

**WEIDA (M) BHD (Company No. 504747-W)**  
**UNAUDITED INTERIM FINANCIAL REPORT ON CONSOLIDATED RESULTS FOR**  
**THE SECOND QUARTER ENDED 30 SEPTEMBER 2008**

## Condensed consolidated balance sheet

At 30 September 2008

	Note	30 September 2008 RM'000	31 March 2008 RM'000
<b>ASSETS</b>			
<b>Non-current assets</b>			
Property, plant and equipment		48,344	44,707
Prepaid lease payments		58,998	50,674
Plantation development expenditure		4,183	2,134
Available-for-sale securities	21	20,323	10,996
Other investments	22	450	917
Deferred tax assets		520	407
Goodwill on consolidation		4,021	3,755
Long term trade receivables	23	19,696	8,071
		156,535	121,661
<b>Current assets</b>			
Inventories		41,230	31,803
Trade and other receivables		104,586	186,296
Properties held for resale	24	205	322
Current tax assets		301	1,204
Deposits, bank and cash balances		27,727	37,609
		174,049	257,234
<b>Total assets</b>		330,584	378,895

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	Note	30 September 2008 RM'000	31 March 2008 RM'000
(continued)			
<b>EQUITY AND LIABILITIES</b>			
<b>Equity attributable to equity holders of the Company</b>			
Share capital		66,667	66,667
Reserves		62,936	59,434
Treasury shares		(4,598)	(4,482)
		125,005	121,619
<b>Minority shareholders' interests</b>		19,579	18,316
<b>Total equity</b>		144,584	139,935
<b>Non-current liabilities</b>			
Borrowings	27	65,699	42,969
Deferred tax liabilities		15,101	12,687
		80,800	55,656
<b>Current liabilities</b>			
Trade and other payables		76,385	79,920
Borrowings	27	27,265	101,034
Current tax liabilities		1,550	2,350
		105,200	183,304
<b>Total liabilities</b>		186,000	238,960
<b>Total equity and liabilities</b>		330,584	378,895
Net assets per share attributable to ordinary shareholders of the Company (RM)		0.99	0.96

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for the period ended 30 September 2008

	Note	Individual Quarter 3 months ended		Cumulative Quarter 6 months ended	
		30 September 2008 RM'000	30 September 2007 RM'000	30 September 2008 RM'000	30 September 2007 RM'000
<b>Revenue</b>	9	59,211	49,682	106,025	92,622
<b>Operating profit</b>	9	6,711	5,694	12,427	10,120
Financing costs		(856)	(1,152)	(1,575)	(1,909)
Interest income		274	35	743	110
Excess of fair value of net assets over consideration paid on the acquisition of subsidiaries		-	-	7	-
Goodwill written off		-	-	(1,012)	-
Allowance for diminution in value of investment		(1,646)	-	(2,108)	-
<b>Profit before taxation</b>		4,483	4,577	8,482	8,321
Tax expense	20	(940)	(1,015)	(1,829)	(2,440)
<b>Profit after taxation</b>		3,543	3,562	6,653	5,881
<b>Attributable to:</b>					
<b>Shareholders of the Company</b>		1,753	2,982	4,702	5,173
<b>Minority interests</b>		1,790	580	1,951	708
		3,543	3,562	6,653	5,881
Basic / Diluted earnings per share attributable to ordinary shareholders of the Company (sen)	31	1.38	2.32	3.71	4.01

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**Condensed consolidated statement of changes in equity**

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<-----Attributable to shareholders of the Company----->											
Note	Issued and fully paid ordinary shares		Revaluation reserve RM'000	Merger deficit RM'000	Translation reserve RM'000	Non-Distributable		Distributable	Total RM'000	Minority interest RM'000	Total equity RM'000
	Number of shares '000	Share capital RM'000				Treasury shares RM'000	Other reserve RM'000	Retained earnings RM'000			
At 1 April 2008	133,333	66,667	7,913	(16,983)	(38)	(4,482)	150	68,392	121,619	18,316	139,935
<i>Realisation of revaluation reserve</i>	-	-	(79)	-	-	-	-	79	-	-	-
<i>Foreign exchange translation differences</i>	-	-	-	-	(1,200)	-	-	-	(1,200)	-	(1,200)
<i>Net gains/(losses) recognised directly in equity</i>	-	-	(79)	-	(1,200)	-	-	79	(1,200)	-	(1,200)
<i>Net profit for the six-month period</i>	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4,702	4,702	1,951	6,653
Total recognised income and expenses for the six-month period	-	-	(79)	-	(1,200)	-	-	4,781	3,502	1,951	5,453
Dividends paid in respect of the previous year to:	8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
- shareholders of the company	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
- minority interest	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dividends paid in respect of the current year	8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Acquisition of minority interest in an existing subsidiary	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(688)	(688)
Issuance of shares	7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Purchase of treasury shares	7	-	-	-	-	(116)	-	-	(116)	-	(116)
At 30 September 2008	133,333	66,667	7,834	(16,983)	(1,238)	(4,598)	150	73,173	125,005	19,579	144,584

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Note	<-----Attributable to shareholders of the Company ----->										
	Issued and fully paid ordinary shares		Revaluation reserve	Merger deficit	Translation reserve	Non-Distributable		Distributable	Total	Minority interest	Total equity
	Number of shares '000	Share capital RM'000				Treasury shares RM'000	Other reserve RM'000	Retained earnings RM'000			
At 1 April 2007	133,333	66,667	8,093	(16,983)	-	(1,563)	150	61,295	117,659	19,260	136,919
<i>Realisation of revaluation reserve</i>	-	-	(89)	-	-	-	-	89	-	-	-
<i>Foreign exchange translation differences</i>	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<i>Net gains/(losses) recognised directly in equity</i>	-	-	(89)	-	-	-	-	89	-	-	-
<i>Net profit for the six-month period</i>	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5,173	5,173	708	5,881
<i>Total recognised income and expenses for the six-month period</i>	-	-	(89)	-	-	-	-	5,262	5,173	708	5,881
Dividends paid in respect of the previous year to:	8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
- shareholders of the company	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
- minority interest	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dividends paid in respect of the current year	8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Acquisition of subsidiaries	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	49	49
Acquisition of minority interest in an existing subsidiary	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(103)	(103)
Issuance of shares	7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Purchase of treasury shares	7	-	-	-	-	(2,308)	-	-	(2,308)	-	(2,308)
At 30 September 2007	133,333	66,667	8,004	(16,983)	-	(3,871)	150	66,557	120,524	19,914	140,438

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## Condensed consolidated cash flow statement

For the period ended 30 September 2008

	<b>30 September 2008 RM'000</b>	<b>30 September 2007 RM'000</b>
Profit after taxation for the period	6,653	5,881
Adjustments for:		
Allowance for diminution in value of investment	2,108	-
Amortisation and depreciation	2,645	2,465
Amortisation of goodwill	61	-
Dividend income	(1)	(2)
Financing costs	1,575	1,909
Foreign exchange gain	(2)	-
Gain on disposal of available-for-sale securities and other investments	(64)	(1)
Goodwill written off	1,012	-
(Gain)/Loss on disposal of property, plant and equipment	(96)	12
Gain on disposal of property held for resale	(7)	-
Interest income	(743)	(110)
Negative goodwill on consolidation recognised	(7)	-
Tax expenses	1,829	2,440
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Operating profit before working capital changes	14,963	12,594
Increase/(Decrease) in working capital	56,587	(15,426)
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Cash generated from/(used in) operations	71,550	(2,832)
Financing costs	(349)	(1,259)
Interest received	-	110
Tax paid	(1,406)	(2,061)
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<b>Net cash generated from/(used in) operating activities</b>	<b>69,795</b>	<b>(6,042)</b>
<b>Cash flows from investing activities</b>		
Acquisition of shares from minority interests in existing subsidiaries	(1,896)	(1,000)
Acquisition of subsidiary, net of cash acquired	(5,959)	-
(Increase)/Decrease in pledged deposits placed with licensed banks	(2,648)	335
Purchase of property, plant and equipment and prepaid lease payments	(6,610)	(5,022)
Plantation development expenditure incurred	(1,723)	-
Purchase of available-for-sale-securities and other investments	(11,435)	-
Proceeds from disposal of available-for-sale securities and other investments	531	2
Proceeds from disposal of property, plant and equipment	249	53
Dividend received	1	2
Interest received	743	-
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<b>Net cash used in investing activities</b>	<b>(28,747)</b>	<b>(5,630)</b>

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	<b>30 September 2008 RM'000</b>	<b>30 September 2007 RM'000</b>
(continued)		
<b>Cash flows from financing activities</b>		
(Repayment of)/Net proceeds from bonds issued	(45,000)	25,000
(Repayment of)/Net Proceeds from bankers' acceptances	(6,061)	10,197
(Repayment of)/Net Proceeds from other borrowings	(137)	(60)
Financing costs	(1,226)	(650)
Purchase of treasury shares	(116)	-
Dividend paid to:		
- shareholders of the Company	-	-
- minority shareholders of a subsidiary	-	-
<b>Net cash (used in)/generated from financing activities</b>	<b>(52,540)</b>	<b>34,487</b>
Net (decrease)/increase in cash and cash equivalents	(11,492)	22,815
Effects of exchange rate fluctuation on cash held	(1,198)	-
Cash and cash equivalents at 1 April	37,609	17,874
Cash and cash equivalents at 30 September	24,919	40,689

**Note**

Cash and cash equivalents included in the cash flow statements comprise the following balance sheet amounts:

Deposits, bank and cash balances	27,727	40,845
Fixed deposits pledged for bank facility	(2,648)	(156)
	25,079	40,689
Bank overdrafts	(160)	-
<b>Cash and cash equivalents at 30 September</b>	<b>24,919</b>	<b>40,689</b>

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## Notes to the interim financial report

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### 1. Basis of preparation

This interim financial report has been prepared in accordance with the applicable disclosure provisions of the Listing Requirements of the Bursa Malaysia Securities Berhad and Financial Reporting Standard (FRS) 134, *Interim Financial Reporting*, issued by the Malaysian Accounting Standards Board (MASB).

The interim financial report has been prepared in accordance with the same accounting policies adopted in the 2008 annual financial statements except for the adoption of FRS 107, *Cash Flow Statements*; FRS 111, *Construction Contracts*; FRS 112, *Income Taxes*; FRS 118, *Revenue*; FRS 134, *Interim Financial Reporting* and FRS 137, *Provisions, Contingent Liabilities and Contingent Assets* during the year.

The preparation of an interim financial report in conformity with FRS 134, *Interim Financial Reporting*, requires management to make judgements, 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.

This interim financial report contains condensed consolidated financial statements and selected explanatory notes. The notes include an explanation of events and transactions that are significant to an understanding of the changes in financial position and performance of the Group since the 2008 annual financial statements. The condensed consolidated interim financial statements and notes thereon do not include all of the information required for a full set of financial statements prepared in accordance with FRSs.

### 2. Change in Accounting Policies

The initial application of FRS 107, FRS 111, FRS 112, FRS 118, FRS 134 and FRS 137 does not have any material impact on the Financial Statements of the Group.

The Group plans to adopt FRS 139, *Financial Statement; Recognition and Measurement*, for the financial year beginning 1 April 2010. The impact of applying FRS 139, effective for annual periods beginning on or after 1 January 2010, on the Company's financial statements upon first adoption as required by paragraph 30(b) of FRS 108, *Accounting Policies, Changes in Accounting Estimates and Errors*, is not disclosed by virtue of the exemption given in FRS 139.103AB.

The FRSs that are effective for the annual financial statements for the year ending 31 March 2009 may be affected by the issue of additional Interpretation(s) or other changes announced by the MASB subsequent to the date of issuance of this interim report. Therefore the policies that will be applied in the Group's financial statements for that period cannot be determined with certainty at the date of issuance of this interim financial report.

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

The auditors have expressed an unqualified opinion on the Group and the Company's statutory financial statements for the financial year ended 31 March 2008 in their report dated 29 July 2008.

### 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 due to their nature, size or incidence

There were no unusual items affecting assets, liabilities, equity, net income or cash flows for the 6-month period ended 30 September 2008.

### 6. Changes in estimates

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



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7. Debts and equity securities

There were no issuance, cancellation, resale and repayment of equity securities in the cumulative quarter and the current quarter under review except for the repurchase of 200,000 own shares as treasury shares at an average price of RM0.58 per share using internally generated funds

The movements on debt securities (corporate bonds) are detailed as follows:-

	<b>Individual Quarter 3 months ended 30 September 2008 RM'000</b>	<b>Cumulative Quarter 6 months ended 30 September 2008 RM'000</b>
Opening balance	25,000	90,000
Issuance	25,000	25,000
Redemption	(5,000)	(70,000)
Closing balance	<b>45,000</b>	<b>45,000</b>

8. Dividends paid

	<b>6 months ended 30 September 2008 RM'000</b>	<b>6 months ended 30 September 2007 RM'000</b>
Ordinary		
Final paid in respect of the amount approved for the previous financial year	-	-
Interim paid for the current financial year under review	-	-
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9. Segment information

The Group's primary format for reporting segment information is by business segments. Revenue from external customers represents the sales value of goods and services supplied to customers as well as revenue from construction contracts. The three major segments are detailed below:-

- (i) Manufacturing - Manufacturing, marketing and trading of high density polyethylene ("HDPE") engineering products and trading of other specialised and technical engineering products.
- (ii) Works - Installation of water treatment and sewage treatment plants as well as construction of telecommunication infrastructure and bulk storage tanks.
- (iii) Services - Sewage treatment services, treatment and disposal of sludge services as well as underground mapping of buried utilities, closed circuit television survey and investigation and rehabilitation of underground sewer and pipeline networks and storm water culverts.
- (iv) Plantations - Cultivation of oil palm plantations.

**For the 6 months ended  
30 September 2008**

	<u>Manufacturing</u>	<u>Works</u>	<u>Services</u>	<u>Plantations</u>	<u>Consolidated</u>
	RM'000	RM'000	RM'000	RM'000	RM'000
Revenue from external customers	52,844	44,133	9,048	-	106,025
Segment results	8,228	4,829	711	(248)	13,520
Unallocated operating income and expenses					(1,093)
Operating profit					12,427

**For the 6 months ended  
30 September 2007**

	<u>Manufacturing</u>	<u>Works</u>	<u>Services</u>	<u>Plantations</u>	<u>Consolidated</u>
	RM'000	RM'000	RM'000	RM'000	RM'000
Revenue from external customers	43,015	41,828	7,779	-	92,622
Segment results	7,565	2,985	510	-	11,060
Unallocated operating income and expenses					(940)
Operating profit					10,120

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10. Property, plant and equipment and prepaid lease payments

*(a) Acquisitions and disposals*

During the six months ended 30 September 2008, the Group acquired items of property, plant and equipment and prepaid lease payments with a cost of RM6,610,000 (six months ended 30 September 2007: RM5,022,000). Items of property, plant and equipment with a net book value of RM153,000 were disposed of during the six months ended 30 September 2008 (six months ended 30 September 2007: RM261,000), resulting in a gain on disposal of RM96,000 (loss in six months ended 30 September 2007: RM12,000).

*(b) Valuations*

The valuations of land and buildings have been brought forward, without amendment from the previous annual report.

11. Events subsequent to the balance sheet date

There were no material events subsequent to the end of the quarter under review.

12. Changes in composition of the Group

On 25 February 2008, the Company entered into a Share Sale Agreement (“SSA”) for the acquisition of the entire 600,000 ordinary shares of RM1.00 each in Maju Warisanmas Sdn Bhd (“MWM”) for a total cash consideration of RM6,000,000 which was subject to approval by the Foreign Investment Committee (“FIC”). The acquisition was completed on 17 June 2008 and MWM became a wholly owned subsidiary of the Company.

On 29 April 2008, the Company subscribed for 2 ordinary shares of RM1.00 each in the capital of Weida International Sdn Bhd (“WISB”) for a total cash consideration of RM2.00. On the same day, WISB issued and allotted additional 999,998 new ordinary shares of RM1.00 each for a total consideration of RM999,998 to the Company. As a result, WISB became a wholly owned subsidiary of the Company.

On 3 June 2008, the WISB subscribed for 8,407,227 ordinary shares of Php1.00 each in the capital of Weida Philippines Inc. (“WPI”) for a total cash consideration of Php8,407,232 (equivalent to RM642,016). As a result, WPI became a 99.99% owned subsidiary of the Group.

On 19 June 2008, the Company acquired additional 245,000 ordinary shares of RM1.00 each in the capital of Weida Marketing Sdn Bhd (“WMSB”) for a total cash consideration of RM882,000. As a result, WMSB became a wholly owned subsidiary of the Company.

On 25 June 2008, Weida Environmental Technology Sdn Bhd (“WET”), a 51% owned subsidiary of the Company, acquired additional 338,000 ordinary shares of RM1.00 each in the capital of UTIC Services Sdn Bhd (“UTIC”) for a total cash consideration of RM1,014,000. As a result, the Group’s effective shareholding in UTIC increased from 26.01% to 34.63%.

13. Changes in contingent liabilities

As at 30 September 2008, the Group has, in the ordinary course of business, provided bank guarantees of RM6,942,000 to third parties in the capacity of the Group as the sub-contractors of, or suppliers to, projects.

As at 23 October 2008, the Group has, in the ordinary course of business, provided bank guarantees of RM6,942,000 to third parties in the capacity of the Group as the sub-contractors of, or suppliers to, projects.

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14. Capital commitments

	<b>30 September 2008</b>	<b>31 March 2008</b>
	<b>RM'000</b>	<b>RM'000</b>
Property, plant and equipment		
Authorised but not contracted for	14,484	594
Contracted but not provided for	6,990	3,392

15. Material related party transactions

There were no material related party transactions in the current quarter except for rental of premises paid to companies in which certain Directors have interests amounting to RM64,800.

16. Review of performance

The revenue for the first six months of the financial year ending 31 March 2009 amounting to RM106.0 million is 14.5% higher as compared to the RM92.6 million achieved in the corresponding six-month period of the previous financial year. This resulted in a higher profit before taxation amounting to RM8.5 million for the six-month period ended 30 September 2008 compared to the RM8.3 million achieved for the corresponding period of the previous financial year.

The revenue for the quarter ended 30 September 2008 amounting to RM59.2 million is 19.1% higher against the RM49.7 million achieved in the corresponding quarter of the previous financial year. However, the profit before taxation for the quarter under review amounting to RM4.4 million is 4.3% lower as compared to the RM4.6 million for the corresponding quarter of the previous financial year mainly due to the RM1.6 million of allowance made for the diminution in value of investment in available-for-sale securities.

17. Variation of results against preceding quarter

The revenue for the quarter ended 30 September 2008 amounting to RM59.2 million is 26.5% higher than the RM46.8 million achieved in the preceding quarter. As a result, the profit before taxation amounting to RM4.5 million for the current quarter under review is higher as compared to the RM4.0 million achieved in the preceding quarter.

18. Prospects for the financial year ending 31 March 2009

The current global financial crisis as precipitated by the sub-prime mortgage problem in USA has led to a slow-down in global economy especially in the major economies. Malaysia, being an export oriented country, will be affected to a certain extent by this development.

The price of polyethylene, a major component of our raw materials, is expected to soften in line with the recent decrease in oil price.

Having considered the above, the directors are cautiously optimistic of achieving respectable results for the Group for this financial year on the strength of the diversified base of the Group (see Note 9), our strong performance relative to our competitors in the past three years, coupled with the strengths and quality of our management and continued improvement in productivity.

19. Sales and profit forecast

Not applicable as no sales and profit forecast was published.

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20. Tax expense

	Individual Quarter 3 months ended		Cumulative Quarter 6 months ended	
	30 September 2008	30 September 2007	30 September 2008	30 September 2007
	RM'000	RM'000	RM'000	RM'000
Income tax				
Malaysian - current year	119	1,528	1,509	2,306
- prior years	-	-	-	-
	119	1,528	1,509	2,306
Deferred tax (income)/expense - Malaysian	821	(513)	320	134
	940	1,015	1,829	2,440

The Group's effective tax rate for current quarter, the corresponding quarter for the previous financial year, and cumulative quarter under review is lower than the prima facie tax rate mainly due to the effect of reinvestment allowance utilised by a subsidiary. The effective tax rate for the corresponding cumulative quarter in the previous financial year is higher than the prima facie tax rate mainly due to the effect of non-tax allowable expenses being more than the effect of reinvestment allowance utilised by a subsidiary.

21. Available-for-sale securities

	Individual Quarter 3 months ended		Cumulative Quarter 6 months ended	
	30 September 2008	30 September 2007	30 September 2008	30 September 2007
	RM'000	RM'000	RM'000	RM'000
Purchase of quoted shares	11,007	-	11,435	-
Disposal of quoted shares				
Sales proceeds	-	-	-	2
Cost of investments	-	-	-	(1)
Gain on disposals	-	-	-	1
			<b>30 September 2008 RM'000</b>	<b>31 March 2008 RM'000</b>
Total investments in quoted shares				
Cost			24,580	13,145
Book value			20,323	10,996
Market value			20,333	10,981

22. Other investments

The Group disposed of an item of other investment, resulting in a gain on disposal of RM64,000 in the current cumulative quarter under review.

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23. Long term trade receivables

	<b>30 September 2008</b>	<b>31 March 2008</b>
	<b>RM'000</b>	<b>RM'000</b>
Contract receivable	11,798	2,428
Trade receivable	7,898	5,643
	<b>19,696</b>	<b>8,071</b>

- a) The contract receivable relates to the amount due from a contract customer repayable over 10 years and is secured by an assignment of rental proceeds payable by cellular telecommunication service providers leasing the telecommunication towers constructed by a subsidiary of the Company for the contract customer.
- b) The trade receivable represents an amount due from a former associate of the Group which is secured by first fixed and floating charges over the company's assets and bears interest at 6.00% per annum. The amount is repayable in full by December 2012.

24. Properties held for resale

The Group disposed of an item of property held for resale, resulting in a gain on disposal of RM7,000 during the current cumulative quarter under review.

25. Status of corporate proposals announced

The Company has completed the corporate proposals mentioned in the second quarterly report for the financial year ended 31 March 2005 except for the Employees' Share Option Scheme ("ESOS") which is in the process of implementation.

26. Utilisation of share proceeds

Not applicable.

27. Borrowings and debt securities

	<b>30 September 2008</b>	<b>31 March 2008</b>
	<b>RM'000</b>	<b>RM'000</b>
Non-current		
Unsecured	45,000	20,000
Secured	20,699	22,969
	<b>65,699</b>	<b>42,969</b>
Current		
Unsecured	26,763	100,875
Secured	502	159
	<b>27,265</b>	<b>101,034</b>
<b>Total</b>	<b>92,964</b>	<b>144,003</b>

The above borrowings are denominated in Ringgit Malaysia except for a secured revolving credit facility denominated in Euro amounting to RM20,500,000 (31.3.2008 : RM22,734,000).

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28. Off balance sheet financial instruments

During the financial year to-date, the Group did not enter into any contracts involving off balance sheet financial instruments.

29. Material litigation

There is no pending material litigation as at the date of this quarterly report.

30. Dividend payable

On 29 July 2008, the Company declared a first interim dividend of 3.5 sen per share less tax, in respect of the financial year ending 31 March 2009, payable on 24 October 2008 to Depositors whose names appear in the Record of Depositors on 29 September 2008.

31. Earnings per share

**(a) Basic earnings per share**

Basic earnings per share is calculated by dividing the profit after taxation for the period by the weighted average number of ordinary shares in issue during the period.

	Individual Quarter 3 months ended		Cumulative Quarter 6 months ended	
	30 September 2008 RM'000	30 September 2007 RM'000	30 September 2008 RM'000	30 September 2007 RM'000
Profit for the period	3,543	3,562	6,653	5,881
Add/(Less): Amount attributable to minority interests	(1,790)	(580)	(1,951)	(708)
Profit for the period attributable to ordinary shareholders of the Company	1,753	2,982	4,702	5,173
Weighted average number of ordinary shares in issue	126,896	128,390	126,896	129,101
Basic earnings per share (sen)	1.38	2.32	3.71	4.01

The weighted average number of ordinary shares in issue during the individual quarter and cumulative quarter under review have been adjusted for the treasury shares bought back by the Company during the period (see note 7). The number of ordinary shares in issue, net of treasury shares acquired, as at the quarter ended 30 September 2008 is 126,895,932.

**(b) Diluted earnings per share**

This is not applicable as there exists no share option, warrants or other financial instruments that will dilute or have the effect of diluting the basic earnings per share.

32. Authorisation for issue

The interim financial statements were authorised for issue by the Board of Directors in accordance with a resolution of the Directors on 24 October 2008.