# Caspian UK Holdings Limited

## **Annual Report and Financial Statements**

Period ended 31 December 2007 Registered number 182180

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# **Director's report**

The directors present their annual report and financial statements for the year ended 31 December 2007

#### Principal activities

The company did not trade during the year No profit and loss account has therefore been prepared

### Directors and Directors' interests

T Nader-Zadeh D W Coulson J M Nader-Zadeh MJ Gray

The shareholdings of the directors in the shares of the Company's ultimate parent company at 31 December 2007 are shown in the financial statements of that company

By Order of the Board

MJ Gray Secretary

26 September 2008

## **Balance Sheet**

at 31 December 2007

Fixed assets	Notes	2007 £000	2007 £000	2006 £000	2006 £000
Investments	3		10,766		10,766
Current assets	J		10,700		10,700
Debtors	4	2,052		2,052	
Creditors amounts falling due within one year	5 _	(7,099)		(7,099)	
Net current liabilities			(5,047)		(5,047)
Net assets			5,719	_	5,719
Capital and reserves					
Called up share capital	6		916		916
Share premium account		3,991		3,991	
Capital redemption reserve		27		27	
Profit and loss account	_	785	·	785	
			4,803		4,803
Equity shareholders' funds		_	5,719	_	5,719

For the year ended 31 December 2007 the company was entitled to exemption from audit under section 249AA(1) of the Companies Act 1985

No members have required the company to obtain an audit of its accounts for the year in question in accordance with section 249b(2)

The directors acknowledge their responsibility for (i) ensuring the company keeps accounting records which comply with section 221, and (ii) preparing accounts which give a true and fair view of the state of affairs of the company as at the end of its financial year, and of its profit or loss for the financial year in accordance with section 226, and which otherwise comply with the requirements of the Companies Act relating to accounts, so far as applicable to the company

The financial statements were approved and authorised for issue by the board and were signed on its behalf on 26 September 2008

DW Coulson Director

## Notes to the financial statements

## Period ended 31 December 2007

#### 1 Basis of preparation

The financial statements have been prepared on the going concern basis because the ultimate parent undertaking has provided assurance that adequate financial support will be available for the company to meet its liabilities as and when they fall due for payment

As it is a wholly owned subsidiary undertaking whose results are included in consolidated financial statements which are publicly available, the company has taken advantage of the exemption available under Financial Reporting Standard 8 to subsidiaries which are more than 90% owned, not to disclose transactions with other group undertakings. There were no other related party transactions during the year

#### 2 Accounting policies

Except as noted, the following accounting policies have been applied consistently in dealing with items, which are considered material in relation to these financial statements

#### **Accounting Convention**

The financial statements are prepared in accordance with applicable accounting standards and under the historical cost convention

#### Basis of consolidation

The company is exempt by virtue of Section 228 of the Companies Act 1985 from the requirement to prepare group financial statements as it is consolidated within the financial statements of its parent undertaking, Caspian UK Group Limited Consequently, these financial statements present information about the company as an individual undertaking and not about its group

#### Investments

Where it is the intention of the Directors to hold investments for the long-term benefit of the Company they are included within fixed assets, otherwise they are included in current assets. Fixed asset investments are included at cost less provision for permanent impairment in value. Current asset investments are stated at the lower of cost and net realisable value. Investments in subsidiary undertakings are recorded at cost. The carrying value of investments in subsidiary undertakings are reviewed for impairment when events or changes in circumstances indicate that the carrying value may not be recoverable.

Subsidiary

#### 3 Fixed assets investments

undertakings
£ 000
13,166
(2,400)
10,766

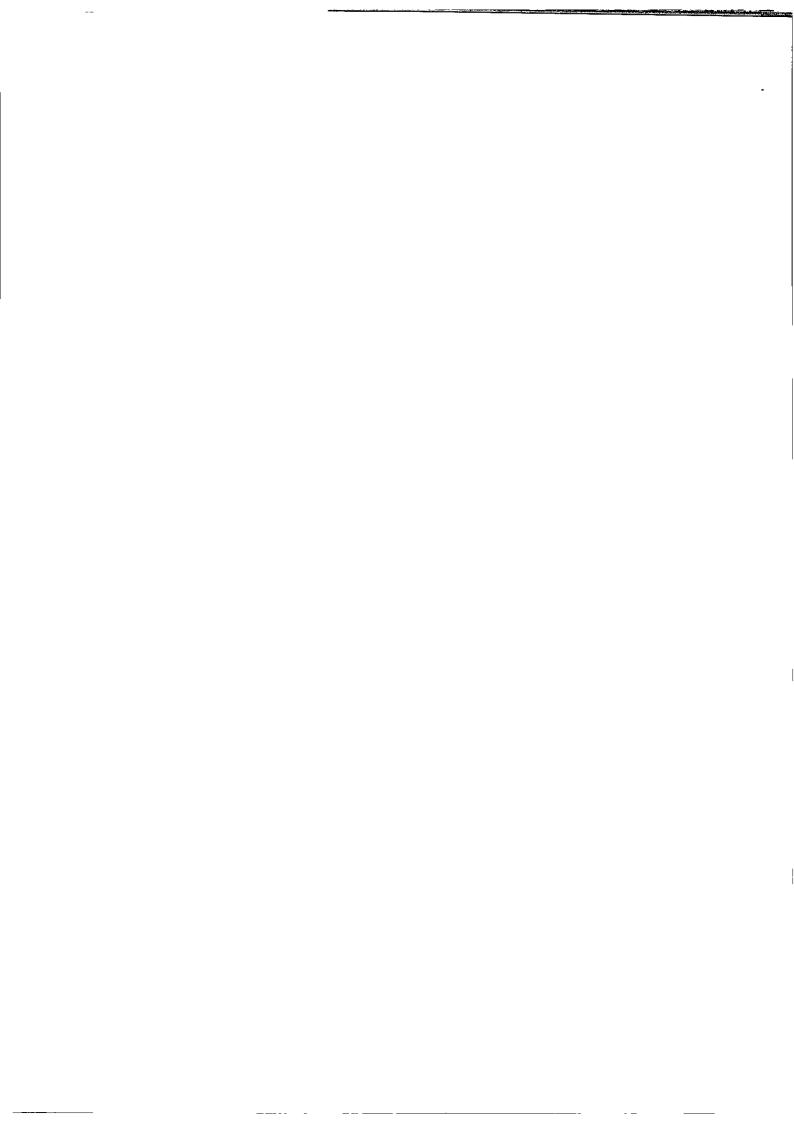
The Company's principal trading subsidiary undertakings, all of which are wholly owned and incorporated in Great Britain, unless otherwise stated, are listed below

Nature of business Type of shares

Caspian Food Services Limited \* Fast food outlets Ordinary
Gowrings Motor Holdings Limited Non trading Ordinary

\* Held directly by the Company

A full list of subsidiary companies will be included in the Annual Return



## Notes to the financial statements

Period ended 31 December 2007

#### 4 Debtors

	Amounts owed by subsidiary undertakings			2007 £000 2,052	2006 £000 2,052
5	Creditors amounts falling due within one year				
				2007 £000	2006 £000
	Amounts owed to subsidiary undertakings			7,091	7,091
	Other creditors			8	8
				7,099	7,099
6	Called up share capital				
		Number of	Number of		
		Shares	Shares		
		2007	2006	2007	2006
		000	000	0002	£000
	Authorised				
	Ordinary shares of 10p each	15,000	15,000	1,500	1,500
	Issued and fully paid up				
	Ordinary shares of 10p each	9,155	9,155	916	916

### 7 Contingent assets and liabilities

- a) Under a group registration the company is jointly and severally hable for VAT at 31 December 2007 of £1,026,583 (2006 £717,672)
- b) The company is party to a composite guarantee in respect of the group's bank borrowings. The potential liability at 31 December 2007 is £5,275,000

## 8 Ultimate parent company and ultimate controlling party

Following the acquisition of the Gowrings Limited group on 6 January 2006, the Company's ultimate holding company is Caspian UK Group Limited, which is incorporated in Great Britain and registered in England and Wales Copies of the group financial statements are available from the Registrar of Companies, Companies House, Crown Way, Cardiff CF4 3HZ)

The company's ultimate controlling party is Mr T N Zadeh

