

Annual Report 2016

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Annual General Meeting

The Annual General Meeting will be held on 28 April 2017 at 09.00 am at the offices of DLH's lawyers Kromann Reumert, Sundkrogsgade 5, DK-2100 Copenhagen Ø.

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Financial highlights for DLH Group

(DKK million) ¹⁾	2016	2015	2014	2013	2012
Income statement					
Profit/(loss) for the year from continuing operations	(16)	(32)	(65)	(82)	(78)
Profit/(loss) for the year from discontinued operations	10	(53)	(106)	(195)	(115)
Profit/(loss) for the year	(6)	(85)	(171)	(277)	(193)
Balance sheet details:					
Total assets	99	173	304	754	1,163
Equity	66	77	152	323	599
Cash flow:					
Cash flow from operating activities (CFFO)	(17)	(21)	(92)	(57)	(71)
Cash flow from investment activities	0	1	0	(2)	(1)
Cash flow from financing activities	(47)	35	(169)	(74)	(251)
Cash flow from discontinued operations	65	(11)	243	60	370
Performance ratios:					
Return on equity (ROE)	(8.4%)	(74.4%)	(72.1%)	(60.0%)	(28.1%)
Equity ratio	66.5%	44.3%	50.0%	42.8%	51.5%
Interest bearing debt, net	0	36	13	204	248
Average number of employees	60	100	335	473	578
Share-based ratios ²⁾					
Booked value per diluted DKK 0.5 / 5 share (BVPS-D) at end of the period	1.23	1.44	2.84	6.04	11.22
Share price, end of the period (P), DKK	1.01	0.795	2.68	5.60	3.88
Diluted share price / booked value (P/BV-D)	0.82	0.55	0.94	0.93	0.35
Average number of diluted shares in issue (in denominations of 1,000 shares)	53,384	53,384	53,384	53,384	53,384
Cash flow per diluted DKK 0.5 / 5 share (CFPS-D)	(0.31)	(0.39)	(1.72)	(1.06)	(1.34)
Dividend per DKK 0.5 / 5 share (DPS)	-	-	-	-	-
Price Earning diluted (P/E-D)	(3.3)	(1.3)	(2.2)	(3.7)	(2.6)
EPS basic per share of DKK 0.5 / 5	(0.31)	(0.61)	(1.22)	(1.53)	(1.46)

1) The financial highlights for 2012 have been restated in line with the change in presentation of discontinued operations incurred in 2013.

2) Earnings per share have been determined in accordance with IAS 33 "Earnings per share". Other financial ratios have been calculated in accordance with the "Recommendations and Financial Ratios 2015 - Nordic Edition" issued by the Danish Finance Society.
The denomination of the shares was changed to DKK 0.50 DKK in April 2015. The above figures have been restated only for 2014. Before this, the denomination of the shares was changed to DKK 5 in connection with the capital increase in April 2011.

Financial review

Total loss for the year was DKK 6 million, which comprises costs and financial expenses of DKK 16 million related to DLH's head office and profit from the business units of DKK 10 million.

Major events

DLH Group continued its divestment strategy during 2016. A number of business units and functions were sold or wound up.

In February 2016, the Group announced the closure of its French subsidiary. All staff left the company by end July 2016 with the exception of the local accountant who will remain with the company in Q1 2017.

In November, the major part of DLH's Swedish activities (stock, property and customers) were sold while the remainder was integrated into DLH's Danish activities. All employees left the company apart from three persons from the finance and IT departments who will remain until February 2017.

DLH's subsidiary in the USA was liquidated and the process of closing the subsidiaries in Belgium and Norway advanced although not fully completed.

At the end of the year, the Group still had active operations in Denmark and Ukraine.

Throughout the year, management had dialogues and meetings with potential buyers for the two remaining business units. As none of these processes resulted in conclusive arrangements, management evaluated other options. The improved performance in the remaining business units has during March 2017 led management to believe that a transfer to a going concern model would yield the best result for the company and its shareholders.

Continuing operations

Continuing operations represent costs relating to head office functions, primarily the wind up of the remaining subsidiaries. Although the costs represent necessary maintenance costs for operating the Group structure and the cost has been reduced compared to last year, there are still cost related to closing and liquidating subsidiaries with no business activities.

Financial expenses have been reduced and amounted to DKK 3 million compared to DKK 16 million last year. The reduction is due to lower debt and reduced losses on exchange rates compared to 2015.

Discontinued operations

The operating business units produced a consolidated profit on EBIT of DKK 9.0 million.

The French business unit posted a loss on EBIT in 2016 of DKK 12 million in the local books. Provisions were made on Group level in 2015 relating to write down of inventory and debtors, resulting in a net result from the French business unit on EBIT on DKK 0 million on Group level in 2016.

The French organisation focused on selling its stock and collecting debts. At the end of the year, almost all stock was sold and the majority of the debtors collected. The proceeds were used to reduce bank debt.

Overall revenue for the Nordic business unit, comprising Denmark (full year) and Sweden (until end November), amounted to DKK 398 million compared to DKK 436 million in 2015, while EBIT came in at DKK minus 2 million versus DKK minus 4 million last year. The Nordic unit operated at a loss on EBIT of DKK 2 million in 2016 due to the sale and restructuring of the business in Sweden. Provisions were made for Sweden on a Group level in 2015 why the net result for Nordic was EBIT DKK 9.3 million in 2016.

Although affected by the sales process the results in Sweden showed progress compared to last year.

The Danish business continued the strong improvement that began to emerge in 2015 and produced a satisfactory EBIT for the year of DKK 11 million.

The proceeds from the sale of the Swedish activities were used to reduce bank debt.

Balance sheet

At the end of the year, the Group's assets totalled DKK 99 million against DKK 173 million in 2015. The balance sheet was reduced because of the divestments completed during the year.

By the end of the year, DLH's equity totalled DKK 66 million (2015: DKK 77 million), while solvency amounted to 67% against 45% last year.

The Group has relied on an overdraft facility provided by its main bankers – Danske Bank and Nordea. In addition, the Group had a term loan with FIH Erhvervsbank stemming from the sale of the former head office building. The loan was due on 31 December 2016.

The overdraft facilities were repaid to Danske Bank and Nordea by end of Q3, and the facilities were terminated. The loan with FIH was repaid in full in December. With the remaining proceeds from the sale of the Swedish activities the Group had a net cash deposit of DKK 12 million end 2016. The Group's net interest bearing debt was DKK 0 million by end December 2016 (2015: DKK 36 million).

Key events after the close of the financial year

Ringkjøbing Landbobank has provided a new credit line for 2017 to facilitate Group operations.



In March 2017 the Group announced a change in strategy, and decided to continue operations of its Danish activities.

The divestment strategy announced in 2013 was therefore terminated. This causes that the Danish activities from 2017 will be presented as continued business. Refer to note 21.

The Group announced a share buyback programme along with the change in strategy in March 2017. The share buyback programme was launched in March 2017.

Apart from this, no key events, which are of significance to the consolidated or company accounts for 2016, have taken place after the close of the year.

Share capital

By the end of 2016, the parent company's equity had been restored and increased by 97%, mainly due to dividends paid to the parent company from the subsidiaries.

Dividend

The Board of Directors recommends to the Annual General Meeting that no dividend be paid for 2016.

Outlook

The outlook for 2017 for the Group is a revenue of DKK 300 million and EBITDA of DKK 5 million. The outlook is based on the revenue and earnings from the Danish business unit and the remaining cost associated with operating the Group structure. The increase in revenue in the Danish business is related to the integration of the remaining Swedish activities after the divestment in 2016.

Shareholder information

Share capital

DLH's nominal share capital is DKK 26,783,248.50 and the number of issued shares is 53,566,497. The shares are listed on NASDAQ Copenhagen A/S and are included in the SmallCap index. All shares have the same rights, including the same number of votes per share.

Treasury share policy

By authority granted at the Annual General Meeting, DLH may acquire up to 10% of the share capital.

At 31 December 2016, DLH's portfolio of treasury shares had a total nominal value of DKK 91,094 corresponding to 0.3% of the share capital.

Dividend

The Board of Directors recommends to the Annual General Meeting that no dividend be paid for 2016.

DLH shares on the Stock Exchange

During 2016 the price of DLH shares increased from DKK 0.795 to DKK 1.01.

By the end of 2016, the Group had 2,245 shareholders, a little less than at the beginning of the year.

Investor relations

DLH communicates actively and openly with existing and potential investors, financial analysts and other stakeholders concerning the company's business development and financial position. The purpose is to provide participants in the Stock Market with the best possible information and thus enable them to make an objective and independent assessment of the company's market value, thereby creating the basis for fair price information on DLH shares.

In addition to the half year announcements the company intends to publish key financial figures (not full statements) quarterly beginning third quarter 2017.

Investor enquiries

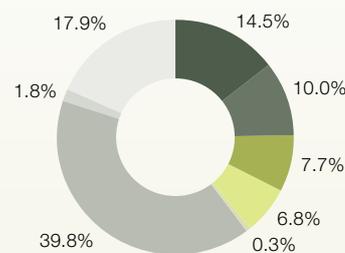
Enquiries about DLH, its business areas and the Annual Report should be directed to President & CEO Michael Skovbo Bühlmann.

Shareholders with a minimum of 5% share capital at 31 December 2016

Name	Registered Office	Proportion of share capital
Johannes Møller Westh	Hvidovre Strandvej 4 2650 Hvidovre	14.5%
MH-Investment ApS	Dyrehavevej 47 2930 Klampenborg	10.0%
Bilhuset Ribe ApS	Nørremarks Vej 54, 6760 Ribe	7.7%
Klaus Zwisler	Oluf Samson Gang 24 24939 Flensburg, Germany	6.8%

Composition of shareholders at 31 December 2016

- Johannes Møller Westh
- MH-Investment ApS
- Bilhuset Ribe ApS
- Klaus Zwisler
- Treasury shares
- Other registered Danish shareholders
- Other registered foreign shareholders
- Non-registered shareholders



Development in the share price 1 January 2016 – 31 December 2016

Price per share in DKK





KEY STOCK EXCHANGE ANNOUNCEMENTS

27 January 2016	Peter Thostrup leaves his position as CEO
29 January 2016	Announcement in accordance with the Securities Trading Act § 29
1 February 2016	Revised Financial Calendar
15 February 2016	Close Down DLH France
29 March 2016	Annual Report 2015
29 March 2016	Notice of annual general meeting to be held on 25 April 2016
25 April 2016	Regarding: Annual general meeting of Dalhoff Larsen & Horneman A/S
28 April 2016	Articles of association of Dalhoff Larsen & Horneman A/S
13 June 2016	Announcement in accordance with the Securities Trading Act § 29
23 June 2016	Announcement in accordance with the Securities Trading Act § 29
20 July 2016	Announcement in accordance with the Securities Trading Act § 29
25 August 2016	Announcement in accordance with the Securities Trading Act § 29
30 August 2016	Interim Report 6 months 2016
18 October 2016	Announcement in accordance with the Securities Trading Act § 2
20 October 2016	Announcement in accordance with the Securities Trading Act § 2
2 November 2016	Announcement in accordance with the Securities Trading Act § 29
7 November 2016	Dalhoff Larsen & Horneman A/S sells its property in Häsleholm and the majority of its Swedish operations to Moelven Wood AB
21 November 2016	The sale of Dalhoff Larsen & Horneman A/S' property in Häsleholm and the majority of its Swedish operations to Moelven Wood AB
31 December 2016	Financial Calendar for Dalhoff Larsen & Horneman A/S 2017
3 March 2017	DLH Change strategy and plan purchase of own share.
6 March 2017	DLH launch the share buyback program and buys own shares for DKK 6 mio.

FINANCIAL CALENDAR 2017

30 March 2017	Annual Report 2016
28 April 2017	Annual General Meeting
31 August 2017	Interim report 6 months 2017
10 November 2017	Key Financial figures for the first 9 months of 2017

Board of Directors

Carsten Lønfeldt

Joined the Board of Directors in 2015.

Year of birth: 1947

Positions of trust:

Chairman of the Board of Directors of Placeringsforeningen Nykredit Invest, Fonden Dansk Standard, Investeringsforeningen Nykredit Invest Engros, Kapitalforeningen Nykredit Invest, Investeringsforeningen Nykredit Invest and Eye4Talent A/S. Vice-Chairman of Onmondo Aps, and Kapitalforeningen Institutional Investor. Member of the Board of Directors of Kapitalforeningen Investin, Kapitalforeningen Investin Pro, Fisker Ejendoms-selskab A/S and related subsidiaries, Carmo A/S, Polaris IV Invest Fonden, Investeringsforeningen Nykredit Invest Almen Bolig, NKB Private Equity III DK A/S and NKB Private Equity VI A/S, Kapitalforeningen Nykredit Mira III, Kapitalforeningen Nykredit Kobra and Nykredit Kobra II and Kobra III, Kapitalforeningen Pro-Target Invest, Kapitalforeningen Emerging Markets (L.E.I.F.) Kapitalforeningen LB Investering, Kapitalforeningen Nykredit Invest Engros, Kapitalforeningen EMD Invest, Kapitalforeningen Nykredit Private Banking Elite, Resources Denmark ApS, ST Skoleinventor, Photodoc Holding ApS and subsidiaries and New Banking ApS. Member of Nasdaq OMX Copenhagen Advisory Committee.

Areas of expertise:

Carsten Lønfeldt has experience from a number of management and board positions in industrial companies and financial institutions.

Particular expertise within financial management of international companies, finance, accounting and auditing.

Shareholding:

Number of shares: 800.000 (acquired in 2016).

Agnete Raaschou-Nielsen

Vice-Chairman

Joined the Board of Directors in 2010.

Year of birth: 1957

Positions of trust:

Chairman of the Board of Directors of Brdr. Hartmann A/S, Arkil Holding A/S, Investeringsforeningen Danske Invest, three other UCITS and two AIF Funds. Member of the Board of Directors of Novozymes A/S, Danske Invest Management A/S, and Aktieselskabet Schouw & Co.

Areas of expertise:

Agnete Raaschou-Nielsen has experience from a number of management positions, including Aalborg Portland A/S, Zacco Denmark A/S, Coca-Cola Tapperierne A/S and Carlsberg A/S.

Particular expertise in macroeconomics, emerging markets, international building materials industry, logistics, production, sales and management.

Shareholding:

Number of shares: 6,500 (no transactions in 2016).

Kristian Kolding

Joined the Board of Directors in 2008.

Year of birth: 1947

Positions of trust:

Chairman of the Board of Directors of Rechnitzer A/S, Asko Aktieselskab, Alfred Priess A/S, Alfred Priess Holding A/S, Nordlux A/S, Nordlux Invest A/S, Lampekonsulentent A/S, Gottfred Petersen A/S, Gottfred Petersen Holding A/S and Incentive Fonden. Member of the Board of Directors of Daniamant A/S, Daniamant Holding A/S, Daniamant (UK) Ltd., Daniamant Electronics A/S, Alex Gundersen Tobacco Aktieselskab and Ferd. and Ellen Hindsgaulls Alm. Fond.

Areas of expertise:

Kristian Kolding has management experience from Martin Gruppen and from a number of management positions at DV Industri a/s and Superfos A/S.

Particular expertise in management, wholesale company and industry, logistics and economics.

Shareholding:

Number of shares: 56,521 (no transactions in 2016)

John Stær

Joined the Board of Directors in 2011.

Year of birth: 1951

Positions of trust:

Member of the Board of Directors of Leki Aviation A/S, Paraffinhuset A/S and Trans Digm Group Inc.

Areas of expertise:

John Stær has particular expertise in management in general, including the management of international wholesale companies, logistics and supply chain management and the acquisition and divestment of companies. He also has an accounting background.

Shareholding:

Number of shares: 7,500 (no transactions in 2016).

All Board of Directors are considered to be independent.

Executive Management

Michael Skovbo Bühlmann President & CEO

Appointed: April 2016

Year of birth: 1970

Positions of trust:

Chairman of the Board of Directors of Køkkensnedkeren A/S. Member of the Board of Directors of Habila A/S.



CORPORATE SOCIAL RESPONSIBILITY

This section comprises the statutory Corporate Social Responsibility statement made in pursuance of section 99a of the Danish Financial Statements Act.

The section describes DLH's Corporate Social Responsibility (CSR) focus areas and gives an overview of the key programmes in 2016.

STRATEGY AND ENGAGEMENTS

DLH's Good Supplier Programme (GSP) is the risk-assessment tool used to collect and evaluate information on the company's suppliers.

GSP serves as the basis for supplier due diligence and enables DLH to comply with international timber legality regulations such as the European Union Timber Regulation (EUTR) and the US Lacey Act.

GSP also serves as the basis for implementation of DLH's Environmental, Social and Human Rights policies with regard to our suppliers.

DLH was among the first companies in Denmark and the EU to be audited by the EUTR Competent Authority in Denmark, the Danish Nature Agency. The EUTR certificate has been fully maintained since then for those activities that have been sold or closed down, and for the remaining businesses.

POLICIES

DLH's CSR strategy rests on three pillars: the Environmental Policy, the Social and Human Rights Policy and the Business Integrity Policy. Due to the divestment strategy, the Group has not developed a policy regarding climate.

The general objectives and focus areas within social and environmental responsibility are set out in these policies. DLH is committed to conducting business responsibly and in line with DLH's "house of values" (corporate values). Responsibility forms the roof of the DLH "house of values", which means that we want to act responsibly in all aspects of our business. Our CSR policies provide guidance on how we translate our values into action and act as a responsible company.

PROGRESS 2016

At an Extraordinary General Meeting of the DLH Group in January 2014, it was decided to divest all business activities in DLH Group. One of the consequences was that a centralised DLH CSR office became obsolete.

Instead, during 2014 the CSR responsibilities were integrated into the operational units. All operational units therefore are individually bound to continue already implemented Group CSR policies.

DLH regained the FSC certificate on probationary basis in January 2016 based on the action plan being implemented in local communities in Liberia.

INTELLECTUAL CAPITAL

DLH's staff play an important role in the strategic changes that have been implemented in recent years. DLH continuously strives to maintain a positive working environment in order to encourage employees to achieve the strategic goals.

2016 RESULTS AND THE FUTURE

During 2016, CSR responsibilities were managed by the operational units.

Going forward, the operational units will continue to ensure that DLH Group maintains and updates its full Good Supplier Programme, and remains compliant with the current EUTR regulations.

Further information on DLH Group's CSR policies can be found at www.dlh.com/csr.aspx.

FSC disassociated itself from DLH in February 2015 when an impartial complaints panel concluded that DLH had been involved in illegal timber trade activities in Liberia. FSC gave DLH a set of conditions which, if satisfactory fulfilled, would bring its disassociation to an end. These included compensation for affected communities and a third-party verification of DLH's due diligence systems.

In October 2015, DLH presented FSC with an action plan that set out its activities to compensate the affected communities for the lost revenue they incurred as a consequence of illegal logging. These activities were agreed with the communities through the free, prior, and informed consent process conducted on the ground by the Sustainable Development Institute (SDI). The action plan was approved by the FSC Board of Directors in November 2015. In December 2015, DLH submitted further documentation showing the progress made in the fulfilment of all of FSC's conditions.

DLH regained the FSC certificate on probationary basis in January 2016.

The progress and results for 2016 should be viewed in relation to the Group's divestment strategy, and as a consequence, no further actions were taken during 2016.

Risks

DLH's activities are exposed to commercial, financial and insurable risks that are given high priority in the Group's risk management

Risks relating to the Group's divestment strategy

Assets classified as held for sale must be measured at the lower of the carrying amount and fair value less costs to sell.

It is associated with risk to make the correct accounting assessment of the fair value at which the individual business units or assets may sell. Hence, there is a risk that book value may not reflect actual fair value less costs to sell.

Furthermore, the Group is exposed to risk from the executed divestments in the form of guarantees granted to the purchasers.

The employees at Group head office left the company on 30 April 2015. There is an ongoing risk that managerial insight and overview will have diminished.

The employees at DLH Nordic's shared finance function left the company on 30 November 2016 after the closing of the sale of the Swedish business. Only two employees from the shared finance function will remain until 28 February 2017 to facilitate the transfer of the finance function to the remaining business unit in Denmark

Although a contract with a new finance manager in Denmark was signed November 2016, there is a risk inherent in the loss of knowledge about historical events and individual specific items.

The loss of staff may also mean reduced focus and a less rigorous internal control environment. There is a risk in transferring administrative functions to an external provider.

Risks relating to the Group's operations

The value of DLH's inventories can develop negatively

As a stock-holding wholesale business, DLH maintains substantial stock in order to meet customer orders with short delivery times. If DLH does not dispose of its stock correctly or in the event of price falls or reduced demand for its warehoused products, there is a risk that the value of such stock will fall.

DLH is dependent on a few major sheet product suppliers

DLH has agreements with a number of producers for the supply of sheet products. Should the partnership with one or more of these producers cease, DLH is exposed to a supply risk until such supplies have been replaced by equivalent sheet products from other suppliers.

DLH buys raw materials from countries where trade, logistics and legislation as well as political and economic conditions differ from western norms

Some of DLH's supply areas are located in countries where trade, logistics and legislation differ from western norms. This can result in a lack of law enforcement, corruption and other types of criminality.

Moreover, the political and economic conditions in several supply areas are unstable and the risk of political turbulence, unrest etc. exists. Changes to policies in certain countries have resulted in export bans on goods, including timber products, for shorter or longer periods.

DLH can be made responsible for deficiencies

As an intermediary, DLH is exposed to risk if the products that are sold are deficient. If the risk cannot be transferred to the pro-

ducer, the Group risks that certain products have to be recalled, which can mean considerable costs for replacement, repair or compensation. Such events may also damage the DLH brand and reputation.

Risks relating to markets in which the Group operates

The Group is subject to global economic trends

DLH is exposed to considerable risks in relation to developments in its sales markets as the construction sector, DLH's most important market, is usually among the most volatile.

The Group is dependent on a few markets

DLH sells most its products in the Danish, Swedish and Norwegian markets. The Group's sales are therefore very dependent on the economic situation in these countries.

Financial risks

The Group is exposed to changes in foreign exchange rates

Due to its international activities, DLH is exposed to foreign exchange fluctuations. The Group's main foreign exchange exposure relates to USD, SEK and NOK. If Denmark's fixed rate policy vis-à-vis EUR changes, DLH's foreign exchange exposure will increase.

Risks relating to litigation, disputes and legal issues

DLH is at risk of being a party to litigation and other disputes

DLH could become a party to litigation and arbitration cases and may incur liability if these were to have a negative outcome for

the Group. There is a risk that DLH may incur damages, fines or other sanctions at a future date.

Risks relating to divested companies and activities

DLH has disposed of several companies and activities. Within this context, DLH has issued certain guarantees to purchasers that may involve a risk of losses.

DLH is subject to prevailing laws in certain special jurisdictions

The Group is subject to extensive national and international legislation within, for instance, employment law, the environment and competitive issues and prevailing industry standards and practices. The Group is represented within a number of jurisdictions and, therefore, subject to significantly

different legislation and regulations. Irrespective of the fact that the Group strives to comply with all relevant legislation and regulations, there is a risk if DLH has not fully complied in all cases.

The Group's principles for managing risks

Risk Management is handled by Group Management in close cooperation with the operating companies.

Risk relating to selling on credit is selectively covered through an active credit policy where credit insurance is used to a significant extent. The Group's credit risks and policies for covering such risks are described in more detail in Note 17.

DLH's insurance policy determines the general framework for insuring persons, property and interests associated with the Group. Insurable risks are evaluated on an ongoing basis, with assets and serious financial losses being insured against. In general, no insurance is taken out against losses where, from the Group's point of view, the costs of insurance are deemed to exceed the risk. DLH's insurance portfolio consists of global Group policies comprising all risk, general and product liability, transport, and travel, as well as local policies such as vehicles, workers' compensation, and other locally required insurances. With regard to general insurance, DLH has joined forces with the international insurance broker, Willis.

Corporate governance and risk management

DLH Group's Board of Directors and Executive Management continuously strive to ensure that the Group's management structure and control systems are appropriate and function satisfactorily. A range of internal policies and procedures has been developed and is maintained on an ongoing basis to ensure an active and safe management of the Group with a view to securing the best financial outcome of the current strategy

Corporate Governance

The Board of Directors monitors developments within the field of corporate governance and it is the company's intention to follow applicable recommendations where it is deemed relevant. Updates appear on the company's website throughout the year. A number of internal policies and procedures have been developed and are maintained on an ongoing basis with a view to ensuring active, safe and profitable management of the Group. This includes monitoring the ongoing divestment process of the Group's businesses.

In November 2014, the Committee on Corporate Governance published revised "Recommendations for Corporate Governance" based on a "comply or explain" principle. The Board of Directors' view is that the Corporate Governance Recommendations are followed by the Board and management of DLH Group.

In accordance with the recommendations, the company's website sets out how the company complies with each point of the recommendations, c.f. the following URL: http://www.dlh.com/Investor/Corporate_governance.aspx

The role of shareholders and interaction with the company's management

DLH Group seeks to ensure that the information given to and the opportunity for discussion with, the Group's shareholders is achieved through the regular publication of news, financial reports and annual reports as well as at the Annual General Meeting. DLH Group works actively to provide investors and analysts with the best possible insight into issues that can ensure the fair pricing of the Group's shares, which is achieved partly through the information

provided to the market on a regular basis and through meetings with professional investors. Information for the market is published on the website and is distributed directly to those shareholders who have requested it.

The Board of Directors regularly assesses whether the Group's capital structure is in line with the Group and its shareholders' interests. The main objective is to secure a structure that supports the current strategy, which includes ensuring that the Group is always capitalised in order to obtain financing on usual terms.

The Annual General Meeting is the ultimate authority. The Board of Directors' intention is to ensure that shareholders receive detailed information about as well as have an adequate basis for, examining the items discussed and the decisions taken at the Annual General Meeting.

Notice of the Annual General Meeting is issued at least three weeks before the meeting. Together with the notice, supplementary information on the nominated candidates for election to the Board of Directors, such as qualifications and directorships of other companies and key organisations, together with information on whether the candidate is considered independent, is also provided.

The aim is to ensure that all board members take part in the Annual General Meeting. All shareholders are entitled and encouraged to attend and vote in person or by proxy and put forward proposals for consideration. Shareholders may give a proxy to the Board of Directors or other participants at the Annual General Meeting for each item on the agenda.

The supreme and central governing bodies' tasks and responsibilities

The Board of Directors ensures that the Executive Management complies with the objectives, strategies, policies, etc. decided by the Board of Directors.

In view of the Group's divestment strategy, no policy has been laid down with regard to increasing the number of women in management positions. Therefore, no reporting has taken place.

Briefings from the Executive Management to the Board of Directors occur systematically at meetings and through written and oral reports. Reporting includes matters relating to the financial position, profitability, development and factors relevant to the surrounding world.

The Board of Directors meets at least four times a year and as required. In 2016, there were seven Board of Directors' meetings. The Board of Directors receives regular written information on the Group's operations and position as well as risks in significant areas. In addition to decisions relating to significant operational conditions, i.e. decisions on disposals and possible acquisitions, the adequacy of the capital base and the composition of long-term commitments, the Board of Directors also decides on key policies and auditing matters. The Board of Directors examines, adjusts and approves the business procedures for the Executive Management on an annual basis and sets out the reporting requirements sent to the Board of Directors and for communication between the two governing bodies.

The Chairman and Vice-Chairman constitute the chairmanship. The specific tasks of the Chairman and, in his absence, the Vice-



Chairman, are specified in the rules of procedure.

The Board of Directors evaluates its composition and desirable/necessary areas of expertise as well as cooperation with the Executive Management and the results arising. Self-evaluation, based on questionnaires and individual conversations with the Chairman, provides the basis for an evaluation of the Board of Directors' composition. The evaluation comprises the number of members and their competences, including diversity in respect of gender, age and special skills possessed by the individual members, and whether the individual members of the Board of Directors and Executive Management actively participate in the Board of Directors' discussions and contribute their own evaluations.

The Board of Directors assesses annually whether there is an opportunity to update or enhance board members' skills in terms of their responsibilities. In addition, the Board of Directors determines annually its most important tasks in relation to an ongoing assessment of the Executive Management's work and the financial and managerial control of the Group.

The Board of Directors appoints the CEO. The Executive Management is responsible for the organisation and implementation of the strategic plans etc. decided by the Board of Directors. The Executive Management is not a member of the Board of Directors, but typically participates in board meetings.

The supreme governing body's composition and organisation

The Board of Directors is elected at the Annual General Meeting. All elected members of the Board of Directors are independent. The Board of Directors comprises four

members who are elected by the Annual General Meeting. The Board of Directors deems the number of members to be appropriate.

All members of the Board of Directors elected by the Annual General Meeting stand for election every year. Re-election can take place, albeit not of individuals who, at the time of the election, have reached the age of 70. The Chairman and Vice-Chairman of the Board of Directors are elected by the Annual General Meeting. The Board of Directors determines its own rules of procedure. The current members of the Board of Directors, their age, positions held, the year that they were first elected as a member of the Board of Directors and the number of shares and changes in their shareholdings during the financial year are given in the overview on page 8.

The company is of the opinion that all members of the Board of Directors possess the professional and international experience required to function as board members.

The Board of Directors has in previous years established an Audit Committee. In 2016 it was decided to let the Audit Committee comprise of the entire Board of Directors.

The Board of Directors and the Executive Management, monitors the Group's internal control systems and the process of financial reporting as well as reviewing interim and annual reports prior to submitting these for approval and publication. The Audit Committee (Board of Directors) also evaluates the independence and competence of the auditors and nominates candidates for the position of independent auditors.

The Audit Committee (Board of Directors) also reviews the Group's accounting policies and evaluates key accounting matters. The Audit Committee (Board of Directors) approves fees, deadlines and other terms pertaining to the Group's independent auditors; and it also monitors the audit process.

The independent auditors report directly to the Audit Committee (Board of Directors) about the auditors' remarks and other recommendations on matters pertaining to accounting policies and the reporting process. Auditor remarks and recommendations from the independent auditors are also reviewed by the Group's CEO to ensure that all key aspects have been addressed correctly.

Financial reporting

The Board of Directors and Executive Management are responsible for ensuring that the Annual Report and other financial reporting are prepared in accordance with legislation and applicable standards. Prior to the publication of financial reports, the Board of Directors ensures that these are comprehensible and balanced, and provide a true and fair picture of assets, liabilities, the financial position as well as results and cash flow. It also ensures that the Management's review contains a true and fair account of the matters to which the report relates, including future prospects.

Organisation, financial reporting process and internal controls

The Board of Directors and Executive Management have overall responsibility for the Group's risk management and internal controls in the financial reporting process, including compliance with relevant legislation and other financial reporting regulations.

Management has drawn up policies, instructions, manuals, procedures etc. for the key

areas relating to financial reporting, such as accounting and reporting instructions, which are kept updated on an ongoing basis. The individual Group companies' compliance with such guidelines is regularly monitored by the heads of the business areas and at Group level by the Group's Finance Department. Formal confirmation of compliance is requested annually.

The Board of Directors and the Executive Management carry out various general risk assessments for the Group, which also include risks relating to the financial reporting process. Control activities are based on risk assessment. DLH Group's control activities aim to ensure compliance with the targets, policies, instructions, procedures and other guidelines adopted by management and to ensure the timely prevention, discovery and correction of any errors, deviations or defects. Control activities include manual and physical controls as well as general IT controls and automatic application controls in the IT systems used.

The Group's individual regions include companies in different countries with local management and finance functions. The level of competence in the local finance functions is regularly assessed and determined with regard to the significance and complexity of the activities. The individual companies operate their own IT systems for their local financial recording. All Group companies, however, use a common reporting and consolidation system.

Business procedures and the extent of internal controls are determined on a decentralised basis by the management of the individual companies. The Group has standardised risk management and internal control procedures for the the financial reporting process. This work includes documentation of risk evaluation regarding the Group's preparation of accounts, including specification of the most important processes and key controls. In addition, the work includes the design and implementation of a system for periodic reporting from the units to the Group's management regarding the performance of the key controls. The work has primarily comprised the essential and most risk-bearing processes and business units within the Group.

Financial reporting for the Group is conducted through monthly reporting from the individual Group companies to Group Finance, which is responsible for preparing external reports. The Finance Department is the main contributor to financial reporting and is responsible for determining the Group's financial assets and financial liabilities.

Monthly reports from the Group companies are unaudited. However, at divisional and at Group level, internal control of financial reporting and cash flows is carried out independently of the business units.

Divestment strategy

The divestment strategy encompasses several risks of which the Board is aware. To

mitigate these, the Board of Directors has taken a number of steps and has actively sought to minimise the risks associated with the departure of key staff leaving by retaining some and by entering consultancy agreements with former staff members. Future administration of the Group is handled by the external provider, Accountor, which is responsible for bookkeeping, reporting etc.

Going concern statement

In connection with financial reporting, the Board of Directors and Executive Management have assessed whether it is justified that the Going Concern assumption is taken as its basis. The Board of Directors and the Executive Management have concluded that there are no important factors at the time of financial reporting that give rise to doubts as to whether the Group and the company can, and wish to, continue operations at least until the next balance sheet date. The conclusion is made based on knowledge of the Group and the company, the estimated future prospects and the identified uncertainties and risks related to this (referred to in the Management Review and Note 17) and after examination of budgets, including expected cash flow and developments in the capital base etc., the presence of credit facilities with associated contractual and expected maturity periods as well as covenants and conditions in general. It is, therefore, considered reasonable, judicious and well-founded to assign the going concern assumption as the basis for financial reporting.

Statements

Management statement

The Board of Directors and Executive Management have today discussed and approved the Annual Report of Dalhoff Larsen & Horneman A/S for the financial year 2016. The Annual Report has been prepared in accordance with International Financial Reporting Standards as adopted by the EU and additional requirements in the Danish Financial Statements Act.

It is our opinion that the consolidated financial statements and the parent company financial statements give a true and fair view of the Group's and the parent company's financial position as at 31 December 2016 and of the results of the Group's and the parent company's operations and cash flows for the financial year 1 January – 31 December 2016. In our opinion, the Management commentary includes a fair review of develop-

ments in the Group's and the parent company's operations and financial conditions, the results for the year, cash flows and financial position as well as a description of the significant risks and uncertainty factors that the Group and parent company face.

We recommend that the Annual Report be approved at the Annual General Meeting.

Copenhagen, 30 March 2017

Executive Board:

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Board of Directors:

Carsten Lønfeldt
(Chairman)

Agnete Raaschou-Nielsen
(Vice-Chairman)

Kristian Kolding

John Stær

Independent auditors' report

To the shareholders of Dalhoff Larsen & Horneman A/S

We have audited the consolidated financial statements and the parent company financial statements of Dalhoff Larsen & Horneman A/S for the financial year 1 January – 31 December 2016, which comprise income statement, statement of comprehensive income, balance sheet, statement of changes in equity, statement of cash flow and notes, including a summary of significant accounting policies, for the group as well as for the parent company. The consolidated financial statements and the parent company financial statements are prepared in accordance with International Financial Reporting Standards as adopted by the EU and additional requirements in the Danish Financial Statements Act.

In our opinion, the consolidated financial statements and the parent company financial statements give a true and fair view of the financial position of the Group and the parent company at 31 December 2016 and of the results of the Group's and the parent company's operations and cash flows for the financial year 1 January – 31 December 2016 in accordance with International Financial Reporting Standards as adopted by the EU and additional requirements in 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 consolidated financial statements and the parent company financial statements" section of our report. We are independent of the Group 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. We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion.

Key audit matters

Key audit matters are those matters that, in our professional judgement, were of most significance in our audit of the consolidated financial statements and the parent company financial statements for the financial year 2016. These matters were addressed in the context of our audit of the consolidated financial statements and the parent company financial statements as a whole, and in forming our opinion thereon, and we do not provide a separate opinion on these matters. For each matter below, our description of how our audit addressed the matter is provided in that context.

We have fulfilled the responsibilities described in the "Auditor's responsibilities for the audit of the consolidated financial statements and the parent company financial statements" section of our report, including in relation to these matters. Accordingly, our audit included the performance of procedures designed to respond to our assessment of the risks of material misstatement of the consolidated financial statements and the parent company financial statements. The results of our audit procedures, including the procedures performed to address the matters below, provide the basis for our audit opinion on the accompanying consolidated financial statements and the parent company financial statements.

Valuation of assets held for sale and liabilities related to assets held for sale

The consolidated financial statements and the parent company financial statements includes assets held for sale at 31 December 2016 of DKK 94.8 million and DKK 174.3

million respectively and liabilities related to assets held for sale of DKK 30.9 million and DKK 15.9 million respectively. The valuation of these assets and liabilities requires management judgement in estimating the lower of the carrying amount and the fair value less selling costs.

These assets and liabilities are specified in note 3.

The valuation is essential for the audit as these assets and liabilities are material for the financial statements and as the valuation of these assets and liabilities to a large extent are affected by management's assessments and estimates.

Our audit included among other things:

- testing of the design and operating effectiveness of internal controls established by the Group to ensure appropriate recognition of inventories, trade receivables, trade and other payables included in assets held for sale and liabilities related to assets held for sale
- understanding of management's valuation models and evaluation of the appropriateness of the key assumptions supporting the valuations
- examination and challenge of the information used to determine the valuations considering communication with relevant external parties including potential buyers and lawyers.

Presentation of discontinued operations, assets held for sale and liabilities related to assets held for sale

Discontinued operations, assets held for sale and liabilities related to assets held for sale constitutes a significant part of the consolidated financial statements and the parent company financial statements of

Dalhoff Larsen & Horneman A/S. At 31 December 2016, the Company has presented all activities except activities related to Group Management (head office) as discontinued operations, assets held for sale and liabilities related to assets held for sale.

Our audit included assessment of proper classification according to IFRS 5 and proper separation between continued and discontinued operations. We further evaluated if the Company still complies with the requirements related to this classification.

We also assessed the adequacy of the disclosures in note 3.

Statement on the Management's review

Management is responsible for the Management's review.

Our opinion on the consolidated financial statements and the parent company financial statements does not cover the Management's review, and we do not express any assurance conclusion thereon.

In connection with our audit of the consolidated financial statements and the parent company 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 consolidated financial statements or the parent company 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 concluded that the Management's review is in accordance with the consolidated financial statements and the parent company financial statements and has been prepared in accordance with the requirements of the Danish Financial Statements Act. We did not

identify any material misstatements of the Management's review.

Management's responsibilities for the consolidated financial statements and the parent company financial statements

Management is responsible for the preparation of consolidated financial statements and parent company financial statements that give a true and fair view in accordance with International Financial Reporting Standards as adopted by the EU and additional requirements in the Danish Financial Statements Act, and for such internal control as Management determines is necessary to enable the preparation of consolidated financial statements and parent company financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

In preparing the consolidated financial statements and the parent company financial statements, Management is responsible for assessing the Group's and the parent 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 consolidated financial statements and the parent company financial statements unless Management either intends to liquidate the Group or the company or to cease operations, or has no realistic alternative but to do so.

Auditor's responsibilities for the audit of the consolidated financial statements and the parent company financial statements

Our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the consolidated financial statements and the parent company 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 consolidated financial statements and parent company financial statements.

As part of an audit conducted in accordance with ISAs and the additional requirements applicable in Denmark, we exercise professional judgment and maintain professional skepticism throughout the audit. We also:

- Identify and assess the risks of material misstatement of the consolidated financial statements and the parent company 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 Group's and the parent 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 consolidated financial statements and the parent company financial statements and, based on the audit evidence ob-

tained, whether a material uncertainty exists related to events or conditions that may cast significant doubt on the Group's and the parent 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 consolidated financial statements and the parent company financial statements or, if such disclosures are inadequate, to modify our opinion. Our conclusion is based on the audit evidence obtained up to the date of our auditor's report. However, future events or conditions may cause the Group and the company to cease to continue as a going concern.

- Evaluate the overall presentation, structure and contents of the consolidated financial statements and the parent company financial statements, including the disclosures, and whether the consolidated financial statements and the parent company financial statements represent the underlying transactions and events in a manner that gives a true and fair view.

- Obtain sufficient appropriate audit evidence regarding the financial information of the entities or business activities within the Group to express an opinion on the consolidated financial statements. We are responsible for the direction, supervision and performance of the group audit. We remain solely responsible for our audit opinion.

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.

We also provide those charged with governance with a statement that we have complied with relevant ethical requirements regarding independence, and to communicate with them all relationships and other matters that may reasonably be thought to bear on our independence, and where applicable, related safeguards.

From the matters communicated with those charged with governance, we determine

those matters that were of most significance in the audit of the consolidated financial statements and the parent company financial statements of the current period and are therefore the key audit matters. We describe these matters in our auditor's report unless law or regulation precludes public disclosure about the matter or when, in extremely rare circumstances, we determine that a matter should not be communicated in our report because the adverse consequences of doing so would reasonably be expected to outweigh the public interest benefits of such communication.

Copenhagen, 30 March 2017

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Financial Statements

Income statement

Note	(DKK million)	Group		Parent company	
		2016	2015	2016	2015
	Net turnover	-	-	-	-
	Cost of sales	-	-	-	-
	Gross profit	-	-	-	-
5	Other external expenses	(8.3)	(6.7)	(8.3)	(9.1)
6	Staff costs	(5.3)	(9.0)	(5.3)	(9.0)
	Other operating income	-	0.1	-	2.4
	Operating profit/(loss) before depreciation and amortisation (EBITDA)	(13.6)	(15.6)	(13.6)	(15.7)
	Depreciation and amortisation	(0.3)	(0.4)	(0.3)	(0.4)
	Operating profit/(loss) (EBIT)	(13.9)	(16.0)	(13.9)	(16.1)
	Financial items:				
7	Financial income	-	-	44.0	22.0
8	Financial expenses	(2.6)	(16.3)	(6.1)	(20.4)
	Profit/(loss) from continuing operations before tax (EBT)	(16.5)	(32.3)	24.0	(14.5)
9	Tax for the year on the profit/(loss) from continuing operations	-	-	-	-
	Profit/(loss) for the year from continuing operations	(16.5)	(32.3)	24.0	(14.5)
3	Profit/(loss) for the year from discontinued operations	10.4	(52.9)	(2.7)	(47.9)
	Profit/(loss) for the year	(6.1)	(85.2)	21.3	(62.4)
10	Earnings per share:				
	Earnings per share (EPS) of DKK 0.5	(0.12)	(1.60)		
	Earnings per share diluted (EPS-D) of DKK 0.5	(0.12)	(1.60)		
	Earnings per share (EPS) for continuing operations of DKK 0.5	(0.31)	(0.61)		
	Earnings per share diluted (EPS-D) for continuing operations of DKK 0.5	(0.31)	(0.61)		
	Recommended appropriation of profits:				
	Dividend proposed 0% (2015: 0%) per share of DKK 0.5			-	-
	Retained earnings			21.3	(62.4)
				21.3	(62.4)

Statement of comprehensive income

Note	(DKK million)	2016	2015
Group			
	Profit/(loss) for the year	(6.1)	(85.2)
	Other comprehensive income:		
	<i>Items that may not be reclassified to the income statement:</i>		
15	Actuarial gains/(losses) on defined benefit plans	-	1.4
9	Tax	-	-
		-	1.4
	<i>Items that may be reclassified to the income statement:</i>		
	Foreign currency translation adjustments on conversion of foreign operations	(8.6)	12.4
	Foreign currency adjustments transferred to profit/(loss), discontinued operations	3.5	(3.7)
	Value adjustments of hedging instruments:		
	Value adjustment transferred to financial items	-	0.2
	Tax	-	-
		(5.1)	8.9
	Other comprehensive income after tax	(5.1)	10.3
	Comprehensive income in total	(11.2)	(74.9)
	These can be broken down as follows:		
	Comprehensive income for the reporting period, continuing operations	(16.5)	(32.1)
	Comprehensive income for the reporting period, discontinued operations	5.2	(42.8)
Parent company			
	Profit/(loss) for the year	21.3	(62.4)
	Other comprehensive income:		
	Value adjustment of hedging instruments:		
	Value adjustment transferred to financial items	-	0.2
9	Tax on other comprehensive income	-	-
	Other comprehensive income after tax	-	0.2
	Comprehensive income in total	21.3	(62.2)

Assets

Note	(DKK million)	Group		Parent company	
		2016	2015	2016	2015
Non-current assets:					
Property, plant and equipment:					
	Other plant and equipment, fixtures and fittings	-	0.3	-	0.3
		-	0.3	-	0.3
	Total non-current assets	-	0.3	-	0.3
Current assets:					
Receivables:					
13	Trade receivables	-	-	-	-
11	Receivables from group enterprises	-	-	-	-
	Other receivables	0.6	2.6	0.6	2.6
	Prepaid expenses	0.8	0.6	0.8	0.6
27	Cash	2.5	-	2.5	-
		3.9	3.2	3.9	3.2
3	Assets held for sale	94.8	169.7	174.3	184.9
	Total current assets	98.7	172.9	178.2	188.1
	Total assets	98.7	173.2	178.2	188.4

Equity and liabilities

Note	(DKK million)	Group		Parent company	
		2016	2015	2016	2015
14	Equity:				
	Share capital	26.8	26.8	26.8	26.8
	Hedging reserve	-	-	-	-
	Foreign currency translation adjustment reserve	(21.8)	(16.7)	-	-
	Retained earnings	60.6	66.7	16.5	(4.8)
		65.6	76.8	43.3	22.0
	Current liabilities:				
	Credit institutions	-	46.3	-	46.3
	Trade payables and other payables	2.3	2.0	2.3	1.9
	Payables to group enterprises	-	-	116.7	104.8
16	Provisions	-	2.4	-	2.4
		2.3	50.7	119.0	155.4
3	Liabilities relating to assets held for sale	30.8	45.7	15.9	11.0
	Total liabilities	33.1	96.4	134.9	166.4
	Total liabilities and equity	98.7	173.2	178.2	188.4

Cash flow statement

Note	(DKK million)	Group		Parent company	
		2016	2015	2016	2015
	Profit/(loss) before tax for continuing operations	(16.5)	(32.3)	24.0	(14.5)
23	Adjustment for non-cash operating items etc.	0.5	12.9	(40.0)	(5.0)
	Cash flow from operating activities before change in working capital	(16.0)	(19.4)	(16.0)	(19.5)
24	Change in working capital	2.0	9.5	2.0	9.5
	Operating cash flow	(14.0)	(9.9)	(14.0)	(10.0)
	Financial income, received	-	-	44.2	22.0
	Financial expenses, paid	(2.6)	(10.7)	(2.9)	(14.8)
	Cash flow from operating activities	(16.6)	(20.6)	27.3	(2.8)
	Sale of intangible and tangible assets	-	0.9	-	0.9
	Cash flow to investment activities	-	0.9	-	0.9
	Cash flow from operating activities and after investments	(16.6)	(19.7)	27.3	(1.9)
	Raising/repayment of intra-group accounts, net	-	-	21.7	(22.0)
	Raising of debt from credit institutions	-	35.2	-	35.2
	Repayment of debt from credit institutions	(46.5)	-	(46.5)	-
	Cash flow from financing activity	(46.5)	35.2	(24.8)	13.2
3	Cash flow from discontinued operations	65.2	(11.2)	(4.3)	(4.7)
	Cash flow for the year	2.1	4.3	(1.8)	6.6
	Cash at 1 January	10.3	6.5	6.9	0.3
	Foreign currency translation adjustment of cash	(0.2)	(0.5)	-	-
25	Cash at 31 December	12.2	10.3	5.1	6.9

Statement of changes in equity

Group

Note	(DKK million)	Share capital	Hedging reserve	Currency translation reserve	Retained earnings	Total
	Equity at 1 January 2015	267.8	(0.2)	(25.4)	(90.5)	151.7
	Comprehensive income in 2015:					
	Profit/(loss) for the year	-	-	-	(85.2)	(85.2)
	Other comprehensive income:					
	Foreign currency translation adjustments on conversion of foreign operations	-	-	12.4	-	12.4
	Foreign currency adjustments transferred to profit/(loss), discontinued operations	-	-	(3.7)	-	(3.7)
	Value adjustment of hedging instruments:					
	Value adjustment transferred to financial items	-	0.2	-	-	0.2
15	Actuarial gains/(losses) on defined benefit plans	-	-	-	1.4	1.4
	Other comprehensive income in total	-	0.2	8.7	1.4	10.3
	Total comprehensive income in 2015	-	0.2	8.7	(83.8)	(74.9)
	Total transactions with owners					
	Capital reduction	(160.7)	-	-	160.7	-
	Capital reduction	(80.3)	-	-	80.3	-
	Total transactions with owners	(241.0)	-	-	241.0	-
	Equity at 31 December 2015	26.8	-	(16.7)	66.7	76.8
	Comprehensive income in 2016:					
	Profit/(loss) for the year	-	-	-	(6.1)	(6.1)
	Other comprehensive income:					
	Foreign currency translation adjustments on conversion of foreign operations	-	-	(8.6)	-	(8.6)
	Foreign currency adjustments transferred to profit/(loss), discontinued operations	-	-	3.5	-	3.5
	Other comprehensive income in total	-	-	(5.1)	-	(5.1)
	Total comprehensive income in 2016	-	-	(5.1)	(6.1)	(11.2)
	Equity at 31 December 2016	26.8	-	(21.8)	60.6	65.6

Statement of changes in equity

Parent company

Note	(DKK million)	Share capital	Hedging reserve	Translation reserve	Retained earnings	Total
	Equity 1 January 2015	267.8	(0.2)	-	(183.4)	84.2
	Comprehensive income in 2015:					
	Profit/(loss) for the year	-	-	-	(62.4)	(62.4)
	Other comprehensive income:					
	Value adjustment of hedging instruments:					
	Value adjustment transferred to financial items	-	0.2	-	-	0.2
	Other comprehensive income in total	-	0.2	-	-	0.2
	Total comprehensive income in 2015	-	0.2	-	(62.4)	(62.2)
	Transactions with owners:					
	Capital reduction	(160.7)	-	-	160.7	-
	Capital reduction	(80.3)	-	-	80.3	-
	Total transactions with owners	(241.0)	-	-	241.0	-
	Equity at 31 December 2015	26.8	-	-	(4.8)	22.0
	Comprehensive income in 2016:					
	Profit/(loss) for the year	-	-	-	21.3	21.3
	Other comprehensive income:					
	Value adjustment of hedging instruments:					
	Value adjustment for the year	-	-	-	-	-
	Other comprehensive income in total	-	-	-	-	-
	Total comprehensive income in 2016	-	-	-	21.3	21.3
	Equity at 31 December 2016	26.8	-	-	16.5	43.3

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Note 1 Accounting policies

Dalhoff Larsen & Horneman A/S is a limited liability company domiciled in Denmark. The Annual Report for the period 1 January to 31 December 2016 consists of the consolidated financial statements of Dalhoff Larsen & Horneman A/S and its subsidiaries (DLH Group) and the Annual Report of the parent company.

The 2016 Annual Report of Dalhoff Larsen & Horneman A/S has been prepared in accordance with International Financial Reporting Standards as adopted by the EU and additional requirements in the Danish Financial Statements Act.

Basis of preparation

The Annual Report is presented in Danish Kroner, the parent company's functional currency, in amounts rounded to the nearest million with one decimal point.

The Annual Report was prepared under the historical cost convention, except for derivatives, which were measured at their fair values.

Non-current assets and divestment groups determined for sale are measured at the lowest value of the carrying amount prior to the changed classification or fair value less sales costs.

The accounting policies outlined below have been applied consistently during the financial year, also with respect to comparative figures.

Change in accounting policies

Dalhoff Larsen & Horneman A/S implemented the standards and interpretations that became effective in 2016. None of these impacted on recognition and measurement in 2016 or is expected to prospectively affect Dalhoff Larsen & Horneman A/S.

Consolidated financial statements

The consolidated financial statements comprise the parent company Dalhoff Larsen & Horneman A/S and subsidiaries in which Dalhoff Larsen & Horneman A/S has control, i.e. the power to govern the finan-

cial and operating policies so as to obtain a return on its investment or otherwise benefit from its operations. Control is obtained when the company, directly or indirectly, controls or holds more than 50% of the voting rights in the subsidiary or controls the subsidiary in some other way.

Please refer to page 59 for the Group chart.

The consolidated financial statements have been prepared as a consolidation of the parent company's and the individual subsidiaries' financial statements prepared according to DLH Group's accounting policies, eliminating intra-group income and expenses, shareholdings, intra-group balances and dividends as well as realised and unrealised gains on transactions between the consolidated entities.

In the consolidated financial statements, accounting items of subsidiaries are recognised in full.

Assets held for sale

Assets held for sale comprise non-current assets and disposal groups held for sale. Disposal groups are groups of assets that are to be sold or disposed of in some other manner by means of a single transaction. Liabilities relating to assets held for sale are liabilities attached to the said assets, which will be transferred in connection with the transaction. Assets are classified as 'held for sale' when the carrying amount of the asset would primarily be recovered by means of a sale within 12 months according to a formal plan rather than through continuing use.

Assets or disposal groups held for sale are measured at the carrying amount at the time of the asset being classified as 'held for sale' or the fair value less selling costs, whichever is the lower. Depreciation and amortisation are not charged for assets from the time when they are classified as 'held for sale'.

Impairments upon the initial classification as 'held for sale' as well as gains or losses

ascertained upon any subsequent measurement at carrying amount or fair value less selling costs, whichever is the lower, are recognised under the relevant items in the income statement. Gains and losses are disclosed in the notes.

Assets and related liabilities are presented on separate lines in the balance sheet, and the main items are specified in the notes. Comparative figures are not restated in the balance sheet.

Presentation of discontinued operations

Discontinued operations constitute a significant part of an entity if operations and cash flows can be clearly separated from the remaining business operations for the purposes of operating and accounting, and if the entity has either been disposed of or singled out as held for sale and the sale is expected to be completed within one year in accordance with a formal plan. Discontinued operations also include entities that have been classified as 'held for sale' in connection with acquisitions.

The profit after tax of discontinued operations and value adjustments after tax on the assets and liabilities as well as gains or losses relating to the discontinued operation are presented on a separate line in the income statement, together with comparative figures. The notes disclose turnover, costs, value adjustments and tax for the discontinued activity. Assets and the related liabilities of discontinued operations are presented on separate lines in the balance sheet without restatement of the comparative figures. Please refer to the section 'Assets held for sale', and the main items are specified in the notes.

Cash flows from operating, investment and financing activities for the discontinued operations are disclosed in a note.

Foreign currency translation

DLH Group fixes a functional currency for each of its reporting entities. The functional currency is the currency that is applied in the primary economic environment in which

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Note 1 Accounting policies (continued)

the individual reporting entity operates. Transactions denominated in currencies other than the functional currency are foreign currency transactions.

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

Receivables, payables and other monetary items denominated in foreign currencies are translated to the functional currency at the exchange rates prevailing at the balance sheet date. The difference between the exchange rates prevailing at the balance sheet date and at the date on which the receivable or payable item arose, or was recognised in the most recent annual report, is recognised in the income statement as financial income or financial expenses.

On recognition in the consolidated financial statements of entities with a functional currency other than Danish Kroner, the income statements of such entities are translated to the rate prevailing at the transaction date, and balance sheet items are translated to the rate prevailing at the balance sheet date. An average exchange rate for the month is used as the exchange rate prevailing at the transaction date provided that this does not significantly distort the presentation of the underlying transactions. Foreign currency differences arising on translation of the opening balance of equity of such entities at the exchange rates prevailing at the balance sheet date and on translation of the income statements from the exchange rates prevailing at the transaction date to the exchange rates prevailing at the balance sheet date are recognised in Other comprehensive income in a separate reserve for foreign currency adjustments under equity.

Foreign currency rate adjustments of balances that are considered part of the overall net investment in entities with a functional currency other than Danish Kroner are recognised in the consolidated accounts in Other comprehensive income and classified in a separate reserve for foreign currency adjustments under equity. Correspondingly, foreign currency gains or losses on that portion of loans and derivative financial instruments that is designated as an investment hedge in such entities and that provides an efficient hedge against corresponding foreign currency gains and losses on the net investment in the entity are also recognised in Other comprehensive income in a separate reserve for foreign currency adjustments under equity.

Upon disposal of 100%-owned foreign entities, the exchange rate adjustments recognised in Other comprehensive income and which are attributable to the entity are reclassified from Other comprehensive income to Profit for the year together with any gains or losses incurred on disposal.

Settlement of intra-group balances that is considered part of the net investment is not in itself deemed partial disposal of the subsidiary.

INCOME STATEMENT

Net turnover

Net turnover derived from the sale of goods for resale and finished goods is recognised in the income statement provided that delivery has taken place and the risk has passed to the purchaser before year-end and the income can be reliably measured and is likely to be received.

Net turnover is measured at the fair value of the agreed consideration exclusive of Value Added Tax and taxes charged on behalf of a third party. All discounts granted are recognised in net turnover.

Cost of sales

Cost of sales comprises costs incurred to generate the net turnover for the year. The item includes direct and indirect costs of raw materials, auxiliary materials, wages and salaries. In addition, central sourcing costs are recognised as a part of the cost of sales on a consistent basis.

Other external expenses

Other external expenses comprise distribution expenses and administrative expenses.

Distribution expenses include expenses incurred for the distribution of goods sold during the year and for sales campaigns launched during the year. Costs relating to advertising and exhibitions are included in this item.

Administrative expenses include expenses incurred during the year for management and administration, including expenses incurred for administrative personnel and office premises as well as office expenses.

Write-down charges relating to trade receivables are also included in Other external expenses.

Staff costs

Employee benefits such as salaries/wages, social contributions, holiday and sick leave, bonuses and non-monetary benefits are recognised in the year in which the Group's employees have performed the related work. In connection with the Group's long-term employee benefits, the costs are accrued so that they are recognised as being the employees in question performing their work.

Other operating income and expenses

Other operating income and expenses comprise accounting items of a secondary nature in relation to the companies' activities, including gains and losses from ongoing sales and replacement of intangible and tangible assets. Gains and losses on the sale of intangible and tangible assets

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Note 1 Accounting policies (continued)

are calculated as the selling price less sales costs and the carrying value at the time of sale.

Financial items

Financial income and expenses comprise interest income and expenses, foreign currency gains and losses, and impairment of securities, payables and transactions denominated in foreign currencies. Moreover, amortisation of financial assets and liabilities are included as well as surcharges and refunds under the on-account tax scheme.

Dividends from profits in subsidiaries are recognised as income in the income statement of the parent company in the financial year in which the dividends are declared. If the dividend distributed exceeds the subsidiary's comprehensive income for the period under review, an impairment test will be performed.

Tax on profit for the year

Tax for the year, which consists of the year's current tax and changes in deferred tax, is recognised in the year's profits in Other comprehensive income or directly in the equity.

BALANCE SHEET

Tangible assets

Property, plant and equipment

Land and buildings, plant and machinery and fixtures and fittings, as well as other plant and equipment are measured at cost less accumulated depreciation and impairment losses.

Cost comprises the cost of acquisition as well as costs directly attributable to the acquisition until the time when the asset is ready for use.

If the useful lives of the individual components of an aggregate asset differ, the cost is divided into separate components that are depreciated separately. Depreciation of property, plant and equipment is charged

on a straight-line basis over the expected useful lives of the assets/components.

These are as follows:

Office buildings	20-50 years
Other buildings and plant	20-25 years
Plant and machinery	5-10 years
Rolling stock and equipment	3-7 years
IT equipment	1-5 years

Land is not depreciated.

The depreciation base is determined on the basis of the residual value of the asset less any impairment losses. The residual value is determined at the acquisition date and reassessed annually. Depreciation is discontinued if the residual value exceeds the carrying amount.

When changing the depreciation period or the residual value, the effect on the depreciation is recognised prospectively as a change in accounting estimates.

Depreciation and impairment losses are recognised under a separate heading in the income statement.

Other non-current assets

Investments in subsidiaries

Investments in subsidiaries are measured at cost in the parent company's annual financial statements. If there is an indication of impairment, an impairment test is performed. Where the recoverable amount is lower than the carrying amount, investments are written down to this lower value.

Distribution of reserves, other than dividends from profits in subsidiaries, will reduce the cost of the shares if the distribution constitutes a repayment of the investment made by the parent company.

Other investments and securities

Other investments classified as 'held for sale' are recognised under the heading of non-current assets at their fair values with

the addition of cost at the trading date and measured at their estimated fair values.

Impairment test of non-current assets

Deferred tax assets are evaluated annually and are recognised only to the extent that it is probable that the assets will be utilised.

The carrying amount of other non-current assets is assessed annually for indications of impairment. When there is an indication that assets may be impaired, the recoverable amount of the asset is determined. The recoverable amount is the asset's fair value less expected selling costs or its value in use. The value in use is calculated as the present value of expected future net cash flows from the asset or the cash-generating entity of which the asset is part.

An impairment is recognised if the carrying amount of an asset or a cash-generating entity exceeds the recoverable amount of the asset or the cash-generating entity. Impairments are recognised in a separate line in the income statement.

Impairments are only reversed in connection with changes in the assumptions and estimates underlying the impairment calculation. Impairments are only reversed to the extent that the asset's new carrying amount does not exceed the carrying amount of the asset after amortisation had the asset not been impaired.

Current assets

Inventories

Inventories are measured at cost according to the weighted average cost formula or at net realisable value, whichever is the lower.

The cost of goods for resale and raw materials and auxiliary materials comprise the purchase price plus delivery costs.

The net realisable value of inventories is determined as the selling price less costs of completion and costs necessary to make the sale and is determined on the basis of

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Note 1 Accounting policies (continued)

marketability, obsolescence and the trend in the expected selling price.

Receivables

Receivables are measured at amortised cost. Receivables are written down to provide for losses where there is objective evidence that an individual receivable or a portfolio of receivables has decreased in value.

Receivables in respect of which there is no objective evidence of impairment at the individual level are assessed at portfolio level for an objective indication of an impairment requirement. Portfolios are primarily based on the domicile of debtors and credit ratings in accordance with DLH Group's credit risk management policy. The objective indicators applicable to portfolios are based on historical loss records.

Prepaid expenses

Prepaid expenses are recognised under assets, comprising costs paid concerning subsequent financial years and are measured at amortised costs.

EQUITY

Dividends

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

Treasury shares

Treasury shares comprise the purchase sum for the company's holding of treasury shares. The dividend for treasury shares is recognised directly in retained comprehensive income in the equity.

Gains and losses on the sale of treasury shares are recorded in equity.

Translation reserve

Translation reserve contains the parent company shareholders' share of foreign currency translation adjustments arising on translation of the financial statements of entities with a functional currency other than Danish Kroner, foreign currency translation adjustments relating to assets and liabilities that are part of DLH Group's net investments in such entities as well as foreign currency translation adjustments relating to hedging transactions that hedge DLH Group's net foreign currency investments in such entities.

On full or partial realisation of the net investment, foreign currency differences are recognised in the income statement.

Liabilities

Tax payable and deferred tax

Current tax payable and receivable is recognised in the balance sheet as tax computed on the taxable income for the year, adjusted for tax on the taxable income of prior years and for tax paid.

Deferred tax is measured according to the balance sheet liability method on all temporary differences between the carrying amount and the tax base of assets and liabilities. However, deferred tax on temporary differences relating to goodwill that cannot be amortised for tax purposes is not recognised, with the exception of business combinations, if such differences arose at the acquisition date without affecting either the profit or loss for the year or the taxable income. If the tax base may be measured according to alternative tax regulations, deferred tax is measured on the basis of the use of the asset or liability planned by the management.

Deferred tax assets, including the tax base of tax losses carried forward, are recognised under other non-current assets 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.

Deferred tax assets and tax liabilities are offset if the entity has a legal right to offset current tax liabilities and tax assets or intends to redeem current tax liabilities and tax assets on a net basis or to realise assets and liabilities simultaneously.

Deferred tax is adjusted for the elimination of unrealised intra-group profits and losses.

Deferred tax is measured according to the tax rules and at the tax rates applicable in the respective countries at the balance sheet date when the deferred tax is expected to materialise as current tax. Any change in deferred tax due to changes in tax rates is recognised in the year's comprehensive income.

Provisions

Provisions are recognised when, as a result of events arising before or at the balance sheet date, the DLH Group has a legal or a constructive obligation and it is probable that there may be an outflow of resources incorporating economic benefits to settle the obligation.

The amount recognised as a provision is management's best estimate of the expenses required to settle the obligation.

On measuring provisions, costs required to settle the liability are discounted if this has a significant impact on the measurement of the provision. The pre-tax discount factor applied will reflect the prevailing interest-rate level and any risks specifically associated with the liability in question. Changes in present values during the year are recognised as financial expenses.

Provisions for loss-making contracts are made if the inevitable costs under the contract exceed any benefits DLH Group may expect.

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Note 1 Accounting policies (continued)

Financial liabilities

Amounts owed to credit institutions etc. are recognised at the date of borrowing at fair value less transaction costs. In subsequent periods, financial liabilities are measured at amortised cost, applying the 'effective rate of interest method' in order that the difference between the proceeds and the nominal value is recognised in the income statement under financial expenses over the term of the loan.

Other financial liabilities are measured at amortised cost.

Leasing

Leasing payments relating to operating leases are recognised in the income statement on a straight line basis over the leasing period.

Assets hired out under operating leases are recognised, measured and presented in the balance sheet under the heading of other similar assets held by the DLH Group.

Cash flow statement

The cash flow statement shows the Group's cash flow divided into operating activities, investment activities and financing activities for the year, the change in cash and cash equivalents during the year and the Group's

cash and cash equivalent balances at the beginning of the year and at the year-end.

The cash flow effect of disposals of entities is shown separately in cash flows from investment activities. Cash flows of entities sold are recognised up until the date of disposal.

Cash flows from operating activities are determined according to the indirect method as profit or loss before tax adjusted for non-cash operating items, changes in working capital, interest received and paid, dividends received and income tax paid.

Cash flows from investment activities comprise payments in connection with the acquisition and disposal of entities and activities, intangible assets and of property, plant and equipment and other non-current assets as well as the acquisition and disposal of securities not recognised as cash and cash equivalents.

Cash flows from financing activities comprise changes in the amount or composition of the share capital and related costs as well as the raising of loans, repayment of interest-bearing debt, purchase and sale of treasury shares and payment of dividends to shareholders.

Cash and cash equivalents include cash.

Cash flows in currencies other than the functional currency are translated at average rates of exchange unless these deviate significantly from the rates prevailing at the transaction date.

The cash flow statement cannot be generated from the published financial statements only.

Segment information

Segment information is provided in accordance with DLH Group's accounting policies and is in line with intra-Group management reporting.

Segment turnover and costs and segment assets and investments comprise items that are directly attributable to individual segments and items that can be allocated to individual segments on a reliable basis. Non-allocated items primarily comprise income and expenses related to DLH Group's administrative functions, investment activities, etc.

Net Working Capital (NWC) within the segment comprises current assets that are used directly in the operations of the segment, including inventories, trade receivables and trade payables.

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Note 1 Accounting Policies (continued)

Financial ratios

Earnings per share (EPS) and earnings per share diluted (EPS-D) are determined in accordance with IAS 33.

Other financial ratios have been calculated in accordance with the "Recommendations and Financial Ratios 2015 - Nordic Edition" issued by the Danish Finance Society.

Gross margin	=	$\frac{\text{Gross profit} \times 100}{\text{Net turnover}}$
Operating margin	=	$\frac{\text{Operating profit} \times 100}{\text{Net turnover}}$
Return on equity	=	$\frac{\text{Profit for ratio analysis} \times 100}{\text{Average equity}}$
Equity ratio	=	$\frac{\text{Equity at year-end} \times 100}{\text{Consolidated balance sheet total at year-end}}$
Book value per diluted share (BVPS-D)	=	$\frac{\text{Equity at year-end}}{\text{Number of diluted shares in issue at year-end}}$
Diluted price/book value (P/BV-D)	=	$\frac{\text{Share price (at year-end)}}{\text{Book value per diluted share}}$
Earnings per share (EPS)	=	$\frac{\text{Profit for ratio analysis}}{\text{Average number of shares in issue}}$
Diluted earnings per share (EPS-D)	=	$\frac{\text{Profit for ratio analysis}}{\text{Average number of diluted shares}}$
Cash flow per diluted share in issue (CFPS-D)	=	$\frac{\text{Cash flow from operations}}{\text{Average number of shares in issue}}$
Dividend per share (DPS)	=	$\frac{\text{Dividend rate} \times \text{nominal value of share}}{100}$
Diluted price earnings ratio (P/E-D)	=	$\frac{\text{Market price per share}}{\text{Earnings per diluted share}}$

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Note 2 Material accounting estimates and assessments

Outcome of divestment processes

In December 2013, the Group decided to pursue divestment of its individual business units. During 2014, 2015 and 2016 divestments materialised and the process continues.

IFRS 5 determines that the value of the business units must be valued at the lower of book value and fair value less costs to sell.

Making the correct accounting assessment of the fair value at which the individual business units or assets may sell carries risk. Hence, risk exists that book value may not reflect actual fair value less costs to sell.

Estimation uncertainty

Determination of the carrying amounts of certain assets and liabilities is on the basis of assessments, estimates and assumptions with respect to future events.

Actual results may deviate from the estimates as a consequence of the risks and uncertainties to which DLH Group is exposed. Those risks to which DLH Group is particularly vulnerable are discussed in the management review on page 10 and in note 17 of the consolidated accounts.

The notes disclose assumptions about the future and other estimation uncertainties at the balance sheet date. The assumptions are disclosed where there is a considerable risk of changes that may lead to a significant adjustment in the carrying amounts of assets or liabilities within the next financial year.

Estimates may have to be changed as a result of changes in the circumstances on which they were originally based, or on

account of new information or subsequent events.

The estimation uncertainties that have the greatest impact on the affairs of the Group are outlined below. These include: the net realisable values of activities that are to be sold; amortisation and impairment losses on non-current assets; the measurement of inventories; trade receivables; and loan agreements as a basis for using the going concern assumption in the presentation of the financial statements and recognition of debt as long-term.

The estimates and assessments represent management's best judgment and evaluation at the balance sheet date.

Financing

In 2016 the Group repaid all debt to FIH Erhvervsbank, Nordea and Danske Bank as previously agreed.

The Group holds a net cash deposit of DKK 12.3 million year end.

A new bank agreement has been made with Ringkjøbing Landbobank. The bank will provide the Group with an overdraft facility.

It is the opinion of the Board of Directors and Executive Management that the company's cash resources are adequate in the light of the agreed credit limits and the budgets and plans for 2017.

Assets held for sale and discontinued operations

DLH has sold numerous business units since 2010. On 11 December 2013, the Board of Directors announced its intention to divest all operating units. The operating units are therefore now classified as assets held for sale.

The units must therefore be valued at the lower of book value and fair value less costs to sell. These values are difficult to assess and are therefore subject to uncertainty.

Assets held for sale are described in greater detail in note 3.

Provisions relating to divested activities and assets held for sale

The agreements on the sale of companies and activities include certain guarantees provided by DLH. In determining gains and losses related to these divestments, provisions were made for these guarantees based on management's assessment of associated risks. Management's estimates of these risks are subject to significant uncertainty.

Gains and losses on the sale of discontinued activities are described in greater detail in note 3.

Shares in subsidiaries

In line with IFRS 5, the parent company's shares in the subsidiaries must be recognised at the lower of cost and fair value less costs to sell. As explained in the Management Review, the Board of Directors and Management are not in a position to determine the exact outcome of the sales processes. It is therefore difficult to assess the value of shares in subsidiaries. Therefore, the value is subject to significant uncertainty.

Inventories

The estimation uncertainty with regard to inventories relates to the write-down to the net realisable value.

The need to write down inventories increases with the time individual goods are

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Note 2 Material accounting estimates and assessments (continued)

kept in stock as a certain degree of commercial obsolescence is deemed to exist in old inventories.

Inventories are written down in accordance with the Group's general write-down policy, and are also subject to an assessment on an individual basis with a view to ascertaining potential losses due to obsolescence, poor quality and market trends.

A portion of the Group's recognised inventories consists of prepayments to suppliers.

When determining the net realisable value of inventories, the need to write down prepayments is assessed where it is unlikely that the Group will derive benefit from the prepayments in the form of goods from suppliers.

Trade receivables

The estimation uncertainty involving trade receivables relates to write-downs to provide for losses. Write-downs are assessed on the basis of inability to pay. The need for a write-down is determined after deduct-

ing the portion of the receivables that is covered by credit insurance and other securities. In the assessment, customers' past credit history as well as political, national and economic conditions in the customers' home countries also play an important part. If customers' capacity to pay is impaired, it may be necessary to make additional write-downs in future financial reporting periods.

Please refer to note 13 for details on the assessment of credit quality and the need to write down trade receivables.

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Note 3 Discontinued operations and assets held for sale

In December 2013, the Board of Directors and Management concluded that the interests of the shareholders and employees are best served by disposing of the Group's companies and operations. The Board of Directors therefore decided that the company should explore the possibility of disposing of individual business areas with the aim of delivering the greatest possible cash proceeds to the company's shareholders. During 2015, the Group's activities in Brazil and Russia were sold as well as the Group's former head quarter office. The strategy remains unchanged. During 2016 the Group's main activities in Sweden were sold & France closed down. At the end of the year, the Group still had active operations in Denmark and Ukraine which at 31 December 2016 still was the intention to dispose. Refer to note 21, events occurring after the end of the financial year, for change of strategy, which was announced in March 2017. Consequently, all companies and operations are classified as discontinued operations in 2016 Annual Report. Only head quarter activities remain classified as continuing operations.

Note	(DKK million)	Group		Parent company	
		2016	2015	2016	2015
Income statement:					
4	Turnover	452.0	536.8	256.8	264.6
	Cost of sales	(372.8)	(498.3)	(217.5)	(237.8)
	Gross profit	79.2	38.5	39.3	26.8
	Other operating items, net	-	1.2	-	0.5
5	Other external expenses	(27.8)	(45.0)	(16.2)	(21.6)
6	Staff costs	(41.3)	(46.9)	(14.1)	(18.2)
	Operating profit before depreciation and amortisation (EBITDA)	10.1	(52.2)	9.0	(12.5)
	Depreciation and amortisation	-	-	-	-
11	Impairment losses	(1.1)	(3.4)	(9.7)	(22.7)
	Operating profit/(loss) (EBIT)	9.0	(55.6)	(0.7)	(35.2)
Financial items:					
	Financial income	4.5	0.1	-	-
	Financial expenses	-	(12.9)	(2.0)	(12.1)
	Profit/(loss) before tax (EBT)	13.5	(68.4)	(2.7)	(47.3)
9	Tax on profit for the year	0.2	1.4	-	-
	Profit for the year	13.7	(67.0)	(2.7)	(47.3)
	Profit on sale of discontinued operations	(3.3)	14.1	-	(0.6)
	Profit for the year on discontinued operations	10.4	(52.9)	(2.7)	(47.9)
10	Earnings per share for discontinued operations:				
	Earnings per share (EPS)	0.19	(0.99)		
	Earnings per share diluted (EPS-D)	0.19	(0.99)		
Cash flow from discontinued operations, net:					
	Cash flow from operating activities	48.4	(13.1)	3.2	(7.8)
	Cash flow from investment activities	16.8	10.1	(7.5)	8.9
	Cash flow from financing activities	-	(8.2)		(5.8)
	Total	65.2	(11.2)	(4.3)	(4.7)

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Note 3 Discontinued operations and assets held for sale (continued)

Note	(DKK million)	Group		Parent company	
		2016	2015	2016	2015
Balance sheet:					
	Tangible and intangible assets	1.2	24.8	0.4	0.4
11	Other investments, securities and non-current assets	-	-	97.2	111.2
	Other non-current assets	1.7	2.7	1.7	2.7
	Inventories	58.3	84.8	55.0	45.0
13	Trade receivables	19.7	35.2	15.0	13.9
	Other receivables	4.2	11.0	2.4	4.8
25	Cash	9.7	10.3	2.6	6.9
Assets held for sale		94.8	169.7	174.3	184.9
16	Provisions	2.0	0.2	0.5	-
	Trade and other payables	28.8	45.5	15.4	11.0
Liabilities relating to assets held for sale		30.9	45.7	15.9	11.0

Note 4 Segment information

The segments, for which financial reporting is compulsory, comprise two independent business areas: The Nordic Region and Western Europe. Each business area operates independently of the other. Within the two independent, geographical sales regions, DLH services its industrial and retail customers from its own warehouses.

Management reporting

Management assesses the operating results for the business segments separately in order to decide on the allocation of resources and to measure results. The segments' results are evaluated on the basis of the operating results which are calculated on the same basis as the consolidated accounts. Group financing (including financial income and expenses) and corporation tax are treated at group level and not allocated to operational segments.

Cost allocation between the business segments is made on an individual basis with the addition of a few systematically allocated indirect costs. Other operating income is apportioned across the business segments in accordance with the same principle.

NOA comprises assets directly linked to the segment, including intangible, tangible and financial assets, inventories, trade receivables and other receivables.

Geographical information

DLH operates mainly in Denmark, Sweden, Norway and France.

With regard to presenting information on geographical areas, details on the breakdown of turnover and assets according to geographical segments is based on the customers' geographical location.

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Note 4 Segment information (continued)

Activities

2016

(DKK million)	Nordic	Western Europe	Sum of regions	Other discontinued-operations	Discontinued-operations
Turnover	397.7	52.8	450.5	1.5	452.0
Intra-group turnover	-	-	-	-	-
Turnover to external customers	397.7	52.8	450.5	1.5	452.0
Operating profit (EBIT ex. impairm.)	(2.1)	(12.2)	(14.3)	24.4	10.1
NWC	64.3	(1.0)	63.3	(5.7)	57.6

2015

(DKK million)	Nordic	Western Europe	Sum of regions	Other discontinued-operations	Discontinued-operations
Turnover	436.2	85.3	521.5	15.3	536.8
Intra-group turnover	-	-	-	-	-
Turnover to external customers	436.2	85.3	521.5	15.3	536.8
Operating profit (EBIT ex. impairm.)	(3.5)	(6.7)	(10.2)	(42.0)	(52.2)
NWC	91.7	30.7	122.4	(29.9)	92.5

Geographical

(DKK million)	Turnover	
	2016	2015
Denmark	256.8	250.0
Other Nordic	140.9	186.2
France	52.8	85.3
Other Central/Eastern Europe	1.5	15.3
Group Total	452.0	536.8

(DKK million)	Non-current assets	
	2016	2015
Denmark	0.2	0.5
Sweden	-	24.1
Other discontinued operations	2.7	4.1
Group Total	2.9	28.7

Split as follows

Continued	0.0	0.3
Discontinued	2.9	28.4
Total	2.9	28.7

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(DKK million)	Group		Parent company	
	2016	2015	2016	2015
Note 5 Other external expenses				
Fees to auditors appointed at the Annual General Meeting:				
E&Y				
Statutory audit	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5
Audit-related services	-	0.1	-	0.1
Tax advisory services	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1
Other services	-	-	-	-
	0.6	0.7	0.6	0.7
Other audit companies in subsidiaries				
Statutory audit	0.6	0.4	0.1	0.1
Audit-related services	-	-	-	-
Tax advisory services	-	0.4	-	-
Other services	-	-	-	-
	0.6	0.8	0.1	0.1
Note 6 Staff costs				
Salaries and wages	38.3	46.4	17.8	25.5
Defined contribution plans, cf. note 15	2.8	3.2	1.5	1.6
Other social security costs, net of refunds	5.5	6.3	0.1	0.1
	46.6	55.9	19.4	27.2
Total staff costs have been recognised under:				
Staff costs, continuing operations	5.3	9.0	5.3	9.0
Staff costs, discontinued operations	41.3	46.9	14.1	18.2
	46.6	55.9	19.4	27.2
Number of employees on average for the year	60	100	25	28
Number of these employed in discontinued operations	58	96	23	24
Number of these employed in continuing operations	2	4	2	4

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Note 6 Staff costs (continued)

Remuneration to the Board of Directors, Executive Management and other executives:

(DKK million)	Group					
	2016			2015		
	Board of Directors parent company	Executive Managem. of parent company	Other executives	Board of Directors parent company	Executive Managem. of parent company	Other executives
Salaries	0.4	1.9	3.9	0.5	3.0	4.7
Bonus schemes	-	1.2	0.9	-	2.2	2.1
Pensions	-	0.1	-	-	-	-
	0.4	3.2	4.8	0.5	5.2	6.8

(DKK million)	Parent company					
	2016			2015		
	Board of Directors parent company	Executive Managem. of parent company	Other executives	Board of Directors parent company	Executive Managem. of parent company	Other executives
Salaries	0.4	1.9	0.5	0.5	3.0	3.0
Bonus schemes	-	1.2	-	-	2.2	1.6
Pensions	-	0.1	-	-	-	-
	0.4	3.2	0.5	0.5	5.2	4.6

Other executives comprise the Group Management excluding the Executive Board. A fee of DKK 0.1 million (2015: DKK 0.1 million) to the Audit Committee is included in the amount of salaries to the Supervisory Board of the parent company.

Salaries encompass fixed salary, car and other benefits.

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(DKK million)	Group		Parent company	
	2016	2015	2016	2015
Note 7 Financial income				
Interest income, group enterprises	-	-	3.1	5.6
Dividend from subsidiaries	-	-	40.9	16.4
	-	-	44.0	22.0
Interest from financial assets measured at amortised cost amounts to	-	-	3.1	5.6
Note 8 Financial expenses				
Impairment losses on group enterprises			(3.5)	(7.6)
Interest expense, group enterprises	-	-	-	-
Foreign currency losses	(0.3)	(10.2)	(0.3)	(7.1)
Interest expense credit institutions etc.	(2.3)	(6.1)	(2.3)	(5.7)
	(2.6)	(16.3)	(6.1)	(20.4)
Interest on financial liabilities measured at amortised cost amounts to	(2.3)	(6.1)	(2.3)	(5.7)
Note 9 Tax on profit for the year				
Tax on profit for the year for total operations may be broken down as follows:				
Current tax	-	(1.2)	-	-
Deferred tax	0.2	2.9	-	-
Adjustment of tax for previous years	-	(0.3)	-	-
	0.2	1.4	-	-
Tax for the year may be broken down as follows:				
Continuing operations	-	-	-	-
Discontinued operations	0.2	1.4	-	-
	0.2	1.4	-	-
Computation of effective tax rate for total operations:				
Calculated 22.0% / 23.5% tax on pre-tax profit/(loss)	1.3	20.4	(4.7)	14.7
Deviation in foreign subsidiaries' tax rates compared to the Danish tax rate	1.2	1.1	-	-
Adjustment of non-capitalized tax losses	(2.0)	(18.4)	(1.4)	(13.5)
Tax effect of:				
Non-taxable income	-	0.2	9.0	0.1
Other non-tax deductible expenses	(0.2)	(1.6)	(2.9)	(1.3)
Tax adjustment relating to previous years	(0.1)	(0.3)	-	-
	0.2	1.4	0.0	0.0
Effective tax rate	3.3%	1.5%	0.0%	0.0%

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Note 9 Tax on profit for the year (continued)

Tax of other comprehensive income:

(DKK million)	2016			2015		
	Before tax	Tax income/ expense	After tax	Before tax	Tax income/ expense	After tax
Group						
Foreign currency translation adjustments on conversion of foreign operations	(5.1)	-	(5.1)	8.7	-	8.7
Value adjustment on hedging instruments	-	-	-	0.2	-	0.2
Actuarial gains/(losses) on defined benefit plans	-	-	-	1.4	-	1.4
	(5.1)	-	(5.1)	10.3	-	10.3
Parent company						
Value adjustment on hedging instruments	-	-	-	0.2	-	0.2
	-	-	-	0.2	-	0.2

Since 2011 no tax on other comprehensive income was recognised in the parent company as it would presumably not be utilised within the foreseeable future.

(DKK million)	Group	
	2016	2015
Note 10 Earnings per share		
Profit for the year	(6.1)	(85.2)
Profit for the year, discontinued operations	(10.4)	52.9
Profit for the year, continuing operations	(16.5)	(32.3)
(Number 1,000)		
Average number of shares issued	53,566	53,566
Average number of treasury shares	(182)	(182)
Average number of shares in issue	53,384	53,384
Average number of shares in issue after dilution	53,384	53,384
(DKK)		
Earnings per share (EPS) of DKK 0.5	(0.12)	(1.60)
Earnings per share diluted (EPS-D) of DKK 0.5	(0.12)	(1.60)
Earnings per share (EPS) of DKK 0.5 for continuing operations	(0.31)	(0.61)
Earnings per share diluted (EPS-D) of DKK 0.5 for continuing operations	(0.31)	(0.61)

The denomination of the shares was changed to DKK 0.50 DKK in April 2015.

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(DKK million)	2016	2015
Note 11 Investment in Group enterprises		
Parent company		
Cost at 1 January	556.3	744.5
Disposals	(22.3)	(188.2)
Cost at 31 December	534.0	556.3
Impairment losses at 1 January	445.1	612.3
Reversed	(16.9)	(188.7)
Additions	8.6	21.5
Impairment losses at 31 December	436.8	445.1
Carrying amount at 31 December	97.2	111.2

Investments in subsidiaries at 31 December 2016 and related impairment losses DKK 8.6m (2015: DKK 21.5m) are classified as discontinued operations. Investments in subsidiaries at 31 December 2016 include the companies listed on page 59 under "Legal Structure". These are valued at the lower of costs and fair value less costs to sell.

(DKK million)	2016	Current 2015
Receivables from group enterprises:		
Cost at 1 January	81.0	151.8
Foreign currency translation adjustment	3.5	(2.8)
Additions	3.3	5.4
Disposals	-	(54.1)
Reclassification	-	(19.3)
Cost at 31 December	87.8	81.0
Impairment losses at 1 January	81.0	141.0
Foreign currency translation adjustment	3.5	(2.8)
Additions	3.3	7.6
Disposals	-	(54.1)
Reclassification	-	(10.7)
Impairment losses at 31 December	87.8	81.0
Carrying amount at 31 December	0.0	0.0

Receivables from Group enterprises at 31 December 2016 and related impairment losses DKK 3.3m (2015: DKK 7.6m) are classified as continuing operations.

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(DKK million)	Group		Parent company	
	2016	2015	2016	2015
Note 12 Tax in the balance sheet				
Income tax receivable / (income taxes due) :				
Tax receivable (income taxes due) at 1 January	(1.9)	-	-	-
Current tax for the year	-	(1.2)	-	-
Adjustment of tax for previous years	-	(0.3)	-	-
Paid (refund of) income taxes for the year	1.1	(0.4)	-	-
Income tax receivable (income taxes due) at 31 December	(0.8)	(1.9)	-	-
Deferred tax, net asset/(net liability):				
Deferred tax 1 January	(0.2)	(3.1)	-	-
Deferred tax for the year recognised in the profit for the year	0.2	2.9	-	-
Transferred to liabilities relating to assets held for sale	-	-	-	-
Deferred tax 31 December	(0.0)	(0.2)	-	-
Consists of:				
Deferred tax asset discontinued operations	-	0.1	-	-
Deferred tax (liability) discontinued operations	-	(0.3)	-	-
	-	(0.2)	-	-
Deferred tax relates to:				
Property, plant and equipment	-	(1.0)	-	-
Current assets	-	0.8	-	-
	-	(0.2)	-	-
Deferred tax assets not recognised in the balance sheet relate to:				
Temporary differences	18.7	16.1	18.7	16.1
Tax losses	159.4	206.5	151.3	152.9
	178.1	222.6	170.0	169.0

Deferred tax has been calculated at the rates applicable in the countries to which the tax relates.

Tax losses eligible to be carried forward have been recognised to the extent that they are expected to be capable of being off-set against future earnings.

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(DKK million)	Group		Parent company	
	2016	2015	2016	2015
Note 13 Trade receivables				
Trade receivables				
Discontinued operations	19.7	35.2	15.0	13.9
	19.7	35.2	15.0	13.9
Write-down included in the above receivables has developed as follows:				
Write-down at 1 January	18.6	19.2	15.0	14.7
Write-down for the year	0.1	3.1	0.1	2.8
Realised during the year	(0.4)	(2.4)	-	(1.3)
Reversed	(2.1)	(1.2)	(0.3)	(1.2)
Foreign currency translation adjustment	-	(0.1)	-	-
Write-down at 31 December	16.2	18.6	14.8	15.0

All write downs are recognised in profit and loss for discontinued operations.

	Number of shares	Nominal value (DKK)	Nominal value per share
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Note 14 Equity

Share capital in the group and in the parent company:

DLH shares at 31 December 2016	53,566,497	26,783,248.50	0.50
DLH shares at 1 January 2016	53,566,497	26,783,248.50	0.50

	Number of shares		Nominal value (tDKK)		Percentage of share capital	
	2016	2015	2016	2015	2016	2015
Treasury shares:						
Treasury shares at 31 December	182,188	182,188	91	91	0.3%	0.3%

At the Annual General Meeting in April 2015, it was decided to reduce the share capital by DKK 241.0m to DKK 26.8m by reducing the nominal amount per share from DKK 5 to DKK 0.5.

By authority granted by the General Meeting, a maximum of 10% of the share capital may be acquired. The authority was not exercised in 2016.

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Note 15 Pensions and similar liabilities

In respect of defined contribution plans DLH as the employer is obliged to make a certain contribution (i.e. a fixed amount or a fixed percentage of the salary). In respect of a defined contribution plan the Group does not carry the risk of future developments in interest rates, inflation, mortality and disability.

In respect of defined benefit plans DLH as the employer is obliged to pay for a certain benefit (i.e. a retirement pension as a fixed amount or a fixed percentage of the final salary). In respect of a defined benefit plan the Group carries the risk of future developments in interest rates, inflation, mortality and disability.

The pension liability of the parent company and the other Danish entities are insured. The majority of the foreign entities' pension liabilities are also insured.

(DKK million)	2016	2015
Defined contribution plans	2.8	3.2
Defined benefit plans	-	-
Total pension costs	2.8	3.2
Present value of defined benefit plans	-	0.2
Fair value of pension assets	-	(0.2)
Net liability recognised in the balance sheet	-	-

Note 16 Provisions

In 2012 the Group decided to vacate its head office in 2013 with the option of repurchasing the property in September 2014 and thereafter selling it off. Provision was made to cover the expected loss on this transaction. In 2014 agreement was made with the counterparty to defer the repurchase decision until early 2015. In 2014, provision on an expected transaction loss was reconsidered. In 2015, the Group exercised its repurchase option and thereafter sold the property.

The provisions regarding the property was paid during 2016, and new made covering pending a lawsuit in France and Denmark.

(DKK million)	Group		Parent company	
	2016	2015	2016	2015
Provisions:				
Provisions at 1 January, continuing operations	2.4	6.3	2.4	6.3
Provisions at 1 January, discontinued operations	0.2	30.6	-	26.6
Provisions at 1 January, Total	2.6	36.9	2.4	32.9
Provisions made for the year	2.0	-	0.5	-
Paid costs	(2.6)	(34.3)	(2.4)	(30.5)
Provisions at 31 December Total	2.0	2.6	0.5	2.4
Provision split at 31 December				
Continuing operations	-	2.4	-	2.4
Discontinued operations	2.0	0.2	0.5	-
Provisions at 31 December	2.0	2.6	0.5	2.4
The provisions are expected to fall due as:				
Current liabilities	2.0	2.6	0.5	2.4
Provisions at 31 December	2.0	2.6	0.5	2.4

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Note 17 Financial risk and financial instruments

The Group's risk management policy

In 2016, the Group's risk exposure was lower than previous years due to the winding-up of the French business and the divestment of the majority of the Swedish activities in November 2016.

Financial risks

Owing to the nature of its operations, investments and financing, DLH Group is exposed to a number of financial risks, especially foreign exchange rates, interest rate and liquidity risks as well as the risk involved in granting credit to customers.

DLH Group's financial risk management is partly decentralised. The general framework for the Group's financial risk management is laid down in the Group's foreign exchange, investment, financing and credit policies and comprises a description of approved financial instruments and risk framework.

It is DLH Group's policy not to actively speculate in financial risks. Financial management is thus only concerned with the management and reduction of the financial risks that are a direct consequence of DLH's Group's operations, investments and financing.

For a description of the accounting policies and methods applied, including recognition criteria and basis of measurement, please refer to the section on accounting policies in note 1.

Foreign currency risk

DLH Group is exposed to foreign exchange fluctuations because the individual Group entities undertake purchasing and sales transactions and receivables and debt denominated in currencies other than their own functional currency. The Group's most important currency exposure relates to USD, Swedish kronor (SEK) and Norwegian kronor (NOK). Owing to the pegging of the DKK to the EUR, there is no hedging of EUR against DKK.

Goods purchased to keep in stock are, for the most part, translated into the functional currency on receipt of goods.

DLH's net investments in foreign subsidiaries are not hedged.

Liquidity risks

The liquidity risk reflects the risk that DLH is not in a position to meet its commitments as a result of an inability to generate sufficient earnings, realize its assets or obtain the necessary financing.

The Group's liquidity reserve comprises unused credit facilities with the Group's bankers and cash funds. The Group aims to have sufficient liquidity reserve to continue to operate appropriately in the event of unforeseen fluctuations in liquidity.

Fair value

At the end of 2016, the carrying amount of financial assets and liabilities corresponds in all material respects to the fair value at the balance sheet date.

Interest rate risks

Due to its financing activities, DLH Group is exposed to risk arising from fluctuations in the interest rate level in Denmark and abroad. The primary interest rate exposure is related to fluctuations in the short-term money markets rates in the Group's functional currencies.

The Group had a net cash deposit of DKK 12 million at year end 2016 (2015: -36.0 million). Cash deposits are primarily denominated in Danish kroner, Euro and US dollars.

Capital management

At the end of 2016, DLH's equity ratio totalled 67.0% against 45.0% in 2015. No target has been set for the Group's equity ratio, but the company deems the current capital structure appropriate in relation to DLH's risk profile and the changed strategy.

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Note 17 Financial risk and financial instruments (continued)

Capital base

At the end of 2016, the Group's net interest-bearing debt totalled DKK 0 million (2015: DKK 36 million). The proceeds from the winding-up of French activities and the sale of the Swedish activities have been used to reduce and repay all debt.

The parent company's equity has been restored and increased by 97%, mainly due to the process of closing down the French subsidiary, where dividend was paid to the parent company.

Financing package

The Group has received a financing commitment from its main bank Ringkjøbing Landbobank. The new facility is an ordinary overdraft facility. The financing package is backed by a collateral package with registered security in inventories and debtors.

General information about the financing package

The loans provided under the financing package described above are supported by a collateral package under which the Group pledges shares in one of its major subsidiaries and registered security in inventories and debtors etc. in a number of companies. For the parent company, security has also been provided in intra-group balances of Group enterprises. The interest margin in the financing package is fixed.

In the light of the agreed credit limits and conditions and budgets and plans, it is the opinion of the Board of Directors and Management Board that the company's liquidity resources are sufficient for the company's operations in 2017.

The Board of Directors and the Executive Management assess that the Group's capital structure is adequate.

Financial instruments - carrying amount and contractual cash flow:

Group (DKK million)	2016					
	Carrying amount	Contractual cash flows	Within one year	1-3 years	3-5 years	After 5 years
Non-derivative financial instruments:						
Trade payables	14.6	14.6	14.6	-	-	-
Total	14.6	14.6	14.6		-	-
Non-derivative financial instruments are split as follows:						
Discontinued business	12.8					
Continued business	1.8					
Total	14.6	-	-		-	-

Group (DKK million)	2015					
	Carrying amount	Contractual cash flows	Within one year	1-3 years	3-5 years	After 5 years
Non-derivative financial instruments:						
Credit institutions	36.0	36.4	36.4	-	-	-
Trade payables	27.7	27.7	27.7	-	-	-
Total	63.7	64.1	64.1	-	-	-
Non-derivative financial instruments are split as follows:						
Discontinued business	25.9	25.9				
Continued business	37.8	38.2				
Total	63.7	64.1	-	-	-	-

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Note 17 Financial risk and financial instruments (continued)

Financial instruments - carrying amount and contractual cash flow:

Parent company		2016				
(DKK million)	Carrying amount	Contractual cash flows	Within one year	1-3 years	3-5 years	After 5 years
Non-derivative financial instruments:						
Credit institutions	-	-	-	-	-	-
Trade payables	8.9	8.9	8.9	-	-	-
Payables to group enterprises	116.7	65.6	65.6	-	-	-
Total	125.6	74.5	74.5	-	-	-
Non-derivative financial instruments are split as follows:						
Discontinued business	7.1	-	-	-	-	-
Continued business	118.5	-	-	-	-	-
Total	125.6	-	-	-	-	-

Parent company		2015				
(DKK million)	Carrying amount	Contractual cash flows	Within one year	1-3 years	3-5 years	After 5 years
Non-derivative financial instruments:						
Credit institutions	39.4	39.8	39.8	-	-	-
Trade payables	10.2	10.2	10.2	-	-	-
Payables to group enterprises	104.8	105.2	105.2	-	-	-
Total	154.4	155.2	155.2	-	-	-
Non-derivative financial instruments are split as follows						
Discontinued business	1.9	1.9	-	-	-	-
Continued business	152.5	153.3	-	-	-	-
Total	154.4	155.2	-	-	-	-

Credit risk

Due to the nature of its operations and certain financing activities DLH Group is exposed to credit risk. The group's credit risk is primarily related to trade receivables and prepayments for goods.

Trade receivables

Trade receivables represent the second largest asset item on the balance sheet, amounting to DKK 19.7 million (2015: DKK 35.2 million). Credit is granted on the basis of a policy where, to a large extent, credit insurance is requested. Sales involving credit granted to customer, who cannot be insured, or where other security cannot be obtained, only take place after individual assessment.

The economic situation in some countries continues to keep DLH Group's credit risks at a relatively high level. The risk is partly reflected by the fact that credit insurers reduce – and in the worst case scenario – terminate their insurance limits for insured customers and partly by the fact that the DLH Group's own risk in relation to uninsured customers is increased.

Realised losses on debtors including costs of credit insurance amount to DKK 1.8 million (2015: DKK 7.8 million) equating to 0.4% of turnover (2015: 1.5%). In 2016, net write-downs of DKK 0.4 million were provided for (2015: DKK 2.4 million).

At the balance sheet date, approximately 85% (2015: 69%) of DLH Group's trade receivables were covered by credit insurance. The Group's maximum risk on trade receivables was DKK 3.0 million at year end 2016 (2015: DKK 10.9 million). The maximum risk before security arrangements is DKK 35.9 million. (2015: DKK 53.9 million).

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Note 17 Financial risk and financial instruments (continued)

Prepayments to suppliers

In order to secure supplies, prepayments to suppliers is a parameter. This carries an inherent risk of losses and requires tight control. Some of the prepayments, however, represent financing of already existing inventories with suppliers. At year-end 2016, prepayments to suppliers totalled DKK 0.1 million (2015: DKK 0.1 million). At the balance sheet date the risk profile was as shown below:

Group

(DKK million)	Trade receivables		Prepayments	
	2016	2015	2016	2015
Credit risk:				
Nominal value	35.9	53.9	5.9	5.9
Write-down	(16.2)	(18.7)	(5.8)	(5.8)
Carrying amount	19.7	35.2	0.1	0.1
Less credit insurance, net	(16.7)	(24.3)	-	-
Maximum credit risk	3.0	10.9	0.1	0.1

Breakdown of trade receivables in terms of creditworthiness (DKK million):

	2016	2015
Denmark	15.0	13.9
Other Nordic Region	4.4	15.3
Western Europe	-	5.4
Other Regions	0.3	0.6
Total	19.7	35.2

As at 31 December 2016 and 2015 overdue not impaired receivables were insignificant.

Of the trade receivables that were overdue at the balance sheet date DKK 20.6 million (2015: DKK 21.7), DKK 4.5 million (2015: DKK 5.3 million) was covered by credit insurance.

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Note 17 Financial risk and financial instruments (continued)

At the balance sheet date the risk profile was as shown below:

Parent company (DKK million)	Trade receivables		Prepayments	
	2016	2015	2016	2015
Credit risk:				
Nominal value	29.8	28.8	1.0	1.0
Write-down	(14.8)	(14.9)	(1.0)	(1.0)
Carrying amount	15.0	13.9	-	-
Less credit insurance, net	(12,1)	(12.8)	-	-
Less other security	-	-	-	-
Maximum credit risk	2.9	1.1	-	-

Prepayments are to some extent secured by collateral in the production plant and moveable property.

Breakdown of trade receivables in terms of creditworthiness (DKK million):	2016	2015
Denmark	15.0	13.9
Total	15.0	13.9

As at 31 December 2016 and 2015 overdue not impaired receivables were insignificant.

Of the trade receivables that were overdue at the balance sheet date DKK 17.6 million (2015: 19.6 million), DKK 3.1 million (2015: DKK 3.8 million) was covered by credit insurance.

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Note 18 Assets charged and collateral

Collateral

The following assets are collateral for the Group's debt to credit institutions:

Legal entity	Collateral	Registered amount (DKK million)
Dalhoff Larsen & Horneman A/S, Herlev, Denmark	Company charge	315
DLH France S.A.S., Nantes, France	Shares charged	-
DLH Sverige AB, Hässleholm, Sweden	Company charge	155

The assets have been charged as collateral for debt to the bank consortium. Debt to the bank consortium amounted as at 31 December 2016 to DKK 0.0 million (2015: DKK 36.0 million). Collateral for debt to credit institutions was registered in an amount totalling DKK 470 million (2015: DKK 490 million).

Note 19 Contingent liabilities and leasing commitments

(DKK million)	Group		Parent company	
	2016	2015	2016	2015
Guarantee commitments in favour of Group enterprises in addition to the bank loans stated in the balance sheet, maximum	-	-	-	9.6
Guarantee commitments in favour of others, maximum	1.8	5.2	1.8	5.2
Guarantee commitments in favour of others are split as follows				
Discontinued business	1.8	5.2	1.8	5.2
Continued business	-	-	-	-

Contractual obligations:

2016	Time to maturity (years)	Nominal value of leasing commitments (DKK million)
The parent company and the Group enterprises have concluded operating leases of real estate:		
Warehousing facilities, Gelsted, Denmark	1	0.9
Administration, Kolding and Herlev, Denmark	1	0.9
The operating leases of real estate are split as follows		
Discontinued operations	1	1.8

In addition, frame agreements have been concluded for operating leases in respect of passenger cars in the parent company. The agreements were concluded on ordinary market terms.

The present value of all leasing commitments amounts to DKK 3.9 million (2015: DKK 8.3 million).

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Note 19 Contingent liabilities and leasing commitments (continued)

2016 (DKK million)	Group			Parent company		
	0-1 year	1-5 years	Total	0-1 year	1-5 years	Total
Commitment under operating lease, nominal value falling due:						
Properties	1.8	-	1.8	1.8	-	1.8
Passenger cars and vans	1.4	0.7	2.1	1.0	0.7	1.7
Other commitments	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total	3.2	0.7	3.9	2.8	0.7	3.5
The total commitments are split as follows						
Discontinued operations	3.2	0.7	3.9	2.8	0.7	3.5

2015 (DKK million)	Group			Parent company		
	0-1 year	1-5 years	Total	0-1 year	1-5 years	Total
Commitment under operating lease, nominal value falling due:						
Properties	3.3	0.8	4.1	2.5	0.8	3.3
Passenger cars and vans	1.7	2.3	4.0	1.1	1.8	2.9
Other commitments	0.1	0.1	0.2	-	-	-
Total	5.1	3.2	8.3	3.6	2.6	6.2
The total commitments are split as follows						
Discontinued operations	5.1	3.2	8.3	3.6	2.6	6.2

Notes

Note 20 Related parties

Related parties with controlling influence

DLH has no related parties with controlling influence.

Related parties with significant influence

Related parties with significant influence comprise the company's Board of Directors, Executive Board and Group enterprises as outlined in the Group legal structure on page 59.

Please also refer to the section of Shareholder information on pages 6-7.

Transactions with related parties:

The Group:

With the exception of intra-group transactions, which are eliminated in the Consolidated Accounts, and the customary management remuneration, no transactions were carried out during the year with the Board of Directors, the Executive Board, major shareholders or Group enterprises.

Please refer to pages 8, where the positions of trust held by members of the Supervisory Board and Executive Board are detailed.

Parent company:

The parent company has receivables from and payables to, group enterprises.

(DKK million)	2016	2015
Receivables	0.0	0.0
Liabilities	116.7	104.8

As at the balance sheet date, interest-bearing receivables carry interest at rates between 4.68% and 6.13%, and interest-bearing liabilities carry interest between 4.68% and 6.13% per annum depending on the currency. Interest rates are fixed on the basis of the company's own interest rate arrangements with the bank.

Interest relating to group enterprises are stated in Notes 7 and 8.

The parent company received DKK 40.9 million in dividend from the subsidiaries in 2016 (2015: DKK 16.4 million).

Apart from this, no transactions were carried out during the year with members of the Board of Directors, the Executive Board, Senior Executives, major shareholders or other related parties.

Note 21 Events occurring after the end of the financial year

The new bank agreement was put into effect with the credit line fully available in January 2017. Reference is made to note 17.

In March 2017 the Group announced in a stock exchange announcement a change of with the decision to continue the operations of its Danish activities.

The divestment strategy in 2013 was therefore terminated.

The restated income statement and balance sheet show how DLH Denmark would have been reported in 2015 and 2016 had it been continued business at the time.

The Group announced a share buyback programme along with the change in strategy in March 2017. The share buyback programme was launched in March 2017 (max. DKK 6 million).

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Note 21 Events occurring after the end of the financial year (continued)

Income statement and balancesheet restated due to new strategy

Group (DKK million)	2016				2015			
	DLH Reported	DLH Denmark transferred	DLH continued restated	DLH dis- continued restated	DLH Reported	DLH Denmark transferred	DLH continued restated	DLH dis- continued restated
Income statement								
Net turnover		256.8	256.8	195.2		264.7	264.7	272.1
Cost of sales		(217.5)	(217.5)	(155.3)		(233.5)	(233.5)	(264.8)
Gross profit		39.3	39.3	39.9		31.2	31.2	7.3
Other external expenses	(8.3)	(12.5)	(20.8)	(15.3)	(6.7)	(16.9)	(23.6)	(29.0)
Staff costs	(5.3)	(16.0)	(21.3)	(25.3)	(9.0)	(15.9)	(24.9)	(30.1)
Other operating items	-				0.1		0.1	1.2
Operating profit	(13.6)	10.8	(2.8)	(0.7)	(15.6)	(1.6)	(17.2)	(50.6)
Depreciation and impairment	(0.3)	-	(0.3)	(1.1)	(0.4)	-	(0.4)	(3.4)
Operating profit (EBIT)	(13.9)	10.8	(3.1)	(1.8)	(16)	(1.6)	(17.6)	(54.0)
Financial expenses, net	(2.6)	(1.9)	(4.5)	6.4	(16.3)	(6.5)	(22.8)	(6.3)
Profit before tax	(16.5)	8.9	(7.6)	4.6	(32.3)	(8.1)	(40.4)	(60.3)
Tax	-	-	-	0.2	-	-	-	1.4
Profit/(loss) for the year from continuing operations	(16.5)	8.9	(7.6)	4.8	(32.3)	(8.1)	(40.5)	(58.9)
Profit on sale of discontinued operations				(3.3)				14.1
Profit/(loss) for the year from discontinued operations	10.4	(8.9)	1.5	1.4	(52.9)	8.1	(44.8)	(44.8)
Profit/ (loss) for the year	(6.1)	0.0	(6.1)		(85.2)	0.0	(85.2)	
Assets								
Tangible assets	-	-	-	2.9	0.3	-	0.3	28.4
Inventories		55.0	55.0	3.3		45.0	45.0	39.8
Trade receivables		15.0	15.0	4.7		13.9	13.9	21.3
Other receivables	0.6	2.3	2.9	1.9	2.6	2.3	4.9	8
Prepaid expenses	0.8	0	0.8	0	0.6	0.7	1.3	0
Cash	2.5	2.6	5.1	7.1	0	6.9	6.9	3.4
Current assets	3.9	74.9	78.8	17	3.2	68.8	72	72.5
Assets held for sale	94.8	(74.9)	19.9	19.9	169.7	(68.8)	100.9	100.9
Total assets	98.7	0	98.7		173.2	0	173.2	
Equity and liabilities								
Equity	65.6	-	65.6	-	76.8	-	76.8	-
Credit institutions					46.3			
Trade payables and other payables	2.3	15.4	17.7	13.5	2.0	10.5	12.5	35.0
Provisions	-	0.5	0.5	1.5	2.4	-	-	0.2
Current liabilities	2.3	15.9	18.2	15.0	50.7	10.5	61.2	35.2
Liabilities relating to assets held for sale	30.9	(15.9)	15.0	15.0	45.7	(10.5)	35.2	35.2
Total liabilities and equity	98.7	0	98.7		173.2	0	173.2	

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Note 21 Events occurring after the end of the financial year (continued)

Parent (DKK million)	2016				2015			
	DLH Reported	DLH Denmark transferred	DLH continued restated	DLH dis- continued restated	DLH Reported	DLH Denmark transferred	DLH continued restated	DLH dis- continued restated
Income statement								
Revenue		256.8	256.8	0		264.7	264.7	0
Cost of sales		(217.5)	(217.5)	0		(233.5)	(233.5)	(4.4)
Gross profit		39.3	39.3	0		31.2	31.2	(4.4)
Other external expenses	(8.3)	(12.5)	(20.8)	(1.9)	(9.1)	(16.9)	(26)	(4.7)
Staff costs	(5.3)	(16.0)	(21.3)	0.0	(9.0)	(15.9)	(24.9)	(2.3)
Other operating items	-			0	2.4		2.4	0.5
Operating profit	(13.6)	10.8	(2.8)	(1.9)	(15.7)	(1.6)	(17.3)	(10.9)
Depreciation and impairment	(0.3)	-	(0.3)	(9.7)	(0.4)	-	(0.4)	(22.7)
Operating profit (EBIT)	(13.9)	10.8	(3.1)	(11.6)	(16.1)	(1.6)	(17.7)	(33.6)
Financial income, net	37.9	(1.9)	36.0	0.0	1.6	(6.5)	(4.9)	(5.6)
Profit before tax	24.0	8.9	32.9	(11.6)	(14.5)	(8.1)	(22.6)	(39.2)
Tax	-	-	-	0	-	-	-	0
Profit/(loss) for the year from continuing operations	24.0	8.9	32.9	(11.6)	(14.5)	(8.1)	(22.6)	(39.2)
Profit on sale of discontinued operations								(0.6)
Profit/(loss) for the year from discontinued operations	(2.7)	(8.9)	(11.6)	(11.6)	(47.9)	8.1	(39.8)	(39.8)
Profit/ (loss) for the year	21.3	0.0	21.3		(62.4)	0.0	(62.4)	
Assets								
Tangible assets		-	0	99.4	0.3	-	0.3	114.3
Inventories		55.0	55.0	-		45.0	45.0	0.0
Trade receivables		15.0	15.0	-		13.9	13.9	0.0
Other receivables	0.6	2.3	2.9	-	2.6	2.3	4.9	1.8
Prepaid expenses	0.8	0	0.8	-	0.6	0.7	1.3	0
Cash	2.5	2.6	5.1	-	0	6.9	6.9	0
Current assets	3.9	74.9	78.8	-	3.2	68.8	72	1.8
Assets held for sale	174.3	(74.9)	99.4	99.4	184.9	(68.8)	116.1	116.1
Total assets	178.2	0	178.2		188.4	0	188.4	
Equity and liabilities								
Equity	43.3	-	43.3	-	22.0	-	22.0	-
Credit institutions					46.3			
Trade payables and other payables	2.3	15.4	17.7	-	1.9	10.5	12.4	0.5
Payables to group enterprises	116.7	-	116.7	-	104.8	-	104.8	-
Provisions	-	0.5	0.5	-	2.4	-	2.4	0.5
Current liabilities	119.0	15.9	134.9	-	155.4	10.5	165.9	0.5
Liabilities relating to assets held for sale	15.9	(15.9)	0.0	-	11.0	(10.5)	0.5	0.5
Total liabilities and equity	178.2	0	178.2		188.4	0	188.4	

Note 22 New financial reporting standards

IASB has issued a number of new standards and contributions to interpretations which are not mandatory to Dalhoff Larsen & Horneman A/S.

The adopted standards not yet entered into force will be implemented as they get mandatory for Dalhoff Larsen & Horneman A/S. None of them are expected to impact significantly on the presentations of accounts in Dalhoff Larsen & Horneman A/S.

Note 23 Non-cash operating items etc.

Note	(DKK million)	Group		Parent company	
		2016	2015	2016	2015
11	Depreciation, amortisation and impairment losses	0.3	0.4	0.3	0.4
	Provisions/(reversals)	(2.4)	(3.8)	(2.4)	(3.8)
7	Financial income	-	-	(44.0)	(22.0)
8	Financial expenses	2.6	16.3	6.1	20.4
	Non-cash operating items etc. total	0.5	12.9	(40.0)	(5.0)

Note 24 Change in working capital

Note	(DKK million)	Group		Parent company	
		2016	2015	2016	2015
	Trade receivables	-	12.1	-	12.1
	Trade and other payables	0.3	(21.9)	0.3	(21.9)
	Other operating debt, net	1.7	19.3	1.7	19.3
	Change in working capital total	2.0	9.5	2.0	9.5

Note 25 Cash

Note	(DKK million)	Group		Parent company	
		2016	2015	2016	2015
	Cash	2.5	0.0	2.5	0.0
3	Cash classified as assets held for sale	9.7	10.3	2.6	6.9
	Cash total	12.2	10.3	5.1	6.9

Legal structure at 31 December 2016

DLH GROUP

Company name	Country	Currency	Share capital	Share of ownership
Dalhoff Larsen & Horneman A/S, Copenhagen	Denmark	DKK	26.8 million	
DLH Sverige AB, Hässleholm	Sweden	SEK	5.0 million	100%
DLH Norge AS, Frogner	Norway	NOK	0.56 million	100%
DLH Nordisk Sp. Z o.o., Karlino	Poland	PLN	16 million	100%
DLH Czech, s.r.o., Prague	Czech Republic	CZK	50.2 million	100%
DP II Bohmans-KU, Kiev	Ukraine	USD	0.206 million	100%
DLH France SAS, Frontignan	France	EUR	0.75 million	100%
Indufor N.V. Antwerp	Belgium	EUR	2.5 million	100%
Indochina Wood Limited, Tortola	Virgin Islands	USD	0.05 million	100%
DLH Côte d'Ivoire S.A., Abidjan	Ivory Coast	XOF	150 million	100%
DLH-Kinshasa sprl, Congo-Kinshasa	Congo-Kinshasa (DRC)	CDF	60 million	100%
DLH Guyana, Inc., Georgetown - E.C.D.	Guyana	GYD	0.5 million	100%

