

Alcyon Financial Limited

Directors' report and financial statements

for the period ended 29 December 2012

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Alcyon Financial Limited

Company Information

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Directors' report

for the period ended 29 December 2012

The directors present their report together with the audited financial statements of Alcyon Financial Limited ('the company') for the 52 week period ended 29 December 2012

Principal activities

The principal activity of the company is the provision of management services

Directors

The directors who served during the period were

Paul McGowan
Andrew Pepper
Philip Lammas

Directors' responsibilities statement

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 period. 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,
- 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.

Directors' report

for the period ended 29 December 2012

Provision of information to auditor

Each of the persons who are directors at the time when this Directors' report is approved has confirmed that

- so far as that director is aware, there is no relevant audit information of which the company's auditor is unaware, and
- that director has taken all the steps that ought to have been taken as a director in order to be aware of any information needed by the company's auditor in connection with preparing its report 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 companies exemptions provided by section 415A of the Companies Act 2006

This report was approved by the board on 5 July 2013 and signed on its behalf



Paul McGowan
Director

Independent auditor's report to the members of Alcyon Financial Limited
for the period ended 29 December 2012

We have audited the financial statements of Alcyon Financial Limited for the period ended 29 December 2012, set out on pages 5 to 9. The financial reporting framework that has been applied in their preparation is applicable law and the Financial Reporting Standard for Smaller Entities (effective April 2008) (United Kingdom Generally Accepted Accounting Practice applicable to Smaller Entities).

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.

Respective responsibilities of directors and auditor

As explained more fully in the Directors' responsibilities statement, 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 and express an opinion on 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 Ethical Standards for Auditors.

Scope of the audit of the financial statements

A description of the scope of an audit of financial statements is provided on the Auditing Practices Board's website at www.frc.org.uk/apb/scope/private.cfm.

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 29 December 2012 and of its loss for the period then ended,
- have been properly prepared in accordance with United Kingdom Generally Accepted Accounting Practice applicable to Smaller Entities, and
- have been prepared in accordance with the requirements of the Companies Act 2006.

Opinion on other matter prescribed by the Companies Act 2006

In our opinion the information given in the Directors' report for the financial period for which the financial statements are prepared is consistent with the financial statements.



Independent auditor's report to the members of Alcyon Financial Limited
for the period ended 29 December 2012

Matters on which we are required to report by exception

We have nothing to report in respect of the following matters where 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' exemption in preparing the Directors' report

Grant Thornton UK LLP

William Pointon (Senior statutory auditor)

for and on behalf of
Grant Thornton UK LLP

Chartered Accountants
Statutory Auditor

London

5 July 2013

Profit and loss account

for the period ended 29 December 2012

		52 week period ended 29 December 2012 £	52 week period ended 31 December 2011 £
	Note		
Turnover	1	65,250	-
Administrative expenses		(44,041)	(12,437)
Other operating income	2	-	4,000
Other operating charges		(203,654)	(47,216)
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Loss on ordinary activities before taxation		(182,445)	(55,653)
Tax on loss on ordinary activities		-	-
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Loss for the financial period	7	(182,445)	(55,653)
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The notes on pages 7 to 9 form part of these financial statements

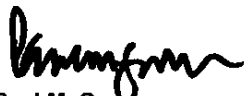
Balance sheet

as at 29 December 2012

		29 December 2012	31 December 2011
	Note	£	£
Current assets			
Debtors	4	3,254	2
Cash at bank		15,857	3,999
		<u>19,111</u>	<u>4,001</u>
Creditors amounts falling due within one year	5	(257,207)	(59,652)
Net current liabilities		<u>(238,096)</u>	<u>(55,651)</u>
Net liabilities		<u>(238,096)</u>	<u>(55,651)</u>
Capital and reserves			
Called up share capital	6	2	2
Profit and loss account	7	(238,098)	(55,653)
Shareholders' deficit		<u>(238,096)</u>	<u>(55,651)</u>

The financial statements have been prepared in accordance with the special provisions relating to companies subject to the small companies regime within Part 15 of the Companies Act 2006 and in accordance with the Financial Reporting Standard for Smaller Entities (effective April 2008)

The financial statements were approved and authorised for issue by the board and were signed on its behalf on 5 July 2013



Paul McGowan
Director

The notes on pages 7 to 9 form part of these financial statements

Notes to the financial statements

for the period ended 29 December 2012

1. Accounting policies

1.1 Basis of preparation of financial statements

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)

1.2 Going concern

The financial statements have been prepared on a going concern basis as the company's parent undertaking, Hilco Capital Limited (formerly Hilco UK Limited), has agreed to provide continuing financial support to the company for at least twelve months from the date of approval of these accounts

1.3 Cash flow

The financial statements do not include a Cash flow statement because the company, as a small reporting entity, is exempt from the requirement to prepare such a statement under the Financial Reporting Standard for Smaller Entities (effective April 2008)

1.4 Turnover

Turnover comprises revenue recognised by the company in respect services supplied during the period, exclusive of Value Added Tax

2 Other operating income

	52 week period ended 29 December 2012 £	52 week period ended 31 December 2011 £
Other operating income	-	4,000

3. Loss

During the period, no director received any emoluments (2011 - £NIL)

Auditor's remuneration for the period ended 29 December 2012 was borne by Hilco Capital Limited

4 Debtors

	29 December 2012 £	31 December 2011 £
Other debtors	3,254	2

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for the period ended 29 December 2012

5. Creditors
Amounts falling due within one year

	29 December 2012 £	31 December 2011 £
Trade creditors	-	1,934
Amounts owed to group undertakings	241,519	10,501
Other creditors	15,688	47,217
	<u>257,207</u>	<u>59,652</u>

6 Share capital

	29 December 2012 £	31 December 2011 £
Allotted, called up and fully paid		
2 Ordinary shares of £1 each	<u>2</u>	<u>2</u>

7 Reserves

	Profit and loss account £
At 1 January 2012	(55,653)
Loss for the period	(182,445)
At 29 December 2012	<u>(238,098)</u>

8 Contingent liabilities

There were no contingent liabilities at 29 December 2012 or 31 December 2011

9. Capital commitments

The company had no capital commitments at 29 December 2012 or 31 December 2011

10 Related party transactions

The company has taken advantage of the exemptions in paragraph 16 2 of the FRSEE and has not disclosed transactions with wholly owned members of the group headed by Hilco Capital Limited

Notes to the financial statements

for the period ended 29 December 2012

11. Ultimate parent undertaking and controlling party

At 29 December 2012, Alcyon Financial Limited was a wholly owned subsidiary of Hilco Capital Limited, a company registered in England and Wales. Hilco Capital Limited is 72% owned by Hilco London Limited, a company registered in England and Wales. Hilco London Limited is 100% owned by Hilco Merchant Resources, LLC, a company registered in the United States of America.

The directors consider the ultimate parent undertaking and controlling party of the company to be Hilco Trading, LLC, a company registered in the United States of America, by virtue of its 66.7% shareholding in Hilco Merchant Resources, LLC.

The largest group of undertaking for which group accounts have been drawn up is that headed by Hilco Trading, LLC and the smallest such group of undertakings, including the company is that headed by Hilco London Limited.