# DIRECTORS' REPORT AND FINANCIAL STATEMENTS 31 DECEMBER 2012

# **Registered office**

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# Registered number

SC29223

#### **Directors**

J Edwards C Sutton

Member of Lloyds Banking Group

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# DIRECTORS' REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2012

## Principal activities and business review

L & S Finance Limited ("the Company") is a limited company incorporated and domiciled in Scotland.

During the year ended 31 December 2012, the Company did not trade or incur any liabilities and consequently has made neither profit nor loss.

#### **Directors**

The names of the present directors of the Company are shown on the cover.

The following changes have taken place during the year or since the year end.

J Edwards (appointed 21 November 2012) D J S Oldfield (resigned 21 November 2012)

On behalf of the board

Director

30 April 2013

#### **BALANCE SHEET AT 31 DECEMBER 2012**

	Note	2012 £	2011 £
Assets			
Amounts due from other group undertakings	2	965,130	965,130
Total assets		965,130	965,130
Equity			
Share capital Share premium Retained profits	3	171,675 129,850 663,605	171,675 129,850 663,605
Total equity		965,130	965,130

For the year ended 31 December 2012, the Company was entitled to exemption from audit under section 480 of the Companies Act 2006 (the "Act") relating to dormant companies.

## Directors' responsibilities:

- The members have not required the Company to obtain an audit of its accounts for the year in question in accordance with section 476; and
- The directors acknowledge their responsibilities for complying with the requirement of the Act with respect to accounting records and the preparation of accounts.

The financial statements on pages 2 to 4 were approved by the board of directors on 30 April 2013 and signed on its behalf by

Director

The accompanying notes are an integral part of the financial statements.

## Notes to the financial statements for the year ended 31 December 2012

#### 1. Accounting policies

The principal accounting policies applied in the preparation of these financial statements are set out below. The financial statements have been prepared under the historical cost convention, in compliance with the requirements of the Companies Act 2006 and in accordance with applicable International Financial Reporting Standards (IFRS). There are no accounting policies where the use of assumptions and estimates are determined to be significant to the financial statements.

A Statement of comprehensive income, a Statement of changes in equity and a Cash flow statement are not presented in these financial statements as these would show £nil amounts for the current and preceding financial years.

#### 2. Assets: Amounts due from other group undertakings

	2012	2011
	£	£
Due from parent undertaking:		
At 1 January and 31 December	965,130	965,130
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#### Representing:

Black Horse Finance Holdings Limited

Amounts due from other group undertakings is non-interest bearing and is repayable on demand. The fair value of Amounts due from other group undertakings is equal to its carrying amount. No provisions have been recognised in respect of Amounts due from other group undertakings.

#### 3. Share capital

	2012 £	2011 £
Allotted, issued and fully paid: 171,675 ordinary shares of £1 each	171,675	171,675

During the year, as permitted by the Companies Act 2006, the Company removed references to the authorised share capital from its Articles of Association.

Notes to the financial statements for the year ended 31 December 2012 (continued)

#### 4. Related party transactions

The immediate parent company is Black Horse Finance Management Limited (incorporated in England and Wales). The company regarded by the directors as the ultimate parent company is Lloyds Banking Group plc (incorporated in Scotland) which is also the parent undertaking of the largest group of undertakings for which group accounts are drawn up and of which the Company is a member. Lloyds TSB Bank plc is the parent undertaking of the smallest such group of undertakings. Copies of the accounts of both companies may be obtained from Group Secretariat, Lloyds Banking Group plc, 25 Gresham Street, London EC2V 7HN.

The Company's related parties include other companies in the Lloyds Banking Group, pension schemes of the Company's ultimate parent company and the Company's key management personnel. Key management personnel are those persons having authority and responsibility for planning, directing and controlling the activities of the Company, which is determined to be the Company's directors.

There were no transactions between the Company and key management personnel during the current or preceding year.

Key management personnel are employed by other companies in the Lloyds Banking Group and consider that their services to the Company are incidental to their other activities within the group.