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AAC TECHNOLOGIES (SCOTLAND) LIMITED
FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
For the period ended 31 December 2020



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#### **COMPANY INFORMATION**

Company registration number

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**Directors** 

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Mr David Leroy PLEKENPOL (Appointed 5 Feb

2020)

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#### Strategic Report

#### For the period ended 31 December 2020

The directors present their strategic report for the period from the date of incorporation, 5 February 2020, to 31 December 2020.

#### Review of the business

The Company designs micro-electro-mechanical-systems (MEMS) components for microphones, concentrating its research and development activity on new products including related intellectual property.

#### Development and performance and position at the end of the year

This is the first financial and trading period of the Company and, as part of the Company's strategy, it was reasonably expected that a loss would be generated.

During the period, the Company derived income of £336k and incurred R&D expenses of £508k. As a result, the Company recorded a net loss of £235K. However, as the Company successfully established a service agreement with one of its intermediate parent companies, it is confident that the Company will turn its loss position into profit position in the next year to reflect its value to AAC Group.

During the period, an amount of £500k of equity was introduced to the Company and the Company incurred a net loss of £235k. At the end of period, the Company has net assets of £265K. It is mainly composed of operating related assets.

In conclusion, the Company's directors are satisfied with the performance of the Company in the period.

#### Financial key performance indicators

The Company is a subsidiary of AAC Group, it is positioned as one of the Group's major R&D centres and recharges the Group to maintain its operation. Due to the given special business model, the Company's directors do not consider KPIs in the assessment of its performance. Instead, the directors have ensured all R&D and operating expenses incurred during the year are within the budget and are content that the business continues to develop in line with the long-term strategy for the Group.

#### Principal risks and uncertainties

The operation of the Company faces significant risks. The risk factors summarised below may not be a complete overview of the risks the Company may encounter and should not be considered as a complete and exhaustive list.

#### COVID-19 and potential future pandemics

Pandemics impact on global economies may reduce demand for the components we produce. Disruption to the AAC Technologies group's ability to produce or supply product, or our supplier's ability to support AAC Technologies could impact on the group's overall financial performance. These may impact on the financial support available to the Company in developing MEMS components.

Disruption due to government directives and travel restrictions may impact on employee's ability to perform their jobs adequately, and may lead to missed deadlines or ability to win new business.

#### Failure to develop and bring new products to production

A significant number of risks exist in being able to bring products to market in time and with broad market acceptance, and inability to deliver or delays in delivering could lead to significant loss in revenue, harming the financial performance of our business.

#### Failure to protect intellectual property rights

The Company seeks to protect intellectual property developed through seeking patent protection, trade secrets or non-disclosure agreements. It cannot be guaranteed that competitors will not find ways to avoid these protections. Loss of competitive advantage, or litigation against the Company, could harm the financial performance of our business.

#### Strategic Report (Continued)

#### For the period ended 31 December 2020

Failure to attract, hire and retain specialist personnel

The Company operates in highly specialised markets and the number of potential candidates is not large. The number of electronics and MEMS companies in our local market is increasing. These factors, combined with immigration changes which make it harder to attract candidates from EU countries, and the potential risk of losing key personnel, could damage our ability to develop new products and harm the financial performance of our business.

On behalf of the board on .30 September 2021 and signed on its behalf by:

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#### **Directors' Report**

#### For the period ended 31 December 2020

The directors present their report and the audited financial statements of the Company for the period from the date of incorporation, 5 February 2020, to 31 December 2020.

#### **Directors of the Company**

The Company was incorporated and commenced trading on 5 February 2020.

The directors who have served during the year were as follows:

Mr Zhijiang WU (Appointed 5 Feb 2020) Mr David Leroy PLEKENPOL (Appointed 5 Feb 2020)

#### **Dividends**

No dividends were proposed or paid in the period ended 31 December 2020.

#### Third party indemnity provisions

A related undertaking within the Company's group maintains third party indemnity insurance for the benefit of all directors in the group, including the Company's directors.

#### **Financial instruments**

The Company's principal financial instruments comprise amounts due to rlated companies and trade payables. Amounts due to related companies are cash advances which are interest-free and are repayable on demand.

#### **Future developments**

The Company will continue its research and design activity in the coming years. It is not expected that the Company will undergo major change of its business model. The Company will keep relying on its self-generated funds to support its operational need.

#### Research and development

The Company designs micro-electro-mechanical-systems (MEMS) components for microphones, concentrating its research and development activity on new products including related intellectual property. During the period, the Company incurred expenditure related to these research and development activities of £507,575.

#### Branches outside the UK

The Company is not a parent of any Company outside the UK

#### Other matters

This report should be read in conjunction with the Strategic Report.

#### **Directors' Report**

#### For the period ended 31 December 2020

#### **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 the directors have elected to prepare the financial statements in accordance with United Kingdom Generally Accepted Accounting Practice (United Kingdom Accounting Standards and applicable law). 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 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 accounting estimates that are reasonable and prudent;
- 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 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 the financial statements comply with the Companies Act 2006. 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.

#### Disclosure of information to the auditors

We, the directors of the Company who held office at the date of approval of these Financial Statements as set out above each confirm, so far as we are aware, that:

- there is no relevant audit information of which the Company's auditors are unaware; and
- we have taken all the steps that we ought to have taken as directors in order to make ourselves aware of any relevant audit information and to establish that the Company's auditors are aware of that information.

Approved by the Board on ..30 September 2021 ....... and signed on its behalf by:

#### INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT TO THE DIRECTORS AND MEMBERS OF THE AAC TECHNOLOGIES (SCOTLAND) LIMITED

# For the period ended 31 December 2020

#### Opinion

We have audited the financial statements of AAC Technologies (Scotland) Limited:(the 'Company') for the period ended 31 December 2020 which comprise the Statement of Profit or Loss and Other Comprehensive Income, the Statement of Financial Position, the Statement of Changes in Equity, the Statement of Cash Flows and notes to the financial statements, including significant accounting policies. The financial reporting framework that has been applied in their preparation is applicable law and International Financial Reporting Standards (IFRSs) as adopted by the European Union.

In our opinion the financial statements:

- give a true and fair view of the state of the Company's affairs as at 31 December 2020, and of its loss for the period then ended;
- have been properly prepared in accordance with IFRSs as adopted by the European Union;
- 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 under those standards are further described in the Auditor's responsibilities for the audit of the financial statements section of our report. We are independent of the Company in accordance with the ethical requirements that are relevant to our audit of the financial statements in the UK, including the FRC's Ethical Standard, and we have fulfilled our other ethical responsibilities in accordance with these requirements. We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion.

#### Conclusions relating to going concern

In auditing the financial statements, we have concluded that the director's use of the going concern basis of accounting in the preparation of the financial statements is appropriate.

Based on the work we have performed, we have not identified any material uncertainties relating to events or conditions that, individually or collectively, may cast significant doubt on the Company's ability to continue as a going concern for a period of at least twelve months from when the financial statements are authorised for issue.

Our responsibilities and the responsibilities of the directors with respect to going concern are described in the relevant sections of this report.

#### Other information

The other information comprises the information included in the annual report, other than the financial statements and our auditor's report thereon. The directors are responsible for the other information contained within the annual report. Our opinion on the financial statements does not cover the other information and, except to the extent otherwise explicitly stated in our report, we do not express any form of assurance conclusion thereon.

Our responsibility is to read the other information and, in doing so, consider whether the other information is materially inconsistent with the financial statements or our knowledge obtained in the course of the audit, or otherwise appears to be materially misstated. If we identify such material inconsistencies or apparent material misstatements, we are required to determine whether this gives rise to a material misstatement in the financial statements themselves. If, based on the work we have performed, we conclude that there is a material misstatement of this other information, we are required to report that fact.

We have nothing to report in this regard.

# INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT TO THE DIRECTORS AND MEMBERS OF THE AAC TECHNOLOGIES (SCOTLAND) LIMITED (Continued)



#### Opinions on other matters prescribed by the Companies Act 2006

In our opinion, based on the work undertaken in the course of the audit:

- the information given in the strategic report and the directors' report for the financial year for which the financial statements are prepared is consistent with the financial statements; and
- the strategic report and the directors' report have been prepared in accordance with applicable legal requirements.

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

In the light of the knowledge and understanding of the Company and its environment obtained in the course of the audit, we have not identified material misstatements in the strategic report and the directors' report.

We have nothing to report in respect of the following matters in relation to which the Companies Act 2006 requires us 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.

#### Responsibilities of directors

As explained more fully in the directors' responsibilities statement set out on page 4, the directors are responsible for the preparation of the financial statements and for being satisfied that they give a true and fair view, and for such internal control as the directors determine is necessary to enable the preparation of financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

In preparing the financial statements, the directors are responsible for 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 the directors either intend to liquidate the Company or to cease operations, or have no realistic alternative but to do so.

#### Auditor's responsibilities for the audit of the financial statements

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

Irregularities, including fraud, are instances of non-compliance with laws and regulations. We design procedures in line with our responsibilities, outlined above, to detect material misstatements in respect of irregularities, including fraud. The specific procedures for this engagement and the extent to which these are capable of detecting irregularities, including fraud is detailed below:

We gained an understanding of the legal and regulatory framework applicable to the Company and the industry in which it operates and considered the risk of acts by the Company which were contrary to applicable laws and regulations, including fraud. These included but were not limited to the Companies Act 2006 and Health and Safety Regulations.

Our audit procedures were designed to respond to risks of material misstatement in the financial statements, recognising that the risk of not detecting a material misstatement due to fraud is higher than the risk of not detecting one resulting from error, as fraud may involve deliberate concealment by, for example, forgery, misrepresentations or through collusion.

# INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT TO THE DIRECTORS AND MEMBERS OF THE AAC TECHNOLOGIES (SCOTLAND) LIMITED (Continued)



We focused on laws and regulations that could give rise to a material misstatement in the Company's financial statements. Our tests included, but were not limited to:

- agreement of the financial statement disclosures to underlying supporting documentation;
- · enquiries of key management personnel and the directors;
- · review of legal correspondence or invoices, and
- obtaining an understanding of the control environment in monitoring compliance with laws and regulations.

There are inherent limitations in an audit of financial statements and the further removed non-compliance with laws and regulations is from the events and transactions reflected in the financial statements, the less likely we would become aware of it. We also addressed the risk of management override of internal controls, including testing journals and evaluating whether there was evidence of bias by the directors that represented a risk of material misstatement due to fraud.

A further description of our responsibilities is available on the Financial Reporting Council's website at <a href="https://www.frc.org.uk/auditorsresponsibilities">www.frc.org.uk/auditorsresponsibilities</a>. This description forms part of our auditor's report.

#### Use of our report

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.

BARRY TRUSWELL CA (Senior Statutory Auditor)

CHIENE + TAIT LLP

**Chartered Accountants and Statutory Auditor** 

61 Dublin Street

Edinburgh EH3 6NL

30 September 2021

Chiene + Tait LLP is eligible to act as an auditor in terms of section 1212 of the Companies Act 2006

## Statement of Profit or Loss and Other Comprehensive Income

## For the period ended 31 December 2020

	·	Total 2020
Continuing operations	Notes	£
Revenue	4	335,958
Gross profit		335,958
Other income, gains and losses Administrative expenses Research and development costs		10,000 (69,279) (507,575)
Operating profit Finance expense	5	(230,896) (3,703)
Loss before taxation		(234,599)
Taxation	6	-
Loss for the period		(234,599)
Total comprehensive income for the pe	eriod	(234,599)

The notes on pages 14 to 27 form part of these accounts.

## **Statement of Financial Position**

## For the period ended 31 December 2020

	Notes	2020 £
ASSETS		
Non-current assets		
Property, plant and equipment	9	99,395
Intangible assets	10	180,271
Right of use assets	11	190,282 
Total non-current assets		469,948 
Current assets		
Trade and other receivables	12	23,941
Cash and cash equivalents	14	172,900
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Total current assets		196,841
Total assets		666,789
LIABILITIES		***************************************
Non-current liabilities	c	
Lease liabilities	15	162,304
Total non-current liabilities		162,304
Current liabilities		
Trade and other payables	16	91,103
Lease liabilities	15	44,800
Amounts due to related companies		103,181
Total current liabilities		239,084
Total current liabilities		239,004
Total liabilities		401,388
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Net Assets		265,401
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Equity		
Share capital	17	500,000
Reserves		(234,599)
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## **Statement of Financial Position**

## For the period ended 31 December 2020

The financial statements were approved and authorised for issue by the Board on 30 September 2021 and signed on its behalf by:

∕Ir Zhijiang WU

Director

Company No. SC653646

The notes on pages 14 to 27 form part of these accounts.

AAC Technologies (Scotland) Limited

## **Statement of Changes in Equity**

## For the period ended 31 December 2020

	Share capital £	Retained earnings £	Total equity £
At 5 February 2020	-	-	-
Transactions with owners in their capacity as owners			
Contributions of equity net of transaction costs	500,000	-	500,000
Comprehensive income			
Loss for the period	-	(234,599)	(234,599)
Total comprehensive income for the period		(234,599)	(234,599)
Balance at 31 December 2020	500,000	(234,599) =====	265,401 ======

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## **Statement of Cash Flows**

## For the period ended 31 December 2020

	2020 £
Operating activities Loss before taxation Adjustments for:	(234,599)
Finance costs Depreciation of property, plant and equipment	3,703 8,738 22,131
Depreciation of right of use assets Amortization of intangible assets	23,809
Operating cash flows before movements in working capital	(176,218)
(Increase) in trade and other receivables	(23,941)
Increase in trade and other payables Increase in amounts due to related companies	298,207 103,181 
Cash generated from operations Finance costs	201,229 (3,703)
rillance costs	(0,700)
Net cash from operating activities	197,526
Investing activities Acquisition of property, plant and equipment	(108,133)
Additions to intangible assets	(204,080)
Payment for right-of-use assets	(212,413)
Net cash used in investing activities	(524,626) 
Financing activities Issue of shares	500,000
Net cash generated from (used in) financing activities	500,000
Cash and cash equivalents at 31 December 2020 Net increase (decrease) in cash and cash equivalents Cash and cash equivalents at 5 February 2020	172,900 -
	172,900 ======
Represented by:	
Bank balances and cash deposits	172,900 
Cash and cash equivalents at 31 December 2020	172,900 =====

The notes on pages 14 to 27 form part of these accounts

#### NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

#### For the period ended 31 December 2020

#### 1 General

AAC Technologies (Scotland) Limited is a private Company limited by shares incorporated in the United Kingdom and registered in Scotland. The address of the registered office is given in the Company information on page 3 of these financial statements. The nature of the Company's operations and principal activities are to develop MEMS microphone chips.

The financial statements have been prepared in accordance with International Financial Reporting Standards. The financial statements are presented in pounds sterling (GBP) as that is the currency in which the company's transactions are denominated. Monetary amounts are rounded to the nearest £.

Historical cost is generally based on the fair value of the consideration given in exchange for goods and services.

The financial statements have been prepared under the historical cost basis, except for certain financial instruments which are measured at fair values at the end of each reporting period, as explained in the accounting policies set out below.

Fair value is the price that would be received to sell an asset or paid to transfer a liability in an orderly transaction between market participants at the measurement date, regardless of whether that price is directly observable or estimated using another valuation technique. In estimating the fair value of an asset or a liability, the Company takes into account the characteristics of the asset or liability if market participants would take those characteristics into account when pricing the asset or liability at the measurement date.

## 2 Application of new and amendments to International Financial Reporting Standards ("IFRSs")

The Directors are aware of a number of amendments to IFRS standards that are effective in future periods. The Directors do not believe that these amendments will have a material impact on future financial statements

#### 3 Summary of significant accounting policies

#### Revenue

The company provides services to other group companies at cost plus a defined margin. Revenue is recharged every month based on actual costs incurred for those services provided.

#### Leases

#### Definition of a lease

A contract is, or contains, a lease if the contract conveys the right to control the use of an identified asset for a period of time in exchange for consideration.

#### Lessee

Right-of-use assets

Except for short-term leases and lease of low value assets, the Company recognises right-of-use assets at the commencement date of the lease (i.e. the date the underlying asset is available for use). Right-of-use assets are measured at cost, less any accumulated depreciation and impairment losses, and adjusted for any remeasurement of lease liabilities.

The cost of right-of-use asset includes:

- the amount of the initial measurement of the lease liability;
- any lease payments made at or before the commencement date, less any lease incentives received; and
- any initial direct costs incurred by the Company.

#### NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (continued)

#### For the period ended 31 December 2020

#### 3 Summary of significant accounting policies (continued)

Right-of-use assets are depreciated on a straight-line basis over the shorter of its estimated useful life and the lease term.

#### Refundable rental deposits

Refundable rental deposits paid are accounted under IFRS 9 Financial Instruments ("IFRS 9") and initially measured at fair value. Adjustments to fair value at initial recognition are considered as additional lease payments and included in the cost of right-of-use assets.

#### Lease liabilities

At the commencement date of a lease, the Company recognises and measures the lease liability at the present value of lease payments that are unpaid at that date. In calculating the present value of lease payments, the Company uses the incremental borrowing rate at the lease commencement date if the interest rate implicit in the lease is not readily determinable.

#### The lease payments include:

- fixed payments (including in-substance fixed payments) less any lease incentives receivable; and
- variable lease payments that depend on an index or a rate, initially measured using the index or rate as at the commencement date.

#### Property, plant and equipment

Property, plant and equipment are initially recorded at cost of purchase cost less subsequent accumulated depreciation

Depreciation is recognised so as to write off the cost of assets other than freehold land and construction in progress less their residual values over their estimated useful lives, using the straight-line method over the following number of years:

Leasehold improvements - 5 years, or over the term of the lease, whichever is shorter

The estimated useful lives, residual values and depreciation method are reviewed at the end of each reporting period, with the effect of any changes in estimate accounted for on a prospective basis.

An item of property, plant and equipment is derecognised upon disposal or when no future economic benefits are expected to arise from the continued use of the asset. Any gain or loss arising on the disposal or retirement of an item of property, plant and equipment is determined as the difference between the sales proceeds and the carrying amount of the assets and is recognised in profit or loss.

#### Leasehold land and building

When the Company makes payments for a property interest which includes both leasehold land and building elements, the entire consideration is allocated between the leasehold land and the building elements in proportion to the relative fair values at initial recognition.

To the extent the allocation of the lease payments can be made reliably, interest in leasehold land that is accounted for as an operating lease is presented as "right-of-use assets" statement of financial position and is amortised over the lease term on a straight-line basis. When the consideration cannot be allocated reliably between non-lease building elements and undivided interest in the underlying leasehold land, the entire properties are classified as property, plant and equipment.

#### **NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (continued)**

#### For the period ended 31 December 2020

#### 3 Summary of significant accounting policies (continued)

#### **Financial instruments**

Financial assets and financial liabilities are recognised when a Company becomes a party to the contractual provisions of the instrument. All regular way purchases or sales of financial assets are recognised and derecognised on a settlement date basis. Regular way purchases or sales are purchases or sales of financial assets that require delivery of assets within the time frame established by regulation or convention in the market place.

Financial assets and financial liabilities are initially measured at fair value except for trade receivables arising from contracts with customers which are initially measured in accordance with IFRS 15. Transaction costs that are directly attributable to the acquisition or issue of financial assets and financial liabilities are added to or deducted from the fair value of the financial assets or financial liabilities, as appropriate, on initial recognition.

The effective interest method is a method of calculating the amortised cost of a financial asset or financial liability and of allocating interest income and interest expense over the relevant period. The effective interest rate is the rate that exactly discounts estimated future cash receipts and payments (including all fees on points paid or received that form an integral part of the effective interest rate, transaction costs and other premiums or discounts) through the expected life of the financial asset or financial liability, or, where appropriate, a shorter period to the net carrying amount on initial recognition.

#### Subsequent measurement

Financial assets are subsequently measured at amortised cost.

Financial liabilities, which consist of trade and other payables and amounts due to related companies are subsequently measured at amortised cost, using the effective interest method.

#### Derecognition

The Company derecognises a financial asset only when the contractual rights to the cash flows from the asset expire, or when it transfers the financial asset and substantially all the risks and rewards of ownership of the asset to another entity.

On derecognition of a financial asset measured at amortised cost, the difference between the asset's carrying amount and the sum of the consideration received and receivable is recognised in profit or loss.

The Company derecognises financial liabilities when, and only when, the Company's obligations are discharged, cancelled or have expired. The difference between the carrying amount of the financial liability derecognised and the consideration paid and payable is recognised in profit or loss.

## Intangible assets

#### Intangible assets acquired separately

Intangible assets with finite useful lives that are acquired separately are carried at costs less accumulated amortisation and any accumulated impairment losses. Amortisation for intangible assets with finite useful lives is recognised on a straight-line basis over their estimated useful lives. The estimated useful life and amortisation method are reviewed at the end of each reporting period, with the effect of any changes in estimate being accounted for on a prospective basis. Intangible assets with indefinite useful lives that are acquired separately are carried at cost less any subsequent accumulated impairment losses.

#### Internally generated intangible assets - research and development expenditure

Expenditure on research activities is recognised as an expense in the period in which it is incurred.

#### NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (continued)

#### For the period ended 31 December 2020

#### 3 Summary of significant accounting policies (continued)

An internally-generated intangible asset arising from development (or from the development phase of an internal project) is recognised if, and only if, all of the following have been demonstrated:

- the technical feasibility of completing the intangible asset so that it will be available for use or sale.
- the intention to complete the intangible asset and use or sell it;
- · the ability to use or sell the intangible asset;
- the intangible asset will generate probably future economic benefits;
- the availability of adequate technical, financial and other resources to compete the development and to use or sell the intangible asset; and
- the ability to measure reliably the expenditure attributable to the intangible asset during its
  development

The amount initially recognised for an internally-generated intangible asset is the sum of the expenditure incurred from the date when the intangible asset first meets the recognition criteria listed above. Where no internally-generated intangible asset can be recognised, development expenditure is charged to profit or loss in the period in which it is incurred.

Subsequent to initial recognition, an internally-generated intangible asset is measured at cost less accumulated amortisation and accumulated impairment losses (if any), on the same basis as intangible assets acquired separately.

#### Impairment on property, plant and equipment, right-of-use assets and intangible assets

At the end of the reporting period the directors reviews the carrying amounts of property, plant and equipment, right-of-use assets and intangible assets with finite useful lives to determine whether there is any indication that those assets have suffered an impairment loss. If any such indication exists, the recoverable amount of the asset is estimated in order to determine the extent of the impairment loss, if any, and the asset is impaired accordingly.

#### **Taxation**

Income tax expense represents the sum of the tax currently payable and deferred tax.

The tax currently payable is based on taxable profit for the year.

Deferred tax liabilities are recognised for taxable temporary differences. The carrying amount of deferred tax assets is reviewed at the end of the reporting period

Deferred tax assets and liabilities are measured at the tax rates that are expected to apply in the period in which the liability is settled or the asset is realised, based on tax rates (and tax laws) that have been enacted or substantively enacted by the end of the reporting period.

The measurement of deferred tax liabilities and assets reflects the tax consequences that would follow from the manner in which the Company expects, at the end of the reporting period, to recover or settle the carrying amount of its assets and liabilities.

For the purposes of measuring deferred tax for leasing transactions in which the Company recognises the right-of-use assets and the related lease liabilities, the Company first determines whether the tax deductions are attributable to the right-of-use assets or the lease liabilities.

#### **NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (continued)**

#### For the period ended 31 December 2020

#### 3 Summary of significant accounting policies (continued)

For leasing transactions in which the tax deductions are attributable to the lease liabilities, the Company applies IAS 12 Income Taxes requirements to right-of-use assets and lease liabilities separately. Temporary differences relating to right-of-use assets and lease liabilities are not recognised at initial recognition and over the lease terms due to application of the initial recognition exemption.

Deferred tax assets and liabilities are offset when there is a legally enforceable right to set off current tax assets against current tax liabilities and when they relate to income taxes levied to the same taxable entity by the same taxation authority and the Company intends to settle its current tax assets and liabilities on a net basis.

Current and deferred tax is recognised in profit or loss, except when it relates to items that are recognised directly in equity, in which case, the current and deferred tax is also recognised in directly in equity.

#### **Government grants**

Government grants that are receivable as compensation for expenses or losses already incurred or for the purpose of giving immediate financial support to the Company with no future related costs are recognised in profit or loss in the period in which they become receivable.

#### Foreign currency translation

In preparing the financial statements transactions in currencies other than the functional currency of the Company (foreign currencies) are recognised in its functional currency (i.e. the currency of the primary economic environment in which the entity operates – sterling) at the rates of exchanges prevailing on the dates of the transactions. At the end of the reporting period, monetary items denominated in foreign currencies are retranslated at the rates prevailing at that date.

#### **Provisions**

Provisions are recognised when the Company has a present obligation (legal or constructive) as a result of a past event, it is probable that the Company will be required to settle that obligation, and a reliable estimate can be made of the amount of the obligation.

The amount recognised as a provision is the best estimate of the consideration required to settle the present obligation at the end of the reporting period, taking into account the risks and uncertainties surrounding the obligation. When a provision is measured using the cash flows estimated to settle the present obligation, its carrying amount is the present value of those cash flows (where the effect of the time value of money is material).

#### **Employee benefits**

Short-term employee benefits are recognised at the undiscounted amount of the benefits expected to be paid as and when employees rendered the services. All short-term employee benefits are recognised as an expense unless another IFRS requires or permits the inclusion of the benefit in the cost of an asset.

A liability is recognised for benefits accruing to employees (such as wages and salaries, annual leave and sick leave) after deducting any amount already paid

The Company operates a defined contribution pension plan for the benefit of its employees. Contributions are expensed as they become payable.

## NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (continued)

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## 4 Revenue from contracts with customers

An analysis of the Company's revenue for the year, for both continuing and discontinued operations, is as follows:

		2020 £
	Continuing operations Revenue from the rendering of services	335,958
		335,958 =====
5	Finance costs	
		2020 £
	Interest on lease liabilities	3,703
	Total interest expense	3,703 =====
6	Loss before tax	•
		2020 £
	Loss before tax has been arrived at after charging (crediting):	,
	Other staff's retirement benefits contributions Other staff costs	57,877 376,596
	Total staff costs	434,483
	Depreciation of property plant and equipment Depreciation of right-of-use assets Amortisation of intangible assets Auditor's remuneration Government grants	8,738 22,131 23,809 12,500 (10,000)

## NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (continued)

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#### Staff costs

The average monthly number of employees, including directors, during the period was as

follows:	
	2020 No
Management and administration	5
The aggregate payroll costs of these persons were as follows:	2020 £
Employees: - basic salaries and allowances - social security - retirement benefits scheme contributions	342,304 34,292 57,887
	434,483

The directors of the Company received no remuneration for their services during the year.

#### **Taxation** 8

	2020 £
The current tax charge comprises:	
Total taxation	- ======
Taxation expense calculated at 19%	2020 £
Loss before taxation	(234,599) =======
Loss by rate of tax Effect of expenses not deductible for tax purposes Effect of ineligible depreciation Effect of unrecognised deferred tax	(44,574) 1,701 1,660 41,213
Income tax expense recognised in profit or loss	 - =======

## NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (continued)

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## 9 Property, plant and equipment

		Leasehold improvement £	Total £
	Cost		
	At 5 February 2020 Additions	108,133	108,133
٠	At 31 December 2020	108,133 ======	108,133
	Depreciation and impairment At 5 February 2020	· .	_
	Provided for the year	8,738	8,738
	At 31 December 2020	8,738 =====	8,738 =====
	Carrying values		
	Balance at 31 December 2020	99,395 =====	99,395 =====
10	Intangible assets		
	Cost	Software £	Total £
	Balance at 5 February 2020 Additions	204,080	- 204,080
	Balance at 31 December 2020	204,080	204,080
	Amortisation and impairment At 5 February 2020	_	_
	Provided for the year	23,809	23,809
	At 31 December 2020	180,271 =====	180,271 =====

## **NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (continued)**

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#### 11 Right-of-use assets

The Company leases properties. The average lease term on the properties is  $\frac{5}{2}$  years. There are no options to purchase at the end of the lease lives. In all cases, the lease obligations are secured by the lessor's title to the leased assets.

The right-of-use assets included in the statement of financial position are as follows:

Net carrying amount	Properties £	Total £
At 5 February 2020 Additions	212,413	212,413
At 31 December 2020	212,413	212,413
Amortisation expense for the year ended At 5 February 2020 Charge for the period	- (22,131)	- (22,131)
At 31 December 2020	(22,131)	(22,131)
Net carrying amount at 31 December 2020	190,282 =====	190,282
Amounts recognised in profit and loss		2020 £
Depreciation expense on right-of-use assets Interest expense on lease liabilities		22,131 3,703
of the Company's property leases contain variable payment terms		

#### 12 Trade and other receivables

None

	2020 £
Prepayments	3,363
Value-added tax recoverable	19,478
Other receivables	1,100
	23,941
	=====

#### **NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (continued)**

#### For the period ended 31 December 2020

#### 13 Amounts due to related parties

Details of amounts due to related companies are stated as follows:

2020
£
103,181
103,181

AAC Technologies PTE Ltd is a sister Company within the AAC Technologies Holdings group.

#### 14 Bank balances and cash and pledged bank deposits

The bank balances and cash and pledged bank deposits which are denominated in currencies other than the functional currencies of the Company are set out below:

	Name of related Company	2020 £
	USD EUR	3 8
		***************************************
15	Lease liabilities	
		2020 £
	Within one year Within a period of more than one year but no more than two years Within a period of more than two years but no more than five years Within a period of more than five years	44,800 162,304 - -
		207,104
	Less: Amounts due for settlement within 12 months shown under current liabilities	(44,800)
	Amounts due for settlement after 12 months shown under non- current liabilities	162,304 =====

The lease agreements did not contain any contingent rent for the lessee.

No extension options are included in all lease agreements entered by the Company. The incremental borrowing rates applied is 3.5%. These lease liabilities were measured at the present value of the lease payments that are not yet paid.

The Company does not face a significant liquidity risk with regard to its lease liabilities. Lease liabilities are monitored within the Group's treasury function.

#### **NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (continued)**

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#### 16 Trade and other payables

	2020 £
Trade payables	16,720
Payroll and welfare payables	45,738
Other payables and accruals	28,645
	99,103
	=====

Other payables are unsecured, interest-free and have no fixed repayment terms.

An aged analysis of trade and other payables, presented based on the invoice date, is as follows:

	2020 £
0 – 90 days 91 – 180 days	16,720
Over 180 days	• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •
	16,720
•	

## 17 Deferred tax balances

The Company has an unrecognised deferred tax asset of £72,567. This relates to short term timing differences of £14,783 and carried forward losses of £367,150. The deferred tax asset is not recognised due to the uncertainty over timing of future profits against which to relieve the asset

#### 18 Share capital

	Number of shares 2020 £	Amount 2020 £
Shares of £1		
Issued and fully paid	500,000	500,000
500,000 fully paid ordinary shares	500,000 =====	500,000

During the year, 500,000 shares were issued at par value, £1 per share.

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#### 19 Financial instruments

Categories of financial instruments

·	2020 £
Financial Assets	
Financial assets measured at amortised cost:	•
Trade and other receivables	1,100
Cash and cash equivalents	172,900
	174,000
	. =====
Financial Liabilities	
Financial liabilities measured at amortised cost:	
Trade and other payables	99,103
Lease liabilities	207,104
Amounts due to related parties	103,181
	409,388
	=====

#### Financial risk management objectives and policies

The company's major financial instruments include trade and other receivables, bank balances and cash, trade and other payables, lease liabilities and amounts due to related entities. Details of these financial instruments are disclosed in the respective notes. The risks associated with these financial instruments and the policies on how to mitigate these risks are set out below. Management manages and monitors these exposures to ensure appropriate measures are implemented in an effective manner.

#### Market risk

#### Currency risk

The company primarily transacts in pounds sterling, GBP, and all sales are denominated in GBP. Some expenditure may be denominated in Euros, EUR, or US Dollars, USD, and the company has bank accounts for all three currencies.

The EUR and USD bank account balances are disclosed in Note 14 and management are of the view that these balances and any EUR or USD transactions are of such low nature that the company's exposure to risks of movements in foreign exchange translation rates are negligible.

All other financial instruments are denominated in GBP.

Interest rate risk

The company has no financial instruments that are subject to interest.

Information on the unwinding of lease liabilities is given in Note 15.

#### Credit risk

The company has limited exposure to credit risk and, as at the period end, trade and other receivables amounted to £1,100. Management regularly review financial assets and consider recoverability. They have noted that all financial assets have been recovered after the period end.

#### NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (continued)

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#### 19 Financial instruments (continued)

#### Liquidity risk

The company has had loans advanced from a related undertaking as disclosed in Note 13. In addition to this, the company has an agreement to recharge services at cost plus margin to a related undertaking as disclosed in Note 20.

The company has had confirmation from AAC Technologies Pte Ltd that they will not recall the loan disclosed in Note 13 and will continue to provide additional funding should it be required for a period of at least twelve months from the date of approval of these accounts.

Management are content that the company has sufficient capital to continue to trade in line with the company's business plan and have access to additional funding in the unlikely event that it should be required. As such, management believe the risks associated with liquidity are low.

#### 20 Related party transactions

The group is controlled by the following entities:

Name	Туре	Place of incorporation	Ownership Interest 2020
AAC Technologies Solutions (Singapore) Pte. Ltd	Immediate parent	Singapore	100%
AAC Technologies Holdings Inc	Ultimate parent entity and controlling party	Cayman Islands	100%
Transactions with related parties:			
			2020 £
Sales of services to parent			335,958
Key management personnel compensation:			
	·		2020 £
Short-term employee benefits Post-employment benefits			89,447 16,624

#### 21 Retirement benefit scheme

The Company operates a defined contribution retirement benefit plan for all qualifying employees. The assets of the plans are held separately from those of the Company in funds under the control of trustees. Where employees leave the plans prior to full vesting of the contributions, the contributions payable by the Company are reduced by the amount of forfeited contributions.

## NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (continued)

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#### 22 COVID-19

The outbreak of the Novel Coronavirus ('COVID-19') and the subsequent quarantine measures and travel restrictions imposed in 2020, continuing into 2021, has had the following impacts on the Company:

- An impact in building working relationships with international colleagues where telephone conversations have replaced meeting in person.
- An impact on collaborative and creative work driven by remote working policies introduced by government.
- Hesitancy from the parent organisations to grow the Company while uncertainty remains in international markets and economies.