Company Registration No 03736461 (England and Wales)

A1 VEG LIMITED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2012

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COMPANY INFORMATION

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DIRECTOR'S REPORT

FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2012

The director presents his report and financial statements for the year ended 31 March 2012

Principal activities and review of the business

The principal activity of the company continued to be that of wholesalers and retailers of fresh raw vegetables

The company operates from 4 branches situated in London, Birmingham and Manchester

The purpose of the review of business is to provide information on the company's strategy and objective, the market in which it operates and a review of progress during the period. It includes an analysis of key performance indicators and an assessment of the key risks and uncertainties facing the company.

The company operates in the retail of foods and vegetables industry and its principal activity consists of wholesale and retail selling of fresh raw vegetables

The financial results for the year and the financial position at the year end were as shown in the company's profit and loss account on page 6 and the balance sheet on page 7 respectively. Both the business results and the year end financial positions were considered satisfactory by the director who expects continued growth in the foreseeable future.

The market remains competitive and the director continues to strive to improve the company's position and market share whilst continuing to provide improved quality of the products and competitive pricing to its customers

Principal risks and uncertainties

Commercial and market

The company may experience loss of revenue growth or detrimental impact on the profit margin due to unforeseen events such as fresh raw vegetables cost and exchange rate fluctuations, increasing labour costs, competitive actions by the competitors and the speed of adjusting prices to the customers. The company works closely with its suppliers and customers in order to manage and mitigate such risks.

The company considers the regulations in wholesale and retail fresh raw vegetables industry for the operation, specifically in the areas of employment, health and safety, importing regulations, to be one of the commercial risks facing the company. The company also operates strict quality control procedures and disciplines to reduce the level of risk encountered.

Other risks within this heading are product risks. The company handles fresh raw vegetables which are perishable with short life span. The company also operates strict quality control procedures and disciplines to protect its products.

Financial

The company faces a number of financial risks which include the liquidity risk and credit rating risk. These risks are not considered significant as the company does not rely on external bank borrowings to finance its operations.

Other risks and uncertainties within this heading are failures in internal control systems and IT systems. A failure in these systems could have a significant impact on the business. The director has controls in place to maintain and regularly update the efficiency and smooth running of these systems.

Human resources

The company is aware that the achieving of its business objectives and performances is heavily dependent upon the contributions made by its employees. Procedures and policies are in place to attract, train and retain the employees with skills and of a capabilities level appropriate to succeed in achieving its goals.

DIRECTOR'S REPORT (CONTINUED)

FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2012

The results for the year and the financial position at the year end were considered satisfactory by the director who expects continued growth in the foreseeable future

Key Performance Indicators

Turnover growth and increase operating margin remain the key performance indicators for the company which the director regularly monitors against the budget and comparative period. Over the last financial period, the company's turnover decreased from £27.5 million to £22.9 million due to market competition. The operating net profit margin for the same period increased from 0.70% to 0.91%, which is attributable to increase gross profit margins from 6.28% to 7.92%.

The director believes that other key performance indicators for the company are not necessary or appropriate for an understanding of the performance, development or position of the business

Results and dividends

The results for the year are set out on page 6

The company paid £150,000 of dividend during the year. The director does not recommend payment of a final dividend

Future developments

The director is confident in achieving a stronger and profitable growth in the company's core activities and gaining market share in the wholesales and retails fresh raw vegetables industry whilst continuing to provide improved quality of the products and competitive pricing to its customers

Director

The following director has held office since 1 April 2011

Mr SWH Shah

Director's interests

The director's interest in the shares of the company was as stated below

Ordinary of £1 each

31 March 2012

1 April 2011

Mr SWH Shah

14,066

14,066

Auditors

in accordance with the company's articles, a resolution proposing that Raymond Soo & Co Limited be reappointed as auditors of the company will be put at a General Meeting

DIRECTOR'S REPORT (CONTINUED)

FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2012

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.

Statement of disclosure to auditors

So far as the director is aware, there is no relevant audit information of which the company's auditors are unaware. Additionally, the director has taken all the necessary steps that he ought to have taken as director in order to make himself aware of all relevant audit information and to establish that the company's auditors are aware of that information.

On behalf of the board

Mr SWH Shah

Director 1 & DEC 2012

INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT

TO THE MEMBERS OF A1 VEG LIMITED

We have audited the financial statements of A1 Veg Limited for the year ended 31 March 2012 set out on pages 6 to 15. 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)

This report is made solely to the 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 company's members those matters we are required to state to them in an auditors' report and for no other purpose. To the fullest extent permitted by law, we do not accept or assume responsibility to anyone other than the company and the company's members as a body, for our audit work, for this report, or for the opinions we have formed

Respective responsibilities of director and auditors

As explained more fully in the Director's Responsibilities Statement set out on pages 1 - 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.

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.

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 March 2012 and of its profit 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

INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT (CONTINUED)

TO THE MEMBERS OF A1 VEG LIMITED

Matters on which we are required to report by exception

We have nothing to report in respect of the following matters where the Companies Act 2006 requires us to report to you if, in our opinion

- adequate accounting records have not been kept, or returns adequate for our audit have not been received from branches not visited by us, or
- the financial statements are not in agreement with the accounting records and returns, or
- certain disclosures of directors' remuneration specified by law are not made, or
- we have not received all the information and explanations we require for our audit

Mr Chin Chean Soo FCCA (Senior Statutory Auditor) for and on behalf of Raymond Soo & Co Limited

18 DEC 2012

Chartered Certified Accountants Statutory Auditor

39 Station Road London NW4 4PN

PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2012

	Notes	2012 £	2011 £
Turnover	2	22,853,713	27,469,588
Cost of sales		(21,043,621)	(25,744,638)
Gross profit		1,810,092	1,724,950
Distribution costs Administrative expenses Other operating income		(834,730) (769,595) 1,000	(858,608) (673,587)
Operating profit	3	206,767	192,755
Other interest receivable and similar income	4	141	144
Profit on ordinary activities before taxation		206,908	192,899
Tax on profit on ordinary activities	5	(46,767)	(45,565)
Profit for the year	13	160,141	147,334

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 MARCH 2012

		20.	2012		1
	Notes	£	£	£	£
Fixed assets					
Intangible assets	7		156,467		175,067
Tangible assets	8		189,115		223,596
			345,582		398,663
Current assets					
Stocks	9	169,397		220,336	
Debtors	10	2,226,696		2,525,083	
Cash at bank and in hand		219,745		200,804	
		2,615,838		2,946,223	
Creditors: amounts falling due within					
one year	11	(2,453,981)		(2,847,588)	
Net current assets			161,857		98,635
Total assets less current liabilities			507,439		497,298
Capital and reserves					
Called up share capital	12		21,099		21,099
Profit and loss account	13		486,340		476,199
Shareholders' funds	14		507,439		497,298
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Approved by the Board and authorised for issue on 1 4 DEC 2012

Mr SWH Shah
Director

Company Registration No. 03736461

CASH FLOW STATEMENT

FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2012

	Notes	£	2012 £	£	2011 £
Net cash inflow/(outflow) from operating activities	18		216,816		(175,323)
Returns on investments and servicing of finance					
Interest received		141		144	
Net cash inflow for returns on investments and servicing of finance			141		144
Taxation			(45,565)		(45,981)
Capital expenditure Payments to acquire tangible assets		(2,451)		(6,260)	
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Net cash outflow for capital expenditure			(2,451)		(6,260)
Equity dividends paid			(150,000)		-
Net cash inflow/(outflow) before management of liquid resources and					
financing			18,941		(227,420)
					
Increase/(decrease) in cash in the year	19, 20		18,941		(227,420)

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2012

1 Accounting policies

1.1 Accounting convention

The financial statements are prepared under the historical cost convention

1.2 Compliance with accounting standards

The financial statements are prepared in accordance with applicable United Kingdom Accounting Standards (United Kingdom Generally Accepted Accounting Practice), which have been applied consistently (except as otherwise stated)

13 Turnover

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

1.4 Goodwill

Acquired goodwill is written off in equal annual instalments over its estimated useful economic life

1.5 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

Land and buildings Leasehold evenly over the term of lease
Plant and machinery 15% reducing balance
Fixtures, fittings & equipment 15% reducing balance
Motor vehicles 25% reducing balance

1.6 Leasing

Rentals payable under operating leases are charged against income on a straight line basis over the lease term

17 Stock

Stock is valued at the lower of cost and net realisable value

2 Turnover

The total turnover of the company for the year has been derived from its principal activity wholly undertaken in the United Kingdom

3	Operating profit	2012	2011
		£	£
	Operating profit is stated after charging		
	Amortisation of intangible assets	18,600	18,600
	Depreciation of tangible assets	36,932	38,713
	Operating lease rentals	42,312	42,312
	Auditors' remuneration (including expenses and benefits in kind)	13,300	10,800

4	Investment income	2012	2011
		£	£
	Bank interest	42	45
	Other interest	99	99
		141	144
5	Taxation	2012	2011
•		£	£
	Domestic current year tax		
	U K corporation tax	46,767 	45,565
	Total current tax	46,767	45,565
	Factors affecting the tax charge for the year		
	Profit on ordinary activities before taxation	206,908	192,899 =======
	Profit on ordinary activities before taxation multiplied by standard rate of UK corporation tax of 20 00% (2011 - 21 00%)	41,382	40,509
	Effects of		
	Depreciation add back	11,106	8,130
	Capital allowances	(1,148)	(2,178)
	Other tax adjustments	(4,573)	(896)
		5,385	5,056
	Current tax charge for the year	46,767	45,565
6	Dividends	2012	2011
		£	£
	Ordinary intenm paid	150,000	•

7	Intangible fixed assets					Goodwill £
	Cost					-
	At 1 April 2011 & at 31 March 2012					279,000
	Amortisation					
	At 1 April 2011					103,933
	Charge for the year					18,600
	At 31 March 2012					122,533
	Net book value					
	At 31 March 2012					156,467
	At 31 March 2011					175,067
8	Tangible fixed assets	Land and buildings Leasehold	Plant and machinery	Fixtures, fittings & equipment	Motor vehicles	Total
		£	£	£	£	£
	Cost					
	At 1 April 2011	291,194	73,845	97,760	33,955	496,754
	Additions			596 ———	1,855	2,451
	At 31 March 2012	291,194	73,845	98,356	35,810	499,205
	Depreciation					
	At 1 April 2011	162,788	45,591	46,626	18,153	273,158
	Charge for the year	17,970	4,238	7,760	6,964	<u>36,932</u>
	At 31 March 2012	180,758	49,829	54,386	25,117	310,090
	Net book value					
		110,436	24.046	42.070	40 603	100 115
	At 31 March 2012	110,430	24,016	43,970	10,693	189,115
	At 31 March 2012 At 31 March 2011	128,406	28,254	51,134	15,802	223,596

9	Stocks	2012 £	2011 £
	Raw materials and consumables	169,397	220,336
10	Debtors	2012	2011
		£	£
	Trade debtors Other debtors Prepayments and accrued income	2,107,722 77,059 41,915	2,316,138 146,820 62,125
		2,226,696	2,525,083
11	Creditors. amounts falling due within one year	2012 £	2011 £
	Trade creditors	2,333,404	2,705,872
	Corporation tax	46,784	45,582
	Other taxes and social security costs Other creditors	26,508	32,436
	Accruals and deferred income	13,174 34,111	40,259 23,439
		2,453,981	2,847,588
12	Share capital	2012 £	2011 £
	Allotted, called up and fully paid	04.000	04.000
	21,099 Ordinary of £1 each	21,099	21,099

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONTINUED) FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2012

13	Statement of movements on profit and loss account		
			Profit and loss account £
	Balance at 1 April 2011 Profit for the year Dividends paid Balance at 31 March 2012		476,199 160,141 (150,000) 486,340
14	Reconciliation of movements in shareholders' funds	2012 £	2011 £
	Profit for the financial year Dividends	160,141 (150,000)	147,334 -
	Net addition to shareholders' funds Opening shareholders' funds	10,141 497,298	147,334 349,964
	Closing shareholders' funds	507,439	497,298

15 Financial commitments

At 31 March 2012 the company was committed to making the following payments under non-cancellable operating leases in the year to 31 March 2013.

		Land and buildings	
		2012	2011
		£	£
	Operating leases which expire		
	Within one year	7,408	-
	Between two and five years	3,704	11,112
	In over five years	31,200	31,200
		42,312	42,312
16	Director's remuneration	2012	2011
		£	£
	Remuneration for qualifying services	6,000	6,000

7	Employees				
	Number of employees				
	The average monthly number of employees year was	(including directors)	during the		
				2012	2011
				Number	Number
	Production			50	53
	Administrative			8	6
				58	59
	Employment costs			2012	2011
				£	£
	Wages and salaries			1,002,087	982,171
	Social security costs			82,354	81,053
				1,084,441	1,063,224
18	Reconciliation of operating profit to net or	cash inflow/(outflov	v) from	2012	2011
18		cash inflow/(outflov	v) from	2012 £	2011 £
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NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONTINUED) FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2012

20	Reconciliation of net cash flow to movement in net funds	2012 £	2011 £
	Increase/(decrease) in cash in the year	18,941	(227,420)
	Movement in πet funds in the year	18,941	(227,420)
	Opening net funds	200,804	428,224
	Closing net funds	219,745	200,804

21 Comparatives

Comparative amounts have been reclassified, where necessary, on the same basis as those for the current year