# Halogen Holdings P.L.C.

**Report and Accounts** 

For the year ended

31<sup>st</sup> March 2014

Registered No. 5351276

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# Directors

# D.C. MARSHALL, Chairman, age 70

David Marshall has been a Director and Chairman of Halogen since 2005. He resides in South Africa, where he has extensive interests in listed trading, financial and property companies. In recent years he has taken a leading role in the re-organisation and development of medium sized listed companies in the U.K. and overseas. He is the chief executive of Marshall Monteagle PLC. He is also chairman of London Finance & Investment Group P.L.C. and Western Selection P.L.C.. He is a non-executive director of Creston plc and Northbridge Industrial Services plc.

# E.J. BEALE, FCA, age 53

Edward Beale has been a Director of Halogen since 2007. He is the chief executive of City Group P.L.C., Halogen's administrative office and company secretary. He is a Chartered Accountant and is the non-executive chairman of Marshall Monteagle PLC and a non-executive director of Western Selection P.L.C., Finsbury Food Group Plc, Hartim Ltd, Heartstone Inns Limited and Swallowfield PLC. He is a member, and former Chairman, of the Corporate Governance Committee of the Quoted Companies Alliance and a former member of the UK's Accounting Standards Board.

# L. H. MARSHALL, age 43

Lloyd Marshall has been a Director of Halogen since 2005. He is the finance director of Marshall Monteagle PLC. He is also a non-executive director of London Finance & Investment Group P.L.C., City Group P.L.C. Hartim Ltd, and Heartstone Inns Limited. He was educated in South Africa and now resides in the U.K.

# **Shareholder Information**

# **Financial Calendar**

Financial period end Annual General Meeting 31<sup>st</sup> March 2014 24<sup>th</sup> September 2014 at 3.00 p.m. Fourth Floor, 6 Middle Street, London, EC1A 7JA

# **Registered Office and Registrars**

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#### **Independent Auditors** SRG LLP

SKG LLP Statutory Auditors 28 Ely Place, London, EC1N 6AA Principal Bankers HSBC Private Bank (UK) Limited 78 St James's Street London SW1A 1JB

# Group

Halogen Holdings P.L.C. ("Halogen" or "the Company") is an investment holding company with a substantial stake in Heartstone Inns Limited ("Heartstone"). Halogen's operating costs, incurred to ensure regulatory compliance, are kept to a minimal level.

The Board meets regularly and retain full and effective control of the company throughout the current and preceding year.

# Heartstone

The relaxation of EIS rules has allowed Heartstone to merge with its sister company Heartstone Inns 2 Limited, reducing the complexity associated with having two similar companies sharing an administrative structure, and eliminating potential conflicts of interest. Heartstone Inns 2 Limited was originally formed to spread the overhead burden of managing the Heartstone group over additional pubs, financed by funds provided by investors taking advantage of EIS tax breaks. The two companies have now been merged on a nil premium basis based on an independent external valuation of their assets. Mr E. J. Beale and Mr L. H. Marshall have been appointed to the board of the combined group and we will continue to account for this investment as an associate. Set out below is an extract from the Hearstone Group accounts issued on 15<sup>th</sup> May 2014 reporting on the combined businesses for their year ended 31<sup>st</sup> December 2013:

# Principal activities, trading review and future developments

The principal activity of the group continues to be the management of good quality freehold managed public houses located in the South and South West of England. The group started and ended the year with nine public houses having added a tenth, the Blathwayt Arms near Bath in June before disposing of the Boatman in Guildford in November.

2013 was a year of significant progress for the group and has created a sound platform to enable the group to raise additional capital to continue the development of the current estate and to make further acquisition. Operationally, the group performed well. Turnover improved by £589,349 to £6,429,914, an increase of 10% on last year. Gross profit improved by £254,538 to £2,015,014, an increase of 14% on last year and representing 31% of turnover compared to 30% last year. Operating profit before depreciation, amortisation and exceptional items improved by £158,076 to £442,669, an increase of 56% on last year and representing 7% of turnover compared to 5% last year.

The group acquired the Blathwayt Arms near Bath on 28 June 2013 which was subsequently refurbished and relaunched in September 2013. The Boatman in Guildford was sold on 15 November 2013. The sale represented a highly successful exit for the group, generating a gain on sale of £356,177, and the proceeds of which were used to repay the term loan from Coutts & Co leaving HSBC as the group's sole banker going forward. Net debt at 31 December was £2,652,608 (2012: £4,360,814) representing a loan to value ratio of 20% based upon a third party professional valuation of the group's property portfolio of £13,500,000 as at 31 December 2013.

The directors believe that the quality, trading style and location of the group's public houses puts the group in a strong position to meet the challenges of the current market, the local competition, the ongoing impact of legislative changes and the continued pressure on direct costs and overheads.

During the year, Heartstone issued 1,390,502 ordinary shares of £1.00 under EIS at prices ranging between £1.075 and £1.10. Subsequent to the year end, the group has issued a further 1,889,690 ordinary shares of £1.00 at £1.15 raising a further £2,173,143.

Based on the share issue price of £1.15 in the latest EIS fundraising by Heartstone, our holding of 3,088,691 shares in Heartstone has a value of £3,552,000, an excess of £1,061,000 over its carrying value of £2,491,000 Further information about Heartstone is available from their website: www.heartstoneinns.co.uk.

## Shareholdings

Holders of 208,863 Halogen shares remain untraced following the re-organisation of the Group in 2009. Under the terms of the re-organisation Halogen can sell these shares after 22<sup>nd</sup> December 2014 and retain the proceeds for use by the Company. Anyone who thinks that they may be interested in buying some of these shares is requested to give their contact details to the Company Secretary and they will be contacted once the Company is in a position to sell these shares.

## **Principal Business Risks and Uncertainties**

Heartstone is exposed to the uncertainties of reduced leisure spending and the threat of further adverse government legislation on the leisure industry.

### **Financial Instruments**

The Company finances its operations through a mixture of share capital, share premium, preference shares and reserves. The principal financial instrument of the Company is cash and the Company had no bank borrowings at 31<sup>st</sup> March 2014. The Company has cumulative preference shares in issue at a floating rate of interest.

The carrying amounts of the accounts receivable and liabilities reported in the Statement of Financial Position approximate their fair values at the year-end.

The only risks arising from the Company's financial instruments are interest rate and, from monies held by regulated financial institutions, limited credit risk. The Board minimises interest rate risk by financing operations as described above and by keeping any borrowings at floating rates. The Company's policy is that any borrowings should be flexible and available over the medium term. The Company is not exposed to market risk.

# **Going Concern**

The Company does not have sufficient cash to pay all of its liabilities at the balance sheet date, let alone operating expenses for the coming year. The Company's directors, company secretary, and principal shareholder have agreed not to request payment of amounts due to them until after the shares belonging to the untraced shareholders have been sold. These accounts are therefore prepared on a going concern basis.

By Order of the Board

City Group P.L.C. Company Secretary

6 Middle Street, London, EC1A 7JA 25<sup>th</sup> July 2014 The Directors submit their report together with the accounts of Halogen Holdings P.L.C. for the year ended 31<sup>st</sup> March 2014.

# Dividend

The Directors do not recommend a dividend in respect of the year.

## Directors

A list of the present Directors of the Company is shown on page 1. The interests in ordinary and preference shares at 31<sup>st</sup> March 2014 of the Directors who held office during the year were as below.

	Benefic	Beneficial		eneficial
Ordinary shares	2014	2013	2014	2013
D.C. Marshall	-	-	1,177,420 *	1,177,420 *
E.J. Beale	7,649	7,083	1,177,420 *	1,177,420 *
L.H. Marshall	-	-	1,177,420 *	1,177,420 *
<b>Preference shares</b> D.C. Marshall E.J. Beale L.H. Marshall	- 1,416 -	1,416	235,484 * 235,484 * 235,484 *	235,484 * 235,484 * 235,484 *

\* These non-beneficial holdings arise because the individuals concerned are directors of Marshall Monteagle PLC.

There were no changes in Directors' share interests between the year end and the date of this report.

The remuneration payable to, or receivable by, the Directors, all of whom were non-executive, for the year and the previous year, where applicable, are as follows:-

	2014	2013
	£	£
D.C. Marshall	1,750	1,750
E.J. Beale	1,125	1,125
L.H. Marshall	1,125	1,125
Total	4,000	4,000

The services of Mr. D.C. Marshall are supplied by a company in which none of the Directors are beneficially interested. Both Mr Beale and Mr L.H. Marshall cede their fees to their primary employer.

Other than shown above, no other payments or benefits were payable to, or receivable by, the Directors.

In accordance with the Articles of Association, Mr D.C. Marshall retires by rotation and being eligible offers himself for re-election.

# **Substantial Interests**

At the date of this report, the following holdings represented 5% and over of the issued share capital of the Company:

	Ordinary		Preference	
	shares	%	shares	%
Marshall Monteagle PLC	1,177,420	46.9	235,484	46.9
Messina Investments Limited	372,032	14.8	102,466	20.4
City Group Nominees Limited *	209,174	8.3	-	-

\* City Group Nominees Limited holds the shares on behalf of those former shareholders of Halogen Holdings S.A. who have not yet surrendered their shares in return for shares in the Company. Any shares not claimed by 22<sup>nd</sup> December 2014 can be sold for the benefit of the Company.

# Statement of Directors' Responsibilities

The Directors are responsible for preparing the Directors' Report and the financial statements in accordance with applicable law and regulations.

Company law requires the directors to prepare financial statements for each financial year. Under that law the directors have elected to prepare the financial statements in accordance with International Financial Reporting Standards (IFRSs and applicable law). Under company law the directors must not approve the financial statements unless they are satisfied that they give a true and fair view of the state of affairs of the company and the profit or loss of the company for that period.

In preparing these financial statements, the directors are required to:

- select suitable accounting policies and then apply them consistently;
- make judgments and accounting estimates that are reasonable and prudent;
- state whether applicable International Accounting Standards have been followed, subject to any material departures disclosed and explained in the financial statements;
- prepare the financial statements on the going concern basis unless it is inappropriate to presume that the company will continue in business

The Directors are responsible for keeping adequate accounting records that are sufficient to show and explain the company's transactions and disclose with reasonable accuracy at any time the financial position of the Company and enable them to ensure that the financial statements comply with the position of the company and enable them to ensure that the financial statements comply with the Companies Act 2006. They are also responsible for safeguarding the assets of the company and hence for taking reasonable steps for the prevention and detection of fraud and other irregularities.

All the current Directors have taken all the steps that they ought to have taken to make themselves aware of any information needed by the Company's auditors for the purposes of their audit and to establish that the auditors are aware of this information. The Directors are not aware of any audit information of which the auditors should be made aware.

# Auditors

In accordance with Section 489 of the Companies Act 2006 a resolution is to be proposed at the forthcoming Annual General Meeting for the re-appointment of SRG LLP as auditors to the Company.

# Purchases and Sales of the Company's Shares

The Company's Secretaries, City Group P.L.C. maintain a register of the contact details of persons interested in purchasing or selling shares in the Company. At the date of this report they are aware of shareholders wishing to dispose of a total of 6,221 shares. Anyone interested in buying shares in the Company and shareholders wishing to sell shares in the company should contact City Group who will put them in touch with potential counterparties.

By Order of the Board

City Group P.L.C. Secretaries

6 Middle Street, London, EC1A 7JA 25<sup>th</sup> July 2014 To the members of Halogen Holdings P.L.C.

We have audited the financial statements of Halogen Holdings P.L.C. for the year ended 31<sup>st</sup> March 2014, which comprise the comprehensive income statement, statement of changes in shareholders' equity, statement of financial position, statement of cashflows and the related notes. These financial statements have been prepared under the accounting policies set out therein.

This report is made solely to the Company's members, as a body, in accordance with Chapter 3 of Part 16 of the Companies Act 2006. Our audit work has been undertaken so that we might state to the Company's members those matters we are required to state to them in an auditor's 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 Company and the Company's shareholders as a body, for our audit work, for this report, or for the opinions we have formed.

#### **Respective responsibilities of Directors and Auditor**

As described on page 5, the Company's directors are responsible for preparing the financial statements in accordance with applicable law and International Financial Reporting Standards (IFRS) as adopted by the European Union (EU).

Our responsibility is to audit the financial statements in accordance with relevant legal and regulatory requirements and International Standards on Auditing (U.K. and Ireland). Those Standards require us to comply with the Auditing Practices Board's Ethical Standards for Auditors.

#### Scope of the Audit

An audit involves obtaining evidence about the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements sufficient to give reasonable assurance that the financial statements are free from material misstatement, whether caused by fraud or error. This includes an assessment of: whether the accounting policies are appropriate to the Company's circumstances and have been consistently applied and adequately disclosed; the reasonableness of significant accounting estimates made by the directors; and the overall presentation of the financial statements. In addition, we read all the financial and non-financial information in the directors report and strategic report to identify material inconsistencies with the audited financial statements and to identify any information that is apparently materially incorrect based on, or materially inconsistent with, the knowledge acquired by us in the course of performing the audit. If we become aware of any apparent material misstatements or inconsistencies we consider the implications for our report.

#### **Opinion on Financial Statements**

In our opinion the financial statements:

- give a true and fair view, in accordance with IFRS's as adopted by the EU, of the state of the Company's affairs at 31<sup>st</sup> March 2014 and of the loss for the year then ended;
- have been prepared in accordance with the Companies Act 2006.

#### Opinion on other matters prescribed by the Companies Act 2006

In our opinion the information given in the directors' report for the financial year for which the financial statements are prepared is consistent with the financial statements.

#### Matters on which we are required to report by exception

We have nothing to report in respect of the following:

Under the Companies Act 2006 we are required to report to you if, in our opinion:

- adequate accounting records have not been kept, or returns adequate for our audit have not been received from branches not visited by us; or
- the Company financial statements are not in agreement with the accounting records and returns; or
- certain disclosures of directors' remuneration specified by law are not made; or
- we have not received all the information and explanations we require for our audit; or
- the directors were not entitled to prepare the financial statements in accordance with the small companies regime and take advantage of the small companies' exemption in preparing the directors' report or strategic report.

David Skeet FCA (Senior Statutory Auditor)	
For and on behalf of SRG LLP,	
Chartered Accountants and Statutory Auditors	
London, United Kingdom	

# **Comprehensive Income Statement**

For the year ended 31 <sup>st</sup> March	Notes	2014 £000	2013 £000
Operating Income		-	-
Administrative expenses		(13)	(17)
Preference dividend payable		(15)	(15)
Interest receivable		3	26
Operating loss		(25)	(6)
Share of result of associated undertaking – normal – exceptional		(24) 63	(218)
Profit/(Loss) on ordinary activities before taxation		14	(224)
Tax on result of ordinary activities		<u> </u>	
<b>Profit</b> /(Loss) on ordinary activities after taxation for the financial year attributable to members		14	(224)
Other Comprehensive Income			
Decrease in share of associate's losses on merger		310	-
Total Comprehensive Income		324	(224)
Basic profit/(loss) per share	2	1p	(9)p

# Statement of Changes in Shareholders' Equity

	Share Capital £000	Share premium account £000	Share of undistributed results of associates £000	Retained reserves £000	Total shareholders' equity £000
Year ended 31 <sup>st</sup> March 2013					
Balances at 1 <sup>st</sup> April 2012	126	1,763	(1,541)	1,469	1,844
Total Comprehensive Income	-	-	(218)	(6)	(224)
Balances at 31 <sup>st</sup> March 2013	126	1,763	(1,759)	1,490	1,620
Year ended 31 <sup>st</sup> March 2014					
Balances at 1 <sup>st</sup> April 2013	126	1,763	(1,759)	1,490	1,620
Total Comprehensive Income	-	-	349	(25)	324
Balances at 31 <sup>st</sup> March 2014	126	1,763	(1,410)	1,465	1,944

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at 31st March	Notes	2014 £000	2013 £000
Non-current Assets Investment in associate	4	2 401	2 1 2 2
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Current Assets			
Trade and other receivables	5	-	27
Cash and cash equivalents	_	11	11
		11	38
Current Liabilities			
Trade and other payables	6	(56)	(38)
1 5			
Net Current Liabilities		(45)	-
Total Assets less Current Liabilities		2,446	2,122
Non-Current Liabilities			
Preference shares	7	(502)	(502)
	_	1,944	1,620
Capital and Reserves Called up share capital	9	126	126
Share premium account	9 10	1,763	1,763
Share of undistributed profits and losses of subsidiaries and	±.	-,	1,100
associates	4	(1,410)	(1,759)
Company's retained reserves		1,465	1,490
	8	1,944	1,620

Approved by the Board on 25<sup>th</sup> July 2014

L.H. Marshall Director

# **Statement of Cash Flows**

For the year ended 31 <sup>st</sup> March	Notes	2014 £000	2013 £000
Cash flows from operating activities Profit/(Loss) before taxation Adjustments for :		14	(224)
Share of (profits)/losses of associate Net decrease in working capital Decrease/(Increase) in accounts receivable Increase/(Decrease) in accounts payable		(40) 8 18	218 302 15
Net cash generated/(absorbed) by operations		-	311
<b>Cash flows from investing activities</b> Investment in associate <b>Net cash flows from investment activities</b>		<u>.</u>	(324) (324)
Cash flows from financing activities Net cash flows from financing activities		-	
Net (decrease)/increase in cash and cash equivalents		-	(13)
Cash and cash equivalents at the beginning of the year		11	24
Cash and cash equivalents at the end of the year		11	11

# 1. ACCOUNTING POLICIES

These financial statements have been prepared under the Historical Cost basis, in accordance with International Financial Reporting Standards ("IFRS") and the interpretations of the International Financial Reporting Interpretations Committee (IFRIC), issued by the International Accounting Standards Board (IASB) and adopted by the EU. The principal accounting policies, which are set out below, have been applied consistently and comply with IFRS, as adopted in the EU, in all respects.

The preparation of financial statements in conformity with IFRS requires management to make judgements, estimates and assumptions that affect the application of policies and reported amounts of assets and liabilities, income and expenses. The estimates and associated assumptions are based on historical experience and other factors that are believed to be reasonable under the circumstances, the results of which form the basis for making judgements about carrying values of assets and liabilities that are not readily apparent from other sources. Actual results may differ from these estimates. The most significant estimates related to unquoted investments, which, due to uncertainty, were valued at cost less impairment provisions.

The estimates and underlying assumptions are reviewed on an ongoing basis. Revisions to accounting estimates are recognised in the period in which the estimate is revised if the revision affects only that period, or in the period of the revision in future periods if applicable. The most significant techniques for estimation are described in the accounting policies below. These policies have been applied consistently to all of the years presented, unless otherwise stated.

At the date of authorisation of these financial statements the IASB and the IFRIC have issued new standards and interpretations and amended or revised standards, to be applied to financial statements with periods commencing either on or after 1<sup>st</sup> April 2014, as set out in note 14. The Company has not opted for early adoption for those which have been endorsed by the EU and the Directors do not expect that the adoption of these, where applicable, would have a material impact on the Company's financial statements in the period of initial application.

- (i) These financial statements include the Company share of the undistributed profit/losses of its associated companies ("equity accounting"). Results of associates are included from their effective date of acquisition to their effective dates of disposal.
- (ii) All borrowing costs are recognised in the income statement in the year in which they are incurred.
- (iii) Financial assets are classified by category, depending on the purpose for which the asset was acquired. The Company's accounting policy is as follows:
  - a) Investments in associated companies. An investment is equity accounted when it meets the definition of an associate under IAS 28, i.e. that the investor has a significant influence.
  - b) Trade and other receivables. The carrying amounts approximate to their fair values, the transactions giving rise to these balances arising in the normal course of trade and standard industry terms.
- (iv) The carrying amounts of the Company's assets are reviewed at each reporting date to determine whether there in any indication of impairment. If there is any indication that an asset may be impaired, its recoverable amount is estimated and any impairment loss recognised immediately. The recoverable amount is the higher of its net selling price and its value in use.
- (v) The charge for taxation is based on the taxable profit for the year. Taxable profit differs from net profit, as reported in the income statement, because it excludes items of income and expense that are never taxable or deductible and items which are taxable or deductible in other years.

Deferred taxation is provided on the full liability method, at tax rates that are expected to apply, for timing differences arising between the treatment of certain items for taxation and accounting purposes. Deferred tax assets are recognised only to the extent that the Directors consider that it is more likely than not that there will be suitable taxable profits from which the underlying timing differences can be deducted. Taxation charges or recoveries are recognised in the income statement, or directly to equity when related to items recognised directly to equity.

# 1. ACCOUNTING POLICIES (continued)

(vi) An associated company is one in which the Company's interest is substantial and which the Company does not have control but over which it is able to exercise significant influence, having due regard to the disposition of the other shareholdings.

The Statement of Comprehensive Income includes the Company's share of the results of the associate (equity accounting). The carrying value of the associate in the Statement of Financial Position is cost plus share of undistributed reserves.

After application of the equity method, the Company applies IAS39 Financial instruments: Recognition and Measurement to determine whether it is necessary to recognise any additional impairment loss in respect to its net investment.

- (vii) Interest and dividends are recognised when the right to receive payment has been established.
- (viii) All exchange gains and losses on settlement of foreign currency transactions or the translation of monetary assets and liabilities at the reporting date are included in the income statement.
- (ix) For the purposes of the Statement of Cash Flow, cash and cash equivalents comprise cash in hand and deposits held with banks.

# 2. PROFIT/(LOSS) PER SHARE

	2014	2013
Profit/(Loss) per share is based on the result of ordinary activities after		
taxation of £14,000 (2013 - loss - £224,000) and on 2,512,154 (2013 -		
2,512,154) shares being the weighted average of number of shares in issue		
during the year.	<u>1p</u>	(9)p

# 3. COMPREHENSIVE INCOME

# a) Segmental reporting - Primary reporting format – business segments

The Company is an investment holding company with central operations and holds an investment in an associated company which operates country pubs in the U.K. A segmental analysis is not presented, there being no operating subsidiaries.

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# b) Employees

The average number of employees of the Company were: Management, including Directors

# c) Administrative expenses

Administrative expenses include audit fees of £3,500 (2013 - £3,500).

# 4. INVESTMENT IN ASSOCIATE

	2014 £000	2013 £000
Balance at start of year	3,881	3,557
Addition during year- preference interest re-invested	19	-
Preference shares acquisition during year – at cost	-	324
	3,900	3,881
Company share of results		
At start of year	(1,759)	(1,541)
Reduction in share following merger	310	-
Share of profit/(loss) for the year	40	(218)
Cumulative share	(1,409)	(1,759)
	2,491	2,122

The Company's substantial interest in Heartstone Inns Limited was swapped following the merger with its sister company Heartstone Inns 2 Limited a company incorporated and operating in England and Wales with a 31<sup>st</sup> December financial year end. Heartstone is the owner and manager of a growing chain of U.K. country pubs.

At 31<sup>st</sup> March 2014 the Company held 3,088,691 ordinary shares in the merged company which was 33.16% of the issued capital. The investment is classified as an associated undertaking and is equity accounted in these financial statements. Extracts from Heartstone's audited reports are given below.

Year ended 31 <sup>st</sup> December	2013	2012
		Restated
	£000	£000
Turnover	6,430	5,841
Profit/(Loss) before and after tax	117	(685)
Fixed assets	10,790	10,893
Net current (liabilities)	(377)	(149)

# 5. TRADE AND OTHER RECEIVABLES

Year ended 31 <sup>st</sup> March	2014 £000	2013 £000
Prepayments and accrued income	<u> </u>	27 27

# 6. TRADE AND OTHER PAYABLES

	2014	2013
	£000	£000
Other creditors – Marshall Monteagle PLC	4	8
Other creditors – City Group PLC	1	-
Preference share dividend	39	24
Accruals	12	6
	56	38
7. NON-CURRENT LIABILITIES		

502,431 convertible preference shares of £1 each issued during year	502	502
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Holders of Preference Shares are entitled to a cumulative dividend at the rate of LIBOR (as defined in the Company's Articles of Association) plus 2% p.a. At the discretion of the Directors, payment of this dividend may be deferred until the Company has sufficient funds for such payment to be prudent. Each Preference Share will be convertible at the option of the holder(s) into 3 New Shares on 29<sup>th</sup> July 2016 or on the earlier occurrence of certain other events.

# 8. EQUITY

The following describes the nature and purpose of each component within equity:-

	Description and purpose
Share capital	Nominal value of issued share capital
Share premium	Amount subscribed for share capital in excess of nominal value.
Share of undistributed profits and losses of associates	The Company's share of cumulative post-acquisition gains and losses of associates recognised in the income statement.
Realised profits and losses	Realised profits of the Company less realised losses and unrealised losses other than on investments.

Capital disclosures in respect of IAS1 are set out in the Directors' Report.

# 9. SHARE CAPITAL

# **Ordinary Shares**

Authorised - 4,000,000 ordinary shares of 5p each	200	200
Issued - 2,512,154 ordinary shares of 5p each	126	126
10. SHARE PREMIUM ACCOUNT		
Balance brought forward and carried forward	1,763	1,763

# 11. RELATED PARTY DISCLOSURES

The Directors are also directors of City Group P.L.C. ("CGL"). CGL provides office, accounting and company secretarial services to the Company and other companies. The fees are established at an arm's length basis. During the year under review the Company expensed company secretarial and management fees of £4,000 (2013 - £4,000) and £2,000 (2013 - £2,000) for acting as the share registrar and in the previous year £11,000 in connection with the preference share issue. At 31<sup>st</sup> March 2014 £716 was due to CGL (2013 - £846) and £4,142 was due to Marshall Monteagle PLC (2013 – £8,178).

# 12. GOING CONCERN

The Company has received assurances from its largest shareholder, Marshall Monteagle PLC that it will continue to provide the Company with borrowing facilities on commercial terms to enable payment of the Company's normal operating costs.

# **13. FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS**

The Strategic Report provides an explanation of the role that financial instruments have had during the period in creating or changing the risks the Company faces in its activities. The explanation summarises the objectives and policies for holding or issuing financial instruments and similar contracts, and the strategies for achieving the objectives that have been followed during the year. The Company monitors its performance against these objectives on a continuous basis.

The categories of financial instruments used by the Company are:

	2014 £000	2013 £000
Financial assets		
Loans and receivables		
Trade and other receivables	-	27
Cash at bank	11	11
Financial liabilities Other		
Trade and other payables	56	38

# 14. INTERNATIONAL FINANCIAL REPORTING STANDARDS

As indicated in note 1, at the date of authorisation of these financial statements the IASB and IFRIC have issued interpretations and amended or revised standards, to be applied to financial statements with periods commencing either on or after 1<sup>st</sup> April 2014. The Directors do not expect that the adoption of these, where applicable, would have a material impact, other than on presentation, on the Company's financial statements in the period of initial application.

**NOTICE is hereby given** that the Annual General Meeting of Halogen Holdings P.L.C. (the "Company") will be held at the offices of City Group P.L.C., 6, Middle Street, London, EC1A 7JA on 24<sup>th</sup> September 2014 at 3.00 p.m. for the following purposes:-

- 1. To receive the Directors' Report and Accounts for the year ended 31<sup>st</sup> March 2014.
- 2. To re-elect Mr D.C. Marshall who retires by rotation in accordance with the Company's Articles of Association.
- 3. To re-appoint the auditors SRG LLP and to authorise the Directors to determine their remuneration.

By Order of the Board,

6 Middle Street, London EC1A 7JA. CITY GROUP P.L.C. Company Secretary

25<sup>th</sup> July 2014

# Notes

- A member entitled to attend and vote at the meeting may appoint one or more proxies to attend and, on a poll, to vote on his behalf.
- A proxy need not be a member of the Company.
- A form of proxy is enclosed. To be valid it should be completed and returned so as to reach the Company Secretary, City Group P.L.C. at 6 Middle Street, London, EC1A 7JA, U.K. not less than 48 hours before the time for the meeting. Completion of a form of proxy does not preclude a member from subsequently attending and voting in person.
- The register of directors' shareholdings will be available for inspection by members at the registered office of the Company during usual business hours on any weekday (public holidays excepted), from the date of this notice until the date of the annual general meeting and at the place of the meeting, from 9.30 a.m. until the conclusion thereof.

# **Change of Address**

Shareholders are requested to advise City Group P.L.C., whose contact details can be found on page 1 of any change of address.