

SP Cockermouth Limited
Annual report and financial statements
for the year ended 31 December 2012

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Directors' report for the year ended 31 December 2012

The directors present their report and the audited financial statements of the company for the year ended 31 December 2012

Principal activities

During the current year and prior period the company did not trade

Business review

The results for the year are set out in the profit and loss account on page 6 and the position of the company as at the year end is set out in the balance sheet on page 7

Key performance indicators

Given the straightforward nature of the business, the company's directors are of the opinion that analysis using key performance indicators is not necessary for an understanding of the development, performance or position of the business. The development, performance and position of Priory Group No 1 Limited, which includes the company, are discussed in the group's annual report which does not form part of this report

Financial risk management

The company's operations mean that it is exposed to a variety of financial risks that include the effects of changes in credit risk, liquidity risk and interest rate risk. The directors monitor the risks in order to limit the adverse effects on the financial performance by reviewing levels of debt finance and the related finance costs, however these are integrated with the risks of the group and not managed separately. Accordingly, the financial risk management policies of Priory Group No 1 Limited, which include those of the company, are discussed in the group's annual report which does not form part of this report

Principal risks and uncertainties

From the perspective of the company, the principal risks and uncertainties are integrated with the principal risks of the group and are not managed separately. Accordingly, the principal risks and uncertainties of Priory Group No 1 Limited, which include those of the company, are discussed in the group's annual report which does not form part of this report

Going concern

The ultimate parent company, Priory Group No 1 Limited, has confirmed that it will continue to provide financial support to the company for the foreseeable future and for at least 12 months from the date of approval of these financial statements. Accordingly the financial statements have been prepared on the going concern basis

Future developments

The future developments of the company are aligned to the strategy of the Priory Group, headed by Priory Group No 1 Limited. The group's strategy for the future development of the business is included in the group's annual report, which does not form part of this report

Dividends

The directors do not recommend the payment of a dividend (2011 £nil)

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Directors' report for the year ended 31 December 2012 (continued)

Directors

The directors of the company who held office during the year and up to the date of signing the financial statements were as follows

P Scott (resigned 28 November 2012)
J Lock
D Hall
T Riall (appointed 5 April 2013)

In accordance with the articles of association, no directors retire by rotation

Independent auditors

The independent auditors, PricewaterhouseCoopers LLP, have indicated their willingness to continue in office

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'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's auditors in connection with preparing their report and to establish that the company's auditors are aware of that information

Statement of directors' responsibilities

The directors are responsible for preparing the directors' report and the financial statements in accordance with applicable law and regulations

Company law requires the directors to prepare financial statements for each financial year. Under that law the directors have prepared the financial statements in accordance with United Kingdom Generally Accepted Accounting Practice (United Kingdom Accounting Standards and applicable law). Under company law the directors must not approve the financial statements unless they are satisfied that they give a true and fair view of the state of affairs of the company and of the profit or loss of the company for that period. In preparing these financial statements, the directors are required to

- select suitable accounting policies and then apply them consistently,
- make judgements and accounting estimates that are reasonable and prudent, and
- state whether applicable UK Accounting Standards have been followed, subject to any material departures disclosed and explained in the financial statements,

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Directors' report for the year ended 31 December 2012 (continued)

Statement of directors' responsibilities (continued)

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.

By order of the board



David Hall
Company Secretary
4 September 2013

80 Hammersmith Road
London
England
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Independent auditors' report to the members of SP Cockermouth Limited

We have audited the financial statements of SP Cockermouth Limited for the year ended 31 December 2012 which comprise the profit and loss account, the balance sheet, the statement of accounting policies 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).

Respective responsibilities of directors and auditors

As explained more fully in the statement of directors' responsibilities set out on pages 2 and 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). 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.

Scope of the audit of the financial statements

An audit involves obtaining evidence about the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements sufficient to give reasonable assurance that the financial statements are free from material misstatement, whether caused by fraud or error. This includes an assessment of whether the accounting policies are appropriate to the company's circumstances and have been consistently applied and adequately disclosed, the reasonableness of significant accounting estimates made by the directors, and the overall presentation of the financial statements. In addition, we read all the financial and non-financial information in the annual report to identify material inconsistencies with the audited financial statements. If we become aware of any apparent material misstatements or inconsistencies we consider the implications for our report.

Opinion on financial statements

In our opinion the financial statements

- give a true and fair view of the state of the company's affairs as at 31 December 2012 and of its loss 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.

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Matters on which we are required to report by exception

We have nothing to report in respect of the following matters where the Companies Act 2006 requires us to report to you if, in our opinion

- adequate accounting records have not been kept, or returns adequate for our audit have not been received from branches not visited by us, or
- the financial statements are not in agreement with the accounting records and returns, or
- certain disclosures of directors' remuneration specified by law are not made, or
- we have not received all the information and explanations we require for our audit



Richard Bunter (Senior Statutory Auditor)

For and on behalf of PricewaterhouseCoopers LLP

Chartered Accountants and Statutory Auditors

Newcastle upon Tyne

4 September 2013

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Profit and loss account for the year ended 31 December 2012

	Note	2012 £'000	2011 £'000
Operating profit		-	-
Interest payable and similar charges	3	(162)	(162)
Loss on ordinary activities before taxation	1	(162)	(162)
Tax on loss on ordinary activities	4	45	46
Loss for the financial year	8	(117)	(116)

The results for the current and prior year derive from continuing activities

The company had no other recognised gains or losses for the year other than the loss above, therefore no statement of total recognised gains and losses is presented

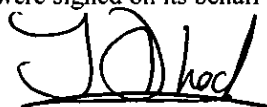
There is no difference between the loss on ordinary activities before taxation and the loss for the financial year stated above and their historical cost equivalents

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Balance sheet as at 31 December 2012

	Note	2012 £'000	2011 £'000
Current assets			
Debtors	4	4,039	4,156
Net current assets		4,039	4,156
Total assets less current liabilities		4,039	4,156
Creditors: amounts falling due after more than one year	5	(4,334)	(4,334)
Net liabilities		(295)	(178)
Capital and reserves			
Called up share capital	6	-	-
Profit and loss account	7	(295)	(178)
Total shareholders' deficit	8	(295)	(178)

The financial statements on pages 6 to 12 were approved by the board of directors on 4 September 2013 and were signed on its behalf by



Jason Lock
Director

Registered number 6485612

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Statement of accounting policies

The following accounting policies have been applied consistently in the company's financial statements

Basis of preparation

The financial statements have been prepared in accordance with applicable UK accounting standards, the Companies Act 2006 and under the historical cost accounting rules

The ultimate parent company, Priory Group No 1 Limited, has confirmed that it will continue to provide financial support to the company for the foreseeable future and for at least 12 months from the date of approval of these financial statements. Accordingly the financial statements have been prepared on the going concern basis

Under Financial Reporting Standard 1 'Cash flow statements' (revised 1996) the company is exempt from the requirement to prepare a cash flow statement on the grounds that a parent undertaking includes the company in its own publicly available consolidated financial statements

As the company is a wholly owned subsidiary of Priory Group No 1 Limited, the company has taken advantage of the exemption contained in Financial Reporting Standard 8 'Related party disclosures' and has therefore not disclosed transactions or balances with entities which form part of the group

Group relief

Payment is generally made for group relief at the current tax rate at the time of first estimating the tax provision. To the extent that amendments are subsequently made to the group relief plan, there is generally no payment or receipt in respect of the change

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Notes to the financial statements for the year ended 31 December 2012

1 Loss on ordinary activities before taxation

The remuneration of the auditors of £500 (2011 £500) was borne by another group undertaking

2 Staff costs

The company has no employees other than the directors, who did not receive any remuneration (2011 £nil)

The costs relating to the directors' services have been borne by Priory Central Services Limited, a fellow group company. No amounts have been recharged to the company in respect of the directors' services and the directors do not believe that it is practical to allocate these costs between group companies.

3 Interest payable and similar charges

	2012 £'000	2011 £'000
Interest payable to group undertakings	162	162

4 Tax on loss on ordinary activities

	2012 £'000	2011 £'000
UK corporation tax credit	(45)	(43)
Adjustment in respect of previous periods	-	(3)
Total current tax credit	(45)	(46)

The current tax credit of £45,000 (2011 £46,000) on losses for the year has been surrendered to other group companies in exchange for payment of the same amount.

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4 Tax on loss on ordinary activities (continued)

The standard rate of tax for the year, based on the UK standard rate of corporation tax is 24.49% (2011 26.49%). The actual tax credit for the year is higher (2011 higher) than the standard rate for the reasons set out in the following reconciliation

	2012 £'000	2011 £'000
Loss on ordinary activities before tax	(162)	(162)
Tax on loss on ordinary activities at standard rate	(40)	(43)
Factors affecting charge for the year		
Transfer pricing adjustment	(5)	-
Adjustments to tax charge in respect of prior periods	-	(3)
Total current tax charge for the year	(45)	(46)

The company has £36,000 (2011 £36,000) of tax losses to carry forward against future taxable income but no deferred tax asset has been recognised on these losses due to the uncertainty surrounding their recovery

The standard rate of corporation tax in the UK changed from 26% to 24% with effect from 1 April 2012. A further reduction in this corporation tax rate effective on 1 April 2013 from 24% to 23% was substantively enacted for the purposes of FRS 16 on 3 July 2012. Accordingly, the company's losses for this accounting period are taxed at an effective rate of 24.49%.

In the budget speech on 20 March 2013, further rate changes to 21% from April 2014 and 20% from April 2015 were announced. These rate reductions have not been substantively enacted at the balance sheet date and, therefore, are not included in these financial statements.

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Notes to the financial statements for the year ended 31 December 2012 (continued)

5 Debtors

	2012	2011
	£'000	£'000
Amounts owed by group undertakings	3,994	4,110
Group relief recoverable	45	46
	4,039	4,156

Amounts owed by group undertakings are unsecured, interest free, have no fixed date of repayment and are repayable on demand

6 Creditors: amounts falling due after more than one year

	2012	2011
	£'000	£'000
Amounts owed to group undertakings	4,334	4,334

Amounts owed to group undertakings are unsecured, interest free, have no fixed date of repayment and are repayable on demand. However, the relevant group undertaking has confirmed to the directors of the company that it will not seek repayment of this loan within twelve months after the year end

7 Called up share capital

	2012	2011
	£	£
Authorised		
100 (2011 100) ordinary shares of £1 each	100	100
Allotted, called-up and fully paid		
1 (2011 1) ordinary shares of £1 each	1	1

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Notes to the financial statements for the year ended 31 December 2012 (continued)

8 Reserves

	Profit and loss account £'000
At 1 January 2012	(178)
Loss for the financial year	(117)
At 31 December 2012	(295)

9 Reconciliation of movements in shareholders' deficit

	2012 £'000	2011 £'000
Opening shareholders' deficit	(178)	(62)
Loss for the financial year	(117)	(116)
Closing shareholders' deficit	(295)	(178)

10 Ultimate parent company and controlling party

The company's immediate parent company, which is incorporated in the United Kingdom, is Priory (Cockermouth) Limited

The ultimate parent undertaking and controlling party is Priory Group No 1 Limited, a company incorporated in England. Priory Group No 1 Limited is beneficially owned by funds managed by Advent International Corporation which is considered by the directors to be the ultimate controlling party of the company.

Priory Group No 1 Limited is the parent undertaking of the largest group of undertakings to consolidate these financial statements at 31 December 2012. Priory Group No 3 PLC is the parent undertaking of the smallest group of undertakings to consolidate these financial statements at 31 December 2012. The consolidated financial statements of Priory Group No 1 Limited and Priory Group No 3 PLC can be obtained from the Company Secretary at 80 Hammersmith Road, London, W14 8UD.