
BE LIVING DEVELOPMENTS (HANDSWORTH) LIMITED
(Formally Willmott Dixon Developments (Handsworth) Limited)

REPORT AND ACCOUNTS

YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2019

Registered Number: 05151206

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BE LIVING DEVELOPMENTS (HANDSWORTH) LIMITED
Company Information

Directors

Graham Dundas, FCMA
Wendy McWilliams LLB, ACIS
Rick Willmott FCIOB

Secretary

Wendy McWilliams LLB, ACIS

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Auditor

BDO LLP
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The Directors present their annual report and audited financial statements for the year ended 31 December 2019.

The Company changed its name from Willmott Dixon Developments (Handsworth) Limited to Be Living Developments (Handsworth) Limited with effect from 3 June 2019.

Results

The profit for the year before taxation was £58,266 (2018: £nil).

Dividends in respect of the year

The Directors do not recommend the payment of a dividend for the year (2018: £nil).

Future development of the business

The directors do not expect any change in the activities of the Company in the foreseeable future.

Risks and uncertainties

The principal risks and uncertainties affecting the company are the continued uncertainties of the property market.

Directors and their interests

The current Directors are listed on page 1. There have been no changes in Directors since 1 January 2019

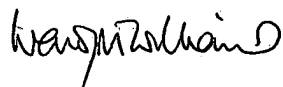
Disclosure of information to the auditor

So far as each of the Directors is aware, there is no relevant audit information (as defined by Section 418 of the Companies Act 2006) of which the Company's auditor is unaware, and they have taken all the steps that they ought to have taken as a Director in order to make themselves aware of any relevant audit information and to establish that the Company's auditor is aware of that information.

In preparing this report the Directors have taken advantage of the small company exemptions in part 15 of the Companies Act 2006.

The Directors have taken advantage of the small company exemption from providing a Strategic Report under section 414B of the Companies Act 2006.

By Order of the Board



Wendy McWilliams
Secretary

5 May 2020

BE LIVING DEVELOPMENTS (HANDSWORTH) LIMITED

Statement of Directors' Responsibilities

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 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 year.

In preparing these financial statements the Directors are required to:

- select suitable accounting policies and then apply them consistently;
- make judgments and accounting 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, to disclose with reasonable accuracy at any time the financial position of the Company and to 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.

BE LIVING DEVELOPMENTS (HANDSWORTH) LIMITED
Independent Auditor's Report to the Members of Be Living Developments (Handsworth)
Limited

Opinion

We have audited the financial statements of Be Living Developments (Handsworth) Limited ('the company') for the year ended 31 December 2019 which comprise statement of profit or loss and other comprehensive income and retained earnings, the balance sheet and notes to the accounts, including a summary of significant accounting policies. The financial reporting framework that has been applied in their preparation is applicable law and United Kingdom Accounting Standards, including Financial Reporting Standard 102 *The Financial Reporting Standard applicable in the UK and Republic of Ireland* (United Kingdom Generally Accepted Accounting Practice).

In our opinion, the financial statements:

- give a true and fair view of the state of the company's affairs as at 31 December 2019 and of its profit for the year then ended;
- have been properly prepared in accordance with United Kingdom Generally Accepted Accounting Practice;
- have been prepared in accordance with the requirements of the Companies Act 2006.

Basis for opinion

We conducted our audit in accordance with International Standards on Auditing (UK) (ISAs (UK)) and applicable law. Our responsibilities under those standards are further described in the Auditor's responsibilities for the audit of the financial statements section of our report. We are independent of the Company in accordance with the ethical requirements that are relevant to our audit of the financial statements in the UK, including the FRC's Ethical Standard, and we have fulfilled our other ethical responsibilities in accordance with these requirements. We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion.

Conclusions relating to going concern

We have nothing to report in respect of the following matters in relation to which the ISAs (UK) require us to report to you where:

- the Directors' use of the going concern basis of accounting in the preparation of the financial statements is not appropriate; or
- the Directors have not disclosed in the financial statements any identified material uncertainties that may cast significant doubt about the Company's ability to continue to adopt the going concern basis of accounting for a period of at least twelve months from the date when the financial statements are authorised for issue.

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Other information

The Directors are responsible for the other information. The other information comprises the information included in the annual report, other than the financial statements and our auditor's report thereon. Our opinion on the financial statements does not cover the other information and, except to the extent otherwise explicitly stated in our report, we do not express any form of assurance conclusion thereon.

In connection with our audit of the financial statements, our responsibility is to read the other information and, in doing so, consider whether the other information is materially inconsistent with the financial statements or our knowledge obtained in the audit or otherwise appears to be materially misstated. If we identify such material inconsistencies or apparent material misstatements, we are required to determine whether there is a material misstatement in the financial statements or a material misstatement of the other information. If, based on the work we have performed, we conclude that there is a material misstatement of this other information, we are required to report that fact.

We have nothing to report in this regard.

Opinions on other matters prescribed by the Companies Act 2006

In our opinion, based on the work undertaken in the course of the audit:

- the information given in the Directors' report for the financial year for which the financial statements are prepared is consistent with the financial statements; and
- the Directors' report has been prepared in accordance with applicable legal requirements.

Matters on which we are required to report by exception

In the light of the knowledge and understanding of the Company and its environment obtained in the course of the audit, we have not identified material misstatements in the Director's report.

We have nothing to report in respect of the following matters in relation to which 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; or
- the Directors were not entitled to prepare the financial statements in accordance with the small companies regime and take advantage of the small companies' exemptions in preparing the Directors' report and from the requirement to prepare a Strategic report.

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Responsibilities of Directors

As explained more fully in the Statement of Directors' Responsibilities, the Directors are responsible for the preparation of the financial statements and for being satisfied that they give a true and fair view, and for such internal control as the Directors determine is necessary to enable the preparation of financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

In preparing the financial statements, the Directors are responsible for assessing the Company's ability to continue as a going concern, disclosing, as applicable, matters related to going concern and using the going concern basis of accounting unless the Directors either intend to liquidate the Company or to cease operations, or have no realistic alternative but to do so.

Auditor's responsibilities for the audit of the financial statements

Our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements as a whole are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error, and to issue an auditor's report that includes our opinion. Reasonable assurance is a high level of assurance, but is not a guarantee that an audit conducted in accordance with ISAs (UK) will always detect a material misstatement when it exists.

Misstatements can arise from fraud or error and are considered material if, individually or in the aggregate, they could reasonably be expected to influence the economic decisions of users taken on the basis of these financial statements.

A further description of our responsibilities for the audit of the financial statements is located at the Financial Reporting Council's website at:

<https://www.frc.org.uk/auditorsresponsibilities>. This description forms part of our auditor's report.

Use of our report

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.

BDO LLP

Charles Ellis (Senior Statutory Auditor)
For and on behalf of BDO LLP, statutory auditor

London, United Kingdom
5 May 2020

BDO LLP is a limited liability partnership registered in England and Wales (with registered number OC305127).

BE LIVING DEVELOPMENTS (HANDSWORTH) LIMITED
Registered Number: 05151206
Statement of Profit and Loss and Other Comprehensive Income and Retained Earnings

Year ended 31 December 2019

		2019	2018
	Notes	£	£
Turnover	1	181,875	-
Cost of sales		(123,609)	-
Profit on ordinary activities before taxation		58,266	-
Tax charge on profit on ordinary activities	2	(11,071)	-
Profit and total comprehensive income for the financial year		47,195	-
Total movement in capital and reserves		47,195	-
Profit and loss account at 1 January		(21,020)	(21,020)
Profit and loss account at 31 December		26,175	(21,020)

The above figures relate exclusively to continuing operations.

The notes on pages 9 to 11 form part of these financial statements.

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Balance Sheet

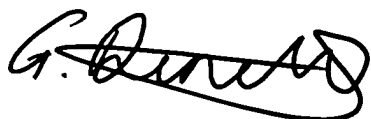
As at 31 December 2019

		2019	2018
	Notes	£	£
Current assets			
Stocks	3	-	120,994
Debtors	4	26,176	-
		26,176	120,994
Creditors: amounts falling due within one year	5	-	(142,013)
Net current assets/(liabilities)		26,176	(21,019)
Capital and reserves			
Called up share capital	6	1	1
Profit and loss account		26,175	(21,020)
		26,176	(21,019)

The notes on pages 9 to 11 form part of these financial statements.

The financial statements have been prepared in accordance with the provisions applicable to companies subject to the small companies regime of the Companies Act 2006.

These financial statements were approved and authorised for issue by the Board of Directors on 5 May 2020 and were signed on its behalf by:



Graham Dundas
Director

1 Accounting policies

a) Accounting convention

The accounts are prepared under the historical cost convention, or fair value where required, and in accordance with the Financial Reporting Standard applicable in the UK and Republic of Ireland (FRS 102) and Companies Act 2006.

On the basis of continued group support the accounts have been prepared on a going concern basis.

b) Going concern

The Company's business activities, together with the factors likely to affect its future development, performance and position are set out in the Director's Report.

As at 31 December 2019, the Company had net assets of £26,176, access to substantial cash balances via Group pooling arrangements and no debt. The Directors regularly review the working capital requirements of the Company while overlaying sensitivities.

The Directors recognise the economic and trading uncertainties resulting from the evolving coronavirus pandemic. Accordingly, the Directors have considered a range of potential scenarios of escalating impact and duration. The Company is forecast to continue to meet its obligations and remain cash positive by utilising cash reserves, through access to Group committed funds and by continuing temporary cost reduction programmes.

Whilst these conditions might cast doubt upon the Company's ability to continue as a Going Concern, after making enquiries and considering the factors and sensitivities outlined above for a range of scenarios, the Directors have a reasonable expectation that the Company has adequate resources to continue in operational existence for the foreseeable future. Thus, they continue to adopt the going concern basis of accounting in preparing the annual financial statements.

c) Disclosure exemptions

In preparing these financial statements, advantage has been taken of the following disclosure exemptions available in FRS 102 Section 1A Small Entities and the Companies Act 2006:

- No cash flow statement has been presented;
- Certain disclosures in respect of the company's financial instruments have not been presented as these are included in the disclosures made in respect of the group;
- No disclosure has been given in respect of the company's aggregate remuneration of key management personnel as these are included in the disclosures made in respect of the group;
- No disclosure of related party transactions entered into between two or more wholly owned members of a group has been given.

d) Stocks

Stocks are valued at the lower of cost and estimated selling price less costs to complete and costs to sell. In respect of land and developments in progress, cost includes direct interest and production overheads and is stated after deduction of amounts received and applications for payments receivable.

e) Creditors and financial instruments

Financial liabilities and equity are classified according to the substance of the financial instrument's contractual obligations.

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Notes to the Accounts

2 Taxation

	2019	2018
	£	£

a) Analysis of charge:

Corporation tax charged

11,071	-
11,071	-

b) Factors affecting tax charge for year

The tax assessed for the year is higher than the standard rate of corporation tax in the UK (19%). The differences are explained below:

Profit on ordinary activities before tax	58,266	-
Profit on ordinary activities multiplied by standard rate of corporation tax in the UK 19.00% (2018: 19.00%)	11,071	-
Tax on profit on ordinary activities	11,071	-

3 Stocks

	2019	2018
	£	£
Land and developments in progress	-	120,994

4 Debtors

	2019	2018
	£	£
Amounts due from group companies	26,176	-

5 Creditors: amounts falling due within one year

	2019	2018
	£	£
Trade creditors	-	3,234
Amounts due to group companies	-	138,779
	-	142,013

Amounts due to group companies are unsecured, have no fixed date of repayment and are repayable on demand.

6 Called up share capital

	2019	2018
Company	£	£
Ordinary shares of £1 each		
Allotted, called up and fully paid	1	1

7 Reserves

The called up share capital comprises 1 allotted, called up and fully paid ordinary shares of £1 each.

8 Company guarantees

The Company has, with other material Group companies entered into a cross-guarantee in favour of Lloyds Bank plc and HSBC bank plc to guarantee any Group indebtedness to the banks and granted a fixed and floating charge to Lloyds Bank plc security trustee to secure such liabilities. The guarantee includes amounts drawn under a £25,000,000 revolving credit facility which is available until 28 June 2021, to another fellow group undertaking. There were no amounts drawn at 31 December 2019.

9 Ultimate parent company

The Company's immediate parent company is Be Living Developments Limited.

Be Living Developments is a wholly owned subsidiary of Be Living Holdings Limited.

Be Living Holdings Limited is jointly owned by Walsworth Limited and Hardwicke Investments Limited.

The Company's ultimate parent and controlling party is Hardwicke Investments Limited, this is the largest group for which consolidated financial statements are prepared. The consolidated financial statements of Hardwicke Investments Limited can be found at Companies House.

The Company is registered in England, the registered office being Spirella 2, Icknield Way, Letchworth Garden City, Hertfordshire, SG6 4GY. The Company is a private company limited by shares.