West Regent Healthcare Limited Annual report and financial statements for the year ended 27 September 2009

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Directors' report for the year ended 27 September 2009

The directors present their report together with the audited financial statements of the company for the year ended 27 September 2009 The company's registered number is 2779836

Principal activity

The company has not traded during the current or prior year. Interest receivable has been accrued upon the intercompany indebtedness of other group companies in accordance with transfer pricing rules.

Business review and future developments

The profit for the financial year amounted to £92,000 (2008 £123,000) The directors are satisfied with the performance of the business in the year and believe that the financial position of the company at the year end is satisfactory. The directors do not anticipate a change in the company's activities

The directors have not recommended the payment of a dividend (2008 £nil)

Principal risks and uncertainties

The management of the business and the execution of the company's strategy are subject to a number of risks

The key business risks and uncertainties affecting the company are integrated with those of the group and are not identified separately. Further discussion of these risks and uncertainties and of future performance, in the context of the Southern Cross Healthcare Group PLC as a whole, is provided in the group's annual report which does not form part of this report.

Key performance indicators ('KPIs')

Given the straightforward nature of the business, the company's directors are of the opinion that analysis using KPIs is not necessary for an understanding of the development, performance or position of the business. The development, performance and position of Southern Cross Healthcare Group PLC, which includes the company, is discussed in the group's annual report which does not form part of this report.

Financial risk management

The company's activities expose it to market risk (including cash flow interest rate risk) Risk management is carried out by the Southern Cross Healthcare Group PLC Risk Management Committee under policies approved by the board of directors

Cash flow interest rate risk

The company's interest rate risk arises from intercompany borrowings and therefore the risk is considered minimal

Directors

D Smith

The directors, who held office during the year and up to the date of signing the financial statements, were as follows

J Murphy (Resigned 30 September 2008)
K Foulkes (Resigned 31 December 2009)
W Colvin (Resigned 8 October 2008)
R Midmer
W Buchan (Appointed 1 January 2009)

(Appointed 11 December 2009)

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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 International Financial Reporting Standards (IFRSs) as adopted by the European Union 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,
- state whether applicable International Financial Reporting Standards (IFRSs) as adopted by the European Union have been followed, subject to any material departures disclosed and explained in the financial statements, and
- 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.

Disclosure of information to Auditors

In accordance with Section 418, directors' reports shall include a statement, in the case of each director in office at the date the directors' report is approved, that

- (a) so far as the director is aware, there is no relevant audit information of which the company's auditors are unaware, and
- (b) he has taken all the steps that he ought to have taken as a director in order to make himself aware of any relevant audit information and to establish that the company's auditors are aware of that information

By order of the board

W McLeish

Company Secretary

18 March 2010

Independent auditors' report to the members of West Regent Healthcare Limited

We have audited the financial statements of West Regent Healthcare Limited for the year ended 27 September 2009 which comprise the income statement, the balance sheet, the cash flow statement, the statement of changes in shareholders' equity, the statement of accounting policies and the related notes. The financial reporting framework that has been applied in their preparation is applicable law and International Financial Reporting Standards (IFRSs) as adopted by the European Union

Respective responsibilities of directors and auditors

As explained more fully in the Directors' Responsibilities Statement set out on page 2, 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 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.

This report, including the opinions, has been prepared for and only for the company's members as a body in accordance with Sections 495 and 496 of the Companies Act 2006 and for no other purpose. We do not, in giving these opinions, 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

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

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 27 September 2009 and of its profit and
 cash flows for the year then ended,
- have been properly prepared in accordance with IFRSs as adopted by the European Union, 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

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

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Randal Casson (Senior Statutory Auditor) for and on behalf of PricewaterhouseCoopers LLP Chartered Accountants and Statutory Auditors Newcastle Upon Tyne 18 March 2010

Income statement for the year ended 27 September 2009

	Note	2009 £'000	2008 £'000
Finance income	1	128	173
Profit before taxation	2	128	173
Taxation	4	(36)	(50)
Profit for the year attributable to ordinary shareholders of the company		92	123



Balance sheet as at 27 September 2009

	Note	2009	2008
		£'000	£'000
Assets			
Current assets			
Other current assets	5	2,684	2,563
Total assets		2,684	2,563
Liabilities			
Current liabilities			
Current tax liability	4	(36)	(7)
Total liabilities		(36)	(7)
Net assets		2,648	2,556
Equity			
Ordinary shares	7	-	-
Retained earnings	<u> </u>	2,648	2,556
Total equity		2,648	2,556

The financial statements on pages 5 to 13 were approved by the board of directors on 18 March 2010 and signed on its behalf by

D Smith Director

Cash flow statement for the year ended 27 September 2009

	Note	2009	2008
		£'000	£'000
Cash flows from operating activities			
Cash generated from operations	8	(121)	(125)
Interest received		128	173
Tax paid		(7)	(48)
Net cash generated from operating activities		-	-
Net increase in cash and cash equivalents		_	-
Opening cash and cash equivalents		-	
Closing cash and cash equivalents		<u>-</u>	

Statement of changes in shareholders' equity

	Ordinary shares												•		•								_	Total equity
	£'000	£'000	£'000																					
At 1 October 2007	-	2,433	2,433																					
Profit for the year attributable to ordinary shareholders	-	123	123																					
At 28 September 2008	•	2,556	2,556																					
Profit for the year attributable to ordinary shareholders	-	92	92																					
At 27 September 2009	-	2,648	2,648																					

Statement of accounting policies

The principal accounting policies adopted in the preparation of these financial statements are set out below These policies have been consistently applied to all the years presented, unless otherwise stated

Basis of preparation

These financial statements have been prepared in accordance with EU Endorsed International Financial Reporting Standards ("IFRS"), International Financial Reporting Interpretations Committee ("IFRIC") interpretations and the Companies Act 2006 applicable to companies reporting under IFRS

The financial statements have been prepared on the going concern basis under the historical cost convention

From 29 September 2008 the following standards, amendments and interpretations became effective and were adopted by the company

IAS27 Amendment – Consolidated and separate financial statements

IAS39 and IFRS7 Amendment - Reclassification of financial assets

IFRIC13 Customer loyalty programmes

IFRIC14 The limit on a defined benefit asset, minimum funding requirements and their interaction

The adoption of these amendments and interpretations has not had a significant impact on the company's profit for the year or equity

The following standards, amendments and interpretations are not yet effective and have not been adopted early by the company

Revised – First time adoption of international financial reporting standards
Amendment – Share-based payments Vesting conditions and cancellations
Amendment – Share-based payments Group cash-settled share-based payment transaction
Revised – Business combinations
Operating segments
Financial instruments
Revised – Presentation of financial statements
Amendment - Presentation of financial statements Puttable Financial Instruments and
Obligations Arising on Liquidation
Amendment – Borrowing costs
Amendment – Related party disclosures
Revised - Consolidation and separate financial statements
Amendment - Presentation on classification or rights issues
Amendment – Eligible hedged items
Amendment – Embedded derivatives
Agreements for construction of real estates
Hedges of a net investment in a foreign operation

Amendments to the following standards arising from the April 2009 Annual Improvements process IFRS2, IFRS5, IFRS8, IAS1, IAS7, IAS17, IAS18, IAS36, IAS38, IAS39, IFRIC9 and IFRIC16

IAS24 Amendment is effective for the company from 1 October 2011 IFRS1 Amendment, IFRS2 Amendment, IAS27 and IAS32 Amendment are effective for the company from 1 October 2010 The other standards, amendments and revisions are effective for the company from 28 September 2009 The adoption of these standards, amendments and interpretations is not expected to have a material impact on the company's profits or equity. The adoptions may affect the disclosures in the company's financial statements.

Taxation

The current tax is based on taxable profit for the year. Taxable profit differs from net profit as reported in the income statement because it excludes items of income or expense that are taxable or deductible in other years and it further excludes items that are never taxable or deductible. The company's liability for current tax is calculated using tax rates that have been in force during the period.

Finance income

Finance income is accrued on a time basis by reference to the principal outstanding and at the effective interest rate applicable

Other current assets

Other current assets comprise amounts due from group undertakings, which are measured at the best estimate of income receivable from the group undertaking to settle its obligation

Share capital

Ordinary shares are classified as equity Incremental costs directly attributable to the issue of new shares or options are shown in equity as a deduction, net of tax, from the proceeds

Fair value estimation

The carrying value less impairment provision of other current assets and payables are assumed to approximate their fair values

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Notes to the financial statements for the year ended 27 September 2009

1 Finance income

	2009	2008
	£'000	£,000
Interest receivable on amounts owed by group undertakings	128	173

2 Profit before taxation

Audit fees during the current and prior year have been borne by another group company, Southern Cross Healthcare Limited

3 Employees and directors

No directors received any remuneration from the company during the year (2008 £nil) The directors' emoluments were paid by Southern Cross Healthcare Limited, another group company

The company had no employees during the year (2008 none)

4 Taxation

	2009	2008
	£'000	£'000
Current tax		
current year	36	50
Taxation	36	50

The current rate applicable to the company for the year ended 27 September 2009 was 28% (2008 29%)

The tax for the current and prior year is equal to the standard rate of corporation tax in the UK 28% (2008 29%)

5 Other current assets

	2009	2008
	£'000	£'000
Amounts owed by group undertakings	2,684	2,563

The fair value of other current assets is equal to the amounts shown above

The classes within other current assets do not contain impaired assets. The maximum exposure to credit risk at the reporting date is the carrying value of each class of receivable mentioned above

6 Financial instruments

Numerical financial instruments disclosures are set out below

In accordance with IAS 39, "Financial instruments Recognition and measurement", management has reviewed contracts for embedded derivatives that are required to be separately accounted for if they do not meet certain requirements set out in the standard. No such embedded derivatives were found

Financial instruments by category

The accounting policies for financial instruments have been applied to the line items below

2009	2008 £'000
£'000	
2,684	2,563
	£,000

The directors consider that the carrying amount of financial assets and financial liabilities recorded at amortised cost in the financial statements approximate their fair values

Financial assets and liabilities are denominated in sterling

7 Ordinary shares

	2009 £	2008 £
Authorised share capital		
1,000 ordinary shares of £1 each	1,000	1,000
Allotted and fully paid		
2 ordinary shares of £1 each	2	2

8 Cash flows from operating activities

Reconciliation of operating profit before taxation to net cash flow from operating activities

	2009 £'000	2008
		£,000
Operating profit	•	-
Changes in working capital		
Decrease in payables	-	(71)
Increase in trade receivables and other current assets	(121)	(54)
Cash used in operating activities	(121)	(125)

9 Related party transactions

The majority of the transactions in the current and prior year were funded through the bank account held in Southern Cross Healthcare Limited which is central to the group's treasury activities. The main transactions with group companies are disclosed below

Year ended 27 September 2009

	Tax paid by £'000	Interest received	Amount owed by
Fellow subsidiary undertakings	(7)	128	2,684
Year ended 28 September 2008			
	Tax paid by	Interest received	Amount owed by
	£'000	£'000	£'000
Fellow subsidiary undertakings	(48)	173	2,563

The key management of the company are deemed to be the Board of Directors who have authority and responsibility for planning and controlling all significant activities of the company

10 Ultimate parent company

The immediate parent company is Exceler Health Care Group Limited, a company registered in England and Wales

The ultimate parent undertaking and controlling party is Southern Cross Healthcare Group PLC, which is the parent undertaking of the smallest and largest group to consolidate these financial statements. Copies of Southern Cross Healthcare Group PLC's consolidated financial statements can be obtained from its registered office.

Southgate House, Archer Street, Darlington, County Durham, DL3 6AH

11 Registered office and domicile

The company's registered office is Southgate House, Archer Street, Darlington, County Durham, DL3 6AH and the company is registered in England and Wales