# ANNUAL REPORT AND FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 5 APRIL 2015





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#### **INFORMATION**

# **Designated Members**

Future Films (Partnership Services) Limited Future Films (Management Services) Limited

# LLP registered number

OC316624

# Registered Office

10 Old Burlington Street London W1S 3AG

#### MEMBERS' REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDED 5 APRIL 2015

The members present their annual report together with the unaudited financial statements of Eclipse Film Partners No. 17 LLP ("the LLP") for the year ended 5 April 2015.

#### **PRINCIPAL ACTIVITIES**

The principal activity of the LLP continued to be that of film exploitation.

#### **DESIGNATED MEMBERS**

The following designated members have held office since 6 April 2014:

Future Films (Partnership Services) Limited Future Films (Management Services) Limited

#### **POLICY ON MEMBERS' DRAWINGS**

The profits or losses of the LLP are allocated between the members in proportion to their capital contributions. In accordance with the partnership agreement, where a net profit arises in a financial year this is distributed to the members within 120 days of the accounting date, providing that the LLP has sufficient cash resources to make such a distribution.

New ordinary members are required to subscribe to a minimum level of capital. No interest is payable on this capital. An ordinary member may retire from the LLP and hence withdraw their capital, but only under limited circumstances.

#### MEMBERS' REPORT (continued) FOR THE YEAR ENDED 5 APRIL 2015

#### MEMBERS RESPONSIBILITY STATEMENT

The members are responsible for preparing the financial statements in accordance with applicable law and United Kingdom Accounting Standards (United Kingdom Generally Accepted Accounting Practice).

Company law, as applied to LLPs, requires the members to prepare financial statements for each financial year. Under that law the members have elected to prepare the financial statements in accordance with the United Kingdom Generally Accepted Accounting Practice (United Kingdom Accounting Standards and applicable law). Under company law, as applied to LLPs, the members 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 LLP and of the profit or loss of the LLP for that period. In preparing these financial statements, the members 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 LLP will continue in business.

The members are responsible for keeping adequate accounting records that are sufficient to show and explain the LLP's transactions and disclose with reasonable accuracy at any time the financial position of the LLP 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 LLP and hence for taking reasonable steps for the prevention and detection of fraud and other irregularities.

The members are responsible for the maintenance and integrity of the LLP. Legislation in the United Kingdom governing the preparation and dissemination of financial statements may differ from legislation in other jurisdictions.

ON BEHALF OF THE MEMBERS

Future Films (Partnership Services) Limited

**Designated Member** 

Date: 6/11/15

# PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT FOR THE YEAR ENDED 5 APRIL 2015

	Note	2015	2014
	Note	£	
Turnover Cost of sales	1 .	3,155,838 (2,451,954)	3,164,531 (2,182,234)
Gross profit		703,884	982,297
Administration expenses		(114,513)	(114,513)
Total expenses		(114,513)	(114,513)
Net profit for the financial year before members' remuneration and profit shares		589,371	867,784
Members' remuneration charged as expense		(589,371)	(867,784)
Result for the financial year available for discretic division among members	onary		

# BALANCE SHEET FOR THE YEAR ENDED 5 APRIL 2015

	Note		2015 £		2014 £
Current assets		• •			
Debtors: amounts falling due after more than one year Debtors: amounts falling due within one year Cash at bank	3	45,466,120 18,607,385 42		48,323,786 15,749,719 42	
•		64,073,547		64,073,547	
Current liabilities					
Creditors: amounts falling due within one year	4	188		. 188	٠.
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		<u></u>	64,073,359		64,073,359
Net assets attributable to members		· .	64,073,359	•	64,073,359
Represented by					
Members' capital classified as a liability under FRS 25	•		64,073,359		64,073,359
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Total members' interests Amounts due from members Loans and other debts due to members	5		(15,749,714) 64,073,359		(13,183,247) 64,073,359
		. •	48,323,645		50,890,112

#### Preparation of the financial statements

The financial statements have been prepared in accordance with the special provisions relating to LLPs subject to the small LLPs regime within Part 15 of the Companies Act 2006 as applied by The Limited Liability Partnerships (Accounts and Audit) (Application of Companies Act 2006) Regulations 2008 and in accordance with the Financial Reporting Standard for Smaller Entities (effective April 2008) ("the Act").

# Audit exemption statement

For the year ending 5 April 2015 the LLP was entitled to exemption from audit under section 477 of the Companies Act 2006 as applied by the Act. The partners have not required the LLP to obtain an audit of its accounts for the year in question in accordance with section 476.

#### **BALANCE SHEET** FOR THE YEAR ENDED 5 APRIL 2015

The members acknowledge their responsibilities for complying with the requirements of the Act with respect to accounting records and the preparation of accounts.

The financial statements were approved and authorised for issue by the members and were signed on their behalf

Future Films (Partners) ip Services) Limited

The notes on pages 7 to 9 form part of these financial statements.



#### NOTES TO THE ACCOUNTS AT 5 APRIL 2015

#### 1. ACCOUNTING POLICIES

#### 1.1 Accounting convention

The accounts have been prepared under the historical cost convention and in accordance with the Financial Reporting Standard for Smaller Entities (effective April 2008) and the requirements of the Statement Of Recommended Practice ("SORP") "Accounting by Limited Liability Partnerships", March 2006, (except as otherwise stated).

#### 1.2 Turnover

Turnover comprises revenue recognised by the LLP in respect of the exploitation and licensing of designated film rights, exclusive of Value Added Tax and trade discounts.

#### 1.3 Foreign currency translation

Monetary assets and liabilities denominated in foreign currencies are translated into sterling at the prevailing rates of exchange at the balance sheet date.

Transactions in foreign currencies are recorded at the rate ruling at the date of the transaction or the contracted rate where one exists.

Exchange gains and losses are recognised in the Profit and Loss account.

#### 1.4 Taxation

Taxation on partnership profits is solely the personal liability of the individual members. Consequently neither taxation nor deferred taxation arising in the partnership has been accounted for in these financial statements.

#### 1.5 Members' capital

The financial statements have been prepared in accordance with the requirements of FRS 25 as applied to limited liability partnerships by the applicable SORP. Since the profits of the LLP are automatically distributed, FRS 25 requires members' capital to be disclosed as a liability, rather than equity. It is for this reason only that the members' capital has been presented as a liability. Under the terms of the partnership agreement, there is no entitlement for members to draw out, or receive back at any time while they are members of the LLP, the amounts contributed by them as capital.

#### 1.6 Members' remuneration

Members' remuneration is any outflow of benefits to a member. Where the payment of any remuneration is not at the discretion of the LLP, this is charged to the Profit and Loss account as an expense.

#### 2. INFORMATION IN RELATION TO MEMBERS

The average number of members during the year was		Number 18	Number
Remuneration to members charged as an expense	•	£ 589,371	£ 867,784

Neither of the designated members received any remuneration during the year (2014: £nil).

# NOTES TO THE ACCOUNTS AT 5 APRIL 2015

Due after more than one year   Prepayments and accrued income   45,466,120	3.	DEBTORS	•	2015 £	2014 £
Due within one year Other debtors		Due after more than one year		£	,
Other debtors		Prepayments and accrued income		45,466,120	48,323,786
Amounts due from members    15,749,714					
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Members   Capital (classified as debt under FRS25)   Members   Total for the year Amounts withdrawn by members   Members   interests after profit for the year Amounts withdrawn by members   Members   interests after profit for the year   Capital for		Other creditors		188	188
Members' capital (classified as debt under FRS25)       Due from members £       Total £         Members' interests: balance at 6 April 2013       64,073,359       (10,886,500)       53,186,859         Members' interests after profit for the year Amounts withdrawn by members       64,073,359       (10,886,500)       53,186,859         Members' interests: balance at 6 April 2014       64,073,359       (13,183,247)       50,890,112         Members' interests after profit for the year Amounts withdrawn by members       64,073,359       (13,183,247)       50,890,112         Members' interests after profit for the year Amounts withdrawn by members       64,073,359       (13,183,247)       50,890,112				188	188
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Members' interests after profit for the year       64,073,359       (10,886,500)       53,186,859         Amounts withdrawn by members       - (2,296,747)       (2,296,747)         Members' interests: balance at 6 April 2014       64,073,359       (13,183,247)       50,890,112         Members' interests after profit for the year       64,073,359       (13,183,247)       50,890,112         Amounts withdrawn by members       - (2,566,467)       (2,566,467)					
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#### NOTES TO THE ACCOUNTS AT 5 APRIL 2015

#### 6. RELATED PARTY TRANSACTIONS

The designated members, Future Films (Partnership Services) Limited and Future Films (Management Services) Limited are wholly owned subsidiaries of Future Capital Partners Group Holdings Limited. The LLP has entered into a consultancy agreement with Future Capital Partners Limited ("Future"), also a subsidiary of Future Capital Partners Group Holdings Limited.

The LLP is governed by its LLP agreement, which, together with the consultancy agreement with Future provides (among other things) that Future will carry out certain obligations for the proper administration of the LLP, and has interests in certain income from the exploitation of film rights by the LLP as well as rights to reimbursement for certain costs.

During the year £114,513 (2014: £114,513) has been expensed through the profit and loss in respect of fees charged from Future.