

#### **MARSTON'S PUBS LIMITED**

## Quarterly Investor Report For the Period ended 2 January 2021

# This Quarterly Investor Report covers the results for Marston's Pubs Limited from 4 October 2020 to 2 January 2021

To: HSBC Trustee (C.I.) Limited (as **Borrower Security Trustee**, lssuer Security Trustee, and **Note Trustee**)

HSBC Bank plc (as **Principal Paying Agent**)

Standard & Poor's Rating Services

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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:**

Q1 means the results for the Financial Quarter from 4 October 2020 to 2 January 2021

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

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

## **Principal Debt Movements**

Principal Debt Movements on the Notes	Balance as at 3 October	Scheduled repayments	Repurchases	Balance as at 2 January
Thirdpar Best Wovements on the Notes	2020	made		2021
	£m	£m	£m	£m
Aggregate principal amount outstanding at the Financial Quarter Date	716.0	(8.6)	-	707.4
Class A1 Notes	-	-	-	-
Class A2 Notes	209.2	(6.3)	-	202.9
Class A3 Notes	200.0	-	-	200.0
Class A4 Notes	151.8	(2.3)	-	149.5
Class B Notes	155.0	-	-	155.0



	Balance as at	Scheduled	Repurchases	Balance as at
Principal Debt Movements on the Term	3 October	repayments		2 January
Advance	2020	made		2021
	£m	£m	£m	£m
Aggregate principal amount outstanding at the Financial Quarter Date	724.6	-	-	716.0
Class A1 Notes	1.3	(1.3)	-	0
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

### **Specific Trading Details**

Turnover for the 13 weeks comprising Q1 was £27.5m giving a total during the Relevant Year of £196.4m. EBITDA for the quarter was £ (1.9)m giving a cumulative total of £36.0m.

	Tenanted (Q1) £m	Managed (Q1) £m	Total (Q1) £m	Relevant Period (Q1 + Q4) £m	Relevant Year (Q1+Q4+Q3+Q2) £m
Turnover	11.7	15.8	27.5	115.9	196.4
Operating expenses	10.6	21.7	32.3	96.5	172.3
Adjusted Operating Profit*	1.1	(5.9)	(4.8)	19.4	24.1
Operating Profit			(6.8)	15.5	16.2
EBITDA	2.2	(4.1)	(1.9)	25.3	36.0
Free Cash Flow		, ,	(0.2)	29.6	53.2
Debt Service			18.7	38.2	75.7

<sup>\*</sup> Before amortisation of goodwill

### **Coverages and Covenants**

FCF DSCR was 0.7 times and the EBITDA to Debt Service ratio was 0.5 times for the Relevant Year and 0.8 times and 0.7 times respectively for the Relevant Period.

	Relevant Period (Q1 + Q4)	Relevant Year (Q1+Q4+Q3+Q2)
Free Cash Flow: Debt Service	0.8 times	0.7 times
EBITDA: Debt Service	0.7 times	0.5 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 3 December 2020 the requirement to meet the Debt Service Covenant has been waived therefore no Loan Event of Default has occurred.

Net Worth as at 2 January 2021 was £463.6m. No Restricted Payments were made in Q1 and £22.3m during the Relevant Year. The Restricted Payment Maximum at 2 January 2021 was £36.4m and no calculation of the Further Restricted Payment Maximum was required.



### **Maintenance and Capital Enhancement**

The cumulative Maintenance Expenditure\* in the Relevant Year was £15.4m and the Relevant Period was £7.7m. The Required Maintenance Amount\* for the Relevant Year was £8.9m.

Capital Enhancement Expenditure of £2.2m was made in Q1, £11.1m in the Relevant Year and £4.1m 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 2 January 2021 were as follows:

	£m
Borrower Transaction Account	1.7
Disposals Proceeds Account	3.2
Maintenance Reserve Account	-
All other Obligor Accounts	16.6

Amounts available under the Liquidity Facility at the start of the quarter were £120m of which £10m was drawn on 15 October 2020.

#### **Estate**

	Tenanted Number	Managed Number	Total Number
Outlets at the beginning of Q1	676	272	948
Conversions from Managed to Tenanted	-	-	-
Conversion from Tenanted to Managed	-	-	-
Acquisitions and substitutions	-	-	-
Disposals	-	-	-
Outlets at the end of Q1	676	272	948

The aggregate proceeds from disposals were nil 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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