

TIMES HAVE CHANGED!

UK BUSINESS IS DOING WELL...

...BUT BREXIT, TRUMP AND BRIBERY ACT RESULT IN UNCERTAINTY AND NON-COMMITTMENT





PLUS... LOTS OF SPORTS PROPERTIES IN THE MARKETPLACE INCL. PREMIERSHIP RUGBY, SIX NATIONS, CHELSEA FLOWER SHOW, THE BOAT RACE, ATP FINALS, TEST MATCH CRICKET...













...AND BRITISH TENNIS

...WITH MORE TO JOIN



WHICH MEANS IT IS A COMPETITIVE MARKET AND EVERY PROPERTY NEEDS TO STAND OUT...



...AND BE HONEST ABOUT ITS WEAKNESSES









PRIOR TO THAT, WE'D OPERATED WITH LOTS OF SPONSORS, NONE OF WHOM INVESTED AT SIGNIFICANT LEVELS. IT WAS A CLUTTERED HOUSE.



SO AEGON CAME IN AND OWNED EVERYTHING.

FROM GRASSROOTS TO THE PROFESSIONAL GAME.



AND IT'S BEEN VERY SUCCESSFUL FOR THEM, EVEN SINCE 2015 RECOGNITION CONTINUES TO GROW (+127%).

IT'S ENABLED US TO INVEST IN MORE THINGS.



HOWEVER ALL GOOD THINGS COME TO AN END AND BOTH AEGON AND BRITISH TENNIS ARE REFOCUSSING IN 2018

WHAT WE REALISED IS THAT WE DO SO MANY THINGS...









FROM SCHOOLS TO CLUBS TO ELITE THAT IT'S A COMPLEX OPPORTUNITY FOR ONE BRAND TO...



IN PARTICULAR, ONE PLATFORM STOOD APART FROM THE REST...

THE QUEEN'S TOURNAMENT PRESENTS A VERY DIFFERENT PROPOSITION TO THE REST OF OUR TENNIS ACTIVITIES



SO WE SPLIT THE LEAD PARTNERSHIP...

...TAKING ADVANTAGE OF THE RIGHTS THAT WE HAVE AT OUR DISPOSAL TO PRESENT TWO VERY DISTINCT AND ATTRACTIVE OPPORTUNITIES TO THE MARKET...



ONE FOR A BRAND WHICH WILL CONTINUE TO DEVELOP THE QUEEN'S EVENT TO BE ONE OF THE MOST HIGH PROFILE EVENTS ON THE GB SUMMER CALENDAR...



...FROM BOTH A SPORTING AND A SOCIAL PERSPECTIVE.

DRIVING HOME ITS UNIQUE STRENGTHS...

- BEST PLAYERS IN THE WORLD
- BEST TOURNAMENT IN THE WORLD, AS VOTED BY THE PLAYERS
- BEST 2016 PLAYER FIELD IN ATP500 HISTORY
- 11 MILLION UNIQUE TV VIEWERS
- IN HEART OF NATIONS CAPITAL
- THE STARS ATTENDING





WITH A RECORD 2016 FINAL ON THE BBC PEAKING AT 3.8M

AND THE OTHER TO HELP US TO ACHIEVE OUR MISSION TO GET MORE PEOPLE PLAYING TENNIS MORE OFTEN



THAT'S A MUCH MORE COMPLEX COMMERCIAL PROPOSITION BUT A VERY POWERFUL ONE.

PRESENTING A BRAND WITH AN OPPORTUNITY TO TARGET THOSE 5 MILLION ADULTS WHO PICK UP A RACKET AND THE 17 MILLION FANS OF THE SPORT





ENABLING THEM TO ENGAGE WITH OUR PLAYING BASE IN A MEANINGFUL MANNER, ENHANCING THE EXPERIENCE OF OUR "CUSTOMERS" WHILE DRIVING THEIR OWN BRAND LOYALTY AND PROPENSITY TO BUY



AND TODAY COMMUNITY IS MORE IMPORTANT TO MANY BRANDS THAN TRADITIONAL SPONSORSHIP RIGHTS

SO WE'RE LOOKING FOR A BRAND WHICH WILL REALLY HELP SUPPORT THE SPORT BEYOND THE ££'S. WE'RE LOOKING FOR A BRAND WHO SPEAKS WITH LOTS OF PEOPLE ON A REGULAR BASIS.







WE'RE LOOKING FOR A PARTNERSHIP.











A THE REAL PROPERTY.



6M LAPSED PLAYERS



17M FOLLOWERS

DELIVERING A SIGNIFICANT TV PLATFORM



EUROSPORT

- 13M UNIQUE TV VIEWERS 12 DAYS & 50 HRS LIVE COVERAGE ON BBC
- DISTRIBUTED TO 180 TV MARKETS GLOBALLY
- BIGGER THAN THE ENTIRE PREMIERSHIP RUGBY



IS PLAYED ALL YEAR ROUND...



AND PARTICIPATION IS BIGGER THAN CRICKET, RUGBY UNION AND RUGBY LEAGUE <u>COMBINED!</u>

