	2012	2011
	£	£	£	£
Bank loans	-	882,000	-	-
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#### 13. CREDITORS:

Amounts falling due after more than one year (continued)

The Group entered into Interest Rate SWAP Agreements, with a notional value of £1,350,000, in order to protect the interest rate risk on tech bank loans. If these agreements were terminated at 30th April 2012, the Group would be required to pay an amount of £36,000 to discharge this liability.

## 14. DEFERRED TAXATION

		Group		Company
	2012 £	2011 £	2012 £	2011 £
At beginning of Year/year Released during/(charge for) the Year	(1,727) 5,133	(1,353) (374)	-	-
At end of Year/year	3,406	(1,727)		

The deferred taxation balance is made up as follows

		Group		Company
	2012	2011	2012	2011
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Short term timing difference	3,406	1,727	-	-

## 15. SHARE CAPITAL

	2012	2011
	£	£
Allotted, called up and fully paid		
1,058,825 "A" Shares shares of £0 0001 each	106	106
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#### 16. RESERVES

Group	Share premium account £	Revaluation reserve £	Profit and loss account £
At 1 May 2011 Profit for the Year	19,995	11,133	4,127,305 1,834,491
Surplus on revaluation of other fixed assets		1,040	
At 30 April 2012	19,995	12,173	5,961,796

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## 16. RESERVES (continued)

	Company At 1 May 2011 Profit for the Year	Share premium account £ 19,994	Profit and loss account £ 2,862,706 473,493
	At 30 April 2012	19,994	3,336,199
17.	RECONCILIATION OF MOVEMENT IN SHAREHOLDERS' FUNDS		
	Group	2012 £	2011 £
	Opening shareholders' funds Profit for the Year/year	4,158,539 1,834,491	3,922,267 229,844
	Share premium on shares issued (net of expenses)  Share of unrealised surplus on Investment of revaluation reserve of Joint Venture	1,040	6,427
	Closing shareholders' funds	5,994,070	4,158,539
		2012	2011
	Company	£	£
	Opening shareholders' funds Profit for the Year/year	2,882,806 473,493	1,461,706 1,421,100
	Closing shareholders' funds	3,356,299	2,882,806

The Company has taken advantage of the exemption contained within section 408 of the Companies Act 2006 not to present its own Profit and Loss Account

The profit for the Year/year dealt with in the accounts of the Company was £473,493 (2011 - £1,421,100)

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18	NET CASH FLOW FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES		
		2012	2011
		£	£
	Operating profit	2,381,203	457,392
	Depreciation of tangible fixed assets	30,356 580	31,583
	Loss on disposal of tangible fixed assets Decrease in debtors	557,950	480,039
	Decrease in creditors	(523,478)	(2,053,138)
	Prior year adjustment to share of (profit)/loss from joint venture	(,	(-)/
	b/fwd	-	(1,320)
	Net cash inflow/(outflow) from operating activities	2,446,611	(1,085,444)
19.	ANALYSIS OF CASH FLOWS FOR HEADINGS NETTED IN CASH I	2012	2011
	Deturns on an article and a minute of finance	£	£
	Returns on investments and servicing of finance		
	Interest received Interest paid	5,372 (95,438)	4,130 (105,305)
	Net cash outflow from returns on investments and servicing of finance	(90,066)	(101,175)
		2012 £	2011 £
	Capital expenditure and financial investment	_	_
	Purchase of tangible fixed assets Sale of tangible fixed assets	(20,449) (580)	(255,877)
	Sale of investment properties	-	2,003,585
	Sale of unlisted and other investments	314,492	_,,
	Net cash inflow from capital expenditure	293,463	1,747,708
		2012	2011
		£	£
	Financing		
	Repayment of loans	(509,625)	-
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#### 20. ANALYSIS OF CHANGES IN NET DEBT

			Other non-cash	
	1 May 2011	Cash flow	changes	30 April 2012
	£	£	£	£
Cash at bank and in hand	1,272,122	2,060,672	-	3,332,794
Debt:				
Debts due within one year Debts falling due after more than	(875,000)	509,625	(882,000)	(1,247,375)
one year	(882,000)	-	882,000	-
Net debt	(484,878)	2,570,297	-	2,085,419

#### 21. PENSION COMMITMENTS

The company operates a defined contribution pension scheme. The asset of the scheme are held separately from those of the Group in independently administered fund. The pension cost charge represents contributions payable by the company to the fund and amounted to £106,211 (2011 - £262,180). At 30 April 2012 pension costs payable amount to £15,092 (2011 - £11,553).

#### 22. OPERATING LEASE COMMITMENTS

At 30 April 2012 the Group had annual commitments under non-cancellable operating leases as follows

	Land and buildings		Other	
	2012	2011	2012	2011
Group	£	£	£	£
Expiry date:				
Between 2 and 5 years	111,065	111,065	-	-

#### 23. RELATED PARTY TRANSACTIONS

Mr A J W Lax, Mr J T Kevill, Mr P B Shaw, and Mr P J D O'Keeffe are shareholders in Lancer Property Holdings Limited, and are shareholders in GVA Grimley during the year

Lancer Property Holdings Limited owns 50% of the voting rights in Lancer Asset Management (Investments) Limited, which in turn owns 87 5% of the voting rights in Nightingale Partners Ltd, and 100% of the voting right of Nightingale Capital Partners Limited and Knightsbridge Central (5) Ltd

Knightsbridge Central (4) Ltd, is a related party by virtue of being a partner in Bullfrog Partnership LLP, Bullfrog Partnership Residential LLP, and Bullfrog Partnership (Two) LLP, and has a 1% ownership, and a 99% entitlement to the profits/losses

	2012	2011
	£	£
During the Year the Group was charged by GVA Grimley in		
respect of professional services	934,251	1,245,709

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RELATED PARTY TRANSACTIONS (continued)		
At 30th April 2012, the Group owed to GVA Grimley During the Year, the Group provided a working capital loan to	131,177	502,214
Lancer Asset Management Investments Ltd of During the Year Lancer Asset Management Investments Ltd	-	109,122
repaid Lancer Property Holdings Ltd At 30th April 2012, the Group was owed by Lancer Asset	(67,350)	-
Management Investments Ltd  During the Year the Group was charged by Nightingale Partners	41,772	109,272
Ltd in respect of goods and services provided At the 30th April 2012 the Group owed Nightingale Partners Ltd During the Year the Group was entitled to its share of profits /	22,760 -	77,500 9,300
(losses) from the Bullfrog Partnership LLP of During the Year the Group received its share of Profits from the	45,675	38,733
Bullfrog Partnership LLP During the year the Group paid its share of losses (2010) to the	(38,733)	-
Bullfrog Partnership At 30th April 2012 the balance owed by the Group to Bullfrog	28,047	-
Partnership LLP re attributed profit / (loss) was During the Year the Group advanced a loan to the Bullfrog	45,675	10,686
Partnership LLP of During the Year the Group advanced additional / (had refunded)	60,000	1,220,000
funds to the Bullfrog Partnership of At 30th April 2012 the balance owed to the Group, by the Bullfrog Partnership LLP before the current years profit / loss allocation	(20,009)	157,053
IS  During the Year the Group was entitled to its share of profits /	810,947	750,947
(losses) from the Bullfrog Partnership Residential LLP of During the Year the Group received its share of Profits from the	14,612	10,086
Bullfrog Partnership Residential LLP At 30th April 2012 the balance owed to the Group by Bullfrog	(10,086)	-
Partnership Residential LLP was  During the Year the Group advanced additional funds to the	-	10,086
Bullfrog Partnership Residential LLP of At 30th April 2012 the balance owed to the Group, by the Bullfrog Partnership Residential LLP before the current years profit / loss	-	243,106
allocation is  During the Year the Group was entitled to its share of profits /	243,106	243,106
(losses) from the Bullfrog Partnership (Two) LLP of During the Year the Group received its share of Profits from the	26,674	(4,604)
Bullfrog Partnership (Two) LLP At 30th April 2012 the balance of profits / (losses) owed by the	4,604	-
Group by Bullfrog Partnership (Two) LLP was 9300	26,674 (5,840)	(4,604 <sub>)</sub> -
During the Year the Group advanced additional funds to the Bullfrog Partnership (Two) LLP of At 30th April 2012 the balance owed to the Group, by the Bullfrog	519,315	327,840
Partnership (Two) LLP before the current years profit / loss	8 <i>4</i> 1 315	327 840

The Group has taken advantage of the exemptions offered under the Financial Reporting Standard from disclosing transactions and balances with entities, whose shares are 100% controlled within the Group

allocation is

327,840

841,315

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#### 24. POST BALANCE SHEET EVENTS

Subsequent to the year end, the Group has entered into discussions regarding the restructuring of Lancer Property Asset Management Ltd's revenue agreement. The nature and amounts have not been disclosed for commercial reasons.

#### 25. CONTROLLING PARTY

In the opinion of the Directors, there is no controlling party during the two years ended 30th April 2012

## 26. PRINCIPAL SUBSIDIARIES AND JOINT VENTURES

#### a. Principal subsidiaries

Company name	Country	Percentage Shareholding	Description
Lancer Property Asset Management Ltd	England	100	Subsidiary
Lancer Project Management Ltd	l England	100	Subsidiary
Knightsbridge Central (1) Ltd	England	100	Subsidiary
Mayfair Central Ltd	England	100	Subsidiary
Knightsbridge Central (4) Ltd	England	100	Subsidiary
Berkeley Square Holdings Ltd	England	100	Subsidiary
Knightsbridge Central (7) Ltd	England	100	Subsidiary
Knightsbridge Central (8) Ltd	England	100	Subsidiary
Nightingale Capital Partners Ltd	England	50	Subsidiary of Joint Venture
Nightingale Partners Ltd	England	43 75	Subsidiary of Joint Venture
Knightsbridge Central (5) Ltd	England	50	Subsidiary of Joint Venture

#### b. Principal joint ventures

Company name	Country	Percentage Shareholding	Description
Lancer Asset Management Investments Ltd	England	50	Joint Venture