

**CHERWELL FILMS LLP**

**ANNUAL REPORT AND FINANCIAL STATEMENTS**

**YEAR ENDED 5 APRIL 2014**

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Limited Liability Partnership Number: OC307696

## **CHERWELL FILMS LLP**

### **MEMBERS' REPORT YEAR ENDED 5 APRIL 2014**

The members present the annual report on the affairs of Cherwell Films LLP ("the Partnership"), together with the financial statements and auditor's report, for the year ended 5 April 2014.

#### **Principal activities**

The Partnership was formed in order to develop commercial film opportunities through a combination of sale and leaseback transactions and film development projects.

#### **Business review and future outlook**

There have been no significant changes during the year.

During the year ending 5 April 2014 the Partnership did not acquire any further films for sale and leaseback purposes. Details of the films previously acquired are outlined in Note 5.

The Partnership will continue to consider opportunities to acquire film rights and other lease opportunities. Due to the phasing out of the film reliefs that supported sale and leaseback and the introduction of a new regime under which film production companies are entitled to claim tax credits, there will be fewer opportunities available.

#### **Going concern**

After making enquiries, the members have a reasonable expectation that the Partnership has adequate resources to continue in operational existence for the foreseeable future. Accordingly, they continue to adopt the going concern basis in preparing the financial statements.

#### **Overseas branches**

There are no overseas branches of the Partnership.

#### **Policy regarding members' drawings and capital**

The designated members serving during the year were Fleet Film Partners 1 Limited and Fleet Film Partners 2 Limited ("the Designated Members").

The Designated Members are not entitled to drawings. In accordance with the Members' Agreement, no ordinary member shall be entitled to make drawings on account of profits to which they are entitled, unless unanimously agreed by the ordinary members, or unless permitted under that Agreement. There were no transfers of members' capital to debt during the year. Members' capital is subscribed in accordance with the current Members' Agreement, and retained by the Partnership until such time as the members agree to repay the capital. The operating cash requirements of the Partnership shall be met out of the members' initial contributions. No member shall be required to make further funding available after their admission as a member.

**MEMBERS' REPORT (CONTINUED)**  
**YEAR ENDED 5 APRIL 2014**

**Statement of members' responsibilities**

Under the Members' Agreement, the Partnership is obliged to produce financial statements on an annual basis. The Designated Members are responsible for preparing the financial statements in accordance with applicable law and regulations.

The Limited Liability Partnerships (Accounts & Audit) (Application of Companies Act 2006) Regulations 2008 require the members to prepare financial statements for each financial year.

Under that law the members have elected to prepare the financial statements in accordance with United Kingdom Generally Accepted Accounting Practice (United Kingdom Accounting Standards and applicable law). The financial statements are required by law to give a true and fair view of the state of affairs of the Partnership and of the profit or loss for that year. In preparing these financial statements, the members are required to:

- select suitable accounting policies and then apply them consistently;
- make judgements and estimates that are reasonable and prudent;
- state whether applicable United Kingdom Accounting Standards have been followed; and
- prepare the financial statements on the going concern basis, unless it is inappropriate to presume that the Partnership will continue in business.

The members are responsible for keeping adequate accounting records that disclose with reasonable accuracy at any time the financial position of the Partnership and enable them to ensure that the financial statements comply with the Companies Act 2006, as applicable to limited liability partnerships. They are also responsible for safeguarding the assets of the Partnership and hence for taking reasonable steps for the prevention and detection of fraud and other irregularities.

The operator of the Partnership is Ingenious Media Investments Limited ("the Operator")

The members are responsible for ensuring the integrity of the corporate and financial information included on the Operator's website and for ensuring that the information is maintained. Legislation in the United Kingdom governing the preparation and dissemination of financial statements may differ from legislation in other jurisdictions.

These responsibilities are exercised by the Designated Members on behalf of the Partnership.

This report has been prepared in accordance with the provisions applicable to entities entitled to the small companies exemption. This is in accordance with Part 15 of the Companies Act 2006, as applicable to limited liability partnerships. The Partnership has taken advantage of the exemption for the requirement to disclose an enhanced business review and to prepare a strategic report on the grounds that it is a small entity.

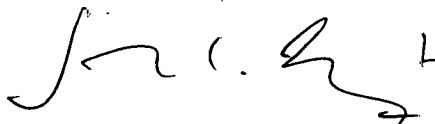
The report was approved by the Designated Members on 7 October 2014 and signed on their behalf by:



**Fleet Film Partners 1 Limited**

Designated Member

Date: 7/10/14



**Fleet Film Partners 2 Limited**

Designated Member

Date: 7/10/14

Registered office:

15 Golden Square

London

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Limited Liability Partnership Number: OC307696

CHERWELL FILMS LLP

PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT  
YEAR ENDED 5 APRIL 2014

	Notes	5 April 2014 £	5 April 2013 £
Turnover	1, 2	2,085,952	2,329,578
Operating expenses:			
Audit fees and other professional fees	3	-	(1,350)
Depreciation	4	(9,746,000)	(9,746,000)
Bank charges		(18)	-
		<u>(9,746,018)</u>	<u>(9,747,350)</u>
<b>OPERATING LOSS</b>		<u>(7,660,066)</u>	<u>(7,417,772)</u>
<b>LOSS FOR THE FINANCIAL YEAR BEFORE MEMBERS' REMUNERATION AND LOSS SHARE</b>		<u>(7,660,066)</u>	<u>(7,417,772)</u>
<b>RETAINED LOSS FOR THE FINANCIAL YEAR AVAILABLE FOR DISCRETIONARY DIVISION AMONG MEMBERS</b>	7	<u>(7,660,066)</u>	<u>(7,417,772)</u>

All results are derived from continuing operations.

There are no recognised gains or losses during the financial year other than as stated in the Profit and Loss Account above, and accordingly no separate Statement of Total Recognised Gains and Losses is presented.

The Notes on pages 5 to 8 form an integral part of the financial statements.

**CHERWELL FILMS LLP**

**BALANCE SHEET  
AS AT 5 APRIL 2014**

		5 April 2014 £	5 April 2013 £
	Notes		
<b>FIXED ASSETS</b>			
Films acquired under operating leases	4	48,730,000	48,730,000
Less: Accumulated depreciation	4	(19,892,521)	(10,146,521)
		<u>28,837,479</u>	<u>38,583,479</u>
<b>CURRENT ASSETS</b>			
<b>Amounts falling due within one year:</b>			
Net investment in film finance leases	5	8,800,910	8,101,413
Accrued finance lease income		1,710,634	1,911,437
Called up members' capital not paid		2	2
Cash at bank		27,239	2,505
Other debtors		<u>208</u>	<u>208</u>
		<u>10,538,993</u>	<u>10,015,565</u>
<b>CREDITORS</b>			
<b>Amounts falling due within one year:</b>			
Loans	6	(623,350)	(623,350)
Rentals received in advance		(3,493,065)	(3,635,795)
Accruals		(78)	(1,428)
Other creditors		<u>(26,396)</u>	<u>(294)</u>
		<u>(4,142,889)</u>	<u>(4,260,867)</u>
<b>NET CURRENT ASSETS</b>		<u>6,396,104</u>	<u>5,754,698</u>
<b>ASSETS</b>			
<b>Amounts falling due after more than one year:</b>			
Net investment in film finance leases	5	<u>60,224,599</u>	<u>69,025,509</u>
<b>NET ASSETS ATTRIBUTABLE TO MEMBERS</b>		<u>95,458,182</u>	<u>113,363,686</u>
<b>MEMBERS' OTHER INTERESTS REPRESENTED BY:</b>			
Members' capital classified as equity under FRS 25	7	175,621,786	175,621,786
Other reserves	7	<u>(80,163,604)</u>	<u>(62,258,100)</u>
<b>TOTAL MEMBERS' INTERESTS</b>	7	<u>95,458,182</u>	<u>113,363,686</u>
<b>MEMBERS' OTHER INTERESTS</b>		<u>95,458,182</u>	<u>113,363,686</u>

The Notes on pages 5 to 8 form an integral part of the financial statements.

For the year ended 5th April 2014 the Limited Liability Partnership was entitled to exemption under section 477 of the Companies Act 2006 (as applied by the Limited Liability Partnerships (Accounts and Audit) (Application of Companies Act 2006) Regulations 2008). The members acknowledge their responsibility for complying with the requirements of the Companies Act 2006 (as applied to Limited Liability Partnerships) with respect to accounting records and the preparation of accounts. These accounts have been prepared in accordance with the special provisions of the Companies Act 2006 (as applied by the Limited Liability Partnerships (Accounts and Audit) (Application of Companies Act 2006) Regulations 2008) applicable to LLPs subject to the small LLPs regime.

The financial statements were approved by the Designated Members and authorised for issue on 7 October 2014 and signed on their behalf by:

**Fleet Film Partners 1 Limited**  
Designated Member

**Fleet Film Partners 2 Limited**  
Designated Member

Limited Liability Partnership Number: OC307696

**NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS  
YEAR ENDED 5 APRIL 2014**

**1. ACCOUNTING POLICIES**

The Partnership was incorporated in England and Wales as a limited liability partnership under the Limited Liability Partnerships Act 2000.

These financial statements are prepared under the historical cost convention, in accordance with applicable United Kingdom Accounting Standards in compliance with the Statement of Recommended Practice on Accounting for Limited Liability Partnerships. The particular accounting policies adopted, which have been applied consistently throughout the current and preceding year, are described below:

**Turnover**

Turnover, excluding VAT, is recognised on the following basis:

**( i ) Finance lease income**

The recognition of finance lease income is calculated to reflect a constant periodic rate of return on the net cash investment in the lease.

**( ii ) Operating lease income**

Operating lease income is determined by the commercial success of the film and recognised when received.

**( iii ) Participation in film net revenues**

The Partnership's participation in film net revenues in excess of net investment in film finance leases, development and production expenditure, is recognised in turnover when notified by the relevant collection agent.

The members do not consider any one part of the worldwide market to be significantly different from any other.

**Film finance leases**

In accordance with SSAP 21 'Accounting for leases and hire purchase contracts', the amount due from the lessee under finance leases is recorded in the balance sheet of the Partnership as a debtor at the amount of the net investment in the lease, less provision for any items such as bad and doubtful rentals receivable.

**Rentals received in advance**

When lease rentals are received in advance of the period to which they relate, the amounts are recorded as rentals received in advance and included as creditors due within one year.

**Film operating leases**

Assets leased under operating leases have been recorded as fixed assets and depreciated on a straight-line basis at 20% p.a. Rental income is recognised when received.

**Going concern**

Under the terms of its sale and leaseback agreements the Partnership has contracted revenues and cash flows for the next 7 years. The Partnership is in a net assets position. Accordingly, the members believe that the Partnership will be able to maintain positive cash flows for the foreseeable future. As a result the going concern basis of accounting has been adopted.

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONTINUED)  
YEAR ENDED 5 APRIL 2014

1. ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

Cash flow statement

The financial statements do not include a cash flow statement as the Partnership is exempt from the requirement to prepare such a statement under Paragraph 5(g) Financial Reporting Standard 1 (Revised) 'Cash Flow Statements'.

Taxation

No current or deferred taxation is provided on the losses attributable to the members as the liability for taxation falls on the individual members.

2. TURNOVER

Finance lease turnover represents finance lease income calculated to reflect a consistent periodic rate of return on the net cash investment in the lease plus any participation in net film revenues receivable in excess of the net investment made. Operating lease turnover is derived from operating lease charges on a cash received basis.

3. AUDIT FEES AND OTHER PROFESSIONAL FEES

The analysis of auditor's remuneration is as follows:

	2014	2013
	£	£
Fees payable to the Partnership's auditor for the audit of the Partnership's annual accounts	-	1,350

4. FIXED ASSETS

Films acquired for operating leases

	£
Cost at 6 April 2013:	48,730,000
Film additions during the year:	-
<b>Cost at 5 April 2014:</b>	<b>48,730,000</b>
Depreciation at 6 April 2013:	(10,146,521)
Depreciation charged during the year:	(9,746,000)
<b>Accumulated depreciation at 5 April 2014:</b>	<b>(19,892,521)</b>
<b>Net Book Value at 5 April 2014:</b>	<b>28,837,479</b>

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONTINUED)  
YEAR ENDED 5 APRIL 2014

5. NET INVESTMENT IN FILM LEASES

Name of film	Gross Rentals £	Finance Charge £	2014 Net Investment £	2013 Net Investment £	2014 Films Acquired For Leasing £	2013 Films Acquired For Leasing £
<b>Films acquired for operating leases:</b>						
Prometheus	-	-	-	-	48,730,000	48,730,000
	-	-	-	-	48,730,000	48,730,000
<b>Films acquired for finance leases:</b>						
Shaadi Ka Laddoo	2,102,742	(364,693)	1,738,049	1,738,049	-	-
Kingdom of Heaven	137,502,660	(29,361,724)	108,140,936	108,140,936	-	-
The Dark	8,352,036	(1,163,646)	7,188,390	7,188,390	-	-
Double Cross	1,679,428	(263,814)	1,415,614	1,415,614	-	-
	149,636,866	(31,153,877)	118,482,989	118,482,989	-	-
Rentals accrued previously	(64,494,075)	23,138,008	(41,356,067)	(33,990,587)	-	-
Rentals accrued in the year	(10,187,365)	2,085,952	(8,101,413)	(7,365,480)	-	-
	<u>74,955,426</u>	<u>(5,929,917)</u>	<u>69,025,509</u>	<u>77,126,922</u>	<u>48,730,000</u>	<u>48,730,000</u>
Amounts falling due within one year			8,800,910	8,101,413		
Amounts falling due with two to five years			44,251,619	40,533,447		
Amounts falling due after more than five years			15,972,980	28,492,062		
			<u>69,025,509</u>	<u>77,126,922</u>		

6. LOANS

Falling due within one year	2014 £	2013 £
Ingenious Media Limited	<u>623,350</u>	<u>623,350</u>

Ingenious Media Limited has agreed to extend the original term of the loan. Interest does not accrue on the balance with regards to this extended period.



NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONTINUED)  
YEAR ENDED 5 APRIL 2014

7. RECONCILIATION OF MOVEMENTS IN MEMBERS' INTERESTS

	Members' Capital £	Other Reserves £	Total £	Loans and Other Amounts Due to Members £	2014 Total Members' Interests £	2013 Total Members' Interests £
Balance brought forward:	175,621,786	(62,258,100)	113,363,686	-	113,363,686	130,539,017
Loss for the financial year available for discretionary division among members	-	(7,660,066)	(7,660,066)	-	(7,660,066)	(1,834,045)
Members' interests after loss for the year	175,621,786	(69,918,166)	105,703,620	-	105,703,620	87,112,705
Other division of loss	-	(10,245,438)	(10,245,438)	10,245,438	-	0
Capital introduced	-	-	-	-	-	52,719,225
Drawings	-	-	-	(10,245,438)	(10,245,438)	(9,292,913)
Balance carried forward:	<u>175,621,786</u>	<u>(80,163,604)</u>	<u>95,458,182</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>95,458,182</u>	<u>130,539,017</u>

8. INFORMATION RELATING TO MEMBERS

No member received any salaried remuneration from the Partnership during the year (2013: £Nil).

The average number of members in the year was 256 (2013: 256). The average allocation of loss was therefore £29,922 (2013: £28,976) and the largest allocation of loss to any single member was £2,483,516 (2013: £2,381,366).

9. RELATED PARTY TRANSACTIONS

The Designated Members and the Operator (also a member of the Partnership) are all wholly-owned subsidiaries of Ingenious Media Limited, which is itself a wholly-owned subsidiary of Ingenious Media Holdings plc, the ultimate parent company of the Ingenious Media group.

An unsecured interest free loan from Ingenious Media Limited, repayable on demand, previously made to the Partnership, remained outstanding during the year. See Note 6.

There were no material transactions with any related parties in the year.