### RWC Asset Management LLP

Report And Financial Statements

31 December 2012

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#### **INFORMATION**

Designated Members

**RWC** Partners Limited

D Mannix

LLP registered number

OC332015

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#### **MEMBERS' REPORT**

for the year ended 31 December 2012

The members present their annual report together with the audited financial statements of RWC Asset Management LLP (the LLP) for the year ended 31 December 2012.

#### Principal activities

The principal activity of the LLP is to provide investment management services

#### Results for the period and allocation to members

The profit for the period available for discretionary division among members was £nil (2011 - £nil)

#### **Designated Members**

RWC Partners Limited and P Harrison were designated members of the LLP throughout the period. P Harrison resigned as a designated member on 28 February 2013.

Subsequent to the year end, D Mannix was appointed as a designated member on 6 February 2013

#### Policy with respect to members' drawings and subscription and repayment of members' capital

Any profits are shared among the Members on the basis of the Members' Agreement dated 21 December 2007

Policies for Members' drawings, subscriptions and repayment of Members' capital are governed by the same agreement.

#### Pillar III disclosures

In accordance with the disclosures required by the FSA under BIPRU 11 3, the LLP's pillar III disclosure is available via its website www rwcpartners com.

#### Statement of Members' responsibilities

Company law, as applied to LLPs, requires the members to prepare financial statements for each financial year which give a true and fair view of the state of affairs of the LLP and of the incoming resources and application of resources of the LLP for that period. In preparing these financial statements, the members are required to:

- select suitable accounting policies and then apply them consistently;
- make judgements and estimates that are reasonable and prudent,
- state whether applicable UK 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 LLP will
  continue in business.

Company law requires that the members must not approve the financial statements unless they are satisfied that they give a true and fair view

The members are responsible for keeping adequate accounting records that disclose with reasonable accuracy at any time the financial position of the LLP 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 LLP and hence for taking reasonable steps for the prevention and detection of fraud and other irregularities

## MEMBERS' REPORT (continued) for the year ended 31 December 2012

#### Auditors

In so far as the members are aware:

- · there is no relevant audit information of which the LLP's auditors are unaware; and
- the members have taken all steps that they ought to have taken to make themselves aware of any relevant audit information and to establish that the auditors are aware of that information.

A proposal to appoint Rees Pollock as auditors for the ensuing period will be considered at the next members' meeting.

This report was approved by the members on 18 April 2013 and signed on their behalf, by.

G Bainbridge as a director of RWC Partners Limited



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### INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT TO THE MEMBERS OF RWC ASSET MANAGEMENT LLP

We have audited the financial statements of RWC Asset Management LLF for the year ended 31 December 2012, set out on pages 5 to 11 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 LLP's members in accordance with the Companies Act 2006, as applied by Part 12 of The Limited Liability Partnerships (Accounts and Audit) (Application of Companies Act 2006) Regulations 2008. Our audit work has been undertaken so that we might state to the LLP'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 LLP and the LLP's members for our audit work, for this report, or for the opinions we have formed

#### Respective responsibilities of members and auditors

As explained more fully in the Members' responsibilities statement, the members 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 LLP's circumstances and have been consistently applied and adequately disclosed, the reasonableness of significant accounting estimates made by the members, and the overall presentation of the financial statements

#### Opinion on financial statements

In our opinion the financial statements

- give a true and fair view of the state of the LLP's affairs as at 31 December 2012 and of its results 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, as applied by The Limited Liability Partnerships (Accounts and Audit) (Application of Companies Act 2006) Regulations 2008

#### 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, as applied by The Limited Liability Partnerships (Accounts and Audit) (Application of Companies Act 2006) Regulations 2008, 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
- we have not received all the information and explanations we require for our audit

Simon Rees (Senior statutory auditor) for and on behalf of Rees Pollock, Statutory Auditor

22 April 2013

## PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT for the year ended 31 December 2012

	Note	2012 £	2011 £
TURNOVER	1,2	18,135,078	23,018,097
Administrative expenses		(162,068)	(34,202)
OPERATING PROFIT	3	17,973,010	22,983,895
Interest receivable		1,164	1,208
PROFIT FOR THE FINANCIAL YEAR BEFORE MEMBERS' REMUNERATION AND PROFIT SHARES		17,974,174	22,985,103
PROFIT FOR THE FINANCIAL YEAR BEFORE MEMBERS' REMUNERATION AND PROFIT SHARES		17,974,174	22,985,103
Members' remuneration charged as an expense		(17,974,174)	(22,985,103)
RESULT FOR THE FINANCIAL YEAR AVAILABLE FOR DISCRETIONARY DIVISION AMONG MEMBERS		<u> </u>	

All amounts relate to continuing operations

There were no recognised gains and losses for 2012 or 2011 other than those included in the profit and loss account.

The notes on pages 8 to 11 form part of these financial statements.

## BALANCE SHEET as at 31 December 2012

	Note	£	2012	£	2011 £
	Note	ı	£	£	r.
CURRENT ASSETS					
Debtors	6	3,895,035		2,574,020	
Cash at bank		4,494,240		3,750,693	
		8,389,275		6,324,713	
<b>CREDITORS:</b> amounts falling due within one year	7	(565,984)		(473,662)	
NET CURRENT ASSETS			7,823,291		5,851,051
TOTAL ASSETS LESS CURRENT LIABILITI	ES		7,823,291		5,851,051
REPRESENTED BY:					
Loans and other debts due to members within one year					
Other amounts			7,268,291		5,291,051
Equity					
Members' other interests - Members' Capital classified as equity under FRS 25			555,000		560,000
			7,823,291		5,851,051
TOTAL MEMBERS' INTERESTS					
Amounts due from members (included in debtors)			(1,684,430)		(944,424)
Loans and other debts due to members			7,268,291		5.291,051
Members' other interests			555,000		560,000
	8		6,138,861		4,906,627

The financial statements were approved and authorised for issue by the members and were signed on their behalf on 18 April 2013.

G Bambfidge as a director of RWC Partners Limited

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CASH FLOW	STATEME!	NT
for the year en	ded 31 Dece	mber 2012

	Note	2012 £	2011 £
Net cash flow from operating activities	9	17,484,323	26,252,249
Returns on investments and servicing of finance	10	1,164	1,208
Net cash flow from transactions with members	10	(16,741,940)	(23,172,375)
INCREASE IN CASH IN THE YEAR		743,547	3,081,082
RECONCILIATION OF NET CASH FLOW TO MOV for the year ended 31 December 2012	EMENT IN NET F	UNDS	
		2012	2011

	2012 £	2011 £
Increase in cash in the year	743,547	3,081,082
MOVEMENT IN NET FUNDS IN THE YEAR	743,547	3,081,082
Net funds at 1 January 2012	3,750,693	669,611
NET FUNDS AT 31 DECEMBER 2012	4,494,240	3,750,693

The notes on pages 8 to 11 form part of these financial statements.

### NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

for the year ended 31 December 2012

#### 1. ACCOUNTING POLICIES

#### 1.1 Basis of preparation of financial statements

The financial statements have been prepared under the historical cost convention in accordance with applicable accounting standards and the requirements of the Statement of Recommended Practice (SORP) "Accounting by Limited Liability Partnerships" published on 31 March 2006.

#### 1.2 Turnover

Turnover comprises revenue recognised by the LLP in respect of management fees receivable, exclusive of value added tax

#### 1.3 Foreign currencies

Monetary assets and liabilities denominated in foreign currencies are translated into sterling at rates of exchange ruling at the balance sheet date. Transactions in foreign currencies are translated into sterling at the rate ruling on the date of the transaction. Exchange gains and losses are recognised in the profit and loss account.

#### 1.4 Financial instruments

Financial instruments are classified and accounted for, according to the substance of the contractual arrangement, as either financial assets, financial liabilities or equity instruments. An equity instrument is any contract that evidences a residual interest in the assets of the partnership after deducting all of its liabilities.

#### 2. TURNOVER

The turnover shown in the profit and loss account represents fees receivable for investment management provided during the year and arising from continuing activities in the UK, stated net of value added tax

#### 3. OPERATING PROFIT

The operating profit is stated after charging.

	2012	2011
	£	£
Difference on foreign exchange	150,863	27,786
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The audit fee for both years was borne by RWC Partners Limited

# NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS for the year ended 31 December 2012

#### PARTICULARS OF MEMBERS

	No salaries were paid to members during the year		
		2012 Number	2011 Number
	The average number of members during the year was	12	13
		£	£
	Profit allocation in respect of the member with the largest share of profits during the year	12,404,071	14,184,239
5.	STAFF COSTS		
	The LLP had no employees during the year or the prior year.		
6.	DEBTORS		
		2012 £	2011 £
	Trade debtors	2,198,394	1,539,888
	Other debtors	12,211	17,562
	Prepayments and accrued income Amounts due from members and former members	1,684,430	72,146 944,424
		3,895,035	2,574,020
7.	CREDITORS: Amounts falling due within one year		
	remound taking one within one year	2012	2011
		2012 £	2011 £
	Trade creditors	134,744	184,287
	Social security and other taxes Accruals and deferred income	31,703 399,537	289,375
		565,984	473,662

## NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS for the year ended 31 December 2012

#### 8. RECONCILIATION OF MEMBERS' INTERESTS

	Members' capital (classified as equity) £	Loans and debts due to members less any amounts due from members in debtors	Total 2012 £	Total 2011 £
Amounts due to members b/fwd Amounts due from members b/fwd		5,291,051 (944,424)		
Members' interests balance at 1 January 2012	560,000	4,346,627	4,906,627	5,093,899
Members' remuneration charged as an expense	-	17,974,174	17,974,174	22,985,103
Members' interests after profit for the year	560,000	22,320,801	22,880,801	28,079,002
Amounts withdrawn by members Capital amounts introduced by members Capital amounts repaid to members	(5,000)	(16,736,940) - -	(16,736,940) - (5,000)	(23.172,375) 5,000 (5,000)
Members' interests at 31 December 2012	555,000	5,583,861	6.138,861	4,906,627
			2012 £	2011 £
Amounts due to members Amounts due from members and former membe	rs		7,268,291 (1,684,430)	5,291,051 (944,424)
Net amount due to members		_	5,583,861	4,346,627

Members' other interests rank after unsecured creditors, and loans and other debts due to members rank pari passu with the unsecured creditors in the event of a winding up

#### 9. NET CASH FLOW FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES

	2012 £	2011 £
Operating profit (Increase)/decrease in debtors Increase in creditors	17.973,010 (581.009) 92.322	22,983,895 2,797,404 470,950
Net cash inflow from operating activities	17,484.323	26,252,249

### NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

### for the year ended 31 December 2012

#### 10. ANALYSIS OF CASH FLOWS FOR HEADINGS NETTED IN CASH FLOW STATEMENT

	2012 £	- 2011 £
Returns on investments and servicing of finance		
Interest received	1,164	1,208
	2012 £	2011 £
Transactions with members		
Payments to members Repayments to former members Contributions by members	(16,736,940) (5,000)	(23,172,375) (5,000) 5,000
Net cash outflow from transactions with members	(16,741,940)	(23,172,375)

#### 11. ANALYSIS OF CHANGES IN NET FUNDS

1 January 2012	Cash flow	31 December 2012
£	£	£
3,750,693	743,547	4,494,240
3,750,693	743,547	4,494,240
	2012 £ 3,750,693	2012 £ £ 3,750,693 743,547

#### 12. PARENT UNDERTAKING

The LLP's immediate and ultimate parent undertaking is RWC Partners Limited, a company registered in England and Wales RWC Partners Limited heads the smallest and largest group of companies for which consolidated accounts including the company's position and results are available Copies of the consolidated accounts can be obtained from Companies House, Crown Way, Maindy, Cardiff CF14 3UZ