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JOHN LEWIS PARTNERSHIP TRUST LIMITED

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Company Number

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Directors

Charlie Mayfield (Chairman)

David Barclay Kate Green John Parker Andrew Slater

Secretary

Margaret Casely-Hayford

Registered Office

171 Victoria Street, London SW1E 5NN

Auditors

PricewaterhouseCoopers LLP

DIRECTORS' REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDED 27 JANUARY 2007

The directors submit their Report together with the Accounts for the year ended 27 January 2007

Directors

Under the provisions of the company's Articles of Association, the Chairman is appointed by his predecessor, failing which he/she is appointed in accordance with Article 40. The Deputy Chairman is appointed by the Chairman. The Partnership Council of the John Lewis Partnership may appoint three directors.

The directors of the company at the date of this report are listed above. Sir Stuart Hampson (Chairman) and Alastair McKay resigned as directors on 26 March 2007 and 23 February 2007 respectively. Charlie Mayfield was appointed as director and chairman on 1 March 2007 and 27 March 2007 respectively. David Barclay was appointed as a director on 27 March 2007. All other directors served throughout the period under review.

Directors' interests

The following interests in the shares of the company at 29 January 2006, or date of appointment, if later, and 27 January 2007 have been registered

	2007	2006	2007	2006
	A Shares		B Shares	
Charlie Mayfield	40	•	-	-
Sir Stuart Hampson	-	-	-	-
David Barclay	•	-	-	-
John Parker	•	-	60	60
Andrew Slater	-	•	60	60
Kate Green		-	60	60

Charlie Mayfield has requested the company to record that he held the 40 A Shares by virtue of his office of Chairman and subject to the Articles of Association of the company Charlie Mayfield also holds 120 5% Cumulative Preference Shares and 180 7% Cumulative Preference Shares in John Lewis plc. a subsidiary of the company

The 60 B Shares of the company are held jointly by Kate Green, John Parker and Andrew Slater in trust for the persons who are for the time being members of the Partnership Council of the John Lewis Partnership

Charlie Mayfield has registered a beneficial interest in the 60 B Shares as a member of the Partnership Council

With the exception of David Barclay, all of the directors, as employees of John Lewis plc, were interested in the 612,000 deferred ordinary shares in John Lewis Partnership plc which are held in trust for the benefit of employees of John Lewis plc and of certain other companies

Review of performance

The company does not trade and had no income or expenditure

Review of the business and future developments

During the year the company administered Trusts under Settlements dated 18 April 1929 and 26 April 1950, instituted for the benefit of the employees of companies in the John Lewis Partnership plc group. In addition, under a Charitable Trust dated 13 September 1961, the company administered a Frust for The John Lewis Partnership General Community Fund, and from 17 March 2006, the company administered a trust for the John Lewis Partnership BonusSave Plan

Audit information

The directors confirm that, so far as they are aware, there is no relevant audit information of which the auditors are unaware and that each director has taken all reasonable steps to make themselves aware of any relevant audit information and to establish that the auditors are aware of that information

Auditors

A resolution to re-appoint PricewaterhouseCoopers LLP, as auditors to the company, will be proposed at the annual General Meeting on 27 June 2007

By Order of the Board

Margaret Casely-Hayford

Secretary

171 Victoria Street London SW1E 5NN 27 June 2007

PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT FOR THE YEAR ENDED 27 JANUARY 2007

During the financial year and the preceding financial year, the company did not trade, and received no income and incurred no expenditure. Consequently, during those years, the company made neither profit nor loss, nor any other recognised gain or loss.

BALANCE SHEET AS AT 27 JANUARY 2007

Notes		2007	
	_	£	£
	Current assets		
	Debtor - John Lewis plc	99,000	99,000
	Cash at bank	100 _	100
		99,100	99,100
	Capital and reserves		
4	Called up share capital	100,100	100,100
	Retained earnings	(1,000)	(1,000)
	Total shareholders' funds	99,100	99,100

Approved by the board on 27 June 2007

Charlie Mayfield

NOTES TO THE ACCOUNTS

1 Principal activity

The company has administered during the year to 27 January 2007 Trusts under Settlements dated 18 April 1929 and 26 April 1950 instituted for the benefit of the employees of companies in the John Lewis Partnership plc group. In addition, under a Charitable Trust dated 13 September 1961, the company has administered The John Lewis Partnership General Community Fund and, from 17 March 2006, the company administered a trust for the John Lewis Partnership Bonus Save Plan

2 Accounting policies

The accounts are prepared under the historical cost convention and in accordance with the Companies Act 1985 and applicable UK accounting standards

3 Directors' emoluments

With the exception of David Barclay, the directors are all full time executives of John Lewis plc and no part of their remuneration relates to services to this company. David Barclay is a non-executive director whose fee is paid by John Lewis plc. There were no employees during the year (2006 nil).

4 Called	up	share	capital	l
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	2007	2006
	£	£
Authorised		
40 'A' shares of £1 each	40	40
60 'B' shares of £1 each	60	60
250,000 deferred ordinary shales of £1 each	250,000	250,000
	250,100	250 100
Issued and fully paid:		
40 'A' shares of £1 each	40	40
60 'B' shares of £1 each	60	60
Issued and 40% paid:		
250,000 deferred ordinary shares of £1 each	100,000	100,000
	100,100	1 <u>0</u> 0,100

NOTES TO THE ACCOUNTS

4 Called up share capital (continued)

The "A" shares carry the right to one vote for each share held. In normal circumstances, the "B" shares carry no right to vote. Both "A" and "B" shares have the right to participate in dividends. The Deferred Ordinary Shares carry no right to vote or to participate in dividends. On a winding-up the amounts paid-up on the existing "A" and "B" shares shall be repaid first, followed by the amounts paid up on the Deferred Ordinary Shares, and thereafter all Shares shall rank equally for distribution of capital in proportion to the amounts paid up thereon

5 Related party transactions

As at the end of the year a debtor balance of £99,000 was held with John Lewis plc, a related company under common control

DIRECTORS' RESPONSIBILITIES FOR FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

The directors are required by UK company law to prepare financial statements for each financial year which give a true and fair view of the state of affairs of the company as at the end of the financial year and of its profit or loss for that period. In preparing the financial statements suitable accounting policies have been used and applied consistently and reasonable and prudent judgements and estimates have been made. Relevant accounting standards have been followed. The directors are responsible for maintaining adequate accounting records that disclose with reasonable accuracy at any time the financial position of the company, and which enable them to ensure that the financial statements comply with the Companies Act 1985. They are also responsible for safeguarding the assets of the company and hence for taking steps for preventing and detecting fraud and other irregularities.

INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT TO THE MEMBERS OF JOHN LEWIS PARTNERSHIP TRUST LIMITED

We have audited the financial statements of the John Lewis Partnership Trust Limited for the year ended 27 January 2007 which comprise the profit and loss account, balance sheet and the related notes. These financial statements have been prepared under the accounting policies set out therein

Respective responsibilities of directors and auditors

The directors' responsibilities for preparing the financial statements in accordance with applicable law and United Kingdom Accounting Standards (United Kingdom Generally Accepted Accounting Practice) are set out in the statement of directors' responsibilities

Our responsibility is to audit the financial statements in accordance with relevant legal and regulatory requirements and International Standards on Auditing (UK and Ireland). This report, including the opinion, has been prepared for and only for the company's members as a body in accordance with Section 235 of the Companies Act 1985 and for no other purpose. We do not, in giving this opinion, 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.

We report to you our opinion as to whether the financial statements give a true and fair view and are properly prepared in accordance with the Companies Act 1985. We also report to you whether in our opinion the information given in the directors' report is consistent with the financial statements.

In addition we report to you if, in our opinion, the Company has not kept proper accounting records, if we have not received all the information and explanations we require for our audit, or if information specified by law regarding directors' remuneration and other transactions is not disclosed

We read the directors' report and consider the implications for our report if we become aware of any apparent misstatements within it

Basis of audit opinion

We conducted our audit in accordance with International Standards on Auditing (UK and Ireland) issued by the Auditing Practices Board. An audit includes examination, on a test basis, of evidence relevant to the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. It also includes an assessment of the significant estimates and judgments made by the directors in the preparation of the financial statements, and of whether the accounting policies are appropriate to the company's circumstances, consistently applied and adequately disclosed.

We planned and performed our audit so as to obtain all the information and explanations which we considered necessary in order to provide us with sufficient evidence to give reasonable assurance that the financial statements are free from material misstatement, whether caused by fraud or other irregularity or error. In forming our opinion we also evaluated the overall adequacy of the presentation of information in the financial statements.

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Opinion

In our opinion

- the financial statements give a true and fair view, in accordance with United Kingdom Generally Accepted Accounting Practice, of the state of the Company's affairs as at 27 January 2007
- the financial statements have been properly prepared in accordance with the Companies Act 1985, and
- the information given in the directors' report is consistent with the financial statements

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