A B SHIPPING LIMITED DIRECTOR'S REPORT AND UNAUDITED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2015

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DIRECTOR'S REPORT

FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2015

The director presents his report and financial statements for the year ended 31 December 2015.

Principal activities

The principal activity of the company continued to be that of shipping brokerage.

Director

The following director has held office since 1 January 2015:

A Fryatt

Statement of director's responsibilities

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

Company law requires the director to prepare financial statements for each financial year. Under that law the director has 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 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;
- 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 him 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.

This report has been prepared in accordance with the special provisions relating to small companies within Part 15 of the Companies Act 2006.

On behalf of the board

A Fryatt

Director

ACCOUNTANTS' REPORT TO THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS ON THE PREPARATION OF THE UNAUDITED STATUTORY FINANCIAL STATEMENTS OF A B SHIPPING LIMITED FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2015

In order to assist you to fulfil your duties under the Companies Act 2006, we have prepared for your approval the financial statements of A B Shipping Limited for the year ended 31 December 2015 set out on pages 3 to 8 from the company's accounting records and from information and explanations you have given us.

As a practising member firm of the Institute of Chartered Accountants in England and Wales, we are subject to its ethical and other professional requirements which are detailed at icaew.com/membershandbook.

This report is made solely to the Board of Directors of A B Shipping Limited, as a body, in accordance with the terms of our engagement letter dated 24 January 2005. Our work has been undertaken solely to prepare for your approval the financial statements of A B Shipping Limited and state those matters that we have agreed to state to the Board of Directors of A B Shipping Limited, as a body, in this report in accordance with AAF 2/10 as detailed at icaew.com/compilation. To the fullest extent permitted by law, we do not accept or assume responsibility to anyone other than A B Shipping Limited and its Board of Directors as a body, for our work or for this report.

It is your duty to ensure that A B Shipping Limited has kept adequate accounting records and to prepare statutory financial statements that give a true and fair view of the assets, liabilities, financial position and loss of A B Shipping Limited. You consider that A B Shipping Limited is exempt from the statutory audit requirement for the year.

We have not been instructed to carry out an audit or a review of the financial statements of A B Shipping Limited. For this reason, we have not verified the accuracy or completeness of the accounting records or information and explanations you have given to us and we do not, therefore, express any opinion on the statutory financial statements.

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Accountants

19 Farncombe Road

Worthing West Sussex

PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2015

	Notes	2015 £	2014 £
Turnover		132,257	185,927
Cost of sales		(84,000)	(84,000)
Gross profit		48,257	101,927
Administrative expenses		(51,361)	(89,191)
Operating (loss)/profit	2	(3,104)	12,736
Other interest receivable and similar income	3	18	20
(Loss)/profit on ordinary activities before taxation		(3,086)	12,756
Tax on (loss)/profit on ordinary activities	4	-	-
(Loss)/profit for the year	10	(3,086)	12,756

The profit and loss account has been prepared on the basis that all operations are continuing operations.

There are no recognised gains and losses other than those passing through the profit and loss account.

BALANCE SHEET AS AT 31 DECEMBER 2015

		201	15	2014	
	Notes	£	£	£	£
Fixed assets					
Investments	6		224		224
Current assets					
Debtors	7	52,598		£ 10,201	
Cash at bank and in hand		22,755		72,648	
		75,353		82,849	
Creditors: amounts falling due within					
one year	8	(34,366)		(38,776)	
Net current assets			40,987		44,073
Total assets less current liabilities			41,211		44,297
Capital and reserves	•				
Called up share capital	9		100		100
Profit and loss account	10		41,111	٠	44,197
Shareholders' funds	1 1		41,211		44,297

For the financial year ended 31 December 2015 the company was entitled to exemption from audit under section 477 of the Companies Act 2006 relating to small companies.

Director's responsibilities:

- The member has not required the company to obtain an audit of its financial statements for the year in question in accordance with section 476;
- The director acknowledges his responsibilities for complying with the requirements of the Act with respect to accounting records and the preparation of financial statements.

These financial statements have been prepared in accordance with the provisions applicable to companies subject to the small companies' regime.

A Fryatt Director

Company Registration No. 3614465

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2015

1 Accounting policies

1.1 Accounting convention

The financial statements are prepared under the historical cost convention.

1.2 Turnover

Turnover represents amounts receivable for goods and services net of VAT and trade discounts.

1.3 Tangible fixed assets and depreciation

Tangible fixed assets are stated at cost less depreciation. Depreciation is provided at rates calculated to write off the cost less estimated residual value of each asset over its expected useful life, as follows:

Plant and machinery

33% per annum on a straight line basis

1.4 Investments

Fixed asset investments are stated at cost less provision for diminution in value.

1.5 Deferred taxation

The accounting policy in respect of deferred tax is in accordance with the requirements of FRS19.

1.6 Foreign currency translation

Monetary assets and liabilities denominated in foreign currencies are translated into sterling at the rates of exchange ruling at the balance sheet date. Transactions in foreign currencies are recorded at the rate ruling at the date of the transaction. All differences are taken to profit and loss account.

2	Operating (loss)/profit	2015 £	2014 £
	Operating (loss)/profit is stated after charging: Loss on foreign exchange transactions Director's remuneration	102	30,000
	and after crediting: Profit on foreign exchange transactions		(3,215)
3	Investment income	2015 £	2014 £
	Bank interest	18	20

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONTINUED) FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2015

4	Taxation	2015 2014
	Current tax charge	
5	Tangible fixed assets	Plant and
		machinery etc
	04	£
	Cost At 1 January 2015 & at 31 December 2015	17,951
	Depreciation At 1 January 2015 & at 31 December 2015	17,951
	Net book value At 31 December 2015	
	At 31 December 2014	-
6	Fixed asset investments	•
		Listed investments £
	Cost At 1 January 2015 & at 31 December 2015	9,999
	Provisions for diminution in value	
	At 1 January 2015 & at 31 December 2015	9,775
	Net book value At 31 December 2015	224
	At 31 December 2014	224

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONTINUED) FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2015

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7	Debtors	2015 £	2014 £
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	Trade debtors	51,173	8,028
	Other debtors	570	1,137
	Prepayments and accrued income	855	1,036
		52,598 =====	10,201
8	Creditors: amounts falling due within one year	2015 £	2014 £
	Trade creditors	8,400	8,400
	Directors' loan account	25,966	30,376
		34,366	29 776
			38,776
9	Share capital	2015	2014
	Allotted, called up and fully paid	£	£
	100 Ordinary Shares of £1 each	100	100
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10	Statement of movements on profit and loss account		
	otation of the control of profit and loss account		Profit and
			loss
			account
			£
	Balance at 1 January 2015		44,197
	Loss for the year		(3,086)
	Balance at 31 December 2015		41,111

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONTINUED) FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2015

11	Reconciliation of movements in shareholders'	funds	2015	2014
			£	£
	(Loss)/Profit for the financial year		(3,086)	12,756
	Opening shareholders' funds		44,297	31,541
	Closing shareholders' funds		41,211	44,297

12 Control

The ultimate controlling party is A Fryatt who is a director of the company.

13 Related party relationships and transactions

Mr A Fryatt is the principal shareholder of A B Shipping (Alderney) Limited, a company incorporated in Alderney. The company made sales of £48,767 with A B Shipping (Alderney) Limited under normal commercial trading conditions.