Registration number: 8071929

# Alpha Leasing (No.9) Limited

Annual Report and Financial Statements

for the Year Ended 31 December 2016

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# **Company Information**

Directors

M Brady

M A Garrett

Company secretary

R Johnson

Registered office

62 Buckingham Gate

London SW1E 6AT

Auditor

KPMG LLP

Chartered Accountants 15 Canada Square

London E14 5GL

## Directors' Report for the Year Ended 31 December 2016

The Directors present their report and the financial statements for the year ended 31 December 2016.

#### **Principal Activities**

The principal business of the Company is as a holding company.

#### Financial Review

The Company had no income or expense during the year other than dividends receivable.

The Directors declared interim dividends for the year totalling US\$2,667 per ordinary share (2015 - US\$5,500 per ordinary share). They do not recommend payment of any further dividend. The total cost of dividends for the year is US\$800,000 (2015 - US\$1,100,000).

#### **Directors of the Company**

The directors who held office during the year were as follows:

M Brady

M A Garrett

#### Disclosure of information to the auditor

Each Director has taken steps that they ought to have taken as a Director in order to make themselves aware of any relevant audit information and to establish that the Company's auditor is aware of that information. The Directors confirm that there is no relevant information that they know of and of which they know the auditor is unaware.

## Small companies provision statement

This report has been prepared in accordance with the small companies regime under the Companies Act 2006.

Approved by the Board on 23 March 2017 and signed on its behalf by:

R Johnson \
Company secretary

# Statement of Directors' Responsibilities in respect of the Directors Report and the Financial Statements

The Directors are responsible for preparing the Directors Report and the financial statements in accordance with applicable law and regulations.

Company law requires the Directors to prepare financial statements for each financial year. Under that law the Directors have elected to prepare the financial statements in accordance UK Accounting Standards and applicable law (UK Generally Accepted Accounting Practice), including FRS 102 The Financial Reporting Standard applicable in the UK and Republic of Ireland. 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 apply them consistently;
- · make judgements and accounting estimates that are reasonable and prudent; 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 have a general responsibility for taking such steps as are reasonably open to them to safeguard the assets of the Company and to prevent and detect fraud and other irregularities.

## Independent Auditor's Report to the members of Alpha Leasing (No.9) Limited

We have audited the financial statements of Alpha Leasing (No.9) Limited for the year ended 31 December 2016, set out on pages 6 to 12. The financial reporting framework that has been applied in their preparation is applicable law and UK Accounting Standards (UK Generally Accepted Accounting Practice), FRS 102 The Financial Reporting Standard applicable in the UK and Republic of Ireland.

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.

#### Respective responsibilities of Directors and auditor

As explained more fully in the Statement of Directors' Responsibilities in respect of the Directors Report and the Financial Statements (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). Those standards require us to comply with the Auditing Practices Board's Ethical Standards for Auditors.

#### Scope of the audit of the financial statements

A description of the scope of an audit of financial statements is provided on the Financial Reporting Council's website at www.frc.org.uk/auditscopeukprivate.

#### Opinion on the 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 2016 and of its profit for the year then ended;
- have been properly prepared in accordance with United Kingdom Generally Accepted Accounting Practice;
- 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 is consistent with the financial statements.

Based solely on the work required to be undertaken in the course of the audit of the financial statements and from reading the Directors' report:

- we have not identified material misstatements in that report; and.
- in our opinion, that report has been prepared in accordance with the Companies Act 2006.

## Independent Auditor's Report to the members of Alpha Leasing (No.9) Limited

## 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
- the directors were not entitled to take advantage of the small companies exemption from the requirement to prepare a strategic report.

Craig Parkin (Senior Statutory Auditor)

For and on behalf of KPMG LLP, Statutory Auditor

15 Canada Square

London

E14 5GL

23 March 2017

## Profit and Loss Account for the Year Ended 31 December 2016

	2016 \$	2015 \$
Dividend income	800,000	1,100,000
Profit before tax	800,000	1,100,000
Profit for the financial year	800,000	1,100,000

The above results were derived from continuing operations.

There were no recognised gains and losses for 2016 or 2015 other than those included in the Profit and Loss Account.

# (Registration number: 8071929) Balance Sheet as at 31 December 2016

	Note	2016 \$	2015 \$
Fixed assets			
Investments	6	64,500,100	14,500,100
Current assets			
Debtors	7	100	100
Creditors: Amounts falling due within one year	8	(100)	(100)
Net current assets/(liabilities)			<u> </u>
Net assets		64,500,100	14,500,100
Capital and reserves			
Called up share capital	9	300	200
Share premium reserve		64,499,800	14,499,900
Total equity		64,500,100	14,500,100

Approved and authorised by the Board on 23 March 2017 and signed on its behalf by:

M A Garrett

Director

## Statement of Changes in Equity for the Year Ended 31 December 2016

	Share capital	Share premium \$	Retained earnings \$	Total \$
At 1 January 2016	200	14,499,900		14,500,100
Profit for the year			800,000	800,000
Total comprehensive income	-	-	800,000	800,000
Dividends	-	-	(800,000)	(800,000)
New share capital subscribed	100	49,999,900		50,000,000
At 31 December 2016	300	64,499,800		64,500,100
	Share capital	Share premium	Retained earnings \$	Total \$
At 1 January 2015	200	14,499,900	-	14,500,100
Profit for the year			1,100,000	1,100,000
Total comprehensive income	-	-	1,100,000	1,100,000
Dividends			(1,100,000)	(1,100,000)
At 31 December 2015	200	14,499,900		14,500,100

The notes on pages 9 to 12 form an integral part of these financial statements. Page 8  $\,$ 

#### Notes to the Financial Statements for the Year Ended 31 December 2016

#### 1 General information

The company is incorporated and domiciled in United Kingdom.

The address of its registered office is:
62 Buckingham Gate
London
SW1E 6AT
England

#### 2 Accounting policies

#### Summary of significant accounting policies and key accounting estimates

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 years presented, unless otherwise stated.

#### Statement of compliance

These financial statements were prepared in accordance with Financial Reporting Standard 102 'The Financial Reporting Standard applicable in the UK and Republic of Ireland' as issued in August 2014. The presentation currency of these financial statements is U.S Dollars (\$).

#### **Basis of preparation**

These financial statements have been prepared using the historical cost convention except that as disclosed in the accounting policies certain items are shown at fair value.

The Company is itself a subsidiary company and is exempt from the requirement to prepare group accounts by virtue of section 400 of the Companies Act 2006. These financial statements therefore present information about the Company as an individual undertaking and not about its group.

#### Summary of disclosure exemptions

Cash flow statement exemption

The Company is exempt from the requirement of FRS102 Section 7 to prepare a cash flow statement as it is a wholly owned subsidiary undertaking of Alpha Partners Leasing Limited and its cash flows are included within Alpha Partners Leasing Limited's consolidated cash flow statement.

#### Transactions with other group subsidiaries

As the entity is a wholly owned subsidiary of Alpha Partners Leasing Limited, the Company has taken advantage of the exemption contained in FRS102 Section 33 and has, therefore, not disclosed transactions or balances with wholly owned subsidiaries which form part of the group.

#### Financial guarantee contracts

Where the Company enters into financial guarantee contracts to guarantee the indebtedness of other companies within its group, the Company considers these to be insurance arrangements and accounts for them as such. In this respect, the Company treats the guarantee contract as a contingent liability until such time as it becomes probable that the Company will be required to make a payment under the guarantee.

#### Investments

Investments in equity shares which are not publicly traded and where fair value cannot be measured reliably are measured at cost less impairment.

## Notes to the Financial Statements for the Year Ended 31 December 2016

#### Share capital

Ordinary shares are classified as equity. Equity instruments are measured at the fair value of the cash or other resources received or receivable, net of the direct costs of issuing the equity instruments. If payment is deferred and the time value of money is material, the initial measurement is on a present value basis.

#### **Dividends**

Dividend distribution to the company's shareholders is recognised as a liability in the financial statements in the reporting period in which the dividends are declared.

#### 3 Staff number and costs

The Company has no employees other than the Directors, who did not receive any remuneration (2015 - \$NIL).

#### 4 Income tax

The tax on profit before tax for the year is lower than the standard rate of corporation tax in the UK (2015 - lower than the standard rate of corporation tax in the UK) of 20% (2015 - 20.25%).

The differences are reconciled below:

	2016 \$	2015 \$
Profit before tax	800,000	1,100,000
Corporation tax at standard rate Effect of revenues exempt from taxation	160,000 (160,000)	222,750 (222,750)
Total tax charge/(credit)	-	<u> </u>

The Summer Budget 2015 and the 2016 Budget announced that the UK corporation tax rate will reduce to 19 per cent from 1 April 2017 and to 17 per cent from 1 April 2020. These reductions will reduce future corporation tax liabilities accordingly.

## 5 Dividends

	2016 \$	2015 \$
Interim dividend of \$2,667 (2015 - \$5,500) per ordinary share	800,000	1,100,000

## Notes to the Financial Statements for the Year Ended 31 December 2016

## 6 Investments in subsidiaries, joint ventures and associates

	2016 \$	2015 \$
Investments in subsidiaries	64,500,100	14,500,100
Subsidiaries	<del> </del>	\$
Cost or valuation		
At 1 January 2016		14,500,100
Additions		50,000,000
At 31 December 2016		64,500,100
Carrying amount		
At 31 December 2016		64,500,100
At 31 December 2015		14,500,100

## Details of undertakings

Details of the investments in which the company holds 20% or more of the nominal value of any class of share capital are as follows:

Undertaking	Country of incorporation	Holding	Proportion of voting rights and shares held	
			2016	2015
Subsidiary undertakings				
Omega Leasing (No.9) Limited	England	Ordinary shares	100%	100%

The principal activity of Omega Leasing (No.9) Limited is Leasing of engines

## 7 Debtors due within one year

		2016 \$	2015 \$
	Amounts owed by group undertakings	100	100
8	Creditors		
		2016	2015
		\$	\$
	Due within one year		
	Amounts due to related parties	100	100

#### Notes to the Financial Statements for the Year Ended 31 December 2016

#### 9 Share capital

## Allotted, called up and fully paid shares

	2016	2016		2015	
	No.	\$	No.	\$	
Ordinary shares of \$1 each	300	300	200	200	

#### New shares allotted

During the year 100 Ordinary Shares having an aggregate nominal value of \$100 were allotted for an aggregate consideration of \$49,999,900.

#### 10 Parent and ultimate parent undertaking

Rolls-Royce Holdings plc, a company registered in England and Wales, and GATX Corporation, a company registered in the United States, are the joint ultimate holding companies. Copies of Rolls-Royce Holdings plc's consolidated Financial Statements can be obtained from 62 Buckingham Gate, London SW1E 6AT and those of GATX Corporation from 222 West Adams Street, Chicago, IL60606-5314,Illinois, USA.

Alpha Partners Leasing Limited, a company registered in England and Wales, is the immediate holding company and heads the smallest group in which the results of the Company are consolidated. Copies of its consolidated Financial Statements can be obtained from 62 Buckingham Gate, London SW1E 6AT.