

Michael Lawrence Limited

Annual Report and Unaudited Financial Statements

for the Year Ended 31 March 2017

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Company Information

Directors	M J Suddaby
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Accountants	Forrester Boyd Robson Chartered Accountants Kingfisher Court Plaxton Bridge Road Woodmansey Beverley East Yorkshire HU17 0RT

**Chartered Accountants' Report to the Board of Directors on the Preparation of the
Unaudited Statutory Accounts of
Michael Lawrence Limited
for the Year Ended 31 March 2017**


In order to assist you to fulfil your duties under the Companies Act 2006, we have prepared for your approval the accounts of Michael Lawrence Limited for the year ended 31 March 2017 as set out on pages 3 to 7 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 (ICAEW), we are subject to its ethical and other professional requirements which are detailed at <http://www.icaew.com/en/members/regulations-standards-and-guidance/>.

This report is made solely to the Board of Directors of Michael Lawrence Limited, as a body, in accordance with the terms of our engagement letter dated 8 September 2014. Our work has been undertaken solely to prepare for your approval the accounts of Michael Lawrence Limited and state those matters that we have agreed to state to the Board of Directors of Michael Lawrence Limited, as a body, in this report in accordance with ICAEW Technical Release 07/16 AAF. To the fullest extent permitted by law, we do not accept or assume responsibility to anyone other than Michael Lawrence Limited and its Board of Directors as a body for our work or for this report.

It is your duty to ensure that Michael Lawrence Limited has kept adequate accounting records and to prepare statutory accounts that give a true and fair view of the assets, liabilities, financial position and loss of Michael Lawrence Limited. You consider that Michael Lawrence 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 accounts of Michael Lawrence 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 accounts.



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13 June 2017

Michael Lawrence Limited

(Registration number: 4669241)

Balance Sheet as at 31 March 2017

	Note	2017 £	2016 £
Fixed assets			
Tangible assets	5	3,153	3,631
Current assets			
Stocks	6	41,305	45,489
Debtors	7	2,923	2,407
Cash at bank and in hand		5,209	4,338
		<u>49,437</u>	<u>52,234</u>
Creditors: Amounts falling due within one year	8	<u>(110,330)</u>	<u>(108,382)</u>
Net current liabilities		<u>(60,893)</u>	<u>(56,148)</u>
Net liabilities		<u>(57,740)</u>	<u>(52,517)</u>
Capital and reserves			
Called up share capital		100	100
Profit and loss account		<u>(57,840)</u>	<u>(52,617)</u>
Total equity		<u>(57,740)</u>	<u>(52,517)</u>

For the financial year ending 31 March 2017 the company was entitled to exemption from audit under section 477 of the Companies Act 2006 relating to small companies.

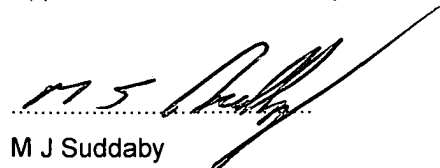
Directors' responsibilities:

- The members have not required the company to obtain an audit of its accounts for the year in question in accordance with section 476; and
- The directors acknowledge their responsibilities for complying with the requirements of the Act with respect to accounting records and the preparation of accounts.

These financial statements have been prepared in accordance with the special provisions relating to companies subject to the small companies regime within Part 15 of the Companies Act 2006.

These financial statements have been delivered in accordance with the provisions applicable to companies subject to the small companies regime and the option not to file the Profit and Loss Account has been taken.

Approved and authorised by the Board on 13 June 2017 and signed on its behalf by:



M J Suddaby
Director

The notes on pages 4 to 7 form an integral part of these financial statements.

1 General information

The address of its registered office is:
497-499 Hessle Road
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East Yorkshire
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2 Accounting policies

Summary of significant accounting policies and key accounting estimates

The principal accounting policies applied in the preparation of these financial statements are set out below. These policies have been consistently applied to all the years presented, unless otherwise stated.

Statement of compliance

These financial statements have been prepared in accordance with Financial Reporting Standard 102 Section 1A - 'The Financial Reporting Standard applicable in the UK and Republic of Ireland' and the Companies Act 2006.

Basis of preparation

These financial statements have been prepared using the historical cost convention except that as disclosed in the accounting policies certain items are shown at fair value.

Tangible assets

Tangible assets are stated in the statement of financial position at cost, less any subsequent accumulated depreciation and subsequent accumulated impairment losses.

The cost of tangible assets includes directly attributable incremental costs incurred in their acquisition and installation.

Depreciation

Depreciation is charged so as to write off the cost of assets, other than land and properties under construction over their estimated useful lives, as follows:

Asset class	Depreciation method and rate
Motor vehicles	25% Reducing balance
Plant and machinery	15% Reducing balance
Furniture and fittings	15% reducing balance

Goodwill

Goodwill arising on the acquisition of an entity represents the excess of the cost of acquisition over the company's interest in the net fair value of the identifiable assets, liabilities and contingent liabilities of the entity recognised at the date of acquisition. Goodwill is initially recognised as an asset at cost and is subsequently measured at cost less accumulated amortisation and accumulated impairment losses. Goodwill is held in the currency of the acquired entity and revalued to the closing rate at each reporting period date. Goodwill is amortised over its useful life, which shall not exceed ten years if a reliable estimate of the useful life cannot be made.

Amortisation

Amortisation is provided on intangible assets so as to write off the cost, less any estimated residual value, over their useful life as follows:

Asset class	Amortisation method and rate
Goodwill	20 years straight line

Cash and cash equivalents

Cash and cash equivalents comprise cash on hand and call deposits, and other short-term highly liquid investments that are readily convertible to a known amount of cash and are subject to an insignificant risk of change in value.

Trade debtors

Trade debtors are amounts due from customers for merchandise sold or services performed in the ordinary course of business.

Trade debtors are recognised initially at the transaction price. They are subsequently measured at amortised cost using the effective interest method, less provision for impairment. A provision for the impairment of trade debtors is established when there is objective evidence that the company will not be able to collect all amounts due according to the original terms of the receivables.

Stocks

Stocks are stated at the lower of cost and estimated selling price less costs to complete and sell. Cost is determined using the first-in, first-out (FIFO) method.

The cost of finished goods and work in progress comprises direct materials and, where applicable, direct labour costs and those overheads that have been incurred in bringing the inventories to their present location and condition. At each reporting date, stocks are assessed for impairment. If stocks are impaired, the carrying amount is reduced to its selling price less costs to complete and sell; the impairment loss is recognised immediately in profit or loss.

Trade creditors

Trade creditors are obligations to pay for goods or services that have been acquired in the ordinary course of business from suppliers. Accounts payable are classified as current liabilities if the company does not have an unconditional right, at the end of the reporting period, to defer settlement of the creditor for at least twelve months after the reporting date. If there is an unconditional right to defer settlement for at least twelve months after the reporting date, they are presented as non-current liabilities.

Trade creditors are recognised initially at the transaction price and subsequently measured at amortised cost using the effective interest method.

Share capital

Ordinary shares are classified as equity. Equity instruments are measured at the fair value of the cash or other resources received or receivable, net of the direct costs of issuing the equity instruments. If payment is deferred and the time value of money is material, the initial measurement is on a present value basis.

Defined contribution pension obligation

A defined contribution plan is a pension plan under which fixed contributions are paid into a pension fund and the company has no legal or constructive obligation to pay further contributions even if the fund does not hold sufficient assets to pay all employees the benefits relating to employee service in the current and prior periods.

Contributions to defined contribution plans are recognised as employee benefit expense when they are due. If contribution payments exceed the contribution due for service, the excess is recognised as a prepayment.

3 Staff numbers

The average number of persons employed by the company (including directors) during the year, was 3 (2016 - 3).

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4 Intangible assets

	Goodwill £	Total £
Cost or valuation		
At 1 April 2016	20,000	20,000
At 31 March 2017	20,000	20,000
Amortisation		
At 1 April 2016	20,000	20,000
At 31 March 2017	20,000	20,000
Carrying amount		
At 31 March 2017	-	-

5 Tangible assets

	Furniture, fittings and equipment £	Motor vehicles £	Other property, plant and equipment £	Total £
Cost or valuation				
At 1 April 2016	3,425	9,290	6,994	19,709
Additions	-	-	110	110
At 31 March 2017	3,425	9,290	7,104	19,819
Depreciation				
At 1 April 2016	1,141	9,027	5,910	16,078
Charge for the year	343	66	179	588
At 31 March 2017	1,484	9,093	6,089	16,666
Carrying amount				
At 31 March 2017	1,941	197	1,015	3,153
At 31 March 2016	2,284	263	1,084	3,631

6 Stocks

	2017 £	2016 £
Other inventories	41,305	45,489

7 Debtors

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	2017 £	2016 £
Trade debtors	1,600	1,380
Other debtors	<u>1,323</u>	<u>1,027</u>
Total current trade and other debtors	<u>2,923</u>	<u>2,407</u>

8 Creditors

	Note	2017 £	2016 £
Due within one year			
Trade creditors		2,280	588
Taxation and social security		-	10
Other creditors		<u>108,050</u>	<u>107,784</u>
		<u>110,330</u>	<u>108,382</u>

9 Related party transactions

Transactions with directors

		At 1 April 2016 £	Advances to directors £	At 31 March 2017 £
2017				
M J Suddaby				
Directors loan account		<u>106,087</u>	<u>(168)</u>	<u>105,919</u>
		At 1 April 2015 £	Advances to directors £	Repayments by director £
2016				At 31 March 2016 £
M J Suddaby				
Directors loan account		<u>98,413</u>	<u>(326)</u>	<u>8,000</u>
				<u>106,087</u>

Directors' remuneration

The directors' remuneration for the year was as follows:

	2017 £	2016 £
Remuneration	14,130	7,800
Contributions paid to money purchase schemes	<u>3,000</u>	<u>3,000</u>
	<u>17,130</u>	<u>10,800</u>