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# Chester International Hotel Limited

Directors' Report and Financial Statements

for the Year Ended 31 December 2011

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**Chester International Hotel Limited**  
**Company Information**

<b>Directors</b>	M Rosenberg E J Rieck W2001 Britannia LLC W2001 Two CV
<b>Company secretary</b>	S A Coughlan
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**Chester International Hotel Limited**  
**Directors' Report for the Year Ended 31 December 2011**

The directors present their report and the audited financial statements for the year ended 31 December 2011

**Directors of the company**

The directors who held office during the year were as follows

M Rosenberg

E J Rieck

W2001 Britannia LLC

W2001 Two CV

**Principal activity**

The principal activity of the company is the ownership and management of hotels. There have been no significant changes to the company's activities.

**Business review**

*Fair review of the business*

The company's retained loss for the year ended 31 December 2011 amounted to £141,000 (31 December 2010 retained loss for the year of £35,000).

The year end balance sheet position is set out in the balance sheet on page 11. The company's net assets as at 31 December 2011 decreased from £20.8 million to £17.9 million reflecting the retained loss for the year of £141,000 and a revaluation adjustment of £2.8 million relating to the company's hotels, which have been revalued to their existing value in use in accordance with the company's accounting policy. This amount has been debited to the company's revaluation reserve.

The company's directors are of the opinion that analysis using KPI's assists with their understanding of the development, performance and position of the business. The key KPI's used are occupancy, average daily rate achieved, revenue per available room, operating margins, compared to budget and prior year.

*Principal risks and uncertainties*

The company is a subsidiary within the QMH Limited group and as such the principal risks and uncertainties are the same as those facing the group -

The management of the group's business and the execution of the group's strategy are subject to a number of risks. The key business risks and uncertainties affecting the group are considered to be as follows:

**- Covenant compliance**

Management actively monitors the group's debt facilities for compliance and prepares rolling quarterly profit and interest forecasts and sensitivity analyses, which enable them to identify concerns relating to covenant compliance early and to take remedial action where necessary.

The European senior loan and the group mezzanine loan facilities each contain a financial covenant, which requires the calculation of a debt service cover ratio (DSCR) on a quarterly basis.

Additionally, the mezzanine loan facility contains a financial covenant, which requires the calculation of a Debt-to-Ebitda ratio on a quarterly basis.

The UK senior loan facility contains four financial covenant calculations required on a quarterly basis. These are a cashflow cover ratio, a loan to value ratio, a senior interest cover ratio and a senior leverage ratio.

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***Other risks***

The company is subject to certain financial risks as a result of being guarantor to loans held by the company's direct and indirect parent companies. Details of how these companies manage specific risks are set out in the financial statements of those companies. Details of how to obtain copies of these financial statements are set out in note 16 to these accounts.

**Employment of disabled persons**

The company recognises its obligations towards people with disabilities and its policy is to encourage and assist the employment of disabled people, having regard to the demands of the company's operations and their abilities to fulfill such demands. If existing employees become disabled, appropriate work is found for them wherever possible and training supplied, if required. Employees with disabilities are encouraged and assisted in developing their career and skills within the company.

**Employee involvement**

Following the introduction of legislation, Consultation Committees have been introduced throughout the business and regular meetings take place, which allow effective consultation on subjects affecting employees. Ongoing effort is made to keep employees informed through team briefings and the production of regular in-house magazines.

**Going concern**

Given that the company forms part of the QMH Limited group and relies on the performance of the group, the directors of the company have taken into account the going concern assessment made by the directors of QMH Limited. In considering the going concern status of the group the directors of QMH Limited have reviewed the period up to the date that the Mezzanine Facility is due to be repaid on 22 March 2013, and considered a number of different financial scenarios. As noted in Note 1 to the accounts, based on these forecasts, the group faces material uncertainties that may cast doubt on its ability to meet its Covenants, which if breached would mean debt becoming repayable on demand and therefore may effect the company's ability to continue as a going concern. It will therefore have to take steps to ensure continued compliance with existing financial covenants. These steps include any or all of selective asset disposals, careful cash flow management and negotiations on its terms of finance with its lenders and shareholders. These steps are already underway with certain asset disposal processes reasonably progressed and discussions with lenders being taken forward. In the light of the information currently available to them, the directors of QMH Limited believe that the group will be able to continue in operational existence for the foreseeable future. On this basis, the directors consider it appropriate to prepare the company accounts on a going concern basis.

**Disclosure of information to the auditors**

Each director has taken 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 auditors are aware of that information. The directors confirm that there is no relevant information that they know of and which they know the auditors are unaware of.

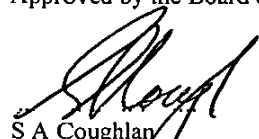
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**Reappointment of auditors**

PricewaterhouseCoopers LLP are deemed to be reappointed in accordance with an elective resolution made under section 386 of the Companies Act 1985 which continued in force under the Companies Act 2006

Approved by the Board on 20 March 2012 and signed on its behalf by



S A Coughlan  
Company secretary

## **Independent Auditor's Report to the Members of Chester International Hotel Limited**

We have audited the financial statements of Chester International Hotel Limited for the year ended 31 December 2011 which comprise the Profit and Loss Account, the Statement of Total Recognised Gains and Losses, the Note of Historical Cost Profits and Losses, the Balance Sheet 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).

### **Respective responsibilities of directors and auditors**

As explained more fully in the Statement of Directors' Responsibilities (set out on page 5) 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.

This report, including the opinions, has been prepared for and only for the company's members, as a body, in accordance with Chapter 3 of Part 16 of the Companies Act 2006 and for no other purpose. We do not, in giving these opinions, accept or assume responsibility for any other purpose or to any other person to whom this report is shown or into whose hands it may come save where expressly agreed by our prior consent in writing.

### **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 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 Directors' Report 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 the financial statements**

In our opinion the financial statements

- give a true and fair view of the state of the company's affairs as at 31 December 2011 and of its loss 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.

### **Emphasis of matter**

In forming our opinion on the statutory group financial statements, which is not qualified, we have considered the adequacy of the disclosures made in the Basis of Preparation note to the financial statements concerning the company and its parent's ability to continue as a going concern. In the directors' view, QMH Limited is likely to have to take steps to ensure continued compliance with existing financial covenants. Such steps include any or all of selective asset disposals, careful cash flow management and negotiations on its terms of finance with its lenders and shareholders. If covenants are breached, debt would become repayable on demand and indicates the existence of material uncertainties which may cast doubt about QMH Limited and all of its subsidiaries' ability to continue as a going concern. The financial statements do not include the adjustments that would result if the company were unable to continue as a going concern.

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

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

**Chester International Hotel Limited**  
**Statement of Directors' Responsibilities**

The directors are responsible for preparing the Directors' Report 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 of the profit or loss of the company for that period. In preparing these financial statements the directors are required to

- select suitable accounting policies and apply them consistently,
- make judgements and accounting estimates that are reasonable and prudent,
- state whether applicable UK 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 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 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.



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**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 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



John Ellis (Senior Statutory Auditor)  
For and on behalf of PricewaterhouseCoopers LLP,  
Chartered Accountants and Statutory Auditors

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21 March 2012

**Chester International Hotel Limited**  
**Profit and Loss Account for the Year Ended 31 December 2011**

	Note	2011 £ 000	2010 £ 000
Turnover		4,722	5,088
Cost of sales		<u>(2,629)</u>	<u>(2,886)</u>
Gross profit		2,093	2,202
Administrative expenses		<u>(1,985)</u>	<u>(1,959)</u>
Operating profit	2	<u>108</u>	<u>243</u>
Profit on ordinary activities before taxation		108	243
Tax on profit on ordinary activities	5	<u>(249)</u>	<u>(278)</u>
Loss for the financial year	11	<u><u>(141)</u></u>	<u><u>(35)</u></u>

Turnover and operating profit derive wholly from continuing operations

**Chester International Hotel Limited**  
**Statement of Total Recognised Gains and Losses for the Year Ended 31 December 2011**

	Note	2011 £ 000	2010 £ 000
Loss for the financial year		(141)	(35)
Unrealised (deficit)/surplus on revaluation of properties		<u>(2,770)</u>	<u>3,569</u>
Total recognised (losses)/gains relating to the year		<u><u>(2,911)</u></u>	<u><u>3,534</u></u>

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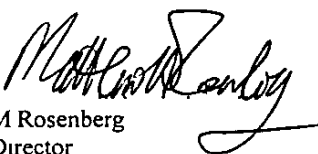
**Note of Historical Cost Profits and Losses for the Year Ended 31 December 2011**

	<b>2011</b> <b>£ 000</b>	<b>2010</b> <b>£ 000</b>
Reported profit on ordinary activities before taxation	108	243
Difference between historical cost depreciation charge and the actual depreciation charge on the revalued amount	<u>111</u>	<u>83</u>
Historical cost profit on ordinary activities before taxation	<u>219</u>	<u>326</u>
Historical cost (loss)/profit for the year retained after taxation	<u>(30)</u>	<u>48</u>

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**Balance Sheet at 31 December 2011**

	Note	2011 £ 000	2010 £ 000
<b>Fixed assets</b>			
Tangible fixed assets	6	<u>18,100</u>	<u>21,399</u>
<b>Current assets</b>			
Stocks	7	24	25
Debtors	8	3,729	3,157
Cash at bank and in hand		<u>3</u>	<u>2</u>
		3,756	3,184
Creditors Amounts falling due within one year	9	<u>(3,922)</u>	<u>(3,738)</u>
Net current liabilities		<u>(166)</u>	<u>(554)</u>
Net assets		<u>17,934</u>	<u>20,845</u>
<b>Capital and reserves</b>			
Called up share capital	10	5,500	5,500
Revaluation reserve	11	8,696	11,578
Profit and loss account	11	<u>3,738</u>	<u>3,767</u>
Shareholders' funds	12	<u>17,934</u>	<u>20,845</u>

Approved by the Board on 20 March 2012 and signed on its behalf by

  
M Rosenberg  
Director

**Chester International Hotel Limited**  
**Notes to the Financial Statements for the Year Ended 31 December 2011**

**1 Accounting policies**

**Basis of preparation**

These financial statements are prepared on the going concern basis, under the historical cost convention as modified by the revaluation of freehold and long leasehold properties and in accordance with the Companies Act 2006 and applicable accounting standards in the United Kingdom. The principal accounting policies, which have been applied consistently throughout the year are set out below.

**Exemption from preparing a cash flow statement**

The company is exempt from preparing a cash flow statement as it is a wholly owned subsidiary of QMH Limited and the cashflows of the company are included in the consolidated cashflow statement of that company. Consequently, the company is exempt under the provisions of Financial Reporting Standard 1 (revised 1996) "Cash Flow Statements" from publishing a cashflow statement.

**Going concern**

The balance sheet set out on page 11 shows the company has net current liabilities of £166,000 at 31 December 2011. Included in these net current liabilities is £3,571,000 due to other group companies which have been treated as payable within one year. However, these group companies have indicated that they have no current intention of calling for repayment until the company has the necessary funds available.

In the last two years, the group has successfully refinanced its principal borrowings. As set out in the Directors Report, the group's debt is subject to a number of covenants. As a result of the ongoing difficult trading conditions, particularly in the United Kingdom and The Netherlands, management believe that there is a risk of a covenant breach during the next twelve months unless specific steps are taken to prevent it. Such steps could include any or all of selective assets disposals, careful cash management and negotiations on its terms of finance with Lenders. Such steps are already underway.

If covenants are breached debt would become repayable on demand and therefore may effect the group and company's ability to continue as a going concern. Nevertheless, after considering the uncertainties disclosed and the actions underway, the directors have concluded that it is appropriate to prepare the accounts on a going concern basis. These financial statements do not include the adjustments that would result if the company were unable to continue as a going concern.

**Turnover**

Turnover is the total income receivable for goods supplied and services rendered, excluding VAT and similar sales taxes. The principal revenue streams are for room accommodation and food and beverage sales which is recognised at the point at which the goods and services are delivered to the customer. Revenue is also generated through leisure club membership fees which are recognised on a straight line basis over the membership period.

**Depreciation**

Freehold land is not depreciated.

Leasehold land is depreciated over the unexpired period of the lease, or such longer period where the anticipated renewal is considered to be sufficiently certain and is calculated to reflect the consumption of value over the lease term.

Depreciation is calculated to write off the revalued amounts or cost, less estimated residual values, on a straight line basis over the expected useful economic lives of the assets concerned. Buildings are separated into identifiable components with significantly different useful economic lives as follows:

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### **Notes to the Financial Statements for the Year Ended 31 December 2011**

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<b>Asset class</b>	<b>Depreciation method and rate</b>
Leasehold Land	Over the unexpired period of the lease, or such longer period where the anticipated renewal is considered to be sufficiently certain
Long Leasehold Buildings	Over 25 to 75 years
Short Leasehold Buildings	Over the unexpired period of the lease
Fixtures & Fittings	Over 4 to 7 years
Plant & Equipment	Over 3 to 15 years

#### **Fixed asset investments**

Freehold Properties or properties on leases with twenty five years or more to run at the balance sheet date are revalued at regular intervals and the resultant valuation is included in the balance sheet. The directors consider that the valuation of these properties at regular intervals is most appropriate to the company's circumstances as it helps to ensure that values reported in the financial statements are representative of the market value of these properties. When the unexpired lease term falls below twenty five years, no further revaluations are carried out and the valuation in respect of that property is depreciated over the unexpired period of the lease. Other leasehold properties are included in the balance sheet at historical cost less depreciation.

Surpluses and deficits on the revaluation of the company's properties are taken to the revaluation reserve and reported in the statement of total recognised gains and losses, except that diminutions in value below historical cost on individual properties and diminutions clearly caused by the consumption of economic benefits are taken to the profit and loss account in accordance with Financial Reporting Standard 11 "Impairment of fixed assets". To the extent that such diminutions subsequently reverse, this reversal is credited to the profit and loss account where the diminution was originally recognised.

All other tangible fixed assets are recorded at historical cost, being their purchase cost, together with any incidental expenses of acquisition.

#### **Stocks, work in progress and long-term contracts**

Stocks are valued at the lower of cost and net realisable value.

#### **Deferred tax**

Full provision is made for deferred tax arising from timing differences between the recognition of gains and losses in the financial statements and their recognition in tax computations, where future payment or receipt is more likely than not to occur.

Deferred tax assets are regarded as recoverable and therefore recognised only when, on the basis of all available evidence, it can be regarded as more likely than not that there will be suitable taxable profits from which the future reversal of the underlying timing differences can be deducted.

Deferred tax is measured at the average tax rates that are expected to apply in the periods in which the timing differences are expected to reverse, based on tax rates and laws that have been enacted or substantively enacted by the balance sheet date. Deferred tax is provided on a non-discounted basis.

#### **Leases**

Costs in respect of operating leases are charged to the profit and loss account on a straight line basis over the lease term.

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### Pensions

Both the company and certain individuals make contributions into either a Group Stakeholder Pension or a Group Personal Pension Fund. Company contributions are expensed through the profit and loss as incurred.

### 2 Operating profit

Operating profit is stated after charging

	2011 £ 000	2010 £ 000
Operating leases - other assets	91	95
Depreciation of owned assets	<u>854</u>	<u>860</u>

Auditors' remuneration for the year ended 31 December 2011 amounting to £1,000 (31 December 2010 £1,000) has been borne by QMH UK Limited on behalf of the company.

### 3 Particulars of employees

The average number of persons employed by the company (including directors) during the year, analysed by category was as follows:

	2011 No.	2010 No.
Other departments	<u>77</u>	<u>78</u>

Other departments represents the average number of employees in the company.

The aggregate payroll costs were as follows:

	2011 £ 000	2010 £ 000
Wages and salaries	1,211	1,226
Social security costs	83	91
Staff pensions	<u>20</u>	<u>17</u>
	<u>1,314</u>	<u>1,334</u>



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### Notes to the Financial Statements for the Year Ended 31 December 2011

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#### 4 Directors' remuneration

The fees for Mr Rieck and Mr Rosenberg were paid by QMH Limited, no recharge was made to the company

W2001 Britannia LLC and W2001 Two CV received no remuneration for their services as directors of the company or any of the company's fellow subsidiaries

#### 5 Taxation

##### Tax on profit on ordinary activities

	2011 £ 000	2010 £ 000
<b>Current tax</b>		
Corporation tax charge	<u>249</u>	<u>278</u>

##### Factors affecting current tax charge for the year

Tax on profit on ordinary activities for the year is higher than (2010 - higher than) the standard rate of corporation tax in the UK of 26.5% (2010 - 28%)

The differences are reconciled below

	2011 £ 000	2010 £ 000
Profit on ordinary activities before taxation	<u>108</u>	<u>243</u>
Corporation tax at standard rate	29	68
Depreciation for the period in excess of capital allowances	226	241
Items not relevant for tax purposes	(5)	(30)
Adjustments in respect of previous periods	<u>(1)</u>	<u>(1)</u>
Total current tax	<u>249</u>	<u>278</u>

##### Factors that may affect future tax charges

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The company does not expect to pay tax in 2012 due to the availability of tax losses in the group

The company has not recognised any net deferred tax assets in respect of Accelerated Capital Allowances of £1,722,000 (2010 £1,615,000) Subject to changes in tax legislation, the directors do not expect sufficient taxable profits to arise to utilise these unclaimed allowances, in the foreseeable future Given current economic circumstances, there is currently insufficient evidence to support recognition of a deferred tax asset

No deferred tax is provided on timing differences arising from the revaluation of fixed assets unless, by the balance sheet date, a binding commitment to sell the asset has been entered into and it is unlikely that any gain could be rolled over If the company's property were realised at the amounts included in the balance sheet, there is not expected to be a tax liability due to the availability of tax losses within the group

# Chester International Hotel Limited

## Notes to the Financial Statements for the Year Ended 31 December 2011

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### 6 Tangible fixed assets

#### Tangible fixed assets

	Long leasehold land and buildings £ 000	Fixtures and fittings £ 000	Total £ 000
<b>Cost or valuation</b>			
At 1 January 2011	19,708	6,273	25,981
Revaluation	(3,031)	-	(3,031)
Additions	-	324	324
At 31 December 2011	16,677	6,597	23,274
<b>Depreciation</b>			
At 1 January 2011	-	4,582	4,582
Charge for the year	262	592	854
Writeback to recoverable amount	(262)	-	(262)
At 31 December 2011	-	5,174	5,174
<b>Net book value</b>			
At 31 December 2011	16,677	1,423	18,100
At 31 December 2010	19,708	1,691	21,399

#### Revaluations

The Land and Buildings class of fixed assets was revalued on 31 December 2011 by Jones Lang Le Salle who is external to the company. The basis of this valuation was the Valuation Standards latest edition published by the Royal Institution of Chartered Surveyors, which is based on a transaction between a willing buyer and a willing seller in an arm's length transaction, after proper marketing wherein the parties had each acted knowledgeably, prudently and without compulsion.

In respect of the current year, a net deficit of £2,770,000 (2010 £3,569,000) arises on revaluation. All of this deficit including the elimination of the depreciation charge on freehold and leasehold properties of £262,000 (2010 £234,000) has been debited to the revaluation reserve. This class of assets has a current value of £16,677,000 (2010 - £19,708,000) and a carrying amount at historical cost of £10,964,000 (2010 - £10,964,000). The depreciation on this historical cost is £2,980,000 (2010 - £2,830,000).

# **Chester International Hotel Limited**

## **Notes to the Financial Statements for the Year Ended 31 December 2011**

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### **7 Stocks**

	<b>2011 £ 000</b>	<b>2010 £ 000</b>
Stocks	<u>24</u>	<u>25</u>

### **8 Debtors**

	<b>2011 £ 000</b>	<b>2010 £ 000</b>
Trade debtors	43	141
Amounts owed by group undertakings	3,611	2,920
Other debtors	1	25
Prepayments and accrued income	<u>74</u>	<u>71</u>
	<u>3,729</u>	<u>3,157</u>

Included within amounts owed by group undertakings is a non interest bearing loan to QMH UK Limited of £3,611,000 ( 2010 £2,920,000)

### **9 Creditors: Amounts falling due within one year**

	<b>2011 £ 000</b>	<b>2010 £ 000</b>
Trade creditors	122	135
Amounts owed to group undertakings	3,571	3,322
Other creditors	55	50
Accruals and deferred income	<u>174</u>	<u>231</u>
	<u>3,922</u>	<u>3,738</u>

Included within amounts owed to group undertakings are loans from QMH Limited and QMH UK Limited of £3,571,000 (2010 £3,322,000) These loans are repayable on demand, on giving thirty days notice, however both QMH Limited and QMH UK Limited have confirmed that they have no current intention of calling for repayment

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**Notes to the Financial Statements for the Year Ended 31 December 2011**

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**10 Share capital**

**Allotted, called up and fully paid shares**

	<b>2011</b>		<b>2010</b>	
	<b>No.</b>	<b>£ 000</b>	<b>No.</b>	<b>£ 000</b>
Ordinary Shares of £1 each	<u>5,500,003</u>	<u>5,500</u>	<u>5,500,003</u>	<u>5,500</u>

**11 Reserves**

	<b>Revaluation reserve £ 000</b>	<b>Profit and loss account £ 000</b>	<b>Total £ 000</b>
At 1 January 2011	11,578	3,767	15,345
Loss for the year	-	(141)	(141)
Deficit on property revaluation	(2,770)	-	(2,770)
Other reserve movements	<u>(112)</u>	<u>112</u>	<u>-</u>
At 31 December 2011	<u>8,696</u>	<u>3,738</u>	<u>12,434</u>

**12 Reconciliation of movement in shareholders' funds**

	<b>2011 £ 000</b>	<b>2010 £ 000</b>
Loss attributable to the members of the company	(141)	(35)
Other recognised (losses)/gains relating to the year	<u>(2,770)</u>	<u>3,569</u>
Net (reduction)/addition to shareholders' funds	(2,911)	3,534
Shareholders' funds at 1 January	<u>20,845</u>	<u>17,311</u>
Shareholders' funds at 31 December	<u>17,934</u>	<u>20,845</u>

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### **Notes to the Financial Statements for the Year Ended 31 December 2011**

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#### **13 Contingent liabilities**

On 23 February 2011 the company entered into a guarantee providing a fixed charge over its assets, together with certain other subsidiary undertakings to secure a senior loan held by QMH Finance Number 1 Limited, which at 31 December 2011 amounted to £91.8 million

On 24 November 2004 the company entered into a guarantee providing fixed and floating charges over its assets, together with certain other subsidiary undertakings, to secure a mezzanine loan held by QMH Limited, which at 31 December 2011 amounted to £157.6 million (2010: £158.8 million)

#### **14 Commitments**

##### **Capital commitments**

Amounts contracted for but not provided in the financial statements amounted to £8,000 (2010: £161,000)

##### **Operating lease commitments**

As at 31 December 2011 the company had annual commitments under non-cancellable operating leases as follows

Operating leases which expire

	<b>2011 £ 000</b>	<b>2010 £ 000</b>
<b>Land and buildings</b>		
Over five years	<u>90</u>	<u>89</u>
<b>Other</b>		
Within one year	<u>8</u>	<u>6</u>

#### **15 Related party transactions**

The company is a wholly owned subsidiary of QMH Limited. Consequently it has taken advantage of the exemption in FRS8 "Related Party Disclosures" from disclosing transactions with other members of the group.

## **Chester International Hotel Limited**

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#### **16 Ultimate parent company**

The company is controlled by QMH Finance Number 1 Limited, which is a subsidiary of QMH Limited, which indirectly owns the entire share capital of the company and is incorporated in England and Wales. Copies of QMH Limited's consolidated financial statements are available from its registered office at 9-17 Eastern Road, Romford, Essex, RM1 3NG. The directors consider the company's ultimate holding company to be W2001 Britannia LLC who is the majority shareholder and is a limited liability company formed under the laws of the State of Delaware on 29 April 2004.

W2001 Britannia LLC is wholly owned and controlled by four separate Delaware limited partnerships: Whitehall Street Global Real Estate Limited Partnership 2001, Whitehall Street International Real Estate Limited Partnership 2001, Whitehall Street Global Employee Fund 2001, L P and Whitehall Street International Employee Fund 2001 (Delaware), L P each formed in 2001. The sole general partner of each Whitehall 2001 Partnership is a Delaware limited liability company, and each said partner is wholly owned by Goldman Sachs. The limited partners of each Whitehall Partnership include (as applicable) Goldman Sachs, institutional investors, employees of Goldman Sachs and its affiliates and private clients of Goldman Sachs and its affiliates.