LS GEMINI LIMITED
REPORT AND FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2010

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# Directors' Report for the year ended 31 March 2010

The directors submit their report with the audited financial statements of the Company for the year ended 31 March 2010

#### RESULTS FOR THE YEAR AND DIVIDEND

The results are set out in the Profit and Loss Account on page 4

The directors do not recommend the payment of a final dividend for the year ended 31 March 2010 (2009 £Nil) in addition to the interim dividend of 718p per share creating a distribution of £43,124,152 (2009 £Nil) paid on 25 January 2010

## PRINCIPAL ACTIVITY, REVIEW OF THE BUSINESS AND FUTURE DEVELOPMENTS

The Company has continued its business as an investment holding company. No changes in the Company's principal activity are anticipated in the foreseeable future.

#### **DIRECTORS**

The directors who held office during the year and at the date of this report were

P M Dudgeon Land Securities Management Services Limited LS Retail Director Limited

#### STATEMENT OF DISCLOSURE OF INFORMATION TO AUDITORS

In the case of each director in office at the date the directors' report is approved , the following applies

- so far as the director is aware, there is no relevant audit information of which the Company's auditors are unaware, and
- he has taken all the steps that he ought to have taken as a 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

The auditors, PricewaterhouseCoopers LLP, have indicated their willingness to continue in office and a resolution concerning their reappointment will be proposed at the Annual General Meeting

Registered Office 5 Strand London WC2N 5AF

By order of the Board P M Dudgeon Company Secretary 23 April 2010

Registered in England and Wales Registered number 04565504

### Directors' Responsibilities for the year ended 31 March 2010

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

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

Company law requires the directors to prepare financial statements for each financial year. Under that law the directors have elected to prepare the financial statements in accordance with United Kingdom Generally Accepted Accounting Practice (United Kingdom Accounting Standards and applicable law) Under company law the directors must not approve the financial statements unless they are satisfied that they give a true and fair view of the state of affairs of the company and of the profit or loss of the company for that period. In preparing these financial statements, the directors are required to

- select suitable accounting policies and then apply them consistently,
- make judgements and 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 directors are 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. They are 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

#### Independent Auditors' Report to the Members of LS Gemini Limited for the year ended 31 March 2010

We have audited the financial statements of LS Gemini Limited for the year ended 31 March 2010 which comprise the Profit and Loss Account, the Reconciliation of Movements in Total Shareholders' Funds, 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 Directors' Responsibilities Statement, 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 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 directors, 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 2010 and of its profit for the year then ended,
- have been properly prepared in accordance with the 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 Directors' 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 directors' remuneration specified by law are not made, or
- we have not received all the information and explanations we require for our audit

John Waters (Senior Statutory Auditor)

For and on behalf of PricewaterhouseCoopers LLP Chartered Accountants and Registered Auditors

London

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Profit and Loss Account for the year ended 31 March 2010			
	Notes	2010 £'000	2009 £'000
Income from shares in group undertakings		41,597	-
Operating profit	2	41,597	•
Profit on ordinary activities before taxation		41,597	
Taxation	3	-	-
Profit for the financial year		41,597	•
Reconciliation of Movements in Total Shareholder's Funds for the	e year ended 31 March 2010		
		2010 £'000	2009 £'000
Profit for the financial year		41,597	-
Dividends	4	(43,124)	-
Accumulated loss for the financial year		(1,527)	-
Reduction from shareholder's funds	•	(1,527)	-
Opening shareholder's funds		8,534	8,534
Closing shareholder's funds	•	7,007	8,534

All amounts arise from continuing operations. There is no difference between reported profit and historical cost profit on ordinary activities before taxation. There are no recognised gains or losses other than those shown in the Profit and Loss Account above

Balance Sheet as at 31 March 2010			
	Notes	2010 £'000	2009 £'000
Fixed assets			
Investments			
Investment in a subsidiary undertaking	5	-	-
Current assets			
Debtors	6	7,007	8,534
Net assets		7,007	8,534
Capital and reserves	-		
Called up share capital	7	6,005	6,005
Share premium account	8	1,002	1,002
Profit and loss account	8	•	1,527
Total shareholder's funds	_	7,007	8,534
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The financial statements on pages 4 to 8 were approved and authorised for issue by the board on 23 April 2010 and were signed on its behalf by

For and on behalf of Land Securities Management Services Limited C M Gill

## 1 Accounting policies

The financial statements have been prepared on the going concern basis, under the historical cost convention, in accordance with Companies Act 2006 and applicable United Kingdom accounting standards

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

## (a) Profit and Loss Account and other primary statements

The profit on ordinary activities before taxation is arrived at after taking into account income and outgoings on all properties, including those under development. In accordance with FRS3 'Reporting Financial Performance', profits and losses on properties sold during the year are calculated by comparing net sales proceeds with book values

Surpluses and deficits relating to previous years realised on investment properties sold during the year are transferred directly from the revaluation reserve to the profit and loss reserve and do not pass through the Profit and Loss Account

Unrealised capital surpluses and deficits, including those arising on the periodic revaluation of properties, are taken to the revaluation reserve

#### (b) Income from shares in group undertakings

Income from shares in group undertakings is recognised in the period in which the dividends are approved

#### (c) Taxation

Taxation is charged at the corporation tax rate of 28%

### (d) Dividends

Dividend distribution to the Company's shareholders is recognised as a liability in the Company's financial statements in the period in which the dividends are approved by the Company's shareholders

# (e) investment in a subsidiary undertaking

The Company's investments in the shares of a subsidiary undertaking are carried at cost less provision for impairment in value

#### (f) Impairment of assets

Assets are reviewed annually for impairment. Where impairment exists the asset is written down to its net realisable value

# (g) Segmental reporting

The Company's activities consist solely of investments in the United Kingdom

#### (h) Group accounts

The financial statements present information about the company as an individual undertaking and not about its group. The Company has not prepared group accounts as it is exempt from the requirement to do so by section 400 of the Companies Act 2006 as it is a subsidiary of Land Securities Group PLC, a company incorporated in England and Wales whose consolidated financial statements are publicly available

# 2 Management and administrative expenses

# (a) Management services

The Company had no employees during the year (2009 None) Management services were provided to the Company throughout the year by Land Securities Properties Limited, which is a group undertaking

## (b) Directors' emoluments

The directors of the Company received no emoluments from Land Securities Properties Limited for their services to the Company The amounts allocated to services for this Company were of negligible value (2009 £Nil)

# (c) Auditors' remuneration

The Group's auditors' remuneration is borne by Land Securities Properties Limited. The proportion of the remuneration which relates to the Company amounts to £1,520 (2009 £1,520) The auditors received no remuneration for non-audit services provided to the Company during the year (2009 £Nil)

			2010	2009
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Analysis of tax charge for the year Corporation tax on profit for the year			_	
ax charge on profit on ordinary activities			-	
Factors affecting the tax charge for the year				
The tax assessed for the year is lower than the standard rate o	f corporation tax in the	e UK of 28% (2009	28%)	
The differences are explained below			44 507	
Profit on ordinary activities before taxation			41,597	
Profit on ordinary activities multiplied by the standard rate in the	e UK at 28% (2009 2)	8%)	11,647	
Effect of				
Non-taxable income			(11,647)	
Current tax charge for the year			-	
I Dividends				
	2010	2009		
	Pence per share	Pence per share	2010 £'000	2009 £'000
Ordinary - interim	718	per snare	43,124	1 000
Investment in a subsidiary undertaking				
				£'000
At 1 April 2009 and 31 March 2010				
The directors believe that the carrying value of the investments	is supported by their	underlying net ass	ets	
The subsidiary undertaking of the Company is				
		Percentage of	Principal	
Name	Class of shares owned	share capital owned	country of incorporation	Nature o busines
S Gemini Piecescene Limited	£1 Ordinary shares	100%	England	Investmen
	Unidioo			
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	Authorised		Allotted and fully paid	
	2010	2009	2010	2009
	No	No	£'000	£'000
Ordinary shares of £1 00 each	6,003,226	6,003,226	6,003	6,003
Deferred shares of £1 00 each	2,000	2,000	2	2
	6,005,226	6,005,226	6,005	6,005
8 Reserves				
	Called up	Share	Profit and	
	Share	Premium	Loss	
	Capital £'000	Account £'000	Account £'000	Total £'000
At 1 April 2009	6,005	1,002	1,527	8,534
Profit for the financial year	-	•	41,597	41,597
Dividends paid	-	•	(43,124)	(43,124
At 31 March 2010	6,005	1,002		7,007

The Company is a wholly owned subsidiary of Land Securities Group PLC which prepares a consolidated cash flow statement. The Company has therefore elected to make use of the exemption provided in Financial Reporting Standard 1 (revised 1996) "Cash Flow Statements" not to produce its own cash flow statement

# 10 Related party transactions

The Company is a wholly owned subsidiary of Land Securities Group PLC and has taken advantage of the exemption provided in paragraph 3(c) of Financial Reporting Standard 8 "Related Party Disclosures" not to make disclosure of transactions with other entities that are part of the group

# 11 Parent company

The immediate parent company is LS Gemini Holdings Limited

The ultimate parent company at 31 March 2010 was Land Securities Group PLC, which is registered in England and Wales This is the largest parent company of the group to consolidate these financial statements

Consolidated financial statements for the year ended 31 March 2010 for Land Securities Group PLC can be obtained from the Company Secretary, 5 Strand, London WC2N 5AF This is the largest and smallest Group to include these accounts in its consolidated financial statements