

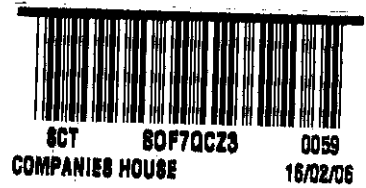
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**VICO NOMINEES BLOCK A LIMITED**  
**REPORTS AND FINANCIAL STATEMENTS**  
**FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2005**

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**VICO NOMINEES BLOCK A LIMITED**  
**DIRECTORS AND OTHER INFORMATION**

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**DIRECTORS**

Charles J. Carvill  
Thomas Carvill  
Michael Carvill  
Colin Taylor

**SECRETARY**

Thomas Carvill

**AUDITORS**

Deloitte & Touche,  
Chartered Accountants,  
Deloitte & Touche House,  
Earlsfort Terrace,  
Dublin 2.

**SOLICITORS**

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**REGISTERED OFFICE**

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Glasgow G2 5UB.

# VICO NOMINEES BLOCK A LIMITED

## DIRECTORS' REPORT

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The directors submit their report, together with the audited financial statements, for the year ended 30 June 2005.

### BUSINESS REVIEW

The company did not trade during the year under review. The directors do not recommend the payment of a dividend during the year.

### DATE OF INCORPORATION

The company was incorporated on 9 October 2001 as Castlelaw (No. 375) Limited.

### DIRECTORS

The present membership of the board is set out on page 2.

### DIRECTORS' AND SECRETARY'S INTERESTS

None of the directors or secretary had any interest in the share capital of the company at 30 June 2005 or 30 June 2004.

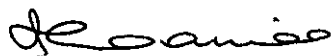
The following shares were held by the directors currently in office in the ultimate parent undertaking, Vico Properties plc, at 30 June 2005 and 30 June 2004:

	Number of Ordinary Shares of 10p each	
	2005	2004
Charles J. Carvill	336,420	336,420
Thomas Carvill	328,410	328,410
Michael Carvill	732,915	644,805
Colin Taylor	237,242	237,242

### AUDITORS

The company, pursuant to Article 386 of the Companies Act 1985, elected to dispense with the obligation to appoint auditors annually. The company also resolved that while this election is in force, the remuneration of the auditors will be fixed by the directors. The auditors, Deloitte & Touche, have expressed their willingness to continue in office.

By Order of the Board:



Secretary

03.02.2006

Date

## VICO NOMINEES BLOCK A LIMITED

### STATEMENT OF DIRECTORS' RESPONSIBILITIES

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United Kingdom company law requires the directors to prepare financial statements for each financial year which 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 those financial statements, the directors are required to:

- select suitable accounting policies and then apply them consistently;
- make judgements and estimates that are reasonable and prudent;
- state whether applicable accounting standards have been followed, subject to any material departures disclosed and explained in the financial statements;
- 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 books of account which disclose with reasonable accuracy at any time the financial position of the company and to ensure that the financial statements are prepared in accordance with accounting standards generally accepted in the United Kingdom and comply with United Kingdom statute comprising the Companies Act 1985. They are also responsible for safeguarding the assets of the company and hence for taking reasonable steps for the prevention and detection of fraud and other irregularities.

## INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT TO THE MEMBERS OF VICO NOMINEES BLOCK A LIMITED

We have audited the financial statements of Vico Nominees Block A Limited for the year ended 30 June 2005 which comprise the Profit and Loss Account, the Balance Sheet and the related notes 1 to 4. 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 auditors' 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**

As described in the statement of directors' responsibilities, the company's directors' are responsible for the preparation of the financial statements in accordance with applicable United Kingdom law and accounting standards. Our responsibility is to audit the financial statements in accordance with relevant United Kingdom legal and regulatory requirements and auditing standards.

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 if, in our opinion, the directors' report is not consistent with the financial statements, if 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 transactions with the company is not disclosed.

We read the directors' report for the above year and consider the implications for our report if we become aware of any apparent misstatements.

### **Basis of audit opinion**

We conducted our audit in accordance with United Kingdom auditing standards 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 judgements 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 give a true and fair view of the state of the company's affairs as at 30 June 2005 and of its results for the year then ended and have been properly prepared in accordance with the Companies Act 1985.

Chartered Accountants and Registered Auditors  
Dublin

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**VICO NOMINEES BLOCK A LIMITED**

**PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT  
FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2005**

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The company did not trade during the current year or prior period and received no income and incurred no expenditure. Consequently, during the year the company made neither a profit nor a loss.

# VICO NOMINEES BLOCK A LIMITED

## BALANCE SHEET AS AT 30 JUNE 2005

	Notes	2005 £	2004 £
<b>CURRENT ASSETS</b>			
Debtors	2	1	1
		<u>          </u>	<u>          </u>
<b>NET ASSETS</b>		1	1
		<u>          </u>	<u>          </u>
<b>CAPITAL AND RESERVES</b>			
Called-up share capital	3	1	1
		<u>          </u>	<u>          </u>

The financial statements were approved by the Board of Directors on 03 February 2006 and signed on its behalf by:

*James*

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DIRECTORS

*Matthew*

**VICO NOMINEES BLOCK A LIMITED**

**NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS  
FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2005**

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**1. ACCOUNTING POLICY**

The historical cost convention is used in the preparation of the financial statements.

**2. DEBTORS**

	2005 £	2004 £
Amounts due from group companies	1	1
	<u>          </u>	<u>          </u>

**3. CALLED-UP SHARE CAPITAL**

	2005 £	2004 £
<b>Authorised :</b>		
100 Ordinary shares of £1 each	100	100
	<u>          </u>	<u>          </u>
<b>Allotted, Called-up and Fully Paid :</b>		
1 Ordinary share of £1 each	1	1
	<u>          </u>	<u>          </u>

**4. GROUP MEMBERSHIP**

In the opinion of the directors, the company's ultimate parent undertaking is Vico Properties plc, a company incorporated in Northern Ireland. The parent undertaking of the largest and smallest group which includes the company and for which group financial statements are prepared, is Vico Properties plc.

Copies of the group financial statements of Vico Properties plc are available from:

Companies Registration Office  
1<sup>st</sup> Floor, Waterfront Plaza  
8 Laganbank Road  
Belfast BT1 3LR.