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AGRICULTURE PRESS FARMS LIMITED

Company Registration No. 857541

REPORT AND FINANCIAL STATEMENTS



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DIRECTORS' REPORT

The directors present their report and financial statements for the year ended 31 December 2009

ACTIVITIES AND FUTURE PROSPECTS

The company did not trade during the year and will remain dormant for the foreseeable future

DIVIDENDS

The directors do not propose the payment of a dividend. (2008. £nil)

DIRECTORS AND THEIR INTERESTS

The directors who served throughout the year ended 31 December 2009 were as follows (except as stated)

RE Directors (No 1) Limited (resigned 22 December 2009)
RE Directors (No 2) Limited (resigned 22 December 2009)
I M Glencross (appointed 22 December 2009)
Reed Business Magazines Limited (appointed 22 December 2009)

None of the directors held any interests at any time in the year in the share capital of the company or other group companies

At no time during the year has any director had any material interest in a contract with the company

AUDITORS

For the year ended 31 December 2009, the company was entitled to exemption under section 480 of the Companies Act 2006

Members have not required the company to obtain an audit in accordance with section 476 of the Companies Act 2006

On behalf of the Board

IM Glencross

Director & Secretary

28 February 2010

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STATEMENT OF DIRECTORS' RESPONSIBILITIES

United Kingdom company law requires the directors to prepare financial statements for each financial year 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 the profit or loss of the company for that period In preparing those financial statements, the directors are required to.

- · select suitable accounting policies and then apply them consistently,
- make judgements and estimates that are reasonable and prudent,
- state whether applicable accounting standards have been followed, 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 proper accounting records which disclose with reasonable accuracy at any time the financial position of the company and to enable them to ensure that the financial statements comply with the Companies Act 1985. They are also responsible for the system of internal control, for safeguarding the assets of the company and hence for taking reasonable steps for the prevention and detection of fraud and other irregularities.

BALANCE SHEET AS AT 31 DECEMBER 2009

	<u>Note</u>	<u>2009</u>	<u>2008</u>
CREDITORS Amounts falling due within one year	(3)	£	£
		(49,586) (49,586)	(49,586) (49,586)
CAPITAL AND RESERVES			
Called up share capıtal Capıtal reserve	(4)	1,050 1745	1,050 1,745
Profit and loss account		(52,381)	(52,381)
SHAREHOLDERS' DEFICIT		(49,586)	(49,586)

For the year ended 31 December 2009, the company was entitled to exemption under section 480 of the Companies Act 2006.

Members have not required the company to obtain an audit in accordance with section 476 of the Companies Act 2006

The directors acknowledge their responsibility for

- (1) Ensuring the company keeps true accounting records which comply with section 386, and
- (11) Preparing accounts which give a true and fair view of the state of affairs of the company as at the end of its financial year, and of its profit and loss for the financial year, in accordance with the requirements of section 393, and which otherwise comply with the requirements of the Companies Act relating to accounts, so far as is applicable to the company. These accounts have been prepared in accordance with the provisions applicable to companies subject to the small companies regime.

Approved by the Board on

28 February 2010

Signed on behalf of the Board

IM Glencross

Director

Date

28 February 2010

The notes set out on page 4 form part of these accounts

NOTES TO THE ACCOUNTS, YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2009

1. ACCOUNTING POLICIES

Basis of accounting

The financial statements are presented for the company as an individual undertaking. The company is not required to prepare group financial statements under Section 228 of the Companies Act 1985 because its parent company is established under the law of a member state of the European Union.

Under the provisions of Financial Reporting Standard 1 – "Cash Flow Statements", the company has not prepared a cash flow statement because its ultimate parent company, Reed Elsevier Group plc, which is incorporated in Great Britain, has prepared consolidated accounts which include the accounts of the company for the year and which contains a cash flow statement

These accounts have been prepared under the historical cost convention and in accordance with applicable accounting standards

2. INFORMATION REGARDING DIRECTORS & EMPLOYEES

Neither of the directors received any emoluments in respect of their services to the company during either the current or prior year

The company had no employees throughout the current or prior year

3. CREDITORS: AMOUNTS FALLING DUE WITHIN ONE YEAR

	<u>2009</u>	<u>2008</u>
	£	£
Amounts owed to parent undertaking	49,586	49,586

4. CALLED UP SHARE CAPITAL

	<u>2009</u>		<u>2008</u>	
	Number	£	Number	£
Authorised, issued and fully paid				
1,000 ordinary shares of £0 05 each	1,000	50	1,000	50
1,000 7% cumulative preference shares of £1 each	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000
	2,000	1,050	2,000	1,050

5. RELATED PARTY TRANSACTIONS

The company has taken advantage of the provision under Financial Reporting Standard 8 "Related Party Transactions" not to disclose transactions with other group companies and investees of the group qualifying as related parties

6. PARENT COMPANY

The ultimate parent company and ultimate controlling party is Reed Elsevier Group plc

The parent company of the largest and smallest group for which group financial statements are prepared and of which the company is a member is Reed Elsevier Group plc which is incorporated in Great Britain Copies of the consolidated financial statements may be obtained from 1-3 Strand, London WC2N 5JR

Reed Elsevier Group plc is jointly owned by Reed Elsevier plc (a company incorporated in Great Britain) and Reed Elsevier NV (a company incorporated in the Netherlands)