KINGS COURT (BIRMINGHAM) MANAGEMENT COMPANY LIMITED KINGS COURT

SERVICE CHARGE ACCOUNTS

FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2016



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ACCOUNTANTS' REPORT OF FACTUAL FINDINGS TO THE LANDLORD OF KINGS COURT

You have stated that an audit of the service charge accounts in accordance with International Standards on Auditing is not required under the terms of the lease for Kings Court, Birmingham. In accordance with our engagement letter, we have performed the procedures agreed with you and enumerated below with respect to the service charge accounts set out on pages 2 to 5 in respect of Kings Court, Birmingham for the year ended 31 December 2016 in order to provide a report of factual findings about the service charge accounts that you have issued.

This report is made to the landlord for issue with the service charge accounts in accordance with the terms of our engagement. Our work has been undertaken to enable us to make this report to the landlord and for no other purpose. To the fullest extent permitted by law, we do not accept or assume responsibility to anyone other than the landlord for our work or for this report.

Basis of report

Our work was carried out having regard to *Residential Service Charge Accounts* published jointly by the professional accountancy bodies with ARMA and RICS. In summary, the procedures we carried out with respect to the service charge accounts were:

- We obtained the service charge accounts and checked whether the figures in the accounts were extracted correctly from the accounting records maintained by or on behalf of the landlord;
- 2. We checked whether entries in the accounting records were supported by receipts, other documentation or evidence that we inspected; and
- 3. We checked whether the balance of service charge monies for this property shown on page 4 of the service charge accounts agreed or reconciled to the bank statements for the accounts in which the funds are held.

Because the above procedures do not constitute either an audit or a review in accordance with International Standards on Auditing (UK and Ireland) or International Standards on Review Engagements, we do not express any assurance on the service charge accounts other than in making the factual statements set out in our report of factual findings.

Had we performed additional procedures or had we performed an audit or review of the financial statements in accordance with International Standards on Auditing (UK and Ireland) or International Standards on Review Engagements, other matters might have come to our attention that would have been reported to you.

ACCOUNTANTS' REPORT OF FACTUAL FINDINGS TO THE LANDLORD OF KINGS COURT

Report of factual findings:

- (a) With respect to item 1 we found the figures in the statement of account to have been extracted correctly from the accounting records.
- (b) With respect to item 2 we found that those entries in the accounting records that we checked were supported by receipts, other documentation or evidence that we inspected.

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(c) With respect to item 3 we found that the balance of service charge monies shown on page 4 of the service charge accounts agrees or reconciles to the bank statements for the accounts in which the funds are held.

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KINGS COURT (BIRMINGHAM) MANAGEMENT COMPANY LIMITED KINGS COURT SERVICE CHARGE INCOME AND EXPENDITURE ACCOUNT FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2016

| Income | Note | Actual 2016 £ | Budget 2016 £ | Actual 2015 £ |
|---|------|---|--|---|
| Service charges Interest received | | 120,635.95 23.22 | 120,635.00 | 120,635.95 14.12 |
| Total income receivable | | 120,659.17 | 120,635.00 | 120,650.07 |
| Expenditure Maintenance and services Cleaning Window cleaning Grounds maintenance Repairs and maintenance Fire alarm equipment Pest control Utilities Electricity | 4 | 6,041.72 1,280.00 6,360.00 31,444.78 5,124.41 744.00 | 4,120.00 2,565.00 4,440.00 16,435.00 2,000.00 | 6,436.37 2,990.40 6,276.00 21,021.13 4,664.65 690.00 |
| Water | | 13,025.83 | 13,750.00 | 14,690.71 |
| Administration Insurance Management company expenses Management fees Legal fees Professional fees Accountancy fee | | 11,061.70 190.53 15,000.00 - 7,352.00 2,100.00 | 11,000.00 560.00 15,330.00 500.00 500.00 2,075.00 | 12,074.12 184.44 15,480.00 - 5,513.00 2,100.00 |
| Allocation to long term maintenance fund | 3(a) | 14,529.26 | 38,360.00 | 20,526.74 |
| Total expenditure | • | 120,659.17 | 120,635.00 | 120,650.07 |
| Surplus for the year | | <u>-</u> | | |

KINGS COURT (BIRMINGHAM) MANAGEMENT COMPANY LIMITED KINGS COURT BALANCE SHEET AS AT 31 DECEMBER 2016

| No Assets | ote | 2016 £ | 2015 £ |
|--|----------|--|--|
| Due from lessees: Arrears of service charge Other debtors Prepayments Service charge bank accounts | 2 _ | 19,075.61 5,410.75 12,095.21 61,040.72 | 13,914.12 4,951.43 1,338.71 34,038.79 |
| | = | 97,622.29 | 54,243.05 |
| Liabilities Due to lessees: Service charges received in advance Service charges demanded in advance Trade creditors Accruals | <u>-</u> | 1,043.29 41,168.26 12,156.64 8,198.10 62,566.29 | 1,084.77 27,070.79 (1,842.35) 7,403.10 33,716.31 |
| Net Assets | = | 35,056.00 | 20,526.74 |
| Reserve Funds | | £ | £ |
| | (a) | 35,056.00 | 20,526.74 |
| Balance at 31 December 2016 | = | 35,056.00 | 20,526.74 |

KINGS COURT (BIRMINGHAM) MANAGEMENT COMPANY LIMITED KINGS COURT NOTES TO THE SERVICE CHARGE ACCOUNTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2016

1 Accounting policies

The accounts are prepared in accordance with the provisions of the lease and on the accruals basis.

2 Bank account

Service charge money was held in trust at Barclays Bank Plc, Leicester, LE87 2BB under the title KWB Kingscourt.

3 Reserve funds

The long term maintenance fund has been established to meet the cost of large, non-regular repair and maintenance work. The present level of the fund may prove insufficient, given the uncertainty as to when further such costs may arise.

Any shortfall in these funds resulting from the expenditure incurred will be charged to the Income and Expenditure account in that year.

| 3(| a) Long term maintenance fund | 2016 £ | 2015 £ |
|-----|------------------------------------|-----------|-----------|
| | Balance brought forward | 20,526.74 | - |
| | Allocation for the year | 14,529.26 | 20,526.74 |
| | Balance carried forward | 35,056.00 | 20,526.74 |
| 4 A | nalysis of repairs and maintenance | | £ |
| R | oof and window leak repairs | | 21,102.10 |
| El | ectrical repairs | | 3,626.28 |
| G | eneral repairs | | 2,830.80 |
| D | oor entry system repairs | | 1,892.40 |
| R | emove refuse from site | | 979.20 |
| Aı | rea Building Manager charges | | 960.00 |
| A | erial repairs | | 54.00 |
| | | | 31,444.78 |