## **Voith Industrial Services Holding Limited**

Annual report and financial statements
Registered number 5424146
For the year ended 30 September 2015

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## Directors' report

The directors present their annual report and the audited financial statements for the year ended 30 September 2015.

#### Principal activity

On 1 October 2014, the directors took the decision to cease trading following the sale of the company's only investment. As the directors intend to liquidate the company following the settlement of the remaining net assets, they have not prepared the financial statements on a going concern basis. The effect of this is explained in note 1.

#### **Directors**

The directors who held office during the year were as follows:

G Kehoe P Nicholson (appointed 15 May 2015) (resigned 15 May 2015)

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#### Directors' liabilities

The company has granted an indemnity to one or more of its directors against liability in respect of proceedings brought by third parties, subject to the conditions set out in Section 234 of the Companies Act 2006. Such qualifying third party indemnity provision remains in force as at the date of approving the directors' report.

#### Disclosure of information to auditor

The directors who held office at the date of approval of this directors' report confirm that, so far as they are each aware, there is no relevant audit information of which the Company's auditor is unaware; and each director has taken all the steps that they ought to have taken as a director to make themselves aware of any relevant audit information and to establish that the Company's auditor is aware of that information.

#### **Auditor**

Pursuant to Section 487 of the Companies Act 2006, the auditor will be deemed to be re-appointed and KPMG LLP will, therefore, continue in office.

Approved by the board of directors on June 2016 and signed on its behalf by:

P. 1.7.16.

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## Statement of directors' responsibilities in respect of the Directors' report and the financial statements

The directors are responsible for preparing 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 they have elected to prepare the financial statements in accordance with UK Accounting Standards and applicable law (UK Generally Accepted Accounting Practice).

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 judgments and estimates that are reasonable and prudent;
- state whether applicable UK Accounting Standards have been followed, subject to any material departures disclosed and explained in the financial statements; and
- prepare the financial statements on the going concern basis unless it is inappropriate to presume that the company will continue in business. As explained in note 1, the directors do not believe that it is appropriate to prepare these financial statements on a going concern basis.

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 have general responsibility for taking such steps as are reasonably open to them to safeguard the assets of the company and to prevent and detect fraud and other irregularities.



## KPMG LLP

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## Independent auditor's report to the members of Voith Industrial Services Holding Limited

We have audited the financial statements of Voith Industrial Services Holding Limited for the year ended 30 September 2015 set out on pages 5 to 10. The financial reporting framework that has been applied in their preparation is applicable law and UK Accounting Standards (UK Generally Accepted Accounting Practice).

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.

## Respective responsibilities of directors and auditor

As explained more fully in the directors' responsibilities statement set out on page 2, the directors are responsible for the preparation of the financial statements and for being satisfied that they give a true and fair view. Our responsibility is to audit, and express an opinion on, the financial statements in accordance with applicable law and International Standards on Auditing (UK and Ireland). Those standards require us to comply with the Auditing Practices Board's Ethical Standards for Auditors.

### Scope of the audit of the financial statements

A description of the scope of an audit of financial statements is provided on the Financial Reporting Council's website at www.frc.org.uk/auditscopeukprivate.

## Opinion on financial statements

In our opinion the financial statements:

- give a true and fair view of the state of the company's affairs as at 30 September 2015 and of its profit for the year then ended;
- have been properly prepared in accordance with UK Generally Accepted Accounting Practice; and
- have been prepared in accordance with the requirements of the Companies Act 2006.

## Emphasis of matter - non-going concern basis of preparation

In forming our opinion on the financial statements, which is not modified, we have considered the adequacy of the disclosure made in note 1 to the financial statements which explains that the financial statements have not been prepared on the going concern basis for the reason set out in that note.

## Opinion on other matter prescribed by the Companies Act 2006

In our opinion the information given in the Directors' report for the financial year for which the financial statements are prepared is consistent with the financial statements.

# Independent auditor's report to the members of Voith Industrial Services Holding Limited (continued)

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

We have nothing to report in respect of the following matters where 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; or
- the directors were not entitled to take advantage of the small companies' exemption from the requirements to prepare a strategic report.

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Matthew Buckingham (Senior Statutory Auditor) for and on behalf of KPMG LLP, Statutory Auditor Chartered Accountants

6 July 2016

## **Profit and loss account** for the year ended 30 September 2015

	Note	2015 £000	2014 £000
Other operating expense		-	(2)
Operating loss	2	-	(2)
Net interest receivable/(payable) and similar charges Loss on sale of investment	3 4	262	238 (136)
Profit on ordinary activities before taxation		262	100
Tax on profit on ordinary activities	5	(54)	(52)
Profit for the financial year	9	208	48

Operating profit in both years is derived wholly from discontinued operations.

The company has no recognised gains or losses for both years other than the results above.

## Balance sheet at 30 September 2015

	Note	2015 £000	£000	2014 £000	£000
Current assets		27.045			
Debtors Cash at bank and in hand	6	27,945 232		28,198	
		28,177		28,198	
Creditors: Amounts falling due within one year	7	(7,100)		(7,329)	
			21,077		20,869
Total assets less current liabilities			21,077		20,869
Net assets			21,077		20,869
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Capital and reserves Called up share capital	8		17,500		17,500
Profit and loss account	9		3,577		3,369
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Shareholders' funds	10		21,077		20,869

These financial statements were approved by the board of directors on June 2016 and were signed on its behalf by:

G Kehoe

Director

Registered number: 5424146

#### **Notes**

(forming part of the financial statements)

#### 1 Accounting policies

The following accounting policies have been applied consistently in dealing with items which are considered material in relation to the company's financial statements:

#### Basis of preparation

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

#### Going concern

On 1 October 2014, the directors took the decision to cease trading following the sale of the company's only investment on the same date. As the directors intend to liquidate the company following the settlement of the remaining net assets, they have not prepared the financial statements on a going concern basis. The impact of this is that investments have moved from a fixed asset to a current asset in the prior year.

#### Cash flow statement

As the company is a wholly owned subsidiary and its parent publishes consolidated financial statements, the directors have taken advantage of the exemption in Financial Reporting Standard No 1 (revised) from including a cash flow statement in the financial statements.

## Related party transactions

As a 100% subsidiary undertaking of Voith GmbH, the company has taken advantage of the exemption in FRS 8 "Related party disclosures" from disclosing transactions with other members of the group headed by Voith GmbH.

#### Consolidation

The company is exempt from the requirement to prepare group financial statements by virtue of Section 400 of the Companies Act 2006. These financial statements therefore present information about the company as an individual undertaking and not about its group.

#### Investments

Investments in subsidiary undertakings are stated at cost less amounts written off.

## Revenue recognition

Revenue is recognised to the extent that the company obtains the right to consideration in exchange for its performance. Revenue is measured at the fair value of the consideration received, excluding discounts, rebates, VAT and other sales taxes or duty. The following criteria must also be met before revenue is recognised:

#### Dividend income

Dividend income is recognised when the company's right to receive payment is established.

## Notes (continued)

## 1 Accounting policies (continued)

#### Taxation

The charge for taxation is based on the profit for the year and takes into account taxation deferred because of timing differences between the treatments of certain items for taxation and accounting purposes.

#### Deferred taxation

Deferred tax is recognised in respect of all timing differences that have originated but not reversed at the balance sheet date where transactions or events have occurred at that date that will result in an obligation to pay more, or a right to pay less or to receive more, tax, with the following exception:

deferred tax assets are recognised only to the extent that the directors consider that it is more likely than not that
there will be suitable taxable profits from which the future reversal of the underlying timing differences can be
deducted.

Deferred tax is measured on an undiscounted basis at the tax rates that are expected to apply in the periods in which timing differences are expected to reverse, based on the tax rates and laws enacted, or substantively enacted, at the balance sheet date.

#### Foreign currencies

Profit and loss account transactions in foreign currencies are translated into sterling at the exchange rate ruling at the date of the transaction. Monetary assets and liabilities denominated in foreign currencies are translated into sterling at the closing rates at the balance sheet date and the exchange differences are included in the profit and loss account.

#### Dividends on shares presented within shareholders' funds

Dividends are only recognised as a liability at that date to the extent that they are declared prior to the year end. Unpaid dividends that do not meet these criteria are disclosed in the notes to the financial statements.

### 2 Operating profit

All operating expenses, including auditor's remuneration, are borne by the company's subsidiary undertaking in the current financial year.

Directors' remuneration has been borne by another group company in both years. The directors are also directors or officers of a number of the companies within the Voith GmbH group. Their directors' services to the company do not occupy a significant amount of t heir time. As such, the directors do not consider that they have received any remuneration for their incidental services for the company in both years.

### 3 Net interest receivable/(payable) and similar charges

	2015 £000	£000
Interest receivable on loans to group undertakings	479	437
Interest payable on loans from group undertakings	(217)	(213)
Exchange gains on foreign currency borrowings	-	14
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	262	238

## Notes (continued)

#### 4 Profit on sale of investment

	2015 £000	2014 £000
Loss on sale of Voith Industrial Services (Coventry) Limited	-	(136)

On 1 October 2013, the company sold its investment in Voith Industrial Services (Coventry) Limited to Voith Industrial Services Limited for consideration of £6,969,000 and recognised a loss on disposal of £136,000.

### 5 Taxation

## Analysis of charge for the year

	2015 £000	2014 £000
Current tax UK corporation tax	54	52
Tax credit on profit on ordinary activities	54	52

There is no unrecognised or recognised deferred tax (2014: £Nil).

## Factors affecting the tax charge for the year

The current tax charge for the year is in line with (2014: higher) the standard rate of corporation tax in the UK of 20.5% (2014: 22%). The differences are explained below:

Current tax reconciliation	2015 £000	2014 £000
Profit on ordinary activities before tax	262	100
Current tax at 20.5% (2014: 22%)	54	22
Effects of: Group dividend received	_	-
Profit on sale of investment	-	30
Total current tax charge (see above)	54	52
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#### Factors that may affect future current and total tax charges

Reductions in the UK corporation tax rate from 23% to 21% (effective from 1 April 2014) and 20% (effective from 1 April 2015) were substantively enacted on 2 July 2013. Further reductions to 19% (effective 1 April 2017) and to 18% (effective 1 April 2020) were substantively enacted on 26 October 2015. This will reduce the company's future current tax charge accordingly.

#### 6 Debtors

	2015 £000	2014 £000
Amounts owed by group undertakings	27,945	28,198
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## Notes (continued)

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

	2015 £000	2014 £000
Bank overdraft Amounts owed to group undertakings.	7,100	229 7,100
	7,100	7,329
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Included within amounts owed to group undertakings above is £7,100,000 (2014: £7,100,000) repayable in September 2015 with a fixed interest rate of 3.0% per annum.

## 8 Share capital

	2015	2014
	£000	£000
Allotted, called up and fully paid:		
175,000,000 (2014: 175,000,000) ordinary shares of £1 each	17,500	17,500

On 27 February 2014, the company issued 6,500,000 shares to its immediate parent, Voith Industrial Services Beteiligungen GmbH, for £6,500,000.

#### 9 Reserves

Profit and Loss account £000
3,369 208
3,577
2014 £000
48 6,500
14,321
20,869

## 11 Parent undertaking and controlling party

The company's immediate parent undertaking and controlling party is Voith Industrial Services Beteligungen GmbH, a company incorporated in Germany.

At the beginning and end of the year, the largest and smallest group of which Voith Industrial Services Holding Limited was a member and for which group financial statements were drawn up and headed by Voith GmbH, whose principal place of business is at Sankt Pöltener Straße, 89522 Heidenheim, Germany. Consolidated financial statements are available to the public from the above address.