



The Registrar
Companies House
Crown Way
Cardiff
CF14 3UZ

30 June 2016

Dear Sirs

Section 519 Statement

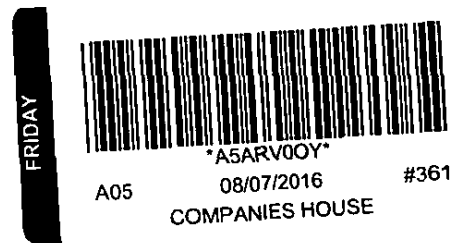
In accordance with Section 521(1) of the Companies Act 2006 (the "Act"), we enclose a copy of the statement that was sent to 171 Victoria Street, London, SW1E 5NN, the registered office of the company highlighted in Appendix 1 to this letter on 9 June 2016 pursuant to section 519 of the Act

Yours faithfully,

For and on behalf of PricewaterhouseCoopers LLP

Ranjan Sriskandan
Partner

Enclosure – Section 519 – statement of reasons



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Appendix 1 – List of subsidiary companies

John Lewis Partnership plc	- Company number 00238937
* John Lewis plc	- Company number 00233462*
John Lewis Properties plc	- Company number 00303301
Waitrose Limited	- Company number 00099405
Herbert Parkinson Limited	- Company number 00318082
John Lewis Car Finance Limited	- Company number 04328890
John Lewis PT Holdings Limited	- Company number 07106855
John Lewis Delivery Limited	- Company number 07643845
John Lewis Partnership Trust Limited	- Company number 00481406



The Directors
John Lewis Partnership plc
171 Victoria Street
London
SW1E 5NN

9th June 2016

Dear Sirs,

Statement of Reasons connected with ceasing to hold office as Auditors

In accordance with Section 519 of the Companies Act 2006 (the "Act"), we set out below the reasons connected with PricewaterhouseCoopers LLP, registered auditor number COO1004062, ceasing to hold office as auditors of John Lewis Partnership plc, registered no: 238937 (the "Company") and the entities listed in Appendix 1 effective from 9 June 2016

The reason we are ceasing to hold office is that the Company undertook a competitive tender process for the position of statutory auditor and we were unsuccessful in retaining the audit

There are no reasons for and no other matters connected with our ceasing to hold office as auditors of the Company that we consider need to be brought to the attention of the Company's members or creditors

Yours faithfully,

PricewaterhouseCoopers LLP



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Appendix 1 – Entities ceasing to hold office as auditors

John Lewis Partnership plc
* John Lewis plc *
John Lewis Properties plc
Waitrose Limited
Herbert Parkinson Limited
John Lewis Car Finance Limited
JLP Scotland Limited
JLP Scottish Limited Partnership
JLP Scottish Partnership
John Lewis PT Holdings Limited
John Lewis Delivery Limited
Waitrose (Jersey) Limited
Waitrose (Guernsey) Limited
JLP Insurance Limited
The John Lewis Foundation
John Lewis Partnership General Community Fund
John Lewis Partnership Trust Limited
John Lewis Partnership Trust Limited – Benefit Fund
John Lewis Partnership Trust Limited – BonusSave Plan
John Lewis Partnership Trust Limited – Partnership Bonus Fund