The EIS Association Limited (A company limited by Guarantee) Report and Accounts

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The EIS Association Limited Director's Report

The directors present their report and accounts for the year ended 31 May 2009

Principal activities

General

To stimulate interest and investment in the UK smaller company economy in the broadest sense but also specifically through the EIS and other similar tax incentives

Usage

To promote greater usership of the EIS, thus helping to close the "Equity Gap" and increase the inflow of investment to EIS companies, with potential investors, their professional advisers, with fund-raisers, their accountants and the corporate finance community, both centrally and regionally

Good Practice

To foster and encourage high standards of corporate governance, professional conduct and good communications and relations between investors, companies and their advisers

Expert forum

To act as an expert forum for the EIS, providing information and technical knowledge and generally helping to make the scheme more accessible, to all interested parties and particularly to companies seeking funding and potential investors and their advisers

Lobbying

To represent the views of sponsors, scheme arrangers and accountants in seeking to lobby Government departments, the Treasury, HMRC (Her Majesty's Revenue and Customs), MPs and key opinion formers with a view to improving and simplifying the EIS and generally making it more understandable and user-friendly

Network

To facilitate contact and meetings between the various disparate groups with potential interest in the EIS

- sponsors, promoters and corporate financiers
- professional advisers, principally accountants and lawyers
- investors and their financial planners and advisers
- · entrepreneurs, company directors and those seeking funding

Education and training

To provide and facilitate education and training on the subject of the smallcap economy and specifically on the EIS, by way of seminars and training programmes both live and over the website

There were 84 corporate members of the Association at the Balance Sheet date and currently there are 84

Directors

The directors who served during the year were as follows

H Flight Chairman
K Lassman Director
S Phillips Director
M Sherwood Director
M Barrett Director

Ben Blackett Ord Director – appointed 25th November 2008

Small company special provisions

The report of the directors has been prepared in accordance with the special provisions of Part VII of the Companies Act 1985 relating to small companies

This report was approved by the Board on 22 September 2009

S Phillips Director The EIS Association Limited Profit and Loss Account for year ended 31 May 2009

	Notes	2009 £	2008 £
Turnover		60,459	46,966
Cost of sales		0	0
Gross profit		60,459	46,966
Administrative expenses		-56,334	-41,166
Operating profits / (loss)	2	4,125	5,800
Interest receivable		0	0
Profit i (loss) on ordinary activities before taxation		4,125	5,800
Tax on profit/loss on ordinary activities	3	0	0
Profit I (loss) for the financial year	_	4,125	5,800

The EIS Association Ltd Balance Sheet as at 31 May 2009

	Notes		2009 £		2008 £
Current assets Cash at bank & Debtors		37,763		25,803	
		37,763		25,803	
Creditors amounts falling due within one year	4	-11,662		-3,827	
Net current assets			26,101	-	21,976
Net assets		-	26,101	_	21,976
Capital and reserves Profit and loss account	5	_	26,101	_	21,976
Shareholders' funds		-	26,101	_	21,976

For the year ending 31/05/09 the company was entitled to exemption from audit under section 477 of the Companies Act 2006

The members have not required the company to obtain an audit in accordance with section 476 of the Companies Act 2006

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

S Phillips Director

Approved by the board on

22 September 2009

The EIS Association Limited Notes to the Accounts for the year ended 31 May 2009

1 Accounting policies

The accounts have been prepared under the historical cost convention and in accordance with the Financial Reporting Standard for Smaller Entities (effective January 2005)

Turnover

Turnover represents the invoiced subscriptions and sponsorships to and paid by members

2	Operating profit	2009 £	2008 £
	This is stated after charging	_	_
	Directors' remuneration	7,013	6,169
3	Taxation		
	UK Corporation tax	0	0
4	Creditors amounts falling withing one year		
	Corporation tax	0	0
	Other creditors	9,937 9,937	3,827 3,827
5	Profit and loss account		
	As 1 June	21,976	16,176
	Profit for the year	4,1 <u>25</u>	5,800
	At 31 May	26,101	21,976

6 Transactions with directors

Enterprise Corporate Finance Ltd of which Susan Phillips is a director services plus various office services and the charges to end of May 2009 amounted to £29,024

H Flight has invoiced for his services as chairman and amounted to £7013