

REGISTERED NUMBER: OC342205 (England and Wales)

UNAUDITED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2017

FOR

RETAIL BANK CONSULTING GROUP LLP

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FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2017**

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RETAIL BANK CONSULTING GROUP LLP

**GENERAL INFORMATION
FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2017**

DESIGNATED MEMBERS:

A D A Martin
Ms A J King

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REGISTERED NUMBER:

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ACCOUNTANTS:

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Chartered Certified Accountants
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BALANCE SHEET
31 DECEMBER 2017

	Notes	2017 £	£	2016 £	£
FIXED ASSETS					
Tangible assets	3		18,855		128,857
CURRENT ASSETS					
Debtors	4	31,083		1,340	
Cash at bank		<u>312</u>		<u>2,655</u>	
		31,395		3,995	
CREDITORS					
Amounts falling due within one year	5	<u>3,825</u>		<u>19,010</u>	
NET CURRENT ASSETS/(LIABILITIES)			<u>27,570</u>		<u>(15,015)</u>
TOTAL ASSETS LESS CURRENT LIABILITIES			46,425		113,842
CREDITORS					
Amounts falling due after more than one year	6		-		80,635
NET ASSETS ATTRIBUTABLE TO MEMBERS			<u>46,425</u>		<u>33,207</u>
LOANS AND OTHER DEBTS DUE TO MEMBERS	8		<u>46,425</u>		<u>33,207</u>
TOTAL MEMBERS' INTERESTS					
Loans and other debts due to members	8		<u>46,425</u>		<u>33,207</u>

The LLP is entitled to exemption from audit under Section 477 of the Companies Act 2006 as applied to LLPs by the Limited Liability Partnerships (Accounts and Audit) (Application of Companies Act 2006) Regulations 2008 for the year ended 31 December 2017.

The members acknowledge their responsibilities for:

- ensuring that the LLP keeps accounting records which comply with Sections 386 and 387 of the Companies Act 2006 as applied to LLPs by the Limited Liability Partnerships (Accounts and Audit) (Application of Companies Act 2006) Regulations 2008 and
- preparing financial statements which give a true and fair view of the state of affairs of the LLP as at the end of each financial year and of its profit or loss for each financial year in accordance with the requirements of Sections 394 and 395 and which otherwise comply with the requirements of the Companies Act 2006 as applied to LLPs by the Limited Liability Partnerships (Accounts and Audit) (Application of Companies Act 2006) Regulations 2008 relating to financial statements, so far as applicable to the LLP.

BALANCE SHEET - continued
31 DECEMBER 2017

The financial statements have been prepared and delivered in accordance with the provisions of Part 15 of the Companies Act 2006 as applied to LLPs by the Limited Liability Partnerships (Accounts and Audit) (Application of Companies Act 2006) Regulations 2008 relating to small LLPs.

In accordance with Section 444 of the Companies Act 2006 as applied to LLPs by the Limited Liability Partnerships (Accounts and Audit) (Application of Companies Act 2006) Regulations 2008, the Income Statement has not been delivered.

The financial statements were approved by the members of the LLP on 16 April 2018 and were signed by:

A D A Martin - Designated member

Ms A J King - Designated member

**NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2017**

1. STATUTORY INFORMATION

Retail Bank Consulting Group LLP is registered in England and Wales. The LLP's registered number and registered office address can be found on the General Information page.

2. ACCOUNTING POLICIES

Basis of preparing the financial statements

These financial statements have been prepared in accordance with the provisions of Section 1A "Small Entities" of Financial Reporting Standard 102 "The Financial Reporting Standard applicable in the UK and Republic of Ireland" and the requirements of the Statement of Recommended Practice, Accounting by Limited Liability Partnerships. The financial statements have been prepared under the historical cost convention.

Turnover

Turnover is measured at the fair value of the consideration received or receivable, excluding discounts, rebates, value added tax and other sales taxes.

Tangible fixed assets

Depreciation is provided at the following annual rates in order to write off each asset over its estimated useful life or, if held under a finance lease, over the lease term, whichever is the shorter.

Fixtures and fittings	- 20% on reducing balance
Motor vehicles	- 25% on reducing balance

Hire purchase and leasing commitments

Assets obtained under hire purchase contracts or finance leases are capitalised in the balance sheet. Those held under hire purchase contracts are depreciated over their estimated useful lives. Those held under finance leases are depreciated over their estimated useful lives or the lease term, whichever is the shorter.

The interest element of these obligations is charged to profit or loss over the relevant period. The capital element of the future payments is treated as a liability.

Rentals paid under operating leases are charged to profit or loss on a straight line basis over the period of the lease.

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3. TANGIBLE FIXED ASSETS

	Fixtures and fittings £	Motor vehicles £	Totals £
COST			
At 1 January 2017	7,231	168,244	175,475
Disposals	-	(138,529)	(138,529)
At 31 December 2017	<u>7,231</u>	<u>29,715</u>	<u>36,946</u>
DEPRECIATION			
At 1 January 2017	4,556	42,062	46,618
Charge for year	535	5,571	6,106
Eliminated on disposal	-	(34,633)	(34,633)
At 31 December 2017	<u>5,091</u>	<u>13,000</u>	<u>18,091</u>
NET BOOK VALUE			
At 31 December 2017	<u>2,140</u>	<u>16,715</u>	<u>18,855</u>
At 31 December 2016	<u>2,675</u>	<u>126,182</u>	<u>128,857</u>

Fixed assets, included in the above, which are held under hire purchase contracts are as follows:

	Motor vehicles £
COST	
At 1 January 2017	138,529
Disposals	(138,529)
At 31 December 2017	-
DEPRECIATION	
At 1 January 2017	34,633
Eliminated on disposal	(34,633)
At 31 December 2017	-
NET BOOK VALUE	
At 31 December 2017	-
At 31 December 2016	<u>103,896</u>

4. DEBTORS: AMOUNTS FALLING DUE WITHIN ONE YEAR

	2017 £	2016 £
Other debtors	31,083	780
Prepayments	-	560
	<u>31,083</u>	<u>1,340</u>

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5. CREDITORS: AMOUNTS FALLING DUE WITHIN ONE YEAR

	2017	2016
	£	£
Hire purchase contracts (see note 7)	-	15,185
VAT	2,865	2,865
Accrued expenses	960	960
	<u>3,825</u>	<u>19,010</u>

6. CREDITORS: AMOUNTS FALLING DUE AFTER MORE THAN ONE YEAR

	2017	2016
	£	£
Hire purchase contracts (see note 7)	<u>-</u>	<u>80,635</u>

7. LEASING AGREEMENTS

Minimum lease payments fall due as follows:

	Hire purchase contracts	
	2017	2016
	£	£
Net obligations repayable:		
Within one year	-	15,185
Between one and five years	-	80,635
	<u>-</u>	<u>95,820</u>

	Non-cancellable operating leases	
	2017	2016
	£	£
Within one year	9,600	-
Between one and five years	10,400	-
	<u>20,000</u>	<u>-</u>

8. LOANS AND OTHER DEBTS DUE TO MEMBERS

Loans and other debts due to members rank equally with debts due to unsecured creditors in the event of a winding up. There is no provision for specific legally enforceable protection afforded to creditors in such an event. There are no restrictions or limitations on the ability of the members to reduce the amount of 'Members' other interests'.

9. RELATED PARTY DISCLOSURES

During the year the LLP invoiced management charges of £50,240 (2016: £44,721) to Retail & Financial Services Limited, a company of which A D A Martin is also a director and shareholder.

**CHARTERED CERTIFIED ACCOUNTANTS' REPORT TO THE MEMBERS
ON THE UNAUDITED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS OF
RETAIL BANK CONSULTING GROUP LLP**

The following reproduces the text of the report prepared for the members in respect of the LLP's annual unaudited financial statements. In accordance with the Companies Act 2006, the LLP is only required to file a Balance Sheet. Readers are cautioned that the Income Statement and certain other primary statements and the Report of the Members are not required to be filed with the Registrar of Companies.

In order to assist you to fulfil your duties under the Companies Act 2006 as applied to LLPs by the Limited Liability Partnerships (Accounts and Audit) (Application of Companies Act 2006) Regulations 2008, we have prepared for your approval the financial statements of Retail Bank Consulting Group LLP for the year ended 31 December 2017 which comprise the Income Statement, Balance Sheet and the related notes from the LLP's accounting records and from information and explanations you have given us.

As a practising member firm of the Association of Chartered Certified Accountants, we are subject to its ethical and other professional requirements which are detailed at <http://www.accaglobal.com/rulebook>.

This report is made solely to the members of Retail Bank Consulting Group LLP, as a body, in accordance with our terms of engagement. Our work has been undertaken solely to prepare for your approval the financial statements of Retail Bank Consulting Group LLP and state those matters that we have agreed to state to the members of Retail Bank Consulting Group LLP, as a body, in this report in accordance with the requirements of the Association of Chartered Certified Accountants as detailed at <http://www.accaglobal.com/factsheet163>. To the fullest extent permitted by law, we do not accept or assume responsibility to anyone other than the LLP and its members, as a body, for our work or for this report.

It is your duty to ensure that Retail Bank Consulting Group LLP has kept adequate accounting records and to prepare statutory financial statements that give a true and fair view of the assets, liabilities, financial position and profit of Retail Bank Consulting Group LLP. You consider that Retail Bank Consulting Group LLP is exempt from the statutory audit requirement for the year.

We have not been instructed to carry out an audit or a review of the financial statements of Retail Bank Consulting Group LLP. For this reason, we have not verified the accuracy or completeness of the accounting records or information and explanations you have given to us and we do not, therefore, express any opinion on the statutory financial statements.

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16 April 2018

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