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# **EUROCHANGE PLC**

# DIRECTORS' REPORT AND FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2012

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# **COMPANY INFORMATION**

**DIRECTORS** 

M Gini

D Savjani

G Custerson

D Tarsh

**COMPANY SECRETARY** 

M Gini

**COMPANY NUMBER** 

02519424

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#### DIRECTORS' REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2012

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

#### **DIRECTORS' RESPONSIBILITIES STATEMENT**

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.

The directors are responsible for the maintenance and integrity of the corporate and financial information included on the company's website. Legislation in the United Kingdom governing the preparation and dissemination of financial statements and other information included in Directors' Reports may differ from legislation in other jurisdictions.

# **PROVISION OF INFORMATION TO AUDITORS**

Each of the persons who are directors at the time when this Directors' Report is approved has confirmed that

- so far as that director is aware, there is no relevant audit information of which the company's auditors
  are unaware, and
- that director has taken all the steps that ought to have been taken as a director in order to be aware of any information needed by the company's auditors in connection with preparing their report and to establish that the company's auditors are aware of that information

# PRINCIPAL ACTIVITY

The principal activity of the company during the year was that of retail and wholesale foreign exchange trading

#### **BUSINESS REVIEW**

The directors are pleased with the company's overall performance during the year. During a period of challenging economic conditions the company has delivered solid profitable results. The directors are aware of further challenges ahead but still anticipate a profitable performance in 2013.

The principal risks faced by the company are those of general market and economic risks in common with other businesses in the current economic climate

The directors aim to manage these risks in order to maintain and improve on the current level of performance

#### DIRECTORS' REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2012

#### **RESULTS AND DIVIDENDS**

The profit for the year, after taxation, amounted to £2,529,225 (2011 - £965,566)

During the year dividends of £1,000,000 (£0 33 per share) (2011 £1,500,000 - £0 49 per share) were paid

A dividend of £250,000 (£0 08 per share) was declared during the year, and paid after the year end

#### **DIRECTORS**

The directors who served during the year were

- M Gini
- D Savjani
- G Custerson
- D Tarsh (appointed 3 September 2012)

#### **FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS**

#### Treasury operations and financial instruments

The company operates a centralised treasury function which is responsible for managing the liquidity, interest and foreign currency risks associated with the company's activities

The company's principal financial instruments include derivative financial instruments, the purpose of which is to manage currency risks arising from the company's activities, and bank overdrafts, the main purposes of which are to raise short-term finance for the company's operations and manage currency risks. In addition, the company has various other financial assets and liabilities such as trade debtors and trade creditors arising directly from its operations. Derivative transactions which the company enters into principally comprise forward exchange contracts. In accordance with the company's treasury policy, derivative instruments are not entered into for speculative purposes.

#### Liquidity risk

The company manages its cash and borrowing requirements centrally to maximise interest income and minimise interest expense, whilst ensuring that the company has sufficient liquid resources to meet the operating needs of its business

### Foreign currency risk

The company's principal foreign exchange exposures arise from holding foreign currency bank note stocks for trading purposes. Company policy permits, but does not demand, that these exposures may be hedged in order to minimise this exposure. This hedging activity involves the use of foreign exchange forward contracts and foreign currency bank overdrafts.

#### Credit risk

Investments of cash surpluses are made through the company's principal bankers

All customers who wish to trade on credit terms are subject to credit verification procedures. Debtor balances are monitored on an ongoing basis and provision is made for doubtful debts where necessary

#### **DIRECTORS' REPORT** FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2012

#### COMPANY'S POLICY FOR PAYMENT OF CREDITORS

It is the company's policy to agree payment terms and conditions with suppliers on an individual transaction basis and to ensure that these terms and conditions are abided by Creditor days have been calculated at 17 days (2011 25 days)

#### **EMPLOYEE INVOLVEMENT**

The company consults with its branch staff in order to adapt to local market conditions. This is achieved by regular contact with and visits to its branches

#### **DISABLED EMPLOYEES**

Recruitment and promotion are determined solely by personal merit and effective performance of job requirements. No applicant or employee will be treated less favourably than another on the grounds of disability

#### **AUDITORS**

The auditors, Wilder Coe LLP, will be proposed for reappointment in accordance with section 485 of the Companies Act 2006

This report was approved by the board on 22 March 2013

and signed on its behalf

M. Gini Director

# INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT TO THE SHAREHOLDERS OF EUROCHANGE PLC

We have audited the financial statements of Eurochange PLC for the year ended 31 December 2012, set out on 6 to 17. 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 Directors' Responsibilities Statement, 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.

#### 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 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 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 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

#### INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT TO THE SHAREHOLDERS OF EUROCHANGE PLC

#### 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

Bee-Lean Chew MSc BA(Hons) FCA (Senior Statutory Auditor) for and on behalf of

Wilder Coe LLP

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Chartered Accountants & Statutory Auditors 233-237 Old Marylebone Road London NW1 5QT

Date 22 March 2013

# PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2012

	Note	2012 £	2011 £
GROSS PROFIT		14,904,815	11,880,171
Administrative expenses		(12,079,388)	(10,913,773)
Other operating income	3	384,893	384,746
OPERATING PROFIT	4	3,210,320	1,351,144
Interest receivable and similar income	8	1,566	7,351
Interest payable and similar charges	9	(48,325)	(38,628)
PROFIT ON ORDINARY ACTIVITIES BEFORE TAXATION		3,163,561	1,319,867
Tax on profit on ordinary activities	10	(634,336)	(354,301)
PROFIT FOR THE FINANCIAL YEAR		2,529,225	965,566

All amounts relate to continuing operations

There were no recognised gains and losses for 2012 and 2011 other than those included in the Profit and Loss Account

The notes on pages 8 to 17 form part of these financial statements

#### EUROCHANGE PLC REGISTERED NUMBER 02519424

#### BALANCE SHEET AS AT 31 DECEMBER 2012

	2012		2012		2012 2011		1
	Note	£	£	£	£		
FIXED ASSETS							
Tangible assets	11		2,427,742		2,674,815		
Fixed asset investments	12		102		102		
			2,427,844		2,674,917		
CURRENT ASSETS							
Stocks	13	8,470,577		6,245,316			
Debtors	14	1,716,870		1,539,697			
Cash at bank and in hand		76,374		76			
		10,263,821		7,785,089			
CREDITORS: amounts falling due within	4.5	(4.000.404)		(4.055 (75)			
one year	15	(4,296,131)		(4,057,175)			
NET CURRENT ASSETS			5,967,690		3,727,914		
TOTAL ASSETS LESS CURRENT LIABIL	ITIES		8,395,534		6,402,831		
CREDITORS: amounts falling due after							
more than one year	16		(713,478)		-		
NET ASSETS			7,682,056		6,402,831		
CAPITAL AND RESERVES							
Called up share capital	18		3,025,788		3,025,788		
Profit and loss account	19		4,656,268		3,377,043		
EQUITY SHAREHOLDERS' FUNDS	20		7,682,056		6,402,831		

The financial statements were approved and authorised for issue by the board and were signed on its behalf on 12.013.

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Director

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The notes on pages 8 to 17 form part of these financial statements

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#### NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2012

#### 1 ACCOUNTING POLICIES

#### 1.1 Basis of preparation of financial statements

The financial statements have been prepared under the historical cost convention and in accordance with applicable accounting standards and include the results of the company's operations, which are described in the Directors' Report, all of which are continuing

The company is itself a subsidiary company and is exempt from the requirement to prepare group accounts by virtue of section 400 of the Companies Act 2006. These financial statements therefore present information about the company as an individual undertaking and not about its group.

The company has also taken advantage of the exemption in section 3(c) of the Financial Reporting Standard No 8 not to disclose transactions with group entities on the grounds that it is a 100% subsidiary undertaking

#### 1.2 Cash flow

The company, being a subsidiary undertaking where 90% or more of the voting rights are controlled within the group whose consolidated financial statements are publicly available, is exempt from the requirement to draw up a cash flow statement in accordance with FRS 1

#### 13 Turnover

Turnover represents margins and commissions earned from retail and wholesale foreign exchange trading

#### 1.4 Tangible fixed assets and depreciation

Tangible fixed assets are stated at cost less depreciation. Depreciation is provided at rates calculated to write off the cost of fixed assets, less their estimated residual value, over their expected useful lives on the following bases.

Freehold property - 2% - 10% straight line
Short term leasehold land and buildings - 15% reducing balance
Motor vehicles - 25% reducing balance
Fixtures and fittings - 20% straight line

Computer equipment - 25% straight line Computer software - 20% straight line

#### 1.5 Operating leases

Rentals under operating leases are charged to the Profit and Loss Account on a straight line basis over the lease term

Benefits received and receivable as an incentive to sign an operating lease are recognised on a straight line basis over the period until the date the rent is expected to be adjusted to the prevailing market rate

#### 1.6 Stocks

Stocks comprise sterling and foreign currencies held for trading purposes, and encashed travellers cheques. Stocks are valued at the appropriate exchange rates prevailing at the year end date

#### NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2012

#### 1. ACCOUNTING POLICIES (continued)

#### 1.7 Deferred taxation

Full provision is made for deferred tax assets and liabilities arising from all timing differences between the recognition of gains and losses in the financial statements and recognition in the tax computation

A net deferred tax asset is recognised only if 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 assets and liabilities are calculated at the tax rates expected to be effective at the time the timing differences are expected to reverse

#### 18 Foreign currencies

Monetary assets and liabilities denominated in foreign currencies are translated into sterling at rates of exchange ruling at the balance sheet date

Transactions in foreign currencies are translated into sterling at the rate ruling on the date of the transaction

Exchange gains and losses are taken into account in arriving at the operating profit

#### 1.9 Pensions

The company operates a defined contribution pension scheme and the pension charge represents the amounts payable by the company to the fund in respect of the year

#### 1.10 Investments

Shares in subsidiary undertakings and undertakings in which the company has a participating interest are shown at cost less provision for impairment

# 1 11 Forward contracts

The company uses forward exchange contracts for hedging purposes. As contracts are taken out to cover general currency exposure rather than to match specific transactions, the company treats a forward contract separately from other transactions. The premium or discount arising on each contract is accounted for over the life of the contract and the contract is marked to market as the contract progresses. The net amount receivable or payable as computed on this basis is included in other debtors or other creditors as appropriate.

#### 2. TURNOVER

The whole of the turnover is attributable to the principal activity of the company, being that of retail and wholesale foreign exchange trading

All turnover arose within the United Kingdom

# NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2012

3	OTHER OPERATING INCOME		
		2012 £	2011 £
	Other operating income	384,893	384,746
4.	PROFIT		
	The profit is stated after charging		
		2012 £	2011 £
	Depreciation of tangible fixed assets - owned by the company	697,748	782,028
	Operating lease rentals - other operating leases	2,230,830	2,055,235
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5.	AUDITORS' REMUNERATION		
		2012 £	2011 £
	Fees payable to the company's auditor and its associates for the audit of the company's annual accounts  Fees payable to the company's auditor and its associates in respect of	30,200	31,614
	Taxation compliance services All other non-audit services not included above	2,000 3,331	2,000
6.	STAFF COSTS		
	Staff costs, including directors' remuneration, were as follows		
		2012 £	2011 £
	Wages and salaries Social security costs	5,535,500 455,459	4,714,558 387,274
	Other pension costs	21,120	22,224
		6,012,079	5,124,056
	The average monthly number of employees, including the directors,	during the year was a	s follows
		2012	2011
	Operations Couriers	12 2	11 2
	Management and administration	38	39
	Cashiers and mail order Directors	270 2	228
		324	282

# NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2012

# 7. DIRECTORS' REMUNERATION

	2012 £	2011 £
Emoluments	231,779	208,107
Company pension contributions to defined contribution pension schemes	6,487	10,656

During the year retirement benefits were accruing to 1 director (2011 - 2) in respect of defined contribution pension schemes

The highest paid director received remuneration of £191,709 (2011 - £101,234)

The value of the company's contributions paid to a defined contribution pension scheme in respect of the highest paid director amounted to £6,487 (2011 - £6,000)

# 8. INTEREST RECEIVABLE

	Bank interest receivable	2012 £ 1,566	2011 £ 7,351
9	INTEREST PAYABLE		
		2012 €	2011 £
	On bank loans and overdrafts On other loans	35,546 12,779	38,628 -
		48,325	38,628

# NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2012

# 10 TAXATION

	2012 £	2011 £
Analysis of tax charge in the year		
Current tax (see note below)		
UK corporation tax charge on profit for the year Adjustments in respect of prior periods	751,103 (136,999)	393,876 -
Total current tax	614,104	393,876
Deferred tax (see note 17)		
Origination and reversal of timing differences	20,232	(39,575)
Tax on profit on ordinary activities	634,336	354,301

# Factors affecting tax charge for the year

The tax assessed for the year is lower than (2011 - higher than) the standard rate of corporation tax in the UK of 24% (2011 - 26%) The differences are explained below

	2012 £	2011 £
Profit on ordinary activities before tax	3,163,561	1,319,867 ———
Profit on ordinary activities multiplied by standard rate of corporation tax in the UK of 24% (2011 - 26%)	759,255	343,165
Effects of:		
Expenses not deductible for tax purposes	2,526	(16,284)
Depreciation for year in excess of capital allowances	56,170	54,617
Adjustments to tax charge in respect of prior periods	(136,999)	-
Loss on disposal of fixed assets	4,767	4,946
Other differences leading to an increase in the tax charge	15,247	7,432
Group relief	(86,862)	-
Current tax charge for the year (see note above)	614,104	393,876

# Factors that may affect future tax charges

There were no factors that may affect future tax charges

# NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2012

# 11 TANGIBLE FIXED ASSETS

	Freehold property £	Short-term leasehold land and buildings £	Motor vehicles £	Fixtures & fittings	Computer equipment and software £	Total £
Cost						
At 1 January 2012 Additions Disposals	1,028,732 - -	611,875 58,755 -	41,879 9,594 (8,198)	4,113,493 346,037 (131,961)	1,734,287 56,753 (227,600)	7,530,266 471,139 (367,759)
At 31 December 2012	1,028,732	670,630	43,275	4,327,569	1,563,440	7,633,646
Depreciation						
At 1 January 2012 Charge for the year On disposals	89,488 32,341 -	322,621 46,948 -	26,727 4,165 (6,667)	2,839,791 537,518 (116,328)	1,576,824 76,776 (224,300)	4,855,451 697,748 (347,295)
At 31 December 2012	121,829	369,569	24,225	3,260,981	1,429,300	5,205,904
Net book value						
At 31 December 2012	906,903	301,061	19,050	1,066,588	134,140	2,427,742
At 31 December 2011	939,244	289,254	15,152	1,273,702	157,463	2,674,815

# 12 FIXED ASSET INVESTMENTS

	Investments in subsidiary companies £
Cost or valuation	
At 1 January 2012 and 31 December 2012	102
Net book value	<del></del>
At 31 December 2012	102
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At 31 December 2011	102

The following were subsidiary undertakings of the company

Commercial Foreign Exchange Limited, comprising 100% of the issued share capital of the company, which was dormant as at 31 December 2012

Eurochange Holdings Limited, comprising 100% of the issued share capital of the company, which was dormant as at 31 December 2012

# NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2012

13.	STOCKS

		2012 £	2011 £
	Currencies and travellers cheques	8,470,577 —————	6,245,316
14	DEBTORS		
		2012	2011
		£	£
	Due within one year		
	Trade debtors	546,798	322,303
	Other debtors	63,577	67,690
	Prepayments and accrued income	953,602	976,579
	Deferred tax asset (see note 17)	152,893	173,125
		1,716,870	1,539,697
15.	CREDITORS. Amounts falling due within one year	2040	0044
		2012 £	2011 £
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	Bank loans and overdrafts (secured - see below) Trade creditors	- EAE E2C	543,440 814,693
	Amounts owed to group undertakings	545,536 713,479	216,678
	Corporation tax	502,846	263,665
	Social security and other taxes	101,258	88,396
	Other creditors	693,526	469,782
	Accruals and deferred income	1,739,486	1,660,521
		4,296,131	4,057,175

Bank loans and overdrafts are secured by way of cross guarantees and debentures by and between Eurochange PLC, FX Corporation Limited, Corporate Foreign Exchange Limited and FX Currency Services Limited

# 16. CREDITORS.

Amounts falling due after more than one year

	2012	2011
	£	£
Amounts owed to group undertakings	713,478	-
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# NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2012

17	DEFERRED TAX ASSET		
		2012 £	2011 £
	At beginning of year (Released)/created during year	173,125 (20,232)	133,550 39,575
	At end of year	152,893	173,125
	The deferred tax asset is made up as follows		
		2012 £	2011 £
	Accelerated depreciation	152,893 ————	173,125 ————
18.	SHARE CAPITAL		
		2012 £	2011 £
	Allotted, called up and fully paid		
	3,025,788 Ordinary shares of £1 each	3,025,788	3,025,788
19.	RESERVES		
			Profit and loss account £
	At 1 January 2012		3,377,043
	Profit for the year Dividends Equity capital		2,529,225 (1,250,000)
	Dividends Equity Capital		<del></del>
	At 31 December 2012		4,656,268
20.	RECONCILIATION OF MOVEMENT IN SHAREHOLDERS' FUNDS		
		2012 £	2011 £
	Opening shareholders' funds	6,402,831	6,937,265
	Profit for the year Dividends (Note 21)	2,529,225 (1,250,000)	965,566 (1,500,000)
	Closing shareholders' funds	7,682,056	6,402,831

# NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2012

#### 21. DIVIDENDS

	2012 £	2011 £
Dividends paid on equity capital	1,250,000	1,500,000
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#### 22 CONTINGENT LIABILITIES

The company has entered into a cross-guarantee arrangement with its bankers in respect of bank borrowings of UK group undertakings

The company therefore has a contingent liability to the extent of other UK group companies' bank borrowings under the above facility

At the year end this amounted to £Nil (2011 £Nil)

In the opinion of the directors it is highly unlikely that any liability will crystallise

#### 23. PENSION COMMITMENTS

The company contributes to a self-administered pension scheme on behalf of M Gini, who is also a director of the parent undertaking, FX Corporation Limited. The assets of the scheme are held separately from those of the company in an independently administered fund.

The company also makes payments into pension schemes on behalf of the other directors and certain employees

Pension contributions in the year amounted to £21,120 (2011 £22,224)

An amount of £2,846 (2011 £3,861) relates to the pension contributions which were unpaid at the year end

#### 24. OPERATING LEASE COMMITMENTS

At 31 December 2012 the company had annual commitments under non-cancellable operating leases as follows

	Land and	Land and buildings	
	2012	2011	
	£	£	
Expiry date.			
Within 1 year	225,037	66,750	
Between 2 and 5 years	1,832,960	483,560	
After more than 5 years	204,288	1,362,245	

#### NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2012

#### 25. RELATED PARTY TRANSACTIONS

Included within amounts owed to group undertakings falling due within one year is an amount due to Northeast Investments Limited of £713,479 (2011 £Nil), the ultimate parent undertaking of the company

Included within amounts owed to group undertakings falling due after one year is an amount due to Northeast Investments Limited of £713,478 (2011 £Nil), the ultimate parent undertaking of the company

#### 26. IMMEDIATE PARENT UNDERTAKING

As at 31 December 2012 and 31 December 2011, the immediate parent undertaking was FX Corporation Limited, a company incorporated in England Copies of the group accounts may be obtained from 235 Old Marylebone Road, London, NW1 5QT

#### 27. ULTIMATE PARENT UNDERTAKING

As at 31 December 2012 the ultimate parent undertaking was North East Investments Limited, a company incorporated in Jersey

As at 31 December 2011 the ultimate parent undertaking was FX Corporation Limited, a company incorporated in England

#### 28 ULTIMATE CONTROLLING PARTY

M Gini has ultimate control as at 31 December 2012 and 31 December 2011 by virtue of his majority shareholding in the ultimate parent company