REPORT AND ACCOUNTS New London Capital Holdings Limited 31st DECEMBER 2007

Registered No 2859401



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Directory

C D Hill **Directors**

A Milton

A J Gibson (Appointed 1 April 2007)

P Lampshire Secretary

KPMG Audit Plc **Auditors**

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Directors' Report

The directors present their report and the audited financial statements for the year ended 31st December 2007

Principal activity and review of business

The company's principal activity is that of an intermediate holding company and manager of underwriting capacity at Lloyd's on behalf of third parties. The company's subsidiary undertakings are all corporate members of the Society of Lloyd's

Results and dividends

The result for the year to 31 December 2007 after taxation amounted to £303,516 (2006 £250,000) A dividend of £590,000 has been paid (2006 £nil)

Directors and their interests

The current directors of the company are set out on page 1

The interests of the directors who held office at 31st December 2007 and their immediate family in the share capital of the ultimate holding company are disclosed in the accounts of that company

Provision of information to auditors

The directors who held office at the date of approval of this directors' report confirm that, so far as they are each aware, there is no relevant audit information of which the Company's auditors are unaware, and each director has taken all the steps that he ought to have taken as a director to make himself aware of any relevant audit information and to establish that the Company's auditors are aware of that information

Auditors

In accordance with Section 384 of the Companies Act 1985, a resolution for the reappointment of KPMG Audit Plc as auditors of the company is to be proposed at the forthcoming Annual General Meeting

By order of the board

P Lampshire Secretary

20 February 2008

Statement of directors' responsibilities in respect of the directors' report and the financial statements

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 they have elected to prepare the financial statements in accordance with UK Accounting Standards and applicable law (UK Generally Accepted Accounting Practice) The financial statements are required by law to give a true and fair view of the state of affairs of the company and of the profit or loss 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 UK Accounting Standards 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 proper accounting records that disclose with reasonable accuracy at any time the financial position of the company and to enable them to ensure that its financial statements comply with the Companies Act 1985. They have general responsibility for taking such steps as are reasonably open to them to safeguard the assets of the company and to prevent and detect fraud and other irregularities

Independent Auditors' Report to the members of New London Capital Holdings Limited

We have audited the financial statements of New London Capital Holdings Limited for the year ended 31 December 2007 which comprise Profit and Loss Account, the Balance Sheet, and the related notes These financial statements have been prepared under the accounting policies set out therein

This report is made solely to the company's members, as a body, in accordance with section 235 of the Companies Act 1985 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

Respective responsibilities of directors and auditors

The directors' responsibilities for preparing the financial statements in accordance with applicable law and UK Accounting Standards (UK Generally Accepted Accounting Practice) are set out in Statement of Directors' Responsibilities on page 3

Our responsibility is to audit the financial statements in accordance with relevant legal and regulatory requirements and International Standards on Auditing (UK and Ireland)

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 whether in our opinion the information given in the Directors' Report is consistent with the financial statements

In addition we report to you if, in our opinion, 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

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 traud 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 UK Generally Accepted Accounting Practice, of the state of the company's affairs as at 31 December 2007 and of its profit for the year then ended.
- the financial statements have been properly prepared in accordance with the Companies Act 1985, and

the information given in the Directors' Report is consistent with the financial statements

KPMG Audit Plc

Chartered Accountants & Registered Auditor

8 Salisbury Square

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20 February 2008

Profit and loss account

for the year ended 31st December 2007

		2007	2006
	Notes	£	<u>£</u>
Revenue			
Income from shares in group undertakings	4	303,516	250,000
		<u> </u>	
Profit for the financial year		303,516	250,000

Balance sheet

as at 31st December 2007

		2007	2006
	Notes	£	£
Fixed assets			
Investments in subsidiary undertakings	6	575,000	575,000
Current assets			
Debtors	7	-	268,539
Creditors – amounts falling due within one year	8	(74,590)	(56,645)
Net current liabilities		(74,590)	211,894
Total assets less current habilities		500,410	786,894
Creditors - amounts falling due after more than one year	9	(500,000)	(500,000)
Net assets		410	286,894
Capital and reserves			
Share capital	10	2	2
Profit and loss account		408	286,892
Total shareholder's funds - equity	11	410	286,894

These financial statements were approved by the board of directors and signed on its behalf on 20 February

A Milton Director

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Accounting policies

Basis of preparation a)

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

Investments in subsidiary undertakings b)

Investments in subsidiary undertakings are accounted for on an equity basis and are stated at cost less amounts written off where the directors consider there has been a permanent diminution in value

c) Cash flow statements

Under Financial Reporting Standard Number 1, Cash Flow Statements, the company is exempt from the requirement to prepare a cash flow statement on the grounds that a parent undertaking includes the company in its own published consolidated financial statements

d) Group accounts

The Company is exempt by virtue of section 228 of the Companies Act 1985 from the requirement to prepare group accounts. These financial statements present information about the company as an individual undertaking and not about its group

e) Taxation

Deferred tax is recognised in respect of all timing differences that have originated but not reversed at the balance sheet date where transactions or events have occurred at that date that will result in an obligation to pay more, or a right to pay less or to receive more, tax

2 **Remuneration of Directors**

The directors received no emoluments for their services to the Company (2006 £nil)

3 Staff numbers

The Company has no employees (2006 nil)

Income from shares in group undertakings 4

	2007 £000	2006 £000
Dividends from subsidiary undertakings	303,516	250,000

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5	Dividends		
		2007	2006
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Dıv	dends paid	590,000	-
6	Investments in subsidiary undertakings		
		2007	2006
		<u> </u>	<u>£</u>
	est and net book value January and 31 st December	575,000	575,000

The company has the following active subsidiary undertakings, all of which operate in the United Kingdom, are incorporated in Great Britain and are registered in England and Wales

		Proportion of ordinary shares held
Subsidiary undertaking	Principal activity	%
NLC Name No 1 Limited	Corporate Member of Lloyd's	100
NLC Name No 2 Limited	Corporate Member of Lloyd's	100
NLC Name No 3 Limited	Corporate Member of Lloyd's	100
NLC Name No 4 Limited	Corporate Member of Lloyd's	100
NLC Name No 5 Limited	Corporate Member of Lloyd's	100
NLC Name No 7 Limited	Corporate Member of Lloyd's	100

In accordance with agreement dated 31^{st} October 1996, the underwriting profits realised by NLC Name No 7 Limited accrue to the benefit of Security Re Inc., a subsidiary of Orion Capital Corporation. The company earns a fee of 1 025% of underwriting capacity (net of Lloyd's Adviser fees) in respect of the capacity underwritten by this subsidiary. The aggregate underwriting capacity underwritten by NLC Name No 7 Limited on the 1997 and 1998 years of account was £27.9 million.

Group accounts are not prepared as the company is an indirect subsidiary undertaking of Highway Insurance Holdings Plc - see note 11

7 Debtors

	2007 £	2006 £
Amounts due from parent undertaking Amounts due from subsidiary undertakings	-	18,539 250,000
Total		268,539
8 Creditors - amounts falling due within one year		
	2007 <u>£</u>	2006 £
Amounts due to parent undertaking Amounts due to subsidiary undertakings	26,941 47,649	56,645 -
Total	74,590	56,645

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9 Creditors - amounts falling due after more than one year

_	2007 £	2006 £
Loan from Security Re	500,000	500,000

As part of the arrangements for funding NLC Name No 7 Limited, Security Re Inc., a subsidiary of Orion Capital Corporation, has made the above loan The company has provided no security in respect of this loan and it is interest free to the company

10 Called up share capital

	2007 £	2006 <u>£</u>
Authorised 1,000 Ordinary shares of £1 each	1,000	
Allotted, issued and fully paid 2 Ordinary shares of £1 each	2	2

11 Reconciliation of movements in shareholder's funds

	Share capital £	Profit and loss account £	Total £
At 1st January 2007	2	286,892	286,894
Profit for the financial year	-	303,516	303,516
Dividends	-	(590,000)	(590,000)
At 31 st December 2007		408	410

12 Related party transactions

The Company has taken advantage of the exemption in Financial Reporting Standard 8(3) from disclosure of related party transactions with other entities included in the consolidated financial statements of Highway Insurance Holdings Plc

13 Ultimate and immediate parent undertakings

The ultimate parent undertaking and controlling party of the company is Highway Insurance Holdings Plc, a company registered in England and Wales (Registered no 2998217) The immediate parent undertaking of the company is New London Capital PLC, a company registered in England and Wales (Registered no 2862672) Copies of the accounts of Highway Insurance Holdings Plc and New London Capital PLC can be obtained from their registered office at Highway House, 171 Kings Road, Brentwood, Essex CM14 4EJ