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# THE GREAT BRITISH SAUSAGE COMPANY LTD

UNAUDITED

FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

INFORMATION FOR FILING WITH THE REGISTRAR

FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2017

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**REGISTERED NUMBER: 6587021**

## STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION
## AS AT 31 MARCH 2017

| | Note | | 2017 £ | | *2016 £* |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| **Fixed assets** | | | | | |
| Intangible assets | 4 | | **1,800** | | *2,700* |
| Tangible assets | 5 | | **26,856** | | *18,239* |
| | | | **28,656** | | *20,939* |
| **Current assets** | | | | | |
| Stocks | | **10,950** | | *10,079* | |
| Debtors: amounts falling due within one year | 6 | **4,796** | | *11,466* | |
| Cash at bank and in hand | | **76,006** | | *4,377* | |
| | | **91,752** | | *25,922* | |
| Creditors: amounts falling due within one year | 7 | **(78,860)** | | *(44,454)* | |
| **Net current assets/(liabilities)** | | | **12,892** | | *(18,532)* |
| **Total assets less current liabilities** | | | **41,548** | | *2,407* |
| **Provisions for liabilities** | | | | | |
| Deferred tax | 8 | **(4,229)** | | *(2,405)* | |
| | | | **(4,229)** | | *(2,405)* |
| **Net assets** | | | **37,319** | | *2* |
| **Capital and reserves** | | | | | |
| Called up share capital | | | **1** | | *1* |
| Profit and loss account | | | **37,318** | | *1* |
| | | | **37,319** | | *2* |

The director considers that the Company is entitled to exemption from audit under section 477 of the Companies Act 2006 and members have not required the Company to obtain an audit for the year in question in accordance with section 476 of Companies Act 2006.

The director acknowledges his responsibilities for complying with the requirements of the Companies Act 2006 with respect to accounting records and the preparation of financial statements.

The financial statements have been prepared in accordance with the provisions applicable to companies subject to the small companies' regime and in accordance with the provisions of FRS 102 Section 1A - small entities.

The financial statements have been delivered in accordance with the provisions applicable to companies subject to the small companies regime.

The Company has opted not to file the statement of income and retained earnings in accordance with provisions applicable to companies subject to the small companies' regime.

## STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION (CONTINUED)
## AS AT 31 MARCH 2017

The financial statements were approved and authorised for issue by the board and were signed on its behalf on 31 October 2017.

**D O T Nye**
Director
The notes on pages 3 to 10 form part of these financial statements.

## 1. Accounting policies

### 1.1 Basis of preparation of financial statements

The financial statements have been prepared under the historical cost convention unless otherwise specified within these accounting policies and in accordance with Section 1A of Financial Reporting Standard 102, the Financial Reporting Standard applicable in the UK and the Republic of Ireland and the Companies Act 2006.

The presentational currency of the Company is GBP.

The following principal accounting policies have been applied:

### 1.2 Revenue

Revenue is recognised to the extent that it is probable that the economic benefits will flow to the Company and the revenue can be reliably measured. Revenue is measured as the fair value of the consideration received or receivable, excluding discounts, rebates, value added tax and other sales taxes. The following criteria must also be met before revenue is recognised:

**Sale of goods**

Revenue from the sale of goods is recognised when all of the following conditions are satisfied:

- the Company has transferred the significant risks and rewards of ownership to the buyer;
- the Company retains neither continuing managerial involvement to the degree usually associated with ownership nor effective control over the goods sold;
- the amount of revenue can be measured reliably;
- it is probable that the Company will receive the consideration due under the transaction; and
- the costs incurred or to be incurred in respect of the transaction can be measured reliably.

### 1.3 Intangible assets

**Goodwill**

Goodwill represents the difference between amounts paid on the cost of a business combination and the acquirer's interest in the fair value of its identifiable assets and liabilities of the acquiree at the date of acquisition. Subsequent to initial recognition, Goodwill is measured at cost less accumulated amortisation and accumulated impairment losses. Goodwill is amortised on a straight line basis to the Statement of income and retained earnings over its useful economic life.

**Other intangible assets**

Intangible assets are initially recognised at cost. After recognition, under the cost model, intangible assets are measured at cost less any accumulated amortisation and any accumulated impairment losses.

All intangible assets are considered to have a finite useful life. If a reliable estimate of the useful life cannot be made, the useful life shall not exceed ten years.

## 1. Accounting policies (continued)

### 1.4 Tangible fixed assets

Tangible fixed assets under the cost model are stated at historical cost less accumulated depreciation and any accumulated impairment losses. Historical cost includes expenditure that is directly attributable to bringing the asset to the location and condition necessary for it to be capable of operating in the manner intended by management.

Depreciation is charged so as to allocate the cost of assets less their residual value over their estimated useful lives, using the methods below.

Depreciation is provided on the following basis:

| | |
|---|---|
| Plant & machinery | - 25% Straight line |
| Motor vehicles | - 25% Reducing balance |
| Fixtures & fittings | - 15% Reducing balance |
| Office equipment | - 33% Straight line |

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 date.

Gains and losses on disposals are determined by comparing the proceeds with the carrying amount and are recognised in the Statement of income and retained earnings.

### 1.5 Stocks

Stocks are stated at the lower of cost and net realisable value, being the estimated selling price less costs to complete and sell. Cost is based on the cost of purchase on a first in, first out basis. Work in progress and finished goods include labour and attributable overheads.

At each reporting date, stocks are assessed for impairment. If stock is impaired, the carrying amount is reduced to its selling price less costs to complete and sell. The impairment loss is recognised immediately in profit or loss.

### 1.6 Debtors

Short term debtors are measured at transaction price, less any impairment. Loans receivable are measured initially at fair value, net of transaction costs, and are measured subsequently at amortised cost using the effective interest method, less any impairment.

### 1.7 Cash and cash equivalents

Cash is represented by cash in hand and deposits with financial institutions repayable without penalty on notice of not more than 24 hours. Cash equivalents are highly liquid investments that mature in no more than three months from the date of acquisition and that are readily convertible to known amounts of cash with insignificant risk of change in value.

### 1.8 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 debtors and creditors, loans from banks and other third parties, loans to related parties and investments in non-puttable ordinary shares.

Debt instruments (other than those wholly repayable or receivable within one year), including loans

## 1. Accounting policies (continued)

### 1.8 Financial instruments (continued)

and other accounts receivable and payable, are initially measured at present value of the future cash flows and subsequently at amortised cost using the effective interest method. Debt instruments that are payable or receivable within one year, typically trade debtors and creditors, are measured, initially and subsequently, at the undiscounted amount of the cash or other consideration expected to be paid or received. However, if the arrangements of a short-term instrument constitute a financing transaction, like the payment of a trade debt deferred beyond normal business terms or financed at a rate of interest that is not a market rate or in case of an out-right short-term loan not at market rate, the financial asset or liability is measured, initially, at the present value of the future cash flow discounted at a market rate of interest for a similar debt instrument and subsequently at amortised cost.

Investments in non-convertible preference shares and in non-puttable ordinary and preference shares are measured:

- at fair value with changes recognised in the Statement of income and retained earnings if the shares are publicly traded or their fair value can otherwise be measured reliably;
- at cost less impairment for all other investments.

Financial assets that are measured at cost and amortised cost are assessed at the end of each reporting period for objective evidence of impairment. If objective evidence of impairment is found, an impairment loss is recognised in the Statement of income and retained earnings.

For financial assets measured at amortised cost, the impairment loss is measured as the difference between an asset's carrying amount and the present value of estimated cash flows discounted at the asset's original effective interest rate. If a financial asset has a variable interest rate, the discount rate for measuring any impairment loss is the current effective interest rate determined under the contract.

For financial assets measured at cost less impairment, the impairment loss is measured as the difference between an asset's carrying amount and best estimate of the recoverable amount, which is an approximation of the amount that the Company would receive for the asset if it were to be sold at the reporting date.

Financial assets and liabilities are offset and the net amount reported in the Statement of financial position when there is an enforceable right to set off the recognised amounts and there is an intention to settle on a net basis or to realise the asset and settle the liability simultaneously.

Derivatives, including interest rate swaps and forward foreign exchange contracts, are not basic financial instruments. Derivatives are initially recognised at fair value on the date a derivative contract is entered into and are subsequently re-measured at their fair value. Changes in the fair value of derivatives are recognised in profit or loss in finance costs or income as appropriate. The company does not currently apply hedge accounting for interest rate and foreign exchange derivatives.

### 1.9 Creditors

Short term creditors are measured at the 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.

## 1. Accounting policies (continued)

### 1.10 Foreign currency translation

**Functional and presentation currency**

The Company's functional and presentational currency is GBP.

**Transactions and balances**

Foreign currency transactions are translated into the functional currency using the spot exchange rates at the dates of the transactions.

At each period end foreign currency monetary items are translated using the closing rate. Non-monetary items measured at historical cost are translated using the exchange rate at the date of the transaction and non-monetary items measured at fair value are measured using the exchange rate when fair value was determined.

Foreign exchange gains and losses resulting from the settlement of transactions and from the translation at period-end exchange rates of monetary assets and liabilities denominated in foreign currencies are recognised in the Statement of income and retained earnings except when deferred in other comprehensive income as qualifying cash flow hedges.

Foreign exchange gains and losses that relate to borrowings and cash and cash equivalents are presented in the Statement of income and retained earnings within 'finance income or costs'. All other foreign exchange gains and losses are presented in the Statement of income and retained earnings within 'other operating income'.

### 1.11 Dividends

Equity dividends are recognised when they become legally payable. Interim equity dividends are recognised when paid. Final equity dividends are recognised when approved by the shareholders at an annual general meeting. Dividends on shares recognised as liabilities are recognised as expenses and classified within interest payable.

### 1.12 Provisions for liabilities

Provisions are made where an event has taken place that gives the Company a legal or constructive obligation that probably requires settlement by a transfer of economic benefit, and a reliable estimate can be made of the amount of the obligation.

Provisions are charged as an expense to the Statement of income and retained earnings in the year that the Company becomes aware of the obligation, and are measured at the best estimate at the Statement of financial position date of the expenditure required to settle the obligation, taking into account relevant risks and uncertainties.

When payments are eventually made, they are charged to the provision carried in the Statement of financial position.

## 1. Accounting policies (continued)

### 1.13 Current and deferred taxation

The tax expense for the year comprises current and deferred tax. Tax is recognised in the Statement of income and retained earnings, except that a charge attributable to an item of income and expense recognised as other comprehensive income or to an item recognised directly in equity is also recognised in other comprehensive income or directly in equity respectively.

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 income.

Deferred tax balances are recognised in respect of all timing differences that have originated but not reversed by the Statement of financial position date, except that:

- The recognition of deferred tax assets is limited to the extent that it is probable that they will be recovered against the reversal of deferred tax liabilities or other future taxable profits; and
- Any deferred tax balances are reversed if and when all conditions for retaining associated tax allowances have been met.

Deferred tax balances are not recognised in respect of permanent differences except in respect of business combinations, when deferred tax is recognised on the differences between the fair values of assets acquired and the future tax deductions available for them and the differences between the fair values of liabilities acquired and the amount that will be assessed for tax. Deferred tax is determined using tax rates and laws that have been enacted or substantively enacted by the reporting date.

## 2. General information

The company is a private company, limited by shares and registered in England.

Its registered number is: 06587021

Its Registered Office is:

Invision House

Wilbury Way

Hitchin

Hertfordshire

SG4 0TY

## 3. Employees

The average monthly number of employees, including directors, during the year was 2 *(2016 - 2)*.

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FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2017

**4. Intangible assets**

| | Goodwill |
|---|---|
| | £ |
| **Cost** | |
| At 1 April 2016 | **9,000** |
| At 31 March 2017 | **9,000** |
| **Amortisation** | |
| At 1 April 2016 | **6,300** |
| Charge for the year | **900** |
| At 31 March 2017 | **7,200** |
| **Net book value** | |
| At 31 March 2017 | **1,800** |
| ***At 31 March 2016*** | *2,700* |

## 5. Tangible fixed assets

| | Plant & machinery | Motor vehicles | Fixtures & fittings | Office equipment | Total |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | £ | £ | £ | £ | £ |
| **Cost or valuation** | | | | | |
| At 1 April 2016 | **11,479** | **30,758** | **3,117** | **4,745** | **50,099** |
| Additions | **5,619** | **12,214** | **-** | **-** | **17,833** |
| At 31 March 2017 | **17,098** | **42,972** | **3,117** | **4,745** | **67,932** |
| **Depreciation** | | | | | |
| At 1 April 2016 | **9,244** | **16,201** | **1,670** | **4,745** | **31,860** |
| Charge for the year on owned assets | **2,307** | **6,693** | **217** | **-** | **9,217** |
| At 31 March 2017 | **11,551** | **22,894** | **1,887** | **4,745** | **41,077** |
| **Net book value** | | | | | |
| At 31 March 2017 | **5,547** | **20,078** | **1,230** | **-** | **26,855** |
| ***At 31 March 2016*** | *2,235* | *14,557* | *1,447* | *-* | *18,239* |

## 6. Debtors

| | 2017 | *2016* |
|---|---|---|
| | £ | *£* |
| Trade debtors | **4,796** | *6,380* |
| Other debtors | **-** | *5,086* |
| | **4,796** | *11,466* |

## 7. Creditors: Amounts falling due within one year

| | 2017 £ | *2016 £* |
|---|---|---|
| Trade creditors | **26,442** | *23,582* |
| Corporation tax | **10,348** | *8,172* |
| Other taxation and social security | **5,542** | *11,000* |
| Other creditors | **34,828** | *-* |
| Accruals and deferred income | **1,700** | *1,700* |
| | **78,860** | *44,454* |

## 8. Deferred taxation

| | 2017 £ |
|---|---|
| At beginning of year | **(2,406)** |
| Charged to profit or loss | **(1,823)** |
| **At end of year** | **(4,229)** |

The provision for deferred taxation is made up as follows:

| | 2017 £ |
|---|---|
| Accelerated capital allowances | **(4,228)** |
| | **(4,228)** |

## 9. First time adoption of FRS 102

The policies applied under the entity's previous accounting framework are not materially different to FRS 102 and have not impacted on equity or profit or loss.



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