# WILLIAM HACKETT LIFTING PRODUCTS LIMITED ANNUAL REPORT AND FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 AUGUST 2020



### **COMPANY INFORMATION**

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Mr P Davies

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#### STRATEGIC REPORT

#### FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 AUGUST 2020

The directors present the strategic report for the year ended 31 August 2020.

#### Fair review of the business

The Directors are satisfied with the results for the year taking into account the effects of the Coronavirus pandemic on the economy since March 2020.

The outlook for 2021 is encouraging despite the difficult current market and economic conditions.

#### Principal risks and uncertainties

The Directors monitor costs and revenue on a constant basis to protect the financial stability of the company.

The current market is stable with potential for growth.

The directors believe that they have taken all necessary and reasonable steps to protect the company. Although the company operates and trades outside of the UK, the majority of sales are within the UK and the directors do constantly review exchange rates, so any fluctuations should not have a major impact on the company's performance.

The directors do realise that events outside their control will affect the performance of the company.

#### **Key performance indicators**

The directors consider that the key financial indicators are turnover, gross profit margin and net profit.

The turnover for the company has decreased from £12.22m to £11.63m, a decrease of 4.88%

The gross profit for the year is £3.86m giving a margin of 33.20% (2019 - £4.23m giving a margin of 34.58%).

The profit before tax has decreased from £1.29m to £0.98m, a decrease of 23.19%.

On behalf of the board

Mr T J Burgess

Director

#### **DIRECTORS' REPORT**

#### FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 AUGUST 2020

The directors present their annual report and financial statements for the year ended 31 August 2020.

#### **Principal activities**

The principal activity of the company is that of the assembly and sale of chain products.

#### Results and dividends

The results for the year are set out on page 7.

No ordinary dividends were paid. The directors do not recommend payment of a final dividend.

#### **Directors**

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

Mr T J Burgess Mr B Burgess Mr R T Bell Mr A Lloyd Mr J A Burgess

#### Post reporting date events

The Directors continuously monitor business performance in light of the ongoing Coronavirus pandemic and take necessary actions to protect the company, it's employees and stakeholders. They are of the opinion that the business has not been materially affected post year end and that the company can meet it's obligations as they fall due for a period of at least 12 months following the approval of these financial statements.

#### **Auditor**

In accordance with the company's articles, a resolution proposing that Azets Audit Services be reappointed as auditor of the company will be put at a General Meeting.

#### Statement of disclosure to auditor

So far as each person who was a director at the date of approving this report is aware, there is no relevant audit information of which the company's auditor is unaware. Additionally, the directors individually have taken all the necessary steps that they ought to have taken as directors in order to make themselves aware of all relevant audit information and to establish that the company's auditor is aware of that information.

On behalf of the board

Mr T J Burgess

Director

Date:

# DIRECTORS' RESPONSIBILITIES STATEMENT FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 AUGUST 2020

The directors are responsible for preparing the annual 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 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;
- prepare the financial statements on the going concern basis unless it is inappropriate to presume that the company will continue in business.

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

#### INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT

#### TO THE MEMBERS OF WILLIAM HACKETT LIFTING PRODUCTS LIMITED

#### Opinion

We have audited the financial statements of William Hackett Lifting Products Limited (the 'company') for the year ended 31 August 2020 which comprise the profit and loss account, the statement of comprehensive income, the balance sheet, the statement of changes in equity, the statement of cash flows and notes to the financial statements, including a summary of significant accounting policies. The financial reporting framework that has been applied in their preparation is applicable law and United Kingdom Accounting Standards, including FRS 102 The Financial Reporting Standard applicable in the UK and Republic of Ireland (United Kingdom Generally Accepted Accounting Practice).

In our opinion the financial statements:

- give a true and fair view of the state of the company's affairs as at 31 August 2020 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.

#### **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 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

We have nothing to report in respect of the following matters in relation to which the ISAs (UK) require us to report to you where:

- the directors' use of the going concern basis of accounting in the preparation of the financial statements is not appropriate; or
- the directors have not disclosed in the financial statements any identified material uncertainties that may cast significant doubt about the company's ability to continue to adopt the going concern basis of accounting for a period of at least twelve months from the date when the financial statements are authorised for issue.

#### 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. 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.

In connection with our audit of the financial statements, 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 audit or otherwise appears to be materially misstated. If we identify such material inconsistencies or apparent material misstatements, we are required to determine whether there is a material misstatement in the financial statements or a material misstatement of the other information. 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.

## INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT (CONTINUED) TO THE MEMBERS OF WILLIAM HACKETT LIFTING PRODUCTS LIMITED

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

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

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

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 material misstatements in the strategic report and the directors' report.

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.

#### 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 Financial Reporting Council's website at: https://www.frc.org.uk/auditorsresponsibilities. This description forms part of our auditor's report.

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# INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT (CONTINUED) TO THE MEMBERS OF WILLIAM HACKETT LIFTING PRODUCTS LIMITED

#### 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.

John Hegney FCCA (Senior Statutory Auditor)
For and on behalf of Azets Audit Services

**Chartered Accountants Statutory Auditor** 

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# PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 AUGUST 2020

		2020	2019
	Notes	£	£
Turnover	3	11,626,371	12,223,621
Cost of sales		(7,773,152)	(7,996,173)
Gross profit		3,853,219	4,227,448
Distribution costs		(932,454)	(980,485)
Administrative expenses		(2,013,069)	(1,893,755)
Other operating income		132,407	-
Operating profit	. 4	1,040,103	1,353,208
Interest payable and similar expenses	8	(49,258)	(54,306)
Profit before taxation		990,845	1,298,902
Tax on profit	9	(177,095)	(248,139)
Profit for the financial year		813,750	1,050,763
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The profit and loss account has been prepared on the basis that all operations are continuing operations.

# STATEMENT OF COMPREHENSIVE INCOME FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 AUGUST 2020

	2020 £	2019 £
Profit for the year	813,750	1,050,763
Other comprehensive income	-	-
Total comprehensive income for the year	813,750	1,050,763

# BALANCE SHEET AS AT 31 AUGUST 2020

		20	)20	20	2019	
	Notes	£	£	£	£	
Fixed assets						
Tangible assets	11		67,890		61,246	
Current assets				•		
Stocks	12	3,673,502		4,236,332		
Debtors	13	2,291,083		3,096,428		
Cash at bank and in hand		158,458		44,240		
		6,123,043		7,377,000		
Creditors: amounts falling due within one year	14	(2,490,544)		(4,368,204)		
Net current assets			3,632,499	<del></del> -	3,008,796	
Total assets less current liabilities			3,700,389		3,070,042	
Creditors: amounts falling due after more than one year	15		(1,201,124)		(1,383,085	
Provisions for liabilities				•		
Deferred tax liability	18	8,523		9,965		
			(8,523)	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	(9,965)	
Net assets			2,490,742		1,676,992	
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Capital and reserves						
Called up share capital	20		113		113	
Share premium account			8,879		8,879	
Profit and loss reserves			2,481,750		1,668,000	
Total equity			2,490,742		1,676,992	
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The financial statements were approved by the board of directors and authorised for issue on ...25 and are signed on its behalf by:

Mr T J Burgess

Director

Company Registration No. 09679580

# STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN EQUITY FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 AUGUST 2020

		Share capital	Share premium account	Profit and loss reserves	Total
	Notes	£	£	£	£
Balance at 1 September 2018		113	8,879	1,117,237	1,126,229
Year ended 31 August 2019:					
Profit and total comprehensive income for the year		-	-	1,050,763	1,050,763
Dividends	10	-	-	(500,000)	(500,000)
Balance at 31 August 2019		113	8,879	1,668,000	1,676,992
Year ended 31 August 2020:					
Profit and total comprehensive income for the year		-	-	813,750	813,750
Balance at 31 August 2020		113	8,879	2,481,750	2,490,742

# STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 AUGUST 2020

		202	2020		9
	Notes	£	£	£	£
Cash flows from operating activities Cash generated from operations Interest paid Income taxes paid	26		943,705 (49,258) (234,546)		334,721 (54,306) (229,359)
Net cash inflow from operating activities		•	659,901		51,056
Investing activities Purchase of tangible fixed assets Proceeds on disposal of tangible fixed asse	ts	(32,517) 6,500		(19,160) 2,250	
Net cash used in investing activities			(26,017)		(16,910)
Financing activities Proceeds of invoice finance facility Repayment of invoice finance facility Payment of finance leases obligations Dividends paid		(510,226) (9,440) -		483,988 - (11,212) (500,000)	
Net cash used in financing activities			(519,666)	<del> </del>	(27,224)
Net increase in cash and cash equivalent	ts		114,218		6,922
Cash and cash equivalents at beginning of	year		44,240		37,318
Cash and cash equivalents at end of yea	r		158,458		44,240

### NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 AUGUST 2020

#### 1 Accounting policies

#### Company information

William Hackett Lifting Products Limited is a private company limited by shares incorporated in England and Wales. The registered office is Oak Drive, Lionheart Enterprise Park, Alnwick, NE66 3EU.

#### 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.

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  $\pounds$ .

#### 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.

#### 1.3 Turnover

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

Revenue from the sale of lifting products is recognised when the significant risks and rewards of ownership of the goods have passed to the buyer, the amount of revenue can be measured reliably, it is probable that the economic benefits associated with the transaction will flow to the entity and the costs incurred or to be incurred in respect of the transaction can be measured reliably.

#### 1.4 Tangible fixed assets

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

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

Fixtures and fittings

15% straight line25% reducing balance

Motor vehicles

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.

#### 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.

# NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONTINUED) FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 AUGUST 2020

#### 1 Accounting policies

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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 Stocks

Stocks are stated at the lower of cost and estimated selling price less costs to complete and sell. Cost comprises direct materials and, where applicable, direct labour costs and those overheads that have been incurred in bringing the stocks to their present location and condition.

At each reporting date, an assessment is made for impairment. Any excess of the carrying amount of stocks over its estimated selling price less costs to complete and sell is recognised as an impairment loss in profit or loss. Reversals of impairment losses are also recognised in profit or loss.

#### 1.7 Cash and cash equivalents

Cash and cash equivalents are basic financial assets and include cash at bank.

#### 1.8 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.

## NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONTINUED) FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 AUGUST 2020

#### 1 Accounting policies

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#### Other financial assets

Other financial assets, including investments in equity instruments which are not subsidiaries, associates or joint ventures, are initially measured at fair value, which is normally the transaction price. Such assets are subsequently carried at fair value and the changes in fair value are recognised in profit or loss, except that investments in equity instruments that are not publicly traded and whose fair values cannot be measured reliably are measured at cost less impairment.

#### Impairment of financial assets

Financial assets, other than those held at fair value through profit and loss, are assessed for indicators of impairment at each reporting end date.

Financial assets are impaired where there is objective evidence that, as a result of one or more events that occurred after the initial recognition of the financial asset, the estimated future cash flows have been affected. If an asset is impaired, the impairment loss is the difference between the carrying amount and the present value of the estimated cash flows discounted at the asset's original effective interest rate. The impairment loss is recognised in profit or loss.

If there is a decrease in the impairment loss arising from an event occurring after the impairment was recognised, the impairment is reversed. The reversal is such that the current carrying amount does not exceed what the carrying amount would have been, had the impairment not previously been recognised. The impairment reversal is recognised in profit or loss.

#### Derecognition of financial assets

Financial assets are derecognised only when the contractual rights to the cash flows from the asset expire or are settled, or when the company transfers the financial asset and substantially all the risks and rewards of ownership to another entity, or if some significant risks and rewards of ownership are retained but control of the asset has transferred to another party that is able to sell the asset in its entirety to an unrelated third party.

#### 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.

#### Basic financial liabilities

Basic financial liabilities, including creditors, bank loans and loans from fellow group companies, 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.

Trade creditors are obligations to pay for goods 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.

# NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONTINUED) FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 AUGUST 2020

#### 1 Accounting policies

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#### Other financial liabilities

Derivatives, including interest rate swaps and forward foreign exchange contracts, are not basic financial instruments. Derivatives are initially recognised at fair value on the date a derivative contract is entered into and are subsequently re-measured at their fair value. Changes in the fair value of derivatives are recognised in profit or loss in finance costs or finance income as appropriate, unless hedge accounting is applied and the hedge is a cash flow hedge.

Debt instruments that do not meet the conditions in FRS 102 paragraph 11.9 are subsequently measured at fair value through profit or loss. Debt instruments may be designated as being measured at fair value through profit or loss to eliminate or reduce an accounting mismatch or if the instruments are measured and their performance evaluated on a fair value basis in accordance with a documented risk management or investment strategy.

#### Derecognition of financial liabilities

Financial liabilities are derecognised when the company's contractual obligations expire or are discharged or cancelled.

#### 1.9 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.

#### 1.10 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.

# NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONTINUED) FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 AUGUST 2020

#### 1 Accounting policies

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#### 1.11 Employee benefits

The costs of short-term employee benefits are recognised as a liability and an expense, unless those costs are required to be recognised as part of the cost of stock or fixed assets.

The cost of any unused holiday entitlement is recognised in the period in which the employee's services are received.

Termination benefits are recognised immediately as an expense when the company is demonstrably committed to terminate the employment of an employee or to provide termination benefits.

#### 1.12 Retirement benefits

Payments to defined contribution retirement benefit schemes are charged as an expense as they fall due.

#### 1.13 Leases

Leases are classified as finance leases whenever the terms of the lease transfer substantially all the risks and rewards of ownership to the lessees. All other leases are classified as operating leases.

Assets held under finance leases are recognised as assets at the lower of the assets fair value at the date of inception and the present value of the minimum lease payments. The related liability is included in the balance sheet as a finance lease obligation. Lease payments are treated as consisting of capital and interest elements. The interest is charged to profit or loss so as to produce a constant periodic rate of interest on the remaining balance of the liability.

Rentals payable under operating leases, including any lease incentives received, are charged to profit or loss on a straight line basis over the term of the relevant lease except where another more systematic basis is more representative of the time pattern in which economic benefits from the leases asset are consumed.

#### 1.14 Government grants

Government grants are recognised at the fair value of the asset received or receivable when there is reasonable assurance that the grant conditions will be met and the grants will be received.

A grant that specifies performance conditions is recognised in income when the performance conditions are met. Where a grant does not specify performance conditions it is recognised in income when the proceeds are received or receivable. A grant received before the recognition criteria are satisfied is recognised as a liability.

#### 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.

## NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONTINUED) FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 AUGUST 2020

#### 2 Judgements and key sources of estimation uncertainty

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#### 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

Tangible fixed assets are depreciated over their useful lives taking into account residual values, where appropriate. The actual lives of the net assets and residual values are assessed annually and may vary depending on a number of factors. In re-assessing asset lives, all relevant known factors are taken into account but there is inherent uncertainty present in making this assessment.

#### Stock provisions

The company considers it necessary to evaluate the recoverability of the cost of stock. The stock levels are constantly reviewed and, should there be an indication of obsolescence, the stock is written down to its assessed net realisable value.

#### Impairment of debtors

The company makes an estimate of the recoverable value of trade and other debtors. When assessing impairment of trade and other debtors, management considers factors including the current credit rating of the debtor, the ageing profile of debtors and historical experience.

#### 3 Turnover and other revenue

An analysis of the company's turnover is as follows:

	2020	2019
	£	£
Turnover analysed by class of business		
Assembly and sale of chain products	11,626,371 ————	12,223,621
	2020	2019
	£	£
Other significant revenue		
Grants received	132,407	-
	2020	2019
	£	£
Turnover analysed by geographical market		
United kingdom	7,378,437	8,626,389
Europe	2,151,317	1,594,873
Rest of the world	2,096,617	2,002,359
	11,626,371	12,223,621
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# NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONTINUED) FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 AUGUST 2020

4	Operating profit		
		2020	2019
	Operating profit for the year is stated after charging/(crediting):	£	£
	Government grants	(132,407)	-
	Depreciation of owned tangible fixed assets	13,213	3,579
	Depreciation of tangible fixed assets held under finance leases	7,164	8,443
	Profit on disposal of tangible fixed assets	(1,004)	(834)
	Operating lease charges	19,456	19,896
5	Auditor's remuneration		
	·	2020	2019
	Fees payable to the company's auditor and associates:	£	£
	For audit services		
	Audit of the financial statements of the company	9,250	9,250

#### 6 Employees

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

	2020 Number	2019 Number
Directors	5	5
Production	32	27
Total	37	32
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Their aggregate remuneration comprised:		
	2020	2019
	£	£
Wages and salaries	1,512,584	1,310,755
Pension costs	88,961	70,183
	1,601,545	1,380,938
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# NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONTINUED) FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 AUGUST 2020

7	Directors' remuneration	2020	2019
	·	£	2019 £
	Remuneration for qualifying services	351,433	322,260
	Company pension contributions to defined contribution schemes	26,267 ———	28,453
		377,700 ———	350,713
	The number of directors for whom retirement benefits are accruing under amounted to 4 (2019 - 4).	defined contribution	n schemes
	Remuneration disclosed above include the following amounts paid to the hig	hest paid director:	
		2020 £	2019 £
	Remuneration for qualifying services	113,061	106,941
	Company pension contributions to defined contribution schemes	9,662 ———	9,427
8	Interest payable and similar expenses		
		2020 £	2019 £
	Interest on financial liabilities measured at amortised cost:	47.010	
	Interest on invoice finance arrangements  Other finance costs:	47,910	53,433
	Interest on finance leases and hire purchase contracts	1,348	873
		<u>49,258</u>	54,306
9	Taxation		
		2020 £	2019 £
	Current tax	~	_
	UK corporation tax on profits for the current period  Adjustments in respect of prior periods	190,248 (11,711)	246,257
	Adjustificities in respect of prior periods	<del>(11,711)</del>	
	Total current tax	178,537 ————	246,257
	Deferred tax		
	Origination and reversal of timing differences	<u>(1,442)</u>	1,882 ———

# NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONTINUED) FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 AUGUST 2020

9	Taxation		(0	Continued)
	The actual charge for the year can be reconciled to the expected charge loss and the standard rate of tax as follows:	for the ye	ear based on t	he profit or
			2020 £	2019 £
	Profit before taxation	=	990,845	1,298,902
	Expected tax charge based on the standard rate of corporation tax in the	UK	400.004	040 704
	of 19.00% (2019: 19.00%)	E4	188,261	246,791
	Tax effect of expenses that are not deductible in determining taxable prof Adjustments in respect of prior years	iit	545 (11,711)	1,348 -
	Taxation charge for the year	-	177,095	248,139
10	Dividends			
			2020 £	2019 £
	Interim paid	=	-	500,000
11	Tangible fixed assets	ctures and	Motor vehicles	Total
		£	£	£
	Cost			
	At 1 September 2019	7,575	88,627	96,202
	Additions Disposals	10,017 -	22,500 (17,384)	32,517 (17,384)
	At 31 August 2020	17,592	93,743	111,335
	Depreciation and impairment			
	At 1 September 2019	2,458	32,498	34,956
	Depreciation charged in the year	2,101	18,276	20,377
	Eliminated in respect of disposals	-	(11,888)	(11,888)
	At 31 August 2020	4,559	38,886	43,445
	Carrying amount At 31 August 2020	13,033	54,857	67,890
	At 31 August 2019	5,117	56,129	61,246

# NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONTINUED) FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 AUGUST 2020

11	Tangible fixed assets		(	(Continued)
	The net carrying value of tangible fixed assets includes the fol finance leases or hire purchase contracts.	llowing in res	pect of assets	held under
	·		2020	2019
			£	£
	Motor vehicles		21,476	34,136 ———
40			•	
12	Stocks		2020 £	2019 £
	Finished goods and goods for resale		3,673,502	4,236,332
	· · ·			
13	Debtors			
			2020	2019
	Amounts falling due within one year:		£	£
	Trade debtors		2,203,807	3,056,863
	Amounts owed by group undertakings		7,502	3,384
	Other debtors		36,416	10,020
	Prepayments and accrued income		43,358	26,161
			2,291,083	3,096,428
14	Creditors: amounts falling due within one year			
		Notes	2020 £	2019 £
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	Bank loans	16	1,110,285	1,620,511
	Obligations under finance leases	17	7,800	10,279
	Trade creditors		600,250	1,459,183
	Amounts owed to group undertakings		299,886	685,753
	Corporation tax		190,248	246,257
	Other taxation and social security		255,640	127,581
	Other creditors		17,056	134,240
	Accruals and deferred income		9,379	84,400
			2,490,544	4,368,204

# NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONTINUED) FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 AUGUST 2020

15	Creditors: amounts falling due after more than one			
		Notes	2020 £	2019 £
	Obligations under finance leases Amounts owed to group undertakings	17	6,124 1,195,000 1,201,124	13,085 1,370,000 1,383,085
16	Loans and overdrafts		2020 £	2019 £
	Bank loans		1,110,285	1,620,511 ======
	Payable within one year		1,110,285	1,620,511

The bank loans represent amounts owing to RBS Invoice Finance in respect of factored debts and are secured over the assets of the company.

#### 17 Finance lease obligations

	2020	2019
Future minimum lease payments due under finance leases:	£	£
Within one year	7,800	10,788
In two to five years	7,800	15,600
	15,600	26,388
Less: future finance charges	(1,676)	(3,024)
	13,924	23,364

Finance lease payments represent rentals payable by the company for certain items of plant and machinery. Leases include purchase options at the end of the lease period, and no restrictions are placed on the use of the assets. The average lease term is 5 years. All leases are on a fixed repayment basis and no arrangements have been entered into for contingent rental payments.

# NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONTINUED) FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 AUGUST 2020

#### 18 Deferred taxation

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 (after offset) for financial reporting purposes:

	Liabilities 2020	Liabilities 2019
Balances:	£	£
Accelerated capital allowances	8,523 ———	9,965
Movements in the year:		2020 £
Liability at 1 September 2019 Credit to profit or loss		9,965 (1,442)
Liability at 31 August 2020		8,523

The deferred tax liability set out above relates to accelerated capital allowances and is expected to reverse within future accounting periods. £ is expected to reverse within 12 months.

#### 19 Retirement benefit schemes

Defined contribution schemes	2020 £	2019 £
Charge to profit or loss in respect of defined contribution schemes	88,961 	70,183

The company operates a defined contribution pension scheme for all qualifying employees. The assets of the scheme are held separately from those of the company in an independently administered fund.

#### 20 Share capital

·	2020	2019	2020	2019
Ordinary share capital	Number	Number	£	£
Issued and fully paid				•
Ordinary of 10p each	1,000	1,000	100	100
A Ordinary of 10p each	114	114	11	11
B Ordinary of 10p each	23	23	2	2
	1,137	1,137	113	113

There has been no movement in total share capital during the year. These shares of 10p each shall rank pari passu in all respects with each other.

### NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONTINUED) FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 AUGUST 2020

#### 21 Financial commitments, guarantees and contingent liabilities

The company has secured the bank debts of it's holding company, William Hackett Holdings Limited, via a fixed and floating charge over it's assets. At the balance sheet date, the amount outstanding totalled £1,134,074 (2019 - £1,270,154).

#### 22 Events after the reporting date

The Directors continuously monitor business performance in light of the ongoing Coronavirus pandemic and take necessary actions to protect the company, it's employees and stakeholders. They are of the opinion that the business has not been materially affected post year end and that the company can meet it's obligations as they fall due for a period of at least 12 months following the approval of these financial statements.

#### 23 Related party transactions

#### Remuneration of key management personnel

The remuneration of key management personnel is as follows.

	2020	2019
	£	£
•		
Aggregate compensation	377,700	349,178

#### Transactions with related parties

During the year the company entered into the following transactions with related parties:

	Management ch	Management charges paid	
	2020	2019	
	£	£	
William Hackett Holdings Limited	352,000	547,632	
The following amounts were outstanding at the reporting end date:			
	2020	2019	
Amounts due to related parties	£	£	
William Hackett Holdings Limited	1,494,886	2,055,753	
Key management personnel	-	120,000	
·	<del></del>		
Management charges includes an element of interest charged by Willi calculated at their rate of borrowing,	am Hackett Holdi	ngs Limited,	
The following amounts were outstanding at the reporting end date:			
	2020	2019	
A	£	£	
Amounts due from related parties			

### NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONTINUED) FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 AUGUST 2020

#### **Directors' transactions**

Dividends totalling £0 (2019 - £120,000) were paid in the year in respect of shares held by the company's directors.

#### 25 Ultimate controlling party

The parent company is William Hackett Holdings Limited.

The ultimate controlling party is the Director Mr T J Burgess by virtue of his shareholding in the parent company.

The accounts are consolidated into the group accounts of William Hackett Holdings Limited and it's registered office address is Oak Drive, Lionheart Enterprise Park, Alnwick, Northumberland, NE66 2EU.

26	Cash generated from operations			
			2020	2019
			£	£
	Profit for the year after tax		813,750	1,050,763
	Adjustments for:			
	Taxation charged		177,095	248,139
	Finance costs		49,258	54,306
	Gain on disposal of tangible fixed assets		(1,004)	(834)
	Depreciation and impairment of tangible fixed assets		20,377	12,022
	Movements in working capital:			
	Decrease/(increase) in stocks		562,830	(439,303)
	Decrease/(increase) in debtors		805,345	(230,809)
	Decrease in creditors		(1,483,946)	(359,563)
	Cash generated from operations		943,705	334,721
27	Analysis of changes in net debt			
	•	1 September 2019	Cash flows	31 August 2020
	•	£	£	£
	Cash at bank and in hand	44,240	114,218	158,458
	Borrowings excluding overdrafts	(1,620,511)	510,226	(1,110,285)
	Obligations under finance leases	(23,364)	9,440	(13,924)

(1,599,635)

633,884

(965,751)