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# **Condensed Consolidated Income Statement** For the Second Quarter ended 31 March 2007 (The figures have not been audited)

	Individua	al Quarter	Cumulativ	ve Quarter
	Current Year	Preceding Year	Current Year	Preceding Year
	Quarter ended	Quarter ended	6 months ended	6 months ended
	31 March	31 March	31 March	31 March
	2007	2006	2007	2006
	D. 510.5	Restated	D. 2005	Restated
	RM'000	RM'000	RM'000	RM'000
Revenue	53,598	53,771	111,814	110,517
Operating expenses	(47,090)	(48,397)	(94,499)	(97,762)
Other operating income	295	801	814	29,703
Finance cost	-	-	-	-
Share of results of associated companies	59,075	35,261	131,801	114,517
Profit before taxation	65,878	41,436	149,930	156,975
Taxation	(682)	(965)	(2,443)	(2,062)
Net profit for the period	65,196	40,471	147,487	154,913
Attributable to:				
Equity holders of the parent	63,576	39,104	143,676	151,434
Minority interests	1,620	1,367	3,811	3,479
	65,196	40,471	147,487	154,913
Formings man skare				
Earnings per share	1466	0.02	22 12	24.01
Basic	14.66 sen	9.02 sen	33.13 sen	34.91 sen
Diluted	Not applicable	Not applicable	Not applicable	Not applicable

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# Condensed Consolidated Balance Sheet At 31 March 2007

(The figures have not been audited)

	31 March 2007	30 September 2006 Restated
	RM'000	RM'000
Non-current Assets	112 622	116 677
Property, plant & equipment Investment property	112,632 11,148	116,677 10,829
Prepaid land lease payments	15,104	15,307
Goodwill on consolidation	11,999	11,999
Investment in associated companies	2,039,084	2,004,803
Other investments	26,878	27,138
Deferred tax assets	825	472
Deterred tax assets	2,217,670	2,187,225
Current Assets	_,,,,,,	_,,
Inventories	23,222	23,837
Trade receivables	48,412	53,314
Other receivables, deposits and prepayments	27,083	18,621
Amount due from an associated company	530	551
Tax recoverable	940	770
Short term funds	140,468	-
Term deposits	25,750	152,250
Cash and bank balances	4,017	2,345
	270,422	251,688
Current Liabilities		
Trade payables	7,885	6,949
Other payables and accruals	10,353	14,798
Provision for retirement benefits	35	53
Taxation	728	721
	19,001	22,521
Net Current Assets	251,421	229,167
	2,469,091	2,416,392
Share capital	435,951	291,375
Reserves	1,948,755	2,041,733
Equity attributable to equity holders of the parent	2,384,706	2,333,108
Minority interests	68,393	67,628
<b>Total Equity</b>	2,453,099	2,400,736
Non-current Liabilities		
Provision for retirement benefits	1,833	1,759
Deferred tax liabilities	14,159	13,897
	15,992	15,656
	2,469,091	2,416,392
Net assets per share attributable to equity holders of the parent (RM) *	5.50	5.38

<sup>\*</sup> The comparative net assets per share has been adjusted for the effect of the 1 for 2 Bonus Issue.

The Condensed Consolidated Balance Sheet should be read in conjunction with the Annual Report for the year ended 30 September 2006.

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# **Condensed Consolidated Statement Of Changes In Equity** For the Second Quarter ended 31 March 2007 (The figures have not been audited)

	•			Attributable	e to the Equity I	Holders of the Pa	arent —		<b></b>		
	Share Capital RM'000	Revaluation Reserve RM'000	Capital Reserve RM'000	General Reserve RM'000	Exchange Fluctuation Reserve RM'000	Negative Goodwill RM'000	Retained Profits RM'000	Treasury Shares RM'000	Total RM'000	Minority Interests RM'000	Total Equity RM'000
At 1 October 2006, as previously stated Effect of adopting FRS 3 As restated	291,375 - 291,375	715 - 715	506,899	154,591 - 154,591	(155)	13,113 (13,113)	1,376,062 40,356 1,416,418	(9,492)	2,333,108 27,243 2,360,351	67,628	2,400,736 27,243 2,427,979
Net gains/(losses) not recognised in the income statement Net profit for the period Bonus issue Dividends paid Dividends paid to minority shareholders	- - 144,576 - -	- - - -	288 - - - -	(28,516)	(328) - - - -	- - - -	143,676 (144,576) (90,765)	- - - -	(28,556) 143,676 - (90,765)	3,811 - - (3,046)	(28,556) 147,487 - (90,765) (3,046)
At 31 March 2007	435,951	715	507,187	126,075	(483)	<u>-</u>	1,324,753	(9,492)	2,384,706	68,393	2,453,099
At 1 October 2005	291,375	715	510,348	150,677	(39)	13,113	1,202,600	(9,492)	2,159,297	64,659	2,223,956
Net gains/(losses) not recognised in the income statement Net profit for the period Dividends paid Dividends paid to minority shareholders	- - - -	- - - -	25,439 - - -	(128) - - -	(119) - - -	- - - -	(25,439) 151,434 (70,784)	- - -	(247) 151,434 (70,784)	3,479 - (2,654)	(247) 154,913 (70,784) (2,654)
At 31 March 2006	291,375	715	535,787	150,549	(158)	13,113	1,257,811	(9,492)	2,239,700	65,484	2,305,184

The Condensed Consolidated Statement of Changes in Equity should be read in conjunction with the Annual Report for the year ended 30 September 2006.

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# **Condensed Consolidated Cash Flow Statement For the Second Quarter ended 31 March 2007**

(The figures have not been audited)

#### 6 months ended

	31 Ma	rch
	2007	2006
	D1 41000	Restated
Cash flavor from anausting activities	RM'000	RM'000
Cash flows from operating activities Profit before taxation	149,930	156,975
Adjustments for:-	147,730	130,773
Non-cash items	9,804	11,535
Non-operating items	(135,955)	(143,703)
Operating profit before working capital changes Changes in working capital	23,779	24,807
Net change in current assets	(2,924)	(3,867)
Net change in current liabilities	(3,509)	2,802
Cash generated from operations	17,346	23,742
Interest received	1,916	1,560
Tax paid	(2,203)	(2,167)
Retirement benefits paid	(24)	(21)
Net cash generated from operating activities	17,035	23,114
Cash flows from investing activities		
Equity investments	98,163	110,789
Other investments	(5,787)	(7,619)
Net cash generated from investing activities	92,376	103,170
Cash flows from financing activities		
Dividends paid to shareholders of the Company	(90,765)	(70,784)
Dividends paid to minority shareholders	(3,046)	(2,654)
Net cash used in financing activities	(93,811)	(73,438)
Net increase in cash and cash equivalents	15,600	52,846
Effects of exchange rate changes	40	(27)
Cash and cash equivalents at 1 October	154,595	81,526
Cash and cash equivalents at 31 March	170,235	134,345

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#### **Notes to Interim Financial Report**

## A. Explanatory Notes as required by FRS 134

#### A1. Accounting policies

The interim financial report has been prepared in compliance with FRS  $134_{2004}$  - Interim Financial Reporting, issued by the Malaysian Accounting Standards Board and paragraph 9.22 of the Listing Requirements of the Bursa Malaysia Securities Berhad.

The accounting policies and methods of computation used in the preparation of the interim financial report are consistent with those adopted in the annual financial statements for the year ended 30 September 2006, except for the adoption of the following new and revised Financial Reporting Standards ("FRSs") which became effective for the Group for the current financial period:-

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FRS 2	Share-based Payment
FRS 3	Business Combinations
FRS 5	Non-current Assets Held for Sale and Discontinued Operations
FRS 101	Presentation of Financial Statements
FRS 102	Inventories
FRS 108	Accounting Policies, Changes in Estimates and Errors
FRS 110	Events after the Balance Sheet Date
FRS 116	Property, Plant & Equipment
FRS 117	Leases
FRS 124	Related Party Disclosures
FRS 127	Consolidated and Separate Financial Statements
FRS 128	Investments in Associates
FRS 131	Interests in Joint Ventures
FRS 132	Financial Statements: Disclosure and Presentation
FRS 133	Earnings Per Share
FRS 136	Impairment of Assets
FRS 138	Intangible Assets
FRS 140	Investment Property

The adoption of the above FRSs did not have any significant financial impact on the financial statements of the Group, except for FRS 3, FRS 101, FRS 117 and FRS 140 disclosed as follows:-

# (a) FRS 3 - Business Combinations

Under FRS 3, any excess of the Group's interest in the net fair value of acquirees' identifiable assets, liabilities and contingent liabilities over cost of acquisitions (previously referred to as "negative goodwill"), after reassessment, is now recognised immediately in the income statement. Prior to 1 October 2006, negative goodwill was not amortised, except to the extent it related to identified expected future losses as at the date of acquisition. In such cases, these expected losses were recognised in the income statement. In accordance with the transitional provisions of FRS 3, negative goodwill as at 1 October 2006 of RM40,356,000 was derecognised with a corresponding increase in retained earnings.

#### (b) FRS 101 - Presentation of Financial Statements

The adoption of the revised FRS 101 has affected the presentation of minority interests, share of net after tax results of associates and other disclosures. In the consolidated balance sheet, minority interests are now presented as part of total equity. In the consolidated income statement, minority interests are presented as an allocation of the total profit or loss for the period. A similar requirement is also applicable to the consolidated statement of changes in equity. FRS 101 also requires disclosure of the total recognised income and expenses for the period, showing separately the amounts attributable to equity holders of the parent and to minority interests, in the consolidated statement of changes in equity.

The current period's presentation of the Group's financial statements is based on the revised requirements of FRS 101, with the comparative figures restated to conform to the current period's presentation.

#### (c) FRS 117 - Leases

The adoption of the revised FRS 117 has resulted in a retrospective change in the accounting policy relating to the classification of leasehold land. Leasehold land held for own use is now classified as operating lease and where necessary, the minimum lease payments of the up-front payments made are allocated between the land and the building elements in proportion to the relative fair values of the leasehold interests in the land and building elements of the lease at the inception of the lease. The up-front payment represents prepaid lease payment and are amortised on a straight line basis over the lease term.

Prior to 1 October 2006, leasehold land was classified as property, plant and equipment and was stated at cost and revalued amount less accumulated amortisation. The leasehold land was last revalued in 1996.

With the adoption of the revised FRS 117, the unamortised revalued amount of leasehold land is retained as the surrogate carrying amount of prepaid lease payments as allowed by the transitional provisions of FRS 117. The reclassification of leasehold land as prepaid lease payments has been accounted for retrospectively and as disclosed in Note A1 (e), certain comparatives have been restated. There is no financial impact to the Group on the adoption of FRS 117.

#### (d) FRS 140 – Investment Property

FRS 140 defines an investment property as a property held for long term rental yield and/or for capital appreciation and that is not occupied by the companies in the Group. It is initially measured at cost, including direct transaction costs.

The Group adopted the cost model to measure its investment property. Under the cost model, investment property is measured at depreciated cost less any accumulated impairment losses.

Prior to 1 October 2006, investment property was classified as property, plant and equipment and is now disclosed as a separate line item in the consolidated balance sheet as part of non-current assets. In line with the revised requirements of FRS 101, the comparative figure is restated to conform to the current period's presentation.

# (e) Comparative Figures

Arising from the adoption of new and revised FRSs, the following comparative figures have been restated to conform to current period's presentation:-

	6 months ended 31 March 2006		
TD0 101	As restated	As previously reported	
FRS 101	RM'000	RM'000	
Condensed Consolidated Income Statement			
Share of results of associated companies	114,517	147,240	
Profit before taxation	156,975	189,698	
Taxation	2,062	34,785	
Condensed Consolidated Cash Flow Statement Non-operating items	143,703	176,426	
	As at 30 Se	eptember 2006	
	As	As previously	
	restated	reported	
FRS 117 & 140	RM'000	RM'000	
Condensed Consolidated Balance Sheet			
Property, plant and equipment	116,677	142,813	
Investment property	10,829	-	
Prepaid land lease payments	15,307		

#### A2. Audit report of preceding annual financial statements

The auditors' report on the financial statements for the year ended 30 September 2006 was not subject to any qualifications.

#### A3. Seasonal and cyclical operations

The Group's operations are affected to the extent that the operations of its major associate, Kuala Lumpur Kepong Berhad ("KLK"), are influenced by seasonal crop production, fluctuations in commodity prices and impact of seasonal sales for its retailing operations.

#### A4. Unusual items

There were no items affecting the assets, liabilities, equity, net income, or cash flows that are unusual because of their nature, size, or incidence.

#### A5. Changes in estimates

There were no material changes in the estimates of amounts reported in prior interim period of the current and prior financial year.

#### A6. Issuance and repayment of debt and equity securities

There were no issuances and repayments of debt securities, share buy-backs, share cancellations or resale of treasury shares for the financial year to-date except for the 1 for 2 Bonus Issue of 144,576,000 new ordinary shares of RM1.00 each in the Company which was completed on 13 March 2007.

#### A7. Dividends

#### (i) Dividends Paid

	6 months ended 31 March 2007 RM'000	6 months ended 31 March 2006 RM'000
Dividends proposed in year 2006, paid in year 2007		
- Final 13% less income tax @ 27%	27,441	18,737
(2005: 9% less income tax @ 28%)		
- Special 30% less income tax @ 27%	63,324	52,047
(2005: 25% less income tax @ 28%)		
	90,765	70,784

#### (ii) Dividends Proposed

An interim dividend of 10 sen per share less 27% Malaysian income tax has been declared by the Directors on the enlarged issued share capital after the bonus issue of 1 for 2 ordinary shares held, in respect of the financial year ending 30 September 2007 (year ended 30 September 2006 : 12 sen less 28% Malaysian income tax on the pre-bonus issued share capital). The interim dividend will be paid on 13 August 2007 to shareholders registered in the Company's Register as at 18 July 2007.

A Depositor with the Bursa Malaysia Depository Sdn Bhd shall qualify for entitlement to the dividend only in respect of:-

- (a) Securities deposited into the Depositor's Securities Account before 12.30 p.m. on 16 July 2007, in respect of securities which are exempted from mandatory deposit;
- (b) Securities transferred into the Depositor's Securities Account before 4.00 p.m. on 18 July 2007, in respect of transfers; and
- (c) Securities bought on the Bursa Malaysia Securities Berhad ("Bursa Securities") on a cum entitlement basis according to the Rules of the Bursa Securities.

The total dividend declared for the financial year ending 30 September 2007 is 10 sen per share less 27% Malaysian income tax (year ended 30 September 2006 : 12 sen less 28% Malaysian income tax and 43 sen less 27% Malaysian income tax).

# A8. Segment information

The business segment information for the 6 months ended 31 March is as follows:-

# 6 months ended 31 March 2007

REVENUE  External Sales Chemicals Freight & haulage	Investment Holding RM'000	Chemicals RM'000 97,582 10,950	Adjustments RM'000 (328) (549)	Consolidated RM'000 97,254 10,401
Dividends Management services fees Interest income  Inter-segment Sales	143,444 - 914 144,358 - 144,358	105 18 1,002 109,657	(141,324) 	2,225 18 1,916 111,814
RESULTS				
Segment result Finance cost	142,066	17,271	(141,208)	18,129
Share of results of associated companies Profit before taxation Taxation Profit after taxation	131,690 273,756	111 17,382	(141,208)	131,801 149,930 (2,443) 147,487
6 months ended 31 March 2006  REVENUE	Investment Holding RM'000	Chemicals RM'000	Adjustments RM'000	Consolidated RM'000
External Sales Chemicals Freight & haulage Dividends Management services fees Interest income  Inter-segment Sales	123,028 - 918 123,946	100,793 8,423 - 18 642 - 109,876	(349) (167) (122,789) - - (123,305) - (123,305)	100,444 8,256 239 18 1,560 110,517
RESULTS	123,740	107,870	(123,303)	110,317
Segment result Finance cost	150,320	15,027	(122,889)	42,458
Share of results of associated companies Profit before taxation Taxation Profit after taxation	114,489 * 264,809 *	28 15,055	(122,889)	114,517 156,975 (2,062) 154,913

<sup>\*</sup> Restated

#### A9. Valuation of property, plant and equipment

The valuations of property, plant and equipment have been brought forward from the annual financial statements for the year ended 30 September 2006 without amendment.

#### A10. Material events subsequent to end of period

In the interval between the end of the reporting period and this report date, no material events have arisen which have not been reflected in the financial statement for the said period.

# A11. Changes in composition of the Group

There were no changes in the composition of the Group during the current quarter and financial year todate.

#### A12. Changes in contingent liabilities and contingent assets

There were no contingent liabilities or contingent assets since the date of the last annual financial statements for the year ended 30 September 2006.

# B. Explanatory Notes as required by the Bursa Securities' Listing Requirements

#### **B1.** Review of performance

The Group's pre-tax profit for the current quarter of RM65.9 million was substantially higher than the RM41.4 million achieved in the corresponding quarter last year mainly due to higher profit contribution from KLK. The improvement in KLK's profit was due to the high palm product prices resulting in higher plantation profit, and from the surplus from Government acquisition of land.

Group pre-tax profit for the first half year was RM149.9 million, 4.5% lower than the RM157.0 million achieved in the corresponding period last year which had included higher investment gains arising from the capital distribution of an associated company undergoing voluntary liquidation and from the sale of a quoted investment. The lower investment income in the current half year was mitigated by the higher profit contribution from KLK.

#### B2. Comparison of current quarter's results to the preceding quarter

The current quarter's pre-tax profit of RM65.9 million was lower than the RM84.1 million achieved in the preceding quarter due to:-

- (i) lower profit contribution from KLK, which reported a loss from its retailing operations despite higher plantation and manufacturing profits, and the surplus from Government acquisition of land;
- (ii) lower profit contributions from our chemical operations arising from lower sales quantity of its main products.

# **B3.** Current year's prospects

The Directors are of the opinion that the Group's pre-tax profit for the current financial year would be higher than that of last year's due to the favourable high prevailing commodity prices on the profit of our plantation associate, KLK.

#### **B4.** Variance of actual profit from forecast profit

The Group did not issue any forecast profit or profit guarantee for the quarter ended 31 March 2007.

#### **B5.** Taxation

Taxation comprises the following:-

	Individua	al Quarter	Cumulati	ve Quarter
	Current Year Preceding Year		Current Year	Preceding Year
	Quarter ended	Quarter ended	6 months ended	6 months ended
	31 March	31 March	31 March	31 March
	2007	2006	2007	2006
	RM'000	Restated RM'000	RM'000	Restated RM'000
Current tax				
Malaysian income tax	678	1,146	2,534	2,896
Deferred tax				
Relating to origination and				
reversal of temporary differences	4	(181)	(91)	(834)
	682	965	2,443	2,062

The effective tax rate for the current quarter and financial year to-date is lower than the statutory tax rate applicable mainly due to the availability of tax incentives for certain subsidiary companies and tax exempt income of the Company.

# **B6.** Sale of unquoted investments and/or properties

There was no sale of unquoted investments or properties for the current quarter and financial year todate.

# **B7.** Quoted securities

a) Purchases and sales of quoted securities for the current quarter and financial year to-date were as follows:-

	Individua	ıl Quarter	Cumulative Quarter		
	Current Year Preceding Year		Current Year	Preceding Year	
	Quarter ended 31 March 2007	Quarter ended 31 March 2006	6 months ended 31 March 2007	6 months ended 31 March 2006	
Purchases of quoted securities	RM'000	RM'000	RM'000	RM'000 5,705	
Sale proceeds of quoted securities				8,370	
Surplus on sales of quoted securities	-	_	_	7,782	

b) Investments in quoted shares as at 31 March 2007 were as follows:-

		At 31 March 2007 RM'000	At 30 September 2006 RM'000
(i) Quoted shares at cost	<ul><li>Associated company</li><li>Other investments</li></ul>	418,839 11,401 430,240	418,839 11,401 430,240
(ii) Carrying value/book value	<ul><li>Associated company</li><li>Other investments</li></ul>	2,037,642 11,401 2,049,043	2,003,471 11,401 2,014,872
(iii) Market value	<ul><li>Associated company</li><li>Other investments</li></ul>	5,950,818 8,061 5,958,879	3,603,551 6,568 3,610,119

# **B8.** Status of corporate proposals

The proposed acquisition by our wholly-owned subsidiary, Forever Green Venture Limited, of a 75% equity stake in PT Satu Sembilan Delapan ("PTSSD"), an Indonesian company, remains uncompleted pending the fulfilment of conditions precedent.

# **B9.** Group borrowing

There was no group borrowing as at the end of the reporting period.

#### **B10.** Off Balance Sheet Financial Instruments

There were no financial instruments with off balance sheet risk as at the date of this report.

#### **B11.** Material Litigation

The BKB Group is not engaged in any material litigation either as plaintiff or defendant and the Directors of BKB do not know of any proceedings, pending or threatened against the BKB Group or of any fact likely to give rise to any proceedings which might materially affect the position or business of the BKB Group.

# **B12.** Earnings Per Share

Basic earnings per share

The earnings per share is calculated by dividing the net profit for the period attributable to equity holders of the parent by the weighted average number of shares of the Company in issue during the period. Comparative earnings per share has been retrospectively adjusted for the effect of the 1 for 2 Bonus Issue.

	Individua	al Quarter	Cumulative Quarter	
	Current Year Preceding Year		Current Year	Preceding Year
	Quarter ended	Quarter ended	6 months ended	6 months ended
	31 March	31 March	31 March	31 March
	2007	2006	2007	2006
Net profit for the period attributable to equity holders				
of the parent (RM'000)	63,576	39,104	143,676	151,434
Weighted average number				
of shares	433,728,000	433,728,000	433,728,000	433,728,000
Earnings per share (sen)	14.66	9.02	33.13	34.91

By Order of the Board

J.C. LIM LEONG SEA FOOK Company Secretaries

23 May 2007