REGISTERED NUMBER: SC199495 (Scotland)

Abbreviated Accounts For The Year Ended 31 December 2013

<u>for</u>

Speyside Distillers Company Limited

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## **Speyside Distillers Company Limited**

# Company Information For The Year Ended 31 December 2013

**DIRECTORS:** 

J McDonough

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**REGISTERED OFFICE:** 

**Duchess Road** 

Rutherglen GLASGOW G73 1AU

**REGISTERED NUMBER:** 

SC199495 (Scotland)

**AUDITORS:** 

Robb Ferguson

Chartered Accountants & Statutory Auditors

5 Oswald Street Glasgow G1 4QR

## Report of the Independent Auditors to Speyside Distillers Company Limited Under Section 449 of the Companies Act 2006

We have examined the abbreviated accounts set out on pages three to six, together with the full financial statements of Speyside Distillers Company Limited for the year ended 31 December 2013 prepared under Section 396 of the Companies Act 2006.

This report is made solely to the company, in accordance with Section 449 of the Companies Act 2006. Our work has been undertaken so that we might state to the company those matters we are required to state to it in a special auditors' report and for no other purpose. To the fullest extent permitted by law, we do not accept or assume responsibility to anyone other than the company, for our work, for this report, or for the opinions we have formed.

#### Respective responsibilities of directors and auditors

The directors are responsible for preparing the abbreviated accounts in accordance with Section 444 of the Companies Act 2006. It is our responsibility to form an independent opinion as to whether the company is entitled to deliver abbreviated accounts to the Registrar of Companies and whether the abbreviated accounts have been properly prepared in accordance with the Regulations made under that Section and to report our opinion to you.

#### Basis of opinion

We conducted our work in accordance with Bulletin 2008/4 issued by the Auditing Practices Board. In accordance with that Bulletin we have carried out the procedures we consider necessary to confirm, by reference to the financial statements, that the company is entitled to deliver abbreviated accounts and that the abbreviated accounts to be delivered are properly prepared.

#### **Opinion**

In our opinion the company is entitled to deliver abbreviated accounts prepared in accordance with Section 444(3) of the Companies Act 2006, and the abbreviated accounts have been properly prepared in accordance with the Regulations made under that Section.

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Janice Alexander CA (Senior Statutory Auditor) for and on behalf of Robb Ferguson
Chartered Accountants & Statutory Auditors
5 Oswald Street
Glasgow
G1 4QR

Date: 22-9-14

### <u>Abbreviated Balance Sheet</u> 31 December 2013

		201	3	201	2
	Notes	£	£	£	£
FIXED ASSETS					
Tangible assets	2		2,155,791		1,958,999
Investments	3		39,700		39,700
			2,195,491		1,998,699
CURRENT ASSETS					
Stocks		5,814,818		4,952,745	
Debtors		1,780,772		1,141,535	
Investments		8,800		8,800	
Cash at bank and in hand		85,189		281,077	
CREDITORS		7,689,579		6,384,157	
Amounts falling due within one year	4	4,034,778		3,256,799	
NET CURRENT ASSETS			3,654,801		3,127,358
TOTAL ASSETS LESS CURRENT LIABILITIES			5,850,292		5,126,057
CREDITORS					
Amounts falling due after more than one					
year	4		(2,413,191)		(2,642,892)
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PROVISIONS FOR LIABILITIES			(115,300)		
NET ASSETS			3,321,801		2,483,165
CAPITAL AND RESERVES					
Called up share capital	5		9		9
Share premium	,		671,243		671,243
Revaluation reserve			445,306		445,306
Other reserves			1,327,750		1,327,750
Profit and loss account			877,493		38,857
SHAREHOLDERS' FUNDS			3,321,801		2,483,165
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The abbreviated accounts have been prepared in accordance with the special provisions of Part 15 of the Companies Act 2006 relating to small companies.

The financial statements were approved by the Board of Directors on 18-9-14 and were signed on its behalf by:

J McDonough - Director

The notes form part of these abbreviated accounts

# Notes to the Abbreviated Accounts For The Year Ended 31 December 2013

#### 1. ACCOUNTING POLICIES

#### Accounting convention

The financial statements have been prepared under the historical cost convention as modified by the revaluation of certain assets and in accordance with the Financial Reporting Standard for Smaller Entities (effective April 2008).

#### **Turnover**

Turnover represents net invoiced sales of goods, excluding value added tax.

#### Tangible fixed assets

Depreciation is provided at the following annual rates in order to write off each asset over its estimated useful life or, if held under a finance lease, over the lease term, whichever is the shorter.

Freehold property

- 2% on valuation and 2% on cost

Short leasehold

- over the period of lease

Fixed plant and equipment

- 25% on reducing balance and 5% on cost

Fixtures and fittings

- 25% on reducing balance and 15% on reducing balance

Motor vehicles

- 25% on reducing balance

Freehold land is not depreciated.

Assets under construction will only be depreciated once the asset is in use.

#### Stocks

Stocks are valued at the lower of cost and net realisable value, after making due allowance for obsolete and slow moving items.

Cost includes all direct expenditure and an appropriate proportion of fixed and variable overheads.

#### Deferred tax

Deferred tax is recognised in respect of all timing differences that have originated but not reversed at the balance sheet date.

#### Foreign currencies

Monetary assets and liabilities in foreign currencies are translated into sterling at the rates of exchange ruling at the balance sheet date. Transactions in foreign currencies are translated into sterling at the rate of exchange ruling at the date of transaction. Exchange differences are taken into account in arriving at the operating result.

#### Hire purchase and leasing commitments

Assets obtained under hire purchase contracts or finance leases are capitalised in the balance sheet. Those held under hire purchase contracts are depreciated over their estimated useful lives. Those held under finance leases are depreciated over their estimated useful lives or the lease term, whichever is the shorter.

The interest element of these obligations is charged to the profit and loss account over the relevant period. The capital element of the future payments is treated as a liability.

Rentals paid under operating leases are charged to the profit and loss account on a straight line basis over the period of the lease.

#### Pension costs and other post-retirement benefits

The company operates a defined contribution pension scheme. Contributions payable to the company's pension scheme are charged to the profit and loss account in the period to which they relate.

#### Investments

Fixed asset investments are stated at cost unless, in the opinion of the directors, there has been a permanent diminution in value, in which case an appropriate adjustment is made. Listed current asset investments are stated at the lower of cost or market value where the difference is material, and current asset investments are stated at the lower of cost and estimated net realisable value.

### Notes to the Abbreviated Accounts - continued For The Year Ended 31 December 2013

#### 1. ACCOUNTING POLICIES - continued

## Government grants

Government grants on capital expenditure are credited to a deferral account and are released to revenue in accordance with the terms on which capital expenditure is depreciated.

#### 2. TANGIBLE FIXED ASSETS

	Total £
COST OR VALUATION	
At 1 January 2013	3,067,926
Additions	261,039
At 31 December 2013	3,328,965
DEPRECIATION	
At 1 January 2013	1,108,927
Charge for year	64,247
At 31 December 2013	1,173,174
NET BOOK VALUE	<del></del>
At 31 December 2013	2,155,791
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At 31 December 2012	1,958,999
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#### 3. FIXED ASSET INVESTMENTS

	Investments
	other
	than
	loans
	£
COST	
At 1 January 2013	
and 31 December 2013	79,700
PROVISIONS	<del></del>
At 1 January 2013	
and 31 December 2013	40,000
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NET BOOK VALUE	
At 31 December 2013	39,700
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At 31 December 2012	39,700
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The company's investments at the balance sheet date in the share capital of companies include the following:

#### Speyside Distillery Company Limited

Nature of business: Non trading company

Class of shares: holding Ordinary 100.00

The aggregate capital and reserves of the Speyside Distillery Company Limited at the year end was nil (2012 - nil).

### Notes to the Abbreviated Accounts - continued For The Year Ended 31 December 2013

#### FIXED ASSET INVESTMENTS - continued 3.

Speyside Bonding Company Ltd

Nature of business: Non trading company

Class of shares:

holding

Ordinary

100.00

The aggregate capital and reserves of the Speyside Bonding Company Limited at the year end was nil (2012 -

Forbes Ross & Company Ltd

Nature of business: Whisky trademark owner

Class of shares:

Ordinary

holding 100.00

Aggregate capital and reserves

2013 £

2012 £

2,909 2,909

Included in the costs of unlisted investments is the sum of £5,000 in respect of the cost of the investment in Forbes Ross & Company Limited.

#### 4. **CREDITORS**

Creditors include an amount of £2,655,000 (2012 - £2,880,000) for which security has been given.

#### CALLED UP SHARE CAPITAL 5.

Allotted, issued and fully paid:

Number:

Class:

Nominal

2013

2012

889

Ordinary

value: £0.01

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