

**NOTE 15****OTHER OPERATING EXPENSES**

NOK 1 000	2016	2015
Sales and administration costs	227 985	214 600
Lease of buildings etc.	253 955	245 856
Fees to auditors, lawyers, consultants	195 831	174 774
Travel expenses	183 359	186 215
Loss and change in write-downs of receivables	8 225	14 842
Other expenses	438 660	387 351
<b>Total</b>	<b>1 308 015</b>	<b>1 223 638</b>