### **COMPANY REGISTRATION NUMBER 00012738**

# BOLTON INCORPORATED LAW SOCIETY (A COMPANY LIMITED BY GUARANTEE) DIRECTORS' REPORT AND ACCOUNTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 OCTOBER 2010

**HILL ECKERSLEY & CO. LTD** 

Chartered Accountants 62 Chorley New Road Bolton Lancashire BL1 4BY



### **DIRECTORS' REPORT AND ACCOUNTS**

### YEAR ENDED 31 OCTOBER 2010

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### **OFFICERS AND PROFESSIONAL ADVISERS**

The board of directors Mr J Egan (President)

Mr J Barker (Vice President)

Company secretaries Mr J Egan and Mr A McLoughlin

Registered office 20 Wood Street

Bolton BL1 1DY

Treasurer / librarian Mr N Horsfall

Accountants Hill Eckersley & Co Ltd

Chartered Accountants 62 Chorley New Road

Bolton Lancashire BL1 4BY

Bankers The Royal Bank of Scotland pic

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Bolton Lancashire BL1 1BH

### THE DIRECTORS' REPORT

### YEAR ENDED 31 OCTOBER 2010

The directors have pleasure in presenting their report and the unaudited Directors' Report and Accounts of the company for the year ended 31 October 2010

### PRINCIPAL ACTIVITIES

The company is limited by guarantee and has no share capital. The company's principal activity continues to be that of The Bolton Incorporated Law Society

#### **DIRECTORS**

The directors who served the company during the year and up to the date of this report are listed on page 1

In addition to the officers listed on page 1, the following members who all served throughout the year, make up the committee

Mr I Ahmed

Mr J Birtwell

Mrs J Bromley

Mr D Gradwell

Mrs K Hall

Mr P Hayes

Mr A Hussain

Mr N Lewis

Mr C Rayner

Mrs F Schofield

Mr A Shimmin

Mrs J Wightman

### **SMALL COMPANY PROVISIONS**

Approved by the directors on 21 December 2010

This report has been prepared in accordance with the special provisions for small companies under Part 15 of the Companies Act 2006

Registered office 20 Wood Street Bolton BL1 1DY Signed on behalf of the directors

MR J EGAN AND MR A McLOUGHLIN
Joint Secretaries

Joint Sec

### ACCOUNTANTS' REPORT TO THE DIRECTORS OF BOLTON INCORPORATED LAW SOCIETY

### YEAR ENDED 31 OCTOBER 2010

As described on the balance sheet, the directors of the company are responsible for the preparation of the Directors' Report and Accounts for the year ended 31 October 2010, set out on pages 4 to 6

You consider that the company is exempt from an audit under the Companies Act 2006

In accordance with your instructions we have compiled these unaudited Directors' Report and Accounts in order to assist you to fulfil your statutory responsibilities, from the accounting records and information and explanations supplied to us

HILL ECKERSLEY & CO LTD Chartered Accountants

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62 Chorley New Road Bolton Lancashire BL1 4BY

21 December 2010

### **PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT**

### YEAR ENDED 31 OCTOBER 2010

	Note	2010 £	2009 £
TURNOVER		11,245	23,142
Administrative expenses Other operating income	2	16,070 -	20,243 (327)
OPERATING (LOSS)/PROFIT	3	(4,825)	3,226
Interest receivable		205	375
(LOSS)/PROFIT ON ORDINARY ACTIVITIES BEFORE TAXAT	ION	(4,620)	3,601
Tax on (loss)/profit on ordinary activities		_	_
(LOSS)/PROFIT FOR THE FINANCIAL YEAR		(4,620)	3,601
Balance brought forward		54,982	51,381
Balance carried forward		50,362	54,982

The notes on page 4 form part of these Directors' Report and Accounts.

### **BALANCE SHEET**

#### **31 OCTOBER 2010**

		2010		2009
	Note	£	£	£
CURRENT ASSETS				
Debtors	4	3,448		1,324
Cash at bank and in hand		47,894		55,526
		51,342		56,850
CREDITORS: Amounts falling due within one year	5	980		1,868
NET CURRENT ASSETS		<del></del>	50,362	54,982
TOTAL ASSETS LESS CURRENT LIABILITIES			50,362	54,982
RESERVES	6			
Profit and loss account			50,362	54,982
MEMBERS' FUNDS			50,362	54,982

The directors are satisfied that the company is entitled to exemption from the provisions of the Companies Act 2006 (the Act) relating to the audit of the Directors' Report and Accounts for the year by virtue of section 477, and that no member or members have requested an audit pursuant to section 476 of the Act

The directors acknowledge their responsibilities for

- (i) ensuring that the company keeps adequate accounting records which comply with section 386 of the Act, and
- (ii) preparing Directors' Report and Accounts which give a true and fair view of the state of affairs of the company as at the end of the financial year and of its profit or loss for the financial year in accordance with the requirements of section 393, and which otherwise comply with the requirements of the Act relating to Directors' Report and Accounts, so far as applicable to the company

These Directors' Report and Accounts have been prepared in accordance with the special provisions for small companies under Part 15 of the Companies Act 2006 and with the Financial Reporting Standard for Smaller Entities (effective April 2008)

These Directors' Report and Accounts were approved by the directors and authorised for issue on 21 December 2010, and are signed on their behalf by

MR J BGAN (PRESIDENT)

Directo

Company Registration Number 00012738

The notes on page 5 form part of these Directors' Report and Accounts.

### NOTES TO THE DIRECTORS' REPORT AND ACCOUNTS

#### **YEAR ENDED 31 OCTOBER 2010**

### 1. ACCOUNTING POLICIES

#### Basis of accounting

The Directors' Report and Accounts have been prepared under the historical cost convention, and in accordance with the Financial Reporting Standard for Smaller Entities (effective April 2008)

#### Turnover

The turnover shown in the profit and loss account represents amounts invoiced during the year

In respect of long-term contracts and contracts for on-going services, turnover represents the value of work done in the year, including estimates of amounts not invoiced. Turnover in respect of long-term contracts and contracts for on-going services is recognised by reference to the stage of completion.

#### 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 company after deducting all of its liabilities.

### 2. OTHER OPERATING INCOME

	Other operating income	2010 £	2009 £ 327
3.	OPERATING (LOSS)/PROFIT		
	Operating (loss)/profit is stated after crediting		
	Directors' remuneration	2010 £	2009 £
4.	DEBTORS		
	Prepayments and accrued income	2010 £ 3,448	2009 £ 1,324
5.	CREDITORS: Amounts falling due within one year		
	Accruals and deferred income	2010 £ 980	2009 £ 1,868

### 6. COMPANY LIMITED BY GUARANTEE

The Society is a Company Limited by Guarantee as defined by the Companies Acts

MANAGEMENT INFORMATION
YEAR ENDED 31 OCTOBER 2010

The following page does not form part of the statutory Directors' Report and Accounts

### **DETAILED PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT**

### YEAR ENDED 31 OCTOBER 2010

	2010		2009
	£	£	£
TURNOVER		<b>=</b> 000	0.700
Member Subscriptions		7,080	8,700
Locker Rents Annual Dinner		209	6,390 (1,438)
Law Seminars		405	6,441
Charity Ball		3,576	3,049
Winetasting evening		(25)	-
		11,245	23,142
OVERHEADS			
Salaries	7,885		8,242
Rent, rates and Electric	1,367		3,497
Repairs and renewals	1,203		206
Telephone, postage, stationery, Insurance and miscellaneous	5,063		7,746
Accountancy fees	552		552
		16,070	20,243
		(4,825)	2,899
OTHER OPERATING INCOME			
On line filing incentives		_	327
OPERATING (LOSS)/PROFIT		(4,825)	3,226
Deposit account interest received net		205	375
(LOSS)/PROFIT ON ORDINARY ACTIVITIES		$(\overline{4,620})$	3,601