# Aran Services Limited Abbreviated accounts 31 March 2013

**Company Registration Number 05045144** 

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# **Abbreviated accounts**

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# **Company information**

The board of directors

K A Morris S C Lansdown

Company secretary

I M Morris

Registered office

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**Auditor** 

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### **Directors' report**

#### Year ended 31 March 2013

The directors present their report and the financial statements of the company for the year ended 31 March 2013

#### Principal activities and business review

The principal activity of the company during the year was to offer "whole house" energy efficiency solutions to the energy efficiency challenge, by offering insulation and renewable energy solutions to reduce the carbon footprint and CO2 emissions of buildings within the United Kingdom

The directors are pleased with the turnover and profit achieved for the year

The key risks and uncertainties affecting the company are considered to relate to the potential future market saturation and the changes to Government energy policies

The key financial performance indicators are considered to be turnover and gross margin. Given the straightforward nature of the business, the company's directors are of the opinion that further analysis of key performance indicators is not necessary for an understanding of the development, performance or position of the business.

#### Results and dividends

The profit for the year, after taxation, amounted to £384,819 Particulars of dividends paid are detailed in note 7 to the financial statements

#### **Directors**

The directors who served the company during the year were as follows

K A Morris

S C Lansdown

#### Directors' responsibilities

The directors are responsible for preparing the Directors' Report and the financial statements in accordance with applicable law and regulations

Company law requires the directors to prepare financial statements for each financial year. Under that law the directors have elected to prepare the financial statements in accordance with United Kingdom Generally Accepted Accounting Practice (United Kingdom Accounting Standards 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 year.

In preparing these financial statements, the directors are required to

- select suitable accounting policies and then apply them consistently,
- make judgements and accounting estimates that are reasonable and prudent,
- 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. They 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.

## Directors' report (continued)

## Year ended 31 March 2013

In so far as the directors are aware

- there is no relevant audit information of which the company's auditor is unaware, and
- the directors have taken all steps that they ought to have taken to make themselves aware of any
  relevant audit information and to establish that the auditor is aware of that information

#### **Auditor**

Lovewell Blake LLP shall be deemed to be re-appointed under section 487(2) of the Companies Act 2006

Registered office Units 1-6 The Old Station Higham Bury St Edmunds Suffolk IP28 6NE Signed on behalf of the directors

K A Morris

Director

Approved by the directors on

12.12.13.

## Independent auditor's report to Aran Services Limited

#### **UNDER SECTION 449 OF THE COMPANIES ACT 2006**

We have examined the abbreviated accounts set out on pages 5 to 14, together with the financial statements of Aran Services Limited for the year ended 31 March 2013 prepared under Section 396 of the Companies Act 2006

This report is made solely to the company, in accordance with Section 449 of the Companies Act 2006. 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 the directors and the auditor

The directors are responsible for preparing the abbreviated accounts in accordance with Section 445 of the Companies Act 2006. It is our responsibility to form an independent opinion as to whether the company is entitled to deliver abbreviated accounts to the Registrar of Companies and whether the abbreviated accounts have been properly prepared in accordance with the regulations made under that section and to report our opinion to you

#### Basis of opinion

We conducted our work in accordance with Bulletin 2008/4 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. The scope of our work for the purpose of this report did not include examining or dealing with events after the date of our report on the full financial statements.

#### **Opinion**

In our opinion the company is entitled to deliver abbreviated accounts prepared in accordance with Section 445(3) of the Companies Act 2006, and the abbreviated accounts have been properly prepared in accordance with the regulations made under that section

#### Other information

On 13 December 2013 we reported as auditor to the members of the company on the financial statements prepared under Section 396 of the Companies Act 2006 and our report included the following paragraph

We confirm that the corresponding figures are unaudited

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13 December 2013

David Buller FCA (Senior Statutory Auditor)
For and on behalf of LOVEWELL BLAKE LLP, Statutory Auditor

# Abbreviated profit and loss account

## Year ended 31 March 2013

Turnover	Note	<b>2013</b> £ 8,551,795	2012 £ 7,662,568
Cost of Sales and Other operating income		(5,663,397)	(4,716,217)
Administrative expenses		(2,375,204)	(2,207,565)
Operating profit	2	513,194	738,786
Interest receivable Interest payable and similar charges	5	349 (13,992)	78 (13,553)
Profit on ordinary activities before taxation		499,551	725,311
Tax on profit on ordinary activities	6	(114,732)	(171,607)
Profit for the financial year		384,819	553,704

All of the activities of the company are classed as continuing

The company has no recognised gains or losses other than the results for the year as set out above

#### Abbreviated balance sheet

## 31 March 2013

		2013	}	2012	
	Note	£	£	£	£
Fixed assets					
Tangible assets	8		263,265		263,344
Current assets					
Stocks	9	158,377		153,399	
Debtors	10	1,732,221		1,794,388	
Cash at bank and in hand		1,338,466		1,275,533	
		3,229,064		3,223,320	
Creditors: Amounts falling due within		0,220,00		0,440,040	
one year	12	(1,328,561)		(1,333,276)	
Net current assets			1,900,503		1,890,044
Total assets less current liabilities			2,163,768		2,153,388
Creditors Amounts falling due after					
more than one year	13		(19,119)		(93,558)
			2,144,649		2,059,830
Capital and reserves					
Called-up equity share capital	17		100		100
Profit and loss account	18		2,144,549		2,059,730
Shareholders' funds	19		2,144,649		2,059,830

These abbreviated accounts have been prepared in accordance with the special provisions of section 445(3) Companies Act 2006 in regard to medium-sized companies

These abbreviated accounts were approved by the directors and authorised for issue on and are signed on their behalf by

K A Morris

S C Lansdown

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# **Cash flow statement**

N	2013 ote £	£	2012 £	£
Net cash inflow from operating activities	ole 2	800,049	۲	713,800
Returns on investments and Servicing of finance Interest received Interest element of hire purchase	349 (13,992)		78 (13,553)	
Net cash outflow from returns on investments and servicing of finance	<del></del>	(13,643)	<u>——</u>	(13,475)
Taxation		(172,293)		(176,314)
Capital expenditure Payments to acquire tangible fixed assets Receipts from sale of fixed assets	(196,043) 35,300		(255,362) 42,900	
Net cash outflow from capital expenditur	е	(160,743)		(212,462)
Equity dividends paid		(300,000)		(142,857)
Cash inflow before financing		 153,370		168,692
Financing Capital element of hire purchase	(90,437)		76,602	
Net cash (outflow)/inflow from financing	<del></del>	(90,437)	<del></del>	76,602
Increase in cash	20	62,933		<u>245,294</u>
Reconciliation of operating profit to net or operating activities	ash inflow from			
		2013		2012
Operating profit Depreciation Profit on disposal of fixed assets Increase in stocks Decrease/(increase) in debtors Increase in creditors		£ 513,194 187,455 (26,633) (4,978) 75,143 55,868		£ 738,786 187,131 (36,287) (54,347) (564,989) 443,506
Net cash inflow from operating activities		800,049		713,800

#### Notes to the abbreviated accounts

#### Year ended 31 March 2013

#### 1. Accounting policies

#### Basis of accounting

The financial statements have been prepared under the historical cost convention, and in accordance with applicable United Kingdom accounting standards

#### Turnover

The turnover shown in the profit and loss account represents the amount of goods and services provided during the year, exclusive of Value Added Tax

Uninvoiced income attributable to contracts is included within debtors, at sales value

#### Fixed assets

All fixed assets are initially recorded at cost

#### Depreciation

Depreciation is calculated so as to write off the cost of an asset, less its estimated residual value, over the useful economic life of that asset as follows

Leasehold Property

20% straight line

Plant & Machinery Fixtures & Fittings 20% - 50% straight line
 20% - 33% straight line

Motor Vehicles

- 25% straight line

#### Stocks

Stocks are valued at the lower of cost and net realisable value, after making due allowance for obsolete and slow moving items

#### Hire purchase agreements

Assets held under hire purchase agreements are capitalised and disclosed under tangible fixed assets at their fair value. The capital element of the future payments is treated as a liability and the interest is charged to the profit and loss account on a straight line basis.

#### Operating lease agreements

Rentals applicable to operating leases where substantially all of the benefits and risks of ownership remain with the lessor are charged against profits on a straight line basis over the period of the lease

#### Pension costs

The company operates a defined contribution pension scheme for employees. The assets of the scheme are held separately from those of the company. The annual contributions payable are charged to the profit and loss account.

#### **Deferred taxation**

Provision is made, under the liability method, to take account of timing differences between the treatment of certain items for accounts purposes and their treatment for tax purposes. Tax deferred or accelerated is accounted for in respect of all material timing differences.

# Notes to the abbreviated accounts

2.	Operating profit		
	Operating profit is stated after charging/(crediting)		
		2013 £	2012 £
	Depreciation of owned fixed assets Depreciation of assets held under hire purchase	117,169	82,800
	agreements Profit on disposal of fixed assets	70,286 (26,633)	104,331 (36,287)
	Auditor's remuneration - as auditor	5,375	5,250
	Operating lease costs - Plant and equipment	65,767	86,112
3	Particulars of employees	_	
	The average number of staff employed by the company	during the financial year a	amounted to
		2013 No	2012 No
	Number of staff - total	83	81
	The aggregate payroll costs of the above were		
		2013 £	2012 £
	Wages and salaries Social security costs	2,424,401 254,000	2,201,920 235,812
	Other pension costs	18,484	26,541
		2,696,885	2,464,273
4	Directors' remuneration		
	The directors' aggregate remuneration in respect of qua	alifying services was	
		2013 £	2012 £
	Remuneration receivable Value of company pension contributions to money	176,640	219,061
	purchase schemes	5,000	15,000
		181,640	234,061
5	Interest payable and similar charges		
		2013 £	2012 £

# Notes to the abbreviated accounts

6.	Taxation on ordinary activities		
	(a) Analysis of charge in the year		
		2013	2012 £
	Current tax	£	L
	In respect of the year		
	UK Corporation tax based on the results for the year at 22 37% (2012 - 24 32%) Over/under provision in prior year	127,708 -	172,293 (686)
	Total current tax	127,708	171,607
	Deferred tax		
	Origination and reversal of timing differences (note 11) Capital allowances	(12,976)	-
	Tax on profit on ordinary activities	114,732	171,607
	(b) Factors affecting current tax charge		
	The tax assessed on the profit on ordinary activities for corporation tax in the UK of 22 37% (2012 - 24 32%)	the year is higher than	the standard rate of
		2013	2012
	Profit on ordinary activities before taxation	£ 499,551	£ 725,311
	Profit on ordinary activities by rate of tax Effects of	111,761	176,421
	First item to increase/(decrease) tax liability Depreciation for period in excess of capital allowances Sixth item to increase/(decrease) tax liability	1,048 14,899 -	2,062 (6,191) (685)
	Total current tax (note 6(a))	127,708	171,607
7.	Dividends		
	Equity dividends	2013 £	2012 £
	Paid Dividends on equity shares	300,000	142,857

## Notes to the abbreviated accounts

## Year ended 31 March 2013

## 8 Tangible fixed assets

	Leasehold Property £	Plant & Machinery £	Fixtures & Fittings £	Motor Vehicles £	Total £
Cost	_	_	~	-	_
At 1 April 2012	69,389	128,838	55,940	620,526	874,693
Additions	6,813	13,624	12,438	163,168	196,043
Disposals				(101,398)	(101,398)
At 31 March 2013	76,202	142,462	68,378	682,296	969,338
Depreciation					
At 1 April 2012	45,814	113,262	39,766	412,507	611,349
Charge for the year	10,593	21,248	12,597	143,017	187,455
On disposals	<u> </u>			(92,731)	(92,731)
At 31 March 2013	56,407	134,510	52,363	462,793	706,073
Net book value					
At 31 March 2013	19,795	7,952	16,015	219,503	263,265
At 31 March 2012	23,575	15,576	16,174	208,019	263,344

## Hire purchase agreements

Included within the net book value of £263,265 is £95,609 (2012 - £208,018) relating to assets held under hire purchase agreements. The depreciation charged to the abbreviated accounts in the year in respect of such assets amounted to £70,286 (2012 - £104,331).

#### 9. Stocks

		2013 £	2012 £
	Raw materials	158,377	153,399
10.	Debtors		
		2013 £	2012 £
	Trade debtors	1,514,111	1,648,497
	VAT recoverable	169,236	91,643
	Prepayments and accrued income	35,898	54,248
	Deferred taxation (note 11)	12,976	
		1,732,221	1,794,388

# Notes to the abbreviated accounts

11,	Deferred taxation		
	The deferred tax included in the Balance sheet is as fo	ollows	
		2013	2012
	Included in debtors (note 10)	<b>£</b> 12,976	£
	, ,	<u> </u>	-
	The movement in the deferred taxation account during	the year was	
		2013	2012
	Profit and loss account movement arising during the	£	£
	year	12,976	-
	Balance carried forward	12,976	
	James Samos ISI Wald	12,570	_
	The balance of the deferred taxation account consists of	of the tax effect of timing d	fferences in respect
		2013	2012
	Fire and the second sec	2	£
	Excess of depreciation over taxation allowances	12,976	
		1 <u>2,976</u>	-
12.	Creditors: Amounts falling due within one year		
		2013	2012
	Trade creditors	<b>£</b> 767,643	£ 735,566
	Corporation tax	127,708	172,293
	PAYE and social security	96,993	128,206
	Hire purchase agreements	67,556	83,554
	Other creditors Accruals and deferred income	105,568 163,093	92,610 121,047
	Accidate and deserted income	<del></del>	
		1,328,561	1 <u>,333,276</u>
13.	Creditors: Amounts falling due after more than one	year	
		2013	2012
	Hire purchase agreements	<b>£</b> 19,119	£ 93,558
	Time purchase agreements	19,119	93,336
14.	Commitments under hire purchase agreements		
	Future commitments under hire purchase agreements	are as follows	
		2013	2012
	the market and the second	£	£
	Hire purchase agreements are analysed as follows Current obligations	67,556	83,554
	Non-current obligations	19,119	93,558
	•	86,675	177,112
		00,070	177,112

## Notes to the abbreviated accounts

## Year ended 31 March 2013

## 15. Pensions

The company operates a defined contribution pension scheme for the benefit of the employees and the directors. The company paid contributions of £18,484 (2012 £26,541) during the year. Outstanding contributions at the end of the financial year amounted to £1,591 (2012 £1,379).

## 16. Commitments under operating leases

At 31 March 2013 the company had annual commitments under non-cancellable operating leases as set out below

		2013	Other	2013	2
		Land and buildings £	Other Items £	Land and buildings	Other items
	Operating leases which expire Within 1 year After more than 5 years	- 39,000	34,248 -	5,500 39,000	31,730
	,	39,000	34,248	44,500	31,730
17	Share capital				
	Authorised share capital.				
			2013		2012
	1,000,000 Ordinary shares of £1 each		£ 1,000,000		£ 1,000,000
	Allotted, called up and fully paid				
		2013	•	2012 No.	2 £
	Ordinary shares of £1 each	<b>No</b> 100	100	No 100	100
18	Profit and loss account				
			2013 £		2012 £
	Balance brought forward Profit for the financial year	:	2,059,730 384,819		1,648,883 553,704
	Equity dividends		(300,000)		(142,857)
	Balance carried forward	:	2,144,549		2,059,730
19	Reconciliation of movements in shareho	olders' funds			
			2013 £		2012 £
	Profit for the financial year Equity dividends		384,819 (300,000)		553,704 (142,857)
	Net addition to shareholders' funds Opening shareholders' funds	;	84,819 2,059,830		410,847 1,648,983
	Closing shareholders' funds	:	2,144,649		2,059,830

# Notes to the abbreviated accounts

20.	Reconciliation of net cash flow to moveme	ent in net fur	nds		
	<b>2013</b> 2012				
	Increase in cash in the period	<b>£</b> 62,933	£	£ 245,294	£
	Cash outflow in respect of hire purchase	90,437		(76,602)	
		<del></del>	153,370		168,692
	Change in net funds		153,370		168,692
	Net funds at 1 April 2012		1,098,421		929,729
	Net funds at 31 March 2013		1,251,791		1,098,421
21	Analysis of changes in net funds				
			At 1 Apr 2012 £	Cash flows	At 31 Mar 2013 £
	Net cash Cash in hand and at bank		1,275,533	62,933	1,338,466
	Debt				(00.05=)
	Hire purchase agreements		(177,112)	90,437	(86,675)
	Net funds		1,098,421	153,370	1,251,791