# **REF IVV BidCo ApS**

Åboulevarden 22, 2. sal, 8000 Aarhus C, Denmark

# Annual report 2021

Registration No. 42 43 57 75

The annual report has been presented and approved at the annual general meeting, 9 May 2022

Karsten Langer Chairman

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# Statement by the Executive Board and Board of Directors

The Executive Board and Board of Directors have today discussed and approved the annual report of REF IVV BidCo ApS for the financial year 2 June – 31 December 2021.

The annual report has been prepared in accordance with the Danish Financial Statements Act.

It is our opinion that the financial statements give a true and fair view of the company's assets, liabilities and financial position at 31 December 2021 and of the results of the company's operations for the financial year 2 June - 31 December 2021.

Further, in our opinion, the Management's review gives a fair review of the issues included.

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

Aarhus, 9 May 2022

**Executive Board** 

Karsten Langer

Michael Weber

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# **Independent Auditor's Report**

# To the shareholder of REF IVV BidCo ApS

### **Opinion**

We have audited the financial statements of REF IVV BidCo ApS for the financial year 2 June -31 December 2021, which comprise an income statement, balance sheet and notes, including a summary of significant 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 2021 and of the results of the Company's operations for the financial year 2 June — 31 December 2021 in accordance with the Danish Financial Statements Act.

## **Basis for opinion**

We conducted our audit in accordance with International Standards on Auditing (ISAs) and 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 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

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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 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.

#### Independent auditor's report

As part of an audit conducted in accordance with ISAs and 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 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.

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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 Statements Act. We did not identify any material misstatement of the Management's review.

Aarhus, 9 May 2022

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# Management's review

**Company details** 

REF IVV BidCo ApS Åboulevarden 22, 2. sal

8000 Aarhus C Denmark

Registration No.:

42 43 57 75 2 June 2021

Established: Registered office:

Aarhus

Financial year:

1 January – 31 December

**Executive Board** 

Karsten Langer Michael Weber

**Ownership** 

The majority of shares are owned by REF IVV TopCo ApS,

Åboulevarden 22, 2. sal, 8000 Aarhus C, Denmark

**Auditors** 

PricewaterhouseCoopers Jens Chr. Skous Vej 1

8000 Aarhus C Denmark

# **Principal activities**

The purpose of the company is to own shares, to make investments and asset management, to provide management services or other services to its subsidiaries and other business related hereto.

# **Development in the activities and financial affairs**

Profit before tax is DKK -49.1 million.

Tax on profit for the year is a profit of DKK 2.9 million. After this, result for the year is a loss of DKK 46.2 million.

Equity comprises DKK 722.8 million at year-end.

#### **Events after the balance sheet date**

No events of any significance affecting the financial position of the company occurred after the end of the financial year.

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# **Income statement 2 June - 31 December**

		Note_	2021
Gross profit			(17.663.316)
Staff cost		2	(1.153.265)
Operating profit			(18.816.581)
Profit in subsidiaries after tax		4	(22.474.788)
Interest expense and similar items		_	(7.842.867)
Profit before tax			(49.134.236)
Tax on profit for the year		3 _	2.934.133
Profit for the year		-	(46.200.103)
Proposed profit appropriation:			
Reserve for net revaluation according to t method	the equity		_
Retained earnings		_	(46.200.103)
			(46.200.103)

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# **Balance sheet at 31 December**

ASSETS	Note _	2021
Investments in subsidiaries	4	938.048.500
Total investments	-	938.048.500
TOTAL FIXED ASSETS		938.048.500
Amounts owed by group enterprises		1.125.000
Deferred tax asset		2.934.133
Other receivables	_	1.108.158
Total receivables	-	5.167.291
Cash at bank and in hand		6.095.223
TOTAL CURRENT ASSETS		11.262.514
TOTAL ASSETS		949.311.014

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# **Balance sheet at 31 December**

EQUITY AND LIABILITIES	Note	2021
Share capital		75.000.000
Retained earnings		647.824.364
TOTAL EQUITY	5 -	722.824.364
Credit institutions	6	216.621.788
Total long-term liabilities		216.621.788
Amounts owed to group enterprises		1.441.581
Other payables		8.423.281
Total short-term liabilities	-	9.864.862
TOTAL LIABILITIES		226.486.650
TOTAL EQUITY AND LIABILITIES		949.311.014
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# **Note 1 Accounting policies**

The annual report of REF IVV BidCo ApS has been prepared in accordance with the provisions applying to reporting class B enterprises under the Danish Financial Statements Act.

In accordance with section 112 (1) of the Danish Financial Statements Act the company has omitted the presentation of consolidated financial statements.

## Foreign currency translation

On initial recognition, transactions denominated in foreign currencies are translated at the exchange rates at the transaction date.

Receivables and payables and other monetary items denominated in foreign currencies are translated at the exchange rates at the balance sheet date.

Foreign exchange differences are recognised in the income statement as interest income or expense and similar items.

On recognition of foreign subsidiaries, the income statements are translated at the average exchange rates for the year, and the balance sheet items are translated at the exchange rates at the balance sheet date. Foreign exchange differences arising on translation of the opening equity of foreign subsidiaries at the exchange rates at the balance sheet date and on translation of the income statements from average exchange rates to the exchange rates at the balance sheet date are recognised directly in equity.

Non-current assets acquired in foreign currency are measured at the exchange rate at the transaction date.

#### Income statement

#### **Gross profit**

In accordance with §32 of the Danish Financial Statements Act the company has aggregated the items revenue and other external cost and instead added the item gross profit.

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# Note 1 Accounting policies (continued)

#### Income statement

#### Revenue

Revenue from sales is recognized in net sales when transition of the main benefits and risks to the buyer has taken place, the income can be calculated reliably, and payment is expected to be received. The time of transition of the main benefits and risks is based on standard delivery terms based on Incoterms® 2020.

Net sales are measured at the fair value of the agreed consideration excl. VAT and taxes charged on behalf of third parties. All forms of discounts are recognized in net sales.

#### Other external cost

Other external cost includes administration cost.

#### Staff cost

Staff cost include cost related to wages, pensions, holidays, social security and other cost related to the employees in the company.

#### **Profits/losses from investments in subsidiaries**

The proportionate share of the results after tax of the individual subsidiaries after full elimination of intra-group profits/losses and amortization of negative goodwill is recognized on a separate line in the income statement of the company.

#### Interest income and expense and similar items

Interest income and expense and similar items comprise interest income and expense, gains and losses on securities, payables and transactions denominated in foreign currencies, amortisation of financial assets and liabilities as well as surcharges and refunds under the on-account tax scheme etc.

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

REF IVV BidCo ApS is covered by the Danish regulations concerning compulsory joint taxation with the Danish subsidiary and the parent company REF IVV TopCo ApS and its Danish parent companies. The current Danish corporation tax is apportioned through payment of joint tax contribution between the jointly taxed companies in relation to their taxable incomes.

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# Note 1 Accounting policies (continued)

Tax for the year, which comprises the year's joint tax contribution and changes in deferred tax, is included in the income statement with the proportion that is attributable to the year's result and directly in the equity with the proportion that is attributable to the items directly in the equity. The recognised tax relating to the extraordinary profit/loss for the year is allocated to this item whereas the remaining tax is allocated to the profit/loss for the year from ordinary activities.

#### Balance sheet

#### **Investments in subsidiaries**

Investments in subsidiaries are measured according to the equity method.

Investments in subsidiaries are measured in the balance sheet at the proportionate share of the enterprises' net asset values calculated in accordance with the parent company's accounting policies minus or plus unrealised intra-group profits and losses and with subtraction of the carrying amount of negative goodwill.

Goodwill is amortised over the expected useful life of 15-20 years.

Net revaluation of investments in subsidiaries is transferred to the reserve for net revaluation according to the equity method in equity to the extent that the carrying amount exceeds cost.

#### **Impairment of non-current assets**

The carrying amount of property, plant and equipment and investments in subsidiaries is assessed annually for indications of impairment, in addition to that expressed by depreciation.

If there are indications of impairment, impairment tests of each asset or group of assets are carried out. Write-downs are made at the recoverable amount if this is lower than the carrying amount.

#### Receivables

Receivables are measured at amortised cost. Amortised cost corresponds in all material respects to nominal value. Write-down is made for bad debt losses.

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# Note 1 Accounting policies (continued)

#### **Equity**

Proposed dividends are recognised as a liability at the date when they are adopted at the annual general meeting (declaration date). The expected dividend payment for the year is disclosed as a separate item under equity.

# Cash and cash equivalents

Cash and cash equivalents include bank deposits.

## Corporation tax and deferred tax

Joint tax contribution liabilities and receivables calculated on the taxable income for the year, adjusted for any tax from previous years' taxable income as well as prepaid on-account taxes, are recognised in the balance sheet as corporation tax liability or corporation tax receivable.

Deferred tax is measured using the balance sheet liability method on all temporary differences between the carrying amount and the tax base of assets and liabilities.

Deferred tax assets, including the tax base of tax loss carryforwards, 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 and jurisdiction. Changes in deferred tax assets resulting from a change in the tax rate are recognised in the income statement.

#### Financial debt

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.

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

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	2021
Note 2 Staff cost Wages and salaries Pensions	1.094.400 57.488
Other staff cost	1.377
	1.153.265
Average number of employees (FTEs)	2
Note 3 Tax on profit for the year	
Current tax for the year	-
Changes in deferred tax for the year	2.934.133
	2.934.133
Note 4 Investments in subsidiaries	2021
Cost at 2 June	-
Addition	959.092.008
Cost at 31 December	959.092.008
Revaluations at 2 June	
Foreign exchange adjustments	1.431.280
Profit/loss after tax	(22.474.788)
Revaluations at 31 December	(21.043.508)
Carrying amount at 31 December	938.048.500
Positive differences arising on initial measurement of subsidiaries	932.592.281
Remaining positive differences included in the above carrying amount	908.476.518
Name and registered office	Ownership
Cryptomathic Holding ApS, Aarhus	100%

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#### **Note 5 Equity**

	Share capital	Retained earnings	Total
Equity at 2 June	-	-	-
Cash payment concerning formation of entity	40.000		
Capital increase	74.960.000	692.593.187	767.553.187
Foreign exchange adjust- ments, foreign subsidiaries	-	1.431.280	1.431.280
Profit for the year		(46.200.103)	(46.200.103)
Equity at 31 December	75.000.000	647.824.364	722.784.364

#### Share capital

The share capital comprises 75,000,000 shares of DKK 1 each.

# **Note 6 Long term liabilities**

Debt settlement:	
Less than 1 year	
More than 1 year and less than 5 years	-
More than 5 years	216.621.788
	216.621.788

### **Note 7 Contingent liabilities**

The company is jointly and severally liable for tax under the Danish joint taxation with the parent company REF IVV TopCo ApS. The known net tax liability of the jointly taxed companies is DKK 0 thousand as at 31 December 2021.

Subsequent corrections of the joint taxable income, if any, might result in an increased liability for the company.

#### **Note 8 Shareholders**

The Company has registered the following shareholders to hold at least 5% of the voting share capital or at least 5% of the nominel value of the share capital:

REF IVV TopCo ApS c/o Cryptomathic A/S Åboulevarden 22, 2. sal 8000 Aarhus C Denmark

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### **Note 9 Consolidated financial statements**

REF IVV BidCo ApS and subsidiaries are included in the consolidated financial statements for REF IVV TopCo ApS c/o Cryptomathic A/S Åboulevarden 22, 2. sal 8000 Aarhus C Denmark

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