



ÅRSREGNSKAPET FOR REGNSKAPSÅRET 2022 - GENERELL INFORMASJON

Enheten

Organisasjonsnummer:	890 743 862
Organisasjonsform:	Norskreg. utenlandsk foretak
Foretaksnavn:	STOREBRAND INTERNATIONAL PRIVATE EQUITY VII LIMITED
Forretningsadresse:	Professor Kohts vei 9 1366 LYSAKER

Regnskapsår

Årsregnskapets periode:	01.01.2022 - 31.12.2022
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Konsern

Morselskap i konsern:	Nei
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Regnskapsregler

Regler for små foretak benyttet:	Nei
Benyttet ved utarbeidelsen av årsregnskapet til selskapet:	Regnskapslovens alminnelige regler

Årsregnskapet fastsatt av kompetent organ

Bekreftet av representant for selskapet:	Anne-Kristine Baltzersen
Dato for fastsettelse av årsregnskapet:	29.06.2023

Grunnlag for avgivelse

År 2022: Årsregnskapet er elektronisk innlevert
År 2021: Tall er hentet fra elektronisk innlevert årsregnskap fra 2022

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Brønnøysundregistrene, 23.08.2024



Resultatregnskap

Beløp i: NOK	Note	2022	2021
RESULTATREGNSKAP			
Inntekter			
Sum inntekter		0	
Kostnader			
Annen driftskostnad		4 117 871	7 830 809
Sum kostnader		4 117 871	7 830 809
Driftsresultat		-4 117 871	-7 830 809
Finansinntekter og finanskostnader			
Annen renteinntekt		198 438	29 346
Annen finansinntekt			109 996 690
Verdiøkning finansielle instrumenter vurdert til virkelig verdi		262 686 742	
Sum finansinntekter		262 885 180	110 026 036
Verdireduksjon finansielle instrumenter vurdert til virkelig verdi			48 641 133
Annen rentekostnad			2 939
Annen finanskostnad		253 358 427	
Sum finanskostnader		253 358 427	48 644 072
Netto finans		9 526 753	61 381 964
Ordinært resultat før skattekostnad		5 408 882	53 551 155
Skattekostnad		2 140 216	-12 959 052
Ordinært resultat etter skattekostnad		3 268 666	66 510 207
Årsresultat		3 268 666	66 510 207
Overføringer og disponeringer			
Overføring til/fra annen egenkapital		-3 268 666	-66 510 207
Sum overføringer og disponeringer		-3 268 666	-66 510 207



Balanse

Beløp i: NOK	Note	2022	2021
BALANSE - EIENDELER			
Anleggsmidler			
Immaterielle eiendeler			
Sum immaterielle eiendeler		0	
Sum anleggsmidler		0	0
Omløpsmidler			
Varer			
Fordringer			
Andre fordringer		1 036	418 889
Sum fordringer		1 036	418 889
Investeringer			
Markedsbaserte aksjer		3 489 116	77 091 882
Sum investeringer		3 489 116	77 091 882
Bankinnskudd, kontanter og lignende			
Bankinnskudd, kontanter og lignende		17 024 672	8 638 716
Sum bankinnskudd, kontanter og lignende		17 024 672	8 638 716
Sum omløpsmidler		20 514 824	86 149 487
SUM EIENDELER		20 514 824	86 149 487
BALANSE - EGENKAPITAL OG GJELD			
Egenkapital			
Innskutt egenkapital			
Aksjekapital		2 500	11 921
Overkurs		-334 435 410	-267 944 832
Sum innskutt egenkapital		-334 432 910	-267 932 911
Opptjent egenkapital			



Balanse

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Annen egenkapital		352 657 657	349 388 991
Sum opptjent egenkapital		352 657 657	349 388 991
Sum egenkapital		18 224 747	81 456 080
Gjeld			
Langsiktig gjeld			
Annen langsiktig gjeld			
Øvrig langsiktig gjeld			3 960 868
Sum annen langsiktig gjeld			3 960 868
Sum langsiktig gjeld		0	3 960 868
Kortsiktig gjeld			
Annen kortsiktig gjeld		2 290 077	732 539
Sum kortsiktig gjeld		2 290 077	732 539
Sum gjeld		2 290 077	4 693 407
SUM EGENKAPITAL OG GJELD		20 514 824	86 149 487



Brønnøysundregistrene

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NOTEOPPLYSNINGER - SELSKAP - alle poster oppgitt i hele tall

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Regnskapsprinsipper
Årsregnskapet er satt opp etter regnskapsloven. Regnskapsreglene for små foretak er fulgt.

Note

Antall aksjer og aksjeeiere

Note

Antall årsverk i regnskapsåret

Virksomheten har hatt følgende antall årsverk:
0.00

Note

Lån og sikkerhetsstillelse til ledende personer og aksjeeiere

Er det gitt lån eller sikkerhetsstillelse til ledende personer: Nei

Omløpsmidler Startdato Sluttdato Endring

Skattemessig fremf.undersk. Startdato Sluttdato Endring

Kortsiktig gjeld Startdato Sluttdato Endring



Storebrand International Private Equity VII Limited

Cayman Islands Exempted Limited Company (Regulated Mutual Fund)

*Financial Statements and Independent Auditor's Report
For the year ended December 31, 2022*



Report of the Board of Directors

Storebrand International Private Equity VII Limited

Storebrand International Private Equity VII Limited ("SIPE VII" or the "Fund") was incorporated in 2006 as a Cayman Islands exempted company (regulated mutual fund) with the purpose of investing in private equity funds. SIPE VII is also registered at the Central Coordinating Register for Legal Entities in Norway (Enhetsregisteret), with the shares of the Fund kept at the Norwegian Registry of Securities (Verdipapirsentralen).

Financial information

SIPE VII ended the year with profit of NOK 3 million after tax.

Financial risk

The risk connected to the Fund's investment portfolio is associated with the progress of the underlying portfolio companies, as well as the progress of the private equity market and the stock market in general. The Fund does not hedge this risk exposure. Investments are made in foreign currencies. The Fund does not hedge currency exposure. The underlying private equity funds are exposed to the risk of being unable to dispose of their investments at attractive prices. The investments of the Fund as well as the investment portfolios for each of the underlying funds will consist of investments for which no public market exists. Liquidity will stem from realizations of investments in portfolio companies made by the underlying funds.

Investment portfolio

During 2022, all investments, except Warburg Pincus Private Equity X, have been sold in accordance with the sale agreement signed in 2021. Warburg Pincus Private Equity X are sold in January 2023.

Returns		
Class	2022	Since inception*
Class B-0	-2.9 %	8.3 %
Class B-1	-0.3 %	8.7 %
Class B-3	6.7 %	9.8 %
Class B-4	5.3 %	9.8 %
Class B-5	0.9 %	9.6 %
Sum	5.6 %	9.7 %

*IRR

SIPE VII's cash flows invested in MSCI World Net (NOK) would have given a return of 10.9 % p.a.

since inception. The return from the Fund has been lower than expected so far.

Shareholder information

The Fund's 29 investors have committed NOK 1,036 million to SIPE VII, of which 85 % is paid in at yearend 2022. According to the Offering Memorandum, SIPE VII cannot call new capital from the shareholders after yearend 2013.

Operations

The Fund has no employees. The Fund has a management agreement with Storebrand Asset Management AS (the "Investment Manager"), an investment management company within the Storebrand Group based at Lysaker.

The board members are two men and one woman, and the investment committee of the Investment Manager consist of six men. The Board of Directors are conscious of the society expectations of efforts to promote gender equality within the business and the board.

The board members, all employees of the Investment Manager, have not received any remuneration from the Fund.

Environment

SIPE VII as such has no own employees, and the Board is not aware of any aspects of the Fund's activities that pollute the external environment.

Ukraine/Russian war

2022 started with the Russian invasion of Ukraine, causing uncertainty in the market and rising inflation. The end of the year was influenced by monetary tightening by rapidly increasing interest rates. Overall, the MSCI reported a negative return of 18% and Global M&A activity declined compared to the previous year.

Future prospects

At the time the financial statement for 2022, the Board of Director has not decided any liquidations of the Fund although it is expected that the Fund will be liquidated during 2023 or 2024.

Allocation of the profit for the year

The accounts have been prepared under continued operating assumption. The Board proposes to allocate the profit for the year of NOK 3 million to retained earnings.

Lysaker, June 29, 2023

Storebrand International Private Equity VII Limited

Bård Bringedal
Director

Dagfin Norum
Director

Anne-Kristine Baltzersen
Director



Profit and Loss		Storebrand International Private Equity VII Limited	
For the year ended December 31, 2022			
All numbers in NOK	Note	2022	2021
Portfolio gains and losses			
Interest income		198,438	26,407
Dividends		29,357,825	138,678,638
Net realized gains (losses) from securities		-282,716,252	-28,681,947
Net change in unrealized gains (losses) on securities		262,686,742	-48,641,133
Net portfolio gains and losses		9,526,753	61,381,963
Operating income and expenses			
Management fee	3, 11	-1,166,606	-1,296,235
Performance fee	3	-476,784	-3,174,245
Other expenses	4	-2,474,481	-3,360,329
Operating result		-4,117,871	-7,830,809
Profit			
Profit before tax		5,408,882	53,551,155
Tax	5	-2,140,216	12,959,052
Profit for the year		3,268,666	66,510,207
Allocation of profit for the year			
Allocated to retained earnings	7	3,268,666	66,510,207
Total allocated		3,268,666	66,510,207

Notes are an integral part of these financial statements

Numbers may not add up due to rounding



Balance Sheet Storebrand International Private Equity VII Limited

As at December 31, 2022

All numbers in NOK	Note	31.12.2022	31.12.2021
Assets			
Investments in private equity funds	8	3,489,116	77,091,882
Prepaid expenses		4	417,877
Accrued income		1,032	971
Income tax receivable	5	0	4
Cash		17,024,672	8,638,753
Total assets		20,514,823	86,149,487
Contributed equity			
Par value		2,500	11,921
Share premium reserve		-334,435,410	-267,944,832
Total contributed equity		-334,432,911	-267,932,911
Retained earnings			
Retained earnings		352,657,657	349,388,991
Total retained earnings		352,657,657	349,388,991
Total equity	7, 9	18,224,746	81,456,080
Liabilities			
Income tax payable	5	0	0
Other liabilities	6	2,290,078	4,693,407
Total liabilities		2,290,078	4,693,407
Total equity and liabilities		20,514,823	86,149,487
Remaining Commitment to Underlying Private Equity Funds		0	62,040,020

Lysaker, June 29, 2023

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Investment Manager's Comment*

Portfolio Overview (market value)*

Storebrand International Private Equity VII Limited ("SIPE VII" or the "Fund") had its first closing on February 26, 2007, second closing on April 20, 2007 and its final close on June 15, 2007. The Fund received commitments from 29 Norwegian investors of NOK 1,036 million, with 85 percent contributed as of December 31, 2022. According to the Offering Memorandum, SIPE VII cannot call new capital after year-end 2013. Since inception the Fund has returned NOK 1,865 million to the investors by way of redeeming shares on a pro rata basis.

During 2022, all investments, except Warburg Pincus Private Equity X, have been sold in accordance with the sale agreement signed in 2021. Warburg Pincus Private Equity X are sold in January 2023.

At year-end the net internal rate of return stands at 9.7 percent p.a. for the investors on an aggregated level, corresponding to a total gain of NOK 1002 million. The internal rate of return for 2022 was 5.6 percent for the Fund as a whole.

Return per share class (internal rate of return p.a.)*

Share class	2022	Since inception
Storebrand International Private Equity VII Limited. - class B-0	-2.9 %	8.3 %
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Storebrand International Private Equity VII Limited. - class B-5	0.9 %	9.6 %
Aggregated for all share classes	5.6 %	9.7 %

* Unaudited

Notes to Financial Statements

Storebrand International Private Equity VII Limited

For the year ended December 31, 2022

All numbers in NOK

NOTE 1 – ACCOUNTING PRINCIPLES

General accounting principles

Storebrand International Private Equity VII Limited ("SIPE VII" or the "Fund") is a Cayman Islands exempted limited company, incorporated on December 20, 2006. SIPE VII is a Regulated Mutual Fund according to the Cayman Islands Mutual Funds Law. The principal place of business for the Fund is Norway, and the financial statements have been prepared in accordance with the Norwegian accounting law and accounting principles generally accepted in Norway (Norwegian GAAP) and in accordance with the specific rules for Norwegian mutual funds. The Fund is not registered in Norway as a Norwegian mutual fund. Estimates and judgements are continually evaluated on the basis of historical experience and anticipated future events. In the future, actual experience may deviate from these accounting estimates, but the estimates are based on best judgement at the time the accounts are produced. The estimates and assumptions that have a significant risk of causing a material adjustment to the balance sheet values of assets and liabilities are discussed below.

During 2022, all investments, except Warburg Pincus Private Equity X, have been sold in accordance with the sale agreement signed in 2021. Warburg Pincus Private Equity X are sold in January 2023. At the time the financial statement for 2022, the Board of Director has not decided any liquidations of the Fund although it is expected that the Fund will be liquidated during 2023 or 2024.

Market value

The financial statements are based on the value of the investments at year-end. The Fund values investments in private investment funds at the net asset values of the underlying investee funds. Investments held by these underlying funds are valued at prices which approximate fair value. The fair value of certain investments in the underlying funds, which include private placements and other securities for which fair values are not readily available, are determined in good faith by the respective underlying fund and its administrator, typically in accordance with either *International Financial Reporting Standard 13 Fair Value Measurement* or *Accounting Standards Codification 820 Fair Value Measurement*, all of which are subject to a third party annual audit. The underlying funds and their administrators have used their best estimates in determining the fair value of investments. The estimated fair values may differ from the values that would have been used had a ready market existed for these investments. Net asset valuations are provided monthly or quarterly by these funds.

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(NOTE 1 cont.)

Liquidity

In accordance with the terms of the OM, the Fund's commitment to portfolio funds will exceed committed capital from investors by up to 120%. The portfolio funds will normally deploy its capital to portfolio investments over the course of 3-5 years with an expected holding period of around 4 years. Some of the capital that is distributed to the fund from early realisations may be redeployed to finance later investments. Portfolio funds will normally not call 100% of committed capital over the course of the lifetime of the fund. In addition, the Fund has a drawing facility that may be utilised to bridge short term liquidity needs. Over time the experience is that the Fund will call around 80% of committed capital from the investors. Before taking any decision related to when the Fund can be liquidated, the administrator will calculate the need of liquidity until the liquidation can be done. Cash beyond needed, is paid out to the investors as distributions in 2022.

Foreign exchange

Assets and liabilities denominated in foreign currencies are not hedged against currency fluctuations. Monetary items and investments in underlying funds are translated at the exchange rate at the balance sheet date. Any other balance sheet items are recorded at the exchange rate prevailing at the acquisition date.

Cash and equivalents

Cash and equivalents consist only of bank accounts.

Net realized gains/(losses) from securities

Net realized gains/losses from securities consist of gain/losses related to investments that are sold or closed including FX-gain/losses.

Taxes

There are no income, profit and capital gains taxes in effect in the Cayman Islands on the basis of present legislation. The Fund has received an undertaking from the Cayman Islands Government exempting it from all taxes for a period of 20 years from the date of the incorporation. In the opinion of the Investment Manager, the Fund will be subject to taxation in Norway and treated as a Norwegian mutual fund. In September 2019, the Norwegian Supreme Court concluded that a Storebrand fund similar to the Fund is a mutual fund according to the Norwegian Tax Act (see Note 5 – Tax). Hence, the financial statements are based on the assumption that the Fund is subject to taxation in Norway as a mutual fund ("verdipapirfond"), in line with Investment Manager's view. Deferred tax assets is not recognized in the balance sheet.

Transaction costs

Any transaction cost will be included in the cost value of the respective investment.

Dividends

According to its Articles of Association, the Fund cannot pay dividends.

NOTE 2 - FINANCIAL MARKET RISK

The balance sheet of SIPE VII reflects the Fund's market value at the end of the year as measured in NOK. Warburg Pincus Private Equity X are valued at agreed sales value in NOK.

SIPE VII is a fund-of-funds investing in a portfolio of private equity funds making active investments in companies through venture capital or buyout capital. An investment in the Fund carries substantial risks. The risks inherent to an investment in private equity funds are of a nature and degree not typically encountered in investments in securities of companies listed on major securities markets worldwide. There can be no assurance that the Fund's investment objective will be achieved and investment results may vary substantially over time.

The Fund will invest in a mix of currencies and will not be hedged against currency fluctuations measured in NOK.

The underlying funds invest primarily in growth companies or mature companies. With the funds being fully invested, except for follow on investments in the current portfolio, one can expect substantial realisations for the years to come.



Notes to Financial Statements

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For the year ended December 31, 2022
All numbers in NOK

NOTE 3 - FEE STRUCTURE

Management fee

SIPE VII will pay to the Investment Manager a management fee yearly in advance on the committed amount in each of the share classes up to 1.25 percent p.a., during the first five years after February 26, 2007. After the first five years, the management fee will be reduced each year by 0.10 percent.

Performance fee

A performance fee to the Investment Manager will apply if and when the Fund has redeemed and paid out all paid-in capital to a shareholder, including a 5 percent p.a. preferred return on such capital, and no further subscriptions will be made in the Fund by the shareholder. The performance fee will from then on amount to a 5/95 fraction of all future paid out capital through redemptions to such shareholder. The performance fee will be paid at the same time as the redemptions.

However, the Fund accrues performance fees that would have been payable, if SIPE VII realised and paid out the proceeds on the date of these financial statements. Any changes in the accrued performance fee will be reflected in the Profit and Loss accounts on an ongoing basis.

Commitment fee

A compensation will be made for the commitment Storebrand Livsforsikring AS ("SBL") has to subscribe for redeemable shares according to clause 6.4, 6.5 and 7.2 in the Offering Memorandum. An annual commitment fee in advance will apply in the amount of 0.1 percent p.a. of the sum of net asset value for issued shares (except to SBL) plus outstanding commitments at future subsequent offerings for same shareholders.

Subscription and redemption fees

The directors may engage distributors for the Fund that may charge a subscription fee of up to 3 percent on subscribed amounts. No redemption fees will apply. A fixed transaction fee will be charged from the share register account operator for all share transactions.

Management fees in the underlying funds

The underlying funds will typically charge a yearly management fee of 0.75 – 2 percent of committed capital and also a performance fee of typically 20 percent of net profits, often after a preferred return to the investors.

Organizational expenses

The Fund will compensate the Investment Manager with an arrangement fee of 0.15 percent of committed capital for all internal and external expenses such as all legal costs, incurred in connection with the organization of the Fund and the offer and sale of the shares, as described in the Offering Memorandum (article 7.7).

NOTE 4 - OTHER EXPENSES

	2022	2021
Audit fee	-161,490	-138,688
Tax advice (including technical assistance with tax returns) Deloitte Advokater AS	-317,494	-321,402
Management fees paid at the underlying funds level	0	824,644
Other cost paid at the underlying funds level	0	-917,884
Liquidation cost (lawyer, auditors, accounting)	-1,005,008	0
Carried interest paid at the underlying funds level	-462,118	-2,609,380
Other expenses	-528,371	-197,619
Sum of other expenses	-2,474,481	-3,360,329

PricewaterhouseCoopers are appointed as external auditors. All amounts include VAT.



Notes to Financial Statements

Storebrand International Private Equity VII Limited

For the year ended December 31, 2022

All numbers in NOK

NOTE 5 - TAX

	2022	2021
Profit before tax	5,408,882	53,551,155
Reversal of accounting profit (loss)	259,155,492	-106,182,470
Reversal of change in accounting value	-262,686,742	48,680,689
Share of taxable profit (loss) from Limited Partnerships	-12,467,128	11,026,383
Changes in accrued performance fee	-3,023,217	-7,075,757
Taxable profit (loss)	-13,612,713	0

Basis for payable tax

Taxable profit (loss)	-13,612,713	0
Changes in loss carried forward	13,612,713	0
Sum	0	0

Specification of income tax expense:

Current income tax payable	0	0
Withholding tax	0	-458,400
Adjustments related to prior years tax	-2,140,216	13,417,452
Tax on profit	-2,140,216	12,959,052

Specification of current income tax payable:

This year's payable income tax expense	0	0
Adjustments related to prior years tax	4	4
Current income tax payable in the balance sheet	4	4

Tax rate	22 %	22 %
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Specification of temporary differences	2022		2021	
	Asset	Liability	Asset	Liability
Loss carried forward	13,612,713	0	14,688,159	0
Accrued performance fee	937,651	0	3,960,868	0
Total	14,550,364	0	18,649,027	0
Net temporary differences	14,550,364	0	18,649,027	0
Tax rate	22 %		22 %	
Net deferred tax asset/liability	3,201,080	0	4,102,786	0
Deferred tax assets not recognized	3,201,080		4,102,786	



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NOTE 6 - OTHER LIABILITIES

	2022	2021
Mangement fee	294,048	326,721
Performance Fee	937,651	3,960,868
Commitment Fee	2,231	5,900
Other Payables	1,056,147	399,919
Sum of other liabilities	2,290,078	4,693,407

NOTE 7 - EQUITY

Number of shares	Share class		
	B-0	B-1	B-3
Number of shares at 31.12.2021	401,700	1,162,914	8,456,269
Redemptions	-317,610	-919,400	-6,682,800
Number of shares at 31.12.2022	84,090	243,514	1,773,469

Number of shares	Share class		
	B-4	B-5	Total
Number of shares at 31.12.2021	1,721,985	178,449	11,921,317
Redemptions	-1,360,900	-141,070	-9,421,780
Number of shares at 31.12.2022	361,085	37,379	2,499,537

Change in equity	2022	2021
Equity at 01.01	81,456,080	209,695,871
Redemptions	-66,500,000	-194,749,998
Profit	3,268,666	66,510,207
Equity at 31.12	18,224,746	81,456,080

Number of shareholders at 31.12	29	29
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NOTE 8 – SCHEDULE OF INVESTMENTS

FUNDS	FUND CURRENCY	% OF PORTF.	COMMITTED CAPITAL	REMAINING COMMITMENT	NOK		
					COST VALUE	MARKET VALUE	UNREALIZED GAIN / LOSS
Warburg Pincus Private Equity X	USD	100 %	116,301,997	0	4,311,204	3,489,116	-822,088
TOTAL INVESTMENTS		100 %	116,301,997	0	4,311,204	3,489,116	-822,088

Numbers may not add up due to rounding



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NOTE 9 - SHARE CLASSES

Depending on the size of the shareholder's commitment, a shareholder may own shares of five classes, B-0, B-1, B-3, B-4 and B-5. Net asset value per share is calculated by dividing the Fund's net asset value per class by the number of outstanding shares in each class.

	Share class		
	B-0	B-1	B-3
Committed capital	< MNOK 10	MNOK 10-50	Storebrand-entities
Management fee (per year)	0.36 %	0.29 %	0.06 %
Par value	0.001	0.001	0.001
Net asset value per share at 31.12.2022 *)	4.715	5.324	7.508
Committed capital	34,200,000	100,000,000	736,700,000
Remaining commitment at 31.12.2022	0	0	0

	Share class		
	B-4	B-5	Total
Committed capital			
Management fee (per year)	0.12 %	0.29 %	
Par value	0.001	0.001	
Net asset value per share at 31.12.2022 *)	7.139	6.115	
Committed capital	150,000,000	15,000,000	1,035,900,000
Remaining commitment at 31.12.2022	0	0	0

According to the Offering Memorandum the board of directors hold the right to redeem shares in the Fund pro-rata among the shareholders when the liquidity situation in the Fund allows such redemptions at the discretion of the Board of Directors. Redemptions will be effected at the net asset value as of the close of the last business day of the preceding calendar quarter. Each shareholder (except for Storebrand Livsforsikring AS and Storebrand employees) also holds the right to redeem at all times all their Shares at 75% of net asset value (with possible adjustments as further described in in the Offering Memorandum) as of the close of the last business day of the preceding quarter for receiving notice of such redemption. Further the board of directors hold the right to redeem at all times all the shares held by a shareholder that does not comply with the subscription agreement in a subsequent offering. Such redemption will take place at 75% of the net asset value (with possible adjustments) that will apply at such subsequent offering.

*) the NAV per share as disclosed in the FS is calculated as at September 30, 2022.

NOTE 10 - SHARES OWNED BY THE FUND'S DIRECTORS AND RELATED PARTIES

Investor	Share Class	# of Shares	# of Shares
		31.12.2022	31.12.2021
Storebrand Livsforsikring AS	B-3	1,697,134	8,092,237
Storebrand Livsforsikring AS	B-1	24,328	116,166
Euroben	B-3	72,268	344,588
Total		1,793,730	8,552,991



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NOTE 11 - RELATED PARTY TRANSACTIONS

The Fund has a management agreement with the Investment Manager, a company within the Storebrand Group based at Lysaker. The management agreement provides for the payment of a management fee to the Investment Manager as described in Note 3. In addition, the Investment Manager receives an annual fee for preparation of financial and tax reports.

	2022
Management fee	1,166,606
Performance fee	476,784
Accounting fee	62,500

As described in Note 3, SBL, a life insurance company within the Storebrand Group based at Lysaker, received a total commitment fee. SBL has committed NOK 705 million to SIPE VII (share class B-3) and NOK 10 mill (share class B-1).

	2022
Commitment fee	8,925
Redemption from the fund (Class B-1)	542,492
Redemption from the fund (Class B-3)	46,607,513

Euroben, a subsidiary of SPP has committed NOK 30 million to SIPE VII (shareclass B-3).

	2022
Redemption from the fund (Class B-3)	1,984,666



Independent auditor's report

To the Board of Directors of Storebrand International Private Equity VII Limited

Our opinion

In our opinion, the financial statements give a true and fair view of the financial position of Storebrand International Private Equity VII Limited (the Fund) as at December 31, 2022, and of its financial performance for the year then ended in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in Norway.

What we have audited

The Fund's financial statements comprise:

- the balance sheet as at December 31, 2022;
- the profit and loss for the year then ended; and
- the notes to the financial statements, which include significant accounting policies and other explanatory information.

Basis for opinion

We conducted our audit in accordance with International Standards on Auditing (ISAs). Our responsibilities under those standards are further described in the *Auditor's responsibilities for the audit of the financial statements* section of our report.

We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion.

Independence

We are independent of the Fund in accordance with the International Code of Ethics for Professional Accountants (including International Independence Standards) issued by the International Ethics Standards Board for Accountants (IESBA Code). We have fulfilled our other ethical responsibilities in accordance with the IESBA Code.

Other information

Management is responsible for the other information. The other information comprises the Annual Report (but does not include the financial statements and our auditor's report thereon).

Our opinion on the financial statements does not cover the other information and we do not express any form of assurance conclusion thereon.

In connection with our audit of the financial statements, our responsibility is to read the other information identified above and, in doing so, consider whether the other information is materially inconsistent with the financial statements or our knowledge obtained in the audit, or otherwise appears to be materially misstated. If, based on the work we have performed, we conclude that there is a material misstatement of this other information, we are required to report that fact. We have nothing to report in this regard.

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Independent auditor's report (continued)

To the Board of Directors of Storebrand International Private Equity VII Limited

Responsibilities of management for the financial statements

Management is responsible for the preparation of the financial statements that give a true and fair view in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in Norway, and for such internal control as management determines is necessary to enable the preparation of financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

In preparing the financial statements, management is responsible for assessing the Fund's ability to continue as a going concern, disclosing, as applicable, matters related to going concern and using the going concern basis of accounting unless management either intends to liquidate the Fund or to cease operations, or has no realistic alternative but to do so.

Auditor's responsibilities for the audit of the financial statements

Our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements as a whole are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error, and to issue an auditor's report that includes our opinion. Reasonable assurance is a high level of assurance, but is not a guarantee that an audit conducted in accordance with ISAs will always detect a material misstatement when it exists. Misstatements can arise from fraud or error and are considered material if, individually or in the aggregate, they could reasonably be expected to influence the economic decisions of users taken on the basis of these financial statements.

As part of an audit in accordance with ISAs, we exercise professional judgment and maintain professional scepticism throughout the audit. We also:

- Identify and assess the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements, whether due to fraud or error, design and perform audit procedures responsive to those risks, and obtain audit evidence that is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion. The risk of not detecting a material misstatement resulting from fraud is higher than for one resulting from error, as fraud may involve collusion, forgery, intentional omissions, misrepresentations, or the override of internal control.
- Obtain an understanding of internal control relevant to the audit in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the Fund's internal control.
- Evaluate the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of accounting estimates and related disclosures made by management.
- Conclude on the appropriateness of management's use of the going concern basis of accounting and, based on the audit evidence obtained, whether a material uncertainty exists related to events or conditions that may cast significant doubt on the Fund's ability to continue as a going concern. If we conclude that a material uncertainty exists, we are required to draw attention in our auditor's report to the related disclosures in the financial statements or, if such disclosures are inadequate, to modify our opinion. Our conclusions are based on the audit evidence obtained up to the date of our auditor's report. However, future events or conditions may cause the Fund to cease to continue as a going concern.



Independent auditor's report (continued)

To the Board of Directors of Storebrand International Private Equity VII Limited

- Evaluate the overall presentation, structure and content of the financial statements, including the disclosures, and whether the financial statements represent the underlying transactions and events in a manner that achieves fair presentation.

We communicate with those charged with governance regarding, among other matters, the planned scope and timing of the audit and significant audit findings, including any significant deficiencies in internal control that we identify during our audit.

Other matter

This report, including the opinion, has been prepared for and only for the Fund in accordance with the terms of our engagement letter, for the purpose of filing with the Cayman Islands Monetary Authority, and for no other purpose. We do not, in giving this opinion, accept or assume responsibility for any other purpose or to any other person to whom this report is shown or into whose hands it may come save where expressly agreed by our prior consent in writing.

June 29, 2023



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Dispensasjon fra kravet om å utarbeide årsregnskap og årsberetning på norsk

Vi viser til Storebrands søknad om dispensasjon fra kravet om å utarbeide årsregnskap og årsberetning på vegne av følgende alternative investeringsfond:

Storebrand International Private Equity IV Limited, org.nr. 987 414 057
Storebrand International Private Equity V Limited, org.nr. 988 210 277
Storebrand International Private Equity VI Limited, org.nr 989 573 128
Storebrand International Private Equity VII Limited, org.nr 890 743 862
Storebrand International Private Equity VIII Limited, org.nr 992 696 931
Storebrand International Private Equity IX Limited, org.nr 994 065 742
Storebrand International Private Equity X Limited, org.nr 995 551438
Storebrand International Private Equity XI Limited, org.nr 996 700 828
Storebrand International Private Equity XII Limited, org.nr 998 333 679
Storebrand International Private Equity 13 Limited, org.nr 911 917 831
Storebrand International Private Equity 14 Limited, org.nr 994 281 151
Storebrand International Private Equity 15 Limited, org.nr 986 313 737
Storebrand International Private Equity 16 Limited, org.nr 916 788 223
Storebrand International Private Equity 17 Limited, org.nr 988 210 684
Storebrand International Private Equity 18 Limited, org.nr 920 329 152
Storebrand International Private Equity 19 Limited, org.nr 989 871 862
Storebrand Emerging Private Equity Markets 2006 Limited, org.nr 989 974 971
Storebrand Emerging Private Equity Markets 2007 Limited, org.nr 990 743 606
Storebrand Norwegian Private Equity 2006 Limited, org.nr 989 974 874
Storebrand Norwegian Private Equity 2007 Limited, org.nr 991 186 433
Storebrand Norwegian Private Equity III Limited, org.nr 996 096 939

Skattekontoret gir på bakgrunn av en konkret helhetsvurdering selskapene nevnt ovenfor dispensasjon fra kravet til å utarbeide årsregnskap og årsberetning på norsk språk, jf. regnskapsloven § 3-4 tredje ledd. Dispensasjonen forutsetter at engelsk språk benyttes i stedet ved utarbeidelsen, og at øvrige opplysninger som vedtaket baserer seg på, heller ikke endres vesentlig.



Kopi av dette brevet må sendes Regnskapsregisteret i Brønnøysund sammen med årsregnskapet. Det påligger den regnskapspliktige å dokumentere ved dette brev at tillatelsen er gitt.

Bakgrunn

Fra søknaden siteres:

Storebrand har etablert en rekke selskaper som alternative investeringsfond på Caymen Island. Oversikt over de aktuelle selskapene følger av vedlegg. Samtlige foretak er skattepliktige til Norge og således også regnskapspliktige til Norge, jf regnskapsloven § 2-1 nr. 13. Det følger av regnskapsloven § 3-4 første ledd at årsregnskapet og årsberetningen skal utarbeides og leveres på norsk. Skattedirektoratet via delegasjon fra Finansdepartementet kan imidlertid gjøre unntak fra dette språkkravet.

Myndighetene på Caymen Island krever at selskapene avleverer regnskap på engelsk. Storebrand Asset Management AS som forvalter av de aktuelle selskapene utarbeider derfor årlig regnskap både på norsk og engelsk. Dette oppleves som både uforholdsmessig tid- og kostnadskrevende. Investorene i de aktuelle selskapene er delvis norske og delvis utenlandske. Felles for dem alle er imidlertid at de er institusjonelle og profesjonelle investorer som ikke vil ha problemer knyttet til å få tilgjengeliggjort selskapsregnskapene utelukkende på engelsk.

Det er truffet styrevedtak i samtlige selskaper om at det er ønskelig å begrense utarbeidelsen av regnskapene til engelsk. Kopi av protokoll fra felles styremøte fra de relevante selskapene følger vedlagt.

På bakgrunn av dette søkes det om tillatelse til å utarbeide årsregnskap og årsberetning på engelsk for selskapene som fremkommer i vedlegget til denne søknaden.

Skattekontorets vurdering

Etter regnskapsloven § 3-4 tredje ledd skal *”årsregnskapet og årsberetningen ... være på norsk. Departementet kan ved ... enkeltvedtak bestemme at årsregnskapet og/eller årsberetningen kan være på et annet språk.”*

I Ot. prp. nr. 42 (1997-1998) Om lov om årsregnskap mv., er det uttalt følgende om regnskapslovens formål, jf. pkt. 1.1:

Regjeringen har som siktemål at regnskapsloven skal bidra til informative regnskaper for ulike grupper av regnskapsbrukere. Regnskapsbrukerne er dels investorer og kreditorer som tilfører kapital til foretakene, og dels andre grupper som har interesse av å vite hvordan foretaket drives, f.eks. de ansatte og lokalsamfunnet. Informasjonen til kapitalmarkedet skal gi grunnlag for riktig prising av finansielle objekter. Riktig prisdannelse på aksjer er en forutsetning for at ressursbruken i samfunnsøkonomien skal bli best mulig. Gode regnskaper vil også gjøre det vanskeligere for markedsdeltakere å ta ut spekulasjonsgevinster med basis i skjevt fordelt informasjon.



Det fremgår således at et av hovedformålene med regnskapsloven er å bidra til *“informative regnskaper for ulike grupper av regnskapsbrukere”*. Regnskapsbrukere vil omfatte, jf. uttalelsen i proposisjonen, blant andre investorer, kreditorer, ansatte, kunder og lokalsamfunnet.

Det er etter skattekontorets vurdering derfor avgjørende ved vurdering av om dispensasjon fra kravet til å utarbeide årsregnskap og/eller årsberetning på norsk kan gis, at det ikke foreligger mulige brukere av regnskapsinformasjon som blir vesentlig berørt negativt ved en eventuell dispensasjon.

Som nevnt ovenfor er det særlig hensynet til brukerne av regnskapsinformasjon som skal vurderes ved en dispensasjonssøknad. I dette tilfellet er det opplyst at investorene i fondene er delvis norske og delvis utenlandske og at alle er profesjonelle investorer som behersker engelsk. Fondene er etablert på Cayman Island. Myndighetene der krever at selskapene leverer regnskap på engelsk. Skattekontoret finner at disse forholdene samlet tilsier at dispensasjon fra kravet om å utarbeide årsregnskap og årsberetning på norsk kan gis.

Vennligst oppgi vår referanse ved henvendelse i saken.

Med hilsen

Roar Thorbjørnsen
Underdirektør
Innsats, storbedrift
Skatteetaten

Joakim Engebretsen

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To the General Meeting of Storebrand International Private Equity VII Limited

Independent Auditor's Report

Opinion

We have audited the financial statements of Storebrand International Private Equity VII Limited (the Company), which comprise the balance sheet as at 31 December 2022, the Profit and Loss for the year then ended, and notes to the financial statements, including a summary of significant accounting policies.

In our opinion

- the financial statements comply with applicable statutory requirements, and
- the financial statements give a true and fair view of the financial position of the Company as at 31 December 2022, and its financial performance for the year then ended in accordance with the Norwegian Accounting Act and accounting standards and practices generally accepted in Norway.

Basis for Opinion

We conducted our audit in accordance with International Standards on Auditing (ISAs). Our responsibilities under those standards are further described in the *Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Statements* section of our report. We are independent of the Company as required by relevant laws and regulations in Norway and the International Ethics Standards Board for Accountants' International Code of Ethics for Professional Accountants (including International Independence Standards) (IESBA Code), and we have fulfilled our other ethical responsibilities in accordance with these requirements. We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion.

Other Information

The Board of Directors (management) is responsible for the other information accompanying the financial statements. The other information comprises information in the annual report, but does not include the financial statements and our auditor's report thereon. Our opinion on the financial statements does not cover the other information accompanying the financial statements.

In connection with our audit of the financial statements, our responsibility is to read the other information. The purpose is to consider if there is material inconsistency between the other information and the financial statements or our knowledge obtained in the audit, or whether the other information appears to be materially misstated. We are required to report if there is a material misstatement in the other information. We have nothing to report in this regard.

Responsibilities of Management for the Financial Statements

Management is responsible for the preparation of financial statements that give a true and fair view in accordance with the Norwegian Accounting Act and accounting standards and practices generally accepted in Norway, and for such internal control as management determines is necessary to enable the preparation of financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

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In preparing the financial statements, management is responsible for assessing the Company's ability to continue as a going concern, disclosing, as applicable, matters related to going concern. The financial statements use the going concern basis of accounting insofar as it is not likely that the enterprise will cease operations.

Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Statements

Our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements as a whole are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error, and to issue an auditor's report that includes our opinion. Reasonable assurance is a high level of assurance, but is not a guarantee that an audit conducted in accordance with ISAs will always detect a material misstatement when it exists. Misstatements can arise from fraud or error and are considered material if, individually or in aggregate, they could reasonably be expected to influence the economic decisions of users taken on the basis of these financial statements.

For further description of Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Statements reference is made to: <https://revisorforeningen.no/revisjonsberetninger>

Oslo, 29 June 2023

PricewaterhouseCoopers AS

Thomas Steffensen
State Authorised Public Accountant
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