TASCO Berhad (formerly known as Trans-Asia Shipping Corporation Berhad) (Company No:20218-T)



Condensed Consolidated Financial Statements For The Quarter And Year-To-Date Ended 30 June 2010



Condensed Consolidated Statement of Comprehensive Income For The Quarter And Year-To-Date Ended 30 June 2010

	3 months	ended	Cumulative 6 months ended	
	30.06.2010 RM'000 Unaudited	30.06.2009 RM'000 Unaudited	30.06.2010 RM'000 Unaudited	30.06.2009 RM'000 Unaudited
Revenue Cost of sales	112,690 (89,380)	61,582 (49,336)	203,369 (160,246)	114,569 (88,031)
Gross profit Other operating income General and administrative expenses	23,310 1,795 (15,988)	60 (9,264)	43,123 1,926 (30,184)	
Profit from operations Investment income Share of profits of associated companies Finance costs	9,117 109 164 (276)	3,042 93 160 (20)	14,865 176 331 (431)	
Profit before taxation Tax expense	9,114 (2,280)	,	14,941 (3,951)	•
Profit for the period	6,834	•	10,990	2,765
Other Comprehensive Income: Exchange difference on translation of foreign operation Fair Value adjustment on cash flow hedge	= = = = = 1 64	(23)	33 (232)	(17)
Total Comprehensive Income	6,899	2,334	10,791	2,748
Profit attributable to: Owners of the Company Non-controlling Interest	6,822 12 	2,353 4 2,357	10,963 27 	2,742 23 2,765
Total comprehensive income attributable to: Owners of the Company Non-controlling Interest	•	2,330 4 	10,764 27 	2,765 = = = = 2,725 23
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Earnings per share (sen) - basic - diluted	6.82 - = = = = =	2.35 - = = = =	10.96 - = = = = =	2.74

The condensed consolidated statement of comprehensive income should be read in conjunction with the audited financial statements for the year ended 31 December 2009 and the accompanying explanatory notes attached to the interim financial statements.



Condensed Consolidated Statement of Finan	cial Position As At	30 June 2010
ASSETS	As at 30.06.2010 RM'000 Unaudited	As at 31.12.2009 RM'000 Audited
Non-current assets		
Property, plant and equipment Goodwill Investment in associated company Available for sales investment Prepaid lease payments	123,611 865 6,437 1,225 36,196	110,992 865 6,106 1,225 36,464
Total non-current assets	168,334	155,652
Current assets		'
Inventories Trade receivables Other receivables, deposits and prepayments Amounts owing by related companies Current tax asset Fixed deposits with a licensed bank Cash and bank balances	136 59,447 3,149 8,698 6,213 18,100 18,565	55 50,105 3,061 6,240 6,218 19,222 15,819
Non-current assets classified as held for sale	7,059	6,999
Total current assets	121,367	107,719
TOTAL ASSETS	289,701	263,371

The condensed consolidated statement of financial position should be read in conjunction with the audited financial statements for the year ended 31 December 2009 and the accompanying explanatory notes attached to the interim financial statements.



Condensed Consolidated Statement of Finar	ncial Position As At	30 June 2010
EQUITY AND LIABILITIES	As at 30.06.2010 RM'000 Unaudited	As at 31.12.2009 RM'000 Audited
Equity		
Share capital	100,000	100.000
Share premium	801	100,000 801
Revaluation reserve	1,400	1,400
Hedge reserve	(559)	(327)
Exchange translation reserve	15	(18)
Retained profits	98,429	90,466
Dividend payable	3,000	-
Equity attributable to owners of the Company	203,086	192,322
Non-controlling interest	350	323
Total equity		
rotal equity	203,436	192,645
Non-current liabilities		
Hire purchase and finance lease liabilities	444	
Long term bank loan	144 22,138	280
Deferred tax liabilities	7,731	12,320
	7,731	6,444
Total non-current liabilities	30,013	19,044
Current liabilities		
Trade payables	22.452	40.00
Other payables, deposits and accruals	23,453 45,623	19,695
Amounts owing to related companies	15,623 4,242	24,107
Amounts owing to associated companies	1,317	2,662
Derivative financial liabilities	2,325	847 799
Hire purchase and finance lease liabilities	487	569
Bank term loan	7,000	2,887
Current tax liabilities	1,805	116
Total current liabilities	56,252	51,682
Total liabilities	86,265	70,726
		70,726
TOTAL EQUITY AND LIABILITIES	289,701	263,371
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Net Assets per share (RM)	2.03	1.92
1	2.00	1.92

The condensed consolidated statement of financial position should be read in conjunction with the audited financial statements for the year ended 31 December 2009 and the accompanying explanatory notes attached to the interim financial statements.



(formerly known as Trans-Asia Shipping Corporation Berhad) Incorporated in Malaysia Company No:20218-T TASCO Berhad

Condensed Consolidated Statement of Changes in Equity For Year-To-Date Ended

30 June 2010

	•			Attrib	utable to Owne	Attributable to Owners of the Company	pany			10	
		Share capital RM'000	Share premium RM'000	Revaluation reserve RM'000	Hedge reserve RM'000	translation reserve RM'000	Retained earnings RM'000	Dividend payable RM'000	Total RM'000	controlling interests RM'000	Total equity RM'000
Balance at	1 January 2009	100,000	801	1,400	•	(10)	77,906	•	180,097	270	180,367
Total comprehensive income for the period	ive income for	1	•	•	r	(17)	2,742	1	2,725	23	2,748
Balance at	30 June 2009	100,000	801	1,400	,	(27)	80,648		182,822	293	183,115
Balance at	1 January 2010	100,000	801	1,400	(327)	(18)	90,466	•	192,322	323	192,645
Total comprehensive income for the period	ive income for	1	ı	1	(232)	33	10,963	,	10,764	27	10,791
Dividend declared		t	1	1	1	ı	(3,000)	3,000	1	•	t
Balance at	30 June 2010	100,000	801	1,400	(559)	15	98,429	3,000	203,086	350	203,436

The condensed consolidated statement of changes in equity should be read in conjunction with the audited financial statements for the year ended 31 December 2009 and the accompanying explanatory notes altached to the interim financial statements. attached to the interim financial statements.



Condensed Consolidated Statement of Cash Flows For The Year-To-Date Ended 30 June 2010

	Year-To-Date	e Ended
	30.06.2010 RM'000	30.06.2009 RM'000
CASH FLOWS FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES	Unaudited	Unaudited
Profit before taxation Adjustments for:	14,941	3,834
Bad debts written off	69	_
Depreciation	6,169	5,690
Gain on disposal of property, plant and equipment	(1,850)	(786)
Amortisation of prepaid lease payments	268	147
Share of profits of associated company, net of tax	(331)	(430)
Interest income	(140)	(247)
Dividend income	(37)	(37)
Interest expense	431	48
Operating profit before working capital changes	19,520	8,219
Net changes in current assets	(12,043)	12,221
Net changes in current liabilities	(9,414)	(33,075)
Cash generated used in operations	(1,937)	(12,635)
Tax paid	(971)	(1,538)
Net cash generated used in operating activities	(2,908)	(14,173)
CASH FLOWS FROM INVESTING ACTIVITIES		
Purchase of property, plant and equipment	(19,363)	(2,715)
Proceeds from disposal of property, plant and equipment	9,150	1,317
Disposal of other investment	-	6
Interest received	140	247
Dividend received from other investment	37	37
Dividend received from an associated company	-	806
Net cash used in investing activities	(10,036)	(302)
CASH FLOWS FROM FINANCING ACTIVITIES		
Withdrawal of term loan	18,200	_
Repayment of term loan	(2,977)	-
Payment of term loan Payment of hire purchase and finance lease liabilities	(218)	(1,305)
Interest paid	(431)	(48)
Net cash generated from / (used in) financing activities	14,574	(1,353)
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The condensed consolidated statement of cash flows should be read in conjunction with the audited financial statements for the year ended 31 December 2009 and the accompanying explanatory notes attached to the interim financial statements.



Condensed Consolidated Statement of Cash Flows For The Year-To-Date Ended 30 June 2010

	Year-To-D	ate Ended
	30.06.2010 RM'000 Unaudited	30.06.2009 RM'000 Unaudited
NET INCREASE / (DECREASE) IN CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS	1,630	(15,828)
CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS BROUGHT FORWARD	35,041	46,434
EFFECT OF EXCHANGE RATE CHANGES	(6)	(4)
CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS CARRIED FORWARD	36,665 ========	30,602
Represented by:		
Fixed deposits with a licensed bank Cash and bank balances	18,100 18,565	19,058 11,544
	36,665	30,602
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The condensed consolidated statement of cash flows should be read in conjunction with the audited financial statements for the year ended 31 December 2009 and the accompanying explanatory notes attached to the interim financial statements.



Notes to the Interim Financial Report

Explanatory Notes In Compliance With Financial Reporting Standards (FRS) 134 Interim Financial Reporting

A1. Basis of Preparation

The interim financial statements have been prepared under the historical cost convention.

These interim financial statements are unaudited and have been prepared in accordance with the requirements of FRS 134: Interim Financial Reporting and paragraph 9.22 of the Listing Requirements of Bursa Malaysia Securities Berhad. The figures for the cumulative period in the current quarter of 30 June 2010 have not been audited.

The interim financial report should be read in conjunction with the Company's audited financial statements for the financial year ended (FYE) 31 December 2009. These explanatory notes attached to the interim financial statements provide an explanation of events and transactions that are significant to an understanding of the changes in the financial position and performance of the Group since the FYE 31 December 2009.

A2. Adoption of Revised Financial Reporting Standards

The significant accounting policies adopted are consistent with those of the audited financial statements for the year ended 31 December 2009 except for those standards, amendments and interpretations which are effective from the annual period beginning 1 July 2009 and 1 January 2010. The adoption of these standards, amendments and interpretations have no material impact to these interim financial statements except for the adoption of the "FRS 101 - Presentation of Financial Statements (revised)" which impact the presentation and disclosure aspect of the announcement.

A3. Audit Report

The Audit Report of the Group's annual financial statements for the FYE 31 December 2009 was not subjected to any qualification.

A4. Seasonal or Cyclical Factors

The Group's operations are generally affected by festive seasons.

A5. Unusual Items due to their Nature. Size or Incidence

There were no unusual items affecting assets, liabilities, equity, net income, or cash flows in the current quarter under review.

A6. Changes in Estimates

There were no changes in estimates that have had a material effect in the current quarter under review.

A7. Issuances, Cancellation, Repurchases, Resale and Repayments of Debt and Equity Securities

There were no issuances, cancellation, repurchases, resale and repayments of debt and equity securities in the current quarter under review.



Notes to the Interim Financial Report

Explanatory Notes In Compliance With Financial Reporting Standards (FRS) 134 Interim Financial Reporting

A8. Dividends paid

No interim or final dividends were paid in the current quarter under review.

A9. Segmental Reporting

	Segmental	Revenue	Segmental R	esult (PBT)
	6 months ended 30.06.2010 RM'000	6 months ended 30.06.2009 RM'000	6 months ended 30.06.2010 RM'000	6 months ended 30.06.2009 RM'000
International Business Solutions				
International Air Freight Division	76,739	39,759	2,576	(475)
International Sea Freight Division	14,294	9,307	1,325	(46)
International Network Solutions Division	1,191	1,017	120	127
	92,224	50,083	4,021	(394)
Domestic Business Solutions		•	•	
Forwarding Division	80,031	39,306	9,037	2,135
Trucking Division	29,811	23,743	3,837	1,464
Auto Logistics Division	1,303	1,437	(18)	160
	111,145	64,486	12,856	3,759
Others	-	-	(1,936)	469
Total	203,369	114,569	14,941	3,834
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A10. Subsequent Events

There were no material events subsequent to the end of the current quarter except for the following:

(a) On 5 July 2010, Bursa Malaysia Securities Berhad ("Bursa Securities") publicly reprimanded the Company for breach of paragraph 9.16(1)(a) of the Listing Requirement of Bursa Malaysia Securities Berhad ("LR").

The Company had breached paragraph 9.16(1)(a) of the LR in respect of the Company's announcement dated 11 February 2009 on its report for the fourth quarter period 31 December 2008 which failed to take into account the adjustments subsequently disclosed in the Company's announcement dated 30 April 2009.

The Company had reported an <u>unaudited</u> profit after taxation and minority interest of **RM14.9 million** in its fourth quarter report as compared to an <u>audited</u> profit after taxation and minority interest of **RM18.4** million in its annual audited accounts for the FYE 31 December 2008. The Company <u>understated</u> its profit by RM3.4 million, which represents an understatement of 23.14%. The understatement of profit is mainly contributed by the under recognition of discount on acquisition of a subsidiary and overprovision of taxation.

(b) A tax exempt final dividend of 3% for the financial year ended 31 December 2009, amounting to RM3,000,000 was approved by the shareholders in the Annual General Meeting on 9 June 2010 and paid on 15 July 2010.



Notes to the Interim Financial Report

Explanatory Notes In Compliance With Financial Reporting Standards (FRS) 134 Interim Financial Reporting

A11. Changes in Composition of the Group

There were no changes in the composition of the Group in the current quarter under review.

A12. Contingent Assets and Liabilities

There was no material contingent assets and liabilities since the last annual balance sheet date to the date of this report.

A13. Capital Commitment

	As At	As At
	30.06.2010	31.12.2009
	RM'000	RM'000
Authorised and contract for		
 acquisition of property, plant and equipment 	2,556	5,359
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The Group has accepted an offer to exchange for another piece of leasehold land in Melaka with a fair value of RM1,652,000.

A14. Related Party Disclosures

	6 months ended 30.06.2010 RM'000	6 months ended 30.06.2009 RM'000
Transaction with subsidiary companies	1411 000	14111 000
Rental of trucks paid and payable to subsidiary companies	233	152
Labour charges paid and payble to subsidiary companies	5,619	3,710
Maintenance charges paid and payable to a subsidiary company	2,088	3,594
Handling fees paid and payable to a subsidiary company	331	236
Related logistic services paid to a subsidiary company	12	144
Rental of premises received from a subsidiary company	2	2
Rental of trucks received and receivable from subsidiary company	1,552	922
Purchase of property, plant and equipment and prepaid lease	1,002	022
payment from subsidiary companies	50	454
Warehouse rental received and receivables from a subsidiary company	372	558
		========
Transaction with related companies		
Related logistic services received and receivable	30,779	23,929
Related logistic services paid and payable	28,822	16,722
Management fee paid and payable	74	146
Consultancy fees paid and payable	44	106
	========	=======
Transaction with associated company		
Rental of premises paid	564	564
	========	



Disclosure Requirements Pursuant to Part A, Appendix 9B of Bursa Malaysia Securities Berhad Listing Requirements

B1. Performance Review (Year-to-date, 2010 vs Year-to-date 2009)

The Group achieved revenue of RM203.4 million for the financial period ended (FPE) 30 June 2010 and it was higher by RM88.8 million or 78% than that of 2009. Both International and Domestics Business Solutions experienced increase in revenue especially International Air Freight Division, Forwarding Division, Trucking Division and International Sea Freight Division which were adversely affected by the global financial crisis during the FPE 30 June 2009.

With the increase of revenue in 2010, the Group achieved profit from operations of RM14.9 million for FPE 30 June 2010 which is higher by RM11.6 million or 355% than that of 2009.

The Group achieved Profit Before Taxation of RM14.9 million for FPE 30 June 2010, an increase of RM11.1 million or 290% compared to FPE 30 June 2009.

B2. Comparison with preceding Quarter's results (Quarter 2, 2010 vs Quarter 1, 2010)

The Group achieved revenue of RM112.7 million for the 2nd quarter ended 30 June 2010 and it was higher by RM22.0 million or 24% than the 1st quarter ended 31 March 2010. International Business Solutions experienced increase in revenue of RM6.8 million whereas Domestic Business Solutions experienced increase in revenue of RM15.2 million. Revenue increase in both International and Domestic Business Solutions mainly attributed by the increase of the overall cargo movement in Malaysia. Based on the past history, the Group normally experience higher volume in the 2nd quarter than in 1st quarter.

Due to the increase of revenue in the 2nd quarter of 2010, the Group achieved profit from operations of RM9.1 million for the 2nd quarter of 2010 which is higher by RM3.4 million or 59% than the 1st quarter ended 31 March 2010.

The Group also achieved a Profit Before Taxation of RM9.1 million in 2nd quarter of 2010, an increase of RM3.3 million or 56% compared to 1st quarter of 2010.

B3. Prospects for the Remaining Period to the End of the Financial Year

With the world economy starting to show improvement in 2010, we foresee the Malaysian economy to benefit from the higher global demand for its products. Bank Negara has forecasted a strong GDP growth for 2010 and we expect the Group to fully leverage this positive economic development to grow the top and bottom line. However, we remain cautious and we will take the necessary measures to ensure that our performance in 2010 is kept on track. We will continue to focus our efforts to service our customers with innovative logistics solutions, extensive logistics network and high qualities. While we reinforce our commitment to a cost discipline culture in 2010, we will also continue to invest which we believe will deliver long term growth and values.

B4. Profit Forecast

Not applicable as there is no forecast / profit guarantee.



Disclosure Requirements Pursuant to Part A, Appendix 9B of Bursa Malaysia Securities Berhad Listing Requirements

B5. Lax expense

	3 months	ended	Cumulative 6 months ended	
	30.06.2010 RM'000	30.06.2009 RM'000	30.06.2010 RM'000	30.06.2009 RM'000
Income tax - current year	(1,227)	(838)	(2,664)	(700)
Deferred tax - current year	(1,053)	(80)	(1,287)	(369)
	(2,280)	(918)	(3,951)	(1,069)

The Group's effective tax rate is higher than the statutory tax rate of 25% for the current quarter under review is mainly due to non deductible expenses.

B6. Sale of Unquoted Investments and Properties

There were no disposal of unquoted investments and/or properties for the current quarter under review.

B7. Quoted Investments

There were no purchases or disposals of any quoted investments during the quarter under review.

Investments in quoted securities as at 30 June 2010 are as follows:

Cost	RM'000 26
	======
Book value	26
	======
Market value	11
	======

B8. Corporate Proposals

There were no new proposals made for the quarter under review.



Disclosure Requirements Pursuant to Part A, Appendix 9B of Bursa Malaysia Securities Berhad Listing Requirements

B9. Borrowing

·	As At 30.06.2010 RM'000	As At 31.12.2009 RM'000
Short term borrowing		
Hire purchase and finance lease liabilities	487	569
Bank term loan (unsecured)	7,000	2,887
Long term borrowing		
Long term bank loan (unsecured)	22,138	12,320
Hire purchase and finance lease liabilities	144	280
	29,769	16,056

The borrowings are denominated in Ringgit Malaysia except for the bank term loan which is denominated in US Dollar.

B10. Off Balance Sheet Financial Instruments

There are no off balance sheet financial instruments as at 30 June 2010.

B11. Litigation

There was no material litigation pending since the last annual balance sheet date to the date of this report.

B12. Dividend Payable

A tax exempt final dividend of 3% for the financial year ended 31 December 2009, amounting to RM3,000,000 was approved by the shareholders in the Annual General Meeting on 9 June 2010 and paid on 15 July 2010.



Disclosure Requirements Pursuant to Part A, Appendix 9B of Bursa Malaysia Securities Berhad Listing Requirements

B13. Earnings per share

_	3 months ended		Cumulative 6 months ended	
_	30.06.2010	30.06.2009	30.06.2010	30.06.2009
PAT after non-controlling interest (RM'000)	6,822	2,353	10,963	2,742
Weighted average number of ordinary shares in issue ('000)	100,000	100,000	100,000	100,000
Earnings per share (sen)	6.82 ======	2.35	10.96 =====	2.74

The Company does not have any dilutive potential ordinary shares outstanding as at 30 June 2010. Accordingly, no diluted earnings per share is presented.

B14. Derivative Financial Instruments

As at 30 June 2010, the Group has the following outstanding derivative financial instruments:

	Contract or		Fair value
	Notional	Cash	net gains or
Derivatives	Amount	Paid	(loses) Purpose
	RM'000	RM'000	RM'000
1. Cross currency swap Contracts	:		
- More than 3 years	29,138	<u> -</u>	22 For hedging currency
			risk in bank term loan
2. Currency forward contracts:			
- Less than 1 year	661	-	 For hedging currency
			risk in payables

For the current quarter under review, there have been no significant changes to the Group's exposure to credit risk, market risk and liquidity risk from the previous financial year. Also, there have been no changes to the Group's risk management objectives, policies and processes since the previous financial year end.



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REPORT TO THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF TASCO BERHAD

ON THE REVIEW OF THE CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED INTERIM FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE 3 MONTHS ENDED 30 JUNE 2010

We have reviewed the accompanying Condensed Consolidated Statement of Financial Position of TASCO Berhad as of 30 June 2010 and the related Condensed Consolidated Statement of Comprehensive Income, Condensed Consolidated Statements of Changes in Equity and Condensed Consolidated Statement of Cash Flows and the selected explanatory notes for the 3 months then ended as set out in pages 2 through 10 (referred to collectively hereinafter as "the Condensed Consolidated Interim Financial Statements").

The Company's management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of the Condensed Consolidated Interim Financial Statements in accordance with the Financial Reporting Standards issued by the Malaysian Accounting Standards Board. Our responsibility is to express a conclusion on the Condensed Consolidated Interim Financial Statements based on our review.

Scope of Review

We conducted our review in accordance with International Standard on Review Engagements 2410 - Review of Interim Financial Information Performed by the Independent Auditor of the Entity. A review of interim financial statements consists of making inquiries, primarily of persons responsible for financial and accounting matters, and applying analytical and other review procedures. A review is substantially less in scope than an audit conducted in accordance with International Standards on Auditing and consequently does not enable us to obtain assurance that we would become aware of all significant matters that might be identified in an audit. Accordingly, we do not express an audit opinion.

Conclusion

Based on our review, nothing has come to our attention that causes us to believe that the Condensed Consolidated Interim Financial Statements do not present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of TASCO Berhad as at 30 June 2010, and of its financial performance and its cash flows for the 3 months then ended in accordance with Financial Reporting Standards issued by the Malaysian Accounting Standards Board.

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Kuala Lumpur 17 August 2010

