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G Collins & Sons Funeral Directors Ltd

Annual Report and Unaudited Financial Statements
for the Year Ended 30 April 2022

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Company Information

Directors	J A Collins H K Collins
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Balance Sheet as at 30 April 2022

	Note	2022 £	2021 £
Fixed assets			
Tangible assets	<u>5</u>	55,555	65,090
Current assets			
Stocks	<u>6</u>	5,562	6,598
Debtors	<u>7</u>	38,941	105,655
Cash at bank and in hand		<u>34,799</u>	<u>267,418</u>
		79,302	379,671
Creditors: Amounts falling due within one year	<u>8</u>	<u>(45,236)</u>	<u>(114,826)</u>
Net current assets		<u>34,066</u>	<u>264,845</u>
Total assets less current liabilities		89,621	329,935
Creditors: Amounts falling due after more than one year	<u>8</u>	(61,502)	(278,476)
Provisions for liabilities		<u>(5,763)</u>	<u>(7,185)</u>
Net assets		<u>22,356</u>	<u>44,274</u>
Capital and reserves			
Called up share capital		50	50
Capital redemption reserve		50	50
Profit and loss account		<u>22,256</u>	<u>44,174</u>
Total equity		<u>22,356</u>	<u>44,274</u>

For the financial year ending 30 April 2022 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 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 accounts.

These financial statements have been prepared in accordance with the special provisions relating to companies subject to the small companies regime within Part 15 of the Companies Act 2006.

These financial statements have been delivered in accordance with the provisions applicable to companies subject to the small companies regime and the option not to file the Profit and Loss Account has been taken.

Approved and authorised by the Board on 14 December 2022 and signed on its behalf by:

J A Collins
Director

The notes on pages 4 to 9 form an integral part of these financial statements.

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Statement of Changes in Equity for the Year Ended 30 April 2022

	Share capital £	Capital redemption reserve £	Retained earnings £	Total £
At 1 May 2021	50	50	44,174	44,274
Profit for the year	-	-	43,082	43,082
Dividends	-	-	(65,000)	(65,000)
At 30 April 2022	50	50	22,256	22,356

	Share capital £	Capital redemption reserve £	Retained earnings £	Total £
At 1 February 2020	100	-	217,996	218,096
Profit for the year	-	-	168,028	168,028
Dividends	-	-	(76,850)	(76,850)
Purchase of own share capital	(50)	-	(265,000)	(265,050)
Other capital redemption reserve movements	-	50	-	50
At 30 April 2021	50	50	44,174	44,274

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Notes to the Financial Statements for the Year Ended 30 April 2022

1 General information

The company is a private company limited by share capital, incorporated in United Kingdom.

The address of its registered office is: 4 The Street, White Notley, Witham, Essex, CM8 1RH.

The principal place of business is: 30 Rayne Road, Braintree, Essex, CM7 2QH.

2 Accounting policies

Summary of significant accounting policies and key accounting estimates

The principal accounting policies applied in the preparation of these financial statements are set out below. These policies have been consistently applied to all the years presented, unless otherwise stated.

Statement of compliance

These financial statements have been prepared in accordance with Financial Reporting Standard 102 Section 1A smaller entities - 'The Financial Reporting Standard applicable in the United Kingdom and Republic of Ireland' and the Companies Act 2006 (as applicable to companies subject to the small companies' regime).

Basis of preparation

These financial statements have been prepared using the historical cost convention.

These financial statements are presented in Sterling (£), which is the company's functional currency.

Revenue recognition

Turnover comprises the consideration received or receivable for the provision of funeral services in the ordinary course of the company's activities. Turnover is shown net of value added tax, rebates and discounts.

Government grants

Government grants are assistance by government in the form of a transfer of resources to an entity in return for past or future compliance with specified conditions relating to the operating activities of the entity. Grants are recognised in the profit and loss account at the date they are received, under the performance model.

Impact of Coronavirus

During the year to 31 January 2021, the world has been impacted by the onset and escalation of the coronavirus (COVID-19) which was announced as a pandemic by the World Health Organisation (WHO) on 11 March 2020. The UK economy has been significantly impacted following the UK Government and announcement of the shutdown of businesses and premises on 23 March 2020. The company has been affected by the economic changes which have impacted its sales. The directors have considered the impact of COVID-19 on G Collins & Sons Funeral Directors Limited. As a result, they are implementing processes to ensure the business continues to operate effectively. The business has received support via Government schemes, such as the Job Retention Scheme. The directors believe the company has sufficient resources to see it through the crisis.

Tax

Current Tax is recognised in the profit and loss account, except that a change attributable to an item of income or expense recognised as other comprehensive income is also recognised directly in other comprehensive income.

The current income tax charge is calculated on the basis of tax rates and laws that have been enacted or substantively enacted by the reporting date in the countries where the company operates and generates taxable income.

Deferred tax is recognised on temporary differences arising between the tax bases of assets and liabilities and their carrying amounts in the financial statements and on unused tax losses or tax credits in the company. Deferred tax is determined using tax rates and laws that have been enacted or substantively enacted by the reporting date.

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Tangible assets

Tangible assets are stated in the statement of financial position at cost, less any subsequent accumulated depreciation.

Depreciation

Depreciation is charged so as to write off the cost or valuation of assets, other than land and properties under construction over their estimated useful lives, as follows:

Asset class	Depreciation method and rate
Plant and Machinery	15% Reducing Balance
Office Equipment	15% Reducing Balance
Motor Vehicles	25% Reducing Balance and 15% Reducing Balance
Improvements to property	20 year straight line

Goodwill

Goodwill arising on the acquisition of an entity represents the excess of the cost of acquisition over the company's interest in the net fair value of the identifiable assets, liabilities and contingent liabilities of the entity recognised at the date of acquisition. Goodwill is initially recognised as an asset at cost and is subsequently measured at cost less accumulated amortisation and accumulated impairment losses. Goodwill is held in the currency of the acquired entity and revalued to the closing rate at each reporting period date. Goodwill is amortised over its useful life, which shall not exceed ten years if a reliable estimate of the useful life cannot be made.

Amortisation

Amortisation is provided on intangible assets so as to write off the cost, less any estimated residual value, over their useful life as follows:

Asset class	Amortisation method and rate
Goodwill	Amortised evenly over its estimated useful life of ten years

Cash and cash equivalents

Cash and cash equivalents comprise cash on hand and call deposits.

Trade debtors

Trade debtors are amounts due from customers for merchandise sold or services performed in the ordinary course of business.

Stocks

Stocks are stated at the lower of cost and estimated selling price less costs to complete and sell.

Trade creditors

Trade creditors are obligations to pay for goods or services that have been acquired in the ordinary course of business from suppliers. Accounts payable are classified as current liabilities if the company does not have an unconditional right, at the end of the reporting period, to defer settlement of the creditor for at least twelve months after the reporting date. If there is an unconditional right to defer settlement for at least twelve months after the reporting date, they are presented as non-current liabilities.

Share capital

Ordinary shares are classified as equity.

Events during the year

During the year the company undertook a buy back of shares from a shareholder for £265,000. As a result this has reduced the overall net assets of the company.

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Dividends

Dividend distribution to the company's shareholders is recognised as a liability in the financial statements in the reporting period in which the dividends are declared.

Defined contribution pension obligation

A defined contribution plan is a pension plan under which fixed contributions are paid into a pension fund and the company has no legal or constructive obligation to pay further contributions even if the fund does not hold sufficient assets to pay all employees the benefits relating to employee service in the current and prior periods.

Contributions to defined contribution plans are recognised as employee benefit expense when they are due. If contribution payments exceed the contribution due for service, the excess is recognised as a prepayment.

3 Staff numbers

The average number of persons employed by the company (including directors) during the year, was 5 (2021 - 11).

4 Intangible assets

	Goodwill £	Total £
Cost or valuation		
At 1 May 2021	68,851	68,851
At 30 April 2022	68,851	68,851
Amortisation		
At 1 May 2021	68,851	68,851
At 30 April 2022	68,851	68,851
Carrying amount		
At 30 April 2022	-	-

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5 Tangible assets

	Improvements to property £	Office equipment £	Motor vehicles £	Plant and equipment £	Total £
Cost or valuation					
At 1 May 2021	5,580	77,144	138,809	9,227	230,760
Additions	-	343	-	-	343
At 30 April 2022	5,580	77,487	138,809	9,227	231,103
Depreciation					
At 1 May 2021	1,162	45,571	111,248	7,688	165,669
Charge for the period	279	4,753	4,616	231	9,879
At 30 April 2022	1,441	50,324	115,864	7,919	175,548
Carrying amount					
At 30 April 2022	4,139	27,163	22,945	1,308	55,555
At 30 April 2021	4,417	31,573	27,561	1,539	65,090

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6 Stocks

	2022 £	2021 £
Stock	5,562	6,598

7 Debtors

	2022 £	2021 £
Trade debtors	36,762	34,601
Directors loan	-	55,879
Other debtors	2,179	15,175
Total current trade and other debtors	38,941	105,655

8 Creditors

Creditors: amounts falling due within one year

	Note	30 April 2022 £	30 April 2021 £
Due within one year			
Loans and borrowings		15,987	53,144
Trade creditors		3,839	9,629
Taxation and social security		10	-
Directors loan		9,617	-
Corporation tax		15,783	52,053
		45,236	114,826
Due after one year			
Loans and borrowings		61,502	278,476

	2022 £	2021 £
Current loans and borrowings		
Bank borrowings	15,987	53,144

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9 Related party transactions

Transactions with directors

	At 1 May 2021	Advances to director	Repayments by director	At 30 April 2022
	£	£	£	£
2022				
Directors loan transactions	55,879	245,791	(311,288)	(9,618)
	55,879	245,791	(311,288)	(9,618)

	At 1 February 2020	Advances to director	Repayments by director	At 30 April 2021
	£	£	£	£
2021				
Directors loan transactions	129,194	80,652	(153,967)	55,879
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