Company registration number: 2864625

## Gracechurch UTG No. 115 Limited

**Report and Financial Statements** 31 December 2012

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## **Company Information**

**Directors** 

Jeremy Richard Holt Evans (appointed 12 January 2012) Nomina Plc (appointed 12 January 2012)

**Company Secretary** 

Hampden Legal Plc

**Registered Office** 

85 Gracechurch Street

London EC3V 0AA

Auditors

PKF Littlejohn LLP Statutory Auditor 1 Westferry Circus Canary Wharf London E14 4HD

#### Report of the Directors

The Directors submit their Report together with the Financial Statements of the Company for the year ended 31 December 2012

#### Principal Activities, Business Review and Future Developments

The principal activity of the Company was that of a corporate member at Lloyd's The Company has ceased underwriting and all years of account on which the Company participated have closed

#### Results and Dividends

The results for the year are set out on page 6 of the Financial Statements Dividends totalling £mil were paid in the year (2011 £mil)

#### **Principal Risks and Uncertainties**

As the Company no longer participates in the capacity of the managed syndicates, there are no major risks or uncertainties. The Company has no debt finance and therefore has no interest rate risk exposure in relation to borrowings. The Company's assets and liabilities are stated and denominated in sterling, therefore, there is no exposure to currency risk.

#### **Directors**

The Directors who served at any time during the year were as follows

Jeremy Richard Holt Evans (appointed 12 January 2012) Nomina Plc (appointed 12 January 2012) Brit Corporate Services Limited (resigned 12 January 2012) James Christopher Paul Insley (resigned 12 January 2012) Antony Edward Usher (resigned 12 January 2012)

#### **Directors' Responsibilities**

The Directors are responsible for preparing the Report of the Directors and the Financial Statements in accordance with applicable laws 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 Accounting Standards and applicable law (UK and Generally Accepted Accounting Practice). 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 those Financial Statements the Directors are required to

- select suitable accounting policies and then apply them consistently
- · make judgements and accounting 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 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 to 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.

## Report of the Directors (continued)

#### Auditors

On 1 July 2013 Littlejohn LLP changed its name to PKF Littlejohn LLP PKF Littlejohn LLP has signified its willingness to continue in office as auditors

## In the case of each of the persons who are Directors at the time this report is approved, the following applies

- (a) So far as the Directors are aware, there is no relevant audit information of which the Company's auditors are unaware, and
- (b) They have taken all the steps that they ought to have taken as a Director in order to make themselves aware of any relevant audit information and to establish that the Company's auditors are aware of that information

Approved by the Board on 26 July 2013 and signed on its behalf by

Hampden Legal Ph Hampden Legal Plc Secretary

## Report of the Auditors

#### Independent Auditor's report to the members of Gracechurch UTG No. 115 Limited

We have audited the Financial Statements of Gracechurch UTG No. 115 Limited for the year ended 31 December 2012 which comprise the Profit and Loss Account, the Balance Sheet, the Cash Flow Statement and the related notes. The financial reporting framework that has been applied in their preparation is applicable law and United Kingdom Accounting Standards (United Kingdom Generally Accepted Accounting Practice)

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

### Respective responsibilities of Directors and Auditors

As explained more fully in the Directors' Responsibilities Statement, the Directors are responsible for the preparation of the Financial Statements and for being satisfied that they give a true and fair view. Our responsibility is to audit and express an opinion on the Financial Statements in accordance with applicable law and International Standards on Auditing (UK and Ireland). Those standards require us to comply with the Auditing Practices Board's Ethical Standards for Auditors.

#### Scope of the audit of the Financial Statements

An audit involves obtaining evidence about the amounts and disclosures in the Financial Statements sufficient to give reasonable assurance that the Financial Statements are free from material misstatement, whether caused by fraud or error. This includes an assessment of whether the accounting policies are appropriate to the Company's circumstances and have been consistently applied and adequately disclosed, the reasonableness of significant accounting estimates made by the Directors, and the overall presentation of the Financial Statements. In addition, we read all the financial and non-financial information in the Report of the Directors to identify material inconsistencies with the audited Financial Statements. If we become aware of any apparent material misstatements or inconsistencies we consider the implications for our report.

#### **Opinion on Financial Statements**

In our opinion the Financial Statements

- give a true and fair view of the state of the Company's affairs as at 31 December 2012 and of its result for the year then ended,
- · have been properly prepared in accordance with United Kingdom Generally Accepted Accounting Practice, and
- have been prepared in accordance with the requirements of the Companies Act 2006

### Opinion on other matter prescribed by the Companies Act 2006

In our opinion the information given in the Report of the Directors for the financial year for which the Financial Statements are prepared is consistent with the Financial Statements

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

We have nothing to report in respect of the following matters where 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

Carmine Papa (Senior statutory auditor)
For and on behalf of PKF Littlejohn LLP

Statutory auditor 26 July 2013 l Westferry Circus Canary Wharf London E14 4HD

# Profit and Loss account for the year ended 31 December 2012

	Note	Year ended 31 December 2012 £	Year ended 31 December 2011 £
Investment income Other income Other charges		• • -	- - -
Profit/(loss) on ordinary activities before taxation	1	-	-
Tax on profit/(loss) on ordinary activities	2	14	-
Profit/(loss) for the financial year	6	14	-

The Company had no recognised gains and losses in the year other than the result above

The Company's activities are all discontinued

The accounting policies and notes are an integral part of these Financial Statements

# **Balance Sheet** as at 31 December 2012

	Note	31 December 2012 £	31 December 2011 £
Assets			
<b>Debtors</b> Other debtors	4	-	-
Other assets Cash at bank and in hand		14	-
Total assets	_	14	
Liabilities			
Capital and reserves Called up share capital Share premium account	5	1,000	1,000
Profit and loss account	6 _	(40,986)	(41,000)
Shareholders' funds	7 -	(39,986)	(40,000)
Creditors Other creditors	8	40,000	40,000
Total liabilities	<u></u>	14	-

Approved and authorised for issue by the Board of Directors on 26 July 2013 and signed on its behalf by

Director Nomina Plc

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# Cash Flow Statement for the year ended 31 December 2012

	2012 £	2011 £
Operating activities  Net cash inflow/(outflow) from operating activities	-	-
Returns on investments and servicing of finance	-	-
Taxation Corporation and overseas taxes (paid)/refunded	14	_
Equity dividends pard	-	-
Financing Issue of shares	-	-
Net cash inflow/(outflow) for the year	14	
Cash flows were invested as follows:		
Increase/(decrease) in cash holdings	14	-
Net investment of cash flows	14	-

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## **Accounting Policies**

### **Basis of Accounting**

The Financial Statements are prepared under the historical cost basis of accounting and comply with applicable Accounting Standards

There are no syndicate transactions required to be reported in the general business technical account for the year ended 31 December 2012

There are no assets and liabilities arising as a result of the underwriting activities that are required to be reported in the Balance Sheet at 31 December 2012

#### Going Concern

The Directors are of the opinion that the Company has adequate resources to meet its operational obligations for the foreseeable future Accordingly, the going concern concept has been adopted in preparation of the Financial Statements

#### **Basis of Currency Translation**

Syndicates maintain separate funds in Sterling, United States dollars, Canadian dollars and Euros

Income and expenditure in US dollars, Canadian dollars and Euros is translated at the average rate of exchange for the year Underwriting transactions denominated in other foreign currencies are included at the rate of exchange ruling at the date the transaction is processed

Assets and liabilities are translated into Sterling at the rates of exchange at the Balance Sheet date

Differences arising on translation of foreign currency amounts in syndicates are included in the technical account

#### **Deferred Taxation**

Deferred tax is provided in full on timing differences which result in an obligation at the Balance Sheet date to pay more tax, or a right to pay less tax, at a future date, at rates expected to apply when they crystallise based on current tax rates and law

Deferred tax assets are recognised to the extent that it is regarded as more likely than not that they will be recovered.

Deferred tax assets and liabilities have not been discounted.

# Notes to the Financial Statements for the year ended 31 December 2012

1.	Profit/(Loss) on Ordinary Activities before Taxation		
	The Company has not employed any staff during the current or preceding financi	al year	
	The audit fees are born by Nomina Plc and no recharge is made to the Company		
2.	Taxation	2012 £	2011 £
	UK Corporation tax charge/(credit)	(14)	-
3.	Dividends  Equity dividends declared and paid	2012 £ -	2011 £ -
4.	Other Debtors	2012 £	2011 £
	Amounts due from group undertakings Proprietors' loan accounts Funds at Lloyd's	- -	-

Funds at Lloyd's represents assets deposited with the Corporation of Lloyd's (Lloyd's) to support the Company's underwriting activities as described in the Accounting Policies. The Company has entered into a Lloyd's Deposit Trust Deed which gives the Corporation the right to apply these monies in settlement of any claims arising from the participation on the syndicates. These monies can only be released from the provision of this Deed with Lloyd's express permission and only in circumstances where the amounts are either replaced by an equivalent asset, or after the expiration of the Company's liabilities in respect of its underwriting

### 5. Share Capital

Other

	Allotted, called-up and fully paid	2012		2011	
		Issued	Value £	Issued	Value £
	Ordinary £1 00 shares	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000
6.	Profit and Loss Account			2012 £	2011 £
	Retained profit/(loss) brought forward Profit/(loss) for the financial year Equity dividends		(4	1,000) 14 -	(41,000)
	Retained profit/(loss) carried forward		(4	0,986)	(41,000)

# Notes to the Financial Statements (continued) for the year ended 31 December 2012

7.	Reconciliation of Movements in Shareholders' Funds	2012 £	2011 £
	Opening shareholders funds	(40,000)	(40,000)
	Profit/(loss) for the financial year	14	-
	Equity dividends	-	•
	Proceeds from issue of shares	•	-
	Closing shareholders' funds	(39,986)	(40,000)
8.	Other Creditors	2012 £	2011 £
	Amount due to group undertakings	-	_
	Proprietors' loan accounts	-	-
	Corporation tax	-	-
	Other creditors	40,000	40,000
		40,000	40,000

### 9. Related Party Disclosure

There are no related party issues to be disclosed in respect of the Company

## 10. Ultimate Controlling Party

The Company is controlled by Hampden Holdings Limited, Hampden Capital Plc, Nomina Plc and Nomina Services Limited