

## MARSTON'S PUBS LIMITED

### Quarterly Investor Report For the Period ended 3 October 2020

### This Quarterly Investor Report covers the results for Marston's Pubs Limited from 29 September 2019 to 3 October 2020

To: HSBC Trustee (C.I.) Limited (as *Borrower Security Trustee, Issuer Security Trustee*, and *Note Trustee*) HSBC Bank plc (as *Principal Paying Agent*) Standard & Poor's Rating Services Fitch Ratings Limited

Terms defined in the Master Definitions and Construction Schedule (the *Master Definitions and Construction Schedule*) dated as of 9 August 2005 and amended and restated on 22 November 2007 and signed for the purposes of identification by Freshfields Bruckhaus Deringer and Linklaters shall bear the same meaning herein.

# **Definitions:**

Q4 means the results for the Financial Quarter from 28 June 2020 to 3 October 2020 Q3 means the results for the Financial Quarter from 29 March 2020 to 27 June 2020 Q2 means the results for the Financial Quarter from 29 December 2019 to 28 March 2020 Q1 means the results for the Financial Quarter from 29 September 2019 to 28 December2019

Relevant Period means Q4 + Q3; and Relevant Year means Q4 + Q3 + Q2 + Q1

## **Principal Debt Movements**

Principal Debt Movements on the Notes	Balance as at 27 June 2020 £m	Scheduled repayments made £m	Repurchases £m	Balance as at 3 October 2020 £m
Aggregate principal amount outstanding			LIII	
Aggregate principal amount outstanding at the Financial Quarter Date	724.6	(8.6)	-	716.0
Class A1 Notes	1.3	(1.3)	-	-
Class A2 Notes	214.0	(4.8)	-	209.2
Class A3 Notes	200.0	-	-	200.0
Class A4 Notes	154.3	(2.5)	-	151.8
Class B Notes	155.0	-	-	155.0



Principal Debt Movements on the Term Advance	Balance as at 27 June 2020 £m	Scheduled repayments made £m	Repurchases £m	Balance as at 3 October 2020 £m
Aggregate principal amount outstanding at the Financial Quarter Date	724.6	-		724.6
Class A1 Notes	1.3	-	-	1.3
Class A2 Notes	214.0	-	-	214.0
Class A3 Notes	200.0	-	-	200.0
Class A4 Notes	154.3	-	-	154.3
Class B Notes	155.0	-	-	155.0

# **Specific Trading Details**

Turnover for the 14 weeks comprising Q4 was £88.4m giving a total during the Relevant Year of £268.0m. EBITDA for the quarter was £27.2m giving a cumulative total of £67.0m.

	Tenanted (Q4) £m	Managed (Q4) £m	Total (Q4) £m	Relevant Period (Q4 + Q3) £m	Relevant Year (Q4+Q3+Q2+Q1) £m
Turnover	35.8	52.6	88.4	89.5	268.0
Operating expenses	23.4	40.8	64.2	71.4	213.0
Adjusted Operating Profit*	12.4	11.8	24.2	18.1	55.0
Operating Profit			22.3	14.3	47.0
EBITDA	13.6	13.6	27.2	24.1	67.0
Free Cash Flow			29.8	38.5	82.7
Debt Service			19.5	38.3	75.7

\* Before amortisation of goodwill

#### **Coverages and Covenants**

FCF DSCR was 1.1 times and the EBITDA to Debt Service ratio was 0.9 times for the Relevant Year and 1.0 times and 0.6 times respectively for the Relevant Period.

	Relevant Period (Q4 + Q3)	Relevant Year (Q4 +Q3 + Q2 + Q1)
Free Cash Flow: Debt Service	1.0 times	1.1 times
EBITDA: Debt Service	0.6 times	0.9 times
Debt Service Covenant satisfied	No	No
Restricted Payment Condition satisfied	No	No

The Debt Service Covenant and the Restricted Payment Condition were not satisfied. Under the waiver dated 29 May 2020 the requirement to meet the Debt Service Covenant has been waived therefore no Loan Event of Default has occurred.

Net Worth as at 3 October 2020 was £465.9m. No Restricted Payments were made in Q4 and £25.8m during the Relevant Year. The Restricted Payment Maximum at 3 October 2020 was £63.0m and no calculation of the Further Restricted Payment Maximum was required.



## **Maintenance and Capital Enhancement**

The cumulative Maintenance Expenditure\* in the Relevant Year was £16.9m and the Relevant Period was £5.6m. The Required Maintenance Amount\* for the Relevant Year was £14.0m.

Capital Enhancement Expenditure of £1.9m was made in Q4, £17.1m in the Relevant Year and £3.6m in the Relevant Period.

\*Maintenance includes both capital items and items expensed through the profit and loss account.

## **Cash Balances**

Balances on the following accounts at 3 October 2020 were as follows:

	£m
Borrower Transaction Account	12.4
Disposals Proceeds Account	3.2
Maintenance Reserve Account	-
All other Obligor Accounts	10.0

Amounts available under the Liquidity Facility at the start of the quarter were £120m of which £15m was drawn on 15 July 2020.

#### Estate

	Tenanted Number	Managed Number	Total Number
Outlets at the beginning of Q4	676	273	949
Conversions from Managed to Tenanted	-	-	-
Conversion from Tenanted to Managed	-	-	-
Acquisitions and substitutions	-	-	-
Disposals	-	(1)	(1)
Outlets at the end of Q4	676	272	948

The aggregate proceeds from disposals were £2.6m for the quarter.

### **Accounting Policies**

Marston's PLC certifies that these financials comply with Generally Accepted Accounting Principles applied in the United Kingdom.

#### Defaults

Marston's PLC certifies that no Loan Event of Default or Potential Loan Event of Default has occurred.



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