

Company Registration No. 09571599 (England and Wales)

FRESTON SHIPPING LIMITED

ACCOUNTS

FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2021

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# **FRESTON SHIPPING LIMITED**

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# FRESTON SHIPPING LIMITED

## BALANCE SHEET

AS AT 31 MARCH 2021

|   | Notes | 2021<br>£           | £                | 2020<br>£           | £                |
|---|-------|---------------------|------------------|---------------------|------------------|
| <b>Fixed assets</b>                                   |       |                     |                  |                     |                  |
| Tangible assets                                       | 4     | 15,336,994          |                  | 11,601,687          |                  |
| <b>Current assets</b>                                 |       |                     |                  |                     |                  |
| Debtors   | 5     | 782,768             |                  | 570,796             |                  |
| Cash at bank and in hand                              |       | 41,266              |                  | 150,150             |                  |
|   |       | <u>824,034</u>      |                  | <u>720,946</u>      |                  |
| <b>Creditors: amounts falling due within one year</b> | 6     | <u>(16,753,730)</u> |                  | <u>(12,807,970)</u> |                  |
| <b>Net current liabilities</b>                        |       |                     | (15,929,696)     |                     | (12,087,024)     |
| <b>Net liabilities</b>                                |       |                     | <u>(592,702)</u> |                     | <u>(485,337)</u> |
| <b>Capital and reserves</b>                           |       |                     |                  |                     |                  |
| Called up share capital                               |       |                     | 100              |                     | 100              |
| Profit and loss reserves                              |       |                     | <u>(592,802)</u> |                     | <u>(485,437)</u> |
| <b>Total equity</b>                                   |       |                     | <u>(592,702)</u> |                     | <u>(485,337)</u> |

The directors of the company have elected not to include a copy of the profit and loss account within the financial statements.

These financial statements have been prepared and delivered in accordance with the provisions applicable to companies subject to the small companies regime.

The financial statements were approved by the board of directors and authorised for issue on 24 December 2021 and are signed on its behalf by:

Mr P Morton  
Director

Company Registration No. 09571599

# FRESTON SHIPPING LIMITED

## NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

**FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2021**

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### **1 Accounting policies**

#### **Company information**

Freston Shipping Limited is a private company limited by shares incorporated in England and Wales. The registered office is Kintyre House, 70 High Street, Fareham, Hampshire, United Kingdom, PO16 7BB.

#### **1.1 Accounting convention**

These financial statements have been prepared in accordance with FRS 102 "The Financial Reporting Standard applicable in the UK and Republic of Ireland" ("FRS 102") and the requirements of the Companies Act 2006 as applicable to companies subject to the small companies regime. The disclosure requirements of section 1A of FRS 102 have been applied other than where additional disclosure is required to show a true and fair view.

The financial statements are prepared in sterling, which is the functional currency of the company. Monetary amounts in these financial statements are rounded to the nearest £.

The financial statements have been prepared under the historical cost convention. The principal accounting policies adopted are set out below.

#### **1.2 Going concern**

At the time of approving the financial statements, the directors have a reasonable expectation that the company has adequate resources to continue in operational existence for the foreseeable future. Thus the directors continue to adopt the going concern basis of accounting in preparing the financial statements. Management have determined that with the measures put in place to address the impact of COVID-19, no material uncertainties exist that would need to be disclosed within the financial statements.

#### **1.3 Turnover**

Turnover is recognised at the fair value of the consideration received or receivable for the leasing of a vessel provided in the normal course of business and is shown net of VAT and other sales related taxes where applicable. The fair value of consideration takes into account trade discounts, settlement discounts and volume rebates where applicable.

Turnover is recognised on the date invoices are raised and an adjustment is made where services relate to a future period.

#### **1.4 Tangible fixed assets**

Tangible fixed assets are initially measured at cost and subsequently measured at cost or valuation, net of depreciation and any impairment losses.

Depreciation is recognised so as to write off the cost or valuation of assets less their residual values over their useful lives on the following bases:

|                     |   |
|---------------------|---|
| Plant and equipment | 15 years straight line & 10 years straight line |
|---------------------|---|

Assets in the course of construction or have not yet been brought into use are not depreciated.

The gain or loss arising on the disposal of an asset is determined as the difference between the sale proceeds and the carrying value of the asset, and is credited or charged to profit or loss.

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## NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONTINUED)

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### 1 Accounting policies

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#### 1.5 Impairment of fixed assets

At each reporting period end date, the company reviews the carrying amounts of its tangible 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 in order to determine the extent of the impairment loss (if any). Where it is not possible to estimate the recoverable amount of an individual asset, the company estimates the recoverable amount of the cash-generating unit to which the asset belongs.

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 cash-generating unit) is estimated to be less than its carrying amount, the carrying amount of the asset (or cash-generating unit) is reduced to its recoverable amount. An impairment loss is recognised immediately in profit or loss, unless the relevant asset is carried at a revalued amount, in which case the impairment loss is treated as a revaluation decrease.

Recognised impairment losses are reversed if, and only if, the reasons for the impairment loss have ceased to apply. Where an impairment loss subsequently reverses, the carrying amount of the asset (or cash-generating unit) is increased to the revised estimate of its recoverable amount, but so that the increased carrying amount does not exceed the carrying amount that would have been determined had no impairment loss been recognised for the asset (or cash-generating unit) in prior years. A reversal of an impairment loss is recognised immediately in profit or loss, unless the relevant asset is carried at a revalued amount, in which case the reversal of the impairment loss is treated as a revaluation increase.

#### 1.6 Cash and cash equivalents

Cash and cash equivalents are basic financial assets and include cash in hand, deposits held at call with banks, other short-term liquid investments with original maturities of three months or less, and bank overdrafts. Bank overdrafts are shown within borrowings in current liabilities.

#### 1.7 Financial instruments

The company has elected to apply the provisions of Section 11 'Basic Financial Instruments' and Section 12 'Other Financial Instruments Issues' of FRS 102 to all of its financial instruments.

Financial instruments are recognised in the company's balance sheet when the company becomes party to the contractual provisions of the instrument.

Financial assets and liabilities are offset, with the net amounts presented in the financial statements, when there is a legally 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.

##### **Basic financial assets**

Basic financial assets, which include debtors and cash and bank balances, are initially measured at transaction price including transaction costs and are subsequently carried at amortised cost using the effective interest method unless the arrangement constitutes a financing transaction, where the transaction is measured at the present value of the future receipts discounted at a market rate of interest. Financial assets classified as receivable within one year are not amortised.

##### **Classification of financial liabilities**

Financial liabilities and equity instruments are classified according to the substance of the contractual arrangements entered into. An equity instrument is any contract that evidences a residual interest in the assets of the company after deducting all of its liabilities.

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## NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONTINUED)

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### 1 Accounting policies

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#### **Basic financial liabilities**

Basic financial liabilities, including creditors, bank loans, loans from fellow group companies and preference shares that are classified as debt, are initially recognised at transaction price unless the arrangement constitutes a financing transaction, where the debt instrument is measured at the present value of the future payments discounted at a market rate of interest. Financial liabilities classified as payable within one year are not amortised.

Debt instruments are subsequently carried at amortised cost, using the effective interest rate method.

Trade creditors are obligations to pay for goods or services that have been acquired in the ordinary course of business from suppliers. Amounts payable are classified as current liabilities if payment is due within one year or less. If not, they are presented as non-current liabilities. Trade creditors are recognised initially at transaction price and subsequently measured at amortised cost using the effective interest method.

### 1.8 Equity instruments

Equity instruments issued by the company are recorded at the proceeds received, net of transaction costs. Dividends payable on equity instruments are recognised as liabilities once they are no longer at the discretion of the company.

### 1.9 Taxation

The tax expense represents the sum of the tax currently payable and deferred tax.

#### **Current tax**

The tax currently payable is based on taxable profit for the year. Taxable profit differs from net profit as reported in the profit and loss account because it excludes items of income or expense that are taxable or deductible in other years and it further excludes items that are never taxable or deductible. The company's liability for current tax is calculated using tax rates that have been enacted or substantively enacted by the reporting end date.

#### **Deferred tax**

Deferred tax liabilities are generally recognised for all timing differences and deferred tax assets are recognised to the extent that it is probable that they will be recovered against the reversal of deferred tax liabilities or other future taxable profits. Such assets and liabilities are not recognised if the timing difference arises from goodwill or from the initial recognition of other assets and liabilities in a transaction that affects neither the tax profit nor the accounting profit.

The carrying amount of deferred tax assets is reviewed at each reporting end date and reduced to the extent that it is no longer probable that sufficient taxable profits will be available to allow all or part of the asset to be recovered. Deferred tax is calculated at the tax rates that are expected to apply in the period when the liability is settled or the asset is realised. Deferred tax is charged or credited in the profit and loss account, except when it relates to items charged or credited directly to equity, in which case the deferred tax is also dealt with in equity. Deferred tax assets and liabilities are offset when the company has a legally enforceable right to offset current tax assets and liabilities and the deferred tax assets and liabilities relate to taxes levied by the same tax authority.

### 1.10 Foreign exchange

Transactions in currencies other than pounds sterling are recorded at the rates of exchange prevailing at the dates of the transactions. At each reporting end date, monetary assets and liabilities that are denominated in foreign currencies are retranslated at the rates prevailing on the reporting end date. Gains and losses arising on translation in the period are included in profit or loss.

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### 2 Judgements and key sources of estimation uncertainty

In the application of the company's accounting policies, the directors are required to make judgements, estimates and assumptions about the carrying amount of assets and liabilities that are not readily apparent from other sources. The estimates and associated assumptions are based on historical experience and other factors that are considered to be relevant. Actual results may differ from these estimates.

The estimates and underlying assumptions are reviewed on an ongoing basis. Revisions to accounting estimates are recognised in the period in which the estimate is revised where the revision affects only that period, or in the period of the revision and future periods where the revision affects both current and future periods.

#### **Critical judgements**

The following judgements (apart from those involving estimates) have had the most significant effect on amounts recognised in the financial statements.

#### **Deferred tax asset**

A deferred tax asset has been recognised in the year as the company has reported a profit which has utilised some of the taxable losses brought forward. These remaining losses are expected to be utilised going forward.

#### **Key sources of estimation uncertainty**

The estimates and assumptions which have a significant risk of causing a material adjustment to the carrying amount of assets and liabilities are as follows.

#### **Tangible fixed assets and depreciation**

Determine whether there are indicators of impairment of the company's tangible assets. Factors taken into consideration in reaching such a decision include the economic viability and expected future financial performance of the asset.

The annual depreciation charge is sensitive to changes in the estimated useful lives and residual values of assets. The useful lives and residual values are re-assessed annually and amended where necessary.

### 3 Employees

The average monthly number of persons (including directors) employed by the company during the year was:

|       | 2021<br>Number | 2020<br>Number |
|-------|----------------|----------------|
| Total | 2              | 2              |
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## NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONTINUED)

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### 4 Tangible fixed assets

|                                    | Assets under<br>construction<br>£ | Plant and<br>equipment<br>£ | Total<br>£ |
|------------------------------------|-----------------------------------|-----------------------------|------------|
| <b>Cost</b>                        |                                   |                             |            |
| At 1 April 2020                    | 1,000,000                         | 12,398,707                  | 13,398,707 |
| Additions                          | 4,342,735                         | 148,142                     | 4,490,877  |
| At 31 March 2021                   | 5,342,735                         | 12,546,849                  | 17,889,584 |
| <b>Depreciation and impairment</b> |                                   |                             |            |
| At 1 April 2020                    | -                                 | 1,797,020                   | 1,797,020  |
| Depreciation charged in the year   | -                                 | 755,570                     | 755,570    |
| At 31 March 2021                   | -                                 | 2,552,590                   | 2,552,590  |
| <b>Carrying amount</b>             |                                   |                             |            |
| At 31 March 2021                   | 5,342,735                         | 9,994,259                   | 15,336,994 |
| At 31 March 2020                   | 1,000,000                         | 10,601,687                  | 11,601,687 |

### 5 Debtors

|  | 2021<br>£ | 2020<br>£ |
|--|-----------|-----------|
| <b>Amounts falling due within one year:</b>          |           |           |
| Trade debtors  | 636,129   | 384,709   |
| Other debtors  | 7,654     | 72,269    |
|  | 643,783   | 456,978   |
| <b>Amounts falling due after more than one year:</b> |           |           |
| Deferred tax asset                                   | 138,985   | 113,818   |
| <b>Total debtors</b>                                 | 782,768   | 570,796   |

### 6 Creditors: amounts falling due within one year

|                                    | 2021<br>£  | 2020<br>£  |
|------------------------------------|------------|------------|
| Trade creditors                    | 10,551     | 14,427     |
| Amounts owed to group undertakings | 16,128,092 | 12,252,339 |
| Other creditors                    | 615,087    | 541,204    |
|                                    | 16,753,730 | 12,807,970 |



# **FRESTON SHIPPING LIMITED**

## **NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONTINUED)**

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### **7 Audit report information**

As the income statement has been omitted from the filing copy of the financial statements, the following information in relation to the audit report on the statutory financial statements is provided in accordance with s444(5B) of the Companies Act 2006:

The auditor's report was unqualified.

The senior statutory auditor was Mark Nolan FCA and the auditor was Alliot Wingham Limited.

### **8 Parent company**

The parent company is Freston Ventures Investments LLP, a Limited Liability Partnership registered in England and Wales.

At the balance sheet date there is an amount due to Freston Ventures Investments LLP totalling £16,128,092 (2019 - £12,252,339).

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