Report of the Directors and

**Consolidated Financial Statements** 

for the Year Ended 31st December 2012

for

WILSONS AUTOMOBILES & COACHWORKS LIMITED

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### WILSONS AUTOMOBILES & COACHWORKS LIMITED

## Company Information for the year ended 31st December 2012

**DIRECTORS:** 

I A Wilson
Ms T Wilson
Ms M Wilson
Mrs T Wilson
Mrs G Storr
J Butler
D M Wheatcroft

SECRETARY.

Mrs T Wilson

REGISTERED OFFICE.

Nonsuch Business Park

Kıln Lane Epsom Surrey KT17 1BH

**REGISTERED NUMBER:** 

00272743

**AUDITORS** 

Simpson Wreford & Partners Chartered Accountants Registered Auditors Suffolk House George Street Croydon CR0 0YN

## Report of the Directors for the year ended 31st December 2012

The directors present their report with the financial statements of the company and the group for the year ended 31st December 2012

#### PRINCIPAL ACTIVITY

The principal activity of the group in the year under review was that of trading in the servicing, hiring and sales of motor vehicles

#### **REVIEW OF BUSINESS**

The business continued to perform reasonably well throughout the financial year despite the continued tough economic climate. Turnover levels have remained consistent for the second year in succession.

The gross profit margin stands at 20 5% for the year (2011 - 21 5%) The company's gross profit margin has slowly reduced over the past 4 years from 23 0% in 2009 to 20 5% in 2012. Costs of parts and materials have continued to rise in recent years and the internet has now opened up a wider market for customers, which has ultimately increased competition, especially in the used car market. Used car sales have maintained their margins however sales volume has decreased by 10% in 2012.

The year has however seen a resurgence in the sale of new vehicles. New vehicles sales were up by 16% on 2011. The low interest rates and finance deals available, soaring costs of petrol and high house prices are some of factors, behind the increase in the new car market in the opinion of industry experts.

The directors have made an effort to save on overhead expenditure, in an attempt to counter the fall in gross profit margins, and have managed to achieve significant savings in 2012

The profit before tax of £686.684 represents a 56% improvement on the prior years profit

At the end of the financial year the business is in a strong financial position. Net assets are now £17.5m

The average number of employees during the year was 199, (2011 - 209) as staffing was streamlined in 2012

There were no environmental matters that need to be raised in this report

No distributions were made in the period as the business continued to reinvest profits to fund future growth

The directors consider that the principal risks and uncertainties facing the company are those trading risks prevalent throughout the industry and the directors do not believe that there are any other significant risks, unique to the company, requiring explanation, with the business well placed to continue to grow with its strong used car sales arm and multiple dealer franchises

#### **DIVIDENDS**

The directors do not recommend payment of a final dividend

#### DIRECTORS

The directors shown below have held office during the whole of the period from 1st January 2012 to the date of this report

I A Wilson Ms T Wilson Ms M Wilson Mrs T Wilson Mrs G Storr J Butler

Other changes in directors holding office are as follows

S J Billings - resigned 31st July 2012 Mrs J Elleson - resigned 20th June 2012 D M Wheatcroft - appointed 1st August 2012



#### Report of the Directors for the year ended 31st December 2012

#### **GROUP'S POLICY ON PAYMENT OF CREDITORS**

The group's standard payment practice is for payment to be made to suppliers within 30 days of the invoice date Information can be obtained from Wilsons A&C Ltd, Nonsuch Business Park, Kiln Lane, Epsom, KT17 1BH

This code of practice is applicable to all suppliers and the terms of payment are agreed with suppliers at the time the transaction occurs. The ratio of 'creditor days' in respect of the year ended 31st December 2012 is calculated at 20 days. (2011 - 17 days)

#### STATEMENT OF DIRECTORS' RESPONSIBILITIES

The directors are responsible for preparing the Report of the Directors 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 the directors have elected to prepare the financial statements in accordance with United Kingdom Generally Accepted Accounting Practice (United Kingdom Accounting Standards and applicable law) 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 the group and of the profit or loss of the group for that period In preparing these financial statements, the directors are required to

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

The directors are responsible for keeping adequate accounting records that are sufficient to show and explain the company's and the group's transactions and disclose with reasonable accuracy at any time the financial position of the company and the group 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 company and the group and hence for taking reasonable steps for the prevention and detection of fraud and other irregularities

#### STATEMENT AS TO DISCLOSURE OF INFORMATION TO AUDITORS

So far as the directors are aware, there is no relevant audit information (as defined by Section 418 of the Companies Act 2006) of which the group's auditors are unaware, and each director has taken all the steps that he or she ought to have taken as a director in order to make himself or herself aware of any relevant audit information and to establish that the group's auditors are aware of that information

The auditors, Simpson Wreford & Partners, will be proposed for re-appointment at the forthcoming Annual General Meeting

ON BEHALF OF THE BOARD

J Butler - Director
Date 17 9 13

## Report of the Independent Auditors to the Members of Wilsons Automobiles & Coachworks Limited

We have audited the financial statements of Wilsons Automobiles & Coachworks Limited for the year ended 31st December 2012 on pages five to twenty three. 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 company's members, as a body, in accordance with Chapter 3 of Part 16 of the Companies Act 2006. Our audit work has been undertaken so that we might state to the company's members those matters we are required to state to them in a Report of the Auditors and for no other purpose. To the fullest extent permitted by law, we do not accept or assume responsibility to anyone other than the company and the company's members as a body, for our audit work, for this report, or for the opinions we have formed

#### Respective responsibilities of directors and auditors

As explained more fully in the Statement of Directors' Responsibilities set out on page three, the directors 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 group's and the parent company's circumstances and have been consistently applied and adequately disclosed, the reasonableness of significant accounting estimates made by the directors, and the overall presentation of the financial statements. In addition, we read all the financial and non-financial information in the Report of the Directors to identify material inconsistencies with the audited financial statements. If we become aware of any apparent material misstatements or inconsistencies we consider the implications for our report.

#### Opinion on financial statements

In our opinion the financial statements

- give a true and fair view of the state of the group's and of the parent company's affairs as at 31st December 2012 and of the group's profit 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

#### Opinion on other matter prescribed by the Companies Act 2006

Christopher Attinson

In our opinion the information given in the Report of the Directors for the financial year for which the financial statements are prepared is consistent with the financial statements

#### 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 requires us to report to you if, in our opinion

- adequate accounting records have not been kept by the parent company, or returns adequate for our audit have not been received from branches not visited by us, or
- the parent company financial statements are not in agreement with the accounting records and returns, or
- certain disclosures of directors' remuneration specified by law are not made, or
- we have not received all the information and explanations we require for our audit

Christopher Atkinson (Senior Statutory Auditor) for and on behalf of Simpson Wreford & Partners

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Chartered Accountants
Registered Auditors
Suffolk House
George Street

Croydon CR0 0YN

Date

# Consolidated Profit and Loss Account for the year ended 31st December 2012

|   | Notes | 31 12 12<br>£ | 31 12 11<br>£ |
|---|-------|---------------|---------------|
| TURNOVER                                      | 2     | 61,319,518    | 60,677,517    |
| Cost of sales                                 |       | 48,469,314    | 47,590,265    |
| GROSS PROFIT                                  |       | 12,850,204    | 13,087,252    |
| Administrative expenses                       |       | 12,290,994    | 12,747,479    |
|   |       | 559,210       | 339,773       |
| Other operating income                        |       | 145,751       | 145,751       |
| OPERATING PROFIT                              | 4     | 704,961       | 485,524       |
| Interest payable and similar charges          | 5     | 18,277        | 46,455        |
| PROFIT ON ORDINARY ACTIVITIES BEFORE TAXATION | 3     | 686,684       | 439,069       |
| Tax on profit on ordinary activities          | 6     | 191,429       | 339,534       |
| PROFIT FOR THE FINANCIAL YEAR FOR THE GROUP   | t     | 495,255       | 99,535        |

### **CONTINUING OPERATIONS**

None of the group's activities were acquired or discontinued during the current year or previous year

# Consolidated Statement of Total Recognised Gains and Losses for the year ended 31st December 2012

|   | 31 12 12           | 31 12 11    |
|---|--------------------|-------------|
|   | £                  | £           |
| PROFIT FOR THE FINANCIAL YEAR Revaluation of land and buildings | 495,255            | 99,535      |
|   | <del></del>        |             |
| TOTAL RECOGNISED GAINS AND LOSSES                               |                    |             |
| RELATING TO THE YEAR  | 495,255            | 99,535      |
|   |                    |             |
| Note of Historical Cost   | Profits and Losses |             |
| for the year ended 31s  |                    |             |
|   |                    |             |
|   | 31 12 12           | 31 12 11    |
|   | £                  | £           |
| REPORTED PROFIT ON ORDINARY ACTIVITIES                          |                    |             |
| BEFORE TAXATION   | 686,684            | 439,069     |
| Difference between the historical cost                          |                    |             |
| depreciation charge and the actual                              |                    |             |
| depreciation charge for the year                                |                    |             |
| calculated on the revalued amount                               | 60,871             | 61,171      |
| HISTORICAL COST PROFIT ON ORDINARY                              |                    | <del></del> |
| ACTIVITIES BEFORE TAXATION                                      | 747 555            | 500 240     |
| ACTIVITIES BEFORE TAXATION                                      | 747,555            | 500,240     |
|   |                    |             |
| HISTORICAL COST PROFIT FOR THE YEAR                             |                    |             |
| RETAINED AFTER TAXATION   | 556,126            | 160,706     |
|   | <del></del>        | <del></del> |

### **Consolidated Balance Sheet** 31st December 2012

|   |       | 31 12      | 2 12       | 31 12      | · 11       |
|---|-------|------------|------------|------------|------------|
|   | Notes | £          | £          | £          | £          |
| FIXED ASSETS                                  | _     |            |            |            |            |
| Tangible assets                               | 9     |            | 11,352,737 |            | 11,605,820 |
| Investments                                   | 10    |            | 58,848     |            | 58,848     |
|   |       |            | 11,411,585 |            | 11,664,668 |
| CURRENT ASSETS                                |       |            |            |            |            |
| Stocks  | 11    | 9,409,375  |            | 9,769,050  |            |
| Debtors                                       | 12    | 1,514,132  |            | 1,441,012  |            |
| Cash at bank and in hand                      |       | 305,412    |            | 284,905    |            |
|   |       | 11,228,919 |            | 11,494,967 |            |
| CREDITORS Amounts falling due within one year | 13    | 5,025,322  |            | 6,025,637  |            |
| Amounts failing due within one year           | 13    | 3,023,322  |            | 0,023,037  |            |
| NET CURRENT ASSETS                            |       |            | 6,203,597  |            | 5,469,330  |
| TOTAL ASSETS LESS CURRENT                     |       |            |            |            |            |
| LIABILITIES                                   |       |            | 17,615,182 |            | 17,133,998 |
| PROVISIONS FOR LIABILITIES                    | 17    |            | 122,420    |            | 136,491    |
| NET ASSETS                                    |       |            | 17,492,762 |            | 16,997,507 |
| CARIMAL AND DESCRIVES                         |       |            |            |            |            |
| CAPITAL AND RESERVES Called up share capital  | 18    |            | 164,100    |            | 164,100    |
| Share premium                                 | 19    |            | 1,787,974  |            | 1,787,974  |
| Revaluation reserve                           | 19    |            | 2,983,854  |            | 3,044,725  |
| Capital redemption reserve                    | 19    |            | 105,370    |            | 105,370    |
| Profit and loss account                       | 19    |            | 12,451,464 |            | 11,895,338 |
| SHAREHOLDERS' FUNDS                           | 23    |            | 17,492,762 |            | 16,997,507 |

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J Butler - Director

## **Company Balance Sheet** 31st December 2012

|                                     |       | 31 12      | 2 12       | 31 12      |            |
|-------------------------------------|-------|------------|------------|------------|------------|
|                                     | Notes | £          | £          | £          | £          |
| FIXED ASSETS                        | _     |            |            |            |            |
| Tangible assets                     | 9     |            | 10,646,848 |            | 10,899,931 |
| Investments                         | 10    |            | 159,048    |            | 159,048    |
|                                     |       |            | 10,805,896 |            | 11,058,979 |
| CURRENT ASSETS                      |       |            |            |            |            |
| Stocks                              | 11    | 9,409,375  |            | 9,769,050  |            |
| Debtors                             | 12    | 2,220,020  |            | 2,146,901  |            |
| Cash at bank                        |       | 305,312    |            | 284,805    |            |
|                                     |       | 11,934,707 |            | 12,200,756 |            |
| CREDITORS                           |       |            |            |            |            |
| Amounts falling due within one year | 13    | 5,125,422  |            | 6,125,738  |            |
| NET CURRENT ASSETS                  |       |            | 6,809,285  |            | 6,075,018  |
| TOTAL ASSETS LESS CURRENT           |       |            |            |            |            |
| LIABILITIES                         |       |            | 17,615,181 |            | 17,133,997 |
| PROVISIONS FOR LIABILITIES          | 17    |            | 122,420    |            | 136,491    |
| NET ASSETS                          |       |            | 17,492,761 |            | 16,997,506 |
| CAPITAL AND RESERVES                |       |            |            |            |            |
| Called up share capital             | 18    |            | 164,100    |            | 164,100    |
| Share premium                       | 19    |            | 1,787,974  |            | 1,787,974  |
| Revaluation reserve                 | 19    |            | 2,983,854  |            | 3,044,725  |
| Capital redemption reserve          | 19    |            | 105,370    |            | 105,370    |
| Profit and loss account             | 19    |            | 12,451,463 |            | 11,895,337 |
| SHAREHOLDERS' FUNDS                 | 23    |            | 17,492,761 |            | 16,997,506 |

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J Butler - Director

# Consolidated Cash Flow Statement for the year ended 31st December 2012

|   |       | 31 12     | 12                       | 31 12   | 11                     |
|---|-------|-----------|--------------------------|---------|------------------------|
| Net cash inflow   | Notes | £         | £                        | £       | £                      |
| from operating activities                                     | 1     |           | 1,853,575                |         | 1,102,686              |
| Returns on investments and servicing of finance               | 2     |           | (18,277)                 |         | (46,455)               |
| Taxation  |       |           | (195,797)                |         | (273,560)              |
| Capital expenditure   | 2     |           | (8,583)                  |         | (26,650)               |
|   |       |           | 1,630,918                |         | 756,021                |
| Financing   | 2     |           | (7,109)                  |         | (669,423)              |
| Increase in cash in the period                                |       |           | 1,623,809                |         | 86,598                 |
|   |       |           |                          |         |                        |
| Reconciliation of net cash flow                               |       |           |                          |         |                        |
| to movement in net debt                                       | 3     |           |                          |         |                        |
| Increase In cash in the period Cash outflow                   |       | 1,623,809 |                          | 86,598  |                        |
| from decrease in debt   |       | 34,296    |                          | 505,658 |                        |
| Change in net debt resulting from cash flows                  |       |           | 1 659 105                | •       | 592,256                |
| from cash nows  |       |           | 1,658,105                |         | 392,236                |
| Movement in net debt in the period<br>Net debt at 1st January |       |           | 1,658,105<br>(1,820,888) |         | 592,256<br>(2,413,144) |
| Net debt at 31st December                                     |       |           | (162,783)                |         | (1,820,888)            |

# Notes to the Consolidated Cash Flow Statement for the year ended 31st December 2012

# RECONCILIATION OF OPERATING PROFIT TO NET CASH INFLOW FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES

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|  | 31 12 12      | 31 12 11     |
|--|---------------|--------------|
| Operating profit   | £<br>704,961  | £<br>485,524 |
| Depreciation charges   | 261,666       | 278,287      |
| Decrease in stocks   | 359,675       | 893,305      |
| Increase in debtors  | (73,119)      | (152,525     |
| Increase/(decrease) in creditors                                     | 600,392       | (401,905)    |
| Net cash inflow from operating activities                            | 1,853,575     | 1,102,686    |
| ANALYSIS OF CASH FLOWS FOR HEADINGS NETTED IN THE CA                 | SH FLOW STATE | MENT         |
|  | 31 12 12      | 31 12 11     |
|  | £             | £            |
| Returns on investments and servicing of finance                      | (10.055)      | /4/ 455      |
| Interest paid  | (18,277)      | (46,455      |
| Net cash outflow for returns on investments and servicing of finance | (18,277)      | (46,455)     |
| Capital expenditure  |               |              |
| Purchase of tangible fixed assets                                    | (8,583)       | (26,650      |
| Net cash outflow for capital expenditure                             | (8,583)       | (26,650      |
|  |               | <del></del>  |
| Financing  |               |              |
| Loan repayments in year  | (34,296)      | (505,658     |
| Amount introduced by directors                                       | 24,459        | 123,288      |
| Amount withdrawn by directors  | 2,728         | (287,053     |
| Net cash outflow from financing                                      | (7,109)       | (669,423     |

# Notes to the Consolidated Cash Flow Statement for the year ended 31st December 2012

## 3 ANALYSIS OF CHANGES IN NET DEBT

|                |  | At   |
|----------------|--|--|
| At 1 1 12      | Cash flow                                      | 31 12 12   |
| £              | £  | £  |
| 284 905        | 20 507   | 305,412  |
| (1,825,031)    | 1,603,302                                      | (221,729)  |
| (1,540,126)    | 1,623,809                                      | 83,683   |
|                |  |  |
| (280,762)      | 34,296   | (246,466)  |
| <del>```</del> | <del></del>                                    | <del>```</del>   |
| (280,762)      | 34,296   | (246,466)  |
| (1.820.888.)   | 1 658 105                                      | (162,783)  |
|                | £  284,905 (1,825,031)  (1,540,126)  (280,762) | £ £  284,905 20,507 (1,825,031) 1,603,302  (1,540,126) 1,623,809  (280,762) 34,296  (280,762) 34,296 |

## Notes to the Consolidated Financial Statements for the year ended 31st December 2012

#### ACCOUNTING POLICIES

#### Accounting convention

The financial statements have been prepared under the historical cost convention as modified by the revaluation of certain assets and are in accordance with applicable accounting standards

#### Turnover

Turnover represents amounts receivable in respect of the sale of goods and services relating to motor trading activities during the year excluding VAT

#### Tangible fixed assets

Depreciation is provided at the following annual rates in order to write off each asset over its estimated useful life

Freehold property

2% on cost

Short leasehold Long leasehold Over length of leaseOver length of lease

Plant and machinery

- 20% on cost

Computer equipment

- 33% on cost

#### Stocks

Motor cars are included at the lower of cost plus the cost of preparation and repairs to date and their net realisable value

Parts, accessories, petrol and lubricants are included at the lower of cost and net realisable value, after making allowance for obsolete and slow moving items

The rental fleet and demonstration vehicles are valued at cost less a write down of 2% per month which writes off the cost over the estimated life of the vehicle

Consignment vehicles are regarded as being effectively under the control of the company and are included within stock on the balance sheet as the company has the significant risks and rewards of ownership even though legal title has not yet passed. The corresponding liability is included in trade creditors.

#### Deferred tax

Deferred tax arises as a result of including items of income and expenditure in taxation computations in periods different from those in which they are included in the company's accounts. Deferred tax is provided in full on timing differences which result in an obligation to pay more (or less) tax at a future date, at the average tax rates that are expected to apply when the timing differences reverse, based on current tax rates and laws

Deferred tax is not provided on timing differences arising from the revaluation of fixed assets where there is no commitment to sell the asset

### Hire purchase and leasing commitments

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

#### Pension costs and other post-retirement benefits

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

### Going concern

From the date of signing this report, the directors are confident that the company can continue trading as a going concern for the foreseeable future. In spite of the continuing difficult trading conditions, a surplus is currently projected for the year to 31st December 2013. This profitability, combined with the fact that the company's reserves are approximately £17.5 million, leads the directors to believe that the company can continue as a going concern and is well placed to benefit from improvements in demand within the motor trade.

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## Notes to the Consolidated Financial Statements - continued for the year ended 31st December 2012

## 1 ACCOUNTING POLICIES - continued

#### Investments

Fixed asset investments are stated at cost less provision for diminution in value

Current asset investments are at the lower of cost and net realisable value

## 2 TURNOVER

The total turnover of the company for the year has been derived from its principal activity wholly undertaken in the UK

## 3 STAFF COSTS

|  | 31 12 12   | 31 12 11   |
|--|--|--|
| Wages and salaries Social security costs Other pension costs           | £<br>5,886,451<br>606,630<br>92,457                  | £<br>5,957,622<br>607,168<br>66,038                    |
|  | 6,585,538  | 6,630,828  |
| The average monthly number of employees during the year was as follows | 31 12 12   | 31 12 11   |
| Service<br>Selling<br>Administration                                   | 126<br>49<br>24<br>————————————————————————————————— | 110<br>69<br>30<br>——————————————————————————————————— |
|  | <del></del>  | <del></del>  |

#### 4 OPERATING PROFIT

The operating profit is stated after charging

|  | 31 12 12 | 31 12 11 |
|--|----------|----------|
|  | £        | £        |
| Other operating leases                                     | 447,710  | 451,961  |
| Depreciation - owned assets                                | 261,666  | 278,287  |
| Auditors' remuneration                                     | 27,500   | 27,500   |
| Auditors' remuneration for non audit work                  | 12,569   | 8,625    |
|  |          |          |
| Directors' remuneration                                    | 569,412  | 579,894  |
| Directors' pension contributions to money purchase schemes | 28,214   | 31,692   |
|  |          |          |
|  |          |          |

The number of directors to whom retirement benefits were accruing was as follows

| Money purchase schemes   | 5            | 4                     |
|--|--------------|-----------------------|
| Information regarding the highest paid director is as follows  | 31 12 12     | 31 12 11              |
| Emoluments etc Pension contributions to money purchase schemes | £<br>134,165 | £<br>132,838<br>9,269 |

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## Notes to the Consolidated Financial Statements - continued for the year ended 31st December 2012

| 5 INTEREST PAYABLE AND SIMILAR CHARGES 31.12   | 2 12 31 12 11         |
|--|-----------------------|
| £  |                       |
| ·  | ,442 46,455<br>,835 - |
| 18   | 46,455                |
| 6 TAXATION   |                       |
| Analysis of the tax charge   |                       |
| The tax charge on the profit on ordinary activities for the year was as follows  |                       |
| 31 12  |                       |
| Current tax  | £                     |
|  | ,500 195,797          |
|  |                       |
| Deferred tax (14   | ,071) 143,737         |
| Tax on profit on ordinary activities   | ,429 339,534          |
| Factors affecting the tax charge  The tax assessed for the year is higher than the standard rate of corporation tax in the explained below | UK The difference     |
|  |                       |
| 31 1:  |                       |
|  | ,684 439,069          |
| Profit on ordinary activities  |                       |
| multiplied by the standard rate of corporation tax<br>in the UK of 25 500% (2011 - 26 500%) 175  | ,104 116,353          |
| Effects of   |                       |
| Expenses not deductible for tax purposes   | - 3,492               |
| ·  | ,748 40,335           |
| asset Marginal relief (7   | ,352) (14,028)        |
| Prior year underprovision for corporation tax  | 10.615                |
| The year and expression for corporation tax  | - 49,645              |

### 7 PROFIT OF PARENT COMPANY

As permitted by Section 408 of the Companies Act 2006, the profit and loss account of the parent company is not presented as part of these financial statements. The parent company's profit for the financial year was £495,255 (2011 - £99 534)

### 8 PENSION COSTS

The company operates a defined contribution pension scheme in respect of certain directors and staff. The scheme and its assets are held by independent managers. The pension charge represents contributions due from the company and amounted to £91,156 (2011 - £66 038)

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## Notes to the Consolidated Financial Statements - continued for the year ended 31st December 2012

#### 9 TANGIBLE FIXED ASSETS

| Group                  |   |                         |                        |
|------------------------|---|-------------------------|------------------------|
|                        | Freehold<br>property<br>£               | Short<br>leasehold<br>£ | Long<br>leasehold<br>£ |
| COST OR VALUATION      | r.                                      | -                       |                        |
| At 1st January 2012    | 6,241,984                               | 1,010,003               | 5,730,548              |
| At 31st December 2012  | 6,241,984                               | 1,010,003               | 5,730,548              |
| DEPRECIATION           |   |                         |                        |
| At 1st January 2012    | 113,834                                 | 406,054                 | 959,881                |
| Charge for year        | 29,213                                  | 31,070                  | 158,811                |
| Eliminated on disposal | -                                       | -                       | -                      |
| At 31st December 2012  | 143,047                                 | 437,124                 | 1,118,692              |
| NET BOOK VALUE         |   |                         |                        |
| At 31st December 2012  | 6,098,937                               | 572,879                 | 4,611,856              |
|                        | ======================================= |                         |                        |
| At 31st December 2011  | 6,128,150                               | 603,949                 | 4,770,667              |
|                        | Plant and                               | Computer                |                        |
|                        | machinery                               | equipment               | Totals                 |
|                        | £                                       | £                       | £                      |
| COST OR VALUATION      |   |                         |                        |
| At 1st January 2012    | 1,642,939                               | 200,127                 | 14,825,601             |
| Additions              | 8,437                                   | 146                     | 8,583                  |
| Disposals              | (158,433)                               | (38,359)                | (196,792)              |
| At 31st December 2012  | 1,492,943                               | 161,914                 | 14,637,392             |
| DEPRECIATION           |   |                         |                        |
| At 1st January 2012    | 1,546,412                               | 193,600                 | 3,219,781              |
| Charge for year        | 37,600                                  | 4,972                   | 261,666                |
| Eliminated on disposal | (158,433)                               | (38,359)                | (196,792)              |
| At 31st December 2012  | 1,425,579                               | 160,213                 | 3,284,655              |
| NET BOOK VALUE         | -                                       |                         | <del></del>            |
| At 31st December 2012  | 67,364                                  | 1,701                   | 11,352,737             |
| At 31st December 2011  | 96,527                                  | 6,527                   | 11,605,820             |
|                        | 90,321                                  | 0,527                   | 11,005,020             |

The historical cost of Freehold property included above at a valuation in 2008 of £285 000 was £240,273 and the aggregate depreciation thereon would have been £55,160

The historical cost of long leasehold property included above at a valuation in 2008 of £5 595 000 was £2 847.479 and the aggregate depreciation thereon would have been £1.033 031

The above valuations were carried out on an open market basis by independent external valuers, Edward Symmons & Partners, Chartered Surveyors in accordance with the R I C S Appraisal and Valuation Manual

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## 9 TANGIBLE FIXED ASSETS - continued

## Group

Cost or valuation at 31st December 2012 is represented by

| Valuation in 2008<br>Cost   | Freehold<br>property<br>£<br>285,000<br>5,956,984 | Short<br>leasehold<br>£<br>1,010,003 | Long<br>leasehold<br>£<br>5,725,000<br>5,548 |
|---|---|--------------------------------------|--|
|   | 6,241,984   | 1,010,003                            | 5,730,548                                    |
| Valuation in 2008<br>Cost   | Plant and machinery £  1,492,943                  | Computer equipment £ 161,914 161,914 | Totals £ 6,010,000 8,627,392 14,637,392      |
| Company   | Freehold  | Short                                | Long   |
|   | property  | leasehold                            | leasehold                                    |
| COST OR VALUATION At 1st January 2012                                   | £<br>5,536,095                                    | £<br>1,010,003                       | £ 5,730,548                                  |
| At 31st December 2012   | 5,536,095   | 1,010,003                            | 5,730,548                                    |
| DEPRECIATION At 1st January 2012 Charge for year Eliminated on disposal | 113,834<br>29,213                                 | 406,054<br>31,070                    | 959,881<br>158,811                           |
| At 31st December 2012   | 143,047   | 437,124                              | 1,118,692                                    |
| NET BOOK VALUE<br>At 31st December 2012                                 | 5,393,048   | 572,879                              | 4,611,856                                    |
| At 31st December 2011   | 5,422,261   | 603,949                              | 4,770,667                                    |
|   | <del></del>                                       |                                      |  |

## Notes to the Consolidated Financial Statements - continued for the year ended 31st December 2012

#### 9 TANGIBLE FIXED ASSETS - continued

#### Company

|                        | Plant and machinery | Computer equipment | Totals     |
|------------------------|---------------------|--------------------|------------|
|                        | £                   | £                  | £          |
| COST OR VALUATION      | *                   |                    | •          |
| At 1st January 2012    | 1,642,939           | 200,127            | 14,119,712 |
| Additions              | 8,437               | 146                | 8,583      |
| Disposals              | (158,433)           | (38,359)           | (196,792)  |
| At 31st December 2012  | 1,492,943           | 161,914            | 13,931,503 |
| DEPRECIATION           |                     |                    |            |
| At 1st January 2012    | 1,546,412           | 193,600            | 3,219,781  |
| Charge for year        | 37,600              | 4,972              | 261,666    |
| Eliminated on disposal | (158,433)           | (38,359)           | (196,792)  |
| At 31st December 2012  | 1,425,579           | 160,213            | 3,284,655  |
| NET BOOK VALUE         |                     |                    |            |
| At 31st December 2012  | 67,364              | 1,701              | 10,646,848 |
| At 31st December 2011  | 96,527              | 6,527              | 10,899,931 |
|                        | <del></del>         | <del> </del>       |            |

The historical cost of Freehold property included above at a valuation in 2008 of £285 000 was £240,273 and the aggregate depreciation thereon would have been £55 160

The historical cost of Long leasehold property included above at a valuation in 2008 of £5 595,000 was £2 847 479 and the aggregate depreciation thereon would have been £1 033 031

The above valuations were carried out on an open market basis by independent external valuers, Edward Symmons & Partners, Chartered Surveyors in accordance with the R I C S Appraisal and Valuation Manual

Cost or valuation at 31st December 2012 is represented by

| Valuation in 2008<br>Cost | Freehold<br>property<br>£<br>285,000<br>5,251,095 | Short<br>leasehold<br>£<br>1,010,003 | Long<br>leasehold<br>£<br>5,725,000<br>5,548 |
|---------------------------|---|--------------------------------------|--|
|                           | 5,536,095   | 1,010,003                            | 5,730,548                                    |
| Valuation in 2008<br>Cost | Plant and machinery £                             | Computer equipment £                 | Totals<br>£<br>6,010,000<br>7,921,503        |
|                           | 1,492,943   | 161,914                              | 13,931,503                                   |

Full valuations of property are carried out every five years by a qualified external valuer. Interim valuations are carried out where it is likely that there has been a material change in value.

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### 10 FIXED ASSET INVESTMENTS

Group

|                        |              |             | Unlisted investments |
|------------------------|--------------|-------------|----------------------|
| COST                   |              |             |                      |
| At 1st January 2012    |              |             |                      |
| and 31st December 2012 |              |             | 58,848               |
| NET BOOK VALUE         |              |             |                      |
| At 31st December 2012  |              |             | 58,848               |
| At 31st December 2011  |              |             | 58,848               |
| Company                |              |             |                      |
|                        | Shares in    |             |                      |
|                        | group        | Unlisted    |                      |
|                        | undertakings | investments | Totals               |
|                        | £            | £           | £                    |

|                        | undertakings<br>£ | investments<br>£ | Totals<br>£ |
|------------------------|-------------------|------------------|-------------|
| COST                   | ~                 | ~                | ~           |
| At 1st January 2012    |                   |                  |             |
| and 31st December 2012 | 100,200           | 58,848           | 159,048     |
|                        | <del></del> -     |                  | <del></del> |
| NET BOOK VALUE         |                   |                  |             |
| At 31st December 2012  | 100,200           | 58,848           | 159,048     |
|                        |                   |                  |             |
| At 31st December 2011  | 100,200           | 58,848           | 159,048     |
|                        | <del></del>       | <del></del>      |             |

The group or the company's investments at the balance sheet date in the share capital of companies include the following

## Subsidiaries

| Wilsons (Automobiles) Ltd                          |              |          |          |
|--|--------------|----------|----------|
| Nature of business Parent company nominee via agen | cy agreement |          |          |
| . ,  | %            |          |          |
| Class of shares                                    | holding      |          |          |
| Ordinary £1  | 100 00       |          |          |
| 5/ <b></b> , <b></b> .                             | 100 00       | 31 12 12 | 31 12 11 |
|  |              | £        | £        |
| Aggregate capital and reserves                     |              | 100      | 100      |
| Aggregate capital and reserves                     |              | ===      | ===      |
|  |              |          |          |
| Eurocars (Epsom) Limited                           |              |          |          |
| • • •  |              |          |          |
| Nature of business Dormant company                 | 0/           |          |          |
|  | %            |          |          |
| Class of shares                                    | holdıng      |          |          |
| Ordinary £1  | 100 00       |          |          |
|  |              | 31 12 12 | 31 12 11 |
|  |              | £        | £        |
| Aggregate capital and reserves                     |              | 100      | 100      |
|  |              |          | ====     |

# Notes to the Consolidated Financial Statements - continued for the year ended 31st December 2012

### 10 FIXED ASSET INVESTMENTS - continued

| Wilsons (Epsom) L | ıtd |
|-------------------|-----|
|-------------------|-----|

Nature of business Dormant company

Class of shares holding Ordinary £1 100 00

Aggregate capital and reserves £ £ 100,000 100,000

31 12 12

31 12 11

### 11 STOCKS

| Group     |               | Company                  |                                     |
|-----------|---------------|--------------------------|-------------------------------------|
| 31 12 12  | 31 12 11      | 31 12 12                 | 31 12 11                            |
| £         | £             | £                        | £                                   |
| 9,409,375 | 9,769,050     | 9,409,375                | 9,769,050                           |
|           | 31 12 12<br>£ | 31 12 12 31 12 11<br>£ £ | 31 12 12 31 12 11 31 12 12<br>£ £ £ |

## 12 DEBTORS AMOUNTS FALLING DUE WITHIN ONE YEAR

|                                    | Group     |           | Con       | npany     |
|------------------------------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|
|                                    | 31 12 12  | 31 12 11  | 31 12 12  | 31 12 11  |
|                                    | £         | £         | £         | £         |
| Trade debtors                      | 1,059,479 | 1,128,372 | 1,059,479 | 1,128,372 |
| Amounts owed by group undertakings | -         | -         | 705,889   | 705,889   |
| Other debtors                      | 410       | 1,275     | 410       | 1,275     |
| Prepayments and accrued income     | 454,243   | 311,365   | 454,242   | 311,365   |
|                                    | 1,514,132 | 1,441,012 | 2,220,020 | 2,146,901 |
|                                    |           |           |           |           |

### 13 CREDITORS: AMOUNTS FALLING DUE WITHIN ONE YEAR

|   | Gi        | roup      | Con       | npany     |
|---|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|
|   | 31 12 12  | 31 12 11  | 31 12 12  | 31 12 11  |
|   | £         | £         | £         | £         |
| Bank loans and overdrafts (see note 14) | 221,729   | 1,825,031 | 221,829   | 1,825,131 |
| Other loans (see note 14)               | 246,466   | 280,762   | 246,466   | 280,762   |
| Trade creditors                         | 2,667,352 | 2,174,904 | 2,667,352 | 2,174,905 |
| Amounts owed to group undertakings      | -         | -         | 100,000   | 100,000   |
| Tax                                     | 205,500   | 195,797   | 205,500   | 195,797   |
| Social security and other taxes         | 719,046   | 574,563   | 719,046   | 574,563   |
| Other creditors                         | 150,212   | 88,337    | 150,212   | 88,337    |
| Directors' current accounts             | 168,552   | 141,365   | 168,552   | 141,365   |
| Accruals and deferred income            | 646,465   | 744,878   | 646,465   | 744,878   |
|   | 5,025,322 | 6,025,637 | 5,125,422 | 6,125,738 |

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### 14 LOANS

An analysis of the maturity of loans is given below

|   | Group    |           | Company  |           |
|---|----------|-----------|----------|-----------|
|   | 31 12 12 | 31 12 11  | 31 12 12 | 31 12 11  |
|   | £        | £         | £        | £         |
| Amounts falling due within one year or on |          |           |          |           |
| demand                                    |          |           |          |           |
| Bank overdrafts                           | 221,729  | 1,825,031 | 221,829  | 1,825,131 |
| Other loans                               | 246,466  | 280,762   | 246,466  | 280,762   |
|   | 468,195  | 2,105,793 | 468,295  | 2,105,893 |

### 15 OPERATING LEASE COMMITMENTS

The following operating lease payments are committed to be paid within one year

### Group

|                         | Land<br>build |               |
|-------------------------|---------------|---------------|
| Expiring                | 31 12 12<br>£ | 31 12 11<br>£ |
| In more than five years | 447,710       | 451,961       |

#### Company

| · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · |                | Land and<br>buildings |  |
|---------------------------------------|----------------|-----------------------|--|
|                                       | 31 12 12<br>£  | 31 12 11<br>£         |  |
| Expiring In more than five years      | <u>447,710</u> | 451,961               |  |

#### 16 SECURED DEBTS

The following secured debts are included within creditors

|                | Gi       | Group     |          | Company   |  |
|----------------|----------|-----------|----------|-----------|--|
|                | 31 12 12 | 31 12 11  | 31 12 12 | 31 12 11  |  |
|                | £        | £         | £        | £         |  |
| Bank overdraft | 221,729  | 1,825,031 | 221,829  | 1,825,131 |  |
| Other loans    | 246,466  | 280,762   | 246,466  | 280,762   |  |
|                | 468,195  | 2,105,793 | 468,295  | 2,105,893 |  |

The bank overdraft is secured by a first legal charge on the company's freehold and leasehold property at Kiln Lane, Epsom, Surrey and by a debenture creating a fixed and floating charge over all present and future assets

The other loans are secured by way of a debenture creating a fixed and floating charge over all assets and undertakings of the company with priority over used vehicle stock to  $£2\,000\,000$ 

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## 17 PROVISIONS FOR LIABILITIES

|    |   |              | G            | roup         | Com            | ipany        |
|----|---|--------------|--------------|--------------|----------------|--------------|
|    |   |              | 31 12 12     | 31 12 11     | 31 12 12       | 31 12 11     |
|    | D 0   |              | £            | £            | £              | £            |
|    | Deferred tax Accelerated tax depreciation       | ,            | 122,420      | 136,491      | 122,420        | 136,491      |
|    | Treestand tax depression                        | •            |              | 150,471      | =====          | =====        |
|    | Group   |              |              |              |                |              |
|    |   |              |              |              |                | Deferred     |
|    |   |              |              |              |                | tax          |
|    | Balance at 1st January 2012                     |              |              |              |                | £<br>136,491 |
|    | Provided during year                            |              |              |              |                | (14,071)     |
|    | 51 44 5 4 44                                    |              |              |              |                |              |
|    | Balance at 31st December 20                     | 12           |              |              |                | 122,420      |
|    |   |              |              |              |                |              |
|    | Company   |              |              |              |                |              |
|    |   |              |              |              |                | Deferred     |
|    |   |              |              |              |                | tax<br>£     |
|    | Balance at 1st January 2012                     |              |              |              |                | 136,491      |
|    | Utilised during year                            |              |              |              |                | (14,071)     |
|    | Balance at 31st December 20                     | 12           |              |              |                | 122,420      |
|    | Dataneo de 5100 December 20                     | 12           |              |              |                | ====         |
| 18 | CALLED UP SHARE CAP                             | ITAL         |              |              |                |              |
|    |   |              |              |              |                |              |
|    | Allotted, issued and fully paid<br>Number Class | 1            |              | Nominal      | 31 12 12       | 31 12 11     |
|    | rumber class                                    |              |              | value        | £              | £ 11         |
|    | 164,100 Ordinary                                |              |              | £1           | 164,100        | 164,100      |
|    |   |              |              |              | <del></del>    |              |
| 19 | RESERVES  |              |              |              |                |              |
|    | Group   |              |              |              |                |              |
|    | •   | Profit       |              |              | Capital        |              |
|    |   | and loss     | Share        | Revaluation  | redemption     | <b>T</b> . 1 |
|    |   | account<br>£ | premium<br>£ | reserve<br>£ | reserve<br>£   | Totals<br>£  |
|    |   | L            | L            | L            | £.             | ı            |
|    | At 1st January 2012                             | 11,895,338   | 1,787,974    | 3,044,725    | 105,370        | 16,833,407   |
|    | Profit for the year                             | 495,255      |              | (60.071)     |                | 495,255      |
|    | Transfer of realised profit                     | 60,871       |              | (60,871)     | <del>-</del> - | <u> </u>     |
|    | At 31st December 2012                           | 12,451,464   | 1,787,974    | 2,983,854    | 105,370        | 17,328,662   |
|    |   |              | ···          |              |                |              |

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#### 19 RESERVES - continued

#### Company

| Сопрану                                    | Profit<br>and loss<br>account<br>£ | Share premium £ | Revaluation reserve | Capital redemption reserve £ | Totals<br>£ |
|--|------------------------------------|-----------------|---------------------|------------------------------|-------------|
| At 1st January 2012<br>Profit for the year | 11,895,337<br>495,255              | 1,787 974       | 3,044,725           | 105,370                      | 16,833,406  |
| Transfer of realised profit                | 60,871                             |                 | (60,871)            | -                            | 495,255     |
| At 31st December 2012                      | 12,451,463                         | 1,787,974       | 2,983,854           | 105,370                      | 17,328,661  |

### 20 CONTINGENT LIABILITIES

The company has given a cross guarantee to its bankers in respect of facilities made available to Wilsons (Epsom) Limited

In accordance with the company's policy on deferred taxation no provision has been made in these accounts—for any capital gains tax which may arise in the event of the sale of revalued long leasehold properties at their—book value (see note 9) since there is no intention to dispose of the property in the foreseeable future. Given the above and the uncertainties regarding future tax it is not practicable to attribute a meaningful value to this contingency.

#### 21 RELATED PARTY DISCLOSURES

Balances, at the year end, due from those companies also under the control of Mr I A Wilson and Mrs T Wilson and their daughters Ms T Wilson, Mrs G Storr and Ms M Wilson were

Eurocars (Epsom) Ltd £705,889 (2011 - £705,889) (note 12) The transactions making up this balance relate to the financial assistance in the acquisition of land to Eurocars (Epsom) Ltd

Wilsons (Epsom) Ltd £100 000 (2011 - £100,000) The balance since the share for share exchange now represents the share capital only in Wilsons (Epsom) Ltd

#### 22 ULTIMATE CONTROLLING PARTY

Mr Ian Wilson and Mrs Teresa Wilsons are the Ultimate controlling parties of the company by virtue of holding the largest share holdings each

#### 23 RECONCILIATION OF MOVEMENTS IN SHAREHOLDERS' FUNDS

#### Group

| Profit for the financial year                                   | 31 12 12<br>£<br>495,255 | 31 12 11<br>£<br>99,535 |
|---|--------------------------|-------------------------|
| Net addition to shareholders' funds Opening shareholders' funds | 495,255<br>16,997,507    | 99,535<br>16,897,972    |
| Closing shareholders' funds                                     | 17,492,762               | 16,997,507              |

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## 23 RECONCILIATION OF MOVEMENTS IN SHAREHOLDERS' FUNDS - continued

### Company

| Profit for the financial year                                   | \$1 12 12<br>£<br>495,255 | 31 12 11<br>£<br>99,534 |
|---|---------------------------|-------------------------|
| Net addition to shareholders' funds Opening shareholders' funds | 495,255<br>16,997,506     | 99,534<br>16,897,972    |
| Closing shareholders' funds                                     | 17,492,761                | 16,997,506              |