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The Board of Directors of Petron Malaysia Refining & Marketing Bhd hereby announces the financial results of the Company for the quarter ended 30 June 2018 and for the six months ended 30 June 2018.

This interim report is prepared in accordance with the requirements of Malaysian Financial Reporting Standard (MFRS) 134 *Interim Financial Reporting* and paragraph 9.22 of the Main Market Listing Requirements of Bursa Malaysia Securities Berhad (BMSB).



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## CONDENSED STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION (Amounts in Thousand Ringgit Malaysia)

ASSETS	Note	As at 30 Jun 2018 <u>Unaudited</u>	As at 31 Dec 2017 <u>Audited</u>
Cash and cash equivalents		124,628	119,614
Derivative financial assets		13,278	3,100
Trade and other receivables		611,875	480,192
Inventories		736,296	678,138
Other current assets		384,983	315,933
Total Current Assets		1,871,060	1,596,977
-		2,0,2,000	2,330,377
Property, plant and equipment		990,721	960,186
Long-term assets		164,432	165,980
Intangible assets - software		46	71
Total Non-current Assets		1,155,199	1,126,237
TOTAL ASSETS		3,026,259	2,723,214
LIABILITIES			
Loans and borrowings	17	240,000	-
Trade and other payables		1,005,573	1,023,327
Derivative financial liabilities		7,110	33,563
Retirement benefit obligations		7,460	7,460
Tax payable		51,491	47,149
Total Current Liabilities		1,311,634	1,111,499
Retirement benefit obligations		38,947	40,256
Deferred tax liabilities		67,267	59,482
Total Non-current Liabilities		106,214	99,738
TOTAL LIABILITIES		1,417,848	1,211,237

The condensed statement of financial position should be read in conjunction with the accompanying explanatory notes attached to these interim financial statements.



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## CONDENSED STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION (Amounts in Thousand Ringgit Malaysia)

#### (Continued)

		As at	As at
		30 Jun 2018	31 Dec 2017
	Note	<u>Unaudited</u>	<u>Audited</u>
EQUITY			
Share capital		143,000	143,000
Retained earnings	18	1,465,411	1,368,977
TOTAL EQUITY		1,608,411	1,511,977
TOTAL EQUITY AND LIABILITIES		3,026,259	2,723,214

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## CONDENSED STATEMENT OF COMPREHENSIVE INCOME (Amounts in Thousand Ringgit Malaysia, Except Per Share Data) Unaudited

		April	to June	Janua	ry to June
9	Note	2018	2017	2018	2017
Revenue		3,126,523	2,415,510	5,853,398	4,972,114
Cost of sales		(2,968,540)	(2,291,531)	(5,580,670)	(4,665,001)
Gross profit		157,983	123,979	272,728	307,113
Other operating income		16,411	16,546	37,731	32,255
Other operating expenses		(59,683)	(58,585)	(117,405)	(120,535)
Administrative expenses		(5,113)	(4,419)	(8,624)	(4,419)
Results from operating activities		109,598	77,521	184,430	214,414
Other income		31,458	56,973	49,089	81,161
Other expenses		(14,559)	(15,333)	(9,854)	(21,615)
Finance income		480	1,196	817	1,487
Finance costs		(1,097)	(2,786)	(2,447)	(9,399)
Profit before tax	19	125,880	117,571	222,035	266,048
Tax expense	20	(33,457)	(26,572)	(57,488)	(66,512)
Profit for the period		92,423	90,999	164,547	199,536
Total comprehensive income for					
the period		92,423	90,999	164,547	199,536
Profit attributable to equity holders					
of the Company		92,423	90,999	164,547	199,536
Total comprehensive income attributable to equity holders of					
the Company		92,423	90,999	164,547	199,536
Basic earnings per ordinary share					
(sen)	24	34.2	33.7	60.9	73.9

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## CONDENSED STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN EQUITY (Amounts in Thousand Ringgit Malaysia) Unaudited

	Non-distributable		Distributable	
	Share capital	Capital redemption reserves	Retained earnings	Total equity
At 1 January 2017	135,000	8,000	1,020,897	1,163,897
Total comprehensive income for				
the period	-	-	199,536	199,536
Dividends paid		_	(59,400)	(59,400)
At 30 June 2017	135,000	8,000	1,161,033	1,304,033
At 31 December 2017, as previously reported	143,000	-	1,368,977	1,511,977
Opening balance adjustments from adoption of MFRS 9	-	-	(613)	(613)
At 1 January 2018, restated Total comprehensive income for	143,000	-	1,368,364	1,511,364
the period	-	-	164,547	164,547
Dividends paid	_	-	(67,500)	(67,500)
At 30 June 2018	143,000	-	1,465,411	1,608,411

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## CONDENSED STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS (Amounts in Thousand Ringgit Malaysia) Unaudited

	January to June	
	2018	2017
CASH FLOWS FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES		
Profit before tax	222,035	266,048
Adjustments for:	,	
Amortisation of intangible assets	25	1,099
Amortisation of long-term assets	14,386	13,974
Depreciation of property, plant and equipment	30,862	33,581
Finance costs	2,447	9,399
Finance income	(817)	(1,487)
Gain on disposal of long-term assets	· ·	(169)
Gain on disposal of property, plant and equipment	(2,174)	(39,902)
Impairment loss on trade receivables	45	(,,
Retirement benefit costs	2,610	2,643
Reversal of impairment loss on trade receivables	(84)	(13)
Unrealised foreign exchange loss	2,883	376
Unrealised (gain)/loss on derivatives	(6,168)	2,900
Write-off of property, plant and equipment	223	2
Operating profit before changes in working capital	266,273	288,451
Change in inventories	(58,158)	168,974
Change in long-term assets	(253)	(664)
Change in trade and other payables and other	(===)	(55.)
financial liabilities	(56,809)	(285,874)
Change in trade and other receivables and other	(,,	(===)=: .,
financial assets	(197,629)	145,235
Cash from/(used in) operations	(46,576)	316,122
Interest paid	(898)	(6,289)
Interest received	793	1,487
Tax paid	(45,167)	(35,390)
Retirement benefits paid	(3,919)	(2,752)
Net cash from/(used in) operating activities	(95,767)	273,178

The condensed statement of cash flows should be read in conjunction with the accompanying explanatory notes attached to these interim financial statements.



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# CONDENSED STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS (Amounts in Thousand Ringgit Malaysia) Unaudited (Continued)

	Januai	ry to June
	2018	2017
CASH FLOWS FROM INVESTING ACTIVITIES		
Acquisition of property, plant and equipment	(57,375)	(36,716)
Payment for long-term assets	(17,405)	(6,248)
Proceeds from disposals of property, plant and equipment	2,750	52,734
Proceeds from disposals of long-term assets	-	3,087
Net cash from/(used in) investing activities	(72,030)	12,857
CASH FLOWS FROM FINANCING ACTIVITIES Proceeds from borrowings Repayment of borrowings	240,000 -	- (241,916)
Dividends paid	(67,500)	(59,400)
Net cash from/(used in) financing activities	172,500	(301,316)
NET INCREASE/(DECREASE) IN CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS	4,703	(15,281)
EFFECT OF EXCHANGE RATE FLUCTUATIONS ON CASH HELD	311	(17)
CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS AT BEGINNING OF PERIOD	119,614	171,640
CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS AT END OF PERIOD	124,628	156,342

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### Part A – Explanatory Notes Pursuant to MFRS 134 Interim Financial Reporting (Amounts in Thousand Ringgit Malaysia, Except Per Share Data)

#### 1. Basis of Preparation

The interim financial statements are unaudited and prepared in accordance with the requirements of MFRS 134 *Interim Financial Reporting* and paragraph 9.22 of the Main Market Listing Requirements of Bursa Malaysia Securities Berhad (BMSB). These interim financial statements also comply with IAS 134 *Interim Financial Reporting* issued by the International Accounting Standards Board.

This report should be read in conjunction with the Company's audited financial statements for the year ended 31 December 2017. The explanatory notes to the interim financial statements provide an explanation of events and transactions that are significant to the understanding of the changes in the financial position and the performance of the Company since the financial year ended 31 December 2017.

#### 2. Significant Accounting Policies

#### a) Changes in Accounting Policies

The audited financial statements of the Company for the year ended 31 December 2017 were prepared in accordance with MFRS. The accounting policies and methods of computation adopted in these interim financial statements are consistent with those adopted in the audited financial statements for the year ended 31 December 2017.

On 1 January 2018, the Company adopted the following accounting standards, amendments and interpretations of MFRSs effective for annual periods beginning on or after 1 January 2018:

- MFRS 9, Financial Instruments (2014)
- MFRS 15, Revenue from Contracts with Customers
- Clarifications to MFRS 15, Revenue from Contracts with Customers
- Amendments to MFRS 128, Investments in Associates and Joint Ventures (Annual Improvements to MFRS Standards 2014-2016 Cycle)
- IC Interpretation 22, Foreign Currency Transactions and Advance Consideration

#### 2. Significant Accounting Policies (continued)

### b) Standards, amendments and interpretations which are applicable to the Company but not yet effective

The new standards, amendments and interpretations applicable to the Company that will be effective but have not been adopted yet by the Company, are as follows:

Standards, amendments and interpretations effective 1 January 2019

- MFRS 16, Leases
- Amendments to MFRS 9, Financial Instruments Prepayment Features with Negative Compensation
- Amendments to MFRS 112, Income Taxes (Annual Improvements to MFRS Standards 2015-2017 Cycle)
- Amendments to MFRS 123, Borrowing Costs (Annual Improvements to MFRS Standards 2015-2017 Cycle)
- Amendments to MFRS 128, Investments in Associates and Joint Ventures Long-term Interests in Associates and Joint Ventures
- IC Interpretation 23, Uncertainty over Income Tax Treatments

The Company will apply the above standards, amendments and interpretations on their effective dates.

The initial application of the standards, amendments and interpretations are not expected to have any material financial impacts to the current period and prior period financial statements of the Company except as follows:

#### (i) MFRS 16, Leases

MFRS 16 replaces the guidance in MFRS 117, Leases, IC Interpretation 4, Determining Whether an Arrangement Contains a Lease, IC Interpretation 115, Operating Leases - Incentives and IC Interpretation 127, Evaluating the Substance of Transactions Involving the Legal Form of a Lease.

MFRS 16 introduces a single, on-balance sheet lease accounting model for lessees. A lessee recognises a right-of-use asset representing its right to use the underlying asset and a lease liability representing its obligations to make lease payments. There are recognition exemptions for short-term leases and leases of low-value items. Lessor accounting remains similar to the current standard which continues to be classified as finance or operating lease.

The Company is currently assessing the financial impact that may arise from the adoption of MFRS 16.

The remaining standards, amendments and interpretations that are issued but not yet effective are not applicable to the Company's operations.

#### 3. Comments about Seasonal or Cyclical Factors

The operations of the business are not seasonal or cyclical in nature.

#### 4. Unusual Items Due to Their Nature, Size or Incidence

There were no unusual items affecting assets, liabilities, equity, net income and cash flows of the Company during the current quarter.

#### 5. Changes in Estimates

There were no changes in estimates that have had any material effect in the current quarter.

#### 6. Debt and Equity Securities

There were no issuances, cancellations, repurchases, resale or repayments of debt and equity securities during the current quarter.

#### 7. Dividends Paid

The amount of dividends paid since 31 December 2017 is as follows:

In respect of the year ended 31 December 2017:

Final dividend per ordinary share, paid on 27 June 2018

- 25 sen per ordinary shares

67,500

#### 8. Segmental Information

The Company is organised to operate as one integrated business segment to manufacture and sell petroleum products. These integrated activities are known across the petroleum industry as the Downstream segment. As such, the assets and liabilities are disclosed within the financial statements as one segment.

Revenues are mainly derived from the sale of petroleum products to domestic customers including its affiliates and competitors. A breakdown of the revenues by geographical location is as follows:

	3 month	3 months ended		Period ended	
	30.06.2018	30.06.2017	30.06.2018	30.06.2017	
Domestic	2,748,851	2,232,822	5,266,966	4,541,013	
Foreign	377,672	182,688	586,432	431,101	
	3,126,523	2,415,510	5,853,398	4,972,114	

For the period ended 30 June 2018 approximately RM1,261,097 (2017: RM1,023,144) of the revenues are derived from one major customer who is a related party to the Company.

All non-current assets of the Company are located in Malaysia.

#### 9. Changes in Composition of the Company

There were no changes in the composition of the Company during the current quarter.

#### 10. Changes in Contingent Assets and Contingent Liabilities

There were no significant changes in contingent assets or contingent liabilities since the last annual statement of financial position as at 31 December 2017.

#### 11. Capital Commitments

Capital commitments not provided for in the interim financial statements as at 30 June 2018 are as follows:

	As at		
	30.06.2018	31.12.2017	
Property, plant & equipment	4		
Contracted but not provided for	288,363	64,793	

#### 12. Derivative Financial Instruments

The Company measures fair value using the following fair value hierarchy that reflects the significance of the input used in making the measurements:

#### Level 1 fair value

Level 1 fair value is derived from quoted price (unadjusted) in active markets for identical financial assets or liabilities that the entity can access at the measurement date.

#### Level 2 fair value

Level 2 fair value is estimated using inputs other than quoted prices included within Level 1 that are observable for the financial assets or liabilities, either directly or indirectly.

#### Level 3 fair value

Level 3 fair value is estimated using unobservable inputs for the financial assets and liabilities.

There has been no transfer between Level 1 and Level 2 fair values during the year.

As at 30 June 2018, the Company has the following outstanding derivative financial instruments:

	Fair value	Contract/	Fair value	
Type of derivatives	hierarchy	Notional value	Assets	Liabilities
Derivatives at fair value through profit or loss				
- Forward exchange contracts	Level 2	363,809	1,565	(40)
- Commodity swaps	Level 2	262,701	11,713	(7,070)
		626,510	13,278	(7,110)

#### 12. Derivative Financial Instruments (continued)

Most forward exchange and commodity derivative contracts have maturities of one year or less after the end of the reporting period.

Forward exchange and commodity derivative contracts are transacted with accredited banks and traded on over-the-counter (OTC) markets. The related accounting policies, cash requirements of the derivatives, risks associated with the derivatives and policies to mitigate those risks are unchanged since the last financial year.

Derivatives are financial instruments classified at fair value through profit or loss. Derivative instruments are initially recognised at fair value on the date in which a derivative transaction is entered into, and are subsequently re-measured at fair values. Gains and losses from changes in fair values of these derivatives are recognised directly in profit or loss.

#### 13. Fair Value Changes of Financial Liabilities

The gains and losses arising from fair value changes of financial liabilities measured at fair value through profit or loss are as follows:

Fair Value (G	iain)/Loss	
3 months ended	Period ended	Basis for fair value
30.06.2018	30.06.2018	measurement
1,131	2,378	Level 2 (OTC price)
11,023	24,075	Level 2 (OTC price)
12,154	26,453	
	3 months ended 30.06.2018 1,131 11,023	30.06.2018 30.06.2018 1,131 2,378 11,023 24,075

The fair value gains and losses on derivative financial liabilities are due to underlying risk variables.

Except for the derivative financial liabilities, all other financial liabilities are measured at the amortised cost using effective interest method. Hence, no gain or loss is recognised for changes in the fair values of these liabilities.

### Part B – Explanatory Notes Pursuant to Main Market Listing Requirement of Bursa Malaysia Securities Berhad

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#### 14. Review of Performance - Current financial period ended 30 June 2018

Revenue for the quarter rose by 29% to RM3.1 billion from RM2.4 billion last year largely due to higher oil prices and sustained growth in sales volume. Total sales volume for the period reached 9.1 million barrels, a 7% increase from 8.5 million barrels last year.

Dated Brent crude averaged US\$74 per barrel during the quarter compared to US\$50 per barrel in the same period in 2017. Oil prices also increased from the first quarter of 2018 by about 10% from the average of US\$67 per barrel.

Gross margin improved by 27% to RM158 million from RM124 million over the same period last year. Despite the improvement in gross margin, net income for the quarter settled at RM92 million, almost the same as the RM91 million posted in the same period last year. Last year, the Company recorded one-time gains on compulsory acquisitions of service stations by the government.

The Company's revenues for the first half of 2018 increased by 18% to RM5.9 billion from RM5.0 billion last year driven by higher prices and sales volume. Total sales volume grew by 6% from 16.8 million barrels in 2017 to 17.8 million barrels in 2018. Net income for the period ending 30 June 2018 amounted to RM165 million, compared to last year's RM200 million over the same period.

Profit before tax is higher at RM126 million compared to RM96 million in the preceding quarter.

#### 15. Commentary on Prospects

Oil prices lost momentum at the end of the second quarter following more stable global supply with slowing demand. However, with the persistent geopolitical situations affecting the oil market, uncertainties continue to cause volatilities in oil price. The Company will continue to mitigate exposures to price risks through our risk management system.

The Company is also optimistic with the prospect of Malaysian economic growth forecasted to remain above 5% this year. This will provide more opportunities to optimise current operations and continue to expand the business through additional retail outlets in targeted growth areas and deliver innovative products and services.

#### 16. Profit Forecast or Profit Guarantee

As a matter of policy, the Company does not make profit forecasts or profit guarantees.

#### 17. Loans and Borrowings

The Company's loans and borrowings are as follows:

	As at		
	30.06.2018	31.12.2017	
Current	-		
Revolving credit - unsecured	240,000	_	

#### 18. Reserves

	As	As at		
	30.06.2018	30.06.2017		
Non-distributable				
Capital redemption reserves	-	8,000		
Distributable				
Retained earnings	1,465,411	1,161,033		
	1,465,411	1,169,033		

In accordance to Section 618(2) of Companies Act 2016 effective 31 January 2017, any amount outstanding to the credit of the capital redemption reserves has become part of the share capital of the Company. The Company has twenty four months upon commencement of Companies Act 2016 on 31 January 2017 to utilise the credit.

#### 19. Profit before Tax

Profit before tax is arrived at after charging (crediting) the following items:

	3 months ended		Period ended	
	30.06.2018	30.06.2017	30.06.2018	30.06.2017
Amortisation of intangible assets	13	442	25	1,099
Finance costs	1,097	2,786	2,447	9,399
Finance income	(480)	(1,196)	(817)	(1,487)
Foreign exchange				
- Realised (gain)/loss	8,519	(11,996)	(6,988)	(18,346)
- Unrealised loss	4,278	1,951	2,883	376
(Gain)/Loss on derivatives	(5,320)	416	7,820	(6,360)
Long-term assets				
- Amortisation	7,115	6,967	14,386	13,974
- Gain on disposal	-	(169)	-	(169)
Property, plant and equipment				
- Depreciation	15,581	16,573	30,862	33,581
- Write-off	103	2	223	2
- Gain on disposal	-	(39,902)	(2,174)	(39,902)
Trade receivables				
- Impairment loss	45	-	45	-
- Reversal of impairment				
receivables	(45)	(13)	(84)	(13)

There are no exceptional items, write-off of crude and product inventories and gain or loss on disposal of quoted or unquoted investments.

#### 20. Tax Expense

	3 months ended		Period ended	
	30.06.2018	30.06.2017	30.06.2018	30.06.2017
Current tax expense				
- Current year	29,049	28,055	49,516	62,550
- Prior year	-	-	(7)	
Deferred tax expense				
- Origination and reversal of				
temporary differences	4,408	(1,483)	7,979	3,962
Total income tax expense	33,457	26,572	57,488	66,512

The effective tax rate is higher than the statutory tax rate primarily reflecting the varying relationship of the non-deductible expenses (which are relatively fixed over time) to changing levels of profit or loss from period to period.

#### 21. Corporate Proposals

There were no corporate proposals.

#### 22. Changes in Material Litigation

There were no significant changes in material litigation since 31 December 2017.

#### 23. Dividend Payable

The Company did not declare any dividends during the three months ended 30 June 2018.

#### 24. Earnings per Ordinary Share

	3 months ended		Period ended	
	30.06.2018	30.06.2017	30.06.2018	30.06.2017
Net profit attributable to equity holders of the				
Company	92,423	90,999	164,547	199,536
Number of ordinary share				
units in issue ('000)	270,000	270,000	270,000	270,000
Basic earnings per ordinary				
share (sen)	34.2	33.7	60.9	73.9

#### 25. Auditors' Report on Preceding Annual Financial Statements

The auditors' report on the Company's financial statements for the year ended 31 December 2017 was not qualified.