## Tasty plc

### Chairman's statement

I am pleased to report on the Group's results for the 26 weeks ended on 1 July 2007.

### Results

Revenue for the 26 weeks ended 1 July 2007 was £2,684,000 ( 2006 - £1,151,000), an increase of 133%. The loss before tax for the period was £137,000 (2006 – profit £90,000). Cost of sales, which include restaurant food and wages costs were £1,745,000 (2006 - £660,000) and total administrative expenses which include all other overheads were £1,147,000 (2006 - £422,000).

This is the first set of reported results prepared in accordance with International Financial Reporting Standards as adopted by the EU ("IFRS"). The principal changes relate to the treatment of lease premiums, lease incentives and the impact of a change in basis for the calculation of deferred taxation. The overall impact of conversion on our profits has been set out and fully explained in the IFRS Conversion statement issued today. Given that these are changes in accounting policy only, there is no impact whatsoever on the operating fundamentals or the underlying cash flows within the business.

Under IFRS we are required to spread the benefit of any rent free periods at the start of a new lease over the full term of that lease rather than over the period to the first rent review under UK GAAP. As a consequence the pre-opening costs to be accounted for in any year will be higher. For the 26 weeks ended 1 July 2007, those pre-opening costs amounted to £65,000 (2006 - £nil).

Basic and diluted (loss)/earnings per share for the period was 0.51p - loss (2006 - 0.31p - earnings).

### Cash flows and financing

In May of this year the Group raised a further £3m through an institutional placing. During the period, we incurred capital expenditure of £2,806,000 (2006 - £464,000), predominantly on the fit-out of new restaurants. Overall, the net cash outflow prior to financing flows was £3,032,000 (2006 - £169,000) and as at 1 July 2007 the Group had net cash balances of £3,702,000 (2006 - £1,167,000).

### **Board appointment**

I am delighted to take this opportunity to announce that Jo Fleet has accepted our invitation to join the Board as Executive Director with immediate effect. Jo has had a long career in catering and only recently left her position as Chief Executive of ASK Restaurants. Jo has been granted 500,000 share options.

### Outlook

During the first six months of 2007, we opened one new restaurant bringing the number of restaurants at the period end to seven. Since then we have had a successful opening in Maidstone and all locations continue to perform in line with our expectations, with the exception of our restaurant in Nottingham. By the end of the calendar year we expect to have opened a further two restaurants. Our central kitchen in Park Royal is now fully operational with sufficient capacity to cope with our expansion for the foreseeable future.

K Lassman Chairman Tasty plc

28 September 2007

# Consolidated Income Statement (unaudited)

(unaudited)	26 weeks ended 1 July 2007 £000	26 weeks ended 2 July 2006 £000	Year ended 31 December 2006 £000
Revenue Cost of sales	2,684 (1,745)	1,151 (660)	2,676 (1,598)
Gross profit	939	491	1,078
Administrative expenses Exceptional flotation expenses Share based payments Other administrative expenses	(8) (1,139)	- - (422)	(118) (136) (1,153)
Total administrative expenses	(1,147)	(422)	(1,407)
Operating (loss)/profit Finance income	(208) 71	69 21	(329) 77
(Loss)/Profit before taxation Income tax expense	(137)	90 (29)	(252) 21
(Loss)/Profit for the period attributable to equity shareholders	(137)	<u>61</u>	(231)
(Loss)/Earnings per share – basic and diluted	(0.51p)	0.31p	(1.14p)

# Statement of Changes in Equity (unaudited)

(anaution)	26 weeks ended 1 July 2007 £000	26 weeks ended 2 July 2006 £000	Year ended 31 December 2006 £000
(Loss)/profit for the period	(137)	61	(231)
Total income and expense for the period	(137)	61	(231)
New capital subscribed Share-based payments – credit to equity Merger reserve arising on group re-organisation	2,958 8 -	106	4,391 186 106
Total change in equity Opening equity	2,829 6,800	167 2,348	4,452 2,348
Closing equity	9,629	2,515	6,800

(unaudited)	1 July 2007 £000	2 July 2006	31 December 2006
Non-current assets Intangibles Property, plant and equipment Pre-paid operating lease charges Deferred tax asset Rent deposits	10 4,850 1,229 116 197	£000 1,398 137 60 123	£000 7 3,193 311 116 197
Current assets	6,402	1,718	3,824
Inventories Pre-paid operating lease charges Trade and other receivables Cash and cash equivalents	105 46 746 3,702	25 6 298 1,167	82 14 304 4,003
	4,599	1,496	4,403
Total assets	11,001	3,214	8,227
Current liabilities Bank overdraft Trade and other payables	(1,234)	(699)	(227) (1,129)
	(1,234)	(699)	(1,356)
Non current liabilities Accruals and deferred income	(138)		(71)
Total liabilities	(1,372)	(699)	(1,427)
Net assets	9,629	2,515 ———	6,800
Capital and reserves attributable to equity shareholders Share capital Share premium Share option reserve Merger reserve Retained earnings	2,874 6,417 194 992 (848)	2,774 159 - (418)	2,601 3,732 186 992 (711)
Equity	9,629	2,515 ———	6,800

# **Consolidated Cash Flow**

Consolidated Cash Flow			
(unaudited)	26 weeks ended 1 July 2007 £000	26 weeks ended 2 July 2006 £000	Year ended 31 December 2006 £000
Net cash inflow from operating activities (Loss)/profit before taxation Finance income Depreciation & amortisation	(137) (71) 228	90 (21) 40	(252) (77) 111
Share based payment charge Share based payment charge included in exceptional flotation expenses	8 -	- -	136 16
Movement in working capital Corporation tax paid	(325)	165 - 	528 (6)
Net cash (outflow)/inflow from operating activities	(297)	274	456
Cash outflow from investing activities Finance income Payments to acquire property, plant and equipment	71 (2,806)	21 (464)	77 (2,518)
Net cash outflow from investment activities	(3,032)	(169)	(1,985)
Net cash inflow from financing Issue of share capital	2,958	106	4,531
Net (decrease)/increase in cash and cash equivalents	(74)	(63)	2,546
Cash and equivalents at beginning of period	3,776	1,230	1,230
Cash and equivalents at end of period	3,702	1,167	3,776

### Notes to the financial statements

### 1 General information

Tasty plc ("Tasty") is a public limited company ("the Group") incorporated in the United Kingdom under the Companies Act 1985 (registration number 5826464). The Company is domiciled in the United Kingdom and its registered address is 19 Cavendish Square London W1A 2AW. The Company's ordinary shares are traded on the Alternative Investment Market ("AIM"). Copies of this Interim Report or the Annual Report and Accounts may be obtained from the above address or on the investor relations section of the Company's website at <a href="https://www.dimt.co.uk">www.dimt.co.uk</a>.

### 2 Basis of accounting

Tasty plc ("Tasty") has historically prepared its accounts under UK General Accepted Accounting Practice (UK GAAP"), however, as required by AIM rules, Tasty will in future prepare its results under International Financial Reporting Standards and International Financial Reporting Council "IFRIC" interpretations as adopted by the European Union ("IFRS"). Tasty has adopted IFRS with effect from 1 January 2007. The Group will apply IFRS in its financial statements in its Annual Report for the 52 weeks ending 30 December 2007. Therefore, these interim statements for the 26 weeks ended 1 July 2007 are prepared using accounting policies in accordance with IFRS that are expected to be applicable to the financial statements for the 52 weeks ending 30 December 2007.

These standards remain subject to ongoing amendment and/or interpretation and are\_therefore\_still subject to change. Accordingly, information contained in these interim financial statements may need to be updated for subsequent amendments to IFRS required for first time adoption or for new standards issued after the balance sheet date.

The basis of preparation and accounting policies followed in the Interim Report differ from those set out in the Annual Report and Accounts for the year ended 31 December 2006, which were prepared in accordance with UK GAAP. As permitted this report has not been prepared in accordance with IAS34 "Interim Financial Reporting".

A detailed explanation of the impact of the transition from UK GAAP to IFRS, setting out the restatement of the comparatives for the 26 weeks ended 2 July 2006 and the year ended 31 December 2006, has been provided in a Statement of Conversion issued to the Stock Exchange today. Details of the significant accounting policies used in the preparation of the Group's reported results under IFRS and, therefore, applied in the preparation of this Interim Report were also provided within the Statement of Conversion. Copies of the Statement of Conversion are available on the investor relations section of the Group's website (<a href="www.dimt.co.uk">www.dimt.co.uk</a>) or from the Company Secretary.

This statement does not comprise statutory accounts as defined in Section 240 of the Companies Act 1985. The financial information for the year to 31 December 2006 is a restated extract from the latest Group accounts, amended as required on transition to IFRS. Statutory financial statements for the year ended 31 December 2006, prepared in accordance with UK GAAP, on which the auditors gave an unqualified opinion, did not include references to any matters to which the auditors drew attention by way of emphasis without qualifying their reports and did not include a statement under section 237 (2) or (3) of the Companies Act 1985, have been filed with the Registrar of Companies. The results for the 26 weeks to 1 July 2007 and 2 July 2006 are unaudited.

The financial statements are presented in sterling and all values are rounded to the nearest thousand pounds  $(\mathfrak{E}'000)$  except when otherwise indicated.

The consolidated accounts incorporate the financial statements of Tasty plc and its subsidiary, Took Us A Long Time Limited made up to the relevant period end. This was a group reconstruction, as allowed by IFRS3 so the merger method of accounting is used to consolidate the results of the subsidiary undertaking. The merger of the two companies took place on 26 June 2006. The shares issued are recorded in the Group's balance sheet at nominal value together with the amount of any additional consideration. In the Group accounts the subsidiary undertaking is treated as if it had always been a member of the Group. In the year it joined the Group, its results are included for the whole period.

Costs totalling £145,121 (2006 - £12,060), which relate to pre-opening expenditure, have been included in the accounts for the period ended 1 July 2007.

# 3 Income tax expense

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The taxation charge for the 26 weeks ended 1 July 2007 has been calculated by applying the estimated effective tax rate for the year ending 31 December 2007

tax rate for the year ending of Becomber 2007			
	unaudited 26 weeks to 1 July 2007 £'000	unaudited 26 weeks to 2_July 2006 £'000	(restated) Year to 31 December 2006 £'000
<b>UK corporation tax</b> Current tax_credit on (Loss)/profit for the period	-	(6)	-
<b>Deferred taxation</b> Increase in recoverable deferred tax asset		35	21
Total income tax expense/(credit)	-	29	(21)
Earnings per share			
	unaudited 26 weeks to 1 July 2007 Pence	unaudited 26 weeks to 2 July 2006 Pence	(restated) Year to 31 December 2006 Pence
Basic earnings per share	(0.51)	0.31	(1.14)
Basic and diluted earnings per share are the same as there	is no dilution.		
Earnings per share has been calculated using the numbers	shown below:-		
	unaudited 26 weeks to 1 July 2007 £'000	unaudited 26 weeks to 2 July 2006 £'000	(restated) Year to 31 December 2006 £'000
(Loss)/Profit for the period	(137)	——————————————————————————————————————	(231)
	Number	Number	Number
Weighted average number of ordinary shares in issue	26,581	19,420	20,221