STATEMENT OF SERVICE CHARGE INCOME & EXPENDITURE

FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2020

FOR

KINGS & QUEENS COURT, BIRMINGHAM

SERVICE CHARGE ACCOUNTS 31 MARCH 2020

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ACCOUNTANTS' REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2020

ACCOUNTANTS' REPORT OF FACTUAL FINDINGS TO THE LANDLORD OF KINGSC & QUEENS COURT, BIRMINGHAM

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 & Queens Court, Birmingham. In accordance with our engagement Letter dated 16 May 2019, we have performed the procedures agreed with you and enumerated below with respect to the service charge accounts set out on pages 2 to 4 in respect of the year ended 31 March 2020 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 for this report.

Basis of report

Our work was carried out having regard to TECH 03/11 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:

- 1. 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, based on a sample, 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 2 of the service charge accounts agreed or reconciled to the bank statements for the account in which the funds are held.

Because the above procedures do not constitute either an audit or a review made 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 below.

Had we performed additional procedures or had we performed and 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.

Report of factual findings:

- a) With respect to item 1 we found the figures in the statements 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.
- c) With respect to item 3 we found that the balance of service charge monies shown on page 2 of the service charge accounts agrees or reconciles to the bank statements for the account in which the funds are held.

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30 November 2020

INCOME AND EXPENDITURE FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2020

| | 2020 £ | 2019 £ |
|--|-------------------------|-------------------------|
| Income relating to the period Service charge income Other income | 67,659 - | 70,535 255 |
| Sale of gate key fobs Gross interest | - 110 | 160 225 |
| Total income receivable | 67,769 | 71,175 |
| Expenditure relating to the period Repairs and maintenance: | | |
| General repairs and maintenance Emergency out of hours cover | 17,627 - | 2,582 302 |
| Lift repairs and maintenance contract Cleaning | 1,063 2,755 | 4,264 4,094 |
| Window cleaning Grounds maintenance Gate maintenance | 1,925 9,354 1,955 | 2,310 5,429 3,566 |
| Drains maintenance Fire alarm and emergency lighting service maintenance | - 2,159 | 366 5,679 |
| Television aerial maintenance | - | 78 |
| Utilities: Electricity Telephone | 5,856 1,332 | 4,849 495 |
| Professional fees: Accountancy fees | 1,400 | 1,560 |
| Legal and professional fees Health and safety risk inspections Management fees | 816 - 10,044 | 2,200 660 7,800 |
| Insurance | 6,045 | 6,219 |
| General expenses: Sundry expenses | - | 428 |
| Pest control Bank charges | 812 - | 1,944 12 |
| Transfer to general reserve | 4,626 | 16,338 |
| Total expenditure | 67,769 | 71,175 |
| Amount due to/(from) lessees | <u> </u> | - |

BALANCE SHEET FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2020

| | Notes | 2020 | 2019 |
|-------------------------------|-------|----------|---------|
| | | £ | £ |
| Accesto | | | |
| Assets Due from tenants | | 8,742 | 25,589 |
| Cash at bank | 2 | 143,876 | 155,539 |
| | 2 | - | |
| Prepayments and other debtors | | <u> </u> | 4,240 |
| | | 102,055 | 105,500 |
| Liabilities | | | |
| Trade creditors | | 7,911 | - |
| Accruals and other creditors | | 10,563 | 45,615 |
| | | 18,474 | 45,615 |
| | | | , |
| Net assets | | 144,379 | 139,753 |
| | | | |
| Reserves: | | | |
| General reserves | 3(a) | 36,379 | 31,753 |
| Lift reserve | 3(b) | 25,000 | 25,000 |
| Windows reserve | 3(c) | 77,000 | 77,000 |
| Landscaping reserve | 3(d) | 6,000 | 6,000 |
| | | | |
| | | 144.070 | |
| Balance as at 31 March 2020 | | 144,379 | 139,753 |

The statement of account was approved by Nicola Fagan for the managing agent on 1st October 2020 and signed on behalf of the managing agent by

Nicola Fagan

NOTES TO THE STATEMENT OF SERVICE CHARGE INCOME & EXPENDITURE FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2020

1. Accounting policies

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

2. Bank account

Service charge money was held in trust at Barclays Bank, Leicester, LE87 2BB under the title KWB K & Q Free Ltd, account numbers, 43557472, 23541436.

3. Reserve funds

The general reserve has been established to meet the cost of large, non-regular repair and maintenance work.

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

| 3(a) | General reserve | 2020 £ | 2019 £ |
|--------------|--|------------------------------------|--|
| | Balance B/Fwd Reserve provision Balance C/Fwd | 31,753 4,626 36,379 | 15,415 <u>16,338</u> 31,753 |
| 3(b) | Lift reserve | 2020 £ | 2019 £ |
| | Balance B/Fwd Reserve provision | 25,000 | 25,000 |
| | Balance C/Fwd | 25,000 | 25,000 |
| | | | |
| 3(c) | Windows reserve | 2020 £ | 2019 £ |
| 3(c) | Windows reserve Balance B/Fwd Reimbursements to leaseholders | | £ 114,000 |
| 3(c) | Balance B/Fwd | £ | £ |
| 3(c) 3(d) | Balance B/Fwd Reimbursements to leaseholders | £ 77,000 | £ 114,000 (37,000) |
| | Balance B/Fwd Reimbursements to leaseholders Balance C/Fwd | £ 77,000 - 77,000 2020 | £ 114,000 (37,000) 77,000 2019 |

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4. Managing agent annual declaration

The following fees have been levied by the managing agent in relation to the year ended 31 March 2020.

| | £ |
|-------------------|--------|
| Professional fees | |
| Agents fees | 10,044 |