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Great Western Enterprise (Holdings)
Limited (Limited by guarantee)
Unaudited annual report and financial
statements for the year ending 31 March
2012

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Annual report and financial statements for the year ended 31 March 2012

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Directors and advisers

Directors

N Alberry

A Fletcher

D Milner – resigned 14 March 2012

B Phillips - resigned 14 March 2012

T Postlethwaite – resigned 9 June 2012

J Monk

I Larrard - appointed 28 February 2012

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Directors' report for the year ended 31 March 2012

The directors present their report and financial statements for the year ended 31 March 2012

Results

The profit and loss account is set out on page 7. The profit for the year, after taxation, of £118,604 (2011 £118,504) has been transferred to reserves

Principal activities

The company is now acting as a holding company with details of its principle investments set out below

Review of the business and future developments

The results for the year and financial position are shown in the annexed financial statements

During the year the company has achieved its aims by maintaining its interest and shareholdings in the following businesses

GWE Business West Limited - The principal activity of the company is to assist local economic development and individual company success through their collective representation and by the direct provision of services. These services include a mix of public and privately funded services to businesses and include the provision of Chamber of Commerce services.

Tetricus Limited and its wholly owned subsidiary PBTC Limited – there has been significant progress made by PBTC with an interested developer for the proposed development of a new Bioscience Incubator Business Centre at Porton Down

Post Balance Sheet events

There were no post balance sheet events

Directors and their interests

The directors who held office during the year are given below

N Alberry

A Fletcher

B Phillips – resigned 14 March 2012

D Milner – resigned 14 March 2012

I Larrard – appointed 28 February 2012

T Postlethwaite – resigned 9 June 2012

J Monk

Financial risk management

Because the majority of assets and trading activities of the company were transferred to GWE Business West Limited on 31 March 2008, in return for share capital in the newly formed company, the company's operations no longer expose it to any significant financial risks resulting from changes in credit risk, liquidity risk and interest rate risk

Given the size of the company, the directors have not delegated the responsibility of monitoring financial risk management to a sub-committee of the board. The policies set by the board of directors are implemented by the company's finance department.

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 prepared 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 then apply them consistently,
- make judgements and accounting estimates that are reasonable and prudent,
- 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.

Auditors

As required under section 475 of the Companies Act 2006, the directors confirm that the company is exempt from audit as a small company under section 477 of the Companies Act 2006

By order of the Board

JAMES HONK

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Profit and loss account for the year ended 31 March 2012

	Note	2012 £	2011 £
Dividends receivable from group companies	3	118,596	118,596
Administrative expenses		8	(92)
Profit on ordinary activities before taxation	1	118,604	118,504
Tax on profit on ordinary activities	4	-	-
Retained profit for the year	8	118,604	118,504

All of the profits above result from continuing operations

The company has no recognised gains and losses other than the above results for each financial year, and therefore no separate Statement of Total Recognised Gains and Losses has been presented

There is no difference between the profit on ordinary activities before taxation and the retained profit for the year stated above and their historical cost equivalents

Balance sheet as at 31 March 2012

	Note	2012	2011
		£	£
Fixed assets			•
Investments	5	4,357,966	4,357,956
Current assets			
Debtors	6	466,383	347,818
Cash at bank		31	-
		466,414	347,818
Creditors amounts falling due within one year	7	(31)	(30)
Net current assets		466,383	347,788
Net assets		4,824,349	4,705,744
Reserves			
Profit and loss account	8	4,824,349	4,705,744
Total reserves		4,824,349	4,705,744

The directors confirm that the company is exempt from the requirements relating to preparing audited accounts in accordance with section 477 of the Companies Act 2006

The members have not required the company to obtain an audit of its accounts for the year ended 31 March 2012 in accordance with section 476 of the Companies Act 2006

The directors acknowledge their responsibility for complying with the requirements of the Companies Act 2006 with respect to accounting records and the preparation of accounts

The financial statements on pages 7 to 14 were approved by the board of directors on 18/12/13

Director

JAMES

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Accounting policies

These unaudited financial statements are prepared on a going concern basis, under the historical cost convention, in accordance with the Companies Act 2006 and applicable accounting standards in the United Kingdom. The principal accounting policies are set out below.

Deferred taxation

Deferred tax is recognised in respect of all timing differences that have originated but not reversed at the balance sheet date where transactions or events have occurred at that date that will result in an obligation to pay more, or a right to pay less or to receive more, tax, with the exception that deferred tax assets are recognised only to the extent that the directors consider that it is 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 on an undiscounted basis at the tax rates that are expected to apply in the periods in which timing differences reverse, based on tax rates and laws enacted or substantively enacted at the balance sheet date

Investments

The investments in subsidiaries, associates and joint ventures are stated at cost less any impairment provision at the balance sheet date

Cash flow statement

The company has taken advantage of the exemption from the requirement to publish a cash flow statement afforded to small sized companies

Notes to the financial statements for the year ended 31 March 2012

1 Profit on ordinary activities before taxation

2012	2011
£	£

Profit on ordinary activities before taxation is stated after charging

Auditors remuneration (accounts no longer require audit)

2 Employee costs and directors' emoluments

The company has no employees (2011 None) No emoluments are payable to the directors of the company (2011 None)

3 Dividends receivable

	2012 £	2011 £
Dividends receivable from subsidiary companies 118	3,596	118,596

4 Tax on profit on ordinary activities

a) No charge to taxation arises in the year (2011 £ Nil)

b) Factors affecting tax charge for year

The difference between the total current tax shown above and the amount calculated by applying the standard rate of UK corporation tax to the profit before tax is as follows

	2012 €	2011 £
Profit on ordinary activities before taxation	118,604	118,504
Tax charge on profit on ordinary activities at standard UK corporation tax rate of 26% (2011 28%)	30,837	33,181
Effects of		
Dividends receivable	(30,837)	(33,181)
Current tax charge for the year	-	-

c) Factors affecting future tax charges

A number of changes to the UK Corporation tax system were announced in the June 2011 Budget Statement. The Finance (No 2) Act 2011, which was substantively enacted on 20 July 2011, includes legislation reducing the main rate of corporation tax from 28 per cent to 27 per cent from 1 April 2010. Further reductions to the main rate are proposed to reduce the rate by 1 per cent per annum to 24 per cent by 1 April 2014.

5 Investments

At cost, less impairment	2012	2011
	£	£
Subsidiary companies	2	2
Participating interests	4,357,954	4,357,954
	4,357,956	4,357,956

Investments are recorded at cost (which is the fair value of the consideration paid) less the impairment of £44,696 accounted for in the year ended 31 March 2008

Each class of share held by the company is summarised below

Company Nature of business	Shares held		
Company	Nature or business	Class	%
GWE Business West Limited	Business support	Ordinary	50
GWE Business West Limited	Business support	Preference	93 77
Tetricus Limited	Property services	Ordinary	33 33

The GWE Business West Preference shares have an interest rate of 4% and are redeemable at three months written notice after 1 April 2016

The aggregate group capital and reserves and the group profit/(loss) for the year for each company is set out below

	Aggregate capital and reserves		Profit / (loss) for the year	
Company	2012	2011	2012	2011
	£	£	£	£
GWE Business West Limited	3,876,309	4,812,043	(890,984)	(2,446,996)
Tetricus Limited	285,977	263,143	24,208	2,115
Great Western Enterprise Limited	2	2	-	-

6 Debtors

	2012	2011
Amounts falling due after more than one year:	£	£
Preference share dividend receivable from joint venture	466,383	347,788
Other amounts owed by joint venture		30
Other debtors	•	-
	466,383	347,788

7 Creditors: amounts falling due within one year

	2012	2011
	£	£
Trade creditors	31	30

8 Profit and loss account

At 31 March 2012	4,824,349
Retained profit for the year	118,605
At 1 April 2011	4,705,744
	<u>£</u>

9 Reconciliation of movements in shareholders' funds

Group	2012 £	2011 £
Profit for the financial year	118,604	118,504
Net addition to shareholders' funds	118,604	118,504
Closing shareholders' funds	4,824,349	4,705,7440

10 Related parties

Organisation	Director's name	Transaction type	Income/ (expenditure) YE 31 March 2012 £	(creditor) At 31 March 2012	Income / (expenditure) YE 31 March 2011 £	Debtor/ (creditor) At 31 March 2011
GWE Business West Limited	A Fletcher N Alberry	Property rentals	21,402	-	132,938	-

Certain properties are rented by GWE Business West Limited. Under the terms of the lease agreements, the property rentals are paid by GWE Business West Limited to Great Western. Enterprise (Holdings) Limited and the latter company passes the rental amounts on to the third party landlords. Under the terms of a contract between these two companies, GWE Business West Limited has agreed to meet the rentals and other costs due in respect of these properties, so no such costs are recognised in the financial statements of Great Western Enterprise (Holdings) Limited

11 Ultimate controlling party

The directors consider the control of the company is vested in the board of directors. There is no external ultimate controlling party

12 Company limited by guarantee

The Company is limited by guarantee and therefore has no share capital. Each member's guarantee liability is limited to £1 each.