Registered in England & Wales No 1128442

**Cogent Nominees Limited** 

**Annual Report and Financial Statements** 

For the year ended 31 December 2011

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# **Directors and Secretary**

## **Directors**

Christopher Brian Pemberton Ian Andrew Rae Tina Wilkinson

# Secretary and Registered Office

BNP Paribas Secretarial Services Limited 55 Moorgate London EC2R 6PA

# Directors' Report for the year ended 31 December 2011

The Directors present their Annual Report and Accounts for the year ended 31 December 2011

#### **Principal Activities**

The Company's principal activity is to act as a nominee holder of investments. The Company has not traded during the year and is dormant. It has taken advantage of the small companies exemption when preparing the Directors Report. A change in the Company's activities is not expected in the foreseeable future.

#### Results and Dividends

The Company has not traded during the year and accordingly a Profit and Loss Account has not been prepared. The Directors do not propose the payment of a dividend for the year ended 31 December 2011 (31 December 2010 £nil)

#### **Directors**

The Directors of the Company are set out on page 2 and all held office throughout the year

## **Share Capital**

The share capital of the Company is detailed in note 3 on page 6. The Company did not issue any new ordinary shares during the year under review (2010 nil)

### **Elective Resolutions**

Under the Companies Act 2006, there is no longer a statutory requirement for the Company to hold an annual general meeting or to lay reports and Financial Statements before the Company in general meeting for approval

The Company is therefore no longer required to fulfil its obligations under the elective resolutions that were in place at previous year ends

## **Auditors**

The Company is entitled to exemption from an audit of its Financial Statements for the year ended 31 December 2011 under Section 480 of the Companies Act 2006 Accordingly, auditors have not been appointed

By order of the Board

lan Rae

Director

9 August 2012

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55 Moorgate London, EC2R 6PA

# Statement of Directors' Responsibilities in Respect of the Financial Statements

The Directors are responsible for preparing the Annual Report and Financial Statements in accordance with applicable law and regulations

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 and of the result of the Company for that year

In preparing those Financial Statements, the Directors are required to

- Select suitable accounting policies and apply them consistently,
- 0 Make judgements and estimates that are reasonable and prudent,
- **P** State whether applicable accounting standards have been followed, subject to any material departures disclosed and explained in the Financial Statements, 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 confirm that they have complied with the above requirements in preparing the Financial Statements

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 2006. They are also responsible for safeguarding the assets of the Company and hence for taking reasonable steps for the prevention and detection of fraud and other irregularities

By order of the Board

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lan Rae

Director

9 August 2012

## Balance Sheet As at 31 December 2011

Current assets	Note	As at 31 December 2011 £	As at 31 December 2010 £
Amounts owed by parent undertaking		100	100
Net current assets	_	100	100
Capital and reserves			
Share capital	3	100	100
Equity shareholders' funds	_	100	100

For the year ended 31 December 2011, the Company was entitled to exemption from an audit under Section 480 of the Companies Act 2006 (the "Act")

Members have not required the Company to obtain an audit in accordance with Section 476 of the Act

The Directors acknowledge their responsibility for

- ensuring the Company keeps accounting records which comply with Section 386 of the Act, and
- (ii) 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 Sections 394 to 395 of the Act, and which otherwise comply with the requirements of the Act relating to accounts, so far as applicable to the Company

These Financial Statements have been prepared in accordance with the provisions applicable to companies subject to the small companies' regime

The notes on page 6 form part of these Financial Statements

The Financial Statements on pages 5 to 6 were approved by the Board on 9 August 2012 and were signed on its behalf by

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lan Rae Director

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# Notes to the Financial Statements at 31 December 2011

## 1 Accounting Policies

## **Basis of Accounting**

The Financial Statements are prepared on a going concern basis under the historic cost convention in accordance with the Companies Act 2006 and applicable Accounting Standards in the United Kingdom

#### 2 Profit and Loss Account

The Company has not traded during the period and has made neither a profit nor a loss Therefore, a Profit and Loss Account has not been prepared

The Directors and officers of the Company have employment contracts with BNP Paribas Securities Services SCA, the Company's immediate parent. Fees were not paid by the Company to any of the Directors.

## 3 Share Capital

31 December 2011 £	31 December 2010 £	
Share capital 100 ordinary shares of £1 each	100	100
Allotted, called up and fully paid 100 ordinary shares of £1 each	100	100

## 4 Parent Undertaking

The Company's immediate parent undertaking is BNP Paribas Securities Services SCA, a company incorporated in France as a Partnership Limited by Shares

The ultimate parent undertaking and controlling party is BNP Paribas S A, a company incorporated in France The address from which copies of the consolidated Financial Statements of BNP Paribas S A can be obtained is 16 Boulevard des Italiens 75009, Paris, France

## 5 Cash Flow Statement

As the Company is 100% owned by a parent company incorporated within the European Union, a statement of cash flows for the year ended 31 December 2011 has not been produced

## 6 Related Party Transactions

The Company has taken advantage of the exemption from disclosure of transactions with Group companies given by Financial Reporting Standard 8 'Related Party Disclosures'