**Abbreviated accounts** 

for the year ended 31 August 2014

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# Report to the Board of Directors on the preparation of unaudited abbreviated accounts of Abacus Legal Recruitment Limited for the year ended 31 August 2014

In order to assist you to fulfil your duties under the Companies Act 2006, we have prepared for your approval the abbreviated accounts of Abacus Legal Recruitment Limited for the year ended 31 August 2014 which comprise the Balance Sheet and the related notes from the company's accounting records and from information and explanations you have given us.

As a practising member of the Institute of Chartered Accountants in Ireland, we are subject to its ethical and other professional requirements which are detailed at www.charteredaccountants.ie.

This report is made solely to the company's Board of Directors in accordance with the terms of our engagement. Our work has been undertaken solely to prepare for your approval the abbreviated accounts of Abacus Legal Recruitment Limited and state those matters that we have agreed to state to the company's Board of Directors, as a body, in this report in accordance with the requirements of the Institute of Chartered Accountants in Ireland as detailed at www.charteredaccountants.ie. To the fullest extent permitted by law, we do not accept or assume responsibility to anyone other than Abacus Legal Recruitment Limited and its Board of Directors, as a body, for our work or for this report.

It is your duty to ensure that Abacus Legal Recruitment Limited has kept adequate accounting records and to prepare statutory abbreviated accounts that give a true and fair view of the assets, liabilities, financial position and profit of Abacus Legal Recruitment Limited. You consider that Abacus Legal Recruitment Limited is exempt from the statutory audit requirement for the year.

We have not been instructed to carry out an audit or a review of the abbreviated accounts of Abacus Legal Recruitment Limited. For this reason, we have not verified the accuracy or completeness of the accounting records or information and explanations you have given to us and we do not, therefore, express any opinion on the abbreviated accounts.

Muldoon & Co.

Chartered Accountants & Registered Auditors

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Belfast BT7 1NZ

Date: 5 January 2015

# Abbreviated balance sheet as at 31 August 2014

		2014		2013	
	Notes	£	£	£	£
Fixed assets					
Tangible assets	2		43,304		33,318
Current assets					
Debtors		487,152		317,145	
Cash at bank and in hand		30		173	
		487,182		317,318	
Creditors: amounts falling				(0.0.5.10.7)	
due within one year		(443,071)		(296,497)	
Net current assets			44,111		20,821
Total assets less current					
liabilities			87,415		54,139
Provisions for liabilities			(7,390)		(5,114)
Net assets		•	80,025		49,025
Capital and reserves					
Called up share capital	3		6		6
Profit and loss account			80,019		49,019
Shareholders' funds			80,025		49,025

The directors' statements required by Sections 475(2) and (3) are shown on the following page which forms part of this Balance Sheet.

#### Abbreviated balance sheet (continued)

# Directors' statements required by Sections 475(2) and (3) for the year ended 31 August 2014

For the year ended 31 August 2014 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 of its abbreviated accounts for the year 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 abbreviated accounts.

These abbreviated accounts have been prepared in accordance with the special provisions of Part 15 of the Companies Act 2006 relating to small companies.

These accounts were approved by the directors on 5 January 2015, and are signed on their behalf by:

Justin Rush Director Alan Braithwaite

Director

Registration number NI051153

# Notes to the abbreviated financial statements for the year ended 31 August 2014

### 1. Accounting policies

The following accounting policies have been applied consistently in dealing with items which are considered material in relation to the company's abbreviated accounts.

#### 1.1. Accounting convention

The accounts are prepared under the historical cost convention and in accordance with the Financial Reporting Standard for Smaller Entities (effective April 2008).

#### 1.2. Turnover

Turnover represents the total invoice value, excluding value added tax, of sales made during the year.

#### 1.3. Tangible fixed assets and depreciation

Depreciation is provided at rates calculated to write off the cost less residual value of each asset over its expected useful life, as follows:

Fixtures, fittings

and equipment

20% reducing balance

#### 1.4. Leasing

Rentals payable under operating leases are charged against income on a straight line basis over the lease term.

#### 1.5. Pensions

The pension costs charged in the financial statements represent the contribution payable by the company during the year.

# Notes to the abbreviated financial statements for the year ended 31 August 2014

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#### 1.6. Deferred taxation

Deferred tax is recognised in respect of all timing differences that have originated but not reversed at the balance sheet date where transactions or events have occurred at that date that will result in an obligation to pay more, or a right to pay less or to receive more, tax, with the following exceptions:

Provision is made for tax on gains arising from the revaluation (and similar fair value adjustments) of fixed assets, and gains on disposal of fixed assets that have been rolled over into replacement assets, only to the extent that, at the balance sheet date, there is a binding agreement to dispose of the assets concerned. However, no provision is made where, on the basis of all available evidence at the balance sheet date, it is more likely than not that the taxable gain will be rolled over into replacement assets and charged to tax only where the replacement assets are sold;

Provision is made for deferred tax that would arise on remittance of the retained earnings of overseas subsidiaries, associates and joint ventures only to the extent that, at the balance sheet date, dividends have been accrued as receivable;

Deferred tax assets are recognised only to the extent that the directors consider that it is more likely than not that there will be suitable taxable profits from which the future reversal of the underlying timing differences can be deducted.

Deferred tax is measured on an undiscounted basis at the tax rates that are expected to apply in the periods in which timing differences reverse, based on tax rates and laws enacted or substantively enacted at the balance sheet date.

		Tangible
2. Fixed assets	Fixed assets	fixed
		assets
		£
	Cost	
	At 1 September 2013	118,069
	Additions	20,813
	At 31 August 2014	138,882
	Depreciation	
	At 1 September 2013	84,752
	Charge for year	10,826
	At 31 August 2014	95,578
	Net book values	<del></del> -
	At 31 August 2014	43,304
	At 31 August 2013	33,318
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# Notes to the abbreviated financial statements for the year ended 31 August 2014

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3.	Share capital	2014	2013
	•	£	£
	Allotted, called up and fully paid		
	6 Ordinary shares of £1 each	6	6
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	Equity Shares		
	6 Ordinary shares of £1 each	6	6
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#### 4. Transactions with directors

The following directors had loans during the year. The movements on these loans are as follows:

	Amount	Amount owing	
·	2014	2013 £	in year £
	£		
Justin Rush	76,684	61,135	85,077
Alan Braithwaite	77,757	61,704	85,940