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**ARROWPAK (TRANSPORT AND WAREHOUSING) LIMITED**

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**FINANCIAL STATEMENTS**

**FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2023**

**ARROWPAK (TRANSPORT AND WAREHOUSING) LIMITED**  
**REGISTERED NUMBER: 01515420**

**BALANCE SHEET**  
**AS AT 31 DECEMBER 2023**

	Note	2023 £	2022 £
<b>FIXED ASSETS</b>			
Tangible assets	4	1,653,295	1,254,385
Investments	5	1	1
		<u>1,653,296</u>	<u>1,254,386</u>
<b>CURRENT ASSETS</b>			
Stocks		97,954	105,776
Debtors: amounts falling due within one year	6	900,169	1,210,695
Cash at bank and in hand		754,589	772,941
		<u>1,752,712</u>	<u>2,089,412</u>
Creditors: amounts falling due within one year	7	(482,058)	(610,483)
		<u>1,270,654</u>	<u>1,478,929</u>
<b>NET CURRENT ASSETS</b>			
		<u>1,270,654</u>	<u>1,478,929</u>
<b>TOTAL ASSETS LESS CURRENT LIABILITIES</b>			
		<u>2,923,950</u>	<u>2,733,315</u>
Deferred tax	8	(117,595)	(47,648)
		<u>(117,595)</u>	<u>(47,648)</u>
<b>NET ASSETS</b>			
		<u><u>2,806,355</u></u>	<u><u>2,685,667</u></u>
<b>CAPITAL AND RESERVES</b>			
Called up share capital	9	100	100
Profit and loss account		2,806,255	2,685,567
		<u>2,806,355</u>	<u>2,685,667</u>

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**BALANCE SHEET (CONTINUED)**  
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The financial statements have been prepared in accordance with the provisions applicable to companies subject to the small companies regime and in accordance with the provisions of FRS 102 Section 1A - small entities.

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

The Company has opted not to file the statement of income and retained earnings in accordance with provisions applicable to companies subject to the small companies' regime.

The financial statements were approved and authorised for issue by the board and were signed on its behalf by:

**Mr R C J Hood**  
**Director**

Date: 16 September 2024

The notes on pages 3 to 10 form part of these financial statements.

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

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#### 1. GENERAL INFORMATION

Arrowpak (Transport and Warehousing) Limited is a private company limited by shares and incorporated in England and Wales. The Company's registered office is Sherwood House, Norwood Road, Brandon, Suffolk, IP27 0PB.

#### 2. ACCOUNTING POLICIES

##### 2.1 BASIS OF PREPARATION OF FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

The financial statements have been prepared under the historical cost convention unless otherwise specified within these accounting policies and in accordance with Section 1A of Financial Reporting Standard 102, the Financial Reporting Standard applicable in the UK and the Republic of Ireland and the Companies Act 2006.

The following principal accounting policies have been applied:

##### 2.2 GOING CONCERN

The directors have assessed the ability of the Company to continue trading for the foreseeable future, including whether the Company will continue to be able to meet its liabilities as they fall due for the next 12 months. Given the strong cash reserves and profitability of the Company, the directors have assessed that the Company remains a going concern. Accordingly, the directors continue to adopt the going concern basis.

##### 2.3 EXEMPTION FROM PREPARING CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

The Company, and the Group headed by it, qualify as small as set out in section 383 of the Companies Act 2006 and the parent and Group are considered eligible for the exemption to prepare consolidated accounts.

##### 2.4 TURNOVER

Turnover comprises revenue recognised by the Company in respect of goods and services supplied during the year, exclusive of Value Added Tax and trade discounts. Turnover is recognised as the fair value of the consideration received or receivable and is recognised on the date that the contracted services are performed.

##### 2.5 TANGIBLE FIXED ASSETS

Tangible fixed assets under the cost model are stated at historical cost less accumulated depreciation and any accumulated impairment losses. Historical cost includes expenditure that is directly attributable to bringing the asset to the location and condition necessary for it to be capable of operating in the manner intended by management.

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**2. ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)**

**2.5 TANGIBLE FIXED ASSETS (CONTINUED)**

Depreciation is charged so as to allocate the cost of assets less their residual value over their estimated useful lives, using the straight-line method.

Depreciation is provided on the following basis:

Freehold property	- 2% straight line
Motor vehicles	- 25% straight line
Fixtures and fittings	- Between 15% and 20% straight line

The assets' residual values, useful lives and depreciation methods are reviewed, and adjusted prospectively if appropriate, or if there is an indication of a significant change since the last reporting date.

Gains and losses on disposals are determined by comparing the proceeds with the carrying amount and are recognised in profit or loss.

**2.6 VALUATION OF INVESTMENTS**

Investments in subsidiaries are measured at cost less accumulated impairment.

Investments in unlisted Company shares, whose market value can be reliably determined, are remeasured to market value at each balance sheet date. Gains and losses on remeasurement are recognised in the Statement of Income and Retained Earnings for the period. Where market value cannot be reliably determined, such investments are stated at historic cost less impairment.

**2.7 STOCKS**

Stocks are stated at the lower of cost and net realisable value after making due allowance for obsolete and slow-moving stocks.

**2.8 DEBTORS**

Short term debtors are measured at transaction price, less any impairment.

**2.9 CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS**

Cash is represented by cash in hand and deposits with financial institutions repayable without penalty on notice of not more than 24 hours. Cash equivalents are highly liquid investments that mature in no more than three months from the date of acquisition and that are readily convertible to known amounts of cash with insignificant risk of change in value.

**2.10 CREDITORS**

Short term creditors are measured at the transaction price.

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**2. ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)**

**2.11 FOREIGN CURRENCY TRANSLATION**

**Functional and presentation currency**

The Company's functional and presentational currency is GBP.

**Transactions and balances**

Foreign currency transactions are translated into the functional currency using the spot exchange rates at the dates of the transactions.

At each period end foreign currency monetary items are translated using the closing rate. Non-monetary items measured at historical cost are translated using the exchange rate at the date of the transaction and non-monetary items measured at fair value are measured using the exchange rate when fair value was determined.

**2.12 FINANCE COSTS**

Finance costs are charged to profit or loss over the term of the debt using the effective interest method so that the amount charged is at a constant rate on the carrying amount. Issue costs are initially recognised as a reduction in the proceeds of the associated capital instrument.

**2.13 PENSIONS**

**DEFINED CONTRIBUTION PENSION PLAN**

The Company operates a defined contribution plan for its employees. A defined contribution plan is a pension plan under which the Company pays fixed contributions into a separate entity. Once the contributions have been paid the Company has no further payment obligations.

The contributions are recognised as an expense in profit or loss when they fall due. Amounts not paid are shown in accruals as a liability in the Balance Sheet. The assets of the plan are held separately from the Company in independently administered funds.

**2.14 INTEREST INCOME**

Interest income is recognised in profit or loss using the effective interest method.

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**2. ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)**

**2.15 CURRENT AND DEFERRED TAXATION**

The tax expense for the year comprises current and deferred tax. Tax is recognised in profit or loss except that a charge attributable to an item of income and expense recognised as other comprehensive income or to an item recognised directly in equity is also recognised in other comprehensive income or directly in equity respectively.

The current income tax charge is calculated on the basis of tax rates and laws that have been enacted or substantively enacted by the balance sheet date in the countries where the Company operates and generates income.

Deferred tax balances are recognised in respect of all timing differences that have originated but not reversed by the balance sheet date, except that:

- The recognition of deferred tax assets is limited to the extent that it is probable that they will be recovered against the reversal of deferred tax liabilities or other future taxable profits; and
- Any deferred tax balances are reversed if and when all conditions for retaining associated tax allowances have been met.

Deferred tax balances are not recognised in respect of permanent differences except in respect of business combinations, when deferred tax is recognised on the differences between the fair values of assets acquired and the future tax deductions available for them and the differences between the fair values of liabilities acquired and the amount that will be assessed for tax. Deferred tax is determined using tax rates and laws that have been enacted or substantively enacted by the balance sheet date.

**2.16 DIVIDENDS**

Equity dividends are recognised when they become legally payable. Interim equity dividends are recognised when paid. Final equity dividends are recognised when approved by the shareholders at an annual general meeting.

**3. EMPLOYEES**

The average monthly number of employees, including directors, during the year was 63 (2022 - 59).

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**4. TANGIBLE FIXED ASSETS**

	<b>Freehold property</b>	<b>Motor vehicles</b>	<b>Fixtures and fittings</b>	<b>Total</b>
	£	£	£	£
<b>COST</b>				
At 1 January 2023	1,816,210	1,040,962	654,709	3,511,881
Additions	46,494	322,140	212,013	580,647
Disposals	-	(75,907)	(12,494)	(88,401)
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At 31 December 2023	1,862,704	1,287,195	854,228	4,004,127
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<b>DEPRECIATION</b>				
At 1 January 2023	826,216	871,856	559,424	2,257,496
Charge for the year on owned assets	31,162	114,880	35,695	181,737
Disposals	-	(75,907)	(12,494)	(88,401)
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At 31 December 2023	857,378	910,829	582,625	2,350,832
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<b>NET BOOK VALUE</b>				
At 31 December 2023	<u>1,005,326</u>	<u>376,366</u>	<u>271,603</u>	<u>1,653,295</u>
<b>At 31 December 2022</b>	<u>989,994</u>	<u>169,106</u>	<u>95,285</u>	<u>1,254,385</u>

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**5. FIXED ASSET INVESTMENTS**

	Investments in subsidiary companies £	Unlisted investments £	Total £
<b>COST</b>			
At 1 January 2023	2	1	3
	2	1	3
At 31 December 2023	2	1	3
	2	-	2
At 1 January 2023	2	-	2
	2	-	2
At 31 December 2023	2	-	2
	-	1	1
At 31 December 2023	-	1	1
	-	1	1
At 31 December 2022	-	1	1
	-	1	1
At 31 December 2022	-	1	1

**6. DEBTORS**

	2023 £	2022 £
Trade debtors	340,978	650,019
Amounts owed by group undertakings	190,613	318,680
Other debtors	157,672	97,733
Prepayments and accrued income	166,117	144,263
Tax recoverable	44,789	-
	900,169	1,210,695
	900,169	1,210,695

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**7. CREDITORS: AMOUNTS FALLING DUE WITHIN ONE YEAR**

	2023	2022
	£	£
Trade creditors	222,144	204,189
Corporation tax	7,276	39,766
Other taxation and social security	106,890	96,011
Other creditors	82,412	77,416
Accruals and deferred income	63,336	193,101
	<b>482,058</b>	<b>610,483</b>

Other creditors include contributions of £9,246 (2022 - £7,967) payable to the Company's defined contribution pension scheme at the balance sheet date.

At the year end £67,430 (2023: £63,963) in total was owed to the directors by the Company, which is included within other creditors. The balance represents dividends paid plus cash introduced less elements of personal expenditure paid by the Company.

**8. DEFERRED TAXATION**

	2023	2022
	£	£
At beginning of year	47,648	40,253
Charged to profit or loss	69,947	7,395
<b>AT END OF YEAR</b>	<b>117,595</b>	<b>47,648</b>

The provision for deferred taxation is made up as follows:

	2023	2022
	£	£
Accelerated capital allowances	118,630	48,557
Short term timing differences	(1,035)	(909)
	<b>117,595</b>	<b>47,648</b>

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9. SHARE CAPITAL

	2023	2022
	£	£
<b>ALLOTTED, CALLED UP AND FULLY PAID</b>		
100 (2022 - 100) Ordinary shares of £1.00 each	<u>100</u>	<u>100</u>

10. COMMITMENTS UNDER OPERATING LEASES

At 31 December 2023 the Company had future minimum lease payments due under non-cancellable operating leases for each of the following periods:

	2023	2022
	£	£
Not later than 1 year	58,193	58,193
Later than 1 year and not later than 5 years	83,621	141,813
	<u>141,814</u>	<u>200,006</u>

11. AUDITORS' INFORMATION

The auditors' report on the financial statements for the year ended 31 December 2023 was unqualified.

The audit report was signed on 23 September 2024 by James Burrett (Senior Statutory Auditor) on behalf of Peters Elworthy & Moore.

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