Registered number: 05883546

## **RHYS DAVIES HOLDINGS LIMITED**

ANNUAL REPORT AND FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 AUGUST 2016



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## **COMPANY INFORMATION**

**Directors** 

P Hodgkiss M Richmond

**Company secretary** 

S Thomas

Registered number

05883546

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## STRATEGIC REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 AUGUST 2016

The directors present the Strategic Report of Rhys Davies Holdings Limited (the "company") for the year ended 31 August 2016.

#### **Business review**

Director

The company has acted as an intermediate holding company and remained dormant during the year and management currently have no intentions to recommence any activity.

#### Principal risks and uncertainties

Given that the company is dormant the directors do not consider there to be any principal risks or uncertainties facing the company.

#### Financial key performance indicators

The company has acted as an intermediate holding company and remained dormant during the year and the directors, therefore, do not consider it to be relevant to provide an analysis of Key Performance Indicators.

This report was approved by the board on 3 March 2017 and signed on its behalf by:

### DIRECTORS' REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 AUGUST 2016

The directors present their annual report and the audited financial statements for the year ended 31 August 2016.

#### **Directors**

The directors who served during the year and up to the date of signing the financial statements were:

P Hodgkiss M Richmond

## Financial risk management

Given that the company is dormant the directors do not consider there to be any financial risks facing the company.

### Qualifying third party indemnity provisions

As permitted by the Articles of Association, each of the Directors has the benefit of an indemnity, which is a qualifying third-party indemnity as defined by Section 234 of the Companies Act 2006. The indemnity was in force throughout the tenure of each Director during the last financial year and is currently in force. The company also purchased and maintained throughout the financial year Directors' and Officers' liability insurance in respect of itself and its Directors. No indemnity is provided for the company's auditors.

#### Directors' responsibilities statement

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 the directors have prepared the financial statements in accordance with United Kingdom Accounting Standards, comprising FRS 102 "The Financial Reporting Standard applicable in the UK and Republic of Ireland", and applicable law (United Kingdom Generally Accepted Accounting Practice). 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 for the company's financial statements and then apply them consistently;
- make judgements and accounting estimates that are reasonable and prudent;
- state whether FRS 102 "The Financial Reporting Standard applicable in the UK and Republic of Ireland" has been followed, subject to any material departures disclosed and explained in the financial statements:
- notify its shareholders in writing about the use of disclosure exemptions, if any, of FRS 102 used in the preparation of financial statements; and
- prepare the financial statements on the going concern basis unless it is inappropriate to presume that the company will continue in business.

The directors are responsible for keeping adequate accounting records that are sufficient to show and explain the company's transactions and disclose with reasonable accuracy at any time the financial position of the company and enable them to ensure that the financial statements comply with the Companies Act 2006. They are also responsible for safeguarding the assets of the company and hence for taking reasonable steps for the prevention and detection of fraud and other irregularities.

### DIRECTORS' REPORT (CONTINUED) FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 AUGUST 2016

#### Disclosure 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 the director is aware, there is no relevant audit information of which the company's auditors are unaware, and
- the director has taken all the steps that ought to have been taken as a director in order to be aware of any relevant audit information and to establish that the company's auditors are aware of that information.

## Independent auditors

Under section 487(2) of the Companies Act 2006, PricewaterhouseCoopers 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 financial statements with the registrar, whichever is earlier.

This report was approved by the board on 3 March 2017 and signed on its behalf by:

M Richmond Director

#### INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT TO THE MEMBERS OF RHYS DAVIES HOLDINGS LIMITED

## Report on the financial statements

## Our opinion

In our opinion Rhys Davies Holdings Limited's financial statements (the "financial statements"):

- give a true and fair view of the state of the company's affairs as at 31 August 2016 and of its result 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.

#### What we have audited

The financial statements, included within the Annual Report and Financial Statements (the "Annual Report"), comprise:

- the Balance Sheet as at 31 August 2016;
- the Statement of Comprehensive Income for the year then ended;
- the Statement of Changes in Equity for the year then ended; and
- the notes to the financial statements, which include a summary of significant accounting policies and other explanatory information.

The financial reporting framework that has been applied in the preparation of the financial statements is United Kingdom Accounting Standards, comprising FRS 102 "The Financial Reporting Standard applicable in the UK and Republic of Ireland", and applicable law (United Kingdom Generally Accepted Accounting Practice).

In applying the financial reporting framework, the directors have made a number of subjective judgements, for example in respect of significant accounting estimates. In making such estimates, they have made assumptions and considered future events.

## Opinion on other matter prescribed by the Companies Act 2006

In our opinion, the information given in the Strategic Report and the Directors' Report for the financial year for which the financial statements are prepared is consistent with the financial statements.

#### Other matters on which we are required to report by exception

### Adequacy of accounting records and information and explanations received

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

- we have not received all the information and explanations we require for our audit; or
- adequate accounting records have not been kept, or returns adequate for our audit have not been received from branches not visited by us; or
- the financial statements are not in agreement with the accounting records and returns.

We have no exceptions to report arising from this responsibility.

## Directors' remuneration

Under the Companies Act 2006 we are required to report to you if, in our opinion, certain disclosures of directors' remuneration specified by law are not made. We have no exceptions to report arising from this responsibility.

#### INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT TO THE MEMBERS OF RHYS DAVIES HOLDINGS LIMITED

## Responsibilities for the financial statements and the audit

## Our responsibilities and those of the directors

As explained more fully in the Directors' Responsibilities Statement set out on page 3, 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) ("ISAs (UK & Ireland)"). Those standards require us to comply with the Auditing Practices Board's Ethical Standards for Auditors.

This report, including the opinions, has been prepared for and only for the company's members as a body in accordance with Chapter 3 of Part 16 of the Companies Act 2006 and for no other purpose. We do not, in giving these opinions, accept or assume responsibility for any other purpose or to any other person to whom this report is shown or into whose hands it may come save where expressly agreed by our prior consent in writing.

#### What an audit of financial statements involves

We conducted our audit in accordance with ISAs (UK & Ireland). An audit involves obtaining evidence about the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements sufficient to give reasonable assurance that the financial statements are free from material misstatement, whether caused by fraud or error. This includes an assessment of:

- whether the accounting policies are appropriate to the company's circumstances and have been consistently applied and adequately disclosed;
- the reasonableness of significant accounting estimates made by the directors; and
- the overall presentation of the financial statements.

We primarily focus our work in these areas by assessing the directors' judgements against available evidence, forming our own judgements, and evaluating the disclosures in the financial statements.

We test and examine information, using sampling and other auditing techniques, to the extent we consider necessary to provide a reasonable basis for us to draw conclusions. We obtain audit evidence through testing the effectiveness of controls, substantive procedures or a combination of both.

In addition, we read all the financial and non-financial information in the Annual Report to identify material inconsistencies with the audited financial statements and to identify any information that is apparently materially incorrect based on, or materially inconsistent with, the knowledge acquired by us in the course of performing the audit. If we become aware of any apparent material misstatements or inconsistencies we consider the implications for our report.

Jason Clarke (Senior Statutory Auditor)

for and on behalf of PricewaterhouseCoopers LLP Chartered Accountants and Statutory Auditors

Cardiff

3 March 2017

## PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 AUGUST 2016

The company has not traded during the year or the preceding financial year. During these periods, the company received no income and incurred no expenditure and therefore made neither profit or loss.

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## BALANCE SHEET AS AT 31 AUGUST 2016

	Note	2016 £	2016 £	2015 £	2015 £
Fixed assets					
Investments	6	<u>.</u>	50,000		50,000
Current assets			•		
Debtors	7	400,015		400,015	
Creditors: amounts falling due within one year	8	(400,015)		(400,015)	
Net current assets	-		<u>-</u>		-
Total assets less current liabilities		•	50,000		50,000
Capital and reserves					
Called up share capital	9		50,000		50,000

The financial statements were approved and authorised for issue by the board and were signed on its behalf on 3 March 2017. by:

M Richmond

Director

The notes on pages 10 to 13 form part of these financial statements.

# STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN EQUITY FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 AUGUST 2016

		Total
	Called up	shareholders'
	share capital	funds
	£	£
At 1 September 2015	50,000	50,000
Comprehensive income for the financial year		
Profit for the financial year		
Total comprehensive income for the financial year	•	-
At 31 August 2016	50,000	50,000
FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 AUGUST 2015		
		Total
	Called up	shareholders'
	share capital	funds
	£	£
At 1 September 2014	50,000	50,000
Comprehensive income for the financial year		
Profit for the financial year	-	-

The notes on pages 10 to 13 form part of these financial statements.

Total comprehensive income for the financial year

At 31 August 2015

50,000

50,000

### NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 AUGUST 2016

#### 1. General information

Rhys Davies Holdings Limited's (the "company") principal activity is that of a holding company.

The company is a private company limited by shares and is incorporated and domiciled in England and Wales. The address of its registered office is: Moy Road Industrial Estate, Taffs Well, Cardiff, CF15 7QR.

#### 2. Accounting policies

## 2.1 Basis of preparation of financial statements

The financial statements have been prepared on a going concern, under the historical cost convention and in accordance with Financial Reporting Standard 102, the Financial Reporting Standard applicable in the UK and the Republic of Ireland and the Companies Act 2006.

Information on the impact of first-time adoption of FRS 102 is given in note 11.

The preparation of financial statements in compliance with FRS 102 requires the use of certain critical accounting estimates. It also requires management to exercise judgment in applying the company's accounting policies (see note 3).

The company is itself a subsidiary company and is exempt from the requirement to prepare group financial statements by virtue of Section 400 of the Companies Act 2006. These financial statements therefore present information about the company as an individual undertaking and note about its group.

The principal accounting policies, which have been applied consistently throughout the year, are set out below.

#### 2.2 Financial reporting standard 102 - reduced disclosure exemptions

The company has taken advantage of the following disclosure exemptions in preparing these financial statements, as permitted by the FRS 102 "The Financial Reporting Standard applicable in the UK and Republic of Ireland":

- the requirements of Section 4 Statement of Financial Position paragraph 4.12(a)(iv);
- the requirements of Section 7 Statement of Cash Flows;
- the requirements of Section 3 Financial Statement Presentation paragraph 3.17(d);
- the requirements of Section 11 Financial Instruments paragraphs 11.39 to 11.48A;
- the requirements of Section 12 Other Financial Instruments paragraphs 12.26 to 12.29;
- the requirements of Section 33 Related Party Disclosures paragraph 33.7.

The company discloses transactions with related parties which are not wholly owned with the same group. It does not disclose transactions with members of the same group that are wholly owned [FRS 102 para 33.1A].

This information is included in the consolidated financial statements of Pennboro Limited as at 31 August 2016 and these financial statements may be obtained from Moy Road Industrial Estate, Taffs Well, Cardiff, CF15 7QR.

## 2.3 Valuation of investments

Investments in subsidiaries are measured at cost less accumulated impairment. Where merger relief is applicable, the cost of the investment in a subsidiary undertaking is measured at the nominal value of the shares issued together with the fair value of any additional consideration paid.

## NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 AUGUST 2016

### 2. Accounting policies (continued)

#### 2.4 Financial instruments

The company only enters into basic financial instruments transactions that result in the recognition of financial assets and liabilities like trade and other debtors and creditors, loans from banks and other third parties, loans to related parties and investments in non-puttable ordinary shares.

Debt instruments (other than those wholly repayable or receivable within one year), including loans and other accounts receivable and payable, are initially measured at present value of the future cash flows and subsequently at amortised cost using the effective interest method. Debt instruments that are payable or receivable within one year, typically trade payables or receivables, are measured, initially and subsequently, at the undiscounted amount of the cash or other consideration expected to be paid or received. However if the arrangements of a short-term instrument constitute a financing transaction, like the payment of a trade debt deferred beyond normal business terms or financed at a rate of interest that is not a market rate or in case of an out-right short-term loan not at market rate, the financial asset or liability is measured, initially, at the present value of the future cash flow discounted at a market rate of interest for a similar debt instrument and subsequently at amortised cost.

Financial assets that are measured at cost and amortised cost are assessed at the end of each reporting period for objective evidence of impairment. If objective evidence of impairment is found, an impairment loss is recognised in the Profit and Loss Account.

For financial assets measured at amortised cost, the impairment loss is measured as the difference between an asset's carrying amount and the present value of estimated cash flows discounted at the asset's original effective interest rate. If a financial asset has a variable interest rate, the discount rate for measuring any impairment loss is the current effective interest rate determined under the contract.

Financial assets and liabilities are offset and the net amount reported in the Balance Sheet when there is an enforceable right to set off the recognised amounts and there is an intention to settle on a net basis or to realise the asset and settle the liability simultaneously.

#### 2.5 Creditors

Short term creditors are measured at the transaction price. Other financial liabilities, including bank loans, are measured initially at fair value, net of transaction costs, and are measured subsequently at amortised cost using the effective interest method.

## 3. Judgements in applying accounting policies and key sources of estimation uncertainty

Estimates and judgements are continually evaluated and are based on historical experience and other factors, including expectations of future events that are believed to be reasonable under the circumstances.

The company makes estimates and assumptions concerning the future. The resulting accounting estimates will, by definition, seldom equal the related actual results. There are estimates and assumptions that have a significant risk of causing a material adjustment to the carrying amounts of assets and liabilities within the next financial year and are addressed below.

#### 4. Auditors' remuneration

Audit fees have been bourne by Rhys Davies & Sons Limited and no recharge has been made in respect of these.

# NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 AUGUST 2016

## 5. Directors' remuneration

During the year, no director received any emoluments (2015: £Nil). The directors' remuneration was paid by other group companies, with no specific allocation made as it is not possible to make an accurate apportionment of their emoluments in respect of each subsidiary.

#### 6. Investments

	Investments in subsidiaries £
Cost	
At 1 September 2015	50,000
At 31 August 2016	50,000
Net book value	
At 31 August 2016	50,000
At 31 August 2015	50,000

## Direct subsidiary undertakings

The following were subsidiary undertakings of the company:

Name	Country of incorporation	Class of shares	Holding	Principal activity
Rhys Davies Limited	England & Wales	Ordinary	100 %	Dormant

## **Indirect Subsidiary undertakings**

The following were subsidiary undertakings of the company:

Name	Country of incorporation	Class of shares	Holding	Principal activity
Rhys Davies & Sons Limited	England & Wales	Ordinary	100 %	Haulage services
Rhys Davies Forwarding Limited	England & Wales	Ordinary	100 %	Dormant
Rhys Davies Freight Logistics (Scotland) Limited	England & Wales	Ordinary	100 %	Dormant
Hill's Transport (Cardiff) Limited	England & Wales	Ordinary	100 %	Dormant
Rhys Davies & Sons (Haulage) Limited	England & Wales	Ordinary	100 %	Dormant
Rhys Davies Freight Logistics Limited	England & Wales	Ordinary	100 %	Dormant

## NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 AUGUST 2016

## 7. Debtors

		2016 £	2015 £
	Amounts owed by group undertakings	400,015	400,015
8.	Creditors: Amounts falling due within one year		
		2016 £	2015 £
	Amounts owed to group undertakings	400,015	400,015
9.	Called up share capital		
		2016 £	2015 £
•	Shares classified as equity		
	Allotted, called up and fully paid 50,000 (2015 - 50,000) Ordinary shares of £1 (2015 - £1) each	50,000	50,000

## 10. Ultimate parent undertaking and controlling party

At 31 August 2016, Pennboro Limited, a company registered in England and Wales, is considered to be the immediate and ultimate parent company.

Pennboro Limited is the parent undertaking of the smallest and largest group of undertakings to consolidate the financial statements at 31 August 2016. Copies of Pennboro Limited consolidated financial statements can be obtained from Company Secretary, Pennboro Limited, Moy Road Industrial Estate, Taffs Well, Cardiff, CF15 7QR.

M Richmond and P Hodgkiss are the ultimate controlling parties by virtue of their equal interest in the equity capital of Pennboro Limited.

## 11. First time adoption of FRS 102

The policies applied under the entity's previous accounting framework are not materially different to FRS 102 and have not impacted on equity or profit or loss.