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(Incorporated in Malaysia)

# Interim Financial Report for the Fourth Quarter Ended 30 June 2021

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# CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF PROFIT OR LOSS

|  |             | 3 MONTHS ENDED             |                            |              | YEAR-                      | AR-TO-DATE ENDED           |              |
|--|-------------|----------------------------|----------------------------|--------------|----------------------------|----------------------------|--------------|
|  | <u>Note</u> | <b>30.6.2021</b><br>RM'000 | <b>30.6.2020</b><br>RM'000 | Changes<br>% | <b>30.6.2021</b><br>RM'000 | <b>30.6.2020</b><br>RM'000 | Changes<br>% |
| Revenue  |             | 471,023                    | 465,146                    | 1            | 2,641,605                  | 2,318,470                  | 14           |
| Operating expenses   |             | (505,104)                  | (561,892)                  |              | (2,674,557)                | (2,606,592)                |              |
| Other operating income   |             | 2,548                      | 46,941                     |              | 14,557                     | 63,147                     |              |
| (Loss)/Profit from operations  |             | (31,533)                   | (49,805)                   | 37           | (18,395)                   | (224,975)                  | 92           |
| Gain on settlement of secured debts  | 9           | -                          | -                          |              | 191,943                    | -                          |              |
| Finance costs  |             | (3,383)                    | (10,228)                   |              | (25,082)                   | (27,942)                   |              |
| Share in results of associated companies and joint venture                         |             | 35,731                     | (57,187)                   |              | (8,567)                    | (115,138)                  |              |
| Investment income  |             | 1,533                      | 2,009                      |              | 5,433                      | 8,595                      |              |
| Exceptional item   | 23(I)       | <u>-</u>                   |                            |              | -                          | (17,564)                   |              |
| Profit/(Loss) before tax   | 23          | 2,348                      | (115,211)                  | >100         | 145,332                    | (377,024)                  | >100         |
| Tax credit/(expense)   | 16          | 3,672                      | (2,401)                    |              | (28,252)                   | (6,146)                    |              |
| Profit/(Loss) for the period/year  | :           | 6,020                      | (117,612)                  | >100         | 117,080                    | (383,170)                  | >100         |
| Profit/(Loss) attributable to: - Owners of the Company - Non-controlling interests |             | 6,391<br>(371)             | (123,212)<br>5,600         |              | 79,543<br>37,537           | (390,533)<br>7,363         |              |
| Profit/(Loss) for the period/year  |             | 6,020                      | (117,612)                  |              | 117,080                    | (383,170)                  |              |
| Earnings/(Loss) per share attributable to owners of the Company (sen):             | 21          |                            |                            |              |                            |                            |              |
| - Basic  | :           | 0.94                       | (18.10)                    | ,            | 11.68                      | (57.36)                    |              |
| - Diluted  |             | 0.94                       | (18.10)                    | ,            | 11.68                      | (57.36)                    |              |

(The Condensed Consolidated Statement of Comprehensive Income should be read in conjunction with the Audited Financial Statements for the year ended 30 June 2020 and the accompanying explanatory notes attached to the interim financial statements)

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# CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF COMPREHENSIVE INCOME

|  | 3 MONTHS ENDED             |                            | YEAR-TO-DA                 | ATE ENDED                  |
|--|----------------------------|----------------------------|----------------------------|----------------------------|
|  | <b>30.6.2021</b><br>RM'000 | <b>30.6.2020</b><br>RM'000 | <b>30.6.2021</b><br>RM'000 | <b>30.6.2020</b><br>RM'000 |
| Profit/(Loss) for the period/year                                  | 6,020                      | (117,612)                  | 117,080                    | (383,170)                  |
| Other comprehensive income/(loss)                                  |                            |                            |                            |                            |
| Items that may be reclassified subsequently to profit or loss      |                            |                            |                            |                            |
| Exchange differences on translation of foreign operations          | 5,635                      | (2,641)                    | 10,010                     | 3,519                      |
| Share of other comprehensive income/(loss) of associated companies | 13,110                     | (27,428)                   | 48,285                     | (34,255)                   |
| Other comprehensive income/(loss) for the period, net of tax       | 18,745                     | (30,069)                   | 58,295                     | (30,736)                   |
| Total comprehensive income/(loss) for the period/year              | 24,765                     | (147,681)                  | 175,375                    | (413,906)                  |
| Profit/(Loss) attributable to:                                     |                            |                            |                            |                            |
| Owners of the Company Non-controlling interests                    | 23,474<br>1,291            | (152,965)<br>5,284         | 135,322<br>40,053          | (422,316)<br>8,410         |
|  | 24,765                     | (147,681)                  | 175,375                    | (413,906)                  |

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#### CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION AS AT AS AT 30.6.2021 30.6.2020 Note RM'000 RM'000 **ASSETS Non-Current Assets** Property, plant and equipment 854,657 399,243 Investment properties 109,617 113,001 Prepaid land lease payments 38,941 40,485 Right-of-use assets 50,027 43,131 Land held for property development 50,957 50,885 Investment in associated companies and joint venture 519,269 475,396 Long-term investments 3,611 611 Deferred tax assets 23,624 48,133 Goodwill 130,443 130,443 1,774,250 1,308,224 **Total Non-Current Assets Current Assets** Property development costs 12,022 12,022 Inventories 565,497 375,498 Receivables 396,557 469,239 17,469 Investment in money market funds 2,395 Deposits, cash and bank balances 448.290 333.517 1,424,761 1,207,745 **Total Assets** 3,199,011 2,515,969 **EQUITY AND LIABILITIES Capital and Reserves** Share capital 1.250.536 1.250.536 Reserves 136,371 1,049 1,386,907 1,251,585 Equity attributable to owners of the Company Non-controlling interests 215,288 175,235 1,602,195 1,426,820 Total equity Non-Current and Deferred Liabilities Loans and borrowings 18 47,665 48,001 Lease liabilities 26,822 20,123 Deferred payables 390,978 Deferred tax liabilities 3,919 3,920 Total Non-Current and Deferred Liabilities 469,385 72,043 **Current Liabilities Payables** 909,751 864,509 18.509 Contract liabilities 22.994 Loans and borrowings 18 126.521 115.604 Lease liabilities 2,719 13,996 Deferred payables 60,000 Tax liabilities 4,488 5,446 **Total Current Liabilities** 1,017,106 1,127,431 **Total Liabilities** 1,596,816 1,089,149 **Total Equity and Liabilities** 3,199,011 2,515,969 Net assets per share attributable to owners of the Company (RM) 2.04 1.84

(The Condensed Consolidated Statement of Financial Position should be read in conjunction with the Audited Financial Statements for the year ended 30 June 2020 and the accompanying explanatory notes attached to the interim financial statements)

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# CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN EQUITY

|  | •                          | Attributable to              | owners of the               | he Company                     | <b></b>                | Non  |                           |
|--|----------------------------|------------------------------|-----------------------------|--------------------------------|------------------------|--|---------------------------|
|  | Share<br>capital<br>RM'000 | Treasury<br>shares<br>RM'000 | Other<br>reserves<br>RM'000 | Retained<br>earnings<br>RM'000 | <b>Total</b><br>RM'000 | Non-<br>controlling<br>interests<br>RM'000 | Total<br>equity<br>RM'000 |
| 30 June 2021                                     |                            |                              |                             |                                |                        |  |                           |
| At 1 July 2020                                   | 1,250,536                  | (13,193)                     | (81,749)                    | 95,991                         | 1,251,585              | 175,235                                    | 1,426,820                 |
| Total comprehensive income for the period        | -                          | -                            | 55,779                      | 79,543                         | 135,322                | 40,053                                     | 175,375                   |
| Transfer of reserve                              | -                          | -                            | 230                         | (230)                          | -                      | -  | -                         |
| At 30 June 2021                                  | 1,250,536                  | (13,193)                     | (25,740)                    | 175,304                        | 1,386,907              | 215,288                                    | 1,602,195                 |
| 30 June 2020                                     |                            |                              |                             |                                |                        |  |                           |
| At 1 July 2019                                   | 1,250,536                  | (13,193)                     | (49,966)                    | 486,524                        | 1,673,901              | 171,738                                    | 1,845,639                 |
| Total comprehensive (loss)/income for the period | -                          | -                            | (31,783)                    | (390,533)                      | (422,316)              | 8,410                                      | (413,906)                 |
| Dividend paid to non-controlling interes         | t                          |                              |                             |                                |                        |  |                           |
| of a subsidiary company                          | -                          | -                            | -                           | -                              | -                      | (4,913)                                    | (4,913)                   |
| At 30 June 2020                                  | 1,250,536                  | (13,193)                     | (81,749)                    | 95,991                         | 1,251,585              | 175,235                                    | 1,426,820                 |
|  |                            |                              |                             |                                |                        |  |                           |

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# CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS

|  | YEAR-TO-DATE ENDED |           |
|--|--------------------|-----------|
|  | 30.6.2021          | 30.6.2020 |
|  | RM'000             | RM'000    |
| OPERATING ACTIVITIES   |                    |           |
| Profit/(Loss) before tax   | 145,332            | (377,024) |
| Adjustments for:   |                    | •         |
| Non-cash items   | (84,182)           | 134,196   |
| Non-operating items  | 28,116             | 134,168   |
| Operating profit/(loss) before changes in working capital          | 89,266             | (108,660) |
| Changes in working capital:  |                    |           |
| Net changes in current assets                                      | (163,449)          | 102,689   |
| Net changes in current liabilities                                 | 92,893             | 22,221    |
|  | 18,710             | 16,250    |
| INVESTING ACTIVITIES   |                    |           |
| Dividend received  | 490                | 456       |
| Interest received  | 5,433              | 8,912     |
| Proceeds from disposal of property, plant and equipment            | 483                | 651       |
| Purchase of long term investment                                   | (8,500)            | -         |
| Purchase of property, plant and equipment                          | (90,586)           | (18,770)  |
| Decrease/(Increase) in investment in money market funds            | 15,074             | (543)     |
| Net cash inflow from acquisition of subsidiary company             | 180,050            | -         |
| Others   | (72)               | (176)     |
|  | 102,372            | (9,470)   |
| FINANCING ACTIVITIES   |                    |           |
| Borrowings and interest paid                                       | (37,102)           | (49,958)  |
| Proceeds from borrowings   | 18,000             | -         |
| Decrease/(Increase) in cash and cash equivalents - restricted      | 117,795            | (95,237)  |
| Dividend paid to non-controlling interests of a subsidiary company | -                  | (4,913)   |
| Others   | -                  | 1,000     |
|  | 98,693             | (149,108) |
| Net changes in cash and cash equivalents                           | 219,775            | (142,328) |
| •  |                    |           |
| Effect of exchange differences                                     | 8,192              | 153       |
| Cash and cash equivalents at beginning of the period/year          | 219,228            | 361,403   |
| Cash and cash equivalents at end of the period/year                | 447,195            | 219,228   |

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#### NOTES TO THE INTERIM FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

#### 1. Accounting policies and methods of computation

The condensed consolidated financial statements are unaudited and have been prepared in accordance with Malaysian Financial Reporting Standards ("MFRS") 134 Interim Financial Reporting and paragraph 9.22 of the Main Market Listing Requirements of Bursa Malaysia Securities Berhad.

The condensed consolidated financial statements should be read in conjunction with the audited financial statements of the Group for the financial year ended 30 June 2020. These explanatory notes 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 30 June 2020.

The significant accounting policies adopted in the condensed consolidated financial statements are consistent with those of the audited financial statements for the financial year ended 30 June 2020 except for the adoption of the following MFRSs, Amendments to MFRSs and IC Interpretations effective for the financial period beginning 1 July 2020:

Amendments to:

MFRS 3 Definition of a Business

MFRS 9, MFRS 139 and MFRS 7 Interest Rate Benchmark Reform MFRS 16 COVID-19-Related Rent Concessions

MFRS 101 and MFRS 108 Definition of Material

Amendments to References to the Conceptual Framework in MFRS Standards

The adoption of the abovementioned Amendments to MFRSs does not have material impact on the financial position and/or financial performance of the Group in the period of initial application.

#### Change in Financial Year End

The Company had on 4 June 2021, announced that it had changed the financial year end of the Company from 30 June to 31 December. Consequently, the next set of audited financial statements shall be made up from 1 July 2020 to 31 December 2021 covering a period of 18 months and subsequently, the financial year of the Company shall end on 31 December.

# 2. Comments about seasonal or cyclical factors

The Group's performance is not affected by any material seasonal or cyclical factors.

#### 3. Unusual items due to their nature, size or incidence

There were no unusual items affecting assets, liabilities, equity, net income or cash flows during the current quarter and financial year-to-date, except as disclosed in the Interim Financial Report.

# 4. Changes in estimates

There were no changes in estimates that have had a material effect in the current quarter and financial year-to-date results

#### 5. Debt and equity securities

There were no issuance, cancellation, repurchase, resale and repayment of debt and equity securities for the current quarter and financial year-to-date.

The shares repurchased todate are being held as treasury shares in accordance with Section 127 of the Companies Act 2016. As at 30 June 2021, the number of treasury shares held were 37,105,300 shares.

# 6. <u>Dividends paid</u>

There was no dividend paid during the quarter and financial year-to-date.

# 7. Segmental information

The Group's segmental report for the financial year-to-date was as follows:

|   | Steel<br>RM'000 | Building<br>materials<br>RM'000 | Others<br>RM'000 | Eliminations<br>RM'000 | Consolidated<br>RM'000 |
|---|-----------------|---------------------------------|------------------|------------------------|------------------------|
| Revenue                                   |                 |                                 |                  |                        |                        |
| External revenue                          | 2,059,189       | 477,921                         | 104,495          | -                      | 2,641,605              |
| Inter-segment revenue                     | 244,347         | -                               | 20,019           | (264,366)              | -                      |
| Total revenue                             | 2,303,536       | 477,921                         | 124,514          | (264,366)              | 2,641,605              |
| Results                                   |                 |                                 |                  |                        |                        |
| Segment results                           | 10,356          | 2,144                           | (30,895)         | -                      | (18,395)               |
| Gain on settlement of secured debts       | 56,623          | 135,320                         | -                | -                      | 191,943                |
| Finance costs                             |                 |                                 |                  |                        | (25,082)               |
| Share in results of                       |                 |                                 |                  |                        |                        |
| associated companies<br>and joint venture | 534             | _                               | (9,101)          | _                      | (8,567)                |
| Investment income                         | <del>00 -</del> |                                 | (3,101)          |                        | 5,433                  |
| Profit before tax                         |                 |                                 |                  |                        |                        |
| Tax expenses                              |                 |                                 |                  |                        | 145,332<br>(28,252)    |
| ·   |                 |                                 |                  |                        |                        |
| Profit for the period                     |                 |                                 |                  |                        | 117,080                |
| Assets                                    |                 |                                 |                  |                        |                        |
| Segment assets                            | 1,357,453       | 197,548                         | 1,090,600        | -                      | 2,645,601              |
| Investment in                             |                 |                                 |                  |                        |                        |
| associated                                |                 |                                 |                  |                        |                        |
| companies and                             | 22,106          |                                 | 497,163          |                        | 519,269                |
| joint venture<br>Unallocated              | 22,100          | -                               | 497,103          | -                      | 519,209                |
| corporate assets                          |                 |                                 |                  |                        | 34,141                 |
| Consolidated total assets                 |                 |                                 |                  |                        | 3,199,011              |
|   |                 |                                 |                  |                        |                        |

# 8. Subsequent events

There were no material events subsequent to the end of the current quarter.

#### 9. Changes in composition of the Group

As announced to Bursa Malaysia Securities Berhad, the Group had completed the transfer of 100% equity interest in Well Morning Limited ("Well Morning") on 30 December 2020 pursuant to the secured debts settlement agreement. Thereafter, Well Morning and its only wholly-owned subsidiary company, Changshu Lion Enterprise Co Ltd ("Changshu Lion"), became subsidiary companies of the Group.

Well Morning is an investment holding company incorporated in Hong Kong SAR and Changshu Lion is a company incorporated in the People's Republic of China ("PRC") which is principally involved in property development in Changshu, PRC.

The identifiable assets acquired and liabilities assumed in relation to the above transfer are as follows:

| Assets  | RM'000   |
|---|----------|
| Non-current assets  | 144      |
| Current assets  | 210,463  |
| Liability   |          |
| Current Liabilities   | (11,728) |
| Total identifiable assets acquired and liabilities assumed          | 198,879  |
| Expenses accrued  | (6,936)  |
| Total consideration - gain on settlement of secured debts           | 191,943  |
|   |          |
| Gain attributable to:   |          |
| - Owners of the Company   | 156,242  |
| - Non-controlling interests   | 35,701   |
|   | 191,943  |
|   | Sen      |
| Effects on earnings per share and net assets per share of the Group | 28.19    |

There were no material changes in the composition of the Group during the current quarter and financial year-to-date other than as disclosed above.

# 10. Changes in contingent liabilities and contingent assets

As part of the terms for the disposal of Sabah Forest Industries Sdn Bhd ("SFI") ("Disposal"), a former subsidiary company, Lion Posim Berhad, a 74% owned subsidiary company, agreed to indemnify SFI and the purchaser of SFI in full for all losses, damages, liabilities, claims, costs and expenses which SFI and the purchaser may incur or sustain as a result of or arising from the litigation claims where the cause of action arose prior to the completion of the Disposal.

# Indemnity for back pay labour claims from SFI's employees

The Group had on 21 August 2020 paid an amount of RM3.5 million to SFI for its onward payment to SFI's employees. The payment was for the full and final settlement of Lion Posim Berhad's obligations in relation to the claim by SFI's exemployees for alleged arrears of wages. Subsequent to the settlement, Lion Posim Berhad was released and discharged from all obligations in connection with the said claims howsoever arising and from its obligation under the letter of indemnity.

# 11. Performance review

|                                | 3 MONTHS ENDED |           |         | YEAR      | -TO-DATE END | ED      |
|--------------------------------|----------------|-----------|---------|-----------|--------------|---------|
|                                | 30.6.2021      | 30.6.2020 | Changes | 30.6.2021 | 30.6.2020    | Changes |
| Note                           | RM'000         | RM'000    | %       | RM'000    | RM'000       | %       |
| Revenue                        |                |           |         |           |              |         |
| Steel                          | 402,402        | 420,112   | -4      | 2,303,536 | 2,048,206    | 12      |
| Building materials             | 97,332         | 49,792    | 95      | 477,921   | 331,734      | 44      |
| Others                         | 29,296         | 17,810    | 64      | 124,514   | 111,566      | 12      |
| Eliminations                   | (58,007)       | (22,568)  |         | (264,366) | (173,036)    |         |
|                                | 471,023        | 465,146   | 1       | 2,641,605 | 2,318,470    | 14      |
| Segment Results                |                |           |         |           |              |         |
| Steel                          | (23,683)       | (67,668)  | 65      | 10,356    | (242,957)    | >100    |
| Building materials             | (244)          | 21,337    | >-100   | 2,144     | 22,212       | -90     |
| Others                         | (7,606)        | (3,474)   | >-100   | (30,895)  | (4,230)      | >-100   |
| Loss from operations           | (31,533)       | (49,805)  | 37      | (18,395)  | (224,975)    | -92     |
| Gain on settlement of secured  |                |           |         |           |              |         |
| debts                          | -              | -         |         | 191,943   | -            |         |
| Finance costs                  | (3,383)        | (10,228)  |         | (25,082)  | (27,942)     |         |
| Share in results of associated |                |           |         |           |              |         |
| companies and joint venture    | 35,731         | (57,187)  |         | (8,567)   | (115,138)    |         |
| Investment income              | 1,533          | 2,009     |         | 5,433     | 8,595        |         |
| Exceptional item 23(k)         |                |           |         |           | (17,564)     |         |
| Profit/(Loss) before tax       | 2,348          | (115,211) | >100    | 145,332   | (377,024)    | >100    |

For the 12 months of the financial period under review, the Group posted a 14% higher revenue of RM2,642 million compared to RM2,318 million recorded last year. This was mainly due to the higher revenue registered by our steel and building materials divisions. The Group reported a significantly lower operating loss of RM18.4 million against an operating loss of RM225.0 million a year ago mainly due to the profit from the steel division. The Group recorded a RM191.9 million gain on settlement of secured debts pursuant to the debts settlement arrangement as disclosed in Note 9. The share of losses from associated companies and a joint venture was lower at RM8.6 million compared with RM115.1 million in the previous year. Overall, the Group posted a profit before tax of RM145.3 million against a loss of RM377.0 million in the last financial year. The Group's net assets per share as at 30 June 2021 was RM2.04, an increase of 20 sen from that of the last financial year.

# Steel

Steel Division recorded a higher revenue of RM2,304 million compared to RM2,048 million in the same period last year. The higher revenue was mainly due to the higher selling prices. The Division accordingly posted a profit from operations of RM10.4 million against a loss of RM243.0 million last year.

# **Building materials**

Revenue increased by 44% to RM477.9 million as compared to RM331.7 million a year ago. The business was temporarily closed during the MCO last year. The Division's profit however is lower at RM2.1 million as compared to RM22.2 million a year ago which had included recovery of trade and other receivables previously impaired of RM22.0 million.

#### Others

Revenue of RM124.5 million was mainly from the sales of lubricants, automotive and petroleum products, as well as the provision of management services and property development projects. The Division recorded a higher loss of RM30.9 million for the period under review mainly due to the expenses incurred for corporate exercises and administrative expenses.

#### Associated companies and joint venture

The share in the loss of associated companies and a joint venture was largely attributable to the loss from the retail business.

#### **Exceptional item**

During the previous financial year, the exceptional item comprised a write down of inventories to their net realisable value of RM17.6 million.

# 12. Comment on material change in profit

|                               | Current<br>Year<br>Quarter<br>30.6.2021<br>RM'000 | Immediate Preceding Quarter 31.3.2021 RM'000 | Changes<br>% |
|-------------------------------|---|--|--------------|
| Revenue                       | 471,023   | 778,759                                      | -40          |
| (Loss)/Profit from operations | (31,533)  | 36,076                                       | >-100        |
| Profit before tax             | 2,348   | 1,275  | 84           |

Revenue of the Group for the quarter under review was 40% lower at RM471 million compared with RM779 million in the immediate preceding quarter mainly due to the lower sales volume of steel products and building materials. Accordingly, the Group recorded a loss from operations of RM31.5 million for the quarter under review.

After accounting for share of profit of associated companies and a joint venture of RM35.7 million, the Group posted a higher profit before tax of RM2.3 million for the quarter under review compared with RM1.3 million in the immediate preceding quarter.

#### 13. a) Prospects

The economic prospects for the next quarter remain challenging due to movement restrictions against COVID-19 pandemic.

Nonetheless, the Group continues to focus in containing its operating costs and optimising operation efficiency. The Group always stays vigilant and responsive to market changes.

# b) Forecast or target previously announced

The disclosure requirements are not applicable for the current quarter and financial year-to-date.

### 14. Statement of the Board of Directors' opinion on achievement of forecast or target

The disclosure requirements are not applicable for the current quarter and financial year-to-date.

# 15. Profit forecast or profit guarantee

No profit forecast or profit guarantee was published.

#### 16. Tax (credit)/expense

| . Tux (orealt//expense       | 3 MONTH                    | 3 MONTHS ENDED             |                            | ATE ENDED                  |
|------------------------------|----------------------------|----------------------------|----------------------------|----------------------------|
|                              | <b>30.6.2021</b><br>RM'000 | <b>30.6.2020</b><br>RM'000 | <b>30.6.2021</b><br>RM'000 | <b>30.6.2020</b><br>RM'000 |
| Estimated tax payable        |                            |                            |                            |                            |
| Current provision            | 591                        | 2,169                      | 4,405                      | 6.038                      |
| Overprovision in prior years | (465)                      | 980                        | (458)                      | 982                        |
| Deferred taxation            |                            |                            |                            |                            |
| Current provision            | (3,798)                    | (748)                      | 24,305                     | (874)                      |
|                              | (3,672)                    | 2,401                      | 28,252                     | 6,146                      |
|                              |                            |                            |                            |                            |

Excluding the share in results of associated companies and the joint venture, the effective tax rate of the Group for the current quarter and financial year-to-date is lower than the statutory tax rate principally due to certain income not being taxable for tax purposes.

# 17. Corporate proposals

Save for the below proposals to be undertaken by Lion Industries Corporation Berhad ("LICB"), there are no other corporate proposals as at the date of this report.

| Date of No Announcements  | Subjects   | Status   |
|---|--|--|
| 1. 3.7.2018<br>30.8.2018<br>13.9.2018<br>20.9.2018<br>11.1.2019<br>11.6.2019<br>11.7.2019<br>9.8.2019<br>20.11.2019<br>29.11.2019<br>27.7.2020<br>30.7.2020<br>3.8.2020 | Proposed Expansion into Flat Steel Business involving the following corporate proposals:  (a) proposed acquisition by Cendana Aset Sdn Bhd ("Cendana Aset"), a wholly-owned subsidiary of Cendana Domain Sdn Bhd, which in turn is a wholly-owned subsidiary of the Company, of the encumbered assets and the assignment of the Secomex Debt for a total purchase consideration of approximately RM537.73 million, which is payable by Cendana Aset to the secured lenders of Megasteel Sdn Bhd ("Megasteel") ("Megasteel Secured Lenders") ("Proposed Acquisition of Encumbered Assets");  (b) proposed acquisition by Gelora Berkat Sdn Bhd ("Gelora Berkat"), a wholly-owned subsidiary of Tahap Berkat Sdn Bhd, which in turn is a wholly-owned subsidiary of the Company, of the MS Promissory Note to be issued by Megasteel to the Megasteel Secured Lenders' appointed trustee in relation to the under-secured portion debts settlement for a cash consideration of RM8.50 million, which is payable by Gelora Berkat to the Megasteel Secured Lenders (Proposed Acquisition of MS Promissory Note");  (c) proposed acquisition by Gelora Berkat of all the unencumbered assets of Megasteel for a cash consideration of approximately RM21.59 million, which is payable by Gelora Berkat to Megasteel ("Proposed Acquisition of Unencumbered Assets"); and  (d) proposed supply of electricity by Tenaga Nasional Berhad ("TNB") to LICB and its subsidiaries ("LICB Group") for their steel mill operations located in Banting including the flat steel assets for a cash consideration of RM35.80 million. | <ul> <li>(a) the approval of the shareholders of Megasteel was obtained on 11 June 2019;</li> <li>(b) the approval from the Megasteel Secured Lenders at the Court-Convened Meeting in relation to the scheme of arrangement and compromise to be undertaken between Megasteel and the Megasteel Secured Lenders under the Companies Act 2016 ("Act") ("Megasteel Secured Scheme") was obtained on 10 July 2019;</li> <li>(c) the approval from the Megasteel Unsecured Creditors at the Court-Convened Meeting in relation to the scheme of arrangement and compromise to be undertaken between Megasteel and the Megasteel Unsecured Creditors under the Act ("Megasteel Unsecured Scheme") was obtained on 10 July 2019;</li> <li>(d) the sanction of the Megasteel Secured Scheme by the High Court of Malaya ("Court") under the Act was obtained on 7 August 2019;</li> <li>(e) the sanction of the Megasteel Unsecured Scheme by the Court under the Act was obtained on 10 September 2019;</li> <li>(f) the approval of the non-interested shareholders of the Company in relation to the proposals was obtained on 29 November 2019;</li> <li>(g) the Megasteel Secured Scheme had become unconditional on 29 November 2019 and completed on 30 July 2020.</li> <li>(h) the Proposed Acquisition of Encumbered Assets and the Proposed Acquisition of MS Promissory Note under the Megasteel Secured Scheme has been completed on 30 July 2020; and</li> <li>(i) the Proposed Acquisition of Unencumbered Assets under the Megasteel Unsecured Scheme is pending completion.</li> </ul> |

# 17. Corporate proposals

Save for the below proposals to be undertaken by Lion Industries Corporation Berhad ("LICB"), there are no other corporate proposals as at the date of this report.

| No Announcements   | Subjects   | Status  |
|--|--|---|
| 2. 9.6.2020<br>24.7.2020<br>24.8.2020<br>17.9.2020<br>28.9.2020<br>16.10.2020<br>30.10.2020<br>13.11.2020<br>23.11.2020<br>21.12.2020<br>21.12.2020<br>18.1.2021<br>20.1.2021<br>8.2.2021<br>4.3.2021<br>12.4.2021 | Proposed disposal by Amsteel Mills Sdn Bhd ("AMSB"), a 99% owned subsidiary of the Company, of the hotbriquetted iron ("HBI") plant and business in Labuan by disposing of its entire 100% equity interest in Antara Steel Mills Sdn Bhd ("Antara") to Esteel Enterprise Pte Ltd ("Buyer") for a cash consideration of USD128.00 million (equivalent to RM546.56 million) ("Proposed Disposal").  Note: Defined words used herein carry the same meaning as explained in the announcements | The Proposed Disposal is subject to the following approvals being obtained:  (a) Approval of the Shareholders of the Company was obtained on 8 February 2021.  (b) The Company had on 12 April 2021 announced that the Proposed Disposal will not be completed as the Long Stop Date for the fulfillment of the conditions precedent had lapsed on 10 April 2021. |

# 18. Borrowings and debt securities

The Group's borrowings as at end of the reporting period were as follows:

|  | YEAR-TO-DA                 | YEAR-TO-DATE ENDED         |  |  |
|--|----------------------------|----------------------------|--|--|
|  | <b>30.6.2021</b><br>RM'000 | <b>30.6.2020</b><br>RM'000 |  |  |
| Non-current                              |                            |                            |  |  |
| Secured                                  |                            |                            |  |  |
| Hire-purchase and finance lease payables | 47,250                     | 47,250                     |  |  |
| Unsecured                                |                            |                            |  |  |
| Hire-purchase and finance lease payables | 415                        | 751                        |  |  |
|  | 47,665                     | 48,001                     |  |  |
| Current<br>Secured                       |                            |                            |  |  |
| Term loan                                | 15,310                     | 14,672                     |  |  |
| Hire-purchase and finance lease payables | 15,270                     | 19,400                     |  |  |
| Bankers acceptance and revolving credit  | 85,930                     | 67,236                     |  |  |
| Bank overdraft                           | 9,657                      | 13,989                     |  |  |
| Unsecured                                |                            |                            |  |  |
| Hire-purchase and finance lease payables | 354                        | 307                        |  |  |
|  | 126,521                    | 115,604                    |  |  |
|  | 174,186                    | 163,605                    |  |  |
|  |                            |                            |  |  |

All the Group's borrowings are denominated in Ringgit Malaysia.

# 19. Changes in material litigation

There was no material litigation since 30 June 2020.

# 20. Dividend proposed

The Board does not recommend any interim dividend for the current quarter and financial year-to-date.

# 21. Earnings/(Loss) per share ("EPS")

#### **Basic**

Basic EPS is calculated by dividing the Profit/(loss) for the period attributable to owners of the Company by the weighted average number of ordinary shares of the Company in issue during the financial period.

|  | 3 MONTHS ENDED |           | YEAR-TO-DATE ENDED |           |
|--|----------------|-----------|--------------------|-----------|
|  | 30.6.2021      | 30.6.2020 | 30.6.2021          | 30.6.2020 |
| Profit/(Loss) attributable to owners of                    | 6 201          | (400.040) | 70.542             | (200 522) |
| the Company (RM'000)                                       | 6,391          | (123,212) | 79,543             | (390,533) |
| Weighted average number of ordinary shares in issue ('000) | 680,804        | 680,804   | 680,804            | 680,804   |
| , ,  |                |           |                    |           |
| Basic EPS (sen)  | 0.94           | (18.10)   | 11.68              | (57.36)   |
|  |                |           |                    |           |

The basic EPS and the diluted EPS are the same for the period as the Company has no dilutive potential ordinary shares as of the end of the reporting period.

# 22. Auditors' report on preceding annual financial statements

The auditors' report on the financial statements for the financial year ended 30 June 2020 was not qualified.

# 23. Profit/(Loss) before tax

Profit/(Loss) before tax is arrived at after crediting/(charging) the following income/(expenses):

|     |  | 3 MONTHS ENDED |           | YEAR-TO-DATE ENDED |           |
|-----|--|----------------|-----------|--------------------|-----------|
|     |  | 30.6.2021      | 30.6.2020 | 30.6.2021          | 30.6.2020 |
|     |  | RM'000         | RM'000    | RM'000             | RM'000    |
| (a) | Interest income                            | 1,533          | 2,009     | 5,433              | 8,595     |
| (b) | Other income including investment income   | 2,548          | 33,762    | 14,557             | 49,968    |
| (c) | Interest expense                           | (3,383)        | (10,228)  | (25,082)           | (27,942)  |
| (d) | Depreciation and amortisation              | (28,247)       | (25,938)  | (98,999)           | (105,208) |
| (e) | Provision for and write off of receivables | (901)          | (11,461)  | (4,610)            | (14,518)  |
| (f) | Provision for and write off of inventories | -              | -         | -                  | -         |
| (g) | Gain/(Loss) on disposal of quoted or       |                |           |                    |           |
|     | unquoted investments or properties         | -              | -         | -                  | -         |
| (h) | Impairment of assets                       | -              | -         | (5,500)            | -         |
| (i) | Foreign exchange gain/(loss)               | 721            | (1,109)   | 4,765              | 4,687     |
| (j) | Gain/(Loss) on derivatives                 | -              | -         | -                  | -         |
| (k) | Reversal of impairment loss on             |                |           |                    |           |
|     | trade and other receivables                | -              | -         | -                  | -         |
| (I) | Exceptional item                           |                |           |                    |           |
|     | - inventories written down                 | <u> </u>       |           |                    | (17,564)  |