Annual Report and Financial Statements

For the Year Ended 31 December 2011

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# **Financial Statements**

## Year Ended 31 December 2011

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## **Company Information**

The board of directors BIIF Corporate Services Limited

John Cavill (Resigned 4 March 2011)

David Gilmour (Appointed 4 March 2011)

Company secretary Infrastructure Managers Limited

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London EC2V 7EX

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Chartered accountants and Statutory Auditors

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1 Churchill Place

London E14 5HP

Solicitors Maclay Murray & Spens LLP

151 St Vincent Street

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## The Directors' Report

### Year Ended 31 December 2011

The directors have pleasure in presenting their report and the financial statements of the Company for the year ended 31 December 2011

### Principal Activities and Business Review

The Company acts as a holding company to Vulcan Lane Estates Limited The principal activity of Vulcan Lanes Estates Limited is the provision of accommodation and associated facilities management to the Cumbria Primary Care Trust over a period of 25 years as part of a Private Finance Initiative

#### Results and Dividends

The profit for the year amounted to £71,220 Particulars of dividends paid are detailed in note 5 to the financial statements

The Directors are satisfied with the overall performance of the Company

#### Key performance indicators

The performance of the subsidiary undertaking from a cash perspective is assessed on a six monthly basis by the testing of the covenants of the senior debt provider. The key indicator being the debt service cover ratio. The subsidiary undertaking has been performing well and has been compliant with the covenants laid out in the loan agreement.

#### Financial Instruments

The Company has no significant financial instruments

#### **Directors**

The directors who served the Company during the year and up to the date of this report are listed on page 1

#### Auditor

PricewaterhouseCoopers LLP are deemed to be re-appointed under section 487(2) of the Companies Act 2006

Registered office 5th Floor 100 Wood Street London EC2V 7EX Signed by order of the directors

Infrastructure Managers Limited Company Secretary

Approved by the directors on 12 June 2012

## Statement of Directors' Responsibilities

### Year Ended 31 December 2011

The directors are responsible for preparing the Annual 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 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). The financial statements are required by law to give a true and fair view of the state of affairs of the Company and of the profit or loss of the Company for the year ended 31 December 2011. 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,
- 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 proper accounting records that 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.

In so far as the directors are aware

- there is no relevant audit information of which the Company's auditor is unaware, and
- the directors have taken all steps that they ought to have taken to make themselves aware of any relevant audit information and to establish that the auditor is aware of that information

The Directors' responsibilities were approved by the board on 12 June 2012 and signed on its behalf by

David Gilmour

## Independent Auditor's Report to the Members of VLE Holdings Limited

We have audited the financial statements of VLE Holdings Limited for the year ended 31 December 2011 which comprise the Profit and Loss Account, 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 set out on page 3, 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 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 Annual Report and Financial Statements. In addition, we read all the financial and non-financial information in the Annual Report and Financial Statements 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 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 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 VLE 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, 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

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Martin Cowie (Senior Statutory Auditor)
For and on behalf of PricewaterhouseCoopers LLP
Chartered accountants and Statutory Auditors

12 June 2012

## **Profit and Loss Account**

## Year Ended 31 December 2011

	Note	2011 £	2010 £
Turnover	1.0.2	_	_
Operating profit	-	<del>-</del>	
Income from shares in group undertakings	3	71,220	39,003
Profit on ordinary activities before taxation	-	71,220	39,003
Tax on profit on ordinary activities	4	-	-
Profit for the financial year	-	71,220	39,003

All of the activities of the Company are classed as continuing

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

There is no difference between the profit on ordinary activities before taxation and the profit for the year stated above and their historical cost equivalents

## **Balance Sheet**

## As at 31 December 2011

	Note	2011 £	2010 £
Fixed assets Investments	6	80,000	80,000
Net assets	-	80,000	80,000
Capital and reserves Share capital Profit and loss account	7	80,000	80,000
Equity shareholders' funds	9 -	80,000	80,000

These financial statements on pages 6 to 11 were approved by the directors and authorised for issue on 12 2012 and are signed on their behalf by

David Gilmour

Company Registration Number 4639332

#### **Notes to the Financial Statements**

### Year Ended 31 December 2011

#### l Accounting policies

A summary of the principal accounting policies, all of which have been applied consistently throughout the year, is set out below

## Basis of preparation

The financial statements have been prepared under the historical cost convention and in accordance with the Companies Act 2006 and applicable Accounting Standards in the United Kingdom. The financial statements have been prepared on a going concern basis as the Company's financial projections indicate that sufficient funds will be generated to allow on-going obligations to be met as they fall due.

#### Cash flow statement

The company is a subsidiary of BIIF Holdco Limited and is included in the consolidated financial statements of BIIF Holdco Limited, which are publicly available. Consequently, the company has taken advantage of the exemption from preparing a cash flow statement under the terms of FRS1.

#### Group accounts

The financial statements contain information about VLE Holdings Limited as an individual company and do not contain consolidated financial information as the parent of a subsidiary. The Company is exempt under section 400 of the Companies Act 2006 from the requirement to prepare consolidated financial statements.

### Fixed asset investments

Investments are stated at cost less any provision required for diminution in value

### 2 Particulars of employees and directors

Auditors' remuneration is borne by Vulcans Lane Estates Limited in the current and prior periods

The Directors did not receive any remuneration from the Company during the year (2010 £nil) There were no employees in the financial year other than the directors (2010 nil)

### 3 Income from shares in group undertakings

2	011	2010
	£	£
Income from group undertakings 71,	220	39,003

## Notes to the Financial Statements

### Year Ended 31 December 2011

### 4 Taxation on ordinary activities

#### Factors affecting current tax charge

The tax assessed on the profit on ordinary activities for the year is lower than the standard rate of corporation tax in the UK of 26 49% (2010 - 28%)

		2011	2010
	Profit on ordinary activities before taxation	71,220	39,003
	Profit on ordinary activities by rate of tax Non taxable income	71,220 (71,220)	39,003 (39,003)
	Total current tax	-	-
5	Dividends		
	Equity dividends	2011 £	2010 £
	Paid during the year Dividend £0 89 per share (2010 £0 49)	71,220	39,003
6	Investments		
			Investment in subsidiary undertaking s
	Cost		£
	At 1 January 2011 and 31 December 2011		80,000
	Net book value At 31 December 2011 and 31 December 2010		80,000

The Company owns 100% of the Ordinary Share Capital of Vulcans Lane Estates Limited, a Company registered in England and Wales. The principal activity of the Company is the provision of accommodation and associated facilities management for the West Cumbria Primary Care Trust over a contract period of 25 years as part of a Private Finance Initiative. The results of the Company for the year ended 31 December 2011 were. Capital and Reserves £691,665 (2010 £514,205), Profit for the year £248,680(2010 £250,384)

## **Notes to the Financial Statements**

## Year Ended 31 December 2011

## 7 Share capital

### Authorised share capital:

				2011 £	2010 £
	32,000 Ordinary Class A shares of £1 eac	:h		32,000	32,000
	48,000 Ordinary Class B shares of £1 each			48,000	48,000
				80,000	80,000
	Allotted, called up and fully paid:				
		2011		2010	1
		No	£	No	£
	32,000 Ordinary Class A shares of £1 each 48,000 Ordinary Class B shares of £1	32,000	32,000	32,000	32,000
	each	48,000	48,000	48,000	48,000
		80,000	80,000	80,000	80,000
8	Profit and loss account				
				2011	2010
	Profit for the financial year Equity dividends			£ 71,220 (71,220)	£ 39,003 (39,003)
	Balance carried forward				
9	Reconciliation of movements in shareh	olders' funds			
				2011 £	2010
	Profit for the financial year Equity dividends			71,220 (71,220)	£ 39,003 (39,003)
	Net addition to shareholders' funds Opening shareholders' funds			80,000	80,000
	Closing shareholders' funds			80,000	80,000

## 10 Related party disclosures

The directors have considered the provisions contained within FRS 8 and are satisfied that there are no further disclosures required

Disclosure of related party transactions that the Directors have with the group which is consolidated at BIIF Holdco Limited are included in the accounts of that entity

# Notes to the Financial Statements

## Year Ended 31 December 2011

## 11 Ultimate parent company

The immediate parent company is PIF Vulcans Lane Limited

The ultimate parent and controlling entity is Barclays Integrated Infrastructure Fund LP Barclays Integrated Infrastructure Fund LP is owned by a number of investors, with no one investor having individual control