# McCann Copenhagen ApS

Borgergade 14, 5., DK-1300 København K

# Annual Report for 1 January - 31 December 2017

CVR No 37 32 37 48

The Annual Report was presented and adopted at the Annual General Meeting of the Company on 14/5 2018

Richard Bonner-Davies Chairman



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# **Management's Statement**

The Executive Board and Board of Directors have today considered and adopted the Annual Report of McCann Copenhagen ApS for the financial year 1 January - 31 December 2017.

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 31 December 2017 of the Company and of the results of the Company operations for 2017.

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.

Copenhagen, 14 May 2018

#### **Executive Board**

Tobias Smidth-Fibiger Executive Officer

#### **Board of Directors**

Richard Bonner-Davies Chairman Cristobal Francisco Hödar

Tobias Smidth-Fibiger



# **Independent Auditor's Report**

To the Shareholder of McCann Copenhagen 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 for the financial year 1 January - 31 December 2017 in accordance with the Danish Financial Statements Act.

We have audited the Financial Statements of McCann Copenhagen ApS for the financial year 1 January - 31 December 2017, 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.



## **Independent Auditor's Report**

#### 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 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.



# **Independent Auditor's Report**

- 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, 14 May 2018 **PricewaterhouseCoopers**Statsautoriseret Revisionspartnerselskab *CVR No 33 77 12 31* 

Niels Henrik B. Mikkelsen statsautoriseret revisor mne16675



# **Company Information**

**The Company** McCann Copenhagen ApS

Borgergade 14, 5. DK-1300 København K

CVR No: 37 32 37 48

Financial period: 1 January - 31 December Municipality of reg. office: Copenhagen

**Board of Directors** Richard Bonner-Davies, Chairman

Cristobal Francisco Hödar Tobias Smidth-Fibiger

**Executive Board** Tobias Smidth-Fibiger

Auditors PricewaterhouseCoopers

Statsautoriseret Revisionspartnerselskab

Strandvejen 44 DK-2900 Hellerup

**Bankers** Danske Bank

Holmens Kanal 2 1090 København K



# **Management's Review**

Financial Statements of McCann Copenhagen ApS for 2017 has been prepared in accordance with the provisions of the Danish Financial Statements Act applying to enterprises of reporting class B as well as selected rules applying to reporting class C.

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

#### **Key activities**

The purpose of the company is to conduct advertising and marketing activities, as well as other activities that, in the opinion of the Executive Board, are associated herewith.

#### Development in the year

During the year under review, the company generated a Gross Profit of DKK 22.114.749. Profit for the financial year was DKK 28.047 and equity capital amounted to DKK 550.920 as at 31 December 2017.

The result generated by the company together with its financial trends were in line with the expectations and are considered satisfactory.

The agency has been in strong progress in 2017 with more than 50% growth in gross profits. The expectations for 2018 are positive and it is expected that the agency will grow further based on both existing and new clients.

#### **Unusual events**

The financial position at 31 December 2017 of the Company and the results of the activities of the Company for the financial year for 2017 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 January - 31 December**

	Note	2017	2016
		DKK	DKK
Gross profit/loss		22.114.749	14.200.544
Staff expenses  Depreciation, amortisation and impairment of intangible assets and	1	-21.984.653	-14.223.406
property, plant and equipment	2	-56.798	-923.632
Profit/loss before financial income and expenses		73.298	-946.494
Financial income		53.750	4.140
Financial expenses	3	-99.001	-71.653
Profit/loss before tax		28.047	-1.014.007
Corporation Tax	4	0	0
Net profit/loss for the year		28.047	-1.014.007
Distribution of profit			
Proposed distribution of profit			
Retained earnings		28.047	-1.014.007
		28.047	-1.014.007



# **Balance Sheet 31 December**

## Assets

	Note	2017	2016
		DKK	DKK
Goodwill		0	0
Intangible assets	5	0	0
Other fixtures and fittings, tools and equipment		58.645	86.064
Leasehold improvements		19.911	0
Property, plant and equipment	6	78.556	86.064
Deposits		409.568	399.582
Fixed asset investments	7	409.568	399.582
Fixed assets		488.124	485.646
Trade receivables		19.499.743	9.803.431
Contract work in progress	8	367.946	1.084.941
Receivables from group enterprises		831.494	1.629.363
Other receivables		40.677	23.720
Prepayments		505.813	182.417
Receivables		21.245.673	12.723.872
Cash at bank and in hand		2.835.198	3.398.140
Currents assets		24.080.871	16.122.012
Assets		24.568.995	16.607.658



# **Balance Sheet 31 December**

# Liabilities and equity

	Note	2017	2016
	<del></del> -	DKK	DKK
Share capital		50.000	50.000
Retained earnings	_	500.920	472.873
Equity	-	550.920	522.873
Payables to group enterprises	_	991.014	2.444.773
Long-term debt	9	991.014	2.444.773
Trade payables		6.074.479	1.551.178
Prepayments regarding work in progress	8	8.000.635	4.785.342
Payables to group enterprises	9	3.386.706	2.894.923
Other payables	_	5.565.241	4.408.569
Short-term debt	-	23.027.061	13.640.012
Debt	-	24.018.075	16.084.785
Liabilities and equity	-	24.568.995	16.607.658
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# **Statement of Changes in Equity**

	Retained		
	Share capital	earnings	Total
	DKK	DKK	DKK
Equity at 1 January	50.000	472.873	522.873
Net profit/loss for the year	0	28.047	28.047
Equity at 31 December	50.000	500.920	550.920



		2017	2016
	Staff ovnences	DKK	DKK
1	Staff expenses		
	Wages and salaries	21.642.780	14.013.409
	Pensions	263.104	169.729
	Other social security expenses	78.769	40.268
		21.984.653	14.223.406
	Average number of employees	35	26
2	Depreciation, amortisation and impairment of intangible assets and property, plant and equipment		
	Amortisation of intangible assets	0	886.832
	Depreciation of property, plant and equipment	56.798	36.800
		56.798	923.632
3	Financial expenses		
	Interest paid to group enterprises	98.296	17.192
	Other financial expenses	705	54.461
		99.001	71.653
4	Corporation Tax		
	Calculated 22% tax of profit before tax	6.171	-223.082
	Permanent variances	4.517	3.758
	Adjustment of impaired tax assets	-10.688	219.324
		0	0



# 5 Intangible assets

Э	intangible assets		Goodwill
			DKK
	Cost at 1 January		886.832
	Cost at 31 December		886.832
	Odst at 31 December		
	Impairment losses and amortisation at 1 January		886.832
	Impairment losses and amortisation at 31 December		886.832
	Carrying amount at 31 December		0
6	Property, plant and equipment		
		Other fixtures	
		and fittings,	
		tools and	Leasehold
		equipment DKK	improvements DKK
		DIXIX	Ditit
	Cost at 1 January	121.822	0
	Additions for the year	26.890	22.400
	Cost at 31 December	148.712	22.400
	Impairment losses and depreciation at 1 January	35.758	0
	Depreciation for the year	54.309	2.489
	Impairment losses and depreciation at 31 December	90.067	2.489
	Carrying amount at 31 December	58.645	19.911
	Carrying amount at Cr. Booombor		
7	Fixed asset investments		
			Deposits
			DKK
	Cost at 1 January		399.582
	Additions for the year		9.986
	Cost at 31 December		409.568
	Carrying amount at 31 December		409.568



8	Contract work in progress	2017 DKK	2016 DKK
	Selling price of work in progress	47.054.428	16.607.317
	Payments received on account	-54.687.117	-20.307.718
		-7.632.689	-3.700.401
	Recognised in the balance sheet as follows:		
	Contract work in progress recognised in assets	367.946	1.084.941
	Prepayments received recognised in debt	-8.000.635	-4.785.342
		-7.632.689	-3.700.401

## 9 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:

	2017	2016
Payables to group enterprises	DKK	DKK
Between 1 and 5 years	991.014	2.444.773
Long-term part	991.014	2.444.773
Within 1 year	2.996.560	2.333.767
Other short-term debt to group enterprises	390.146	561.156
Short-term part	3.386.706	2.894.923
	4.377.720	5.339.696



## 10 Contingent assets, liabilities and other financial obligations

## **Contingent liabilities**

The company has taken on rent commitments of DKK 1.751k, of which DKK 893k is due in 2018.

The company has taken on leasing commitments of DKK 429k, of which DKK 222 is due in 2018.

Cash at bank includes restricted cash of DKK 1,864k.

## 11 Related parties

	Basis		
Controlling interest			
I&F Nordics Ltd., Cyprus	Controlling shareholder		
I&F McCann Grupa d.o.o. Beograd, Serbia	Ultimate parent company		
Consolidated Financial Statements			
The company's annual report is included in the consolidated financial statement of I&F McCann Grupa d.o.o, Belgrad. This company's consolidated financial statement can be ordered by writing to the Company.			
Name	Place of registered office		
I&F McCann Grupa d.o.o. Beograd	Serbia		



#### 12 Accounting Policies

The Annual Report of McCann Copenhagen ApS for 2017 has been prepared in accordance with the provisions of the Danish Financial Statements Act applying to enterprises of reporting class B as well as selected rules applying to reporting class C.

The accounting policies applied remain unchanged from last year. Certain amounts have been reclassified in the comparative figures for 2016 to ensure the same presentation.

The Financial Statements for 2017 are presented in DKK.

#### **Recognition and measurement**

The Financial Statements have been prepared under the historical cost method.

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.

Certain financial assets and liabilities are measured at amortised cost, which involves the recognition of a constant effective interest rate over the maturity period. Amortised cost is calculated as original cost less any repayments and with addition/deduction of the cumulative amortisation of any difference between cost and the nominal amount. In this way, capital losses and gains are allocated over the maturity period.

Recognition and measurement take into account predictable losses and risks occurring before the presentation of the Annual Report which confirm or invalidate affairs and conditions existing at the balance sheet date.



#### 12 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.

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.

Services are recognised at the rate of completion of the service to which the contract relates by using the percentage-of-completion method, which means that revenue equals the selling price of the service completed for the year. This method is applied when total revenues and expenses in respect of the service and the stage of completion at the balance sheet date can be measured reliably, and it is probable that the economic benefits, including payments, will flow to the Company. The stage of completion is determined on the basis of the ratio between the expenses incurred and the total expected expenses of the service.



#### 12 Accounting Policies (continued)

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

#### Cost of creative production and other expenses

Cost of creative production and other expenses comprise purchase of external services and consumables used to achieve net revenue for the year.

### Other external expenses

Other external expenses comprise indirect production costs and 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, revenue has not been disclosed in the Annual Report.

#### 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.

### Financial income and expenses

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

#### **Corporation Tax**

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.



#### 12 Accounting Policies (continued)

## **Balance Sheet**

#### **Intangible assets**

Goodwill acquired is measured at cost less accumulated amortisation. Goodwill is amortised on a straight-line basis over its useful life, which is assessed at 5 years.

#### 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 equipment 3 - 5 years

Leasehold improvements Expiration of lease

Depreciation period and residual value are reassessed annually.

Assets costing less than DKK 12,900 are expensed in the year of acquisition.

### 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.

#### Fixed asset investments

Fixed asset investments consist of deposits regarding rent.

#### 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.



#### **12 Accounting Policies** (continued)

#### **Contract work in progress**

Contract work in progress regarding service is measured at selling price of the work performed calculated on the basis of the stage of completion. The stage of completion is measured by the proportion that the contract expenses incurred to date bear to the estimated total contract expenses. Where it is probable that total contract expenses will exceed total revenues from a contract, the expected loss is recognised as an expense in the income statement.

Where the selling price cannot be measured reliably, the selling price is measured at the lower of expenses incurred and net realisable value.

Payments received on account are set off against the selling price. The individual contracts are classified as receivables when the net selling price is positive and as liabilities when the net selling price is negative.

Expenses relating to sales work and the winning of contracts are recognised in the income statement as incurred.

#### **Prepayments**

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

### 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.

#### **Financial debts**

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

