

Plantations

BOUSTEAD PLANTATIONS BERHAD

194601000012 (1245-M)

(A member of Boustead Group)

BOUSTEAD PLANTATIONS BERHAD 194601000012 (1245-M) UNAUDITED CONDENSED STATEMENT OF CONSOLIDATED COMPREHENSIVE INCOME

For the quarter ended 30 September 2021	Cu	Current Period		Cumulative Period	
(All figures are stated in RM'000)	2021	2020	2021	2020	
Revenue	293,773	205,679	708,489	535,426	
Operating cost	(160,681)	(165,392)	(466,411)	(458,510)	
Profit from operations	133,092	40,287	242,078	76,916	
Interest income	288	254	517	467	
Finance cost	(12,279)	(14,676)	(37,574)	(47,480)	
Share of results of Associate	3,164	1,684	2,565	3,696	
Profit before taxation	124,265	27,549	207,586	33,599	
Taxation	(28,395)	(11,667)	(51,609)	(25,766)	
Profit for the period	95,870	15,882	155,977	7,833	
Profit/(Loss) attributable to:					
Shareholders of the Company	95,558	17,970	156,158	15,497	
Non-controlling interests	312	(2,088)	(181)	(7,664)	
Profit for the period	95,870	15,882	155,977	7,833	
Earnings per share - sen					
Basic	4.27	0.80	6.97	0.69	

The Unaudited Condensed Statement of Consolidated Comprehensive Income should be read in conjunction with the Audited Financial Statements for the year ended 31 December 2020.

BOUSTEAD PLANTATIONS BERHAD 194601000012 (1245-M) UNAUDITED CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION

	As at 30 September	As at 31 December
(All figures are stated in RM'000)	2021	2020
ASSETS		
Non-current assets		
Property, plant and equipment	1,896,749	2,002,057
Right-of-use assets	1,902,212	1,927,040
Investment in Associate	32,941	30,376
Goodwill on consolidation	2,281	2,281
	3,834,183	3,961,754
Current assets		
Inventories	45,283	29,214
Biological assets	49,442	25,026
Receivables	61,564	68,251
Tax recoverable	171	311
Cash and bank balances	73,166	44,044
	229,626	166,846
Assets classified as held for sale	65,480	-
TOTAL ASSETS	4,129,289	4,128,600
EQUITY AND LIABILITIES Equity attributable to equity holders		
-	$1,422,344 \\1,248,466 \\2,670,810 \\(109,159) \\2,561,651$	1,422,344 1,161,748 2,584,092 (108,978) 2,475,114
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The Unaudited Condensed Consolidated Statement of Financial Position should be read in conjunction with the Audited Financial Statements for the year ended 31 December 2020.

BOUSTEAD PLANTATIONS BERHAD 194601000012 (1245-M) UNAUDITED CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN EQUITY

	← Att	ributable to Shar Non-	eholders of the C	ompany —		
For the financial period ended 30 September 2021	Share Capital	distributable Other Capital Reserve	Distributable Retained Profits	Total	Non- controlling interests	Total Equity
(All figures are stated in RM'000) 2021						
Balance at 1 January 2021	1,422,344	(195)	1,161,943	2,584,092	(108,978)	2,475,114
Total comprehensive income/(loss) for the period	-	-	156,158	156,158	(181)	155,977
Transactions with owners:						
Dividends	-	-	(69,440)	(69,440)	-	(69,440)
Balance at 30 September 2021	1,422,344	(195)	1,248,661	2,670,810	(109,159)	2,561,651
2020						
Balance at 1 January 2020	1,422,344	(265)	1,130,191	2,552,270	(100,084)	2,452,186
Total comprehensive income/(loss) for		. ,			,	
the period	-	-	15,497	15,497	(7,664)	7,833
Balance at 30 September 2020	1,422,344	(265)	1,145,688	2,567,767	(107,748)	2,460,019

The Unaudited Condensed Consolidated Statement of Changes in Equity should be read in conjunction with the Audited Financial Statements for the year ended 31 December 2020.

BOUSTEAD PLANTATIONS BERHAD 194601000012 (1245-M) UNAUDITED CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS

(All figures are stated in RM'000)	2021	2020
Operating Activities		
Receipts from customers	679,123	537,688
Cash paid to suppliers and employees	(352,847)	(356,667)
Cash generated from operations	326,276	181,021
Tax paid	(26,382)	(4,014
Net cash generated from operating activities	299,894	177,007
Investing Activities		
Purchase of property, plant and equipment	(30,921)	(24,758
Deposits received on disposal of land	42,882	-
Interest received	517	467
Net cash used in investing activities	12,478	(24,291
Financing Activities		
Decrease in revolving credits	(119,250)	(86,800
Repayment of term loan	(56,750)	(24,000
Interest paid	(37,793)	(46,168
Dividends paid	(69,440)	-
Net cash used in financing activities	(283,233)	(156,968
Natingroups ((dogroups)) in each and each equivalents	20 130	(4.252)
Net increase/(decrease) in cash and cash equivalents Cash and cash equivalents at beginning of period	29,139 44,027	(4,252) 20,443
Cash and cash equivalents at beginning of period	73,166	16,191
Cash and cash equivalents at end of period		10,191
Comprising:		
Cash and bank balances	73,166	16,209
Bank overdrafts		(18)
	73,166	16,191

The Unaudited Condensed Consolidated Statement of Cash Flows should be read in conjunction with the Audited Financial Statements for the year ended 31 December 2020.

Notes to the interim financial report for the quarter ended 30 September 2021

Part A - Explanatory Notes Pursuant to MFRS 134

1. Basis of Preparation

The interim financial statements are prepared in accordance with requirements of paragraph 9.22 Bursa Malaysia Securities Berhad ("Bursa Securities") Main Market Listing Requirements and complies with the requirements of Malaysian Financial Reporting Standard ("MFRS") 134 - Interim Financial Reporting. The interim financial statements is unaudited and should be read in conjunction with the Group's audited financial statements for the year ended 31 December 2020. All figures are stated in RM'000, unless otherwise stated.

2. Accounting Policies

(i) Changes in Accounting Policies

The accounting policies adopted are consistent with those of the previous financial year, except in the current period, the Group adopted the following new and amended MFRSs mandatory for annual financial periods beginning on or after 1 January 2021:

Description	Effective for annual periods beginning on or after
Amendment to MFRS 16: Covid-19 Related Rent Concessions Amendments to MFRS 9, MFRS 139 and MFRS 7, MFRS 4 and	1 June 2020
MFRS 16: Interest Rate Benchmark Reform - Phase 2 Amendment to MFRS 16: Covid-19 Related Rent Concessions	1 January 2021
beyond 30 June 2021	1 April 2021

The adoption of the above new and amended MFRSs did not have any significant financial impact to the Group and the Company.

(ii) Standards Issued but not yet Effective

The standards and interpretations that are issued but not yet effective up to the date of issuance of the Group and the Company's financial statements are disclosed below. The Group and the Company intends to adopt these standards, if applicable, when they become effective.

Description	Effective for annual periods beginning on or after
Annual improvements to MFRS standards 2018 - 2020	1 January 2022
Amendments to MFRS 3: Reference to the Conceptual	
Framework	1 January 2022
Amendments to MFRS 116: Property, Plant and Equipment-	
Proceeds before Intended Use	1 January 2022
Amendments to MFRS 137: Onerous Contracts - Cost of	
Fulfilling a Contract	1 January 2022
MFRS 17 Insurance Contracts	1 January 2023
Amendments to MFRS 17 Insurance Contracts	1 January 2023
Amendment to MFRS 101: Classification of Liabilities as	
Current or Non-current	1 January 2023
Amendments to MFRS 101: Disclosure of Accounting Policies	1 January 2023
Amendments to MFRS 108: Definition of Accounting Estimates	1 January 2023
Amendments to MFRS 112: Deferred Tax related to Assets	
and Liabilities arising from a Single Transaction	1 January 2023
Amendments to MFRS 10 and MFRS 128: Sale or Contribution of	
Assets between an Investor and its Associate or Joint Venture	Deferred

The directors expect that the adoption of the above standards and interpretations will have no material impact on the financial statements in the period of application.

3. Auditor's Report on Preceding Annual Financial Statements

The audit report of the preceding audited financial statements was not qualified.

4. Comments about Seasonal or Cyclical Factors

The Group's operating result is influenced by both CPO prices and FFB crop production. The cropping pattern for oil palms is influenced by weather conditions. FFB production normally starts with a trough at the beginning of the year and thereafter increases gradually to reach a peak during the second half of the year.

5. Unusual Items Due to Their Nature, Size or Incidence

There were no unusual items affecting assets, liabilities, equity, net income and cash flows for the quarter under review.

6. Change in Estimates

There were no material changes in estimates of amounts reported in the previous financial year.

7. Dividends

- (i) On 28 April 2021, the Company paid the 2nd interim single tier dividend of 0.5 sen per share in respect of the previous financial year ending 31 December 2020 amounting to RM11.2 million.
- (ii) On 30 June 2021, the Company paid the 1st interim single tier dividend of 0.3 sen per share in respect of the year ended 31 December 2021 amounting to RM6.7 million.
- (iii) On 30 September 2021, the Company paid 2nd interim single tier dividend of 2.3 sen per share in respect of the year ended 31 December 2021 amounting to RM51.5 million.
- (iv) For the current quarter, the Directors have declared a 3rd interim single tier dividend of 1.75 sen per share in respect of the year ended 31 December 2021. The dividends will be paid on 30 December 2021 to shareholders registered in the Register of Members at the close of business on 9 December 2021.

8. Segmental Information

Segment information for the cumulative period in respect of the Group's operations by geographical location is set out as follows:

	Peninsular			
RM'000	Malaysia	Sabah	Sarawak	Total
2021				
Revenue	275,128	376,251	57,110	708,489
Reportable segment operating				
profit	122,137	108,895	11,046	242,078
Interest income				517
Finance cost				(37,574)
Share of results of Associate				2,565
Profit before taxation				207,586
Taxation				(51,609)
Profit for the year			_	155,977

	Peninsular			
RM'000	Malaysia	Sabah	Sarawak	Total
2020				
Revenue	201,201	284,101	50,124	535,426
Reportable segment operating profit/(loss)	63,560	22,409	(9,053)	76,916
Interest income				467
Finance cost				(47,480)
Share of results of Associate				3,696
Profit before taxation				33,599
Taxation				(25,766)
Profit for the year				7,833

9. Debt and Equity Securities

There were no issuances and repayment of debt and equity securities, share buybacks, share cancellations, shares held as treasury shares and resale of treasury shares in the current financial period.

10. Subsequent Events

There were no subsequent events as at 23 November 2021 that will materially affect the financial statements for the financial period under review.

11. Changes in Group Composition

There were no changes in the Group composition during the period under review.

12. Changes in Contingent Liabilities and Contingent Assets

No contingent liability has arisen since the previous financial year end.

13. Capital Commitments

The Group has the following commitments as at 30 September 2021:

	Cumulative quarter		
	2021 20 RM'000 RM'		
Capital expenditure			
- Authorised but not contracted for	90,204	114,579	

14. Financial Risk Management

All aspects of the Group's financial risk management objectives and policies are consistent with those disclosed in the financial statements as at and for the year ended 31 December 2020.

Part B - Explanatory Notes Pursuant to Appendix 9B of the Listing Requirements of Bursa Malaysia

	Current Period					Cumulat	ive Period	
	2021	2020	Increase/(I	Decrease)	2021	2020	Increase/(I	Decrease)
	RM	'000	(%)	RM ⁹	RM'000)
CPO Price	4,331	2,772	1,559	56%	4,072	2,637	1,435	54%
Revenue	293,773	205,679	88,094	43%	708,489	535,426	173,063	32%
Profit from								
operations	133,092	40,287	92,805	230%	242,078	76,916	165,162	215%
Profit before								
taxation	124,265	27,549	96,716	351%	207,586	33,599	173,987	518%
Profit for the								
period	95,870	15,882	79,988	504%	155,977	7,833	148,144	1891%
Profit								
attributable to								
Shareholders of								
the Company	95,558	17,970	77,588	432%	156,158	15,497	140,661	908%

15. Performance Review

For the third quarter of 2021, the Group recorded an unaudited pre-tax profit of RM124.3 million which was higher than RM27.5 million recorded in the corresponding quarter last year. All regions achieved better profit which contributed to a positive result for the Group.

Revenue increased by RM88.1 million from RM205.7 million to RM293.8 million due to increase in palm products prices which led to the profit from operations of RM133.1 million.

Average CPO price for the third quarter of RM4,331 per MT which surpassed last year's corresponding quarter of RM2,772 per MT by RM1,559 per MT (56%). PK's average price of RM2,541 per MT was higher by RM1,060 per MT (72%).

FFB production for the quarter of 263,276 MT was lower than the production in the third quarter of 2020 of 273,625 MT. FFB yield also reduced from 4.1 MT/Ha to 3.8 MT/Ha in the same period. OER increased from 21.2% to 21.5% whereas KER reduced from 4.3% to 4.1%.

For the nine-month period of 2021, the Group unaudited pre-tax profit increased to RM207.6 million from RM33.6 million in the corresponding period last year.

CPO average selling price increased to RM4,072 per MT from last year's corresponding quarter of RM2,637 per MT by RM1,435 per MT (54%). PK's average price of RM2,572 per MT was higher by RM1,076 per MT (72%).

FFB production for the nine-month period of 675,143 MT was lower than last year's production of 753,864 MT. FFB yield reduced from 11.3 MT/Ha to 9.7 MT/Ha in the same period. OER maintained at 21.1% for both years but KER reduced from 4.3% to 4.1%.

Peninsular Malaysia region

The Peninsular Malaysia region achieved a segment profit of RM122.1 million, an increase of RM58.5 million from a profit of RM63.6 million for the corresponding period last year. Higher profit was due to higher palm product prices. FFB crop for the period of 263,725 MT was lower as compared to 303,862 MT in 2020. OER increased to 21.5% from 21.4% last year whereas KER maintained at 4.1%.

Sabah region

Sabah region achieved a segment profit of RM108.9 million for the first nine months of 2021, surpassed the corresponding period last year of RM22.4 million. Higher selling prices was the main reason for the improved performance. FFB production of 345,060 MT was lower as compared to 370,859 MT in the same period last year. OER and KER reduced to 21.2% and 4.0% from 21.3% and 4.3% in the corresponding period last year.

Sarawak region

Sarawak region's segment profit of RM11.0 million improved as compared to last year's loss of RM9.1 million. Higher palm products prices contributed to the profit which cushioned the drop in production from 79,143 MT last year to 66,358 MT this year.

	Current Quarter	Immediate Preceding Quarter	Incre (Decr	
		RM'000		(%)
Revenue	293,773	242,779	50,994	21%
Profit from operations	133,092	75,594	57,498	76%
Profit before taxation	124,265	64,044	60,221	94%
Profit for the period	95,870	48,947	46,923	96%
Profit attributable to Shareholders				
of the Company	95,558	48,375	47,183	98%

15. Material Changes in Quarterly Results Compared to the Results of the Immediately Preceding Quarter

For the current quarter, the unaudited profit before tax of RM124.3 million was higher than the immediate preceding quarter's profit of RM64.0 million. Revenue for the current quarter of RM293.8 million also increased by RM51.0 million. Operating costs reduced from RM167.2 million in the second quarter to RM160.7 in the current quarter by RM6.5 million.

Better performance was driven by higher selling prices and improved crop production. Average CPO price of RM4,331 per MT, improved by RM317 as compared to price for the second quarter of 2021 of RM4,014 per MT. FFB production increased by 14% to 263,276 MT from 231,702 MT in the immediate preceding quarter. FFB yield and OER also increased from 3.4 MT/Ha to 3.8 MT/Ha and 21.2% to 21.5% respectively.

16. Prospects for the Coming Year

The Group's prospects for the coming year are largely influenced by the initiatives to improve crop production, selling prices and ongoing Boustead Group's Reinventing Boustead strategy.

Palm oil prices catapult to record high this year owing to massive fund betting on unforeseen production losses and multi-year low inventories and also supported by appreciation of crude oil prices and China ongoing power outages. Palm oil production fell short of expectations in recent months. Among factors hindering yield recovery are adverse weather condition, increase fertiliser cost, crop losses due to the labour shortage and temporary halt of operations due to Covid-19 cases. Expected heavy rains and flooding due to La Nina in the last quarter this year might affect the palm oil growing areas in South East Asia. At Boustead Plantations, we had taken necessary action to minimise the impact of negative weather conditions in the areas of our operations.

However, for the remainder of the year, there are several key risks and challenges that could swing the direction of CPO prices such as containment of Covid-19 pandemic, global food inflation, government policy changes and the volatility of Ringgit against US dollar. Despite the challenges, the post-pandemic outlook for the palm oil industry in Malaysia remains bright, backed by balanced supply and demand as well as an expected recovery from labour shortages next year.

The Group remains focus on effort to improve performance despite labour shortages. The implementation of various yield and productivity improvement initiatives as well as cost management programs initiatives continue to support the performance. The Group has identified opportunities within the scope of mechanization and recruitment of local workers which are among the key ingredient within the Boustead Reinventing Strategy.

17. Notes on Variance in Actual Profit and Shortfall in Profit Guarantee

The disclosure requirements for explanatory notes for the variance of actual profit after tax and non-controlling interests and shortfall in profit guarantee are not applicable.

18. Taxation

	Current	Cumulative
	Period	Period
	2021	2021
	RM'000	RM'000
Malaysian taxation based on profit for the period:		
Current tax	28,395	51,618
Under-provision of prior year - current tax	-	76
- deferred tax	-	(85)
	28,395	51,609

The Group's effective tax rate for the cumulative quarter was consistent with the statutory tax rate.

19. Status of Corporate Proposals

(a) **Proposed Land Lease**

On 10 September 2021, Boustead Plantations Berhad ("BPB") entered into a Conditional Land Lease Agreement with CIMB Islamic Trustee Berhad and Next Generation Oil Sdn Bhd ("NGOSB") for NGOSB to lease between 1,040 to 1,286 acres of land in Telok Sengat Estate. BPB had received 15% of the total deposit of RM8.0 million, amounting RM1.2 million upon signing of the agreement. The CLLA is subject to the fulfilment of condition precedents within a period of eighteen (18) months from the date of agreement.

(b) Proposed Land Disposal

On 28 September 2021, CIMB Islamic Trustee Berhad, acting solely as trustee for Boustead Plantations Berhad ("BPB") entered into a sale and purchase agreement with SIPP Power Sdn Bhd for the proposed disposal of 5 parcels of freehold land held under GRN 229629 Lot 3564, HSD 64784 PTD 109021, HSD 64789 PTD 109026, HSD 64796 PTD 109033 and HSD 64797 PTD 109034 all within Mukim of Kulai, District of Kulai, Johor measuring 663.98 hectares for a total cash consideration of RM428.8 million.

BPB had received a deposit amounting RM42.9 million. The disposal had been approved by the Estate Land Board on 9 November 2021 and pending the approval of the Economic Planning Unit. The disposal is expected to be completed in the first quarter of 2022.

20. Changes in Material Litigations

CIMB Islamic Trustee Berhad ("First Plaintiff"), trustee for Boustead Plantations Berhad and Boustead Plantations Berhad ("Second Plaintiff") had on 28 December 2018 filed a Writ of Summons and Statement of Claim on Setia Fontaines Sdn Bhd ('Defendant') for breach of Sale and Purchase Agreement dated 22 December 2016. The claim is in respect of damages amounting to RM37,207,353.35 for goods and services tax (GST) due from the Defendant together with interest at the rate of 8% per annum and other costs and relief deemed fit by the Court.

In July 2019, the Defendant filed an application for a judicial review against the Customs decision that if the Lands are intended to be used for commercial or mixed development purposes, then the commercial portion is subject to GST. The Plaintiffs are not party to the said judicial review proceedings. Pursuant to the court's decision on the judicial review delivered on 11 September 2020, the Plaintiffs' solicitors were informed that the court has decided, among others, that the sale of the Lands is an exempt supply under the GST (Exempt Supply) Order 2014 and is not subject to any GST. The Minister of Finance and the Director-General of Customs did not file any appeal against the judicial review decision. The Group has therefore submitted a request to Customs in November 2020 for the GST refund of RM37,207,353.35.

On 11 May 2021, the Plaintiffs have withdrawn the suit against the Defendant. On 21 May 2021, Customs has approved the Group application for GST refund and refunded the full amount of GST on 5 August 2021.

As at 23 November 2021, there were no other material litigation involving the Group or the Company.

21. Statement of Financial Position

There was no significant movement of balances as at 30 September 2021 compared to 31 December 2020.

22. Statement of Cash Flows

During the period, higher collection from customers coupled with receipt of GST refund and deposit from proposed disposal had improved net operating cash flows which allow us to fund our working capital internally and pare down the borrowings. Cash generated from operation for nine months improved to RM369.2 million as compared to annual cash generated in 2020 of RM181.0 million.

Debt-to-Equity ratio stood at 0.40 times, reduced from the 31 December 2020 position of 0.48. Likewise, the Group net current liabilities as at 30 September 2021 stood at RM536.0 million, a reduction of RM75.1 million from RM611.1 million as at 31 December 2020.

23. Earnings Per Share – Basic

	Current quarter		Cumulative period	
	2021	2020	2021	2020
Net profit attributable to shareholders (RM'000)	95,558	17,970	156,158	15,497
Weighted average number of ordinary shares in issue ('000)	2,240,000	2,240,000	2,240,000	2,240,000
Basic earnings per ordinary share (Sen)	4.27	0.80	6.97	0.69

24. Group Borrowings

Total group borrowings as at 30 September 2021 are as follows:

	At 30 September 2021	At 31 December 2020
	RM'000	RM'000
Non-Current:		
<u>Unsecured</u>		
Term loans	500,746	574,413
Current:		
<u>Unsecured</u>		
Bank overdrafts	-	17
Revolving credits	478,500	597,750
Term loans	98,221	80,721
	576,721	678,488
Total borrowings	1,077,467	1,252,901

The bank overdrafts bear interest at a weighted average rate of 7.75% (2020: 7.75%) per annum.

- (i) The revolving credits bear interest at a weighted average rate of 4.21% (2020: 4.10%) per annum.
- (ii) Included in term loans of the Group of RM602.5 million (2020: RM659.0 million) is an Islamic term loan of the Group of RM259.0 million (2020: RM301.0 million) which bears an average profit rate of 4.11% (2020: 4.39%) per annum. The remaining term loans of the Group of RM343.5 million (2020: RM358.0 million) bears interest rates which range from 3.73% to 4.40% (2020: 3.61% to 5.50%) per annum.

The debt for the current year and last year comprised wholly of floating interest rate debt and denominated in Malaysian Ringgit.

25. Additional Disclosures

The Group's profit before taxation is stated after debiting the following:

	Current Quarter		Cumulative Quarter	
	2021	2020	2021	2020
	RM'000	RM'000	RM'000	RM'000
Depreciation of PPE and ROU	32,510	32,912	96,606	99,334

26. Plantation Statistics

		Cumulative Period	
		2021	2020
(a)	Production and yield		
	FFB (MT)	675,143	753,864
	FFB (MT/ha)	9.7	11.3
	CPO (MT)	159,801	182,452
	PK (MT)	30,956	37,207
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b)	Oil extraction rate (%)	• • •	
	СРО	21.1	21.1
	РК	4.1	4.3
(c)	Average Selling Prices (RM per MT)		
	FFB	887	519
	СРО	4,072	2,637
	РК	2,572	1,496

		At	At
		30 September	31 December
		2021	2020
(d)	Planted areas (hectares)		
	Past prime	36,175	32,952
	Prime mature	20,220	21,672
	Young mature	12,824	12,223
	Immature	4,235	6,647
		73,454	73,494