## NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (Continued)

#### 10 PROPERTY, PLANT AND EQUIPMENT (Continued)

#### Fair value measurement of the company's buildings and machinery and equipment

The company's buildings and machinery and equipment are stated at their revalued amounts, being the fair values at the date of revaluation, less any subsequent accumulated depreciation and subsequent accumulated impairment losses. The fair value measurements of the company's buildings and machinery & equipment as at 31 March 2015 was performed by Lloyd Masika Limited, registered and independent valuers. Lloyd Masika Limited are registered valuers with the Valuers Registration Board and they have appropriate qualifications and relevant and recent experience in the fair value measurement of properties in the various locations in Kenya. The fair value of buildings was determined by reference to market evidence of recent transactions for similar properties.

Details of the company's buildings and machinery and equipment and information about fair value hierarchy as at 31 March 2015 are as follows:

	Level 1 Sh'000	Level 2 Sh '000	Level 3 Sh'000	Fair value as at 31 December Sh '000
31 March 2015				
Buildings	-	307,455	-	307,455
Machinery and equipment	-	124,455	-	124,455
	-	431,910	-	431,910
31 March 2014				
Buildings	-	223,816	-	223,816
Machinery and equipment	-	138,734	-	138,734
	-	362,550	-	362,550

There were no transfers between level 1 and level 2 during the year.

		2015 Sh'000	2014 Sh'000
11	PREPAID OPERATING LEASES		
	COST		
	At beginning and end of year	24,131	24,131
	AMORTISATION		
	At beginning of year	2,462	2,438
	Charge for the year	24	24
	At end of year	2,486	2,462
	NET BOOK VALUE		
	At end of year	21,645	21,669
		======	

# NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (Continued)

		2015 Sh'000	2014 Sh'000
12	INTANGIBLE ASSETS – COMPUTER SOFTWARE		
	COST		
	At beginning and end of year Additions	3,245 419	3,245
		3,664	3,245
	AMORTISATION		
	At beginning of year Charge for the year	3,198 130	2,990 208
	At end of year	3,328	3,198
	NET BOOK VALUE		
	At end of year	336	47
13	UNQUOTED INVESTMENTS – AT COST		
	Available for sale:		
	503,930 Shares shares of Sh 10 each in Kenya Tea Packers Limited	717	717

## NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (Continued)

#### 14 BIOLOGICAL ASSETS

	Tea bushes & nurseries Sh'000	Timber trees Sh'000	Fuel trees Sh'000	2015 Total Sh'000	2014 Total Sh'000
Carrying amount at beginning of year	679,979	138,931	70,056	888,966	813,964
Expenditure during the year	4,554	668	1,654	6,876	4,172
Transfer from property, plant and equipment (note 10)	1,656		-	1,656	1,019
	686,189	139,599	71,710	897,498	819,155
(Losses)/gains arising from changes in fair value attributable to physical changes	(19,932)	20,331	4,214	4,613	107,759
(Losses)/gains arising from changes in fair value attributable to price changes Disposals	(88,375)	(4,214)	(7,462) (5,776)	(95,837) (9,990)	(14,196) (23,752)
Net fair value (losses)/gains	(108,307)	16,117	(9,024)	(101,214)	69,811
Carrying amount at end of year	577,882	155,716	62,686	796,284	888,966

Significant assumptions made by the directors in determining the fair values of biological assets are as set out below:

- Tea bushes are considered to be productive for an estimated period of 30 years from the year of first harvest. After an average of 30 years of production, the yields become sub-optimal and tea bushes are uprooted and replaced.
- The expected market price of tea will remain constant, based on the dollar average price for the last five years and the ruling rate of exchange at year end. Firewood and timber prices are also expected to remain constant.
- A discount rate of 14.8% per annum is applied to discount the expected net cash flows arising from the asset.
- Based on the biological transformation which the tea bushes and tea leaf undergo, 60% of future cash flows less point of sale costs and tea processing income are discounted to determine the fair value of mature tea bushes. The remaining 40% of net market value is assigned to regeneration of tea leaf.
- The maturity period of firewood and timber trees is between 5 and 25 years depending on the species of the tree.

## NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (Continued)

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		2015	2014
		Sh'000	Sh'000
15	INVENTORIES		
	Tea stocks	86,119	150,506
	Stores	59,156	33,534
	Firewood	18,065	10,896
		163,340	194,936
		======	======
16	TRADE AND OTHER RECEIVABLES		
	Tea receivables	343,408	234,818
	VAT recoverable	31,176	20,118
	Staff receivables	7,703	3,076
	Other	15,673	5,763
		397,960	263,775
17	RELATED COMPANIES BALANCES		
17			
	Due from:		
	Tinderet Tea Estates (1989) Limited	8,208	10,208
	Kaimosi Tea Estates Limited	7,689	132
		15,897	10,340
		=====	=====
	Due to:		
	Williamson Tea Kenya Limited	4,684	14,637
	Kaimosi Tea Estates Limited	4,730	-
	Williamson Power Limited	112	107
		9,526	14,744

### 18 SHARE CAPITAL

	2015 Sh'000	2014 Sh'000
Authorised, issued and fully paid:		
3,912,000 ordinary shares of Sh 5 each	19,560	19,560

## NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (Continued)

#### 19 DEFERRED TAXATION

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Deferred income taxation is calculated on all temporary differences under the liability method using the enacted tax rate of 30%.

	2015	2014
The net deferred income tax liability is	Sh'000	Sh'000
attributable to the following items:		
Deferred tax liabilities:		
Accelerated capital allowances	86,002	81,139
Unrealised exchange gains	530	52
Revaluation surplus	96,404	64,542
Fair value adjustment – biological assets	185,943	216,307
	368,879	362,040
Deferred tax assets:		
Provision for employee entitlements	(32,274)	(28,917)
Leave pay provision	(1,807)	(1,643)
Stock provision	(1,150)	(1,119)
Provision for bad debts	(111)	(111)
	(35,342)	(31,790)
Net deferred tax liability	333,537	330,250
The movement on the deferred income tax account is as follows:		
At beginning of the year	330,250	318,739
(Credit)/charge to profit or loss (note 7(a))	(35,026)	12,055
Prior year under/(over) provision	16	(544)
Deferred tax on revaluation surplus	38,297	-
At end of year	333,537	330,250
PROVISION FOR EMPLOYEE ENTITLEMENTS		
At beginning of year	96,391	86,738
Provision for the year (note 5)	16,844	18,058
Payments made in the year	(5,656)	(8,405)
At end of year	107,579	96,391
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# NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (Continued)

			2015 Sh'000	2014 Sh'000
21	TRAD	E AND OTHER PAYABLES	511 000	511 000
	Accrua Other	payables als payables pay provision	24,418 35,874 37,302 6,024	35,799 31,916 33,103 5,475
			103,618	106,293
22	NOTE	S TO THE STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS		
	(a)	Reconciliation of (loss)/profit before taxation to cash generated from/(used in) operations		
		(Loss)/profit before taxation	(29,536)	182,079
		Adjustments for:		
		Depreciation of property and equipment Amortisation of intangible assets Leasehold land amortisation Gain on disposal of plant and equipment Fair value adjustments- biological assets Interest paid Interest received Dividend received	55,990 130 24 (2,622) 101,214 5,120 (424)	66,463 208 24 (2,519) (69,811) 863 (5,161) (352)
		Operating profit before working capital changes	129,896	171,794
		Working capital changes:		
		Decrease/(increase) in inventories (Increase)/decrease in trade and other receivables Decrease in trade and other payables Increase in provision for employee entitlements Movement in related company balances	31,596 (134,185) (2,675) 11,188 (10,775)	(1,560) 50,664 (178,067) 9,653 (81,190)
		Cash generated from/(used in) operations	25,045	(28,706)
	(b)	Analysis of balances of cash and cash equivalents		
		Cash and bank balances	46,844	134,658

## NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (Continued)

#### 23 RELATED PARTY TRANSACTIONS

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The company transacts with other companies related to it by virtue of common shareholding. Amounts not settled as at the end of the reporting period are disclosed in note 17:

	2015 Sh'000	2014 Sh'000
Sales of goods/services:	511 000	511 000
Sales through an agent - Cohen & Griffiths	873,824	-
Sales through a related party – George Williamson & Co Limited	182,767	1,160,281
	1,056,591	1,160,281
	======	======
During the year the following transactions were entered into with related parties		
Purchase of goods/services:		
Service of generators – Williamson Power Limited	-	519
Agency fees-Cohen & Griffiths	5,483	34,741
Central charges-Williamson Tea Kenya Limited	45,288	46,841
Interest charged on Parent Company Loans	4,757	176
Green leaf purchases- Kaimosi Tea company Limited	3,178	6,401
ATH spares & machines- Williamson Tea Kenya Limited	7,812	-
Compensation of key management personnel		
The remuneration of directors and other members of key management during the period was as follows:		
Directors' emoluments – Non executive		
Fees and allowances for services as directors	1,791	1,754
Key management remuneration		
Salaries and other benefits	9,575	9,610
CONTINGENT LIABILITIES		
Kenya Power and Lighting Company Limited guarantees	6,650	6,650
		======

# KAPCHORUA TEA COMPANY LIMITED NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (Continued)

		2015 Sh'000	2014 Sh'000
25	CAPITAL COMMITMENTS		
	Authorised and contracted for Authorised but not contracted for	16,748 66,746	63,916
		83,494	63,916

The capital commitments relate to the company's capital budget for 2015. The company intends to finance these commitments from internally generated funds, asset financing from the bank and loans from related companies.

#### 26 CAPITAL MANAGEMENT

The company manages its capital to ensure that it will be able to continue as a going concern while maximising the return to stakeholders through the optimisation of the debt and equity balance.

The capital structure of the company consists of cash and cash equivalents and equity attributable to equity holders, comprising issued capital and revenue reserves.

Consistent with others in the industry, the company monitors capital on the basis of the gearing ratio. This ratio is calculated as net debt divided by total capital. Net debt is calculated as total borrowings less cash and cash equivalents. The company did not have any debt outstanding as at 31 March 2015.

	2015 Sh'000	2014 Sh'000
Share capital Revaluation surplus Revenue reserves	19,560 224,945 1,183,174	19,560 150,903 1,210,202
Equity	1,427,679	1,380,665
Less: cash and cash equivalents	(46,844)	(134,658)
Net cash	(46,844)	(134,658)
Gearing ratio	Nil	Nil

The company had no borrowings as at year end (2014: Sh nil).

#### 27 FINANCIAL RISK MANAGEMENT

The company's activities expose it to a variety of financial risks, including credit risk and the effects of changes in debt and equity market prices, foreign currency exchange rates and interest rates. The company's overall risk management programme focuses on the unpredictability of financial markets and seeks to minimise potential adverse effects on its financial performance.

## NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (Continued

### 27 FINANCIAL RISK MANAGEMENT (Continued)

Risk management is carried out by the finance department under policies approved by the Board of Directors. Finance department identifies, evaluates and hedges financial risks. The Board provides written principles for overall risk management, as well as written policies covering specific areas such as foreign exchange risk, interest rate risk, credit risk, use of derivative and non-derivative financial instruments and investing excess liquidity.

The company has exposure to the following risks due to its use of financial instruments;

- credit risk
- liquidity risk
- market risk

#### Credit risk

Credit risk arises from cash and cash equivalents, deposits with banks, trade receivables as well as due from related parties. The credit risk on liquid funds and bank balances is limited because the counter parties are banks with high credit ratings assigned by international credit rating agencies.

The company management assesses the credit quality of each customer, taking into account its financial position, past experience and other factors. Individual risk limits are set based on internal or external ratings in accordance with limits set by the board. The utilisation of credit limits is regularly monitored.

The company does not have significant credit exposure to any single counter party or any group of counter parties having similar characteristics. The company defines counterparties as having similar characteristics if they are related.

The company has policies in place to ensure that sales are made to customers with an appropriate credit history.

The amount that best represents the company's maximum exposure to credit risk as at 31 March 2015 is made up as follows:

	Fully performing Sh'000	Past due but not impaired Sh'000	Impaired Sh'000	Total Sh'000
Trade receivables	343,408	-	369	343,777
Due from related parties	15,897	-	-	15,897
Bank balances	46,844	-	-	46,844

The amount that best represents the company's maximum exposure to credit risk as at 31 March 2014 is made up as follows:

	Fully performing Sh'000	Past due but not impaired Sh'000	Impaired Sh'000	Total Sh'000
Trade receivables	234,818	-	369	235,187
Due from related parties	10,340	-	-	10,340
Bank balances	134,658	-	-	134,658

### NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (Continued)

#### 27 FINANCIAL RISK MANAGEMENT (CONTINUED)

#### Credit risk (Continued)

The customers under the fully performing category are paying their debts as they continue trading.

The receivables that are past due relate to trade receivables overdue by over 60 days. The receivables are not impaired and continue to be paid. The finance department is actively following these receivables.

#### Liquidity risk

Ultimate responsibility for liquidity risk management rests with the board of directors, which has built an appropriate liquidity risk management framework for the management of the company's short, medium and long term funding and liquidity management requirements. The company manages liquidity risk by maintaining adequate reserves, banking facilities and reserve borrowing facilities, by continuously monitoring forecast and actual cash flows and matching the maturity profiles of financial assets and liabilities.

The following table analyses the company's financial liabilities that will be settled on a net basis into relevant maturity groupings based on the remaining period at the end of the financial statement position date to the contractual maturity date. The amounts disclosed in the table below are the contractual undiscounted cash flows. Balances due within 12 months equal their carrying balances, as the impact of discounting is not significant.

At 31 March 2015	Up to 1 month Sh'000	1-3 months Sh'000	3-12 months Sh'000	1-5 years Sh'000	Over 5 years Sh'000	Total Sh'000
Trade payables Due to related parties	23,321 9,526	538	559	- -	-	24,418 9,526
Total financial liabilities	32,847	538	559	-	- 	33,944
At 31 March 2014						
Trade payables Due to related parties	30,240 14,744	10,453	(4,894)	- -	-	35,799 14,744
Total financial liabilities	44,984	10,453	(4,894)	-	_ 	50,543

#### Market risk

#### (i) Foreign exchange risk

The company undertakes certain transactions denominated in foreign currencies. Exchange rate exposures are managed within approved policy parameters.

### NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (Continued)

#### 27 FINANCIAL RISK MANAGEMENT (Continued)

#### Market risk (Continued)

#### (i) Foreign exchange risk (Continued)

The carrying amounts of the company's foreign currency denominated monetary assets and liabilities at the end of each reporting period as follows:

	USD	GBP	EURO	Total
	Sh'000	Sh'000	Sh'000	Sh'000
2015				
Assets				
Bank and cash balances	29,495	4,284	-	33,779
Trade receivables	302,513	34,112	6,783	343,408
2014				
Assets				
Bank and cash balances	107,995	20,507	-	128,502
Trade receivables	209,440	22,385	1,281	233,106
		======		

Foreign exchange risk - appreciation/depreciation of Sh against other currencies by 1%.

The following sensitivity analysis shows how profit and equity would change if the market risk variables had been different on the balance sheet date with all other variables held constant.

	2015 Sh'000		2014 Sh'000	)
	Effect on profit	Effect on equity	Effect on profit	Effect on equity
Currency - GB pounds + 1 percentage point movement -1 percentage point movement	384 (384)	269 (269)	428 (428)	300 (300)
Currency - US dollars + 1 percentage point movement - 1 percentage point movement	3,320 (3,320) =====	2,324 (2,324)	3,174 (3,174)	2,222 (2,222) =====

#### (ii) Interest rate risk

Interest rate risks arise from fluctuations in the bank borrowing rates. The interest rates vary from time to time depending on the prevailing economic circumstances. The company closely monitors the interest rate trends to minimize the potential adverse impact of interest rate changes. The company's policy is to borrow in the same currency as the trading currency to minimise interest rate risk exposure.

The company did not have any loan balances for the period under review, therefore not susceptible to interest rate risk in this period.

## NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (Continued)

#### 27 FINANCIAL RISK MANAGEMENT (Continued)

#### Financial risks arising from involvement in agricultural activity

The company is exposed to financial risks arising from changes in tea prices. The company reviews its outlook for tea prices regularly in considering the need for active financial risk management. This is achieved through the marketing agent based in the United Kingdom.

#### 28 OPERATING SEGMENT INFORMATION

The entity's business is not organised on the basis of differences in related products and services or differences in geographical areas of operation.

### 29 COUNTRY OF INCORPORATION

The company is incorporated and domiciled in Kenya under the Companies Act.

#### 31 CURRENCY

These financial statements are presented in Kenya Shillings thousands (Sh'000).

### DETAILED INCOME STATEMENT

(Measurement of biological assets and agricultural produce at actual cost for taxation purposes) FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2015

2015 Sh	2014 Sh
1,073,989,338	1,192,489,068
(914,587,690)	(980,360,723)
159,401,648	212,128,345
3,335,231	4,982,729
-	5,160,746
(100,496,159)	(105,007,365)
(7,501,106)	(5,577,362)
22,057,855	1,444,043
(5,119,596)	(863,345)
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Reconciliation of results based on fair valuation of biological assets and agricultural produce to results based on actual cost of biological assets and agricultural produce:

	2015 Sh'000	2014 Sh'000
PROFIT BEFORE TAX AS ABOVE	71,678	112,268
FAIR VALUE ADJUSTMENT ON BIOLOGICAL ASSETS	(101,214)	69,811
PROFIT BEFORE TAX AS PER STATEMENT OF COMPREHENSIVE INCOME (PAGE 17)	(29,536)	182,079

## KAPCHORUA TEA COMPANY LIMITED DETAILED INCOME STATEMENT FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2015

FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2015	2015	2014
	Sh	Sh
TEA PRODUCTION EXPENDITURE		
Plucking	88,179,974	91,115,732
Manufacturing	103,344,995	93,278,713
Fertilisers	26,211,106	27,368,273
Packing	17,229,467	18,552,528
Machinery maintenance	18,010,750	21,377,392
Cultivation	15,065,004	11,991,552
Cesses	(3,120,489)	3,323,999
Building maintenance	7,269,264	9,800,299
Roads and boundaries	3,965,647	4,866,429
Fuel plantation	232,102	125,652
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	276,387,820	281,800,569
GREEN LEAF PURCHASES	355,691,132	456,209,169
OVERHEADS		
Depreciation of property, plant and equipment	55,990,285	66,463,139
	129,776	207,728
Amortisation of leasehold property		
Central charges	47,680,309	53,604,184
Leasehold land amortisation	24,155	24,155
Garden staff	23,408,724	27,955,690
Estate transport	2,954,755	4,063,532
Labour welfare	29,602,877	27,022,181
Subordinate staff	3,174,685	3,858,118
Insurances	9,245,944	8,669,137
Superintendence	4,752,825	5,504,379
Security	7,506,228	7,650,144
Office running	3,283,484	2,330,209
Medical charges	3,657,380	3,239,597
Donations	5,360,737	3,479,401
Water	3,014,878	2,535,701
Subscriptions	1,244,120	380,646
Rents and licences	1,975,714	2,661,033
Travelling	-	65,019
Service gratuity and other terminal dues	16,844,345	18,057,684
Bad and doubtful debts	164,449	-
Inventory provision	727,443	-
Gain on disposal of assets	(2,621,539)	(2,519,304)
	218,121,574	235,252,373
Production expenditure	850,200,526	973,262,111
Less: closing tea restocks	(86,118,561)	(150,505,726)
Add: opening tea stocks	150,505,725	157,604,338
	914,587,690	980,360,723
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## DETAILED INCOME STATEMENT FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2015

	2015 Sh	2014 Sh
OTHER INCOME		
Miscellaneous receipts Rent receivable Dividends receivable	2,593,189 319,988 422,054	4,368,397 262,173 352,159
	3,335,231	4,982,729
INTEREST INCOME		
Interest receivable	-	5,160,746
DISTRIBUTION COSTS		
Ocean freight and marine insurance Transport to coast and coast charges Ad valorem levy Agency fees	15,206,407 43,837,192 9,754,842 31,697,718	14,202,924 43,806,657 12,256,831 34,740,953
	100,496,159	105,007,365
ADMINISTRATIVE EXPENSES		
Professional fees Auditors' remuneration Directors' fees and expenses	4,096,586 1,613,619 1,790,901	2,004,214 1,819,228 1,753,920
	7,501,106	5,577,362
FOREIGN EXCHANGE GAINS		
Net foreign exchange gains - net	22,057,855	1,444,043
FINANCE COSTS		
Interest on bank overdrafts Interest on loans	362,068 4,757,528	686,907 176,438
	5,119,596	863,345

### FORM OF PROXY

The Company Secretary Kapchorua Tea Company Limited Karen Office Park P O Box 42281 Nairobi

I/We\_\_\_\_\_

CAPITAL LETTERS PLEASE

of\_\_\_\_\_

being a Member/Members of Kapchorua Tea Company do hereby appoint

of\_\_\_\_\_

or failing him/her the Chairman of the Meeting as my proxy to vote for me/us and on my/our behalf at the Annual General Meeting and/or Extraordinary General Meeting of the Company to be held on 15 July 2015, at The Nairobi Club, Ngong Road, Nairobi and at any adjournment thereof.

As witness my/our hand this \_\_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 2015

SIGNATURE