Registration number: OC419280

## Burnett Evans LLP

**Unaudited Financial Statements** 

for the Year Ended 31 March 2020

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## (Registration number: OC419280) Balance Sheet as at 31 March 2020

		2020	2019
	Note	£	£
Fixed assets			
Intangible assets	3	186,619	211,502
Tangible assets	4 _	27,368	19,070
	_	213,987	230,572
Current assets			
Debtors		10,935	2,592
Cash and short-term deposits	_	48,139	64,612
		59,074	67,204
Creditors: Amounts falling due within one year	6 _	(16,474)	(20,065)
Net current assets	-	42,600	47,139
Net assets attributable to members	=	256,587	277,711
Represented by:			
Loans and other debts due to members			
Members' capital classified as a liability	_	256,587	277,711
	=	256,587	277,711
Total members' interests			
Loans and other debts due to members	_	256,587	277,711
	. <u>_</u>	256,587	277,711

For the year ending 31 March 2020 the limited liability partnership was entitled to exemption from audit under section 477 of the Companies Act 2006, as applied to limited liability partnerships, relating to small entities.

These financial statements have been prepared in accordance with the special provisions relating to companies subject to the small companies regime within Part 15 of the Companies Act 2006, as applied to limited liability partnerships.

These financial statements have been delivered in accordance with the provisions applicable to companies subject to the small companies regime, as applied to limited liability partnerships, and the option not to file the Profit and Loss Account has been taken.

# (Registration number: OC419280) Balance Sheet as at 31 March 2020 (continued)

The members acknowledge their responsibilities for complying with the requirements of the Companies Act 2006, as applied to limited liability partnerships by the Limited Liability Partnerships (Accounts and Audit) (Application of Companies Act 2006) Regulations 2008 with respect to accounting records and the preparation of accounts.

The financial statements of Burnett Evans LLP (registered number OC419280) were approved by the Board and authorised for issue on 20 January 2021. They were signed on behalf of the limited liability partnership by:

Mr M Burnett 
Designated member

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Ms C Evans Designated member

## Notes to the Financial Statements for the Year Ended 31 March 2020

## 1 Accounting policies

#### Summary of significant accounting policies and key accounting estimates

The principal accounting policies applied in the preparation of these financial statements are set out below. These policies have been consistently applied to all the years presented, unless otherwise stated.

## Statement of compliance

These financial statements have been prepared in accordance with Financial Reporting Standard 102 Section 1A - 'The Financial Reporting Standard applicable in the UK and Republic of Ireland' and the Companies Act 2006.

## General information and basis of accounting

The limited liability partnership is incorporated in England and Wales under the Limited Liability Partnership Act 2000. The address of the registered office is given on the limited liability partnership information page.

These financial statements have been prepared using the historical cost convention except that as disclosed in the accounting policies certain items are shown at fair value.

The functional currency of Burnett Evans LLP is considered to be pounds sterling because that is the currency of the primary economic environment in which the limited liability partnership operates. Foreign operations are included in accordance with the policies set out below.

## Revenue recognition

Revenue is recognised to the extent that the limited liability partnership 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 tax or duty.

#### Members' remuneration and division of profits

The SORP recognises that the basis of calculating profits for allocation may differ from the profits reflected through the financial statements prepared in compliance with recommended practice, given the established need to seek to focus profit allocation on ensuring equity between different generations and populations of members.

Consolidation of the results of certain subsidiary undertakings, the provision for annuities to current and former members, pension scheme charges, the spreading of acquisition integration costs and the treatment of long leasehold interests are all items which may generate differences between profits calculated for the purpose of allocation and those reported within the financial statements. Where such differences arise, they have been included within other amounts in the balance sheet.

Members' fixed shares of profits (excluding discretionary fixed share bonuses) and interest earned on members' balances are automatically allocated and, are treated as members' remuneration charged as an expense to the profit and loss account in arriving at profit available for discretionary division among members.

The remainder of profit shares, which have not been allocated until after the balance sheet date, are treated in these financial statements as unallocated at the balance sheet date and included within other reserves.

## Notes to the Financial Statements for the Year Ended 31 March 2020 (continued)

## 1 Accounting policies (continued)

## **Taxation**

The taxation payable on the partnership's profits is the personal liability of the members, although payment of such liabilities is administered by the partnership on behalf of its members. Consequently, neither partnership taxation nor related deferred taxation is accounted for in these financial statements. Sums set aside in respect of members' tax obligations are included in the balance sheet within loans and other debts due to members, or are set against amounts due from members as appropriate.

#### Goodwill

Positive goodwill is capitalised, classified as an asset on the balance sheet and amortised on a straight line basis over its useful economic life. The goodwill arose in relation to the acquisition of a business. It is reviewed for impairment at the end of the first full financial year following the acquisition and in other periods if events or changes in circumstances indicate that the carrying value may not be recoverable.

In the absence of obvious impairment, the goodwill will be amortised on a straight line basis over 10 years.

#### Tangible fixed assets

Individual fixed assets costing or more are initially recorded at cost.

## Amortisation

Amortisation is provided on intangible fixed assets so as to write off the cost, less any estimated residual value, over their expected useful economic life as follows:

Asset class
Goodwill
Amortisation method and rate
10% Straight Line

## Depreciation

Depreciation is provided on tangible fixed assets so as to write off the cost or valuation, less any estimated residual value, over their expected useful economic life as follows:

Asset classDepreciation method and rateMotor vehicles25% Straight lineOffice equipment25% Straight line

#### Trade debtors

Trade debtors are amounts due from customers for merchandise sold or services performed in the ordinary course of business.

Trade debtors are recognised initially at the transaction price. They are subsequently measured at amortised cost using the effective interest method, less provision for impairment. A provision for the impairment of trade debtors is established when there is objective evidence that the limited liability partnership will not be able to collect all amounts due according to the original terms of the receivables.

## Cash and cash equivalents

Cash and cash equivalents comprise cash on hand and call deposits, and other short-term highly liquid investments that are readily convertible to a known amount of cash and are subject to an insignificant risk of change in value.

## Notes to the Financial Statements for the Year Ended 31 March 2020 (continued)

## 1 Accounting policies (continued)

#### Trade creditors

Trade creditors are obligations to pay for goods or services that have been acquired in the ordinary course of business from suppliers. Accounts payable are classified as current liabilities if the limited liability partnership does not have an unconditional right, at the end of the reporting period, to defer settlement of the creditor for at least twelve months after the reporting date. If there is an unconditional right to defer settlement for at least twelve months after the reporting date, they are presented as non-current liabilities.

Trade creditors are recognised initially at the transaction price and subsequently measured at amortised cost using the effective interest method.

#### Members' interests

Amounts due to members after more than one year comprise provisions for annuities to current members and certain loans from members which are not repayable within twelve months of the balance sheet date.

## Financial instruments

#### Classification

All financial assets and liabilities are initially measured at transaction price (including transaction costs), except for those financial assets classified as at fair value through profit or loss, which are initially measured at fair value (which is normally the transaction price excluding transaction costs), unless the arrangement constitutes a financing transaction. If an arrangement constitutes a finance transaction, the financial asset or financial liability is measured at the present value of the future payments discounted at a market rate of interest for a similar debt instrument.

Financial assets and liabilities are only offset in the balance sheet when, and only when there exists a legally enforceable right to set off the recognised amounts and the limited liability partnership intends either to settle on a net basis, or to realise the asset and settle the liability simultaneously.

## Notes to the Financial Statements for the Year Ended 31 March 2020 (continued)

## 1 Accounting policies (continued)

#### **Recognition and Measurement**

Debt instruments which meet the following conditions are subsequently measured at amortised cost using the effective interest method:

- (a) The contractual return to the holder is (i) a fixed amount; (ii) a positive fixed rate or a positive variable rate; or (iii) a combination of a positive or a negative fixed rate and a positive variable rate.
- (b) The contract may provide for repayments of the principal or the return to the holder (but not both) to be linked to a single relevant observable index of general price inflation of the currency in which the debt instrument is denominated, provided such links are not leveraged.
- (c) The contract may provide for a determinable variation of the return to the holder during the life of the instrument, provided that (i) the new rate satisfies condition (a) and the variation is not contingent on future events other than (1) a change of a contractual variable rate; (2) to protect the holder against credit deterioration of the issuer; (3) changes in levies applied by a central bank or arising from changes in relevant taxation or law; or (ii) the new rate is a market rate of interest and satisfies condition (a).
- (d) There is no contractual provision that could, by its terms, result in the holder losing the principal amount or any interest attributable to the current period or prior periods.
- (e) Contractual provisions that permit the issuer to prepay a debt instrument or permit the holder to put it back to the issuer before maturity are not contingent on future events, other than to protect the holder against the credit deterioration of the issuer or a change in control of the issuer, or to protect the holder or issuer against changes in levies applied by a central bank or arising from changes in relevant taxation or law.
- (f) Contractual provisions may permit the extension of the term of the debt instrument, provided that the return to the holder and any other contractual provisions applicable during the extended term satisfy the conditions of paragraphs (a) to (c).

Debt instruments that are classified as payable or receivable within one year on initial recognition and which meet the above conditions are measured at the undiscounted amount of the cash or other consideration expected to be paid or received, net of impairment.

With the exception of some hedging instruments, other debt instruments not meeting these conditions are measured at fair value through profit or loss.

Commitments to make and receive loans which meet the conditions mentioned above are measured at cost (which may be nil) less impairment.

## Notes to the Financial Statements for the Year Ended 31 March 2020 (continued)

## 1 Accounting policies (continued)

#### Impairment of financial assets

Financial assets are derecognised when and only when a) the contractual rights to the cash flows from the financial asset expire or are settled, b) the limited liability partnership transfers to another party substantially all of the risks and rewards of ownership of the financial asset, or c) the limited liability partnership, despite having retained some significant risks and rewards of ownership, has transferred control of the asset to another party and the other party has the practical ability to sell the asset in its entirety to an unrelated third party and is able to exercise that ability unilaterally and without needing to impose additional restrictions on the transfer.

Financial liabilities are derecognised only when the obligation specified in the contract is discharged, cancelled or expires.

## 2 Particulars of employees

The average number of persons employed by the limited liability partnership during the year was 5 (2019 - 5).

## 3 Intangible fixed assets

	Goodwill £	Total £
Cost At 1 April 2019	248,826	248,826
At 31 March 2020	248,826	248,826
Amortisation At 1 April 2019 Charge for the year	37,324 24,883	37,324 24,883
At 31 March 2020	62,207	62,207
Net book value		
At 31 March 2020	186,619	186,619
At 31 March 2019	211,502	211,502

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Notes to the Financial Statements for the Year Ended 31 March 2020 (continued)

4 Tangible fixed assets			
	Plant and machinery £	Motor vehicles £	Total £
Cost			
At 1 April 2019	7,164	22,200	29,364
Additions	•	26,750	26,750
Disposals		(22,200)	(22,200)
At 31 March 2020	7,164	26,750	33,914
Depreciation			
At 1 April 2019	1,969	8,325	10,294
Charge for the year	1,791	2,786	4,577
Eliminated on disposals	<del>-</del>	(8,325)	(8,325)
At 31 March 2020	3,760	2,786	6,546
Net book value			
At 31 March 2020	3,404	23,964	27,368
At 31 March 2019	5,195	13,875	19,070
5 Debtors			
		2020 £	2019 £
Trade debtors		10,725	2,592
Prepayments and accrued income		210	2,372
Total current trade and other debtors		10,935	2,592
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6 Creditors: Amounts falling due within one year			
		2020	2019
		£	£
Trade creditors		1,656	3,070
Other creditors		•	83
Accruals and deferred income		2,045	3,940
Taxation and social security		12,773	12,972
		16,474	20,065

## Notes to the Financial Statements for the Year Ended 31 March 2020 (continued)

## 7 Non adjusting events after the financial period

Subsequent to the year end the worldwide economy has been effected by the Covid-19 virus outbreak, severely effecting the trading ability of the company. The directors therefore believe that at the date of signing the financial statements the company had adequate cash reserves, to meet its liabilities as and when they fall due.

Therefore the directors confirm that financial statements have been prepared on a going concern basis.