COMPETENTIA LIMITED

(Company Number: SC338257)

DIRECTORS' REPORT AND ACCOUNTS

31 DECEMBER 2008

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### COMPETENTIA LIMITED DIRECTORS' REPORT



Directors:

J Smith

appointed 21 February 2008

O Kleveland

appointed 21 February 2008

R Hagen

appointed 21 February 2008

Secretary:

Mackinnons

Registered office:

14 Carden Place, Aberdeen

The directors submit their report and the audited accounts of the company for the period from incorporation on 21 February 2008 to 31 December 2008.

#### **RESULTS AND DIVIDENDS**

The profit for the period, amounting to £139,168, has been dealt with as shown in the profit and loss account. The directors do not propose the payment of a dividend.

#### PRINCIPAL ACTIVITY AND REVIEW OF BUSINESS DEVELOPMENTS

The principal activity of the company is the provision of engineering services.

The directors consider the results for the period to be satisfactory.

#### PROVISION OF INFORMATION TO AUDITORS

As far as the directors are aware, there is no relevant audit information of which the company's auditors are unaware and we have taken all the steps that we ought to have taken as directors in order to make ourselves aware of any relevant audit information and to establish that the company's auditors are aware of that information.

#### **AUDITORS**

Anderson Anderson & Brown LLP were appointed auditors with effect from 21 February 2008 and have expressed their willingness to continue in office. A resolution proposing their re-appointment will be submitted at the annual general meeting.

The directors' report has been prepared in accordance with the special provisions of Part VII of the Companies Act 1985 relating to small companies.

Signed on behalf of the board of directors

Director-John Smith

3. 2. 2009

Date

### COMPETENTIA LIMITED STATEMENT OF DIRECTORS' RESPONSIBILITIES



Company law requires the directors to prepare accounts for each financial year which give a true and fair view of the state of affairs of the company and of the profit or loss of the company for that period. In preparing those accounts, the directors are required to:

- (a) select suitable accounting policies and then apply them consistently:
- (b) make judgements and estimates that are reasonable and prudent;
- (c) state whether or not applicable United Kingdom Accounting Standards have been followed, subject to any material departures disclosed and explained in the accounts; and,
- (d) prepare the accounts on the going concern basis unless it is inappropriate to presume that the company will continue in business.

The directors are responsible for keeping proper accounting records which disclose with reasonable accuracy at any time the financial position of the company and which enable them to ensure that the accounts comply with the Companies Act 1985. They are also responsible for safeguarding the assets of the company and hence for taking reasonable steps for the prevention and detection of fraud and other irregularities.

### INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT TO THE SHAREHOLDERS OF COMPETENTIA LIMITED



We have audited the accounts of Competentia Limited for the period ended 31 December 2008 which comprise the Profit and Loss Account, the Company Balance Sheet, the Cash Flow Statement and the related notes. These accounts have been prepared in accordance with the accounting policies set out therein.

This report is made solely to the company's members, as a body, in accordance with Section 235 of the Companies Act 1985. Our audit work has been undertaken so that we might state to the company's members those matters we are required to state to them in an 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 and the company's members as a body, for our audit work, for this report, or for the opinions we have formed.

#### Respective responsibilities of directors and auditors

As described on page 2 the company's directors are responsible for the preparation of the accounts in accordance with applicable law and United Kingdom Accounting Standards (United Kingdom Generally Accepted Accounting Practice).

Our responsibility is to audit the accounts in accordance with relevant legal and regulatory requirements and International Standards on Auditing (UK and Ireland).

We report to you our opinion as to whether or not the accounts give a true and fair view, are properly prepared in accordance with the Companies Act 1985 and the information given in the directors' report is consistent with the accounts. We also report to you if, in our opinion, the company has not kept proper accounting records, if we have not received all the information and explanations we require for our audit, or if information specified by law regarding directors' remuneration and transactions with the company is not disclosed.

We read the Directors' Report and consider the implications for our report if we become aware of any apparent misstatements within it.

#### Basis of opinion

We conducted our audit in accordance with International Standards on Auditing (UK and Ireland) issued by the Auditing Practices Board. An audit includes examination, on a test basis, of evidence relevant to the amounts and disclosures in the accounts. It also includes an assessment of the significant estimates and judgements made by the directors in the preparation of the accounts, and of whether the accounting policies are appropriate to the company's circumstances, consistently applied and adequately disclosed.

We planned and performed our audit so as to obtain all the information and explanations which we considered necessary in order to provide us with sufficient evidence to give reasonable assurance that the accounts are free from material misstatement, whether caused by fraud or other irregularity or error. In forming our opinion we also evaluated the overall adequacy of the presentation of information in the accounts.

#### Opinion

In our opinion:-

- the accounts give a true and fair view, in accordance with United Kingdom Generally Accepted Accounting Practice, of the state of the company's affairs as at 31 December 2008 and of its profit for the period then ended:
- · the accounts have been properly prepared in accordance with the Companies Act 1985; and
- the information provided in the directors' report is consistent with the accounts.

Welson Anderson & Brown LLP

Anderson Anderson & Brown LLP

Chartered Accountants Registered Auditors

Aberdeen

30th March 2009

# COMPETENTIA LIMITED PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT FOR THE PERIOD FROM 21 FEBRUARY TO 31 DECEMBER 2008



|   | Note | 2008<br>£ |
|---|------|-----------|
| TURNOVER                                      | 2    | 3,770,936 |
| Cost of sales                                 |      | 3,614,920 |
| GROSS PROFIT                                  |      | 156,016   |
| Administrative expenses                       |      | 16,848    |
| PROFIT ON ORDINARY ACTIVITIES BEFORE TAXATION | 3    | 139,168   |
| Taxation                                      | 5    | 32,000    |
| PROFIT FOR THE FINANCIAL PERIOD               |      | £ 107,168 |

The company has made no gains or losses other than as reported above.

Movements on reserves are as set out in Note 10.

## COMPETENTIA LIMITED BALANCE SHEET - 31 DECEMBER 2008



|   |      | 2008      |
|---|------|-----------|
|   | Note | £         |
| CURRENT ASSETS  |      |           |
| Debtors   | 6    | 227,509   |
| Cash at bank and in hand                                |      | 416,541   |
|   |      | 644,050   |
| CREDITORS: amounts falling due within one year          | 7    | 286,783   |
| TOTAL ASSETS LESS CURRENT LIABILITIES                   |      | 357,267   |
| CREDITORS: amounts falling due after more than one year | 8    | 250,000   |
|   |      | £ 107,267 |
| CAPITAL AND RESERVES                                    |      |           |
| Called up share capital                                 | 9    | 99        |
| Profit and loss account                                 | 10   | 107,168   |
| SHAREHOLDER'S FUNDS                                     | 10   | £ 107,267 |

The accounts have been prepared in accordance with the special provisions of Part VII of the Companies Act 1985 relating to small companies.

Signed on behalf of the board of directors

Director John Smith

30.3.209

Date

## COMPETENTIA LIMITED CASH FLOW STATEMENT FOR THE PERIOD FROM 21 FEBRUARY TO 31 DECEMBER 2008



|   | Note | 2008<br>£ |
|---|------|-----------|
| Net cash inflow from operating activities               | 11   | 166,442   |
| Taxation  |      | •         |
|   |      | 166,442   |
| Financing - increase in debt                            | 12   | 250,099   |
| Increase in cash  |      | £ 416,541 |
| RECONCILIATION OF NET CASH FLOW TO MOVEMENT IN NET DEBT |      |           |
|   | Note | 2008<br>£ |
| Increase in cash in the period                          |      | 416,541   |
| Cash movement from increase in debt                     |      | (250,000) |
| Net debt at 31 December 2008                            | 13   | £ 166,541 |



#### 1. ACCOUNTING POLICIES

#### (a) Basis of accounts preparation

The accounts are prepared under the historical cost convention and in accordance with applicable accounting standards.

#### (b) Taxation

Current tax, including UK corporation tax and foreign tax is provided at amounts 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 is recognised in respect of all timing differences that have been originated but not reversed at the balance sheet date where transactions or events that result in an obligation to pay more tax in the future or a right to pay less tax in the future have occurred at the balance sheet date. Timing differences are differences between the company's taxable profits and its results as stated in the accounts that arise from the inclusion of gains and losses in tax assessments in the period which are different from those recognised in the accounts. Deferred tax has been measured on a non-discounted basis.

#### (c) Foreign currencies

Assets, liabilities, revenues and costs denominated in foreign currencies are recorded at the rates of exchange ruling at the dates of the transactions; monetary assets and liabilities at the balance sheet date are translated at the year-end rate of exchange. The resulting profits or losses are dealt with in the profit and loss account.

#### 2. TURNOVER

Turnover represents amounts receivable for goods and services.

#### 3. NET OPERATING PROFIT is stated after charging:

2008 £

Auditors' remuneration - audit fees

- non-audit fees

7,000 4,988



#### 4. STAFF COSTS AND NUMBERS

|   | 2008<br>£            |
|---|----------------------|
| Staff costs - wages and salaries<br>- social security | 2,014,228<br>564,024 |
|   | £ 2,578,252          |
|   |                      |

The average number of persons employed by the company during the period, including the directors, was as follows:

|                                    | 2008<br>No |
|------------------------------------|------------|
| Engineering services<br>Management | 21<br>3    |
|                                    | 24         |

The directors' did not receive any remuneration during the period.

#### 5. TAXATION charge based on the profit for the period comprises:

2008

UK corporation tax payable

£ 32,000

The corporation tax charge for the period materially differs from the amount which would be anticipated by applying the company's tax rate of 28% to its profits as a result of marginal relief.

#### 6. DEBTORS

2008

Due from group undertaking

£ 227,509



| 7.  | CREDITORS: amounts falling due within one year                        | ar                    |                                 |                                    |
|-----|---|-----------------------|---------------------------------|------------------------------------|
|     |   |                       |                                 | 2008<br>£                          |
|     | Trade creditors Taxation and social security Accruals Corporation tax |                       |                                 | 860<br>93,553<br>160,370<br>32,000 |
|     |   |                       |                                 | £ 286,783                          |
| 8.  | CREDITORS: amounts falling due after more the                         | an one year           |                                 |                                    |
|     |   |                       |                                 | 2008                               |
|     | Loan from parent undertaking  |                       |                                 | £ 250,000                          |
| 9.  | CALLED UP SHARE CAPITAL   |                       |                                 |                                    |
|     |   |                       |                                 | 2008                               |
|     | Authorised: 1,000,000 Ordinary shares of £1 e                         | ach                   |                                 | £1,000,000                         |
|     | Allotted, called up and fully paid: 99 Ordinary shares of £1 each     |                       |                                 | £ 99                               |
|     | 99 Ordinary £1 shares were issued during the pe                       | eriod at par val      | ue.                             |                                    |
| 10. | RECONCILIATION OF SHAREHOLDER'S FUNDS<br>AND MOVEMENTS ON RESERVES    |                       |                                 |                                    |
|     |   | Share<br>capital<br>£ | Profit and<br>loss account<br>£ | Total<br>£                         |
|     | Issued during the period<br>Profit for the period                     | 99                    | 107,168                         | 99<br>107,168                      |
|     | At 31 December 2008   | £ 99                  | £ 107,168                       | £ 107,267                          |
|     |   |                       |                                 |                                    |

#### 11. RECONCILIATION OF OPERATING PROFIT TO NET CASH INFLOW FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES

|  | 2008<br>£                       |
|--|---------------------------------|
| Operating profit<br>Increase in debtors<br>Increase in creditors | 139,168<br>(227,509)<br>254,783 |
| Net cash inflow from operating activities                        | £ 166,442                       |



### 12. ANALYSIS OF CASH FLOWS FOR HEADINGS NETTED IN THE CASH FLOW STATEMENT

|  | 2008<br>£                      |
|--|--------------------------------|
| Financing  |                                |
| Issue of ordinary share capital New loans received | 99<br>250,000                  |
| Net inflow from financing                          | £ 250,099                      |
| ANALYSIS OF CHANGES IN FINANCING DURING THE PERIOD | At<br>31 December<br>2008<br>£ |
| Cash in hand<br>Debt due within 1 year             | 416,541<br>(250,000)           |
|  | £ 166,541                      |

#### 14. RELATED PARTY TRANSACTIONS

#### Control

13.

Throughout the period the company was controlled by the directors. Details of the directors' interests in the share capital are set out in the directors' report.

#### **Transactions**

During the period the company had the following transactions with related parties:

|                      |                |                      | Balance at<br>period end<br>due to/(from)<br>the company |
|----------------------|----------------|----------------------|--|
| Related party        | Transaction    | £                    | £  |
| Orion Competentia AS | Loans<br>Sales | (250,000)<br>272,491 | (250,000)<br>272,491                                     |



#### 15. IMMEDIATE AND ULTIMATE HOLDING COMPANY

The immediate and ultimate holding company of Competentia Limited is Orion Competentia AS, a company registered in Norway.

The results of Competentia Limited are included in the consolidated accounts for Orion Competentia AS.

#### 16. CONTINGENT LIABILITY

Competentia Limited has employees working in Norway, and pays UK rather than Norwegian national insurance contributions on their salaries, in accordance with a claim made to HM Revenue &Customs. This claim is being contested and if the company is unsuccessful an additional sum of approximately £180,000 may be payable. However the ultimate parent company, Orion Competentia AS has confirmed that it would take responsibility for this liability and has included a provision of 1.8 million NOK in its accounts to 31 December 2008 in respect of this.