Registration number: 06590299

# David Lloyd Leisure Properties No.4 Limited

Annual Report and Financial Statements

for the Year Ended 31 December 2022



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# **Company Information**

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# Strategic Report for the Year Ended 31 December 2022

The director presents his strategic report for the year ended 31 December 2022.

#### Principal activity

The principal activity of the Company is as a commercial property investment company.

#### Strategy

The Company is part of the Deuce Midco Limited Group (the "Group") which is a European health, sport and leisure group with 130 clubs as at 31 December 2022 - 101 in the UK, and a further 29 clubs across mainland Europe. The Group's vision, values, brand, strategy and business model are disclosed within the annual report of Deuce Midco Limited on pages 3 to 5. See note 21 for details of where these financial statements can be obtained.

#### **Key performance indicators**

The director monitors the performance of the business on a Group basis. Key financial and other performance indicators are disclosed within the annual report of Deuce Midco Limited. The Group's annual report can be obtained from The Hangar, Mosquito Way, Hatfield, Hertfordshire, AL10 9AX. The Company's director believes that analysis using the key performance indicators for the Company alone is not necessary or appropriate for an understanding of the development, performance or position of the business of the Company.

#### Financial review of the business

The Company earns rental income, from another group company, from its investment property located in Cheam. The Company recorded revenue for the year of £1.1m (2021: £1.1m) which is consistent with prior year. The Company achieved an operating profit of £5.8m (2021: £1.0m) for the financial year.

The Company earned interest of £4.8m (2021: £4.7m) on amounts due from group undertakings and incurred interest of £0.1m (2021: £4.0m) on amounts due to group undertakings and lease liabilities.

On a statutory basis, the Company recorded a profit after taxation for the year of £3.8m (2021: £1.7m).

The Company had net assets of £35.5m (2021: £29.7m) and net current liabilities of £114.9m (2021: £115.2m) at the balance sheet date. Significant movements in the Company's financial position include an increase in amounts due from group undertakings as a result of earned interest of £4.8m (2021: £4.6m) and an increase in amounts due to group undertakings as a result of incurred interest of £0.1m (2021: £3.9m).

#### Outlook

All revenue earned by the Company is derived from within the Deuce Midco Limited group. We continue to see no recessionary signs to date but remain cautious of the macroeconomic environment.

Despite the well publicised squeeze on consumer spending from cost-of-living pressures and rising inflation, we believe the Group is well positioned given our differentiated offering and affluent member base. There is a broad realignment towards health and well-being in a post-COVID world which is why health and wellness remains essential spend for many of our members.

# Strategic Report for the Year Ended 31 December 2022 (continued)

#### Going concern

The director notes that as at 31 December 2022, the Company is in a net current liabilities position of £114.9m (2021:£115.2m). The Company is reliant on the Group for financial support. In preparing the Group's financial statements, the director has considered the Group and Company's cash flows, liquidity, expected trading performance to December 2024 including member count and the impact of the current economic environment inflationary pressures principally around energy costs.

Based on the Group's liquidity and cash flow forecasts the director has concluded that the Group and Company has adequate resources to continue to continued in operational existence for at least 12 months form the signing date of the financial statements and for the forseeable future thereafter.

Deuce Midco Limited has provided a letter of support to the Company and committed to ensure that all intercompany balances are repayable. Accordingly, the director continues to adopt the going concern basis in preparing the financial statements.

#### Principal risks and uncertainties

The principal risks and uncertainties of the Company are integrated with the principal risks of the Deuce Midco Limited group and are not managed separately. Accordingly, the principal risks and uncertainties of the Group which include those of the Company are discussed within the strategic report of the Deuce Midco Limited Annual report which does not form part of this report.

Approved by the director on 28 September 2023.

PJ Burrows Director

# Director's Report for the Year Ended 31 December 2022

The director presents his annual report and the audited financial statements for the year ended 31 December 2022.

#### Principal activity

The principal activity of the Company is a commercial property investment company. The Company is a private company limited by shares, registered in England and Wales. The address of the registered office is shown on page 1.

#### Director of the company

The director of the Company who were in office during the year and up to the date of signing the financial statements was as follows:

#### PJ Burrows

#### **Future developments**

The Company will continue to earn rental income from its investment property.

#### Dividends

The director does not recommend the payment of a final dividend (2021: £nil).

#### **Political donations**

The Company made no political donations during the financial year (2021: £nil).

#### Post balance sheet events

There were no post balance sheet events.

#### Financial instruments

Information in respect of the Group and Company's policies on financial risk management objectives including policies to manage credit risk, liquidity risk and foreign currency risk are given in note 27 to the financial statements of Deuce Midco Limited. See note 21 for details of where these financial statements can be obtained.

## Information included in the strategic report

A fair review of the business, including an analysis of the performance, financial position and going concern of the Company, together with key performance indicators, a description of the principal risks and uncertainties facing the Company has been included within the Strategic Report.

#### Statement of Director's Responsibilities

The director is responsible for preparing the Annual Report and the financial statements in accordance with applicable law and regulations.

Company law requires the director to prepare financial statements for each financial year. Under that law the director has elected to prepare the financial statements in accordance with United Kingdom Generally Accepted Accounting Practice (United Kingdom Accounting Standards and applicable law), including FRS 101 "Reduced Disclosure Framework".

Under company law the director must not approve the financial statements unless he is 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.

# Director's Report for the Year Ended 31 December 2022 (continued)

## Statement of Directors' Responsibilities (continued)

In preparing these financial statements, the director is required to:

- · select suitable accounting policies and then apply them consistently;
- · make judgements and accounting 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; and
- prepare the financial statements on the going concern basis unless it is inappropriate to presume that the company will continue in business.

The director is 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. He is 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.

#### Disclosure of information to the auditor

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

- so far as the director is aware, there is no relevant audit information of which the Company's auditor is unaware; and
- the director has taken all the steps that he ought to have taken as a director in order to make himself aware of any relevant audit information and to establish that the company's auditor is aware of that information.

This confirmation is given and should be interpreted in accordance with the provisions of s418 of the Companies Act 2006.

#### Reappointment of independent auditor

The auditor, Deloitte LLP, has indicated their willingness to continue in office and appropriate arrangements have been put in place concerning their re-appointment in the absence of an Annual General Meeting.

Approved by the director on 28 September 2023.

PJ Burrows

Director

# Independent Auditor's Report to the members of David Lloyd Leisure Properties No. 4 Limited

#### Report on the audit of the financial statements

#### Opinion

In our opinion the financial statements of David Lloyd Leisure Properties No. 4 Limited (the 'company'):

- give a true and fair view of the state of the company's affairs as at 31 December 2022 and of its loss for the year then ended;
- have been properly prepared in accordance with United Kingdom Generally Accepted Accounting Practice, including Financial Reporting Standard 101 "Reduced Disclosure Framework"; and
- have been prepared in accordance with the requirements of the Companies Act 2006.

We have audited the financial statements which comprise:

- · the income statement;
- the statement of comprehensive income;
- · the statement of financial position;
- · the statement of changes in equity; and
- the related notes 1 to 21.

The financial reporting framework that has been applied in their preparation is applicable law and United Kingdom Accounting Standards, including Financial Reporting Standard 101 "Reduced Disclosure Framework" (United Kingdom Generally Accepted Accounting Practice).

#### Basis for opinion

We conducted our audit in accordance with International Standards on Auditing (UK) (ISAs (UK)) and applicable law. Our responsibilities under those standards are further described in the auditor's responsibilities for the audit of the financial statements section of our report.

We are independent of the company in accordance with the ethical requirements that are relevant to our audit of the financial statements in the UK, including the Financial Reporting Council's (the 'FRC's') Ethical Standard, and we have fulfilled our other ethical responsibilities in accordance with these requirements. We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion.

## Conclusions relating to going concern

In auditing the financial statements, we have concluded that the directors' use of the going concern basis, of accounting in the preparation of the financial statements is appropriate.

Based on the work we have performed, we have not identified any material uncertainties relating to events or conditions that, individually or collectively, may cast significant doubt on the company's ability to continue as a going concern for a period of at least twelve months from when the financial statements are authorised for issue.

Our responsibilities and the responsibilities of the directors with respect to going concern are described in the relevant sections of this report.

# Independent Auditor's Report to the members of David Lloyd Leisure Properties No. 4 Limited (continued)

#### Other information

The other information comprises the information included in the annual report, other than the financial statements and our auditor's report thereon. The directors are responsible for the other information contained within the annual report. Our opinion on the financial statements does not cover the other information and, except to the extent otherwise explicitly stated in our report, we do not express any form of assurance conclusion thereon.

Our responsibility is to read the other information and, in doing so, consider whether the other information is materially inconsistent with the financial statements or our knowledge obtained in the course of the audit, or otherwise appears to be materially misstated. If we identify such material inconsistencies or apparent material misstatements, we are required to determine whether this gives rise to a material misstatement in the financial statements themselves. If, based on the work we have performed, we conclude that there is a material misstatement of this other information, we are required to report that fact.

We have nothing to report in this regard.

#### Responsibilities of directors

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, and for such internal control as the directors determine is necessary to enable the preparation of financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

In preparing the financial statements, the directors are responsible for assessing the company's ability to continue as a going concern, disclosing, as applicable, matters related to going concern and using the going concern basis of accounting unless the directors either intend to liquidate the company or to cease operations, or have no realistic alternative but to do so.

#### Auditor's responsibilities for the audit of the financial statements

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

A further description of our responsibilities for the audit of the financial statements is located on the FRC's website at: www.frc.org.uk/auditorsresponsibilities. This description forms part of our auditor's report.

#### Extent to which the audit was considered capable of detecting irregularities, including fraud

Irregularities, including fraud, are instances of non-compliance with laws and regulations. We design procedures in line with our responsibilities, outlined above, to detect material misstatements in respect of irregularities, including fraud. The extent to which our procedures are capable of detecting irregularities, including fraud is detailed below.

We considered the nature of the company's industry and its control environment, and reviewed the company's documentation of their policies and procedures relating to fraud and compliance with laws and regulations. We also enquired of management, internal audit and the directors about their own identification and assessment of the risks of irregularities, including those that are specific to the company's business sector.

# Independent Auditor's Report to the members of David Lloyd Leisure Properties No. 4 Limited (continued)

We obtained an understanding of the legal and regulatory frameworks that the company operates in, and identified the key laws and regulations that:

- had a direct effect on the determination of material amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. These included the UK Companies Act and relevant tax legislation; and
- do not have a direct effect on the financial statements but compliance with which may be fundamental to the company's ability to operate or to avoid a material penalty.

We discussed among the audit engagement team including relevant internal specialists regarding the opportunities and incentives that may exist within the organisation for fraud and how and where fraud might occur in the financial statements.

In common with all audits under ISAs (UK), we are also required to perform specific procedures to respond to the risk of management override. In addressing the risk of fraud through management override of controls, we tested the appropriateness of journal entries and other adjustments; assessed whether the judgements made in making accounting estimates are indicative of a potential bias; and evaluated the business rationale of any significant transactions that are unusual or outside the normal course of business.

In addition to the above, our procedures to respond to the risks identified included the following:

- reviewing financial statement disclosures by testing to supporting documentation to assess compliance with provisions of relevant laws and regulations described as having a direct effect on the financial statements;
- performing analytical procedures to identify any unusual or unexpected relationships that may indicate risks of material misstatement due to fraud;
- enquiring of management, internal audit and external legal counsel concerning actual and potential litigation and claims, and instances of non-compliance with laws and regulations; and
- reading minutes of meetings of those charged with governance, reviewing internal audit reports and reviewing correspondence with HMRC.

#### Report on other legal and regulatory requirements

#### Opinions on other matters prescribed by the Companies Act 2006

In our opinion, based on the work undertaken in the course of the audit:

- 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; and
- the strategic report and the directors' report have been prepared in accordance with applicable legal requirements.

In the light of the knowledge and understanding of the company and its environment obtained in the course of the audit, we have not identified any material misstatements in the strategic report or the directors' report.

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

Under the Companies Act 2006 we are required to report in respect of the following matters 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.

We have nothing to report in respect of these matters.

# Independent Auditor's Report to the members of David Lloyd Leisure Properties No. 4 Limited (continued)

# Use of our report

This report is made solely to the company's members, as a body, in accordance with Chapter 3 of Part 16 of the Companies Act 2006. Our audit work has been undertaken so that we might state to the company's members those matters we are required to state to them in an auditor's report and for no other purpose. To the fullest extent permitted by law, we do not accept or assume responsibility to anyone other than the company and the company's members as a body, for our audit work, for this report, or for the opinions we have formed.

Darren Longley, FCA (Senior Statutory Auditor)

For and on behalf of Deloitte LLP

Statutory Auditor

London

United Kingdom

29 September 2023

# Income Statement for the Year Ended 31 December 2022

	Note	Year ended 31 December 2022 £ 000	Year ended 31 December 2021 £ 000
Revenue	4 .	1,120	1,088
Administrative expenses		(89)	(68)
Operating profit	5	1,031	1,020
Interest receivable and similar income	. 7	4,843	4,648
Interest payable and similar charges	8	(68)	(3,951)
Profit before tax		5,806	1,717
Income tax credit/(charge)	11 .	2,009	(66)
Profit for the financial year		7,815	1,651

The above results were derived from continuing operations.

The Company has no other comprehensive income or expense other than the results above, and therefore no separate Statement of Comprehensive Income is presented.

# (Registration number: 06590299) Statement of Financial Position as at 31 December 2022

	Note	31 December 2022 £ 000	31 December 2021 £ 000
Non-current assets			
Investment properties (right-of-use assets)	12	5,547	5,559
Right-of-use assets	13	829	673
Lease straight line asset	. 14	1,745	1,757
Deferred tax assets	< 1 <b>7</b>	2,057	48
Loans to group undertakings	15	143,544	137,694
	•	153,722	145,731
Current assets			
Trade and other receivables	- 16	5	10
Total assets		153,727	145,741
Creditors: Amounts falling due within one year		•	
Trade and other payables	18	(114,886)	(114,873)
Lease liabilities	13	(16)	(12)
Deferred tax liability	17	(330)	(330)
Creditors: Amounts falling due within one year		(115,232)	(115,215)
Net current liabilities	4	(115,227)	(115,205)
Total assets less current liabilities		38,495	30,526
Creditors: Amounts falling due after more than one year			
Lease liabilities	13	(1,021)	(867)
Net assets		37,474	29,659
Capital and reserves		Section 1	·
Called up share capital			
Share premium account		776	776
Capital contribution reserve		90,746	90,746
Accumulated losses		(54,048)	(61,863)
Total shareholders' funds	19	37,474	29,659

Approved by the director on 28 September 2023.

PJ Burrows Director

The notes on pages 13 to 25 form an integral part of these financial statements. Page 11

# Statement of Changes in Equity for the Year Ended 31 December 2022

At 1 January 2022 Profit for the financial year					٠.	Call	ed up share capital £ 000	Share premium account £ 000	Capital contribution reserve £ 000 90,746	Accumluated losses £ 000 (61,863) 7,815	Total £ 000 29,659 7,815
At 31 December 2022							<u> </u>	776	90,746	(54,048)	37,474
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	•			, C.		Call	ed up share capital £ 000	Share premium account £ 000	Capital contribution reserve £ 000	Accumulated losses £ 000	Total £ 000
At 1 January 2021 Profit for the financial year	•			ē			· -	776	90,746	(63,514) 1,651	28,008 1,651
At 31 December 2021		, *	_					776	90,746	(61,863)	29,659

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# Notes to the Financial Statements for the Year Ended 31 December 2022

#### 1 General information

The Company is a private company limited by share capital incorporated and domiciled in the United/Kingdom.

The address of the Company's registered office is:

The Hangar Mosquito Way Hatfield Business Park Hatfield Hertfordshire AL10 9AX

The nature of the Company's operations and its principal activities are set out in the Strategic Report on page 2.

#### 2 Accounting policies

#### Significant accounting policies

The principal accounting policies applied in the preparation of these financial statements are set out below. These policies have been consistently applied to all the periods presented, unless otherwise stated.

### Basis of preparation

The financial statements have been prepared in accordance with Financial Reporting Standard 101, "Reduced Disclosure Framework" (FRS 101) and the Companies Act 2006. The financial statements have been prepared under the historical cost convention.

The preparation of financial statements in conformity with FRS 101 requires the use of certain critical accounting estimates. It also requires management to exercise its judgement in the process of applying the Company's accounting policies. The areas involving a higher degree of judgement or complexity, or areas where assumptions and estimates are significant to the financial statements are disclosed in note 3.

The financial statements are presented in pounds sterling, which is the currency of the economic environment in which the Company operates (its functional currency).

## Summary of disclosure exemptions

As permitted by FRS101, the Company has taken advantage of the disclosure exemptions available in relation to presentation of a cash flow statement, standards not yet effective, business combinations, non-current assets held for sale, presentation of comparative information in respect of certain assets, impairment of assets and related party transactions. Where relevant, equivalent disclosures can be found in the consolidated financial statements of the Group.

Details of the parent company and the availability of the consolidated financial statements are in Note 21.

# Notes to the Financial Statements for the Year Ended 31 December 2022 (continued)

#### 2 Accounting policies (continued)

#### Going concern

The director notes that as at 31 December 2022, the Company is in a net current liabilities position of £114.9m (2021:£115.2m). The Company is reliant on the Group for financial support. In preparing the Group's financial statements, the director has considered the Group and Company's cash flows, liquidity, expected trading performance to December 2024 including member count and the impact of the current economic environment inflationary pressures principally around energy costs.

Based on the Group's liquidity and cash flow forecasts the director has concluded that the Group and Company has adequate resources to continue to continued in operational existence for at least 12 months form the signing date of the financial statements and for the forseeable future thereafter.

Deuce Midco Limited has provided a letter of support to the Company and committed to ensure that all intercompany balances are repayable. Accordingly, the director continues to adopt the going concern basis in preparing the financial statements.

### Foreign currency transactions and balances

The financial statements are presented in pounds sterling, which is the currency of the primary economic environment in which the Company operates (the "functional currency").

Transactions in currencies other than the functional currency are recognised at the rates of exchange prevailing on the dates of the transactions. At each statement of financial position date, monetary assets and liabilities that are denominated in foreign currencies are translated at the rates prevailing at that date. Non-monetary items carried at fair value that are denominated in foreign currencies are translated at the rates prevailing at the date when the "fair value was determined. Non-monetary items that are measured in terms of historical cost in a foreign currency are not retranslated. Exchange differences are recognised in the income statement in the period in which they arise.

## Revenue recognition

Revenue represents rental income, net of value added tax, which is recognised over the term of the lease on a straight-line basis, allowing for inflationary increases.

#### Leases

The Company leases various properties. Rental contracts are typically made for fixed periods of 20 months to 125 years but may have extension options.

Contracts may contain both lease and non-lease components. The Company allocates the consideration in the contract to the lease and non-lease components based on their relative stand-alone prices. However, for leases of real estate for which the company is a lessee and for which it has major leases, it has elected not to separate lease and non-lease components and instead accounts for these as a single lease component.

Lease terms are negotiated on an individual basis and contain a wide range of different terms and conditions. The lease agreements do not impose any covenants other than the security interests in the leased assets that are held by the lessor. Leased assets may not be used as security for borrowing purposes.

The Company has entered into commercial property leases as a lessee. The leases are recognised as a right-of-use asset with a corresponding liability at the date at which the leased asset is available for use by the Company.

# Notes to the Financial Statements for the Year Ended 31 December 2022 (continued)

#### 2 Accounting policies (continued)

#### Leases (continued)

Assets and liabilities arising from a lease are initially measured on a present value basis. Lease liabilities include the net present value of the following lease payments:

- Fixed payments (including in-substance fixed payments), less any lease incentives receivable;
- Variable lease payments that are based on an index or a rate, initially measured using the index or rate as at the commencement date;
- · Amounts expected to be payable by the company under residual value guarantees;
- The exercise price of a purchase option if the company is reasonably certain to exercise that option; and
- Payments of penalties for terminating the lease, if the lease term reflects the company exercising that option.

Lease payments to be made under reasonably certain extension options are also included in the measurement of the liability. The lease payments are discounted using the incremental borrowing rate ("IBR"). This is the rate of interest that a lessee would have to pay to borrow, over a similar term and with security funds necessary to obtain an asset of a similar value to the cost of the right-of-use asset in a similar economic environment with similar terms, security and conditions.

The Company is exposed to potential future increases in variable lease payments based on an index or rate, which are not included in the lease liability until they take effect. When adjustments to lease payments based on an index or rate take effect, the lease liability is reassessed and adjusted against the right-of-use asset.

Lease payments are allocated between principal and finance cost. The finance cost is charged to profit or loss over the lease period so as to produce a constant periodic rate of interest on the remaining balance of the liability for each period.

Right-of-use assets are measured at cost comprising the following:

- The amount of the initial measurement of lease liability;
- Any lease payments made at or before the commencement date less any lease incentives received;
- · Any initial direct costs; and
- Restoration costs.

Right-of-use assets are generally depreciated over the shorter of the asset's useful life and the lease term on a straight-line basis. If the Company is reasonably certain to exercise a purchase option, the right-of-use asset is depreciated over the underlying asset's useful life.

Lease income from operating leases where the Company is a lessor is recognised in income on a straight-line basis over the lease term. Initial direct costs incurred in obtaining an operating lease are added to the carrying amount of the underlying asset and recognised as an expense over the lease term on the same basis as lease income. The respective leased assets are included in the balance sheet based on their nature.

Information about critical accounting estimates and judgements in the application of lease accounting is disclosed in note 3.

# Notes to the Financial Statements for the Year Ended 31 December 2022 (continued)

#### 2 Accounting policies (continued)

#### Tax

The tax expense for the year comprises current tax and deferred tax. Tax is recognised in the income statement, except to the extent that it relates to items recognised in other comprehensive income or directly in equity respectively.

The current tax charge is calculated on the basis of the tax laws enacted or substantively enacted at the balance sheet date in the countries where the Company and its subsidiaries operate and generate taxable income.

Deferred tax is recognised on temporary differences arising between the tax bases of assets and liabilities and their carrying amounts in the financial statements. However, deferred tax liabilities are not recognised if they arise from the initial recognition of goodwill. Deferred tax is not accounted for if it arises from initial recognition of an asset or liability in a transaction other than a business combination that at the time of the transaction affects neither accounting nor taxable profit or loss. Deferred tax is determined using tax rates (and laws) that have been enacted or substantively enacted by the statement of financial position date and are expected to apply when the related deferred tax asset is realised or the deferred tax liability is settled.

Deferred tax assets are recognised only to the extent that it is probable that future taxable profit will be available against which the temporary differences can be utilised.

Deferred tax assets and liabilities are offset when there is a legally enforceable right to offset current tax assets against current tax liabilities and when the deferred tax assets and liabilities relate to income taxes levied by the same taxation authority on either the same taxable entity or different taxable entities and there is an intention to settle the balances on a net basis.

#### Investment property

The property held by the Company is occupied by other group companies, although it still meets the requirements of IAS 40 to be classified as investment property as it is held to derive rental income. Property is held at cost, with the buildings element being depreciated over 50 years to a residual value of 80%. The land element is not depreciated.

In line with IFRS 16, any right-of-use assets that meet the amended definition of investment property are disclosed as an investment property on the face of the balance sheet, and separately disclosed as a right-of-use asset in the investment properties note to financial statements.

#### Impairment

At each statement of financial position date, the Company reviews the carrying amounts of its non-current assets to determine whether there is any indication that those assets have suffered an impairment loss. If any such indication exists, the recoverable amount of the asset is estimated to determine the extent of the impairment loss (if any). Where the asset does not generate cash flows that are independent from other assets, the Company estimates the recoverable amount of the cash-generating unit ("CGU") to which the asset belongs.

Each individual site is considered to be a CGU. Recoverable amount is the higher of fair value less costs to sell and value in use. In assessing value in use, the estimated future cash flows are discounted to their present value using a pre-tax discount rate that reflects current market assessments of the time value of money and the risks specific to the asset for which the estimates of future cash flows have not been adjusted. If the recoverable amount of an asset (or CGU) is estimated to be less than its carrying amount, the carrying amount of the asset (or CGU) is reduced to its recoverable amount. An impairment loss is recognised immediately in profit or loss.

Prior impairments of non-financial assets are reviewed for possible reversal at each reporting date. In order for an impairment reversal to be recognised the recoverable amount of the tangible and intangible asset needs to be supported for a minimum of three consecutive years. Upon this criteria being met the impairment reversal would be recognised in the income statement.

## Share capital

Ordinary shares are classified as equity.

# Notes to the Financial Statements for the Year Ended 31 December 2022 (continued)

# 2 Accounting policies (continued)

#### Financial liabilities

#### Classification

Financial liabilities can be classified as 'fair value through profit or loss' or held at amortised cost. All are initially recognised at fair value, and in the case of loans, net of any transaction costs. Loans are measured at amortised cost, using the effective interest rate method, with interest expense recognised on an effective yield basis.

#### Recognition and measurement

The Company derecognises financial liabilities when, and only when, the Company's obligations are discharged, cancelled or they expire.

#### Financial assets

#### Classification

The Company classifies its financial assets in the following measurement categories: financial assets at fair value (either through Other Comprehensive Income (OCI) or through profit or loss) and financial assets at amortised cost.

The classification depends on the nature and purpose of the financial assets and is determined at the time of initial recognition. For assets measured at fair value, gains and losses will be recorded either in profit or loss or in OCI.

#### Recognition and measurement

All financial assets are recognised and derecognised on a trade date where the purchase or sale of a financial asset is under a contract whose terms require delivery of the financial asset within the time frame established by the market concerned.

At initial recognition, the Company measures a financial asset at its fair value plus, in the case of a financial asset measured at amortised cost or fair value through OCI, transaction costs that are directly attributable to the acquisition of the financial asset. Transaction costs of financial assets carried at fair value through profit or loss (FVTPL) are expensed in income statement.

Financial assets with embedded derivatives are considered in their entirety when determining whether their cash flows are solely payment of principal and interest.

#### Impairment

The Company assesses, on a forward-looking basis, the expected credit losses associated with its debt instruments carried at amortised cost and fair value though OCI. Expected credit losses are measured through a loss allowance at an amount equal to the expected credit losses for the next 12 months or the expected credit losses over the lifetime of the asset. The impairment methodology applied depends on whether there has been a significant increase in credit risk. For trade receivables, the Company applies the simplified approach permitted by IFRS 9, which requires expected lifetime losses to be recognised from initial recognition of the receivables.

#### Derecognition of financial assets

The Company derecognises a financial asset only when the contractual rights to the cash flows from the asset expire, or when it transfers the financial asset and substantially all the risks and rewards of ownership of the asset to another entity. If the Company neither transfers nor retains substantially all the risks and rewards of ownership and continues to control the transferred asset, the Company recognises its retained interest in the asset and an associated liability for amounts it may have to pay. If the Company retains substantially all the risks and rewards of ownership of a transferred financial asset, the Company continues to recognise the financial asset and also recognises a collateralised borrowing for the proceeds received.

# Notes to the Financial Statements for the Year Ended 31 December 2022 (continued)

#### 2 Accounting policies (continued)

#### Changes in accounting policies and disclosures

New standards, amendments and interpretations

There are no amendments to accounting standards, or IFRIC interpretations that are effective for the year ended 31 December 2022 that have had a material impact on the Company's financial statements. For completeness the following new standards, amendments and interpretations are newly mandatorily effective for the first time in the current period:

- Amendments to IFRS 3, References to the Conceptual framework;
- · Amendments to IAS 16, Proceeds before intended use;
- Amendments to IAS 37, Onerous contracts cost of fulfilling a contract;
- Annual improvements to IFRS Standards 2018-2020 Cycle (Amendments to IFRS 1, IFRS 9, IFRS 16 and IAS 41).

#### 3 Critical accounting judgements and key sources of estimation uncertainty

In the application of the Company's accounting policies, which are described in note 2, the director is required to make judgements, estimates and assumptions about the carrying amounts of assets and liabilities that are not readily apparent from other sources.

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.

#### Critical accounting estimates and assumptions

There were no critical accounting estimates and assumptions applied to the Company during the year.

#### Critical judgements in applying the entity's accounting policies

Lease accounting

In determining the lease term, management considers all facts and circumstances that create an economic incentive to exercise an extension option, or not to exercise a termination option. Periods covered by an option to extend the lease term are included in the lease term if the lessee is reasonably certain to exercise that option. The same rationale applies to termination options.

Significant judgement is involved in determining the period over which a lease is considered to be 'enforceable'. Where contracts have a term of greater than 10 years remaining at transition, the Company assesses there to be an unclear indication that it would in substance be deemed to be 'enforceable' beyond the original contractual term, despite the rights provided by The Landlord and Tenant Act 1954. The lease end date has therefore been used as the end date for the lease. For leases due to expire within 10 years of transition, the likelihood of extension is being assessed up to the year end with reference to the facts available and looking at the Company's history of renewing leases beyond the contractual end date.

For the current leases held by the Company, we currently conclude the minimum lease term to be the term of the lease contract, including any reversionary leases. We assess, based on our current plans or expectations, the situation for each lease for which options to extend, terminate or purchase exist annually and judgement will be applied in the weighting of relevant factors in each case.

# Notes to the Financial Statements for the Year Ended 31 December 2022 (continued)

#### 4 Revenue

The analysis of the Company's revenue for the year from continuing operations by class of business is as follows:

		•		Year ended 31 December 2022	Year ended 31 December 2021
•	•	•	•	£ 000	£ 000
Rental income from investment property	• .			1,120	1,088

All revenue is earned in the UK. All revenue is derived from within the Deuce Midco Group, of which the Company is a part.

## 5 Operating profit

Arrived at after charging:

			Year ended 31 December 2022 £ 000	Year ended 31 December 2021 £ 000
Depreciation expense	. \	12, 13	33	30
IFRS16 operating lease expense			50	34
Monitoring fees			6	5

In accordance with IFRS 16, the operating lease expense in the current year represents turnover rent and service charges.

### 6 Auditor's remuneration

Auditor's remuneration in respect of the Company's annual financial statements for the year ended 31 December 2022 of £12,500 (2021: £5,400) was borne by another group undertaking.

### 7 Interest receivable and similar income

Interest receivable from other group companies	<del></del>	Year ended 31 December 2021 £ 000 4,648
Interest payable and similar charges		•
		Year ended 31 December 2021 £ 000
Interest payable to other group companies	· •	3,892
Interest on lease liabilities	68	59
	68	3,951

## 9 Staff costs

The Company did not have any employees in either period.

# Notes to the Financial Statements for the Year Ended 31 December 2022 (continued)

#### 10 Director remuneration

The director is not directly remunerated by the Company and does not receive a recharge. The director's remuneration for services to the Company has all been paid and is disclosed in the financial statements of David Lloyd Leisure Limited, which can be obtained from the Registrar of Companies, Companies House, Crown Way, Maindy, Cardiff, CF14 3UZ. It is not possible to apportion the director's remuneration.

# 11 Tax on profit

Tax charged in the income statement:

	Year ended 31 December 2022	Year ended 31 December 2021
	£ 000	£ 000
Current taxation		
UK corporation tax		<u> </u>
Deferred taxation		•
Arising from origination and reversal of temporary differences	1	(2)
Change in tax rate	•	68
Adjustments in respect of prior periods	(2,010)	
Tax (credit)/charge in the income statement	(2,009)	66

UK Corporation tax is calculated at 19% (2021: 19%) of the estimated taxable loss for the year.

The tax charge for the year is lower than the standard rate of corporation tax in the UK (2021: lower than the standard rate of corporation tax in the UK). The differences are reconciled below:

	Year ended 31 December 2022 £ 000	Year ended 31 December 2021 £ 000
Profit before tax	5,806	1,717
Corporation tax at standard rate	1,103	326
Increase from effect of expenses not deductible in determining taxable profit (tax loss)	ź	•
Loss relief claimed for no consideration	(1,105)	(328)
Deferred tax credit in respect of prior periods	(2,010)	•
Deferred tax charge relating to changes in tax rates or laws		· 68
Total tax (credit)/charge in the income statement	(2,009)	66

# Notes to the Financial Statements for the Year Ended 31 December 2022 (continued)

					. •
12 Investment properties	(right-of-use asse	ts)		•	
•	• .		•		£ 000
Cost	•	. *	•		' مذہ ہ
At 1 January 2022					5,652
At 31 December 2022	•			· . ·	5,652
Accumulated deprecia	ition	•		, ·	
At 1 January 2022			٠	•.	93
Charge for the year	•				12
At 31 December 2022	• •				105
Carrying amount		•			
· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·				• •	5,547
At 31 December 2022		· ·	•		
At 31 December 2021	• ,				5,559
13 Leases				• •	
The amounts recognised	u ili ule illialiciai si	atements in rea	ation to the lease	s are as follows.	
(i) Amounts recognise	d in the Statement	t of Financial I	Position		
		•			Land and
					buildings
		•			£ 000
Right-of-use assets					
Cost	•	•			
At 1 January 2022				•	728
Additions		•		•	177
At 31 December 2022		, ' 	•		905
Depreciation				•	1-1.
At 1 January 2022		• .			55
Charge for the year		•			21
At 31 December 2022		•	.7		76
		•		•	
Carrying amount	•				
		•	•	•	
At 31 December 2022			•		829

At 31 December 2021

# Notes to the Financial Statements for the Year Ended 31 December 2022 (continued)

# 13 Leases (continued)

Carrying amount of liability

Lease liabilities	•	
	31 December 2022	31 December 2021
	£ 000	£ 000
Current lease liabilities	: (16)	(12)
Non-current lease liabilities	(1,021)	(867)
	(1,037)	(879)
(ii) Amounts recognised in the income statement		
The income statement shows the following amounts relating to leases:		
	Year ended 31 December 2022 £ 000	Year ended 31 December 2021 £ 000
Depreciation charge of right-of-use assets	(22)	(18)
Interest expense (included in finance cost)	(68)	(59)
	(90)	(77)
	(70)	(11)
(iii) Future minimum lease payments as at 31 December 2022 are as fol	llows:	
The total cash outflow for leases in 2022 was £0.1m (2021: £0.1m).		1 · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·
	31 December 2022 £ 000	31 December 2021 £ 000
Not later than one year	. 66	· <b>72</b>
Later than one year and not later than five years	339	-283
Later than five years and not later than ten years	424	354
Later than ten years and not later than twenty five years	867	754
Later than twenty five years and not later than fifty years	1,108	997
Later than fifty years	1,757	1,797
Total gross payments	4,561	4,257
Impact of finance expenses	(3,524)	(3,378)

1,037

879

# Notes to the Financial Statements for the Year Ended 31 December 2022 (continued)

### 13 Leases (continued)

# (iv) Operating leases

Lessor Accounting

The total future minimum income receivable under the Company's non-cancellable operating leases with tenants for each of the following periods is as follows:

	31 December 2022	31 December 2021
	£ 000	£ 000
Not later than one year	1,023	998
Later than one year and not later than five years	4,353	4,247
Later than five years	6,838	7,967
	12,214	13,212
4 Lease straight-line asset	•	
	31 December 2022	31 December 2021
	£ 000	£ 000
At 1 January	1,757	1,747
(Charge)/ Credit to income statement	(12)	10
At 31 December	1 745	1 757

The lease straight-line asset relates to future uplifts of 2.5% per annum that will be applied to rental income from Investment Properties (note 12) in line with the lease agreement.

# 15 Loans to group undertakings

						31 December	31 December
						2022	2021
	. ,			•		£ 000	£ 000
Amounts due from group undertakings						143,544	137,694
			·			143,544	137,694

The intercompany debtor is repayable on demand and earns interest on an arm's length basis of 3.45% for the year ended 31 December 2022 (2021: 3.45%). The intercompany debtor has been classified within non-current assets as there is no current intention for it to be repaid within one year.

#### 16 Trade and other receivables

•	•		•	31 December 2022	31 December 2021
		•		£ 000	£ 000
Prepayments and accrued income				5	. 10
•		. •	•	5	10

# Notes to the Financial Statements for the Year Ended 31 December 2022 (continued)

#### 17 Deferred tax

Deferred tax assets and liabilities are offset where the Company has a legally enforceable right to do so. The following is the analysis of the deferred tax balances for financial reporting purposes:

	., ~	IFRS16: Leases £ 000	Tax losses £'000	Total £ 000
Deferred tax assets				••
At 1 January 2022		. 48		. 48
(Credit)/charge to the income statement		(1)	2,010	2,009
At 31 December 2022	• :	47	2,010	2,057

Investment properties £ 000

#### Deferred tax liabilities

At 1 January and 31 December 2022

(330)

Deferred tax is recognised on the timing differences between amounts recognised in the financial statements and amounts recognised in the tax computations.

Deferred tax assets and liabilities have been recognised at the main rate of corporation tax in the relevant jurisdiction prevailing at the expected date of unwind with reference to enacted rates on the statement of financial position date.

In the UK, the long term corporation tax rate of 25.0% enacted as at 31 December 2022 is used.

# 18 Trade and other payables falling due within one year

				31 December 2022 £ 000	31 December 2021 £ 000
Accrued expenses .	:	•		25	16 -
Amounts due to parent un		/	114,861	114,857	
	•			114,886	114,873

The intercompany creditor is repayable on demand and accrues interest on an arm's length basis of 3.45% for the year ended 31 December 2022 (2021: 3.45%).

# Notes to the Financial Statements for the Year Ended 31 December 2022 (continued)

#### 19 Called up share capital and equity reserves

Allotted, called up and fully paid shares

31 December 2022 31 December 2021 No. £ No. £

Ordinary shares of £0.0001 each

10,000

1.00

10,000

1.00

Each class of ordinary shares carries no right to fixed income.

#### Share premium -

Share premium represents the premium arising on issue of ordinary shares.

#### Capital contribution reserve

The capital contribution reserve represents the release of historic intercompany loans within the group.

#### **Accumulated losses**

Accumulated losses represent cumulative losses recognised up to the balance sheet date.

#### 20 Related party transactions

The remuneration of director, analysed under the headings required by company law, is set out in Note 10.

The Company is taking advantage of the exemption provided in FRS101, and not disclosing remuneration for key management personnel. Details of the remuneration of the key management personnel of the Group are disclosed in the consolidated financial statements of Deuce Midco Limited.

The Company has relied on the exemptions under FRS 101 from disclosing transactions with other wholly-owned group companies on the basis that the Company is a fully owned subsidiary.

#### 21 Parent and ultimate parent undertaking

At the statement of financial position date, the Company's immediate parent undertaking is Deuce Acquisitions Limited, a company incorporated in the United Kingdom and registered in England and Wales. The ultimate parent undertaking of the Company is Deuce Holding S.à r.l and the ultimate controlling party is a group of investment funds managed by TDR Capital LLP (registered in the UK).

Deuce Midco Limited is the smallest and Deuce Topco Limited the largest group undertaking for which group financial statements are prepared and of which the Company is a member. The registered office of Deuce Midco Limited and Deuce Topco Limited is The Hangar, Mosquito Way, Hatfield Business Park, AL10 9AX. The financial statements of Deuce Midco Limited and Deuce Topco Limited can be obtained from the Registrar of Companies, Companies House, Crown Way, Maindy, Cardiff CF14 3UZ.