8. PARTICULARS OF THE OFFER AND PUBLIC ISSUE

8.1 Share Capital

Authorised:

1 00,000,000 ordinary shares of RM1.00 each RM100,000,000

Issued and fully paid-up:

55,000,000 ordinary shares of RM 1 .00 each RM55,000,000

To be issued pursuant to the Public Issue:

5,000,000 new ordinary shares of RM1.OO each RM5,000,000

Enlarged share capital RM60,000,000

To be offered for sale pursuant to this Prospectus:

4.490,000 ordinary shares of RM 1 .OO each RM4,490,000

Offer/ Issue Price RM1.90

The Offer/Issue Price of RM1.90 is payable in full on application.

There is only one class of shares in Mesiniaga being ordinary shares of RM 1 .OO each. The Offer Shares and Public Issue Shares will rank **pari** passu in all respects with the other existing issued and paid-up ordinary shares of the Company, including voting rights and rights to all dividends that may be declared subsequent to the date of this Prospectus.

Subject to any special rights attaching to any shares which may be issued by the Company in the future, the holders of shares in the Company shall, in proportion to the amount paid up on the shares held by them, be entitled to share in the whole of the profits paid out by the Company as dividends and other distributions and in respect of any surplus in the event of the liquidation of the Company.

At any general meeting of the Company, each shareholder shall be entitled to vote in person or by proxy or by attorney, and, on a show of hands, every person present who is a shareholder or representative or proxy of a shareholder shall have one vote, and on a poll, every shareholder present in person or by proxy or by attorney or by other duly authorised representative shall have one vote for each share held. A proxy may but need not be a member of the Company.

8.2 Basis of Arriving at the Offer/ Issue Price

The Offer/ issue Price of RM1.90 per Offer Share and Public Issue Share was **determined** and agreed upon by the Company and Amanah, as the Adviser and the Underwriter, after taking into consideration the following factors:

- (i) Group's financial and operating history and conditions as outlined in Sections 2, 5 and 12 of this Prospectus;
- (ii) prospects of the IT industry and the Group as outlined in Sections 6 and 7 of this Prospectus;
- (iii) forecast gross PE multiple of 7.12 times based on the forecast gross EPS of 26.67 sen based on the enlarged issued and paid-up share capital of 60,000,000 Mesiniaga Shares;
- (iv) proforma Group NTA per Share of RM1.37 as at 30 June 1999; and
- (v) forecast dividend yield of 5.3%.

8. PARTICULARS OF THE OFFER AND PUBLIC ISSUE (Cont'd)

8.3 Details of the Offer and Public issue

The Offer and Public Issue is an invitation by the Offerors and the Company to eligible employees of the Mesiniaga Group and the Malaysian public, to apply for the 4,490,000 Offer Shares and 5,000,000 Public Issue Shares at an Offer and Public Issue price of RM1.90 per share, payable in full on application, upon the terms and conditions set out in this Prospectus.

The Offer and Public Issue shall be subject to the terms and conditions of this Prospectus and, upon acceptance, the Offer Shares and Public Issue Shares shall be allocated in the following manner:-

(a) Eligible Directors and Employees

1,850,000 Offer Shares will be reserved for all eligible directors and employees of Mesiniaga Group; and

(b) Malaysian Public

2,640,000 Offer Shares and 5,000,000 Public Issue Shares will be made available for application by Malaysian citizens, companies, co-operatives, societies -and institutions, of which at least 30% is to be set aside strictly for Bumiputera individuals, companies, co-operatives, societies and institutions

The 2,640,000 Offer Shares and the 5,000,000 Public Issue Shares made available to the Malaysian public listed under paragraph 8.3(b) above have been fully underwritten by the Underwriter as set out in Section 1 of this Prospectus.

As for the 1,850,000 Offer Shares in respect of paragraphs 8.3 (a) above, in the event that any of such Offer Shares are not taken up by the eligible employees of Mesiniaga Group, such Shares will be made available for application by the Malaysian public and the application is fully underwritten by the Underwriter.

8.4 Opening and Closing of Application Lists

The Application Lists will open at 10.00 a.m. on 18 October 1999 and will remain open until 8.00 p.m. on the same day or for such further period or periods as the Directors of Mesiniaga and/or the Offerors in their absolute discretion may decide.

8.5 Purposes of the Offer and Public Issue

The purposes of the Offer and Public Issue are as follows:-

- (i) to provide an opportunity for Malaysian investors, including Bumiputeras and eligible employees and Directors of the Mesiniaga Group to participate in the continuing growth of the Group through equity participation;
- (ii) to enable the Company better access to the capital markets for funds and investment opportunities so as to facilitate future expansion and continued growth of the Company and its subsidiaries; and
- (iii) to facilitate the listing of and quotation for the entire enlarged share capital of 60,000,000 ordinary shares of RM 1 .OO each in Mesiniaga on the Main Board of the KLSE.

8. PARTICULARS OF THE OFFER AND PUBLIC ISSUE (Cont'd)

8.6 Brokerage and Underwriting Commission

Brokerage is payable by the Offerors and the Company in respect of the Offer Shares and the Public Issue Shares respectively at the rate of one percentum (1 .0%) on the Offer Price of RM 1.90 per share in respect of successful applications bearing the stamp of Amanah, member companies of the KLSE, members of the Association of Banks in Malaysia, members of the Association of Merchant Banks in Malaysia or MIDFCCS.

The Underwriter has agreed to underwrite the 2,640,000 Offer Shares and 5,000,000 Public Issue Shares which are available for application by the Malaysian public. The Underwriter has further agreed to underwrite any Offer Shares reserved but which are not taken up by the eligible Directors and employees of the Mesiniaga Group. Underwriting commission is payable by the Offerors and the Company in respect of the Offer Shares and the Public Issue Shares respectively at the rate of one percentum (1.0%) of the Offer/ Issue Price of RM1.90 per share.

9. MORATORIUM ON THE SALE OF SHARES

The SC in approving the flotation of Mesiniaga on the Main Board of the KLSE has imposed a moratorium on the disposal of shares by the major shareholders of Mesiniaga.

It is also a condition of the SC that the major shareholders of Mesiniaga will not be allowed to sell, transfer or assign their shareholdings in Mesiniaga amounting to 27,000,000 ordinary shares of **RM1.00** each, representing 45% of the issued and paid-up capital of Mesiniaga within one (1) year **from** the date of admission of Mesiniaga to the **Official** List of the Main Board of the KLSE. Thereafter, the major shareholders are permitted to divest or transfer up to a maximum of 20% **p.a.** on a straight line basis of its shareholding in Mesiniaga which is under moratorium.

The restriction is specifically endorsed on the notices of allotment representing the respective shareholdings of the major shareholders which are under moratorium to ensure that trading of these shares are not allowed in compliance with the restriction **imposed** by the KLSE. The restriction is fully accepted by the major shareholders and the public is deemed to have notice of this restriction.

The shareholdings of the major shareholders **after** the Offer and Public Issue which are under moratorium as imposed by the KLSE are set out below:

Major shareholder	No. of Mesiniaga Shares under moratorium	% of enlarged share capital
PNB	7,109,208	11.85
Ismail bin Sulaiman	6,47 1,863	IO.79
Mohd Puzi bin Ahamad	2,843,683	4.74
Wan Mohamad Fusil bin Wan Mahmood	2,843,683	4.74
Hor Yee	2,843,683	4.74
Ramli bin Amat	2,775,145	4.62
IBM WTC	2,112,735	3.52
	27.000.000	45.00

10. INFORMATION ON THE OFFERORS

Set out below are the Offerors and their respective shareholdings in Mesiniaga before and after the Offer and Public Issue:

Offeror	Before the Offer/ Public Issue		After the Off	
	No. of Shares held	%	No. of Shares held	%
PNB	14,310,131*1	26.02	11,822,349* ²	19.70
Ismail bin Sulaiman	12,360,237	22.47	10,762,468	17.94
Mohd Puzi bin Ahamad	5,174,053	9.41	4,728,940	7.88
Wan Mohamad Fusil bin Wan Mahmood	5,174,053	9.41	4,728,940	7.88
Hor Yee	5,174,053	9.41	4,728,940	7.88
Ramli bin Amat	5,059,073	9.20	4,6 14,963	7.69
	47,25 1,600	85.92	41,386,600	68.97

By letter dated 26 June 1997, Amanah Saham Pahang Berhad ("ASPA") had agreed to acquire from PNB 1,375,000 Mesiniaga Shares ("Acquisition"). As at 20 September 1999 (being the last practicable date prior to the printing of this Prospectus). the Acquisition has not been completed. However, both PNB and ASPA had, on 15 September 1999 and 16 September 1999 respectively, given their respective declarations confirming the Acquisition and that the Acquisition shall be completed by 29 September 1999.

Before taking into account the Acquisition.

² After taking into account the Acquisition.

11. FINANCIAL INFORMATION

11.1 Profit And Dividend Records

The following table sets out the summary of the audited consolidated results of Mesiniaga Group for the five (5) financial years ended 3 1 December 1998 and the six (6) months ended 30 June 1999 and is extracted from the Accountants' Report in Section 12 and should be read in conjunction with the notes thereto:

	4	- Financial ve	ear ended 31	December –		6 months ended 30 June
	1994 RM'000	1995 RM'000	1996 RM'000	1997 RM'000	1998 RM'000	1999 RM'000
Turnover	102,154	110,831	145,654	191,301	139,258	77,681
Profit before depreciation and interest	9,683	14,472	19,469	20,94 1	15,074	8,040
Depreciation	(2,235)	(2,414)	(2,781)	(2,718)	(2,683)	(1,340)
Interest Expense	(1,230)	(1,287)	(1,759)	(1,921)	(2,064)	(560)
Profit before taxation	6,218	10,771	14,929	16,302	10,327	6,140
Taxation	(2,735)	(3,936)	(4,476)	(4,393)	(3,555)	
Profit after taxation	3,483	6,835	10,453	11,909	6,772	6,140
Minority interest		(33)	(119)	(254)	99	(325)
Profit attributable to shareholders of the Company	3,483	6,802	10,334	11,655	6,871	5,815
Number of ordinary shares in issue ('000)	10,000	10,000	10,000	10,000	10,000	10,000
Gross EPS (RM)	0.62	1.08	1.49	1.63	1.03	1.23*
Net EPS (RM)	0.35	0.68	1.03	1.17	0.69	1.16*
Gross Dividend Rate (%)	30	50	48	50	4 3	

- * Annualised
- 1. There was no extraordinary item for the financial years and period under review.
- 2. The effective tax rates of the Group for the financial years ended 31 December 1994, 1995 and 1998 were higher than the statutory tax rates due to certain expenses being disallowed for tax purposes. For the six (6) months ended 30 June 1999, all income, (except for dividend) derived are exempted from tax in accordance with Section 8 of the Income Tax (Amendment) Act, 1999.
- 3. The gross and net EPS is calculated based on the profit before taxation and profit after taxation of the Company for the financial years/period divided by the number of ordinary shares in issue during each of the respective financial years/period. For illustrative purposes, the gross and net EPS calculated on the results for the six (6) months ended 30 June 1999 have been reflected on an annualised basis.
- 4. The increase in **profit** for the financial years ended 31 December 1994 to 1997 was due to increased productivity resulting in proportionately lower fixed expenses and cost savings as well as the increased emphasis on the provision of IT services.
- The decrease in profit for the financial year 1998 was due to lower turnover and high fixed operating expenses.

The following table sets out the summary of the audited results of Mesiniaga for the five (5) financial years ended 31 December 1998 and the six (6) months ended 30 June 1999 and is extracted from the Accountants' Report in Section 12 of this Prospectus and should be read in conjunction with the notes thereto:

	1994 RM'000	Financial ye 1995 RM'000	ear ended 31 1996 RM'000	December — 1997 RM'000	1998 RM'000	6-months ended 30 June 1999 RM'000
Turnover	102,154	110,125	142,403	182,341	132,385	74,321
Profit before depreciation and interest	9,703	13,771	17,985	20,248	14,518	7,917
Depreciation	(2,235)	(2,412)	(2,745)	(2,609)	(2,532)	(1,259)
Interest	(1,230)	(1,287)	(1,759)	(1,921)	(1,935)	(533)
Profit before taxation	6,238	10,072	1,3,481	15,718	10,051	6,125
Taxation	(2,725)	(3,747)	(4,078)	(3,973)	(3,230)	
Profit after taxation	3,513	6,325	9,403	11,745	6,821	6,125
Number of ordinary shares of RM 1 .OO in issue ('000)	10,000	10,000	10,000	10,000	10,000	10,000
Gross EPS (RM)	0.62	1.01	1.35	1.57	1.01	1.23*
Net EPS (RM)	0.35	0.63	0.94	1.17	0.68	1.23*
Gross Dividend Rate (%)	30	50	48	50	43	

^{*} Annualised

- 1. There was no extraordinary item for the financial years and period under review.
- 2. The effective tax rates of the Company for the financial years ended 31 December 1994, 1995 and 1998 were higher than the statutory tax rates due to certain expenses being disallowed for tax purposes. For the six (6) months ended 30 June 1999, all income, (except for dividend) derived are exempted from tax in accordance with Section 8 of the Income Tax (Amendment) Act, 1999.
- 3. The gross and net EPS is calculated based on the profit before taxation and profit after tax of the Company for the financial years/period divided by the number of ordinary shares in issue during each of the respective financial years/period. For illustrative purposes, the gross and net EPS per share calculated based on the results for the six (6) months ended 30 June 1999 have been reflected on an annualised basis.
- 4. The increase in profit for the financial years ended 31 December 1994 to 1997 was due to increased productivity resulting in proportionately lower fixed expenses and cost savings as well as the increased emphasis on the provision of IT services.
- 5. The decrease in profit for the financial year 1998 was due to lower turnover and high fixed operating expenses.

11.2 Working Capital, Borrowings and Contingent Liabilities

11.2.1 Working Capital

The Directors are of the opinion that, after taking into account the cashflow forecast and projections and the banking facilities available, the Mesiniaga Group will have adequate working capital for its foreseeable requirements.

11.2.2 Borrowings

As at **20** September 1999 (being the last practicable date at which such amounts could be calculated prior to the printing of this Prospectus), the total bank borrowings and overdraft facilities of the Mesiniaga Group amounts to RM8.94 million.

Save for the above, Mesiniaga Group did not have any other loan capital created but unissued nor any mortgages or charges outstanding.

11.2.3 Contingent Liabilities

Contingent Liabiliti

As at **20** September 1999 (being the last practicable date at which such amounts could be calculated prior to the printing of this Prospectus), the Mesiniaga Group did not have any material contingent liabilities, loan capital or convertible debt securities outstanding or created but unissued.

11.3 Consolidated Profit Forecast and Assumptions

The Directors of Mesiniaga forecast that, barring unforeseen circumstances, the consolidated profit after taxation and minority interests of the Group for the financial year ending 3 1 December 1999 will be as follows:

Consolidated profit after taxation and minority interests (RM'000)	16,000	16,000
Number of Shares in issue ('000)	60,000**	40,934***
Gross EPS (sen)	26.67	39.09
Gross PE multiple (times)*	7.12	4.86
Net EPS (sen)	26.67	39.09
Net PE multiple (times)*	7.12	4.86

^{*} Based on the Offer/Issue Price of RM1.90

The principal assumptions upon which the consolidated profit forecast after taxation and minority interests have been made are set out below:

- there will be no significant changes in the prevailing economic conditions in Malaysia and elsewhere, especially those conditions that affect the IT industry, which will adversely affect the activities or the performance of the Group;
- there will be no material changes in the present legislation or Government regulations, rates and bases of duties. levies and taxes affecting the activities or the markets in which the Group operates;
- (iii) all income (except for dividend) derived in the financial year ending 31 December 1999 are exempted from tax, in accordance with Section 8 of the Income Tax (Amendment) Act, 1999;
- (iv) the rate of inflation will not vary significantly from current levels;
- (v) other than inflationary increases, there will be no material increase in wages, supplies and other costs;
- (vi) there will be no material fluctuations in foreign currency exchange rates from prevailing rates, including the exchange rate of RM3.80 to United States Dollar (LJSD) 1.00;

^{**} Based on the enlarged share capital of 60,000,000 Mesiniaga Shares after the Public Issue

^{***} Based on the weighted average number of shares in issue of 40,933,833

- (vii) there will be no major industrial disputes, economic or political changes or any abnormal factors, including exceptional bad debts, which will adversely affect the activities of the Group;
- (viii) there will be no material acquisitions or disposals of assets or material changes in the present Group structure. There will be no significant changes in the current principal activities of the Group;
- (ix) existing financial and additional financing facilities will be available when required and at interest rates which will not vary significantly from their prevailing levels;
- the gross proceeds of RM29,366,000 arising from the rights issue and the Public Issue will be received by the Group by 1 November 1999;
- (xi) there will be no significant changes in customer demand, selling prices and product lines of the Group;
- (xii) there will be no significant changes to the existing management, operating and accounting policies adopted by the Group;
- (xiii) there will be no cancellation or significant changes in the value of existing contracts, and the value of the new contracts will be secured in line with forecast levels. There will not be any major delays in the timing of the commencement and completion of the contracts;
- (xiv) there will be no significant changes in the level of capital expenditure other than the planned increase in line with the expansion of the business operations which will be implemented as scheduled;
- (XV) Mesiniaga will remain as the distributor/reseller of IBM products and exclusive agent of IBM in Malaysia; and
- (xvi) There will be no major Year 2000 issues that will affect the operations of the Group.

11.4 Auditors' Letter on the Consolidated Profit Forecast and Assumptions (Preparedfor inclusion in this Prospectus)

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The Board of Directors Mesiniaga Berhad No. 1A, Jalan SS 16/1 Subang Jaya 47500 Petaling Jaya Selangor Darul Ehsan

23 September 1999

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MESINIAGA BERHAD ("MESINIAGA") CONSOLIDATED PROFIT FORECAST FOR THE FINANCIAL YEAR ENDING 31 DECEMBER 1999

Dear Sirs,

We have reviewed the accounting policies and calculations for the consolidated profit forecast of Mesiniaga, and its subsidiary and associated companies ("Group") for which the Directors of Mesiniaga are solely responsible, for the financial year ending 3 1 December 1999, as set out in the Prospectus to be dated 30 September 1999, in connection with the Offer for Sale of 4,490,000 ordinary shares of RM 1 .OO each in Mesiniaga at an offer price of RM 1.90 ordinary per share, the Public Issue of 5,000,000 new ordinary shares of RM 1 .OO each in Mesiniaga at an issue price of RM 1.90 per ordinary share, and the listing of and quotation for the entire enlarged issued and paid up capital of 60,000,000 ordinary shares of RM 1 .OO each on the Main Board of the Kuala Lumpur Stock Exchange.

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In our opinion, the consolidated profit forecast, so far as the accounting policies and calculations are concerned, have been properly compiled on the basis of the assumptions made by the Directors of Mesiniaga as set out in the Prospectus, and is presented on a basis consistent with the accounting policies normally adopted by the Group.

Yours faithfully,

PRICEWATERHOUSECOOPERS

(No. AF: 1146) Public Accountants

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11.5 Dividend Forecast

It is the policy of the Directors of Mesiniaga to recommend dividends to allow shareholders to participate in the profits of the Company as well as leaving adequate resources for the future growth of the Company.

Based on the consolidated profit forecast for the financial year ending 3 1 December 1999, and on the assumption that the present basis for calculating taxation remains unchanged, the Directors of Mesiniaga anticipate that in the absence of unforeseen circumstances, the Company will be in a position to propose a tax-exempt dividend of 10% (based on the issued share capital of 60,000,000 ordinary shares).

The intended appropriation of the forecast consolidated profit after taxation and minority interests for the Group for the financial year ending 3 1 December 1999 would be as follows:

For the year ending 31 December 1999	Forecast 1999
	RM'000
Consolidated profit after taxation and minority interests	16,000
Profit attributable to shareholders	16,000
Proposed tax-exempt dividend of 10 sen	(6,000)
Retained profit for the year	10,000
Tax-exempt dividend cover (based on the enlarged share capital of 60,000,000 Mesiniaga Shares after the Public Issue) (times)*	2.67
Tax-exempt dividend cover (based on the weighted average number of shares in issue of 40,933,833 Shares) (times)*	3.91
Tax-exempt dividend yield based on the Offer/ Issue Price of RM 1.90 per Share (%)	5.3

^{*} Based on the Offer/Issue Price of RM1.90

11.6 Proforma Consolidated Balance Sheets

(Preparedfor inclusion in this Prospectus)

The Proforma Consolidated Balance Sheets of the Group as set out below have been prepared solely for illustrative purposes to show the effects of the revaluation of landed property (I), bonus issue of **25,134,000** New Shares (II), rights issue of **19,866,000** New Shares (III) and the Offer for Sale and Public Issue (IV), on the assumption that these transactions were completed on 30 June 1999:

Audited Consolidated Balance Sheet as at 30 June 1999	(I) After revaluation of landed	(II) After (I) and bonus issue	(III) After (II) and Rights Issue	(IV) After (III) and Offer and Public Issue
RM'OOO	Property RM'000	RM'000	RM'000	RM'OOO
30,525	38,107	38,107	38,107	38,107
1,692	1,692	1,692	1,692	1,692
3,109	3,109	3,109	3,109	3,109
67,661	63,886	63,886	83,752	91,052
(4 1,947)	(4 1,947)	(4 1,947)	(4 1,947)	(4 1,947)
25,714	21,939	21,939	41,805	49,105
6 1,040	64.847	64.847	84.713	92.013
10,000	10,000	35,134	55,000	60,000 2,300
	7582	6,800	6,800	6,800
44,499	40,724	16,372	16,372	16,372
40	40	40	40	40
54,539	58,346	58,346	78,212	85,512
1,494	1,494	1,494	1,494	1,494
975	975	975	975	975
1,406	1,406	1,406	1,406	1,406
2,626	2,626	2,626	2,626	2,626
61,040	64,847	64,847	84,713	92,013
5 1,430	55,237	55,237	75,103	82,403
5.14	5.52	1.57	1.36	1.37
	Consolidated Balance Sheet as at 30 June 1999 RM'OOO 30,525 1,692 3,109 67,661 (4 1,947) 25,714 6 1,040 10,000 44,499 40 54,539 1,494 975 1,406 2,626 61,040 5 1,430	Consolidated Balance Sheet as at 30 June 1999 After revaluation of landed RM'000 Property RM'000 30,525 38,107 1,692 1,692 3,109 3,109 67,661 63,886 (4 1,947) (4 1,947) 25,714 21,939 6 1,040 64.847 10,000 10,000 7582 44,499 40,724 40 40 54,539 58,346 1,494 1,494 975 975 1,406 1,406 2,626 2,626 61,040 64,847	Consolidated Balance Sheet as at 30 June 1999 After revaluation of landed Property RM'000 After (I) and bonus issue RM'000 RM'000 RM'000 RM'000 RM'000 30,525 38,107 38,107 1,692 1,692 1,692 3,109	Consolidated Balance Sheet as at 30 June 1999 After Prevaluation of landed Property RM'000 After (II) and bonus issue After (II) and Rights Issue RM'000 RM'000 RM'000 RM'000 RM'000 30,525 38,107 38,107 38,107 1,692 1,692 1,692 1,692 3,109 41,805 41,805 41,805 41,805 41,805 41,805 41,805 41,805 41,805 41,805 41,805 41,805 41

Notes to the Proforma Consolidated Balance Sheets

1. Basis of preparation

- (a) The Consolidated Balance Sheet of the Group is extracted from the audited accounts of the Group for the six-months ended 30 June 1999.
- (b) The Proforma Consolidated Balance Sheets have been prepared based on accounting policies and bases consistent with those adopted in the preparation of audited accounts of the Group.

2. **Proforma Consolidated Balance Sheets**

The Proforma Consolidated Balance Sheets incorporate on a proforma basis the following transactions as though they were effected as at 30 June 1999:

- (a) Profotma I incorporates the revaluation of the landed property based on an open market valuation by an independent firm of professional valuers which gave rise to a revaluation surplus of RM7,582,000 as adjusted by the SC, and the payment of cash dividends of RM3,775,000 to the existing shareholders as at 30 June 1999.
- (b) Proforma II incorporates the transaction in Proforma I and the bonus issue of 25,134,000 New Shares, of which RM782,000 is to be capitalised out of the revaluation reserve in (a) above and RM24,352,000 from retained profits.
- (c) Proforma III incorporates the transaction in Proforma II and the rights issue of $19,866,000\,\mathrm{New}$ Shares.
- (d) Proforma IV incorporates the transaction in Profotma III and the Offer for Sale and Public Issue, after deduction of the estimated listing expenses of RM2,200,000 from the share premium.

3. Share Capital

Movements in the issued and paid-up share capital are as follows:

•	'000
As at 30 June 1999	10,000
Bonus issue	25,134
As per Proforma II	35,134
Rights issue	19,866
As per Proforma III	55,000
Public Issue	5,000
As per Proforma IV	60,000

No of charge

4.	Share Premium	
	Movements in the share premium are as follows:	RM'000
	As at 30 June 1999	
	Premium on Public Issue	4,500
	Estimated listing expenses	(2,200)
	As per Proforma IV	2,300
5.	Revaluation Reserves	
		RM'000
	As at 30 June 1999	
	Revaluation surplus arising from revaluation of landed property	7,582
	As per Proforma I	7,582
	Capitalisation for bonus issue	(782)
	As per Proforma II	6.800
6.	Retained profits	
		RM'000
	As at 30 June 1999	44,499
	Payment of cash dividends (52.43 sen gross dividend per share, less income tax)	(3,775)
	As per Proforma I	40,724
	Capitalisation for bonus issue	(24,352)
	As per Proforma II	16.372

11.7 Auditors' Letter on the Consolidated Balance Sheets (Preparedfor inclusion in this Prospectus)

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23 September 1999

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MESINIAGA BERHAD ("MESINIAGA") PROFORMA CONSOLIDATED BALANCE SHEETS AS AT 30 JUNE 1999

Dear Sirs,

We have reviewed the Profonna Consolidated Balance Sheets of Mesiniaga, and its subsidiary and associated companies ("Group") as at 30 June 1999 together with the notes thereon, for which the Directors are solely responsible, as set out in the Prospectus to be dated 30 September 1999 in connection with the Offer for Sale of 4,490,000 ordinary shares of RM 1.00 each in Mesiniaga at an offer price of RM 1.90 per ordinary share, the Public Issue of 5,000,000 new ordinary shares of RM1.00 each in Mesiniaga at an issue price of RM1.90 per ordinary share, and the listing of and quotation for the entire enlarged issued and paid up capital of 60,000,000 ordinary shares of RM1.00 each on the Main Board of the Kuala Lumpur Stock Exchange.

Based on the results of our review, we **confirm** that the **Proforma** Consolidated Balance Sheets of the Group as at 30 June 1999, which are provided for illustrative purposes only, have been properly compiled on the bases set out in the notes to the Proforma Consolidated Balance Sheets.

Yours faithfully,

PRICEWATERHOUSECOOPERS

(No. AF: 1 146) Public' Accountants

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PwC/CKH/sw/0416J

Dear Sirs.

I INTRODUCTION

The following report has been prepared for inclusion in the Prospectus to be dated 30 September 1999 in connection with the floatation scheme as follows:

- (a) Revaluation of the landed property, Menara Mesiniaga, based on an open market valuation by an independent **firm** of professional valuers, which gave rise to a revaluation surplus of RM7,582,000, as adjusted by the SC and the payment of cash dividends of RM3,775,000 to the existing shareholders as at 30 June 1999;
- (b) Bonus issue of 25,134,000 New Mesiniaga Shares, on the basis of approximately three (3) New Shares for each existing Mesiniaga share held, of which RM782,000 is to be capitalised out of the revaluation reserve and RM24,352,000 from retained profits as at 3 1 December 1998;
- (c) Rights issue of 19,866,000 New Mesiniaga Shares at an issue price of RM1.OO per share on the basis of approximately two (2) New Shares for each existing Mesiniaga Share held before the bonus issue. In conjunction with the Rights Issue, IBM WTC renounced their entitlements to the Rights Issue which was subsequently taken up by certain major shareholders of Mesiniaga;
- (d) The Offer for Sale of 4,490,000 ordinary shares of RM 1.00 each in Mesiniaga at an offer price of RM 1.90 per ordinary share, and the Public Issue of 5,000,000 new ordinary shares of RM 1.00 each in Mesiniaga at an issue price of RM 1.90 per ordinary share;



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I INTRODUCTION (CONTINUED)

- (e) The listing of and quotation for the entire enlarged issued and paid up capital of 60,000,000 ordinary shares of RM1.OO each on the Main Board of the Kuala Lumpur Stock Exchange ('KLSE'); and
- (f) The establishment of an Employees' Share Option Scheme ('ESOS') for the benefits of its full-time Executive Directors and employees of Mesiniaga to be implemented not earlier than one (1) year after the date of Mesiniaga listing on the Main Board of the KLSE.

II GENERAL INFORMATION

(i) Incorporation

- (a) Mesiniaga Berhad ('Mesiniaga') was incorporated in Malaysia on 17
 December 198 1 as a private limited company under the name of Mesiniaga
 (Malaysia) Sdn. Bhd. On 28 December 1981, Mesiniaga (Malaysia) Sdn.
 Bhd. changed its name to Mesiniaga Sdn. Bhd. and on 24 December 1996,
 Mesiniaga Sdn. Bhd. changed its name to Mesiniaga Berhad.
- (b) The present authorised, issued and fully paid-up share capital of the Company is RM 1 O,OOO,OOO comprising 1 O,OOO,OOO ordinary shares of RM 1 .OO each.

The changes in the issued and paid-up share capital of MSB since the date of incorporation are summarised as follows:

		Clas	ss 'A' shares	Class 'B' shares			-	
Date of allotment	Type of issue	No. of shares	Total issued and paid-up (A) RM'000	Type of issue	No. of shares	Total issued and paid-up (B) RM'000	Total issued and paid-up capital (A) + (B) RM'000	
17.12.1981	Subscribers' share at RM5,000 each	96	480	Subscribers' share at RM5,000 each	4	20	500	
18.12.1983	Bonus issue at RM5,000 each	96	480	Bonus issue at RM5,000 each	4	20	500	
10.3.1986	Bonus issue at RM5.000 each	192	960	Bonus issue at RM5,000 each	8	40	1,000	
29 9.1989	Bonus issue at RM5,000 each	576	2.880	Bonus issue at RM5.000 each	24	120	3.000	
			4,800			200	5.000	



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II GENERAL INFORMATION (CONTINUED)

(i) **Incorporation** (Continued)

			Ordinary shares
Date of allotment	Type of issue	No. of shares	Total issued and paid-up RM'000
27.8.1991	Conversion of existing shares (Class 'A' and 'B' shares) of RM5,000 each to RM1.00 each	5,000	5,000
27.9.1991	Bonus issue at RM 1.00 each	5,000	5,000
			10,000

(ii) Principal activities

Mesiniaga's principal activities are that of the sale, lease and service of office products. The principal activities of the subsidiary and associated companies are set out in paragraph (iii) below.

(iii) Subsidiary and associated companies

The details of the subsidiary and associated companies of Mesiniaga, all of which are incorporated in Malaysia as of 23 September 1999, are as follows:

Company	Principal activities	Issued and paid-up capital RM	Effective interest %
VA Dynamics Sdn. Bhd. ('VA Dynamics')	Selling networking cables and related products	2,000,000	51
Mesiniaga - Tactics Sdn. Bhd. ('MTSB')	Consultancy in custom developed course materials, training and development of software	50,000	51

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II GENERAL INFORMATION (CONTINUED)

(iii) Subsidiary and associated companies (Continued)

Company	Principal activities	sued and paid-up capital RM	Effective interest %
Secure Online Transactions Sdn. Bhd. ('SECTRON')	Now dormant, previously the provision of secured online transaction services for the banking, finance, insurance and securities business	250,000	100
Mesiniaga-SCS Sdn. Bhd. (formerly known as Infosolutions Sdn. Bhd.) ('MSCS')	now the provision	100,000	70
Mesiniaga MSC Sdn. Bhd. ('MMSC')	Currently dormant, where upon commencing operations will be the provision of R&D services in the areas of application software, application products and application solutions	500,000	100

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II GENERAL INFORMATION (CONTINUED)

(iii) Subsidiary and associated companies (Continued)

Company	Principal activities	Issued and paid-up capital RM	Effective interest %
Axis Systems Sdn. Bhd. ('AXIS')	Developing and marketing of software and hardware products and provision of software programming services	500,000	25
Commercial Software Services (M) Sdn. Bhd. ('CSSM')	Development and sale of computer software and equipment, installation and support of computer software systems	500,000	30

(iv) Accounts and auditors

We are the auditors of Mesiniaga, and its subsidiary and associated companies ("Group") for all periods relevant to this report, except for CSSM which is audited by other firms of auditors, and reported on without any qualification.

The accounts of the Group for all periods under review were audited and reported on without any qualification.

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III SUMMARISED PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNTS

(i) Group

The summarised profit and loss accounts based on the audited accounts of the Group for the past five (5) financial years ended 3 1 December 1998 and six (6) months ended 30 June 1999 are as follows:

	1994 RM'000	Year 1995 RM'000	ended 31 1996 RM'000	Decemb 1997 RM'000	er 1998 RM'000	6 months ended 30.6.1999 RM'000
Turnover	102,154	1 1 0,831	145,654	191,301	139,258	77,68 1
Profit before interest and depreciation	9,683	14,472	19,469	20,94 1	15,074	8.040
Depreciation	(2,235)	(2,4 14)	(2,781)	(2,718)	(2,683)	(1,340)
Interest	(1,230)	(1,287)	(1,759)	(1,921)	(2,064)	(560)
Profit before taxation	6,218	10,771	14,929	16,302	10,327	6,140
Taxation	(2,735)	(3,936)	(4,476)	(4,393)	(3,555)	
Profit after taxation	3,483	6,835	10,453	11,909	6,772	6,140
Minority interests		(33)	(119)	(254)	99	(325)
Profit attributable to shareholders of the Company	3,483	6,802	10,334	11,655	6,87 1	5,815
Number of ordinary shares of RM 1 .00 each in issue ('000)	10,000	10,000	10,000	10,000	10,000	10,000
Gross EPS (RM)	0.62	1.08	1.49	1.63	1.03	1.23 *
Net EPS (RM)	0.35	0.68	1.03	1.17	0.69	1.16 *
Gross dividend rate (%)	30	50	48	50	43	-

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III SUMMARISED PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNTS

(i) Group (Continued)

- * Annualised
- (a) There was no extraordinary item for the financial years/period under review.
- (b) The effective tax rates of the Group for the financial years ended 31 December 1994, 1995 and 1998 were higher than the statutory tax rates due to certain expenses being disallowedfor tax purposes. For the six (6) months ended 30 June 1999, all income (except for dividend) derived are exempted from tax in accordance with Section 8 of the Income Tax (Amendment) Act, 1999.
- (c) The gross and net EPS is calculated based on the profit before taxation and the profit attributable to shareholders of the Company for the financial years/period divided by the number of ordinary shares in issue during each of the respective financial years/period. For illustrative purposes, the gross and net EPS calculated on the results for the six (6) months ended 30 June 1999 have been reflected on an annualised basis.

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III SUMMARISED PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNTS (CONTINUED)

(ii) Mesiniaga

Thi summarised profit and loss accounts based on the audited accounts of Mesiniaga for the past five (5) financial years ended 3 1 December 1998 and six (6) months ended 30 June 1999 are as follows:

Year ended 31 December							
	1994 RM'OOO	1995 RM'000	1996 RM'000	1997 RM'000	1998 RM'OOO	ended 30.6.1999 RM'000	
Turnover	102,154	110,125	142,403	182,341	132,385	74,32 1	
Profit before interest and depreciation	9,703	13,771	17,985	20,248	14,518	7,917	
Depreciation	(2,235)	(2,412)	(2,745)	(2,609)	(2,532)	(1,259)	
Interest	(1,230)	(1,287)	(1,759)	(1,921)	(1,935)	(533)	
Profit before taxation	6,238	10,072	13,481	15,718	10,051	6,125	
Taxation	(2,725)	(3,747)	(4,078)	(3,973)	(3,230)		
Profit after taxation	3,513	6,325	9,403	1 1,745	6,821	6,125	
Number of ordinary shares of RM 1.00 each in issue ('000)	10,000	10,000	10,000	10,000	10,000	10,000	
Gross EPS (RM)	0.62	1.01	1.35	1.57	1.01	1.23 *	
Net EPS (RM $oldsymbol{j}$	0.35	0.63	0.94	1.17	0.68	1.23 *	
Gross dividend rate (%)	30	50	48	50	43		

^{*} Annualised

⁽a) There was **no** extraordinary item for **the** financial years/period under review.

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III SUMMARISED PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNTS (CONTINUED)

(iii) VA Dynamics

The summarised profit and loss accounts based on the audited accounts of VA Dynamics for the past five (5) financial years ended 30 June 1998, the financial year ended 3 1 December 1998 and six (6) months ended 30 June 1999 are as follows:

		v	** Year ended	6 months ended			
	1994 RM'000	1995 RM'000	ear ended 3 1996 RM'000	1997 RM'000	1998 RM'OOO	31.12.1998 RM'000	30.6.1999 RM'000
Turnover	-				9,872	2,478	2,749
Profit before depreciation and interest	-	-	-	•	1,214	165	259
Depreciation	-	-	-		(20)	(19)	(18)
Interest	-	-	-		(62)	(83)	(23)
Profit before taxation	-		-	-	1,132	63	218
Taxation	-	-	-	-	(325)	(38)	
Profit after taxation	<u> </u>			*******	807	25	218
Number of ordinary share of RM1.00 in issue ('000)	-		-	-	2,000	2.000	2,000
Gross EPS (RM)	-	-	-	-	0.57	0.03	0.22*
Net EPS (RM)	-	-	-	-	0.40	0.01	0.22*
Gross dividend rate (%)	-	-	-	-			-

- * Annualised
- ** VA Dynamics changed its financial year end from 30 June 1998 to 31 December 1998 to be co-terminous with the financial year end of its holding company, Mesiniaga.
- (a) There was no extraordinary item for the financial years/period under review.

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III SUMMARISED PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNTS (CONTINUED)

(iv) MTSB

The summarised profit and loss accounts based on the audited accounts of MTSB for the financial year ended 3 1 December 1994, the thirteen (13) months ended 3 1 December 1995, the three (3) financial years ended 3 1 December 1998 and the six (6) months ended 30 June 1999 are as follows:

3	Year ended 1.12.1994 RM'000	13 months ended 31.12.1995 RM'000	Year e 1996 RM'000	ended 31 Dec 1997 RM'000	1998 RM'000	6 months ended 30.6.1999 RM'000
Turnover		706	2,695	3,296	1,059	611
Profit before depreciation and interest		117	720	746	(515)	(107)
Depreciation		(2)	(22)	(87)	(99)	(50)
Interest		· -		1	2	
Profit/(loss) before taxation		115	698	660	(612)	(157)
Taxation		(46)	(236)	-		
Profit/(loss) after taxation		69	462	660	(612)	(157)
Number of ordinary shares of RM 1 .OO in issue ('000).		50	50	50	50	50
Gross EPS/(LPS) (RM) -	2.30	13.96	13.20	(12.24)	(6.28)*
Net EPS/(LPS) (RM)	-	1.38	9.24	13.20	(12.24)	(6.28)*
Gross dividend rate (%	o) -		180	1,200		

Notes.

(a) There was no extraordinary item for the financial years/period under review.

^{*} Annualised

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III SUMMARISED PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNTS (CONTINUED)

(v) SECTRON

The summarised profit and loss accounts based on the audited accounts of **SECTRON** for the two (2) financial years ended 3 1 December 1995, the fourteen (14) months ended 3 1 December 1996, the two (2) financial years ended 3 1 December 1998 and six (6) months ended 30 June 1999 are as follows:

	Year ended 31 1994 RM'000	December 1995 RM'000	14 months ended 31.12.1996 RM'000	Year ended 31 1997 RM'000	December 1998 RM'000	6 months ended 30.6.1999 RM'000
Turnover			557	43	8	-
Profit/(loss) before depreciation and interest			(2.77)	(508)	(10)	220
and interest	•		(257)	(508)	(10)	229
Depreciation			(14)	(18)	(15)	(7)
Interest						
Profit/(loss) before taxation	-	-	(271)	(526)	(25)	222
Taxation	-	-				
Profit/(loss) after taxation		-	(271)	(526)	(25)	222
Number of ordinary shares of RM 1.00 in issue ('000)			250	250	250	250
III ISSUE (000)	-	-	250	250	250	230
Gross EPS/(LPS) (RM	1) -	-	(1.08)	(2.10)	(0.1)	1.78*
Net EPS/(LPS) (RM)	-	-	(1.08)	(2.10)	(0.1)	1.78*
Gross dividend rate (9	/ 0) -	-				-

Notes:

Annualised

(a) There was no extraordinary item for the financial years/period under review.



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III SUMMARISED PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNTS (CONTINUED)

(vi) MSCS

The summarised profit and loss accounts based on the audited accounts of MSCS for the past five (5) financial years ended 3 1 December 1998 and six (6) months ended 30 June 1999 are as follows:

	Year ended 31December						
	1994 RM'OOO	1995 RM'OOO	1996 RM'000	1997 RM'000	1998 RM'OOO	ended 30.6.1999 RM'OOO	
Turnover	I.983	1,777	1,283				
Profit/(loss) before depreciation and interest	(165)	85	73	(7)	(17)	(9)	
Depreciation						-	
Interest					Pro-1/22	<u>-</u>	
Profit/(loss) before taxation	(165)	85	73	(7)	(17)	(9)	
Taxation			10	-	-		
Profit/(loss) after taxation	(165)	85	83	(7)	(17)	(9)	
Number of ordinary shares of RM 1 .OO in issue ('000)	51	51	51	51	51	51	
Gross EPS/(LPS) (RM)	(3.24)	1.67	1.43	(0.14)	(0.33)	(0.35)*	
Net EPS/(LPS) (RM)	(3.24)	1.67	1.63	(0.14)	(0.33)	(0.35)*	

Gross dividend rate (%)

Notes.

Annualised

(a) There was no extraordinary item for the financial years/period under review.

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III SUMMARISED PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNTS (CONTINUED)

(vii) MMSC

The summarised profit and loss accounts based on the audited accounts of MMSC for the past' four (4) financial years ended 3 1 December 1997, the thirteen (13) months ended 3 1 December 1998 and six (6) months ended 30 June 1999 are as follows:

	1994 RM'000	Year ended 1995 RM'000	31 Decem 1996 RM'000	ber 1997 RM'000	13 months ended 31.12.1998 RM'000	6 months ended 30.6.1999 RM'000
Turnover				-		-
Loss before depreciation and interest		***************************************			(18)	(6)
Depreciation				-	(2)	(3)
Interest				-	-	
Loss before taxation	-			-	(20)	(9)
Taxation	-			-	-	-
Loss after taxation	-	-	-		(20)	(9)
Number of ordinary shares of RM 1.00			·			
in issue			-	-	2	2
Gross LPS (RM)	-	-	-	-	(10,000)	(9,000)*
Net LPS (RM)	-	-	-	-	(10,000)	(9,000)*
Gross dividend rate (%	(ó) -	-	-	-		-

Notes.

* Annualised

(a) There was no extraordinary item for the jnancial years/period under review.

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IV DIVIDENDS

The details of dividends paid or declared by the Group for the past five (5) financial years ended 3 1 December 1998 are as follows:

Mesiniaga

Financial year ended	Issued and paid-up share capital RM'OOO		Gross dividend RM'OOO	Tax rate %	Net dividend RM'000
31.12.1994	10,000	Final	3,000	30	2,100
31.12.1995	10,000	Final	5,000	30	3,500
31.12.1996	10,000	Final	4,800	30	3,360
31.12.1997	10,000	Final	5,000	28	3,600
31.12.1998	10,000	Final	4,300	28	3,096
MTSB					
31.12.1996	50	Final	90	30	63
31.12.1997	50	Final	600	28	432

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V SUMMARISED BALANCE SHEETS

(i) Group

The summarised balance sheets based on the audited accounts of the Group for the last six (6) financial years ended 3 1 December 1998 and six (6) months ended 30 June 1999 are as follows:

-		A s	a t 3 1	Decem	her		As at
	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998 3	0.6.1999
		RM'000	RM'000	RM'000		RM'000	RM'000
	KWI OOO	KW UUU	KWI OOO	KWI OOO	KW OOO	KWI UUU	KW 000
Share capital	10,000	10,000	10,000	10,000	10,000	10,000	10,000
Reserves	15,235	16,618	19,920	26,894	34,949	38,724	44,539
Reserves	15,255						
	25,235	26,618	29,920	36,894	44,949	48,724	54,539
Minority interests			57	245	1,267	1,168	1,494
Deferred and long							
term liabilities	15,218	13,474	9,632	8,221	7,397	5,945	5,007
	40,453	40,092	39,609	45,360	53,613	55,837	6 1,040
Represented by:							
Fixed assets	34,589	34,332	33,555	32,945	32,317	3 1,324	30,525
Associated							
companies	406	541	897	1,705	1,751	1,943	1,692
Investments	1,000	1,000	600		,	,	,
Software developmen		,					
expenditure	387	290	246	1,514	2,223	3,060	3,109
	24.160	40.07.1	50.660	65 415	04.070	<i>(</i> 1.700	67.661
Current assets	34,160	49,97 1	59,668	65,415	94,972	61,708	67,661
Current liabilities	(30,089)	(46,042)	(55,357)	(56,219)	(77,650)	(42,198)	(41,947)
Net current assets	4,07 1	3,929	4,3 11	9,196	17,322	19,510	25,714
	40,453	40,092	39,609	45,360	53,613	55,837	6 1,040
		-,	- ,				,
NTA per share (RM)	2.48	2.63	2.97	3.54	4.27	4.57	5.14

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V SUMMARISED BALANCE SHEETS (CONTINUED)

(ii) Mesiniaga

The summarised balande sheets based on the audited accounts of Mesiniaga for the last six (6) financial years ended 31 December 1998 and six (6) months ended 30 June 1999 are as follows:

•			As at				
	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	30.6.1999
	RM'OOO	RM'OOO	RM'OOO	RM'000	RM'000	RM'OOO	RM'000
Share capital Reserves	1 0,000 15,051	10,000 16,464	1 0,000 19,289	10,000 25,332	10,000 33,477	10,000 37,202	10,000 43,327
	25,051	26,464	29,289	35,332	43,477	47,202	53,327
Deferred and long term liabilities	15,218	13,474	9,627	8,165	7,33 1	5,869	4,931
	40,269	39,938	38,916	43,497	50,808	53,071	58,258
Represented by:							
Fixed assets	34,589	34,332	33,520	32,599	31,892	30,977	30,258
Subsidiary companies	51	51	77	470	2,026	2,787	1,849
Associated companies	275	275	275	275	425	425	425
Investments	1,000	1,000	600				
Software developmen expenditure	t 387	290	246	1,296	2,223	2,928	2,968
Current assets	33,777	49,750	59,244	66,371	86,742	56,546	63,208
Current liabilities	(29,810)	(45,760)	(55,046)	(57,514)	(72,500)	(40,592)	(40,450)
Net current assets	3,967	3,990	4,198	8,857	14,242	15,954	22,758
	40,269	39,938	38,916	43,497	50,808	53,071	58,258
NTA per share (RM)	2.47	2.62	2.90	3.40	4.13	4.43	5.03



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V SUMMARISED BALANCE SHEETS (CONTINUED)

(iii) VA Dynamics

VA Dynamics was incorporated on 15 July 1996 and was acquired by Mesiniaga on 1 July 1997. The balance sheets based on the audited accounts of VA Dynamics for financial period ended 30 June 1997, the financial year ended 30 June 1998, the financial period ended 3 1 December 1998 and six (6) months ended 30 June 1999 are as follows:

	As at 30.6.1997 RM'000	As at 30.6.1998 RM'000	* As at 31.12.1998 RM'OOO	As at 30.6.1999 RM'000
Share capital Retained profit	**	2,000 807	2,000 833	2,000 1,051
Deferred taxation		2,807	2,833 13	3,051 13
		2,807	2,846	3,064
Represented by:				***************************************
Fixed assets Deferred expenditure	5	111	108	90
CURRENT ASSETS Stocks Trade debtors Other debtors Bank balances		3,695 1,905 59 132	3,041 1.303 24 361	2,347 1,576 21 256
		5,791	4,729	4,200
Less: CURRENT LIABILITIES Trade creditors Other creditors Amount due to holding company Taxation	5	683 72 2,015 325	402 52 1,187 350	814 13 49 350
	5	3,095	1,991	1,226
Net current assets/(liabilities)	(5)	2,696	2,738	2,974
		2,807	2,846	3,064
NTA per share (RM)		1.40	1.42	1.53

^{*} VA Dynamics changed its financial year end from 30 June 1998 to 31 December 1998 to be co-terminous with the financial year end of its holding company, Mesiniaga.

 ^{*} RM2.00

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V SUMMARISED BALANCE SHEETS (CONTINUED)

(iv) MTSB

MTSB was incorporated on 16 December 1994 and the accounts for the financial period ended 3 1 December 1995 was its first set of accounts since incorporation. The balance sheets based on the audited accounts of MTSB for the financial period ended 3 1 December 1995, the three (3) financial years ended 3 1 December 1998 and the six (6) months ended 30 June 1999 are as follows:

	As at 31 December				As at
	1995	1996	1997	1998	30.6.1999
	RM'OOO	RM'OOO	RM'OOO	RM'000	RM'OOO
Share capital	50	50	50	50	50
Profit and loss accounts	69	468	510	(103)	(260)
	119	518	560	(53)	(210)
Deferred taxation	6	56	63	63	63
	125	574	623	10	(147)
Represented by:					
Fixed assets	35	282	269	190	141
Software development expenditure		•		97	141
CURRENT ASSETS					
Stocks		10	30	19	22
Trade debtors	547	484	997	293	184
Other debtors	21	21	74	73	13
Amount due from holding company			26		-
Bank balances	103	467	250	81	32
	671	982	1,377	466	251

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V SUMMARISED BALANCE SHEETS (CONTINUED)

(iv) MTSB (Continued)

		As at			
	1995	1996	1997	1998	30.6.1999
	RM'OOO	RM'OOO	RM'000	RM'OOO	RM'OOO
Less: CURRENT LIABILITIES					
Trade creditors	189	179	60	75	30
Other creditors and accruals	23	247	183	36	43
Amount due to					
holding company	329	4		200	375
Taxation	40	197	348	40	40
Proposed dividend	-	63	432	392	192
	581	690	1,023	743	680
Net current assets/(liabilities)	90	292	354	(277)	(429)
	125	574	623	10	(147)
				•	-
NTA per share (RM)	2.38	10.36	11.20	(3.00)	(7.02)

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V SUMMARISED BALANCE SHEETS (CONTINUED)

(v) SECTRON

SECTRON was incorporated on 13 November 1995 and the accounts for the financial period ended 3 1 December 1996 was its first set of **accounts** since incorporation. The balance sheets based on the audited accounts of **SECTRON** for the financial period ended 31 December 1996, the two (2) financial years ended 31 December 1998 and six (6) months ended 30 June 1999 are as follows:

	As at 3	31 Decemb 1997	oer 1998	As at 30.6.1999
	RM'000	RM'000	RM'000	RM'000
Share capital Profit and loss accounts	250 (271)	250 (798)	250 (823)	250 (600)
	(21)	(548)	(573)	(350)
Represented by:				
Fixed asset Software development expenditure	63 218	41	21	14
CURRENT ASSETS Trade debtors	378			_
Bank balances	213	96	3	3
	591	96	3	3
Less: CURRENT LIABILITIES	202	997	222	
Trade creditors Other creditors and accruals	303 264	237 9	232 7	5
Amount due to holding company	326	439	358	362
	893	685	597	367
Net current liabilities	(302)	(589)	(594)	(364)
	(21)	(548)	(573)	(350)
NTA per share (RM)	(0.96)	(2.19)	(2.29)	(1.40)

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V SUMMARISED BALANCE SHEETS (CONTINUED)

(vi) MSCS

The balance sheets based on the audited accounts of MSCS for the last six (6) financial years ended 3 1 December 1998 and six (6) months ended 30 June 1999 are as follows:

-	As at 31 December					As at	
	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	30.6.1999
	RM'OOO	RM'OOO	RM'OOO	RM'OOO	RM'OOO	RM'OOO	RM'OOO
Share capital	51	51	l		51	51	51
Profit and loss accounts	54	(111	(26)	55	49	32	23
	105	(60)	25	100	6 10	0 83	74
Represented by:							
CURRENT ASSETS							
Stocks	136	146			-	-	-
Trade debtors	103	40	•	-	-	-	-
Other debtors	56	17	43	42	7	-	-
Amount due from							
holding company	67	55	345	119	114	93	84
Cash and bank balances	89	19	40	39	1	1	1
	451	277	428	200	122	94	85
Less: CURRENT LIABILITIES							
Trade creditors	264	262	272	68	-		
Other creditors and accruals		55	111	16	12	1	1
Taxation	37	20	20	10	10	10	10
	346	337	403	94	22	11	11
Net current assets/ (liabilities)	105	(60)	25	106	100	83	74
NTA per share (RM)	2.06	(1.18)	0.49	2.08	1.96	1.63	1.45

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V SUMMARISED BALANCE SHEETS (CONTINUED)

(vii) MMSC

MMSC was incorporated on 12 December 1997 and the accounts for the financial period ended 3 1 December 1998 was its first set of accounts since incorporation. The balance sheets based on the audited accounts of MMSC for the financial period ended 3 1 December 1998 and the six (6) months ended 30 June 1999 are as follows:

	As at 31.12.1998 RM'000	As at 30.6.1999 RM'000
Share capital* Profit and loss accounts	(20)	(29)
Represented by:		
Fixed assets	26	22
CURRENT LIABILITIES Other creditors and accruals Amount due to holding company	8 38	1 50
Net current liabilities	(46)	(51)
	(20)	(29)
NTA per share (RM)	(10,000)	(14,500)

Note:

* RM2.00

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VI STATEMENT OF ASSETS AND LIABILITIES

The statement of assetsand liabilities of the Group and the Company have been prepared based on the audited accounts of Mesiniaga as at 30 June 1999 and should be read in conjunction with the notes thereon.

	Notes	Group RM'000	Company RM'000
Share capital	3	10,000	10,000
Reserves	4	44,539	43,327
		54,539	53,327
Minority interests		1,494	
Term loan (secured)	5	1,406	1,406
Retirement benefits	6	975	975
Deferred taxation		2,626	2,550
		61,040	58,258
Represented by:			
Fixed assets	7	30,525	30,258
Subsidiary companies	8		1,849
Associated companies	9	1,692	425
Software development expenditure	10	3,109	2,968
CURRENT ASSETS			
Inventories	11	16,957	14,588
Debtors	12	45,53 1	43,739
Cash, bank balances and deposits	13	5,173	4,88 1
		67,661	63,208

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VI STATEMENT OF ASSETS AND LIABILITIES (CONTINUED)

	Notes	Group RM'000	Company RM'000
CURRENT LIABILITIES			
Creditors	14	28,366	27,461
Short term borrowings	15	9,703	9,703
Provision for taxation		2,246	1,846
Proposed dividends		1,632	1,440
		41,947	40,450
Net current assets		25,714	22,758
		61,040	58,258
NTA per share (RM)		5.14	5.03



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NOTES TO THE STATEMENT OF ASSETS AND LIABILITIES

Basis of accounting

The accounts of the Group and the Company have been prepared under the historical cost convention in accordance with the applicable approved Accounting Standards in Malaysia.

2 Significant accounting policies

(a) Basis of consolidation

The consolidated accounts include the accounts of the Company and of its subsidiary companies made up to the end of the financial period. All significant intercompany accounts and transactions have been eliminated on consolidation.

(b) Fixed assets and depreciation

Fixed assets are stated at cost, less accumulated depreciation.

Freehold land is not depreciated. Other fixed assets are depreciated on a straight line basis to write off the cost of assets over its estimated useful life at the following annual rates of depreciation:

Building 2%
Rental machines 25% to 50%
Office equipment, furniture and fittings 12.5% to 50%

Included in office equipment is computer hardware or software costs which clearly represent an enhancement beyond their previously assessed standard of performance and are capitalised as fixed assets.

Costs associated with upgrading, modifying or improving internally used hardware or software and fixed assets embedded with software or computer-chips for Year 2000 readiness are recognised as an expense when incurred, other than hardware and software enhancement costs as stated above.



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NOTES TO THE STATEMENT OF ASSETS AND LIABILITIES (CONTINUED)

2 **Significant accounting policies** (Continued)

(c) Investment in subsidiary companies

Investment in subsidiary companies are stated at cost, less provision for any permanent diminution in value or at Directors' valuation which recognises the values of the underlying net tangible assets of the investments.

(d) Investment in associated companies

An associated company is a company, other than a subsidiary company, in which the Group has a long term equity investment of 20% to 50% and where the Group has representation on the board and is in a position to exercise significant influence in financial and operating policy decisions.

The consolidated profit and loss account includes the Group's share of profits of associated companies based on the latest management accounts of the companies concerned. In the consolidated balance sheet, the Group's interest in associated companies is stated at cost net of provision being made in the event of any permanent diminution in value, plus the Group's share of post acquisition retained profits and reserves.

(e) Software development expenditure

Software development expenditure relates to development work carried out in developing specialised software packages. Cost includes direct costs such as licence fee, salaries and hardware costs specifically attributable to each project. Costs incurred in software development which are not or have ceased to be commercially viable, are written off in the year.

Software development expenditure is amortised over a period of five years.

(f) Inventories

Inventories are valued at the lower of cost and net realisable value after providing for slow-moving and obsolete items. Cost, which includes purchase price and other import charges, is determined on a weighted average basis.

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NOTES TO THE STATEMENT OF ASSETS AND LIABILITIES (CONTINUED)

2 Significant accounting policies (Continued)

(g) Debtors

Known bad debts are written off and specific provision is made for any considered to be doubtful of collection. In addition, a general provision based on a percentage of trade debtors is made to cover possible losses which are not specifically identified.

(h) Foreign currencies

Transactions in foreign currencies are converted into Ringgit Malaysia at exchange rates approximating those ruling on the transaction dates. Assets and liabilities in foreign currencies at balance sheet date are translated into Ringgit Malaysia at exchange rates approximating those ruling at that date. All exchange differences are taken to the profit and loss account.

(i) Hire purchase and finance lease assets

Assets acquired under hire purchase and finance lease agreements are capitalised. The depreciation policy on these assets is similar to that of the Company's other fixed assets as set out in paragraph 2(b) above.

Outstanding obligations due under the hire purchase and finance lease agreements after deducting interest expense are included in current liabilities in the accounts. The interest expense of the hire purchase instalments are charged to the profit and loss account over the period of the agreement.

(i) Retirement benefits

Costs in respect of retirement benefits for eligible employees under the Mesiniaga Retirement Plan, a defined benefit plan, are allocated to the profit and loss account systematically over the expected remaining service lives of those employees. The cost of retirement benefits under this plan is determined using the Projected Benefit Valuation Method.



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NOTES TO THE STATEMENT OF ASSETS AND LIABILITIES (CONTINUED)

2 Significant accounting policies (Continued)

(k) Deferred taxation

Deferred taxation is provided using the liability method on timing differences between accounting income and taxable income except where the timing differences are not expected to reverse in the foreseeable future. Debit balances on the deferred taxation account are recognised where there is reasonable expectation of their realisation in the foreseeable future.

(1) Cash and cash equivalents

Cash and cash equivalents comprise cash in hand, bank balances, short term deposits with a maturity of 3 months or less, and bank overdrafts.

3 Share capital

J	Share Capital	Group RM'000	Company RM'000
	Authorised, issued and fully paid: 10,000,000 ordinary shares of RM1 each	10,000	10,000
4	Reserves		
	Retained profits Capital reserve on consolidation	44,499 40	43,327
		44,539	43,327

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NOTES TO THE STATEMENT OF ASSETS AND LIABILITIES (CONTINUED)

5 Term loan (secured)

	Group RM'000	Company RM'000
Term loan Short term borrowings - amount repayable within 12 months (Note 15)	3,281	3,281
	(1,875)	(1,875)
	1,406	1,406

The term loan is a facility under the Islamic financing contract of Al-Bai Bithaman Ajil which was utilised to finance the construction of the Company's building. This loan is repayable over 10 years commencing January 1991 and carries an average finance charge of approximately 4.7% per annum. The term loan is secured on the freehold land and the building of the Company.

6 **Retirement benefits**

Contributions for retirement benefits in respect of eligible employees are paid by the Company into the Mesiniaga Retirement Plan, a fund independent of the Company's finances. Contribution rates are determined from time to time by consulting actuaries.

The last actuarial valuation using the 'Aggregate Method', a form of the Projected Benefit Valuation method, was as at 3 1 December 1996.

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NOTES TO THE STATEMENT OF ASSETS AND LIABILITIES (CONTINUED)

Fixed assets	At				A 4
	1.1.1999	Additions	Reclassifications	Disposals	At 30.6.1999
	RM'OOO	RM'OOO	RM'000	RM'OOO	RM'000
<u>Group</u>					
Cost: Own Assets					
Freehold land	3,805				3,805
Building	26,045		•		26,045
Rental machines	987	483	(364)		1,106
Office equipment,	10.410	5 0	501	(20)	12.024
furniture and fittings	12,413	58	591	(30)	13,032
	43,250	541	227	(30)	43,988
Cost: Assets acquired under hire purchase and finance lease	,			, ,	,
Computer software	349	•	(227)		122
Office equipment	107	-	, ,		107
	43,706	541		(30)	44,217
Accumulated depreciation: Own Assets					
Freehold land			_		
Building	3,172	260	-		3,432
Rental machines	641	138	(39)	-	740
Office equipment,					
furniture and fittings	8,3 11	914	281	(30)	9,476
	12,124	1,312	242	(30)	13,648
Accumulated depreciation: Assets acquired under hire purchase and finance lease					
Computer software	258	15	(242)		31
Office equipment	203	13	•		13

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NOTES TO THE STATEMENT OF ASSETS AND LIABILITIES (CONTINUED)

Fixed assets (Continued)	At 1.1.1999	Additions	Reclassifications	Disposals	At 30.6.1999
Company	RM'000	RM'000	RM'000	RM'000	RM'000
Cost: Own Assets					
Freehold land	3,805	-			3,805
Building Rental machines	26,045 987	483	(364)		26,045 1,106
Office equipment, furniture and fittings	1 1,777	57	591	(30)	12,395
Cost: Assets acquired under hire purchase and finance lease	42,614	540	227	(30)	43,351
Computer software Office equipment	349 107		(227)	•	122 107
	43,070	540		(30)	43,580
Accumulated depreciation: Own Assets					
Freehold land	2 172	260			2 422
Building Rental machines	3,172 641	260 138	(39)		3,432 740
Office equipment, furniture and fittings	8,022	833	281	(30)	9,106
Accumulated depreciation: Assets acquired under hire purchase and finance lease	11,835	1.231	242	(30)	13,278
Computer software Office equipment	258	15 13	(242)		31 13
	12,093	1,259		(30)	13,322



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NOTES TO THE STATEMENT OF ASSETS AND LIABILITIES (CONTINUED)

7	Fixed	assets	(Continued)
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,	Group RM'000	Company RM'000
Net Book Value		
Own Assets		
Freehold land	3,805	3,805
Building	22,613	22,613
Rental machines	366	366
Office equipment, furniture and fittings	3,556	3,289
	30,340	30,073
Assets acquired under hire		
purchase and finance lease		
Computer software	91	91
Office equipment	94	94
	30,525	30,258
	1	

The freehold land and building of the Company are charged to a facility under the Islamic financing contract of Al-Bai Bithaman Ajil.

8 Subsidiary companies

	RM'000	RM'000
Unquoted shares, at cost Provision for diminution in value		1,247 (150)
Amount owing by subsidiary companies Amount owing to subsidiary companies		1,097 836 (84)
		1,849

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NOTES TO THE STATEMENT OF ASSETS AND LIABILITIES (CONTINUED)

8 Subsidiary companies (Continued)

The Group's equity interest in the subsidiary companies and their respective principal activities are as follows:

Name of company	Principal activities	Country of incorporation	Equity interest
Mesiniaga - Tactics Sdn. Bhd.	Consultancy in custom developed course materials, training and development of software	Malaysia	51
VA Dynamics Sdn. Bhd.	Selling networking cables and related products	Malaysia	51
Secure Online Transactions Sdn. Bhd.	Provision of secured online transaction services for the banking, finance, insurance and securities business	Malaysia	100
Mesiniaga-SCS Sdn. Bhd. (formerly known as Infosolutions Sdn. Bhd.)	Dormant	Malaysia	100
Mesiniaga MSC Sdn. Bhd.	Dormant	Malaysia	100

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NOTES TO THE STATEMENT OF ASSETS AND LIABILITIES (CONTINUED)

9 **Associated companies**

	Group RM'000	Company RM'000
Unquoted shares, at cost Group's share of post-acquisition profits	425 1,267	425
	1,692	425

The Group's equity interest in the associated companies and their respective principal activities are as follows:

Name of company	Principal activities	Country of incorporation	Equity interest %
Axis Systems Sdn. Bhd.	Developing and marketing of software and hardware products and provision of software programming services	Malaysia	25
Commercial Software Services (M) Sdn. Bhd.	Development and sale of computer software and equipment, installation and support of computer software systems	Malaysia	30

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NOTES TO THE STATEMENT OF ASSETS AND LIABILITIES (CONTINUED)

10	Software development expenditure		
	a contract of the contract of	Group RM'000	Company RM'000
	At 1.1.1999	3,025	2,928
	Incurred during the financial period Amortised during the financial period	379 (295)	335 (295)
	At 30.61999	3,109	2,968
11	Inventories		
	Equipment	13,008	13,008
	Spare parts	1,741	1,741
	Supplies	215	181
	Cables	5,434	2,976
		20,398	17,906
	Less: Provision for stocks obsolescence	(3,441)	(3,3 18)
		16,957	14,588
12	Debtors		
	Trade debtors	47,287	45,372
	Less: Provision for doubtful debts	(3,083)	(2,927)
		44,204	42,445
	Other debtors	1,327	1,294
		45,531	43,739

Included in trade debtors is an amount due from an associated company of RM15,000.



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NOTES TO THE STATEMENT OF ASSETS AND LIABILITIES (CONTINUED)

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	Group RM'000	Company RM'000
Cash and bank balances	1,973	1,681
Deposits with licensed financial institutions	3,200	3,200
	5,173	4,88 1
Creditors		
Trade creditors	25,707	24,863
Other creditors	2,659	2,598
	28,366	27,46 1
	Deposits with licensed financial institutions Creditors Trade creditors	Cash and bank balances Deposits with licensed financial institutions 5,173 Creditors Trade creditors Other creditors 25,707 2,659

Included in other creditors is an amount of RM174,878 representing outstanding obligations payable in respect of fixed assets acquired under hire purchase term agreement.

	Group RM'000		Company RM'000
Analysis of hire purchase commitments:			
Payable not later than one year	91		91
Payable later than one year, not later than two years	69		69
Payable later than two years, not later than five years	1	5	15
	175		175
Representing hire purchase liabilities:	 _		
Current	91		91
Long term	84		84
	175		175

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NOTES TO THE STATEMENT OF ASSETS AND LIABILITIES (CONTINUED)

15 Short term borrowings

	Group RM'000	Company RM'000
Bank overdraft (unsecured)	28	28
Bankers' acceptance (unsecured)	7,800	7,800
Term loan (secured) - amount repayable within		
12 months (Note 5)	1,875	1,875
	9,703	9,703

The short term borrowings carry interest rates which vary according to prevailing base lending rate ranging from 3.09% to 9.30% per annum.

VII NET TANGIBLE ASSETS COVER

Based on the statement of assets and liabilities of the Group as at 30 June 1999 as set out in paragraph VI above and after adjusting for revaluation surplus and the payment of cash dividends, bonus. issue, rights issue and public issue under the terms of the prospectus and the estimated listing expenses, the adjusted net tangible assets will be as follows:

	RM'000
Group's net tangible assets as at 30 June 1999	51,430
Add: Incorporation of revaluation surplus and payment of cash dividends Proceeds from rights issue Proceeds from public issue	3,807 19,866 9,500
Less: Estimated listing expenses	84,603 (2,200)
	82,403

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NOTES TO THE STATEMENT OF ASSETS AND LIABILITIES (CONTINUED)

VII NET TANGIBLE ASSETS COVER (CONTINUED)

Number of ordinary shares

'000

Ordinary shares of RM1.OO each in issue as at 30 June 1999 10,000

Add: Bonus issue 25,134 Rights issue 19,866 5,000 Public issue

60,000

NTA per share (RM)

1.37

VIII ACCOUNTS

No audited accounts have been prepared in respect of any period subsequent to 30 June 1999.

Yours faithfully,

PRICEWATERHOUSECOOPERS

(No. AF: 1146) Public Accountants

ERIC 001 LIP AUN (No. 1517/6/00 (J))

Partner of the firm

13. DIRECTORS' REPORT

Registered Office:

11th Floor Menara Mesiniaga 1A, Jalan SS 16/1 Subang Jaya 47500 Petaling Jaya Selangor Darul Ehsan

2 1 September 1999

The Shareholders Mesiniaga Berhad

Dear Sir/Madam

On behalf of the Board of Directors of Mesiniaga Berhad, I report after due inquiry that during the periodfrom 30 June 1999 (being the date to which the last audited accounts of the Company and its subsidiaries have been made up) to 20 September 1999 (being a date not earlier than fourteen (14) days before the issue of this Prospectus), that:

- (a) the business of the Company and its subsidiaries, in the opinion of the Directors, has been satisfactorily maintained;
- (b) in the opinion of the Directors, no circumstances have arisen since the last audited accounts of the Company and its subsidiaries which have adversely affected the trading or the value of the assets of the Company or its subsidiaries;
- (c) the current assets of the Company and its subsidiaries which appear in the books at values which are believed to be realisable in the ordinary course of business;
- (d) no contingent liabilities have risen by reason of any guarantees given by the Company and/or its subsidiaries; and
- (e) save as disclosed in the Proforma Consolidated Balance Sheets in Section 11.6 of this Prospectus, there have been no changes in the published reserves nor any unusual factors affecting the profits of the Company or its subsidiaries.

Yours faithfully, For and on behalf of the Board of Directors

ISMAIL BIN SULAIMAN
Executive Chairman/ Managing Director

INTERNATIONAL

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Juruukur Berkanun Chartered Surveyors Perunding Hart. Antarabangsa International Property Consultants

VALUATION CERTIFICATE

Mesiniaga Berhad Menara Mesiniaga 47500 PETALING JAYA Selangor Darul Ehsan

Dear Sir/Madam

LOT NO PT 12204 MUKIM OF DAMANSARA DISTRICT OF PETALING, SELANGOR

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This certificate has been prepared for inclusion in the prospectus to be dated 30th September 1999 in connection with the offer for sale of 4,490,000 ordinary shares of RM1.OO each in Mesiniaga and public issue of 5,000,000 new ordinary shares of RM1.00 each in Mesiniaga at an offer/issue price of RM1.90 per share.

We have inspected the property on 19th August 1999 and we have taken the date of inspection as the date of valuation.

The basis of the valuation is the market value of the subject property. The market value is the estimated amount for which an asset should exchange on the date of valuation between a willing buyer and a willing seller in an arms-length transaction after proper marketing wherein the parties had each acted knowledgeably, prudently and without compulsion. The valuation has been prepared in accordance with the requirements as set out in the Guidelines on Asset Valuation for submission to the Securities Commission, Malaysia and the Malaysian Valuation Standards issued by the Board of Valuers, Appraisers and Estate Agents, Malaysia.

We have valued the property as mentioned above by the Comparison and Investment Methods of valuation and the valuation details are shown in our Valuation Report under reference No. PJ/437/96/193/99/ZAI dated 23rd August 1999.

Kuala Lumpur Petaling Jaya Penang Johor Bahru Kuantan Malacca Ipoh Alor Setar Butterworth Kota Bharu Batu Pahat Kuala Terengganu Seremban Kota Kinabalu Sandakan Tawau Lahad Datu Labuan Kuching Sibu Miri Bintulu Brunei

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LOT NO PT 12204 MUKIM OF DAMANSARA DISTRICT OF PETALING, SELANGOR

In our opinion, the market value of the subject property identified below, subject to the title being free from **all** encumbrances is as **follows**:-

Property held for owner occupation.

	Property	Description, Age and Tenure	Market Value for Existing Use
1.	Lot No PT 12204, Mukim of Damansara, District of Petaling, Selangor [Address: Menara Mesiniaga, No. IA, Jalan SS 16/1, Subang Jaya, Petaling Jaya, Selangor]	15-storey purpose built office building with subbasement car-park floor and roof recreation floor. The building was completed in 1992. Built-Up Area Gross Area: 11,364.31 square metres Net Area: 6,741.50 square metres Land Area 6,503 square metres (70,000 square feet) Occupation Details Owner occupied except for 9th floor which is tenanted to Selangor Human Resource Development Centre. Tenure: Freehold	(Ringgit Malaysia: Forty

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15. MESINIAGA ESOS

Mesiniaga has proposed to implement an ESOS for the benefit of its full time executive directors and employees not earlier than one (1) year from the date of the listing of the Mesiniaga Shares on the KLSE. No option has been granted under the ESOS as at the date of this Prospectus.

The Bye-Laws of the Proposed ESOS, which was approved by the KLSE on 24 September 1999 is set out below:

1. DEFINITIONS

1.1 In this Scheme, the following words shall, unless the context otherwise requires, bear the following meanings:

"Act" Companies Act, 1965 as amended from time to time
"Articles" Articles of Association of the Company as amended from time to time

"Bye-Laws" Bye-Laws of the Scheme, as amended from time to time

"Board" Board of Directors of the Company

"CDS Account" Central Depository System account

"Mesiniaga" or "Company"

Mesiniaga Berhad

"Mesiniaga Group"

or "Group"

Mesiniaga and its subsidiaries, save for those subsidiaries that are

dormant

"Date of Offer" The date inscribed on a particular Offer document, being the date on

which an Offer is deemed to have been made in accordance with these

Bye-Laws

"EGM" Extraordinary general meeting

"Eligible Employee" Any employee or Executive Director employed by the Mesiniaga

Group (including those employed overseas) who is eligible to

participate in the Scheme in accordance with Bye-Law 3

"Executive Director" Any executive director involved in the day-to-day management and

on the payroll of the Group

"General Offer" A general offer under the revised Malaysian Code on Take-Overs &

Mergers 1998

"Grantee" A Selected Employee who has accepted an Offer or any part thereof

in accordance with the terms of the Scheme

"KLSE" Kuala Lumpur Stock Exchange

"Market Day" Any day when the KLSE is open for trading of securities

"Maximum The maximum aggregate number of new Shares that can be allocated Allowable to an Eligible Employee falling within a particular category of

Allocation" Eligible Employees as provided in Bye-Law 5 hereof

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"Offer" A written offer to take up options to subscribe for new Shares made

by the Option Committee to an Eligible Employee in accordance with

Bye-Law 4

"Offer Period": A period of forty five (45) days from the Date of Offer or such other

period as the Option Committee may prescribe if such Offer or such part thereof is capable of immediate acceptance by the Selected Employee or within a period of forty five (45) days from a date or dates to be notified by the Option Committee from time to time or such other period as the Option Committee may prescribe from time

to time

"Offeror" The person or body corporate making a General Offer

"Option" Each of the option contracts constituted upon each acceptance of an

Offer or any part thereof in the manner set out in Bye-Law 6

"Option Committee": The committee appointed by the Board pursuant to Bye-Law 13 to

administer the Scheme

"Option Period": A period commencing on the Date of Offer and expiring five (5)

years therefrom or upon the date of expiry of the Scheme as provided

in Bye-Law 17

"Exercise Condition": A condition attaching to an Option in accordance with Bye-Law 8.2

"Exercise Period": The specific period or periods within an Option Period during which

Options may be exercised by Grantees, as determined by the Option

Committee pursuant to Bye-Law 8.1

"Exercise Price" : In respect of each Option, the price at which a Grantee shall be

entitled to subscribe for new Shares by exercising his Option, as set

out in Bye-Law 7

"RM" Ringgit Malaysia

"ROC" Registrar of Companies, Malaysia

"Scheme" Mesiniaga employees' share option scheme established for the

granting of Options to employees of the Group to subscribe for new

Shares

"Selected Employee": An Eligible Employee who has been selected by the Option

Committee and to whom an Offer has been made by the Option

Committee

"Share(s)" Ordinary share(s) of RM 1 .OO each in Mesiniaga

"SC" Securities Commission

"Subsidiary" A corporation, which is a subsidiary of the Company within the

meaning of Section 5 of the Companies Act. 1965

- 1.2 In these Bye-Laws unless the context requires otherwise words denoting the singular shall include the plural and words denoting the masculine gender shall include the feminine and neuter genders.
- 1.3 The headings in these Bye-Laws are for convenience only and shall not be taken into account in the interpretation of these Bye-Laws.
- 1.4 If an event is to occur on a stipulated day, which is not a market day, then the stipulated day will be taken to be the next market day.

2. MAXIMUM AMOUNT OF SHARES AVAILABLE UNDER THE SCHEME

- 2.1 The total number of new Shares to be issued under the Scheme and in respect of which Options to be granted to the Grantee shall not exceed 10% of the total issued and paid-up share capital of Mesiniaga at any point in time during the duration of the Scheme as defined in Bye-Law 17 hereof.
- 2.2 Notwithstanding the provision of Bye-Law 2.1 nor any other provisions herein contained, in the event the maximum number of new Shares comprised in the Options granted under the Scheme exceeds the aggregate of ten percentum (10%) of the issued and paid-up share capital of the Company as a result of the Company purchasing its own Shares in accordance with the provisions of Section 67A of the Companies Act, 1965 and thereby diminishing its issued and paid-up capital, then such Options granted prior to the adjustment of the issued and paid-up capital of the Company shall remain valid and exercisable in accordance with the provisions of this Scheme.
- 2.3 The Company shall at all times ensure that there are sufficient Shares available as may be required to meet the subsisting rights of Grantees by ensuring that the Company shall keep available for allotment sufficient ordinary unissued shares to satisfy Options under which new Shares may be subscribed for.

3. ELIGIBILITY

- 3.1 To be eligible for participation in the Scheme and selection by the Option Committee, the person must satisfy the following conditions:
 - (a) the Eligible Employee must be a full-time and confirmed employee of the Group; AND
 - (b) the Eligible Employee must have served the Group for one (1) continuous year and has been confirmed in service on or prior to the Date of Offer and where the foreign employee or foreign Executive Director is serving under a fixed term contract of employment, the contract (including any period of employment which that person has already served) should be for a period of at least three (3) years as per the SC's Guidelines on Issue/ Offer of Securities.
 - (c) A foreign Eligible Employee who is serving the Group on a full-time basis, and whose contribution is vital to the Group, can be considered for allocation of options subject to a restriction on the exercise of options whereby not more than 20% of the total options allocated can be exercised on an annual basis; AND
 - (d) the Eligible Employee must have attained the age of eighteen (18) years on or before the Date of Offer.
- 3.2 Eligible Employees of the Group who have been granted Options under an earlier employee share option scheme may be allowed to participate in the new scheme subject to them having completed at least **five** (5) years of continuous service in the Group.

- 3.3 In addition to the foregoing, an Executive Director of the Company shall only be eligible to participate in the Scheme if he is holding a full-time executive position and the specific allotment to be made to the Executive Director has been approved by the Company in general meeting.
- 3.4 No Eligible Employee shall at any one point in time participate or be eligible to participate in more than one (1) employees' share option scheme implemented by any company within the Group.
- 3.5 Selection for participation in the Scheme shall be at the discretion of the Option Committee.
- 3.6 Eligibility under the Scheme does not confer on an Eligible Employee a claim or right to participate in or any rights whatsoever under the Scheme and an Eligible Employee does not acquire or have any rights over or in connection with the Options or the new Shares comprised herein unless an Offer has been made by the Option Committee to the Eligible Employee and the Eligible Employee has accepted the Offer in accordance with the terms of the Offer and the Scheme.

4. OFFER

- 4.1 The Option Committee may at its discretion at any time and from time to time as it shall deem fit make an offer to any Eligible Employee whom the Option Committee may at its discretion select to subscribe for the new Shares, in accordance with the terms of the Scheme PROVIDED ALWAYS that the aggregate number of new Shares comprised in the Option to be offered to any Eligible Employee (inclusive of Shares comprised in the Option previously offered under the Scheme, if any) shall not exceed the Maximum Allowable Allocation as set out in Bye-Law 5.
- 4.2 An Offer may be made with such terms and conditions as the Option Committee may decide from time to time. The Offer is personal to the Selected Employee and cannot be assigned, transferred, charged or otherwise disposed in any manner whatsoever. An Offer or any part thereof which has not yet been accepted or which is not yet capable of being accepted shall automatically lapse and be null and void if any of the events stipulated as a termination event of Option in Bye-Law 15 shall occur in respect of the Selected Employee prior to the acceptance of such Offer or part thereof by that Selected Employee, or prior to such Offer or part thereof becoming capable of being accepted.

5. BASIS OF ALLOCATION AND MAXIMUM ALLOWABLE ALLOCATION

- 5.1 The Option Committee shall be entitled at its discretion, after taking into consideration inter alia the seniority, performance and length of service of an Eligible Employee, to determine the number of new Shares to be offered to the Eligible Employee under the Scheme.
- 5.2 Subject to any adjustment which may be made under Bye-Law 10, the Option Committee shall be entitled in its discretion to determine the number of new Shares to be comprised in an Offer made to the Selected Employee under the Scheme.

5.3 Subject to any adjustment which may be made under Bye-Law 10, the specific number or as the case may be, the maximum aggregate number of underlying new Shares comprised in Offers which can be made to an Eligible Employee is set out in the table below. The Maximum Allowable Allocation set out is not an obligation and the Option Committee shall not be obliged in any way to allocate to that Eligible Employee all of the specified maximum number of shares.

Category of Eligible Employees (for the purpose of the Scheme)	Maximum Allowable Allocation per Eligible Employee (No. of new Options)
Executive Director	300,000
Senior Manager	200,000
Manager	125,000
Executives	80,000
Non-Executives	50,000

5.4 For the purpose of the Scheme, in the event that an Eligible Employee is promoted to a new category, the Maximum Allowable Allocation applicable to such Eligible Employee shall be the Maximum Allowable Allocation corresponding to the new category.

6. ACCEPTANCE OF OFFER

- An Offer or any part thereof shall be valid for a period of forty five (45) days from the Date of Offer or such other period as the Option Committee may prescribe if such Offer or such part thereof is capable of immediate acceptance by the Selected Employee or within a period of forty five (45) days from a date or dates to be notified by the Option Committee from time to time or such other period as the Option Committee may prescribe from time to time PROVIDED ALWAYS that the Option Committee may at its discretion extend the Offer Period by such further periods as it deems fit.
- 6.2 Acceptance of an Offer shall be in writing within the Offer Period in such form as may be prescribed by the Option Committee.
- 6.3 Each acceptance of an Offer or any part thereof must be accompanied by a non-refundable sum of Ringgit Malaysia One (RM1.00) only as consideration for the Option arising from such acceptance.
- 6.4 If any Offer or part thereof is not accepted in the manner prescribed above, such Offer or such part thereof shall on expiry of the said forty five (45)-day period or such other period as the Option Committee may prescribe, shall be deemed to have been rejected and shall automatically lapse and be null and void and of no further legal effect.

7. EXERCISE PRICE

- 7.1 The price at which the Grantee is entitled to subscribe for new Shares under an Option shall be based on the average of the mean market quotation of the Shares (calculated as the average of the highest and lowest prices of the Shares transacted) as shown in the Daily Diary issued by the KLSE for the five (5) market days immediately preceding the Date of Offer. Notwithstanding this, the Exercise Price per new Share shall in no event be less than its par value.
- 7.2 The Exercise Price shall be stipulated in each Option certificate.

8. EXERCISE OF OPTION

- 8.1 Subject to Bye-Law 8.2, as long as an Option remains valid, the Option may only be exercised on any Market Day. during such periods as determined by the Option Committee (in its discretion at any time and from time to time) and notified in writing to the Grantees. Notwithstanding this, the Exercise Period shall not exceed the Option Period.
- 8.2 (a) An Option granted under the Scheme shall be capable of being exercised by notice in writing to the Option Committee in the form to be determined by the Option Committee from time to time, on any Market Day during the Option Period subject to the following limits on the exercise of Options:

No. of Options granted	Percentage of Options exercisable				
	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5
Below 20,000	100%				
20,000 to less than 100,000	40%'	30%	30%²		
100,000 and above	20%	20%	20%	20%	20%

- 40% or 20,000 Options, whichever is the higher
- ² 30% or the remaining number of Options unexercised
- (b) Any new Shares comprised in an Option which is exercisable in a particular year but not exercised in that year can be exercised in the subsequent years within the Option Period, subject to the Scheme remaining in force. Notwithstanding Bye-Law 8.2(a), if the Scheme is not renewed or extended, all the new Shares comprised in an Option remaining unexercised can be exercised prior to the expiry of the Scheme in the Option Period(s) designated by the Option Committee.
- 8.3 An Option may be exercised in whole or in part PROVIDED THAT such exercise of the Option must not be in respect of less than 1,000 Shares nor otherwise than in multiples of 1,000 Shares on any occasion.
- 8.4 The Grantee shall notify Mesiniaga in writing of his intention to exercise the Option in such form as may be prescribed by the Option Committee. Every notice of exercise of an Option shall be accompanied by the relevant Option certificate and a remittance for the full amount of the subscription monies in relation to the number of new Shares in respect of which the Option is being exercised. The Company shall within twenty (20) Market Days of receiving such notice, or such other period as may be prescribed by the KLSE, allot the relevant number of new Shares and despatch the notice of allotment to the Grantee and cause to be credited into the CDS Account of the Grantee such shares, subject to the provisions of the Articles, the Securities Industries (Central Depositories Act) 1991 and the rules of the Malaysian Central Depository Sdn Bhd. No physical share certificate will be issued. When an Option is exercised only in part, the Option certificate shall be endorsed by the Option Committee stating, inter alia, the remaining number of new Shares comprised in the Option which remain capable of exercise.
- 8.5 The Grantee shall state his CDS Account number in the notice of exercise and the Company shall within twenty (20) market days of the receipt of the notice of exercise, or such other period as may be prescribed by the KLSE, and remittance from the Grantee, allot the relevant number of new Shares and despatch the notice of allotment to the Grantee and cause to be credited into the CDS Account of the Grantee such shares, upon and subject to the provisions of the Articles, the Securities Industries (Central Depositories Act) 1991 and the rules of the Malaysian Central Depository Sdn Bhd.

8.6 Failure by the Grantee to comply with the provisions of this Bye-Law 8, particularly failure to state the CDS Account number in the notice to exercise as mentioned in Bye-Law 8.5 hereof or inaccuracy in the CDS Account number shall result in the said notice to exercise being rejected. The Option Committee shall inform the Grantee of the rejection whereupon the Grantee shall be deemed not to have exercised his Option and the Grantee concerned shall be entitled to exercise the Option on any Market Day during the Option Period.

9. RIGHTS ATTACHING TO THE NEW SHARES

The new Shares to be allotted upon exercise of an Option will upon allotment rank paripassu in all respects with the then existing issued Shares except that they will not rank for any dividends, rights, allotments or any distributions declared, made or paid to shareholders which record date thereof precedes the relevant date of allotment of the new Shares and will be subject to all provisions of the Articles relating to transfer, transmission and otherwise. The expression "record date" means the date as at the close of business on which shareholders must be registered as members of the Company in order to participate in any dividends, rights, allotments or any distributions.

10. ALTERATION OF CAPITAL DURING THE OPTION PERIOD

- 10.1 In the event of any alteration in the capital structure of the Company during the Option Period, whether by way of capitalisation of profits or reserves, rights issues, consolidation of shares, sub-division of shares, reduction of capital or otherwise howsoever being effected, the necessary adjustment will be made to:
 - (a) the Exercise Price; and/or
 - (b) the number of new Shares in respect of which an Option may be exercised.

Such that the adjustment will result in the Grantee or the Selected Employee (if and when he accepts an Offer or part thereof) becoming entitled to the same proportion of the issued and paid-up share capital of the Company as that to which he was entitled prior to the alteration.

PROVIDED THAT any adjustment, other than an adjustment in relation to a capitalisation issue, will be subject to **confirmation** in writing **from** the Company's auditors (acting as experts and not as arbitrators) that in their opinion the adjustment is fair and reasonable and not to the detriment of the Grantee or the Selected Employee (if and when he accepts an Offer or part thereof). Such confirmation by the auditors shall be final and binding on the Grantee or the Selected Employee.

PROVIDED FURTHER THAT if there is any adjustment to the Exercise Price which results in the subscription price of the new Shares being less than the par value of such new Shares, the Exercise Price shall, notwithstanding such adjustment, be the par value of such new Shares.

PROVIDED FURTHER THAT any adjustment made to the Exercise Price shall be rounded down to the nearest sen.

PROVIDED FURTHER THAT the provisions of this Bye-Law shall not apply where an alteration in the capital structure arises from the purchase of the Company's own shares pursuant to Section 67A of the Companies Act, 1965, issue of securities as consideration for an acquisition, private placement or as a special issue to Bumiputeras nominated by the Ministry of International Trade and Industry, Malaysia or any other relevant authority as prescribed by the Companies Act, 1965 and/or any prevailing law at the time of such implementations.

10.2 Upon any adjustment being made pursuant to this Bye-Law, the Option Committee shall (within forty five (45) days of the effective date of the alteration in the capital structure of the Company) notify the Grantee in writing informing him of the new Exercise Price in effect and/or the new number of new Shares in respect of which his Option may be exercised by the Grantee, and notify the affected Selected Employees in writing informing them of the new Exercise Price (which will become effective if and when the Offer or part thereof is accepted) and/or the new number of new Shares comprised in the Offer or part thereof which is already open for acceptance or may become capable of being accepted.

11. QUOTATION OF NEW SHARES

The new Shares referred to in Bye-Law 2 and the new Shares (if any) to be allotted to the Grantee will not be listed or quoted on the KLSE until the Option is exercised in accordance with these Bye-Laws whereupon the Company subject to the existing Shares being already quoted on the KLSE and the Company having obtained prior written approval of the SC will apply to the KLSE for listing of and quotation for such new Shares and will use its best endeavours to obtain permission for such listing and quotation PROVIDED THAT the Company has not at any time applied for and obtained blanket approval for the listing and quotation of all the Shares to be allotted pursuant to the Scheme.

12. RETENTION PERIOD

The new Shares to be allotted and issued to the Grantees pursuant to any exercise of the Options will not be subject to any retention period or restriction of transfer, save as specifically stated in the Articles. However, every Grantee is encouraged to hold the new Shares as long term investment.

13. ADMINISTRATION

- 13.1 The Scheme shall be administered by an Option Committee consisting of such persons as shall be appointed by the Board from time to time. The Board shall have the power at any time and from time to time to rescind the appointment of any member of the Option Committee and/or appoint additional or replacement members to the Option Committee.
- 13.2 The Scheme shall be administered by the Option Committee. The Option Committee shall so administer the Scheme in such manner as it shall in its discretion deem fit and with such powers and duties as are conferred upon it including the powers to:
 - (a) subject to the provisions herein, construe and interpret the Bye-Laws, define the terms herein and to recommend to the Board to establish, amend and revoke rules and regulations relating to the Scheme and its administration. The Option Committee in the exercise of this power may correct any defect, supply any omission or reconcile any inconsistency in these Bye-Laws or in any documents pursuant hereto in a manner and to the extent it shall deem necessary to expedite and make the Scheme fully effective; and
 - (b) determine all issues of policy and expediency that may arise in the administration of the Scheme and generally exercise such powers and perform such acts that are deemed necessary or expedient to promote the best interests of the Company and/or the Group.

14. MODIFICATION/VARIATION TO THE SCHEME

Subject to the approvals of the SC, ROC, KLSE and/or any other relevant authorities, the Option Committee shall recommend to the Board who shall have the power at any time and from time to time by resolution to amend all or any of the provisions of the Scheme and these Bye-Laws PROVIDED THAT no such amendment shall be made which would prejudice the rights then accrued to any Grantee without his prior consent or alter such rights to the advantage of the Grantee without the prior approval of the shareholders,

15. TERMINATION OF OPTIONS

- 15.1 Any Option or any part of an Option which has not been exercised yet, shall terminate and cease to be valid and exercisable:
 - (a) in the event of the death of the Grantee, upon the date of his death;
 - (b) in the event of the Grantee ceasing to be an employee of Mesiniaga and/or its subsidiaries due to resignation of employment by the Grantee, upon the date of the notice of resignation;
 - (c) in the event of the Grantee ceasing to be an employee of Mesiniaga and/or its subsidiaries due to termination of employment by the employer of the Grantee, upon the expiry of the notice of termination;
 - (d) in the event of the Grantee ceasing to be an employee of Mesiniaga and/or its subsidiaries for any reason other than as stated in paragraphs (a), (b) or (c), upon the last day of the Grantee's employment;
 - (e) in the event of bankruptcy of the Grantee, upon the date the Grantee is adjudged a bankrupt; and
 - (f) in the event, where a Grantee is currently employed by a subsidiary of Mesiniaga, upon that subsidiary ceasing for any reason to be a subsidiary of Mesiniaga.
- Notwithstanding anything to the contrary herein contained in these Bye-Laws, the Option Committee shall have the right at its discretion by notice in writing to that effect, to suspend the right of any Grantee who is being subjected to disciplinary proceedings (whether or not such disciplinary proceedings may give rise to a dismissal or termination of services of such Grantee) to exercise the Option pending the outcome of such disciplinary proceedings.

In addition to this right of suspension, the Option Committee may impose such terms and conditions as the Option Committee shall deem appropriate in its discretion, on the rights of exercise of his Option having regard to the nature of the charges made or brought against such Grantee, PROVIDED ALWAYS that:

- in the event such Grantee is found not guilty of the charges which give rise to such disciplinary proceedings, the Option Committee shall reinstate the right of such Grantee to exercise his Option;
- b) in the event such Grantee is found guilty resulting in the dismissal or termination of service of such Grantee, the Option shall immediately cease, without notice, upon pronouncement of the dismissal or termination of service of such Grantee; and
- c) in the event such Grantee is found guilty but no dismissal or termination of service is recommended, the Option Committee shall have the right to determine at its discretion whether or not the Grantee may continue to exercise his Option and if so, to impose such terms and conditions as it deems appropriate, on such exercise.
- 15.3 Where the Grantee ceases his employment or appointment with Mesiniaga and/or its subsidiaries by reason of his retirement at or after attaining normal retirement age or retirement before that age, he may exercise with the consent of the Option Committee, his Option or Options within the relevant Option period or periods or such other shorter period as the Option Committee may at its discretion stipulate.

Notwithstanding the foregoing provisions regarding termination of the Option, the Option Committee may at its discretion allow the Option to be exercised by the Grantee (or such other person or persons as the Option Committee may specify) in respect of all the new Shares comprised in the Option (or any part thereof specified by the Option Committee) remaining unexercised within such period as the Option Committee may allow and subject to the provisions of the Bye-Laws and such terms as the Option Committee may specify.

16. LIQUIDATION OF THE COMPANY

In the event of liquidation of the Company, all unexercised or partially exercised Options shall lapse and be of no further legal effect.

17. DURATION OF THE SCHEME

- 17.1 The Scheme shall be in force for a period of five (5) years from the date when the last of the approvals from the following is obtained:
 - (a) ROC;
 - (b) S C ;
 - (c) KLSE;
 - (d) shareholders of the Company; and
 - (e) any other relevant authorities.
- 17.2 The Company may, if the Board and the Option Committee deem it fit, renew the Scheme for another five (5) years subject to the approval of the shareholders and relevant authorities as may be necessary.
- 17.3. If the existing Scheme is not extended, the Company may establish a new Scheme after the expiry date of the existing Scheme. Where the existing Scheme has been extended, a new scheme is allowed upon the expiry of the extended existing Scheme.
- 17.4 No further Offers will be made nor Options granted thereafter unless the Company in general meeting resolves to approve the continuation of the Scheme with or without variations and provided further that the approval of the ROC, SC, KLSE and/or any other relevant authorities has been obtained for such continuation.

18. RESTRUCTURING

- Subject to the provisions of any applicable law, rules, regulations and/or conditions issued by the relevant authorities, in the event of a General Offer being made to acquire the whole of the issued share capital of the Company (or such part thereof as is not at the time owned by the Offeror, any company controlled by the Offeror and any person acting in concert with the Offeror) the Board shall, within forty five (45) days after becoming aware of such General Offer, notify the Grantee of such General Offer and use their endeavours to procure that such General Offer be extended to any new Shares that are issued upon the exercise of an Option within the offer period of the General Offer PROVIDED THAT if the Grantee elects to exercise a part of the Option so that he/she only takes up a portion of the new Shares available during the offer period of the General Offer, then the Option in relation to the balance new Shares shall automatically lapse and shall thereafter be null and void and PROVIDED FURTHER that any Options which are not exercised during the offer period of the General Offer shall remain in force and be exercisable until the expiry of the Option Period applicable thereto.
- In the event of a take-over offer other than a General Offer being made for the Company and such offer becoming or being declared unconditional, notwithstanding Bye-Law 8.2 hereof, each Grantee shall be entitled to exercise within forty **five** (45) days of the date on which such offer becomes or is declared unconditional to exercise in whole or in part any Option to which the Grantee is entitled.
- In the event the court sanctions a compromise or arrangement between the Company and its members for the purposes of, or in connection with, a scheme for the reconstruction of the Company under Section 176 of the Act or its amalgamation with any other company or companies under Section 178 of the Act, any Option shall remain exercisable by the Grantee at any time and from time to time in the period commencing with the date upon which the compromise or arrangement is sanctioned by the court and ending with the date upon which it becomes effective. Upon the compromise or arrangement becoming effective, all Options, to the extent unexercised shall automatically lapse and become null and void.

19. DISPUTES

In case any dispute or difference shall arise between the Option Committee and Eligible Employee or Selected Employee or Grantee, as the case may be, as to any matter or thing of any nature arising thereunder, then the Option Committee shall determine such dispute or difference by a written decision (without any obligation to give any reason thereof) given to the Eligible Employee or Selected Employee or Grantee, as the case may be. The said decision shall be final and binding on the parties.

20. COMPENSATION

- 20.1 The Scheme shall afford the Grantee no additional right to compensation or damages in consequence of the termination of his employment or appointment for any reason whatsoever.
- 20.2 Participation in this Scheme by a Grantee is a matter entirely separate from his terms or conditions of employment and participation in this Scheme shall in no respect whatever affect in any way a Grantee's terms and conditions of employment. In particular (but without limiting the generality of the foregoing words) any Grantee who leaves employment shall not be entitled to any compensation for any loss of any right or benefit or prospective right or benefit under this Scheme which he might otherwise have enjoyed whether such compensation is claimed by way of damages for wrongful dismissal or other breach of contract or by way of compensation for loss of office or otherwise howsoever.

21. COSTS AND EXPENSES

The Company will bear all costs and expenses incidental to the establishment and administration of the Scheme including but not limited to the costs and expenses relating to the issue, allotment and listing of and quotation for the new Shares upon the exercise of any Option.

22. INSPECTION OF THE AUDITED ACCOUNTS

All Eligible Employees are entitled to inspect the latest audited accounts of the Company during normal office hours at the registered office of Mesiniaga at 1 lth Floor, Menara Mesiniaga, 1A, Jalan SS 16/1, Subang Jaya 47500 Petaling Jaya, Selangor Darul Ehsan, Malaysia.

23. NOT A TERM OF EMPLOYMENT

This Scheme does not form part nor shall it in any way be construed as part of the terms and conditions of employment of any Eligible Employee or collective agreement.

24. NOTICE

- Any notice which under the Scheme is required to be given to or served upon the Option Committee by an Eligible Employee, Selected Employee or Grantee or any correspondence to be made between an Eligible Employee, Selected Employee or Grantee and the Option Committee shall be given or served in writing and either 'delivered by hand or sent to the registered office of the Company by telex, facsimile or registered letter.
- Any notice which under the Scheme is required to be given to or served upon an Eligible Employee, Selected Employee or Grantee or any correspondence to be made between an Eligible Employee, Selected Employee or Grantee shall be deemed to be sufficiently given or served in writing and either delivered by hand or sent to the Eligible Employee, Selected Employee or Grantee by telex, facsimile or registered letter addressed to the Eligible Employee, Selected Employee or Grantee at the place of employment or at the last address known to the Company as being his address. Any notice served by post as aforesaid shall not be deemed to have been received unless it has been received and acknowledged by the recipient.

25. ARTICLES OF ASSOCIATION OF THE COMPANY

Notwithstanding the terms and conditions contained in this Scheme, if a situation of conflict should arise between this Scheme and the Articles, the provisions of the Articles shall at all times prevail.