

EXPLANATORY NOTES TO QUARTERLY FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
FOURTH QUARTER ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2009

PART A: REQUIREMENTS OF FRS134 – INTERIM FINANCIAL REPORTING

1. **Basis of preparation**

The interim financial report is unaudited and has been prepared in compliance with the requirements of FRS134 – Interim Financial Reporting and Appendix 9B of the Main Market Listing Requirements of Bursa Malaysia Securities Berhad.

This interim financial report has been prepared in accordance with the same accounting policies adopted in the financial statements for the financial year ended 31 December 2008.

This interim financial report includes only condensed financial statements and should be read in conjunction with the annual financial statements for the financial year ended 31 December 2008, as this interim financial report focuses on the effects of transactions, events and circumstances that have occurred since the annual financial statements.

The preparation of an interim financial report in conformity with FRS134 requires management to make judgments, estimates and assumptions that affect the application of policies and reported amounts of assets and liabilities, income and expenses on a year to date basis. Actual results may differ from these estimates.

These explanatory notes attached to the interim financial report provide an explanation of events and transactions that are significant to an understanding of the financial position and performance of the Group for the financial period ended 31 December 2009.

2. **Auditors' report**

The auditors' report dated 21 April 2009 on the financial statements for the financial year ended 31 December 2008 was not subject to any qualification.

3. **Seasonal or cyclical factors**

The operations of the Group are not subject to seasonal or cyclical fluctuations except that certain products are subject to seasonal demand where higher sales will be recorded a few months before major festive seasons such as Ramadan and Chinese New Year.

4. **Unusual items**

There were no items affecting assets, liabilities, equity, net income, or cashflows that are unusual because of their nature, size or incidence.

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5. Changes in estimates

There were no major changes in estimates of amounts which may have a material effect on the current quarter under review.

6. Issue and repayment of debt and equity securities

There were no issuance and repayment of debt and equity securities, share buy-backs, share cancellations, shares held as treasury shares and resale of treasury shares during the current financial period.

7. Dividends

No interim dividend has been proposed for the quarter under review.

The Directors proposed a first and final tax exempt dividend of 6% (or approximately 3 sen) per share for the financial year ended 31 December 2009, subject to approval by shareholders of the Company.

8. Segment information

The Group operates mainly in two business segments which are primarily operated in Malaysia:

- a) Manufacture of tin cans and plastic jerry cans (General Cans)
- b) Manufacture of dairy products (Food Products)

The other segment comprises investment and property holding.

Segment revenue and results for the period ended 31 December 2009 are as follows:

	General cans RM'000	Food products RM'000	Others RM'000	Total RM'000	Elimination RM'000	Group
Revenue						
External sales	270,711	137,569	-	408,280	-	408,280
Inter segment sales	35,326	-	10,060	45,386	(45,386)	-
	<u>306,037</u>	<u>137,569</u>	<u>10,060</u>	<u>453,666</u>		<u>408,280</u>
Segment results	49,032	4,277	5,248	58,557	(10,000)	48,557
Interest income						58
Finance cost						(11,372)
Taxation						(6,017)
Profit after taxation						<u>31,226</u>

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8. **Segment information (Cont'd)**

	General cans RM'000	Food products RM'000	Others RM'000	Total RM'000	Elimination RM'000	Group
Segment assets	312,355	110,987	29,438	452,780	-	452,780
Unallocated assets						611
						<u>453,391</u>
Segment liabilities	184,609	74,348	167	259,124	-	259,124
Unallocated liabilities						16,156
						<u>275,280</u>
Capital expenditure	20,397	13,108	-	33,505	-	33,505
Depreciation	8,564	2,044	1	10,609	-	10,609
Amortisation	229	-	-	229	-	229

9. **Valuation of property, plant and equipment**

During the quarter under review, the Group carried out a revaluation exercise on all the Group's land and building.

Surplus on revaluation arising from the revaluation exercise net of tax which amounted to approximately RM4.47 million has been included in the capital reserve account.

10. **Material subsequent events**

As at 19 February 2010 (the latest practicable date which is not earlier than 7 days from the date of issue of this quarterly report), there were no material events subsequent to the balance sheet date which may have an impact on the consolidated financial statements of the Group

11. **Changes in Group composition**

There were no changes in the Group composition during the period ended 31 December 2009.

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12. Changes in contingent liabilities or contingent assets

There were no contingent liabilities or assets for the Group as at 31 December 2009.

As at 19 February 2010 (the latest practicable date which is not earlier than 7 days from the date of issue of this quarterly report), no material contingent assets or liabilities have arisen since the end of the financial period.

13. Authorisation for issue

This interim financial report was authorized for issue by the Board of Directors ("Board") in accordance with a resolution of Directors passed at the Board Meeting held on 24 February 2010.

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PART B: REQUIREMENTS OF MAIN MARKET LISTING REQUIREMENTS OF BURSA
MALAYSIA SECURITIES BERHAD

1. Review of performance

During the quarter under review, the Group recorded a revenue of RM97.6 million and pre-tax profit of RM15.3 million compared with a revenue of RM121.9 million and pre-tax profit of RM7.3 million in the preceding year corresponding quarter.

The decrease in revenue was contributed mainly by the following factors:

- 1) Increase in revenue from food division due to increase in demand and production capacity; and
- 2) Decrease in revenue from general can division due mainly to:
 - a. Reduction in selling price to reflect the lower production cost; and
 - b. Softening in demand from some of the Group's customers.

Improvement in gross profit margin and profit before taxation were contributed by the improvement in production efficiency and lower production cost.

2. Variation of results against preceding quarter

Revenue for the quarter under review was higher than the immediate preceding quarter due to higher sales from the food division.

The profit before taxation was higher compared to the preceding quarter due to lower production cost.

3. Current year prospects

Barring any unforeseen circumstances, the Directors anticipate the results for the financial year ending 31 December 2010 to be satisfactory.

4. Profit forecast/profit guarantee

The Group did not publish any profit forecast or provide any profit guarantee for the financial year ended 31 December 2009.

5. Tax expense

The effective tax rate of the Group is slightly lower than the enacted statutory tax rate due to the availability of reinvestment allowance.

6. Unquoted investments and properties

There were no profits/losses on sale of unquoted investments and properties as there were no disposals of investments and properties during the quarter under review.

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7. Purchase or disposal of quoted securities

Except as disclosed in Note 8, the Group did not purchase or dispose of quoted securities during the quarter under review.

8. Status of corporate proposal announced

Save as disclosed below, the Group has not announced any corporate proposal as at 19 February 2010 (the latest practicable date which is not earlier than 7 days from the date of issue of this quarterly report).

On 23 March 2009, a wholly-owned subsidiary of the Company, Can-One International Sdn Bhd ("CISB") entered into a conditional shares sale agreement to acquire 146,131,500 ordinary shares of RM0.25 each, representing 32.9% equity interest in Kian Joo Can Factory Berhad, a company listed on the Main Market of Bursa Malaysia Securities Berhad, for a total consideration of RM241,116,975 ("Proposed Acquisition").

The Proposed Acquisition was approved by the shareholders of the Company on 3 June 2009 and the Ministry of International Trade and Industry on 11 June 2009.

The Proposed Acquisition was approved by the Securities Commission on 7 September 2009.

Pending the satisfactory resolution of the litigation as mentioned in Note 11, the Proposed Acquisition has yet to be completed at the date of this report.

9. Group borrowings and debts securities

Group borrowings as at 31 December 2009 are as follows:

	RM'000
Short term borrowings - Secured	
Hire purchase/finance leases	1,732
Term loans	3,690
Trade facilities	28,855
Short term borrowings - Unsecured	
Short term borrowings	
Trade facilities	50,536
Revolving credits	18,000
Term loans	10,283
Total	113,096

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9. **Group borrowings and debts securities – Cont'd**

	RM'000
Long term borrowings - Secured	
Hire purchase/finance leases	4,699
Term loans	21,399
Long term borrowings – Unsecured	
Term loans	58,221
Total	84,319

10. **Off balance sheet financial instruments**

The contractual amount and fair value of financial instruments not recognised in the balance sheet as at 31 December 2009 are as follows:

	Contracted Amount RM'000	Fair Value RM'000	Unrecognised Gain/(Loss) RM'000
Sale of Singapore Dollars	36	36	-
Sale of United States Dollars	14,146	14,240	(94)
Purchase of Euro	(253)	(251)	(2)
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11. Changes in material litigation

Save as disclosed below, the Group was not involved in any material litigation as at 19 February 2010 (the latest practicable date which is not earlier than 7 days from the date of issue of this quarterly report).

On 23 March 2009, CISB together with 4 other defendants were served a Writ of Summons and a Statement of Claims pertaining to the Proposed Acquisition.

The plaintiffs are claiming:

- i) Against the other 4 defendants and CISB damages amounting to RM55,000,000 for alleged fraud and interest at rate of 8% per annum on the said sum, cost of action on a full indemnity basis and such further or any other reliefs as the Court may deemed fit and proper to grant,
- ii) An interim order restraining the defendants and each of them whether by themselves, their directors, their servants, or agents or otherwise howsoever from proceeding with the implementation of the Proposed Acquisition until the final hearing and disposal of the action,
- iii) A declaration that the award of the bid in the public tender exercise to CISB for the Proposed Acquisition is illegal, null and void.

The Board of Directors has referred the matter to its solicitors. Upon obtaining legal advice, the Directors are of the opinion that the suit against CISB is unlikely to succeed.

CISB has applied to the Kuala Lumpur High Court to set aside and/or strike out the Plaintiffs' Writ and Statement of Claim. The case has been fixed for mention on 2 March 2010.

12. Capital commitment

As at 31 December 2009, the Group has the following capital commitment:

Approved and contracted for	RM'000 2,105
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13. Dividends

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14. **Earnings per share**

The basic earnings per share is computed as follows:

	Individual Quarter	Individual Quarter	Cumulative Quarter	Cumulative Quarter
	Current Quarter ended 31/12/2009	Preceding year corresponding quarter ended 31/12/2008	Current year to date ended 31/12/2009	Preceding year to date ended 31/12/2008
Net profit attributable to shareholders of the Company (RM'000)	13,140	7,202	30,778	17,315
Weighted average number of shares in issue ('000)	152,400	152,400	152,400	152,400
Earnings per share (Sen)	<u>8.62</u>	<u>4.73</u>	<u>20.20</u>	<u>11.36</u>

There were no dilutive potential ordinary shares as at the end of the financial period.

Dated : 24 February 2010
Petaling Jaya