# Part A1: Quarterly Report

Quarterly report for the financial period ended : 31.03.2017 Quarter 1st Quarter **Financial Year End** 31.12.2017

The Figures Have not been audited

# Part A2: Summary of Key Financial Information for the financial period ended 31/03/2017

	Individua	al Quarter	Cumulative Period			
	Current year quarter 31.03.2017	quarter quarter		Preceding year to date 31.03.2016		
	RM'000	RM'000	RM'000	RM'000		
1 Revenue	6,497	5,589	6,497	5,589		
2 Profit/(Loss) before tax	(456)	(1,751)	(456)	(1,751)		
3 Profit/(Loss) for the period 4 Profit /(Loss) attributable to	(1,195)	(2,187)	(1,195)	(2,187)		
ordinary equity holders of the parent	(1,670)	(2,266)	(1,670)	(2,266)		
5 Basic earning / (loss) per shares (sen) * 6 Proposed /Declared dividend	(0.25)	(0.34)	(0.25)	(0.34)		
per share (sen)	-	-	-	-		
	As at end of o	current quarter	As at preceding	ng financial year		

0.3071

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7 Net assets per share attributable to ordinary equity holders of the company (RM) \*

# Part A3 : Additional Information

	Individual Quarter		Cumulative Period		
	Current year	Preceding year	Current year	Preceding year	
	quarter	quarter	to date	to date	
	31.03.2017	31.03.2016	31.03.2017	31.03.2016	
	RM'000	RM'000	RM'000	RM'000	
1 Gross interest income	13		13	25	
2 Gross interest expenses	175		175	246	

<sup>\*</sup> For comparative purpose, the preceding year basic earning / (loss) per share (sen) and net assets per share attributable to ordinary equity holders of the company (RM) were restated arising from the bonus issue exercise which was completed on 30.05.2016.

# INTERIM FINANCIAL REPORT ON CONSOLIDATED RESULTS FOR THE FIRST QUARTER ENDED 31 MARCH 2017

# **UNAUDITED CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF COMPREHENSIVE INCOME**

		<u>Individual</u> Current Year 1st Qua	Preceding Year	Current Year	<u>re Quarter</u> Preceding Year late
		31-Mar-17	31-Mar-16	31-Mar-17	31-Mar-16
Continuing Operations No.	ote	RM'000	RM'000	RM'000	RM'000
Revenue		6,497	5,589	6,497	5,589
Cost of sales		(3,964)	(4,592)	(3,964)	(4,592)
Gross profit	_	2,533	997	2,533	997
Other income Administrative expenses Finance costs		539 (3,352) (176)	528 (3,031) (245)	539 (3,352) (176)	528 (3,031) (245)
Share of profit/(loss) in associate Profit/(loss) before taxation	_	(456)	(1,751)	(456)	(1,751)
Fromb(loss) before taxation		(430)	(1,731)	(430)	(1,751)
	18	(739)	(436)	(739)	(436)
Profit/(loss) after taxation		(1,195)	(2,187)	(1,195)	(2,187)
Other Comprehensive income/(loss), net of tax		-	-	-	-
Total comprehensive income/(loss) for the period	_	(1,195)	(2,187)	(1,195)	(2,187)
Profit/(loss) attributable to: Owners of the parent Non-controlling interests Profit/(loss) for the period	-	(1,670) 475 (1,195)	(2,266) 79 (2,187)	(1,670) 475 (1,195)	(2,266) 79 (2,187)
Total comprehensive income attributable to: Owners of the parent Non-controlling interests Total comprehensive income/(loss) for the period	-	(1,670) 475 (1,195)	(2,266) 79 (2,187)	(1,670) 475 (1,195)	(2,266) 79 (2,187)
Earning Per Share attributable to owners of the parent:					
Earning / (loss) per share (Sen) *	27	(0.25)	(0.34)	(0.25)	(0.34)

<sup>\*</sup> For comparative purpose, the preceding year earning / (loss) per share (sen) was restated arising from the bonus issue exercise which was completed on 30.05.2016

# INTERIM FINANCIAL REPORT ON CONSOLIDATED RESULTS FOR THE FIRST QUARTER ENDED 31 MARCH 2017

# UNAUDITED CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION

	(UNAUDITED) CURRENT QUARTER END 31-Mar-17 RM'000	(AUDITED) PRECEDING YEAR END 31-Dec-16 RM'000
<u>ASSETS</u>		
Non-current assets		
Property, plant and equipment	313,839	316,409
Biological assets	50,843	50,837
Investment Property	15,500	15,500
Investment in associated company	1,311 381,493	1,311 384,057
Current assets	301,493	304,037
Inventories	936	353
Trade receivables	2,893	4,368
Other receivables	6,442	4,825
Cash and cash equivalents	4,916	4,015
Tax Recoverable		
	15,187	13,561
TOTAL ASSETS	396,680	397,618
EQUITY AND LIABILITIES Equity Attributable To Owners of the parent	424.007	424.007
Share Capital Share Premium	131,997	131,997
Capital Reserve	-	-
Revaluation Reserve	145,087	- 145,087
Available-for-sales Fair Value Reserve	(84,414)	(84,414)
Accumulated losses	10,011	11,681
Total equity attributable to owners of the parent	202,681	204,351
Non-controlling Interests	94,476	94,001
TOTAL EQUITY	297,157	298,352
Non-current liabilities	13,358	12 505
Borrowings Hire purchase creditors	13,336	13,585 654
Deferred taxation	73,382	73,382
Dolon ou taxation	87,328	87,621
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Current liabilities		
Trade payables	1,660	1,214
Other payables	6,363	6,095
Dividend payables	-	1,050
Borrowings	1,830	993
HP creditors	526 565	696 565
Amount due to associate company Provision for Taxation		
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	12,133	11,043
TOTAL LIABILITIES	99,523	99,266
TOTAL EQUITY AND LIABILITIES	396,680	397,618

#### INTERIM FINANCIAL REPORT ON CONSOLIDATED RESULTS FOR THE FIRST QUARTER ENDED 31 MARCH 2017

# UNAUDITED CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN EQUITY

•	<b>———</b>	ı	Attributal Non- distribu	ole to owners of the	e parent		<b></b>		
	Share Capital RM'000	Share Premium RM'000	Capital Reserve	Revaluation Reserve RM'000	Available-for-sales Fair Value Reserve RM'000	Accumulated losses RM'000	Total RM'000	Non- controlling Interest RM'000	Total Equity RM'000
As at 1 January 2017	131,997	-	-	145,087	(84,414)	11,681	204,351	94,001	298,352
Transactions with owners:- Issuance of bonus shares Share issuance expenses Dividend paid to non-controlling Interests							-		-
Total transactions with owners  Profit / (loss) for the period	-	-	-	-	-	(1,670)	(1,670)	- 475	- (1,195)
Other Comprehensive income for the period Revaluation of leasehold land and buildings and biological assets, net of tax						(1,070)	-	470	(1,133)
Total Comprehensive income for the period				-		(1,670)	(1,670)	475	(1,195)
Balance as at 31 March 2017	131,997	-	-	145,087	(84,414)	10,011	202,681	94,476	297,157
As at 1 January 2016 Transactions with owners:-	23,999	1,333	22,726	143,952	-	11,676	203,686	92,859	296,546
Issuance of bonus shares	107,997	(857)	(22,726)		(84,414)		0		
Share issuance expenses Dividend paid to non-controlling Interests		(476)					(476)	(2,100)	(476) (2,100)
Total transactions with owners	107,997	(1,333)	(22,726)	-	(84,414)		(476)	(2,100)	(2,100)
Profit / (loss) for the financial year Other Comprehensive income for the financial year Revaluation of leasehold land and buildings and biological	. ,	\ , = 2 <del>2</del> /	, 97		7 /	5	5	2,386	2,391
assets, net of tax				1,135			1,135	856	1,991
Total Comprehensive income for the financial year				1,135		5	1,140	3,242	4,382
Balance as at 31 December 2016	131,997	-	-	145,087	(84,414)	11,681	204,351	94,001	298,352

# INTERIM FINANCIAL REPORT ON CONSOLIDATED RESULTS FOR THE FIRST QUARTER ENDED 31 MARCH 2017 UNAUDITED CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS

CASH FLOWS FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES	3 MONTHS ENDED 31-Mar-17 RM'000	12 MONTHS ENDED 31-Dec-16 RM'000
Profit before taxation	(456)	2,065
Adjustments for:- Non-cash items/non-operating items Interest expense Interest income	1,279 175 (13)	5,339 855 (46)
Operating profit before working capital changes	985	8,213
Changes in working capital:- Net Change In Current Assets / Current Liabilities	2,134	(3,663)
Tax refund/(paid)	3,119 (520)	4,550 (1,918)
Net cash (Used In)/ generated from operating activities	2,599	2,632
CASH FLOWS FROM INVESTING ACTIVITIES Interest received Proceeds from disposal of property, plant and equipment Purchase of property, plant and equipment Purchase of biological assets	13 (42)	46 169 (2,851) (63)
Net cash used in investing activities	(29)	(2,699)
CASH FLOWS FROM FINANCING ACTIVITIES  Dividend Paid to Non-controlling interests  Repayment of term / flexi loan  Repayment of hire purchase creditors  Interest paid  Drawndown of term loan  Share issuance expenses  Net cash used in financing activities	(1,050) (227) (217) (175) - - (1,669)	(2,625) (6,481) (766) (855) - (476) (11,203)
NET CHANGE IN CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS	901	(11,270)
CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS AT BEGINNING OF FINANCIAL YEAR	4,015	15,285
CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS AT END OF THE FINANCIAL PERIOD	4,916	4,015
CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS COMPRISE THE FOLLOWING: Cash and bank balances Fixed Deposit placed with licensed banks	4,900 16 <b>4,916</b>	3,499 516 <b>4,015</b>

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#### Notes to the Interim Financial Statement - 31 March 2017

#### 1 Statement of compliance

The interim financial report is unaudited and has been prepared in compliance with Malaysian Financial Reporting Standard ("MFRS") 134 Interim Financial Reporting, issued by the Malaysian Accounting Standards Board and Paragraph 9.22 of the Bursa Malaysia Securities Berhad's ("Bursa Securities") Main Market Listing Requirements.

#### 2 Accounting policies

The interim financial report should be read in conjunction with the audited financial statements of the Group for the financial year ended 31 December 2016. The accounting policies and methods of computation adopted by the Group in this interim financial report are consistent with those adopted in the audited financial statements for the year ended 31 December 2016.

#### 3 Auditors' report on preceding annual financial statements

The auditors' report on the financial statements for the year ended 31 December 2016 was not qualified.

#### 4 Seasonal or cyclical factors

The business of the Group was not affected by any significant seasonal or cyclical factors in the current quarter.

#### 5 Unusual items affecting the assets, liabilities, equity, net income, or cash flows

There were no unusual items affecting the assets, liabilities, equity, net income or cash flow of the Group for the current quarter and financial year-to-date.

#### 6 Material changes in estimates

There were no changes in estimates that have had material effect in the current results.

# 7 Issuances, cancellations, repurchases, resale and repayments of debt and equity securities

There were no issuances, cancellations, repurchases, resale and repayments of debt and equity securities for the current financial year-to-date.

#### 8 Dividend paid

No dividend was paid out during the current quarter under review.

# 9 Segmental reporting

Segmental information for the Group is presented as follows:

3 months financial period ended 31 Mar 2017	Plantation	Construction. Property Development & Property Investment	Investment	Elimination	Consolidated
Segment Revenue	RM'000	RM'000	RM'000	RM'000	RM'000
External revenue	6,340	157	-	-	6,497
Inter-segment revenue	· -	-	-	-	·
Total revenue	6,340	157	=	=	6,497
Segment Results Operating results Share of results of associate company Finance cost	2,135 - (4)	(2,307) - (172)	(108)	- - -	(280) - (176)
Profit/(loss) before tax	2,131	(2,479)	(108)	-	(456)
Income tax expense	(774)	35	-	-	(739)
<u>_</u>	1,357	(2,444)	(108)	-	(1,195)

3 months financial period ended 31 Mar 2016	<u>Plantation</u>	Construction, Property Development & Property Investment	<u>Investment</u>	Elimination	Consolidated
Segment Revenue	RM'000	RM'000	RM'000	RM'000	RM'000
External revenue	4,851	738	-	-	5,589
Inter-segment revenue	-	-	-	-	
Total revenue	4,851	738	=	=	5,589
Segment Results Operating results Share of results of associate company Finance cost	645 - (7)	(1,949) - (238)	(202)	- -	(1,506) - (245)
Profit/(loss) before tax	638	(2,187)	(202)	-	(1,751)
Income tax expense	(413)	(23)	- '	-	(436)
	225	(2,210)	(202)	-	(2,187)

The Group principally operates within Malaysia.

# 10 Valuation of Property, Plant & Equipment

There were no material changes to the valuation of property, plant & equipment brought forward from the previous annual financial statements.

### 11 Material event subsequent to the end of the period not reflected in the current financial period.

There were no material events subsequent to the end of the period that have not been reflected in this quarterly report.

#### 12 Changes in the composition of the Group

There were no changes in the composition of the Group for the current quarter and year-to-date.

#### 13 Contingent liabilities or assets

There were no material contingent liabilities or contingent assets to be disclosed as at the date of this report.

#### 14 Review of performance

The Group recorded a pre-tax loss of RM 0.5 million on revenue of RM 6.5 million for the Q1 under review compared to pre-tax loss of RM 1.8 million on revenue of RM 5.6 million for the corresponding period in 2016.

The 30.7 % increase in the revenue of the plantation division to RM 6.3 million for the Q1 under review was due to the higher Crude Palm Oil ("CPO") prices realised compared to the corresponding period last year. The average CPO prices realised during the period under review had increased by 28.7 % to RM 3,126 per M/T (2016: RM 2,428 per M/T). The Group's total Fresh Fruit Bunches ("FFB") harvested for the Q1 under review had decreased by 4.3% to 7,874 M/T (2016: 8,226 M/T).

The construction, property development and property investment divisions' losses before tax of RM 2.5 million was mainly due to higher Group's operating overheads costs and the development cost of Kuantan Hi-Tech Park development project.

#### 15 Comparison with the immediate preceding quarter's results

There were no material changes to the losses before tax for the current quarter of RM 0.5 million compared to the immediate preceding quarter profit of RM 0.12 million.

#### 16 Commentary on prospects

Barring unforeseen circumstances, the Group anticipates the plantation division to record higher profit in the current financial year due to the well supported current CPO prices above RM 2,500 per M/T.

#### 17 Profit forecast

Not applicable as there was no profit forecast published.

18 Taxation		<u>Individual Q</u>	<b>Cumulative Quarter</b>		
		3 months e	3 months ended		
		31.03.2017 RM'000	31.3.2016 RM'000	31.03.2017 RM'000	31.3.2016 RM'000
	Current Taxation	739	436	739	436
	Under/(Over) provision of tax in prior	-	=	-	-
		739	436	739	436
	Deferred Tax	-	-	-	-
	Share of taxation of subsidiary		-	-	-
	Total income tax expense	739	436	739	436

The provision for income tax for the Group is mainly due to the chargeable income from the Plantation Division. The tax charge is higher than the statutory tax rate owing to certain expenses not deductible for tax purpose.

#### 19 Unquoted investments and properties

There were no disposals of unquoted investments or properties during the current quarter.

# 20 Purchase or disposal of quoted securities

## a. Sale proceeds and purchase consideration

There were no disposals and purchase of quoted investment or properties for the current quarter and financial year-to-date.

# b. Investment in quoted securities as at end of the reporting period

There was no quoted securities as at end of the current quarter.

#### 21 Status of uncompleted corporate proposals

There were no uncompleted corporate proposals as at end of the current quarter.

# 22 Borrowings and debts securities

The Goup's borrowings and debts securities as at the end of the current quarter were as follows:

	RM'000
Short term bank borrowings	1,830
Long term bank borrowings	13,358
	15.188

The above bank borrowings are secured by the properties of the subsidiary company and the corporate guarantee of the Company.

# 23 Off balance sheet financial instruments

During the quarter under review, the Group did not enter into any contracts involving off balance sheet financial instruments.

#### 24 Disclosure of Realised and Unrealised Profits (Unaudited)

	As at 31.3.2017 RM'000	As at 31.12.2016 RM'000
Total accumulated losses of the Company and its subsidiaries:		
- Realised	(18,736)	(17,764)
- Unrealised	(6,876)	(6,876)
	(25,612)	(24,640)
Total accumulated losses from associate company:		
- Realised	(1,138)	(1,138)
	(26,750)	(25,778)
Less: Consolidated adjustments	36,761	37,459
Total group retained profits / (accumulated losses) as per consolidated accounts	10,011	11,681

## 25 Material Litigation

There were no pending material litigation as at end of this quarter.

# 26 Dividend Payable

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

# 27 Earnings per share

Profit / (loss) attributable to ordinary equity holders of the parent (RM'000) Weighted average number of ordinary share in issue ('000) Basic earning / (loss) per share (sen)

Individual Qua 3 months end		Cumulative Quarter 3 months ended		
31.3.2017	31.3.2016	31.3.2017	31.3.2016	
(1,670)	(2,266)	(1,670)	(2,266)	
659,984	659,984	659,984	659,984	
(0.25)	(0.34)	(0.25)	(0.34)	

There is no diluted earning per share as the Group has no dilutive potential ordinary share.

# 28 Additional notes to the Statement of Comprehensive Income

Profit before tax is arrived at after charging / (crediting):

Interest Income Interest expense Depreciation and amortization

Individual Quarter		Cumulative Quarter	
3 months ended		3 months ended	
31.3.2017	31.3.2016	31.3.2017	31.3.2016
RM'000	RM'000	RM'000	RM'000
13	25	13	25
175	246	175	246
1279	1160	1279	1160

#### 29 Capital Commitment not provided for in the Financial Statements

The Group did not have any capital commitment as at the end of the current financial quarter under review.