Directors' Report and Financial Statements

for the year ended 31 December 2005

Registered Office: 5 Old Broad Street, London EC2N 1AD



DIRECTORS

J. P. Small GRE Nominee Shareholdings Limited

SECRETARY

J. P. Small

AUDITORS

PricewaterhouseCoopers LLP

DIRECTORS' REPORT

The directors have pleasure in submitting their report together with the audited financial statements for the year ended 31 December 2005.

REVIEW OF ACTIVITIES

The Company acted as a UK holding company for an offshore life assurance company, AXA Isle of Man Limited, which was sold on 1 January 2004.

FINANCIAL RISK MANAGEMENT OBJECTIVES AND POLICIES

The Company is exposed to financial risk though its business operations affecting the financial assets and liabilities. The most important component of this risk for the Company is non-investment credit risk in respect of balances due.

The Company is part of the AXA UK Group which has established a group wide financial risk management framework and associated set of policies. These are designed primarily to ensure that financial risks are adequately controlled and monitored for the insurance group through Risk Committees advising the Group Chief Executive and individual business unit Chief Executives.

Hedge Accounting

There are no current or forecasted transactions for which hedge accounting is used.

Credit risk

Non-investment credit risk arises from the exposure of the Company to intra-group debts with other companies in the AXA UK Group. The risk in respect of intra-group debts is controlled though on-going monitoring of amounts due.

DIRECTORS

The directors of the Company at the date of this report are shown on page 1.

Mr. R. E. Lee resigned as a director on 6 June 2006. GRE Nominee Shareholdings Limited was appointed as a director on 22 June 2006..

DIRECTORS' INTERESTS

According to the register of directors' interests, the interests of directors in the share capital and debentures of the Company, its ultimate holding company (AXA) or subsidiaries of the ultimate holding company are as follows:

DIRECTORS' REPORT (CONTINUED)

DIRECTORS' IN	NTERESTS (continue	d)			
Interests in Share	es and Units				
			AXA Shares of €2		
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Interests in Option	ons e				
			AXA		
	At 1 January 2005		During Year	r	At 31 December 2005
	Options to subscribe for Shares	Options granted	Options exercised	Options lapsed	Options to subscribe for Shares

The options outstanding at 31 December 2005 are exercisable at various times between 1 January 2006 and 25 March 2015 at prices between €10.96 and €40.86 per share.

1,005

13,758

2,250

12,513

J. P. Small

DIRECTORS' REPORT (CONTINUED)

Interests in Options (Continued)

AXA UK plc	
During Year	At 31 December 2005

Options to subscribe Opti for Shares exerc

Options Options exercised lapsed

Options to subscribe for Shares

J.P. Small

497

At 1 January 2005

497

As permitted by Statutory Instrument, the register of directors' interests does not include the interests of the following director in the share capital and debentures of the Company, its ultimate holding company (AXA) or subsidiaries of the ultimate holding company as such interests are disclosed in the Directors' Report of the following company, which is the parent company of the Company.

• R. E. Lee

reported by AXA Sun Life Holdings plc

Save as stated above, none of the directors at 31 December 2005 had interests in the share capital of the Company, its ultimate holding company (AXA) or subsidiaries of the ultimate holding company.

PAYMENT OF CREDITORS

All trade purchases are dealt with through AXA Sun Life Services plc.

AUDITORS

Under Section 379A of the Companies Act 1985, the Company has elected to dispense with the following obligations:

- to lay accounts and reports before general meetings;
- to hold annual general meetings; and
- to appoint auditors annually.

By Order of the Board

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J. P. Small

Secretary

30 June 2006

STATEMENT OF DIRECTORS' RESPONSIBILITIES

DIRECTORS' RESPONSIBILITIES

The following statement is made with a view to distinguishing for shareholders the respective responsibilities of the directors and of the auditors in relation to the financial statements.

The responsibilities of the auditors are set out in the auditors' report.

The directors are responsible for preparing the financial statements in accordance with applicable law and United Kingdom Generally Accepted Accounting Practice.

Company law requires the directors to prepare financial statements for each financial year which 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 estimates that are reasonable and prudent;
- state whether applicable 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 confirm they have complied with the above requirements in preparing the financial statements.

The directors are responsible for keeping proper accounting records that 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 1985. 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' REPORT

INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT TO THE MEMBERS OF SUN LIFE OLAC LTD

We have audited the financial statements of Sun Life OLAC Limited for the year ended 31 December 2005 which comprise the Profit and Loss Account, the Balance Sheet and the related notes. These financial statements have been prepared under the accounting policies set out therein.

Respective responsibilities of directors and auditors

As described in the Statement of Directors' Responsibilities the Company's directors are responsible for the preparation of the financial statements in accordance with applicable law and United Kingdom Accounting Standards (United Kingdom Generally Accepted Accounting Practice).

Our responsibility is to audit the financial statements in accordance with relevant legal and regulatory requirements and International Standards on Auditing (UK and Ireland). This report, including the opinion, has been prepared for and only for the Company's members as a body in accordance with Section 235 of the Companies Act 1985 and for no other purpose. We do not, in giving this opinion, 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.

We report to you our opinion as to whether the financial statements give a true and fair view and are properly prepared in accordance with the Companies Act 1985. We also report to you if, in our opinion, the Directors' Report is not consistent with the financial statements, if the Company has not kept proper accounting records, if we have not received all the information and explanations we require for our audit, or if information specified by law regarding directors' remuneration and other transactions is not disclosed.

We read the Directors' Report and consider the implications for our report if we become aware of any apparent misstatements within it.

Basis of audit opinion

We conducted our audit in accordance with International Standards on Auditing (UK and Ireland) issued by the Auditing Practices Board. An audit includes examination, on a test basis, of evidence relevant to the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. It also includes an assessment of the significant estimates and judgments made by the directors in the preparation of the financial statements, and of whether the accounting policies are appropriate to the Company's circumstances, consistently applied and adequately disclosed.

AUDITORS' REPORT

Basis of audit opinion (continued)

We planned and performed our audit so as to obtain all the information and explanations which we considered necessary in order to provide us with sufficient evidence to give reasonable assurance that the financial statements are free from material misstatement, whether caused by fraud or other irregularity or error. In forming our opinion we also evaluated the overall adequacy of the presentation of information in the financial statements.

Opinion

In our opinion the financial statements:

- give a true and fair view, in accordance with United Kingdom Generally Accepted Accounting Practice, of the state of the Company's affairs as at 31 December 2005 and of its profit for the year then ended; and
- have been properly prepared in accordance with the Companies Act 1985.

PricewaterhouseCoopers LLP

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Chartered Accountants and Registered Auditors

London

30 June 2006

PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2005

	Notes	2005	2004
		£	£
Exceptional item	2	-	34,107,108
Income from other fixed asset investments	3	1,718	1,307
Other interest receivable and similar income	4	2,967,775	2,707,360
Realised loss on investments	_	(1,894)	
Profit on ordinary activities before tax		2,967,599	36,815,775
Tax on profit on ordinary activities	7 _	(890,439)	(812,603)
Profit on ordinary activities after tax being retained profit for the year		2,077,160	36,003,172
Retained profit brought forward	_	36,021,492	18,320
Retained profit carried forward	_	38,098,652	36,021,492

STATEMENT OF TOTAL RECOGNISED GAINS AND LOSSES

	2005 £	2004 £
Retained profit for the financial year	2,077,531	36,003,172
Gross movement on revaluation reserve	1,237	12,060,183
Total recognised gains for the year	2,078,768	48,063,355

All of the above amounts are in respect of continuing operations.

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.

The information on pages 10 to 14 forms an integral part of these financial statements.

BALANCE SHEET AT 31 DECEMBER 2005

	Notes	2005	2004
		£	£
Fixed assets			
Fixed interest securities	8	25,141	18,363
		25,141	18,363
Current assets			
Amount owed by group undertakings		65,692,564	62,727,782
Prepayments and accrued income		724	510
		65,693,288	62,728,292
Creditors: amount falling due within one year			
Other creditors	9	(1,750,769)	(812,392)
Net current assets		63,987,519	61,915,900
Net assets		64,012,660	61,934,263
Equity capital and reserves			
Called up share capital	10	25,914,002	25,914,002
Revaluation reserve	11	6	(1,231)
Profit and loss account	11	38,098,652	36,021,492
Total shareholders' funds		64,012,660	61,934,263

The financial statements were approved by the Board of Directors on 30 June 2006 and signed on its behalf by:

Director

The information on pages 10 to 14 forms an integral part of these financial statements.

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

1. ACCOUNTING POLICIES

The principal accounting policies are set out below. The policies remain unchanged from the previous year.

(a) Basis of presentation

The financial statements are prepared under the historical cost convention, other than for the items noted in (b) below, and in accordance with applicable UK accounting standards. The accounts have been prepared in accordance with the formats set out in Schedule 4 to the Companies Act 1985.

(b) Investments

Investments in fixed interest securities are shown at market value. Unrealised gains and losses are taken to the revaluation reserve.

(c) Investment income

Investment income and interest is recognised when earned.

(d) Cash flow statement

Under Financial Reporting Standard 1, the Company is exempt from the requirement to prepare a cash flow statement on the grounds that it is a subsidiary undertaking of a parent undertaking which produces a consolidated cash flow statement. The cashflow of the Company is consolidated in the AXA group financial statements, which can be obtained from 23, avenue Matignon, 75008 Paris, France.

(e) Taxation

The charge for taxation is based on the profit for the year and takes into account taxation deferred because of timing differences between the treatment of certain items for taxation and accounting purposes. Deferred taxation is calculated on the liability basis and is provided only where it is likely that the amount will become payable in the foreseeable future. Deferred tax assets are only recognised to the extent that they are expected to be recoverable within the foreseeable future. Deferred tax balances are not discounted.

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

2.	EXCEPTIONAL ITEM		
		2005	2004
		£	£
	Profit on disposal of subsidiary undertaking		34,107,108
	With effect from 1 January 2004 the Company so for a total consideration of £60 million to Sun AXA Sun Life Holdings plc, at which time AXA The cost of the investment in AXA IoM at 1 Ja principal activity was the writing of long-term ass of Man.	Life SMC Ltd, a fello A IoM had net assets on nuary 2004 was £25.91	ow subsidiary of of £13.8 million m. AXA IoM's
3.	INCOME FROM OTHER FIXED ASSET INV	ESTMENTS	
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5. DIRECTORS' EMOLUMENTS

The directors are employed and paid by companies in the AXA group and their directorships are held as part of that employment. No director has received any emoluments or other benefits from the Company or from any other company in the AXA group in respect of services to the Company.

2,707,360

2,967,775

Mr. R. E. Lee was also a director of AXA Sun Life Holdings plc during the year and his emoluments, which relate to his services to the AXA group as a whole, are disclosed in the financial statements of that company.

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

6. ADMINISTRATIVE EXPENSES

The remuneration of the auditors and staff costs have been borne by AXA Sun Life Services plc, a fellow subsidiary undertaking.

7. TAXATION

	2005	2004
	£	£
UK corporation tax:		
UK corporation tax at 30% (2004: 30%)	890,651	812,600
Adjustments in respect of previous periods	(212)	3
Tax on profit on ordinary activities	890,439	812,603

Factors affecting the tax charge

The tax assessed for the year is lower than the standard rate of corporation tax in the UK (30%). The differences are explained below:

	2005	2004
	£	£
Profit on ordinary activities before tax	2,967,599	36,815,775
Profit on ordinary activities multiplied by standard rate of corporation tax in the UK of 30% (2004: 30%)	890,280	11,044,732
Exempt gain on sale of subsidiary	-	(10,232,132)
Unrealised gain – taxable	371	-
Adjustment to tax charge in respect of previous periods	(212)	3
	890,439	812,603

8. FIXED INTEREST SECURITIES

	Cost		Market Value	
	2005	2004	2005	2004
	£	£	£	£
Fixed interest security	25,135	19,594	25,141	<u>18,363</u>

The carrying value is in respect of a listed investment.

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

9. OTHER CREDITORS INCLUDING TAXATION AND SOCIAL SECURITY

	2005	2004
	£	£
Amounts owed to group undertakings	815,330	-
Corporation tax payable	890,439	812,392
	1,705,769	812,392

10. SHARE CAPITAL

	2005		2004	
	Authorised £	Paid-up £	Authorised £	Paid-up £
Authorised: 30,000,000 ordinary				
shares of £1 each	30,000,000		30,000,000	
Issued:				
25,914,002 ordinary				
shares of £1 each		25,914,002		25,914,002

11. MOVEMENTS IN SHAREHOLDERS' FUNDS

	Share Capital	Revaluation Reserve	Profit and Loss Account	Total
	£	£	£	£
At 1 January 2005	25,914,002	(1,231)	36,021,492	61,934,263
Profit for the year	-	-	2,077,160	2,077,160
Movement on revaluation reserve	-	1,237	-	1,237
At 31 December 2005	25,914,002	6	38,098,652	64,012,660

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

12. RELATED PARTIES

As the Company is a wholly-owned subsidiary it has taken advantage of the exemption granted under Financial Reporting Standard 8 (Related Party Disclosures) where subsidiary undertakings do not have to disclose transactions with Group companies qualifying as related parties provided that consolidated financial statements are publicly available.

13. IMMEDIATE AND ULTIMATE PARENT COMPANIES

The Company is a subsidiary of Sun Life Assurance Society plc, a company incorporated in Great Britain and registered in England and Wales.

In the opinion of the directors, the Company's ultimate parent and controlling company is AXA, a company incorporated in France. The parent undertaking of the largest and smallest group which includes the Company and for which group financial statements are prepared is AXA. Copies of the AXA group financial statements can be obtained from 23, avenue Matignon, 75008 Paris, France.