

**WELSH LAMB AND BEEF
PRODUCERS LIMITED**

UNAUDITED

COMMITTEE OF MANAGEMENT'S REPORT AND FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2013



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WELSH LAMB AND BEEF PRODUCERS LIMITED

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COMMITTEE OF MANAGEMENT'S REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2013

The committee of management present their report and the financial statements for the year ended 31 March 2013.

PRINCIPAL ACTIVITIES

The society's principal activity is the promotion and marketing of farm assured Welsh Lamb and Welsh Beef, and the management and delivery of the Farm Assured Welsh Livestock Scheme.

COMMITTEE OF MANAGEMENT

The committee of management who served during the year were:

Richard Howells
Robyn Benbow
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In preparing this report, the committee of management have taken advantage of the small companies exemptions provided by the Industrial and Provident Societies Acts 1965 to 2002.

This report was approved by the committee of management on 10 October 2013 and signed on its behalf.

Don Thomas
Director

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**COMMITTEE OF MANAGEMENT'S STATEMENT
FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2013**

We confirm that as the committee of management we have met our duty in accordance with the Industrial and Provident Societies Act 1965 and the Friendly and Industrial and Provident Act 1968 to:

- ensure that the society has kept adequate accounting records;
- prepare financial statements which give a true and fair view of the state of affairs of the society as at 31 March 2013 and of profit and loss for that period in accordance with the Financial Reporting Standard for Smaller Entities; and
- follow the applicable accounting policies, subject to any material departures disclosed and explained in the notes to the financial statements.

The Committee of managements' statement was approved by the board on 10 October 2013 and signed on its behalf.

Don Thomas
Director

WELSH LAMB AND BEEF PRODUCERS LIMITED

**CHARTERED ACCOUNTANTS' INDEPENDENT ASSURANCE REPORT
ON THE UNAUDITED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS OF WELSH LAMB AND BEEF PRODUCERS LIMITED
FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2013**

TO THE COMMITTEE OF MANAGEMENT OF WELSH LAMB AND BEEF PROMOTIONS LIMITED ("THE SOCIETY")

We have performed certain procedures in respect of the society's unaudited financial statements for the year ended 31 March 2013 as set out on pages 4 to 11, made enquiries of the society's committee of management and assessed accounting policies adopted by the committee of management, in order to gather sufficient evidence for our conclusion in this report.

This report is made solely to the society's committee of management, as a body, in accordance with the terms of our engagement letter dated 10 April 2012. It has been released to the committee of management on the basis that this report shall not be copied, referred to or disclosed, in whole (save for the committee of management's own internal purposes or as may be required by law or by a competent regulator) or in part, without our prior written consent. Our work has been undertaken so that we might state to the committee of management those matters that we have agreed to state to them in this 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 society and the society's committee of management, as a body, for our work, for this report or the conclusions we have formed.

RESPECTIVE RESPONSIBILITIES

You have confirmed that you have met your duty as set out in the Committee of management's statement on page 2. You consider that the society is exempt from the statutory requirement for an audit for the year. Our responsibility is to form and express an independent conclusion, based on the work carried out, to you on the financial statements.

SCOPE

We conducted our engagement in accordance with the Institute of Chartered Accountants in England & Wales Interim Technical Release AAF 03/06. Our work was based primarily upon enquiry, analytical procedures and assessing accounting policies in accordance with the Financial Reporting Standard for Smaller Entities. If we considered it to be necessary, we also performed limited examination of evidence relevant to certain balances and disclosures in the financial statements where we became aware of matters that might indicate a risk of material misstatement in the financial statements.

The terms of our engagement exclude any requirement to carry out a comprehensive assessment of the risks of material misstatement, a consideration of fraud, laws, regulations and internal controls, and we have not done so. We are not required to, and we do not, express an audit opinion on these financial statements.

CONCLUSION

Based on our work, nothing has come to our attention to refute the committee of management's confirmation that in accordance with the Industrial and Provident Societies Act 1965 and the Friendly and Industrial and Provident Act 1968 the financial statements give a true and fair view of the state of the society's affairs as at 31 March 2013 and of its profit for the year then ended and have been properly prepared in accordance with the Financial Reporting Standard for Smaller Entities.

Whittingham Riddell LLP
Chartered Accountants
Newtown

21 October 2013

WELSH LAMB AND BEEF PRODUCERS LIMITED

**PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT
FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2013**

	Note	2013 £	2012 £
TURNOVER	1	1,055,982	1,062,037
Cost of sales		<u>(983,305)</u>	<u>(994,915)</u>
GROSS PROFIT		72,677	67,122
Administrative expenses		<u>(43,418)</u>	<u>(51,596)</u>
OPERATING PROFIT	2	29,259	15,526
Interest receivable and similar income	4	<u>14,401</u>	<u>2,142</u>
PROFIT ON ORDINARY ACTIVITIES BEFORE TAXATION		43,660	17,668
Tax on profit on ordinary activities	5	<u>(2,880)</u>	<u>(428)</u>
PROFIT FOR THE FINANCIAL YEAR	11	<u>40,780</u>	<u>17,240</u>

The notes on pages 7 to 11 form part of these financial statements.

WELSH LAMB AND BEEF PRODUCERS LIMITED
REGISTERED NUMBER: IP24153R

BALANCE SHEET
AS AT 31 MARCH 2013

	Note	2013		2012	
		£	£	£	£
FIXED ASSETS					
Tangible assets	6		48,125		49,875
Investments	7		25		25
			<u>48,150</u>		<u>49,900</u>
CURRENT ASSETS					
Debtors	8	36,336		26,423	
Cash at bank		1,504,757		1,419,252	
			<u>1,541,093</u>		<u>1,445,675</u>
CREDITORS: amounts falling due within one year	9		<u>(995,245)</u>		<u>(942,359)</u>
NET CURRENT ASSETS			<u>545,848</u>		<u>503,316</u>
NET ASSETS			<u>593,998</u>		<u>553,216</u>
CAPITAL AND RESERVES					
Called up share capital	10		1,862		1,860
Profit and loss account	11		592,136		551,356
SHAREHOLDERS' FUNDS			<u>593,998</u>		<u>553,216</u>

The committee of management consider that the society is entitled to exemption from the requirement to have an audit under the provisions of section 477 of the Companies Act 2006 ("the Act") and members have not required the society to obtain an audit for the year in question in accordance with section 476 of the Act.

The committee of management acknowledge their responsibilities for complying with the requirements of the Companies Act 2006 with respect to accounting records and for preparing financial statements which give a true and fair view of the state of affairs of the society as at 31 March 2013 and of its profit for the year in accordance with the requirements of sections 394 and 395 of the Act and which otherwise comply with the requirements of the Companies Act 2006 relating to financial statements, so far as applicable to the society.

The financial statements have been prepared in accordance with the special provisions applicable to small entities, and in accordance with the Financial Reporting Standard for Smaller Entities (effective April 2008).

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**BALANCE SHEET (continued)
AS AT 31 MARCH 2013**

The financial statements were approved and authorised for issue by the committee of management and were signed on its behalf on 10 October 2013.

Richard Howells
Director

Don Thomas
Director

W G Jones
Secretary

The notes on pages 7 to 11 form part of these financial statements.

WELSH LAMB AND BEEF PRODUCERS LIMITED

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2013

1. ACCOUNTING POLICIES

1.1 Basis of preparation of financial statements

The financial statements have been prepared under the historical cost convention and in accordance with the Financial Reporting Standard for Smaller Entities (effective April 2008).

1.2 Cash flow

The financial statements do not include a Cash flow statement because the society, as a small reporting entity, is exempt from the requirement to prepare such a statement under the Financial Reporting Standard for Smaller Entities (effective April 2008).

1.3 Turnover

Turnover comprises revenue recognised by the society in respect of goods and services supplied during the year, exclusive of Value Added Tax and trade discounts.

1.4 Tangible fixed assets and depreciation

Tangible fixed assets are stated at cost less depreciation. Depreciation is provided at rates calculated to write off the cost of fixed assets, less their estimated residual value, over their expected useful lives on the following bases:

Freehold property	-	2.5% straight line
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1.5 Investments

Investments held as fixed assets are shown at cost less provision for impairment.

1.6 Deferred taxation

Full provision is made for deferred tax assets and liabilities arising from all timing differences between the recognition of gains and losses in the financial statements and recognition in the tax computation.

A net deferred tax asset is recognised only if it can be regarded as 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 assets and liabilities are calculated at the tax rates expected to be effective at the time the timing differences are expected to reverse.

Deferred tax assets and liabilities are not discounted.

1.7 Taxation

The society is only liable to corporation tax on its investment income.

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2. OPERATING PROFIT

The operating profit is stated after charging:

	2013 £	2012 £
Depreciation of tangible fixed assets: - owned by the society	1,750	1,750

3. COMMITTEE OF MANAGEMENT'S REMUNERATION

	2013 £	2012 £
Aggregate remuneration	6,914	6,769

4. INTEREST RECEIVABLE

	2013 £	2012 £
Other interest receivable	14,401	2,142

5. TAXATION

	2013 £	2012 £
UK corporation tax charge on profit for the year	2,880	428

Factors affecting tax charge for the year

Tax is chargeable purely on investment income.

Factors that may affect future tax charges

Tax will be chargeable purely on investment income in future.

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**NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
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6. TANGIBLE FIXED ASSETS

	Freehold property £
Cost	
At 1 April 2012 and 31 March 2013	70,000
Depreciation	
At 1 April 2012	20,125
Charge for the year	1,750
At 31 March 2013	21,875
Net book value	
At 31 March 2013	48,125
<i>At 31 March 2012</i>	49,875

7. FIXED ASSET INVESTMENTS

	Investments in Subsidiary Companies £
Cost or valuation	
At 1 April 2012 and 31 March 2013	25
Net book value	
At 31 March 2013	25
<i>At 31 March 2012</i>	25

8. DEBTORS

	2013 £	2012 £
Trade debtors	36,020	26,107
Other debtors	316	316
	36,336	26,423

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9. **CREDITORS:**
Amounts falling due within one year

	2013 £	2012 £
Trade creditors	1,781	21,745
Amounts owed to group undertakings	490,776	432,400
Corporation tax	2,880	428
Other taxation and social security	73,270	70,561
Other creditors	426,538	417,225
	<u>995,245</u>	<u>942,359</u>

10. **SHARE CAPITAL**

	2013 £	2012 £
Allotted, called up and fully paid		
7,448 (2012 - 7,440) Ordinary shares of £0.25 each	<u>1,862</u>	<u>1,860</u>

In accordance with the Society's Rules, one ordinary share was issued to 214 new members joining the Society in the year. The nominal cost was taken out of the member's first subscription fee. During the year, 206 members have left the society and their shares have been cancelled.

11. **RESERVES**

	Profit and loss account £
At 1 April 2012	551,356
Profit for the financial year	40,780
	<u>592,136</u>
At 31 March 2013	<u>592,136</u>

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12. RELATED PARTY TRANSACTIONS

Welsh Agricultural Organisation Society Limited (WAOS): The Committee of Management consider WAOS a related party due to its close operating links and influence, shared management and objectives. WAOS provided services and recharges to the society during the year of £5,220 (2012: £5,944). At the year end the Society owed £22,923 (2012: £22,923) to WAOS.

Quality Welsh Food Certification Limited (QWFC): The Committee of Management consider QWFC a related party due to its close operating links and influence, shared management and objectives. QWFC provided services for the society during the year of £952,376 (2012: £947,638). The society owed £467,853 (2012: £409,477) to QWFC at the year end. The society provided services to QWFC during the year of £1,521 (2012: £3,318).