# REPORT AND FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2022

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## **COMPANY INFORMATION**

**Directors** Mr A Mainwaring

Mr A S Holness Mr N R Baily Mr R Wootton

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Cross Lanes Guildford Surrey GU1 1UN

**Auditor** 

RSM UK Audit LLP

Chartered Accountants 25 Farringdon Street

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## STRATEGIC REPORT

## FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2022

The directors present the strategic report for the year ended 31 March 2022.

#### Fair review of the business

The results for the year and financial position of the company are shown in the annexed financial statements.

The company made a net loss of £1,210,578 (2021: £849,166).

#### Principal risks and uncertainties

The directors consider the following to be key risks and uncertainties for the group:

- Business performance of subsidiaries

#### Other performance indicators

The financial key performance indicator with which the directors have measured the overall progress of the group is:

Profit before tax - Being the net profit of the company prior to tax expense

The following are the results of the key performance indicators:

Loss before tax - £1,210,578 (2021: £849,166)

On behalf of the board

Mr A S Holness

Director

Date: ..25/01/2023

#### **DIRECTORS' REPORT**

#### FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2022

The directors present their annual report and financial statements for the year ended 31 March 2022.

#### **Principal activities**

The principal activity of the company was that of a holding company.

#### **Directors**

The directors who held office during the year and up to the date of signature of the financial statements were as follows:

Mr A Mainwaring Mr A S Holness Mr N R Baily Mr R Wootton

#### Results and dividends

The results for the year are set out on page 8.

No ordinary dividends were paid. The directors do not recommend payment of a final dividend.

#### Qualifying third party indemnity provisions

The company has made qualifying third party indemnity provisions for the benefit of its directors during the year. These provisions remain in force at the reporting date.

#### Financial instruments - Liquidity risk

The company is part of a group that manages its cash and borrowing requirements in order to maximise interest income and minimise interest payable, whilst ensuring the group has sufficient liquid resources to meet the operating needs of the company and business.

#### **Auditor**

The auditor, RSM UK Audit LLP, Chartered Accountants, has indicated its willingness to continue in office.

#### Statement of disclosure to auditor

So far as each person who was a director at the date of approving this report is aware, there is no relevant audit information of which the company's auditor is unaware. Additionally, each director has taken all the necessary steps that they ought to have taken as a director in order to make themselves aware of all relevant audit information and to establish that the company's auditor is aware of that information.

#### Going concern

At the time of approving the financial statements, the directors have a reasonable expectation that the company has adequate resources to continue in operational existence for the foreseeable future.

The directors regularly review the group's liquidity, utilisation of debt facilities and compliance with financial covenants, have prepared budgets and forecasts covering a period to 31 March 2024 and produce detailed cash forecasts over a short-term period to manage liquidity. These forecasts show that the group is expecting to be able to continue to meet their liabilities as they fall due for the foreseeable future.

The group retains the support from its bankers following a refinancing post year end (note 17) with access to a variety of financing and liquidity options available.

Based on the continued support of the group's key financial backers the directors believe that it remains appropriate to prepare the financial statements on a going concern basis.

# DIRECTORS' REPORT (CONTINUED) FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2022

On behalf of the board

Mr A S Holness

Director

Date: 25/01/2023

# DIRECTORS' RESPONSIBILITIES STATEMENT FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2022

The directors are responsible for preparing the Strategic Report and the Directors' Report and the financial statements in accordance with applicable law and regulations.

Company law requires the directors to prepare financial statements for each financial year. Under that law the directors have elected to prepare the financial statements in accordance with United Kingdom Generally Accepted Accounting Practice (United Kingdom Accounting Standards and applicable law). Under company law the directors must not approve the financial statements unless they are satisfied that they 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 these financial statements, the directors are required to:

- · select suitable accounting policies and then apply them consistently;
- · make judgements and accounting estimates that are reasonable and prudent;
- prepare the financial statements on the going concern basis unless it is inappropriate to presume that the company will continue in business.

The directors are responsible for keeping adequate accounting records that are sufficient to show and explain the company's transactions and disclose with reasonable accuracy at any time the financial position of the company and enable them to ensure that the financial statements comply with the Companies Act 2006. 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 AUDITOR'S REPORT TO THE MEMBERS OF GINGER MIDCO LIMITED

#### **Opinion**

We have audited the financial statements of Ginger Midco Limited (the 'company') for the year ended 31 March 2022 which comprise the statement of comprehensive income, statement of financial position, statement of changes in equity, and notes to the financial statements, including a summary of significant accounting policies. The financial reporting framework that has been applied in their preparation is applicable law and United Kingdom Accounting Standards, including FRS 102 "The Financial Reporting Standard applicable in the UK and Republic of Ireland" (United Kingdom Generally Accepted Accounting Practice).

In our opinion, the financial statements:

- give a true and fair view of the state of the company's affairs as at 31 March 2022 and of its loss for the
  year then ended;
- have been properly prepared in accordance with United Kingdom Generally Accepted Accounting Practice;
- · have been prepared in accordance with the requirements of the Companies Act 2006.

#### **Basis for opinion**

We conducted our audit in accordance with International Standards on Auditing (UK) (ISAs (UK)) and applicable law. Our responsibilities under those standards are further described in the Auditor's responsibilities for the audit of the financial statements section of our report. We are independent of the company in accordance with the ethical requirements that are relevant to our audit of the financial statements in the UK, including the FRC's Ethical Standard, and we have fulfilled our other ethical responsibilities in accordance with these requirements. We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion.

#### Conclusions relating to going concern

In auditing the financial statements, we have concluded that the directors' use of the going concern basis of accounting in the preparation of the financial statements is appropriate.

Based on the work we have performed, we have not identified any material uncertainties relating to events or conditions that, individually or collectively, may cast significant doubt on the company's ability to continue as a going concern for a period of at least twelve months from when the financial statements are authorised for issue.

Our responsibilities and the responsibilities of the directors with respect to going concern are described in the relevant sections of this report.

#### Other information

The other information comprises the information included in the annual report, other than the financial statements and our auditor's report thereon. The directors are responsible for the other information contained within the annual report. Our opinion on the financial statements does not cover the other information and, except to the extent otherwise explicitly stated in our report, we do not express any form of assurance conclusion thereon.

Our responsibility is to read the other information and, in doing so, consider whether the other information is materially inconsistent with the financial statements or our knowledge obtained in the course of the audit or otherwise appears to be materially misstated. If we identify such material inconsistencies or apparent material misstatements, we are required to determine whether this gives rise to a material misstatement in the financial statements themselves. If, based on the work we have performed, we conclude that there is a material misstatement of this other information, we are required to report that fact.

We have nothing to report in this regard.

### Opinions on other matters prescribed by the Companies Act 2006

In our opinion, based on the work undertaken in the course of the audit:

- the information given in the strategic report and the directors' report for the financial year for which the financial statements are prepared is consistent with the financial statements; and
- the strategic report and the directors' report have been prepared in accordance with applicable legal requirements.

# INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT TO THE MEMBERS OF GINGER MIDCO LIMITED (CONTINUED)

#### Matters on which we are required to report by exception

In the light of the knowledge and understanding of the company and its environment obtained in the course of the audit, we have not identified material misstatements in the strategic report or directors' report.

We have nothing to report in respect of the following matters in relation to which the Companies Act 2006 requires us to report to you if, in our opinion:

- adequate accounting records have not been kept, or returns adequate for our audit have not been received from branches not visited by us; or
- the financial statements are not in agreement with the accounting records and returns; or
- · certain disclosures of directors' remuneration specified by law are not made; or
- we have not received all the information and explanations we require for our audit.

#### Responsibilities of directors

As explained more fully in the directors' responsibilities statement set out on page 4, the directors are responsible for the preparation of the financial statements and for being satisfied that they give a true and fair view, and for such internal control as the directors determine is necessary to enable the preparation of financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

In preparing the financial statements, the directors are responsible for assessing the company's ability to continue as a going concern, disclosing, as applicable, matters related to going concern and using the going concern basis of accounting unless the directors either intend to liquidate the company or to cease operations, or have no realistic alternative but to do so.

#### Auditor's responsibilities for the audit of the financial statements

Our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements as a whole are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error, and to issue an auditor's report that includes our opinion. Reasonable assurance is a high level of assurance, but is not a guarantee that an audit conducted in accordance with ISAs (UK) will always detect a material misstatement when it exists. Misstatements can arise from fraud or error and are considered material if, individually or in the aggregate, they could reasonably be expected to influence the economic decisions of users taken on the basis of these financial statements.

#### The extent to which the audit was considered capable of detecting irregularities, including fraud

Irregularities are instances of non-compliance with laws and regulations. The objectives of our audit are to obtain sufficient appropriate audit evidence regarding compliance with laws and regulations that have a direct effect on the determination of material amounts and disclosures in the financial statements, to perform audit procedures to help identify instances of non-compliance with other laws and regulations that may have a material effect on the financial statements, and to respond appropriately to identified or suspected non-compliance with laws and regulations identified during the audit.

In relation to fraud, the objectives of our audit are to identify and assess the risk of material misstatement of the financial statements due to fraud, to obtain sufficient appropriate audit evidence regarding the assessed risks of material misstatement due to fraud through designing and implementing appropriate responses and to respond appropriately to fraud or suspected fraud identified during the audit.

However, it is the primary responsibility of management, with the oversight of those charged with governance, to ensure that the entity's operations are conducted in accordance with the provisions of laws and regulations and for the prevention and detection of fraud.

# INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT TO THE MEMBERS OF GINGER MIDCO LIMITED (CONTINUED)

In identifying and assessing risks of material misstatement in respect of irregularities, including fraud, the audit engagement team:

- obtained an understanding of the nature of the industry and sector, including the legal and regulatory framework that the company operates in and how the company is complying with the legal and regulatory framework:
- inquired of management, and those charged with governance, about their own identification and assessment of the risks of irregularities, including any known actual, suspected or alleged instances of fraud:
- discussed matters about non-compliance with laws and regulations and how fraud might occur including assessment of how and where the financial statements may be susceptible to fraud.

As a result of these procedures we consider the most significant laws and regulations that have a direct impact on the financial statements are FRS 102, the Companies Act 2006 and tax compliance regulations. We performed audit procedures to detect non-compliances which may have a material impact on the financial statements which included reviewing financial statement disclosures, assessing accounting policies for compliance with the reporting framework, agreeing tax calculations to supporting documentations and reviewing correspondence with tax authorities.

We do not consider there to be any laws and regulations that have a significant indirect impact on the financial statements.

The audit engagement team identified the risk of management override as the area where the financial statements were most susceptible to material misstatement due to fraud. Audit procedures performed included but were not limited to testing journal entries and other adjustments and evaluating the business rationale in relation to any significant, unusual transactions and transactions entered into outside the normal course of business.

A further description of our responsibilities for the audit of the financial statements is located on the Financial Reporting Council's website at: <a href="http://www.frc.org.uk/auditorsresponsibilities">http://www.frc.org.uk/auditorsresponsibilities</a> This description forms part of our auditor's report.

#### Use of our report

This report is made solely to the company's members, as a body, in accordance with Chapter 3 of Part 16 of the Companies Act 2006. 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 auditor's 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.

RSM UK Audit LLP

Richard Heap FCA (Senior Statutory Auditor)
For and on behalf of RSM UK Audit LLP, Statutory Auditor
Chartered Accountants
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# STATEMENT OF COMPREHENSIVE INCOME FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2022

		2022	2021
	Notes	£	£
Administrative expenses		(14,285)	(5,620)
Interest receivable and similar income	5	2,327,538	2,092,557
Interest payable and similar expenses	6	(3,523,831)	(2,936,103)
Loss before taxation		(1,210,578)	(849,166)
Tax on loss	7	-	-
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Loss for the financial year	•	(1,210,578)	(849,166)

# STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION AS AT 31 MARCH 2022

		20	022	2021	
	Notes	£	£	£	£
Fixed assets					
Investments	8		1		1
Current assets					
Debtors falling due after more than one					
year	10	33,928,578		31,934,102	
Debtors falling due within one year	10	66,421		66,821	
		33,994,999		32,000,923	
Creditors: amounts falling due within					
one year	11	(574,411)	,	(3,378,384)	
Net current assets			33,420,588		28,622,539
Total assets less current liabilities			33,420,589		28,622,540
Creditors: amounts falling due after more than one year	12		(36,648,407)		(30,639,780)
Net liabilities			(3,227,818)		(2,017,240
Capital and reserves					
Called up share capital	14		1		1
Profit and loss reserves	15		(3,227,819)		(2,017,241)
Total equity			(3,227,818)		(2,017,240)

The financial statements were approved by the board of directors and authorised for issue on 25 January 2023 and are signed on its behalf by:

Mr A S Holness Director

# STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN EQUITY FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2022

	Share capital	Profit and loss reserves	Total
	£	£	£
Balance at 1 April 2020	1	(1,168,075)	(1,168,074)
Year ended 31 March 2021: Loss and total comprehensive income for the year	-	(849,166)	(849,166)
Balance at 31 March 2021	1	(2,017,241)	(2,017,240)
Year ended 31 March 2022: Loss and total comprehensive income for the year		(1,210,578)	(1,210,578)
Balance at 31 March 2022	1	(3,227,819)	(3,227,818)

# NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2022

#### 1 Accounting policies

#### **Company information**

Ginger Midco Limited is a private company limited by shares and is registered and incorporated in England and Wales. The registered office is 3rd Floor, One London Square, Cross Lanes, Guildford, Surrey, GU1 1UN.

The company's principal activities and nature of its operations are disclosed in the Directors' Report.

#### **Accounting convention**

These financial statements have been prepared in accordance with FRS 102 "The Financial Reporting Standard applicable in the UK and Republic of Ireland" ("FRS 102") and the requirements of the Companies Act 2006, including the provisions of the Large and Medium-sized Companies and Groups (Accounts and Reports) Regulations 2008.

The financial statements are prepared in sterling, which is the functional currency of the company. Monetary amounts in these financial statements are rounded to the nearest £.

The financial statements have been prepared under the historical cost convention. The principal accounting policies adopted are set out below.

This company is a qualifying entity for the purposes of FRS 102, being a member of a group where the parent of that group prepares publicly available consolidated financial statements, including this company, which are intended to give a true and fair view of the assets, liabilities, financial position and profit or loss of the group. The company has therefore taken advantage of exemptions from the following disclosure requirements:

 Section 7 'Statement of Cash Flows' – Presentation of a statement of cash flow and related notes and disclosures:

The financial statements of the company are consolidated in the financial statements of Ginger Topco Limited. These consolidated financial statements are available from its registered office, 3rd Floor, One London Square, Cross Lanes, Guildford, Surrey, GU1 1UN.

The company has taken advantage of the exemption under section 400 of the Companies Act 2006 not to prepare consolidated accounts. The financial statements present information about the company as an individual entity and not about its group.

## **Going Concern**

The company has net liabilities of £3,227,818 at the reporting date and is party to a bank guarantee with other group companies. As such the company is dependent on its parent company and subsidiaries (the group) to meet its liabilities as they fall due. The group's cash and funding are managed on a group basis.

The onset of the Covid-19 pandemic in early 2020 caused significant disruption to the global sporting calendar and resulted in the delay and deferral of several of the group's revenue generating projects. The group has taken a proactive approach to managing its liquidity throughout this crisis, including managing its cost base in line with the drop in revenue and taking advantage of any Covid-19 related government financial reliefs and support in the jurisdictions in which the group operates.

Although there were still some disruptions to events, and operational challenges from lockdowns in some regions, business activity returned to pre-pandemic levels during the 2022 financial year, with the resulting increase in revenues and improved liquidity.

The directors are continually assessing the duration and impact of the Covid-19 pandemic on the company's performance and financial position and how it has or is likely to be affected. Additionally, the directors are closely monitoring the uncertainty caused by a slowing and inflationary economic environment. The Covid-19 pandemic resulted in lower trading, but no material financial effect on the company.

# NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONTINUED) FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2022

#### 1 Accounting policies (Continued)

The directors have prepared forecasts covering the period to 31 March 2024 and have not identified any cash flow shortfalls or other working capital issues on review for at least 12 months of these financial statements being signed. The group also retains the support from its bankers following a refinancing post year end (note 17) with access to a variety of financing and liquidity options available.

The directors have performed a review of current trading including a consideration of the financial position as at the date of approval of these financial statements. Based on a resilient business with strong trading subsequent to the year end and refinanced debt, the directors believe the group will continue to generate positive cash flows from trading activities for the foreseeable future.

The financial statements have been prepared on a going concern basis which is supported by cash flow forecasts for the forthcoming year, which shows all cash flow related current liabilities will be met, paid from free cashflow as they fall due.

#### **Fixed asset investments**

Interests in subsidiaries are initially measured at cost and subsequently measured at cost less any accumulated impairment losses. The investments are assessed for impairment at each reporting date and any impairment losses or reversals of impairment losses are recognised immediately in profit or loss.

A subsidiary is an entity controlled by the company. Control is the power to govern the financial and operating policies of the entity so as to obtain benefits from its activities.

#### Impairment of fixed assets

At each reporting period end date, the company reviews the carrying amounts of its tangible assets to determine whether there is any indication that those assets have suffered an impairment loss. If any such indication exists, the recoverable amount of the asset is estimated in order to determine the extent of the impairment loss (if any). Where it is not possible to estimate the recoverable amount of an individual asset, the company estimates the recoverable amount of the cash-generating unit to which the asset belongs.

Recoverable amount is the higher of fair value less costs to sell and value in use. In assessing value in use, the estimated future cash flows are discounted to their present value using a pre-tax discount rate that reflects current market assessments of the time value of money and the risks specific to the asset for which the estimates of future cash flows have not been adjusted.

If the recoverable amount of an asset (or cash-generating unit) is estimated to be less than its carrying amount, the carrying amount of the asset (or cash-generating unit) is reduced to its recoverable amount. An impairment loss is recognised immediately in profit or loss, unless the relevant asset is carried at a revalued amount, in which case the impairment loss is treated as a revaluation decrease.

Recognised impairment losses are reversed if, and only if, the reasons for the impairment loss have ceased to apply. Where an impairment loss subsequently reverses, the carrying amount of the asset (or cash-generating unit) is increased to the revised estimate of its recoverable amount, but so that the increased carrying amount does not exceed the carrying amount that would have been determined had no impairment loss been recognised for the asset (or cash-generating unit) in prior years. A reversal of an impairment loss is recognised immediately in profit or loss, unless the relevant asset is carried at a revalued amount, in which case the reversal of the impairment loss is treated as a revaluation increase.

# NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONTINUED) FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2022

#### 1 Accounting policies (Continued)

#### **Financial instruments**

The company has elected to apply the provisions of Section 11 'Basic Financial Instruments' and Section 12 'Other Financial Instruments Issues' of FRS 102 to all of its financial instruments.

Financial instruments are recognised when the company becomes party to the contractual provisions of the instrument.

Financial assets and liabilities are offset, with the net amounts presented in the financial statements, when there is a legally 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.

#### Basic financial assets

Basic financial assets, which include other debtors and amounts due from fellow group companies, are initially measured at transaction price including transaction costs and are subsequently carried at amortised cost using the effective interest method unless the arrangement constitutes a financing transaction, where the financial asset is measured at the present value of the future receipts discounted at a market rate of interest.

#### Impairment of financial assets

Financial assets, other than those held at fair value through profit and loss, are assessed for indicators of impairment at each reporting end date.

Financial assets are impaired where there is objective evidence that, as a result of one or more events that occurred after the initial recognition of the financial asset, the estimated future cash flows have been affected. If an asset is impaired, the impairment loss is the difference between the carrying amount and the present value of the estimated cash flows discounted at the asset's original effective interest rate. The impairment loss is recognised in profit or loss.

If there is a decrease in the impairment loss arising from an event occurring after the impairment was recognised, the impairment is reversed. The reversal is such that the current carrying amount does not exceed what the carrying amount would have been, had the impairment not previously been recognised. The impairment reversal is recognised in profit or loss.

#### Derecognition of financial assets

Financial assets are derecognised only when the contractual rights to the cash flows from the asset expire or are settled, or when the company transfers the financial asset and substantially all the risks and rewards of ownership to another entity, or if some significant risks and rewards of ownership are retained but control of the asset has transferred to another party that is able to sell the asset in its entirety to an unrelated third party.

#### Classification of financial liabilities

Financial liabilities and equity instruments are classified according to the substance of the contractual arrangements entered into. An equity instrument is any contract that evidences a residual interest in the assets of the company after deducting all of its liabilities.

#### Basic financial liabilities

Basic financial liabilities, including other creditors, other loans and amounts due to fellow group companies, are initially recognised at transaction price unless the arrangement constitutes a financing transaction, where the debt instrument is measured at the present value of the future payments discounted at a market rate of interest.

Debt instruments are subsequently carried at amortised cost, using the effective interest rate method.

### Derecognition of financial liabilities

Financial liabilities are derecognised when, and only when, the company's contractual obligations are discharged, cancelled, or they expire.

# NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONTINUED) FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2022

#### 1 Accounting policies (Continued)

#### **Equity instruments**

Equity instruments issued by the company are recorded at the fair value of proceeds received, net of transaction costs. Dividends payable on equity instruments are recognised as liabilities once they are no longer at the discretion of the company.

#### **Taxation**

The tax expense represents the sum of the current tax expense. Current tax assets are recognised when tax paid exceeds the tax payable.

Current tax is based on taxable profit for the year. Current tax assets and liabilities are measured using tax rates that have been enacted or substantively enacted by the reporting period.

#### 2 Judgements and key sources of estimation uncertainty

In the application of the company's accounting policies, the directors are required to make judgements, estimates and assumptions about the carrying amount of assets and liabilities that are not readily apparent from other sources. The estimates and associated assumptions are based on historical experience and other factors that are considered to be relevant. Actual results may differ from these estimates.

The estimates and underlying assumptions are reviewed on an ongoing basis. Revisions to accounting estimates are recognised in the period in which the estimate is revised where the revision affects only that period, or in the period of the revision and future periods where the revision affects both current and future periods.

### Impairment of group debtors

Amounts owed by group undertakings are stated at recoverable amounts, after appropriate provision for bad and doubtful debts. Calculation of the requirement for a bad debt provision requires judgement from management on the financial performance of the group company and historical experience. No provision for bad debt against amounts owed by group undertakings is currently recognised in these financial statements.

#### 3 Employees

The average monthly number of persons (including directors) employed by the company during the year was:

		2022 Number	2021 Number
	Management	4	4
4	Auditor's remuneration		
	The audit fee of £3,850 (2021: £3,500) was borne by a subsidiary company.		
5	Interest receivable and similar income	2022 £	2021 £
	Interest income Interest receivable from group companies	2,327,538	2,092,557

# NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONTINUED) FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2022

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6	Interest payable and similar expenses	2022	2021
		£	£
	Interest on convertible loan notes	3,344,486	2,756,198
	Interest payable to group undertakings	112,924	113,484
	Other interest on financial liabilities	66,421	66,421
		3,523,831	2,936,103
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7	Taxation		
	The total tax charge for the year included in the income statement can l multiplied by the standard rate of tax as follows:	be reconciled to the los	s before tax
	•	2022	2021
		£	£
	Loss before taxation	(1,210,578)	(849,166)
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	Expected tax credit based on the standard rate of corporation tax in the UI 19.00% (2021: 19.00%)	K of (230,010)	(161,342)
	Tax effect of expenses that are not deductible in determining taxable profit	•	440,423
	Group relief	(334,414)	(279,081)
	Cloup relici	(554,414)	(279,001)
	Taxation charge for the year	-	-
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8	Fixed asset investments		
_		2022	2021
	Notes	£	£
	Investments in subsidiaries 9	1	4
	investments in subsidiaries		1
	Managements in fined and timesters to		
	Movements in fixed asset investments		Shares in
			group
		· u	ndertakings
			£
	Cost or valuation		4
	At 1 April 2021 & 31 March 2022		1
	Carrying amount		
	At 31 March 2022		1
	At 31 March 2021		1

# NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONTINUED) FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2022

## 9 Subsidiaries

Details of the company's subsidiaries at 31 March 2022 are as follows:

	Name of undertaking	Registered office	Nature of business	Class of shares held	% Held Direct Indirect
	AEL Assets Holding (Proprietary) Limited ("AEH")	Unit 3 The Ferns, 364 Pretoria Avenue, Ferndale, Randburg, 2125, South Africa	Holding company	Ordinary	- 100.00
	Alston Elliot Australia (Proprietary) Limited ("AEA")	Level 18, 55 Market Street Sydney, NSW 2000, Australia	The provision of TV graphics and data services	Ordinary	- 100.00
	Alston Elliot India (Private) Limited ("AEI")	A24/25, Mohan Cooperative Industrial Estate, Main Mathura Road, New Delhi - 110044, India	The provision of TV graphics and data services	Ordinary	- 99.99
	Alston Elliot Limited	3rd Floor, One London Square, Cross Lanes, Guildford, GU1 1UN	The provision of TV graphics and data services	Ordinary	- 100.00
	Alston Elliot South Africa (Proprietary) Limited ("AESA")	Unit 3 The Ferns, 364 Pretoria Avenue, Ferndale, Randburg, 2125, South Africa	The provision of TV graphics and data services	Ordinary	- 68.63
	Ginger Bidco Limited	3rd Floor, One London Square, Cross Lanes, Guildford, Surrey, GU1 1UN	Holding company	Ordinary	100.00 -
	AE.Live US Inc	Business Filings Inc. 187 Wolf Road, Suite 101, Albany, NY, 12205, United States	The provision of TV graphics and data services	Ordinary	- 100.00
	AE.Live Singapore Private Limited	8 Boon Lay Way, #04-15 8 @ Tradehub 21 Singapore	The provision of TV graphics and data services	Ordinary	- 100.00
	Namadgi Systems (Pty) Limited	Level 13, 68 York Street, Sydney, NSW 2000, Australia	The provision of TV graphics and data services	Ordinary	- 100.00
	Namadgi New Zealand Limited	Johnston Associates CA limited, 202 Ponsonby Road, Ponsonby, Auckland 1011, New Zealand	The provision of TV graphics and data services	Ordinary	- 100.00
	AE.Live Malaysia SDN BHD	Number 11-2, 1st Floor, Jalan SP 2/4, Serdang Perdana, 43300, Seri Kembangan, Selangor, Malaysia	The provision of TV graphics and data services	Ordinary	- 100.00
10	Debtors				
		g same		2022	2021
	Other debtors			66,421	66,821
	Amounts falling du	ue after more than one year:	·	2022 £	2021 £
	Amounts owed by g	roup undertakings		33,811,933	31,751,035
•	Other debtors			116,645	183,067
				33,928,578	31,934,102
	Total debtors			33,994,999	32,000,923

# NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONTINUED) FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2022

#### 10 Debtors (Continued)

Amounts owed by group undertakings represent a loan to Ginger Bidco Limited, a subsidiary company, bearing interest at 10% per annum and repayable on final maturity in December 2024.

Included within other debtors due after one year is unamortised debt arrangement fees totalling £116,645 (2021: £183,067).

## 11 Creditors: amounts falling due within one year

-		2022	2021
	Notes	£	3
Loan notes	13	570,399	3,275,941
Other creditors		2,512	-
Accruals and deferred income		1,500	102,443
		574,411	3,378,384

Included within accruals above is accrued interest on loan notes totalling £Nil (2021: £100,943).

#### 12 Creditors: amounts falling due after more than one year

•		2022	2021
	Notes	£	£
Loan notes	13	31,133,852	25,986,530
Amounts due to group undertakings	•	1,590,698	1,485,017
Accruals		3,923,857	3,168,233
		36,648,407	30,639,780

Amounts due to group undertakings represent a loan from the parent company, bearing interest of 10% per annum and repayable after final maturity in December 2024.

Included within accruals above is accrued interest on loan notes totalling £3,923,857 (2021: £3,168,233).

#### 13 Borrowings

	2022	2021
	£	£
Loan notes	31,704,251	29,262,471
Payable within one year	570,399	3,275,941
Payable within one year Payable after one year	31,133,852	25,986,530
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# NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONTINUED) FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2022

#### 13 Borrowings (Continued)

On 22 December 2017 a 10% Investor loan note of £20,954,127 was issued, which is redeemable on 21 December 2024. £Nil (2021: £Nil) was repaid during the year. At the year end £18,335,926 was outstanding (2021: £18,335,926).

On 22 December 2017 a 10% Vendor loan note of £1,979,382 was issued, which is redeemable on 21 December 2024. £Nil (2021: £Nil) was repaid during the year. At the year end £1,943,343 was outstanding (2021: £1,943,343).

On 17 December 2019 a 10% Investor loan note of £1,959,483 was issued, which is redeemable on 21 December 2024. £Nil (2021: £Nil) was repaid during the year. At the year end £1,959,483 was outstanding (2021: £1,959,483).

On 17 December 2019 a 10% Investor loan note of £492,494 was issued, which is redeemable on 21 December 2024. £Nil (2021: £Nil) was repaid during the year. At the year end £492,494 was outstanding (2021: £492,494).

On 30 November 2020 a 10% Investor loan note of £3,000,000 was issued, which was redeemed on 29 November 2021. £3,000,000 (2021: £Nil) was repaid during the year. At the year end £nil was outstanding (2021: £3,000,000).

On 30 November 2020 a 4% Vendor loan note of AUD 2,500,000 was issued, which is redeemable on 29 November 2022 (AUD 1,000,000) and on 21 December 2024 (AUD 1,000,000). \$500,000 (2021: \$Nil) was repaid during the year. At the year end AUD 2,000,000 was outstanding (2021: \$2,500,000).

On 15 December 2020 a 10% Investor loan note of £1,719,374 was issued, which is redeemable on 21 December 2024. £Nil (2021: £Nil) was repaid during the year. At the year end £1,719,374 was outstanding (2021: £1,719,374).

On 15 December 2020 a 10% Investor loan note of £432,144 was issued, which is redeemable on 21 December 2024. £Nil (2021: £Nil) was repaid during the year. At the year end £432,144 was outstanding (2021: £432,144).

On 29 November 2021 a 15% Investor loan note of £3,311,911 was issued which is redeemable on 21 December 2024. £Nil (2021: £Nil) was repaid during the year. At the year end £3,311,911 was outstanding (2021: £1,719,374).

On 29 November 2021 a 10% Investor loan note of £1,892,996 was issued, which is redeemable on 21 December 2024. £Nil (2021: £Nil) was repaid during the year. At the year end £1,892,996 was outstanding (2021: £Nil).

On 29 November 2021 a 10% Investor loan note of £475,782 was issued, which is redeemable on 21 December 2024. £Nil (2021: £Nil) was repaid during the year. At the year end £475,782 was outstanding (2021: £Nil).

Interest accrued on the principal amounts shown in accruals greater than one year are repayable in line with the final maturity dates of the relevant loan.

#### 14 Share capital

	2022	2021	2022	2021
Ordinary share capital	Number	Number	£	£
Issued and fully paid				
Ordinary share of £1 each	1	1	1	1
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# NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONTINUED) FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2022

### 14 Share capital (Continued)

The Ordinary share capital has full voting, dividend and capital distribution (including on winding up) rights. They do not confer any rights of redemption.

#### 15 Reserves

#### Profit and loss reserves

Cumulative profit and loss net of distributions to owners.

#### 16 Financial commitments, guarantees and contingent liabilities

A cross guarantee to secure bank borrowings exists between Ginger Midco Limited and Ginger Bidco Limited and other group companies. The total amount outstanding at 31 March 2022 was £14,029,841 (2021: £12,675,026).

The company are contingently liable in respect of a group VAT agreement with Ginger Topco Limited, Ginger Bidco Limited and Alston Elliot Limited. At the year end the company's contingent liability was £269,251 (2021: £409,472).

#### 17 Events after the reporting date

In November 2022, the group completed a debt refinancing with a new debt provider. The previous debt was fully repaid, and the new debt facility includes a £15m 5 year term loan, a committed facility of £1m and a £2m revolving credit facility. The company is party to a bank guarantee with other group companies.

#### 18 Control

Ginger Topco Limited, a company incorporated in England and Wales is the immediate and ultimate parent company. The ultimate controlling party is Inflexion Enterprise Fund.

Ginger Topco Limited is the smallest and largest group for which consolidated accounts are prepared. The consolidated accounts are available from its registered office, 3rd Floor One London Square, Cross Lanes, Guildford, Surrey, United Kingdom, GU1 1UN.