### **FORM AR27**

Trade Union and Labour Relations (Consolidation) Act 1992

#### ANNUAL RETURN FOR AN EMPLOYERS' ASSOCIATION

| Name of Employers' Association:         | Leather Producers Association   |
|---|---|
| Year ended:                             | 30 September 2012   |
| List No:                                | 472   |
| Head or Main Office:                    | Leather Trade House<br>Kings Park Road<br>Moulton<br>Northampton<br>NN3 6JD                 |
| Website address (if available)          |   |
| Has the address changed during the      |   |
| year to which the return relates?       | Yes No X (Tick as appropriate)  |
| General Secretary:                      | Paul Pearson  |
| Contact name for queries regarding      |   |
| the completion of this return:          | Paul Pearson  |
| Telephone Number:                       | 01604 679917 07801018947  |
| e-mail:                                 | paulpearson@uklf.org  |
| • ——— - — — — — — — — — — — — — — — — — | NOTES IN THE COMPLETION OF THIS RETURN. completion of this return should be directed to the |

Certification Office as below or by telephone to: 020 7210 3734

The address to which returns and other documents should be sent are:

For Employers' Associations based in England and Wales: **Certification Office for Trade Unions and Employers' Associations** 22<sup>nd</sup> Floor, Euston Tower, 286 Euston Road, London NW1 3JJ

For Employers' Associations based in Scotland: Certification Office for Trade Unions and Employers' Associations Melrose House, 69a George Street, Edinburgh EH2 2JG



# **RETURN OF MEMBERS**

(see note 9)

| NUMBER OF MEMBERS AT THE END OF THE YEAR |   |   |   |    |  |  |  |
|--|---|---|---|----|--|--|--|
| Great<br>Britain                         | (11111111111111111111111111111111111111 |   |   |    |  |  |  |
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#### **OFFICERS IN POST**

(see note 10)

Please attach as an annexe to this form a complete list of all officers in post at the end of the year to which this form relates, with the title of each persons office.

SEE BELOW

#### **CHANGE OF OFFICERS**

Please complete the following to record any changes of officers during the twelve months covered by this return.

OCHAOCE - THE ONLY OFFICERS REMAIN

| Title of Office | Name of Officer ceasing to hold office | Name of<br>Officer Appointed | Date of Change |
|-----------------|--|------------------------------|----------------|
| CHAIRMAN        |  | I AIN MERADYEN               | 0.0.           |
| SECRETARY       | ***                                    | PAUL PEARSON                 | 0.0.           |
|                 |  |                              |                |
|                 |  |                              |                |
|                 |  |                              |                |
|                 |  |                              |                |
|                 |  |                              |                |

# **REVENUE ACCOUNT/GENERAL FUND**

(see notes 11 to 16)

| Previous<br>Year |                      |  | £ | £         |
|------------------|----------------------|--|---|-----------|
|                  | INCOME               |  |   |           |
| 4542             | From Members         | Subscriptions, levies, etc   |   | 4542      |
| 6                | Investment income    | Interest and dividends (gross) Bank interest (gross) Other (specify)   |   | 5         |
|                  | Other income         | Rents received Insurance commission Consultancy fees Publications/Seminars   |   |           |
| 597              | Handbooks            | Miscellaneous receipts (specify)   |   | 557       |
| 5145             |                      | TOTAL INCOME   |   | 5104      |
|                  | EXPENDITURE          |  |   |           |
| 4060             | Administrative expen | ses Remuneration and expenses of staff Occupancy costs Printing, Stationery, Post  |   | 3780      |
| 102<br>730       |                      | Telephones Legal and Professional fees Miscellaneous (specify)   |   | 50<br>730 |
| 974              | Other charges        | Bank charges Depreciation Sums written off Affiliation fees Donations Conference and meeting fees Expenses Miscellaneous (specify) |   | 755       |
|                  | Taxation             |  |   |           |
| 5866             |                      | TOTAL EXPENDITURE  |   | 5315      |
| -721             |                      | Surplus/Deficit for year   |   | -211      |
| 9794             |                      | Amount of fund at beginning of year  |   | 9073      |
| 9073             |                      | Amount of fund at end of year  |   | 8862      |

#### ACCOUNTS OTHER THAN THE REVENUE ACCOUNT/GENERAL FUND

(see notes 17 to 18)

| ACCOUNT 2        |   | Fund<br>Account |
|------------------|---|-----------------|
| Name of account: | £   | £               |
| Income           | From members Investment income Other income (specify) |                 |
|                  | Total Income  |                 |
| Expenditure      | Administrative expenses Other expenditure (specify)   |                 |
| <u>:</u>         |   |                 |
|                  | Total Expenditure Surplus (Deficit) for the year      |                 |
|                  | Amount of fund at beginning of year                   |                 |
|                  | Amount of fund at the end of year (as Balance Sheet)  |                 |

| ACCOUNT 3   |  | Fund    |
|-------------|--|---------|
|             |  | Account |
| Name of     | £  | £       |
| account:    |  |         |
| Income      |  |         |
|             | From members   |         |
|             | Investment income                                    |         |
|             | Other income (specify)                               |         |
|             |  |         |
|             |  |         |
|             |  |         |
|             | Total Income   |         |
|             |  |         |
|             |  |         |
| Expenditure |  |         |
| ,           | Administrative expenses                              |         |
|             | Other expenditure (specify)                          |         |
|             | (  |         |
|             |  |         |
|             |  |         |
|             | Total Expenditure                                    |         |
|             | -  |         |
|             | Surplus (Deficit) for the year                       |         |
|             | Amount of fund at beginning of year                  |         |
|             | Amount of fund at the end of year (as Balance Sheet) |         |

# ACCOUNTS OTHER THAN THE REVENUE ACCOUNT/GENERAL FUND

(see notes 17 to 18)

| ACCOUNT 4        |   | Fund<br>Account |
|------------------|---|-----------------|
| Name of account: | £   | £               |
| Income           | From members Investment income Other income (specify)                 |                 |
|                  | Total Income  | )               |
| Expenditure      | Administrative expenses Other expenditure (specify)                   |                 |
|                  | Total Expenditure   |                 |
|                  | Surplus (Deficit) for the year<br>Amount of fund at beginning of year |                 |
|                  | Amount of fund at the end of year (as Balance Sheet                   |                 |

| ACCOUNT 5                               |   | Fund    |
|---|---|---------|
| *************************************** |   | Account |
| Name of                                 | £   | £       |
| account:                                |   |         |
| Income                                  |   |         |
|   | From members                                      |         |
|   | Investment income                                 |         |
|   | Other income (specify)                            |         |
|   |   |         |
|   |   |         |
|   |   |         |
|   | Total Incom                                       | ne      |
|   |   |         |
|   |   |         |
| Expenditure                             |   |         |
|   | Administrative expenses                           |         |
|   | Other expenditure (specify)                       |         |
|   |   |         |
|   |   |         |
|   |   |         |
|   | Total Expenditu                                   | ire     |
|   | Surplus (Deficit) for the year                    | ·       |
|   | Amount of fund at beginning of ye                 | 1       |
|   |   |         |
|   | Amount of fund at the end of year (as Balance She | et)     |

# ACCOUNTS OTHER THAN THE REVENUE ACCOUNT/GENERAL FUND

(see notes 17 to 18)

| ACCOUNT 6        |  | Fund<br>Account |
|------------------|--|-----------------|
| Name of account: | £  | £               |
| Income           | From members Investment income Other income (specify)  |                 |
|                  | Total Income   |                 |
| Expenditure      | Administrative expenses Other expenditure (specify)  |                 |
|                  | Total Expenditure Surplus (Deficit) for the year Amount of fund at beginning of year Amount of year (as Balance Sheet) |                 |

| ACCOUNT 7        |  | Fund<br>Account |
|------------------|--|-----------------|
| Name of account: | £  | £               |
| Income           | From members Investment income Other income (specify)  Total Income  Administrative expenses Other expenditure (specify) |                 |
|                  | Total Expenditure  |                 |
|                  | Surplus (Deficit) for the year   |                 |
|                  | Amount of fund at beginning of year  |                 |
|                  | Amount of fund at the end of year (as Balance Sheet)   |                 |

# BALANCE SHEET AS AT [ 30 SEPTEMBER 2012 ] (see notes 19 and 20)

| Previous Year | r (300 11003 10 and 20)                  | £             | £     |
|---------------|--|---------------|-------|
|               | Fixed Assets (as at page 11)             |               |       |
|               |  |               |       |
|               | Investments (as per analysis on page 13) |               |       |
|               | Quoted (Market value £ )                 |               |       |
|               | Unquoted                                 |               |       |
|               | Total Investments                        |               |       |
|               | Other Assets                             |               |       |
| 188           | Sundry debtors                           |               | 1104  |
| 11904         | Cash at bank and in hand                 |               | 8374  |
| 700           | Stocks of goods                          |               | 650   |
|               | Others (specify)                         |               |       |
|               |  |               |       |
|               |  |               |       |
|               | Total of other                           |               |       |
|               | assets                                   |               |       |
| 12792         | ТОТ                                      | TAL ASSETS    | 10128 |
|               |  |               |       |
|               | Fund (Account)                           |               |       |
|               | Fund (Account)                           |               |       |
|               | Fund (Account)                           | :             |       |
|               | Revaluation Reserve                      |               |       |
|               | Liabilities                              |               |       |
|               | Loans                                    |               |       |
|               | Bank overdraft                           |               |       |
|               | Tax payable                              |               |       |
|               | Sundry creditors                         |               |       |
| 3719          | Accrued expenses                         |               | 1266  |
|               | Provisions                               |               |       |
|               | Other liabilities                        |               |       |
| 3719          | TOTA                                     | L LIABILITIES | 1266  |
| 9073          | TO                                       | TAL ASSETS    | 8862  |

# **FIXED ASSETS ACCOUNT**

(see note 21)

|  | Land &<br>Buildings | Fixtures & Fittings | Motor<br>Vehicles &<br>Equipment | Total |
|--|---------------------|---------------------|----------------------------------|-------|
| COST OR VALUATION At start of period     | £                   | £                   | £                                | £     |
| Additions during period                  |                     |                     |                                  |       |
| Less: Disposals during period            |                     |                     |                                  |       |
| Less: DEPRECIATION:                      |                     |                     |                                  |       |
| Total to end of period                   |                     |                     |                                  |       |
| BOOK AMOUNT at end of period             |                     |                     |                                  |       |
| Freehold                                 |                     |                     |                                  |       |
| Leasehold (50 or more years unexpired)   |                     |                     |                                  |       |
| Leasehold (less than 50 years unexpired) |                     |                     |                                  |       |
| AS BALANCE SHEET                         |                     |                     |                                  |       |

# **ANALYSIS OF INVESTMENTS**

(see note 22)

|          |   | Other<br>Funds<br>£ |
|----------|---|---------------------|
| QUOTED   | British Government & British Government Guaranteed Securities |                     |
|          | British Municipal and County Securities                       |                     |
|          | Other quoted securities (to be specified)                     |                     |
|          | TOTAL QUOTED (as Balance Sheet)                               |                     |
|          | *Market Value of Quoted Investments                           |                     |
| UNQUOTED | British Government Securities                                 |                     |
|          | British Municipal and County Securities                       |                     |
|          | Mortgages   |                     |
|          | Other unquoted securities (to be specified)                   |                     |
|          | TOTAL QUOTED (as Balance Sheet)                               |                     |
|          | *Market Value of Unquoted Investments                         |                     |

<sup>\*</sup> Market value of investments to be stated where these are different from the figures quoted in the balance sheet

# **ANALYSIS OF INVESTMENT INCOME** (CONTROLLING INTERESTS) (see notes 23 to 25)

| Does the association, or any constituent part of the controlling interest in any limited company?             | YES  | NO     |    |
|---|--|--------|----|
| If YES name the relevant companies:   |  |        |    |
| COMPANY NAME  | COMPANY REGISTRA registered in England & registered) |        | •  |
| INCORPORATED  | EMPLOYERS' ASSOCIA                                   | TIONS  |    |
| Are the shares which are controlled by the associ   |  |        |    |
| association's name  | ation registered in the                              | YES    | NO |
| If NO, please state the names of the persons in whom the shares controlled by the association are registered. |  |        |    |
| COMPANY NAME  | NAMES OF SHAREHO                                     |        |    |
|   | EMPLOYERS ASSOCIA                                    | ATIONS |    |
| Are the shares which are controlled by the associ names of the association's trustees?                        | ation registered in the                              | YES    | NO |
| If NO, state the names of the persons in whom the shares controlled by the association are registered.        |  |        |    |
| COMPANY NAME  | NAMES OF SHAREHO                                     | LDERS  |    |

# **SUMMARY SHEET**

(see notes 26 to 35)

|   | All funds except<br>Political Funds<br>£ | Political<br>Funds<br>£ | Total<br>Funds<br>£ |
|---|--|-------------------------|---------------------|
| INCOME  |  |                         |                     |
| From Members  | 4542                                     |                         | 4542                |
| From Investments  | 5  |                         | 5                   |
| Other Income (including increases by revaluation of assets) | 557                                      |                         | 557                 |
| Total Income  | 5104                                     |                         | 5104                |
| EXPENDITURE (including decreases by revaluation of assets)  |  |                         |                     |
| Total Expenditure   | 5315                                     |                         | 5315                |
|   | <u> </u>                                 |                         |                     |
| Funds at beginning of year (including reserves)             |  |                         | 9073                |
| Funds at end of year (including reserves)                   |  |                         | 8862                |
|   |  | ş-                      |                     |
| ASSETS  |  |                         |                     |
|   | Fixed Assets                             |                         |                     |
|   | Investment Assets                        |                         |                     |
|   | Other Assets                             |                         | 10128               |
|   |  | Total Assets            | 10128               |
| LIABILITIES   |  | Total Liabilities       | 1266                |
|   |  |                         |                     |
| NET ASSETS (Total Assets less Total Liabilities)            |  |                         | 8862                |

# NOTES TO THE ACCOUNTS

(see note 36)

All notes to the accounts must be entered on or attached to this part of the return.

| 1. | Stock          |              |                        |  |
|----|----------------|--------------|------------------------|--|
|    | Handbooks      | £650<br>==== | £700<br>====           |  |
| 2. | Sundry Debtors |              |                        |  |
|    |                |              |                        |  |
|    | Other debtors  | 291          | 188                    |  |
|    | Other taxation | 813          | -                      |  |
|    |                |              | <del>when to the</del> |  |
|    |                | £1104        | £188<br>====           |  |
|    |                |              |                        |  |

#### 3. Staff

The Association does not have any direct employees. Staff are seconded from the UKLF and charged to the Association on a day-worked basis, which is included in the charge made for management costs.

#### **ACCOUNTING POLICIES**

(see notes 37 and 38)

The principal accounting policies adopted by the Association are as follows and are consistent with those applied in previous years.

**Accounting Convention** 

The accounts have been prepared under the historical cost convention.

Stock

Stock is stated at the lower of cost and net realisable value.

# SIGNATURES TO THE ANNUAL RETURN

(see notes 39 and 40)

including the accounts and balance sheet contained in the return.

| Secretary's Signature: P. D. P. | Chairman's Signature: (or other official whose position should be stated) |
|---------------------------------|---|
| Name: PAUL PEARSON              | Name: TAIN MC FADVEN  |
| Date: 17/02/2013                | Date: 12/02/13  |
|                                 |   |

#### **CHECK LIST**

(see note 41)

(please tick as appropriate)

| IS THE RETURN OF OFFICERS ATTACHED? (see Page 3)                  | YES | <b>4</b> | NO |  |
|---|-----|----------|----|--|
| HAS THE RETURN OF CHANGE OF OFFICERS BEEN COMPLETED? (see Page 3) | YES | V        | NO |  |
| HAS THE RETURN BEEN SIGNED? (see Note 38)                         | YES | √        | NO |  |
| HAS THE AUDITOR'S REPORT BEEN COMPLETED (see Note 39)             | YES | √        | NO |  |
| IS A RULE BOOK ENCLOSED? (see Note 40)                            | YES | V        | NO |  |
| HAS THE SUMMARY SHEET BEEN COMPLETED (see Notes 6 and 25 to 34)   | YES | √.       | NO |  |

#### **AUDITOR'S REPORT**

(see notes 42 to 47)

made in accordance with section 36 of the Trade Union and Labour Relations (Consolidation) Act 1992.

| 1. | In the opinion of the auditors or auditor do the accounts they have audited and which are contained in |
|----|--|
|    | this return give a true and fair view of the matters to which they relate?                             |
|    | (See section 36(1) and (2) of the 1992 Act and notes 43 and 44)  |

YES

If "No" please explain below.

- 2. Have the auditors or auditor carried out such investigations in the preparation of their audit report as will enable them to form an opinion as to:
  - (a) whether the trade union has kept proper accounting records in accordance with section 28 of the 1992 Act:
  - (b) whether it has maintained a satisfactory system of control over its transactions in accordance with the requirements of that section; and
  - (c) whether the accounts to which the report relates agree with the accounting records? (See section 36(3) of the 1992 Act, set out in note 43)

YES

If "No" please explain below.

- 3. Are the auditors or auditor of the opinion that the union has complied with section 28 of the 1992 Act and has:
  - (a) kept proper accounting records with respect to its transactions and its assets and liabilities; and
  - (b) established and maintained a satisfactory system of control of its accounting records, its cash holding and all its receipts and remittances.

(See section 36(4) of the 1992 Act set out in note 43)

YES

If "No" please explain below.

4. Please set out a copy of the report made by the auditors or auditor to the union on the accounts to which this AR27 relates. The report is to set out the basis upon which the audit has been conducted and/or such other statement as the auditor considers appropriate. Such a statement may be provided as a separate document.

(See note 45)

# **AUDITOR'S REPORT** (continued)

| I have audited the accounts on pages 3 to 14 of this return.   |   |        |  |
|--|---|--------|--|
| In my opinion the accounts give a true and fair view of the state of affairs of the Association as at 30 September 2012, and of its deficit for the year then ended. |   |        |  |
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|  |   |        |  |
| Signature(s) of auditor or auditors:   |   |        |  |
| Name(s):   | J D Gardiner  |        |  |
| Profession(s) or Calling(s):   | A.C.A   |        |  |
| Address(es):   | Edinburgh House 7 Corporation Street Corby Northants. |        |  |
| Date:  | 21 December 2012                                      |        |  |
| Contact name and telephone number:   | 01536 201019  |        |  |

N.B. When notes to the accounts are referred to in the auditor's report a copy of those notes must accompany this return.