

KRETAM HOLDINGS BERHAD

(Company No.: 168285 - H)

INTERIM FINANCIAL REPORT FOR THE QUARTER ENDED 30 June 2019

This interim financial report is unaudited and should be read in conjunction with the Company's audited financial statements for the year ended 30 June 2019.

A. CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED INCOME STATEMENT

	CURRENT QUARTER			CUMULATIVE		
	Quarter ended 30 June			6 months ended 30 June		
	2019	2018	Changes	2019	2018	Changes
	RM'000	RM'000	%	RM'000	RM'000	%
<u>CONTINUING OPERATIONS:-</u>						
Revenue	86,387	147,363	-41%	190,878	308,252	-38%
Cost of sales and services	(88,239)	(138,358)		(182,942)	(282,707)	
Gross profit	(1,852)	9,005	-121%	7,936	25,545	-69%
Selling and distribution costs	(6,597)	(8,209)		(14,022)	(16,171)	
	(8,449)	796		(6,086)	9,374	
Other income	340	2,124		2,544	5,797	
Administrative expenses	(3,356)	(3,648)		(7,149)	(7,690)	
Other expenses	0	(2,525)		(74)	(5,195)	
Profit/(loss) before interest and Taxation	(11,465)	(3,253)	-252%	(10,765)	2,286	-571%
Finance income	201	242		241	470	
Finance costs	(1,142)	(1,309)		(1,969)	(2,630)	
Profit/(loss) before taxation	(12,406)	(4,320)	-187%	(12,493)	126	-10,015%
Taxation	1,719	604		2,365	(2,201)	
Profit/(loss) after taxation	(10,687)	(3,716)	-188%	(10,128)	(2,075)	-388%
Profit/(loss) after taxation attributable to:-						
Shareholders of the Company	(10,654)	(3,822)	-179%	(10,117)	(2,302)	-339%
Non-Controlling Interests	(33)	106		(11)	227	
	(10,687)	(3,716)	-188%	(10,128)	(2,075)	-388%
<u>EARNINGS/(LOSS) PER SHARE (EPS):-</u>						
	<u>Sen</u>	<u>Sen</u>		<u>Sen</u>	<u>Sen</u>	
Basic EPS	(0.46)	(0.16)		(0.43)	(0.10)	
Diluted EPS	(0.46)	(0.16)		(0.43)	(0.10)	

B. CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF COMPREHENSIVE INCOME

	CURRENT QUARTER			CUMULATIVE		
	Quarter ended 30 June			6 months ended 30 June		
	2019	2018	Changes	2019	2018	Changes
	RM'000	RM'000	%	RM'000	RM'000	%
Profit/(loss) after taxation	(10,687)	(3,716)	-188%	(10,128)	(2,075)	-388%
Other Comprehensive Income (OCI)	0	0		0	0	
Income tax relating to components of OCI	0	0		0	0	
Other Comprehensive Income net of tax	0	0		0	0	
Total Comprehensive Income/(loss)	(10,687)	(3,716)	-188%	(10,128)	(2,075)	-388%
Total Comprehensive Income/(loss) attributable to:-						
Shareholders of the Company	(10,654)	(3,822)	-179%	(10,117)	(2,302)	-339%
Non-Controlling Interests	(33)	106	-131%	(11)	227	-105%
	(10,687)	(3,716)	-188%	(10,128)	(2,075)	-388%

C. CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION

	As at 30.06.2019 RM'000	As at 31.12.2018 RM'000
NON-CURRENT ASSETS		
Property, plant and equipment and land use rights	565,015	565,616
Investment property	617	621
Biological assets	1,641	3,576
Intangible assets	42,777	42,777
Trade & other receivables	4,532	4,532
CURRENT ASSETS		
Biological assets	9,584	6,806
Inventories	99,614	112,552
Receivables	22,199	35,933
Tax refundable	25,319	28,662
Derivatives	17	1,907
Cash and bank balances	32,635	20,055
	189,368	205,915
Assets held for sale	0	0
	189,368	205,915
CURRENT LIABILITIES		
Payables	46,206	50,841
Loans and borrowings	81,966	82,445
Derivatives	608	0
Income tax payable	0	6
	128,780	133,292
Liabilities associated with disposal group	0	0
	128,780	133,292
NET CURRENT ASSETS	60,588	72,623
NON-CURRENT LIABILITIES		
Loans and borrowings	2,818	3,198
Deferred taxation	68,237	72,255
	604,115	614,292
EQUITY		
Equity attributable to shareholders of the Company		
Share capital	746,467	746,467
Revaluation reserve	0	0
Other reserves	0	0
Retained profits /(losses)	(148,860)	(138,743)
	597,607	607,724
Equity attributable to non-controlling interests	6,508	6,568
	604,115	614,292
NET ASSETS PER SHARE	<u>Sen</u> 25.7	<u>Sen</u> 26.1

D. CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN EQUITY

	EQUITY ATTRIBUTABLE TO:-					TOTAL EQUITY RM'000
	Shareholders of the Company				Non- controlling Interests RM'000	
	Share Capital RM'000	Reserves RM'000	Retained Profits RM'000	TOTAL RM'000		
<u>CURRENT YEAR TO DATE:</u>						
At 1 January 2019	746,467	0	(138,743)	607,724	6,568	614,292
Total Comprehensive Income/(loss) for the period	0	0	(10,117)	(10,117)	(11)	(10,128)
Dividend paid	0	0	0	0	0	0
Dividend paid to non-controlling interests	0	0	0	0	(49)	(49)
At 30 June 2019	746,467	0	(148,860)	597,607	6,508	604,115
<u>PREVIOUS YEAR CORRESPONDING PERIOD:</u>						
At 1 January 2018	746,467	0	(98,945)	647,522	5,672	653,194
Total Comprehensive Income/(loss) for the period	0	0	(2,302)	(2,302)	227	(2,075)
Non-controlling interests on acquisition of a subsidiary	0	0	0	0	(30)	(30)
Dividend paid	0	0	0	0	0	0
Dividend paid to non-controlling interests	0	0	0	0	(100)	(100)
At 30 June 2018	746,467	0	(101,247)	645,220	5,769	650,989

E. CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS

	6 months ended 30 June	
	2019	2018
	RM'000	RM'000
Cash flows from operating activities		
Profit/(loss) before taxation from continuing operations	(12,493)	126
<u>Adjustments for:-</u>		
Depreciation and amortisation	23,460	22,382
Net fair value loss/ (gain) on biological assets	17	0
Interest income	(241)	(470)
Finance costs	1,969	2,630
Net loss / (gain) on disposal of assets	(21)	(96)
Unrealised loss/ (gain) on derivatives	591	2,193
Others	2,836	(8,290)
Changes in working capital	11,077	27,937
Income taxes paid, net of refunds	3,208	(10,717)
Interest received	240	460
Interest paid	(2,574)	(2,641)
	28,069	33,514
Cash flows from investing activities		
Purchase of property, plant and equipment	(12,214)	(19,847)
Proceeds from disposal of property plant and equipment	34	1,060
Addition to Biological Assets	0	0
Withdrawal/(placement) of fixed deposits of longer-term tenure	300	(1,506)
Others	0	0
	(11,880)	(20,293)
Cash flows from financing activities		
Net drawdown/(repayment) of finance lease obligations	272	273
Net drawdown/(repayment) of revolving credit, term loan & foreign bill of exchange	(1,051)	(37,144)
Payment of dividends to shareholders	0	(23,276)
Payment of dividends to non-controlling interests	0	(100)
	(779)	(60,247)
Increase/(decrease) in cash and cash equivalents	15,410	(47,026)
Cash and cash equivalents at the beginning of the year	16,981	99,462
Cash and cash equivalents at the end of the period	32,391	52,436
Cash and cash equivalents comprise the following:		
Cash and bank balances	32,635	54,980
less: Fixed deposits with maturity of more than 3 months	(244)	(2,544)
	32,391	52,436

1. ACCOUNTING POLICIES

The interim financial statements are prepared as required by Paragraph 9.22 of the Bursa Malaysia Securities Berhad (“Bursa Securities”) Listing Requirements and comply with Malaysian Financial Reporting Standard MFRS 134 *Interim Financial Reporting* issued by the Malaysian Accounting Standards Board (MASB).

(a) Changes to Accounting Policies

The accounting policies and methods of computation used in the preparation of the interim financial statements are consistent with those used in the preparation of the audited financial statements for the year ended 31 December 2018.

(b) Malaysian Financial Reporting Standards (“MFRS”) and MFRS Framework

The interim financial statements of the Group for the financial period ended 30 June 2019 was prepared in accordance with the Malaysian Financial Reporting Standards (“MFRS”) Framework.

At the date of authorisation of these interim financial statements, the following MFRS, IC Interpretations and Amendments to IC Interpretations were issued but not yet effective and have not been applied by the Group:

MFRS, IC Interpretation and Amendments to IC Interpretations	Effective for annual periods beginning on or after
MFRS 3 : Definition of a Business (Amendments to MFRS 3)	1 January 2020
MFRS 101 : Definition of Material (Amendments to MFRS 101)	1 January 2020
MFRS 108 : Definition of Material (Amendments to MFRS 108)	1 January 2020
MFRS 17 : Insurance Contracts	1 January 2021
Amendments to FRS 10 and FRS 128 Sale and Contribution of Assets between an Investor and its Associates or Joint Venture	Deferred

2. SEASONAL OR CYCLICAL FACTORS

The Group's production from its plantations generally experiences an "up-down" cycle once a year, with low production usually in the early part of the year, and peak production in the final quarter of the year.

The prices for the Group's products are not within the control of the Group and it is mainly determined by the global supply and demand situation for edible oils, and somewhat related to the price of crude oil.

3. SIGNIFICANT ITEMS/EVENTS

There were no items or events which arose, which affected assets, liabilities, equity, net income or cash flows, which are unusual by reason of their nature, size or incidence.

4. MATERIAL CHANGES IN ACCOUNTING ESTIMATES

During the period under review, there were no:

- (i) material changes in estimates of amounts reported in the previous interim periods of the current financial year; and
- (ii) material changes in estimates of amounts reported in prior financial years.

5. DEBT AND EQUITY SECURITIES

There were no cancellations, repurchases, resale and repayments of debt and equity securities during the period under review.

6. PAYMENT OF DIVIDENDS

The Company did not pay any dividends during the period under review.

7. SEGMENT REVENUE AND RESULTS FOR THE 6 MONTHS ENDED 30 JUNE 2019

	Plantation & Mill	Refinery	Elimination	TOTAL
	RM'000	RM'000	RM'000	RM'000
<u>REVENUES AND RESULTS:-</u>				
Segment Revenue – external	73,870	117,008	0	190,878
Inter-segment revenue	49,424	0	(49,424)	0
	<u>123,294</u>	<u>117,008</u>	<u>(49,424)</u>	<u>190,878</u>
Segment results	<u>(10,133)</u>	<u>(790)</u>	<u>(679)</u>	<u>(11,602)</u>
Unallocated Items:-				
Other income				74
Corporate expenses				(965)
Finance costs				0
Profit/(loss) before taxation from continuing operations				(12,493)
Taxation				2,365
Profit/(loss) after taxation from continuing operations				<u>(10,128)</u>
<u>ASSETS:-</u>				
Segment assets	<u>578,536</u>	<u>205,134</u>		783,670
Unallocated assets				20,280
Assets classified as held for sale				0
Total assets				<u>803,950</u>

8. VALUATIONS OF PROPERTY, PLANT AND EQUIPMENT

The valuations of leasehold land, plantations and buildings have been brought forward, without amendment from the previous audited financial statements (for the year ended 31 December 2018).

9. COMMITMENTS

(a) Capital commitments

As at 30 June 2019, there were no material capital commitments for capital expenditure, contracted for or known to be contracted for by the Group which might have a material impact on the financial position or business of the Group, except as disclosed below:

	As at 30.06.2019
	RM'000
Approved and contracted for	13,479
Approved but not contracted for	<u>44,655</u>
	<u>58,134</u>

(b) Operating lease commitments

As at 30 June 2019, there were no material operating lease commitments, except those disclosed below:

	As at 30.06.2019
	RM'000
Not later than 1 year	571
Later than 1 year but not later than 5 years	2,285
Later than 5 years	<u>4,855</u>
	<u>7,711</u>

(c) Finance lease commitments

As at 30 June 2019, there were no material finance lease commitments, except those disclosed below:

	As at 30.06.2019
	RM'000
Not later than 1 year	653
Later than 1 year but not later than 5 years	546
	1,199

10. SUBSEQUENT EVENTS

As at the date of this report, there were no other material events which arose subsequent to the end of the period under review.

11. EFFECT OF CHANGES IN THE COMPOSITION OF THE GROUP

During the period under review there were no:

- (a) acquisitions or disposals of subsidiaries; and
- (b) discontinued operations.

12. CHANGES IN CONTINGENT LIABILITIES OR CONTINGENT ASSETS SINCE THE LAST FINANCIAL YEAR

There were no changes in contingent liabilities or contingent assets since 31 December 2018.

**G. EXPLANATORY NOTES PURSUANT TO APPENDIX 9B OF THE LISTING REQUIREMENTS OF BURSA
MALAYSIA SECURITIES BERHAD**

13. REVIEW OF PERFORMANCE

For the 6 months of 2019, the Group achieved a total revenue of RM 190.9 million (2018: RM308.3 million) and incurred a pre-tax loss of RM 12.5 million (2018: pre-tax loss of RM 0.1 million).

Commentary on the performance of the operating segments of the Group for Q2 2019 is as follows:

(a) Plantations and Mills

As shown in Note 7, the Group's plantation and mill operations achieved revenue (including inter-segment revenue) of RM 123.3 million (Q1-Q2 2018: RM 143.5 million), and pre-tax loss of RM 10.1 million (Q1-Q2 2018: pre-tax gain of RM 16.9 million). These should be seen in the context of information presented in the tables below:

Table A: Crude palm oil (CPO and palm kernel (PK) prices – Sabah MPOB* average

	CPO		PK	
	2019	2018	2019	2018
January	2,007.50	2,475.50	1,405.00	2,303.00
February	2,085.00	2,500.00	1,259.00	2,079.00
March	1,928.50	2,406.50	1,103.50	1,831.50
April	2,004.50	2,401.50	1,133.00	1,785.00
May	1,936.00	2,368.00	1,056.00	1,726.50
June	1,962.50	2,290.00	1,073.00	1,553.00

Table B: Output indicators, and comparison with industrial average

	2nd Quarter			Year to Date		
	2019	2018	% change	2019	2018	% change
FFB Production (mt)	77,191	73,662	4.8%	159,287	156,711	1.6%
FFB Yield (mt/hectare):						
The Group's estates	4.41	4.12	6.9%	9.10	8.77	3.7%
MPOB* Sabah average	4.17	4.04	3.2%	8.97	8.65	3.7%
CPO Closing Stock at Palm Oil Mills (mt)	6,656	4,346	53.2%	6,656	4,346	53.2%
Oil Extraction Rate:						
The Group's palm oil mills	20.66%	20.46%	1.0%	20.29%	20.23%	0.3%
MPOB* Sabah average	20.83%	20.82%	0.0%	20.63%	20.54%	0.5%

* - MPOB: Malaysian Palm Oil Board

The Group results for 2019 are less favourable when compared to 2018. This is due to lower commodity prices throughout the 6 months' period. This was reflected in the Group result of pre-tax losses in 1st half 2019.

(b) Refinery

Also as shown in Note 7, the Group's refinery operations achieved revenue of RM 117.0 million (2018: RM 277.6 million) and generated a pre-tax loss of RM 0.79 million (2018: pre-tax loss of RM 17.1 million). Refinery's smaller pre-tax loss was generated mainly due to 2018 closing stock (which was produced at a lower commodity price) sold in Q1 2019 at a higher profit margin.

14. COMPARISON WITH THE PREVIOUS QUARTER'S RESULTS

The following is a summary based on the two respective quarters' condensed consolidated income statements:

	Current Quarter	Previous Quarter	Changes
	RM'000	RM'000	%
<u>CONTINUING OPERATIONS:-</u>			
Revenue	86,387	104,491	-17%
Cost of sales and services, including distribution	(94,836)	(102,127)	
	(8,449)	2,364	
Other income	340	2,203	
Administrative and other expenses	(3,356)	(3,867)	
Profit/(loss) before interest and taxation	(11,465)	700	-1,738%
Interest income	201	40	
Interest costs	(1,142)	(827)	
Profit/(loss) before taxation	(12,406)	(87)	-14,160%
Taxation	1,719	646	
Profit/(loss) after taxation	(10,687)	559	-2,012%
Profit/(loss) after taxation attributable to:			
Shareholders of the Company	(10,654)	537	-2,084%
Non-Controlling Interests	(33)	22	
	(10,687)	559	-2,012%

The increase in Q2 2019 pre-tax loss as compared to previous quarter pre-tax loss was mainly due to decrease in commodity prices throughout Q2 2019 which translated to lower revenue generated.

15. CURRENT YEAR PROSPECTS

The Group's performance is closely tied with the movements in the prices of CPO and refined palm products. Since the start of FY 2019, the CPO prices have been gradually decreasing. The lower CPO prices in 1st half of 2019 was partly reflected by lower revenue generated.

Nevertheless, the palm oil market has received support by both the Indonesian and Malaysian Government policy in increasing the Biodiesel mandate in 2019. The gradual reduction in the stock of palm oil products (from 3.06 million mt in Feb 2019 to 2.39 million mt in Jul 2019) has provided an indication of higher demand for palm oil products. With the increase in demand for palm oil products, it will subsequently provide further support for a rebound in the CPO prices.

With the improvement in terms of demand for palm oil products, the Group believes the CPO prices are due for a rebound and any improvement in commodity prices will reverse the current losses generated in 1st half of 2019 and subsequently provide a better outlook for the Group's results for FY 2019.

16. ACHIEVEMENT OF REVENUE/PROFIT ESTIMATES, FORECASTS AND/OR INTERNAL TARGETS

Not applicable as the Company did not provide any revenue or profit estimate, forecast or projection, and did not publish any internal targets, in any public document.

17. EXPLANATION OF VARIANCES FROM PROFIT FORECAST OR PROFIT GUARANTEE

Not applicable as the Company did not provide any profit forecast or guarantee, in any public document.

18. TAXATION

	Quarter ended <u>30.06.2019</u> RM'000	6 months ended <u>30.06.2019</u> RM'000
Provision in respect of results for the current quarter/period	90	130
Overprovision for taxation in respect of previous years	0	0
Deferred taxation	(1,809)	(2,495)
	<u>(1,719)</u>	<u>(2,365)</u>

The Group's effective rate of taxation is higher than the 24% statutory rate mainly due to losses incurred in its refinery operations, for which no deferred tax assets have been recognized.

19. STATUS OF CORPORATE PROPOSALS ANNOUNCED BUT NOT YET COMPLETED

(a) Bulking Joint Venture Agreement ("BJVA")

On 7 July 2014, Usaha Dimega Sdn Bhd ("UDSB"), a wholly-owned subsidiary of the Group, entered into a conditional Bulking Joint Venture Agreement ("BJVA") with Rikaworth Sdn Bhd ("RSB") and Sawit Bulkers Sdn Bhd ("SBSB") to venture into the business of palm oil common bulking installations for palm oil and related products together with a system of pipe racks to facilitate the transfer of liquid products between the bulking facilities and users of such facilities and the conveyance of the same to and from the jetty facilities of the Sabah Ports Authority in Sandakan, subject to the terms and conditions of the BJVA.

The BJVA is subject to the fulfilment (unless waived by mutual written consent of UDSB and RSB) of certain Conditions Precedent, after which UDSB and RSB are to subscribe for shares at par in the JV Company in cash on a date to be decided by the Board of Directors of the JV Company within 10 days after the Conditions Precedent are fulfilled or waived. Following the subscription of shares, the equity interest held by the respective parties shall be as follows:

	<u>No. of Shares</u>	<u>Percentage</u>
UDSB	12,750,000	60%
RSB	8,500,000 (including the existing 100,000 issued shares)	40%

The status of the Conditions Precedent are as follows:

Conditions Precedent		Status
1	The approvals of RSB and UDSB for the rolling business plan for the JV Company relating to the then current financial year and three succeeding financial years	Obtained
2	RSB and UDSB obtaining the approvals of their respective shareholders to the terms and conditions of the BJVA	Obtained
3	Obtaining the licence/consent from the Malaysian Palm Oil Board to commence construction of the bulking installation	Obtained
4	Increasing the authorised capital of the JV Company to RM50,000,000 consisting of 50,000,000 shares of RM1.00 each	Done
5	RSB and UDSB agreeing to the form and substance of the Land Sale and Purchase Agreement relating to the purchase of the Land and price relating thereto	Not yet agreed
6	RSB and UDSB agreeing to the terms and conditions of the Bulking Facilities User Agreement relating to the use of the JV Company's bulking facilities by Green Edible Oil Sdn Bhd ("GEOSB") (a wholly-owned subsidiary of the Group) operating a refinery in the vicinity of the Sawit POIC Area to produce refined palm oil products	Done
7	The JV Company (as sublessee) and Sandakan Bulkers (as sublessor) agreeing to the terms and conditions of the Pipe Rack Land Sublease relating to the sublease of a strip of land on which the JV Company's pipe racks would be erected	Not yet agreed
8	Issuance of the letter of offer in respect of the alienation of the Land by the Lands and Surveys Department	Issued

9	The JV Company obtaining such other authorizations, consents and permits as shall be necessary for commencing its business according to written laws	In progress
10	Sandakan Bulkers (as landowner and licensor) and the Offtaker (as licensee) agreeing to the form of the Land Licence Agreement for Sandakan Bulkers to grant a licence for the Offtaker to use a stretch of land for the purpose of building a pipe rack to carry pipes for liquid goods and water pipe	Not yet agreed
11	RSB issuing a letter to the JV Company promising to insert into all future sale and purchase agreements in respect of the sale of various lots within the Sawit POIC Area, words to restrict the use of the said lots for conducting bulking business	Done
12	The execution and delivery of KHB's Guarantee issued in favour of RSB to guarantee the performance, liabilities and obligations of UDSB under the BJVA	Done
13	RSB and UDSB agreeing to the rate of charges payable to the JV Company for each metric ton of goods loaded onto any barge or vessel at the mini jetty located adjacent to GEOSB's land	In progress

On 5 May 2016, UDSB received from RSB a draft Deed of Variation proposing the following major changes to the BJVA:

- the respective proportions in which UDSB and RSB will hold the issued ordinary share capital of the JV Company from time to time shall be as follows:

<u>Party</u>	<u>Percentage</u>
UDSB	40%
RSB	60%

- the BJVA shall be inserted with a new Condition Precedent as follows:

"The relevant authority shall have issued separate land titles in respect of the lands which are the subject matter of the Pipe Rack Land Sublease."

The draft Deed of Variation is under consideration by the Board of Directors and an announcement will be made once a decision has been made.

20. GROUP BORROWINGS

	<u>As at</u> <u>30.06.2019</u> RM'000	<u>As at</u> <u>31.12.2018</u> RM'000
Short term secured:		
Hire purchases	653	467
Bankers' acceptances	60,356	55,997
Revolving credit	15,000	15,000
Term loans	5,957	10,981
Foreign Bill of Exchange	0	0
	81,966	82,445
Long term secured:		
Hire purchases	474	386
Term loans	2,344	2,812
	2,818	3,198
TOTAL BORROWINGS	84,784	85,643

The above borrowings are denominated in Malaysian Ringgit except where otherwise indicated.

21. ADDITIONAL DISCLOSURES

(a) Financial Derivatives

Outstanding financial derivatives held by the Group as at 30 June 2019 are as follows:

	<u>Currency</u>	<u>Contract/ Notional</u>	<u>Fair Value</u>	
		<u>Amount</u> <u>'000</u>	<u>Assets</u> <u>RM'000</u>	<u>Liabilities</u> <u>RM'000</u>
US Dollar forward contracts - less than 1 year	USD	0	0	0
Palm oil futures contracts - less than 1 year	RM	18,504	0	608
Olein price swap contracts - less than 1 year	USD	1,008	17	0

(b) Gains/(Losses) Arising from Fair Value Changes of Financial Liabilities

For the period ended 30 June 2019, there were no gains or losses arising from changes to fair values of the Group's financial liabilities.

22. CHANGES IN STATUS OF MATERIAL LITIGATION UP TO 22 MAY 2019

Not applicable as the Group is not involved in any material litigation.

23. DIVIDENDS DECLARED

No dividend has been declared or recommended in respect of the period under review.

24. EARNINGS/(LOSS) PER SHARE ("EPS")

Basic and diluted EPS for the period under review is calculated based on the following:

	<u>Quarter ended 30.06.2019</u>	<u>6 months ended 30.06.2019</u>
Weighted average number of shares in issue	2,327,627,135	2,327,627,135
Number of shares used in calculating diluted EPS	2,327,627,135	2,327,627,135
	<u>RM'000</u>	<u>RM'000</u>
Profit/(loss) after taxation from continuing operations	(10,687)	(10,128)
less: (profit)/loss after taxation from continuing operations attributable to non-controlling interests	33	11
Profit/(loss) after taxation from continuing operations attributable to shareholders of the Company	<u>(10,654)</u>	<u>(10,117)</u>
EPS:	<u>Sen</u>	<u>Sen</u>
- Basic	(0.46)	(0.43)
- Diluted	<u>(0.46)</u>	<u>(0.43)</u>

Basic EPS is calculated by dividing "Profit/(loss) after taxation attributable to shareholders of the Company" by the "Weighted average number of shares in issue".

Diluted EPS is calculated by dividing “Adjusted profit/(loss) after taxation” by the “Number of shares used in calculating diluted EPS”.

25. AUDITOR’S REPORT ON THE PREVIOUS YEAR’S FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

The auditors’ report on the Group’s consolidated financial statements for the year ended 31 December 2018 was not qualified.

26. AUTHORISED FOR ISSUE

The condensed consolidated interim financial statements were authorised for issue by the Board of Directors in accordance with a resolution of the Board on 29 August 2019.

By Order of the Board,

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Chief Executive Officer
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