

Benedicts of Bristol Limited

Annual Report and Unaudited Financial Statements
for the Year Ended 31 March 2017



Benedicts of Bristol Limited

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**Chartered Accountants' Report to the Board of Directors on the Preparation of the Unaudited
Statutory Accounts of
Benedicts of Bristol Limited
for the Year Ended 31 March 2017**

In order to assist you to fulfil your duties under the Companies Act 2006, we have prepared for your approval the accounts of Benedicts of Bristol Limited for the year ended 31 March 2017 as set out on pages 3 to 11 from the company's accounting records and from information and explanations you have given us.

As a practising member firm of the Institute of Chartered Accountants in England and Wales (ICAEW), we are subject to its ethical and other professional requirements which are detailed at <http://www.icaew.com/en/members/regulations-standards-and-guidance/>.

This report is made solely to the Board of Directors of Benedicts of Bristol Limited, as a body, in accordance with the terms of our engagement letter dated 21 May 2017. Our work has been undertaken solely to prepare for your approval the accounts of Benedicts of Bristol Limited and state those matters that we have agreed to state to the Board of Directors of Benedicts of Bristol Limited, as a body, in this report in accordance with ICAEW Technical Release 07/16 AAF. To the fullest extent permitted by law, we do not accept or assume responsibility to anyone other than Benedicts of Bristol Limited and its Board of Directors as a body for our work or for this report.

It is your duty to ensure that Benedicts of Bristol Limited has kept adequate accounting records and to prepare statutory accounts that give a true and fair view of the assets, liabilities, financial position and profit of Benedicts of Bristol Limited. You consider that Benedicts of Bristol Limited is exempt from the statutory audit requirement for the year.

We have not been instructed to carry out an audit or a review of the accounts of Benedicts of Bristol Limited. For this reason, we have not verified the accuracy or completeness of the accounting records or information and explanations you have given to us and we do not, therefore, express any opinion on the statutory accounts.

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12 December 2017

Benedicts of Bristol Limited
(Registration number: 07922708)
Balance Sheet as at 31 March 2017

	Note	2017 £	2016 £
Fixed assets			
Tangible assets	<u>4</u>	115,006	20,394
Current assets			
Stocks	<u>5</u>	740,154	629,408
Debtors	<u>6</u>	28,037	37,069
Cash at bank and in hand		19,042	19,870
		787,233	686,347
Creditors: Amounts falling due within one year	<u>7</u>	(759,192)	(407,173)
Net current assets		28,041	279,174
Total assets less current liabilities		143,047	299,568
Creditors: Amounts falling due after more than one year	<u>7</u>	(38,692)	(213,379)
Provisions for liabilities		(4,030)	-
Net assets		100,325	86,189
Capital and reserves			
Called up share capital		100	100
Profit and loss account		100,225	86,089
Total equity		100,325	86,189

The notes on pages 5 to 11 form an integral part of these financial statements.
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Balance Sheet as at 31 March 2017

For the financial year ending 31 March 2017 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 12 December 2017 and signed on its behalf by:

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B Bartle-Jenkins

Director

The notes on pages 5 to 11 form an integral part of these financial statements.
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Notes to the Financial Statements for the Year Ended 31 March 2017

1 General information

The company is a private company limited by share capital incorporated in England & Wales.

The address of its registered office is:

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Bristol
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These financial statements were authorised for issue by the Board on 12 December 2017.

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 - 'The Financial Reporting Standard applicable in the UK and Republic of Ireland' and the Companies Act 2006.

As a result of the first time adoption of FRS 102 Section 1A, there have been no transition adjustments to the comparative data.

Basis of preparation

These financial statements have been prepared using the historical cost convention except that as disclosed in the accounting policies certain items are shown at fair value.

Tangible assets

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

The cost of tangible assets includes directly attributable incremental costs incurred in their acquisition and installation.

Depreciation

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

Asset class	Depreciation method and rate
Leasehold improvements	20% straight line
Motor vehicles	20% straight line
Plant & machinery	20% to 33.3% straight line

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Cash and cash equivalents

Cash and cash equivalents comprise cash on hand and call deposits, and other short-term highly liquid investments that are readily convertible to a known amount of cash and are subject to an insignificant risk of change in value.

Trade debtors

Trade debtors are amounts due from customers for merchandise sold or services performed in the ordinary course of business. Trade debtors are recognised initially at the transaction price. They are subsequently measured at amortised cost using the effective interest method, less provision for impairment. A provision for the impairment of trade debtors is established when there is objective evidence that the company will not be able to collect all amounts due according to the original terms of the receivables.

Stocks

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

The cost of finished goods and work in progress comprises direct materials and, where applicable, direct labour costs and those overheads that have been incurred in bringing the inventories to their present location and condition. At each reporting date, stocks are assessed for impairment. If stocks are 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.

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.

Trade creditors are recognised initially at the transaction price and subsequently measured at amortised cost using the effective interest method.

Borrowings

Interest-bearing borrowings are initially recorded at fair value, net of transaction costs. Interest-bearing borrowings are subsequently carried at amortised cost, with the difference between the proceeds, net of transaction costs, and the amount due on redemption being recognised as a charge to the Profit and Loss Account over the period of the relevant borrowing.

Interest expense is recognised on the basis of the effective interest method and is included in interest payable and similar charges.

Borrowings are classified as current liabilities unless the company has an unconditional right to defer settlement of the liability for at least twelve months after the reporting date.

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Leases

Leases are classified as finance leases whenever the terms of the lease transfer substantially all the risks and rewards of ownership to the lessee.

Assets held under finance leases are recognised at the lower of their fair value at inception of the lease and the present value of the minimum lease payments. These assets are depreciated on a straight-line basis over the shorter of the useful life of the asset and the lease term. The corresponding liability to the lessor is included in the Balance Sheet as a finance lease obligation.

Lease payments are apportioned between finance costs in the Profit and Loss Account and reduction of the lease obligation so as to achieve a constant periodic rate of interest on the remaining balance of the liability.

Share capital

Ordinary shares are classified as equity. Equity instruments are measured at the fair value of the cash or other resources received or receivable, net of the direct costs of issuing the equity instruments. If payment is deferred and the time value of money is material, the initial measurement is on a present value basis.

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.

3 Staff numbers

The average number of persons employed by the company (including directors) during the year, was 6 (2016 - 6).

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Notes to the Financial Statements for the Year Ended 31 March 2017

4 Tangible assets

	Leasehold improvements £	Motor vehicles £	Other property, plant and equipment £	Total £
Cost or valuation				
At 1 April 2016	-	-	41,933	41,933
Additions	53,084	55,790	14,578	123,452
At 31 March 2017	53,084	55,790	56,511	165,385
Depreciation				
At 1 April 2016	-	-	21,540	21,540
Charge for the year	10,617	11,158	7,064	28,839
At 31 March 2017	10,617	11,158	28,604	50,379
Carrying amount				
At 31 March 2017	42,467	44,632	27,907	115,006
At 31 March 2016	-	-	20,394	20,394

Included within the net book value of land and buildings above is £42,467 (2016 - £Nil) in respect of short leasehold land and buildings.

5 Stocks

	2017 £	2016 £
Other inventories	740,154	629,408

The carrying amount of stocks pledged as security for liabilities amounted to £245,825 (2016 - £125,000).

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6 Debtors

	2017 £	2016 £
Trade debtors	15,050	35,979
Other debtors	12,987	1,090
Total current trade and other debtors	<u>28,037</u>	<u>37,069</u>

7 Creditors

	Note	2017 £	2016 £
Due within one year			
Loans	<u>8</u>	510,204	302,131
Trade creditors		80,628	10,182
Directors loan		112,042	-
Taxation and social security		4,627	29,102
Other creditors		51,691	65,758
		<u>759,192</u>	<u>407,173</u>
Due after one year			
Loans and borrowings	<u>8</u>	<u>38,692</u>	<u>213,379</u>

8 Loans and borrowings

	2017 £	2016 £
Non-current loans and borrowings		
Finance lease liabilities	38,692	9,789
Directors loan	-	203,590
	<u>38,692</u>	<u>213,379</u>

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	2017 £	2016 £
Current loans and borrowings		
Finance lease liabilities	98,129	7,231
Other borrowings	412,075	294,900
	<u>510,204</u>	<u>302,131</u>

Other borrowings includes an amount of £245,825 (2016: £125,000) in respect of stocking loans, on which the stock carried by the company, up to the carrying value of the loan is pledged as security.

Finance leases are secured on the assets to which the lease relates.

All other borrowings are unsecured.

The directors loan does not attract interest and is repayable on demand.

9 Financial commitments, guarantees and contingencies

The total amount of financial commitments not included in the balance sheet is £157,500 (2016 - £-). No security given on commitments.

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10 Related party transactions

Loans from related parties

	Other related parties £
2017	
At start of period	169,900
Advanced	45,300
Repaid	<u>(78,950)</u>
At end of period	<u>136,250</u>
	Other related parties £
2016	
At start of period	10,000
Advanced	148,919
Interest transactions	<u>10,981</u>
At end of period	<u>169,900</u>

Terms of loans from related parties

A loan from an other related party (a close family member of the director/shareholders) is not subject to interest as of 1 April 2016 and is repayable on demand.

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