# AIDING INDEPENDENCE LTD UNAUDITED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2023

Spurling Cannon Chartered Certified Accountants 424 Margate Road Westwood Ramsgate Kent CT12 6SJ

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#### AIDING INDEPENDENCE LTD

#### COMPANY INFORMATION FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2023

**DIRECTORS:** 

Mrs H E Edge Mrs Y Doust

**REGISTERED OFFICE:** 

424 Margate Road Westwood Ramsgate Kent CT12 6SJ

**REGISTERED NUMBER:** 05790290

**ACCOUNTANTS:** 

Spurling Cannon Chartered Certified Accountants 424 Margate Road Westwood Ramsgate Kent CT12 6SJ

# BALANCE SHEET 31 DECEMBER 2023

|   |         | 2023                                 |   | 2022                                 |                           |
|---|---------|--------------------------------------|---|--------------------------------------|---------------------------|
|   | Notes   | £                                    | £                                       | £                                    | £                         |
| FIXED ASSETS<br>Tangible assets   | 4       |                                      | 262,083                                 |                                      | 282,592                   |
| <b>CURRENT ASSETS</b><br>Debtors<br>Cash at bank and in hand  | 5       | 259,377<br><u>235,710</u><br>495,087 |   | 263,829<br><u>194,125</u><br>457,954 |                           |
| CREDITORS<br>Amounts falling due within one yea<br>NET CURRENT ASSETS<br>TOTAL ASSETS LESS CURRENT<br>LIABILITIES |         | <u>130,177</u>                       | <u>364,910</u><br>626,993               | 106,513                              | <u>351,441</u><br>634,033 |
| <b>CREDITORS</b><br>Amounts falling due after more tha<br>one<br>year<br><b>NET ASSETS</b>                        | in<br>7 |                                      | 218,558<br>408,435                      |                                      | 226,121<br>407,912        |
| <b>CAPITAL AND RESERVES</b><br>Called up share capital<br>Retained earnings<br><b>SHAREHOLDERS' FUNDS</b>         |         |                                      | 250<br><u>408,185</u><br><u>408,435</u> |                                      | 250<br>407,662<br>407,912 |

The company is entitled to exemption from audit under Section 477 of the Companies Act 2006 for the year ended 31 December 2023.

The members have not required the company to obtain an audit of its financial statements for the year ended 31 December 2023 in accordance with Section 476 of the Companies Act 2006.

The directors acknowledge their responsibilities for:

- (a) ensuring that the company keeps accounting records which comply with Sections 386 and 387 of the Companies Act 2006 and
- (b) preparing financial statements which give a true and fair view of the state of affairs of the company as at the end of each financial year and of its profit or loss for each financial year in accordance with the requirements of Sections 394 and 395 and which otherwise comply with the requirements of the Companies Act 2006 relating to financial statements, so far as applicable to the company.

The notes form part of these financial statements

#### BALANCE SHEET - continued 31 DECEMBER 2023

The financial statements have been prepared and delivered in accordance with the provisions applicable to companies subject to the small companies regime.

In accordance with Section 444 of the Companies Act 2006, the Statement of Income and Retained Earnings has not been delivered.

The financial statements were approved by the Board of Directors and authorised for issue on 9 September 2024 and were signed on its behalf by:

Mrs H E Edge - Director

The notes form part of these financial statements

#### NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2023

#### 1. STATUTORY INFORMATION

Aiding Independence Ltd is a private company, limited by shares , registered in Not specified/Other. The company's registered number and registered office address can be found on the Company Information page.

#### 2. ACCOUNTING POLICIES

#### Basis of preparing the financial statements

These financial statements have been prepared in accordance with Financial Reporting Standard 102 "The Financial Reporting Standard applicable in the UK and Republic of Ireland" including the provisions of Section 1A "Small Entities" and the Companies Act 2006. The financial statements have been prepared under the historical cost convention.

#### Turnover

Turnover is measured at the fair value of the consideration received or receivable, excluding discounts, rebates, value added tax and other sales taxes.

#### **Tangible fixed assets**

| Freehold property     | - 2% on straight line basis |
|-----------------------|-----------------------------|
| Fixtures and fittings | - 15% on reducing balance   |
| Motor vehicles        | - 25% on reducing balance   |
| Computer equipment    | - 25% on reducing balance   |

#### Pension costs and other post-retirement benefits

The company operates a defined contribution pension scheme. Contributions payable to the company's pension scheme are charged to profit or loss in the period to which they relate.

#### 3. EMPLOYEES AND DIRECTORS

The average number of employees during the year was 58 (2022 - 56).

#### 4. TANGIBLE FIXED ASSETS

|                      | Freehold<br>property<br>£ | Plant and<br>machinery<br>£ | Fixture &<br>Fittings<br>£ |
|----------------------|---------------------------|-----------------------------|----------------------------|
| COST                 | _                         | _                           | _                          |
| At 1 January 2023    |                           |                             |                            |
| and 31 December 2023 | <u>228,264</u>            | <u>105,995</u>              | 7,717                      |
| DEPRECIATION         |                           |                             |                            |
| At 1 January 2023    | 36,522                    | 40,901                      | 5,123                      |
| Charge for year      | <u>4,566</u>              | <u>9,764</u>                | 389                        |
| At 31 December 2023  | <u>41,088</u>             | <u>50,665</u>               | <u>5,512</u>               |
| NET BOOK VALUE       |                           |                             |                            |
| At 31 December 2023  | <u>187,176</u>            | <u>55,330</u>               | 2,205                      |
| At 31 December 2022  | 191,742                   | 65,094                      | 2,594                      |

# NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS - continued FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2023

# 4. TANGIBLE FIXED ASSETS - continued

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|   | Motor<br>vehicles<br>£           | Computer<br>equipment<br>£          | Totals<br>£                         |
|---|----------------------------------|-------------------------------------|-------------------------------------|
| COST<br>At 1 January 2023<br>and 31 December 2023<br>DEPRECIATION   | 32,660                           | 11,199                              | <u>385,835</u>                      |
| At 1 January 2023<br>Charge for year<br>At 31 December 2023         | 12,196<br><u>5,116</u><br>17,312 | 8,501<br><u>674</u><br>9,175        | 103,243<br><u>20,509</u><br>123,752 |
| <b>NET BOOK VALUE</b><br>At 31 December 2023<br>At 31 December 2022 | <b>15,348</b><br>20,464          | <b>2,024</b><br>2,698               | <b>262,083</b><br>282,592           |
| DEBTORS: AMOUNTS FALLING DUE WITHIN C<br>YEAR                       | DNE                              |                                     |                                     |
|   |                                  | 2023<br>f                           | 2022<br>£                           |
| Trade debtors<br>Sundry debtors                                     |                                  | 181,450<br><u>77,927</u><br>259,377 | 181,512<br>82,317<br>263,829        |
| CREDITORS: AMOUNTS FALLING DUE WITHIN                               | I ONE YEAI                       |                                     |                                     |
|   |                                  | 2023<br>£                           | 2022<br>£                           |
| Bank loans and overdrafts<br>Corporation Tax                        |                                  | 7,563<br>59,892                     | 7,563<br>39,778                     |
| Social security and other taxes<br>Company credit card              |                                  | 40,385<br>105                       | 37,490<br>105                       |
| Drop in grant centre<br>Directors' current accounts                 |                                  | 5,603<br>670                        | 5,603                               |
| Deferred income<br>Accrued expenses                                 |                                  | 14,240<br>1,719                     | $14,255 \\ 1,719$                   |
| Accinen exhenses  |                                  | 130,177                             | 106,513                             |
| CREDITORS: AMOUNTS FALLING DUE AFTER I<br>THAN ONE<br>YEAR          | MORE                             |                                     |                                     |
| ILAN  |                                  | 2023                                | 2022                                |
| Bank loans - 1-2 years  |                                  | £<br>13,224                         | £<br>20,787                         |
| Bank loans more 5 yr by<br>instalments                              |                                  | 2 <u>05,334</u><br>218,558          | <u>205,334</u><br>226,121           |

#### NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS - continued FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2023

# 7. **CREDITORS: AMOUNTS FALLING DUE AFTER MORE THAN ONE YEAR - continued**

| Amounts falling due in more than five years:                       | 2023<br>£          | 2022<br>£          |
|--|--------------------|--------------------|
| Repayable by instalments<br>Bank loans more 5 yr by<br>instalments | 205,334<br>205,334 | 205,334<br>205,334 |

# 8. SECURED DEBTS

Bank loans of £205,334 (2021: £205,334) are secured on Freehold Property.

# 9. ULTIMATE CONTROLLING PARTY

The company is controlled by its directors. There is no ultimate controlling party.