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Harrods Commercial Property Limited

Directors' Report and Unaudited Financial Statements

for the period ended 30 January 2021

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Directors' Report for the period ended 30 January 2021

The Directors present their report and the financial statements for the period ended 30 January 2021.

Principal activity

The principal activity of the company is the ownership and management of property and buildings.

Results for the period

The loss after tax for the period amounted to £(4.8)m (2020: £(3.0)m).

The directors paid a dividend of £nil (2020: £nil) in the period.

Directors of the company

The directors who held office during the period were as follows:

M A Ward

D J Webster

KPIs

There are no KPIs required to be reported other than profit/(loss), after taxation, for the period that would give a fuller understanding to the business.

Covid-19

The Covid-19 pandemic has been a significant challenge for the Harrods group. The impact of the crisis, and subsequent closure of the Harrods store, has reached the groups' employees, customers, supply chain and store, together with the local and wider community. Management do not expect there to be long term consequences on the business as a result of the pandemic.

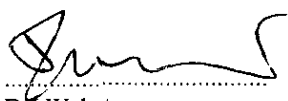
Going concern

After making enquiries, the directors have a reasonable expectation that the company and the group have adequate resources to continue in operational existence for the foreseeable future. Accordingly, they have adopted the going concern basis in preparing the annual report and accounts.

Post balance sheet events

There have been no significant events affecting the company since the year end.

Approved by the Board on 22 October 2021 and signed on its behalf by:



D J Webster

Company secretary and director

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Knightsbridge
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Statement of Directors' Responsibilities

The Directors acknowledge their responsibilities for preparing the Annual 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), 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 and apply them consistently;
- make judgements and accounting estimates that are reasonable and prudent;
- state whether applicable UK Accounting Standards have been followed, subject to any material departures disclosed and explained in the Financial Statements; 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.

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Profit and Loss Account for the period ended 30 January 2021

		52 weeks ended 30 January 2021 £ m	52 weeks ended 01 February 2020 £ m
Turnover	2	3.1	2.9
Administrative expenses		<u>(5.9)</u>	<u>(5.7)</u>
Operating loss	3	(2.8)	(2.8)
Interest receivable		<u>-</u>	<u>0.1</u>
Loss before tax		(2.8)	(2.7)
Taxation	4	<u>(2.0)</u>	<u>(0.3)</u>
Loss for the financial period		<u>(4.8)</u>	<u>(3.0)</u>

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Statement of Comprehensive Income for the period ended 30 January 2021

	52 weeks ended 30 January 2021 £ m	53 weeks ended 01 February 2020 £ m
Loss for the period	(4.8)	(3.0)
Other comprehensive income for the period	-	-
Total comprehensive income for the period	<u>(4.8)</u>	<u>(3.0)</u>

The notes on pages 7 to 12 form an integral part of these financial statements.

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Balance Sheet as at 30 January 2021

	Note	30 January 2021 £ m	01 February 2020 £ m
Fixed assets			
Tangible assets	5	101.1	105.3
Current assets			
Debtors: amounts falling due within one year	6	12.0	0.2
Cash at bank and in hand		1.9	13.0
		13.9	13.2
Creditors: Amounts falling due within one year	7	(36.1)	(36.5)
Net current liabilities		(22.2)	(23.3)
Total assets less current liabilities		78.9	82.0
Provisions for liabilities			
Deferred tax	4	(14.5)	(12.8)
Net assets		64.4	69.2
Capital and reserves			
Share premium reserve		33.3	33.3
Profit and loss account		31.1	35.9
Total equity		64.4	69.2

For the financial period ending 30 January 2021 the company was entitled to exemption from audit under section 479A of the Companies Act 2006 relating to subsidiary companies.

- The members have not required the company to obtain an audit of its accounts for the period in question in accordance with section 476; and
- The directors acknowledge their responsibilities for complying with the requirements of the Act with respect to accounting records and the preparation of accounts.

Approved and authorised by the Board on 22 October 2021 and signed on its behalf by:

M A Ward
Director

The notes on pages 7 to 12 form an integral part of these financial statements.

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Statement of Changes in Equity for the period ended 30 January 2021

	Share premium £ m	Profit and loss account £ m	Total £ m
At 3 February 2019	33.3	38.9	72.2
Loss for the period	-	(3.0)	(3.0)
Other comprehensive income	-	-	-
Total comprehensive income	-	(3.0)	(3.0)
At 1 February 2020	33.3	35.9	69.2

	Share premium £ m	Profit and loss account £ m	Total £ m
At 2 February 2020	33.3	35.9	69.2
Loss for the period	-	(4.8)	(4.8)
Other comprehensive income	-	-	-
Total comprehensive income	-	(4.8)	(4.8)
At 30 January 2021	33.3	31.1	64.4

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Notes to the Financial Statements for the period ended 30 January 2021

1 Accounting policies

Basis of preparation

These Financial Statements have been prepared using the historical cost convention except that as disclosed in the accounting policies certain items are shown at fair value.

These Financial Statements were prepared in accordance with Financial Reporting Standard 102 'The Financial Reporting Standard applicable in the UK and Republic of Ireland'.

The principal accounting policies applied in the preparation of these Financial Statements are set out below. These policies have been consistently applied to all the years presented, unless otherwise stated.

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 33 Related Party Disclosures paragraph 33.

The company is not required to present a Strategic Report per the companies act small companies exemption.

This information is included in the Consolidated Financial Statements of Harrods Group (Holding), the ultimate UK parent undertaking, as at 30 January 2021 and these Financial Statements may be obtained from the Registrar of Companies.

Going concern

The Financial Statements have been prepared on a going concern basis.

Turnover

Turnover represents rental income from Harrods Limited and third parties and is accounted for on an accruals basis.

Tangible assets

Tangible assets are stated in the Balance Sheet at cost, less any subsequent accumulated depreciation and subsequent accumulated impairment losses.

The cost of tangible assets includes directly attributable incremental costs incurred in their acquisition and installation.

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Notes to the Financial Statements for the period ended 30 January 2021 (continued)

1 Accounting policies (continued)

Depreciation

Depreciation is charged so as to write off the cost of assets, other than freehold land over their estimated useful lives, as follows:

Asset class	Depreciation method and rate
Plant and fittings	3 - 20 years
Freehold property	10 - 50 years

Revaluation of properties

Individual freehold and leasehold properties are carried at current year value at fair value at the date of the revaluation less any subsequent accumulated depreciation and subsequent accumulated impairment losses. Revaluations are undertaken with sufficient regularity to ensure the carrying amount does not differ materially from that which would be determined using fair value at the Balance Sheet date.

Fair values are determined from market based evidence normally undertaken by professionally qualified valuers.

Revaluation gains and losses are recognised in the Profit and Loss Account.

Tax

The tax expense for the period comprises current and deferred tax. Tax is recognised in Profit or Loss, except that a change attributable to an item of income or expense recognised as other comprehensive income is also recognised directly in the Statement of Other Comprehensive Income.

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 taxable income.

Deferred tax is recognised in respect of all timing differences between taxable profits and profits reported in the Financial Statements.

Unrelieved tax losses and other deferred tax assets are recognised when it is probable that they will be recovered against the reversal of deferred tax liabilities or other future taxable profits.

Deferred tax is measured using the tax rates and laws that have been enacted or substantively enacted by the reporting date and that are expected to apply to the reversal of the timing difference, except for revalued land and investment property where the tax rate that applies to the sale of the asset is used.

2 Turnover

The analysis of the company's turnover for the period from continuing operations is as follows:

	52 weeks ended 30 January 2021 £ m	52 weeks ended 01 February 2020 £ m
Rental income	3.1	2.9
All turnover arose within the United Kingdom.		

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3 Operating loss

Arrived at after charging/(crediting):

	52 weeks ended 30 January 2021 £ m	52 weeks ended 01 February 2020 £ m
Depreciation of tangible assets	<u>4.8</u>	<u>4.8</u>

The company did not employ any persons or incur any staff costs during the period (2020: £nil).

Remuneration for the directors of the company is paid for by another group company. It is not practical to determine the proportion of their emoluments which relate to their services as directors of this company.

4 Taxation

Tax charged/(credited) in the Income Statement:

	52 weeks ended 30 January 2021 £ m	53 weeks ended 01 February 2020 £ m
Current taxation		
Group relief payable	<u>0.4</u>	<u>0.3</u>
Total current income tax	<u>0.4</u>	<u>0.3</u>
Deferred taxation		
Origination and reversal of timing differences	0.1	-
Impact of rate change	<u>1.5</u>	<u>-</u>
Total deferred taxation	<u>1.6</u>	<u>-</u>
Taxation on profit on ordinary activities	<u>2.0</u>	<u>0.3</u>

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4 Taxation (continued)

The tax on profit before tax for the period is higher than the standard rate of corporation tax in the UK (2020 - higher than the standard rate of corporation tax in the UK) of 19% (2020 - 19%).

The differences are reconciled below:

	52 weeks ended 30 January 2021 £ m	52 weeks ended 01 February 2020 £ m
Loss before tax	<u>(2.8)</u>	<u>(2.7)</u>
Corporation tax at standard rate	(0.5)	(0.5)
Expenses not deductible for tax purposes	0.9	0.9
Impact of tax rate changes	1.5	-
Revaluation gains	<u>0.1</u>	<u>(0.1)</u>
Total tax charge for the period	<u><u>2.0</u></u>	<u><u>0.3</u></u>

A UK corporation tax rate of 19% (effective 1 April 2020), was substantively enacted on 17th March 2020, reversing the previously enacted reduction in the rate from 19% to 17%. This will increase the company's future current tax charge accordingly. Post year end, in the 2021 Budget, it was announced that from 1 April 2023 the corporation tax rate will rise to 25%. This will have an impact on the Company's deferred tax balances in future periods.

Deferred tax

	30 January 2021 £ m	01 February 2020 £ m
Investment property revaluations	<u>(14.5)</u>	<u>(12.8)</u>
Deferred tax liability	<u><u>(14.5)</u></u>	<u><u>(12.8)</u></u>

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5 Tangible assets

	Land and buildings £ m	Fixtures and fittings £ m	Plant and machinery £ m	Total £ m
Cost				
At 2 February 2020	107.6	9.9	12.0	129.5
Additions	-	-	0.6	0.6
Transfers	(0.6)	-	0.6	-
At 30 January 2021	<u>107.0</u>	<u>9.9</u>	<u>13.2</u>	<u>130.1</u>
Depreciation				
At 2 February 2020	10.2	6.2	7.8	24.2
Charge for the period	2.1	1.5	1.2	4.8
At 30 January 2021	<u>12.3</u>	<u>7.7</u>	<u>9.0</u>	<u>29.0</u>
Carrying amount				
At 30 January 2021	<u>94.7</u>	<u>2.2</u>	<u>4.2</u>	<u>101.1</u>
At 1 February 2020	<u>97.4</u>	<u>3.7</u>	<u>4.2</u>	<u>105.3</u>

6 Debtors

	30 January 2021 £ m	01 February 2020 £ m
Amounts owed by related parties	11.7	-
Prepayments and accrued income	0.3	0.2
	<u>12.0</u>	<u>0.2</u>

Amounts owed by related parties includes a non-interest bearing current account balance with Harrods Limited of £11.7m (2020: creditor £0.5m).

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Notes to the Financial Statements for the period ended 30 January 2021 (continued)

7 Creditors

	30 January 2021 £ m	01 February 2020 £ m
Due within one year		
Amounts due to related parties	35.0	35.5
Social security and other taxes	0.2	0.1
Corporation tax	0.4	0.3
Accruals and deferred income	0.5	0.6
	<u>36.1</u>	<u>36.5</u>

Amounts owed to related parties includes a non-interest bearing loan, repayable on demand by the lender, with Harrods Group (Holding) Limited of £35.0m (2020: £35.0m).

8 Share capital

Allotted, called up and fully paid shares

	30 January 2021 No.	£	01 February 2020 No.	£
Ordinary shares of £1 each	<u>203</u>	<u>203</u>	<u>203</u>	<u>203</u>

Each ordinary share represents one vote. There are no restrictions or preferences placed on these shares.

9 Related party transactions

The company has taken advantage of the exemption in FRS102, section 33 "Related Party Disclosures" from disclosing transactions with other members of the group.

10 Parent and ultimate parent undertaking

The company's immediate parent undertaking is QH Partners Limited, a company registered in England and Wales. The ultimate UK parent undertaking of QH Partners Limited is Harrods Group (Holding) Limited. The largest and smallest group of undertakings for which group accounts have been drawn up is that headed by Harrods Group (Holding) Limited.

The company is an indirect 100% subsidiary of Qatar Holding LLC which is the strategic investment arm of Qatar Investment Authority, the ultimate controlling party, incorporated in Qatar.