Consolidated Annual Report For the year ended 31st March 2014

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TRUST DIRECTORY

FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31ST MARCH 2014

SETTLOR

Graeme Morris Todd

DATE SETTLED

15 January 2007

DATE OF INCORPORATION

12 July 2007

TRUSTEES

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STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL PERFORMANCE FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31ST MARCH 2014

	Note	Group 2014	Group 2013	Parent 2014	Parent 2013
INCOME		\$	\$	\$	\$
Development Property Sales		3,327,508	1 521 021		
Cost of Development Property Sold		3,210,593	1,521,921 1,526,347	-	•
Gross Surplus / (Deficit) from Property	_	116,915	(4,426)	-	
Sales		110,713	(4,420)	-	-
OTHER INCOME					
Interest Received		258,912	107,843	8,523	10,520
Lease Rentals		118,640	81,604	0,323	10,520
Sundry Income		26,855	14,150	_	-
Application Fees Received		14,255	1,500	6,000	1,500
Starter Loan Fees		-	3,810	0,000	1,500
Grants Received		50,000	50,000	50,000	50,000
Property Management Fees Received		15,704	14,700	15,704	14,700
Depreciation Recovered		41,957	2.,,, 44	13,707	14,700
Stakeholder Contributions Received		1,226,250	450,000	1,226,250	450,000
HNZ Loan Amortisation	8	200,000	192,050	200,000	450,000
HNZC Grant Received	ū	200,000	52,500	200,000	192,050
TOTAL OTHER INCOME		1,952,573	968,157	1,506,477	52,500 771,271
MOMAY DIGORO	-				
TOTAL INCOME		2,069,488	963,731	1,506,477	771,271
LESS EXPENSES					
ADMINSTRATION EXPENSES		92,985	91,479	46,784	45,557
		,	,	10,701	40,557
OPERATING EXPENSES		40,277	43,841	16,743	25,085
OTHER EXPENSES					
Audit Fees	4	8,968	8,160	8,968	8,160
Auditors - Other Remuneration	4	28,544	103,262	28,544	103,262
Depreciation		156,000	136,410		100,202
Interest		254,294	132,532	-	5
Loss on Sale of Fixed Assets		-	25,061	-	_
Trustee Fees		84,769	84,931	84,769	84,931
Impairment Loss				-	• 1,501
Wages		106,700	100,649	106,700	100,649
TOTAL OTHER EXPENSES		639,275	591,005	228,981	297,007
TOTAL INCOMES OF			,		277,007
TOTAL EXPENSES		772,537	726,325	292,508	367,649
SURPLUS BEFORE EXTRAORDINARY I	<u>rems</u>	1,296,951	237,406	1,213,969	403,622
CROWN GRANT INCOME	11	6,009,337	-	6,009,337	_
LESS TAX EXPENSE	11	6,012,815			
	11	0,012,010	-	6,012,815	-
SURPLUS FOR THE YEAR		1,293,473	237,406	1,210,491	403,622

The accompanying notes form part of and are to be read in conjunction with these financial statements.



STATEMENT OF MOVEMENTS IN EQUITY FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31ST MARCH 2014

	Group 2014 \$	Group 2013 \$	Parent 2014 \$	Parent 2013 \$
Opening Balance	7,454,901	7,217,495	7,894,139	7,490,517
PLUS Surplus for the Year	1,293,473	237,406	1,210,491	403,622
Balance at Year End	<u>8,748,374</u>	7,454,901	9,104,630	7,894,139

The accompanying notes form part of and are to be read in conjunction with these financial statements.

STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION AS AT 31ST MARCH 2014

	Note	Group 2014	Group 2013	Parent 2014	Parent 2013
EOXICOV.		\$	\$	\$	\$
EQUITY Trustees? Assumption 1.					
Trustees' Accumulated Income Account		8,748,374	7,454,901	9,104,630	7,894,139
TOTAL EQUITY	lean.	8,748,374	7,454,901	9,104,630	7,894,139
REPRESENTED BY-					
NON CURRENT ASSETS					
Land and Buildings	5	9,786,177	7,325,568	_	_
Mortgages Issued	6	5,971,480	2,609,653	-	_
Advance QLCHT Developments Ltd			, . •	117,825	600,538
Advance Queenstown Housing Bonds		-	-	252,428	49,450
Advance QLCHT Property Portfolio		-	-	9,807,956	7,356,479
TOTAL NON CURRENT ASSETS		15,757,657	9,935,221	10,178,210	8,006,467
CURRENT ASSETS					
Development Land		_	1,186,444	_	_
ASB Bank Accounts		586,895	478,445	376,186	54,605
SBS Bank Accounts		219,840	232,962	5,493	103,154
Deposits on Behalf		-	11,855	-,,,,,	103,131
Work in Progress	7	105,362	1,557,287	<u>-</u>	-
Tax Receivable		-	1,877	19	19
Accounts Receivable	11	6,009,337	-	6,009,337	-
Accrued Interest		12,691	6,095	805	129
GST		8,790	120,172	6,899	5,839
Current Portion - Advance QLCHT		-	-	_	1,403,332
Developments Ltd					
Current Portion - Advance QLCHT Property Portfolio Ltd		-	-	19,600	19,596

TOTAL CURRENT ASSETS		6,942,915	3,595,137	6,418,340	1,586,674
TOTAL ASSETS		22,700,572	13,530,358	16,596,550	9,593,141

The accompanying notes form part of and are to be read in conjunction with these financial statements.

STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION AS AT 31ST MARCH 2014

	Note	Group 2014	Group 2013	Parent 2014	Parent 2013
LESS LIABILITIES					
NON CURRENT LIABILITIES					
SBS Term Loans	8	553,800	409,243	_	-
Central Lakes Trust Advance	9	5,653,981	2,586,227	<u> </u>	·
Housing Corp NZ Ltd	8	1,450,368	1,669,968	1,450,367	1,669,968
TOTAL NON CURRENT LIABILITIES	_	7,658,149	4,665,438	1,450,367	1,669,968
CURRENT LIABILITIES					
Current Portion of SBS Term Loans	8	12,258	946,702		-
Current Portion of Central Lakes Trust	9	155,096	63,728	-	_
A dvance					
Accounts Payable		88,758	382,455	25.018	25,539
A ceruals		21,402	13,638	3,720	
PA YE Deductions Payable		3,720	3,496		3,496
Tax Payable	11	6,012,815	-	6,012,815	
TOTAL CURRENT LIABILITIES		6,294,049	1,410,019	6,041,553	29,035
TOTAL LIABILITIES	_	13,952,198	6,075,457	7,491,920	1,699,003
NET ASSETS AS PER TOTAL EQUITY		8,748,374	\$7,454,901	\$9,104,630	\$7,894,138

Signed Trustee

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Date 17.06.2014

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NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31ST MARCH 2014

STATEMENT OF ACCOUNTING POLICIES REPORTING ENTITY

Queenstown Lakes Community Housing Trust is a Qualifying Trust operating in accordance with its Trust Deed and governed by the requirements of the Trustee Act 1956.

The Financial Statements of the entity have been prepared in accordance with generally accepted accounting practice in New Zealand for general purpose financial reports.

The entity qualifies for differential reporting as it is not publicly accountable and the entity does not exceed the size criteria. All differential reporting exemptions have been taken advantage of, with the exception of SSAP 22 Related Party Transactions.

MEASUREMENT BASE

The accounting principles recognised as appropriate for the measurement and reporting of earnings and financial position on an historical cost basis are followed in the preparation of these accounts.

SPECIFIC ACCOUNTING POLICIES

The following specific accounting policies have a material effect on the measurement of results and financial position:

Revenue Recognition

Grant and revenue from stakeholder contributions are recognised upon receipt. Interest revenue is accrued on a time basis by reference to the principal outstanding and at the effective interest rate applicable. Property contribution recognised at fair value.

Depreciation

Depreciation has been charged on buildings at a rate of 3% DV per annum. No depreciation is charged on land.

Taxation

The income tax expenses required in the statement of financial performance is the estimated income tax payable in the current year, adjusted for any differences between the estimated and actual income tax payable in prior years. Deferred tax is not accounted for, due to the election of the Trust to apply differential reporting exemptions.

Fixed Assets

Buildings are stated at cost less accumulated depreciation, and land is stated at cost, less any impairment.

Investments

All investments are recorded at the lower of cost or net realisable value.

Accounts Receivable

Accounts receivable are stated at expected realisable value.

Goods and Services Tax

The accounts have been prepared on a GST exclusive basis with the exception of Accounts Payable and Accounts Receivable which are stated GST inclusive.

Development Properties

Development properties are stated at the lower of cost or net realisable value. Cost includes planning expenditure and any other expenditure to bring the Development property to its present condition.

The accompanying notes form part of and are to be read in conjunction with these financial statements.



NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31ST MARCH 2014

Basis of consolidation

The Group financial statements are prepared by combining the financial statements of all the entities that comprise the Group, being Queenstown Lakes Community Housing Trust (the parent entity) and its subsidiaries over which the Group has the power to govern the financial and operating policies so as to obtain benefits from their activities. Consistent accounting policies are employed in the preparation and presentation of the Group financial statements.

The Group financial statements include the information and results of each subsidiary from the date on which the Trust obtains control and until such time as the Trust ceases to control such entity.

In preparing the Groups financial statements, all intragroup balance and transactions, and unrealised profits arising within the Group are eliminated in full.

Investments in subsidiaries are measured at cost in the parent Trust's financial statements.

Impairment of assets

At each reporting date, the Group reviews the carrying amounts of its tangible assets to determine whether there is any indication that those assets have suffered an impairment loss. If any such indication exists, the recoverable amount of the asset is estimated in order to determine the extent of the impairment loss (if any). Where the asset does not generate cash flows that are independent from other assets, the Group estimates the recoverable amount of the cash-generating unit to which the asset belongs.

Recoverable amount is the higher of fair value less cost to sell and value in use. In assessing value in use, the estimated future cash flows are discounted to their present value using a pre-tax discount rate that reflects current market assessments of the time value of money and the risks specific to the asset for which the estimates of future cash flows have not been adjusted.

If the recoverable amount of an asset is estimated to be less than its carrying amount the asset is reduced to its recoverable amount. An impairment loss is recognised in profit or loss immediately, unless the relevant asset is carried at fair value, in which case the impairment loss is treated as a revaluation decrease.

Where an impairment loss subsequently reverses, the carrying amount of the asset is increased to the revised estimate of its recoverable amount, but only to the extent that the increased carrying amount does not exceed the carrying amount that would have been determined had no impairment loss been recognised for the asset in prior years. A reversal of an impairment loss is recognised in profit or loss immediately, unless the relevant asset is carried at fair value, in which case the reversal of the impairment loss is treated as a revaluation increase.

Changes in Accounting Policies

There have been no changes in Accounting Policies. All policies have been applied on a basis consistent with those used in the last year.



NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31ST MARCH 2014

NOTES

1. Capital Commitments

As at 31 March 2014 the Group is committed to 1 property purchase under the Shared Ownership Scheme, the total of these funding commitments is \$112,050 (2013: \$386,830) and at balance date the Group had a total capital commitment of \$Nil (2013: \$1,584,309). The prior year commitment of \$1,584,309 represented the committed construction of 10 houses on lots 1-10 Nerin Square, Lake Hayes Estate.

During the year the Group received land at Suffolk Street from Council. The condition on transfer of this land is that it is to be developed. No commitment to contractors has been made at year end. In the event the land is not developed, this will be transferred back to Council for \$1.

2. Contingent Liabilities

As at 31 March 2014, the Trust is in dispute with a supplier regarding landscaping services provided. The supplier is claiming \$93,000. The dispute is likely to be resolved through an arbitration process, the disclosure of any estimate of liability could be prejudicial to the Groups ability to minimise the effect of any claim should it materialise.

3. Related Parties

Stephen Brent is a partner in the firm Cavell Leitch, which is one of the legal firms providing legal services to the Group. In 2014 the aggregate of these payments totalled \$10,656. Mr Brent was previously a partner in Anderson Lloyd (2013: Anderson, Lloyd \$36,497),

The Parent has advanced \$117,825 (2013:\$ 2,003,870) to its subsidiary QLCHT Developments Limited. The advance is interest free and repayable upon demand.

The Parent has advanced \$9,827,556 (2013:\$7,376,075) to its subsidiary QLCHT Property Portfolio Limited. The advance is interest free and repayable upon demand.

The Parent has advanced \$252,428 (2013:\$ 49,450) to its subsidiary Queenstown Housing Bonds Limited. The advance is interest free and repayable upon demand.

During the year ended 31 March 2014, QLCHT Developments Limited sold \$1,048,183 (2013: \$526,643) of Land and Buildings to QLCHT Property Portfolio Limited.

4. Fees Paid to Auditors

	Group		Parent	
	2014	2013	2014	2013
Audit Services	8,968	8,160	8,967	8,160
Taxation Advisory Services	28,544	103,262	28,544	103,262
Total as At 31 March 2014	37,512	111,422	37,511	111,422

Fees paid to Deloitte regarding taxation advisory services were in relation to assistance with the matters referred to in note 11. These fees were completely independent of the audit process.



NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31ST MARCH 2014

5. Fixed Assets

			Group		
2014	Cost	Depn Charge	Accumulated Depn	Net Book Value	
Land	4,284,846	-		4,284,846	
Buildings	5,945,857	155,818	445,291	5,500,566	
Plant and Equipment	1,324	58	559	765	
Total as At 31 March 2014	10,232,027	155,876	445,850	9,786,177	
		I	Parent		
2014	Cost	Depn Charge	Accumulated Depn	Net Book Value	
Land	-	_	_		
Buildings	_	_	_	-	
Plant and Equipment	-	_	_	•	
Total as At 31 March 2014	-	-			
	Group				
2013	Cont		•		
2013	Cost	Depn Charge	Group Accumulated Depn	Net Book Value	
Land	Cost 2,768,373		•		
			Accumulated Depu	2,768,373	
Land Buildings Plant and Equipment	2,768,373	Depn Charge	•	2,768,373 4,556,947	
Land Buildings	2,768,373 4,904,328	Depn Charge - 136,163	Accumulated Depn	2,768,373 4,556,947 248	
Land Buildings Plant and Equipment	2,768,373 4,904,328 625	Depn Charge - 136,163 247	Accumulated Depn 347,381 377	2,768,373 4,556,947	
Land Buildings Plant and Equipment Total as At 31 March 2013	2,768,373 4,904,328 625	136,163 247 136,410	Accumulated Depn 347,381 377	2,768,373 4,556,947 248	
Land Buildings Plant and Equipment	2,768,373 4,904,328 625	136,163 247 136,410	Accumulated Depn 347,381 377 347,758	2,768,373 4,556,947 248	
Land Buildings Plant and Equipment Total as At 31 March 2013	2,768,373 4,904,328 625 7,673,326	Depn Charge 136,163 247 136,410	Accumulated Depn 347,381 377 347,758 arent	2,768,373 4,556,947 248 7,325,568	
Land Buildings Plant and Equipment Total as At 31 March 2013	2,768,373 4,904,328 625 7,673,326	Depn Charge 136,163 247 136,410	Accumulated Depn 347,381 377 347,758 arent	2,768,373 4,556,947 248 7,325,568	
Land Buildings Plant and Equipment Total as At 31 March 2013 2013 Land	2,768,373 4,904,328 625 7,673,326	Depn Charge 136,163 247 136,410	Accumulated Depn 347,381 377 347,758 arent	2,768,373 4,556,947 248 7,325,568	



NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31ST MARCH 2014

6. Mortgages Issued

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		Group 2014	2012	Parent	Parent
		\$	2013	2014	2013
		Ф	\$	\$	\$
Mortgage #1	28 January 2017	224,484	229,890		
Mortgage #2	Repaid in full	•	267,540	_	_
Mortgage #3	28 February 2017	172,272	176,395	_	-
Mortgage #4	Repaid in full		290,065	_	
Mortgage #5	13 April 2017	207,380	214,121		_
Mortgage #6	18 October 2017	295,894	302,387	_	
Mortgage #7	19 October 2017	334,901	345,668	-	_
Mortgage #8	26 October 2017	271,640	277,601	-	_
Mortgage #9	9 November 2017	308,870	317,285	_	_
Mortgage #10	29 November 2017	184,672	188,701	-	_
Mortgage #11	19 April 2018	269,092	-	-	_
Mortgage #12	10 April 2018	310,336	_	-	_
Mortgage #13	24 May 2018	282,052	_		_
Mortgage #14	8 May 2018	369,585	_	-	-
Mortgage #15	5 June 2018	292,613	_	-	_
Mortgage #16	4 June 2018	292,613		-	_
Mortgage #17	14 June 2018	327,324	-	-	_
Mortgage #18	7 June 2018	362,094		<u>.</u>	_
Mortgage #19	2I June 2018	322,948	_	_	_
Mortgage #20	20 June 2018	293,126	_	-	_
Mortgage #21	8 October 2018	317,173	u		_
Mortgage #22	22 November 2018	257,859		-	
Mortgage #23	14 February 2019	274,552	_	-	-
Total as At 31 March 2	2014	5,971,480	2,609,653		

All Mortgages have a five year term and are secured by registered charge over the certificate of title of the property purchased. Interest is charged on the Mortgages at rates of between 4.09% to 5.2% per annum

7. Development Work in Progress

	Group		Parent	
	2014	2013	2014	2013
	\$	\$	\$	\$
Opening Balance	1,557,287	241,842	-	•
Plus Additions	2,800,683	3,370,913	-	_
Less Disposals	(3,210,593)	(1,526,347)	_	_
Less Transferred to PP&E	(1,042,015)	(529,121)		
Total as At 31 March 2014	105,362	1,557,287	44	-



NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31ST MARCH 2014

8. Borrowings

	Group		Parent	
	2014	2013	2014	2013
	\$	\$	\$	\$
Housing NZ-Loan 1				
Opening Balance	1,193,034	1,385,084	1,193,034	1,385,084
Less Amortisation	(200,000)	(192,050)	(200,000)	(192,050)
Closing Balance	993,034	1,193,034	993,034	1,193,034
	Group		Parent	
	2014	2013	2014	2013
	\$	\$	\$	\$
Housing NZ -Loan 2				7
Opening Balance	476,934	367,500	476,934	367,500
Less Repayments	(19,600)	(13,066)	•	(13,066)
Plus Drawdowns	-	122,500		122,500
Closing Balance	457,334	476,934	476,934	476,934
Total Housing NZ Loan Balance	1,450,368	1,669,968	1,469,968	1,669,968

Loan 1 is interest free (subject to meeting the terms of the agreement) and will be terminated after 10 years provided that the terms of the agreement are observed by the Parent. The loan has been drawn down to \$2,000,000. The loan has been amortised from the date of each individual draw down. In 2014, \$200,000 was amortised leaving an unamortised balance of \$993,034 which will continue to be amortised on the basis the conditions of the suspensory loan agreement are complied with.

Loan 2 was advanced from Housing New Zealand for the purposes of financing the Rentsaver Scheme. This loan is interest free for 10 years from the 15th November 2011 and due for repayment 15 November 2036.

HNZ Loans 1 and 2 are secured through a general security agreement over the assets of the Trust and QLCHT Property Portfolio Limited. HNZ Loan 2 has additional security in the form of a second ranking mortgage over the properties included in the Rentsaver scheme.



NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31ST MARCH 2014

8. Borrowings (cont'd)

	Group		Parent	
	2014	2013	2014	2013
SBS Term Loans	\$	\$	\$	S
Opening Balance	1,355,945	416,596	-	_
Plus Drawdowns	167,500	946,702		-
Less Repayments	(957,387)	(7,353)	~	_
Closing Balance	566,058	1,355,945	-	_
	Group		Parent	
	2014	2013	2014	2013
SBS Term Loans	\$	\$	\$	\$
Current Portion	12,258	946,702	-	-
Non-Current Portion	553,800	409,243	_	_
Closing Balance	566,058	1,355,946	-	_

The SBS loan balance consists of \$287,955 that is due for repayment on th 12 March 2037 and has interest charged at a rate of 6.15% p.a., \$113,475 due for repayment on the 15 November 2036 and has interest charged at a rate of 6.15% p.a. and the remaining portion of \$164,628 due for repayment on 16 May 2038 and has interest charged at a rate of 6.15% p.a.

All of the Loans with SBS are secured over the certificate of title of the properties included within the Rentsaver Scheme

9. Central Lakes Trust	Group		Parent	
	2014	2013	2014	2013
_	\$	8	\$	S
Current Portion	155,096	63,728	-	=
Non Current Portion	5,653,981	2,586,227	-	_
Total	5,809,077	2,649,955		lan .

The advance is secured with a general security arrangement over the assets of the Trust and has a guarantee of indemnity from the Queenstown Lakes District Council. The loan from Central Lakes Trust consists of four separate tranches of funding The first of \$1,235,488 has interest charged on it of 4.45% p.a. and is due to be repaid on the 27 January 2017. The second of \$1,350,739 has interest charged on it of 4.17% p.a. and is due to be repaid on the 21 September 2017. The third of \$1,266,140 has interest charged on it of 3.34% p.a. and is due to be repaid on the 25 April 2018. The fourth of \$1,956,711 has interest charged on it of 3.34% p.a. and is due to be repaid on 25 June 2018.



NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31ST MARCH 2014

10. Subsidiaries

	Balance	Country of	Ownership interest	
	Date	Incorporation	2014	2013
			%	%
Name of entity				
Subsidiary				
QLCHT Developments Limited	31-March	New Zealand	100%	100%
QLCHT Property Portfolio Limited	31-March	New Zealand	100%	100%
Queenstown Housing Bonds Limited	31 March	New Zealand	100%	100%

11. Extraordinary Items

During the year ended 31 March 2014 the Trustees and management have negotiated a final settlement with respect to the historical tax issues arising from the Trust's Charitable status being revoked with retrospective application from 2 March 2011.

In consultation with the Inland Revenue Department the Trust determined the following tax obligations in respect of current and prior financial periods:

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31 March 2008	1,157,438
31 March 2009	2,929,286
31 March 2010	74,561
31 March 2011	202,283
31 March 2012	626,736
31 March 2013	167,749
31 March 2014	854,762
Total	6,012,815

The tax assessments for each of the current and prior periods has been agreed with the Inland Revenue Department and is considered a full and final settlement of the historical tax position.

The Trustees have negotiated a settlement arrangement with the Crown whereby the Crown has agreed to fund the settlement of the historical tax obligations. Included in the financial statements for the year ended 31 March 2014 is a Crown grant for \$6,009,337 reflecting the Crown's commitment to fund the tax obligations noted above.



NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31ST MARCH 2014

11. Extraordinary Items cont'd

The Trustees continue to work with various parties, including the Inland Revenue Department, legislators and politicians regarding the ongoing impacts arising from changes to taxation legislation affecting the Trust.



INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT

TO THE TRUSTEES OF

QUEENSTOWN LAKES COMMUNITY HOUSING TRUST

Report on the Financial Statements

We have audited the financial statements of Queenstown Lakes Community Housing Trust and group on pages 2 to 14, which comprise the consolidated and separate statements of financial position of Queenstown Lakes Community Housing Trust, as at 31 March 2014, the consolidated and separate statements of financial performance, statements of movements in equity for the year then ended, and a summary of significant accounting policies and other explanatory information.

Board of Trustees' Responsibility for the Financial Statements

The Board of Trustees are responsible for the preparation of financial statements in accordance with generally accepted accounting practice in New Zealand and that give a true and fair view of the matters to which they relate, and for such internal control as the Board of Trustees determine is necessary to enable the preparation of financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

Auditor's Responsibilities

Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these financial statements based on our audit. We conducted our audit in accordance with International Standards on Auditing and International Standards on Auditing (New Zealand). Those standards require that we comply with ethical requirements and plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free from material misstatement.

An audit involves performing procedures to obtain audit evidence about the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. The procedures selected depend on the auditor's judgement, including the assessment of the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements, whether due to fraud or error. In making those risk assessments, the auditor considers internal control relevant to the entity's preparation of financial statements that give a true and fair view of the matters to which they relate 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 entity's internal control. An audit also includes evaluating the appropriateness of the accounting policies used and the reasonableness of accounting estimates, as well as the overall presentation of the financial statements.

We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our audit opinion.

Other than in our capacity as auditor and the provision of taxation advice, we have no relationship with or interests in Queenstown Lakes Community Housing Trust or any of its subsidiaries.

Opinion

In our opinion, the financial statements on pages 2 to 14:

- comply with generally accepted accounting practice in New Zealand;
- give a true and fair view of the financial position of Queenstown Lakes Community Housing and group as at 31 March 2014, and their financial performance for the year then ended.

Report on Other Legal and Regulatory Requirements

We also report in accordance with section 16 of the Financial Reporting Act 1993. In relation to our audit of the financial statements for the year ended 31 March 2014:

- we have obtained all the information and explanations we have required; and
- in our opinion proper accounting records have been kept by Queenstown Lakes Community Housing as far as appears from our examination of those records.

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Chartered Accountants 17 June 2014 Dunedin, New Zealand