**Annual report** 

For the year ended 31 December 2011

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## Annual report for the year ended 31 December 2011

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## Director and advisers

#### Director

J N Fleming

#### Secretary and registered office

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#### **Independent Auditors**

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#### **Solicitors**

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## Report of the director for the year ended 31 December 2011

The director presents his report and the audited financial statements for the year ended 31 December 2011, which have been prepared under the historical cost convention and the accounting policies set out on pages 7 and 8

#### Company registration number

The company is registered in England and Wales under company number 3290596

#### Principal activities

The company acts as a holding company

#### Review of business and future developments

The company is a subsidiary of Deloro Holdings Inc. and is a non-trading business. This is expected to continue in the future. On the 1st March 2012 the entire Deloro Stellite Group were sold to Kennametal Inc., a US listed global supplier of innovative custom and standard wear-resistant solutions. The impact of this sale is reflected as appropriate through these financial statements.

The company has taken advantage of the exemption permitted by Financial Reporting Standard No 2 not to produce consolidated financial statements as it is a wholly owned subsidiary of an EC incorporated company which prepares consolidated financial statements. The results for the company show a pre-tax loss of US\$8,610,000 for the year (2010 US\$97,000 loss)

The profit and loss account for the year is set out on page 5

#### Going Concern

These financial statements have been prepared under the going concern basis on the grounds that the directors have received confirmation that the correct ultimate parent company, Kennametal Inc , will continue to support the company for the foreseeable future

#### Key Performance Indicators (KPI's)

Given the straightforward nature of the business, the company's director is of the opinion that analysis using Key Performance Indicators is not necessary for an understanding of the development, performance or position of the business

#### Financial Risk Management

As an intermediate holding company, with no external customers or suppliers, the only financial risks the company is exposed to are in respect of the value of its investments and movements in interest rates. The company maintains a series of policies and procedures intended to limit these risks and the board, in conjunction with management of its parent company, reviews the performance of its subsidiary on a periodic basis and also, until the acquisition of then Deloro Stellite Group by Kennametal Inc., fixed approximately 66% of its annual interest expense through swap and interest rate cap contracts whereby variable interest rates were exchanged for a fixed rate or were limited to a defined maximium.

#### Dividends and transfers to reserves

The director does not recommend the payment of a dividend in respect of the year (2010 ml) The loss for the year of US\$8,610,000 (2010 US\$97,000 loss) has been taken to reserves

#### Director

The directors of the company during the year to 31 December 2011 and up to the date of this report were J N Fleming

Filippo Meccaci (appointed 25 April 2012)

Simone Pratesi (appointed 25 April 2012)

#### Changes in fixed assets

The movements in fixed assets during the year are set out in note 8 to the financial statements

#### Statement of director's responsibilities

The director is responsible for preparing the Directors' Report and the financial statements in accordance with applicable law and regulations

# Report of the director for the year ended 31 December 2011 (continued)

#### Statement of director's responsibilities (continued)

Company law requires the director to prepare financial statements for each financial year. Under that law the director has prepared the financial statements in accordance with United Kingdom Generally Accepted. Accounting Practice (United Kingdom Accounting Standards and applicable law). Under company law the director must not approve the financial statements unless he is 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 director is required to

- · select suitable accounting policies and then apply them consistently,
- · make judgements and accounting estimates that are reasonable and prudent,
- state whether applicable UK Accounting Standards have been followed, subject to any material departures disclosed and explained in the financial statements, and
- prepare the financial statements on the going concern basis unless it is inappropriate to presume that the company will continue in business

The director is 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. He is 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.

#### Post balance sheet events

On the 1st March 2012 the entire Group was sold to Kennametal Inc , a US listed global supplier of innovative custom and standard wear-resistant solutions, for €277m. As a result of the transaction the senior and mezzanine loans, Duke Street Capital loans and revolving credit facilities previously owed by the Group have been settled and the Group are no longer bound by the covenants which were a condition of these debts. Kennametal is a leading provider of manufacturing products and services that touch nearly every manufacturing process. The acquisition of Deloro Stellite is in alignment with Kennametal's growth strategy and positions the Kennametal Group to further achieve geographic and end market growth.

The Deloro Stellite Group has been renamed Kennametal Stellite and will continue to trade from its existing locations across the world

#### Statement of disclosure of information to auditors

So far as the director is aware, there is no relevant audit information (that is, information needed by the company's auditors in preparing their report) of which the company's auditors are unaware and the director has taken all steps that he ought to have taken as 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.

#### Independent auditors

A resolution to reappoint PricewaterhouseCoopers LLP as auditors to the company will be proposed at the annual general meeting.

On behalf of the board

J N Fleming Director

28 September 2012

# Independent auditors' report to the members of Deloro Stellite Group Limited

We have audited the financial statements of Deloro Stellite Group Limited for the year ended 31 December 2011 which comprise the Profit and Loss Account, the Balance Sheet, and the related notes The financial reporting framework that has been applied in their preparation is applicable law and United Kingdom Accounting Standards (United Kingdom Generally Accepted Accounting Practice)

#### Respective responsibilities of directors and auditors

As explained more fully in the Director's Responsibilities Statement set out on pages 2 and 3, the director is 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 Chapter 3 of Part 16 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 director; and the overall presentation of the financial statements. In addition, we read all the financial and non-financial information in the annual report to identify material inconsistencies with the audited financial statements. If we become aware of any apparent material misstatements or inconsistencies we consider the implications for our report.

#### Opinion on financial statements

In our opinion the financial statements

- give a true and fair view of the state of the company's affairs as at 31 December 2011 and of its 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

#### Opinion on other matter prescribed by the Companies Act 2006

In our opinion the information given in the Director's 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 director's remuneration specified by law are not made, or
- · we have not received all the information and explanations we require for our audit

David Charles (Senior Statutory Auditor)

For and on behalf of PricewaterhouseCoopers LLP

Chartered Accountants and Statutory Auditors

Bristol

28 September 2012

## Profit and loss account for the year ended 31 December 2011

Notes	Notes 2011	2010
	\$000	\$000
	(2,101)	(3,375)
2	(2,101)	(3,375)
5	3,274	7,962
6	(9,783)	(4,684)
-	(8,610)	(97)
7	-	-
15&17	(8,610)	(97)
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There is no difference between the loss on ordinary activities before taxation and the loss for the year stated above, and their historical cost equivalents

The company has no recognised gains and losses other than those included in the profit and loss account above, and therefore no separate statement of total recognised gains and losses has been presented

All the above amounts relate to continuing operations There were no discontinued operations

## **Balance Sheet at 31 December 2011**

	Notes	2011 \$000	2010
			\$000
Fixed assets			<u> </u>
Tangible assets	8	11	2
Investments	9	-	21,600
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Current assets			
Debtors	10	813	1,587
Creditors: amounts falling due within one year	11	(23,171)	(23,730)
Net current liabilities		(22,358)	(22,143)
Total assets less current liabilities		(22,347)	(541)
Creditors: amounts falling due after more than one year	12	(77,133)	(90,329)
Net liabilities		(99,480)	(90,870)
Capital and reserves			
Called up share capital	13	25	25
Share premium account	14	1,459	1,459
Profit and loss account	15	(100,964)	(92,354)
Total shareholders' deficit	17	(99,480)	(90,870)

The financial statements on pages 5 to 16 were approved by the board of directors on 28 September 2012 and signed on its behalf by

J N Fleming Director

Deloro Stellite Group Limited

Registered number 3290596

# Notes to the financial statements for the year ended 31 December 2011

### 1 Principal accounting policies

These financial statements have been prepared on a going concern basis in accordance with the Companies Act 2006 and applicable Accounting Standards in the United Kingdom A summary of the more important accounting policies, which have been applied consistently is set out below

#### Going concern

These financial statements have been prepared under the going concern basis on the grounds that the directors have received confirmation that the ultimate parent company, Kennametal Inc, will continue to support the company for the foreseeable future

#### Basis of accounting

The financial statements are prepared in accordance with the historical cost convention

#### Foreign currencies

The assets and liabilities of the company are denominated in, and the records maintained in, US dollars as this is the functional currency of the company. Transactions denominated in foreign currencies are recorded at the rate ruling at the date of the transaction. Monetary assets and liabilities denominated in foreign currencies are translated at the rate ruling at the balance sheet date. All foreign exchange differences are taken to the profit and loss account in the year in which they arise.

Foreign exchange differences on bank loans, overdrafts and preference shares are reported as part of net finance costs rather than profit/(loss) from operations

#### Transactions with related parties

The company has taken advantage of the exemption permitted by Financial Reporting Standard No 8 not to disclose any transactions with other wholly-owned group companies as it is a wholly-owned subsidiary whose ultimate parent prepares consolidated financial statements

#### Cash flow Statement

The company has taken advantage of the exemption permitted by the Financial Reporting Standard No 1 not to produce a cash flow statement as it is a wholly owned subsidiary of an EC incorporated company

#### Consolidation

The company has taken advantage of the exemption permitted by Financial Reporting Standard No 2 not to produce consolidated financial statements as it is a wholly owned subsidiary of an EC incorporated company which prepares consolidated financial statements

#### Goodwill

Goodwill arising on acquisition represents the excess of the fair value of the purchase consideration including incidental cost of acquisition over the fair value of the identifiable net assets acquired. Goodwill is capitalised and amortised over its estimated useful life of up to 20 years.

#### Investments

The company holds investments in subsidiaries at cost. The company evaluates the carrying value of investments in each financial year to determine if there has been an impairment in value, which would result in the inability to recover the carrying amounts. When it is determined that the carrying value exceeds the recoverable amount, the excess is written off to the profit and loss account.

#### **Deferred Financing Fees**

Qualifying costs of issuing debt are accounted for as a deduction from the proceeds received on issue and are written off over the life of the debt. Costs of renegotiating debt, which do not meet certain criteria under FRS4, 'Capital Instruments', are written off to the profit and loss account as incurred.

# Notes to the financial statements for the year ended 31 December 2011 (continued)

### 1 Principal accounting policies (continued)

#### Tangible fixed assets

The cost of fixed assets is their purchase cost, together with any incidental costs of acquisition

Depreciation is calculated so as to write off the cost of tangible fixed assets less their estimated residual values, on a straight-line basis over the expected useful economic lives of the assets concerned. The principal annual rates used for this purpose are

Fixtures and fittings 4 - 5 years
Computer equipment 3 years

#### Pension contributions

The company operates a defined contribution pension scheme for its employees. Costs in respect of the defined contribution pension scheme are charged to the profit and loss account as incurred.

#### Deferred taxation

Provision is made for deferred tax on all material timing differences using the incremental liability approach Deferred tax assets are recognised where their recovery is considered more likely than not. The company has chosen not to adopt a policy of discounting deferred tax assets or provisions

#### Share based options

In 2006 certain employees of the company acquired equity instruments which are subject to service-based vesting conditions. At 31 December 2011 no A Ordinary shares (2010 nil) were subject to vesting conditions over a remaining period of 1 year. The shares were acquired at fair value and are equity settled.

Equity settled share based payments are measured at fair value and charged to the profit and loss account in line with the vesting conditions in accordance with FRS20. The amount of share based payment expense is not material to the financial statements.

### 2 Operating loss

Operating loss for the year is stated after charging/(crediting) the following

	2011 \$000	\$000
Depreciation charge for the year	<del></del>	
- owned assets	6	1
Services provided by the company's auditors and its associates		
- fee payable for the audit	178	159
- other services relating to taxation	56	19
Foreign exchange loss	1,345	1,697

The audit fee includes amounts for subsidiaries and parent companies not recharged

# Notes to the financial statements for the year ended 31 December 2011 (continued)

### 3 Directors' emoluments

	2011	2010
	\$000	\$000
Aggregate emoluments	478	452
Contributions paid to money purchase pension schemes	69	66
	2011 Number	2010 Number
Members of money purchase pension schemes	1	1
The amounts in respect of the highest paid director are as follows		
	2011	2010
	\$000	\$000
Aggregate emoluments	478	452
Contributions paid to money purchase pension schemes	69	66

## 4 Employee information

The average weekly number of persons (including executive directors) employed during the year was

	2011 Number	2010 Number
Administration	9	9
	2011	2010
	\$000	\$000
Staff costs		
Wages and salaries	2,721	2,429
Social security costs	184	152
Other pension costs	198	187
	3,103	2,768

### 5 Interest receivable and similar income

	2011 \$000	2010 \$000
Interest on loans to group undertakings	2,789	2,406
Foreign exchange gain on bank loans and overdrafts	485	3,083
Foreign exchange gain on preference shares	-	2,473
	3,274	7,962

# Notes to the financial statements for the year ended 31 December 2011 (continued)

### 6 Interest payable and similar charges

	2011	2010
	\$000	\$000
Interest payable on bank loans and overdrafts	2,754	2,959
Write-off of deferred financing fees	668	642
Preference share dividend 7 5p (2010 7 5p) per £1 share	2,535	2,369
Redemption premium on preference shares	1,846	(1,537)
Interest on loans from group undertakings	1,795	251
Foreign exchange loss on preference shares	185	_
	9,783	4,684

During 2010 the company reviewed its calculation in respect of the redemption premium on preference shares. As a result of the review it was identified that the redemption premium was overaccrued in prior years and hence was corrected in 2010 resulting in the credit noted above. As the correction is not considered to be fundamental to the presentation of the financial statements a prior year adjustment was not made.

## 7 Tax on loss on ordinary activities

	2011	2010
	\$000	\$000
Current tax UK Corporation tax at 26 5% (2010 28%)		
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The tax for the year is the higher (2010 higher) than the standard effective year ended 31 December 2011 of 26 5% (2010 28%) The differences are		e UK for the
Factors affecting the current tax charge for the year		
Loss on ordinary activities at UK rate 26 5% (2010 28%)	(2,282)	(27)
Effects of	` '	,
Expenses not deductible for tax purposes	(130)	(130)
Losses not recognised	2,412	<u>157</u>
	-	-

Deferred tax asset of \$12,859,000 (2010 \$12,487,000) relating to tax losses, are not recognised as it is not considered more likely than not that they will be recovered in the foreseeable future

The deferred tax balance above is calculated using a tax rate of 25% which has been enacted under the Finance Act 2011. The chancellor has also proposed changes to further reduce the main tax rate of corporation by 1% per annum to 22% by 1 April 2014, but these changes are yet to be substantially enacted and therefore are not included in the figures above.

# Notes to the financial statements for the year ended 31 December 2011 (continued)

## 8 Tangible fixed assets

	Fixtures and Fittings and computer equipment \$000
Cost	
At 1 January 2011	179
Additions	14
Disposals	(86)
Exchange adjustments	3
At 31 December 2011	110
Accumulated depreciation	
At 1 January 2011	(177)
Charge for the year	(6)
Disposals	86
Exchange adjustments	(2)
At 31 December 2011	99_
Net book value	
At 31 December 2011	11
At 31 December 2010	2_

# Notes to the financial statements for the year ended 31 December 2011 (continued)

### 9 Fixed asset investments

			Provision against		
	Investments \$000	Goodwill \$000	Investments and Goodwill \$000	Intercompany Debtors \$000	Total \$000
At 1 January 2011	24,064	41,936	(66,000)	21,600	21,600
Disposals/repayments	-	-	-	(21,600)	(21,600)
At 31 December 2011	24,064	41,936	(66,000)	<u>.</u>	-

## Interests in group undertakings

Company	Country of Incorporation	Description of shares held	Proportion of nominal value of issued shares held	
			Direct	Indirect
DS Holdings (USA), Inc	USA	Ordinary shares	100%	
DS UK Limited	Great Britain	Preference shares		100%
Deloro Stellite Holdings Corporation	USA	Ordinary shares		100%
Deloro Stellite LP	USA	Partnership Interest		100%
Deloro Stellite	Great Britain	Ordinary shares		100%
Deloro Stellite Holding GmbH & Co KG	Germany	Partnership Interest		100%
DS Verwaltungsgesellschaft mbH	Germany	Ordinary shares		100%
Deloro Stellite GmbH	Germany	Ordinary shares		100%
Deloro Stellite Inc	Canada	Ordinary shares		100%
Microfusione Stellite S p A	Italy	Ordinary shares		100%
Hettiger Stellite GmbH	Germany	Ordinary shares		100%
DS Srl	Italy	Ordinary shares		100%
Deloro Stellite India Private Ltd	India	Ordinary shares		80 0%
Shanghai Stellite Co Limited	China	Ordinary shares		58 4%

The main trading companies of the group are Deloro Stellite LP, Deloro Stellite, Deloro Stellite Holding GmbH & Co KG, Deloro Stellite GmbH, Deloro Stellite Inc (Canada), Microfusione Stellite SPA and Shanghai Stellite. The remaining companies are non-trading holding and intermediate holding companies or small trading companies which are not material to the group. Interests in group undertakings are stated at historical cost to the company with no amounts written off

The director considers the value of the unprovided investments to be supported by their underlying assets

### 10 Debtors

	2011	2010
	\$000 <u></u>	\$000
Amounts falling due within one year		
Prepayments and accrued income	813_	1,587

# Notes to the financial statements for the year ended 31 December 2011 (continued)

## 11 Creditors: amounts falling due within one year

	2011	2010
	\$000	\$000
Bank loans and overdrafts	12,010	21,994
Amounts owed to group undertakings	9,908	-
Trade creditors	541	846
Accruals and deferred income	562	538
Accrued interest	150	352
	23,171	23,730

The bank loans and overdrafts are secured over certain assets of the company and its subsidiaries

### 12 Creditors: amounts falling due after more than one year

	2011	2010
	\$000	\$000
Bank and other loans	6,310	22,226
Cumulative preference shares	70,823	68,103
	77,133	90,329

The bank loans and overdrafts are secured over certain assets of the company and its subsidiaries

#### Maturity analysis

	2011	2010
	\$000	\$000
Repayable as follows		
In one year or less	21,918	21,994
Between one and two years	76,987	11,854
Between two and five years	2,532	81,502
Five years or more	•	-
	101,437	115,350
Deferred financing fees	(2,386)	(3,027)
	99,051	112,323

#### **Preference shares**

	S	\$
Issued		<u> </u>
10,166,231 A Preference shares of £1 each	15,859,320	15,802,389
9,562,500 A 1% Preference shares of £0 01 each	18,882	18,814
187,420 B Preference shares of £0 10 each	29,238	29,133
	15,907,440	15,850,336

#### **Preference Share Premium**

185
2,535
68,103
\$000
Total

2010

2011

# Notes to the financial statements for the year ended 31 December 2011 (continued)

### 12 Creditors: amounts falling due after more than one year (continued)

The holders of the Class A and Class B redeemable preference shares do not have voting rights and do not have participation rights other than as follows

- The holders of the Class A redeemable preference shares have the right to a preference share redemption premium set at £0 156247 (\$0 226855) per share or \$1,362,000 which accumulates interest at 7 5% annually
- (ii) The holders of Class A and Class B redeemable preference shares have rights to cumulative dividends at 7 5% annually plus interest on principal and cumulative dividends at 7 5% annually
- (iii) Upon redemption, the Class B redeemable preference shareholders have the right to £5 90112 (\$8 56793) per share plus all dividends and interest earned up to the redemption date

The preference shares may be redeemed at the option of the Company or holders of fifty percent or more of the preference shares in issue subject to statutory requirements, for the sum of £1 and all preferred dividends declared or earned up to the redemption date. In any event, the Company must redeem the preference shares no later than 2013

The holders of the new Class A 1% preference shares have no voting rights but do have the rights to cumulative dividends at 1% annually

#### Bank loans and overdrafts

The bank loans and overdrafts included in the above comprise the following

	\$000	\$000
		2000
Revolving Credit Facility	4,899	11,215
Senior Debt Term Loan A2 (\$3,120,406) USD LIBOR plus 3 50% due 2013	3,120	8,309
Senior Debt Term Loan A3 (€441,442) EUR LIBOR plus 3 50% due 2013	574	1,575
Senior Debt Term Loan B3 (\$1,479,618) USD LIBOR plus 4 00% due 2014	1,480	2,100
Senior debt Term Loan B4 (£2,758,679) EUR LIBOR plus 4 00% due 2014	3,586	5,247
Senior Debt Capex Facility (€5,421,222) EUR LIBOR plus 3 50% due 2013	7,047	18,801
	20,706	47,247
Less amounts due within one year	(12,010)	(21,994)
Less Deferred Financing Fees	(2,386)	(3,027)
Amounts due after one year	6,310	22,226

EUR LIBOR (3 month) was 1 29214% and 0 93875% at 31 December 2011 and 31 December 2010 respectively USD LIBOR (3 month) was 0 58100% and 0 30281% at 31 December 2011 and 31 December 2010 respectively

Financial covenants relating to the Senior Debt and Revolving Credit Facility include, among other things, minimum tangible net worth levels, earnings to debt costs ratios and cash flow coverage of debt service. Additionally, capital expenditures are limited to a certain level as defined by the credit agreement.

As a result of the purchase of the Deloro Stellite Group by Kennametal Inc on 1 March 2012, the senior and mezzanine loans and the revolving credit facility were settled and hence the financial covenants relating to this debt no longer apply

2010

# Notes to the financial statements for the year ended 31 December 2011 (continued)

## 12 Creditors: amounts falling due after more than one year (continued)

#### Principle repayments of debt

The schedule of principal payments on debt, excluding finance lease obligations, is as follows		
	2011 \$000	2010 \$000
2011	•	21,994
2012	21,918	11,854
2013	76,987	77,829
2014	2,532	3,673
	101,437	115,350

#### Finance Leases

The company has no finance lease obligations (2010 none)

### 13 Called-up share capital

	2011 \$	2010 \$
Allotted, called up and fully paid		
1,062,500 A ordinary shares of £0 01 each	18,516	18,516
390,958 C ordinary shares of £0 01 each	6,611	6,611
	25,127	25,127

The holders of the A Ordinary and C Ordinary shares have one vote per share

### 14 Share Premium Account

	 \$000
At 1 January 2011 and 31 December 2011	1,459

### 15 Profit and loss account

	2011	2010
	\$000	\$000
At 1 January	(92,354)	(92,257)
Loss for the financial year	(8,610)	(97)
At 31 December	(100,964)	(92,354)

### 16 Financial commitments

The company had no commitments under operating leases (2010 none)

# Notes to the financial statements for the year ended 31 December 2011 (continued)

### 17 Reconciliation of movements in shareholders' deficit

	2011	2010
	\$000	\$000
At 1 January	(90,870)	(90,773)
Loss for the year	(8,610)	(97)
Shareholders' deficit at 31 December	(99,480)	(90,870)

### 18 Related party transactions

The company has taken advantage of the exemptions available to it under Financial Reporting Standard 8 'Related Party Disclosures', not to disclose any transactions or balances with entities that are also wholly owned subsidiaries of the group

## 19 Effective exchange rate

The effective exchange rate used in the preparation of these financial statements as at 31 December 2011, was \$15600 to £1, (2010 \$15544 to £1)

### 20 Ultimate and immediate parent companies

At 31 December 2011 the directors regard Deloro Stellite Holdings 1 Limited, a company incorporated in England and Wales as the ultimate parent undertaking. At 31 December 2011, by virtue of their shareholding in Deloro Stellite Holdings 1 Limited, the directors consider Duke Street Capital Limited to be the ultimate controlling party of the company. The immediate parent undertaking is Deloro Holdings Inc., a company incorporated in United States of America.

The company is therefore exempt from the requirement to prepare and deliver to the Registrar of Companies consolidated financial statements. Copies of the consolidated financial statements of Deloro Stellite Holdings 1 Limited, which is the parent undertaking of the smallest and largest group to consolidate these financial statements, may be obtained from the Company Secretary, Deloro Stellite Holdings 1 Limited, Unit 4, Bicester Business Park, Telford Road, Bicester, Oxfordshire OX26 4LD

From 1st March 2012 the company and the Deloro Stellite Group were acquired by Kennametal Inc., a company incorporated in the United States of America and listed on the New York Stock Exchange, who became the ultimate parent undertaking from that date

#### 21 Post balance sheet event

#### Sale of the Group

On the 1st March 2012 the entire Group was sold to Kennametal Inc , a US listed global supplier of innovative custom and standard wear-resistant solutions, for €277m. As a result of the transaction the senior and mezzanine loans, Duke Street Capital loans and revolving credit facilities previously owed by the Group have been settled and the Group are no longer bound by the covenants which were a condition of these debts. Kennametal is a leading provider of manufacturing products and services that touch nearly every manufacturing process. The acquisition of Deloro Stellite is in alignment with Kennametal's growth strategy and positions the Kennametal Group to further achieve geographic and end market growth

The Deloro Stellite Group has been renamed Kennametal Stellite and will continue to trade from its existing locations across the world