

# **Spring Production A/S**

Studsgade 29, 8000 Aarhus C CVR no. 12 54 59 83

# Annual report for the financial year 01.07.22 - 30.06.23

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Karen Bach Lück Dirigent



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#### The company

Spring Production A/S Studsgade 29 8000 Aarhus C Registered office: Aarhus

CVR no.: 12 54 59 83

Financial year: 01.07 - 30.06

#### **Executive Board**

Lars Bo Hansen

#### **Board of Directors**

Albert Crilles Sebastian Funder, chairman Lars Bo Hansen Michael Kaltoft Paterson Morten Eskildsen Jesper Angelsø Hjortshøj Peter Herlev Enevoldsen Mogens Kristensen Mads Heide Mikkelsen Peer Brændholt

#### **Auditors**

Beierholm

Statsautoriseret Revisionspartnerselskab



# Company information etc.

Bank
Nordea Bank A/S
Lawyer
Bech-Bruun
Parent company
Spring Family ApS
Subsidiaries

Spring Production GmbH, Germany Spring Production Poland, Poland Spring Production UK, UK Spring Production Vietnam, Vietnam



Spring Production A/S

# Statement by the Executive Board and Board of Directors on the annual report

We have on this day presented the annual report for the financial year 01.07.22 - 30.06.23 for Spring Production A/S.

The annual report is presented in accordance with the Danish Financial Statements Act (Årsregnskabsloven).

In our opinion, the financial statements give a true and fair view of the company's assets, liabilities and financial position as at 30.06.23 and of the results of the company's activities for the financial year 01.07.22 - 30.06.23.

We believe that the management's review includes a fair review of the matters dealt with in the management's review.

The annual report is submitted for adoption by the general meeting.

Aarhus C, November 23, 2023

#### **Executive Board**

Lars Bo Hansen

#### **Board of Directors**

Albert Crilles Sebastian Funder Chairman	Lars Bo Hansen	Michael Kaltoft Paterson
Morten Eskildsen	Jesper Angelsø Hjortshøj	Peter Herlev Enevoldsen
Mogens Kristensen	Mads Heide Mikkelsen	Peer Brændholt



#### To the Shareholder of Spring Production A/S

#### Opinion

We have audited the financial statements of Spring Production A/S for the financial year 01.07.22 - 30.06.23, which comprise the income statement, balance sheet, statement of changes in equity and notes to the financial statements, including a summary of significant accounting policies. The financial statements are prepared in accordance with the Danish Financial Statements Act (Årsregnskabsloven).

In our opinion the financial statements give a true and fair view of the company's assets, liabilities and financial position at 30.06.23 and of the results of the company's operations for the financial year 01.07.22 - 30.06.23 in accordance with the Danish Financial Statements Act (Årsregnskabsloven).

#### **Basis for Opinion**

We conducted our audit in accordance with International Standards on Auditing and the additional requirements applicable in Denmark. Our responsibilities under those standards and requirements are further described in the "Auditor's responsibilities for the audit of the financial statements" section of our report. We are independent of the company in accordance with the International Ethics Standards Board for Accountants' International Code of Ethics for Professional Accountants (IESBA Code) and the additional ethical requirements applicable in Denmark, and we have fulfilled our other ethical responsibilities in accordance with these requirements and the IESBA Code. We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion.

#### Statement regarding the management's review

Management is responsible for management's review.

Our opinion on the financial statements does not cover management's review, and we do not express any form of assurance conclusion thereon.

In connection with our audit of the financial statements, our responsibility is to read management's review and, in doing so, consider whether management's review is materially inconsistent with the financial statements or our knowledge obtained during the audit, or otherwise appears to be materially misstated.

Moreover, it is our responsibility to consider whether management's review provides the information required under the Danish Financial Statements Act.



Based on the work we have performed, we conclude that management's review is in accordance with the financial statements and has been prepared in accordance with the requirements of the Danish Financial Statements Acts. We did not identify any material misstatement of management's review.

#### Management's responsibility for the financial statements

The Management is responsible for the preparation of financial statements that give a true and fair view in accordance with the Danish Financial Statements Act. Furthermore the Management is responsible for the internal control as the Management determines is necessary to enable the preparation of financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

In preparing the financial statements, management is responsible for assessing the company's ability to continue as a going concern, disclosing, as applicable, matters related to going concern and using the going concern basis of accounting in preparing the financial statements unless management either intends to liquidate the company or to cease operations, or has no realistic alternative but to do so.

#### Auditor's responsibilities for the audit of the financial statements

Our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements as a whole are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error, and to issue an auditor's report that includes our opinion. Reasonable assurance is a high level of assurance, but is not a guarantee that an audit conducted in accordance with International Standards on Auditing and the additional requirements applicable in Denmark will always detect a material misstatement when it exists. Misstatements can arise from fraud or error and are considered material if, individually or in the aggregate, they could reasonably be expected to influence the economic decisions of users taken on the basis of these financial statements.

As part of an audit conducted in accordance with International Standards on Auditing and the additional requirements applicable in Denmark, we exercise professional judgment and maintain professional skepticism throughout the audit. We also:

• Identify and assess the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements, whether due to fraud or error, design and perform audit procedures responsive to those risks, and obtain audit evidence that is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion. The risk of not detecting a material misstatement resulting from fraud is higher than for one resulting from error as fraud may involve collusion, forgery, intentional omissions, misrepresentations, or the override of internal control.



- Obtain an understanding of internal control relevant to the audit in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the company's internal control.
- Evaluate the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of accounting estimates and related disclosures made by management.
- Conclude on the appropriateness of management's use of the going concern basis of accounting in preparing the financial statements and, based on the audit evidence obtained, whether a material uncertainty exists related to events or conditions that may cast significant doubt on the company's ability to continue as a going concern. If we conclude that a material uncertainty exists, we are required to draw attention in our auditor's report to the related disclosures in the financial statements or, if such disclosures are inadequate, to modify our opinion. Our conclusions are based on the audit evidence obtained up to the date of our auditor's report. However, future events or conditions may cause the company to cease to continue as a going concern.
- Evaluate the overall presentation, structure and contents of the financial statements, including the disclosures, and whether the financial statements represent the underlying transactions and events in a manner that gives a true and fair view.

We communicate with those charged with governance regarding, among other matters, the planned scope and timing of the audit and significant audit findings, including any significant deficiencies in internal control that we identify during our audit.

Aarhus, November 23, 2023

#### Beierholm

Statsautoriseret Revisionspartnerselskab CVR no. 32 89 54 68

Lars Østergaard State Authorized Public Accountant MNE-no. mne26806



# FINANCIAL HIGHLIGHTS

# **Key figures**

Figures in DKK '000	2022/23	2021/22	2020/21	2019/20	2018/19
Profit/loss					
Operating profit Index	26,054	35,165	28,275	12,586	14,899
	175	236	190	84	100
Total net financials Index	3,388	5,764	3,253	29	961
	353	600	339	3	100
Profit before tax Index	29,443	40,929	31,528	12,616	15,860
	186	258	199	80	100
Profit for the year Index	23,920	32,913	24,892	9,613	12,379
	193	266	201	78	100
Balance					
Total assets	91,712	86,975	93,894	67,523	45,280
Index	203	192	207	149	100
Investments in property, plant and equipment Index	77	365	519	132	28
	275	1,304	1,854	471	100
Equity	47,707	54,590	65,386	41,223	31,609
Index	151	173	207	130	100
Ratios definitions					
Return on equity:	Profit/loss for the year x 100				
1 ,	Average equity				



#### **Primary activities**

The company's is activities to carry on business as a graphic production and advertising agency.

#### Development in activities and financial affairs

The income statement for the period 01.07.22 - 30.06.23 shows a profit of DKK 23,919,872 against DKK 32,912,744 for the period 01.07.21 - 30.06.22. The balance sheet shows equity of DKK 47,707,350.

In the year, the company was merged with SpringProduction Services A/S and Agency Spring International A/S with accounting effect back to 01.07.22 according to the group method. Comparative figures are therefore also adapted.

The earnings expectations for the financial year were below expectations with 1,5 mio. DKK (5 %) due to lower revenue and activity than expected. The management has managed to act on the lower activity and minimized the costs, so we consider the lower net profit for the year to be satisfactory.

For the coming year, the company expects an increase in revenue with about 5 % and increase the profit before tax with 8 % compared to 2022/23.

#### Outlook

In SPRING Production, we are guided in our work based on our strategic plan, which contain growth. The growth for the next year is expected to be significantly lower than previous due to a fluctuating and uncertain market. To continue meeting the demands of our clients, we are exactly the number of employees we need to be. We are therefore not anticipating a significant employee growth with the current expected growth in revenue.

We expect the majority of our growth to come from the UK market. This is the biggest market in our region, and this is where we are investing in our presence. In addition, the establishment of our office in Poland last year is paying off and is fully functional and plays a key role in our nearshore approach combined with our offshore setup.

In the next year we will invest in AI in areas where we see a profitable as well as a qualitative benefit. Sustainability is another area where we are investing and focusing. We are obtaining certifications in the leading standards within the field to maintain our goal of being as sustainable a company as possible where we can.

We recognize the financial challenges in the global economy, particularly in Europe, and we remain vigilant in this regard. While we acknowledge potential risks in the upcoming year,



we also identify opportunities for a company like SPRING Production, where efficiency and centralization are key strengths and unique selling points. We are working with the highest diligence in this market and strive to always stay agile..

## Subsequent events

No important events have occurred after the end of the financial year.



Note		2022/23 DKK	2021/22 DKK
	Gross profit	46,040,755	54,168,616
1	Staff costs	-19,640,796	-18,341,431
	Profit before depreciation, amortisation, write- downs and impairment losses	26,399,959	35,827,185
2	Depreciation and impairments losses of property, plant and equipment Other operating expenses	-328,267 -17,264	-378,726 -283,458
	Operating profit	26,054,428	35,165,001
3 4 5	Income from equity investments in group enterprises Financial income Financial expenses	4,063,626 491,971 -1,167,421	4,480,705 2,197,959 -914,534
	Profit before tax	29,442,604	40,929,131
6	Tax on profit for the year	-5,522,732	-8,016,387
	Profit for the year	23,919,872	32,912,744

<sup>7</sup> Proposed appropriation account



# **ASSETS**

	30.06.23 DKK	30.06.22 DKF
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Leasehold improvements Other fixtures and fittings, tools and equipment	80,598 382,602	7,29 724,90
Total property, plant and equipment	463,200	732,20
Equity investments in group enterprises	15,478,401	12,564,47
Deposits	193,642	171,85
Total investments	15,672,043	12,736,32
Total non-current assets	16,135,243	13,468,52
Work in progress for third parties	6,016,182	7,156,86
Trade receivables	25,273,738	22,949,85
Receivables from group enterprises	42,142,487	42,920,76
Prepayments	203,891	234,37
Total receivables	73,636,298	73,261,86
Cash	1,940,392	244,43
Total current assets	75,576,690	73,506,29
Total assets	91,711,933	86,974,82



# **EQUITY AND LIABILITIES**

	Total equity and liabilities	91,711,933	86,974,821
	Total payables	43,281,658	31,615,145
	Total short-term payables	42,391,356	30,507,054
	Other payables	4,826,884	4,121,308
	Income taxes	5,569,284	7,578,132
	Payables to group enterprises	27,129,271	13,633,566
	Trade payables	683,866	1,346,554
11	Prepayments received from work in progress for third parties	4,182,051	3,827,494
	Total long-term payables	890,302	1,108,091
15	Other payables	890,302	1,108,091
	Total provisions	722,925	769,477
14	Provisions for deferred tax	722,925	769,477
	Total equity	47,707,350	54,590,199
	Proposed dividend for the financial year	0	30,000,000
	Foreign currency translation reserve Retained earnings	-240,977 41,909,551	561,744 10,411,380
	Reserve for net revaluation according to the equity method	3,038,776	10,617,075
13	Share capital	3,000,000	3,000,000
Note		DKK	DKK
		30.06.23	30.06.22

<sup>16</sup> Contingent liabilities



<sup>17</sup> Related parties

# Statement of changes in equity

Figures in DKK	Share capital	Reserve for net revaluation according to the equity method	Foreign currency translation reserve	Retained earnings	Proposed dividend for the financial year	Total equity
Statement of changes in equity for 01.07.21 - 30.06.22						
Balance as at 01.07.21	3,000,000	6,543,848	563,750	10,278,889	45,000,000	65,386,487
Dividend paid	0	0	,	, ,		-45,000,000
Other changes in equity	0	0	-2,006	1,292,974	0	1,290,968
Net profit/loss for the year	0	4,073,227	0	-1,160,483	30,000,000	32,912,744
Balance as at 30.06.22	3,000,000	10,617,075	561,744	10,411,380	30,000,000	54,590,199
Statement of changes in equity for 01.07.22 - 30.06.23						
Balance as at 01.07.22	3,000,000	10,617,075	561,744	10,411,380	30,000,000	54,590,199
Foreign currency translation adjustment of foreign enterprises	0	0	-802.721	0	0	-802.721
Dividend paid	0	0	002,721	0	=	-30,000,000
Net profit/loss for the year	0	-7,578,299	0	31,498,171	0	23,919,872
Balance as at 30.06.23	3,000,000	3,038,776	-240,977	41,909,551	0	47,707,350



	2022/23 DKK	2021/22 DKK
1. Staff costs		
Wages and salaries Pensions Other social security costs Other staff costs	17,253,449 1,411,675 240,650 735,022	16,285,552 1,163,572 230,151 662,156
Total	19,640,796	18,341,431
Average number of employees during the year	32	29

Pursuant to section 98b (1) of the Danish Financial Statements Act, 3, no. 2 decided not to provide information on management salaries.

# 2. Depreciation and impairments losses of property, plant and equipment

Depreciation of property, plant and equipment 32	28,267	378,726
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## 3. Income from equity investments in group enterprises

Share of profit or loss of group enterprises	4,063,626	4,480,705
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2022/23 DKK	2021/22 DKK
480,419	2,154,008
11,552 0	35,409 8,542
11,552	43,951
491,971	2,197,959
2022/23 DKK	2021/22 DKK
79,140 263,934 782,467 41,880	102,754 0 803,268 8,512
1,167,421	914,534
5,569,284 -46,552	7,578,132 424,601
5,522,732	13,654  8,016,387
	79,140 263,934 782,467 41,880 1,167,421



# 7. Proposed appropriation account

Reserve for net revaluation according to the equity method	-7,578,299	4,073,227
Proposed dividend for the financial year	0	30,000,000
Retained earnings	31,498,171	-1,160,483
Total	23,919,872	32,912,744

# 8. Property, plant and equipment

		Other fixtures
		and fittings,
	Leasehold	tools and
Figures in DKK	improvements	equipment
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Cost as at 01.07.22	12,954	6,401,842
Additions during the year	76,533	0
Disposals during the year	0	-29,624
Cost as at 30.06.23	89,487	6,372,218
Depreciation and impairment losses as at 01.07.22	-5,659	-5,676,938
Depreciation during the year	-3,230	-325,038
Reversal of depreciation of and impairment losses on		
disposed assets	0	12,360
Depreciation and impairment losses as at 30.06.23	-8,889	-5,989,616
Carrying amount as at 30.06.23	80,598	382,602



# 9. Equity investments in group enterprises

	Equity invest-
Figures in DKK	ments in group enterprises
Cost as at 01.07.22	7,625,606
Additions during the year	1,127,000
Disposals during the year	-5,491,955
Cost as at 30.06.23	3,260,651
Revaluations as at 01.07.22	14,831,270
Additions relating to mergers and acquisition of enterprises	-6,512,858
Disposals relating to demergers and divestment of enterprises	-8,540,538
Foreign currency translation adjustment of foreign enterprises	-802,723
Net profit/loss from equity investments	4,063,625
Revaluations as at 30.06.23	3,038,776
Negative equity value impaired in receivables	9,178,974
Depreciation and impairment losses as at 30.06.23	9,178,974
Carrying amount as at 30.06.23	15,478,401
Name and registered office:	Ownership interest
Subsidiaries:	
Spring Production GmbH, Germany	100%
Spring Production Poland, Poland	100%
Spring Production UK, UK	100%
Spring Production Vietnam, Vietnam	100%



# 10. Other non-current financial assets

Figures in DKK	Deposits
Cost as at 01.07.22 Additions during the year	171,852 21,790
Cost as at 30.06.23	193,642
Carrying amount as at 30.06.23	193,642

# 11. Work in progress for third parties

Work in progress for third parties On-account invoicing	6,266,414 -4,432,283	7,224,025 -3,894,652
Total work in progress for third parties	1,834,131	3,329,373
Work in progress for third parties Prepayments received from work in progress for third	6,016,182	7,156,867
parties, short-term payables	-4,182,051	-3,827,494
Total	1,834,131	3,329,373

# 12. Prepayments

Other prepayments	203,891	234,374
Total	203,891	234,374



# 13. Share capital

The share capital consists of:

	Quantity	Total nominal value DKK
Share capital	30,000	3,000,000
Total		3,000,000

## 14. Deferred tax

Deferred tax as at 01.07.22 Deferred tax recognised in the income statement	722,925 0	344,876 424,601
Deferred tax as at 30.06.23	722,925	769,477
Deferred tax is distributed as below:		
Property, plant and equipment Receivables	-97,000 878,477	-55,000 411,876
Total	781,477	356,876

# 15. Long-term payables

	Outstanding		
	debt after 5	Total payables	Total payables
Figures in DKK	years	at 30.06.23	at 30.06.22
Other payables	890,302	890,302	1,108,091
Total	890,302	890,302	1,108,091



#### 16. Contingent liabilities

#### Lease commitments

Tenancy agreements has been entered into, including parking spaces, at an annual rent of approx. DKK 200k. The lease is non-terminable for 17 months (total liability of DKK 285k).

The Company has entered into car lease agreements, which is settled over 12 to 48 months. The remaining liability constitutes DKK 355k.

The Company has entered into lease agreements on hardware licences, expiring on 1 May 2024. The remaining liability constitues DKK 12k.

#### Recourse guarantee commitments

The company enters into a cash-pool arrangement with the group. The group companies are jointly and severally liable for the credit limit.

An all monies mortgage of DKK 5,000k has been provided as security for the group with Nordea Bank A/S, securing a company charge over receivables from sale, other plant, operating equipment and inventory as well as goodwill. The Company's bookvalue of the said assets totals DKK 25.737k on 30 June 2023. The Company has a loan with Nordea Bank A/S of DKK 0k on 30 June 2023.

#### Other contingent liabilities

Performance guarantee in the amount of USD 83k has been provided to customers. The group companies are jointly and severally liable for tax on the group's jointly taxed income etc. Moreover, the group companies are jointly and severally liable for Danish withholding taxes by way of dividend tax, royalty tax and tax on unearned income. Any subsequent adjustments of corporation taxes and withholding taxes may increase the Company's liability.

#### 17. Related parties

Related party transactions are not disclosed, as all transactions are entered into in the ordinary course of business at arms' length.

The company is included in the consolidated financial statements of the parent Spring Family ApS.



#### 18. Accounting policies

#### **GENERAL**

The annual report is presented in accordance with the provisions of the Danish Financial Statements Act (*Årsregnskabsloven*) for medium-sized enterprises in reporting class C with application of provisions for a higher reporting class.

The accounting policies have been applied consistently with previous years.

The Company has chosen to reclassify certain items in the income statement and the balance sheet. These reclassifications have no impact on net profit, balance sheet or equity. Comparative figures for 2021/22 have been adjusted

In the year, the company was merged with SpringProduction Services A/S and Agency Spring International A/S with accounting effect back to 01.07.22 according to the group method. Comparative figures are therefore also adapted.

In accordance with section 112 of the Danish Financial Statements Act, the company has not prepared consolidated financial statements. The company is a subsidiary of Spring Family ApS, CVR no. 36 73 40 35, which prepares consolidated financial statements.

#### Basis of recognition and measurement

Income is recognised in the income statement as earned, including value adjustments of financial assets and liabilities. All expenses, including depreciation, amortisation, impairment losses and write-downs, are also recognised in the income statement.

Assets are recognised in the balance sheet when it is probable that future economic benefits will flow to the company, and the value of such assets can be measured reliably. Liabilities are recognised in the balance sheet when it is probable that future economic benefits will flow from the company, and the value of such liabilities can be measured reliably. On initial recognition, assets and liabilities are measured at cost. Subsequently, assets and liabilities are measured as described for each item below.

On recognition and measurement, account is taken of foreseeable losses and risks arising before the date at which the annual report is presented and proving or disproving matters arising on or before the balance sheet date.

#### **BUSINESS COMBINATIONS**

For mergers between the parent company and subsidiaries, the group method is used. Hereby the two companies are combined with the book values in the continuing company and the values from it defunct company, as these were calculated in the purchase price



allocation at the time of the takeover.

Differences are recognized as goodwill less accumulated depreciation and write-downs. The group method thereby implies that the continuing company's own annual accounts express the values that would have had been shown if the two companies had been merged from the time of takeover.

Comparative figures are therefore also adapted.

#### **CURRENCY**

The annual report is presented in Danish kroner (DKK).

On initial recognition, transactions denominated in foreign currencies are translated using the exchange rates applicable at the transaction date. Exchange rate differences between the exchange rate applicable at the transaction date and the exchange rate at the date of payment are recognised in the income statement as a financial item. Receivables, payables and other monetary items denominated in foreign currencies are translated using the exchange rates applicable at the balance sheet date. The difference between the exchange rate applicable at the balance sheet date and at the date at which the receivable or payable arose or was recognised in the latest annual report is recognised under financial income or expenses in the income statement. Fixed assets and other non-monetary assets acquired in foreign currencies are translated using historical exchange rates.

On recognition of independent foreign entities, the income statements are translated at the exchange rates applicable at the transaction date or approximate average exchange rates. The balance sheet items are translated using the exchange rates applicable at the balance sheet date. Foreign currency translation adjustments arising from the translation of equity at the beginning of the year using the exchange rates applicable at the balance sheet date and from the translation of income statements from average exchange rates to the exchange rates applicable at the balance sheet date are recognised directly in equity under the reserve for net revaluation according to the equity method in respect of investments measured according to the equity method, and otherwise under the foreign currency translation reserve.

Translation adjustments of intercompany balances with independent foreign entities, measured using the equity method and where the balance is considered to be part of the overall investment, are recognised directly in equity under the foreign currency translation reserve. On the divestment of foreign entities, accumulated exchange differences are recognised in the income statement.



#### **LEASES**

Lease payments relating to operating leases are recognised in the income statement on a straight-line basis over the lease term.

#### **INCOME STATEMENT**

#### **Gross profit**

Gross profit comprises revenue and consumables and cost of sales and other external expenses.

#### Revenue

Income from the sale of services is recognised in the income statement in line with completion of services, which means that revenue corresponds to the selling price of the work performed for the year stated on the basis of the stage of completion at the balance sheet date (percentage of completion method).

#### Costs of raw materials and consumables

Expenses for consumables comprise the consumables consumed to achieve revenue for the year.

#### Cost of sales

Cost of sales comprises costs associated with rented hours both internally and externally

#### Other external expenses

Other external expenses comprise costs relating to distribution, sales and advertising and administration, premises and bad debts to the extent that these do not exceed normal writedowns.

#### Staff costs

Staff costs comprise wages and salaries as well as other staff-related costs.



#### Depreciation and impairment losses

The depreciation of property, plant and equipment aim at systematic depreciation over the expected useful lives of the assets. Assets are depreciated according to the straight-line method based on the following expected useful lives and residual values:

	Useful Residual	
	lives,	value,
	years :	per cent
Leasehold improvements	10	0
Other plant, fixtures and fittings, tools and equipment	3-10	0

The basis of depreciation is the cost of the asset less the expected residual value at the end of the useful life. Moreover, the basis of depreciation is reduced by any impairment losses. The useful life and residual value are determined when the asset is ready for use and reassessed annually.

Property, plant and equipment are impaired in accordance with the accounting policies referred to in the 'Impairment losses on fixed assets' section.

#### Other operating expenses

Other operating expenses comprise costs of a secondary nature in relation to the enterprise's activities, including costs relating to rental activities and losses on the sale of intangible assets and property, plant and equipment.

#### Income from equity investments in group entreprises

For equity investments in equity investments in subsidiaries, measured using the equity method, the share of the enterprises' profit or loss is recognised in the income statement after elimination of unrealised intercompany profits and losses and less any goodwill amortisation and impairment losses.

Income from equity investments in equity investments in subsidiaries also comprises gains and losses on the sale of equity investments.

#### Other net financials

Interest income and interest expenses, foreign exchange gains and losses on transactions denominated in foreign currencies etc. are recognised in other net financials.



#### Tax on profit/loss for the year

The current and deferred tax for the year is recognised in the income statement as tax on the profit/loss for the year with the portion attributable to the profit/loss for the year, and directly in equity with the portion attributable to amounts recognised directly in equity.

The company is jointly taxed with Danish consolidated enterprises.

In connection with the settlement of joint taxation contributions, the current Danish income tax is allocated between the jointly taxed enterprises in proportion to their taxable incomes. This means that enterprises with a tax loss receive joint taxation contributions from enterprises which have been able to use this loss to reduce their own taxable profit.

#### BALANCE SHEET

#### Property, plant and equipment

Property, plant and equipment comprise leasehold improvements as well as other fixtures and fittings, tools and equipment.

Property, plant and equipment are measured in the balance sheet at cost less accumulated depreciation and impairment losses.

Cost comprises the purchase price and expenses resulting directly from the purchase until the asset is ready for use. Interest on loans arranged to finance production is not included in the cost.

Property, plant and equipment are depreciated using the straight-line method based on useful lives and residual values, which are stated in the 'Depreciation and impairment losses' section.

Gains and losses on the disposal of property, plant and equipment are determined as the difference between the selling price, if any, less selling costs and the carrying amount at the date of disposal less any costs of disposal.

#### Equity investments in group entreprises

Equity investments in subsidiaries are recognised and measured according to the equity method. For equity investments in subsidiaries, the equity method is considered a measurement method.



Accounting policies for the acquisition of subsidiaries are stated in the 'Business combinations' section.

On initial recognition, equity investments measured according to the equity method are measured at cost. Transaction costs directly attributable to the acquisition are recognised in the cost of equity investments.

Under subsequent recognition and measurement of equity investments according to the equity method, equity investments are measured at the proportionate share of the enterprises' equity value, determined according to the accounting policies of the parent, adjusted for the remaining value of goodwill and gains and losses on transactions with the enterprises in question. Equity investments, where information for recognition according to the equity method is not known, are measured at cost.

Equity investments with a negative carrying amount are measured at DKK 0. Receivables that are considered part of the combined investment in the enterprises in question are impaired by any remaining negative equity value. Other receivables from such enterprises are impaired to the extent that such receivables are considered uncollectible. Provisions to cover the remaining negative equity value are recognised to the extent that the company has a legal or constructive obligation to cover the liabilities of the enterprise in question.

Gains or losses on disposal of equity investments are determined as the difference between the disposal consideration and the carrying amount of net assets at the time of sale, including non-amortised goodwill, as well as the expected costs of divestment or discontinuation. Gains and losses are recognised in the income statement under income from equity investments.

#### Impairment losses on fixed assets

The carrying amount of fixed assets which are not measured at fair value is assessed annually for indications of impairment over and above what is reflected in depreciation.

If the company's realised return on an asset or a group of assets is lower than expected, this is considered an indication of impairment.

If there are indications of impairment, an impairment test is conducted of individual assets or groups of assets.

The assets or groups of assets are impaired to the lower of recoverable amount and carrying



amount.

The higher of net selling price and value in use is used as the recoverable amount. The value in use is determined as the present value of expected net cash flows from the use of the asset or group of assets as well as expected net cash flows from the sale of the asset or group of assets after the expiry of their useful lives.

Impairment losses are reversed when the reasons for the impairment no longer exist.

#### Receivables

Receivables are measured at amortised cost, which usually corresponds to the nominal value, less write-downs for bad debts.

Write-downs for bad debts are determined based on an individual assessment of each receivable if there is no objective evidence of individual impairment of a receivable.

Deposits recognised under assets comprise deposits paid to the lessor under leases entered into by the company.

#### Work in progress for third parties

Work in progress for third parties is measured at the selling price of the work performed less on-account invoicing made for each piece of work in progress.

The selling price is measured according to the stage of completion at the balance sheet date and total expected income from each piece of work in progress. The degree of completion for each piece of work in progress is normally calculated as the ratio between the resources spent and the total budgeted resource consumption. For some work in progress where the resource consumption cannot be used as a basis, the ratio between completed subactivities and the combined subactivities for the individual piece of work in progress is used instead.

When the selling price of a piece of work in progress cannot be determined reliably, the selling price is measured at the lower of costs incurred and net realisable value.

The individual piece of work in progress is recognised under receivables or payables in the balance sheet depending on whether the net value of the selling price less prepayments received is positive or negative.

When it is likely that the total costs of the individual piece of work in progress will exceed total sales income, the total expected loss is recognised as a provision.



#### **Prepayments**

Prepayments recognised under assets comprise costs incurred in respect of subsequent financial years.

#### Cash

Cash includes deposits in bank account.

#### **Equity**

The proposed dividend for the financial year is recognised as a separate item in equity.

The net revaluation of equity investments measured according to the equity method is recognized in the net revaluation reserve in equity according to the equity method to the extent that the carrying amount exceeds the cost.

Unrealised foreign currency gains and losses from the translation of the net investment in independent foreign entities are recognised in equity under the foreign currency translation reserve. The reserve is dissolved when the independent foreign entities are disposed of.

#### Current and deferred tax

Current tax payable and receivable is recognised in the balance sheet as tax computed on the basis of the taxable income for the year, adjusted for tax paid on account.

Joint taxation contributions payable and receivable are recognised as income tax under receivables or payables in the balance sheet.

Deferred tax liabilities and tax assets are recognised on the basis of all temporary differences between the carrying amounts and tax bases of assets and liabilities. However, deferred tax is not recognised on temporary differences relating to goodwill which is non-amortisable for tax purposes and other items where temporary differences, except for acquisitions, have arisen at the date of acquisition without affecting the net profit or loss for the year or the taxable income. In cases where the tax value can be determined according to different taxation rules, deferred tax is measured on the basis of management's intended use of the asset or settlement of the liability.

Deferred tax assets are recognised, following an assessment, at the expected realisable value through offsetting against deferred tax liabilities or elimination in tax on future earnings.



Deferred tax is measured on the basis of the tax rules and at the tax rates which, according to the legislation in force at the balance sheet date, will be applicable when the deferred tax is expected to crystallise as current tax.

### **Payables**

Long-term payables are measured at cost at the time of contracting such liabilities (raising of the loan). The payables are subsequently measured at amortised cost where capital losses and loan expenses are recognised in the income statement as a financial expense over the term of the payable on the basis of the calculated effective interest rate in force at the time of contracting the liability.

Short-term payables are measured at amortised cost, normally corresponding to the nominal value of such payables.

#### Prepayments received from customers

#### CASH FLOW STATEMENT

Referring to section 86(4) of the Danish Financial Statements Act a cash flow statement has not been prepared as the enterprise is included in the consolidated cash flow statement.

