## Miller Cruden Limited

# **Directors' Report and Financial Statements**

31 December 2008 Registered number SC223724

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## **Directors' Report**

The directors have pleasure in presenting their annual report and audited financial statements for the year ended 31 December 2008.

#### **Results and Dividends**

The result for the year is set out in the profit and loss account. The directors do not recommend the payment of a dividend (2007: £nil).

#### **Review of the Business**

The principal activity of the company is that of residential property development. The development itself was completed in prior years. The directors consider the year end financial position to be satisfactory.

#### **Directors**

The directors of the company during the year were:

Ewan T Anderson Kevin D Reid Steven G Simpson Brendan McShane Michael J Rowley Andrew Riddle

(resigned 30 September 2008)

#### Disclosure of information to auditors

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

#### **Auditors**

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

By order of the Board

Pamela J Smyth Secretary

14 April 2009

## Statement of Directors' Responsibilities

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 year. Under that law they have elected to prepare the financial statements in accordance with UK Accounting Standards and applicable law (UK Generally Accepted Accounting Practice).

The financial statements are required by law to 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;
- state whether applicable UK Accounting Standards have been followed, subject to any material departures disclosed and explained in the financial statements; and
- prepare the financial statements on the going concern basis unless it is inappropriate to presume that the company will continue in business.

The directors are responsible for keeping proper accounting records that 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 1985. They 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.



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## Independent Auditors' Report to the Members of Miller Cruden Limited

We have audited the financial statements of Miller Cruden Limited for the year ended 31 December 2008 which comprise the Profit and Loss Account, the Balance Sheet, and the related notes. These financial statements have been prepared under the accounting policies set out therein.

This report is made solely to the company's members, as a body, in accordance with section 235 of the Companies Act 1985. 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.

#### Respective responsibilities of directors and auditors

The directors' responsibilities for preparing the Directors' Report and the financial statements in accordance with applicable law and UK Accounting Standards (UK Generally Accepted Accounting Practice) are set out in the Statement of Directors' Responsibilities on page 2.

Our responsibility is to audit the financial statements in accordance with relevant legal and regulatory requirements and International Standards on Auditing (UK and Ireland).

We report to you our opinion as to whether the financial statements give a true and fair view and are properly prepared in accordance with the Companies Act 1985. We also report to you whether in our opinion the information given in the Director's Report is consistent with the financial statements. In addition we report to you if, in our opinion, the company has not kept proper accounting records, if we have not received all the information and explanations we require for our audit, or if information specified by law regarding directors' remuneration and other transactions is not disclosed.

We read the Directors' Report and consider the implications for our report if we become aware of any apparent misstatements within it.

#### Basis of audit opinion

We conducted our audit in accordance with International Standards on Auditing (UK and Ireland) issued by the Auditing Practices Board. An audit includes examination, on a test basis, of evidence relevant to the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. It also includes an assessment of the significant estimates and judgments made by the directors in the preparation of the financial statements, and of whether the accounting policies are appropriate to the company's circumstances, consistently applied and adequately disclosed.

We planned and performed our audit so as to obtain all the information and explanations which we considered necessary in order to provide us with sufficient evidence to give reasonable assurance that the financial statements are free from material misstatement, whether caused by fraud or other irregularity or error. In forming our opinion we also evaluated the overall adequacy of the presentation of information in the financial statements.

#### Opinion

In our opinion:

- the financial statements gives a true and fair view, in accordance with UK Generally Accepted Accounting Practice, of the state of the company's affairs as at 31 December 2008 and of its result for the then year ended;
- the financial statements have been properly prepared in accordance with the Companies Act 1985; and
- the information given in the Directors' Report is consistent with the financial statements.

**KPMG LLP** 

Chartered Accountants Registered Auditor 22 May 2009

## **Profit and Loss Account**

For the year ended 31 December 2008

	Note	2008 £	2007 £
Turnover		-	-
Cost of sales		• 	
Gross profit		-	-
Administrative expenses		(302)	(280)
Operating loss		(302)	(280)
Interest receivable	4	302	358
Profit on ordinary activities before taxation		•	78
Tax on profit on ordinary activities	5	-	(78)
Result for the year		-	•

Other than the result for the current year there are no recognised gains or losses.

# Balance Sheet As at 31 December 2008

	Note	2008 £	2007 £
Current assets Debtors Cash at bank	6	100 11,223	100 12,747
Creditors: amounts falling due within one year	7	11,323 (11,223)	12,847 (12,747)
Net assets		100	100
Capital and reserves Called up share capital	8	100	100
Shareholders' funds		100	100

These financial statements were approved by the Board of Directors on 14 April 2009 and were signed on its behalf by:

Ewan T Anderson

Director

Kevin D Reid Director

## Notes (Forming part of the financial statements)

### 1. Accounting policies

The following accounting policies have been applied consistently in dealing with items which are considered material in relation to the company's financial statements.

#### Basis of accounting

The financial statements have been prepared under the historical cost basis of accounting and in accordance with applicable accounting standards.

The company is exempt from the requirement of Financial Reporting Standard 1 to prepare a cash flow statement as it is entitled to the filing exemptions as a small company under sections 246 to 249 of the Companies Act 1985 when filing accounts with the Registrar of Companies.

#### 2. Staff numbers and costs

The company has no employees. The directors did not receive any remuneration from the company during the year.

#### 3. Profit on ordinary activities before taxation

		2008 £	2007 £
	Auditor's remuneration Management fees payable to shareholders (included in administrative expenses)	300 302	300 280
4.	Interest receivable		
		2008 £	2007 £
	Bank interest receivable	302	358
5.	Tax on profit on ordinary activities		
		2008 £	2007 £
	Adjustment in respect of prior years	•	78
6.	Debtors		
•		2008 £	2007 £
	Other debtors	100	100

## Notes (continued)

## 7. Creditors: amounts falling due within one year

		2008 £	2007 £
	Accruals and deferred income Amounts owed to parent undertakings	10,801 422	11,188 1,559
		11,223	12,747
8.	Called up share capital		
	Authorised, allotted, called up but unpaid:	2008 £	2007 £
	50 Class A ordinary shares of £1 each 50 Class B ordinary shares of £1 each	50 50	50 50
		100	100

The A&B shares have equal voting rights and rank pari-passu as set out in the articles of the company.

#### 9. Related party disclosures

The company is controlled jointly by Cruden Homes (East) Limited and Miller Homes (Holdings) Limited.

During the year the company paid management fees of £151 (2007: £nil) and £151 (2007: £nil) to Miller Homes Limited and Cruden Homes (East) Limited respectively. At the year end £211 (2007: £780) and £211 (2007: £779) was owed to Miller Homes Limited and Cruden Homes (East) Limited respectively.