AUBURN ENTERTAINMENT 18 PLC

ANNUAL REPORT AND FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2011

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## THE COMPANY AND ITS ADVISERS

Directors	J L Boyton M T Bugden J H M Clayton N A Forster D M Reid S J Speight
Company Secretary	S J Cruickshank
Registered Office	15 Golden Square London W1F 9JG
Company Number	06758075 (England and Wales)
Auditors	Shipleys LLP Chartered Accountants and Registered Auditors 10 Orange Street Haymarket London WC2H 7DQ
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Registrar	SLC Registrars Thames House Portsmouth Road Esher Surrey KT10 9AD

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## DIRECTORS' REPORT 31 MARCH 2011

The directors present the Annual Report and Financial Statements for Auburn Entertainment 18 plc ("the Company") for the year ended 31 March 2011

## Principal activity

The Company is a member of Auburn Entertainment LLP ("the Partnership"), a limited liability partnership formed to operate in the media and entertainment sectors engaging in a number of commercial media projects including

- working with leading content creators to produce and exploit original entertainment content such as television programmes and feature films, and
- the promotion of premium entertainment content through marketing and distribution services

In assessing which projects to pursue, the Partnership endeavours to work with the most successful content creators and highest quality promoters to carry out its media projects. The Partnership also benefits from its relationship with Ingenious Media Holdings plc and its subsidiaries ("the Ingenious Group") to identify, source and undertake media projects that have the potential to generate additional returns

#### Review of the year

The Company raised capital of £Nil (2010 £1,865,000) during the year and £Nil (2010 £1,784,805) was deployed into the Partnership

After taking into account the running costs of the Company and its share of the Partnership's results, the Company made a net profit of £7,345 (2010 £146,892 net loss) during the year

The net assets of the Company at 31 March 2011 were £1,726,454 (2010 £1,719,108)

The directors consider the Company's performance to be satisfactory given the risk profile of the activities engaged in and the current stage of the Company's development. The directors will continue to monitor the returns being generated on the funds employed in the Partnership and the performance of Ingenious Media Investments Limited ("the Operator").

## DIRECTORS' REPORT (CONTINUED) 31 MARCH 2011

#### Dividends

No interim dividends were paid during the year. In accordance with the prospectus, dated 3 November 2008, the directors do not propose to recommend the payment of a final dividend (2010 £Nil)

#### **Future prospects**

The directors consider the financial position at the end of the year to be satisfactory and believe the Company is well placed to continue its business in the coming year

### **Directors**

The directors in office during the year were as follows

J L Boyton

M T Bugden

J H M Clayton

N A Forster

D M Reid

S J Speight

## Payment of suppliers

The Company agrees payment terms as part of the commercial arrangement negotiated with suppliers. Payments are made on these terms provided the supplier meets its obligations.

Trade creditors represented zero days purchases (2010 357 days)

## Financial risk management objectives and procedures

As the Company's key activity is investment into the Partnership the directors have deemed it appropriate to consider the key risks to which the Partnership is exposed. Due to the nature of the Partnership's business and the assets and liabilities contained within its balance sheet, the key financial risk the directors consider relevant is credit risk. This risk is mitigated by the Partnership's credit control policies and greenlighting procedure. In assessing which media projects to undertake, the Operator endeavours to work with the most successful content creators, distributors and promoters and to work with and engage the highest quality personnel to carry out its media projects.

## DIRECTORS' REPORT (CONTINUED) 31 MARCH 2011

### Statement of directors' responsibilities

The directors are responsible for preparing the Annual Report and 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 period. In preparing the financial statements, the directors are required to

- select suitable accounting policies and apply them consistently,
- make judgements and estimates that are reasonable and prudent,
- state whether applicable United Kingdom Accounting Standards have been followed, 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. 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.

In so far as the directors are aware

- there is no relevant audit information of which the Company's auditors are 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 auditors are aware of that information

This confirmation is given and should be interpreted in accordance with the provisions of Section 418 of the Companies Act 2006

## **Auditors**

Shipleys LLP have indicated their willingness to remain in office and in accordance with Section 489 of the Companies Act 2006, a resolution proposing that they be reappointed as auditors will be put to the next Annual General Meeting

This report was approved and signed on behalf of the board of directors on 29 July 2011 by

S J Cruickshank Company Secretary Registered office 15 Golden Square

London W1F 9JG

Company Registration Number 06758075 (England and Wales)

#### INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT TO THE MEMBERS OF AUBURN ENTERTAINMENT 18 PLC

We have audited the financial statements of Auburn Entertainment 18 plc for the year ended 31 March 2011 which comprise the Profit and Loss Account, the Balance Sheet, the Cash Flow Statement, the Notes to the Cash Flow Statement and the related Notes 1 to 14. The financial reporting framework that has been applied in their preparation is in accordance with applicable law and United Kingdom Generally Accepted Accounting Practice.

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 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 directors and auditors

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. Our responsibility is to audit the financial statements in accordance with applicable law and International Standards on Auditing (UK and Ireland). Those standards require us to comply with the Auditing Practices Board's (APB's) Ethical Standards for Auditors.

#### Scope of the audit of the financial statements

An audit involves obtaining evidence about the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements sufficient to give reasonable assurance that the financial statements are free from material misstatement, whether caused by fraud or error. This includes an assessment of whether the accounting policies are appropriate to the Company's circumstances and have been consistently applied and adequately disclosed, the reasonableness of significant accounting estimates made by the directors, and the overall presentation of the financial statements.

#### Opinion on financial statements

In our opinion the financial statements

- give a true and fair view of the state of the Company's affairs as at 31 March 2011 and of its profit for the year then
- have been properly prepared in accordance with United Kingdom Generally Accepted Accounting Practice, and
- have been prepared in accordance with the Companies Act 2006

## INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT TO THE MEMBERS OF AUBURN ENTERTAINMENT 18 PLC (CONTINUED)

## Opinion on other matters prescribed by the Companies Act 2006

In our opinion the information given in the Directors' Report for the financial year for which the financial statements are prepared is consistent with the financial statements

## Matters on which we are required to report by exception

We have nothing to report in respect of the following matters where under the Companies Act 2006 we are required 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

Kenneth Roberts (Senior Statutory Auditor)

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for and on behalf of Shipleys LLP (Chartered Accountants and Statutory Auditor) 10 Orange Street, Haymarket, London, WC2H 7DQ

Date 29H JULY 2011

## PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2011

	Notes	Year ended 31 March 2011 £	Year ended 31 March 2010 £
Administrative expenses		(7,477)	(57,125)
Operating loss	2	(7,477)	(57,125)
Share of associated Partnership's results	6	14,805	(89,582)
Interest receivable and similar income	3	21	
Profit/(loss) on ordinary activities before taxation		7,349	(146,707)
Taxation on profit/(loss) on ordinary activities	4	(4)	(185)
Profit/(loss) for the year	11	7,345	(146,892)

All results are derived from continuing operations

There are no recognised gains or losses during the financial year other than as stated in the Profit and Loss Account above, and accordingly no separate statement of total recognised gains and losses is presented

The accompanying Notes are an integral part of the financial statements

## BALANCE SHEET AS AT 31 MARCH 2011

	Notes	31 March 2011 £	31 March 2010 £
Fixed assets			
Investments	6	1,711,028	1,696,223
Current assets			
Debtors	7	50,901	327,936
Cash at bank and in hand		16,820	-
		67,721	327,936
Creditors: Amounts falling due within one year	8	(2,295)	(255,051)
Net current assets		65,426	72,885
Total assets less current liabilities		1,776,454	1,769,108
Creditors: Amounts falling due after more than one year	9	(50,000)	(50,000)
Net assets		1,726,454	1,719,108
Capital and reserves			
Called up equity share capital	10	4,731	4,730
Share premium account	11	1,861,270	1,861,270
Profit and loss account	11	(139,547)	(146,892)
Shareholders' funds	12	1,726,454	1,719,108

The accompanying Notes are an integral part of the financial statements

The financial statements were approved by the board of directors and authorised for issue on 29 July 2011, and are signed on their behalf by

N A Forster Director

Company Registration Number 06758075 (England and Wales)

## CASH FLOW STATEMENT YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2011

TEAK ENDED 31 MARCH 2011	Notes	Year ended 31 March 2011 £	Year ended 31 March 2010 £
Net cash outflow from operating activities	Α	(63,396)	-
Interest received	В	21	-
Acquisitions and disposals	С	(196,841)	(1,588,064)
Net cash outflow before management of liquid resources and financing	•	(260,216)	(1,588,064)
Financing	D	277,036	1,588,064
Increase in cash in the year	<b>-</b> E	16,820	-

The accompanying Notes are an integral part of the financial statements

## NOTES TO THE CASH FLOW STATEMENT YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2011

YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2011		
	Year ended	Year ended
A. Reconciliation of operating loss to net cash outflow from operating activitie		31 March
	2011	2010 £
	£	L
Operating loss	(7,477)	(57,125)
(Decrease)/increase in creditors	(55,919)	57,125
Net cash outflow from operating activities	(63,396)	
	Year ended	Year ended
B. Returns on investment and servicing of finance	31 March	31 March
	2011	2010
	£	£
Interest received	21	
	Year ended	Year ended
C. Acquisitions and disposals	31 March	31 March
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	£	£
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Investment in the Partnership	-	(1,784,805)
Amounts (paid)/due to the Partnership	(196,841)	196,741
Net cash outflow from operating activities	(196,841)	(1,588,064)
	Year ended	Year ended
D. Financing	31 March	31 March
	2011	2010
	£	£
Issue of equity share capital	1	3,730
Amounts received/(due) from shareholders	277,035	(276,936)
Share premium on equity share capital	-	1,861,270
Net cash inflow from financing activities	277,036	1,588,064
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At		At
E. Analysis of changes in net funds 31 March 2010	Cash flows	31 March 2011
£	£	£
Cash at bank and in hand	16,820	16,820
	V	Year ended
E. D	Year ended	Year ended 31 March
F. Reconciliation of net cash flow to movement in net funds	31 March 2011	31 Marcr 2010
		2010 £
	£	t
Net cash at start of year	-	
Increase in cash in the year	16,820	
Net cash at end of the year	16,820	
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## NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2011

#### 1. Accounting policies

## Basis of accounting

The financial statements have been prepared under the historical cost convention

#### Compliance with accounting standards

The financial statements have been prepared in accordance with applicable United Kingdom Accounting Standards. The significant accounting policies adopted are summarised below. These policies have been consistently applied in the current year.

#### Investment in associated partnership

The investment in the associated Partnership is stated at cost less provision for any permanent diminution in value and is accounted for using the equity method. The Profit and Loss Account includes the Company's share of the Partnership's profits less losses while the Company's share of the net assets of the Partnership is shown in the Balance Sheet.

#### **Taxation**

Current tax, including UK corporation tax and foreign tax, is provided at amounts expected to be paid (or recovered) using the tax rates and laws that have been enacted or substantively enacted by the balance sheet date

Deferred taxation is provided in full on timing differences that 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 taxation computations in periods different from those in which they are included in the financial statements. Deferred tax assets are recognised to the extent that it is regarded as more likely than not that they will be recovered. Deferred tax assets and liabilities are not discounted.

## Foreign currency

Transactions denominated in foreign currencies are translated into sterling at the rate of exchange ruling at the date of the transaction. Monetary assets and liabilities denominated in foreign currencies are translated into sterling at the rate of exchange ruling at the balance sheet date. Exchange differences are taken to the Profit and Loss Account.

#### Financial instruments

The Company's principal financial instruments are its bank balance and receivables. The main purpose of these instruments is to provide funding for the Company's operations and to ensure the Company can meet its liabilities as they fall due.

Due to the nature of the financial instruments used by the Company, there is no exposure to price risk. Credit risk of receivables is closely monitored

# NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONTINUED) YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2011

2. Operating loss	Year ended 31 March 2011 £	Year ended 31 March 2010 £
The operating loss is stated after charging		
Auditors' remuneration for audit services	1,200	1,175
3. Interest receivable and similar income	Year ended 31 March 2011 £	Year ended 31 March 2010 £
Bank interest	21	-
<ul><li>4. Taxation</li><li>(i) The tax charge on the profit on ordinary activities for the year was as follows</li></ul>	Year ended 31 March 2011 £	Year ended 31 March 2010 £
UK corporation tax at 21%	4	185
Current tax charge for the year	4	185
Total tax charge	4	185
(II) Factors affecting the tax charge for the year	Year ended 31 March 2011 £	Year ended 31 March 2010 £
Profit/(loss) on ordinary activities before taxation	7,349	(146,707)
Profit/(loss) on ordinary activities for the year multiplied by the standard rate of corporation tax of 21%	1,543	(30,808)
Effects of		
Utilisation of tax losses brought forward Expenses disallowed for tax purposes Adjustment to allocation from the Partnership Unrelieved tax losses in the year	(1,539) - - -	11,750 1,278 17,965
Current tax charge for the year	4	185

A potential deferred tax asset of £15,644 (2010 £17,965) in respect of tax losses carried forward has not been recognised due to uncertainty over the availability of taxable profits in future chargeable accounting periods. (Please note the potential deferred tax asset carried forward has now been calculated at a rate of 20% not 21% to reflect changes in tax legislation).

# NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONTINUED) YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2011

## 5. Directors and employees

The Company did not have any employees during the current or prior year. The directors did not receive any remuneration for their services during either the current or prior year.

	Year ended	Year ended
6. Investments	31 March	31 March
	2011	2010
	£	£
Cost / Share of net assets		
Balance brought forward	1,696,223	1,000
Movement during the year		
Capital issued	-	1,784,805
Share of Partnership's results	14,805	(89,582)
Balance carried forward	1,711,028	1,696,223

The investment represents the interest in the Partnership At the year end, the Company had a 5 2% (2010 5 2%) interest in the capital of the Partnership and an entitlement to an allocation of profits and losses based on its respective weighted Member's share. The Partnership was formed under the Limited Liability Partnerships Act 2000 to operate in the media, entertainment and sports sectors engaging in a number of commercial media projects. Its place of business and registered office address is 15 Golden Square, London, W1F 9JG United Kingdom. The Partnership made a net profit of £283,411 (2010 net loss of £995,553) during the year to 31 March 2011.

The directors do not consider there to have been any indication of a permanent diminution in the carrying value of the investment, it is therefore carried at cost plus any share of profits or losses

	Year ended	Year ended
7. Debtors	31 March	31 March
	2011	2010
	£	£
Amounts due from shareholders	50,901	376,936
	50,901	376,936
	Year ended	Year ended
8. Creditors: Amounts falling due within one year	31 March	31 March
•	2011	2010
	£	£
Accruals	1,206	1,175
Trade creditors	-	55,950
Amounts due to the Partnership	900	197,741
Corporation tax	189	185
	2,295	255,051

# NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONTINUED) YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2011

	Year ended	Year ended
9. Creditors: Amounts falling due after more than one year	31 March	31 March
- · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	2011	2010
	£	£
Shares classified as financial liabilities	50,000	50,000
	50,000	50,000

## 10. Share capital

	Called up and fully paid			
	2011		2	010
	£	No.	£	No
A Ordinary shares of £1 each	100	100	100	100
B Ordinary shares of £1 each	3,730	3,730	3,730	3,730

During the year the Company issued and allotted 1 Ordinary B share of  $\pounds 1$  to Ingenious Holdings Limited This share remained unpaid as at the year end

3,730 B Ordinary shares were issued and allotted during the prior year in accordance with the terms of the Prospectus

100 A Ordinary shares were fully paid during the prior year, the remaining 900 A Ordinary shares were outstanding at year end

On 25 November 2008, the Company redesignated 50,000 ordinary shares of £1 each as 50,000 redeemable preference shares of £1 each in the authorised but unissued capital of the Company, pursuant to a written resolution of the sole member. On 25 November 2008, the Company allotted 50,000 redeemable preference shares of £1 each to Ingenious Media Investments Limited.

The redeemable preference shares have been classified as financial liabilities and do not form part of equity

#### 11. Reserves

Balance carried forward	1,861,270	(139,547)	1,861,270	(146,892)	
Profit/(loss) for the financial year	-	7,345	-	(146,892)	
On issue of equity shares	-	-	1,861,270	-	
Balance brought forward	1,861,270	(146,892)	-	-	
	£	£	£	£	
	Share premium account	Profit and loss account	Share premium account	Profit and loss account	
	2011		2010		

# NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONTINUED) YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2011

Reconciliation of movements in shareholders' funds	Year ended	Year ended
	31 March	31 March
	2011	2010
(i) Equity shareholders' funds	£	£
Profit/(loss) for the financial year	7,345	(146,892)
Equity subscribed	1	1,865,000
Net movement in shareholders' funds	7,346	1,718,108
Opening shareholders' funds	1,719,108	1,000
Closing shareholders' funds	1,726,454	1,719,108
	Year ended	Year ended
	31 March	31 March
	2011	2010
(ii) Non-equity shareholders' funds	£	£
Opening non-equity shareholders' funds	50,000	50,000
Closing non-equity shareholders' funds	50,000	50,000

### 13. Related party transactions

P A McKenna who is a shareholder of the Company, was a director of Ingenious Media Investments Limited (the Operator) during the year Ingenious Media Investments Limited administers the Company under the Placing and Administration Agreement

J L Boyton, M T Bugden, J H M Clayton, N A Forster, D M Reid and S J Speight are directors of the Company and are also directors of Ingenious Media Investments Limited, Ingenious Resources Limited and Ingenious Holdings Limited All three companies are wholly-owned subsidiaries of Ingenious Media Limited, which itself is a wholly-owned subsidiary of Ingenious Media Holdings plc, the ultimate parent company of the Ingenious Group, that is under the control of P A McKenna

Ingenious Media Investments Limited charged fees of £6,000 (2010 £60,000) to the Company for distribution and administrative services provided during the year

As at the year end, Ingenious Resources Limited had loans outstanding of £1,587,964 (2010 £1,587,964) to the shareholders of the Company These loans fall due for repayment after more than one year

There were no other material transactions with any other related party in the year

## 14. Controlling party

In the opinion of the directors there is no controlling party as defined by Financial Reporting Standard 8 'Related Party Disclosures'