Unaudited Financial Statements for the Year Ended 31 December 2020 for

Wilkins Solicitors LLP

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### Wilkins Solicitors LLP

# General Information for the Year Ended 31 December 2020

**DESIGNATED MEMBERS:** R T Smith

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REGISTERED OFFICE: Lincoln House

6 Church Street Aylesbury Buckinghamshire HP20 2QS

REGISTERED NUMBER: OC353862 (England and Wales)

ACCOUNTANTS: Tearle & Carver Limited

Chandos House School Lane Buckingham Buckinghamshire MK18 1HD

# Chartered Accountants' Report to the Members on the Unaudited Financial Statements of Wilkins Solicitors LLP

The following reproduces the text of the report prepared for the members in respect of the LLP's annual unaudited financial statements. In accordance with the Companies Act 2006, the LLP is only required to file a Balance Sheet. Readers are cautioned that the Income Statement and certain other primary statements and the Report of the Members are not required to be filed with the Registrar of Companies.

In order to assist you to fulfil your duties under the Companies Act 2006 as applied to LLPs by the Limited Liability Partnerships (Accounts and Audit) (Application of Companies Act 2006) Regulations 2008, we have prepared for your approval the financial statements of Wilkins Solicitors LLP for the year ended 31 December 2020 which comprise the Income Statement, Balance Sheet and the related notes from the LLP's accounting records and from information and explanations you have given us.

As a practising member firm of the Institute of Chartered Accountants in England and Wales (ICAEW), we are subject to its ethical and other professional requirements which are detailed within the ICAEW's regulations and guidance at http://www.icaew.com/en/membership/regulations-standards-and-guidance.

This report is made solely to the members of Wilkins Solicitors LLP, as a body, in accordance with our terms of engagement. Our work has been undertaken solely to prepare for your approval the financial statements of Wilkins Solicitors LLP and state those matters that we have agreed to state to the members of Wilkins Solicitors LLP, as a body, in this report in accordance with ICAEW Technical Release 07/16AAF. To the fullest extent permitted by law, we do not accept or assume responsibility to anyone other than Wilkins Solicitors LLP and its members, as a body, for our work or for this report.

It is your duty to ensure that Wilkins Solicitors LLP has kept adequate accounting records and to prepare statutory financial statements that give a true and fair view of the assets, liabilities, financial position and profit of Wilkins Solicitors LLP. You consider that Wilkins Solicitors LLP is exempt from the statutory audit requirement for the year.

We have not been instructed to carry out an audit or a review of the financial statements of Wilkins Solicitors LLP. For this reason, we have not verified the accuracy or completeness of the accounting records or information and explanations you have given to us and we do not, therefore, express any opinion on the statutory financial statements.

Tearle & Carver Limited Chandos House School Lane Buckingham Buckinghamshire MK18 1HD

Date:	
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# Balance Sheet 31 December 2020

		2020		2019	
	Notes	£	£	£	£
FIXED ASSETS Tangible assets	4		36,710		43,836
CURRENT ASSETS					
Debtors	5	370,341		267,058	
Prepayments and accrued income		33,692		34,778	
Cash in hand		<u>243</u> 404,276		244 302,080	
CREDITORS		,		·	
Amounts falling due within one year	6	165,963		147,376	
NET CURRENT ASSETS TOTAL ASSETS LESS CURRENT LIA	ABILITIES		238,313		154,704
and NET ASSETS ATTRIBUTABLE TO					
MEMBERS			275,023		198,540
LOANS AND OTHER DEBTS DUE TO	)				
MEMBERS	7		275,023		198,540
TOTAL MEMBERS' INTERESTS					
Loans and other debts due to members	5 7		275,023		<u>198,540</u>

The LLP is entitled to exemption from audit under Section 477 of the Companies Act 2006 as applied to LLPs by the Limited Liability Partnerships (Accounts and Audit) (Application of Companies Act 2006) Regulations 2008 for the year ended 31 December 2020.

The members acknowledge their responsibilities for:

- (a) ensuring that the LLP keeps accounting records which comply with Sections 386 and 387 of the Companies Act 2006 as applied to LLPs by the Limited Liability Partnerships (Accounts and Audit) (Application of Companies Act 2006) Regulations 2008 and
- (b) preparing financial statements which give a true and fair view of the state of affairs of the LLP as at the end of each financial year and of its profit or loss for each financial year in accordance with the requirements of Sections 394 and 395 and which otherwise comply with the requirements of the Companies Act 2006 as applied to LLPs by the Limited Liability Partnerships (Accounts and Audit) (Application of Companies Act 2006) Regulations 2008 relating to financial statements, so far as applicable to the LLP.

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# Balance Sheet - continued 31 December 2020

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

In accordance with Section 444 of the Companies Act 2006 as applied to LLPs by the Limited Liability Partnerships (Accounts and Audit) (Application of Companies Act 2006) Regulations 2008, the Income Statement has not been delivered.

The financial statements were approved by the members of the LLP and authorised for issue on 29 September 2021 and were signed by:

R T Smith - Designated member

# Notes to the Financial Statements for the Year Ended 31 December 2020

#### 1. STATUTORY INFORMATION

Wilkins Solicitors LLP is registered in England and Wales. The LLP's registered number and registered office address can be found on the General Information page.

#### 2. ACCOUNTING POLICIES

#### Basis of preparing the financial statements

These financial statements have been prepared in accordance with Financial Reporting Standard 102 "The Financial Reporting Standard applicable in the UK and Republic of Ireland" including the provisions of Section 1A "Small Entities" and the requirements of the Statement of Recommended Practice, Accounting by Limited Liability Partnerships. The financial statements have been prepared under the historical cost convention.

#### Turnover

Turnover is measured at the fair value of the consideration received or receivable, excluding discounts, rebates, value added tax and other sales taxes.

### Tangible fixed assets

Depreciation is provided at the following annual rates in order to write off each asset over its estimated useful life or, if held under a finance lease, over the lease term, whichever is the shorter.

Fixtures and fittings - 15% on reducing balance
Motor vehicles - 25% on reducing balance

#### Hire purchase and leasing commitments

Assets obtained under hire purchase contracts or finance leases are capitalised in the balance sheet. Those held under hire purchase contracts are depreciated over their estimated useful lives. Those held under finance leases are depreciated over their estimated useful lives or the lease term, whichever is the shorter.

The interest element of these obligations is charged to profit or loss over the relevant period. The capital element of the future payments is treated as a liability.

Rentals paid under operating leases are charged to profit or loss on a straight line basis over the period of the lease.

#### Pension costs and other post-retirement benefits

The LLP operates a defined contribution pension scheme. Contributions payable to the LLP's pension scheme are charged to profit or loss in the period to which they relate.

#### 3. EMPLOYEE INFORMATION

The average number of employees during the year was 12 (2019 - 16).

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# Notes to the Financial Statements - continued for the Year Ended 31 December 2020

## 4. TANGIBLE FIXED ASSETS

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	Fixtures and fittings £	Motor vehicles £	Totals £
COST			
At 1 January 2020	81,176	32,590	113,766
Additions	1,361		1,361
At 31 December 2020	82,537	32,590	115,127
DEPRECIATION			
At 1 January 2020	54,408	15,522	69,930
Charge for year	4,220	4,267	8,487
At 31 December 2020	58,628	<u>19,789</u>	78,417
NET BOOK VALUE			
At 31 December 2020	23,909	<u>12,801</u>	<u>36,710</u>
At 31 December 2019	<u>26,768</u>	<u>17,068</u>	<u>43,836</u>
COST At 1 January 2020			Motor vehicles £
and 31 December 2020			_32,590
DEPRECIATION At 1. January 2000			45 500
At 1 January 2020 Charge for year			15,522 4,267
At 31 December 2020			19,789
NET BOOK VALUE			19,709
At 31 December 2020			12,801
At 31 December 2019			
At 31 December 2019			<u>17,068</u>
DEBTORS: AMOUNTS FALLING DUE WITHIN ONE YEAR			
		2020	2019
		£	£
Trade debtors		247,994	164,547
Amounts recoverable on contract		_122,347	_102,511
		370,341	267,058

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# Notes to the Financial Statements - continued for the Year Ended 31 December 2020

### 6. CREDITORS: AMOUNTS FALLING DUE WITHIN ONE YEAR

	2020	2019
	£	£
Bank loans and overdrafts	71,681	40,947
Hire purchase contracts	-	1,066
Trade creditors	6,360	_
Taxation and social security	<b>47</b> ,126	41,440
Other creditors	40,796	63,923
	165,963	147,376

### 7. LOANS AND OTHER DEBTS DUE TO MEMBERS

Loans and other debts owed to members (other than members capital classified as debt) would rank above other creditors.

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