## **Croftdawn Limited**

Directors' Report and financial statements

For the year ended 31 March 2015

Registered Number: 4420030



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## Directors' Report

The directors present their report, together with the financial statements of the Company for year ended 31 March 2015.

#### Principal activities

The Company did not trade during the year. The only transactions relate to the receipt of bank and loan interest and dividends receivable and the administration of the Company. The Company is an investment holding company.

#### Review of business and future developments

The directors are satisfied with the performance of the Company during the financial year and its subsequent activities.

#### Results and dividends

The loss after taxation for the year amounted to £172,564 (2014: loss of £26,311).

No dividend is proposed.

#### Directors and their interests

The directors who held office during the year were as follows:

Mr RK Chamberlain

Mr DM Owen

The directors had no interests as at 31 March 2015 requiring disclosure under the Companies Act 2006.

# Statement of Directors' responsibilities in respect of the Directors' Report and the financial statements

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 they have elected to prepare the financial statements in accordance with UK Accounting Standards and applicable law (UK 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 each of the group and parent company financial statements, the directors are required to:

- select suitable accounting policies and then apply them consistently;
- make judgments 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; and
- 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 have general responsibility for taking such steps as are reasonably open to them to safeguard the assets of the company and to prevent and detect fraud and other irregularities.

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By order of the Board,

Anthony O'Brien

Secretary

22 December 2015

## Profit and loss account

For the year ended 31 March 2014

	Notes	2015 £	2014 £
Turnover	1		
Administrative expenses		102,231	120,044
Operating loss	2	(102,231)	(120,044)
Interest receivable Net	3	68,464	114,398
(Loss)/Profit on ordinary activities before taxation		(33,767)	(5,646)
Extraordinary Costs	5b)	(138,797)	(20,665)
Tax	4		
Retained Loss for the financial period		(172,564)	(26,311)

All amounts relate to continuing activities.

The Company has no recognised gains or losses other than the profit for the above financial year.

The notes on pages 5 to 7 form part of these financial statements.

### Balance sheet

As at 31 March 2014

		2015 £	2014 £
Fixed assets			
Investments	5a)	2,823,459	2,308,387
Current assets			
Debtors		53,626	46,080
Cash at bank		294,053	989,235
Total current assets		347,679	1,035,315
Net assets		3,171,138	3,343,702
Capital and reserves			
Called up share capital	6	9,200,000	9,200,000
Profit and loss account	7	(6,028,862)	(5,856,298)
Shareholders' funds	8	3,171,138	3,343,702

For the year ending 31 March 2015 the company was entitled to exemption from audit under section 477 of the Companies Act 2006 relating to small companies.

#### Directors' 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.
- the directors acknowledge their responsibilities for complying with the requirements of the Act with respect
  to accounting records and the preparation of accounts.

These accounts have been prepared in accordance with the provisions applicable to companies subject to the small companies regime.

Approved by the Board on 22 December 2015 and signed on its behalf

Director

The notes on pages 5 to 7 form part of the financial statements.

#### **Notes**

#### 1 Accounting policies

The financial statements have been prepared under the historical cost convention and are in accordance with applicable accounting standards.

The principal accounting policy of the Company is set out below:

#### a) Turnover

Turnover represents amounts receivable, excluding value added tax, for services provided in the ordinary course of business.

#### 2 Operating loss

2015 2014

The operating loss is stated after charging

Directors' remuneration

Nil

Nil

During the period the Company was charged fees of £102,000 (2014: £120,000) by Forward Venture Management Limited, a company in which RK Chamberlain and DM Owen are directors.

#### 3 Interest Receivable

	. 2015 £	. 2014 £
Bank Interest receivable	1,10 <del>4</del>	1,976
Interest receivable on loans	20,977	54,115
Dividend receivable	•	-
	46,383	58,307
	68,464	114,398
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4 Taxation		
	2015	2014
	<b>£</b> .	, <b>£</b>
Corporation tax on the results for the period at 21% (2013: 23%)		<u> </u>

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#### **Notes**

#### 5 Fixed asset investments

	Shares	Loans	Total
a) Cost	£	£	£
Start of year	691,916	4,343,127	5,035,043
Additions	1,997,458	77,636	2,075,094
Repaid/written off in year	(291,916)	(1,247,129)	(1,539,045)
Balance at end of year	2,397,458	3,173,634	5,571,092
Provisions			
Start of year	400,000	2,326,656	2,726,656
Made in the year	-	20,977	20,977
Balance at end of year	400,000	2,347,633	2,747,633
Net Book Value			
At end of year	1,997,458	826,001	2,823,459
At start of year	291,916	2,016,471	2,308,387
	2015	2014	
	£	£	
b) Profit & loss charge/(credit)			
Cost of investments written off	117,820	-	
Add provided for in the year	20,977	20,665	
	138,797	20,665	. • :
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Shares held are preference shares held in Mercia Technologies plc and Forward Group plc.

The Company has taken advantage of the exemption contained in Section 383 of the Companies Act 2006 and has not prepared group accounts for the financial year on the grounds that it qualifies as a small group.

Loans represent amounts advanced to various associated undertakings:

Forward Group plc registered in England
Multifleet Vehicle Management Limited registered in England
Direct Homebuyers Limited registered in England

Any provisions made in the year represent amounts considered unrecoverable as at the date of signing these accounts.

## Notes

6 Called up share capital		
	2015	2014
	£	£
Ordinary shares of £1 each		
Allotted called up and fully paid	9,200,000	9,200,000
7 Profit and loss account		
	2015 £	2014 £
At start of year	(5,856,298)	(5,829,987)
Profit/(loss) for the financial year	(172,564)	(26,311)
At end of year	(6,028,862)	(5,856,298)
8 Reconciliation of movement in shareholders' funds		
	2015	2014
	£	£
Opening shareholders' funds	3,343,702	3,370,013
loss for the financial year	(172,564)	(26,311)
Closing shareholders' funds	3,171,138	3,343,702

#### 10 Ultimate parent company

The ultimate parent company is Windlake Consultants Corporation, a company registered in Tortola, British Virgin Islands.