# Vicarage Gate LLP Financial Statements 31 March 2012

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# Financial statements

# Year ended 31 March 2012

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## The report of the members

#### Year ended 31 March 2012

The members present their report and the financial statements of the LLP for the year ended 31 March 2012

## **Principal activities**

The principal activity of the LLP during the year under review continued to be that of property development

## Results for the year and allocation to members

The loss for the year available for distribution to members was £193,317 (2011 £202,272 loss)

## **Designated members**

The following were designated members during the year

BMB Vicarage Gate LLP J H Mercer P C H Pheysey

# Policy with respect to members' drawings and subscription and repayments of amounts subscribed or otherwise contributed by members

Members are permitted to make drawings in anticipation of profits which will be allocated to them. The amount of such drawings is set at the beginning of each financial year, taking into account the anticipated cash needs of the LLP.

New members are required to subscribe a minimum level of capital and in subsequent years members are invited to subscribe for further capital, the amounts of which is determined by the performance and seniority of those members. On retirement, capital is repaid to members

## Responsibilities of the members

The members are responsible for preparing the Members' Report and the financial statements in accordance with applicable law and regulations

Legislation applicable to limited liability partnerships 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 United Kingdom Generally Accepted Accounting Practice (United Kingdom Accounting Standards and applicable law). Under legislation applicable to limited liability partnerships 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 year.

In preparing those 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 as modified by the Limited Liability Partnerships Regulations 2008. The members 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 report of the members (continued)

## Year ended 31 March 2012

In so far as the members are aware

- · there is no relevant audit information of which the LLP's auditor is unaware, and
- the members have taken all steps that they ought to have taken to make themselves aware of any relevant audit information and to establish that the auditor is aware of that information

#### **Auditor**

Brooks Carling Accountants Limited are deemed to be re-appointed under section 487(2) of the Companies Act 2006 as modified by the Limited Liability Partnerships Regulations 2008

## **Small LLP provisions**

This report has been prepared in accordance with the special provisions for small companies under Part 15 of the Companies Act 2006 (as applied to limited liability partnerships by regulation 3 of the Limited Liability Partnerships Regulations 2008)

Registered office 2 Physic Place Royal Hospital Road London SW3 4HQ Signed on behalf of the members

J H Mercer as designated member of

BMB Vicarage Gate LLP Designated member

Approved by the members on SW October 2011

# Independent auditor's report to the members of Vicarage Gate LLP

## Year ended 31 March 2012

We have audited the financial statements of Vicarage Gate LLP for the year ended 31 March 2012. The financial reporting framework that has been applied in their preparation is applicable law and the Financial Reporting Standard for Smaller Entities (effective April 2008) (United Kingdom Generally Accepted Accounting Practice applicable to Smaller Entities)

This report is made solely to the LLP's members, as a body, in accordance with Sections 495 and 496 of the Companies Act 2006 as modified by the Limited Liability Partnerships Regulations 2008. Our audit work has been undertaken so that we might state to the LLP'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 LLP and the LLP's members as a body, for our audit work, for this report, or for the opinions we have formed

## Respective responsibilities of members and auditor

As explained more fully in the Members' Responsibilities Statement set out on pages 1 to 2, the members 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 (APB's) Ethical Standards for Auditors.

## Scope of the audit of the financial statements

An audit involves obtaining evidence about the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements sufficient to give reasonable assurance that the financial statements are free from material misstatement, whether caused by fraud or error. This includes an assessment of whether the accounting policies are appropriate to the LLP's circumstances and have been consistently applied and adequately disclosed, the reasonableness of significant accounting estimates made by designated members, and the overall presentation of the financial statements. In addition, we read all the financial and non-financial information in the annual report to identify material inconsistencies with the audited financial statements. If we become aware of any apparent material misstatements or inconsistencies we consider the implications for our report.

## Opinion on financial statements

In our opinion the financial statements

- give a true and fair view of the state of the LLP's affairs as at 31 March 2012 and of its loss for the year then ended,
- have been properly prepared in accordance with United Kingdom Generally Accepted Accounting Practice applicable to Smaller Entities, and
- have been prepared in accordance with the requirements of the Companies Act 2006 as modified by the Limited Liability Partnerships Regulations 2008

Opinion on other matters prescribed by the limited liability partnerships regulations 2008. In our opinion the information given in the Members' Report for the financial year for which the financial statements are prepared is consistent with the financial statements.

# Independent auditor's report to the members of Vicarage Gate LLP (continued)

## Year ended 31 March 2012

## 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 as modified by the Limited Liability Partnerships Regulations 2008 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
- we have not received all the information and explanations we require for our audit, or
- the members were not entitled to prepare the financial statements in accordance with the small companies regime and take advantage of the small companies' exemption in preparing the members' report

Andrew Baker FCCA (Senior Statutory Auditor)

For and on behalf of

Brooks Carling Accountants

Limited

Reporting Accountants

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# Profit and loss account

## Year ended 31 March 2012

No	te	2012 £ 501,457	2011 £ 485,537
Cost of sales		690,918	684,787
Gross loss		(189,461)	(199,250)
Administrative expenses		3,920	3,176
Operating loss 2	:	(193,381)	(202,426)
Interest receivable		64	154
Loss for the financial year before members' remuneration and prof	it	<del></del>	
shares available for discretionary division among members		(193,317)	(202,272)

## **Balance sheet**

## 31 March 2012

		2012		2011
	Note	£	£	£
Current assets				
Stocks		15,005,750		15,005,750
Debtors	4	4,956,548		4,777,369
Cash at bank		43,532		230,799
		20,005,830		20,013,918
Creditors: Amounts falling due within one year	5	79,713		87,801
Net current assets			19,926,117	19,926,117
Total assets less current liabilities			19,926,117	19,926,117
Creditors: Amounts falling due after more than				
one year	6		14,077,946	14,077,946
Net assets attributable to members			5,848,171	5,848,171
Represented by:				
Equity				
Members' other interests - members' capital	8		5,848,171	<u>5,848,171</u>
Total members' interests				
Members' other interests	8		5,848,171	5,848,171
Amounts due from members	4		(4,944,209)	(4,750,892)
			903,962	1,097,279

These financial statements have been prepared in accordance with the special provisions of Part 15 of the Companies Act 2006 as modified by the Limited Liability Partnerships Regulations 2008 relating to small LLPs and with the Financial Reporting Standard for Smaller Entities (effective April 2008)

These financial statements were approved by the members and authorised for issue on 5/10/10, and are signed on their behalf by

J H Mercer Designated member

Registered Number 0C330090

## Notes to the financial statements

#### Year ended 31 March 2012

## 1. Accounting policies

## Basis of accounting

The financial statements have been prepared under the historical cost convention, modified to include the revaluation of financial instruments, and in accordance with the Financial Reporting Standard for Smaller Entities (effective April 2008), and the requirements of the Statement of Recommended Practice 'Accounting by Limited Liability Partnerships' issued in March 2010 (SORP 2010)

## **Turnover**

Turnover is the amount derived from ordinary activities during the year. It includes amounts due on contracts and is stated after trade discounts, other sales taxes and net of VAT

## Work in progress

Work in progress is valued on the basis of direct costs plus attributable overheads based on normal level of activity. Provision is made for any foreseeable losses where appropriate. No element of profit is included in the valuation of work in progress.

## Members' participation rights

Members' participation rights are the rights of a member against the LLP that arise under the members' agreement (for example, in respect of amounts subscribed or otherwise contributed, remuneration and profits)

Members' participation rights in the earnings or assets of the LLP are analysed between those that are, from the LLP's perspective, either a financial liability or equity, in accordance with FRS 25 (IAS 32) Financial Instruments Disclosure and Presentation and UITF abstract 39 Members' shares in co-operative entities and similar instruments. A member's participation right results in a liability unless the right to any payment is discretionary on the part of the LLP.

Amounts subscribed or otherwise contributed by members, for example members' capital, are classed as equity if the LLP has an unconditional right to refuse payment to members. If the LLP does not have such an unconditional right, such amounts are classified as liabilities.

Where profits are automatically divided as they arise, so the LLP does not have an unconditional right to refuse payment, the amounts arising that are due to members are in the nature of liabilities. They are therefore treated as an expense in the Profit and Loss Account in the relevant year. To the extent that they remain unpaid at the year end, they are shown as liabilities in the Balance Sheet.

Conversely, where profits are divided only after a decision by the LLP or its representative, so that the LLP has an unconditional right to refuse payment, such profits are classed as an appropriation of equity rather than as an expense. They are therefore shown as a residual amount available for discretionary division among members in the Profit and Loss Account and are equity appropriations in the Balance Sheet.

Other amounts applied to members, for example remuneration paid under an employment contract and interest on capital balances, are treated in the same way as all other divisions of profits, as described above, according to whether the LLP has, in each case, an unconditional right to refuse payment

All amounts due to members that are classified as liabilities are presented in the Balance Sheet within 'Loans and other debts due to members' and are charged to the Profit and Loss Account within 'Members' remuneration charged as an expense' Amounts due to members that are classified as equity are shown in the Balance Sheet within 'Members' other interests'

## Notes to the financial statements

## Year ended 31 March 2012

## **Operating loss**

Operating loss is:	stated after	charging
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	Operating loss is stated after charging		
		2012	2011
	Auditor's fees	£ 3,800	£ 3,023
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3.	Information in relation to members		
		2012	2011
	The average number of members during the year was	No 3	No 3
	The average number of members during the year was		_
		2012 £	2011 £
	The average members remuneration during the year was	£ _	
4.	Debtors		
		2012	2011 £
	Other debtors	£ 12,339	26,477
	Amounts due from members	4,944,209	4,750,892
		4,956,548	4,777,369
5	Creditors: Amounts falling due within one year		
		2012	2011
	<b>-</b> 1 16	£ 6,713	£ 12,582
	Trade creditors Other creditors	73,000	75,219
		79,713	87,801
		<del></del>	<del></del>
6.	Creditors. Amounts falling due after more than one year		
		2012	2011
	Bank loans	£ 14,077,946	£ 14,077,946
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## Related party transactions

In the opinion of the members there is no controlling party as defined by Financial Reporting Standard for Smaller Entities (2008)

# Notes to the financial statements

# Year ended 31 March 2012

## 8. Members' interests

Balance at 1 April 2011 Loss for the financial year available for	Total members' other interests £ 5,848,171	Amounts due from members in debtors £ (4,750,892) (193,317)	Total £ 1,097,279 (193,317)
discretionary division amongst members Balance at 31 March 2012	5,848,171	(4,944,209)	903,962