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**Abbreviated Accounts** 

for the Year Ended 30 September 2013

<u>for</u>

Reading Specsavers Hearcare Limited

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# Reading Specsavers Hearcare Limited

### Company Information for the Year Ended 30 September 2013

DIRECTORS:

Specsavers Hearcare Group Limited

R B Bhardwaj

R Vara D J Watts

SECRETARY:

Specsavers Hearcare Group Limited

**REGISTERED OFFICE:** 

Forum 6

Parkway

Solent Business Park

Whiteley Fareham PO15 7PA

**REGISTERED NUMBER:** 

06289321 (England and Wales)

**AUDITORS:** 

BDO LLP, statutory auditor Gatwick, United Kingdom

# Independent Auditors' Report to Reading Specsavers Hearcare Limited Under Section 449 of the Companies Act 2006

We have examined the abbreviated accounts set out on pages three to five, together with the full financial statements of Reading Specsavers Hearcare Limited for the year ended 30 September 2013 prepared under Section 396 of the Companies Act 2006.

This report is made solely to the company, in accordance with Section 449 of the Companies Act 2006. Our work has been undertaken so that we might state to the company those matters we are required to state to it in a special 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, for our work, for this report, or for the opinions we have formed.

### Respective responsibilities of directors and auditors

The directors are responsible for preparing the abbreviated accounts in accordance with Section 444 of the Companies Act 2006. It is our responsibility to form an independent opinion as to whether the company is entitled to deliver abbreviated accounts to the Registrar of Companies and whether the abbreviated accounts have been properly prepared in accordance with the Regulations made under that Section and to report our opinion to you.

#### Basis of opinion

We conducted our work in accordance with Bulletin 2008/4 issued by the Auditing Practices Board. In accordance with that Bulletin we have carried out the procedures we consider necessary to confirm, by reference to the financial statements, that the company is entitled to deliver abbreviated accounts and that the abbreviated accounts to be delivered are properly prepared.

#### Opinion

In our opinion the company is entitled to deliver abbreviated accounts prepared in accordance with Section 444(3) of the Companies Act 2006, and the abbreviated accounts have been properly prepared in accordance with the Regulations made under that Section.

David Eagle (senior statutory auditor)

For and on behalf of BDO LLP, statutory auditor

Gatwick, United Kingdom

Date: 29 9 14

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

# Reading Specsavers Hearcare Limited (Registered number: 06289321)

# Abbreviated Balance Sheet 30 September 2013

	Notes	30.9.13 £	30.9.12 £
FIXED ASSETS			
Tangible assets	2	21,191	16,038
CURRENT ASSETS			
Stocks		(338)	500
Debtors		<u>34,507</u>	2,515
		34,169	3,015
CREDITORS			
Amounts falling due within one	year	<u>(34,881</u> )	(19,381)
NET CURRENT LIABILITIE	S	<u>(712)</u>	(16,366)
TOTAL ASSETS LESS CURF LIABILITIES	RENT	20,479	(328)
CREDITORS			
Amounts falling due after more	than one		44
year		(2,332)	(1,822)
NET ASSETS/(LIABILITIES)		<u>18,147</u>	(2,150)
CAPITAL AND RESERVES			
Called up share capital	3	120	120
Profit and loss account		18,027	(2,270)
SHAREHOLDERS' FUNDS		18,147	(2,150)

The abbreviated accounts have been prepared in accordance with the special provisions of Part 15 of the Companies Act 2006 relating to small companies.

The financial statements were approved by the Board of Directors on its behalf by:

FOR SPECSAVERS HEARCARE GROUP LIMITED

Director

RITA VARA.

CATHY PERKINS

#### Reading Specsavers Hearcare Limited (Registered number: 06289321)

# Notes to the Abbreviated Accounts for the Year Ended 30 September 2013

#### 1. ACCOUNTING POLICIES

#### Accounting convention

The financial statements have been prepared under the historical cost convention and in accordance with the Financial Reporting Standard for Smaller Entities (effective April 2008).

#### **Turnover**

Turnover represents the net amounts invoiced to customers during the period net of value added tax.

#### Tangible fixed assets

Depreciation is provided at the following annual rates in order to write off each asset over its estimated useful life.

Audiology Equipment	- 14% on cost
Fixtures and fittings	- 14-25% on cost
Computer Equipment	- 33% on cost

#### Stocks

Stock is valued at the lower of cost and net realisable value. Cost is determined on an average cost basis. Net realisable value is based on estimated selling price allowing for all further costs of completion and disposal.

#### Deferred tax

Deferred tax is provided in full on timing differences which result in an obligation at the balance sheet date to pay more tax or a right to pay less tax, at a future date, at rates expected to apply when they crystallise based on current tax rates and law. Timing differences arise from the inclusion of items of income and expenditure in tax computations in periods different from those in which they are included in the financial statements. Deferred tax assets and liabilities are not discounted.

#### **Dividends**

The company recognises dividends in the period in which they are authorised.

### Going concern

The financial statements are prepared on a going concern basis on the grounds that continued support will be received from the directors for the foreseeable future.

### 2. TANGIBLE FIXED ASSETS

	Total £
COST At 1 October 2012 Additions	24,793 10,487
At 30 September 2013	35,280
DEPRECIATION At 1 October 2012 Charge for year	8,755 5,334
At 30 September 2013	14,089
NET BOOK VALUE At 30 September 2013	<u>21,191</u>
At 30 September 2012	16,038

### Reading Specsavers Hearcare Limited (Registered number: 06289321)

# Notes to the Abbreviated Accounts - continued for the Year Ended 30 September 2013

#### 3. CALLED UP SHARE CAPITAL

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Number:	Class:	Nominal value:	30.9.13 £	30.9.12 £
120	"A" Ordinary	£0.50	60	60
120	"B" Ordinary	£0.50	60	60
			120	120

In accordance with the Articles of Association the following rights attach to shares: a) to "A" shares, the right to receive that part (including the whole) of the profits of the company which the directors shall, from time to time, determine to distribute as dividends. b) to "B" shares, the right to appoint the chairman of the board of directors and of the general meeting of the company. The "B" shares are held by Specsavers Hearcare Group Limited. In all other respects both classes of share carry equal rights over the assets of the company, subject to those provisions as laid out in the shareholders' agreement.

#### 4. ULTIMATE PARENT COMPANY

As at the year end Specsavers International Healthcare Limited was the ultimate parent company of Reading Specsavers Hearcare Limited. Mr and Mrs Perkins have the controlling interest in the ordinary share capital of Specsavers International Healthcare Limited, the ultimate parent company. Specsavers International Healthcare Limited is a Guernsey registered company and its accounts are not available to the public.

#### 5. RELATED PARTY TRANSACTIONS

During the year the company has conducted the following transactions with its ultimate parent company, Specsavers International Healthcare Limited and its subsidiaries, including Specsavers Hearcare Group Limited, its director. Specsavers Hearcare Group Limited is wholly owned by Specsavers International Healthcare Limited.

Overhead Costs £100,179 (2012: £65,898), Purchases £74,408 (2012: £3,488), Other Income £27,538 (2012: £1,983), Fixed Assets £767 (2012: £Nil) and Sales £2,250 (2012: £Nil).

The balance due from the Group Treasury Company as at 30 September 2013 is £12,601 (2012: £3,417 due to). This is held with Specsavers Finance (Guernsey) Limited, a fellow subsidiary of Specsavers International Healthcare Limited. Specsavers Finance (Guernsey) Limited is incorporated in Guernsey and provides treasury services to the company and other Specsavers Group companies.