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# **Bloomsbury Limited**

Annual Report and Unaudited Financial Statements for the Year Ended 31 December 2022

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# **Company Information**

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# (Registration number: 05345896) Balance Sheet as at 31 December 2022

|  | Note                 | 2022<br>£ | 2021<br>£ |
|--|----------------------|-----------|-----------|
| Fixed assets                                   |                      |           |           |
| Tangible assets                                | <u>4</u>             | 19,154    | 13,051    |
| Investments                                    | <u>4</u><br><u>5</u> | 2         | 2         |
|  |                      | 19,156    | 13,053    |
| Current assets                                 |                      |           |           |
| Debtors  | <u>6</u>             | 4,156,354 | 3,065,801 |
| Cash at bank and in hand                       |                      | 747,253   | 1,231,434 |
|  |                      | 4,903,607 | 4,297,235 |
| Creditors: Amounts falling due within one year | <u>7</u>             | (108,704) | (248,514) |
| Net current assets                             |                      | 4,794,903 | 4,048,721 |
| Total assets less current liabilities          |                      | 4,814,059 | 4,061,774 |
| Provisions for liabilities                     |                      | (3,293)   | (2,058)   |
| Net assets                                     |                      | 4,810,766 | 4,059,716 |
| Capital and reserves                           |                      |           |           |
| Called up share capital                        |                      | 100       | 100       |
| Profit and loss account                        |                      | 4,810,666 | 4,059,616 |
| Shareholders' funds                            |                      | 4,810,766 | 4,059,716 |

For the financial year ending 31 December 2022 the company was entitled to exemption from audit under section 477 of the Companies Act 2006 relating to small companies.

# Director's responsibilities:

- The members have not required the company to obtain an audit of its accounts for the year in question in accordance with section 476; and
- The director acknowledges his responsibilities for complying with the requirements of the Act with respect to accounting records and the preparation of accounts.

These financial statements have been prepared in accordance with the special provisions relating to companies subject to the small companies regime within Part 15 of the Companies Act 2006.

These financial statements have been delivered in accordance with the provisions applicable to companies subject to the small companies regime and the option not to file the Profit and Loss Account has been taken.

Approved and authorised by the director on 10 July 2023

(Registration number: 05345896) Balance Sheet as at 31 December 2022

| A Trow   |  |  |
|----------|--|--|
| Director |  |  |

#### Notes to the Unaudited Financial Statements for the Year Ended 31 December 2022

### 1 General information

The company is a private company limited by share capital, incorporated in England and Wales.

The address of its registered office is: Unit 7 Britannia Business Centre Britannia Way Malvern Worcestershire WR14 1GZ Great Britain

### 2 Accounting policies

## Summary of significant accounting policies and key accounting estimates

The principal accounting policies applied in the preparation of these financial statements are set out below. These policies have been consistently applied to all the years presented, unless otherwise stated.

#### Statement of compliance

These financial statements have been prepared in accordance with Financial Reporting Standard 102 Section 1A - The Financial Reporting Standard applicable in the UK and Republic of Ireland' and the Companies Act 2006.

## Basis of preparation

These financial statements have been prepared using the historical cost convention except that as disclosed in the accounting policies certain items are shown at fair value.

# Revenue recognition

Turnover comprises the fair value of the consideration received or receivable for the sale of goods and provision of services in the ordinary course of the company's activities. Turnover is shown net of sales/value added tax, returns, rebates and discounts.

The company recognises revenue when:

The amount of revenue can be reliably measured;

it is probable that future economic benefits will flow to the entity;

and specific criteria have been met for each of the company's activities.

# Tax

The tax expense for the period comprises current and deferred tax. Tax is recognised in profit or loss, except that a change attributable to an item of income or expense recognised as other comprehensive income is also recognised directly in other comprehensive income.

The current income tax charge is calculated on the basis of tax rates and laws that have been enacted or substantively enacted by the reporting date in the countries where the company operates and generates taxable income.

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Deferred tax is recognised in respect of all timing differences between taxable profits and profits reported in the financial statements.

Unrelieved tax losses and other deferred tax assets are recognised when it is probable that they will be recovered against the reversal of deferred tax liabilities or other future taxable profits.

Deferred tax is measured using the tax rates and laws that have been enacted or substantively enacted by the reporting date and that are expected to apply to the reversal of the timing difference.

## Tangible assets

Tangible assets are stated in the balance sheet at cost, less any subsequent accumulated depreciation and subsequent accumulated impairment losses.

The cost of tangible assets includes directly attributable incremental costs incurred in their acquisition and installation.

# Depreciation

Depreciation is charged so as to write off the cost of assets, other than land and properties under construction over their estimated useful lives, as follows:

| Asset class           | Depreciation method and rate |
|-----------------------|------------------------------|
| Plant and machinery   | 25% on reducing balance      |
| Fixtures and fittings | 25% on reducing balance      |
| Motor vehicles        | 25% on reducing balance      |
| Computer equipment    | 25% on reducing balance      |

#### **Business combinations**

Business combinations are accounted for using the purchase method. The consideration for each acquisition is measured at the aggregate of the fair values at acquisition date of assets given, liabilities incurred or assumed, and equity instruments issued by the group in exchange for control of the acquired, plus any costs directly attributable to the business combination. When a business combination agreement provides for an adjustment to the cost of the combination contingent on future events, the group includes the estimated amount of that adjustment in the cost of the combination at the acquisition date if the adjustment is probable and can be measured reliably.

## Investments

Investments in equity shares which are publicly traded or where the fair value can be measured reliably are initially measured at fair value, with changes in fair value recognised in profit or loss. Investments in equity shares which are not publicly traded and where fair value cannot be measured reliably are measured at cost less impairment. Interest income on debt securities, where applicable, is recognised in income using the effective interest method. Dividends on equity securities are recognised in income when receivable.

#### Cash and cash equivalents

Cash and cash equivalents comprise cash on hand and call deposits, and other short-term highly liquid investments that are readily convertible to a known amount of cash and are subject to an insignificant risk of change in value.

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#### Trade debtors

Trade debtors are amounts due from customers for merchandise sold or services performed in the ordinary course of business.

Trade debtors are recognised initially at the transaction price. They are subsequently measured at amortised cost using the effective interest method, less provision for impairment. A provision for the impairment of trade debtors is established when there is objective evidence that the company will not be able to collect all amounts due according to the original terms of the receivables.

#### Trade creditors

Trade creditors are obligations to pay for goods or services that have been acquired in the ordinary course of business from suppliers. Accounts payable are classified as current liabilities if the company does not have an unconditional right, at the end of the reporting period, to defer settlement of the creditor for at least twelve months after the reporting date. If there is an unconditional right to defer settlement for at least twelve months after the reporting date, they are presented as non-current liabilities.

Trade creditors are recognised initially at the transaction price and subsequently measured at amortised cost using the effective interest method.

#### Share capital

Ordinary shares are classified as equity. Equity instruments are measured at the fair value of the cash or other resources received or receivable, net of the direct costs of issuing the equity instruments. If payment is deferred and the time value of money is material, the initial measurement is on a present value basis.

#### **Dividends**

Dividend distribution to the company's shareholders is recognised as a liability in the financial statements in the reporting period in which the dividends are declared.

## Defined contribution pension obligation

A defined contribution plan is a pension plan under which fixed contributions are paid into a pension fund and the company has no legal or constructive obligation to pay further contributions even if the fund does not hold sufficient assets to pay all employees the benefits relating to employee service in the current and prior periods.

Contributions to defined contribution plans are recognised as employee benefit expense when they are due. If contribution payments exceed the contribution due for service, the excess is recognised as a prepayment.

# 3 Staff numbers

The average number of persons employed by the company (including the director) during the year, was 3 (2021 - 3).

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# 4 Tangible assets

|                             | Furniture,<br>fittings and<br>equipment<br>£ | Motor vehicles<br>£ | Other tangible<br>assets<br>£ | Total<br>£ |
|-----------------------------|--|---------------------|-------------------------------|------------|
| Cost or valuation           |  |                     |                               |            |
| At 1 January 2022           | 26,814                                       | 23,921              | 34,065                        | 84,800     |
| Additions                   | 12,486                                       |                     | <u> </u>                      | 12,486     |
| At 31 December 2022         | 39,300                                       | 23,921              | 34,065                        | 97,286     |
| Depreciation                |  |                     |                               |            |
| At 1 January 2022           | 20,493                                       | 22,508              | 28,747                        | 71,748     |
| Charge for the year         | 4,702  | 353                 | 1,329                         | 6,384      |
| At 31 December 2022         | 25,195                                       | 22,861              | 30,076                        | 78,132     |
| Carrying amount             |  |                     |                               |            |
| At 31 December 2022         | 14,105                                       | 1,060               | 3,989                         | 19,154     |
| At 31 December 2021         | 6,320  | 1,413               | 5,318                         | 13,051     |
| 5 Investments               |  |                     | 2022                          | 2021       |
|                             |  |                     | £                             | £          |
| Investments in subsidiaries |  | =                   | 2                             | 2          |
| Subsidiaries                |  |                     |                               | £          |
| Cost or valuation Additions |  |                     | _                             | 2          |
| Provision                   |  |                     |                               |            |
| Carrying amount             |  |                     |                               |            |
| At 31 December 2022         |  |                     | =                             | 2          |
| At 31 December 2021         |  |                     | _                             | 2          |

Investment balance is made up of £1 investment in Xypex (UK) Limited and £1 investment in Hassiba Technologies Limited.

# Notes to the Unaudited Financial Statements for the Year Ended 31 December 2022

# 6 Debtors

|  | Note | 2022<br>£ | 2021<br>£ |
|--|------|-----------|-----------|
| Owed by related parties                        |      | 3,901,041 | 3,002,034 |
| Other debtors                                  |      | 255,313   | 63,767    |
| Total current trade and other debtors          |      | 4,156,354 | 3,065,801 |
| 7 Creditors                                    |      |           |           |
| Creditors: amounts falling due within one year |      |           |           |
|  |      | 2022      | 2021      |
|  | Note | £         | £         |
| Due within one year                            |      |           |           |
| Trade creditors                                |      | 1,655     | 2,822     |
| Taxation and social security                   |      | 37,570    | 31,901    |
| Other creditors                                |      | 69,479    | 213,791   |
|  |      | 108,704   | 248,514   |

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