

### Interim Results: Six months ended 30 September 2021

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## Interim 2021 Results Highlights

- Recovery well established and gathering pace.
- UK activity increased markedly in Q2 with both PHFC and Momart moving back into profitability.
- Group revenue in H1 £17.3m +20% (2020: £14.4m)(2019 £19.4m).
- Pre Tax Profit of £0.36m vs loss £0.25m (2019: Profit £1.25m).
  - ❖ FIC: PBT £0.6m (2020: £0.8m). Planned investment in senior staff and temporary slow down in construction activity offset increase in agency income linked to squid. Robust domestic demand largely unaffected by Covid.
  - Momart: Pre-Tax Loss reduced to £0.2m (2020: Loss £0.5m). Recovering commercial art market, especially in Q2 but museums activity still restricted. Overall revenue increased by 53% to £5.9m but still well below pre-Covid levels of £8.0m in 2019.
  - ❖ PHFC: Break-even achieved vs pre-tax loss of £0.4m in 2020. Revenue +87% at £1.5m.
    Steadily improving passenger volumes saw return to profitability in Q2
  - Interim Dividend of 1 pence per share (£125k) payable in January 2022
- Healthy cash balances of £8.0m following repayment of £5m CBILS loan in June.
- Bank borrowings £14.6m (£20.1m at 31 March 2021) including £12.9m long dated commercial mortgage on Leyton freehold.



- H2 Outlook Continuing recovery provided pandemic continues to subside. Seasonal H2 uplift expected at Momart and FIC.
- FIC: Healthy outlook for core FIC business with normal uplift in seasonal demand expected (despite continued lack of tourists) plus increased activity from FBS construction and property rental.
- PHFC: Passenger volumes at 80% of pre-covid levels set to underpin modest profitability in quieter winter months.
- Momart: Slow revival in museum activity should help continued recovery in H2. Commercial art market increasingly buoyant but remains highly competitive. Return to normal trading conditions not expected until late 2022
- **Cash**: Strong cash position allows continued investment in group's core business while providing flexibility to support acquisitions.
- Option for Sale and Leaseback of Leyton freehold gives additional cash options if required.
- Continuing search for strategic acquisitions in parallel to taking advantage of growth opportunities in existing businesses.

Six months ended 30 September	2021 £'000	2020 £'000	Change %
Group Turnover	17,267	14,384	20%
Profit From Operations	828	327	153%
Restructuring costs	-44	-102	-57%
Operating profit	784	225	248%
Interest payable on bank loans Lease Finance & Pensions charges	-217 -204	-252 -220	-14% - <b>7</b> %
Financing costs	-421	-472	-11%
Profit/ (Loss) Before Tax	363	-247	-247%
Avg Shares in issue	12,517	12,508	0%
EPS on loss after tax*	(1.3p)	(1.5p)	- 15%
* Impact of 2021 Deferred tax charge of £0.4m due to incr in future CT rates to 25%			

# Split by Business:

Six months ended 30 September	2021 £'000	2020 £'000	Change %
Turnover			
FIC	9,895	9,735	1.6%
PHFC	1,496	800	87.0%
Momart	5,876	3,849	<b>52.7</b> %
Group Turnover	17,267	14,384	20.0%
Profit before tax			
FIC	616	805	-23.5%
PHFC	-29	-435	-93.3%
Momart	-180	-515	-65.0%
Restructuring costs	-44	-102	-56.9%
Profit / (Loss ) before tax	363	-247	-247.0%



## Falkland Islands Company (FIC)



# FIC Trading Overview

Six months ended 30 September	2021 £'000	2020 £'000	Change %
Revenue			
Retail	4,738	4,587	3.3%
FBS (construction)	1,743	2,044	-14.7%
Falklands 4x4	1,615	1,619	-0.2%
Other Services	1,380	1,091	26.5%
Property Rental	419	394	6.3%
Total FIC Revenue	9,895	9,735	1.6%
Trading profit	651	867	-24.9%
Defined Benefit pension - finance expense	-35	-62	-43.5%
Underlying profit before tax	616	805	-23.5%



- Steady trading performance in line with expectations
- FIC Revenue ahead by 1.6% to £9.9m but H1 PBT lower at £0.62m (2020 £0.81m) due to planned investment in senior management and absence of Covid related grant income.
- Retail sales up 3% to £4.74m (2019 £4.59m) but increased wage costs and absence of Covid related grant support seen in 2020 saw squeeze on net margins.
- FBS (construction). Sales lower by 15% at £1.74m (2020 £2.04m) due to slippage in contract start on FIG work expected to correct in H2
  - Pipeline for kit homes, infrastructure works and road maintenance for FIG remains strong
- \* 4x4 Sales steady at £1.6m (2020: £1.6m) despite fewer new vehicle sales
- Other Services Revenue +26.5% at £1.38m (20202 £1.1m). Insurance and freight steady and Agency income boosted by strong illex catch in April / May 2021
- Property rental income essentially unchanged at £0.4m (2020 £0.4m)-portfolio now 80 units- income held back pending arrival of new long term tenants in 10% of units.



## FIC: New Housing Units for FIG





- Steady profitability expected in H2 based on solid domestic demand despite continuing embargo on civilian flights and lack of cruise ship visitors.
- Repetition of FIG voucher scheme £500 per adult will again support local spending on tourism.
- Strong order book for kit homes and new FIG construction/ road maintenance contracts underpins healthy FBS performance in H2.
- Renewed MoD interest in modernising facilities at Mount Pleasant base offers significant opportunities in medium term.
- High Brent crude prices have improved economics for developing Sea Lion but FIC growth not dependent on oil.
- Longer term tourism, infrastructure and outsourcing by FIG and MoD give significant growth opportunities.





Six months ended 30 September	2021 £'000	2020 £'000	Change %
Revenue			
Museums & Exhibitions	2,420	1,307	85.2%
Commercial Galleries and Auction Houses	2,303	1,350	70.6%
Art Storage	1,153	1,192	-3.3%
Total Revenue	5,876	3,849	52.7%
Trading profit/ (Loss)	54	-273	-119.8%
Finance expense	-234	-242	-3.3%
Loss before tax	-180	-515	-65.0%

### Momart: Overview

- Revenue up 53% to £5.9m ( 2020 £3.85m) as art market gradually re-opened but still well down on pre-Covid levels (2019 £8.0m)
- Reduced headcount with lower cost base enabled small operating profit of £54k (2020 Loss £273k)
- Pre-tax losses reduced from £515k to £180k in traditionally guieter H1
- Marked recovery in activity from late summer onwards
- Museums & Exhibitions :
  - Revenue increase from £1.3m to £2.4m but still well down on pre-Covid levels of £4.3m
  - Museums: most stayed closed until late June or July and then reopened with restrictions on visitor numbers.
  - Museum planners severely reduced number of new blockbuster shows to limit losses
- Gallery Services
  - Revenue recovered from £1.35m to £2.3m much closer to pre-Covid levels of £2.7m
  - Auction Houses active with online sales ,UK galleries re-opened in mid May.
  - Commercial art market increasingly buoyant with first art fairs in Europe for 2 years Art Basel late September,
    Frieze London in mid October.
- Storage: Revenue held up well at £1.15m despite difficulty in securing new business to replace planned client returns







Six months ended 30 September	2021 £'000	2020 £'000	Change %
Revenue			
Ferry fares	1,490	800	86.3%
Cruising and Other income	6	0	0.0%
Total Ferry Revenue	1,496	800	87.0%
Trading profit/ (loss)	123	-267	-146.1%
Finance expense	-152	-168	-9.5%
Loss Before Tax	-29	-435	-93.3%

### PHFC: Overview

- Ferry revenue recovered to £1.5m (2020 £0.8m) but still well down on pre-covid levels (2019: £2.3m)
- Small operating profit achieved of £123k compared to loss of £267k in 2020
- After pontoon finance costs, pre-tax losses almost eliminated. (2020 Loss before tax £0.44m (after allocated overheads) (2019 Profit £0.5m)
- Summer cruising programme cancelled again lost income £0.2m
- ♦ But one vessel Service maintained -17½ hours each day
- Steady recovery evident as lock-down restrictions eased and passenger numbers increased month by month. April 45% of Pre- Covid, September 80%.
- Extent of future hybrid / home working may constrain passenger numbers although some indications of increased weekend travel may offset this
- Local council support for Park & Float scheme encouraging, albeit uptake has been slow
- Increasing govt focus on "green" public transport will assist over medium term
- **£**56m Transforming Cities Fund investment to regenerate harbour region will also help.
- Initial plans for redevelopment of Gosport waterfront and new transport hub based around ferry terminal will yield benefits in medium term.
- Large local employers increasingly looking to green transport solutions for staff

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### Outlook - November 2021

#### FIC:

- Solid profitability underpinned by robust domestic demand as in 2020-21
- Strong pipeline of FBS kit home sales & work for FIG in H2
- Further stimulus from FIG / MoD capital projects expected in medium term.

#### Momart:

- Further improvement expected in traditionally stronger H2
- Commercial art market continuing to recover helped by increasing international air travel
- Museums activity likely to remain below Pre-Covid levels until well into Summer 2022
- Options for additional storage facilities being investigated

#### PHFC:

- Ferry now returned to consistent profitability subject to no Covid related setbacks
- Annual cost base lowered by £0.35m as a result of headcount savings in autumn 2020 will help offset any impact on passenger volumes from hybrid working.
- Move towards "green" public transport initiatives & regeneration of Gosport waterfront offer more positive medium term outlook

#### Overall:

- Continued recovery in UK operations in H2 provided no further Covid related setbacks.
- Solid trading from FIC expected underpinned by strong FBS pipeline
- Full return to pre-Covid levels of trading not expected until well into 2022
- Encouraging medium term opportunities particularly in FIC.



#### FIC:

- Further expansion of FBS Construction activities focus on larger house build contracts and straightforward civils work.
- Development of support services and outsourcing with FIG and MoD
- Post Covid, longer term opportunities for development of land-based tourism remain

#### **Momart:**

- Maximise opportunities for growth by staying close to key institutional and commercial clients as recovery progresses
- Further expansion of storage facilities
- Complementary acquisitions and JV's being explored.

#### PHFC:

Tight cost control – Work with local councils to develop Park & Float amenities and redevelopment of waterfront

#### **Corporate:**

Pursue value enhancing strategic acquisition opportunities



## **Appendices**

Cash Flow, Balance sheet, Net borrowings & liquidity,



	30-Sep	30-Sep
	2021	2020
Cash Flow	£'000	£'000
Operating Profit	784	225
Depreciation and amortisation	1,215	1,175
Provision for share based payments	10	22
Increase in working capital & Other	(1,311)	643
Net Cash Flow from Operations	698	2,065
Tax paid	47	(64)
Capital expenditure	(1,105)	(662)
Dividend paid	-	-
Other	(60)	(81)
Net cash flow before loan repayments & interest	(1,118)	(807)
Bank Loan & HP repayments	(5,774)	(587)
Bank & Lease interest paid	(386)	(412)
Bank & HP draw downs		5,000
Total increase/( decrease ) in Cash	(6,580)	5,259
Opening Cash balance	14,556	9,108
Closing Cash balance	7,976	14,367



All figs £ '000's	30-Sep	30-Sep	31-Mar
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Tangible Fixed Assets	39,552	40,940	40,361
Investment properties at net book value	7,794	6,691	7,123
Goodwill & Intangibles	4,167	4,212	4,183
Deferred tax, Joint Venture & HP due after 1 year	1,691	1,525	1,676
Total non current assets	53,204	53,368	53,343
Working Capital - Net	6,862	5,475	5,522
Cash	7,976	14,367	14,556
Corporation tax payable	(237)	(112)	(113)
Interest bearing loans and liabilities	(1,403)	(1,468)	(3,424)
Derivative financial instruments	-	(537)	-
Net Current Assets	13,198	17,725	16,541
Interest bearing loans and liabilities	(21,046)	(27,037)	(24,799)
Derivative financial instruments	(234)	-	(234)
Employee benefits	(2,828)	(2,615)	(2,842)
Deferred tax liabilities	(3,559)	(2,849)	(3,113)
Net Assets / Equity Shareholders funds	38,735	38,592	38,896

# Borrowings, Cash & Liquidity

All figs £ '000's	30-Sep 2021	30-Sep 2020	31-Mar 2021
Bank Loans due within 1 year	-940	-926	-2797
Bank Loans due after 1 year	-13,702	-19,638	-17,313
Total Bank borrowings *	-14,642	-20,564	-20,110
Cash	7,976	14,367	14,556
Net Bank borrowings / Cash	-6,666	-6,197	-5,554
Lease Liabilities due within 1 year	-463	-542	-627
Lease Liabilities due after 1 year **	-7,344	-7399	-7486
Net Debt	-14,473	-14,138	-13,667
Net Tangible Assets	34,568	34,380	34,713
*Includes £12.9m mortgage on Leyton fixed at 3.0% pa			
** includes Ferry pontoon lease of £5.7m renewable after 2061			

