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Clarke London Limited

Directors' report and financial statements

for the year ended 30 November 2006



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# Directors' report for the year ended 30 November 2006

The directors present their report and the financial statements for the year ended 30 November 2006

### Principal activity and review of the business

The principal activity of the company is that of property development. The company has not traded throughout the year

### Results and dividends

The profit for the year of £431 has been transferred to reserves (2005 £493). The directors do not recommend payment of a dividend (2005 £nil).

#### Directors and their interests

The following were directors of the company during the year none of whom had any interest in the shares of the company

C C A Glossop

C C Aujard (appointed 16 December 2005, resigned 28 March 2007)

The interests of C C Aujard in the share capital of the ultimate holding company of the company's joint owner, Kaupthing Singer & Friedlander Group PLC, are disclosed in the financial statements of that company The interests of C C A Glossop in the share capital of the company's joint owner, St Modwen Properties PLC, are disclosed in the financial statements of that company

C Genty-Nott was appointed on 28 March 2007 and resigned on 3 August 2007 A Thorvaldsson was appointed on 3 August 2007

### Directors' responsibilities

The directors are responsible for preparing 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). 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 those financial statements, the directors are required to

- select suitable accounting policies and 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

# Directors' report for the year ended 30 November 2006

### Directors' responsibilities - continued

The directors are responsible for keeping proper accounting records which disclose with reasonable accuracy at any time the financial position of the company and to enable them to ensure that the financial statements comply with 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.

The directors are responsible for the maintenance and integrity of the corporate and financial information included on the company's website. Legislation in the United Kingdom governing the preparation and dissemination of financial statements may differ from legislation in other jurisdictions.

#### Disclosure of information to the auditors

So far as each person who was a director at the date of approving this report is aware, there is no relevant audit information, being information needed by the auditor in connection with preparing its report, of which the auditor is unaware. Having made enquiries of fellow directors and the company's auditor, each director has taken all the steps that he/she is obliged to take as a director in order to made himself/herself aware of any relevant audit information and to establish that the auditor is aware of that information

### Going concern

The directors are of the opinion that, having regard to the funding available from its joint venture owners, St Modwen Properties PLC and Kaupthing Singer & Friedlander Group PLC, there is a reasonable expectation that the company has sufficient working capital to continue in operational existence for the foreseeable future. For this reason, they continue to adopt the going concern basis in preparing the accounts

### **Auditors**

Ernst & Young LLP have conducted the audit for the year ended 30 November 2006 and have indicated they will not seek re-appointment at the forthcoming Annual General Meeting. A resolution proposing the appointment of Deloitte & Touche LLP will be put to the Annual General Meeting.

This report is prepared in accordance with the special provisions of Part VII of the Companies Act 1985 relating to small and medium sized companies

This report was approved by the Board on 24.09.07 and signed on its behalf by

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## Independent auditors' report to the shareholders of Clarke London Limited

We have audited the company's financial statements for the year ended 30 November 2006 which comprise the Profit and Loss Account, the Balance Sheet, Cash Flow Statement and the related notes 1 to 10 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 the auditors

The directors' responsibilities for preparing the financial statements in accordance with applicable United Kingdom law and Accounting Standards (United Kingdom Generally Accepted Accounting Practice) are set out in the Statement of Directors' Responsibilities

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 directors' 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.

## Independent auditors' report to the shareholders of Clarke London Limited - continued

### Opinion

In our opinion

- the financial statements give a true and fair view, in accordance with United Kingdom Generally Accepted Accounting Practice, of the state of the company's affairs as at 30 November 2006 and of its loss for the year then 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

Ernst & Young I

**Registered Auditor** 

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# Profit and loss account for the year ended 30 November 2006

		2006	2005	
	Notes	£	£	
Administrative expenses		(590)	(700)	
Operating loss	2	(590)	(700)	
Interest receivable and similar income		1,135	1,193	
Profit on ordinary activities before taxation		545	493	
Tax on profit on ordinary activities	3	(114)	-	
Retained profit for the year		431	493	

All amounts derive from discontinued operations

There were no recognised gains or losses for the current and prior periods other than as shown above

## Balance sheet as at 30 November 2006

		2006		2005	05	
	Notes	£	£	£	£	
Current assets						
Cash at bank and in hand		43,446		42,311		
		43,446		42,311		
Creditors: amounts falling	4	(1.534)		(920)		
due within one year	4	(1,524)		(820)		
Net current assets			41,922		41,491	
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Net assets			41,922	=	41,491	
Capital and reserves						
Called up share capital	5		50,000		50,000	
Profit and loss account	6		(8,078)		(8,509)	
Equity shareholders' funds	7		41,922	-	41,491	
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The financial statements were approved by the Board on 24.09.07

and signed on its behalf by

Director

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# Cash flow statement for the year ended 30 November 2006

		2006	2005
	Notes	£	£
Reconciliation of operating loss to net			
cash inflow from operating activities			
Operating loss		(590)	(700)
Decrease in debtors		-	3
Increase in creditors		590	820
Net cash inflow from operating activities		•	123
Cash flow statement			
Net cash inflow from operating activities		-	123
Returns on investments and servicing of finance	10	1,135	1,193
Increase in cash in the year		1,135	1,316
Reconciliation of net cash flow to movement in net	funds 11		
Increase in cash in the year		1,135	1,316
Net funds at 1 December 2005		42,311	40,995
Net funds at 30 November 2006		43,446	42,311

# Notes to the financial statements for the year ended 30 November 2006

## 1. Accounting policies

## 1.1. Accounting convention

The financial statements are prepared under the historical cost convention and comply with financial reporting standards of the Accounting Standards Board

## 2. Operating loss

None of the directors received any remuneration during the year (2005 £Nil)

The company has no employees

# Notes to the financial statements for the year ended 30 November 2006

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# 3. Tax on profit on ordinary activities

Analysis of charge in period	2006 £	2005 £
Current tax UK corporation tax at 30 00% (2005 - 30 00%)		-
Factors affecting tax charge for period		
The tax assessed for the period is different from the standard rate of corpora cent). The differences are explained below	tion tax in the U	JK (30 per
	2006	2005
	£	£
Profit on ordinary activities before taxation	545	493
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Profit on ordinary activities multiplied by standard rate of corporation		
tax in the UK at 30% (30 November 2005 - 30%)	104	148
Effects		
Other	-	(148)
Prior year adjustment	44	-
Rate adjustment	(34)	-
Current tax charge for period	114	_
Creditors: amounts falling due within one year	2006 £	2005 £
Corporation tax	582	-
Other creditors	1,410	820
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# Notes to the financial statements for the year ended 30 November 2006

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5.	Share capital	2006 £	2005 £
	Authorised equity		
	22,500 "A" Ordinary shares of £1 each	22,500	22,500
	22,500 "B" Ordinary shares of £1 each	22,500	22,500
	5,000 "C" Ordinary shares of £1 each	5,000	5,000
		50,000	50,000
	Allotted, called up and fully paid		
	22,500 "A" Ordinary shares of £1 each	22,500	22,500
	22,500 "B" Ordinary shares of £1 each	22,500	22,500
	5,000 "C" Ordinary shares of £1 each	5,000	5,000
		50,000	50,000

A majority of "A" shareholders and a majority of "B" shareholders may appoint up to four directors each "C" shareholders may appoint only one director

On a show of hands and on a poll every member shall have one vote for each "A" ordinary share and each "B" ordinary share of which he is the holder save that

- No ordinary share shall confer any right to vote upon a resolution for the removal from office of a director appointed by the holder of another class of share and,
- At a separate general meeting of the "A" or "B" shareholders, either class may require the directors to convene an Extraordinary General Meeting to consider a resolution for the voluntary winding up of the company or the return of capital to the shareholders. At such a meeting any holder of a share of the class that called the meeting shall have five votes for every share of that class held. For every share of the other class held, a holder shall have one vote

No "C" ordinary share shall confer upon the holder any right to vote at general meeting of the company

Save as noted above the "A", "B" and "C" ordinary shares shall rank part passu in all respects including rights to dividends and amounts receivable on winding up

#### 6. Reserves

	Profit & Loss Account £
At 30 November 2005 Retained profit for the year	(8,509) 431
At 30 November 2006	(8,078)

# Notes to the financial statements for the year ended 30 November 2006

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7.	Reconciliation of movements in shareholders' funds	2006 £	2005 £
	Profit for the year	431	493
	Opening shareholders' funds	41,491	40,998
	Closing shareholders' funds	41,922	41,491

## 8. Related party transactions

Kaupthing Singer & Friedlander Limited, a company in the Kaupthing Singer & Friedlander Group PLC, provide banking services to the company on normal commercial banking terms. There were no transactions with other companies in the groups

## 9. Ultimate parent undertaking

The company is a joint venture between St Modwen Properties PLC and Kaupthing Singer & Friedlander Properties PLC, a subsidiary of Kaupthing Singer & Friedlander Group PLC. The joint venture parties are both registered in England.

Copies of the Group report and accounts of St Modwen Properties PLC are available from the Registered Office at 7 Ridgeway, Quinton Business Park, Birmingham, B32 1AF

Copies of the Group report and accounts of Kaupthing Singer & Friedlander Group PLC are available from the Registered Office at 1 Hanover Street, London, W1S 1AX

### 10. Gross cash flows

	2006	2005
	£	£
Returns on investments and servicing of finance		
Interest received	1,135	1,193

# Notes to the financial statements for the year ended 30 November 2006

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Adalysis of changes in her funds	Opening balance	Cash flows	Closing balance
	£	£	£
Cash at bank and in hand	42,311	1,135	43,446
Net funds	42,311	1,135	43,446