Caldwell & Robinson Limited
Abridged accounts
for the year ended 30 April 2023

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# Financial statements for the year ended 30 April 2023

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# **Company information**

## Company registration number

NI 625342

#### **Directors**

P Gilliland K O'Leary G Keehan E Maginn

## Registered office

Artillery Chambers 10-12 Artillery Street Londonderry BT48 6RG

## **Bankers**

Danske Bank North Business Centre 1-2 Broadway Ballymena Co Antrim

## **Chartered accountants**

TK Magee & Co 79 Main Street Claudy Co Londonderry BT47 4BH

## Balance sheet as at 30 April 2023

	Notes	2023	2022
		£	£
Fixed assets	•		<del></del> .
Intangible assets	3	-	-
Tangible assets	4	21,802	18,959
Investments	5	160,000	160,000
		181,802	178,959
Current assets			<u> </u>
Debtors	6	998,478	872,417
Cash at bank and in hand		188,812	1,940
		1,187,290	874,357
Creditors: amounts falling due within one year	7	(198,013)	(190,128)
Net current assets	<del></del>	989,277	684,229
Total assets less current liabilities		1,171,079	863,188
Provisions for liabilities	9	(3,434)	(1,896)
Net assets		1,167,645	861,292
Capital and reserves			
Called up share capital	10	100	100
Profit and loss account		1,167,545	861,292
Shareholders' funds		1,167,645	861,292

These financial statements have been prepared in accordance with the provisions applicable to companies subject to the small companies regime and the option not to file the profit and loss has been taken.

For the financial year ended 30 April 2023, the company was entitled to exemption from audit under Section 477 of the Companies Act 2006 relating to small companies and the members have not required the company to obtain an audit of its financial statements for the year in question in accordance with Section 476 of the Companies Act 2006.

The directors acknowledge their responsibilities for complying with the requirements of the Companies Act 2006 with respect to accounting records and the preparation of financial statements.

100% of the company's members have consented to the directors drawing up an abridged balance sheet for the year ended 30 April 2023.

The abridged accounts were approved and authorised for issue by the board of directors on 27 October 2023 and were signed on its behalf by:

K o'Leary

Director

Director

Registered number: NI625342

The notes on pages 3 to 7 form part of these financial statements.

## Notes to the financial statements for the year ended 30 April 2023

## 1 Summary of significant accounting policies

#### (a) General information and basis of preparation

Caldwell & Robinson Limited is a private company limited by shares incorporated in Northern Ireland, United Kingdom. The address of the registered office is given in the company information on page 1 of these financial statements. The company's principal activity is that of a solicitors practice.

The financial statements have been prepared in accordance with applicable accounting standards including Financial Reporting Standard 102 The Financial Reporting Standard applicable in the UK and Ireland (FRS 102) as adapted by Section 1A of FRS 102 and the Companies Act 2006. The financial statements have been prepared on a going concern basis under the historical cost convention. The financial statements are presented in sterling which is the functional currency of the company.

The significant accounting policies applied in the preparation of these financial statements are set out below. These policies have been consistently applied unless otherwise stated.

#### (b) Goodwill

Purchased goodwill arising on acquisitions is eliminated by amortisation through the profit and loss account over its useful economic life. The useful economic life of the asset shown in Note 3 has been estimated by the directors at five years.

### (c) Tangible fixed assets

Tangible fixed assets are stated at cost less depreciation and impairment.

The cost of tangible fixed assets is their purchase cost, together with any incidental costs of acquisition. Depreciation is calculated so as to write off the cost of tangible fixed assets, less their estimated residual values, on a straight line basis over the expected useful economic lives of the assets concerned. The principal annual rates used are as follows:

Premises improvements - 10% Fixtures and fittings - 20%

The assets' residual values, useful lives and depreciation methods are reviewed, and adjusted prospectively if appropriate, or if there is an indication of a significant change since the last reporting period.

Gains and losses on disposals are determined by comparing the proceeds with the carrying amount and are recognised within 'administrative expenses' in the Profit and loss account.

### (d) Investments

Investment properties for which fair value can be measured reliably without undue cost or effort are measured at fair value at each reporting date with changes in fair value recognised in profit or loss. The methods and significant assumptions used to ascertain the fair values and fair value movements included in the profit and loss, if any, are provided by external valuers or the directors and are estimated based on the active market for similar properties in the same general locations and condition.

## (e) Debtors and amounts recoverable on contracts

Debtors and amounts recoverable on contracts with no stated interest rate and receivable within one year are recorded at transaction price, less any impairment.

### (f) Cash at bank and in hand

Cash at bank and in hand includes cash on hand, demand deposits and other term highly liquid investments regardless of maturity. Bank overdrafts are shown within borrowings in current liabilities on the balance sheet.

## Notes to the financial statements for the year ended 30 April 2023

## 1 Summary of significant accounting policies (continued)

#### (g) Creditors

Creditors with no stated interest rate and payable within one year are recorded at 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.

#### (h) Financial instruments

The company only enters into basic financial instruments transactions that result in the recognition of financial assets and liabilities like trade and other accounts receivable and payable which are recognised at transaction price.

#### (i) Pensions

The company operates a defined contribution scheme for directors and employees. Contributions payable are recognised in profit and loss account when due.

#### (i) Turnover

Turnover is measured at the fair value of the consideration received or receivable net of VAT. Turnover is recognised when, and to the extent that, the company obtains the right to consideration in exchange for its performance.

#### (k) Tax

Current tax represents the amount of tax payable or receivable in respect of the taxable profit (or loss) for the current or past reporting periods. It is measured at the amount expected to be paid or recovered using the tax rates and laws that have been enacted or substantively enacted by the balance sheet date.

Deferred tax represents the future tax consequences of transactions and events recognised in the financial statements of current and previous periods. It is recognised in respect of all timing differences, with certain exceptions. Timing differences are differences between taxable profits and total comprehensive income as stated in the financial statements that arise from the inclusion of income and expense in tax assessments in periods different from those in which they are recognised in the financial statements. Unrelieved tax losses and other deferred tax assets are recognised only to the extent that 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 balance sheet date that are expected to apply to the reversal of timing differences. Deferred tax on current asset investments stated at fair value is measured using the rates and allowances that apply to the sale of the asset.

#### (I) Foreign currencies

Transactions denominated in foreign currencies are translated at the exchange rate at the date of the transaction. All monetary assets and liabilities denominated in foreign currencies are translated at the rate of exchange ruling at the balance sheet date. Non-monetary assets and liabilities denominated in foreign currencies are translated at the rate of exchange at the date of the transaction. The resulting gain or loss is dealt with in the profit and loss account.

## (m) Leased assets

Rentals under operating leases are charged to the profit and loss account as incurred.

# Notes to the financial statements for the year ended 30 April 2023

## 2 Employees

	2023	2022
	Number	Number
The average monthly number of perso (including directors) during the year w		
Employees	. 20	19

## 3 Intangible fixed assets

•	Total
	£
Cost	
At 1 May 2022 and at 30 April 2023	200,000
Amortisation	
At 1 May 2022	200,000
Charge for the year	•
At 30 April 2023	200,000
Net book value	
At 30 April 2023	•
At 30 April 2022	-

# 4 Tangible assets

	Total £
Cost	
At 1 May 2022	56,494
Additions	13,048
At 30 April 2023	69,542
Depreciation	
At 1 May 2022	37,535
Charge for the year	10,205
At 30 April 2023	47,740
Net book value	
At 30 April 2023	21,802
At 30 April 2022	18,959

# Notes to the financial statements for the year ended 30 April 2023

## 5 Investments

	Investment properties £	Total £
Valuation		
At 1 May 2022	160,000	160,000
Unrealised gains and losses on investments	-	-
At 30 April 2023	160,000	160,000

The company's investment properties were valued as at 28 May 2020 on the basis of open market value in Northern Ireland by external valuer, James O'Doherty & Co Chartered Surveyors, Valuers and Property Consultants. These external valuations were considered and adjusted, where appropriate, on the basis of open market value as at 30 April 2023 by the company's directors.

6	Debtors

O Dentots	2023 £	2023	2022
		£	
Due within one year			
Debtors and amounts recoverable on contracts	956,104	841,137	
Prepayments	42,374	31,280	
	998,478	872,417	
7 Creditors: amounts falling due within one year			
	2023	2022	
	£	£	
Creditors	166,284	172,547	
Accruals and deferred income	31,729	17,581	
	198,013	190,128	
8 Secured borrowings	2023	2022	
	2023 £	2022 £	
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Bank loans and overdrafts	2,558	63,826	
<u> </u>	2,558	63,826	
Maturity of financial liabilities:		_	
In one year or less, or on demand	2,558	63,826	
In more than one year, but not more than two years	-	-	
	2,558	63,826	

Bank borrowings are secured by a debenture held by Northern Bank Limited over the company's assets and a letter of guarantee from the directors.

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# Notes to the financial statements for the year ended 30 April 2023

## 9 Provisions for liabilities

		Deferred taxation £
At 1 May 2022		1,896
Charged to the profit and loss account		1,538
At 30 April 2023		3,434
Deferred tax comprises:	2023	2022
Accelerated capital allowances	3,434	£ 1,896
0 Called up share capital	2023	2022
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## 11 Client accounts

Authorised, allotted and fully paid 100 ordinary shares of £1 each

The company holds monies on behalf of clients in separately designated bank accounts and maintains a corresponding client ledger of an equal amount. Accordingly these balances have been offset.

	2023 £	2022 £
Money held in clients' accounts	3,293,225	1,514,384
Clients' ledger balance	(3,293,225)	(1,514,384)

## 12 Commitments, guarantees or contingencies

There were no commitments, guarantees or contingencies at 30 April 2023 (2022: None).