









## Strong.Growth.

2018 Full Year Results





## Highlights









#### Financial highlights

- Group revenue up 14% to £195.5m
- Group adjusted profit before tax up 20% to £37.5m
- Adjusted operating margins up to 21.1% from 19.7%
- Adjusted basic earnings per share up 12% to 25.2p
- Total dividend up 20% to 6.0p per share

#### Operational highlights

- Acquisition of TNT Business Solutions
- 3% organic growth in core Restore Records Management revenues despite high box destruction volumes
- Restore Records Management capacity utilisation at optimal levels
- Major investment in 4 new premises
- 8 incremental acquisitions
- Sale of ITP printer cartridge business

<sup>\*</sup>Before exceptional items, amortisation of intangible assets and share-based payments charge.

<sup>\*\*</sup>Calculated based on adjusted profit before tax, the weighted average shares in issue and a standard tax charge.



## Financial Review



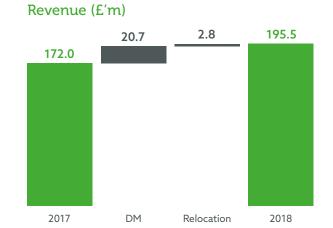
# Consolidated Income Statement (Adjusted)

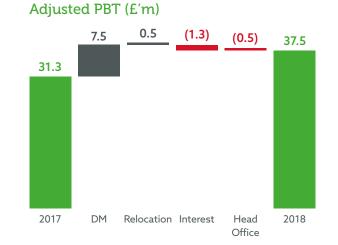
	2018	2017	Change
Revenue (£'m)	195.5	172.0	+14%
Adjusted operating profit (£'m)	41.3	33.8	+22%
Finance costs (£'m)	(3.8)	(2.5)	+52%
Adjusted PBT (£'m)	37.5	31.3	+20%
Standard tax charge	19%	19.25%	
Adjusted profit for period (£'m)	30.4	25.3	+20%
Average number of shares (m)	120.4	112.6	+7%
Adjusted EPS (p)	25.2	22.5	+12%

<sup>\*</sup> before discontinued operations, exceptional items, amortisation of intangible assets and share based payments charge.



- Acquisitions primarily TNT BS
- Organic growth
- Adjusted operating margins improved by 140 bps to 21.1%
- Adjusted profit before tax £37.5m, an increase of 20%
- Adjusted EPS increased 12% reflecting increased average number of shares in issue







## Document Management

	2018	2017	YOY change
Revenue (£'m)	147.6	126.9	+16%
Operating profit (£'m)	38.5	31.0	+24%
Operating margin	26.1%	24.4%	+170bps

- Revenue by business stream:
  - Restore Records Management £86.5m (2017: £68.9m)
  - Restore Datashred £41.8m (2017: £39.4m)
  - Restore Digital £19.3m (2017: £18.6m)
- Restore Records Management organic revenue growth 3% despite higher destructions and delays to box intake on some large contracts
- Operating margin improvement to 26.1% reflects:
  - Strong performance by core records management business
  - Impact of two freehold sites acquired with TNT BS
  - Improved margins in Restore Digital
  - Weaker margins in Restore Datashred driven lower than expected revenues combined with high operational gearing.







### Relocation

	2018	2017	YOY change
Revenue (£'m)	47.9	45.1	+6%
Operating profit (£'m)	5.8	5.3	+9%
Operating margin	12.1%	11.8%	+30bps

- Revenue by business stream:
  - Restore Harrow Green £37.6m (2017: £35.5m)
  - Restore Technology £10.3m (2017: £9.6m)
- Printer Cartridge Recycling disposal completed in February 2019 and has been treated as a discontinued operation
- Margin performance reflects:
  - Strong performance by Restore Harrow Green particularly in H1
  - Softening of margins on Restore Technology following a particularly strong 2017







## **Exceptional Costs**

	2018 £'m	2017 £'m
Acquisition related restructuring costs	4.6	7.2
Transaction costs	2.4	0.5
Other exceptional costs	1.5	7.8
Total exceptional costs	8.5	15.5

- Majority of restructuring costs relate to TNT BS acquisition. Much of this was delayed to the second half due to the CMA enquiry which concluded in August 2018
- Transaction costs include £1m of stamp duty payable on the freehold assets of TNT BS
- Smaller acquisitions make up the remainder of restructuring and transaction costs
- Other exceptional costs include a non cash £0.7m cost related to the write down of assets following the exit of the Motherwell site.



### Cash Flow

	2018 £'m	2017 £'m	
Adjusted EBITDA	48.2	39.8	
Exceptional costs (excluding non-cash EIP credit)	(8.5)	(16.2)	
Adjusted EBITDA after exceptionals	39.7	23.6	
Working capital	(7.1)	(7.9)	
Disposal of assets	(0.2)	-	
Net cash from operations	32.4	15.7	
Capex	(10.1)	(5.3)	
Interest	(3.6)	(2.2)	
Tax	(3.2)	(2.5)	
Acquisitions	(92.5)	(7.1)	
Disposal proceeds	0.9	0.1	
Placing proceeds	50.0	-	
Other (inc dividend)	(7.0)	(4.6)	
Net cash flow	(33.1)	(5.9)	
Opening net debt	78.2	72.3	
Closing net debt	111.3	78.2	

- Net cash from operations increased 106% on prior year
- Working capital outflow includes:
  - The expected post completion working capital required for TNT BS - £2.4m
  - Growth related working capital £1.1m
  - Long term provision movements £1.1m
  - Timing differences on accruals £1.5m
- Acquisitions largely reflect TNT BS but include smaller bolt-ons
- TNT BS partially funded through equity placing of £50m.



## Historic Cash Conversion

	2013 £'m	2014 £'m	2015 £'m	2016 £'m	2017 £'m	2018 £'m	Total £'m
Adjusted EBITDA	12.1	14.8	20.4	29.3	39.8	48.2	164.6
Reported net cash from operations	10.2	5.6	11.0	18.2	15.7	32.4	
Exceptional costs	3.4	3.1	6.4	10.3	15.5	8.5	
Acquisition related working capital		3.7	3.1	6.8	2.1	2.4	
Adjusted operating cash flow	13.6	12.4	20.5	35.3	33.3	43.3	158.1
Underlying cash conversion	112%	84%	100%	120%	84%	90%	96%

- The strategic growth of the Group has historically been driven largely by acquisition. The cost of these investments is seen as:
  - · Consideration paid
  - The cost of restructuring the acquired entities
  - Working capital required post completion (often defined by the transaction structure)
- These items are all factored in when settling on the price to be paid for the acquisition
- Once these items have been removed the cash conversion of the Group averages 96%.



## Balance Sheet and Debt Facilities

	2018	2017	
	£'m	£′m	
Non-current assets	335.5	243.9	9
Trade and other current assets	49.8	45.4	
Cash and cash equivalents	11.7	10.7	
Current Assets	61.5	56.	1
Trade and other current liabilities	(36.8)	(36.0)	
Financial liabilities - borrowings	(0.8)	(9.4)	
Current liabilities	(37.6)	(45.4	.)
Financial liabilities - borrowings	(122.2)	(79.5)	
Deferred tax and provisions	(22.8)	(19.2)	
Non-current liabilities	(145.0)	(98.7	')
Assets held for sale	1.6		
Net assets	216.0	155.9	9
Shareholders equity	216.0	155.9	9

- Two new lenders added to banking syndicate as part of TNT BS acquisition bringing total to four
- Banking facilities restructured and converted to single £160m RCF
- Facility agreement includes scope to add a further £30m (uncommitted funds)
- New facilities adequate to support continued bolt on acquisitions and expire in Q4 2022.



## IFRS 16

- The Group will be adopting IRFS 16 'Leases' from 1st January 2019
- Lease payments which are currently treated as opex in the income statement will be replaced by assets and liabilities/debt on the statement of financial position which will generate interest and depreciation charges in the income statement
- Due to the significant property portfolio of the Group the standard will have a material impact on the appearance of the financial statements, but no cash impact
- Debt covenants will be unaffected

- Indicatively the likely changes can be summarised as follows:
  - Net debt will increase by £130 £155 million primarily reflecting the sizeable leasehold property portfolio of the Group
  - EBITDA will increase by £18 £21 million reflecting the reclassification of rental payments to interest and depreciation charges
- Pro-forma lease adjusted leverage of the Group will optically increase by 1.2-1.7x adjusted EBITDA
- In addition the increase in the non-cash interest charges resulting from the application of IFRS 16 is expected to reduce the Group adjusted profit before tax by up to 5%.

# Restore

## Financial Summary

- Ninth consecutive year of double digit EPS growth
- TNT BS acquisition performing in line with expectations
- Operating margins improving to 21.1%
- Significant step forward in operating cash flow
- Leverage slightly over 2x pro forma EBITDA, bank facilities restructured
- Total dividend up 20% to 6p.

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# Strong.



#### **Predictable Recurring Revenues**

• Restore Records Management is c. 70% of Group Operating Profit

#### **Attractive Operating Margins**

• 21.1% up from 19.7%

#### **Strong Market Positions**

• No. 1 or No. 2 in 4 of 5 core activities

#### Market Knowledge

• Focus on UK offices

#### Well-invested

• Market-leading operating sites

#### Cash-generative

• Restore Records Management has very low maintenance capex

## Growth.



#### Significant historic growth

- CAGR revenue growth of 28% since 2011
- CAGR eps growth of 29% since 2011
- Dividend increased from 1.0p in 2011 to 6.0p in 2018

#### Acquisition-driven growth underpinned by organic growth

• 4.5% organic growth over last 5 years

#### Scope to continue consolidation of existing markets

• Restore Datashred, Restore Digital and Restore Technology all operating in fragmented markets

#### Operating sites capable of increased throughput

#### Scale of Group facilitates more business

- Cross-selling opportunities enhanced
- Drive additional activities through established channels to market



## Restore Records Management

- 3% organic revenue growth despite flat volumes in GDPR year
- Increased operating margins
- Optimal capacity utilisation
- Steady improvement in property portfolio
- TNT BS acquisition contributing strongly
- Specialist public sector team in place



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## Restore Records Management Continued

- 70% of Group operating profit at current runrates
- 20 million stored boxes underpins Group profits
- Strong cash-flow as low maintenance capex
- Holding documents is powerful springboard for document management activities
- Still scope for growth in unvended public sector
- "An economic moat"



Records





### Restore Datashred

- Positive organic growth with increase in gross profit
- Lower year-on-year operating profit as significant increase in overheads, reflecting cost of decentralised infrastructure
- Business model, operating systems and management information systems now settled and headcount decreasing
- Investment in new sites in London and Scotland
- Bolt-on acquisition of Safe-Shred, now moved to Manchester
- Increased awareness amongst SMEs of need to shred securely
- Operating margins don't reflect strength of market position yet
- Market remains fragmented







## Restore Digital

- Growth attributable to acquisitions
- Increase in operating margins
- 4 acquisitions made in the year
- Successful integration of loss-making TNT scanning business
- Working increasingly closely with Restore Records Management especially on public sector
- Sales pipeline improving









## Restore Harrow Green

- Another year of increase in revenues and profits
- Market-leading operating margins
- New East London storage facility incorporating storage from recent acquisition
- High-quality customer base with long-term relationships
- Pre-eminent market leader







## Restore Technology

- Increasingly important Group activity with high growth expected to continue
- Immature, unstructured and growing market
- Major investment in new flagship facility in Bedford
- Now includes IT relocation activities
- Recent acquisitions bring WEEE capability
- Significant scope for consolidation of UK IT recycling market
- Now minority shareholder in toner cartridge recycling business









## Restore as a Group

- One brand
- One well-established CRM system across the Group
- Comprehensive database of UK offices
- Additional new revenues from cross-selling being achieved
- More services increases stickiness.
- Highly complementary activities, eg. Restore Records Management and Restore Digital
- Close customer relationships help us to adapt to changing customer needs
- B2B services are all about channel to market



## 2018 Acquisitions

**Scanning Direct** 

• January 2018

Papershrink

• January 2018

**TNT Business Solutions** 

• May 2018

**ORS Ltd** 

• June 2018

Spinnaker Waste Management Ltd

• August 2018

**Function Business Relocation Ltd** 

• October 2018

Safe-Shred UK Ltd

October 2018

Green Magnet

• October 2018

**Document Capture Co** 

• October 2018

£4.5 million

**TOTAL CONSIDERATION (EXC TNT BS)** 



## TNT Business Solutions Integration

- Integration complete bar certain IT platforms
- Limited change at 2 major public sector sites
- Main London site integrated into Restore RM
- 1 smaller site exited, other smaller site to be exited later this year
- Loss-making scanning business predominantly integrated into Restore Digital
- Generating business for other Restore divisions, eg. Restore Datashred
- Trading well with significant project opportunities
- New dedicated public sector RM sales team created





## Summary and Outlook

- Another strong performance in 2018
- Restore Records Management continues to deliver growth, cash and improving operating margins
- TNT proving to be an excellent acquisition
- Restore Harrow Green established as regular, strong performer
- Restore Datashred and Restore Digital work to be done but well-positioned
- Restore Technology in exciting growth phase
- Strong platform for continued growth, both organically and through acquisition

# Restore

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