# Speirs & Jeffrey Client Nominees Limited

# Annual report and Financial Statements Registered number SC162589 Year to 10 May 2018

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## Directors' report

The directors have pleasure in submitting their report to the members, together with audited financial statements, for the year to 10 May 2018.

#### **Activities**

The company, which acts only as a nominee, did not otherwise trade during the period.

#### Directors

The directors during the period were:

G.H.W. Waddell

(Chairman)

W.G. Dickie

R.L. Crichton

M.J. Wilson

S.W.J. Mathieson

A.A.W. Waddell

T.M.B. Brown

C.C. Baxter

K.L Donaldson

A.C. Drummond

J.M.Wilson

(appointed 15 September 2017 resigned 20 March 2018)

#### Incorporation

The Company is incorporated in Scotland with the registered number SC162589.

#### Disclosure of information to auditor

The directors who held office at the date of approval of this directors' report confirm that, so far as they are aware, there is no relevant audit information of which the company's auditor is unaware, and each director has taken all the steps he ought to have taken as a director to make himself aware of any relevant audit information and to establish that the company's auditor is aware of that information.

#### Going Concern

The directors have no reason to believe that a material uncertainty exists that may cast significant doubt about the ability of the Company to continue as a going concern. On the basis of their assessment of the Company's financial position the Directors have a reasonable expectation that the Company will be able to continue in operational existence for the foreseeable future.

#### **Strategic Report: Small Companies Exemption**

The Company has taken advantage of the small companies exemption in section 414B of the Companies Act 2006 which allows it to not prepare a Strategic Report.

#### Auditor

Pursuant to Section 487 of the Companies Act 2006, the auditor will be deemed to be reappointed and KPMG LLP will therefore continue in office.

By order of the board

S.W.J. Mathieson

Director/Company Secretary

George House

50 George Square

Glasgow

2 August 2018

# Statement of directors' responsibilities in respect of the directors' report and the financial statements

The directors are responsible for preparing the Directors' Report and the financial statements in accordance with applicable law and regulations.

Company law requires the directors to prepare financial statements for each financial period. Under that law the directors have elected to prepare the financial statements in accordance with UK Accounting Standards and applicable law (UK Generally Accepted Accounting Practice), including FRS 102 The Financial Reporting Standard applicable in the UK and Republic of Ireland.

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 judgments and estimates that are reasonable and prudent;
- assess the company's ability to continue as a going concern, disclosing, as applicable, matters related to going concern; and
- use the going concern basis of accounting unless they either intend to liquidate the company or to cease operations, or have no realistic alternative but to do so.

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 its financial statements comply with the Companies Act 2006. They are responsible for such internal control as they determine is necessary to enable the preparation of financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error, and have general responsibility for taking such steps as are reasonably open to them to safeguard the assets of the company and to prevent and detect fraud and other irregularities.

# Independent auditor's report to the members of Speirs & Jeffrey Client Nominees Limited

We have audited the financial statements of Speirs & Jeffrey Client Nominees Limited ("the company") for the year ended 10 May 2018, which comprise the Balance Sheet and related notes, including the accounting policies in note 1.

In our opinion the financial statements:

- give a true and fair view of the state of the company's affairs as at 10 May 2018 and of its results for the year then ended;
- have been properly prepared in accordance with UK accounting standards applicable to smaller entities, including Section 1A of FRS 102 The Financial Reporting Standard applicable in the UK and Republic of Ireland; and
- 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 are described below. We have fulfilled our ethical responsibilities under, and are independent of the company in accordance with, UK ethical requirements including the FRC Ethical Standard. We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is a sufficient and appropriate basis for our opinion.

#### Going concern

We are required to report to you if we have concluded that the use of the going concern basis of accounting is inappropriate or there is an undisclosed material uncertainty that may cast significant doubt over the use of that basis for a period of at least twelve months from the date of approval of the financial statements. We have nothing to report in these respects.

#### Directors' report

The directors are responsible for the directors' report. Our opinion on the financial statements does not cover that report and we do not express an audit opinion thereon.

Our responsibility is to read the directors' report and, in doing so, consider whether, based on our financial statements audit work, the information therein is materially misstated or inconsistent with the financial statements or our audit knowledge. Based solely on that work:

- we have not identified material misstatements in the directors' report;
- in our opinion the information given in that report for the financial year is consistent with the financial statements; and
- in our opinion that report has been prepared in accordance with the Companies Act 2006.

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

Under the Companies Act 2006 we are required 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; or
- the directors were not entitled to take advantage of the small companies exemption from the requirement to prepare a strategic report.

We have nothing to report these respects.

#### Directors' responsibilities

As explained more fully in their statement set out on page 2, the directors are responsible for: the preparation of the financial statements and for being satisfied that they give a true and fair view; such internal control as they determine is necessary to enable the preparation of financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error; 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 they either intend to liquidate the company or to cease operations, or have no realistic alternative but to do so.

#### Auditor's responsibilities

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 our opinion in an auditor's report. Reasonable assurance is a high level of assurance, but does not 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 aggregate, they could reasonably be expected to influence the economic decisions of users taken on the basis of the financial statements.

A fuller description of our responsibilities is provided on the FRC's website at www.frc.org.uk/auditorsresponsibilities.

#### The purpose of our audit work and to whom we owe our responsibilities

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 Waterson (Senior Statutory Auditor)

for and on behalf of KPMG LLP, Statutory Auditor

Chartered Accountants
319 St Vincent Street
Glasgow

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2 August 2018

## **Balance** sheet

		Note	10 May 2018	10 May 2017
Current assets				~
Due from Speirs & Jeffrey Limited	â		2	2
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Net assets			2	· 2·
Capital and reserves			· · ·	<del></del>
Called up share capital		3	2	2
Equity shareholder's funds			2	2

The notes on page 6 form part of these financial statements.

These financial statements were approved by the board of directors on 2 August 2018 and were signed on its behalf by:

S.W.J. Mathieson

Director

R.L. Crichton

Director

#### Notes

(forming part of the financial statements)

#### 1 Accounting policy

Speirs & Jeffrey Client Nominees Limited (the "Company") is a company limited by shares and incorporated and domiciled in the UK.

These financial statements were prepared on a going concern basis in accordance with Financial Reporting Standard 102 *The Financial Reporting Standard* applicable in the UK and Republic of Ireland ("FRS 102") as issued in August 2014. The amendments to FRS 102 issued in July 2015 and effective immediately have been applied. The presentation currency of these financial statements is sterling.

#### 1.1 Measurement convention

The financial statements are prepared on the historical cost basis.

#### 2 Directors and employee costs

There are no employees other than directors.

No remuneration was paid during the period to any of the directors.

#### 3 Share capital

	2018	2017
•	£	£
Allotted, called up and fully paid		
2 ordinary shares of £1 each	2	2

#### 4 Profit and loss account

During the financial period and the preceding financial period the company did not trade and received no income and incurred no expenditure. Consequently, during those periods the company made neither a profit nor a loss.

#### 5 Cash flow statement

There has been no trading or transactions in the period and therefore no cash flow statement is required.

#### 6 Ultimate holding company

The ultimate holding company is Speirs & Jeffrey Limited, which is registered in Scotland.