# EUROPEAN LIFESTYLES LIMITED FORMERLY KNOWN AS EUROPEAN WELLCARE GROUP LIMITED DIRECTORS' REPORT AND FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE PERIOD ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2007



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Chartered Accountants

### EUROPEAN LIFESTYLES LIMITED FORMERLY KNOWN AS EUROPEAN WELLCARE GROUP LIMITED COMPANY INFORMATION

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Anoup Treon

Jaynee Treon

Secretary

Pritesh Amlani

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### EUROPEAN LIFESTYLES LIMITED FORMERLY KNOWN AS EUROPEAN WELLCARE GROUP LIMITED DIRECTORS' REPORT

### FOR THE PERIOD ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2007

The directors present their report and financial statements for the period ended 31 December 2007

### Principal activities and review of the business

The principal activity of the company was that of a holding and management company and providing management services to its subsidiaries

#### Results and dividends

The results for the period are set out on page 5

An interim ordinary dividend was paid amounting to £1,320,000. The directors do not recommend payment of a final dividend.

#### **Directors**

The following directors have held office since 1 February 2007

Anoup Treon Jaynee Treon

### **Taxation status**

The company was a close company within the provisions of the Income and Corporation Taxes Act 1988 and this position has not changed since the end of the financial year

### **Auditors**

The auditors, KLSA, are deemed to be reappointed under section 487(2) of the Companies Act 2006

### EUROPEAN LIFESTYLES LIMITED FORMERLY KNOWN AS EUROPEAN WELLCARE GROUP LIMITED DIRECTORS' REPORT (CONTINUED)

### FOR THE PERIOD ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2007

#### Directors' responsibilities

The directors are responsible for preparing 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 that period. In preparing those 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 1985. 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.

### Statement of disclosure to auditors

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

By order of the board

Pritesh Amlanı

Secretary

10 October 2008

### EUROPEAN LIFESTYLES LIMITED FORMERLY KNOWN AS EUROPEAN WELLCARE GROUP LIMITED INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT

### TO THE SHAREHOLDERS OF EUROPEAN LIFESTYLES LIMITED

We have audited the financial statements of European Lifestyles Limited for the period ended 31 December 2007 set out on pages 5 to 15. These financial statements have been prepared under the accounting policies set out therein.

This report is made solely to the company's members, as a body, in accordance with Section 235 of the Companies Act 1985. 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 the directors and auditors

The directors' responsibilities for preparing the financial statements in accordance with applicable law and United Kingdom Accounting Standards (United Kingdom Generally Accepted Accounting Practice) are set out in the Statement of Directors' Responsibilities

Our responsibility is to audit the financial statements in accordance with relevant legal and regulatory requirements and International Standards on Auditing (UK and Ireland)

We report to you our opinion as to whether the financial statements give a true and fair view and are properly prepared in accordance with the Companies Act 1985. We also report to you whether in our opinion the information given in the directors' report is consistent with the financial statements.

In addition we report to you if, in our opinion, the company has not kept proper accounting records, if we have not received all the information and explanations we require for our audit, or if information specified by law regarding directors' remuneration and other transactions is not disclosed

We read the directors' report and consider the implications for our report if we become aware of any apparent misstatements within it

### Basis of audit opinion

We conducted our audit in accordance with International Standards on Auditing (UK and Ireland) issued by the Auditing Practices Board. An audit includes examination, on a test basis, of evidence relevant to the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. It also includes an assessment of the significant estimates and judgements made by the directors in the preparation of the financial statements, and of whether the accounting policies are appropriate to the company's circumstances, consistently applied and adequately disclosed.

We planned and performed our audit so as to obtain all the information and explanations which we considered necessary in order to provide us with sufficient evidence to give reasonable assurance that the financial statements are free from material misstatement, whether caused by fraud or other irregularity or error. In forming our opinion we also evaluated the overall adequacy of the presentation of information in the financial statements.

### EUROPEAN LIFESTYLES LIMITED FORMERLY KNOWN AS EUROPEAN WELLCARE GROUP LIMITED INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT (CONTINUED)

### TO THE SHAREHOLDERS OF EUROPEAN LIFESTYLES LIMITED

### Opinion

In our opinion

- the financial statements give a true and fair view, in accordance with United Kingdom Generally Accepted Accounting Practice, of the state of the company's affairs as at 31 December 2007 and of its profit for the period then ended,
- the financial statements have been properly prepared in accordance with the Companies Act 1985, and
- the information given in the directors' report is consistent with the financial statements

JUSA :

**KLSA** 

10 October 2008

**Chartered Accountants** 

**Registered Auditor** 

28-30 St John's Square London EC1M 4DN

### EUROPEAN LIFESTYLES LIMITED FORMERLY KNOWN AS EUROPEAN WELLCARE GROUP LIMITED PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT

### FOR THE PERIOD ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2007

Notes	2007 £	2007 £
2	2,057,334	1,906,319
	(2,052,991)	(1,906,310)
3	4,343	9
4	1,310,000	530,000
4	51	57
5	(69)	(66)
	1,314,325	530,000
6	-	-
13	1,314,325	530,000
	2 3 4 4 5	Notes     £       2     2,057,334       (2,052,991)

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

### EUROPEAN LIFESTYLES LIMITED FORMERLY KNOWN AS EUROPEAN WELLCARE GROUP LIMITED BALANCE SHEET

### AS AT 31 DECEMBER 2007

		200	07	200	7
	Notes	£	£	£	£
Fixed assets					
Tangible assets	8		29,896		-
Investments	9		104		104
			30,000		104
Current assets					
Debtors	10	2,301,437		555,839	
Cash at bank and in hand		2,732			
		2,304,169		555,839	
Creditors amounts falling due within					
one year	11	(2,333,945)		(550,043) ———	
Net current (liabilities)/assets			(29,776)		5,796
Total assets less current liabilities			224		5,900
Capital and reserves					
Called up share capital	12		1		1
Profit and loss account	13		223		5,899
Shareholders' funds	14		224		5,900
Approved by the Board and authorised for	or issue on	10 October 2008			
Anoup Treon	/				
Director					

### EUROPEAN LIFESTYLES LIMITED FORMERLY KNOWN AS EUROPEAN WELLCARE GROUP LIMITED CASH FLOW STATEMENT

### FOR THE PERIOD ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2007

	Notes	£	2007 £	£	2007 £
Net cash inflow/(outflow) from operating activities			56,245		(2,741)
Returns on investments and servicing of finance					
Interest received		51		57	
Interest paid		(69)		(66)	
Dividends received		1,310,000		530,000	
Net cash inflow for returns on					
investments and servicing of finance			1,309,982		529,991
Capital expenditure and financial investment Payments to acquire tangible assets Payments to acquire investments  Net cash outflow for capital		(41,237)		(1)	
expenditure			(41,237)		(1)
Equity dividends paid			(1,320,000)		(530,000)
Net cash inflow/(outflow) before management of liquid resources and financing			4,990		(2,751)
Increase/(decrease) in cash in the period	,		4,990		(2,751)

### 1 Accounting policies

### 11 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 and services net of VAT and trade discounts

### 1 4 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

Motor vehicles

25%-30% reducing balance

#### 15 Investments

Fixed asset investments are stated at cost less provision for diminution in value

### 1 6 Deferred taxation

Deferred taxation is provided at appropriate rates on all timing differences using the liability method only to the extent that, in the opinion of the directors, there is a reasonable probability that a liability or asset will crystallise in the foreseeable future

### 17 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 228 of the Companies Act 1985 as it is a subsidiary undertaking of European Lifestyles Group. Limited, a company incorporated in England and Wales, and is included in the consolidated accounts of that company.

#### 2 Turnover

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

3	Operating profit	2007 £	2007 £
	Operating profit is stated after charging Depreciation of tangible assets	11,340	-
	Fees payable to the company's auditor for the audit of the company's annual accounts	875	5,700

4	Investment income	2007 £	2007 £
	Income from shares in group undertakings Bank interest	1,310,000 51	530,000 57
		1,310,051	530,057
5	Interest payable	2007 £	2007 £
	On bank loans and overdrafts	69	66
6	Taxation Current tax charge	2007	2007
	Factors affecting the tax charge for the period Profit on ordinary activities before taxation	1,314,325	530,000
	Profit on ordinary activities before taxation multiplied by standard rate of UK corporation tax of 30 00% (2007 - 30 00%)	394,298	159,000
	Effects of Non deductible expenses Depreciation add back Dividends and distributions received Other tax adjustments	904 3,402 (393,000) (5,604)	1,791 - - (160,791)
	Current tax charge	(394,298)	(159,000)
7	Dividends	2007 £	2007 £
	Ordinary interim paid	1,320,000	530,000

8	Tangible fixed assets	
		Motor
		vehicles
		£
	Cost	
	At 1 February 2007	-
	Additions	41,236
	At 31 December 2007	41,236
	Depreciation	
	At 1 February 2007	-
	Charge for the period	11,340
	At 31 December 2007	11,340
	Net book value	
	At 31 December 2007	29,896

### 9 Fixed asset investments

	Shares in subsidiary undertakings £
Cost At 1 February 2007 & at 31 December 2007	104
Net book value At 31 December 2007	104
At 31 January 2007	104

### Holdings of more than 20%

The company holds more than 20% of the share capital of the following companies

Company	Country of registration or	Shares held	
	incorporation	Class	%
Subsidiary undertakings			
European Wellcare Lifestyles Limited	England and Wales	Ordinary	100 00
European Care (Allanbank) Limited	England & Wales	Ordinary	100 00
European Care (North) Limited	England and Wales	Ordinary	100 00
Euroepan Wellcare Homes Limited	England and Wales	Ordinary	100 00
European Lifestyles (South West) Limited	England and Wales	Ordinary	100 00

The aggregate amount of capital and reserves and the results of these undertakings for the last relevant financial year were as follows

		Capital and reserves 2007	Profit/(loss) for the year 2007
	Principal activity	£	£
European Wellcare Lifestyles Limited	Operating care homes and providing long term care to the elderly	3,556,635	259,329
European Care (Allanbank) Limited	Operating care homes and providing long term care to the elderly	1,464,704	111,372
European Care (North) Limited	Operating care homes and providing long term care to the elderly	1,113,625	(233,821)
Euroepan Wellcare Homes Limited	Operating care homes and providing long term care to the elderly	3,092,905	674,835
European Lifestyles (South West) Limited	Operating care homes and providing long term care to the elderly	(186,893)	(139,339)

Debtors	2007	2007 £
	t.	2
Amounts owed by parent and fellow subsidiary undertakings	-	67,312
Amounts owed by subsidiary undertakings	2,085,102	237,302
Other debtors	216,335	251,225
	2,301,437	555,839
Creditors: amounts falling due within one year		2007
	£	£
Bank loans and overdrafts	-	2,258
Amounts owed to parent and fellow subsidiary undertakings	1,529,542	_
Amounts owed to subsidiary undertakings	363,777	477,103
Taxes and social security costs	66,115	53,912
Other creditors		11,770
Accruals and deferred income	1,175	5,000
	2,333,946	550,043
Share capital	2007	2007
	£	£
	100	100
Too ordinary charge of 21 cush		
Allotted, called up and fully paid		
1 Ordinary Shares of £1 each	1	1
Statement of movements on profit and loss account		
·		Profit and
		loss
		account
		£
Balance at 1 February 2007		5,898
Profit for the period		1,314,325
Dividends paid		(1,320,000)
Balance at 31 December 2007		223
	Amounts owed by parent and fellow subsidiary undertakings Amounts owed by subsidiary undertakings Other debtors  Creditors: amounts falling due within one year  Bank loans and overdrafts Amounts owed to parent and fellow subsidiary undertakings Amounts owed to subsidiary undertakings Taxes and social security costs Other creditors Accruals and deferred income  Share capital  Authorised 100 Ordinary Shares of £1 each  Allotted, called up and fully paid 1 Ordinary Shares of £1 each  Statement of movements on profit and loss account  Balance at 1 February 2007 Profit for the period Dividends paid	Amounts owed by parent and fellow subsidiary undertakings  Amounts owed by subsidiary undertakings  2.085,102 Other debtors  216,335  2,301,437  Creditors: amounts falling due within one year  2007 £  Bank loans and overdrafts  Amounts owed to parent and fellow subsidiary undertakings  Amounts owed to parent and fellow subsidiary undertakings  Amounts owed to subsidiary undertakings  363,777 Taxes and social security costs  66,116 Other creditors  373,337 Accruals and deferred income  1,175  Share capital  2007 £  Authorised  100 Ordinary Shares of £1 each  1100  Allotted, called up and fully paid 1 Ordinary Shares of £1 each  1  Statement of movements on profit and loss account  Balance at 1 February 2007 Profit for the period Dividends paid

14	Reconciliation of movements in shareholders' funds	2007 £	2007 £
	Profit for the financial period	1,314,325	530,000
	Dividends	(1,320,000)	(530,000)
	Net depletion in shareholders' funds	(5,675)	-
	Opening shareholders' funds	5,900	5,900
	Closing shareholders' funds	224	5,900

### 15 Contingent liabilities

The company has given cross guarantees to the bankers of the holding company and some of its fellow subsidiaries and connected companies

16	Directors' emoluments	2007 £	2007 £
	Emoluments for qualifying services	220,917	131,000
	Emoluments disclosed above include the following amounts paid to the highest paid director		
	Emoluments for qualifying services	190,667	98,000

### 17 Employees

### **Number of employees**

The average monthly number of employees (including directors) during the period was

period was	2007 Number	2007 Number
	88	62
Employment costs	2007	2007
	£	£
Wages and salaries	1,831,523	1,711,725
Social security costs	195,513	174,008
	2,027,036	1,885,733

### 18 Control

In the opinion of the directors, the ultimate controlling company is Esquire Consolidated Limited, a company incorporated in the British Virgin Islands

The parent undertaking of European Lifestyles Limited is European Lifestyles Group Limited, a company incorporated in England and Wales

European Lifestyles Group Limited prepares group financial statements and copies can be obtained from 28 Welbeck Street, London, W1G 8EW

### 19 Related party transactions

The company had financial transactions with the following company and the balance due from/(payable) to them at the year end was as follows

	Dec 2007	Jan 2007
European Care and Lifestyles (UK) Limited	£183,257	£141,289
Esquire Realty (Trelana) Limited	£10,000	£10,000
European Lifestyles (A) Limited	£20,248	£nıl
European Lifestyles (B) Limited	(£9,627)	£nıl
European Care (UK) Limited	(£15,405)	£nıl
New Horizon Centre Limited	(£210,000)	£nıl
European Lifestyles (C) Limited	(£21,535)	£nıl
European Care (Pirton) Limited	(£105,000)	£nıl

The above company is related by virtue of common directors and common ultimate parent company

The company has taken advantage of the exemption in Financial Reporting Standard Number 8 from the requirement to disclose transactions with group companies on the grounds that consolidated financial statements are prepared by the parent company