

MERIT PROFESSIONAL SERVICES LIMITED

Unaudited filleted financial statements

31 August 2020

Company registration number 11626421

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Directors and other information

Directors	Jamie Ashford	
	Richard Ashford	
	Roy Ashford	
	Russell Amos	(Resigned 18 June 2020)
	Mark Perkins	(Resigned 18 June 2020)
Company number	11626421	
Registered office	Units 1-4 Merit House	
	Whitewall Road	
	Medway City Estate	
	Rochester, Kent	
	ME2 4WS	
Business address	Unit 1-4, Merit House	
	Whitewall Road	
	Medway City Estate	
	Rochester, Kent	
	ME2 4WS	
Accountants	J.A.D. Associates Limited	
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	Kent	

MERIT PROFESSIONAL SERVICES LIMITED**Statement of financial position****31 August 2020**

	Note	31/08/20 £	31/08/19 £
Fixed assets			
Tangible assets	5	521	-
		521	-
Current assets			
Stocks		17,160	-
Debtors	6	22,572	36,197
Cash at bank and in hand		16,481	146,056
		56,213	182,253
Creditors: amounts falling due within one year	7	(24,370)	(159,969)
Net current assets		31,843	22,284
Total assets less current liabilities		32,364	22,284
Creditors: amounts falling due after more than one year	8	(76,000)	-
Net (liabilities)/assets		(43,636)	22,284
Capital and reserves			
Called up share capital		200	100
Profit and loss account		(43,836)	22,184
Shareholders (deficit)/funds		(43,636)	22,284

For the year ending 31 August 2020 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 financial statements for the year in question in accordance with section 476;
- The directors acknowledge their responsibilities for complying with the requirements of the Act with respect to accounting records and the preparation of financial statements.

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

Reporting Standard applicable in the UK and Republic of Ireland'.

In accordance with section 444 of the Companies Act 2006, the statement of comprehensive income has not been delivered.

These financial statements were approved by the board of directors and authorised for issue on 27 August 2021 , and are signed on behalf of the board by:

Richard Ashford

Director

Company registration number: 11626421

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Notes to the financial statements

Year ended 31 August 2020

1. General information

The company is a private company limited by shares, registered in England & Wales. The address of the registered office is Units 1-4 Merit House, Whitewall Road, Medway City Estate, Rochester, Kent, ME2 4WS.

2. Statement of compliance

These financial statements have been prepared in compliance with the provisions of FRS 102, Section 1A, 'The Financial Reporting Standard applicable in the UK and Republic of Ireland'. The Triennial review 2017 amendments to the standard have been early adopted.

3. Accounting policies

Basis of preparation

The financial statements have been prepared on the historical cost basis, as modified by the revaluation of certain financial assets and liabilities and investment properties measured at fair value through profit or loss.

The financial statements are prepared in sterling, which is the functional currency of the entity.

Going concern

These accounts have been prepared on the going concern basis.

Turnover

Turnover is measured at the fair value of the consideration received or receivable for goods supplied and services rendered, net of discounts and Value Added Tax.

Revenue from the sale of goods is recognised when the significant risks and rewards of ownership have transferred to the buyer (usually on despatch of the goods); the amount of revenue can be measured reliably; it is probable that the associated economic benefits will flow to the entity; and the costs incurred or to be incurred in respect of the transactions can be measured reliably.

Taxation

The taxation expense represents the aggregate amount of current and deferred tax recognised in the reporting period. Tax is recognised in the statement of comprehensive income, except to the extent that it relates to items recognised in other comprehensive income or directly in capital and reserves. In this case, tax is recognised in other comprehensive income or directly in capital and reserves, respectively. Current tax is recognised on taxable profit for the current and past periods. Current tax is measured at the amounts of tax expected to pay or recover using the tax rates and laws that have been enacted or substantively enacted at the reporting date.

Deferred tax is recognised in respect of all timing differences at the reporting date. Unrelieved tax losses and other deferred tax assets are recognised to the extent that it is probable that they will be recovered against the reversal of deferred tax liabilities or other future taxable profits. Deferred tax is measured using the tax rates and laws that have been enacted or substantively enacted by the reporting date that are expected to apply to the reversal of the timing difference.

Tangible assets

tangible assets are initially recorded at cost, and are subsequently stated at cost less any accumulated depreciation and impairment losses. Any tangible assets carried at revalued amounts are recorded at the fair value at the date of revaluation less any subsequent accumulated depreciation and subsequent accumulated impairment losses. An increase in the carrying amount of an asset as a result of a revaluation, is recognised in other comprehensive income and accumulated in capital and reserves, except to the extent it reverses a revaluation decrease of the same asset previously recognised in profit or loss. A decrease in the carrying amount of an asset as a result of revaluation is recognised in other comprehensive income to the extent of any previously recognised revaluation increase accumulated in capital and reserves in respect of that asset. Where a revaluation decrease exceeds the accumulated revaluation gains accumulated in capital and reserves in respect of that asset, the excess shall be recognised in profit or loss.

Depreciation

Depreciation is calculated so as to write off the cost or valuation of an asset, less its residual value, over the useful economic life of that asset as follows:

If there is an indication that there has been a significant change in depreciation rate, useful life or residual value of tangible assets, the depreciation is revised prospectively to reflect the new estimates.

Impairment

A review for indicators of impairment is carried out at each reporting date, with the recoverable amount being estimated where such indicators exist. Where the carrying value exceeds the recoverable amount, the asset is impaired accordingly. Prior impairments are also reviewed for possible reversal at each reporting date. When it is not possible to estimate the recoverable amount of an individual asset, an estimate is made of the recoverable amount of the cash-generating unit to which the asset belongs. The cash-generating unit is the smallest identifiable group of assets that includes the asset and generates cash inflows that are largely independent of the cash inflows from other assets or groups of assets.

Stocks

Stocks are measured at the lower of cost and estimated selling price less costs to complete and sell. Cost includes all costs of purchase, costs of conversion and other costs incurred in bringing the stocks to their present location and condition.

Government grants

Government grants are recognised at the fair value of the asset received or receivable. Grants are not recognised until there is reasonable assurance that the company will comply with the conditions attaching to them and the grants will be received. Government grants are recognised using the accrual model and the performance model. Under the accrual model, government grants relating to revenue are recognised on a systematic basis over the periods in which the company recognises the related costs for which the grant is intended to compensate. Grants that are receivable as compensation for expenses or losses already incurred or for the purpose of giving immediate financial support to the entity with no future related costs are recognised in income in the period in which it becomes receivable. Grants relating to assets are recognised in income on a systematic basis over the expected useful life of the asset. Where part of a grant relating to an asset is deferred, it is recognised as deferred income and not deducted from the carrying amount of the asset. Under the performance model, where the grant does not impose specified future performance-related conditions on the recipient, it is recognised in income when the grant proceeds are received or receivable. Where the grant does impose specified future performance-related conditions on the recipient, it is recognised in income only when the performance-related conditions have been met. Where grants received are prior to satisfying the revenue recognition criteria, they are recognised as a liability.

Financial instruments

A financial asset or a financial liability is recognised only when the company becomes a party to the contractual provisions of the instrument. Basic financial instruments are initially recognised at the transaction price, unless the arrangement constitutes a financing transaction, where it is recognised at the present value of the future payments discounted at a market rate of interest for a similar debt instrument. Debt instruments are subsequently measured at amortised cost. Where investments in non-convertible preference shares and non-puttable ordinary shares or preference shares are publicly traded or their fair value can otherwise be measured reliably, the investment is subsequently measured at fair value with changes in fair value recognised in profit or loss. All other such investments are subsequently measured at cost less impairment. Other financial instruments, including derivatives, are initially recognised at fair value, unless payment for an asset is deferred beyond normal business terms or financed at a rate of interest that is not a market rate, in which case the asset is measured at the present value of the future payments discounted at a market rate of interest for a similar debt instrument. Other financial instruments are subsequently measured at fair value, with any changes recognised in profit or loss, with the exception of hedging instruments in a designated hedging relationship.

Financial assets that are measured at cost or amortised cost are reviewed for objective evidence of impairment at the end of each reporting date. If there is objective evidence of impairment, an impairment loss is recognised in profit or loss immediately. For all equity instruments regardless of significance, and other financial assets that are individually significant, these are assessed individually for impairment. Other financial assets are either assessed individually or grouped on the basis of similar credit risk characteristics. Any reversals of impairment are recognised in profit or loss immediately, to the extent that the reversal does not result in a carrying amount of the financial asset that exceeds what the carrying amount would have been had the impairment not previously been recognised.

Defined contribution plans

Contributions to defined contribution plans are recognised as an expense in the period in which the related service is provided. Prepaid contributions are recognised as an asset to the extent that the prepayment will lead to a reduction in future payments or a cash refund. When contributions are not expected to be settled wholly within 12 months of the end of the reporting date in which the employees render the related service, the liability is measured on a discounted present value basis. The unwinding of the discount is recognised in finance costs in profit or loss in the period in which it arises.

4. Employee numbers

The average number of persons employed by the company during the year amounted to 5 (2019: 3).

5. Tangible assets

	<u>Fixtures, fittings and equipment</u>	<u>Total</u>
	<u>£</u>	<u>£</u>
Cost		
At 1 September 2019	-	-
Additions	613	613
At 31 August 2020	613	613
Depreciation		
At 1 September 2019	-	-
Charge for the year	92	92
At 31 August 2020	92	92
Carrying amount		
At 31 August 2020	521	521
At 31 August 2019	-	-

6. Debtors

	<u>31/08/20</u>	<u>31/08/19</u>
	<u>£</u>	<u>£</u>
Trade debtors	13,161	35,977
Other debtors	9,411	220
	22,572	36,197

7. Creditors: amounts falling due within one year

	<u>31/08/20</u>	<u>31/08/19</u>
	<u>£</u>	<u>£</u>
Bank loans and overdrafts	4,057	57
Trade creditors	11,756	119,474
Amounts owed to group undertakings and undertakings in which the company has a participating interest	969	969
Corporation tax	4,105	14,387
Social security and other taxes	1,107	20,788
Other creditors	2,376	4,294
	<u>24,370</u>	<u>159,969</u>

8. Creditors: amounts falling due after more than one year

	<u>31/08/20</u>	<u>31/08/19</u>
	<u>£</u>	<u>£</u>
Bank loans and overdrafts	76,000	-

The bank loan is secured via a fixed and floating charge held by the Bank over the Companies assets.

9. Directors advances, credits and guarantees

During the year the directors entered into the following advances and credits with the company:

Year ended
31/08/20

	<u>Balance brought forward</u>	<u>Advances /(credits) to the directors</u>	<u>Amounts repaid</u>	<u>Balance o/standing</u>
	<u>£</u>	<u>£</u>	<u>£</u>	<u>£</u>
Russell Amos	(307)	-	307	-
Mark Perkins	(193)	-	193	-
	<u>(500)</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>500</u>	<u>-</u>

Period ended
31/08/19

	<u>Balance brought forward</u>	<u>Advances /(credits) to the directors</u>	<u>Amounts repaid</u>	<u>Balance o/standing</u>
	<u>£</u>	<u>£</u>	<u>£</u>	<u>£</u>
Russell Amos	-	(307)	-	(307)
Mark Perkins	-	(193)	-	(193)
	<u>-</u>	<u>(500)</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>(500)</u>

10. Going concern

As at 31 August 2020 the balance sheet shows net current liabilities. These accounts have been prepared on the going concern basis as the director has agreed to continue to support the Company to ensure it is able to meet its debts as they fall due.

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