# The Companies Act 1985 to 1989

### PRIVATE COMPANY LIMITED BY SHARES

# **MEMORANDUM OF ASSOCIATION**

# **OF**

# THOMAS COOK INVESTMENTS (2) LIMITED

- 1. The name of the Company is "Thomas Cook Investments (2) Ltd"\*.
- 2. The Company's registered office is to be situated in England and Wales.
- 3. (i) The object of the Company is to carry on business as a general commercial company.
  - (ii) Without prejudice to the generality of the object and the powers of the Company derived from Section 3(a) of the Act the Company has power to do all or any of the following things:-

<sup>\*</sup> The Company was incorporated as Exhibitions One Ltd. On 7<sup>th</sup> January 2008 the name was changed to Thomas Cook Investments (2) Ltd.

- (a) to purchase or by any other means acquire and take options over any property whatever, and any rights or privileges of any kind over or in respect of any property.
- (b) To apply for, register, purchase, or by other means acquire and protect, prolong and renew, whether in the United Kingdom or elsewhere any patents, patent rights, brevets d'invention, licences, secret processes, trademarks, designs, protections and concessions and to disclaim, alter, modify, use and turn to account and to manufacture under or grant licences or privileges in respect of the same, and to expend money in experimenting upon, testing and improving any patents, inventions or rights which the Company may acquire or propose to acquire.
- (c) To acquire or undertake the whole or any part of the business, goodwill, and assets of any person, firm, or company carrying on or proposing to carry on any of the businesses which the Company is authorised to carry on and as part of the consideration for such acquisition to undertake all or any of the liabilities of such person, firm or company, or to acquire an interest in, amalgamate with, or enter into partnership or into any arrangement for sharing profits, or for co-operation, or for mutual assistance with any such person, firm or company and to give or accept, by way of consideration for any of the acts or things aforesaid or property acquired, any shares, debentures, debenture stock or securities that may be agreed upon, and to hold and retain, or sell, mortgage and deal with any shares, debentures, debenture stock or securities so received.
- (d) To improve, manage, construct, repair, develop, exchange, let on lease or otherwise, mortgage, charge, sell, dispose of, turn to account, grant licences, options, rights and privileges in respect of, or otherwise deal with all or any part of the property and rights of the Company.
- (e) To invest and deal with the monies of the Company not immediately required in such manner as may from time to time be determined and to hold or otherwise deal with any investments made.
- (f) To lend and advance money or give credit on any terms and with or without security to any person. firm or company (including without prejudice to the generality of the foregoing any holding company, subsidiary or fellow subsidiary of, or any other company associated in any way with, the Company), to enter into guarantees, contracts of indemnity and suretyships of all kinds, to receive money on deposit or loan upon any terms, and to secure or guarantee in any manner and upon any terms the payment of any sum or money or the performance of any obligation by any person, firm or company (including without prejudice to the generality of the foregoing any such holding company, subsidiary, fellow subsidiary or associated company as aforesaid)
- (g) To borrow and raise money in any manner and to secure the repayment of any money borrowed, raised or owing by mortgage, charge, standard security, lien or other security upon the whole or any part of the Company's property or assets (whether present or future), including its uncalled capital, and also by a similar mortgage, charge, standard security, lien or security to secure and guarantee the performance by the Company of any obligation or liability it may undertake or which may become binding on it
- (h) To draw, make, accept, endorse, discount, negotiate, execute and issue cheques, bills of exchange, promissory notes, bills of lading, warrants, debentures, and other negotiable or transferable instruments.
- (i) To apply for, promote and obtain any Act of Parliament, order, or licence of the Department of Trade or other authority for enabling the Company to carry any of its objects into effect, or for effecting any modification of the Company's constitution, or for any other purpose which may seem calculated directly or indirectly to promote the Company's interests, and to oppose any proceedings or applications which may seem calculated directly or indirectly to prejudice the Company's interests
- (j) To enter into any arrangements with any government or authority (supreme, municiple, local or otherwise) that may seem conducive to the attainment of the Company's objects or any of them, and to obtain from any such governments or authority any charters, decrees, rights, privileges or concessions which the Company may think desirable and to carry out, exercise, and comply with any such charters, decrees, rights, privileges, and concessions.
- (k) To subscribe for, take, purchase or otherwise acquire, hold, sell, deal with and dispose of, place and underwrite shares, stocks, debentures, debenture stocks, bonds, obligation or securities issued or guaranteed by any other company constituted or carrying on business in any part of the World, and debentures, debenture stocks, bonds, obligations or securities issued or guaranteed by any government or authority, municipal, local or otherwise, in any part of the world.

- (1) To control, mange, finance, subsidise, co-ordinate or otherwise assist any company or companies in which the Company has a direct or indirect financial interest, to provide secretarial, administrative, technical, commercial and other services and facilities of all kinds for any such company or companies and to make payments by way of subvention or otherwise and any other arrangements which may seem desirable with respect to any business or operations of or generally with respect to any such company or companies.
- (m) To promote any other company for the purpose of acquiring the whole or any part of the business or property or undertaking or any of the habilities of the Company, or of undertaking any business or operations which may appear likely to assist or benefit the Company or to enhance the value of any property or business of the Company, and to place or guarantee the placing or, underwrite, subscribe for or otherwise acquire all or any part of the shares or securities of any such company as aforesaid
- (n) To sell or otherwise dispose of the whole or any part of the business or property of the Company, either together or in portions, for such consideration as the Company may think fit, and in particular for shares, debentures, or securities of any company purchasing the same.
- (o) To act as agent or brokers and as trustees for any person, firm or company, and to undertake and perform sub-contracts.
- (p) To remunerate any person, firm or company rendering services to the Company either by cash payment or by the allotment to him or them of shares or other securities of the Company credited as paid up in full or in part or otherwise as may be thought expedient.
- (q) To pay all or any expenses incurred in connection with promotion, formation and incorporation of the Company, or to contract with any person, firm or company to pay the same, and to pay commissions to brokers and others for underwriting, placing, selling or guaranteeing the subscription of any shares or other securities of the Company.
- (r) To support and subscribe to any charitable or public object and to support and subscribe to any institution, society, or club which may be for the benefit of the Company or its Directors or its employees, of may be connected with any town or place where the Company carries on business: to give or award pensions, annuities, gratuities, and superannuation or other allowances of benefits or charitable aid and generally to provide advantages, facilities and services for any persons who are or who have been Directors of, or who are or have been employed by, or who are serving or have served the Company, or any company which is a subsidiary of the Company or the predecessors in the business of the Company or of any such subsidiary, holding or fellow subsidiary company and to the wives, widows, children and other relatives and dependants of such persons: to make payments towards insurance; and to set up, establish, support and maintain superannuation and other funds or schemes (whether contributory or non-contributory) for the benefit of any such persons and of their wives, widows, children and other relatives and dependants; and to set up, establish, support and maintain profit sharing of share purchase schemes for the benefit of any of the employees of the Company or of any such subsidiary, holding or fellow subsidiary company and to lend money to any such employees or to trustees on their behalf to enable any such purchase schemes to be established or maintained.
- (s) Subject to and in accordance with a due compliance with the provisions of Sections 155 to 158 (inclusive) of the Act (if and so far as such provisions shall be applicable), to give, whether directly or indirectly, any kind of financial assistance (as defined in Section 152(1)(a) of the Act) for any such purpose as is specified in Section 151(1) and or Section 151(2) of the Act.
- (t) To distribute among the Members of the Company in kind any property of the Company of whatever nature
- (u) To procure the Company to be registered or recognised in any part of the world.
- (v) To do all or any of the things or matters aforesaid in any part of the world and either, as principals, agents, contractors or otherwise, and by or through agents, brokers, sub-contractors or otherwise and either alone or in conjunction with others
- (w) To do all such other things as may be deemed incidental or conducive to the attainment of the Company's objects or any of them.

#### AND so that .-

- (1) None of the provisions set forth in any sub-clause of this Clause shall be restrictively construed but the widest interpretation shall be given to each such provision, and none of such objects shall, except where the context expressly so requires, be in any way limited or restricted by reference to or inference form any other provision set forth in such sub-clause, or by reference to or inference from the terms of any other sub-clause of this Clause, or by reference to or inference from the name of the Company
- (2) The word "Company" in this Clause, except where used in reference to the Company, shall be deemed to include any partnership or other body of persons, whether incorporated or unincorporated and whether domiciled in the United Kingdom or elsewhere.
- (3) In this Clause the expression "the Act" means the Companies Act 1985, but so that any reference in this Clause to any provision of the Act shall be deemed to include a reference to any statutory modification or re-enactment of that provision for the time being in force.
- 4. The liability of the Members is limited
- 5 The Company's share capital is £1000 divided into 1000 shares of £1 each.

Names and addresses of subscribers		Number of Shares taken by each Subscriber
1.	Third Party Formations Limited 2nd Floor 43 Broomfield Road Chelmsford Essex, CM1 1SY	I

### ARTICLES OF ASSOCIATION

of

### THOMAS COOK INVESTMENTS (2) LIMITED

### 1. Adoption of Table A

In these articles "<u>Table A"</u> means Table A scheduled to the Companies (Tables A to F) Regulations 1985, insofar as it relates to private companies limited by shares, as amended prior to the date of adoption of these articles. The regulations contained in Table A shall, except where they are excluded or modified by these articles, apply to the company and, together with these articles, shall constitute the articles of the company. No other regulations set out in any statute concerning companies, or in any statutory instrument or other subordinate legislation made under any statute, shall apply as the regulations or articles of the company.

#### 2. Interpretation

- 2.1 Words and expressions which bear particular meanings in Table A shall bear the same meanings in these articles.
- 2 2 In these articles:
  - (A) "address" includes any number or address used for the purpose of sending or receiving documents or information by electronic means,
  - (B) references to <u>writing</u> include references to any method of representing or reproducing words in a legible and non-transitory form whether sent or supplied in electronic form or otherwise; and
  - (C) headings are for convenience only and shall not affect construction
- 2 3 If, and for so long as, the company has only one member, these articles shall (in the absence of any express provision to the contrary) apply with such modification as may be necessary in relation to such a company.

#### 3. Rights Attached to Shares

Subject to the provisions of the Act and to any rights conferred on the holders of any other shares, any share may be issued with or have attached to it such rights and restrictions as the company may by ordinary resolution decide or, if no such resolution has been passed or so far as the resolution does not make specific provision as the directors may decide. Regulation 2 of Table A shall not apply.

#### 4. Unissued Shares

Subject to the provisions of the Act and to these articles, any unissued shares of the company (whether forming part of the original or any increased capital) shall be at the disposal of the directors who may offer, allot, grant options over or otherwise dispose of them to such persons at such times and for such consideration and upon such terms and conditions as they may determine.

#### 5. Share Certificates

Share certificates must be sealed or otherwise executed in accordance with the Act. The penultimate sentence of regulation 6 of Table A shall be amended accordingly.

### 6. Initial Authority to Issue Relevant Securities

Subject to any direction to the contrary which may be given by the company in general meeting, the directors are unconditionally authorised to exercise all powers of the company to allot relevant securities. The maximum nominal amount of relevant securities that may be allotted under this authority shall be the nominal amount of the unissued share capital at the date of adoption of this article or such other amount as may from time to time be authorised by the company in general meeting. The authority conferred on the directors by this article shall remain in force for a period of five years from the date of adoption of this article but may be revoked varied or renewed from time to time by the company in general meeting in accordance with the Act.

# 7. Exclusion of Rights to Offers on a Pre-emptive Basis

Section 89(1) of the Companies Act 1985 shall not apply to the allotment by the company of any equity security.

### 8. Transfer and Transmission of Shares

- The directors may, in their absolute discretion, decline to register any transfer of any share, whether or not it is a fully paid share. Regulation 24 of Table A shall be modified accordingly.
- 8.2 A person who becomes entitled to a share by reason of any event (other than death or bankruptcy) giving rise to its transmission by operation of law shall have the same rights of election and other rights as a person entitled by transmission to a share as a consequence of death or bankruptcy. Regulations 30 and 31 of Table A shall be modified accordingly.

# 9. Notice of General Meetings

Notice of every general meeting shall be given to all members other than any who, under the provisions of these articles or the terms of issue of the shares they hold, are not entitled to receive such notices from the company. Regulation 38 shall not apply.

#### 10. Proceedings at General Meetings

- For all purposes of these articles, a quorum shall be present at a general meeting of the company or of the holders of any class of its shares (a) as provided in the Companies Act 2006; or (b) if one person being a duly authorised representative of two or more corporations each of which is a member entitled to vote upon the business to be transacted is present. The last sentence of regulation 40 of Table A shall not apply.
- A resolution put to the vote of a meeting shall be decided on a show of hands unless before, or on the declaration of the result of, the show of hands a poll is demanded. A poll may be demanded by:
  - (A) the chairman of the meeting;
  - (B) the directors;
  - (C) two or more members having the right to vote on the resolution;
  - (D) a member or members representing not less than one tenth of the total voting rights of all the members having the right to vote on the resolution; or
  - (E) a member or members holding shares in the company conferring a right to vote on a resolution, being shares on which an aggregate sum has been paid up equal to not less than one tenth of the total sum paid up on all the shares conferring that right.

A demand for a poll by a proxy counts, for the purposes of paragraph (C) above, as a demand by a member, for the purposes of paragraph (D) above, as a demand by a member representing the voting rights that the proxy is authorised to exercise, and, for the purposes of paragraph (E) above, as a demand by a member holding the shares to which those rights are attached.

10.3 Regulations 46 and 47 of Table A shall not apply.

#### 11. Votes of Members

Regulations 54, 55, 57 and 59 of Table A shall not apply.

# 12. Receipt of Proxies

The appointment of a proxy must:

(A) In the case of an appointment which is not in hard copy form, be received at the office (or at such other place or by such person as may be specified or agreed by the directors) before the time appointed for holding the meeting or adjourned meeting at which the person named in the appointment proposes to vote together with (if required by the directors) any authority under which it is made

or a copy of the authority, certified notarially or in some other manner approved by the directors;

- (B) in the case of an appointment made by electronic means, be received at the address specified by the company for the receipt of appointments of proxy before the time appointed for holding the meeting or adjourned meeting at which the person named in the appointment proposes to vote. Any authority pursuant to which an appointment made by electronic means is made or a copy of the authority, certified notarially or in some other manner approved by the directors, must, if required by the directors, be received at the office (or at such other place or by such person as may be specified or agreed by the directors) before the time appointed for holding the meeting or adjourned meeting at which the person named in the appointment proposes to vote; or
- (C) in the case of a poll taken subsequently to the date of the meeting or adjourned meeting, be received as aforesaid before the time appointed for the taking of the poll,

and an appointment of a proxy which is not received in a manner so permitted shall be invalid.

Regulation 62 of Table A shall not apply.

#### 13. Alternate Directors

Any director (other than an alternate director) may appoint any other director, or any other person who is willing to act, to be an alternate director and may remove from office an alternate director so appointed by him. An alternate director shall cease to be an alternate director if his appointor ceases to be a director. Regulation 65 and 67 of Table A shall not apply.

## 14. Power to Provide for Employees

The directors may resolve to make provision for the benefit of persons employed or formerly employed by the company or any of its subsidiaries in connection with the cessation or the transfer to any person of the whole or part of the undertaking of the company or that subsidiary.

## 15. Power to Receive Uncalled Moneys

The directors may, if they think fit, receive from any member willing to advance the same all or any part of the moneys uncalled and remaining unpaid on any shares held by him

# 16. Delegation of Directors' Powers

The directors may delegate any of their powers (with power to sub-delegate) to committees consisting of such person or persons (whether directors or not) as they

think fit. Regulation 72 of Table A shall be modified accordingly and references in Table A to a committee of directors or to a director as a member of such a committee shall include a committee established under this article or such person or persons.

# 17. Appointment and Removal of Directors by Majority Shareholders

Any member holding, or any members holding in aggregate, at the relevant time a majority in nominal value of such of the issued share capital of the company as carries the right of attending and voting at general meetings of the company may by notice in writing signed by or on behalf of him or them and delivered to the office or tendered at a meeting of the directors or at a general meeting of the company at any time and from time to time appoint any person to be a director (either to fill a vacancy or as an additional director) or remove any director from office (no matter how he was appointed).

### 18. Appointment of Directors by Board

Without prejudice to the powers conferred by any other article, any person may be appointed a director by the directors, either to fill a vacancy or as an additional director.

#### 19. Exclusion of Certain Provisions regarding Appointment of Directors

Regulations 76 to 79 (inclusive) and the last sentence of regulation 84 of Table A shall not apply.

### 20. Disqualification and Removal of Directors

The office of a director shall be vacated not only upon the happening of any of the events mentioned in regulation 81 of Table A but also if he is removed from office pursuant to these articles. Regulation 81 of Table A shall be modified accordingly.

## 21. Directors' Gratuities and Pensions

The directors may exercise all the powers of the company to provide benefits, either by the payment of gratuities or pensions or by insurance or in any other manner whether similar to the foregoing or not, for any director or former director or the relations, connections or dependants of any director or former director who holds or has held any executive office or employment with the company or with any body corporate which is or has been a subsidiary of the company or with a predecessor in business of the company or of any such body corporate and may contribute to any fund and pay premiums for the purchase or provision of any such benefit. No director or former director shall be accountable to the company or the members for any benefit provided pursuant to this article and the receipt of any such benefit shall not disqualify any person from being or becoming a director of the company. Regulation 87 of Table A shall not apply.

### 22. Notice of Board Meetings

Notice of a meeting of the directors shall be deemed to be properly given to a director if it is given to him personally or by word of mouth or sent or supplied in writing to him at his last known address or any other address given by him to the company for this purpose, or by any other means authorised in writing by the director concerned. Notice shall be given in this manner to all directors including any director who is absent from the United Kingdom at the relevant time. A director may waive notice of any meeting either prospectively or retrospectively. Regulation 88 of Table A shall be modified accordingly.

## 23. Participation in Board Meetings by Telephone

All or any of the members of the board may participate in a meeting of the board by means of a conference telephone or any communication equipment which allows all persons participating in the meeting to hear each other. A person so participating shall be deemed to be present in person at the meeting and shall be entitled to vote or be counted in a guorum accordingly.

#### 24. Resolution in Writing

A resolution in writing signed by all the directors who are at the relevant time entitled to receive notice of a meeting of the board (if that number is sufficient to constitute a quorum) shall be as valid and effectual as a resolution passed at a meeting of the board properly called and constituted. The resolution may be contained in one document or in several documents in like form each signed by one or more of the directors concerned. A resolution signed by an alternate director need not also be signed by his appointor and, if it is signed by a director who has appointed an alternate director, it need not be signed by the alternate director in that capacity. Regulation 93 of Table A shall not apply.

# 25. Directors May Vote When Interested

Subject where applicable to disclosure in accordance with the Act, a director shall be entitled to vote in respect of any contract or proposed contract in which he is interested and if he shall do so his vote shall be counted and he shall be taken into account in ascertaining whether a quorum is present. A reference in this article to a contract includes any transaction or arrangement (whether or not constituting a contract). Regulations 94 and 95 of Table A shall not apply.

# 26. Secretary

Subject to the Act, nothing in these articles shall require the company to appoint a secretary.

#### 27. Official Seal

The company may exercise all the powers conferred by the Act with regard to having any official seal and such powers shall be vested in the directors. Subject to the provisions of the Act, any instrument to which an official seal is affixed shall be signed by such persons, if any, as the directors may from time to time determine.

#### 28. Notices

Any notice, document or other information may be sent or supplied to any member by the company in any way in which the Act provides for notices, documents or other information to be sent or supplied by the company, including by way of making it available on a website. In addition any notice, document or other information may be sent or supplied to any member by the company by other means authorised in writing by the member. Regulations 111 and 112 of Table A shall not apply.

#### 29. Time of Service

Any notice, document of other information:

- (A) If sent by the company by post, shall be deemed to have been served or delivered on the day following that on which it was put in the post if first class post was used and, in proving such service or delivery, it shall be sufficient to prove that the notice, document or other information was properly addressed, prepaid and put in the post;
- (B) not sent by post but left by the company at an address (other than an address for the purposes of communications by electronic means) shall be deemed to have been served or delivered when it was so left or sent;
- (C) sent or supplied by the company using electronic means shall be deemed to be received on the day on which it was sent or supplied. Proof that the notice, document or other information sent or supplied by electronic means was sent or supplied in accordance with current guidance issued by the Institute of Chartered Secretaries and Administrators shall be conclusive evidence that the notice, document or other information was sent or supplied;
- (D) made available on a website shall be deemed to have been received on the day on which the notice, document or other information was first made available on the website or, if later, when a notice of availability is deemed to have been served, sent or supplied pursuant to this article; and
- (E) served, sent or supplied by the company by any other means authorised in writing by the member concerned shall be deemed to have been served, sent or supplied when the company has carried out the action it has been authorised to take for that purpose.

Regulation 115 of Table A shall not apply.

# 30. Indemnity

To the extent permitted by law, the company may indemnify any director of the company or of any associated company against any liability and may purchase and maintain for any director of the company or of any associated company insurance against any liability. Regulation 118 of Table A shall not apply.