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VUE INTERNATIONAL BIDCO PLC

UNAUDITED

FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

FOR THE 3 MONTHS ENDED 28 FEBRUARY 2018

INTERIM CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED INCOME STATEMENT (unaudited) FOR THE PERIOD ENDED 28 FEBRUARY 2018

	3 Months	3 Months
	ended	ended
	28 February	28 February
	2018	2017
Not	e £000	£000
Revenue	246,307	236,606
Cost of sales	(92,273)	(88,559)
Gross profit	154,034	148,047
Operating expenses:		
Headline operating expenses	(98,968)	(91,943)
Depreciation & amortisation	(14,949)	(13,980)
Exceptional operating items	(2,452)	(1,859)
Operating profit	37,665	40,265
Headline operating profit (1)	40,117	42,124
Finance income	65	33
Finance expenses	(34,429)	(31,944)
Net finance costs	(34,364)	(31,911)
Profit before income tax	3,301	8,354
Tax	(11,193)	(8,674)
Loss for the period	(7,892)	(320)
Attributable to:		
- Owners of the parent	(7,949)	(371)
- Non-controlling interests	57	51
	(7,892)	(320)

⁽¹⁾ Before exceptional items

All amounts relate to continuing operations.

INTERIM CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF COMPREHENSIVE INCOME (unaudited) FOR THE PERIOD ENDED 28 FEBRUARY 2018

3 Months ended 28 February 2018 £000	3 Months ended 28 February 2017 £000
(7,892)	(320)
2,312	(1,382)
(5,580)	(1,702)
(5,637)	(1,753) 51
	ended 28 February 2018 £000 (7,892) 2,312 (5,580)

INTERIM CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED BALANCE SHEET (unaudited) AS AT 28 FEBRUARY 2018

		As at	As at
		28 February	30 November
		2018	2017
	Notes	£000	£000
Non-current assets			
Property, plant and equipment	3	327,420	335,438
Goodwill and intangible assets		878,845	877,293
Investments		430	430
Deferred tax asset		29,438	32,076
Trade and other receivables	5	3,026	3,011
Total non-current assets		1,239,159	1,248,248
Current assets			
Inventories	4	4,927	5,199
Trade and other receivables	5	60,812	62,198
Cash and cash equivalents	6	137,003	116,135
Total current assets		202,742	183,532
Total assets		1,441,901	1,431,780
Current liabilities			
Trade and other payables	7	174,182	176,338
Interest-bearing loans and other liabilities	8	6,216	6,825
Provisions	9	1,802	1,742
Total current liabilities		182,200	184,905
Non-current liabilities			
Trade and other payables	7	51,826	53,032
Interest-bearing loans and other liabilities	8	1,490,282	1,470,086
Provisions	9	103,849	104,822
Deferred tax liability		4,269	4,269
Total non-current liabilities		1,650,226	1,632,209
Total liabilities		1,832,426	1,817,114
Net liabilities		(390,525)	(385,334)
Equity			
Share capital	10	4,718	4,718
Share based payment reserve		9,366	8,853
Retained losses		(404,689)	(399,052)
Equity attributable to owners of the parent		(390,605)	(385,481)
Non-controlling interests		80	147
Total equity		(390,525)	(385,334)

INTERIM CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN EQUITY (unaudited) FOR THE PERIOD ENDED 28 FEBRUARY 2018

	Share Capital £000	Share Based Payment Reserve £000	Retained Earnings £000	Total £000	Non- controlling interest £000	Total Equity £000
Balance at 30 November 2016	4,718	6,798	(318,197)	(306,681)	150	(306,531)
(Loss)/profit for the period Other comprehensive income for the period	-	-	(101,036) 20,181	(101,036) 20,181	123	(100,913) 20,181
Total comprehensive (loss)/income for the period	-	-	(80,855)	(80,855)	123	(80,732)
Share based payments	-	2,055	-	2,055	-	2,055
Dividend paid to non-controlling interests	-	-	-	-	(126)	(126)
Balance at 30 November 2017	4,718	8,853	(399,052)	(385,481)	147	(385,334)
(Loss)/profit for the period	-	-	(7,949)	(7,949)	57	(7,892)
Other comprehensive loss for the period	-	-	2,312	2,312		2,312
Total comprehensive (loss)/income for the period	-	-	(5,637)	(5,637)	57	(5,580)
Share based payments	-	513	-	513	-	513
Dividend paid to non-controlling interests	-	-	-	-	(124)	(124)
Balance at 28 February 2018	4,718	9,366	(404,689)	(390,605)	80	(390,525)

CONSOLIDATED CASH FLOW STATEMENT (unaudited) FOR THE PERIOD ENDED 28 FEBRUARY 2018

		3 Months	3 Months
		ended	ended
		28 February	28 February
		2018	2017
	Notes	£000	£000
Net cash inflow from operating activities	11	48,851	58,606
Cashflows from investing activities			
Interest received		65	33
Purchases of property, plant and equipment		(9,247)	(6,670)
Landlord contributions received		1,133	-
Net cash outflow from investing activities		(8,049)	(6,637)
Cashflows from financing activities			
Interest paid		(18,305)	(18,646)
Payment of borrowings		(1,669)	(2,047)
Dividend paid to non-controlling interest		(124)	(126)
Net cash outflow from financing activities		(20,098)	(20,819)
Net increase in cash and cash equivalents		20,704	31,150
Cash and cash equivalents at beginning of period		116,135	102,946
Exchange gains on cash and cash equivalents		164	(2,650)
Cash and cash equivalents at end of period		137,003	131,446

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (unaudited)

1. BASIS OF PREPARATION

The financial statements have been prepared in accordance with International Financial Reporting Standards ("IFRS") as adopted by the European Union and the Companies Act 2006 applicable to companies reporting under IFRS. The Group financial statements comply with Article 4 of the EU IAS Regulation.

The preparation of financial statements in conformity with IFRS requires the use of certain critical accounting estimates. It also requires management to exercise its judgement in the process of applying the Group's accounting policies.

2. FINANCE EXPENSES

	3 Months ended 28 February 2018 £000	3 Months ended 28 February 2017 £000
Senior secured notes and bank loans Amortisation of capitalised issue costs Shareholder loan interest Unwinding of discount factor on provisions Foreign exchange losses/(gains)	13,761 70 19,232 474 892 34,429	14,282 70 18,148 456 (1,012) 31,944
3. PROPERTY, PLANT AND EQUIPMENT	As at 28 February 2018 £000	As at 30 November 2017 £000
Opening net book value Additions Disposals Depreciation Impairment charge Foreign exchange gain Fair value adjustments Transfers to intangibles Closing net book value	335,438 5,602 (76) (14,188) - 646 (2) - 327,420	343,789 44,994 (2,654) (55,000) (2,232) 7,507 (127) (839) 335,438
4. INVENTORIES	As at 28 February 2018 £000	As at 30 November 2017 £000
Finished goods and goods for resale	4,927	5,199

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5. TRADE AND OTHER RECEIVABLES

	As at 28 February 2018 £000	As at 30 November 2017 £000
Trade receivables	31,027	26,892
Allowance for doubtful debts	(4,072)	(4,042)
Prepayments	24,880	23,293
Other receivables	12,003	17,973
Corporate taxes	-	1,093
Total	63,838	65,209
Current	60,812	62,198
Non-current	3,026	3,011
Total	63,838	65,209
6. CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS		
	As at	As at
	28 February	30 November
	2018	2017
	£000	£000
Cash - unrestricted	132,800	111,941
Cash - restricted	4,203	4,194
	137,003	116,135
7. TRADE AND OTHER PAYABLES		
	As at	As at
	28 February	30 November
	2018	2017
	£000	£000
Trade payables	43,813	48,429
Accrued expenses	77,728	79,712
Other payables	6,899	7,255
Amounts payable to group undertakings	186	275
Corporate taxes	6,028	-
Taxation and social security	2,243	2,061
Deferred income	89,111	91,638
Total	226,008	229,370
2	4=4.400	470.000
Current	174,182	176,338
Non-current	51,826	53,032
Total	226,008	229,370

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8. BORROWINGS

	As at 28 February 2018 £000	As at 30 November 2017 £000
Non-current		
Interest-bearing loans and bank borrowings	1,464,667	1,443,513
Finance lease liabilities	25,615	26,573
Total	1,490,282	1,470,086
Current		
Finance lease liabilities	6,216	6,825
Total	6,216	6,825
Interest-bearing loans and other liabilities	1,496,498	1,476,911

The terms and conditions of outstanding loans were as follows:

	Current		Non-C	urrent	Total		
	28 February		-	30 November	28 February	30 November	
	2018	2017	2018	2017	2018	2017	
	£000	£000	£000	£000	£000	£000	
Senior secured note - £300m	-	-	296,519	296,211	296,519	296,211	
Senior secured note	-	-	311,861	310,611	311,861	310,611	
- €360m							
Senior secured loan - €120m	-	-	103,951	103,636	103,951	103,636	
External loans	_	_	579	603	579	603	
Shareholder loan	_	_	752,165	732,933	752,165	732,933	
notes			702,100	702,000	702,100	702,000	
Total	-	-	1,465,075	1,443,994	1,465,075	1,443,994	
Less:							
Capitalised issues	-	-	(411)	(481)	(411)	(481)	
Costs				4 440 = 40			
Total interest	-	-	1,464,664	1,443,513	1,464,664	1,443,513	
bearing loans and							
borrowings							
Finance lease liabilities	6,216	6,825	25,618	26,573	31,834	33,398	
Total interest	6,216	6,825	1,490,282	1,470,086	1,496,498	1,476,911	
bearing loans and borrowings							

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8. BORROWINGS (Continued)

Senior Secured Notes

Senior secured floating rate Euro denominated notes of €290m were issued on 18 July 2013 with a termination date of 15 July 2020. Interest is floating at three month EURIBOR plus a margin of 525 bps. Interest is payable on a quarterly basis. An Original Issue Discount fee (OID) of €1.2m (£1.0m) was paid on the date of issue of the notes.

A further €70m issue of the senior secured floating rate Euro denominated notes occurred on 11 November 2014 with the same terms as the previous notes. The termination date is 15 July 2020. Interest is floating at three month EURIBOR plus a margin of 525 bps and is payable on a quarterly basis. An Original Issue Discount fee (OID) of €1.8m (£1.4m) was paid on the date of issue of the notes.

Senior secured fixed rate Sterling denominated notes of £300m were issued on 18 July 2013 with a termination date of 15 July 2020. Interest is fixed at 7.875% and payable on a semi-annual basis.

A senior secured floating rate Euro denominated term loan of €120m was issued on 29 July 2016. Interest is floating at three month EURIBOR plus a margin of 550 bps. Interest is payable on a quarterly basis. An Original Issue Discount fee (OID) of €0.6m (£0.5m) was paid on the date of issue of the loan. This loan is repayable on 29 July 2023.

Shareholder loan notes

Shareholder loans bear interest of 11.0% and have a termination date of 9 August 2033. Early repayment can be requested but not before the termination of the senior secured notes. Interest roll up and capital is repayable on the termination date.

Security

The senior secured notes and revolving credit facility are secured by cross guarantees and charges over certain of the Group's shares and assets.

Capitalised issue costs

Costs incurred in issuing the senior debt and the credit facility are capitalised and are allocated to the Consolidated income statement over the life of the related debt facility. At 28 February 2018 borrowings are stated net of unamortised issue costs of £10.2m (2017: £11.1m).

External loans

External loans relate to loans from the German Federal Film Fund (FFA). These loans have a variety of maturity dates with the last due to be repaid in 2022.

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9. PROVISIONS

Current 1,802 1,74 Non-current 103,849 104,82 105,651 106,56
Property Jubilee Other provisions retirement provisions Tot £000 £000 £000
At 30 November 2017 102,555 2,267 1,742 106,56 Additions during the year - 50 50 10 Utilised / Released during the year (1,378) (117) - (1,49) Unwound during the year 474 - - 47 Foreign exchange loss (7) 5 10 At 28 February 2018 101,644 2,205 1,802 105,65
10. SHARE CAPITAL
As at As 28 February 30 November 2018 2018 20 Allotted, issued and fully paid £000 £0
4,718,100 Ordinary shares of £1.00 each 4,718 4,7
11. CASH GENERATED FROM OPERATIONS
3 Months 3 Months ended el 28 February 28 February 2018 2 £000 8
Loss for the year (7,892) (Adjustment for:
Income tax expenses Net finance costs (Loss)/gain on disposal of tangible fixed assets 11,193 34,364 31, 73
Depreciation 14,149 13, Amortisation of intangible assets 800 Other non-cash items (1,723) (1,
Operating cash flows before movements in working capital Decrease in inventories (Increase) / Decrease in trade receivables 50,964 52, 275 (538) 4,
(Decrease) / Increase in trade and other payables (296) 2, Cash generated from operations 50,405 59,
Income taxes paid (1,554) (Net cash inflow from operating activities 48,851 58,

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12. ANALYSIS OF CHANGES IN NET DEBT

			Foreign		Other non-	
	30 November		Exchange	Interest	cash	28 February
	2017	Cash flow	movements	charges	movements	2018
	£000	£000	£000	£000	£000	£000
Cash and cash equivalents	116,135	20,704	164	-	-	137,003
Shareholder loan notes	(732,933)	-	-	(19,232)	-	(752,165)
Senior secured notes and loans	(710,458)	-	(889)	-	(984)	(712,331)
Unamortised capitalised bank fees	481	-	-	-	(70)	411
Finance lease liabilities	(33,398)	2,430	(81)	(785)	-	(31,834)
External loans	(603)	24	-	-	-	(579)
Total	(1,360,776)	23,158	(806)	(20,017)	(1,054)	(1,359,495)

13. TAXATION

Income tax is recognised based on management's best estimate of the annual income tax rate expected for the financial period.

14. FINANCIAL RISK MANAGEMENT

The interim condensed consolidated financial statements do not include the financial risk management information and disclosures required in annual financial statements. A description of major risk factors considered by the Group can be found in the audited annual report and financial statements of Vue International Bidco plc for the period to 30 November 2017, a copy of which is available on the group website (http://vue-international.com/index.php/investor-relations/reports-presentations).