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Apex Fund Service (Denmark) ApS

Hørmarken 2 3520 Farum CVR No. 25296486

Annual report 2023

The Annual General Meeting adopted the annual report on 30.06.2024

Qasir Bashir Chairman of the General Meeting

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Entity details

Entity

Apex Fund Service (Denmark) ApS Hørmarken 2 3520 Farum

Business Registration No.: 25296486 Date of foundation: 01.03.2000 Registered office: Furesø Financial year: 01.01.2023 - 31.12.2023

Board of Directors

James Burke, Chariman James Patrick Burke David Rhydderch Qasir Bashir

Executive Board

Lars Møller Andersen Peter Toyberg

Auditors

Deloitte Statsautoriseret Revisionspartnerselskab Weidekampsgade 6 2300 Copenhagen S

Statement by Management

The Board of Directors and the Executive Board have today considered and approved the annual report of Apex Fund Service (Denmark) ApS for the financial year 01.01.2023 - 31.12.2023.

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

In our opinion, the financial statements give a true and fair view of the Entity's financial position at 31.12.2023 and of the results of its operations for the financial year 01.01.2023 - 31.12.2023.

We believe that the management commentary contains a fair review of the affairs and conditions referred to therein.

We recommend the annual report for adoption at the Annual General Meeting.

Farum, 30.06.2024

Executive Board

Lars Møller Andersen

Peter Toyberg

Board of Directors

James Burke Chariman **James Patrick Burke**

David Rhydderch

Qasir Bashir

Independent auditor's report

To the shareholders of Apex Fund Service (Denmark) ApS

Opinion

We have audited the financial statements of Apex Fund Service (Denmark) ApS for the financial year 01.01.2023 -31.12.2023, which comprise the income statement, balance sheet, statement of changes in equity and notes, including a summary of significant accounting policies. The financial statements are prepared in accordance with the Danish Financial Statements Act.

In our opinion, the financial statements give a true and fair view of the Entity's financial position at 31.12.2023 and of the results of its operations for the financial year 01.01.2023 - 31.12.2023 in accordance with the Danish Financial Statements Act.

Basis for opinion

We conducted our audit in accordance with International Standards on Auditing (ISAs) and 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 this auditor's report. We are independent of the Entity 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.

Management's responsibilities for the financial statements

Management is responsible for the preparation of financial statements that give a true and fair view in accordance with the Danish Financial Statements Act, and for such internal control as 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 Entity's ability to continue as a going concern, for disclosing, as applicable, matters related to going concern, and for using the going concern basis of accounting in preparing the financial statements unless Management either intends to liquidate the Entity 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 ISAs 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 ISAs and the additional requirements applicable in Denmark, we exercise professional judgement and maintain professional scepticism 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 Entity'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 Entity'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 Entity to cease to continue as a going concern.
- Evaluate the overall presentation, structure and content of the financial statements, including the disclosures in the notes, 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.

Statement on the management commentary

Management is responsible for the management commentary.

Our opinion on the financial statements does not cover the management commentary, 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 the management commentary and, in doing so, consider whether the management commentary is materially inconsistent with the financial statements or our knowledge obtained in the audit or otherwise appears to be materially misstated.

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

Based on the work we have performed, we conclude that the management commentary is in accordance with the financial statements and has been prepared in accordance with the requirements in the relevant law and regulations. We did not identify any material misstatement of the management commentary.

Copenhagen, 30.06.2024

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Anders Houmann

State Authorised Public Accountant Identification No (MNE) mne46265

Management commentary

Primary activities

The company's main activities consist of conducting business with administration as well as advising on the purchase and sale of companies and related activities.

Description of material changes in activities and finances

The company's income statement for the year ended 31 December 2023 shows a profit of kr. 6,251,907, and the balance sheet at 31 December 2023 shows equity of kr. 9,530,568.

The result for the year is considered satisfactory.

Events after the balance sheet date

No events have occurred after the balance sheet date to this date, which would influence the evaluation of this annual report.

Income statement for 2023

		2023	2022
	Notes	DKK	DKK
Gross profit/loss		24,740,621	20,536,635
Staff costs	1	(15,364,700)	(15,323,178)
Depreciation, amortisation and impairment losses		(1,268,550)	(826,026)
Operating profit/loss		8,107,371	4,387,431
Other financial income		(32,252)	84,211
Other financial expenses		(44,248)	(61,665)
Profit/loss before tax		8,030,871	4,409,977
Tax on profit/loss for the year	2	(1,616,571)	(1,272,367)
Profit/loss for the year		6,414,300	3,137,610
Proposed distribution of profit and loss			
Retained earnings		6,414,300	3,137,610
Proposed distribution of profit and loss		6,414,300	3,137,610

Balance sheet at 31.12.2023

Assets

		2023	2022
	Notes	DKK	DKK
Other fixtures and fittings, tools and equipment		3,166,699	3,564,085
Leasehold improvements		2,152,666	2,314,674
Property, plant and equipment		5,319,365	5,878,759
Deposits		520,313	520,313
Financial assets		520,313	520,313
Fixed assets		5,839,678	6,399,072
		0,000,010	
Trade receivables		811,051	980,177
Receivables from group enterprises		5,169,223	1,041,846
Deferred tax		0	272,261
Prepayments		457,424	542,414
Receivables		6,437,698	2,836,698
Cash		1,966,887	5,826,477
Current assets		8,404,585	8,663,175
Assets		14,244,263	15,062,247

Equity and liabilities

		2023	2022
	Notes	DKK	DKK
Contributed capital		125,000	125,000
Retained earnings		9,551,910	3,137,610
Equity		9,676,910	3,262,610
Trade payables		158,024	139,448
Payables to group enterprises		0	4,727,517
Joint taxation contribution payable		1,351,681	1,273,463
Other payables		3,057,648	5,659,209
Current liabilities other than provisions		4,567,353	11,799,637
Liabilities other than provisions		4,567,353	11,799,637
Equity and liabilities		14,244,263	15,062,247
Contingent liabilities	3		
Assets charged and collateral	4		

Statement of changes in equity for 2023

	Contributed capital	Retained earnings	Total DKK
	DKK	DKK	
Equity beginning of year	125,000	3,137,610	3,262,610
Profit/loss for the year	0	6,414,300	6,414,300
Equity end of year	125,000	9,551,910	9,676,910

Notes

1 Staff costs

	2023	2022
	DKK	DKK
Wages and salaries	14,205,847	13,902,956
Pension costs	1,000,600	1,007,550
Other staff costs	158,253	412,672
	15,364,700	15,323,178
Average number of full-time employees	24	22
2 Tax on profit/loss for the year		
	2023	2022
	DKK	DKK
Current tax	1,347,315	1,273,463
Change in deferred tax	272,261	(42,320)
Adjustment concerning previous years	(3,005)	41,224
	1,616,571	1,272,367

3 Contingent liabilities

The Entity participates in a Danish joint taxation arrangement where Apex Group (Denmark) Holdings ApS serves as the administration company. According to the joint taxation provisions of the Danish Corporation Tax Act, the Entity is therefore liable for income taxes etc. for the jointly taxed entities, and for obligations, if any, relating to the withholding of tax on interest, royalties and dividend for the jointly taxed entities. The jointly taxed entities' total known net liability under the joint taxation arrangement is disclosed in the administration company's financial statements.

4 Assets charged and collateral

The company has no mortgages and collateral at 31 December 2023.

Accounting policies

Reporting class

This annual report has been presented in accordance with the provisions of the Danish Financial Statements Act governing reporting class B enterprises with addition of a few provisions for reporting class C.

The accounting policies applied to these financial statements are consistent with those applied last year.

Recognition and measurement

Assets are recognised in the balance sheet when it is probable as a result of a prior event that future economic benefits will flow to the Entity, and the value of the asset can be measured reliably.

Liabilities are recognised in the balance sheet when the Entity has a legal or constructive obligation as a result of a prior event, and it is probable that future economic benefits will flow out of the Entity, and the value of the liability can be measured reliably.

On initial recognition, assets and liabilities are measured at cost. Measurement subsequent to initial recognition is effected as described below for each financial statement item.

Anticipated risks and losses that arise before the time of presentation of the annual report and that confirm or invalidate affairs and conditions existing at the balance sheet date are considered at recognition and measurement.

Income is recognised in the income statement when earned, whereas costs are recognised by the amounts attributable to this financial year.

Income statement

Gross profit or loss

In pursuance of sect ion 32 of the Danish Financial Statements Act , the company does not disclose its revenue. Gross profit reflects an aggregation of revenue less other external expenses.

Revenue

Revenue is recognised net of VAT, duties and sales discounts and is measured at fair value of the consideration fixed.

Other external expenses

Other external expenses include expenses relating to the Entity's ordinary activities, including expenses for premises, stationery and office supplies, marketing costs, etc.

Staff costs

Staff costs comprise salaries and wages, and social security contributions, pension contributions, etc. for entity staff.

Depreciation, amortisation and impairment losses

Depreciation, amortisation and impairment losses relating to property, plant and equipment comprise depreciation, amortisation and impairment losses for the financial year, and gains and losses from the sale of

property, plant and equipment.

Other financial income

Other financial income comprises interest income, including interest income on receivables from group enterprises, and transactions in foreign currencies.

Other financial expenses

Other financial expenses comprise interest expenses, including interest expenses on payables to group enterprises, and transactions in foreign currencies.

Tax on profit/loss for the year

Tax for the year, which consists of current tax for the year and changes in deferred tax, is recognised in the income statement by the portion attributable to the profit for the year and recognised directly in equity by the portion attributable to entries directly in equity.

Balance sheet

Property, plant and equipment

Land and buildings, plant and machinery, and other fixtures and fittings, tools and equipment are measured at cost less accumulated depreciation and impairment losses. Land is not depreciated.

Cost comprises the acquisition price, costs directly attributable to the acquisition and preparation costs of the asset until the time when it is ready to be put into operation. For self-constructed assets, cost comprises direct and indirect costs of materials, components, subsuppliers and labour costs.

Indirect production costs in the form of indirectly attributable staff costs and amortisation of intangible assets and depreciation of property, plant and equipment used in the development process are recognised in cost based on time spent on each asset.

The basis of depreciation is cost less estimated residual value after the end of useful life. Straight-line depreciation is made on the basis of the following estimated useful lives of the assets:

	Useful life
Other fixtures and fittings, tools and equipment	3 - 10 years
Leasehold improvements	3 - 10 years

Estimated useful lives and residual values are reassessed annually.

Items of property, plant and equipment are written down to the lower of recoverable amount and carrying amount.

Receivables

Receivables are measured at amortised cost.

An impairment loss is recognised if there is object ive evidence that a receivable or a group of receivables is impaired. If there is object ive evidence that an individual receivable is impaired, an impairment loss for that individual asset is recognised.

Deferred tax

Deferred tax is recognised on all temporary differences between the carrying amount and the tax-based value of

assets and liabilities, for which the tax-based value is calculated based on the planned use of each asset. However, no deferred tax is recognised for amortisation of goodwill disallowed for tax purposes and temporary differences arising at the date of acquisition that do not result from a business combination and that do not have any effect on profit or loss or on taxable income.

Deferred tax assets, including the tax base of tax loss carryforwards, are recognised in the balance sheet at their estimated realisable value, either as a set-off against deferred tax liabilities or as net tax assets.

Prepayments

Prepayments comprise incurred costs relating to subsequent financial years. Prepayments are measured at cost.

Cash

Cash comprises cash in hand and bank deposits.

Other financial liabilities

Other financial liabilities are measured at amortised cost, which usually corresponds to nominal value.

Joint taxation contributions payable or receivable

Current joint taxation contributions receivable or joint taxation contributions payable are recognised in the balance sheet, calculated as tax computed on the taxable income of the year, which has been adjusted for prepaid tax. For tax losses, joint taxation contributions receivable are only recognised if such losses are expected to be used under the joint taxation arrangement.