Langtree Daresbury Limited

Registered number: 07374351

Directors' report and financial statements

For the year ended 31 March 2021

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COMPANY INFORMATION

Directors

Mr J Downes

Mr M Jackson

Registered number

07374351

Registered office

St James Business Centre

Wilderspool Causeway Warrington WA4 6PS

Independent auditor

Mazars LLP Chartered Accountants & Statutory Auditor

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DIRECTORS' REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2021

The directors present their report and the financial statements for the year ended 31 March 2021.

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 applicable law and United Kingdom Accounting Standards (United Kingdom Generally Accepted Accounting Practice), including Financial Reporting Standard 102 'The Financial Reporting Standard applicable in the UK and Republic of Ireland'. 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 for the company's financial statements and then apply them
 consistently;
- make judgements 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 to 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.

Principal activity

The principal activity of the company is that of an investment holding and property development company.

Directors

The directors who served during the year were:

Mr J Downes Mr M Jackson

Going Concern

The use of the going concern basis of accounting is appropriate because there are no material uncertainties to events or conditions that may cast significant doubt about the ability of the company to continue as a going concern. The company's projections, taking account of reasonable possible changes in trading performance, show that the company will continue to operate within its current facilities.

Accordingly, the directors consider that the company is able to continue as a going concern and have therefore continued to adopt the going concern basis in preparing these financial statements.

DIRECTORS' REPORT (CONTINUED) FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2021

Disclosure 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 the director is aware, there is no relevant audit information of which the company's auditor is unaware, and
- the director has taken all the steps that ought to have been taken as a director in order to be aware of any relevant audit information and to establish that the company's auditor is aware of that information.

Small companies note

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 and signed on its behalf.

Mr M Jackson Director

Date: 29 /09 / 2021

St James Business Centre Wilderspool Causeway Warrington WA4 6PS

INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT TO THE MEMBERS OF LANGTREE DARESBURY LIMITED

Opinion

We have audited the financial statements of Langtree Daresbury Limited (the 'company') for the year ended 31 March 2021 which comprise Statement of Comprehensive Income, the Statement of Financial Position, the Statement of Changes in Equity and notes to the financial statements, including a summary of significant accounting policies. The financial reporting framework that has been applied in their preparation is applicable law and United Kingdom Accounting Standards, including FRS 102 "The Financial Reporting Standard applicable in the UK and Republic of Ireland" (United Kingdom Generally Accepted Accounting Practice).

In our opinion, the financial statements:

- give a true and fair view of the state of the company's affairs as at 31 March 2021 and of its loss for the year then ended;
- have been properly prepared in accordance with United Kingdom Generally Accepted Accounting Practice: and
- have been prepared in accordance with the requirements of the Companies Act 2006.

Basis for opinion

We conducted our audit in accordance with International Standards on Auditing (UK) (ISAs (UK)) and applicable law. Our responsibilities under those standards are further described in the Auditor's responsibilities for the audit of the financial statements section of our report. We are independent of the company in accordance with the ethical requirements that are relevant to our audit of the financial statements in the UK, including the FRC's Ethical Standard, and we have fulfilled our other ethical responsibilities in accordance with these requirements. We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion.

Conclusions relating to going concern

In auditing the financial statements, we have concluded that the directors' use of the going concern basis of accounting in the preparation of the financial statements is appropriate.

Based on the work we have performed, we have not identified any material uncertainties relating to events or conditions that, individually or collectively, may cast significant doubt on the company's ability to continue as a going concern for a period of at least twelve months from when the financial statements are authorised for issue.

Our responsibilities and the responsibilities of the directors with respect to going concern are described in the relevant sections of this report.

Other information

The other information comprises the information included in the annual report, other than the financial statements and our auditor's report thereon. The directors are responsible for the other information contained within the annual report. Our opinion on the financial statements does not cover the other information and, except to the extent otherwise explicitly stated in our report, we do not express any form of assurance conclusion thereon.

INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT TO THE MEMBERS OF LANGTREE DARESBURY LIMITED

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 course of the audit, or otherwise appears to be materially misstated. If we identify such material inconsistencies or apparent material misstatements, we are required to determine whether there is a material misstatement in 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 in this regard.

Opinions on other matters prescribed by the Companies Act 2006

In our opinion, based on the work undertaken in the course of the audit:

- the information given in the directors' Report for the financial year for which the financial statements are prepared is consistent with the financial statements; and
- the directors' Report has been prepared in accordance with applicable legal requirements.

Matters on which we are required to report by exception

In light of the knowledge and understanding of the company and its environment obtained in the course of the audit, we have not identified material misstatements in the Directors' Report.

We have nothing to report in respect of the following matters in relation to which 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 and from the requirement to prepare a Strategic Report.

Responsibilities of directors

As explained more fully in the directors' responsibilities statement set out on page 1, the directors are responsible for the preparation of the financial statements and for being satisfied that they give a true and fair view, and for such internal control as the directors 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 intend to liquidate the company or to cease operations, or have no realistic alternative but to do so.

INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT TO THE MEMBERS OF LANGTREE DARESBURY LIMITED

Auditor's 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 auditor's 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 the financial statements.

Irregularities, including fraud, are instances of non-compliance with laws and regulations. We design procedures in line with our responsibilities, outlined above, to detect material misstatements in respect of irregularities, including fraud. Based on our understanding of the company and its industry, we identified that the principal risks of non-compliance with laws and regulations related to the UK tax legislation, health and safety regulation, anti-bribery, corruption and fraud, money laundering, and we considered the extent to which non-compliance might have a material effect on the financial statements. We also considered those laws and regulations that have a direct impact on the preparation of the financial statements, such as the Companies Act 2006.

We evaluated the directors' and management's incentives and opportunities for fraudulent manipulation of the financial statements (including the risk of override of controls) and determined that the principal risks were related to posting manual journal entries to manipulate financial performance, management bias through judgements and assumptions in significant accounting estimates and significant one-off or unusual transactions.

Our audit procedures were designed to respond to those identified risks, including non-compliance with laws and regulations (irregularities) and fraud that are material to the financial statements. Our audit procedures included but were not limited to:

- Discussing with the directors and management their policies and procedures regarding compliance with laws and regulations;
- Communicating identified laws and regulations throughout our engagement team and remaining alert to any indications of non-compliance throughout our audit; and
- Considering the risk of acts by the company which were contrary to applicable laws and regulations, including fraud.

Our audit procedures in relation to fraud included but were not limited to:

- Making enquiries of the directors and management on whether they had knowledge of any actual, suspected or alleged fraud;
- Gaining an understanding of the internal controls established to mitigate risks related to fraud;
- Discussing amongst the engagement team the risks of fraud; and
- Addressing the risks of fraud through management override of controls by performing journal entry testing.

There are inherent limitations in the audit procedures described above and the primary responsibility for the prevention and detection of irregularities including fraud rests with management. As with any audit, there remained a risk of non-detection of irregularities, as these may involve collusion, forgery, intentional omissions, misrepresentations or the override of internal controls.

A further description of our responsibilities for the audit of the financial statements is located on the Financial Reporting Council's website at www.frc.org.uk/auditorsresponsibilities. This description forms part of our auditor's report.

INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT TO THE MEMBERS OF LANGTREE DARESBURY LIMITED

Use of the audit report

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.

Neil Barton

Neil Barton (Senior statutory auditor)

for and on behalf of

Mazars LLP Chartered Accountants and Statutory Auditor One St. Peter's Square Manchester M2 3DE

Date:

8 November 2021

STATEMENT OF COMPREHENSIVE INCOME FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2021

	Note	2021 £	2020 £
Turnover		-	٠ _
Gross loss	_	-	-
Administrative expenses		(6,353)	(3,490)
Operating loss		(6,353)	(3,490)
Interest receivable and similar income		86	633
Loss before tax		(6,267)	(2,857)
Tax on loss	6	(45,263)	(25,881)
Loss for the financial year		(51,530)	(28,738)
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There were no recognised gains and losses for 2021 or 2020 other than those included in the statement of comprehensive income.

There was no other comprehensive income for 2021 (2020: £NIL).

The notes on pages 10 to 16 form part of these financial statements.

LANGTREE DARESBURY LIMITED REGISTERED NUMBER: 07374351

STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION AS AT 31 MARCH 2021

	Note		2021 £		2020 £
Fixed assets					
Investments	7		1,054,600		1,054,600
Current assets					
Debtors: amounts falling due within one year	8	78,475		888,08	
Cash at bank and in hand	9	45,192		90,949	
	-	123,667	_	171,837	
Creditors: amounts falling due within one year	10	(163,477)		(160,117)	
Net current assets	-		(39,810)		11,720
Net assets	,		1,014,790		1,066,320
Capital and reserves					
Called up share capital	11		1,054,601		1,054,601
Profit and loss account	12		(39,811)		11,719
			1,014,790	_	1,066,320
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The financial statements have been prepared in accordance with the provisions applicable to companies subject to the small companies regime and in accordance with the provisions of FRS 102 Section 1A - small entities.

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

Mr M Jackson

Director

Date: 29/04/2021

The notes on pages 10 to 16 form part of these financial statements.

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN EQUITY FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2021

	Called up share capital	Profit and loss account	Total equity
	£	£	£
At 1 April 2019	1,054,601	40,457	1,095,058
Comprehensive income for the year			
Loss for the year	-	(28,738)	(28,738)
Total comprehensive income for the year	-	(28,738)	(28,738)
At 1 April 2020	1,054,601	11,719	1,066,320
Comprehensive income for the year			
Loss for the year	-	(51,530)	(51,530)
Total comprehensive income for the year	-	(51,530)	(51,530)
At 31 March 2021	1,054,601	(39,811)	1,014,790

The notes on pages 10 to 16 form part of these financial statements.

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2021

1. General information

Langtree Daresbury Limited ("the company") is a private company limited by shares incorporated in England and Wales with registered number of 07374351.

The address of its registered office and principal place of business is St James Business Centre, Wilderspool Causeway, Warrington, WA4 6PS.

The principal activity of the company is that of an intermediate holding company and property development.

2. Accounting policies

2.1 Basis of preparation of financial statements

The financial statements have been prepared under the historical cost convention unless otherwise specified within these accounting policies and in accordance with Section 1A of Financial Reporting Standard 102, the Financial Reporting Standard applicable in the UK and the Republic of Ireland and the Companies Act 2006.

The preparation of financial statements in compliance with FRS 102 requires the use of certain critical accounting estimates. It also requires management to exercise judgement in applying the company's accounting policies (see note 3).

These financial statements have been presented in pound sterling which is the functional currency of the company, and rounded to the nearest £.

The following principal accounting policies have been applied:

2.2 Financial reporting standard 102 - reduced disclosure exemptions

The company has taken advantage of the following disclosure exemptions in preparing these financial statements, as permitted by the FRS 102 "The Financial Reporting Standard applicable in the UK and Republic of Ireland":

- the requirements of Section 7 Statement of Cash Flows;
- the requirements of Section 3 Financial Statement Presentation paragraph 3.17(d);
- the requirements of Section 11 Financial Instruments paragraphs 11.42, 11.44 to 11.45, 11.47, 11.48(a)(iii), 11.48(a)(iv), 11.48(b) and 11.48(c);
- the requirements of Section 12 Other Financial Instruments paragraphs 12.26 to 12.27, 12.29(a), 12.29(b) and 12.29A;
- the requirements of Section 33 Related Party Disclosures paragraph 33.7.

This information is included in the consolidated financial statements of Langtree Property Partners Holdings Limited as at 31 March 2021 and these financial statements may be obtained from St James Business Centre, Wilderspool Causeway, WarrIngton, WA4 6PS.

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2021

2. Accounting policies (continued)

2.3 Going concern

The use of the going concern basis of accounting is appropriate because there are no material uncertainties to events or conditions that may cast significant doubt about the ability of the company to continue as a going concern. The company's projections, taking account of reasonable possible changes in trading performance, show that the company will continue to operate within its current facilities.

Accordingly, the directors consider that the company is able to continue as a going concern and have therefore continued to adopt the going concern basis in preparing these financial statements.

2.4 Investment in joint ventures

Joint ventures are held at cost less impairment.

2.5 Debtors

Short term debtors are measured at transaction price, less any impairment. Loans receivable are measured initially at fair value, net of transaction costs, and are measured subsequently at amortised cost using the effective interest method, less any impairment.

2.6 Cash and cash equivalents

Cash and cash equivalents comprises cash in hand, deposits held with banks and other short-term highly liquid investments with original maturities of three months or less.

2.7 Creditors

Short term creditors are measured at the transaction price. Other financial liabilities, including bank loans, are measured initially at fair value, net of transaction costs, and are measured subsequently at amortised cost using the effective interest method.

2.8 Financial instruments

The company only enters into basic financial instrument transactions that result in the recognition of financial assets and liabilities like trade and other debtors and creditors, loans from banks and other third parties, loans to related parties and investments in ordinary shares.

Financial assets that are measured at cost and amortised cost are assessed at the end of each reporting period for objective evidence of impairment. If objective evidence of impairment is found, an impairment loss is recognised in the Statement of comprehensive income.

Financial assets and liabilities are offset and the net amount reported in the Statement of financial position when there is an enforceable right to set off the recognised amounts and there is an intention to settle on a net basis or to realise the asset and settle the liability simultaneously.

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2021

2. Accounting policies (continued)

2.9 Government grants

Grants are accounted under the accruals model as permitted by FRS 102. Grants relating to expenditure on tangible fixed assets are credited to profit or loss at the same rate as the depreciation on the assets to which the grant relates. The deferred element of grants is included in creditors as deferred income.

Grants of a revenue nature are recognised in the Statement of comprehensive income in the same period as the related expenditure.

2.10 Interest income

Interest income is recognised in profit or loss using the effective interest method.

2.11 Taxation

Tax is recognised in profit or loss except that a charge attributable to an item of income and expense recognised as other comprehensive income or to an item recognised directly in equity is also recognised in other comprehensive income or directly in equity respectively.

The current income tax charge is calculated on the basis of tax rates and laws that have been enacted or substantively enacted by the reporting date in the countries where the company operates and generates income.

Deferred tax balances are recognised in respect of all timing differences that have originated but not reversed by the Statement of Financial Position date, except that:

- The recognition of deferred tax assets is limited to the extent that it is probable that they
 will be recovered against the reversal of deferred tax liabilities or other future taxable
 profits; and
- Any deferred tax balances are reversed if and when all conditions for retaining associated tax allowances have been met.

The unrecognised deferred tax asset for the year is £104,295 (2020: 111,719).

3. Critical accounting judgements and key sources of estimation uncertainty

The Company made judgements, estimates and assumptions about the carrying amounts of assets and liabilities that were not readily apparent from other sources in the application of the Company's accounting policies. Estimates and judgements are continually evaluated and are based on historical experience and other factors that are considered to be reasonable under the circumstances. Actual results may differ from the estimates.

3.1 Critical judgements made in applying the Company accounting policies

Assessing indicators of impairment

In assessing whether there have been any indicators of impairment assets, the directors have considered both external and internal sources of information such as market conditions, counterparty credit ratings and experience of recoverability. There have been no indicators of impairments identified during the current financial year.

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2021

3. Critical accounting judgements and key sources of estimation uncertainty (continued)

3.2 Key sources of estimation uncertainty

Management is of the opinion that there are no estimates and assumptions that are considered to have a significant risk of causing a material adjustment to the carrying amounts of assets and liabilities.

4. Auditor's remuneration

	2021 £	2020 £
Fees payable to the company's auditor for the audit of the company's annual financial statements	2,000	2,000
Fees payable to the company's auditor in respect of:		
Taxation compliance services	500	500
All other services	300	1,000
	800	1,500

5. Employees

The company has no employees (2020: None) other than the directors, who did not receive any remuneration (2020 - £NIL).

6. Taxation

2021 £	2020 £
45,263	25,881
45,263	25,881
	£ 45,263

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2021

6. Taxation (continued)

Factors affecting tax charge for the year

The tax assessed for the year is higher than (2020 - higher than) the standard rate of corporation tax in the UK of 19% (2020 -19%). The differences are explained below:

	2021 £	2020 £
Loss on ordinary activities before tax	(6,267)	(2,857)
Loss on ordinary activities multiplied by standard rate of corporation tax in the UK of 19% (2020 - 19%)	(1,191)	(543)
Effects of:		
Expenses not deductible for tax purposes	105,078	100,755
Fixed asset differences	(8,149)	(8,042)
Amounts charged directly to STRGL or otherwise transferred	(43,049)	(59,002)
Other differences leading to a change in tax charge	(2)	-
Adjustments to tax charge in respect of deferred tax	(7,424)	(7,287)
Total tax charge for the year	45,263	25,881

Factors that may affect future tax charges

The UK Government announced in the 2021 Budget that from 1 April 2023, the rate of corporation tax in the United Kingdom will increase from 19% to 25%. Companies with profits of £50,000 or less will continue to be taxed at 19%, which is a new small profits rate. Where taxable profits are between £50,000 and £250,000, the higher rate will apply but with a marginal relief applying as profits increase.

7. Fixed asset investments

	Investment in joint ventures £
Cost	
At 1 April 2020	1,054,600
At 31 March 2021	1,054,600

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2021

7. Fixed asset investments (continued)

Joint venture

The following was a joint venture of the company:

Holding	rincipal activity	Registered office	Name	
50%	Management and development of the Sci-Tech Daresbury Campus in the North	St James Business Centre, Wilderspool Causeway, Warrington, WA4 6PS	Daresbury SIC LLP	
	West			
			Debtors	8.
2020 £	2021 £			
58,923	58,923		Amounts owed by group undertakings	
21,964	19,551		Other debtors	
1	1		Called up share capital not paid	
80,888	78,475			
2020 £	2021 £		Cash and cash equivalents	9.
90,949	45,192		Cash at bank and in hand	
		ne year	Creditors: Amounts falling due within o	10.
2020 £	2021 £			
96,348	97,827		Trade creditors	
25,883	45,264		Corporation tax	
37,886	20,386		Accruals and deferred income	
160,117	163,477			
_	£ 97,827 45,264 20,386	,	Trade creditors Corporation tax	

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2021

11. Share capital

	2021	2020
Allotted, called up and fully paid	£	£
1 (2019 - 1) Ordinary share of £1 1 (2019 - 1) Loan Note of £1,054,600	1 1,054,600	1 1,054,600
	1,054,601	1,054,601

Loan notes represent capital contributions made at the inception of the company by its holding company. There are no priority repayments and no repayments schedules have been established. There is no coupon rate and as such no interest is earned by the owner as a result of these capital contributions. As such, the loan notes are treated as equity instruments in these financial statements.

12. Reserves

Profit & loss account

This reserves represents the cumulative profits and losses.

13. Related party transactions

The were no related party transactions within the year. Included within debtors is a balance of £58,923 (2020: £58,923) due from Langtree Property Partners Limited, a company in the same group as Langtree Daresbury Limited.

14. Controlling undertakings

As at 31 March 2021 Langtree Daresbury Limited is 75.01% owned by LPP Ventures Limited. The immediate and ultimate parent undertaking of LPP Ventures Limited is Langtree Property Partners Holdings Limited, a company incorporated in the UK and with a registered address of St. James Business Centre, Wilderspool Causeway, Warrington, Cheshire, United Kingdom, WA4 6PS.

Copies of the consolidated financial statements of Langtree Property Partners Holdings Limited are publicly available from Companies House, Maindy, Cardiff, CF14 3UZ.