

Management Events Denmark A/S

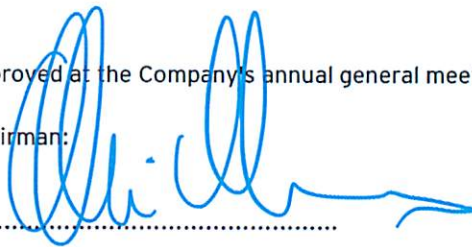
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Annual report 2019

Approved at the Company's annual general meeting on 7 May 2020

Chairman:



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Statement by the Board of Directors and the Executive Board

Today, the Board of Directors and the Executive Board have discussed and approved the annual report of Management Events Denmark A/S for the financial year 1 January - 31 December 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 of the Company at 31 December 2019 and of the results of the Company's operations for the financial year 1 January - 31 December 2019.

Further, in our opinion, the Management's review gives a fair review of the matters discussed in the Management's review.

We recommend that the annual report be approved at the annual general meeting.

Copenhagen, 7 May 2020
Executive Board:


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Jenni Tolonen

Board of Directors:


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Leena Paajanen
Chairman
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Jenni Tolonen
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Olli Muurainen

Independent auditor's report

To the shareholders of Management Events Denmark A/S

Opinion

We have audited the financial statements of Management Events Denmark A/S for the financial year 1 January - 31 December 2019, which comprise income statement, balance sheet, statement of changes in equity and notes, including 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 financial position of the Company at 31 December 2019 and of the results of the Company's operations for the financial year 1 January - 31 December 2019 in accordance with the Danish Financial Statements Act.

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 believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion.

Independence

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 rules and requirements.

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 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 as to 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 the 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.

Independent auditor's report

- ▶ 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 note 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.

Statement on the Management's review

Management is responsible for the Management's review.

Our opinion on the financial statements does not cover the 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 the Management's review and, in doing so, consider whether the 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 the Management's review provides the information required under the Danish Financial Statements Act.

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

Copenhagen, 7 May 2020
ERNST & YOUNG
Godkendt Revisionspartnerselskab
CVR no. 30 70 02 28



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State Authorised Public Accountant
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Management's review

Company details

Name	Management Events Denmark A/S
Address, Postal code, City	Overgaden Neden Vandet 9 A, 1414 København K
CVR no.	28 71 39 16
Financial year	1 January - 31 December
Board of Directors	Leena Paajanen, Chairman Jenni Tolonen Olli Muurainen
Executive Board	Jenni Tolonen
Auditors	Ernst & Young Godkendt Revisionspartnerselskab Dirch Passers Allé 36, P.O. Box 250, 2000 Frederiksberg, Denmark
Bankers	Nykredit Bank A/S

Management commentary

Business review

The Company's activities consist of organising b-to-b events aimed solely at invited chief executives and decision makers.

Financial review

The income statement for 2019 shows a profit of DKK 1,618,461 against a loss of DKK 1,530,942 last year, and the balance sheet at 31 December 2019 shows equity of DKK 933,230.

The parent company Management Events International OY Ltd. has issued a letter of comfort guaranteeing to provide the company with funds required to continue operations through out 2020 at least until the annual general assembly in 2021.

Events after the balance sheet date

During the beginning of 2020, the pandemic caused by the coronavirus has spread to Denmark. Restrictions imposed by the State to overcome the pandemic, such as bans on events and travel, directly affected the conduct of the Company's business.

The exceptional situation is expected to have a negative impact on the development of net sales and profitability for 2020. The Company's financial position and the ongoing measures are estimated enable the Company to continue its operations during the lockdown and thereafter.

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Income statement

Note	DKK	2019	2018
	Gross profit	7,864,360	5,332,399
3	Staff costs	-6,165,078	-6,831,002
	Profit/loss before net financials	1,699,282	-1,498,603
4	Financial income	20,630	294
5	Financial expenses	-51,021	-32,633
	Profit/loss before tax	1,668,891	-1,530,942
6	Tax for the year	-50,430	0
	Profit/loss for the year	1,618,461	-1,530,942
	Recommended appropriation of profit/loss	1,618,461	-1,530,942
	Retained earnings/accumulated loss	1,618,461	-1,530,942

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Balance sheet

Note	DKK	2019	2018
	ASSETS		
	Fixed assets		
	Investments		
	Other receivables	196,075	196,075
		<u>196,075</u>	<u>196,075</u>
	Total fixed assets	<u>196,075</u>	<u>196,075</u>
	Non-fixed assets		
	Receivables		
	Trade receivables	1,662,300	2,638,779
	Receivables from group entities	15,059	3,236,796
8	Deferred tax assets	0	52,003
	Income taxes receivable	121,449	196,446
	Other receivables	24,064	43,532
		<u>1,822,872</u>	<u>6,167,556</u>
	Cash	<u>4,950,999</u>	<u>586,833</u>
	Total non-fixed assets	<u>6,773,871</u>	<u>6,754,389</u>
	TOTAL ASSETS	<u>6,969,946</u>	<u>6,950,464</u>
	EQUITY AND LIABILITIES		
	Equity		
7	Share capital	500,000	500,000
	Retained earnings	433,230	-1,185,231
	Total equity	<u>933,230</u>	<u>-685,231</u>
	Liabilities other than provisions		
9	Non-current liabilities other than provisions		
	Other payables	221,313	0
		<u>221,313</u>	<u>0</u>
	Current liabilities other than provisions		
	Trade payables	110,187	1,002,092
	Payables to group entities	2,682,619	3,450,787
	Other payables	672,570	676,828
	Deferred income	2,350,027	2,505,988
		<u>5,815,403</u>	<u>7,635,695</u>
	Total liabilities other than provisions	<u>6,036,716</u>	<u>7,635,695</u>
	TOTAL EQUITY AND LIABILITIES	<u>6,969,946</u>	<u>6,950,464</u>

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Statement of changes in equity

DKK	<u>Share capital</u>	<u>Retained earnings</u>	<u>Total</u>
Equity at 1 January 2019	500,000	-1,185,231	-685,231
Transfer through appropriation of profit	0	1,618,461	1,618,461
Equity at 31 December 2019	<u>500,000</u>	<u>433,230</u>	<u>933,230</u>

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Notes to the financial statements

1 Accounting policies

The annual report of Management Events Denmark A/S for 2019 has been prepared in accordance with the provisions in the Danish Financial Statements Act applying to reporting class B entities and elective choice of certain provisions applying to reporting class C entities.

The accounting policies used in the preparation of the financial statements are consistent with those of last year.

Reporting currency

The financial statements are presented in Danish kroner (DKK).

Foreign currency translation

On initial recognition, transactions denominated in foreign currencies are translated at the exchange rate at the transaction date. Foreign exchange differences arising between the exchange rates at the transaction date and the date of payment are recognised in the income statement as financial income or financial expenses.

Receivables and payables and other monetary items denominated in foreign currencies are translated at the exchange rate at the balance sheet date. The difference between the exchange rates at the balance sheet date and the date at which the receivable or payable arose or was recognised in the most recent financial statements is recognised in the income statement as financial income or financial expenses.

Income statement

Revenue

The Company has chosen IAS 11/IAS 18 as interpretation for revenue recognition.

Income from the organising of b-to-b events is recognised as revenue as the events are held, implying that revenue corresponds to the market value of the services rendered in the year.

Revenue is measured at the fair value of the agreed consideration excluding VAT and taxes charged on behalf of third parties. All discounts and rebates granted are recognised in revenue.

Gross profit

The items revenue, cost of sales and external expenses have been aggregated into one item in the income statement called gross profit in accordance with section 32 of the Danish Financial Statements Act.

Other external expenses

Other external expenses include the year's expenses relating to the entity's core activities, including expenses relating to distribution, sales, advertising, administration, premises, bad debts, etc.

Staff costs

Staff costs include wages and salaries, including compensated absence and pension to the Company's employees, as well as other social security contributions, etc. The item is net of refunds from public authorities.

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1 Accounting policies (continued)

Financial income and expenses

Financial income and expenses are recognised in the income statements at the amounts that concern the financial year. Net financials include interest income and expenses as well as allowances and surcharges under the advance-payment-of-tax scheme, etc.

Tax

Tax for the year includes current tax on the year's expected taxable income and the year's deferred tax adjustments. The portion of the tax for the year that relates to the profit/loss for the year is recognised in the income statement, whereas the portion that relates to transactions taken to equity is recognised in equity.

Balance sheet

Receivables

Receivables are measured at amortised cost.

The Company has chosen IAS 39 as interpretation for impairment of financial receivables.

An impairment loss is recognised if there is objective evidence that a receivable or a group of receivables is impaired. If there is objective evidence that an individual receivable has been impaired, an impairment loss is recognised on an individual basis.

Receivables in respect of which there is no objective evidence of individual impairment are tested for objective evidence of impairment on a portfolio basis. The portfolios are primarily based on the debtors' domicile and credit ratings in line with the Company's risk management policy. The objective evidence applied to portfolios is determined based on historical loss experience.

Impairment losses are calculated as the difference between the carrying amount of the receivables and the present value of the expected cash flows, including the realisable value of any collateral received. The effective interest rate for the individual receivable or portfolio is used as discount rate.

Prepayments

Prepayments recognised under "Assets" comprise prepaid expenses regarding subsequent financial reporting years.

Cash

Cash comprise cash and short term securities which are readily convertible into cash and subject only to minor risks of changes in value.

Income taxes

Current tax payables and receivables are recognised in the balance sheet as the estimated income tax charge for the year, adjusted for prior-year taxes and tax paid on account.

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1 Accounting policies (continued)

Deferred tax is measured according to the liability method on all temporary differences between the carrying amount and the tax base of assets and liabilities. However, deferred tax is not recognised on temporary differences relating to goodwill which is not deductible for tax purposes and on office premises and other items where temporary differences, apart from business combinations, arise at the date of acquisition without affecting either profit/loss for the year or taxable income. Where alternative tax rules can be applied to determine the tax base, deferred tax is measured based on Management's intended use of the asset or settlement of the liability, respectively.

Deferred tax is measured according to the tax rules and at the tax rates applicable at the balance sheet date when the deferred tax is expected to crystallise as current tax. Deferred tax assets are recognised at the expected value of their utilisation; either as a set-off against tax on future income or as a set-off against deferred tax liabilities in the same legal tax entity. Changes in deferred tax due to changes in the tax rate are recognised in the income statement.

Liabilities

Financial liabilities are recognised at the date of borrowing at the net proceeds received less transaction costs paid. On subsequent recognition, financial liabilities are measured at amortised cost, corresponding to the capitalised value, using the effective interest rate. Accordingly, the difference between the proceeds and the nominal value is recognised in the income statement over the term of the loan. Financial liabilities also include the capitalised residual lease liability in respect of finance leases.

Other liabilities are measured at net realisable value.

Deferred income

Deferred income recognised as a liability comprises payments received concerning income in subsequent financial reporting years.

2 Issues concerning financing

The parent company Management Events International OY Ltd. has issued a letter of comfort guaranteeing to provide the company with funds required to continue operations through out 2020 at least until the annual general assembly in 2021.

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Notes to the financial statements

DKK	2019	2018
3 Staff costs		
Wages/salaries	5,874,429	6,602,691
Other social security costs	106,357	99,068
Other staff costs	184,292	129,243
	<u>6,165,078</u>	<u>6,831,002</u>
 Average number of full-time employees	 <u>14</u>	 <u>14</u>
4 Financial income		
Exchange gain	10,687	0
Other financial income	9,943	294
	<u>20,630</u>	<u>294</u>
5 Financial expenses		
Exchange losses	34,633	0
Other financial expenses	16,388	32,633
	<u>51,021</u>	<u>32,633</u>
6 Tax for the year		
Estimated tax charge for the year	4,576	0
Tax adjustments, prior years	45,854	0
	<u>50,430</u>	<u>0</u>
7 Share capital		
The Company's share capital has remained DKK 500,000 over the past 5 years.		
8 Deferred tax		
Deferred tax at 1 January	-52,003	-52,003
Other deferred tax	52,003	0
Deferred tax at 31 December	<u>0</u>	<u>-52,003</u>
9 Non-current liabilities other than provisions		
Of the long-term liabilities, DKK XX falls due for payment after more than 5 years after the balance sheet date.		
10 Contractual obligations and contingencies, etc.		
Other financial obligations		
Other rent and lease liabilities:		
DKK	2019	2018
Rent and lease liabilities	<u>196,162</u>	<u>198,036</u>



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Notes to the financial statements

11 Collateral

The Company has not placed any assets or other as security for loans at 31 December 2019.

12 Related parties

Information about consolidated financial statements

<u>Parent</u>	<u>Domicile</u>	<u>Requisitioning of the parent company's consolidated financial statements</u>
Management Events International OY Ltd.	Finland	www.managementevents.com