**AVC Live Limited** 

Report and Accounts

31 December 2012

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# AVC Live Limited Company Information

#### **Directors**

PC Hill R J Lane

### Secretary

R J Lane

#### **Auditors**

Colston Bush Chartered Accountants Lacemaker House 5 - 7 Chapel Street Marlow Buckinghamshire SL7 3HN

#### **Bankers**

Barclays Bank Plc Thames Valley Corporate Banking Centre PO Box 2481, 60 Queens Road Reading Berkshire RG1 4XX

### Registered office

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### Registered number

01921674

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**Directors' Report** 

The directors present their report and accounts for the year ended 31 December 2012

#### Principal activities

The company name was changed from AVC Productions Limited to AVC Live Limited on 31 January 2013. The company's principal activity during the year continued to be the hire of audio visual equipment and services.

During the year under review the trading results of the company were considered to be very good in relation to the adverse economic climate. The Board continued its strategy of investing heavily in new equipment, leaving the company in a strong position to take advantage of future opportunities.

The management and operation of the company is subject to a number of risks. Risks are formally reviewed by the board and where possible appropriate processes put in place to monitor and mitigate them.

The key business risks affecting the company are -

- -Competition
- -Continued downturn in general economic environment

#### **Future developments**

The directors aim to continue the management policies which have resulted in the consolidation of the company's market position

#### **Dividends**

The profit for the year, after taxation, amounted to £240,701. The directors do not recommend a final dividend. Interim dividends of £505,000 were paid during the year which leaves a deficit of £264,299 to be deducted from shareholders' reserves brought forward.

#### **Directors**

The following persons served as directors during the year

PC Hill

R J Lane

#### Political and charitable donations

During the year, the company made various charitable contributions totalling £1680

#### Directors' responsibilities

The directors are responsible for preparing the report and accounts in accordance with applicable law and regulations

Company law requires the directors to prepare accounts for each financial year. Under that law the directors have elected to prepare the accounts 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 accounts unless they are satisfied that they give a true and fair view of the state of affairs of the company and of the profit or loss of the company for that period. In preparing these accounts, the directors are required to

- select suitable accounting policies and then apply them consistently,
- · make judgements and estimates that are reasonable and prudent,

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- state whether applicable UK Accounting Standards have been followed, subject to any material departures disclosed and explained in the accounts,
- prepare the accounts 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 transactions and disclose with reasonable accuracy at any time the financial position of the company and enable them to ensure that the accounts 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.

#### Disclosure of information to auditors

Each person who was a director at the time this report was approved confirms that

- so far as they are aware, there is no relevant audit information of which the company's auditor is unaware, and
- they have taken all the steps that they ought to have taken as a director in order to make themselves aware of any relevant audit information and to establish that the company's auditor is aware of that information

This report was approved by the board on 2nd April 2015 and signed on its behalf

P C Hill Director

# AVC Live Limited Independent auditors' report to the shareholders of AVC Live Limited

We have audited the accounts of AVC Live Limited for the year ended 31 December 2012 which comprise the Profit and Loss Account, the Balance Sheet, the Cash Flow Statement and the related notes. 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 an 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 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, the directors are responsible for the preparation of the accounts and for being satisfied that they give a true and fair view. Our responsibility is to audit and express an opinion on the accounts 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 accounts

A description of the scope of an audit of financial statements is provided on the APB's website at www frc org uk/apb/scope/private cfm

#### Opinion on the accounts

In our opinion the accounts

- give a true and fair view of the state of the company's affairs as at 31 December 2012 and of its 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 matters prescribed by the Companies Act 2006

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

#### 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, or returns adequate for our audit have not been received from branches not visited by us, or
- · the accounts 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

Ian Petty FCA

(Senior Statutory Auditor)

for and on behalf of

Colston Bush

Accountants and Statutory Auditors

9 April 2013

Lacemaker House 5 - 7 Chapel Street Marlow Buckinghamshire

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# AVC Live Limited Profit and Loss Account for the year ended 31 December 2012

	Notes	2012 £	2011 £
Turnover	2	6,627,343	6,983,068
Cost of sales		(4,628,564)	(4,465,173)
Gross profit		1,998,779	2,517,895
Administrative expenses Other operating income		(1,671,212) 31,040	(1,650,865) 31,040
Operating profit	3	358,607	898,070
Interest receivable Interest payable	6	140 (20,334)	263 (20,263)
Profit on ordinary activities before taxation		338,413	878,070
Tax on profit on ordinary activities	7	(97,712)	(223,680)
Profit for the financial year		240,701	654,390

### Continuing operations

None of the company's activities were acquired or discontinued during the above two financial years

### Statement of total recognised gains and losses

The company has no recognised gains or losses other than the profit for the above two financial years

### AVC Live Limited Balance Sheet as at 31 December 2012

1	lotes		2012 £		2011 £
Fixed assets			_		
Tangible assets	8		1,387,613		1,190,176
Investments	9	_	2	_	2
			1,387,615		1,190,178
Current assets					
Stocks	10	30,742		21,294	
Debtors	11	1,511,127		1,620,570	
Cash at bank and in hand		183,080		480,120	
		1,724,949		2,121,984	
Creditors: amounts falling due					
within one year	12	(1,565,902)		(1,540,580)	
Net current assets			159,047		581,404
Total assets less current		-		_	
liabilities			1,546,662		1,771,582
Creditors: amounts falling due after more than one year	13		(164,686)		(125,307)
		_		_	
Net assets		-	1,381,976	-	1,646,275
Capital and reserves					
Called up share capital	17		10,000		10,000
Capital redemption reserve	18		10,000		10,000
Profit and loss account	19		1,361,976		1,626,275
Shareholders' funds	21	-	1,381,976	-	1,646,275
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P C Hill Director

Approved by the board on 2nd April 2013

# AVC Live Limited Cash Flow Statement for the year ended 31 December 2012

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	Notes	2012 £	2011 £
Reconciliation of operating profit to net cash inflow from operating activities		-	-
Operating profit Depreciation charges and (profit) / loss on disposal (Increase) in stocks Decrease in debtors Increase/(decrease) in creditors		358,607 646,151 (9,448) 116,847 31,581	898,070 373,067 (1,700) 733,536 (553,633)
Net cash inflow from operating activities		1,143,738	1,449,340
CASH FLOW STATEMENT			
Net cash inflow from operating activities		1,143,738	1,449,340
Returns on investments and servicing of finance	22	(20,194)	(20,000)
Taxation		(180,609)	(339,682)
Capital expenditure	22	(843,588) 99,347	(451,656) 638,002
Equity dividends paid		(505,000) (405,653)	(600,000) 38,002
Financing	22	108,613	15,595
(Decrease)/increase in cash		(297,040)	53,597
Reconciliation of net cash flow to movement in net	debt		
(Decrease)/increase in cash in the period Increase in debt and lease financing		(297,040) (108,613)	53,597 (15,595)
Change in net debt	23	(405,653)	38,002
Net funds at 1 January		225,074	187,072
(Net debt)/net funds at 31 December		(180,579)	225,074

#### 1 Accounting policies

#### Basis of preparation

The accounts have been prepared under the historical cost convention and in accordance with applicable United Kingdom Accounting Standards

#### Financial statements

The financial statements present information about the company as an individual undertaking and not about its group. In the opinion of the directors the dormant subsidiary is considered to be immaterial and accordingly group accounts are not required.

#### **Turnover**

Turnover represents the value, net of value added tax and discounts, of goods provided to customers and work carried out in respect of services provided to customers

#### Depreciation

Depreciation is provided on all tangible fixed assets at rates calculated to write off the cost of each asset evenly over its expected useful life, as follows

Leasehold premises and improvements	over the lease term
Plant and machinery	25%
Short life equipment	50%
Motor vehicles	25%

#### Stocks

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

#### Deferred taxation

Full provision is made for deferred taxation resulting from timing differences between the recognition of gains and losses in the accounts and their recognition for tax purposes

Deferred tax is calculated at the tax rates which are expected to apply in the periods when the timing differences will reverse

#### Foreign currencies

Transactions in foreign currencies are recorded at the rate ruling at the date of the transaction Monetary assets and liabilities denominated in foreign currencies are translated at the rate of exchange ruling at the balance sheet date. All differences are taken to the profit and loss account

#### Leasing and hire purchase commitments

Assets held under finance leases and hire purchase contracts, which are those where substantially all the risks and rewards of ownership of the asset have passed to the company, are capitalised in the balance sheet and depreciated over their useful lives. The corresponding lease or hire purchase obligation is treated in the balance sheet as a liability

The interest element of the rental obligations is charged to the profit and loss account over the period of the lease and represents a constant proportion of the balance of capital repayments outstanding

Rentals paid under operating leases are charged to income on a straight line basis over the lease term

#### Pensions

The company operates a defined contribution pension scheme. Contributions are charged to the profit and loss account as they become payable in accordance with the rules of the scheme.

2	Analysis of turnover	2012 £	2011 £
	By activity		
	Principal continuing activity	6,627,343	6,983,068
	By geographical market		
	UK Europe North America Rest of world	6,172,380 390,197 54,573 10,193 6,627,343	6,602,636 310,716 60,854 8,862 6,983,068
3	Operating profit This is stated after charging	2012 £	2011 £
	Depreciation of owned fixed assets Depreciation of assets held under finance leases and hire purchase contracts Operating lease rentals - plant and machinery Operating lease rentals - land and buildings Auditors' remuneration for audit services Auditors' remuneration for other services	488,632 149,111 14,821 318,069 17,400 705	583,495 84,765 24,258 313,324 17,400 5,515

4	Directors' emoluments	2012	2011
		£	£
	Emoluments	279,107	259,861
	Company contributions to money purchase pension schemes	46,425	43,875
		325,532	303,736
	Highest paid director		
	Emoluments Company contributions to money purchase pension schemes	219,788	202,596
	Company contributions to money purchase pension schemes	<u>42,000</u> 261,788	39,675 242,271
		201,700	
	Number of directors in company pension schemes:	2012	2011
	number of directors in company pension schemes.	Number	Number
	Money purchase schemes	2	2
	Money parchase schemes		
5	Staff costs	2012	2011
•	otali costs	£	£
	Wages and salaries	2,017,726	1,913,138
	Social security costs	220,835	206,509
	Other pension costs	52,567	48,298
		2,291,128	2,167,945
	Average number of employees during the year	Number	Number
	Administration	15	15
	Production	51_	52
		66	67
6	Interest payable	2012	2011
		£	£
	Bank loans and overdrafts	31	-
	Other interest	-	56
	Finance charges payable under finance leases and hire purchase contracts	20,303	20,207
		20,334	20,263

7	Taxation	2012 £	2011 £
	Analysis of charge in period	_	~
	Current tax		
	UK corporation tax on profits of the period	105,116	179,693
	Deferred tax		
	Origination and reversal of timing differences	(7,404)	43,987
	Tax on profit on ordinary activities	97,712	223,680
	Factors affecting tax charge for period  The differences between the tax assessed for the period and the sare explained as follows	tandard rate of co	rporation tax
		2012	2011
		2012 £	£
	Profit on ordinary activities before tax	338,413	878,070
	1 Tont on ordinary activities before tax		010,010
	Standard rate of corporation tax in the UK	24%	26%
		£	£
	Profit on ordinary activities multiplied by the standard rate of	94 940	220 200
	corporation tax	81,219	228,298
	Effects of		
	Expenses not deductible for tax purposes	4,658	5,287
	Capital allowances for period in excess of depreciation	28,384	(44,495)
	Other adjustments, including marginal relief and prior year	(9,145)	(9,397)
	Current tax charge for period	105,116	179,693

Ū	Short leasehold			
	premises and	Plant and	Motor	
	improvements	machinery	vehicles	Total
	£	£	£	£
Cost	0.47.74.4	0.040.450	000.400	0.000.057
At 1 January 2012	347,744	6,319,453	223,160	6,890,357
Additions	- /1 E4E\	820,045	42,940	862,985
Disposals	(1,545)	(756,998)		(758,543)
At 31 December 2012	346,199	6,382,500	266,100	6,994,799
Depreciation				
At 1 January 2012	240,212	5,334,569	125,400	5,700,181
Charge for the year	31,815	563,664	42,264	637,743
On disposals	(1,545)	(729,193)		(730,738)
At 31 December 2012	270,482	5,169,040	<u>167,664</u>	5,607,186
Net book value				
At 31 December 2012	75,717	1,213,460	98,436	1,387,613
At 31 December 2011	107,532	984,884	97,760	1,190,176
			2012 £	2011 £
Net book value of fixed assets incleases and hire purchase contract		under finance	338,108	213,586

### 9 Investments

	Investments in subsidiary undertakings £
Cost At 1 January 2012	2
At 31 December 2012	

The company holds 20% or more of the share capital of the following companies

Company	Shares held Class	%	Capital and reserves £	Profit (loss) for the year £
Audio Visual Communications				
Limited	Ordinary	100	2	-

Audio Visual Communications Limited has been dormant since incorporation

10	Stocks	2012 £	2011 £
	Raw materials and consumables	30,742	21,294
	The difference between purchase price or production cost of stocks not material	and their repla	cement cost is
11	Debtors	2012 £	2011 £
	Trade debtors Deferred tax asset (see note 15) Other debtors Prepayments and accrued income	1,195,422 148,001 7,355 160,349 1,511,127	1,304,114 140,597 16,662 159,197 1,620,570
	Amounts due after more than one year included in Deferred tax asset	148,001	140,597
	An amount of £9,347 is held under a rent deposit deed dated 8 July 2	2010	
12	Creditors: amounts falling due within one year	2012 £	2011 £
	Obligations under finance lease and hire purchase contracts Trade creditors Corporation tax Other taxes and social security costs Other creditors Accruals and deferred income	198,973 783,260 105,116 251,564 63,160 163,829 1,565,902	129,739 750,222 180,609 251,983 54,090 173,937 1,540,580
13	Creditors amounts falling due after one year	2012 £	2011 £
	Obligations under finance lease and hire purchase contracts	164,686	125,307
14	Obligations under finance leases and hire purchase contracts	2012 £	2011 £
	Amounts payable Within one year Within two to five years	198,973 164,686	129,739 125,307
		363,659	255,046

15	Deferred taxation	2012 £	2011 £
	Accelerated capital allowances	(148,001)	(140,597)
	Undiscounted provision for deferred tax	(148,001)	(140,597)
		2012 £	2011 £
	At 1 January	(140,597)	(184,584)
	Deferred tax charge in profit and loss account	(7,404)	43,987
	At 31 December	(148,001)	(140,597)

In accordance with FRS 19 the deferred tax asset is included in current assets

The directors consider that the deferred tax asset could be recovered in the future

### 16 Bank security

Bank facilities are secured by a fixed and floating charge dated 15th May 2003 over the assets of the company

17	Share capital	Nominal value	2012 Number	2012 £	2011 £
	Allotted, called up and fully paid Ordinary shares	£1 each	10,000	10,000	10,000
18	Capital redemption reserve			2012 £	
	At 1 January 2012			10,000	
	At 31 December 2012			10,000	
19	Profit and loss account			2012 £	
	At 1 January 2012 Profit for the financial year Dividends			1,626,275 240,701 (505,000)	
	At 31 December 2012			1,361,976	

20	Dividends			2012 £	2011 £
	Dividends for which the company Dividends paid	became liable du	ring the year	505,000	600,000
21	Reconciliation of movement in	shareholders' fu	ınds	2012 £	2011 £
	At 1 January Profit for the financial year Dividends			1,646,275 240,701 (505,000)	1,591,885 654,390 (600,000)
	At 31 December			1,381,976	1,646,275
22	Gross cash flows			2012 £	2011 £
	Returns on investments and se Interest received Interest paid Interest element of finance lease i	-	e <b>e</b>	140 (31) (20,303) (20,194)	263 (56) (20,207) (20,000)
	Capital expenditure Payments to acquire tangible fixed Receipts from sales of tangible fix		-	(862,985) 19,397 (843,588)	(773,506) 321,850 (451,656)
	Financing Capital element of finance lease re	ental payments	-	108,613	15,595
23	Analysis of changes in net debt	At 1 Jan 2012	Cash flows	Non-cash	At 31 Dec
		£	£	changes £	2012 £
	Cash at bank and in hand	480,120	(297,040)		183,080
	Finance leases	(255,046)	(108,613)		(363,659)
	Total	225,074	(405,653)		(180,579)

24 Capital commitments		2012 £	2011 £
	Amounts contracted for but not provided in the accounts	458_	7,222

#### 25 Pension commitments

As explained in the accounting policies set out in pages 8 to 9, the company operates a defined contribution scheme with the contributions paid in the accounting period charged to the profit and loss account. The pension charge for the period amounted to £52,567 (2011 £48,298)

#### 26 Other financial commitments

At the year end the company had annual commitments under non-cancellable operating leases as set out below

Operating leases which expire	Land and buildings 2012 £	Land and buildings 2011 £	Other <b>2012</b> £	Other 2011 £
within one year within two to five years	56,791 178,805	2,250 315,819	1,430 	8,508 1,430
-	235,596	318,069	1,430	9,938
Related party transactions		2012 £	2011 £	

P C Hill

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Director and shareholder

Dividends paid during the year to Mr P C Hill totalling £404,000

A Hill

Shareholder

Dividends paid during the year to Mrs A Hill totalling £101,000

P C Hill

Director and shareholder

Loan to company, interest free and repayable on demand

Amount due (to) the related party

(30,206) (45,680)

A Hill

Shareholder

Loan to company, interest free and repayable on demand

Amount due (to) the related party

(24,544)

### 28 Ultimate controlling party

The company is controlled by Mr P C Hill, a director and majority shareholder