

Portland Lighting Limited
Annual report and financial statements
for the year ended 30 June 2017

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Directors' report for the year ended 30 June 2017

The directors present their annual report and the audited financial statements of the company for the year ended 30 June 2017.

Principal activities

The company's principal activity during the year was the manufacture, distribution and sale of specialist lighting equipment.

Review of business and future developments

The level of business and the financial position at 30 June 2017 were satisfactory and the directors expect this to continue into the coming year.

The most significant uncertainties for the business arise from fluctuations in the macro-economic cycle and the competitive market. In particular, the company's revenue and profit could be affected by spending reductions, inflationary pressures and exchange rate risks for purchases of materials and trade debtors. Wherever possible the company seeks to minimise these risks by diversification and risk management strategies. Competition within the market is strong with evolving technologies, products and pricing. The company seeks to minimise these risks by offering innovative solutions and working closely with customers to satisfy their requirements. Prices are reviewed regularly, particularly where there is an element of the products made that relies on components priced in foreign currencies.

The key performance indicators for the business are revenue and operating profit. Revenue decreased by 2% (2016: 3% increase) and operating profit decreased by 8% (2016: 5% increase). The directors monitor non-financial areas of the business relating to energy saving and environmental responsibility, market and product development, customer service and support on a regular basis. Objectives are set including financial and non-financial targets and these are monitored by the board.

The company has financial risks and seeks to minimise and manage these by incorporating controls into key functions as part of the normal business operation.

Management reviews prices at least annually to take into account fluctuations in costs in order to minimise the risk of reduction in gross margin, or loss of market share from lack of competitiveness.

Financial risk management

The company, which is limited by shares, has operations exposing it to a variety of financial risks that include credit risk and liquidity risk. The company has in place a risk management programme that seeks to limit adverse effects on its financial performance. The policies set by the directors are implemented by the company's management team.

Credit risk

The company has implemented policies that require appropriate credit checks on potential customers before sales are made. The amount of exposure to any individual counterparty is subject to a limit, which is reassessed at least annually by the management of the company. Management reviews the debt profile regularly to minimise the impact of bad debt exposure and the risk of slow-payment by customers. The company has underwritten a significant part of its customer debt with a credit insurance policy, which is managed in accordance with Group control procedures.

The company's cash resources are managed centrally by the parent company in accordance with their treasury policy apart from a small amount of physical cash and foreign currency which is held securely and is subject to agreed internal control procedures. The parent company, FW Thorpe Plc, manages the risks associated with cash and deposits.

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Directors' report for the year ended 30 June 2017 (continued)

Financial risk management (continued)

Liquidity risk

The company actively maintains its liquidity risk using operating cash flows, cash equivalents and a mixture of short and long term inter-company debt that is designed to ensure the company has sufficient available funds for its operations. The company also has access to intergroup borrowings if necessary to fund any one off liquidity requirements.

Results and dividends

The profit for the financial year amounted to £799,000 (2016: £870,000), and was transferred directly to reserves. The dividend paid during the year was £1,000,000 (2016: £750,000). The directors recommend the payment of a dividend of £1,000,000 (2016: £1,000,000) for the year.

Directors

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

D J Harrison
C Muncaster
D Taylor
A R Truelove (resigned 19 January 2017)

Development activities

The company is committed to development activities in order to maintain its market share in the industrial and commercial lighting market. These activities encompass constant development of both new and existing products to ensure that a leading position in the lighting market is maintained.

Statement of directors' responsibilities in respect of the financial statements

The directors are responsible for preparing the Annual Report and the financial statements in accordance with applicable law and regulation.

Company law requires the directors to prepare financial statements for each financial year. Under that law the directors have prepared the financial statements in accordance with United Kingdom Generally Accepted Accounting Practice (United Kingdom Accounting Standards, comprising FRS 101 "Reduced Disclosure Framework", 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 the financial statements, the directors are required to:

- select suitable accounting policies and then apply them consistently;
- state whether applicable United Kingdom Accounting Standards, comprising FRS 101, have been followed, subject to any material departures disclosed and explained in the financial statements;
- make judgements and accounting estimates that are reasonable and prudent; and
- 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.

The directors 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.

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Directors' indemnities

As permitted by the Articles of Association, the directors have the benefit of an indemnity which is a qualifying third party indemnity provision as defined by section 234 of the Companies Act 2006. The indemnity was in force throughout the last financial year and is currently in force. The parent Company, FW Thorpe Plc also purchased and maintained throughout the financial year Directors' and Officers' liability insurance in respect of itself and its directors.

Statement of disclosure of information to the auditors

The directors confirm that:

- a) so far as the directors are aware, there is no relevant audit information of which the company's auditors are unaware, and
- b) the directors have taken all the steps that they ought to have taken as directors in order to make themselves aware of any relevant audit information and to establish that the company's auditors are aware of that information.

Independent Auditors

The Company has chosen not to hold annual general meetings. Subject to the receipt of any objections as provided under statute or the Company's Articles of Association, the Company is relying on the provisions as provided in section 487 of the Companies Act 2006 for the deemed reappointment of PricewaterhouseCoopers LLP as auditors.

Going concern

The directors confirm that they are satisfied the company has adequate resources to continue in business for the foreseeable future. For these reasons, the directors continue to adopt the going concern basis in preparing these financial statements.

Small company exemption

The directors' report has been prepared in accordance with the special provisions relating to small companies within Part 15 of the Companies Act 2006. The Company has also taken advantage of the exemption available to it not to prepare a strategic report.

On behalf of the Board



C Muncaster
Director

16 November 2017

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Independent auditors' report to the members of Portland Lighting Limited

Report on the audit of the financial statements

Opinion

In our opinion, Portland Lighting Limited's financial statements:

- give a true and fair view of the state of the company's affairs as at 30 June 2017 and of its profit for the year then ended;
- have been properly prepared in accordance with United Kingdom Generally Accepted Accounting Practice (United Kingdom Accounting Standards, comprising FRS 101 "Reduced Disclosure Framework", and applicable law); and
- have been prepared in accordance with the requirements of the Companies Act 2006.

We have audited the financial statements, included within the Annual report and financial statements (the "Annual Report"), which comprise: the balance sheet as at 30 June 2017; the income statement and statement of comprehensive income, the statement of changes in equity for the year then ended; and the notes to the financial statements, which include a description of the significant accounting policies.

Basis for opinion

We conducted our audit in accordance with International Standards on Auditing (UK) ("ISAs (UK)") and applicable law. Our responsibilities under ISAs (UK) are further described in the Auditors' responsibilities for the audit of the financial statements section of our report. We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion.

Independence

We remained independent of the company in accordance with the ethical requirements that are relevant to our audit of the financial statements in the UK, which includes the FRC's Ethical Standard, and we have fulfilled our other ethical responsibilities in accordance with these requirements.

Conclusions relating to going concern

We have nothing to report in respect of the following matters in relation to which ISAs (UK) require us to report to you when:

- the directors' use of the going concern basis of accounting in the preparation of the financial statements is not appropriate; or
- the directors have not disclosed in the financial statements any identified material uncertainties that may cast significant doubt about the company's ability to continue to adopt the going concern basis of accounting for a period of at least twelve months from the date when the financial statements are authorised for issue.

However, because not all future events or conditions can be predicted, this statement is not a guarantee as to the company's ability to continue as a going concern.

Reporting on other information

The other information comprises all of the information in the Annual Report other than the financial statements and our auditors' report thereon. The directors are responsible for the other information. Our opinion on the financial statements does not cover the other information and, accordingly, we do not express an audit opinion or, except to the extent otherwise explicitly stated in this report, any form of assurance thereon.

In connection with our audit of the financial statements, 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 audit, or otherwise appears to be materially misstated. If we identify an apparent material inconsistency or material misstatement, we

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are required to perform procedures to conclude whether there is a material misstatement of the financial statements or a material misstatement of the other information. 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 based on these responsibilities.

With respect to the Directors' Report, we also considered whether the disclosures required by the UK Companies Act 2006 have been included.

Based on the responsibilities described above and our work undertaken in the course of the audit, ISAs (UK) require us also to report certain opinions and matters as described below.

Directors' Report

In our opinion, based on the work undertaken in the course of the audit, the information given in the Directors' Report for the year ended 30 June 2017 is consistent with the financial statements and has been prepared in accordance with applicable legal requirements.

In light of the knowledge and understanding of the company and its environment obtained in the course of the audit, we did not identify any material misstatements in the Directors' Report.

Responsibilities for the financial statements and the audit

Responsibilities of the directors for the financial statements

As explained more fully in the Statement of directors' responsibilities set out on page 2, the directors are responsible for the preparation of the financial statements in accordance with the applicable framework and for being satisfied that they give a true and fair view. The directors are also responsible for such internal control as they 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.

Auditors' 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 auditors' 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.

A further description of our responsibilities for the audit of the financial statements is located on the FRC's website at: www.frc.org.uk/auditorsresponsibilities. This description forms part of our auditors' report.

Use of this report

This report, including the opinions, has been prepared for and only for the company's members as a body in accordance with Chapter 3 of Part 16 of the Companies Act 2006 and for no other purpose. We do not, in giving these opinions, accept or assume responsibility for any other purpose or to any other person to whom this report is shown or into whose hands it may come save where expressly agreed by our prior consent in writing.

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Other required reporting

Companies Act 2006 exception reporting

Under the Companies Act 2006 we are required to report to you if, in our opinion:

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

We have no exceptions to report arising from this responsibility.

Entitlement to exemptions

Under the Companies Act 2006 we are required to report to you if, in our opinion, the directors were not entitled to take advantage of the small companies exemption from preparing a strategic report. We have no exceptions to report arising from this responsibility.



David Teager (Senior Statutory Auditor)

for and on behalf of PricewaterhouseCoopers LLP

Chartered Accountants and Statutory Auditors

Birmingham

16 November 2017

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Income statement for the year ended 30 June 2017

		2017	2016
		£'000	£'000
Continuing operations	Note		
Revenue	2	3,412	3,486
Cost of sales		(1,864)	(1,854)
Gross profit		1,548	1,632
Distribution costs		(232)	(228)
Administrative expenses		(331)	(333)
Other operating income	2	6	7
Operating profit		991	1,078
Finance income	4	3	4
Profit before income tax		994	1,082
Income tax expense	5	(195)	(212)
Profit for the financial year		799	870

All income derives from continuing operations.

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Statement of comprehensive income for the year ended 30 June 2017

		2017	2016
	Note	£'000	£'000
Profit for the financial year		799	870
Other comprehensive income			
Items that may be reclassified to profit or loss			
Deferred taxation	8	1	1
Total comprehensive income		800	871

All comprehensive income is attributable to the owners of the company, and derives from continuing operations.

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Balance sheet as at 30 June 2017

		2017	2016
	Note	£'000	£'000
Non-current assets			
Property, plant and equipment	6	29	39
Intangible assets	7	62	68
Deferred tax asset	8	5	1
Total non-current assets		96	108
Current assets			
Inventories	9	155	172
Trade and other receivables	10	2,047	2,285
Cash and cash equivalents		-	-
Total current assets		2,202	2,457
Total current liabilities	11	(658)	(724)
Net current assets		1,544	1,733
Total assets less current liabilities		1,640	1,841
Total non-current liabilities	12	(21)	(22)
Net assets		1,619	1,819
Equity			
Called up share capital	14	-	-
Capital redemption reserve	15	-	-
Retained earnings		1,619	1,819
Total equity		1,619	1,819

The financial statements on pages 7 to 24 were approved by the Board of Directors on the below date and were signed on its behalf by:



C Muncaster
Director

16 November 2017

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Statement of changes in equity for the year ended 30 June 2017

	Called up share capital	Capital redemption reserve	Retained earnings	Total equity
	£'000	£'000	£'000	£'000
Balance at 1 July 2015	-	-	1,698	1,698
Profit for the financial year	-	-	870	870
Deferred tax arising from rate change	-	-	1	1
Total comprehensive income	-	-	871	871
Transactions with owners				
Dividends paid to shareholders	-	-	(750)	(750)
Balance at 30 June 2016	-	-	1,819	1,819
Balance at 1 July 2016	-	-	1,819	1,819
Profit for the financial year	-	-	799	799
Deferred tax arising from rate change	-	-	1	1
Total comprehensive income	-	-	800	800
Transactions with owners				
Dividends paid to shareholders	-	-	(1,000)	(1,000)
Balance at 30 June 2017	-	-	1,619	1,619

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Notes to the financial statements for the year ended 30 June 2017

1 Summary of significant accounting policies

The principal accounting policies, which have been applied, are set out below.

General information

Portland Lighting Limited (the Company) is a private limited company incorporated and domiciled in the United Kingdom under the Companies Act 2006. The Company's registered address is Merse Road, North Moons Moat, Redditch, Worcestershire, B98 9HH.

Basis of preparation

The company has prepared the financial statements using FRS101 'Reduced Disclosure Framework'. Therefore the recognition and measurement requirements of EU-adopted IFRS have been applied, with amendments where necessary to comply with Companies Act 2006.

Where required, equivalent disclosures are given in the FW Thorpe PLC group financial statements.

The company has adopted all IFRS adopted in the EU, with the exception of the disclosure exemptions listed below. The company and Group has not early adopted any other standards or interpretations not yet endorsed by the EU.

The financial statements are prepared on the going concern basis, under the historical cost convention and in accordance with the Companies Act 2006 as applicable to companies using FRS101. The accounting policies set out below have been consistently applied.

Disclosure exemptions adopted

The company has taken advantage of the following disclosure exemptions permitted under FRS 101 in relation to the following:

The requirement in paragraph 38 of IAS 1 Presentation of Financial Statements to present comparative information in respect of paragraph 73(e) of IAS 16 Property, Plant and Equipment, and paragraph 118(e) of IAS 38 Intangible Assets;

The requirements of paragraphs 134 to 136 of IAS 1 Presentation of Financial Statements to present information on the Company's capital management;

The requirements of IAS 7 Statement of Cash Flows;

The requirements of IFRS 7 Financial instruments: Disclosures;

The requirements of paragraphs 30 and 31 of IAS 8 Accounting policies, changes in accounting estimates and errors to present disclosure of new standards and interpretations that have been issued but not yet effective;

The requirements in IAS 24 Related Party Disclosures to disclose related party transactions entered into between two or more members of a Group.

Revenue recognition

Revenue is recognised upon delivery and acceptance by customers of products in the year. Revenue is shown net of value added tax and discounts.

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1 Summary of significant accounting policies (continued)

Intangible assets

Development costs

The company undertakes development activities on an ongoing basis. Part of these costs relate to projects where the benefit is received in the short term (less than one year) and part relates to longer term projects where the benefit is expected to be received for several years to come. Costs associated with the shorter term activities are expensed as and when they are incurred. Costs associated with the longer term projects are capitalised as an intangible asset and amortised over the expected life of the benefit, generally at 33.33% per annum, commencing when the asset is available for use within the business. Development assets are recognised as intangible assets when the following criteria are met:

- It is technically feasible to complete the intangible asset so that it will be available for use;
- Management intends to complete the intangible asset and use or sell it;
- There is an ability to use or sell the intangible asset;
- It can be demonstrated how the intangible asset will generate probable future economic benefits;
- Adequate technical, financial and other resources to complete the development and to use or sell the intangible asset are available; and
- The expenditure attributable to the intangible asset during its development can be reliably measured.
- Other development expenditures that do not meet these criteria are recognised as an expense as incurred.
- Development costs previously recognised as an expense are not recognised as an asset in a subsequent period.
- The economic success for development activities is uncertain and carrying amounts are reviewed at each balance sheet date for impairment in accordance with IAS 36.
- Development assets are valued at cost less accumulated amortisation and any impairment losses.

Software costs

Software costs are stated at cost less accumulated amortisation and impairment where applicable. Amortisation is calculated on a straight-line basis to write down the cost less estimated residual value over its useful life. The amortisation rates are between 20% and 50% per annum.

Dividend distribution

Dividend distributions to the company's shareholder are recognised as a liability in the company's financial statements in the period in which the dividends are approved by the company's shareholder.

Property plant and equipment

Tangible fixed assets are stated at historical purchase cost less accumulated depreciation. Cost includes the original purchase price together with the costs attributable to bringing the asset to its working condition for its intended use.

Depreciation is calculated on a straight line basis to write off the cost of assets over their useful life as shown below:

Leasehold improvements	10 years
Plant and machinery	3 to 10 years
Office furniture and equipment	3 to 10 years
Motor vehicles	4 years

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1 Summary of significant accounting policies (continued)

Inventories

Inventories are valued at the lower of cost and net realisable value. Cost is determined by the first in, first out method (FIFO). The cost of work in progress and finished goods comprises the cost of raw materials, direct labour and other direct and related production overheads, relating to the normal level of activity.

Net realisable value is the estimated selling price in the ordinary course of business, less the costs of completion and selling expenses. Provision is made against the cost of slow moving, obsolete inventory lines based on the estimated recoverable amounts.

Debtors

Trade debtors are carried at original invoice amount less an estimate made for doubtful debts based on a review of all outstanding amounts of the year end. Bad debts are written off when identified.

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 that result in an obligation to pay more tax in the future or a right to pay less tax in the future have occurred at the balance sheet date.

A net deferred tax asset is recognised as recoverable only when, on the basis of all available evidence, it can be regarded as more likely than not that there will be suitable taxable profits against which to recover carried forward tax losses and from which the future reversal of underlying timing differences can be deducted.

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

Pension obligations

The company operates a defined contribution pension scheme. The assets of the scheme are held separately from those of the company in an independent administered fund. The pension cost charge disclosed in note 3 represents contributions payable by the company to the fund.

Leases

Leases, where a significant portion of the risks and rewards of ownership are retained by the lessor, are classified as operating leases. Payments made under operating leases are charged to the profit and loss account on a straight line basis over the period of the lease.

Warranty

The company recognises a provision for the estimated cost to repair or replace products still under warranty at the balance sheet date. The provision is calculated based on past history of the level of repairs and replacements.

Foreign currency translation

Monetary assets and liabilities denominated in foreign currencies are translated at the rate ruling at the balance sheet date. Exchange differences arising on translation and/or settlement are charged to the profit and loss account where incurred.

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1 Summary of significant accounting policies (continued)

Critical accounting estimates and judgements

Estimates and judgements are continually evaluated and are based on historical experience and other factors, including expectations of future events that are believed to be reasonable under the circumstances.

The company makes estimates and assumptions concerning the future. The resulting accounting estimates will, by definition, seldom equal the related actual results. The estimates and assumptions that have a significant risk of causing a material adjustment to the carrying amounts of assets and liabilities within the next financial year are discussed below.

Development costs

The company undertakes development activities and the commercial viability of these activities are assessed on a continual basis. The company makes assumptions about the future value of the work based on past experience of similar development projects and the feedback from the marketplace about future expectations for technological development. The company seeks to minimise the risk of product development failure by engaging with others to overcome technological difficulties and by regularly assessing the expectation of the market.

2 Revenue

The revenue and profit before income tax are attributable to one activity, the manufacture and distribution of low energy lighting equipment in the UK.

The profit before income tax is stated after charging/(crediting):

	2017	2016
	£'000	£'000
Auditors' remuneration for audit services (inclusive of out of pocket expenses)	9	9
Depreciation of property, plant and equipment	12	13
Amortisation of intangible assets	34	40
Operating leases – land and buildings	72	72
Research and development expenditure credit	(6)	(7)

Amortisation of intangible assets relates to internally generated development costs and is charged to administrative expenses.

Other operating income consists of the research and expenditure credit of £6,000 (2016: £7,000). This is a credit provided by the UK government for carrying out research and development. In prior years this credit was included as a deduction from the tax expense.

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3 Directors and employees

	2017	2016
	£'000	£'000
Staff costs:		
Wages and salaries	641	625
Social security costs	66	56
Other pension costs (note 18)	23	18
	730	699

The monthly average number of directors and employees employed by the company during the year is set out below:

	2017	2016
By activity	Number	Number
Production	11	12
Selling and distribution	6	3
Administration	1	3
	18	18

Directors' emoluments

Remuneration in respect of the directors was payable as follows:

	2017	2016
	£'000	£'000
Aggregate emoluments	157	147

Retirement benefits are accruing to one (2016: one) director under money purchase arrangements. At 30 June 2017 an amount of £nil (2016: £nil) was prepaid in respect of contributions to the money purchase pension scheme.

The emoluments of the highest paid director were £157,000 (2016: £147,000) with £9,000 (2016: £3,000) being contributed to a personal pension scheme.

The other directors of the company are also directors of FW Thorpe Plc and received emoluments from that company and did not receive any emoluments in respect of their services to the company (2016: nil). Disclosure of the total emoluments of the directors of FW Thorpe Plc are made in the financial statements of FW Thorpe Plc. It is not possible to allocate the emoluments attributable to the company of those directors.

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4 Finance income

	2017	2016
	£'000	£'000
Amounts due from parent company	3	4

5 Income tax expense

The tax expense is based on the profit for the financial year:

	2017	2016
	£'000	£'000
Current tax:		
UK corporation tax on profit for the year	200	219
Adjustments in respect of previous years	(1)	(6)
Total current tax	199	213
Deferred tax:		
Origination and reversal of timing differences (note 8)	(4)	(1)
Total deferred tax	(4)	(1)
Tax on profit on ordinary activities	195	212

The tax assessed for the year is lower (2016: lower) than the standard rate of corporation tax in the UK of 19.75% (2016: 20.00 %). The differences are explained below.

	2017	2016
	£'000	£'000
Profit on ordinary activities before tax	994	1,082
Profit on ordinary activities multiplied by the standard rate in the UK 19.75% (2016: 20.00%)	196	216
Accelerated capital allowances and timing differences	-	2
Adjustments in respect of previous years	(1)	(6)
Tax expense for the year	195	212

The change to the UK corporation tax rate from 19% to 17% from 1 April 2020 was substantively enacted on 6 September 2016 with deferred tax balances being re-calculated to reflect this change.

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6 Property, plant and equipment

	Leasehold improve- ments £'000	Plant and machinery £'000	Office furniture and equipment £'000	Motor vehicles £'000	Total £'000
Cost					
At 1 July 2016	31	321	27	48	427
Additions	-	-	2	-	2
At 30 June 2017	31	321	29	48	429
Accumulated depreciation					
At 1 July 2016	31	302	24	31	388
Charge for the year	-	3	2	7	12
At 30 June 2017	31	305	26	38	400
Net book value					
At 30 June 2017	-	16	3	10	29
At 30 June 2016	-	19	3	17	39

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7 Intangible assets

	Development costs £'000	Software £'000	Total £'000
Cost			
At 1 July 2016	153	6	159
Additions	28	-	28
Disposals	(81)	-	(81)
At 30 June 2017	100	6	106
Accumulated amortisation			
At 1 July 2016	85	6	91
Charge for the year	34	-	34
Disposals	(81)	-	(81)
At 30 June 2017	38	6	44
Net book value			
At 30 June 2017	62	-	62
At 30 June 2016	68	-	68

Development costs are longer term projects where the benefit is received for several years to come.

Amortisation of £34,000 (2016: £40,000) is included in administrative expenses.

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8 Deferred tax asset/(liability)

	2017	2016
	£'000	£'000
Deferred tax asset	5	1
Deferred tax liability	(11)	(12)
Net deferred tax liability	(6)	(11)

	Accelerated tax depreciation	Research & development costs	Total
	£'000	£'000	£'000
At 1 July 2015	3	(16)	(13)
Credited to Income statement (note 5)	(2)	3	1
Credited directly to equity	-	1	1
At 1 July 2016	1	(12)	(11)
Credited to Income statement (note 5)	4	-	4
Credited directly to equity	-	1	1
At 30 June 2017	5	(11)	(6)

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Notes to the financial statements for the year ended 30 June 2017 (continued)

9 Inventories

	2017	2016
	£'000	£'000
Raw materials and consumables	149	116
Work in progress	6	56
Finished goods and goods for resale	-	-
	155	172

The cost of inventories recognised as an expense and included in cost of sales amounted to £1,313,000 (2016: £1,309,000). The amount of write-down in inventory to net realisable value is £nil (2016: £nil).

10 Trade and other receivables

	2017	2016
	£'000	£'000
Trade receivables	500	598
Amounts owed by parent company	1,527	1,675
Prepayments and accrued income	20	12
	2,047	2,285

Amounts owed by the parent company in relation to working capital balances generate interest in-line with the Group's deposit facilities.

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11 Trade and other payables

	2017	2016
	£'000	£'000
Trade payables	264	297
Amounts owed to parent company	2	10
Corporation tax	192	206
Other taxation and social security	88	113
Accruals and deferred income	110	95
Other payables	2	3
	658	724

Amounts owed to Group undertakings are unsecured, interest free and repayable on demand.

12 Non-current liabilities

	2017	2016
	£'000	£'000
Provisions for liabilities and charges (note 13)	10	10
Deferred tax liability (note 8)	11	12
	21	22

13 Provisions for liabilities and charges

Warranty provision	2017	2016
	£'000	£'000
At 1 July	10	-
Transfer from accruals	-	10
At 30 June	10	10

The company provides variable warranty periods on the products it sells. Such warranty is in respect of the Company's undertaking to repair or replace those items that fail to perform satisfactorily upon meeting the terms and conditions set by the Company. A provision for warranty is calculated and recognised based on management's best estimate of future returns.

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14 Share capital

	2017	2016
	£	£
Allotted and fully paid:		
336 ordinary shares of £0.20 each (2016: 336 ordinary shares of £0.20 each)	67	67

There were no shares issued during the year (2016: nil)

15 Capital redemption reserve

	2017	2016
	£	£
At 30 June	33	33

16 Dividends

Dividends paid	2017	2016
	£'000	£'000
Dividends paid for the year £2,976.19 per share (2016: £2,232.14 per share)	1,000	750

Dividends proposed	2017	2016
	£'000	£'000
Proposed dividend for the year of £2,976.19 per share (2016: £2,976.19 per share)	1,000	1,000

Proposed dividends are not paid or formally approved at the year-end and hence have not been recognised within the 2017 balance sheet or reserves.

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17 Commitments

(a) Capital commitments

At 30 June 2017, the company had no capital commitments (2016: £nil).

(b) Operating lease commitments

The future aggregate minimum lease payments under non-cancellable operating leases are as follows:

2017	Land and buildings	Other	Total
	£'000	£'000	£'000
Within one year	72	3	75
Within two and five years	30	9	39
Total	102	12	114

2016	Land and buildings	Other	Total
	£'000	£'000	£'000
Within one year	72	2	74
Within two and five years	102	10	112
Total	174	12	186

18 Pension scheme

From April 2016 the company has provided an auto-enrolment pension scheme. Contributions to the auto-enrolment scheme amounted to £13,000 (2016: £13,000).

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19 Related party transactions and balances

The company is included in the consolidated financial statements of FW Thorpe Plc and the financial statements of the Group are publicly available.

The company has taken advantage of the exemption allowed by FRS101, 'Related Party Disclosures' not to disclose transactions and balances with fellow wholly owned Group undertakings of FW Thorpe Plc in these financial statements.

Portland Alloys Limited is a related company because D J Harrison is a directors and major shareholder. The transactions and balances at 30 June 2017 are as follows.

	Purchases	Sales	Net Recharges	Balance due to Portland at 30 June 2017	Balance due from Portland at 30 June 2017
	£'000	£'000	£'000	£'000	£'000
Portland Alloys Limited	223	6	11	8	38

Purchases and sales are made on normal trading terms.

During the financial year the company occupied premises owned by A R Truelove, D J Harrison, S C Crutchley, P Owen and the Standard Life Trustee Company for which rent of £71,784 was paid. The rental is comparable to similar units in the local area.

There is one employee who is also a related party. Total remuneration for the year was £29,000 (2016: £27,000).

20 Ultimate parent company and controlling party

The directors consider FW Thorpe Plc, a company registered in England and Wales to be the ultimate parent company and controlling party by virtue of its interest in the share capital of the company.

Copies of the parent's consolidated financial statements being the smallest and largest financial statements to contain the company's numbers may be obtained from The Secretary, FW Thorpe Plc, Merse Road, North Moons Moat, Redditch, Worcestershire, B989HH.