# D. G. Finance Limited

Annual Report and Accounts

Year ended 31 December 2011



## Company number 2131494

#### **Directors and advisers**

#### **Directors**

Michael J Williams Anthony Coleman, ACA

## Secretary and registered office

Anthony Coleman, ACA Delaware Drive, Tongwell, Milton Keynes, MK15 8JH

#### **Auditors**

Mazars LLP
The Pinnacle, 160 Midsummer Boulevard, Milton Keynes, MK9 1FF

#### **Bankers**

Barclays Bank PLC Ashton House, 497 Silbury Boulevard, Central Milton Keynes, MK9 2LD

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## Report of the directors for the year ended 31 December 2011

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

#### **Activities and Business review**

The company's principal activity is the leasing of vehicles to fellow group undertakings

The directors are satisfied with the current level of performance and expect it to continue for the foreseeable future

#### Risks and uncertainties

The directors do not consider there to be any significant risks or uncertainties that require separate disclosure in the financial statements

#### **Directors**

The current directors of the company, who served throughout the year and to the date of signing this report (unless otherwise stated), are set out on page 1

#### Results and dividends

Turnover amounted to £456,000 (2010 £301,000) and the profit before tax was £75,000 (2010 £77,000) No dividends have been paid or proposed during the year (2010 £nil)

#### Creditor payment policy

The company agrees the terms and conditions under which business transactions with its suppliers are conducted. It is policy that payments to suppliers are made in accordance with these terms, provided that the supplier also complies with all relevant terms and conditions.

#### Statement as to disclosure of information to auditors

The directors have taken all necessary steps to make them aware, as directors, of any relevant audit information and to establish that the auditors are aware of that information

As far as the directors are aware, there is no relevant audit information of which the company's auditors are unaware

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Report of the directors (continued) for the year ended 31 December 2011

## **Auditors**

Pursuant to s487(2) of the Companies Act 2006 the auditors, Mazars LLP, will be deemed to have been reappointed

By order of the board on 21 March 2012.

Anthony Coleman, ACA

Secretary

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### 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 then apply them consistently;
- · make judgments 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;
- 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.



## Independent auditor's report to the members of DG Finance Limited

We have audited the financial statements of DG Finance Limited for the year ended 31 December 2011 which comprise the Profit and Loss Account, 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 Directors' Responsibilities Statement set out on page 4, 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 (APB's) Ethical Standards for Auditors. 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 auditor's 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

#### Scope of the audit of the financial statements

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

#### 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 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 the 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

#### 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

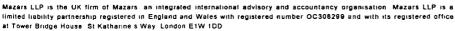
Jacqueline Berry (Senior Statutory Auditor) for and on behalf of Mazars LLP

Chartered Accountants and Statutory Auditor

21 March 2012

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# Profit and loss account for the year ended 31 December 2011

	Notes	2011 £'000	2010 £'000
Turnover	1	456	301
Cost of sales		383_	226
Gross profit		73	75
Administrative expenses		(6)	(2)_
Operating profit	2	79	77
Net interest payable	3	4	
Profit on ordinary activities before tax		75	77
Tax	5	17	21
Profit for the year	12	58	56

The profit for the year has been calculated on the historical cost basis

Turnover and expenses all relate to continuing operations.

There are no other recognised gains or losses other than those passing through the profit and loss account

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## Balance sheet as at 31 December 2011

	Notes	£,000	2011 £'000	£'000	2010 £'000
Fixed assets					
Tangible assets	6		1,447		971
Current assets					
Debtors	7	156		96	
Cash at bank and in hand		4		-	
		160		96	
Creditors due within one year					
Borrowings	8	_		2	
Other creditors	9	573		131	
		573		133	
Net current liabilities			413		37
Total assets less current liabilities			1,034		934
Provisions for liabilities and charges	10		42		-
Net assets			992		934
Capital and reserves					
Called up share capital	11		350		350
Share premium account	13		268		268
Profit and loss account	13		374		316
Equity shareholders' funds	12		992		934

The financial statements on pages 6 to 13 were approved and authorised for issue by the board of directors on 21 March 2012.

A Coleman

M Williams

Director

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# Notes to the financial statements for the year ended 31 December 2011

### **Accounting policies**

#### Basis of preparation

The financial statements have been prepared in accordance with applicable accounting standards in the United Kingdom

The company is a wholly owned subsidiary of Dawsonrentals Limited, a wholly owned subsidiary of Dawsongroup plc which has prepared group financial statements in accordance with applicable accounting standards and which has published a consolidated cash flow statement in accordance with the requirements of FRS I (Revised) The company has therefore taken advantage of the exemption not to publish its own cash flow statement

#### Going concern

The financial statements have been prepared on the going concern basis which assumes that the company will continue in operational existence for the forseeable future

The directors have reviewed cash flow forecasts for a period of not less than 12 months from the date of the audit opinion and are confident that the company will be able to pay its liabilities as they fall due. On this basis, the directors consider it appropriate to prepare the financial statements on the going concern basis.

#### **Accounting convention**

The financial statements have been prepared under the historical cost convention in accordance with applicable accounting standards.

## Tangible fixed assets and depreciation

Tangible fixed assets are stated at cost less depreciation. Depreciation is provided to write down the cost or valuation of fixed assets by equal instalments to their estimated residual values over the period of their estimated useful lives with the company in accordance with the table below:

	Useful life with the company	Residual value
Cars	4 years	25% - 40%

#### Deferred tax

Deferred tax is provided in respect of the tax effect of all timing differences at the rates of tax expected to apply when the timing differences reverse Deferred tax assets and liabilities are not discounted

#### Turnover

Turnover is the amount receivable in the ordinary course of business for services provided during the year, excluding value added tax.

### Operating leases

Rental income from operating leases is recognised on a straight-line basis over the period of the lease

#### Asset purchase rebates

Rebates from manufacturers and distributors are credited to the profit and loss account in the year of receipt

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# Notes to the financial statements for the year ended 31 December 2011

## 1 Segmental information

The turnover, profit before tax and net assets are attributable to the principal activity of leasing vehicles to fellow group undertakings. The company operates in the UK and the whole of its turnover is to the UK market.

## 2 Operating profit

7	This is stated after charging:	2011 £'000	2010 £'000
I	Depreciation – owned assets	401	223
A	Auditors' remuneration – audit services	2	2
а	and after crediting		
F	Profit on disposal of fixed assets	9	3
3	Net interest payable		
		2011 £'000	2010 £'000
(	On borrowings wholly repayable within five years		
	Group interest payable	6	-
		6	
I	Less:	<u> </u>	
	Other interest receivable	2	-
		4	

#### 4 Directors and employees

#### **Employees**

The company had no full-time employees during the year (2010 nil). No direct staff costs were incurred during the year (2010 £nil)

#### Directors' emoluments

None of the directors received any remuneration from the company during the year (2010. £nil) The emoluments of those directors who are also directors of the parent company are disclosed in the financial statements of Dawsongroup plc

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	<b>2011</b>		2010	
	£'000	£'000	£'000	£'000
Tax charge for the year comprises.				
Corporation tax	(34)		-	
Adjustments in respect of prior periods	(1)		(1)	
Total current tax	<del></del>	(35)		(1)
Deferred tax				
Origination and reversal of timing differences	51		21	
Effect of decreased tax rate on opening liability	1		1	
Total deferred tax		52		22
		17		21

The UK standard rate of corporation tax for the year is 26 5% (2010 28%) The actual charge for the current year differs from the standard rate for the reasons set out below

	2011 £'000	2010 £'000
Profit on ordinary activities before tax	75	77
Tax on profit on ordinary activities at standard rate Factors affecting charge for the period	20	22
Capital allowances in excess of depreciation	(53)	(22)
Adjustments in respect of prior periods	(1)	(1)
Expenses not deductible for tax purposes	(1)	-
Total actual amount of current tax	(35)	(1)

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Tangible fixed assets	
•	Cars
	£'000
Cost	
As at 1 January 2011	1,445
Additions	1,002
Disposals	(364)
Transfers to group undertakings	(29)
As at 31 December 2011	2,054
Depreciation	
As at 1 January 2011	474
Charge for the year	401
Relating to disposals	(248)
Transfers to group undertakings	(20)
As at 31 December 2011	607
Book value	
As at 31 December 2011	1,447
As at 31 December 2010	971

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# Notes to the financial statements for the year ended 31 December 2011

Accelerated capital allowances

## 7 Debtors

Due within one year:	2011 £'000	2010 £'000
Other debtors	42	22
Tax recoverable	35	-
Amounts owed by group undertakings	79	74
	156	96
Included within other debtors is a deferred tax asset of £1	nil (2010 £10,000).	
8 Borrowings		
Financial liabilities		
	2011	2010
T. 141	£'000	£'000
<b>Due within one year:</b> Bank overdraft	-	2
	•	2
9 Other creditors		
	2011	2010
	£'000	£'000
Other creditors	38	21
Loans from group undertakings	535	90
Amounts owed to group undertakings	-	20
	573	131
10 Provisions for liabilities and charges		
Deferred tax (see below)		£'000
At 1 January 2011		(10)
Charge for the year (see note 4)		52
At 31 December 2011		42
	2011	2010
Deferred tax	£'000	£'000
Provided in the accounts		

Amounts provided and the full potential liability have been calculated at future expected rates of corporation tax

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## 11 Called up share capital

	Autho 2011 an		Allotted, issued and fully paid 2011 and 2010	
	Number	£,000	Number	£'000
Ordinary shares of £1 each	500,000	500	350,000	350
12 Reconciliation of movem	ents in share	eholders' fund	s	
			2011 £'000	2010 £'000
Profit for the financial year			58_	56_
Net movement in shareholders' fu	nds		58	56
Opening shareholders' funds			934	878
Closing shareholders' funds			992	934
13 Reserves				
		Share premium account £'000	Profit and loss account £'000	Total £'000
As at 1 January 2011		268	316	584
Profit for the year			58	58_
As at 31 December 2011		268	374	642
14 Financial commitments				
			2011 £'000	2010 £'000
Outstanding contracts for capital e	xpenditure		109	310
Other financial committee and				

#### Other financial commitments

The company has entered into a cross guarantee with various other group companies to secure their banking facilities

## Notes to the financial statements for the year ended 31 December 2011

#### 15 Parent undertakings

The ultimate parent company is Dawsongroup plc and the immediate parent company is Dawsonrentals Limited Both of the directors of D G Finance Limited, during the year were also directors of Dawsongroup plc

Throughout the year DG. Finance Limited was ultimately under the control of trusts the beneficiary of which is P M Dawson, Chairman of Dawsongroup plc, including his immediate family, the controlling shareholders of that company

The largest and smallest group for which the results of the company are consolidated is that headed up by Dawsongroup plc The consolidated financial statements of Dawsongroup plc can be obtained from

Dawsongroup plc Delaware Drive Tongwell Milton Keynes Bucks MK15 8JH

#### 16 Related party transactions

Advantage has been taken of the exemption conferred by FRS 8 to subsidiary undertakings, 100 percent of whose voting rights are controlled within the group, not to disclose transactions with other group entities