Registration number 00267319

**Abbreviated accounts** 

for the year ended 31 January 2014

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### Report to the directors on the preparation of the unaudited financial statements of J W STRINGER LIMITED

In order to assist you to fulfil your duties under the Companies Act 2006, we have prepared for your approval the accounts of J W Stringer Ltd for the year ended 31 January 2014 which comprise the Balance Sheet and the related notes from the accounting records and information and explanations you have given to 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 www.accaglobal.com.

This report is made solely to the Board of Directors of J W Stringer Ltd as a body, in accordance with the terms of our engagement letter. Our work has been undertaken solely to prepare for your approval the accounts of J W Stringer Ltd and state those matters that we have agreed to state to the Board of Directors of J W Stringer Ltd, as a body, in this report in accordance with the requirements of the Association of Chartered Certified Accountants as detailed at www.accaglobal.com. To the fullest extent permitted by law, we do not accept or assume responsibility to anyone other than J W Stringer Ltd and its Board of Directors, as a body, for our work or for this report.

It is your duty to ensure that J W Stringer Ltd has kept adequate accounting records and to prepare financial statements that give a true and fair view of the assets, liabilities, financial position and profit of J W Stringer Ltd. You consider that the company is exempt from the statutory requirement for an audit for the year.

We have not been instructed to carry out an audit or review of the accounts of J W Stringer Ltd. 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 financial statements.

Clarke Broome & Fleming

**Chartered Certified Accountants** 

223 Church Street Blackpool FY1 3PB

16 April 2014

# Abbreviated balance sheet as at 31 January 2014

	2014		2013		
	Notes	£	£	£	£
Fixed assets					
Tangible assets	2		1,555,396		1,617,625
Current assets					
Stocks		431,240		401,705	
Debtors		47,582		50,216	
Cash at bank and in hand		359,258		306,297	
		838,080		758,218	
Creditors: amounts falling					
due within one year		(544,716)		(502,929)	
Net current assets			293,364		255,289
Total assets less current					
liabilities			1,848,760		1,872,914
Creditors: amounts falling due					
after more than one year	3		(111,298)		(226,796)
Provisions for liabilities			(48,840)		(55,663)
Net assets			1,688,622		1,590,455
Capital and reserves					
Called up share capital	4		7,000		7,000
Profit and loss account			1,681,622		1,583,455
Shareholders' funds			1,688,622		1,590,455

The directors' statements required by Sections 475(2) and (3) are shown on the following page which forms part of this Balance Sheet.

#### Abbreviated balance sheet (continued)

## Directors' statements required by Sections 475(2) and (3) for the year ended 31 January 2014

In approving these abbreviated accounts as directors of the company we hereby confirm:

- (a) that for the year stated above the company was entitled to the exemption conferred by Section 477 of the Companies Act 2006;
- (b) that no notice has been deposited at the registered office of the company pursuant to Section 476 requesting that an audit be conducted for the year ended 31 January 2014; and
- (c) that we acknowledge our responsibilities for:
  - (1) ensuring that the company keeps accounting records which comply with Section 386; and
  - (2) preparing financial statements 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 year then ended in accordance with the requirements of Section 393 and which otherwise comply with the provisions of the Companies Act 2006 relating to financial statements, so far as applicable to the company.

These abbreviated accounts have been prepared in accordance with the special provisions of Part 15 of the Companies Act 2006 relating to small companies.

The abbreviated accounts were approved by the Board on 16 April 2014 and signed on its behalf by

L Clarke

Director

Registration number 00267319

## Notes to the abbreviated financial statements for the year ended 31 January 2014

#### 1. Accounting policies

#### 1.1. Accounting convention

The accounts are prepared under the historical cost convention and in accordance with the Financial Reporting Standard for Smaller Entities (effective April 2008).

#### 1.2. Turnover

Turnover represents the total invoice value, excluding value added tax, of sales made during the year.

#### 1.3. Tangible fixed assets and depreciation

Depreciation is provided at rates calculated to write off the cost less residual value of each asset over its expected useful life, as follows:

Land and buildings

Straight line over two hundred years

Leasehold properties

Straight line over the life of the lease

Fixtures, fittings

and equipment

15%/20% on the reducing balance

#### 1.4. Leasing

Rentals payable under operating leases are charged against income on a straight line basis over the lease term.

#### 1.5. Stock

Stock is valued at the lower of cost and net realisable value.

#### 1.6. Pensions

The pension costs charged in the financial statements represent the contribution payable by the Company during the year.

#### 1.7. Deferred taxation

Provision is made for deferred taxation using the liability method to take account of timing differences between the incidence of income and expenditure for taxation and accounting purposes except to the extent that the directors consider that a liability to taxation is unlikely to materialise.

# Notes to the abbreviated financial statements for the year ended 31 January 2014

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2.	Fixed assets		angible fixed assets £
	Cost		
	At 1 February 2013	:	2,793,741
	Additions		10,263
	At 31 January 2014		2,804,004
	Depreciation		
	At 1 February 2013		1,176,116
	Charge for year		72,492
	At 31 January 2014		1,248,608
	Net book values		
	At 31 January 2014		1,555,396
	At 31 January 2013		1,617,625
3.	Creditors: amounts falling due	2014	2013
	after more than one year	£	£
	Creditors include the following:		
	Secured creditors	100,798	216,296

The bank loan is secured by a legal charge over the Company's freehold and leasehold properties.

## Notes to the abbreviated financial statements for the year ended 31 January 2014

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4.	Share capital	2014	2013
	•	£	£
	Allotted, called up and fully paid		
	7,000 Ordinary Shares of 1 each	7,000	7,000
	10,500 8% Preference Shares of 1 each	10,500	10,500
		17,500	17,500
	Equity Shares		
	7,000 Ordinary Shares of 1 each	7,000	7,000
	Shares classed as financial liabilities		
	10,500 8% Preference Shares of 1 each	10,500	10,500
		10,500	10,500

#### 5. Related party transactions

Mr M V Clarke, the company secretary, is principal of Clarke Broome & Fleming, who have undertaken, on normal commercial terms, accountancy and secretarial work throughout the year amounting to £10,800 (2013-£10,800)

Dividends paid to the directors of the company amounted to £9,425.