

**BROWNS SOLICITORS (ESSEX) LTD
UNAUDITED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 JANUARY 2020**

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Browns Solicitors (Essex) Ltd
Balance Sheet
As at 31 January 2020

Registered number: 09266231

		2020		2019	
	Notes	£	£	£	£
FIXED ASSETS					
Tangible Assets	4		7,415		3,770
			<u>7,415</u>		<u>3,770</u>
CURRENT ASSETS					
Debtors	5	237,246		151,861	
Cash at bank and in hand		<u>89,604</u>		<u>106,728</u>	
		326,850		258,589	
Creditors: Amounts Falling Due Within One Year	6	<u>(57,099)</u>		<u>(58,262)</u>	
NET CURRENT ASSETS (LIABILITIES)			<u>269,751</u>		<u>200,327</u>
TOTAL ASSETS LESS CURRENT LIABILITIES			<u>277,166</u>		<u>204,097</u>
PROVISIONS FOR LIABILITIES					
Deferred Taxation			<u>(1,557)</u>		<u>(792)</u>
NET ASSETS			<u>275,609</u>		<u>203,305</u>
CAPITAL AND RESERVES					
Called up share capital	7		2		2
Profit and Loss Account			<u>275,607</u>		<u>203,303</u>
SHAREHOLDERS' FUNDS			<u>275,609</u>		<u>203,305</u>

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For the year ending 31 January 2020 the company was entitled to exemption from audit under section 477 of the Companies Act 2006 relating to small companies.

Directors' responsibilities:

- The members have not required the company to obtain an audit in accordance with section 476 of the Companies Act 2006.
- The directors acknowledge their responsibilities for complying with the requirements of the Act with respect to accounting records and the preparation of accounts.
- These accounts have been prepared and delivered in accordance with the provisions applicable to companies subject to the small companies' regime.
- The company has taken advantage of section 444(1) of the Companies Act 2006 and opted not to deliver to the registrar a copy of the company's Profit and Loss Account.

On behalf of the board

Ms Jane Elgar

Director

28th September 2020

The notes on pages 3 to 5 form part of these financial statements.

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Notes to the Financial Statements
For The Year Ended 31 January 2020

1. Accounting Policies

1.1. Basis of Preparation of Financial Statements

The financial statements are prepared under the historical cost convention and in accordance with the FRS 102 Section 1A Small Entities - The Financial Reporting Standard applicable in the UK and Republic of Ireland and the Companies Act 2006.

1.2. Turnover

Turnover is measured at the fair value of the consideration received or receivable, net of discounts and value added taxes. Turnover includes revenue earned from the sale of goods and from the rendering of services. Turnover is reduced for estimated customer returns, rebates and other similar allowances.

1.3. Intangible Fixed Assets and Amortisation - Goodwill

Goodwill is the difference between amounts paid on the acquisition of a business and the fair value of the separable net assets. It is amortised to profit and loss account over its estimated economic life of 3 years.

1.4. Tangible Fixed Assets and Depreciation

Tangible fixed assets are measured at cost less accumulated depreciation and any accumulated impairment losses. Depreciation is provided at rates calculated to write off the cost of the fixed assets, less their estimated residual value, over their expected useful lives on the following bases:

Plant & Machinery	25% reducing balance
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1.5. Taxation

Income tax expense represents the sum of the tax currently payable and deferred tax.

The tax currently payable is based on taxable profit for the year. Taxable profit differs from profit as reported in the statement of comprehensive income because of items of income or expense that are taxable or deductible in other year and items that are never taxable or deductible. The company's liability for current tax is calculated using tax rates that have been enacted or substantively enacted by the end of the reporting period.

Deferred tax is recognised on timing differences between the carrying amounts of assets and liabilities in the financial statements and the corresponding tax bases used in the computation of taxable profit. Deferred tax liabilities are generally recognised for all taxable timing differences. Deferred tax assets are generally recognised for all deductible temporary differences to the extent that it is probable that taxable profits will be available against which those deductible timing differences can be utilised. The carrying amount of deferred tax assets is reviewed at the end of each reporting period and reduced to the extent that it is no longer probable that sufficient taxable profits will be available to allow all or part of the asset to be recovered.

Deferred tax assets and liabilities are measured at the tax rates that are expected to apply in the period in which the liability is settled or the asset realised, based on tax rates (and tax laws) that have been enacted or substantively enacted by the end of the reporting period. Deferred tax liabilities are presented within provisions for liabilities and deferred tax assets within debtors. The measurement of deferred tax liabilities and asset reflects the tax consequences that would follow from the manner in which the Company expects, at the end of the reporting period, to recover or settle the carrying amount of its assets and liabilities.

Current or deferred tax for the year is recognised in profit or loss, except when they related to items that are recognised in other comprehensive income or directly in equity, in which case, the current and deferred tax is also recognised in other comprehensive income or directly in equity respectively.

2. Average Number of Employees

Average number of employees, including directors, during the year was as follows: 6 (2019: 6)

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3. Intangible Assets

	Goodwill
	£
Cost	
As at 1 February 2019	15,000
As at 31 January 2020	15,000
Amortisation	
As at 1 February 2019	15,000
As at 31 January 2020	15,000
Net Book Value	
As at 31 January 2020	-
As at 1 February 2019	-

4. Tangible Assets

	Plant & Machinery
	£
Cost	
As at 1 February 2019	11,469
Additions	6,117
As at 31 January 2020	17,586
Depreciation	
As at 1 February 2019	7,699
Provided during the period	2,472
As at 31 January 2020	10,171
Net Book Value	
As at 31 January 2020	7,415
As at 1 February 2019	3,770

5. Debtors

	2020	2019
	£	£
Due within one year		
Trade debtors	34,679	38,910
Other debtors	202,567	112,951
	237,246	151,861

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6. Creditors: Amounts Falling Due Within One Year

	2020	2019
	£	£
Other creditors	5,226	5,226
Taxation and social security	51,873	53,036
	<u>57,099</u>	<u>58,262</u>

7. Share Capital

	2020	2019
Allotted, Called up and fully paid	<u>2</u>	<u>2</u>

8. Other Commitments

The total of future minimum lease payments under non-cancellable operating leases are as following:

	Other
	2020
	£
Within 1 year	3,150
	<u>3,150</u>

9. Related Party Transactions

There is an interest free loan to Browns Properties (Essex) Ltd of £196,403 (2018: £105,403) outstanding at the year end.

10. Ultimate Controlling Party

There is no ultimate controlling party.

11. General Information

Browns Solicitors (Essex) Ltd is a private company, limited by shares, incorporated in England & Wales, registered number 09266231 . The registered office is Church House, 46 High Street, Billericay, Essex, CM12 9BS.

The financial statements are presented in sterling which is the functional currency of the company and rounded to the nearest £.

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