FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

31ST DECEMBER 2008

**COMPANY REGISTRATION NUMBER 5845839** 

## **GRANT THORNTON**

Chartered Accountants & Registered Auditors 30 Finsbury Square EC2P 2YU

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### OFFICERS AND PROFESSIONAL ADVISERS

The board of directors

Derek Quinlan Thomas Dowd Peter Donnelly Olan Cremin

Peter Vanderslice

Company secretary

Olan Cremin

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Bankers

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#### THE DIRECTORS' REPORT

#### YEAR ENDED 31ST DECEMBER 2008

The directors present their report and the financial statements of the company for the year ended 31st December 2008.

#### PRINCIPAL ACTIVITIES

The principal activity of the company during the year was the provision of investment management services.

#### **FUTURE DEVELOPMENTS**

The company plans to continue as before and increase profitability.

#### THE DIRECTORS AND THEIR INTERESTS IN THE SHARES OF THE COMPANY

The directors who served the company during the year together with their beneficial interests in the shares of the company were as follows:

	At	At
Class of share	31 December 2008	1 January 2008
Ordinary shares of £0.01 each	30,000,000	30,000,000
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#### DIRECTORS' RESPONSIBILITIES

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 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;

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.

## THE DIRECTORS' REPORT (continued)

#### YEAR ENDED 31ST DECEMBER 2008

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.

#### DONATIONS

During the year, the company made charitable donations totalling £10,459.

#### AUDITOR

Grant Thornton are deemed to be re-appointed under section 487(2) of the Companies Act 2006.

Registered office: 11 Upper Brook Street London W1K 6PB

Signed by order of the directors

Olan Cremin Company Secretary

Approved by the directors on 7/4/09

#### INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT TO THE SHAREHOLDERS OF QUINLAN PRIVATE CAPITAL UK LIMITED FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31ST DECEMBER 2008

We have audited the financial statements of Quinlan Private Capital UK Limited for the year ended 31st December 2008 which comprise the Profit and Loss Account, Balance Sheet, Cash Flow Statement and the related notes. These financial statements have been prepared on the basis of the accounting policies set out therein.

This report is made solely to the company's shareholders, 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 shareholders 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 shareholders as a body, for our audit work, for this report, or for the opinions we have formed.

#### RESPECTIVE RESPONSIBILITIES OF DIRECTORS AND AUDITOR

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 misstatement 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.

INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT TO THE SHAREHOLDERS OF QUINLAN PRIVATE CAPITAL UK LIMITED FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31ST DECEMBER 2008 (continued)

#### **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 31st December 2008 and of its profit for the year 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.

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Grant Thornton UK LLP REGISTERED AUDITORS

CHARTERED ACCOUNTANTS

LONDON

9 April 2009

### PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT

#### YEAR ENDED 31ST DECEMBER 2008

		2008	2007
	Note	£	£
TURNOVER		4,394,884	1,500,000
Administrative expenses		(4,123,434)	(2,905,732)
OPERATING PROFIT/(LOSS)	2	271,450	(1,405,732)
Interest receivable		48,220	12,578
PROFIT/(LOSS) ON ORDINARY ACTIVITIES BE	TORE		
TAXATION	ų OMD	319,670	(1,393,154)
Tax on profit/(loss) on ordinary activities	4	(7,180)	-
PROFIT/(LOSS) FOR THE FINANCIAL YEAR		312,490	(1,393,154)
Balance brought forward		(1,393,154)	_
Balance carried forward		(1,080,664)	(1,393,154)

All of the activities of the company are classed as continuing.

The company has no recognised gains or losses other than the results for the year as set out above.

The notes on pages 9 to 15 form part of these financial statements.

### **BALANCE SHEET**

### 31ST DECEMBER 2008

		2008		2007	
	Note	£	£	£	£
FIXED ASSETS					
Tangible assets	5		5,108		5,726
CURRENT ASSETS					
Debtors	6	149,130		_	
Cash at bank		1,078,795		1,316,710	
		1 227 025			
CREDITORS: Amounts falling due		1,227,925		1,316,710	
within one year	7	313,697		715,590	
•	-	313,071			
NET CURRENT ASSETS			914,228		601,120
TOTAL ASSETS LESS CURRENT L	IABILITE	es	919,336		606,846
CREDITORS: Amounts falling due					
after more than one year	8		500,000		500,000
			419,336		106 846
			************		100,040
CAPITAL AND RESERVES					
	11		1.500,000		1,500,000
Profit and loss account	_		(1,080,664)		
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SIMILERO LUMO	14		419,336		106,846
Called-up equity share capital	11 12		1,500,000		1,500,000 (1,393,154) 106,846

These financial statements were approved by the directors and authorised for issue on ....., and are signed on their behalf by:

Olan Cremin

#### CASH FLOW STATEMENT

### YEAR ENDED 31ST DECEMBER 2008

	Note	2008 £	£	2007 £	£
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NET CASH OUTFLOW FROM					
OPERATING ACTIVITIES	13		(283, 107)		(804,119)
RETURNS ON INVESTMENTS AND					
SERVICING OF FINANCE	12				
SERVICING OF FINANCE	13		48,220		12,578
CAPITAL EXPENDITURE AND					
FINANCIAL INVESTMENT	13		(1,898)		(5,726)
			(-147 -)		(3,720)
CASH OUTFLOW BEFORE FINANCI	NG		(236,785)		(797,267)
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FINANCING	13		(1,130)		2,113,977
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(DECREASE) INCREASE IN CASH	13		(237,915)	_	1,316,710
				-	

The notes on page 8 form part of these financial statements.

#### NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

#### YEAR ENDED 31ST DECEMBER 2008

## 1. ACCOUNTING POLICIES

#### Basis of accounting

The financial statements have been prepared under the historical cost convention, and in accordance with applicable UK accounting standards.

#### Turnover

The turnover shown in the profit and loss account represents amounts invoiced during the year, exclusive of Value Added Tax.

#### Fixed assets

All fixed assets are initially recorded at cost.

#### Depreciation

Depreciation is calculated so as to write off the cost of an asset, less its estimated residual value, over the useful economic life of that asset as follows:

Computer software

- 3 years

#### Foreign currencies

The financial statements are stated in sterling. Assets and liabilities in foreign currencies are translated at the exchange rates ruling at the balance sheet date. Revenue costs are translated at the exchange rate ruling at the date of the transaction. All differences are taken to the profit and loss account.

#### 2. OPERATING PROFIT/(LOSS)

Operating profit/(loss) is stated after charging/(crediting):

	2008 £	2007 £
Depreciation of owned fixed assets	2,516	-
Auditor's fees	17,500	12,000
Net profit on foreign currency translation	(53)	· <u>-</u>
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## NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

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	The average number of staff employed by the company du	- •	
		2008 No	2007 No
	Fund management Administration/compliance	12 <u>3</u>	12 4
		15	16
	The aggregate payroll costs of the above were:		
		2008 £	2007 £
	Wages and salaries	2,520,040	1,368,281
	Social security costs	298,072	109,866
	Other pension costs Ex gratia payments	171,101 51,765	42,795 28,075
	on grade paymond		
		3,040,978	1,549,017
4.	TAXATION ON ORDINARY ACTIVITIES		
	(a) Analysis of charge in the year		
		2008	2007
		£	£
	Current tax:		
	UK Corporation tax based on the results for the year at 20.30% (2007 - 28%)	7,180	
	Total current tax	7,180	-
	(b) Factors affecting current tax charge		
	The tax assessed on the profit/(loss) on ordinary activitie corporation tax in the UK of 20.80% (2007 - 28%).	s for the year is lower tha	in the standard rate of
		2008	2007
		£	£
	Profit/(loss) on ordinary activities before taxation	319,670	(1,393,154)
	Profit/(loss) on ordinary activities by rate of tax	66,491	(246,019)
	Depreciation in excess of capital allowances Other expenditure which is disallowable	2 6,613	(435) 41,012
	Unutilised trading losses	(65,500)	205,442
	Provision for prior year pension contribution	(426)	- V - T - T
	Total current tax (note 4(a))	7,180	<del></del>

## NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

5.	TANGIBLE FIXED ASSETS		
			Computer Software
	COST		
	At 1st January 2008 Additions		5,726 1,898
	At 31st December 2008		7,624
	DEPRECIATION Charge for the year		2,516
	At 31st December 2008		2,516
	NET BOOK VALUE At 31st December 2008		5,108
	At 31st December 2007		5,726
6.	DEPTORS		
		2008	2007
		£	£
	Trade debtors	38,337	-
	VAT recoverable Prepayments and accrued income	27,42 <i>5</i> 83,368	-
		149,130	
		149,130	
7.	CREDITORS: Amounts falling due within one year		
		2008	2007
		£	£
	Trade creditors	117,704	67,350
	Amounts owed to group undertakings Other creditors including taxation and social security:	112,847	113,977
	Corporation tax PAYE and social security	7,180	222.210
	VAT	33,473	222,218 117,034
	Other creditors	285	15,552
	Accruals and deferred income	42,208	179,459
		313,697	715,590

## NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

#### YEAR ENDED 31ST DECEMBER 2008

8.	CREDITORS: Amounts falling due after more than one year				
		2008 £	2007 £		
	Subordinated loan	500,000	500,000		

#### 9. TRANSACTIONS WITH THE DIRECTORS

The directors and their interest in the share capital of the company were as follows:

	Ordinary Shares of £0.01 each as at 31/12/08
Derek Quinlan	30,000,000
Peter Donnelly	30,000,000
Olan Cremin	30,000,000
Peter Vanderslice	30,000,000
Thomas Dowd	30,000,000

During the period rights to subscribe to the shares in or debentures of the company have not been granted to, or exercised by, any director or a member of his immediate family.

#### 10. RELATED PARTY TRANSACTIONS

Quinlan Private Capital UK Limited has a credit balance to the value of £112,847 (2007: £113,977) with related party Quinlan Partnership. Quinlan Private Capital UK Limited is related to Quinlan Partnership by virtue of common directors.

Quinlan Private Capital UK Limited have a long term loan to the value of £500,000 with related party Quinlan Partnership.

## NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

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11.	SHARE CAPITAL				
	Authorised share capital:				
			2008		2007
			£		£
	36,000,000 A Ordinary shares		360,000		360,000
	36,000,000 B Ordinary shares		360,000		- 360,000
	36,000,000 C Ordinary shares		360,000		360,000
	36,000,000 D Ordinary shares		360,000		360,000
	36,000,000 E Ordinary shares		360,000		360,000
			1,800,000		1,800,000
	Allotted and called up:				
		2008		2007	
		No	£	No	£
	A Ordinary shares	30,000,000	300,000	30,000,000	300,000
	B Ordinary shares	30,000,000	300,000	30,000,000	300,000
	C Ordinary shares	30,000,000	300,000	30,000,000	300,000
	D Ordinary shares	30,000,000	300,000	30,000,000	300,000
	E Ordinary shares	30,000,000	300,000	30,000,000	300,000
		150,000,000	1,500,000	150,000,000	1,500,000
12.	RECONCILIATION OF MOVEMENT	'S IN SHAREHOLI	DERS' FUNI 2008 £	OS	2007 £
	Profit/(Loss) for the financial year		312,490		(1,393,154)
	New ordinary share capital subscribed		· -		1,500,000
	Net addition to shareholders' funds		312,490		106,846
	Opening shareholders' funds		106,846		100,040
					106.046
	Closing shareholders' funds		419,336		106,846
13.	NOTES TO THE STATEMENT OF CA	ASH FLOWS			
	RECONCILIATION OF OPERATING FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES	PROFIT/(LOSS) 1	O NET CAS	SH OUTFLOW	
			2008		2007
			£		£
	Operating profit/(loss)		271,450		(1,405,732)
	Depreciation		2,516		-
	Increase in debtors		(149, 130)		_
	(Decrease)/increase in creditors		(407,943)		601,613
	Net cash outflow from operating activities		(283,107)		(804,119)
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## NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

13.	NOTES TO THE STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS (continued)						
	RETURNS ON INVESTMENTS AND SERVICING OF FINANCE						
			2008 £		2007 £		
	Interest received		48,220		12,578		
	Net cash inflow from returns on investments a of finance	and servicing	48,220		12,578		
	CAPITAL EXPENDITURE						
			2008 £		2007 £		
	Payments to acquire tangible fixed assets		(1,898)		(5,726)		
	Net cash outflow from capital expenditure		(1,898)		(5,726)		
	FINANCING						
			2008 £		2007 £		
	Issue of equity share capital Repayment of amounts owed to group underta Net inflow from other long-term creditors	akings	(1,130)		1,500,000 113,977 500,000		
	Net cash (outflow)/inflow from financing		(1,130)		2,113,977		
	RECONCILIATION OF NET CASH FLOW TO MOVEMENT IN NET FUNDS						
		2008 £	£	2007 £	£		
	(Decrease)/increase in cash in the period	(237,915)		1,316,710			
	Net cash outflow from/(inflow) from amounts owed to group undertakings Net cash (inflow) from other long-term	1,130		(113,977)			
	creditors			(500,000)			
			(236,785)		702,733		
	Change in net funds		(236,785)		702,733		
	Net funds at 1 January 2008		702,733				
	Net funds at 31 December 2008		465,948		702,733		

# NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

13.	NOTES TO THE STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS (continued)						
	ANALYSIS OF CHANGES IN NET FUNDS	•					
		At 1 Jan 2008 £	Cash flows	At 31 Dec 2008 £			
	Net cash: Cash in hand and at bank	1,316,710	(237,915)	1,078,795			
	Debt due within 1 year Debt due after 1 year	(113,977) (500,000)	1,130	(112,847) (500,000)			
		(613,977)	1,130	(612,847)			
	Net funds	702,733	(236,785)	465,948			

### MANAGEMENT INFORMATION

YEAR ENDED 31ST DECEMBER 2008

The following pages do not form part of the statutory financial statements which are the subject of the independent auditor's report on pages 4 to 5.

## DETAILED PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT

	2008 £	2007 £
TURNOVER	4,394,884	1,500,000
OVERHEADS Administrative expenses	(4,123,434)	(2,905,732)
OPERATING PROFIT/(LOSS)	271,450	(1,405,732)
Bank interest receivable	48,220	12,578
PROFIT/(LOSS) ON ORDINARY ACTIVITIES	319,670	(1,393,154)

## NOTES TO THE DETAILED PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT

	200	-	2007	
ADMINISTRATIVE EXPENSES	£	£	£	£
_				
Personnel costs				
Wages and salaries	2,520,040		1,368,281	
Staff national insurance contributions	298,072		109,866	
Staff pension contributions	171,101		42,795	
Ex gratia payments	51,765		28,075	
Establishment expenses		3,040,978		1,549,017
Rent, rates and water	400 001		100 616	
Insurance	490,991		198,636	
IT expenses	18,147		5,174	
-	5,145		10,635	•
Office running costs	67,300		8,467	
Consul		581,583		222,912
General expenses Motor expenses	1.680			
Travel and subsistence	1,658		2,491	
	77,336		90,192	
Telephone	38,840		36,566	
Courier	12,532		3,341	
Printing, postage and stationery	26,479		7,646	
Staff training	2,792		2,585	
Health insurance	24,885		5,020	
Staff recruitment	282		437,281	
Temp staff	3,545		605	
Sundry expenses	22,351		2,566	
Donations	10,459		35,697	
Staff expenses	26,011		27,322	
Accommodation	16,615		49,886	
Subscriptions	6,496		274	
Marketing	102,533		64,455	
Entertainment	4,212		2,546	
Client entertainment	19,521		109,305	
Aborted projects	-		3,117	
Legal and professional fees	60,635		238,673	
Consultancy	14,945			
Compliance	7,330		_	
Auditor's remuneration	17,500		12,000	
Depreciation	2,516			
		499,473		1,131,568
Financial costs		1221712		1,101,100
Bank charges	1,453		2,235	
Foreign currency gains/losses	(53)		_	
	-	1,400		2,235
		4,123,434		2,905,732
TAPPEDDOT DECEMANT E		7,140,707		4,703,132
INTEREST RECEIVABLE Bank interest receivable		48,220		12 570
		70,220		12,578