

**Company registration number: 517995**

**The Big Blue Bus Limited  
Trading as The Big Blue Bus Limited**

**Unaudited abridged financial statements  
for the financial year ended 31 August 2025**

# The Big Blue Bus Limited

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## **The Big Blue Bus Limited**

### **Directors responsibilities statement**

These abridged financial statements have been extracted, pursuant to section 353 of the Companies Act 2014, from the statutory financial statements prepared under section 290 of that Act. The following is the Directors Responsibilities Statement accompanying those financial statements.

The directors are responsible for preparing the directors report and the financial statements in accordance with applicable Irish law and regulations.

Irish company law requires the directors to prepare financial statements for each financial year. Under the law, the directors have elected to prepare the financial statements in accordance with the Companies Act 2014 and FRS 102 "The Financial Reporting Standard applicable in the UK and Republic of Ireland" issued by the Financial Reporting Council. Under company law, the directors must not approve the financial statements unless they are satisfied that they give a true and fair view of the assets, liabilities and financial position of the company as at the financial year end date and of the profit or loss of the company for the financial year and otherwise comply with the Companies Act 2014.

In preparing these financial statements, the directors are required to:

- select suitable accounting policies and then apply them consistently;
- make judgments and accounting estimates that are reasonable and prudent;
- state whether the financial statements have been prepared in accordance with applicable accounting standards, identify those standards, and note the effect and the reasons for any material departure from those standards; and
- prepare the financial statements on the going concern basis unless it is inappropriate to presume that the company will continue in business.

The directors are responsible for ensuring that the company keeps or causes to be kept adequate accounting records which correctly explain and record the transactions of the company, enable at any time the assets, liabilities, financial position and profit or loss of the company to be determined with reasonable accuracy, enable them to ensure that the financial statements and directors report comply with the Companies Act 2014. They are also responsible for safeguarding the assets of the company and hence for taking reasonable steps for the prevention and detection of fraud and other irregularities.

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**Balance sheet  
As at 31 August 2025**

	Note	2025 €	€	2024 €	€
<b>Fixed assets</b>					
Intangible assets	5	71,923		71,923	
Tangible assets	6	133,894		86,386	
			205,817		158,309
<b>Current assets</b>					
Debtors	7	477,516		463,676	
Cash at bank and in hand		252,179		341,888	
		729,695		805,564	
<b>Creditors: amounts falling due within one year</b>					
	8	(61,712)		(60,425)	
<b>Net current assets</b>			667,983		745,139
<b>Total assets less current liabilities</b>			873,800		903,448
<b>Net assets</b>			873,800		903,448
<b>Capital and reserves</b>					
Called up share capital presented as equity			100		100
Profit and loss account			873,700		903,348
<b>Shareholders funds</b>			873,800		903,448

These financial statements have been prepared in accordance with the provisions applicable to companies subject to the small companies' regime and in accordance with Section 1A of FRS 102 Financial Reporting Standard applicable in the UK and Republic of Ireland'.

**The notes on pages 4 to 10 form part of these abridged financial statements.**

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**Balance sheet (continued)  
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We, as directors of The Big Blue Bus Limited state that:

- the company is availing itself of the exemption provided for by Chapter 15 of Part 6 of the Companies Act 2014;
- the company is availing itself of the exemption on the grounds that the conditions specified in section 358 of the Companies Act 2014 are satisfied;
- the shareholders of the company have not served a notice on the company under section 334(1) of the Companies Act 2014 in accordance with section 334(2);
- We acknowledge the company's obligations under the Companies Act 2014, to keep adequate accounting records and prepare financial statements which give a true and fair view of the assets, liabilities and financial position of the company at the end of its financial year and of its profit or loss for such a financial year and to otherwise comply with the provisions of Companies Act 2014 relating to financial statements so far as they are applicable to the company; and
- the company has relied on the specified exemption contained in section 352 of the Companies Act 2014; has done so on the grounds that the company is entitled to the benefit of that exemption as a small company and the abridged financial statements have been properly prepared in accordance with section 353 of the Companies Act 2014.

These abridged financial statements were approved by the board of directors on 21 January 2026 and signed on behalf of the board by:

*Oliver Allison*

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Mr. Oliver Allison  
Director

*Nathan Allison*

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Mr. Nathan Allison  
Director

**The notes on pages 4 to 10 form part of these abridged financial statements.**

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### Notes to the abridged financial statements Financial year ended 31 August 2025

#### 1. Accounting policies and measurement bases

##### **Basis of preparation**

The financial statements have been prepared on the historical cost basis, as modified by the revaluation of certain financial assets and liabilities and investment properties measured at fair value through profit or loss.

The financial statements are prepared in Euro, which is the functional currency of the entity.

##### **Going concern**

The financial statements have been prepared on a going concern basis.

##### **Turnover**

Turnover is measured at the fair value of the consideration received or receivable for goods supplied and services rendered, net of discounts and Value Added Tax.

Revenue from the sale of goods is recognised when the significant risks and rewards of ownership have transferred to the buyer, usually on despatch of the goods; the amount of revenue can be measured reliably; it is probable that the associated economic benefits will flow to the entity and the costs incurred or to be incurred in respect of the transactions can be measured reliably.

##### **Taxation**

The taxation expense represents the aggregate amount of current and deferred tax recognised in the reporting period. Tax is recognised in the statement of comprehensive income, except to the extent that it relates to items recognised in other comprehensive income or directly in capital and reserves. In this case, tax is recognised in other comprehensive income or directly in capital and reserves, respectively.

Current tax is recognised on taxable profit for the current and past periods. Current tax is measured at the amounts of tax expected to pay or recover using the tax rates and laws that have been enacted or substantively enacted at the reporting date.

Deferred tax is recognised in respect of all timing differences at the reporting date. Unrelieved tax losses and other deferred tax assets are recognised to the extent that it is probable that they will be recovered against the reversal of deferred tax liabilities or other future taxable profits. Deferred tax is measured using the tax rates and laws that have been enacted or substantively enacted by the reporting date that are expected to apply to the reversal of the timing difference.

##### **Intangible assets**

Intangible assets are initially recorded at cost, and are subsequently stated at cost less any accumulated amortisation and impairment losses. Any intangible assets carried at a revalued amount, are recorded at the fair value at the date of revaluation, as determined by reference to an active market, less any subsequent accumulated amortisation and subsequent accumulated impairment losses.

Intangible assets acquired as part of a business combination are only recognised separately from goodwill when they arise from contractual or other legal rights, are separable, the expected future economic benefits are probable and the cost or value can be measured reliably.

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#### Amortisation

Amortisation is calculated so as to write off the cost of an asset, less its estimated residual value, over the useful life of that asset as follows:

If there is an indication that there has been a significant change in amortisation rate, useful life or residual value of an intangible asset, the amortisation is revised prospectively to reflect the new estimates.

#### Tangible assets

Tangible assets are initially recorded at cost, and are subsequently stated at cost less any accumulated depreciation and impairment losses.

Any tangible assets carried at revalued amounts are recorded at the fair value at the date of revaluation less any subsequent accumulated depreciation and subsequent accumulated impairment losses.

An increase in the carrying amount of an asset as a result of a revaluation, is recognised in other comprehensive income and accumulated in capital and reserves, except to the extent it reverses a revaluation decrease of the same asset previously recognised in profit or loss. A decrease in the carrying amount of an asset as a result of revaluation is recognised in other comprehensive income to the extent of any previously recognised revaluation increase accumulated in capital and reserves in respect of that asset. Where a revaluation decrease exceeds the accumulated revaluation gains accumulated in capital and reserves in respect of that asset, the excess shall be recognised in profit or loss.

#### Depreciation

Depreciation is calculated so as to write off the cost or valuation of an asset, less its residual value, over the useful economic life of that asset as follows:

Fittings fixtures and equipment	- 12.50% straight line
Motor vehicles	- 12.50% straight line

If there is an indication that there has been a significant change in depreciation rate, useful life or residual value of tangible assets, the depreciation is revised prospectively to reflect the new estimates.

#### Impairment

A review for indicators of impairment is carried out at each reporting date, with the recoverable amount being estimated where such indicators exist. Where the carrying value exceeds the recoverable amount, the asset is impaired accordingly. Prior impairments are also reviewed for possible reversal at each reporting date.

When it is not possible to estimate the recoverable amount of an individual asset, an estimate is made of the recoverable amount of the cash-generating unit to which the asset belongs. The cash-generating unit is the smallest identifiable group of assets that includes the asset and generates cash inflows that are largely independent of the cash inflows from other assets or groups of assets.

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#### Financial instruments

A financial asset or a financial liability is recognised only when the company becomes a party to the contractual provisions of the instrument.

Basic financial instruments are initially recognised at the transaction price, unless the arrangement constitutes a financing transaction, where it is recognised at the present value of the future payments discounted at a market rate of interest for a similar debt instrument.

Debt instruments are subsequently measured at amortised cost.

Where investments in non-convertible preference shares and non-puttable ordinary shares or preference shares are publicly traded or their fair value can otherwise be measured reliably, the investment is subsequently measured at fair value with changes in fair value recognised in profit or loss. All other such investments are subsequently measured at cost less impairment.

Other financial instruments, including derivatives, are initially recognised at fair value, unless payment for an asset is deferred beyond normal business terms or financed at a rate of interest that is not a market rate, in which case the asset is measured at the present value of the future payments discounted at a market rate of interest for a similar debt instrument.

Other financial instruments are subsequently measured at fair value, with any changes recognised in profit or loss, with the exception of hedging instruments in a designated hedging relationship.

Financial assets that are measured at cost or amortised cost are reviewed for objective evidence of impairment at the end of each reporting date. If there is objective evidence of impairment, an impairment loss is recognised in profit or loss immediately.

For all equity instruments regardless of significance, and other financial assets that are individually significant, these are assessed individually for impairment. Other financial assets are either assessed individually or grouped on the basis of similar credit risk characteristics.

Any reversals of impairment are recognised in profit or loss immediately, to the extent that the reversal does not result in a carrying amount of the financial asset that exceeds what the carrying amount would have been had the impairment not previously been recognised.

#### Trade and other debtors

Trade and other debtors including amounts owed from group companies are recognised initially at transaction price (including transaction costs) unless a financing arrangement exists in which case they are measured at the present value of future receipts discounted at a market rate. Subsequently these are measured at amortised cost less any provision for impairment. A provision for impairment of trade debtors is established when there is objective evidence that the company will not be able to collect all amounts due according to the original terms of receivables. The amount of the provision is the difference between the asset's carrying amount and the present value of estimated future cash flows, discounted at the effective interest rate. All movements in the level of the provision required are recognised in the profit and loss.

#### Cash at bank and on hand

Cash and at bank and on hand include cash on hand, demand deposits and other term highly liquid investments regardless of maturity. Bank overdrafts are shown within borrowings in current liabilities on the statement of financial position.

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#### Creditors and accruals

Creditors and accruals are classified as current liabilities if payment is due within one year or less. If not, they are presented as non-current liabilities. Trade payables are recognised initially at the transaction price and subsequently measured at amortised cost using the effective interest method.

As permitted by the amendment made to FRS 102 Section 11 for small entities by the FRC on 8 May 2017 amounts due from directors and shareholders of the entity are stated initially at the transaction price and subsequently at transaction price less repayments. The amortised cost model is not used.

#### Share capital

Ordinary shares are classified as equity. Incremental costs directly attributable to the issue of new ordinary shares or options are shown in equity as a deduction, net of tax, from the proceeds.

#### 2. Staff costs

The average number of persons employed by the company during the financial year, including the directors was 5 (2024: 7).

The aggregate payroll costs incurred during the financial year were:

	<b>2025</b>	2024
	€	€
Wages and salaries	79,813	134,058
Social insurance costs	4,039	11,689
	<u>83,852</u>	<u>145,747</u>

#### 3. Directors remuneration

The directors aggregate remuneration was as follows:

	<b>2025</b>	2024
	€	€
Emoluments in respect of qualifying services	<u>40,038</u>	<u>21,808</u>

#### 4. Appropriations of profit and loss account

	<b>2025</b>	2024
	€	€
At the start of the financial year	903,347	826,308
(Loss)/profit for the financial year	(29,647)	77,040
<b>At the end of the financial year</b>	<u>873,700</u>	<u>903,348</u>

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5. Intangible assets

	Land	Total
	€	€
<b>Cost</b>		
At 1 September 2024 and 31 August 2025	71,923	71,923
<b>Amortisation</b>		
At 1 September 2024 and 31 August 2025	-	-
<b>Carrying amount</b>		
At 31 August 2025	71,923	71,923
At 31 August 2024	71,923	71,923

6. Tangible assets

	Fixtures, fittings and equipment	Motor vehicles	Total
	€	€	€
<b>Cost</b>			
At 1 September 2024	72,696	53,140	125,836
Additions	66,726	4,616	71,342
Disposals	-	-	-
<b>At 31 August 2025</b>	139,422	57,756	197,178
<b>Depreciation</b>			
At 1 September 2024	12,205	27,245	39,450
Charge for the financial year	17,428	6,406	23,834
Disposals	-	-	-
<b>At 31 August 2025</b>	29,633	33,651	63,284
<b>Carrying amount</b>			
At 31 August 2025	109,789	24,105	133,894
At 31 August 2024	60,491	25,895	86,386

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**7. Debtors**

	<b>2025</b>	2024
	€	€
Trade debtors	52,516	38,676
Amounts owed by group undertakings	420,000	420,000
Other debtors	5,000	5,000
	<u>477,516</u>	<u>463,676</u>
	<u>477,516</u>	<u>463,676</u>

**8. Creditors: amounts falling due within one year**

	<b>2025</b>	2024
	€	€
Trade creditors	40,863	20,443
Other creditors including tax and social insurance	13,949	33,082
Accruals	6,900	6,900
	<u>61,712</u>	<u>60,425</u>
	<u>61,712</u>	<u>60,425</u>

**9. Directors transactions**

During the financial year the company entered into the following arrangements relating to loans, quasi-loans and credit transactions:

	<b>2025</b>	2024
	€	€
At the start of the financial year	(2,370)	(2,459)
Advances made during the financial year	4,195	89
Amounts repaid during the financial year	(3,625)	-
	<u>(1,800)</u>	<u>(2,370)</u>
	<u>(1,800)</u>	<u>(2,370)</u>

Disclosure for each director or other person is as follows:

**Mr. Oliver Allison**

	<b>2025</b>	2024
	€	€
At the start of the financial year	(2,370)	(2,459)
Advances made during the financial year	4,195	89
Amounts repaid during the financial year	(3,625)	-
	<u>(1,800)</u>	<u>(2,370)</u>
	<u>(1,800)</u>	<u>(2,370)</u>

The loans are unsecured, interest free and repayable on demand.

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#### 10. Related party transactions

During the financial year the company entered into the following transactions with related parties:

	Transaction value		Balance owed by/(owed to)	
	2025	2024	2025	2024
	€	€	€	€
Allison Properties Ltd	-	-	420,000	420,000

The ultimate controlling party of Allison Properties Ltd is Oliver Allison who owns 100% of the ordinary share capital of the company. Oliver Allison is the ultimate controlling party of The Big Blue Bus Ltd, owning 100% of the ordinary share capital of the company. There is a golden share agreement in place between Allison Properties Ltd and The Big Blue Bus Ltd.

#### 11. Approval of financial statements

The board of directors approved these abridged financial statements for issue on 21 January 2026.