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HOOD GROUP LIMITED

Group Strategic Report,

Report of the Directors and

Consolidated Financial Statements

For The Year Ended 31st December 2018

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HOOD GROUP LIMITED

Company Information For The Year Ended 31st December 2018

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Group Strategic Report For The Year Ended 31st December 2018

The directors present their strategic report of the company and the group for the year ended 31st December 2018.

REVIEW OF BUSINESS

Following a reorganisation in 2015, much of the group's trading (previously carried out by various subsidiary companies) is now carried out by the parent company, Hood Group Limited. This company together with the following group companies continue to trade:

- Hood Group Administration Limited (formerly known as Plus One Services Limited) provides insurance services to external and internal clients acting as an Authorised Representative under the client's FCA registration.
- Hood Travel Limited continues to be responsible for the introduction and management of client and underwriter relationships, to generate travel policy sales in the affinity and partnership sectors, to support the travel insurance products provided by Hood Group Limited.

All trading companies within the group operate in the insurance sector.

The remaining four subsidiary companies are dormant and did not trade during the year under review.

Gross Written Premium handled by the Group increased by 19.7% and Turnover by 5.5% for the year.

During 2018 our travel insurance business has continued on its growth path boosting the amount of gross written premium handled by 311% and turnover by 161%.

The group's residential property insurance business demonstrated third party administration services for affinities and insurers continuing to show strong growth, assisted by the first full year of a new account secured at the end of the previous year. The account performed strongly and our strong service provision was recognised. A significant investment programme in insurance innovation initiatives continued from 2017 into 2018 which the Directors believe will enhance the company's reputation and profile in a competitive and increasingly technology driven market.

Once again, Hood Group strengthened its insurer panel with the introduction of two new insurers during the year and highlights the attraction of the company's Travel and Residential insurance products.

Continued investment in IT, innovation and telecoms solutions has contributed to a drop in profitability but it has positioned the business strongly to take advantage of future new business opportunities in 2019. The business reported a loss before tax for the financial year of £414,000 (2017: profit £101,316).

The Directors are confident that the group is well positioned to show healthy growth in the coming year and beyond.

FUTURE DEVELOPMENTS

Hood Group has secured two material new contracts at the end of 2018, including increasing its provision of third party administration services to insurers in a new niche market for the company. Current activity suggests that there are opportunities to increase our market share through new affinities as well as innovative utilisation of data and analytics which we believe will allow us to demonstrate new product differentiation in the market place. The directors believe that this, together with continued effective management of renewals, aggregator and direct sales channels will continue to improve customer journey and, ultimately, improve our margins.

Group Strategic Report For The Year Ended 31st December 2018

PRINCIPAL RISKS AND UNCERTAINTIES

The Board is responsible for identifying and managing the internal and external risks to which the company is exposed. The company maintains a risk register which assists in this process, is regularly updated, recording controls and actions necessary to mitigate these risks.

The principal risks and uncertainties identified by the Board are outlined below:-

Key Employee Retention

Retaining key personnel within the business, preserving existing and developing new client relationships are all vitally important to the company's future development and success. Effective succession and career planning at all levels of the organisation are regularly undertaken together with remuneration benchmarking to assist with maintaining good staff retention levels.

Market Risk

Despite improvements, market conditions within the insurance sector remain challenging. As a result, clients are faced with increased competition and lower premiums. In order to support our clients in meeting these challenges and remaining competitive, we continue to develop cost effective solutions to assist them in improving their revenues whilst controlling their policy servicing costs.

The continued focus on household spending will undoubtedly encourage many policyholders to seek cheaper insurance cover. The threat of raised cancellation rates therefore remains and could impact on our volumes and revenues. Gaining new business can help to mitigate this possibility together with differentiating our customer proposition by adding value to the customer, which in turn will lead to greater policy tenure.

In addition, there is a possibility that any insurer may withdraw from Residential Property or Travel insurance markets. Hood Group maintains relationships with a panel of insurers and is entirely independent of these. In the event of this occurrence, and using its established relationships with insurers, it would seek to swiftly negotiate the appointment of a replacement insurer or insurers.

Financial Risk

The Board analyses and reviews monthly financial performance against budgets and forecasts to ensure compliance with capital adequacy requirements and sufficient liquidity to fund current and future projects. It maintains a framework of authorisation and other internal controls to assist with ensuring that company assets are safeguarded.

Technology Risk

The company has a disaster recovery plan covering operational continuity, technological platform availability, security and data integrity and other aspects. Agreed third party supplier service level agreements are in place and suitability regularly reviewed.

Competition risk

The actions of some of our competitors, who use aggressive pricing to secure volume in the short term, continues to present challenges as we seek to win new business and retain existing business. Investing in innovative ideas and initiatives will demonstrate how Hood Group's solutions based approach continues to evolve and present our clients with the best possible ways to increase their own sales volumes.

The increasing tendency of consumers to use price comparison websites to purchase their insurance products continues to present both challenges and opportunities to existing and new business revenue streams. We will seek to mitigate the challenges by maximising the strength of our partner brands to achieve sustainable growth through price comparison websites, whilst continuing our investment in digital marketing resource to efficiently acquire new customers directly.

Regulatory Risk

The company is regulated by the Financial Conduct Authority and mitigates against the risk of non-compliance. It maintains and utilises Risk & Compliance, Learning & Development and Quality Assurance teams to ensure the effective management of our services to the customer and efficient handling of any customer complaints.

Group Strategic Report For The Year Ended 31st December 2018

ON BEHALF OF THE BOARD:

M Hunter - Secretary

5th August 2019

Report of the Directors For The Year Ended 31st December 2018

The directors present their report with the financial statements of the company and the group for the year ended 31st December 2018.

PRINCIPAL ACTIVITY

The principal activity of the group in the year under review was that of a group of trading and non-trading companies in the insurance sector.

DIVIDENDS

During the current and prior year the directors did not pay interim dividends.

RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT

The group has over the last few years invested in research and development, aimed at providing efficient and innovative insurance solutions and systems that will provide a commercial advantage to the business and its clients and partners. This investment will continue in 2019 and beyond.

DIRECTORS

The directors shown below have held office during the whole of the period from 1st January 2018 to the date of this report.

E J Cater

S A Hood

B C Reid

J M Wallis

P R Firkins

S M Milbourne

M Hunter

Other changes in directors holding office are as follows:

A C Homer - appointed 1st January 2018

STATEMENT OF DIRECTORS' RESPONSIBILITIES

The directors are responsible for preparing the Group Strategic Report, the Report of the Directors 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 the group and of the profit or loss of the group 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 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 and the group's transactions and disclose with reasonable accuracy at any time the financial position of the company and the group 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 the group and hence for taking reasonable steps for the prevention and detection of fraud and other irregularities.

Report of the Directors For The Year Ended 31st December 2018

STATEMENT AS TO DISCLOSURE OF INFORMATION TO AUDITORS

So far as the directors are aware, there is no relevant audit information (as defined by Section 418 of the Companies Act 2006) of which the group's auditors are unaware, and each director has taken all the steps that he or she ought to have taken as a director in order to make himself or herself aware of any relevant audit information and to establish that the group's auditors are aware of that information.

AUDITORS

The auditors, Wilkins Kennedy Audit Services, will be proposed for re-appointment at the forthcoming Annual General Meeting.

ON BEHALF OF THE BOARD:

M Hunter - Secretary

5th August 2019

Report of the Independent Auditors to the Members of Hood Group Limited

Opinion

We have audited the financial statements of Hood Group Limited (the 'parent company') and its subsidiaries (the 'group') for the year ended 31st December 2018 which comprise the Consolidated Income Statement, Consolidated Other Comprehensive Income, Consolidated Balance Sheet, Company Balance Sheet, Consolidated Statement of Changes in Equity, Company Statement of Changes in Equity, Consolidated Cash Flow Statement and Notes to the Consolidated Cash Flow Statement, Notes to the Financial Statements, including a summary of significant accounting policies. The financial reporting framework that has been applied in their preparation is applicable law and United Kingdom Accounting Standards, including Financial Reporting Standard 102 'The Financial Reporting Standard applicable in the UK and Republic of Ireland' (United Kingdom Generally Accepted Accounting Practice).

In our opinion the financial statements:

- give a true and fair view of the state of the group's and of the parent company affairs as at 31st December 2018 and of the group's loss 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.

Basis for opinion

We conducted our audit in accordance with International Standards on Auditing (UK) (ISAs (UK)) and applicable law. Our responsibilities under those standards are further described in the Auditors' responsibilities for the audit of the financial statements section of our report. We are independent of the group in accordance with the ethical requirements that are relevant to our audit of the financial statements in the UK, including the FRC's Ethical Standard, and we have fulfilled our other ethical responsibilities in accordance with these requirements. We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion.

Conclusions relating to going concern

We have nothing to report in respect of the following matters in relation to which the ISAs (UK) require us to report to you where:

- the directors' use of the going concern basis of accounting in the preparation of the financial statements is not appropriate; or
- the directors have not disclosed in the financial statements any identified material uncertainties that may cast significant doubt about the group's ability to continue to adopt the going concern basis of accounting for a period of at least twelve months from the date when the financial statements are authorised for issue.

Other information

The directors are responsible for the other information. The other information comprises the information included in the annual report, other than the financial statements and our auditor's report thereon.

Our opinion on the financial statements does not cover the other information and, except to the extent otherwise explicitly stated in our report, we do not express any form of assurance conclusion thereon.

In connection with our audit of the financial statements, our responsibility is to read the other information and, in doing so, consider whether the other information is materially inconsistent with the financial statements or our knowledge obtained in the audit or otherwise appears to be materially misstated. If we identify such material inconsistencies or apparent material misstatements, we are required to determine whether there is a material misstatement in the financial statements or a material misstatement of the other information. If, based on the work we have performed, we conclude that there is a material misstatement of this other information, we are required to report that fact.

We have nothing to report in this regard.

Opinions on other matters prescribed by the Companies Act 2006

In our opinion, based on the work undertaken in the course of the audit:

- the information given in the Group Strategic Report and the Report of the Directors for the financial year for which the financial statements are prepared is consistent with the financial statements; and
- the Group Strategic Report and the Report of the Directors have been prepared in accordance with applicable legal requirements.

Report of the Independent Auditors to the Members of Hood Group Limited

Matters on which we are required to report by exception

In the light of the knowledge and understanding of the group and the parent company and its environment obtained in the course of the audit, we have not identified material misstatements in the Group Strategic Report or the Report of the Directors.

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 by the parent company, or returns adequate for our audit have not been received from branches not visited by us; or
- the parent company 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.

Responsibilities of directors

As explained more fully in the Statement of Directors' Responsibilities set out on page five, the directors are responsible for the preparation of the financial statements and for being satisfied that they give a true and fair view, and for such internal control as the directors determine necessary to enable the preparation of financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

In preparing the financial statements, the directors are responsible for assessing the group's and the parent company's ability to continue as a going concern, disclosing, as applicable, matters related to going concern and using the going concern basis of accounting unless the directors either intend to liquidate the group or the parent company or to cease operations, or have no realistic alternative but to do so.

Auditors' responsibilities for the audit of the financial statements

Our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements as a whole are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error, and to issue a Report of the Auditors that includes our opinion. Reasonable assurance is a high level of assurance, but is not a guarantee that an audit conducted in accordance with ISAs (UK) will always detect a material misstatement when it exists. Misstatements can arise from fraud or error and are considered material if, individually or in the aggregate, they could reasonably be expected to influence the economic decisions of users taken on the basis of these financial statements.

A further description of our responsibilities for the audit of the financial statements is located on the Financial Reporting Council's website at www.frc.org.uk/auditorsresponsibilities. This description forms part of our Report of the Auditors.

Use of our report

This report is made solely to the parent 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 parent 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 parent company and the parent company's members as a body, for our audit work, for this report, or for the opinions we have formed.

P.R. East (Senior Statutory Auditor)

for and on behalf of Wilkins Kennedy Audit Services

Statutory Auditor 2nd Floor

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London

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5th August 2019

Consolidated Income Statement For The Year Ended 31st December 2018

		2018	2017 as restated
	Notes	£	£
TURNOVER	,	10,436,719	9,889,704
Administrative expenses		10,772,689	9,717,931
OPERATING (LOSS)/PROFIT	4	(335,970)	171,773
Interest receivable and similar income		14,709	21,757
		(321,261)	193,530
Interest payable and similar expenses	. 5	92,739	92,214
(LOSS)/PROFIT BEFORE TAXATIO	N	(414,000)	101,316
Tax on (loss)/profit	6	10,495	(442,624)
(LOSS)/PROFIT FOR THE FINANCIA YEAR	AL	(424,495)	543,940
(Loss)/profit attributable to: Owners of the parent Non-controlling interests		(438,681) 14,186	543,940
		(424,495)	543,940

Consolidated Other Comprehensive Income For The Year Ended 31st December 2018

		2018	2017 as restated
	Notes	£	£
(LOSS)/PROFIT FOR THE YEAR	t	(424,495)	543,940
OTHER COMPREHENSIVE INC	OME		
Increase in capital contribution reserv	e	4,707	7,885
Part-disposal of subsidiary undertaking		98,122	-
Income tax relating to components of comprehensive income	other	-	-
OTHER COMPREHENSIVE INC	OME		
FOR THE YEAR, NET OF INCOM		102,829	7,885
TOTAL COMPREHENSIVE INC	OME		
FOR THE YEAR		(321,666)	551,825
Th. 1	Note	(00.004)	(55.150)
Prior year adjustment	8	(83,924)	(55,178)
TOTAL COMPREHENSIVE INC	OME ·		
SINCE LAST ANNUAL REPORT	OWE	(405,590) =====	496,647
Total comprehensive income attributa	able to:		
Owners of the parent		(324,459)	496,647
Non-controlling interests		(81,131)	
		(405,590)	496,647

Consolidated Balance Sheet 31st December 2018

		2018		2017 as restated	
	Notes	£	£	£	£
FIXED ASSETS					
Intangible assets	9		2,616,388		2,677,189
Tangible assets	10		363,943		324,897
Investments	11		-		, -
			2,980,331		3,002,086
CURRENT ASSETS					
Debtors	12	4,196,838		4,103,441	
Cash at bank		887,797		1,763,901	
		5,084,635		5,867,342	
CREDITORS					
Amounts falling due within one year	13	2,575,785		2,339,743	
NET CURRENT ASSETS			2,508,850		3,527,599
TOTAL ASSETS LESS CURRENT LIABILITIES			5,489,181	19 + 19 t	6,529,685
CREDITORS Amounts falling due after more than one				·,	The first of the second
year	14		(832,978)	•	(1,468,766)
PROVISIONS FOR LIABILITIES	18		(12,267)		1
NET ASSETS			4,643,936		5,060,919

Consolidated Balance Sheet - continued 31st December 2018

		2018		201 as resta	
	Notes	£	£	£	£
CAPITAL AND RESERVES					
Called up share capital	19		48,100		48,100
Share premium	20		15,010		15,010
Capital redemption reserve	20		2,050		2,050
Capital contribution reserve	20		49,129		44,422
Retained earnings	20		4,610,778		4,951,337
SHAREHOLDERS' FUNDS			4,725,067		5,060,919
NON-CONTROLLING INTERESTS	S 21		(81,131)		-
TOTAL EQUITY		•	4,643,936		5,060,919

The financial statements were approved by the Board of Directors on 5th August 2019 and were signed on its behalf by:

S A Hood - Director

M Hunter - Director

Company Balance Sheet 31st December 2018

		2018		2017 as restated	
	Notes	£	£	£	£
FIXED ASSETS					
Intangible assets	9		2,336,596		2,239,273
Tangible assets	10	•	363,943		324,897
Investments	11		2,132,166		2,134,971
			4,832,705		4,699,141
CURRENT ASSETS					
Debtors	12	3,993,482		4,359,423	
Cash at bank		643,287		1,290,545	
		4,636,769		5,649,968	
CREDITORS					
Amounts falling due within one year	13	4,069,508		3,064,484	
NET CURRENT ASSETS			567,261		2,585,484
TOTAL ASSETS LESS CURRENT LIABILITIES			5,399,966		7,284,625
CREDITORS					
Amounts falling due after more than one					V_{i} .
rear	14		(832,978)	<i>y</i> , <i>'</i> '	(1,468,766
PROVISIONS FOR LIABILITIES	18		(13,837)		-
NET ASSETS			4,553,151		5,815,859

Company Balance Sheet - continued 31st December 2018

		201	18	201	7
				as rest	ated
	Notes	£	£	£	£
CAPITAL AND RESERVES					
Called up share capital	19		48,100		48,100
Share premium	20		15,010		15,010
Capital redemption reserve	20		2,050		2,050
Capital contribution reserve	20		49,129		44,422
Retained earnings	20		4,438,862		5,706,277
SHAREHOLDERS' FUNDS			4,553,151		5,815,859
Company's (loss)/profit for the finan	cial year		(1,267,415)		505,904

The financial statements were approved by the Board of Directors on 5th August 2019 and were signed on its behalf by:

S A Hood - Director

M Hunter - Director

Consolidated Statement of Changes in Equity For The Year Ended 31st December 2018

	Called up share capital £	Retained earnings £	Share premium £	Capital redemption reserve
Balance at 1st January 2017 Prior year adjustment	48,100	4,462,575 (55,178)	15,010	2,050
As restated	48,100	4,407,397	15,010	2,050
Changes in equity Total comprehensive income	_	627,864	<u> </u>	<u>-</u>
Balance at 31st December 2017	48,100	5,035,261	15,010	2,050
Prior year adjustment		(83,924)		-
As restated	48,100	4,951,337	15,010	2,050
Changes in equity Total comprehensive income	-	(340,559).	-	-
Balance at 31st December 2018	48,100	4,610,778	15,010	2,050
	Capital contribution reserve	Total £	Non-controlling interests	Total equity
Balance at 1st January 2017 Prior year adjustment	36,537 -	4,564,272 (55,178)	- -	4,564,272 (55,178)
As restated	36,537	4,509,094		4,509,094
Changes in equity Total comprehensive income	7,885	635,749		635,749
Balance at 31st December 2017	44,422	5,144,843	-	5,144,843
Prior year adjustment		(83,924)	<u> </u>	(83,924)
As restated	44,422	5,060,919		5,060,919
Changes in equity Total comprehensive income	4,707	(335,852)	(81,131)	(416,983)
Balance at 31st December 2018	49,129	4,725,067	(81,131)	4,643,936

Company Statement of Changes in Equity For The Year Ended 31st December 2018

	Called up share capital £	Retained earnings £	Share premium £
Balance at 1st January 2017 Prior year adjustment	48,100	5,255,551 (55,178)	15,010
As restated	48,100	5,200,373	15,010
Changes in equity Total comprehensive income		589,828	-
Balance at 31st December 2017	48,100	5,790,201	15,010
Prior year adjustment	-	(83,924)	-
As restated	48,100	5,706,277	15,010
Changes in equity Total comprehensive loss	-	(1,267,415)	-
Balance at 31st December 2018	48,100	4,438,862	15,010
	Capital redemption reserve	Capital contribution reserve	Total equity
Balance at 1st January 2017 Prior year adjustment	2,050	36,537	5,357,248 (55,178)
As restated	2,050	36,537	5,302,070
Changes in equity Total comprehensive income	, -	7,885	597,713
Balance at 31st December 2017	2,050	44,422	5,899,783
Prior year adjustment			(83,924)
As restated	2,050	44,422	5,815,859
Changes in equity		4 707	(1.262.700)
Total comprehensive loss	-	4,707	(1,262,708)

Consolidated Cash Flow Statement For The Year Ended 31st December 2018

		2018	2017 as restated
h	Notes	£	£
Cash flows from operating activities	.0.03	· -	~
Cash generated from operations	1	873,630	1,758,424
Interest paid	•	(72,010)	(63,536)
Interest element of hire purchase payments		(12,010)	(03,330)
paid		(5,998)	(5,338)
Taxation refund		192,142	162,282
Net cash from operating activities		987,764	1,851,832
Cash flows from investing activities			
Purchase of intangible fixed assets	•	(894,167)	(1,609,583)
Purchase of tangible fixed assets		(111,160)	(142,671)
Sale of fixed asset investments		2,805	-
Sale of investment property		-,	1,701
Interest received		14,709	21,757
Net cash from investing activities		(987,813)	(1,728,796)
Cash flows from financing activities			
Loan repayments in year		(799,606)	(858,678)
Capital repayments in year		(76,449)	(55,139)
Net cash from financing activities		(876,055)	(913,817)
Decrease in cash and cash equivalents		(876,104)	(790,781)
Cash and cash equivalents at beginning of year	2	1,763,901	2,554,682
Cash and cash equivalents at end of year	2	887,797	1,763,901

Notes to the Consolidated Cash Flow Statement For The Year Ended 31st December 2018

1. RECONCILIATION OF (LOSS)/PROFIT BEFORE TAXATION TO CASH GENERATED FROM OPERATIONS

•	2018	2017
		as restated
	£	£
(Loss)/profit before taxation	(414,000)	101,316
Depreciation charges	1,118,561	1,019,303
Loss/(profit) on disposal of fixed assets	850	(1,395)
Finance costs	92,739	92,214
Finance income	(14,709)	(21,757)
	783,441	1,189,681
(Increase)/decrease in trade and other debtors	(327,335)	516,165
Increase in trade and other creditors	417,524	52,578
Cash generated from operations	873,630	1,758,424
		

2. CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS

The amounts disclosed on the Cash Flow Statement in respect of cash and cash equivalents are in respect of these Balance Sheet amounts:

Year ended 31st December 2018

	31/12/18 £	1/1/18 £
Cash and cash equivalents	<u>887,797</u>	1,763,901
Year ended 31st December 2017		
	31/12/17	1/1/17
	as resta	ated
	£	£
Cash and cash equivalents	1,763,901	2,554,682

Notes to the Consolidated Financial Statements For The Year Ended 31st December 2018

1. STATUTORY INFORMATION

Hood Group Limited is a private company, limited by shares, registered in England and Wales. The company's registered number and registered office address can be found on the General Information page.

2. ACCOUNTING POLICIES

Basis of preparing the financial statements

These financial statements have been prepared in accordance with Financial Reporting Standard 102 "The Financial Reporting Standard applicable in the UK and Republic of Ireland" and the Companies Act 2006. The financial statements have been prepared under the historical cost convention.

In the opinion of the directors, it remains appropriate to continue to adopt the going concern basis of accounting.

Turnover

Credit is taken for net commission on premiums receivable on insurance policies placed during the accounting period.

Credit is taken for administration fees billed to clients in the period in which they are earned. Other income is credited to the profit and loss account as it is received.

Profit share payments are received, from time to time, from some insurance underwriters based on the underlying performance of the books of insurance underwritten on the company's behalf by those underwriters. These payments are regarded as contingent commissions and are recognised as revenue once the calculation has been agreed with the underwriter and the cash has been received from the underwriter.

Goodwill

Goodwill, being the amount paid in connection with the acquisition of shares in The Select & Protect Program Limited in 2013 and 2014, is being amortised evenly over its useful life of ten years.

Goodwill, being the amount paid in connection with the acquisition of a book of business in 2016, is being amortised evenly over its estimated useful life of five years.

Intangible assets

Intangible assets are initially measured at cost. After initial recognition, intangible assets are measured at cost less any accumulated amortisation and any accumulated impairment losses.

System development costs are being amortised evenly over their estimated useful lives of three, five or seven years depending on the projected longevity of the systems in place.

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Notes to the Consolidated Financial Statements - continued For The Year Ended 31st December 2018

2. ACCOUNTING POLICIES - continued

Tangible fixed assets

Depreciation is provided at the following annual rates in order to write off each asset over its estimated useful life.

Fixtures and fittings

- 20% on cost

Computer equipment

- 33% on cost

Motor vehicles

- 20% on cost

At each reporting date, fixed assets are reviewed to determine whether there is any indication that those assets have suffered an impairment loss. If there is an indication of possible impairment, the recoverable amount of any affected asset is estimated and compared with its carrying amount. If the estimated recoverable amount is lower, the carrying amount is reduced to its estimated recoverable amount, and an impairment loss is recognised immediately in profit or loss.

If an impairment loss subsequently reverses, the carrying amount of the asset is increased to the revised estimate of its recoverable amount, but not in excess of the amount that would have been determined had no impairment loss been recognised for the asset in prior years. A reversal of an impairment is recognised immediately in profit or loss.

Taxation

Taxation for the year comprises current and deferred tax. Tax is recognised in the Consolidated Income Statement, except to the extent that it relates to items recognised in other comprehensive income or directly in equity.

Current or deferred taxation assets and liabilities are not discounted.

Current tax is recognised at the amount of tax payable using the tax rates and laws that have been enacted or substantively enacted by the balance sheet date.

Deferred tax

Deferred tax is recognised in respect of all timing differences that have originated but not reversed at the balance sheet date.

Timing differences arise from the inclusion of income and expenses in tax assessments in periods different from those in which they are recognised in financial statements. Deferred tax is measured using tax rates and laws that have been enacted or substantively enacted by the year end and that are expected to apply to the reversal of the timing difference.

Unrelieved tax losses and other deferred tax assets are recognised only to the extent that it is probable that they will be recovered against the reversal of deferred tax liabilities or other future taxable profits.

Hire purchase and leasing commitments

Assets obtained under hire purchase contracts or finance leases are capitalised in the balance sheet. Those held under hire purchase contracts are depreciated over estimated useful lives. Those held under finance leases are depreciated over their estimated useful lives or the lease term, whichever is the shorter.

The interest element of these obligations is charged to the profit and loss account over the relevant period. The capital element of the future payments is treated as a liability.

Pension costs and other post-retirement benefits

The group operates a defined contribution pension scheme. Contributions payable to the group's pension scheme are charged to profit or loss in the period to which they relate.

Notes to the Consolidated Financial Statements - continued For The Year Ended 31st December 2018

2. ACCOUNTING POLICIES - continued

Trade and other receivables

Trade and other receivables are measured at transaction price less any impairment unless the arrangement constitutes a financing transaction in which case the transaction is measured at the present value of the future receipts discounted at the prevailing market rate of interest. Loans are initially measured at fair value and are subsequently measured at amortised cost using the effective interest method less any impairment.

Trade and other payables

Trade and other payables are measured at their transaction price unless the arrangement constitutes a financing transaction in which case the transaction is measured at present value of future payments discounted at prevailing market rate of interest. Other financial liabilities are initially measured at fair value net of their transaction costs. They are subsequently measured at amortised cost using the effective interest method.

Financial instruments

Debt instruments which are not subject to a market rate of interest are measured at amortised cost using an effective interest rate for a similar loan product. Differences between the liability on initial recognition and the carrying value are recognised as a capital contribution within reserves.

3. EMPLOYEES AND DIRECTORS

	2018	2017 as restated
	£	£
Wages and salaries	5,915,782	5,502,777
Other pension costs	230,640	234,567
	6,146,422	5,737,344
The average number of employees during the year was as follows:	2018	2017 as restated
Directors	8	7
Administration	167	157
	175	164
		====

Wages and salaries includes gross payments made to staff plus national insurance contributions, expenses and benefits.

Directors' remuneration	2018 £ 1,012,846	2017 as restated £ 929,845
Directors' pension contributions to money purchase schemes The number of directors to whom retirement benefits were accruing was as follows:	72,334	105,318
Money purchase schemes	6	6

Notes to the Consolidated Financial Statements - continued For The Year Ended 31st December 2018

3.	EMPLOYEES AND DIRECTORS - continued		
	Information regarding the highest paid director is as follows:		
		2018	2017
	•	_	as restated
		£	£
	Emoluments etc	260,834	216,989
	Pension contributions to money purchase schemes	3,214	38,578
			
4.	OPERATING (LOSS)/PROFIT		
	The operating loss (2017 - operating profit) is stated after charging/(crediting):		•
		2018	2017
			as restated
		£	£
	Depreciation - owned assets	89,053	67,065
	Depreciation - assets on hire purchase contracts	74,540	59,940
	Loss/(profit) on disposal of fixed assets	850	(1,395)
	Goodwill amortisation	220,511	220,511
	Computer software amortisation	734,457	671,787
	Auditors' remuneration	27,424	33,616
	Auditors' remuneration for non audit work	7,050	5,185
	Operating leases - Rental and service charges	332,288	289,359
	Operating leases - Hire/Lease of equipment	49,991	30,677
5.	INTEREST PAYABLE AND SIMILAR EXPENSES		
		2018	2017
			as restated
		£	£
	Bank loan interest	63,010	63,536
	Other interest payable	9,000	-
	Hire purchase	5,998	5,338
	Financial liability interest	14,731	23,340
		92,739	92,214
		======	====

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6.

TAXATION			
Analysis of the tax charge/(credit)		•	
The tax charge/(credit) on the loss for the year was as follows:			
van van Be () va voo voo voo y van van van voo		2018	2017
			as restated
		£	£
Current tax:			
UK corporation tax		60,275	148,425
Over provision in prior years		(103,843)	(514,732)
Total current tax		(43,568)	(366,307)
Deferred tax		54,063	(76,317)
Tax on (loss)/profit		10,495	(442,624) ======
Reconciliation of total tax charge/(credit) included in profit at The tax assessed for the year is higher than the standard rate explained below:		x in the UK. T	the difference is 2017
			as restated
		£	£
(Loss)/profit before tax		(414,000) ======	101,316
(Loss)/profit multiplied by the standard rate of corporation tax in	the UK		
of 19% (2017 - 19%)		(78,660)	19,250
Effects of:			
Expenses not deductible for tax purposes		4,704	5,482
Depreciation in excess of capital allowances		162,078	152,220
Utilisation of tax losses		(21,040)	(41,311)
Penalties, fines and interest		9,918	-
Deferred tax movement		54,063	(69,574)
Financial liability interest		2,799	4,435
Change in tax rate		-	1,871
Profit on disposal of assets		162	(265)
R & D refunds		(103,843)	(514,732)
Prior year adjustment		(19,686)	
Total tax charge/(credit)		10,495	(442,624) ======
Tax effects relating to effects of other comprehensive income			
-		2010	
	C -	2018	N .
	Gross	Tax	Net
To a complete a constitution	£	£	£
Increase in capital contribution reserve Part-disposal of subsidiary undertaking	4,707 98,122	-	4,707 98,122
- are any come or concerning and continuing			
	102,829		102,829

Notes to the Consolidated Financial Statements - continued For The Year Ended 31st December 2018

6. TAXATION - continued

		2017	
	Gross	Tax	Net
	£	£	£
Increase in capital contribution reserve	7,885		7,885

7. INDIVIDUAL INCOME STATEMENT

As permitted by Section 408 of the Companies Act 2006, the Income Statement of the parent company is not presented as part of these financial statements.

8. PRIOR YEAR ADJUSTMENT

The prior year adjustment relates to previously unrecognised input tax on cross-border supplies received from EU member states identified by the directors during the year. As such, it has been necessary to increase creditors: amounts falling due within one year by £103,610 and the recognition of a deferred tax asset of £19,686 at 1 January 2018. The Income Statement comparative figures have been restated to reflect increased administrative costs for the year ended 31 December 2017 of £35,488 and a corresponding reduction of tax of £6,743. The impact on retained earnings for periods prior to 31 December 2017 are set out below:

Group retained earnings	Company retained earnings
£	£
4,361,309	4,838,678
(21,844)	(21,844)
4,150	4,150
4,343,615	4,820,984
4,462,575	5,255,551
(17,694)	(17,694)
(46,277)	(46,277)
8,793	8,793
4,407,397	5,200,373
	retained earnings £ 4,361,309 (21,844) 4,150 4,343,615 4,462,575 (17,694) (46,277) 8,793

Periods prior to 31 December 2015 are not affected.

Notes to the Consolidated Financial Statements - continued For The Year Ended 31st December 2018

9. INTANGIBLE FIXED ASSETS

Group			
	~ · · · · ·	Computer	
	Goodwill	software	Totals
COST	£	£	£
At 1st January 2018	1,371,003	5,545,146	6,916,149
Additions	1,371,003	894,167	894,167
Additions			
At 31st December 2018	1,371,003	6,439,313	7,810,316
AMORTISATION			
At 1st January 2018	492,209	3,746,751	4,238,960
Amortisation for year	220,511	734,457	954,968
At 31st December 2018	712,720	4,481,208	5,193,928
NET BOOK VALUE			
At 31st December 2018	658,283	1,958,105	2,616,388
At 31st December 2017	878,794	1,798,395	2,677,189
Company		C	
Company	Goodwill	Computer software	Totals
,	Goodwill £	_	Totals £
COST	£	software £	£
COST At 1st January 2018		software £ 5,022,961	£ 5,857,094
COST	£	software £	£
COST At 1st January 2018	£	software £ 5,022,961	£ 5,857,094
COST At 1st January 2018 Additions At 31st December 2018	£ 834,133 	software £ 5,022,961 894,167	£ 5,857,094 894,167
COST At 1st January 2018 Additions At 31st December 2018 AMORTISATION	£ 834,133 834,133	5,022,961 894,167 5,917,128	£ 5,857,094 894,167 6,751,261
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COST At 1st January 2018 Additions At 31st December 2018 AMORTISATION	£ 834,133 834,133	5,022,961 894,167 5,917,128	£ 5,857,094 894,167 6,751,261
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COST At 1st January 2018 Additions At 31st December 2018 AMORTISATION At 1st January 2018 Amortisation for year	£ 834,133 834,133 264,139 166,824	5,022,961 894,167 5,917,128 3,353,682 630,020	\$,857,094 894,167 6,751,261 3,617,821 796,844
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Notes to the Consolidated Financial Statements - continued For The Year Ended 31st December 2018

10. TANGIBLE FIXED ASSETS

Crown				
Group	Fixtures and fittings	Motor vehicles	Computer equipment	Totals
	£	£	£	£
COST				
At 1st January 2018	38,112	299,703	543,807	881,622
Additions	5,892	98,375	99,223	203,490
Disposals	(981)		(3,880)	(4,861)
At 31st December 2018	43,023	398,078	639,150	1,080,251
DEPRECIATION				
At 1st January 2018	26,784	111,004	418,937	556,725
Charge for year	6,086	74,540	82,967	163,593
Eliminated on disposal	(817)	<u>.</u>	(3,193)	(4,010)
At 31st December 2018	32,053	185,544	498,711	716,308
NET BOOK VALUE				
At 31st December 2018	10,970	212,534	140,439	363,943
At 31st December 2017	11,328	188,699	124,870	324,897
Fixed assets, included in the above, which	ch are held under hire purc	chase contracts a	re as follows:	
				Motor
				vehicles
COST				£
COST				200 702
At 1st January 2018				299,703
Additions				98,375
At 31st December 2018				398,078
DEPRECIATION				
At 1st January 2018				111,004
Charge for year				74,540
Charge for year				
At 31st December 2018				185,544
NET BOOK VALUE				
At 31st December 2018				212,534
At 31st December 2017				188,699

Notes to the Consolidated Financial Statements - continued For The Year Ended 31st December 2018

10. TANGIBLE FIXED ASSETS - continued

Company	Fixtures and fittings	Motor vehicles	Computer equipment	Totals
000	£	£	£	£
COST	20.111	200 502	505 (50	070 400
At 1st January 2018	38,111	299,703	535,678	873,492
Additions	5,892	98,375	99,223	203,490
Disposals	<u>(981)</u>		(3,880)	(4,861)
At 31st December 2018	43,022	398,078	631,021	1,072,121
DEPRECIATION				
At 1st January 2018	26,784	111,004	410,807	548,595
Charge for year	6,086	74,540	82,967	163,593
Eliminated on disposal	(817)	· •	(3,193)	(4,010)
At 31st December 2018	32,053	185,544	490,581	708,178
NET BOOK VALUE				
At 31st December 2018	10,969	212,534	140,440	363,943
At 31st December 2017	11,327	188,699	124,871	324,897
Fixed assets, included in the above, which cost	h are held under hire purc	chase contracts a	re as follows:	Motor vehicles £
At 1st January 2018				299,703
Additions				98,375
At 31st December 2018				398,078
DEPRECIATION				
At 1st January 2018		,		111,004
Charge for year		<i>A</i>		74,540
•				
At 31st December 2018				185,544
NET BOOK VALUE				
At 31st December 2018				212,534
At 31st December 2017				188,699

Notes to the Consolidated Financial Statements - continued For The Year Ended 31st December 2018

11. FIXED ASSET INVESTMENTS

CONT	Shares in group undertakings
COST	2 124 071
At 1st January 2018	2,134,971
Disposals	(2,805)
At 31st December 2018	2,132,166
NET BOOK VALUE	
At 31st December 2018	2,132,166
	=====
At 31st December 2017	2,134,971

The group or the company's investments at the Balance Sheet date in the share capital of companies include the following:

Subsidiaries

The Select and Protect Program Limited

Registered office: Maitland House, Warrior Square, Southend-on-Sea, Essex, SS1 2JY

Nature of business: Insurance services

Class of shares: holding Ordinary 100.00

Plus One Administration Services Limited

Registered office: Maitland House, Warrior Square, Southend-on-Sea, Essex, SS1 2JY

Nature of business: Insurance services

Class of shares: holding Ordinary 100.00

Aggregate capital and reserves $\begin{array}{ccc} \mathbf{2018} & \mathbf{2017} \\ \mathbf{\pounds} & \mathbf{\pounds} \\ \mathbf{25,000} & \mathbf{25,000} \\ \hline & & & \\ \hline \end{array}$

Notes to the Consolidated Financial Statements - continued For The Year Ended 31st December 2018

	%		
Class of shares:	holding		
Ordinary	100.00		
		2018	20
		£	£
Aggregate capital and reserves		1,129,556	385,
Profit for the year		743,775	27,
Hood Direct Limited			
Hood Direct Limited Registered office: Maitland House, Warrie	or Square, Southend-on-Sea, Essex,	SS1 2JY	
	or Square, Southend-on-Sea, Essex,	SS1 2JY	
Registered office: Maitland House, Warrie	or Square, Southend-on-Sea, Essex, 9	SS1 2JY	
Registered office: Maitland House, Warrie	• •	SS1 2JY	
Registered office: Maitland House, Warrie Nature of business: Insurance services	%	SS1 2JY	
Registered office: Maitland House, Warrie Nature of business: Insurance services Class of shares:	% holding	SS1 2JY 2018	20
Registered office: Maitland House, Warrie Nature of business: Insurance services Class of shares:	% holding		201 £

Select & Protect Limited
Registered office: Maitland House, Warrior Square, Southend-on-Sea, Essex, SS1 2JY
Nature of business: Non-trading

Class of shares: holding
Ordinary 100.00
Preference 100.00

Aggregate capital and reserves $\begin{array}{ccc} \mathbf{2018} & \mathbf{2017} \\ \mathbf{\pounds} & \mathbf{\pounds} \\ \mathbf{110,000} & \mathbf{110,000} \end{array}$

Hood Travel Limited

Registered office: Mainland House, Warrior Square, Southend-on-Sea, Essex, SS1 2JY

Nature of business: Insurance services

FIXED ASSET INVESTMENTS - continued

Hood Group Administration Limited (formerly Plus one Services Ltd)

11.

Class of shares: holding
Ordinary 89.00
5% redeemable preference 100.00

2018 2017
£ £

Aggregate capital and reserves (737,558) (890,389)

Profit for the year 152,831 64,347

Notes to the Consolidated Financial Statements - continued For The Year Ended 31st December 2018

12. **DEBTORS**

	Group		Company	
	2018	2017	2018	2017
		as restated		as restated
	£	£	£	£
Amounts falling due within one year:				
Trade debtors	728,452	644,018	585,818	597,449
Amounts owed by group undertakings	-	-	-	354,795
Other debtors	3,468,386	3,225,485	3,407,664	3,192,066
Tax	-	192,142	-	192,142
Deferred tax asset		38,511		19,686
	4,196,838	4,100,156	3,993,482	4,356,138
Amounts falling due after more than one year: Deferred tax asset	-	3,285	<u></u>	3,285
Aggregate amounts	4,196,838	4,103,441	3,993,482	4,359,423
Deferred tax asset				
	Group		Con	pany
	2018	2017	2018	2017
		as restated		as restated
	£	£	£	£
Deferred tax	<u>.</u>	41,796		22,971

13. CREDITORS: AMOUNTS FALLING DUE WITHIN ONE YEAR

2018 2017 as restate £ £ 0 500,000 500,00	
£	ed
0 500,000 500,00	
	0
7 186,677 330,35	7
4 65,921 60,15	4
8 629,651 607,49	4
- 1,941,123 956,44	6
5 42,216 146,05	9
0 167,640 150,03	0
0 -	-
9 536,280 313,94	4
4,069,508 3,064,48	4
4 8 0 9	65,921 60,15 629,651 607,49 1,941,123 956,44 42,216 146,05 167,640 150,03 536,280 313,94

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14. CREDITORS: AMOUNTS FALLING DUE AFTER MORE THAN ONE YEAR

	Group		Company	
	2018	2017 as restated	2018	2017 as restated
	£	£	£	£
Bank loans (see note 15)	750,000	1,250,000	750,000	1,250,000
Other loans (see note 15)	_	145,902	-	145,902
Hire purchase contracts (see note 16)	82,978	72,864	82,978	72,864
	832,978	1,468,766	832,978	1,468,766

15. LOANS

An analysis of the maturity of loans is given below:

	Group		Company	
	2018	2017	2018	2017
		as restated		as restated
	£	£	£	£
Amounts falling due within one year or on demand:				
Bank loans	500,000	500,000	500,000	500,000
Other loans	186,677	330,357	186,677	330,357
	686,677	830,357	686,677	830,357
Amounts falling due between one and two years:				
Bank loans - 1-2 years	750,000	500,000	750,000	500,000
Other loans - 1-2 years	-	145,902	·	145,902
	750,000	645,902	750,000	645,902
Amounts falling due between two and five				
years:		750,000		750 000
Bank loans - 2-5 years		750,000		750,000

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16. LEASING AGREEMENTS

Minimum lease payments fall due as follows:

Group		
·		ase contracts
·	2018	2017
	•	as restated
NT-4 -LU	£	£
Net obligations repayable:	<i>(5</i> 021	(0.154
Within one year	65,921	60,154
Between one and five years	82,978	72,864
	148,899	133,018
Company		
		ase contracts
	2018	2017
		as restated
	. ₹	£
Net obligations repayable:	CE 001	60.154
Within one year	65,921	60,154
Between one and five years	82,978	72,864
	148,899	133,018
Group	Nama and	11 -1.1 -
	Non-can operating	
	2018	2017
	£	£
Within one year	380,203	397,815
Between one and five years	623,308	916,150
<u>.</u>	1,003,511	1,313,965
		<u> </u>
Company		
	Non-cancellable	
	operating	
	2018	2017
	£	£
Within one year	380,203	397,815
Between one and five years	623,308	916,150
·	1,003,511	1,313,965

Notes to the Consolidated Financial Statements - continued For The Year Ended 31st December 2018

17. SECURED DEBTS

The following secured debts are included within creditors:

	Com	Company		
	2018	2017		
		as restated		
	£	£		
Bank loans	1,250,000	1,750,000		

There is an unlimited guarantee and letter of set off in place between The Select & Protect Program Ltd, Hood Direct Limited, Hood Group Administration Limited, Plus One Administration Services Limited, Hood Group Limited and Augmentum Management Limited in relation to any credit balances with the company's bankers.

Bank loans are secured by way of a fixed charge over the company's contracts, book debts, intellectual property, cash at bank and in hand and goodwill and a floating charge over all of the company's undertakings and assets.

18. PROVISIONS FOR LIABILITIES

	Group		Company	
·	2018	2017	2018	2017
·	•	as restated		as restated
TO C 14	£	£	£	£
Deferred tax	12,267	=	13,837	
Group				
				Deferred
				tax
Balance at 1st January 2018				£
As previously reported				(22,110)
Prior year adjustment				(19,686)
1 1101 y ca. acjaomiem				
As restated				(41,796)
Movement in the year				54,063
D				
Balance at 31st December 2018				12,267
				<u>——</u>
Company				
				Deferred
				tax
				£
Balance at 1st January 2018				(22,971)
Movement in year				36,808
Balance at 31st December 2018				13,837
				====

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Number: Class: Number: Class: 48,100 Ordinary Residence of the year (438,681) Part disposal of subsidiary Increase in capital contribution reserve arings for year adjustment Retained earnings for year adjustment Retained earnings for year (438,681) Part disposal of subsidiary Increase in capital contribution reserve for year adjustment Retained earnings for year (438,681) Part disposal of subsidiary year (438,681) Part demption contribution reserve reserve reserve reserve reserve reserve		Allotted, issued and fully paid					
20. RESERVES Group Retained carnings from year adjustment At 1st January 2018 part disposal of subsidiary Increase in capital contribution reserve Retained carnings from year adjustment Retained carnings from year lightly from year lightly from year adjustment Retained carnings from year lightly from year light					-	2018	
Retained earnings f		48,100 Ordinary			£1.00		
Retained earnings f	20.	RESERVES					
Retained earnings		Group					
Prior year adjustment (83,924) (83,924			earnings	premium	redemption reserve	contribution reserve	
Deficit for the year (438,681) Part disposal of subsidiary 98,122 - - 98,122				15,010	2,050	44,422	
Retained earnings from premium freserve reserve from prior year adjustment 15,010 2,050 49,129 4,676,967		Part disposal of subsidiary	(438,681)	· <u>-</u>	-	-	(438,681)
Retained earnings Premium Preserve Preserve Premium		contribution reserve		-		4,707	4,707
Retained earnings		At 31st December 2018	4,610,778	15,010	<u>2,050</u>	49,129	4,676,967
Retained earnings Share premium fearnings redemption reserve fearnings contribution reserve fearnings At 1st January 2018 5,790,201 15,010 2,050 44,422 5,851,683 Prior year adjustment (83,924) (83,924) (83,924) Deficit for the year Increase in capital contribution reserve (1,267,415) (1,267,415) Increase in capital contribution reserve - - - 4,707 4,707		Company			Conital	Conital	
Prior year adjustment (83,924) (83,924) 5,706,277 Deficit for the year (1,267,415) Increase in capital contribution reserve 4,707 4,707			earnings	premium	redemption reserve	contribution reserve	
Deficit for the year (1,267,415) Increase in capital contribution reserve 4,707 4,707				15,010	2,050	44,422	
contribution reserve 4,707 4,707							
At 31st December 2018 4,438,862 15,010 2,050 49,129 4,505,051						4,707	4,707
		At 31st December 2018	4,438,862	15,010	2,050	49,129	4,505,051

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21. NON-CONTROLLING INTERESTS

The movements for Minority Interests for the year were;-

	2018	2017
	£	£
As at 1st January	-	-
Part-disposal of subsidiary undertaking	95,317	
Non-controlling interests' share of profits in subsidiary undertakings	(14,186)	-
As at 31st December	81,131	-
	:	

22. PENSION COMMITMENTS

The group operates defined contribution pension schemes. The assets of the schemes are administered by trustees in funds independent from those of the company. The total contributions paid in the year amounted to £230,640 (2017: £234,567).

23. RELATED PARTY DISCLOSURES

In the board of director's opinion the company is under the control of the Bernard Hood Discretionary Will Trust of which two of the trustees, Mr E.J. Cater and Mr S.A. Hood, are also directors of Hood Group Limited.

During the year the group paid £17,500 (2017 - £42,000) in respect of consultancy services to Hemsign Limited, a company in which Mr E.J, Cater (a director of Hood Group Limited) is a director.

During the year the group paid £34,500 (2017 - £14,400) in respect of consultancy services to Homer AC Limited, a company in which Mr A Homer (a director of Hood Group Limited) is a director.

As at the balance sheet date there existed a balance of £1,575,000 (2017: £1,575,000) owed from Augmentum Management Limited, a company which has some directors in common with Hood Group Limited.

The total amount of employee benefits (including employer pension contributions) received by key management personnel for their services to the company was £1,085,180 (2017: £1,035,163).