

MAGNUM BERHAD (24217-M)

(Incorporated in Malaysia)

INTERIM FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

FOR THE FIRST QUARTER ENDED 31 MARCH 2018 (The figures have not been audited)

CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF COMPREHENSIVE INCOME

	3 months ended	
	31.03.2018	31.03.2017
	RM'000	RM'000
Revenue	712,352	697,084
Cost of sales	(593,940)	(621,896)
Gross profit	118,412	75,188
Other income	3,578	5,367
Administrative expenses	(9,589)	(8,494)
Other expenses	(20,970)	(13,236)
Operating profit	91,431	58,825
Finance costs	(11,496)	(12,808)
Profit before tax	79,935	46,017
Income tax expense	(24,200)	(14,644)
Profit for the financial period	55,735	31,373
Other comprehensive income		
Foreign currency translation	10	4
Change in fair value of financial assets at fair-value-through-other	17	-
comprehensive income		
	27	4
Total comprehensive income for the financial period	55,762	31,377
Profit for the financial period attributable to:		
Owners of the Company	54,937	30,570
Non-controlling interests	798	803
g	55,735	31,373
Total comprehensive income for the financial period attributable to:		
Owners of the Company	54,964	30,574
Non-controlling interests	798	803
Non-controlling interests	55,762	31,377
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Earnings per share attributable to owners		
of the Company (sen per share) : Basic	3.86	2.15

These condensed consolidated statements of comprehensive income should be read in conjunction with the audited financial statements for the financial year ended 31 December 2017 and the accompanying explanatory notes attached to these interim financial statements.

CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF FINANCIAL POSITION AS AT 31 MARCH 2018

	(UNAUDITED) AS AT 31.03.2018 RM'000	(AUDITED) AS AT 31.12.2017 RM'000
Assets		
Non-current assets		
Property, plant and equipment	62,784	63,993
Investment properties	551	553
Investment securities	256,079	256,062
Intangible assets	2,738,356	2,738,362
Deferred tax assets	7,637	7,637
	3,065,407	3,066,607
Current assets		
Inventories	986	1,104
Investment securities	37,980	45,877
Receivables	30,863	32,006
Tax recoverable	52,030	52,196
Deposits, cash and bank balances	465,745	334,610
•	587,604	465,793
Total Assets	3,653,011	3,532,400
Equity and liabilities		
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Equity attributable to owners of the Company	2 454 257	0.454.057
Share capital Treasury Shares	2,154,357	2,154,357
Reserves	(30,205) 353,842	(30,205) 355,796
Shareholders' equity	2,477,994	2,479,948
Non-controlling interests	41,187	40,416
Total equity	2,519,181	2,520,364
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Non-current liabilities		
Borrowings	722,019	597,363
Deferred tax liabilities	1,510 723,529	1,510
	123,529	598,873
Current liabilities		
Borrowings	224,770	224,628
Payables	180,350	182,841
Tax payable	5,181	5,694
	410,301	413,163
Total liabilities	1,133,830	1,012,036
Total equity and liabilities	3,653,011	3,532,400
Net assets per share attributable to owners		
of the Company (RM)	1.74	1.74

These condensed consolidated statements of financial position should be read in conjunction with the audited financial statements for the financial year ended 31 December 2017 and the accompanying explanatory notes attached to these interim financial statements.

CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF CHANGES IN EQUITY FOR THE PERIOD ENDED 31 MARCH 2018

	No			he Company			
	SHARE CAPITAL RM'000	SHARE PREMIUM RM'000	OTHER RESERVES RM'000	TREASURY SHARES RM'000	RETAINED PROFITS RM'000	NON- CONTROLLING INTERESTS RM'000	TOTAL EQUITY RM'000
At 1 January 2017	1,437,749	716,608	(673,465)	(30,188)	965,367	40,093	2,456,164
Total comprehensive income for the financial period	-	-	4	-	30,570	803	31,377
Dividends paid	-	-	-	-	(42,689)	-	(42,689)
At 31 March 2017	1,437,749	716,608	(673,461)	(30,188)	953,248	40,896	2,444,852
At 1 January 2018	2,154,357	-	(673,745)	(30,205)	1,029,541	40,416	2,520,364
Total comprehensive income for the financial period	-	-	27	-	54,937	798	55,762
Dividends paid	-	-	-	-	(56,918)	-	(56,918)
Acquisition of additional shares in a subsidiary from non-controlling interests	-	-	-	-		(27)	(27)
At 31 March 2018	2,154,357	-	(673,718)	(30,205)	1,027,560	41,187	2,519,181

These condensed consolidated statements of changes in equity should be read in conjunction with the audited financial statements for the financial year ended 31 December 2017 and the accompanying explanatory notes attached to these interim financial statements.

CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF CASH FLOWS FOR THE PERIOD ENDED 31 MARCH 2018

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		438,539	360,807

These condensed consolidated statements of cash flows should be read in conjunction with the audited financial statements for the financial year ended 31 December 2017 and the accompanying explanatory notes attached to these interim financial statements.

A EXPLANATORY NOTES PURSUANT TO MFRS 134

A1 Basis of Preparation

The interim financial statements are unaudited and have been prepared in compliance with the requirements of Malaysian Financial Reporting Standard ("MFRS") 134: Interim Financial Reporting issued by the Malaysian Accounting Standards Board ("MASB") and Chapter 9 paragraph 9.22 of the Main Market Listing Requirements of Bursa Malaysia Securities Berhad.

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

A2 Significant Accounting Policies

The significant accounting policies and methods of computation applied in the unaudited interim financial statements are consistent with those adopted in the most recent annual financial statement for the year ended 31 December 2017, except for the adoption of the following MFRSs, amendments to MFRSs and IC Interpretation during the current financial period:

Effective for financial periods beginning on or after 1 January 2018

Amendments to MFRS 1 (Annual Improvements to MFRSs 2014-2016 Cycle) Amendments to MFRS 2

MFRS 9 MFRS 15 Amendments to MFRS 140 IC Interpretation 22 First-time Adoption of MFRS

Classification and Measurement of Share-based Payment Transactions Financial Instruments Revenue from Contracts with Customers Transfers of Invesment Property Foreign Currency Transactions and Advance Consideration

The adoption of the above does not have a material impact on the financial statements of the Group in the period of initial application. The adoption of MFRS 9 is described below:

MFRS 9: Financial Instruments

The Group and the Company adopted MFRS 9 Financial Instruments on 1 January 2018. MFRS 9 introduces new requirements for classification and measurement, impairment and hedge accounting. Retrospective application is required, but comparative information is not compulsory.

(a) Classification and measurement

MFRS 9 contains three classification categories of 'measured at amortised cost', 'fair-value-through-other comprehensive income' ("FVOCI") and 'fair-value-through-profit or loss' ("FVTPL"). MFRS 9 eliminates the existing MFRS 139 categories of 'loans and receivables', 'held -to-maturity' and 'available-for-sale' ("AFS").

The Group and the Company do not expect a significant impact on its balance sheet or equity on applying the classification and measurement requirements of MFRS 9. All financial assets previously held at fair value will continue to be measured by FVTPL while quoted equity shares previously held as AFS is measured at FVOCI.

The equity shares in non-listed companies are intended to be held for the foreseeable future and is classified as FVOCI. Included in these FVOCI investments is an unquoted investment which is carried at cost at RM243 million (2017: RM243 million). The Group has assessed and concluded that due to the lack of quoted market price and as there is a wide range of possible fair value measurements, cost will represent the best estimate of fair value within that range.

Loans and receivables are held to collect contractual cash flows and are expected to give rise to cash flows representing solely payments of principal and interest. The Group analysed the contractual cash flow characteristics of those instruments and concluded that they meet the criteria for amortised cost measurement under MFRS 9.

(b) Impairment

MFRS 9 requires an expected credit loss model, as opposed to an incurred credit loss model under MFRS 139. The expected credit loss model requires an entity to account for expected credit losses and changes in those expected credit losses at each reporting date to reflect changes in credit risk since initial recognition. With regard to the impact of the expected loss model on trade receivables, the Directors do not anticipate that the application of expected credit loss model of MFRS 9 will have a material financial impact to the Group's financial statements.

A EXPLANATORY NOTES PURSUANT TO MERS 134

A2 Significant Accounting Policies (Cont'd.)

At the date of authorisation of this unaudited interim financial statements, the following MFRSs, amendments to MFRSs and IC Interpretation have been issued by the MASB but are not yet effective and have not been adopted by the Group:

Effective for financial periods beginning on or after 1 January 2019

MFRS 16 Leases

Amendments to MFRS 3 Business Combinations

(Annual Improvements to MFRSs 2015-2017 Cycle)

Amendments to MFRS 9 Prepayment Features with Negative Compensation

Amendments to MFRS 11 Joint Arrangements

(Annual Improvements to MFRSs 2015-2017 Cycle)

Amendments to MFRS 112 Income Taxes

Amendments to MFRS 112 Inc (Annual Improvements to MFRSs 2015-2017 Cycle)

Amendments to MFRS 119 Plan Amendment, Curtailment or Settlement

Amendments to MFRS 123 Borrowing Costs (Annual Improvements to MFRSs 2015-2017 Cycle)

Amendments to MFRS 128 Long-term Interests in Associates and Joint Ventures

IC Interpretation 23 Uncertainty over Income Tax Treatments

Effective for financial periods beginning on or after 1 January 2020

Amendments to MFRS 2 Share-based Payment
Amendments to MFRS 3 Business Combinations

Amendments to MFRS 6 Exploration for and Evaluation of Mineral Resources

Amendments to MFRS 14 Regulatory Deferral Accounts

Amendments to MFRS 101 Presentation of Financial Statements

Amendments to MFRS 108 Accounting Policies, Changes in Accounting Estimates

and Errors

Amendments to MFRS 134 Interim Financial Reporting

Amendments to MFRS 137 Provisions, Contigent Liabilities and Contigent Assets

Amendments to MFRS 138 Intangible Assets

Amendments to IC Interpretation 12 Service Concession Arrangements

Amendments to IC Interpretation 19 Extinguishing Financial Liabilities with Equity Instruments
Amendments to IC Interpretation 20 Stripping Costs in the Production Phase of a Surface Mine
Amendments to IC Interpretation 22 Foreign Currency Transactions and Advance Consideration

Amendments to IC Interpretation 132 Intangible Assets - Web Site Costs

Effective for financial periods beginning on or after 1 January 2021

MFRS 17 Insurance Contracts

MFRSs, Interpretations and amendments effective for a date yet to be confirmed

Amendments to MFRS 10 and MRFS 128 Sale or Contribution of Assets between an Investor and its Associate or Joint Venture

The directors expect that the adoption of the above standards and IC Interpretations will have no material impact on the financial statements of the Group upon their initial application.

A3 Seasonal or Cyclical Factors

The business operations of the Group are generally dependent on the state of the overall economic environment.

A4 Unusual Items Affecting Interim Financial Report

There were no unusual items as a result of their nature, size or incidence that had affected assets, liabilities, equity, net income or cash flows for the period ended 31 March 2018.

A5 Accounting Estimates

There were no changes in estimates of amounts reported in prior financial years that have a material effect in the current financial period.

A6 Changes in Debt and Equity Securities

There were no changes in debt and equity securities in the current financial period.

A EXPLANATORY NOTES PURSUANT TO MFRS 134

A7 Dividends Paid

During the financial period ended 31 March 2018, the Company has paid a third interim single tier dividend of 4.0 sen per share in respect of financial year ended 31 December 2017, amounting to RM56.918 million on 30 March 2018.

A8 Segmental Information

Segmental Revenue Gaming 712,319 697,053 Investment holdings & others 61,534 44,117 Fliminations (61,501) (44,086) Total 712,352 697,084 Segmental Results Gaming 83,738 44,898 Investment holdings & others 56,228 43,821 Eliminations (60,031) (42,702) Profit Before Tax 79,935 46,017		3 months ended 31.03.2018 31.03.20 RM'000 RM'000	
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Investment holdings & others 56,228 43,821 139,966 88,719 Eliminations (60,031) (42,702)	Segmental Results		
139,966 88,719 Eliminations (60,031) (42,702)	Gaming	83,738	44,898
Eliminations (60,031) (42,702)	Investment holdings & others	56,228	43,821
(**,***)		139,966	88,719
Profit Before Tax 79,935 46,017	Eliminations	(60,031)	(42,702)
	Profit Before Tax	79,935	46,017

A9 Material Subsequent Events

There were no material subsequent events since the end of the current financial period.

A10 Changes in Composition of the Group

There were no changes in the composition of the Group during the financial period ended 31 March 2018.

A11 Fair Value Hierarchy

The Group uses the following hierarchy for determining the fair value of all financial instruments carried at fair value:

- Level 1: Quoted (unadjusted) market prices in active markets for identical assets or liabilities.
- Level 2: Valuation techniques for which the lowest level input that is significant to the fair value measurement is directly or indirectly observable; or
- Level 3: Valuation techniques for which the lowest level input that is significant to the fair value measurement is unobservable.

As at the reporting date, the Group held the following financial assets that are measured at fair value:

		Level 1 RM'000	Level 2 RM'000	Level 3 RM'000	Total RM'000
31 March 2018					
Current	FVTPL	37,980	-	-	37,980
Non-current	FVOCI	13,074	-	-	13,074
	<u>-</u>	51,054	-	-	51,054
31 December 2017					
Current	FVTPL	41,003	-	-	41,003
Current	AFS investments	-	-	4,874	4,874
Non-current	AFS investments	13,057	-	-	13,057
	<u>-</u>	54,060	-	4,874	58,934

A12 Contingent Liabilities

Other than as diclosed in Note B9, there were no changes in contingent liabilities or contingent assets since the last audited reporting date as at 31 December 2017.

B NOTES REQUIRED UNDER THE LISTING REQUIREMENTS OF BURSA SECURITIES

B1 Review of Performance of the Group

Quarter ended 31 March 2018 versus the same quarter in 2017

	3 months ended			
	31.03.2018	31.03.2018 31.03.2017 Chan		ges
	RM'000	RM'000	RM'000	%
Revenue				
- Gaming	712,319	697,053	15,266	2.2%
- Investment holdings and others	33	31	2	6.5%
-	712,352	697,084	15,268	2.2%
Profit/(Loss) before tax				
- Gaming	83,738	44,898	38,840	86.5%
- Investment holdings and others	(3,803)	1,119	(4,922)	-439.9%
-	79,935	46,017	33,918	73.7%

The Group registered total revenue of RM712.4 million for the current quarter, which is RM15.3 million higher than previous year corresponding quarter of RM697.1 million. With higher revenue together with a favourable payout ratio, the profit before tax has increased by RM33.9 million to RM79.9 million when compared to RM46.0 million achieved in the previous year corresponding quarter. The higher Group revenue and pre-tax profit is mainly attributable to the Gaming division.

Gaming

The Group's gaming revenue is stated net of Goods & Services Tax ("GST"). Gaming sales for the current quarter at RM712.3 million is higher than the previous year corresponding quarter by 2.2% or RM15.3 million. The increase is mainly due to higher sales from its 4D Jackpot game arising from higher 4D jackpot prize.

In line with the higher sales and lower prizes payout ratio, the Gaming pre-tax profit increased substantially by RM38.8 million to RM83.7 million achieved in the current quarter from RM44.9 million recorded in the previous year corresponding quarter.

Investment Holdings and Others

Investment Holdings and Others division recorded an unfavourable variance in the current quarter mainly due to fair value loss on investments in the current quarter as compared to fair value gain on investments in the previous year corresponding quarter.

B2 Material change in Profit Before Tax for the current quarter compared with the immediate preceding quarter

Quarter ended 31 March 2018 versus 31 December 2017

	3 month	s ended		
	31.03.2018	31.12.2017	Chang	jes
	RM'000	RM'000	RM'000	%
Revenue				
- Gaming	712,319	674,703	37,616	5.6%
- Investment holdings and others	33	383	(350)	-91.4%
	712,352	675,086	37,266	5.5%
Profit before tax				
- Gaming	83,738	88,853	(5,115)	-5.8%
- Investment holdings and others	(3,803)	(2,536)	(1,267)	50.0%
	79,935	86,317	(6,382)	-7.4%

The pre-tax profit for the current quarter at RM79.9 million was lower as compared to RM86.3 million recorded in the immediate preceding quarter. The decrease of RM6.4 million was mainly due to lower gaming pre-tax profit. Despite a higher gaming sales by RM37.6 million in the current quarter as a result of the seasonal Chinese New Year festive sales, gaming pre-tax profit was lower by RM5.1 million as a result of higher prizes payout ratio.

B NOTES REQUIRED UNDER THE LISTING REQUIREMENTS OF BURSA SECURITIES

B3 Prospects

Sales continued to recover for the last 3 quarters from 3rd quarter of 2017 to the 1st quarter of 2018. With the reduction of GST rate to 0% effective 1 June 2018 and the proposed reintroduction of petrol subsidy to address the high cost of living, these measures will further enhance the disposable income of the players. In order to capture new market segments, the Company had successfully launched a new game called Magnum Life on 23 April 2018 to replace the less successful 4D Powerball game.

In view of the above and together with the rebranding and reimaging exercise which was launched on 8 January 2018, the Board is optimistic that the financial performance of the Company for financial year 2018 will be at least as good as that for financial year 2017.

B4 Statement of the Board of Directors' opinion on achievability of revenue or profit estimate, forecast, projection and internal targets previously announced

Not applicable.

B5 Profit Forecast and Profit Guarantee

There was no profit forecast or profit guarantee issued by the Company.

B6 Income Tax Expense

	3 months ended		
	31.03.2018 RM'000	31.03.2017 RM'000	
Current income tax	24,216	14,643	
Under-provision in prior years	-	1	
Over-provision of Real Property Gains Tax in prior year	(16)	-	
Total income tax expense	24,200	14,644	

The effective tax rate of the Group for the current and the previous corresponding quarter was higher than the statutory tax rate mainly due to non-deductibility of certain expenses.

B7 Corporate Proposals

There is no corporate proposal announced but not completed as at the date of this announcement.

B8 Borrowings

The Group's borrowings as at 31 March 2018 are as follows:

	Secured RM'000
Long term Medium term notes	722,019
Short term Medium term notes	224,770
Total	946,789

The borrowings are denominated in Ringgit Malaysia.

B9 Material Litigation

On 15 May 2017 and 22 May 2017, the Company and Magnum Holdings Sdn Bhd ("MHSB"), a wholly-owned subsidiary, were served with notices of assessment with penalty for certain prior years of assessment. The additional assessments amounted to RM22.714 million and RM454.382 million respectively, or a combined total of RM477.096 million.

The said notices of assessment were raised principally pursuant to the disallowance of deduction of certain interest expenses incurred for investments. Both Magnum and MHSB had appointed solicitors and had filed for leave application for judicial review and stay of proceedings.

The Kuala Lumpur High Court had on 9 August 2017 granted leave to both Magnum and MHSB to commence judicial review proceedings with the view of quashing the notices of assessments and a stay of proceedings against payment until the disposal of the judicial review.

The hearing dates for the above have been postponed to 9 July 2018.

B NOTES REQUIRED UNDER THE LISTING REQUIREMENTS OF BURSA SECURITIES

B10 Dividends

The Board of Directors is pleased to declare a first interim single tier dividend of 4 sen per share (2017: NIL) for the financial year ending 31 December 2018 to be paid on 29 June 2018 to shareholders registered on the Register of Depositors at the close of business on 18 June 2018.

B11 Basic Earnings Per Share

Basic earnings per share ("EPS") is calculated by dividing the profit for the financial period attributable to owners of the Company by the weighted average number of ordinary shares in issue during the period, excluding treasury shares held by the Company

	3 months ended	
	31.03.2018	31.03.2017
Profit for the financial period attributable to owners of the Company (RM'000)	54,937	30,570
Weighted average number of ordinary shares in issue ('000)	1,422,955	1,422,965
Basic EPS (sen)	3.86	2.15

B12 Auditor's Report on Preceding Annual Financial Statements

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

B13 Profit before tax

	3 months ended	
	31.03.2018 RM'000	31.03.2017 RM'000
The profit before taxation for the financial period is arrived at after charging/(crediting):		
Amortisation of intangible assets	6	6
Changes in fair value of investment securities	3,023	(1,699)
Depreciation of property, plant and equipment	1,693	1,518
Depreciation of investment properties	2	23
Gain on disposal of property, plant and equipment	(2)	(168)
Interest expense	11,496	12,808
Interest income	(3,558)	(3,488)
Property, plant and equipment written off	1,462	10
Realised loss on foreign exchange	169	-
Unrealised loss on foreign exchange	10	-
Write-back of provision for doubtful debts	(55)	(28)

B14 Derivatives

Not applicable.

B15 Fair value changes of financial liabilities

The carrying amounts of the Group's financial liabilities at amortised cost are reasonable approximations of fair values.

By Order Of The Board

Company Secretary 21 May 2018