# Change of Scandinavia Retail A/S

Farum Gydevej 73, DK-3520 Farum

Annual Report for 1 July 2018 - 30 June 2019

CVR No 28 71 13 36

The Annual Report was presented and adopted at the Annual General Meeting of the Company on 29/11 2019

Tom Deichmann Chairman of the General Meeting



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## **Management's Statement**

The Executive Board and Board of Directors have today considered and adopted the Annual Report of Change of Scandinavia Retail A/S for the financial year 1 July 2018 - 30 June 2019.

The Annual Report is prepared in accordance with the Danish Financial Statements Act.

In our opinion the Financial Statements give a true and fair view of the financial position at 30 June 2019 of the Company and of the results of the Company operations for 2018/19.

In our opinion, Management's Review includes a true and fair account of the matters addressed in the Review.

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

Farum, 29 November 2019

#### **Executive Board**

Claus Walther Jensen CEO

#### **Board of Directors**

Claus Walther Jensen Gitte Breil Julie Breil



### **Independent Auditor's Report**

To the Shareholder of Change of Scandinavia Retail A/S

#### **Opinion**

In our opinion, the Financial Statements give a true and fair view of the financial position of the Company at 30 June 2019 and of the results of the Company's operations for the financial year 1 July 2018 - 30 June 2019 in accordance with the Danish Financial Statements Act.

We have audited the Financial Statements of Change of Scandinavia Retail A/S for the financial year 1 July 2018 - 30 June 2019, which comprise income statement, balance sheet, statement of changes in equity and notes, including a summary of significant accounting policies ("the 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.

#### Statement on 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 Financials Statements Act.

Based on the work we have performed, in our view, Management's Review is in accordance with the Financial Statements and has been prepared in accordance with the requirements of the Danish Financial Statements Act. We did not identify any material misstatement in Management's Review.

#### 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 misstate-



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ment, 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.

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 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



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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.

Hillerød, 29 November 2019 **PricewaterhouseCoopers** Statsautoriseret Revisionspartnerselskab *CVR No 33 77 12 31* 

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## **Company Information**

**The Company** Change of Scandinavia Retail A/S

Farum Gydevej 73 DK-3520 Farum

CVR No: 28 71 13 36

Financial period: 1 July - 30 June Incorporated: 12 May 2005 Financial year: 15th financial year Municipality of reg. office: Furesø

**Board of Directors** Claus Walther Jensen

Gitte Breil Julie Breil

**Executive Board** Claus Walther Jensen

**Auditors** PricewaterhouseCoopers

Statsautoriseret Revisionspartnerselskab

Milnersvej 43 DK-3400 Hillerød



## **Financial Highlights**

Seen over a five-year period, the development of the Company is described by the following financial highlights:

	2018/19	2017/18	2016/17	2015/16	2014/15
	TDKK	TDKK	TDKK	TDKK	TDKK
Key figures					
Profit/loss					
Gross profit/loss	59.506	55.147	53.790	42.037	41.385
Operating profit/loss	-4.290	-7.757	2.661	-3.223	1.726
Profit/loss before financial income and					
expenses	3.254	1.255	2.661	-3.223	1.726
Net financials	-186	-951	-2.262	-1.912	-1.510
Net profit/loss for the year	2.796	235	586	-5.080	-2.386
Balance sheet					
Balance sheet total	63.905	66.865	56.105	51.205	47.878
Equity	-9.152	-11.948	-12.184	-12.771	-7.694
Investment in property, plant and equipment	1.081	3.742	3.205	5.368	4.788
Number of employees	137	143	139	118	108
Ratios					
Return on assets	5,1%	1,9%	4,7%	-6,3%	3,6%
Solvency ratio	-14,3%	-17,9%	-21,7%	-24,9%	-16,1%
Return on equity	-26,5%	-1,9%	-4,7%	49,6%	62,0%

The ratios have been prepared in accordance with the recommendations and guidelines issued by the Danish Society of Financial Analysts. For definitions, see under accounting policies.



### **Management's Review**

Financial Statements of Change of Scandinavia Retail A/S for 2018/19 has been prepared in accordance with the provisions of the Danish Financial Statements Act applying to medium-sized enterprises of reporting class C.

The Annual Report has been prepared under the same accounting policies as last year.

#### **Key activities**

The primary activities of the Company concern the operation of the Change retail concept stores offering lingerie, swimwear and other associated products.

#### Development in the year

The income statement of the Company for 2018/19 shows a profit of DKK 2,796,045, and at 30 June 2019 the balance sheet of the Company shows negative equity of DKK 9,151,554.

The Company has lost more than 50 % of its share capital. As a result, the Company falls within the provisions of section 119 of the Danish Companies Act governing loss of capital. Management expect recovery of the lost equity over the coming years through improved operational performance and/or through debt conversion.

The Parent has issued a letter of support to the Company enabling it to meet its obligations.

#### The past year and follow-up on development expectations from last year

The Gross profit and profit increased as expected.

#### Special risks - operating risks and financial risks

#### **Operating risks**

It is assessed that the Company is not exposed to any special business or financial risks apart from the risks generally occurring in the industry.

#### Targets and expectations for the year ahead

Management expect a positive development in both gross profit and earnings for next year.

#### Research and development

The Company do not perform any research and development.



## **Management's Review**

#### **External environment**

The Company's environmental impact on its surroundings is very limited. The Company strives to improve and optimise its energy consumption.

#### Uncertainty relating to recognition and measurement

Recognition and measurement in the Annual Report have not been subject to any uncertainty.

#### **Unusual events**

The financial position at 30 June 2019 of the Company and the results of the activities of the Company for the financial year for 2018/19 have not been affected by any unusual events.

#### **Subsequent events**

No events materially affecting the assessment of the Annual Report have occurred after the balance sheet date.



## **Income Statement 1 July - 30 June**

	Note	2018/19 DKK	2017/18 DKK
Gross profit/loss		59.505.774	55.146.649
Staff expenses	3	-50.608.916	-49.006.046
Depreciation, amortisation and impairment of intangible assets and	4	F F00 F07	4.04.4.040
property, plant and equipment	4	-5.568.527	-4.214.646
Other operating expenses		-74.401	-670.668
Profit/loss before financial income and expenses		3.253.930	1.255.289
Income from investments in associates		132.635	171.123
Financial income	5	126.115	1.355
Financial expenses	6	-445.094	-1.123.946
Profit/loss before tax		3.067.586	303.821
Tax on profit/loss for the year	7	-271.541	-68.386
Net profit/loss for the year		2.796.045	235.435



## **Balance Sheet 30 June**

### **Assets**

	Note	2018/19	2017/18
		DKK	DKK
Acquired licenses		41.812	0
Acquired other similar rights		6.881.878	8.254.759
Intangible assets	8	6.923.690	8.254.759
Other fixtures and fittings, tools and equipment		4.136.212	5.379.905
Leasehold improvements		5.899.553	7.770.422
Property, plant and equipment	9	10.035.765	13.150.327
Investments in associates	10	342.092	380.580
Deposits	11	6.311.166	6.530.020
Fixed asset investments		6.653.258	6.910.600
Fixed assets		23.612.713	28.315.686
Inventories		23.547.683	19.302.068
Trade receivables		307.634	396.466
Receivables from group enterprises		9.400.347	13.070.124
Other receivables		0	294.436
Deferred tax asset	15	605.103	876.600
Corporation tax receivable from group enterprises		238.186	238.186
Prepayments	12	1.385.698	595.563
Receivables		11.936.968	15.471.375
Cash at bank and in hand		4.807.351	3.775.966
Currents assets		40.292.002	38.549.409
Assets		63.904.715	66.865.095



## **Balance Sheet 30 June**

## Liabilities and equity

	Note	2018/19	2017/18
		DKK	DKK
Share capital		500.000	500.000
Reserve for net revaluation under the equity method		242.093	280.581
Retained earnings		-9.893.647	-12.728.176
Equity	13	-9.151.554	-11.947.595
Payables to group enterprises		1.541.952	3.982.054
Deposits		400.000	400.000
Long-term debt	16	1.941.952	4.382.054
Prepayments received from customers		437.699	712.078
Trade payables		3.298.199	3.099.837
Payables to group enterprises	16	55.197.771	58.119.001
Other payables		9.564.383	8.899.072
Deferred income	17	2.616.265	3.600.648
Short-term debt		71.114.317	74.430.636
Debt		73.056.269	78.812.690
Liabilities and equity		63.904.715	66.865.095
Going concern	1		
Subsequent events	2		
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## **Statement of Changes in Equity**

Reserve for net revaluation under the equity Retained Share capital method earnings Total DKK DKK DKK Equity at 1 July 500.000 280.581 -12.728.180 -11.947.599 Net profit/loss for the year -38.488 2.834.533 2.796.045 500.000 **Equity at 30 June** 242.093 -9.893.647 -9.151.554



#### 1 Going concern

The Company has lost more than 50 % of its share capital. As a result, the Company falls within the provisions of section 119 of the Danish Companies Act governing loss of capital. Management expect recovery of the lost equity over the coming years through improved operational performance and/or through debt conversion.

The Parent has issued a letter of support to the Company enabling it to meet its obligations.

#### 2 Subsequent events

No events materially affecting the assessment of the Annual Report have occurred after the balance sheet date.

		2018/19	2017/18
3 St	raff expenses	DKK	DKK
Wa	ages and salaries	46.230.451	45.429.856
Pe	ensions	3.295.349	2.565.664
Ot	her social security expenses	761.043	736.924
Ot	her staff expenses	322.073	273.602
		50.608.916	49.006.046
Av	verage number of employees	137	143

Remuneration to the Executive Board has not been disclosed in accordance with section 98 B(3) of the Danish Financial Statements Act.

# 4 Depreciation, amortisation and impairment of intangible assets and property, plant and equipment

	5.568.527	4.214.646
Impairment of property, plant and equipment	556.983	0
Impairment of intangible assets	606.142	0
Depreciation of property, plant and equipment	3.629.257	3.313.182
Amortisation of intangible assets	776.145	901.464



		2018/19	2017/18
5	Financial income	DKK	DKK
J	Timelia income		
	Other financial income	1.499	0
	Exchange adjustments	124.616	1.355
		126.115	1.355
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6	Financial expenses		
	Interest paid to group enterprises	346.657	1.107.358
	Other financial expenses	8.462	12.352
	Exchange adjustments, expenses	89.975	4.236
		445.094	1.123.946
7	Tax on profit/loss for the year		
	Current tax for the year	0	0
	Deferred tax for the year	727.869	68.386
	Adjustment of deferred tax concerning previous years	-456.328	0
		271.541	68.386
8	Intangible assets		
		Acquired	Acquired other
		licenses  DKK	similar rights  DKK
	Cost at 1 July	0	15.570.427
	Additions for the year	52.156	0
	Disposals for the year	-938	-1.525.000
	Cost at 30 June	51.218	14.045.427
	Impairment losses and amortisation at 1 July	0	7.315.668
	Amortisation for the year	9.406	766.739
	Reversal of amortisation of disposals for the year	0	-918.858
	Impairment losses and amortisation at 30 June	9.406	7.163.549
	Carrying amount at 30 June	41.812	6.881.878
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### 9 Property, plant and equipment

	Other fixtures	
	and fittings,	
	tools and	Leasehold
	equipment	improvements
	DKK	DKK
Cost at 1 July	9.258.102	28.088.163
Additions for the year	559.417	561.301
Disposals for the year	-139.647	-745.586
Cost at 30 June	9.677.872	27.903.878
Impairment losses and depreciation at 1 July	3.878.198	20.317.740
Depreciation for the year	1.663.462	1.965.796
Reversal of impairment and depreciation of sold assets	0	-279.211
Impairment losses and depreciation at 30 June	5.541.660	22.004.325
Carrying amount at 30 June	4.136.212	5.899.553
Including assets under finance leases amounting to	1.633.718	4.192.872
	2018/19	2017/18
Investments in associates	DKK	DKK
Cost at 1 July	100.000	100.000
Cost at 30 June	100.000	100.000
Value adjustments at 1 July	280.580	315.353
Net profit/loss for the year	132.635	171.123
Dividends received	-171.123	-205.896
Value adjustments at 30 June	242.092	280.580
Carrying amount at 30 June	342.092	380.580
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Investments in associates are specified as follows:

	Place of registered		Votes and		Net profit/loss
Name	office	Share capital	ownership	Equity	for the year
Change Sønderborg					
I/S	Sønderborg	I/S	50%	725.024	230.669

#### 11 Other fixed asset investments

	Deposits
	DKK
Cost at 1 July	6.530.020
Additions for the year	309.580
Disposals for the year	-528.434
Cost at 30 June	6.311.166
Carrying amount at 30 June	6.311.166

#### 12 Prepayments

Prepayments consist of prepaid expenses concerning rent, insurance premiums, subscriptions and interest as well.

#### 13 Equity

The share capital consists of 10 shares of a nominal value of DKK 50,000. No shares carry any special rights.

There have been no changes in the share capital during the last 5 years.



	2018/19	2017/18
14 Distribution of profit	DKK	DKK
14 Distribution of profit		
Reserve for net revaluation under the equity method	-38.488	171.123
Retained earnings	2.834.533	64.312
	2.796.045	235.435
15 Deferred tax asset		
Deferred tax asset at 1 July	876.600	944.986
Amounts recognised in the income statement for the year	-271.541	-68.386
Adjustements	44	0
Deferred tax asset at 30 June	605.103	876.600
Intangible and tangible assets	2.321.182	2.825.328
Lease	-859.309	-1.379.248
Other	264.440	-694.611
Tax loss carry-forward	-2.331.416	-2.504.069
Transferred to deferred tax asset	605.103	1.752.600
	0	0
Deferred tax asset		
Calculated tax asset	605.103	876.600
Carrying amount	605.103	876.600

The recognised tax asset comprises financiel lease debt and tax loss carry-forwards expected to be utilised within the next three to four years. In connection with the assessment of the utilisation of the tax asset, special emphasis has been placed on the Company having expected future growth in both revenue and profit. The realized figures shows an growth in both revenue and profit. Also it its expected that taxable losses carry forward can be used by other group Companies.



#### 16 Long-term debt

Payments due within 1 year are recognised in short-term debt. Other debt is recognised in long-term debt.

The debt falls due for payment as specified below:

	2018/19	2017/18
Payables to group enterprises	DKK	DKK
Between 1 and 5 years	1.541.952	3.982.054
Long-term part	1.541.952	3.982.054
Within 1 year	2.364.000	0
Other short-term debt to group enterprises	52.833.771	58.119.001
Short-term part	55.197.771	58.119.001
	56.739.723	62.101.055
Deposits		
Between 1 and 5 years	400.000	400.000
Long-term part	400.000	400.000
Within 1 year	0	0
	400.000	400.000

#### 17 Deferred income

Deferred income comprises gift certificates unused at the balance sheet date.



2018/19 2017/18 DKK

#### 18 Contingent assets, liabilities and other financial obligations

#### Charges and security

The following assets have been placed as security with bankers:

Bank debts of the Company and the affiliate, Change of Scandinavia A/S are secured by way of a company pledge of nominal value DKK 60,000 thousand. The booked value of assets at 30 June amounts to

40.199.504 41.103.620

#### Rental and lease obligations

Rental and lease obligations

15.755.450 1

14.028.653

#### Other contingent liabilities

The Company holds ownership interests in the partnership Change - Sønderborg I/S. Consequently, the Company is liable in accordance with the rules of the Executive Order on the Danish Act on Certain Commercial Undertakings stating that all owners are personally liable without limitation as well as jointly and severally liable for the obligations of the undertaking.

The group companies are jointly and severally liable for tax on the jointly taxed incomes etc of the Group. The total amount of corporation tax payable is disclosed in the Annual Report of Asian Import ApS, which is the management company of the joint taxation purposes. Moreover, the group companies are jointly and severally liable for Danish withholding taxes by way of dividend tax, tax on royalty payments and tax on unearned income. Any subsequent adjustments of corporation taxes and withholding taxes may increase the Company's liability.



#### 19 Related parties

	Basis	_
Controlling interest		
Change of Scandinavian Holding A/S	Parent Company	

#### **Transactions**

The Company has chosen only to disclose transactions which have not been made on an arm's length basis in accordance with section 98(c)(7) of the Danish Financial Statements Act.

No transactions with related parties were made in the financial year 2018/19 which were not made on arm's length basis.

#### Ownership

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

Change of Scandinavia Holding A/S

#### **Consolidated Financial Statements**

The Company is included in the Consolidated accounts for the parent Company

Name	Place of registered office	
Asian Import ApS	Farum Gydevej 73, 3520 Farum	
Change of Scandinavia Holding A/S	Farum Gydevej 73, 3520 Farum	



#### 20 Accounting Policies

The Annual Report of Change of Scandinavia Retail A/S for 2018/19 has been prepared in accordance with the provisions of the Danish Financial Statements Act applying to medium-sized enterprises of reporting class C.

The accounting policies applied remain unchanged from last year.

The Financial Statements for 2018/19 are presented in DKK.

#### **Correction of material misstatements**

Last year there were some reclassification errors in the profit and loss accounts and in the balance sheet accounts related to the year-end closing. The errors have been corrected in this year financial statement and the comparative figures for 2017/18 have been restated. The correction did not result in any changes to the profit or loss or equity.

#### **Cash flow statement**

With reference to section 86(4) of the Danish Financial Statements Act and to the cash flow statement included in the consolidated financial statements of Change of Scandinavia Holding A/S, the Company has not prepared a cash flow statement.

#### **Recognition and measurement**

Revenues are recognised in the income statement as earned. Furthermore, value adjustments of financial assets and liabilities measured at fair value or amortised cost are recognised. Moreover, all expenses incurred to achieve the earnings for the year are recognised in the income statement, including depreciation, amortisation, impairment losses and provisions as well as reversals due to changed accounting estimates of amounts that have previously been recognised in the income statement.

Assets are recognised in the balance sheet when it is probable that future economic benefits attributable to the asset will flow to the Company, and the value of the asset can be measured reliably.

Liabilities are recognised in the balance sheet when it is probable that future economic benefits will flow out of the Company, and the value of the liability can be measured reliably.

Assets and liabilities are initially measured at cost. Subsequently, assets and liabilities are measured as described for each item below.



#### 20 Accounting Policies (continued)

#### Leases

Leases in terms of which the Company assumes substantially all the risks and rewards of ownership (finance leases) are recognised in the balance sheet at the lower of the fair value of the leased asset and the net present value of the lease payments computed by applying the interest rate implicit in the lease or an alternative borrowing rate as the discount rate. Assets acquired under finance leases are depreciated and written down for impairment under the same policy as determined for the other fixed assets of the Company.

The remaining lease obligation is capitalised and recognised in the balance sheet under debt, and the interest element on the lease payments is charged over the lease term to the income statement.

All other leases are considered operating leases. Payments made under operating leases are recognised in the income statement on a straight-line basis over the lease term.

#### **Translation policies**

Transactions in foreign currencies are translated at the exchange rates at the dates of transaction. Exchange differences 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. Where foreign exchange transactions are considered hedging of future cash flows, the value adjustments are recognised directly in equity.

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 rates at the time when the receivable or the debt arose are recognised in financial income and expenses in the income statement.

Fixed assets acquired in foreign currencies are measured at the transaction date rates.

#### **Income Statement**

#### Revenue

Revenue from the sale of goods is recognised when the risks and rewards relating to the goods sold have been transferred to the purchaser, the revenue can be measured reliably and it is probable that the economic benefits relating to the sale will flow to the Company.

Revenue is measured at the consideration received and is recognised exclusive of VAT and net of discounts relating to sales.



#### 20 Accounting Policies (continued)

#### Expenses for raw materials and consumables

Expenses for raw materials and consumables comprise the raw materials and consumables consumed to achieve revenue for the year.

#### Other external expenses

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

#### **Gross profit/loss**

With reference to section 32 of the Danish Financial Statements Act, gross profit/loss is calculated as a summary of revenue, other operating income, expenses for raw materials and consumables and other external expenses.

#### 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 intangible assets and property, plant and equipment.

#### Other operating income and expenses

Other operating income and other operating expenses comprise items of a secondary nature to the main activities of the Company, including gains and losses on the sale of intangible assets and property, plant and equipment.

#### Income from investments in associates

The item "Income from investments in associates" in the income statement includes the proportionate share of the profit for the year.

#### Financial income and expenses

Financial income and expenses are recognised in the income statement at the amounts relating to the financial year.



20 Accounting Policies (continued)

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

Tax for the year consists of current tax for the year and changes in deferred tax for the year. The tax attributable to the profit for the year is recognised in the income statement, whereas the tax attributable to equity transactions is recognised directly in equity.

The Company is jointly taxed with Danish and foreign group Companies. The tax effect of the joint taxation is allocated to enterprises in proportion to their taxable incomes.

#### **Balance Sheet**

#### **Intangible assets**

Patents and licences are measured at the lower of cost less accumulated amortisation and recoverable amount. Patents are amortised over the remaining patent period, and licences are amortised over the licence period; however not exceeding 5-8 years.

Development costs and costs relating to rights developed by the Company are recognised in the income statement as costs in the year of acquisition.

#### 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.

Interest expenses on loans raised directly for financing the construction of property, plant and equipment are recognised in cost over the period of construction. All indirectly attributable borrowing expenses are recognised in the income statement.

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 3-8 years Leasehold improvements 5-8 years

Depreciation period and residual value are reassessed annually.

Assets costing less than DKK 13,800 are expensed in the year of acquisition.



#### 20 Accounting Policies (continued)

#### Impairment of fixed assets

The carrying amounts of intangible assets and 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, the asset is written down to its lower recoverable amount.

#### **Investments in associates**

Investments in associates are recognised and measured under the equity method.

The item"Investments in associates" in the balance sheet include the proportionate ownership share of the net asset value of the enterprises calculated on the basis of the fair values of identifiable net assets at the time of acquisition with deduction or addition of unrealised intercompany profits or losses and with addition of the remaining value of any increases in value and goodwill calculated at the time of acquisition of the enterprises.

The total net revaluation of investments in associates is transferred upon distribution of profit to "Reserve for net revaluation under the equity method" under equity. The reserve is reduced by dividend distributed to the Parent Company and adjusted for other equity movements in the associates.

Associates with a negative net asset value are recognised at DKK o. Any legal or constructive obligation of the Parent Company to cover the negative balance of the enterprise is recognised in provisions.

#### Other fixed asset investments

Other fixed asset investments consist of deposits.

#### **Inventories**

Inventories are measured at the lower of cost based on weighted average prices and net realisable value.

The net realisable value of inventories is calculated at the amount expected to be generated by sale of the inventories in the process of normal operations with deduction of selling expenses. The net realisable value is determined allowing for marketability, obsolescence and development in expected selling price.

The cost of goods for resale equals landed cost.

The cost of finished goods and work in progress comprises the cost of raw materials, consumables and direct labour.



#### 20 Accounting Policies (continued)

#### **Receivables**

Receivables are measured in the balance sheet at the lower of amortised cost and net realisable value, which corresponds to nominal value less provisions for bad debts.

#### **Prepayments**

Prepayments comprise prepaid expenses concerning rent, insurance premiums, subscriptions and interest.

#### **Equity**

#### Dividend

Dividend distribution proposed by Management for the year is disclosed as a separate equity item.

#### Deferred tax assets and liabilities

Deferred income tax is measured using the balance sheet liability method in respect of temporary differences arising between the tax bases of assets and liabilities and their carrying amounts for financial reporting purposes on the basis of the intended use of the asset and settlement of the liability, respectively.

Deferred tax assets are measured at the value at which the asset is expected to be realised, either by elimination in tax on future earnings or by set-off against deferred tax liabilities within the same legal tax entity.

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 deferred tax is expected to crystallise as current tax. Any changes in deferred tax due to changes to tax rates are recognised in the income statement or in equity if the deferred tax relates to items recognised in equity.

#### Current tax receivables and liabilities

Current tax liabilities and receivables are recognised in the balance sheet as the expected taxable income for the year adjusted for tax on taxable incomes for prior years and tax paid on account. Extra payments and repayment under the on-account taxation scheme are recognised in the income statement in financial income and expenses.



#### 20 Accounting Policies (continued)

#### **Financial debts**

Loans, such as loans from credit institutions, are recognised initially at the proceeds received net of transaction expenses incurred. Subsequently, the loans are measured at amortised cost; the difference between the proceeds and the nominal value is recognised as an interest expense in the income statement over the loan period.

Mortgage loans are measured at amortised cost, which for cash loans corresponds to the remaining loan. Amortised cost of debenture loans corresponds to the remaining loan calculated as the underlying cash value of the loan at the date of raising the loan adjusted for depreciation of the price adjustment of the loan made over the term of the loan at the date of raising the loan.

Other debts are measured at amortised cost, substantially corresponding to nominal value.

#### Deferred income

Deferred income comprises payments received in respect of income in subsequent years.

### **Financial Highlights**

#### **Explanation of financial ratios**

Return on assets	Profit before financials x 100	
	Total assets	
Solvency ratio	Equity at year end x 100	
	Total assets at year end	
Return on equity	Net profit for the year x 100	
	Average equity	

