REGISTERED NUMBER: 00894965 (England and Wales)

**LOVEDEN ESTATES LIMITED** 

**ABBREVIATED AUDITED ACCOUNTS** 

FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MAY 2011

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# COMPANY INFORMATION FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MAY 2011

**DIRECTORS.** N D S Brown

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SECRETARY: JFS Brown

**REGISTERED OFFICE:** The Old Rectory

Fulbeck Grantham Lincolnshire NG32 3JS

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SENIOR STATUTORY AUDITOR.

AUDITOR. Michael Argyle

AUDITORS: Duncan & Toplis

**Chartered Accountants** and Statutory Auditors

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# REPORT OF THE INDEPENDENT AUDITORS TO LOVEDEN ESTATES LIMITED UNDER SECTION 449 OF THE COMPANIES ACT 2006

We have examined the abbreviated accounts set out on pages three to five, together with the full financial statements of Loveden Estates Limited for the year ended 31 May 2011 prepared under Section 396 of the Companies Act 2006

This report is made solely to the company, in accordance with Section 449 of the Companies Act 2006. Our work has been undertaken so that we might state to the company those matters we are required to state to it in a special auditors' report 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, for our work, for this report, or for the opinions we have formed

#### Respective responsibilities of directors and auditors

The directors are responsible for preparing the abbreviated accounts in accordance with Section 444 of the Companies Act 2006. It is our responsibility to form an independent opinion as to whether the company is entitled to deliver abbreviated accounts to the Registrar of Companies and whether the abbreviated accounts have been properly prepared in accordance with the Regulations made under that Section and to report our opinion to you

#### **Basis of opinion**

We conducted our work in accordance with Bulletin 2008/4 issued by the Auditing Practices Board In accordance with that Bulletin we have carried out the procedures we consider necessary to confirm, by reference to the financial statements, that the company is entitled to deliver abbreviated accounts and that the abbreviated accounts to be delivered are properly prepared

#### Opinion

In our opinion the company is entitled to deliver abbreviated accounts prepared in accordance with Section 444(3) of the Companies Act 2006, and the abbreviated accounts have been properly prepared in accordance with the Regulations made under that Section

Michael Argyle (Senior Statutory Auditor) for and on behalf of Duncan & Toplis

Chartered Accountants and Statutory Auditors

3 Castlegate Grantham Lincolnshire NG31 6SF

24 August 2011

# LOVEDEN ESTATES LIMITED (REGISTERED No. 00894965)

## ABBREVIATED BALANCE SHEET 31 MAY 2011

		201	1	201	.0
	Notes	£	£	£	£
FIXED ASSETS					
Tangible assets	2		8,473,610		8,415,483
Investments	3		200,002		250,677
			8,673,612		8,666,160
CURRENT ASSETS					
Stocks		292,218		267,512	
Debtors		134,964		113,088	
Cash at bank		5,947,803		5,651,265	
		6,374,985		6,031,865	
CREDITORS					
Amounts falling due within one year		303,182		559,448	
NET CURRENT ASSETS			6,071,803		5,472,417
TOTAL ASSETS LESS CURRENT					
LIABILITIES			14,745,415		14,138,577
PROVISIONS FOR LIABILITIES			3,974		8,853
NET ASSETS			14,741,441		14,129,724
CAPITAL AND RESERVES					
Called up share capital	4		43,216		43,216
Share premium			6,994		6,994
Capital redemption reserve			156,784		156,784
Profit and loss account			14,534,447		13,922,730
SHAREHOLDERS' FUNDS			14,741,441		14,129,724

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

The financial statements were approved by the Board of Directors on 24 August 2011 and were signed on its behalf by.

JFS Brown - Director

### NOTES TO THE ABBREVIATED ACCOUNTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MAY 2011

#### 1 ACCOUNTING POLICIES

#### **Accounting convention**

The financial statements have been prepared under the historical cost convention and in accordance with the Financial Reporting Standard for Smaller Entities (effective April 2008)

#### Turnover

Turnover represents net invoiced sales of goods, excluding value added tax

#### Tangible fixed assets

No depreciation is provided on freehold property. It is the company's policy to maintain its properties in a continual state of repair. In the case of freehold buildings, the directors consider that the lives of these properties and their residual values are such that their depreciation is not significant.

Depreciation is provided on cost less estimated residual value in equal annual instalments over the estimated useful lives of other assets. The rates of depreciation are as follows

Motor vehicles 24% per annum straight line

All other tangible fixed assets 10-20% per annum straight line

#### Stocks

Work in progress is valued at the lower of cost and net realisable value

Cost includes all direct expenditure and an appropriate proportion of fixed and variable overheads

#### Basis of consolidation

The company has not prepared group accounts as it qualifies as a small sized group and as such has taken advantage of exemption from preparing group accounts under section 248 Companies Act 1985. These accounts therefore only relate to the parent undertaking

#### **Investments**

Investments held as fixed assets are stated at cost less provision for any impairment in value

#### 2 TANGIBLE FIXED ASSETS

	Total
	£
COST	
At 1 June 2010	9,091,827
Additions	92,531
At 31 May 2011	9,184,358
DEPRECIATION	
At 1 June 2010	676,345
Charge for year	34,403
At 31 May 2011	710,748
NET BOOK VALUE	
At 31 May 2011	8,473,610
At 31 May 2010	8,415,482

#### **NOTES TO THE ABBREVIATED ACCOUNTS - continued** FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MAY 2011

#### 3 **FIXED ASSET INVESTMENTS**

	Investments
	other
	than
	loans
	£
COST	
At 1 June 2010	250,677
Additions	600
Impairments	(51,275)
At 31 May 2011	200,002
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NET BOOK VALUE	
At 31 May 2011	200,002
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At 31 May 2010	250,677
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The company's investments at the balance sheet date in the share capital of companies include the following

#### **Pollybell Farms Limited**

Profit/(Loss) for the year

Nature of business Organic farming

	%		
Class of shares	holding		
Ordinary	100 00		
,		2011	2010
		£	£
Aggregate capital and reserves		1,169,006	1,141,226
Profit/(Loss) for the year		27,780	(114,060)

The company also has an investment in Tuli Safari Botswana Limited, which is a holding company that owns and leases a safarı lodge at Tuli, Botswana

At 31st May 2011 legal title to the 7 14% shareholding in Tuli Safari Botswana Limited was held by Abbot Trustees Limited as nominees for Loveden Estates Limited Loveden Estates Limited has beneficial ownership of the investment NDS Brown is a director of Abbot Trustees Limited, which is a dormant company

#### **CALLED UP SHARE CAPITAL**

Allotted, issu	ued and fully paid			
Number	Class	Nominal	2011	2010
		value	£	£
43,216	'B' ordinary	£1	43,216	43,216
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