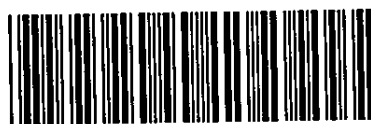


**Alupack Holdings Limited**

**Directors' report and consolidated  
financial statements  
31 December 2011**

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## **Officers and professional advisers**

### **Directors**

K Tahmasebi (Executive Chairman)  
A McMurray (Non-executive)

### **Secretary**

S G Blaken

### **Registered office**

Isfryn Industrial Estate  
Blackmill  
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### **Bankers**

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### **Auditor**

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## Directors' report

The directors present their annual report and the audited financial statements for the year ended 31 December 2011

### Principal activities

Alupack Holdings Limited is a holding company. The principal activity of its operating subsidiary, Coppice Alupack Limited, is the manufacture and sale of aluminium foil and ovenable board containers principally for the food industry.

### Business review

Sales in 2011 were £16.0 million (2010: £16.3 million). In very difficult market conditions, the directors consider the results to be quite satisfactory. We have continued to drive further efficiencies in production, engineering, sales and administration areas of the business. This has been achieved without sacrificing quality, service or compromising on health and safety or maintenance of the plant and equipment. Without the help and dedication of the people in our business we could not have achieved the satisfactory results in the very difficult market conditions in which the business operates. The directors wish to record their appreciation of the efforts of the staff during the year.

We ended the year without any bank borrowings, having paid off the mortgage ahead of schedule during the year.

With the economic outlook uncertain and subdued, market conditions continue to be challenging with continuing overcapacity in the market. However, we remain positive and are somewhat encouraged having gained a significant amount of business since the year end. Our search for opportunities for expansion through acquisition in areas similar or complementary to the business goes on.

The business is accredited by AIB (American Institute of Bakers) to "Superior" level and also holds BRC/IOP (British Retail Consortium/Institute of Packaging) accreditation for highest hygiene standards.

### Financial risk management objectives and policies

The group's activities expose it to a number of financial risks including price risk, credit risk, cash flow risk and liquidity risk. The group does not use financial derivatives to manage these risks.

#### Cash flow risk

The group's activities expose it primarily to the financial risks of changes in foreign currency exchange rates. The group does not hedge its exposure to these risks, other than by fixing the price of its raw material purchases in sterling at the time of purchase.

#### Credit risk

The group's financial assets are bank balances and cash, trade and other receivables and investments.

The group's credit risk is primarily attributable to its trade receivables. The amounts presented in the balance sheet are net of allowances for doubtful receivables. An allowance for impairment is made where there is an identified loss event which, based on previous experience, is evidence of a reduction in the recoverability of cash flows.

The credit risk on liquid funds is limited because the counterparties are banks with high credit-ratings assigned by international credit-rating agencies.

The group has no significant concentration of credit risk, with exposure spread over a large number of counterparties and customers. The group has obtained credit insurance which covers the majority of the receivables from its customers.

## **Directors' report** *(continued)*

### **Liquidity risk**

In order to maintain liquidity to ensure that sufficient funds are available for ongoing operations and future development, the group uses a mixture of long-term and short-term bank borrowings. Borrowings bear interest at variable rates and are subject to variations in the Bank of England base interest rate.

The group prepares regular rolling cash flow forecasts, which indicate that it has adequate headroom under its working capital facilities after meeting its day to day trading obligations.

### **Price risk**

The group is exposed to commodity price risk. The group does not manage its exposure to commodity price risk except by fixing the price of contracted purchase commitments in sterling at the time of placing those contracts.

### **Dividends**

The company did not declare a dividend for the financial year (2010 £Nil)

### **Directors**

The directors of the company, who served throughout the financial year, are as shown on page 1.

### **Charitable donations**

Charitable donations during the year amounted to £665 (2010 £637)

### **Disclosure of information to auditors**

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

### **Auditors**

Pursuant to Section 487 of the Companies Act 2006, the auditors will be deemed to be reappointed and KPMG LLP will therefore continue in office.

By order of the board



**S G Blaken**  
Secretary

Isfryn Industrial Estate  
Blackmill  
Bridgend  
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21 March 2012

## **Statement of directors' responsibilities in respect of the Directors' Report and the financial statements**

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

Company law requires the directors to prepare financial statements for each financial year. Under that law they have elected to prepare the group and parent company financial statements in accordance with UK Accounting Standards and applicable law (UK Generally Accepted Accounting Practice).

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 group and parent company and of their profit or loss for that period. In preparing each of the group and parent company financial statements, the directors are required to

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

The directors are responsible for keeping adequate accounting records that are sufficient to show and explain the parent company's transactions and disclose with reasonable accuracy at any time the financial position of the parent company and enable them to ensure that its financial statements comply with the Companies Act 2006. They have general responsibility for taking such steps as are reasonably open to them to safeguard the assets of the group and to prevent and detect fraud and other irregularities.

The directors are responsible for the maintenance and integrity of the corporate and financial information included on the company's website. Legislation in the UK governing the preparation and dissemination of financial statements may differ from legislation in other jurisdictions.



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**Independent auditor's report to the members of Alupack Holdings Limited**

We have audited the financial statements of Alupack Holdings Limited for the year ended 31 December 2011 set out on pages 7 to 21. The financial reporting framework that has been applied in their preparation is applicable law and UK Accounting Standards (UK 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 auditor's report and for no other purpose. To the fullest extent permitted by law, we do not accept or assume responsibility to anyone other than the company and the company's members, as a body, for our audit work, for this report, or for the opinions we have formed.

**Respective responsibilities of directors and auditor**

As explained more fully in the Directors' Responsibilities Statement set out on page 4, the directors are 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, and express an opinion on, 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 (APB's) Ethical Standards for Auditors.

**Scope of the audit of the financial statements**

A description of the scope of an audit of financial statements is provided on the APB's web-site at [www.frc.org.uk/apb/scope/private.cfm](http://www.frc.org.uk/apb/scope/private.cfm)

**Opinion on financial statements**

In our opinion the financial statements

- give a true and fair view of the state of the group's and the parent company's affairs as at 31 December 2011 and of the group's profit for the year then ended,
- have been properly prepared in accordance with UK 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 Directors' Report for the financial year for which the financial statements are prepared is consistent with the financial statements.

**Independent auditor's report to the members of Alupack Holdings Limited**  
*(continued)*

**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 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

**K Maguire (Senior Statutory Auditor)**  
**for and on behalf of KPMG LLP, Statutory Auditor**  
Chartered Accountants  
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22<sup>nd</sup> March 2012



**Consolidated profit and loss account**  
*for the year ended 31 December 2011*

	<i>Note</i>	<b>2011</b> <b>£'000</b>	<b>2010</b> <b>£'000</b>
<b>Turnover</b>		<b>15,965</b>	<b>16,263</b>
Changes in stocks of finished goods		<b>(278)</b>	<b>342</b>
Raw materials and consumables		<b>(9,746)</b>	<b>(9,879)</b>
Other external charges		<b>(2,073)</b>	<b>(2,178)</b>
Staff costs	<i>5</i>	<b>(2,538)</b>	<b>(2,693)</b>
Depreciation and other amounts written off tangible and intangible fixed assets		<b>(793)</b>	<b>(847)</b>
<b>Operating profit</b>	<i>2</i>	<b>537</b>	<b>1,008</b>
Interest payable and similar charges	<i>6</i>	<b>(202)</b>	<b>(223)</b>
<b>Profit on ordinary activities before taxation</b>		<b>335</b>	<b>785</b>
Tax on profit on ordinary activities	<i>7</i>	<b>(176)</b>	<b>(315)</b>
<b>Profit for the financial year</b>		<b>159</b>	<b>470</b>

All activities derive from continuing operations

There have been no recognised gains and losses for the current or the prior financial year other than as stated in the profit and loss account and, accordingly, no separate statement of total recognised gains and losses is presented

**Combined statement of movements on reserves and reconciliation of movement in shareholders' funds**

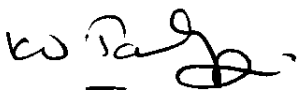
*for the year ended 31 December 2011*

	Share capital £'000	Share premium £'000	Profit and loss account £'000	Total 2011 £'000	Total 2010 £'000
<b>Group</b>					
Balance at 1 January	100	59	2,745	2,904	2,434
Profit for the financial year	-	-	159	159	470
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<b>Balance at 31 December</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>59</b>	<b>2,904</b>	<b>3,063</b>	<b>2,904</b>
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<b>Company</b>					
Balance at 1 January	100	59	403	562	219
Loss for the financial year	-	-	(161)	(161)	(157)
Dividends received	-	-	-	-	500
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<b>Balance at 31 December</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>59</b>	<b>242</b>	<b>401</b>	<b>562</b>
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**Consolidated balance sheet**  
**at 31 December 2011**

	<i>Note</i>	<b>2011</b> <b>£'000</b>	<b>2010</b> <b>£'000</b>
<b>Fixed assets</b>			
Intangible assets	8	3,385	3,718
Tangible assets	9	4,077	4,413
		<hr/> 7,462	<hr/> 8,131
<b>Current assets</b>			
Stocks	11	2,625	1,926
Debtors	12	2,698	2,842
Cash at bank and in hand		124	67
		<hr/> 5,447	<hr/> 4,835
<b>Creditors amounts falling due within one year</b>	13	(3,144)	(3,156)
		<hr/> 2,303	<hr/> 1,679
<b>Net current assets</b>			
		<hr/> 9,765	<hr/> 9 810
<b>Total assets less current liabilities</b>			
<b>Creditors amounts falling due after more than one year</b>	14	(6,500)	(6,669)
<b>Provisions for liabilities</b>	15	(202)	(237)
		<hr/> 3,063	<hr/> 2,904
<b>Net assets</b>			
<b>Capital and reserves</b>			
Called up share capital	16	100	100
Share premium account		59	59
Profit and loss account		2,904	2,745
		<hr/> 3,063	<hr/> 2,904
<b>Shareholders' funds</b>			
		<hr/> 3,063	<hr/> 2,904

These financial statements were approved by the board of directors on 21 March 2012 and were signed on its behalf by

  
**K Tahmasebi**  
Director

**Company balance sheet**  
*at 31 December 2011*

	<i>Note</i>	<b>2011</b> <b>£'000</b>	<b>2010</b> <b>£'000</b>
<b>Fixed assets</b>			
Investment in subsidiaries	<i>10</i>	9,209	9,209
<b>Current assets</b>			
Debtors	<i>12</i>	4,920	4,920
Creditors, amounts falling due within one year	<i>13</i>	(51)	(51)
<b>Net current assets</b>		<u>4,869</u>	<u>4,869</u>
<b>Total assets less current liabilities</b>		<u>14,078</u>	<u>14,078</u>
Creditors, amounts falling due after more than one year	<i>14</i>	(13,677)	(13,516)
<b>Net assets</b>		<u>401</u>	<u>562</u>
<b>Capital and reserves</b>			
Called up share capital	<i>16</i>	100	100
Share premium account		59	59
Profit and loss account		242	403
<b>Shareholders' funds</b>		<u>401</u>	<u>562</u>

These financial statements were approved by the board of directors on *21 March* 2012 and were signed on its behalf by



**K Tahmasebi**  
*Director*

**Consolidated cash flow statement**  
*for the year ended 31 December 2011*

	<i>Note</i>	<b>2011</b> <b>£'000</b>	<b>2010</b> <b>£'000</b>
<b>Net cash inflow from operating activities</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>1,021</b>	<b>1,719</b>
<b>Returns on investments and servicing of finance</b>			
Interest paid		(202)	(474)
<b>Net cash outflow from returns on investments and servicing of finance</b>		<b>(202)</b>	<b>(474)</b>
<b>Taxation</b>			
Corporation tax received		-	14
Corporation tax paid		(316)	(320)
		<b>(316)</b>	<b>(306)</b>
<b>Capital expenditure and financial investment</b>			
Payments to acquire tangible fixed assets		(134)	(146)
Receipts from sales of tangible fixed assets		12	17
<b>Net cash outflow from capital expenditure and financial investment</b>		<b>(122)</b>	<b>(129)</b>
<b>Net cash inflow before financing</b>		<b>381</b>	<b>810</b>
<b>Financing</b>			
Net loans repaid (net of issue costs)		(244)	(75)
<b>Net cash outflow from financing</b>		<b>(244)</b>	<b>(75)</b>
<b>Increase in cash in the year</b>	<b>21,22</b>	<b>137</b>	<b>735</b>

## Notes

*(forming part of the financial statements)*

### 1 Accounting policies

The following accounting policies have been applied consistently in dealing with items which are considered material in relation to the financial statements

#### *Basis of preparation*

The financial statements are prepared on the going concern basis in accordance with applicable accounting standards and under the historical cost accounting rules

As 100% of the company's voting rights are controlled within the group headed by Alupack Holdings Limited, the company has taken advantage of the exemption contained in Financial Reporting Standard No 8 and has therefore not disclosed transactions or balances with entities which form part of the group (or investees of the group qualifying as related parties)

#### *Basis of consolidation*

The consolidated financial statements incorporate the financial statements of the company and all of its subsidiary undertakings

Under section 408 of the Companies Act 2006 the company is exempt from the requirement to present its own profit and loss account. The amount of the profit or loss for the financial year dealt with in the accounts of Alupack Holdings Limited is disclosed in note 3 of these financial statements

#### *Goodwill*

Purchased goodwill (representing the excess of the fair value of the consideration given over the fair value of the separate net assets acquired) arising on consolidation is capitalised and amortised by equal annual instalments over its estimated useful life of 20 years

#### *Investments*

Fixed asset investments are stated at cost less provision for impairment

#### *Tangible fixed assets*

Tangible fixed assets are stated at cost, less accumulated depreciation. Depreciation is calculated so as to write off the cost or valuation of the tangible fixed assets, on a straight-line basis, to their estimated residual value over the expected useful economic lives of the assets concerned. The principal rates are as follows

Freehold buildings	-	50 years
Plant and machinery	-	5-15 years
Office furniture and equipment	-	2 years
Motor vehicles	-	3 years

No depreciation is provided on freehold land

#### *Stocks*

Stocks are stated at the lower of cost and net realisable value. Cost includes materials and, where appropriate, an attributable proportion of direct labour and production overheads

## Notes (continued)

### 1 Accounting policies (continued)

#### Taxation

Current tax is provided at amounts expected to be paid (or recovered) using the tax rates and laws that have been enacted or substantively enacted by the balance sheet date

Deferred taxation is provided in full on timing differences that result in an obligation at the balance sheet date to pay more tax, or a right to pay less tax, at a future date, at rates expected to apply when they crystallise based on current tax rates and law. Timing differences arise from the inclusion of items of income and expenditure in taxation computations in periods different from those in which they are included in the financial statements

Deferred tax assets are recognised to the extent that it is regarded as more likely than not that they will be recovered. Deferred tax assets and liabilities are not discounted.

#### Turnover

Turnover represents the value of goods and services invoiced to customers during the period, net of any returns and rebates, and excludes any value added tax thereon. It primarily arises in the United Kingdom and Europe. Revenue is recognised on the despatch of goods. The directors consider turnover to arise from one class of business, the group's principal activity.

#### Pension costs

Retirement benefits for eligible employees are funded by contributions from the group and employees to a separate defined contribution pension scheme. The amount charged to the profit and loss account in respect of pension costs is the contribution payable in the year. Differences between contributions payable in the year and contributions actually paid are shown as either accruals or prepayments in the balance sheet.

#### Foreign currency

Transactions denominated in foreign currencies are translated into sterling at the rates ruling at the dates of the transactions. Monetary assets and liabilities denominated in foreign currencies at the balance sheet date are translated at the rates ruling at that date. These translation differences are dealt with in the profit and loss account.

### 2 Operating profit

	2011 £'000	2010 £ 000
<i>Operating profit is after charging/(crediting)</i>		
Goodwill amortisation	333	333
Depreciation and amounts written off tangible fixed assets owned assets	460	514
Profit on disposal of fixed assets	(2)	(1)
Foreign exchange differences	2	5
Auditor's remuneration		
audit services	17	15
taxation services	3	2
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## Notes (continued)

### 3 Company profit and loss account

The directors have relied upon the exemptions contained within section 408 of the Companies Act 2006 in not presenting the profit and loss account of Alupack Holdings Limited. The loss shown in the separate financial statements of the company for the year is £161,000 (2010 profit £343,000)

The company audit fee is borne by its subsidiary, Coppice Alupack Limited

### 4 Directors emoluments

	2011 £'000	2010 £'000
Directors emoluments	179	176
Money purchase pension scheme contributions	27	26
	<u>206</u>	<u>202</u>

Retirement benefits are accruing to one director (2010 one) under money purchase schemes

### 5 Staff numbers and costs

The average number of persons employed by the group (including directors) during the year, analysed by category, was as follows

	2011 No	2010 No
Production	109	114
Administration	12	13
	<u>121</u>	<u>127</u>

The aggregate payroll costs of these persons were as follows

	2011 £'000	2010 £'000
Wages and salaries	2,228	2,358
Social security costs	197	216
Other pension costs (note 19)	113	119
	<u>2,538</u>	<u>2,693</u>



## Notes (continued)

### 6 Interest payable and similar charges

	2011 £'000	2010 £'000
Bank and other loans and overdrafts	202	223

### 7 Taxation

#### *Analysis of charge/(credit) in period*

	2011 £'000	2010 £'000
<b>Current taxation</b>		
UK corporation tax	212	358
Adjustment in respect of prior periods	(1)	(19)
Total current tax	211	339
<b>Deferred tax</b>		
Origination/reversal of timing differences	(35)	(45)
Adjustment in respect of prior periods	-	21
Total deferred tax	(35)	(24)
Tax on profit on ordinary activities	176	315

#### *Factors affecting the tax charge for the current year*

The current tax charge for the year is higher (2010 higher) than the standard rate of corporation tax in the UK of 26.5% (2010 28%). The differences are explained below

	2011 £'000	2010 £'000
Profit on ordinary activities before tax	335	785
Tax on profit on ordinary activities before tax at 26.5% (2010 28%)	89	220
<b>Factors affecting charge for the year.</b>		
Expenses not deductible for tax purposes	1	1
Capital allowances in excess of depreciation	42	32
Adjustment in respect of prior periods	(1)	(19)
Other short-term timing differences	80	105
Current tax charge for the year (see above)	211	339

## Notes (continued)

### 8 Intangible fixed assets

Group	Goodwill £'000
<i>Cost</i>	
At 1 January 2011 and at 31 December 2011	6,650
<i>Amortisation</i>	
At 1 January 2011	2,932
Charge for the year	333
At 31 December 2011	3,265
<i>Net book value</i>	
At 31 December 2011	3,385
At 31 December 2010	3,718

### 9 Tangible fixed assets

Group	Freehold land and buildings £'000	Plant and machinery £'000	Office furniture and equipment £'000	Motor vehicles £'000	Total £'000
<i>Cost</i>					
At 1 January 2011	3,937	10 020	140	178	14,275
Additions	-	99	15	20	134
Disposals	-	(813)	(22)	(19)	(854)
At 31 December 2011	3,937	9,306	133	179	13,555
<i>Depreciation</i>					
At 1 January 2011	948	8,697	128	89	9,862
Charge for the year	76	323	12	49	460
Disposals	-	(804)	(23)	(17)	(844)
At 31 December 2011	1,024	8,216	117	121	9,478
<i>Net book value</i>					
At 31 December 2011	2,913	1,090	16	58	4,077
At 31 December 2010	2,989	1,323	12	89	4,413

## Notes (continued)

### 10 Fixed asset investments

	2011 £'000	2010 £'000
<i>Company</i>		
Investment in subsidiaries	9,209	9,209

The investment in subsidiaries represents 100% of the issued share capital of Coppice Group Limited, acquired on 8 March 2002, and 100% of the issued share capital of Coppice Alupack Limited, acquired in December 2003

The company's subsidiary undertakings, all of which are wholly owned and are registered and operate in England and Wales, are as follows

Subsidiary undertaking	Principal activity
Coppice Alupack Limited	Manufacture and sale of aluminium foil and ovenable board containers
Coppice Group Limited	Dormant
Harcourt Group Limited *	Dormant
Coppice Foil Containers Limited *	Dormant
Coppice Alupack (Birmingham) Limited *	Dormant

\* Not held directly by Alupack Holdings Limited

### 11 Stocks

	2011 £'000	2010 £'000
<i>Group</i>		
Raw materials and consumables	1,987	1,566
Finished goods and goods for resale	638	360
	<u>2,625</u>	<u>1,926</u>

### 12 Debtors

	Group 2011 £'000	Company 2011 £'000	Group 2010 £ 000	Company 2010 £'000
Trade debtors	2,618	-	2,747	-
Amounts owed by group undertakings	-	4,919	-	4,919
Other debtors	4	1	4	1
Prepayments and accrued income	76	-	91	-
	<u>2,698</u>	<u>4,920</u>	<u>2 842</u>	<u>4,920</u>

**Notes (continued)**

**13 Creditors, amounts falling due within one year**

	Group 2011 £'000	Company 2011 £'000	Group 2010 £ 000	Company 2010 £'000
Bank overdrafts	-	-	80	-
Bank loans	-	-	75	-
Trade creditors	2,196	2	2 214	2
Other creditors, including taxation and social security	641	49	413	49
Corporation tax	142	-	247	-
Accruals and deferred income	165	-	127	-
	<u>3,144</u>	<u>51</u>	<u>3,156</u>	<u>51</u>

The bank loans and overdrafts are secured by fixed and floating charges over the assets of the Group

**14 Creditors: amounts falling due after more than one year**

	Group 2011 £'000	Company 2011 £'000	Group 2010 £'000	Company 2010 £'000
Bank and other loans	6,500	6,500	6 669	6,500
Amounts owed to group undertakings	-	7,177	-	7,016
	<u>6,500</u>	<u>13,677</u>	<u>6,669</u>	<u>13,516</u>
<i>Maturity of bank and other loans</i>				
Within one year	-	-	75	-
Between one and two years	-	-	75	-
Between two and five years	6,500	6,500	6,594	6,500
	<u>6,500</u>	<u>6,500</u>	<u>6,744</u>	<u>6,500</u>

Bank and other loans consist of one (2010 two) loans

- 1 The subordinated loan of £6,500,000 (2010 £6,500,000) is repayable in instalments by agreement between the company and the loan note holder, bearing interest at commercial rates, being bank base rate plus 2.5% per annum
- 2 The mortgage loan which was repayable by quarterly instalments ending in March 2014, was repaid in full during the year (2010 £244 000 outstanding). It bore interest at bank base rate plus a margin of 1.7% per annum and was secured on the assets of the Group

## Notes (continued)

### 15 Provisions for liabilities

	Deferred tax £'000
<i>Group</i>	
At 1 January 2011	237
Credit for the year	(35)
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<b>At 31 December 2011</b>	<b>202</b>
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The amounts of deferred taxation provided in the financial statements are as follows

	2011 £'000	2010 £'000
Accelerated capital allowances	206	249
Short-term timing differences	(4)	(12)
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	<b>202</b>	<b>237</b>
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On 23 March 2011 the Chancellor announced the reduction in the main rate of UK corporation tax to 26% with effect from 1 April 2011. The effect of the rate reduction creates a reduction in the deferred tax asset which has been referred to above.

The Chancellor also proposed changes to further reduce the main rate of corporation tax by one per cent per annum to 23 per cent by 1 April 2014, but these changes have not yet been substantively enacted and therefore are not included in the figures above.

### 16 Called up share capital

	2011 £	2010 £
<i>Authorised called up, allotted and fully paid</i>		
65,001 'A' ordinary shares of £1 each	65,001	65,001
34,999 'B' ordinary shares of £1 each	34,999	34,999
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	<b>100,000</b>	<b>100,000</b>
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The rights attached to the "A" and "B" ordinary shares rank *pari passu* in all respects except in circumstances where certain conditions with regards to the financial performance of the company have not been met or the holders of the "B" ordinary shares are in material breach of the agreement between the shareholders of the company, when the holders of the "A" ordinary shares can exercise any and all rights including any voting rights attached to the "B" ordinary shares. In addition, if the holders of "A" ordinary shares wish to transfer their shares in the company to a third party, then the holders of such "A" ordinary shares have the option to require the holders of "B" ordinary shares to transfer all their shares in the company on the same terms to the same third party.

**Notes (continued)**

**17 Capital commitments**

	Group 2011 £'000	Company 2011 £'000	Group 2010 £'000	Company 2010 £'000
Amounts contracted for, but not provided	-	-	-	-

**18 Contingent liabilities**

Under group banking arrangements, the company has given guarantees, together with certain other group companies, in respect of bank loans and short-term bank borrowings of other group companies which, at 31 December 2011, amounted to £Nil (2010 £324,000)

**19 Pensions**

The group operates a defined contribution pension scheme through Friends Life. The pension cost charge for the year represents contributions payable by the group to the scheme and amounted to £113,000 (2010 £119,000)

No pension contributions were outstanding at the year end or at the end of 2010

**20 Reconciliation of operating profit to net cash inflow from operating activities**

	2011 £'000	2010 £'000
Operating profit	537	1,008
Goodwill amortisation	333	333
Depreciation	460	514
Profit on sale of tangible fixed assets	(2)	(1)
(Increase)/decrease in stocks	(699)	208
Decrease /(Increase) in debtors	144	(51)
Increase /(Decrease) in creditors	248	(292)
<b>Net cash inflow from operating activities</b>	<b>1,021</b>	<b>1,719</b>

## Notes (continued)

### 21 Analysis of net debt

	At 1 January 2011 £'000	Net cash flows £'000	Other non- cash changes £'000	At 31 December 2011 £'000
Cash at bank and in hand	67	57	-	124
Bank overdrafts	(80)	80	-	-
	<u>(13)</u>	<u>137</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>124</u>
Debt due within one year	(75)	75	-	-
Debt due after one year	(6,669)	169	-	(6,500)
	<u>(6,744)</u>	<u>244</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>(6,500)</u>
	<u>(6,757)</u>	<u>381</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>(6,376)</u>

### 22 Reconciliation of net cash flow to movement in net debt

	2011 £'000	2010 £'000
Increase in cash in the year	137	735
Cash outflow from decrease in debt	244	75
Change in net debt resulting from cash flows	<u>381</u>	<u>810</u>
Net debt at start of the year	<u>(6,757)</u>	<u>(7,567)</u>
Net debt at end of the year	<u>(6,376)</u>	<u>(6,757)</u>

### 23 Related party transactions

Included within bank and other loans is £6,500,000 (2010 £6,500,000) payable to Lloyds Development Capital, a related party by way of share ownership. Further detail is provided in note 15.

### 24 Ultimate parent undertaking and controlling party

Alupack Holdings Limited is the parent company of the smallest and largest group which prepares group financial statements. The directors consider there to be no ultimate controlling party.