Norient Product Pool ApS

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CVR NO. 28 10 09 73 Strandvejen 52, 2900 DK-Hellerup Annual Report for 2017

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The Annual Report was presented and adopted at the Annual General Meet-ing of the Company on 5 April 2018. Chairman



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Management's Statement

The Executive and Board of Directors have today considered and adopted the Annual Report of Norient Product Pool ApS for the financial year 1 January – 31 December 2017.

The Annual Report is prepared in accordance with International Financial Reporting Standards as adopted by the EU and further requirements in the Danish Financial Statements Act.

In our opinion, the Financial Statements give a true and fair view of the financial position at 31 December 2017 of Company and of the results of the Company operations and cash flows for 2017.

We recommend that the Annual Report be adopted at the Annual General Meeting.

5 April 2018

Executive Board nchul Søren Huscher

Board of Directors

Jan Rindbo Chairman

Henrik Lykkegaard Madsen

5 Themis Papadopoulos Vice Chairman Jan Lissow

Independent Auditor's Report

To the Shareholders of Norient Product Pool ApS

Opinion

In our opinion, the Financial Statements give a true and fair view of the financial position of the Company at 31 December 2017, and of the results of the Company's operations and cash flows for the financial year 1 January - 31 December 2017 in accordance with International Financial Reporting Standards as adopted by the EU and further requirements in the Danish Financial Statements Act.

We have audited the Financial Statements of Norient Product Pool ApS for the financial year 1 January - 31 December 2017, which comprise financial statement, statement of comprehensive income, balance sheet, statement of changes in equity, cash flow statement and notes, including a summary of significant accounting policies ("Financial Statements").

Basis for Opinion

We conducted our audit in accordance with International Standards on Auditing (ISAs) 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' Code of Ethics for Professional Accountants (IESBA Code) and the additional requirements applicable in Denmark, and we have fulfilled our other ethical responsibilities in accordance with these requirements. 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 International Financial Reporting Standards as adopted by the EU and further requirements in 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 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 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.

Independent Auditor's Report

As part of an audit conducted in accordance with ISAs and the additional requirements applicable in Denmark, we exercise professional judgement 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.

Hellerup, 5 April 2018 **PricewaterhouseCoopers** Statsautoriseret Revisionspartnerselskab *CVR No 33 77 12 31*

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CVR No: 28 10 09 73 Financial period: 1 January - 31 December Financial year: 13th financial year Municipality of reg. office: Gentofte

Board of Directors

Jan Rindbo, Chairman Themis Papadopoulos, Vice Chairman Henrik Lykkegaard Madsen Jan Lissow

Executive Board

Søren Huscher

Auditors

PricewaterhouseCoopers Statsautoriseret Revisionspartnerselskab Strandvejen 44 DK-2900 Hellerup

Main activities of the Company

The object of the Norient Product Pool ApS (NPPAPS) is to perform commercial management in tanker business. This includes to be commercial manager of Norient Product Pool (NPP).

NPP is a product tank pool for the participants' tonnage in the hand-, medium- and panamax-size segments defined as the range from 25,000 to 75,000 dwt tonnage. Interorient Navigation Co. Ltd. (INC), Dampskibsselskabet NORDEN A/S (NORDEN) and Diamond S Shipping (DSS) are pool participants at the moment.

Basis of Preparation

The Annual Report of NPPAPS for 2017 has been prepared in accordance with International Financial Reporting Standards as adopted by the EU and further requirements in the Danish Financial Statements Act.

The Annual Report for 2017 is presented in USD, which is the entity's functional currency.

The Financial Statements have been prepared under the historical cost convention as modified by the revaluation of certain financial instruments at fair value.

New standards and interpretations

Norient Product Pool ApS has implemented new standards and interpretations by IASB approved by EU that entered into force in fiscal year 2017. This comprises to the following standards, interpretations and amendments to existing standards relevant to Nordic Product Pool ApS:

- Amendments to IAS 7, Cash flow statements
- Amendments to IAS 12, Income taxes
- Annual improvements 2014-2016

The implementation has not had effect for Norient Product Pool ApS.

New standard (IAS/IFRS) and Interpretations (IFRIC) that are not yet effective

IASB has issued the following new accounting standards and interpretations that could have relevance to Norient Pool Products ApS, however these are not effective yet:

- IFRS 9, Financial instruments, which describes the rules for classification, measurement, including for impairment of financial assets, and hedging. The standard comprises three classes of financial assets and two classes of financial liabilities. The standard has the option to irrevocably recognize fair value adjustments of equity investments which are not part of a trading portfolio in other comprehensive income are not recycled to the income statement at any point in time.
- IFRS 15, Revenue from contracts with customers.
- IFRS 16, leases
- IFRC 23, Uncertainty over income tax treatments
- Annual improvements 2015-2017

Management expects to elect the option to recognise fair value adjustments of its equity investments in other comprehensive income. On this basis, it is Management's assessment that the new and amended standard will not have significant impact on the accounting policies other than by sale or impairment of its equity instruments.

The remaining standards and interpretations issued, by IASB which are not relevant for Norient Product Pool ApS comprise: IFRS 14, amendments to IFRS 2, amendments to IAS 40, IFRIC 22, amendments to IAS 28 and IFRS 10, IFRS 17 and amendments to IAS 19.

Translation policies

Transactions in foreign currencies are translated at the exchange rates at the dates of transaction. Gains and losses arising due to differences between the transaction date rates and the rates at the dates of payment are recognised in financial income and expenses in the income statement.

Receivables, payables and other monetary items in foreign currencies that have not been settled at the balance sheet date are translated at the exchange rates at the balance sheet date. Any differences between the exchange rates at the balance sheet date and the transaction date rates are recognised in financial income and expenses in the income statement.

Income Statement

Revenue

Revenue comprises income from commercial management.

Revenue comprises the fair value of the consideration received or receivable for the management service delivered. Revenue is shown net of value-added tax and rebates.

Commercial management income is recognised upon delivery of the service in accordance with the management agreement entered into.

Other external expenses

Other external expenses comprise costs and expenses for premises as well as office expenses, etc.

Staff expenses

Staff expenses comprise wages and salaries as well as payroll expenses.

Amortisation, depreciation and impairment losses

Amortisation, depreciation and impairment losses comprise amortisation, depreciation and impairment of property, plant and equipment.

On the sale of an item of property, plant and equipment the difference between the sales proceeds and the carrying amount of the asset is recognised in the profit or loss statement.

Financial income and expenses

Financial income and expenses comprise interest, realised and unrealised exchange adjustments, as well as extra interests under the on-account taxation scheme.

Tax on profit/loss for the year

Tax for the year consists of current tax for the year and deferred tax for the year. The tax attributable to the profit for the year is recognised in the income statement. The tax attributable to income and expenses recognised in Other Comprehensive Income is recognised along with these items.

Any changes in deferred tax due to changes to tax rates are recognised in the income statement.

Balance Sheet

Property, plant and equipment

Property, plant and equipment are measured at cost less accumulated depreciation and less any accumulated impairment losses.

Cost comprises the cost of acquisition and expenses directly related to the acquisition up until the time when the asset is ready for use.

Depreciation based on cost reduced by any residual value is calculated on a straight-line basis over the expected useful lives of the assets, which are:

Other fixtures and fittings, tools and equipment 3-7 years

The assets' residual values and useful lives are reviewed, and adjusted if appropriate, at each balance sheet date.

Impairment of property, plant and equipment

The carrying amounts of property, plant and equipment are reviewed on an annual basis to determine whether there is any indication of impairment other than that expressed by amortisation and depreciation. If so, an impairment test is carried out to determine whether the recoverable amount is lower than the carrying amount, and the asset is written down to its lower recoverable amount.

The recoverable amount of the asset is calculated as the higher of net selling price and value in use. Where a recoverable amount cannot be determined for the individual asset, the assets are assessed in the smallest group of assets for which a reliable recoverable amount can be determined based on a total assessment.

Available for sale financial assets

Available for sale financial assets comprises listed shares. The shares are initially recognised at fair value plus transaction costs. They are subsequently carried at fair value. Changes in the fair value are recognised in other comprehensive income and classified as a separate reserve in equity. Upon sale, the cumulative gain or loss is re-cycled to profit or loss.

The fair value is based on the current listed bid price.

The Company assesses at each balance sheet date whether there is objective evidence that a financial asset is impaired. A significant or prolonged decline in the fair value of the security below its cost is considered as an indicator that the securities are impaired. If any such evidence exist the cumulative loss – measured as the difference between the acquisition cost and the current fair value, less any impairment loss on that financial asset previously recognised in profit or loss – is removed from equity and recognised in the income statement.

Investments in subsidiaries

Investments in subsidiaries are measured at cost. Dividend income is recognized when declared. If an indication exists that the investment has been impaired, such as declaration of dividend from the subsidiary in excess of the subsidiary's comprehensive income for the period, an impairment test is performed. The investment is written down to a lower recoverable amount.

Receivables

Receivables are recognised in the balance sheet at amortised cost, which substantially corresponds to nominal value less provision for impairment.

A provision for impairment of trade receivables is established when there is objective evidence that the company will not be able to collect all amounts due according to the original terms of the receivables.

Prepayments

Prepayments comprise prepaid expenses concerning rent, insurance premiums, subscriptions and interest. Prepayments are measured at the amount paid.

Equity

Share capital

Ordinary shares are classified as equity. Incremental costs directly attributable to the issue of new shares are shown in equity as a deduction, net of tax, from the proceeds.

Dividend

Dividend distribution is recognised as a deduction in equity in the period where the dividend is declared.

Deferred tax assets and liabilities

Deferred tax is recognised in respect of all temporary differences between the carrying amount and the tax base of assets and liabilities.

Deferred tax is measured on the basis of the tax rules and tax rates that will be effective under the legislation at the balance sheet date when the related deferred income tax asset is expected to be realised or the deferred income tax liability is expected to be settled.

To the extent that the manner in which the entity recovers the carrying amount of an asset or a liability affects the tax implications, the measurement of the deferred tax liability or asset is based on how the entity expects to recover the asset or liability.

Deferred tax assets, including the tax base of tax loss carry-forwards, are recognised to the extent that deferred tax liabilities are available or it is probable that future taxable profit will be available.

Current tax receivables and liabilities

Current tax receivables and liabilities are recognised in the balance sheet at the amount calculated on the basis of the expected taxable income for the year adjusted for tax on taxable incomes for prior years. Tax receivables and liabilities are offset if there is a legally enforceable right of set-off and an intention to set-tle on a net basis or simultaneously.

Financial debts

Financial debts are recognised initially at fair value, net of transaction costs incurred. Subsequently they are measured at amortised cost, substantially corresponding to nominal value.

Long term employee benefit obligations

Long term employee benefits obligations consists of liabilities under incentive programmes whereby the Company has an obligation to deliver shares in Dampskibsselskabet NORDEN A/S to the key personnel of the company at a determinable price. Alternatively to make a cash settlement of the difference between the pre-fixed price and the current market price.

The liability is recognised in the profit or loss statement over the vesting period. The liability is measured at the present value of the expected difference between the market price and the exercise price of the shares at the expected exercise date. It is calculated on the basis of an option pricing model.

Cash Flow Statement

The cash flow statement shows the Company's cash flows for the year broken down by operating, investing and financing activities, changes for the year in cash and cash equivalents as well as the Company's cash at the beginning and end of the year. The cash flow statement cannot be immediately derived from the published financial records.

Cash flows from operating activities

Cash flows from operating activities are calculated as the net profit/loss for the year adjusted for changes in working capital and non-cash operating items such as depreciation, amortisation and impairment losses, and provisions. Working capital comprises current assets less short-term debt excluding items included in cash and cash equivalents.

Cash flows from investing activities

Cash flows from investing activities comprise cash flows from acquisitions and disposals of intangible assets, property, plant and equipment as well as fixed asset investments.

Cash flows from financing activities

Cash flows from financing activities comprise cash flows from the raising and repayment of long-term debt as well as payments to and from shareholders.

Cash and cash equivalents

Cash and cash equivalents comprise "Cash at bank and in hand".

Income Statement

	Note	2017	2016
		USD	USD
Revenue		13.255.585	12.303.695
Other external expenses		-7.826.313	-7.451.644
Gross profit/loss		5.429.272	4.852.051
Staff expenses Depreciation and impairment of other fixtures and	1	-3.853.084	-3.015.405
fittings, tools and equipment	2	-12.888	-12.717
Profit/loss before financial income and expenses		1.563.300	1.823.929
Financial income	3	15.768	1.806
Financial expenses	4	-90.615	-196.136
Profit/loss before tax		1.488.453	1.629.599
Tax on profit/loss for the year	5	-257.048	-397.575
Net profit/loss for the year		1.231.405	1.232.024
Proposed distribution of profit			

Retained earnings	1.231.405	1.232.024
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Statement of Comprehensive Income

Net profit/loss for the year	1.231.405	1.232.024
Items that may be subsequently reclassified to profit or loss: Fair value adjustments on available-for-sale financial assets Deferred tax of above	314.634 -69.219	-226.546 49.840
Other comprehensive income	245.415	-176.706
Comprehensive Income for the year net of tax	1.476.820	1.055.318

Balance Sheet at 31 December

Assets

	Note	2017	2016
		USD	USD
Other fixtures and fittings, tools and equipment	6	24.778	34.918
Available-for-sale financial assets	7	1.907.367	1.592.733
Deferred tax asset	8	56.341	347.867
Non-current assets		1.988.486	1.975.518
Trade receivables from pool participants	9	1.233.027	1.095.741
Corporation tax		0	0
Other receivables		364.136	320.655
Receivables		1.597.163	1.416.396
Cash at bank and in hand		13.464.925	11.866.408
Current assets		15.062.088	13.282.804
Assets		17.050.574	15.258.322

Balance Sheet at 31 December

Liabilities and equity

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Statement of Changes in Equity

Equity at 1	Share capital USD 91.190	Revaluation reserve available for sale finansial assets USD -176.706	Retained earnings USD 2.626.326	Proposed dividends USD O	Total USD 2.540.810
January 2017					
Net profit/loss for the year Fair value adjustments on available-for-sale	0	0	1.231.405	0	1.231.405
financial assets Deferred tax of fair value adjustment on available-for-sale	0	314.634	0	0	314.634
financial assets	0	-69.219	0	0	-69.219
Other comprehen- sive income for the year	0	245.415	1.231.405	0	1.476.820
Extraordinary dividend to shareholders	0	0	-1.500.000		-1.500.000
Proposed dividends	0	0	0	о	0
Equity at 31 December 2017	91.190	68.709	2.357.731	0	2.517.630
Equity at 1 January 2016	91.190	0	2.594.302	1.000.000	3.685.492
Net profit/loss for the year Fair value adjustments on	O	o	1.232.024	0	1.232.024
available-for-sale financial assets Deferred tax of fair value adjustment on available-for-sale	0	-226.546	0	0	-226.546
financial assets	Ο	49.840	0	0	49.840
Total income for the year Dividends to	0	-176.706	1.232.024	0	1.055.318
shareholders	О	0	-1.200.000	-1.000.000	-2.200.000
Proposed dividends	0	0	О	0	0
Equity at 31 December 2016	91.190	-176.706	2.626.326	0	2.540.810

Cash Flow Statement

Note	2017	2016
<u></u>	USD	USD
	1.231.405	1.232.024
16	344.783	673.183
17	310.773	-1.830.351
	1.886.961	74.856
	15.768	1.806
	-90.615	-196.136
	1.812.114	-119.474
	-7.581	46.002
	1.804.533	-73.472
	-3.242 0	0 81.438
	494	0
	-2.748	81.438
	1.296.732	-5.328.910
		-2.200.000
	-203.268	-7.528.910
	1.598.517	-7.520.944
,	11.866.408	19.387.352
	13.464.925	11.866.408
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		2017	2016
		USD	USD
1	Staff expenses		
	Salaries	3.557.107	2.756.886
	Pensions	264.511	224.923
	Other social security expenses	31.466	33.596
		3.853.084	3.015.405
	Average number of employees	27	24
	Remuneration of the Management consists of:		
	Salaries	378.321	363.873
	Bonus	75.812	74.264
	Pensions	34.570	33.865
		488.703	472.002
2	Depreciation and impairment of other fixtures and fittings, tools and equipment		
	Other fixtures and fittings, tools and equipment	12.888	12.717
		12.888	12.717
3	Financial income		
	Interest income	9.984	1.806
	Other financial income	5.784	0
		15.768	1.806
4	Financial expenses		
	Interest expenses	1.182	567
	Impairment of investments in subsidiaries, cf. note 9	Ο	68.561
	Other financial expenses	89.433	127.008
		90.615	196.136

		2017	2016
		USD	USD
5	Tax on profit/loss for the year		
	Current tax for the year	34.740	10.379
	Adjustments in respect of previous years	0	62.009
	Deferred tax for the year	222.307	325.187
	Tax of profit/loss for the year	257.048	397.575
	Tax on profit/loss for the year is calculated as follows:		
	Calculated tax on profit/loss for the year before tax Tax effect of:	327.460	358.512
	Adjustments in respect of previous years	0	62.009
	Tax on non-deductible expenses and non-taxable income Tax of fair value adjustment on available-for-sale financial assets	5.688	21.339
	Exchange rate adjustment, basis for deferred tax Higher/lower tax rate on income of foreign permanent	-27.100	7.349
	establishment –	-49.001	-51.635
	-	257.047	397.575
6	Other fixtures and fittings, tools and equipment		
	Cost at 1 January	402.452	401.834
	Additions for the year	3.242	618
	Disposals for the year	-618	0
	Cost at 31 December	405.076	402.452
	Impairment losses and depreciation at 1 January	-367.534	-354.817
	Depreciation for the year	-12.888	-12.717
	Reversal of impairment and depreciation of sold assets	124	0
	Impairment losses and depreciation at 31 December	-380.298	-367.534
	Carrying amount at 31 December	24.778	34.918

Depreciated over	3-7 years	3-7 years

7 Other long-term employee benefit obligations

The obligation comprises an obligation under incentive programmes to deliver shares in Dampskibsselskabet NORDEN A/S at a determinable price to the entity's key personnel. Alternatively the Company can make a cash settlement of the difference between the pre-fixed price and the market price.

The programmes were established in the following years and comprimise the following number of shares Dampskibsselskabet NORDEN A/S:

	2017	2016	2015	2014	2013	2012
Outstanding 1 January	-	52.500	36.864	36.643	36.842	27.640
Granted during the period	55.000	-		-	-	-
Exercised during the period	-	-	-	-	-	-
Expired during the period	-	-	-	-	-	-
Forfeited during the period	-	-	-		-	-
Outstanding 31 December	55.000	52.500	36.864	36.643	36.842	27.640
Exercisable 31 December	-	-	36.864	36.643	36.842	27.640

The vesting period is 3 years for the 2012 - 2017 programmes. The exercise price is dependent upon the exercise date. The 2012 - 2013 programmes have an addition on 20 percent to the quoted price at grant date and the 2014 - 2017 programmes have an addition on 10 percent to the quoted price at grant date. All programmes have deduction of dividend payments. The exercise period is 3-6 years from grant date for the 2012 - 2017 programmes.

With the view of hedging the obligation, the Company has acquired 101,682 shares in Dampskibsselskabet NORDEN A/S. The shares comprise the Company's portfolio of available for sale financial assets.

		2017	2016
		USD	USD
8	Deferred tax asset		
	Property, plant and equipment	1.755	1.321
	Employee benefit obligations	0	0
	Tax loss carry-forward	54.586	346.545
	Carrying amount	56.341	347.866

Deferred tax has been provided at 22% corresponding to the tax rate in 2017.

Due to the fact that taxable income is expected, the deferred tax asset is expected to be utilized.

9 Trade receivables from pool participants

Receivables from pool participants, of which two participants are also shareholders, comprise trade receivables. The receivables therefore constitute common commercial receivables effected on an arm's length basis and are consequently not subject to the Danish Private Companies Act's prohibition of loans etc to shareholders.

10 Equity

The share capital amounts to DKK 506.000 and consists of 506 shares of a nominal value of DKK 1.000. No shares carry any special rights.

11 Financial risk

Currency risk

The Company incurs the main part of its costs, among these salaries, in DKK. All the revenue is denominated in USD, and consequently, a change in the DKK rate will have an impact on the profit or loss statement. The Company has no significant receivables or liabilities in foreign currency as of 31 December 2017 and 2016.

Interest rate risk

The majority of cash equivalents is held to pay of debt towards pool participants and are not receiving material interest. Therefore, changes in interest rates are not expected to have any significant impact on profit/loss.

Share price risk

Revaluations of shares are recognised in other comprehensive income and do therefore not affect profit/loss. A 10% increase or decrease in either the listed share-price, the DKK exchange rate or a combination of the two will affect equity positive or negative with USD 191k (2016: USD 159k) before tax.

Credit risk

The Company collects the pool participants' freight receivables and sets off its fee against these amounts. Consequently, no significant credit risks arise in the ordinary course of business.

Bank balances are associated with a credit risk. The bank balances are only placed with a financial institution with a high credit rating, and the risk is therefore assessed to be limited. Cash is placed in a major Danish bank in which deposits up to kDKK 750 are guaranteed by the Danish government.

Liquidity risk

Financial liabilities, USD 14.535k fall due within 1 year. It is the Company's assessment that cash and cash equivalents of USD 13.465k and the cash generated from operations is sufficient to meet the obligations.

12 Capital management

Management monitors on an ongoing basis whether the capital resources are sufficient in relation to the operations of the Company. Management considers the capital resources for sufficient.

	2017	2016
	USD	USD
13 Classification of financial instruments		
Available-for-sale financial assets	1.907.367	1.592.733
Trade recevivables from pool participants	1.233.027	1.095.741
Other receivables	364.136	320.655
Cash and cash equivalents	13.464.925	11.866.408
Loans and receivables	15.062.088	13.282.804
Trade payables	431.459	358.242
Payables to pool participants	12.524.389	11.227.657
Other payables	1.546.937	1.128.539
Financial liabilities at amortised cost	14.502.785	12.714.438

Financial assets are measured at fair value based on the share price in an active marked (category 1)

14 Contingent assets, liabilities and other financial obligations

Lease obligations under operating leases. Total future lease payments:

Within 1 year	110.842	75.085
Between 1 and 5 years	116.453	101.857
	227.295	176.942
Liabilities under service agreements within 1 year in the event		
of termination is estimated not to exceed:	7.331.587	6.148.282
	7.331.587	6.148.282

Gurantee deposits

Norient Product Pool ApS has made a total of USD 905k of guarantee deposits, which is presented under cash at bank and in hand

15 Related parties and ownership

	Basis
Other related parties	
Dampskibsselskabet NORDEN A/S, Copenhagen, Denmark	Significant shareholder
Interorient Navigation CO. Ltd., Limassol, Cyprus	Significant shareholder

Company Management and group enterprises of the shareholders of the Company.

Transactions

Revenue for the year relates to the Company's shareholders.

Refund to shareholder concerning staff expenses, rent and administrative expenses totals USD 4.629k (2016: USD 4.956k).

Trade receivables from shareholders of USD 955k (2016: USD 779k), payables to shareholders of USD 12.517k (2016: USD 11.228k), payables to subsidiaries of USD 7k (2016: 0) and receivables from affiliates USD 123k (2016: USD 118k) on ordinary commercial terms. The accounts carry no interest.

Apart from the above transactions and management remuneration as stipulated in note 1, there have been no transactions with Company Management, senior officers, significant shareholders and their group enterprises or other related parties.

Transactions have been effected at arm's length.

Ownership

The following shareholders are recorded in the Company's register of shareholders as holding at least 5% of the votes or at least 5% of the share capital:

Dampskibsselskabet NORDEN A/S, Strandvejen 52, DK-2900 Hellerup, Denmark

Interorient Navigation CO. Ltd., 142 Franklin Roosevelt, PO Box 51309, Limassol 3504, Cyprus.

		2017	2016
		USD	USD
16	Cash flow statement - adjustments		
	Financial income	-15.768	-1.806
	Financial expenses	90.615	196.136
	Impairment of available-for-sale financial assets	0	68.561
	Depreciation, amortisation and impairment losses	12.888	12.717
	Tax on profit/(loss) for the year	257.048	397.575
		344.783	673.183
17	Cash flow statement - change in working capital		
	Change in receivables	-188.348	170.912
	Change in other provisions	0	0
	Change in payables, etc.	499.121	-2.001.263
		310.773	-1.830.351

18 Subsequent events

No material events have occurred after the balance sheet day.