

# Cardlay Holding ApS


Billedskærervej 17, 5230 Odense M

CVR no. 37 44 71 53

## Annual report 2023

Approved at the Company's annual general meeting on 13 June 2024

Chair of the meeting:

DocuSigned by:  
  
E118788538604DD:.....

The following is a translation of an original Danish document. The original Danish document is the governing document for all purposes, and in case of any discrepancy, the Danish wording will be applicable.

## Contents

<b>Statement by the Board of Directors and the Executive Board</b>	<b>2</b>
<b>Independent auditor's report</b>	<b>3</b>
<b>Management's review</b>	<b>5</b>
<b>Financial statements 1 January - 31 December</b>	<b>7</b>
Income statement	7
Balance sheet	8
Statement of changes in equity	10
Notes to the financial statements	11

## **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 Cardlay Holding ApS for the financial year 1 January - 31 December 2023.

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 2023 and of the results of the Company's operations for the financial year 1 January - 31 December 2023.

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.

Odense, 23 May 2024  
Executive Board:

.....  
Jørgen Christian Juul

Board of Directors:

.....  
Torben Frigaard Rasmussen  
Chairman

.....  
Nicolai Fink Gundersen

.....  
Jørgen Christian Juul

.....  
Thorleif Krarup

## Independent auditor's report

### To the shareholders of Cardlay Holding ApS

#### Opinion

We have audited the financial statements of Cardlay Holding ApS for the financial year 1 January - 31 December 2023, 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 2023 and of the results of the Company's operations for the financial year 1 January - 31 December 2023 in accordance with the Danish Financial Statements Act.

#### Basis for opinion

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

#### 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.
- ▶ 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.

## Independent auditor's report

- ▶ 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.

Odense, 23 May 2024  
EY Godkendt Revisionspartnerselskab  
CVR no. 30 70 02 28

Søren Smedegaard Hvid  
State Authorised Public Accountant  
mne31450

Louise Greve  
State Authorised Public Accountant  
mne48485

## Management's review

### Company details

Name	Cardlay Holding ApS
Address, Postal code, City	Billedskærervej 17, 5230 Odense M
CVR no.	37 44 71 53
Established	12 February 2016
Registered office	Odense
Financial year	1 January - 31 December
Board of Directors	Torben Frigaard Rasmussen, Chairman Nicolai Fink Gundersen Jørgen Christian Juul Thorleif Krarup
Executive Board	Jørgen Christian Juul
Auditors	EY Godkendt Revisionspartnerselskab Cortex Park Vest 3, 5230 Odense M, Denmark

## Management's review

### Business review

The purpose of the Company and its wholly owned subsidiaries (the "Group") is to provide IT consultancy and, in the opinion of the Board, all related activities.

The Group's main activity is to develop a product stack which connects financial infrastructure with digital services to make it easy for its customers to handle cards, payments and expenses.

### Recognition and measurement uncertainties

The value of the recognized development projects in subsidiaries, totalling DKK 64,624 thousand, depends on the subsidiaries' ability to generate income from the released product and to further develop and enhance the product. Management believes that the Group will succeed in this. However, Management do acknowledge that there is an uncertainty as to whether the future earnings can be realized according to current forecasts which supports the value of its development projects in subsidiaries.

### Financial review

The income statement for 2023 for the Company shows a loss of DKK 19,239 thousand against a loss of DKK 50,830 thousand last year.

The result of the Company's ordinary operations is considered in line with expectations.

The balance sheet at 31 December 2023 shows equity of DKK 38,217 thousand.

The Group plans to continue to invest significantly into its product to enhance its value to partners and the experience for end-users. The Group further plans to invest into organization building and development of its employees. As such Management expects the Company to operate at a net loss also in the coming year.

In line with its financial strategy, the Company plans to raise additional capital in the course of 2024.

### Events after the balance sheet date

In the first half of 2024, the Company successfully completed funding in line with its capital planning strategy. The completed funding is, in Management's opinion, sufficient to ensure the Company's continued operation 12 months from the balance sheet date.

## Financial statements 1 January - 31 December

### Income statement

Note	DKK	<u>2023</u>	<u>2022</u>
	<b>Gross profit/loss</b>	-530,109	-37,531
	Income from investments in group enterprises	-17,523,206	-49,512,953
	Financial expenses	<u>-1,878,858</u>	<u>-1,279,020</u>
	<b>Profit/loss for the year</b>	<u>-19,932,173</u>	<u>-50,829,504</u>
	<b>Recommended appropriation of profit/loss</b>		
	Retained earnings/accumulated loss	<u>-19,932,173</u>	<u>-50,829,504</u>
		<u>-19,932,173</u>	<u>-50,829,504</u>



## Financial statements 1 January - 31 December

## Balance sheet

Note	DKK	<u>2023</u>	<u>2022</u>
	<b>ASSETS</b>		
	<b>Fixed assets</b>		
4	<b>Investments</b>		
	Investments in group enterprises	67,348,406	62,424,627
		<u>67,348,406</u>	<u>62,424,627</u>
	<b>Total fixed assets</b>	<u>67,348,406</u>	<u>62,424,627</u>
	<b>Non-fixed assets</b>		
	<b>Receivables</b>		
	Receivables from group enterprises	0	30,097
	Corporation tax receivable	4,076,441	5,395,072
		<u>4,076,441</u>	<u>5,425,169</u>
	<b>Cash</b>	<u>3,517,738</u>	<u>7,626,255</u>
	<b>Total non-fixed assets</b>	<u>7,594,179</u>	<u>13,051,424</u>
	<b>TOTAL ASSETS</b>	<u><u>74,942,585</u></u>	<u><u>75,476,051</u></u>

## Financial statements 1 January - 31 December

## Balance sheet

Note	DKK	<u>2023</u>	<u>2022</u>
	<b>EQUITY AND LIABILITIES</b>		
	<b>Equity</b>		
	Share capital	440,881	368,755
	Share premium account	0	0
	Retained earnings	<u>37,083,422</u>	<u>44,870,113</u>
	<b>Total equity</b>	<u>37,524,303</u>	<u>45,238,868</u>
	<b>Liabilities other than provisions</b>		
5	<b>Non-current liabilities other than provisions</b>		
	Convertible debt instruments eligible for dividend	9,370,796	2,762,076
	Other payables	<u>23,963,545</u>	<u>21,453,782</u>
		<u>33,334,341</u>	<u>24,215,858</u>
	<b>Current liabilities other than provisions</b>		
5	Short-term part of long-term liabilities other than provisions	0	618,753
	Trade payables	2,500	2,500
	Joint taxation contribution payable	4,076,441	5,395,072
	Other payables	<u>5,000</u>	<u>5,000</u>
		<u>4,083,941</u>	<u>6,021,325</u>
	<b>Total liabilities other than provisions</b>	<u>37,418,282</u>	<u>30,237,183</u>
	<b>TOTAL EQUITY AND LIABILITIES</b>	<u>74,942,585</u>	<u>75,476,051</u>

- 1 Accounting policies
- 2 Going Concern
- 3 Staff costs
- 7 Contractual obligations and contingencies, etc.
- 8 Security and collateral

## Financial statements 1 January - 31 December

### Statement of changes in equity

DKK	Share capital	Share premium account	Retained earnings	Total
Equity at 1 January 2022	275,005	0	58,293,540	58,568,545
Capital increase	93,750	37,406,077	0	37,499,827
Transfer through appropriation of loss	0	0	-50,829,504	-50,829,504
Transferred from share premium account	0	-37,406,077	37,406,077	0
<b>Equity at 1 January 2023</b>	<b>368,755</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>44,870,113</b>	<b>45,238,868</b>
Capital increase	72,126	12,145,482	0	12,217,608
Transfer through appropriation of loss	0	0	-19,932,173	-19,932,173
Transferred from share premium account	0	-12,145,482	12,145,482	0
<b>Equity at 31 December 2023</b>	<b>440,881</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>37,083,422</b>	<b>37,524,303</b>

## Financial statements 1 January - 31 December

### Notes to the financial statements

#### 1 Accounting policies

The annual report of Cardlay Holding ApS for 2023 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).

#### Income statement

##### Gross profit/loss

The items revenue and external expenses have been aggregated into one item in the income statement called gross profit/loss 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 Company's core activities, including expenses relating to administration etc.

##### Profit/loss from investments in group entities

The income statement includes the proportional share of the underlying companies' profit or loss after elimination of internal profit/loss and after tax. In group entities, the full elimination of internal profit and loss is carried out without regard to ownership shares.

##### Financial expenses

Financial expenses are recognised in the income statements at the amounts that concern the financial year. Net financials include interest 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.

The Company and its Danish group entities are jointly taxed. The total Danish income tax charge is allocated between profit/loss-making Danish entities in proportion to their taxable income (full absorption).

Jointly taxed entities entitled to a tax refund are reimbursed by the management company based on the rates applicable to interest allowances, and jointly taxed entities which have paid too little tax pay a surcharge according to the rates applicable to interest surcharges to the management company.

## Financial statements 1 January - 31 December

### Notes to the financial statements

#### 1 Accounting policies (continued)

##### Balance sheet

##### Investments in group entities

Equity investments in subsidiaries are measured according to the equity method.

On initial recognition, equity investments in group entities are measured at cost, i.e. plus transaction costs. The cost is allocated in accordance with the acquisition method; see the accounting policies regarding business combinations.

The cost is adjusted by shares of profit/loss after tax calculated in accordance with the Group's accounting policies less or plus unrealised intra-group gains/losses.

Dividend received is deducted from the carrying amount.

Equity investments in group entities measured at net asset value are subject to impairment test requirements if there is any indication of impairment.

##### Impairment of fixed assets

The carrying amount of investments in subsidiaries is assessed for impairment on an annual basis.

Impairment tests are conducted on assets or groups of assets when there is evidence of impairment. The carrying amount of impaired assets is reduced to the higher of the net selling price and the value in use (recoverable amount).

The recoverable amount is the higher of the net selling price of an asset and its value in use. The value in use is calculated as the present value of the expected net cash flows from the use of the asset or the group of assets and the expected net cash flows from the disposal of the asset or the group of assets after the end of the useful life.

Previously recognised impairment losses are reversed when the reason for recognition no longer exists.

##### Receivables

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

Receivables are measured at amortised cost.

##### Cash

Cash comprise cash.

##### 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.

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.

## Financial statements 1 January - 31 December

### Notes to the financial statements

#### 1 Accounting policies (continued)

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.

As management company for all the entities in the joint taxation arrangement, the parent company is liable for payment of the group entities' income taxes vis à vis the tax authorities as the group entities pay their joint taxation contributions. Joint taxation contributions payable or receivable are recognised in the balance sheet as income tax receivables or payables.

#### Other payables

Other payables are measured at net realisable value.

#### Convertible loans

Convertible loans are broken down into a liability element and an equity element based on the relevant instrument of debt. On initial recognition, the liability is recognised at the fair value of a similar liability without a conversion right. The remaining amount of the convertible loan is recognised as equity. On subsequent recognition, the liability is measured at amortised cost until converted or repaid. The equity element is not re measured after initial recognition.

## Financial statements 1 January - 31 December

### Notes to the financial statements

#### 2 Going Concern

As of the balance date of 31st December 2023, the Company is still in the early stages of its growth phase, with development projects in progress. The Company continues to further enhance and develop its product suite and expects that it will require additional funding from time to time to continue with the development and sale of its projects at a desired level.

The Company has prepared budgets showing improved cash flow for 2024 further to already effected cost initiatives and contracted revenue, and has secured funding for going concern in the coming 12 months. The Directors believe that the Company has adequate resources to continue in operational existence for the foreseeable future.

#### Development projects in progress and impairment loss in subsidiaries

Development projects in Cardlay A/S concern the development of new technology and products. The recognition of the development projects has been made on the basis of sales forecast and investment evaluations. Management expects continued growth in sales. The development proceeds as planned using the resources allocated by Management for the development.

#### 3 Staff costs

The Company has no employees.

#### 4 Investments

DKK	<u>Investments in group enterprises</u>
Cost at 1 January 2023	202,754,690
Additions	22,446,985
Cost at 31 December 2023	<u>225,201,675</u>
Value adjustments at 1 January 2023	-140,330,063
Profit/loss for the year	<u>-17,523,206</u>
Value adjustments at 31 December 2023	<u>-157,853,269</u>
<b>Carrying amount at 31 December 2023</b>	<u><b>67,348,406</b></u>

#### Group entities

<u>Name</u>	<u>Domicile</u>	<u>Interest</u>
Cardlay A/S	Odense	100.00%
Cardlay Payments Solutions A/S	Odense	100.00%

#### 5 Non-current liabilities other than provisions

Of the long-term liabilities, t. DKK 0 falls due for payment after more than 5 years after the balance sheet date.

#### 6 Corporation tax payable

Estimated joint taxation contribution payable relates to receivable tax credit for the current financial year for Cardlay A/S. Receivable tax credit is expected approved by the Danish Tax Authorities in connection with the taxreturn for FY 2023. If the Danish Tax Authorities has no objections to the assessment the receivable will be paid in November 2024. Management expects this to be a standard procedure.

## **Financial statements 1 January - 31 December**

### **Notes to the financial statements**

#### **7 Contractual obligations and contingencies, etc.**

As management company, the Company is jointly taxed with other Danish group entities and is jointly and severally with other jointly taxed group entities for payment of income taxes, as well as withholding taxes on interest, royalties and dividends falling due for payment.

#### **8 Security and collateral**

The Company has not provided any security or other collateral in assets at 31 December 2023.



# PENNEO

Underskrifterne i dette dokument er juridisk bindende. Dokumentet er underskrevet via Penneo™ sikker digital underskrift. Underskrivernes identiteter er blevet registreret, og informationerne er listet herunder.

“Med min underskrift bekræfter jeg indholdet og alle datoer i dette dokument.”

## Nicolai Fink Gundersen

Board member

På vegne af: Cardlay

Serienummer: nfg@agtobco.dk

IP: 172.225.xxx.xxx

2024-05-24 05:54:36 UTC

## Jørgen Christian Juul

Board member

På vegne af: Cardlay

Serienummer: 0ddf8ade-a1b2-4d6a-987b-3953c77305f8

IP: 104.28.xxx.xxx

2024-05-24 06:02:28 UTC



## Jørgen Christian Juul

CEO

På vegne af: Cardlay

Serienummer: 0ddf8ade-a1b2-4d6a-987b-3953c77305f8

IP: 104.28.xxx.xxx

2024-05-24 06:04:08 UTC



## Torben Frigaard Rasmussen

Chairman

På vegne af: Cardlay

Serienummer: eea312cf-801d-47b1-bb74-263df392ff93

IP: 80.63.xxx.xxx

2024-05-24 06:35:33 UTC



## Thorleif Krarup

Board member

På vegne af: Cardlay

Serienummer: 328062f1-84ec-4de1-9349-3c7a38482a3c

IP: 172.225.xxx.xxx

2024-05-24 12:54:40 UTC



## Søren Smedegaard Hvid

Statsaut. revisor

På vegne af: EY Godkendt Revisionspartnerselskab

Serienummer: 679f8e4e-cbe2-40c1-8b8a-b3f72863eea1

IP: 37.96.xxx.xxx

2024-05-24 13:10:44 UTC



Dette dokument er underskrevet digitalt via **Penneo.com**. Signeringsbeviserne i dokumentet er sikret og valideret ved anvendelse af den matematiske hashværdi af det originale dokument. Dokumentet er låst for ændringer og tidsstempelt med et certifikat fra en betroet tredjepart. Alle kryptografiske signeringsbeviser er indlejret i denne PDF, i tilfælde af de skal anvendes til validering i fremtiden.

### Sådan kan du sikre, at dokumentet er originalt

Dette dokument er beskyttet med et Adobe CDS certifikat. Når du åbner dokumentet

i Adobe Reader, kan du se, at dokumentet er certificeret af **Penneo e-signature service <penneo@penneo.com>**. Dette er din garanti for, at indholdet af dokumentet er uændret.

Du har mulighed for at efterprøve de kryptografiske signeringsbeviser indlejret i dokumentet ved at anvende Penneos validator på følgende websted: **https://penneo.com/validator**

# PENNEO

Underskrifterne i dette dokument er juridisk bindende. Dokumentet er underskrevet via Penneo™ sikker digital underskrift. Underskrivernes identiteter er blevet registreret, og informationerne er listet herunder.

“Med min underskrift bekræfter jeg indholdet og alle datoer i dette dokument.”

## Louise Egebæk Greve

EY Godkendt Revisionspartnerselskab CVR: 30700228

Statsaut. revisor

På vegne af: EY Godkendt Revisionspartnerselskab

Serienummer: 943591c5-6c49-4bb9-bbee-65fe3c5c10a1

IP: 165.225.xxx.xxx

2024-05-26 06:45:53 UTC



Dette dokument er underskrevet digitalt via **Penneo.com**. Signeringsbeviserne i dokumentet er sikret og valideret ved anvendelse af den matematiske hashværdi af det originale dokument. Dokumentet er låst for ændringer og tidsstempelt med et certifikat fra en betroet tredjepart. Alle kryptografiske signeringsbeviser er indlejret i denne PDF, i tilfælde af de skal anvendes til validering i fremtiden.

### Sådan kan du sikre, at dokumentet er originalt

Dette dokument er beskyttet med et Adobe CDS certifikat. Når du åbner dokumentet

i Adobe Reader, kan du se, at dokumentet er certificeret af **Penneo e-signature service <penneo@penneo.com>**. Dette er din garanti for, at indholdet af dokumentet er uændret.

Du har mulighed for at efterprøve de kryptografiske signeringsbeviser indlejret i dokumentet ved at anvende Penneos validator på følgende websted: **<https://penneo.com/validator>**