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# **O2 Pine Limited**

# Annual Report and Financial Statements Year ended 31 December 2019



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# **Company information**

### **Directors and Advisers**

Mark Evans Mark Hardman Edward Smith

### Secretary

**O2 Secretaries Limited** 

### **Registered office**

260 Bath Road Slough Berkshire SL1 4DX United Kingdom

### **Independent Auditors**

PricewaterhouseCoopers LLP
Chartered Accountants and Statutory Auditors
The Atrium, 1 Harefield Road
Uxbridge UB8 1EX
Middlesex, United Kingdom

# Directors' Report for the year ended 31 December 2019

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

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### Legal form and principal activities

O2 Pine Limited ("the Company") is a private limited company registered in the United Kingdom under the number 06281240. The registered address is 260 Bath Road, Slough, Berkshire SL1 4DX. It is a wholly owned subsidiary within the Telefónica Group ("the Group"). The ultimate holding company is Telefónica S.A., a company incorporated and primarily listed in Spain. The Company had no operating activity during the year but had financial expenses related to bank charges.

### **Directors and Secretary**

The Directors who held office during the year and at the time of signing of this report were as follows:

Mark Evans Mark Hardman

Robert Harwood Edward Smith

(Resigned 27 March 2020) (Appointed 27 March 2020)

The Secretary who held office during the year were O2 Secretaries Limited.

#### **Political donations**

The Company made no political donation during the year ended 31 December 2019 (2018: £nil).

#### Future development of the company

The Directors believe that there will be no material change in the operating performance of the Company in 2020.

### Dividend

The Company did not pay any dividend during the year and the directors do not recommend the payment of dividend for the financial year ended 31 December 2019 (2018: £nil).

### Directors' liability insurance and indemnities

Telefónica S.A., the Company's ultimate parent company, maintains Directors' and Officers' Liability Insurance in respect of legal action that might be brought against Directors of companies within the Telefónica Group and the Directors of the Company are covered by this Insurance. This indemnity was in force during the financial year and at the date of approval of the financial statements.

### Financial risks

The Company faces a number of financial risks. Refer to the notes to the financial statements for the details of the risk and how this is managed in the business.

### Risk and uncertainties

Since the start of 2020 there has been a developing outbreak of the COVID-19 (coronavirus). To date, we have not seen a material impact on our operations. As a result of COVID-19, we have seen macroeconomic uncertainty. We are carefully managing the coronavirus situation and already have processes in place to monitor the impact on our business.

# Directors' Report for the year ended 31 December 2019 (continued)

### Going concern

The Company has received a letter of parental support from Telefónica S.A., the ultimate parent company, which conforms that they will continue to provide financial support to the Company for a period of twelve months from the date of signing of the Auditors' Report in the financial statements. Accordingly the Directors have a reasonable expectation that the Company has adequate resources to continue in operational existence for the foreseeable future, and thus they continue to adopt the going concern basis of accounting in preparing the annual financial statements.

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Management have performed a detailed assessment of the ability for the business to continue as a going concern including factoring in the potential impact of the pandemic on the Company and on the basis of that assessment, have a reasonable expectation that the Company has adequate resources to continue in operational existence for the foreseeable future.

### Statement as to disclosure to Auditors

So far as each Director is aware, there is no relevant audit information of which the Company's auditors are unaware. The Directors have taken all the steps that they ought to have taken as Directors in order to make themselves aware of any relevant audit information and to establish that the Company's auditors are aware of that information.

### Small companies' exemption

In preparing the Directors Report for the year ended 31 December 2019, the Company has taken advantage of the small companies' exemption under section 415 (A) of the Companies Act 2006 for reduced disclosures. The Directors have also taken advantage of the exemption under section 414 (B) not to prepare a Strategic Report.

### **Independent Auditors**

During the year, PricewaterhouseCoopers LLP were appointed as auditors in accordance with section 485 of the Companies Act 2006. Pursuant to section 487 of the Companies Act 2006, the auditors will be deemed to be reappointed and PricewaterhouseCoopers LLP will therefore continue in office.

The Directors' Report was approved by the Board on 24 July 2020.

By Order of the Board

Vivienne Aziba

For and on behalf of O2 Secretaries Limited

**Company Secretary** 

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### Statement of Directors' Responsibilities

The Directors are responsible for preparing the Annual Report and the financial statements in accordance with applicable law and regulation.

Company law requires the Directors to prepare financial statements for each financial year. Under that law the Directors have prepared the financial statements in accordance with International Financial Reporting Standards (IFRSs) as adopted by the European Union. 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 period. In preparing the financial statements, the Directors are required to:

- select suitable accounting policies and then apply them consistently;
- state whether applicable IFRSs as adopted by the European Union have been followed, subject to any material departures disclosed and explained in the financial statements;
- · make judgements and accounting estimates that are reasonable and prudent; 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 and 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.

The directors 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 Statement of Directors' responsibilities was approved by the Board on 24 July 2020.

By Order of the Board

Vivienne Aziba

For and on behalf of O2 Secretaries Limited

**Company Secretary** 

### Independent Auditors' Report to the members of O2 Pine Limited

### Report on the audit of the financial statements

### **Opinion**

In our opinion, O2 Pine Limited's financial statements:

- give a true and fair view of the state of the company's affairs as at 31 December 2019 and of its loss and cash flows for the year then ended;
- have been properly prepared in accordance with International Financial Reporting Standards (IFRSs) as adopted by the European Union; and
- have been prepared in accordance with the requirements of the Companies Act 2006.

We have audited the financial statements, included within the Annual Report and Financial Statements (the "Annual Report"), which comprise: the Statement of financial position as at 31 December 2019; the Statement of comprehensive income, the Statement of cash flows and the Statement of changes in equity for the year then ended; and the notes to the financial statements, which include a description of the significant accounting policies.

### **Basis for opinion**

We conducted our audit in accordance with International Standards on Auditing (UK) ("ISAs (UK)") and applicable law. Our responsibilities under ISAs (UK) are further described in the Auditors' responsibilities for the audit of the financial statements section of our report. We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion.

Independence

We remained independent of the company in accordance with the ethical requirements that are relevant to our audit of the financial statements in the UK, which includes the FRC's Ethical Standard, and we have fulfilled our other ethical responsibilities in accordance with these requirements.

### Conclusions relating to going concern

We have nothing to report in respect of the following matters in relation to which 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.

However, because not all future events or conditions can be predicted, this statement is not a guarantee as to the company's ability to continue as a going concern.

### Reporting on other information

The other information comprises all of the information in the Annual Report other than the financial statements and our auditors' report thereon. The directors are responsible for the other information. Our opinion on the financial statements does not cover the other information and, accordingly, we do not express an audit opinion or, except to the extent otherwise explicitly stated in this report, any form of assurance 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 an apparent material inconsistency or material misstatement, we are required to perform procedures to conclude whether there is a material misstatement of 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 based on these responsibilities.

With respect to the Directors' report, we also considered whether the disclosures required by the UK Companies Act 2006 have been included.

Based on the responsibilities described above and our work undertaken in the course of the audit, ISAs (UK) require us also to report certain opinions and matters as described below.

### Directors' Report

In our opinion, based on the work undertaken in the course of the audit, the information given in the Directors' report for the year ended 31 December 2019 is consistent with the financial statements and has been prepared in accordance with applicable legal requirements.

### Independent Auditors' Report to the members of O2 Pine Limited

In light of the knowledge and understanding of the company and its environment obtained in the course of the audit, we did not identify any material misstatements in the Directors' report.

### Responsibilities for the financial statements and the audit

Responsibilities of the directors for the financial statements

As explained more fully in the Statement of Directors' responsibilities set out on page 6, the directors are responsible for the preparation of the financial statements in accordance with the applicable framework and for being satisfied that they give a true and fair view. The directors are also responsible for such internal control as they 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.

Auditors' 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 auditors' 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 on the FRC's website at: www.frc.org.uk/auditorsresponsibilities. This description forms part of our auditors' report.

### Use of this report

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.

# Other required reporting

### Companies Act 2006 exception reporting

Under the Companies Act 2006 we are required to report to you if, in our opinion:

- we have not received all the information and explanations we require for our audit; or
- adequate accounting records have not been kept by the company, or returns adequate for our audit have not been received from branches not visited by us; or
- certain disclosures of directors' remuneration specified by law are not made; or
- the financial statements are not in agreement with the accounting records and returns.

We have no exceptions to report arising from this responsibility.

### **Entitlement to exemptions**

Under the Companies Act 2006 we are required to report to you if, in our opinion, the directors were not entitled to take advantage of the small companies exemption from preparing a strategic report. We have no exceptions to report arising from this responsibility.

Hannes Verwey (Senior Statutory Auditor) for and on behalf of PricewaterhouseCoopers LLP **Chartered Accountants and Statutory Auditors** Uxbridge 24 July 2020

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# Statement of comprehensive income Year ended 31 December 2019

	Year ended 31 December 2019		Year ended 31 December 2018
<u> </u>	Note	£	£
Financial expenses	5,9	(120)	(239)
Loss before taxation		(120)	(239)
Taxation	6	-	-
Loss and total comprehensive expense for the year		(120)	(239)

The accompanying notes on pages 13 to 18 are an integral part of these financial statements.

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# Statement of financial position As at 31 December 2019

		31 December 2019	31 December 2018
	Note	£	£
Current Liabilities			
Bank overdraft	7	(726)	(606)
Net liabilities		(726)	(606)
Equity			
Called up share capital	8	100	100
Accumulated losses		(826)	(706)
Total deficit		(726)	(606)

The accompanying notes on pages 13 to 18 are an integral part of these financial statements.

These financial statements on pages 9 to 18 were approved and authorised for issue by the Board of Directors on 24 July 2020 and signed on its behalf by:

Mark Hardman

Director

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# Statement of changes in equity Year ended 31 December 2019

	Called up share capital £	Accumulated losses £	Total equity £
At 1 January 2018	100	(467)	(367)
Total comprehensive expense for year	-	(239)	(239)
At 31 December 2018	100	(706)	(606)
Total comprehensive expense for year	-	(120)	(120)
At 31 December 2019	100	(826)	(726)

The accompanying notes on pages 13 to 18 are an integral part of these financial statements.

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### Statement of cash flows Year ended 31 December 2019

·	Nata	Year ended 31 December 2019	Year ended 31 December 2018
	Note	£	£
Loss before taxation		(120)	(239)
Adjustments for:		, ,	` ,
Interest paid	5	120	239
Cash generated from operations		-	
Cash flows from operating activities:			
Net cash flow from operating activities		-	
Cash flows from investing activities:			
Net cash flow from investing activities		-	
Cash flows from financial activities: Interest paid	5	(120)	(239)
Net cash flow from financing activities		(120)	(239)
Net change in cash and cash equivalents		(120)	(239)
Cash and cash equivalents at start of the year		(606)	(367)
Cash and cash equivalents at end of the year		(726)	(606)

The accompanying notes on pages 13 to 18 are an integral part of these financial statements.

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### Notes to the financial statements

#### 1. General information

O2 Pine Limited is a private company limited by shares incorporated in the United Kingdom. Its registered address is 260 Bath Road, Slough, Berkshire SL1 4DX.

The Company's financial statements are presented in sterling and all values are rounded to the nearest pound (£) except where otherwise indicated.

The results of O2 Pine Limited are included in the consolidated financial statements of Telefónica, S.A. which are available at Gran Via 28, 28013, Madrid, Spain.

### 2. Basis of preparation

These financial statements have been prepared in accordance with International Financial Reporting Standards ("IFRS") and International Financial Reporting Interpretations Committee ("IFRIC") interpretations, as adopted for use in the EU. In addition the financial statements have been prepared in accordance with those parts of the Companies Act 2006 applicable to companies reporting under IFRS. The financial statements have been prepared using historical cost principles.

The principal accounting policies of the Company applied in the preparation of these financial statements are set out below. The IFRS accounting policies have been applied consistently to all periods presented.

### 3. Accounting policies

### **Functional Currency**

The Company financial statements are presented in sterling, which is also the functional currency.

### Going concern

The Company has received a letter of parental support from Telefónica S.A. which confirms that Telefónica S.A. will continue to provide financial support to the Company for a period of twelve months from the date of signing of the Auditors' Report in the financial statements. Accordingly, the Directors have a reasonable expectation that the Company has adequate resources to continue in operational existence for the foreseeable future, and thus they continue to adopt the going concern basis of accounting in preparing the annual financial statements.

### Cash and cash equivalents

Cash and cash equivalents are carried in the statement of financial position at cost. Cash and cash equivalents includes cash in hand, deposits held at call with banks, and other short-term highly liquid investments with original maturities of three months or less, and bank overdrafts.

### **Taxation**

The charge for current tax is based on the results for the period as adjusted for items which are non-assessable or disallowed. Income tax relating to items recognised in other comprehensive income or in equity is also recognised directly in other comprehensive income or in equity respectively.

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### Notes to the financial statements

### 3. Accounting policies (continued)

### Financial risk factors and management

The principal financial risks of the Company and how the Company managed these risks are discussed below.

Liquidity risk

Management of the Company's liquidity risk is achieved mostly through being a part of the larger Telefónica Group, which operates Group wide policies in this area. The Company also maintains its own committed borrowing facilities, and holds financial assets primarily in short-term deposits with a central Telefónica Group company that are readily convertible to known amounts of cash. These measures help keep liquidity risk low.

Fair value of financial instruments

The carrying value and fair value of the Company's financial assets and financial liabilities are not deemed to be materially different at 31 December 2019 and 31 December 2018.

### Critical judgements and estimates in applying accounting policies

The preparation of the financial statements requires management to make judgements, estimates and assumptions that affect the application of the accounting policies and the reported amounts of assets and liabilities, income and expenses. Actual results may differ from these estimates.

Estimates and underlying assumptions are continually evaluated and are based on historical experience and other factors, including expectations of future events that are reasonable under the circumstances. Revisions to accounting estimates are recognised in the period in which the estimates are revised and in any future periods affected.

### New standards adopted by the company

New Standards and amendments	Effective date: annual periods beginning on or after
IFRS 16 Leases	1 January 2019

The adoption of this standard, did not have any significant impact on the financial statements in the initial period of application.

### 4. Directors' emoluments and employees

No emoluments or other benefits were paid to the Directors for services to the Company during the year ended 31 December 2019 (2018: £nil).

The Directors are employees of other companies in the Telefónica Group, and are remunerated by other companies within the Telefónica Group for their services to the Telefónica Group as a whole.

The Company had no employees during the year ended 31 December 2019 (none in 2018).

### Notes to the financial statements

### 5. Financial expenses

•	Year ended 31 December 2019	Year ended 31 December 2018	
	£	£	
Financial expenses – bank charges	(120)	(239)	
Financial expenses	(120)	(239)	

The charges relate to interest on the overdrawn bank account with Telfisa Global B.V., another Telefónica Group company.

### 6. Taxation

Analysis of the current taxation charge in the year:

	Year ended 31 December 2019 £	Year ended 31 December 2018 £
Current tax - current year		-
Taxation charge	-	_
	Year ended 31 December	Year ended 31 December
	2019	2018
	£	£
Loss before taxation	(120)	(239)
Loss before taxation multiplied by rate of corporation tax in the UK of 19% (2018: 19 %)	(23)	(45)
Effects of:		
Group relief claimed not paid for	23	45
Total taxation result	•	•

Finance Act 2015 set the main rate of corporation tax to 19% with effect from 1 April 2017. In the Spring Budget 2020, the Government announced that from 1 April 2020 the corporation tax rate would remain at 19% (rather than reducing to 17%, as previously enacted). This new law was substantively enacted on 17 March 2020.

### 7. Current liabilities

	31 December 2019			31 December 2018	
	£	£			
Bank overdraft	(726)	(606)			
Current Liabilities	(726)	(606)			

Cash at bank and the bank overdraft are with Telfisa Global B.V., a related party.

### Notes to the financial statements

### 8. Called up share capital

	31 December 2019 £	31 December 2018 £
Authorised 100,000 ordinary shares of 1 pence each	1,000	1,000
Allotted, called up and fully paid 10,000 ordinary shares of 1 pence each	100	100

The Company has one class of authorised and issued share capital, comprising ordinary shares of 1 pence each. Subject to the Company's Articles of Association and applicable law, the Company's ordinary shares confer on the holder: the right to receive notice of and vote at general meetings of the Company; the right to receive any surplus assets on a winding-up of the Company; and an entitlement to receive any dividend declared on ordinary shares.

### Capital management

The Company's capital comprises share capital and accumulated losses.

The Company's objectives when managing capital are to safeguard the Company's ability to continue to operate as a going concern, to maintain optimal capital structure commensurate with risk and return and to reduce the cost of capital.

In order to maintain or adjust the capital structure, the Company may pay dividends to its shareholders, return capital to its shareholders, issue new shares or sell assets to reduce debt or draw down more debt.

### 9. Related party disclosures

During the year ended 31 December 2019, the Company entered into transactions with related parties as follows:

	Year ended 31 December 2019	Year ended 31 December 2018
Telfisa Global B.V.	(726)	<b>£</b> (606)
Total payables to related parties	(726)	(606)

### Notes to the financial statements

### 9. Related party disclosures (continued)

	Year ended 31 December	Year ended 31 December
	2019	2018
Telfisa Global B.V.	£ (120)	<b>£</b> (239)
Total financial expenses from related parties	(120)	(239)
	31 December	31 December
	2019 £	2018 £
Telfisa Global B.V.	(726)	(606)
Total financial liabilities from related parties	(726)	(606)

### 10. Auditors' remuneration

Audit fees for the Company were borne by O2 (Europe) Limited, another company within the Telefónica S.A. Group. The Directors have decided not to reallocate audit costs to individual companies in 2019.

Audit of financial statements	2,375	2,375
	£	£
	2019	2018
	31 December	31 December
	Year ended	Year ended

### 11. Parent company and controlling party

At 31 December 2019, the immediate parent company was O2 (Europe) Limited, a company incorporated in the United Kingdom. Copies of the financial statements of O2 (Europe) Limited can be obtained from 260 Bath Road, Slough, Berkshire, SL1 4DX.

At 31 December 2019, the ultimate parent company was Telefónica S.A., a company incorporated in Spain. Telefónica S.A. is the largest and smallest Group for which Group financial statement are drawn up and of which the company is a member. Copies of the financial statements of Telefónica S.A. can be obtained from Gran Via 28, 28013 Madrid, Spain.

### 12. Subsequent Events

Subsequent to the period ended 31 December 2019 the World Health Organisation declared a global pandemic in relation to the outbreak of the Covid-19 virus. The Directors consider this event to be a non-adjusting post balance sheet event.

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### Notes to the financial statements

### 12. Subsequent Events (continued)

Management have performed a detailed assessment of the ability for the business to continue as a going concern including factoring in the potential impact of the pandemic on the Company and on the basis of that assessment, have a reasonable expectation that the Company has adequate resources to continue in operational existence for the foreseeable future. At the date these financial statements were approved by the board management deem that there is no material impact to the company relating to this subsequent event.

There are no other material subsequent events after the balance sheet date.