# **COMPANY REGISTRATION NUMBER 3387336**

# THE CORONA GROUP LIMITED ABBREVIATED ACCOUNTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 SEPTEMBER 2008

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# **ABBREVIATED ACCOUNTS**

# **YEAR ENDED 30 SEPTEMBER 2008**

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#### INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT TO THE CORONA GROUP LIMITED

#### **UNDER SECTION 247B OF THE COMPANIES ACT 1985**

We have examined the abbreviated accounts set out on pages 2 to 5, together with the financial statements of The Corona Group Limited for the year ended 30 September 2008 prepared under Section 226 of the Companies Act 1985.

This report is made solely to the company, in accordance with Section 247B of the Companies Act 1985. Our work has been undertaken so that we might state to the company those matters we are required to state to it in a special 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 for our work, for this report, or for the opinions we have formed.

#### RESPECTIVE RESPONSIBILITIES OF DIRECTORS AND AUDITOR

The directors are responsible for preparing the abbreviated accounts in accordance with Section 246 of the Companies Act 1985. It is our responsibility to form an independent opinion as to whether the company is entitled to deliver abbreviated accounts prepared in accordance with Sections 246(5) and (6) of the Act to the Registrar of Companies and whether the abbreviated accounts have been properly prepared in accordance with those provisions and to report our opinion to you.

#### **BASIS OF OPINION**

We conducted our work in accordance with Bulletin 2006/3 "The special auditor's report on abbreviated accounts in the United Kingdom" issued by the Auditing Practices Board. In accordance with that Bulletin we have carried out the procedures we consider necessary to confirm, by reference to the financial statements, that the company is entitled to deliver abbreviated accounts and that the abbreviated accounts to be delivered are properly prepared.

#### **OPINION**

In our opinion the company is entitled to deliver abbreviated accounts prepared in accordance with Sections 246(5) and (6) of the Companies Act 1985, and the abbreviated accounts have been properly prepared in accordance with those provisions.

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Dated: 28 August 2009

HEXTALL MEAKIN Chartered Accountants & Registered Auditor

# **ABBREVIATED BALANCE SHEET**

# **30 SEPTEMBER 2008**

			<b>.</b>	2007	
	Note	£	£	£	
FIXED ASSETS					
Investments	2		63	139,413	
CURRENT ASSETS					
Debtors		315,380		315,380	
<u> </u>				020,200	
CREDITORS: Amounts falling due within one	year	100,101		100,101	
NET CURRENT ASSETS			215,279	215,279	
TOTAL ASSETS LESS CURRENT LIABILIT	TIES		215,342	354,692	
CAPITAL AND RESERVES					
Called-up equity share capital	3		66	66	
Share premium account			149,994	149,994	
Profit and loss account			65,282	204,632	
SHAREHOLDERS' FUNDS			215,342	354,692	
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These abbreviated accounts have been prepared in accordance with the special provisions for small companies under Part VII of the Companies Act 1985.

These abbreviated accounts were approved by the directors and authorised for issue on 26 August 2009, and are signed on their behalf by:

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#### NOTES TO THE ABBREVIATED ACCOUNTS

#### YEAR ENDED 30 SEPTEMBER 2008

#### 1. ACCOUNTING POLICIES

#### **Basis of accounting**

The financial statements have been prepared under the historical cost convention, and in accordance with the Financial Reporting Standard for Smaller Entities (effective January 2007).

#### Consolidation

In the opinion of the directors, the company and its subsidiary undertakings comprise a small group. The company has therefore taken advantage of the exemption provided by Section 248 of the Companies Act 1985 not to prepare group accounts.

#### **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 exceptions:

Provision is made for tax on gains arising from the revaluation (and similar fair value adjustments) of fixed assets, and gains on disposal of fixed assets that have been rolled over into replacement assets, only to the extent that, at the balance sheet date, there is a binding agreement to dispose of the assets concerned. However, no provision is made where, on the basis of all available evidence at the balance sheet date, it is more likely than not that the taxable gain will be rolled over into replacement assets and charged to tax only where the replacement assets are sold.

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 reverse, based on tax rates and laws enacted or substantively enacted at the balance sheet date.

#### Financial instruments

Financial instruments are classified and accounted for, according to the substance of the contractual arrangement, as either financial assets, financial liabilities or equity instruments. An equity instrument is any contract that evidences a residual interest in the assets of the company after deducting all of its liabilities.

# **NOTES TO THE ABBREVIATED ACCOUNTS**

The Picture Desk Inc (Registered in USA)

#### YEAR ENDED 30 SEPTEMBER 2008

#### 2. FIXED ASSETS

		Investments £
COST At 1 October 2007 and 30 September 2008		139,413
AMOUNTS WRITTEN OFF Written off in year Charge for year		139,350 139,350
At 30 September 2008		278,700
NET BOOK VALUE At 30 September 2008		63
At 30 September 2007		278,763
The company owns 100% of the issued share capital of the con aggregate reserves and profit and loss for the year ended 30 September 100%.	ber 2008 were: Capital & Reserves	Profit/(loss) for the year
The Kobal Collection Limited The company did not trade.	£ 100,040	£
The Picture Desk Limited The company's principal activity during the year was the provision of	2,106,839 of images online	<i>(240,711)</i>
The Art Archive Limited The company did not trade.	-	_
The Kobal Library Limited The company did not trade.	(8,880)	-
The Corona Collection Limited The company did not trade.	_	(22,252)
Film Images (London) Limited The company did not trade.	-	42,830
The Kobal Collection (USA) Limited (Registered in USA) The company did not trade.	51,765	(295)
The Distance Death Law (Death-hand to 110 th)	20.204	9.010

Under the provision of section 248 of the Companies Act 1985 the company is exempt from preparing consolidated accounts and has not done so, therefore the accounts show information about the company as an individual entity.

The company's principal activity during the year was the provision of images online.

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# NOTES TO THE ABBREVIATED ACCOUNTS

# YEAR ENDED 30 SEPTEMBER 2008

3.	SHARE CAPITAL				
	Authorised share capital:				
	1,000 Ordinary shares of £0.10 each			2008 £ 100	2007 £ 100
	Allotted, called up and fully paid:				
		2008		2007	
		No	£	No	£
	Ordinary shares of £0.10 each	660	66	660	66
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