

# CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION AS AT 30 JUNE 2024

ASSETS		30.06.24 RM'000	31.03.24 RM'000
Non-Current Assets		102 000	104 072
Property, plant and equipment Right-of-use assets		102,009 4,107	104,073 4,512
Investment properties		4,107 9,468	4,512 9,513
Intangible assets		30,234	30,234
Investment in an associate		213,986	215,064
Deferred tax assets		309	- 215,004
Defented tax assets	-	360,113	363,396
Current Assets		300,113	303,390
Inventories		84,559	90,652
Trade and other receivables		58,298	51,977
Other investments		30,119	30,005
Current tax assets		50,119	50,005
Cash and bank balances		323,102	316,958
	-	496,078	489,598
		490,078	489,598
TOTAL ASSETS	=	856,191	852,994
EQUITY AND LIABILITIES			
Share capital		203,920	203,698
Treasury shares		(1,214)	(1,214)
Reserves		599,670	589,478
Equity attributable to equity holders of the parent	-	802,376	791,962
Non-controlling interests		763	728
Total Equity	-	803,139	792,690
Non-Current Liabilities			
Lease liabilities		-	183
Deferred tax liabilities	_	15,689	15,978
		15,689	16,161
Current Liabilities			
Lease liabilities		1,084	1,348
Trade and other payables		29,423	29,971
Dividend payable		-	6,817
Current tax liabilities	_	6,856	6,007
		37,363	44,143
Total Liabilities		53,052	60,304
TOTAL EQUITY AND LIABILITIES	-	856,191	852,994
Net assets per share (sen)	(Refer Note A16)	411.73	406.63

# CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF PROFIT OR LOSS AND OTHER COMPREHENSIVE INCOME FOR THREE MONTHS PERIOD ENDED 30 JUNE 2024

	3 Months Ended		Year Er	nded
	30.06.24 RM'000	30.06.23 RM'000	30.06.24 RM'000	30.06.23 RM'000
Revenue	77,168	75,649	77,168	75,649
Operating expenses	(66,387)	(57,823)	(66,387)	(57,823)
Other operating income	223	229	223	229
Profit from operations	11,004	18,055	11,004	18,055
Finance cost	(15)	(30)	(15)	(30)
Investing results	3,833	2,901	3,833	2,901
Share of loss of an associate	(1,049)	(2,774)	(1,049)	(2,774)
Profit before tax	13,773	18,152	13,773	18,152
Taxation	(3,472)	(2,135)	(3,472)	(2,135)
Profit for the period	10,301	16,017	10,301	16,017

#### Other comprehensive (expense)/income, net of tax

# Items that may be reclassified subsequently to profit or loss

Foreign currency translation differences for foreign operations

# Items that will not be reclassified subsequently to profit or loss

Share of other comprehensive (expenses)/income of equity-accounted associate

Other comprehensive (expense)/income for the period, net of tax

Total comprehensive income for the period

(158)	8,804	(158)	8,804
(190)	0,004	(150)	0,004
(29)	765	(29)	765
(23)	,03	(23)	,05
(187)	9,569	(187)	9,569
10,114	25,586	10,114	25,586



# CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF PROFIT OR LOSS AND OTHER COMPREHENSIVE INCOME FOR THREE MONTHS PERIOD ENDED 30 JUNE 2024

	3 Months Ended		Year Ended		
	30.06.24 RM'000	30.06.23 RM'000	30.06.24 RM'000	30.06.23 RM'000	
Profit/(Loss) attributable to:					
Equity holders of the Company	10,266	15,981	10,266	15,981	
Non-controlling interests	35	36	35	36	
Profit for the period	10,301	16,017	10,301	16,017	
<b>Total comprehensive income attributable to:</b> Equity holders of the Company	10,079	25,496	10,079	25,496	
Non-controlling interests	35	90	35	90	
Total comprehensive income for the period	10,114	25,586	10,114	25,586	
Earnings per share attributable to owners of the Company (sen)					
- Basic	5.27	8.21	5.27	8.21	
- Diluted	5.19	8.16	5.19	8.16	



# CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF CHANGES IN EQUITY FOR THREE MONTHS PERIOD ENDED 30 JUNE 2024

	Attributable to owners of the Company ————————————————————————————————————					Non-		
	Share Capital RM'000	Treasury Shares RM'000	option reserve RM'000	Translation Reserve RM'000	Retained Earnings RM'000	Total RM'000	Controlling Interests RM'000	Total Equity RM'000
Period ended 30 June 2024								
At 1 April 2024	203,698	(1,214)	2,505	29,743	557,230	791,962	728	792,690
Profit for the year	_	-	-	-	10,266	10,266	35	10,301
Other comprehensive income for the year	-	-	-	(187)	-	(187)	-	(187)
Total comprehensive income for the period	-	-		(187)	10,266	10,079	35	10,114
Issuance of ordinary shares pursuant to ESOS	222	-	(43)	-	-	179	-	179
Share options vested under ESOS	-	-	156	-	-	156	-	156
Transfer of share option reserve to retained								
earnings upon lapse of ESOS	-	-	(41)	-	41	-	-	-
Total transactions with owners	222	-	72	-	41	335	-	335
At 30 June 2024	203,920	(1,214)	2,577	29,556	567,537	802,376	763	803,139



# CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF CHANGES IN EQUITY FOR THREE MONTHS PERIOD ENDED 30 JUNE 2024

	<	Attributable	to owners o Share	f the Company	$\rightarrow$		Non-	
	Share Capital RM'000	Treasury Shares RM'000	option reserve RM'000	Translation Reserve RM'000	Retained Earnings RM'000	Total RM'000	Controlling Interests RM'000	Total Equity RM'000
Year ended 31 March 2024								
At 1 April 2023	202,434	(2)	1,792	18,475	525,440	748,139	543	748,682
Profit for the year	-	-	-	-	52,075	52,075	119	52,194
Other comprehensive income for the year	-	-	-	11,268	-	11,268	66	11,334
Total comprehensive income for the year	-	-		11,268	52,075	63,343	185	63,528
Dividends paid	-	-	-	-	(20,437)	(20,437)	-	(20,437)
Treasury shares aquired	-	(1,212)	-	-	-	(1,212)	-	(1,212)
Issuance of ordinary shares pursuant to ESOS	1,264	-	(245)	-	-	1,019	-	1,019
Share options vested under ESOS	-	-	1,110	-	-	1,110	-	1,110
Transfer of share option reserve to retained								
earnings upon lapse of ESOS	-	-	(152)	-	152	-	-	-
Total transactions with owners	1,264	(1,212)	713	-	(20,285)	(19,520)	-	(19,520)
At 31 March 2024	203,698	(1,214)	2,505	29,743	557,230	791,962	728	792,690

# CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS FOR THREE MONTHS PERIOD ENDED 30 JUNE 2024

Profit before tax	<b>30.06.24</b> <b>RM'000</b> 13,773	<b>30.06.23</b> <b>RM'000</b> 18,152
Adjustments for:		
Adjustments for: Non-cash items	4,404	(2,841)
Non-operating items	(3,834)	(2,841) (2,884)
Operating profit before changes in working capital	14,343	12,427
operating profit before changes in working capital	14,545	12,727
Changes in working capital		
Net change in current assets	(405)	9,489
Net change in current liabilities	(3,695)	(5,332)
	(4,100)	4,157
Net cash from operating activities	10,243	16,584
Investing activities		
Other investments	3,336	1,786
Net cash from investing activities	3,336	1,786
Financing activities		
Dividend paid	(6,817)	-
Repurchase of treasury shares	-	(1,212)
Repayment of lease liabilities	(463)	(532)
Proceeds from issuance of ordinary shares	180	-
Net cash used in financing activities	(7,100)	(1,744)
Net change in cash & cash equivalents	6,479	16,626
Cash & cash equivalents at beginning of year	316,958	248,062
Effects of exchange rates changes	(335)	12,894
Cash & cash equivalents at end of period	323,102	277,582

#### Note

Cash and cash equivalents

Cash and cash equivalents included in the condensed consolidated cash flow statements comprise the following condensed consolidated balance sheet amount:

	30.06.24 RM'000	30.06.23 RM'000
Cash and bank balances	323,102	277,582



# NOTES TO THE INTERIM FINANCIAL REPORT FOR THREE MONTHS PERIOD ENDED 30 JUNE 2024

#### A EXPLANATORY NOTES TO THE INTERIM FINANCIAL REPORT - MFRS 134

#### A1 Basis of Preparation

This condensed consolidated interim financial statements ("Condensed Report") has been prepared in accordance with MFRS 134: *Interim Financial Reporting* and paragraph 9.22 of the Main Market Listing Requirements of Bursa Malaysia Securities Berhad.

The Condensed Report should be read in conjunction with the audited financial statements for the year ended 31 March 2024 and the accompanying explanatory notes are an integral part of this Condensed Report.

#### A2 Significant Accounting Policies

The accounting policies adopted by the Group in this Condensed Report are consistent with those adopted in the audited financial statements for the year ended 31 March 2024, except for the adoption of new MFRSs, Amendments to MFRSs and IC Interpretations that are effective for annual periods beginning on or after 1 January 2024, as disclosed below:

Title	Effective Date
Amendments to MFRS 16, Lease Liability in a Sale and Leaseback	1 Jan 2024
Amendments to MFRS 101, Presentation of Financial Statements: Classification	1 Jan 2024
of Liabilities as Current or Non-current	
Amendments to MFRS 101, Presentation of Financial Statements: Non-current	1 Jan 2024
Liabilities with Covenants	
Amendments to MFRS 107 and MFRS 7, Supplier Finance Arrangements	1 Jan 2024

The adoption of the above pronouncements does not have any significant impact to the Group.

The following are Standards of the MFRS Framework that have been issued by the MASB but have not been early adopted by the Group:

Title	Effective Date
Amendments to MFRS 121, The Effects of Changes in Foreign Exchange Rules – Lack of Exchangeability	1 Jan 2025
Amendments to MFRS 9 and MFRS 7, Amendments to the Classification and Measurement of Financial Instruments	1 Jan 2026
MFRS 18, Presentation and Disclosure in Financial Statements	1 Jan 2027
MFRS 19, Subsidiaries without Public Accountability: Disclosures	1 Jan 2027
Amendments to MFRS 10 and MFRS 128, Sale or Contribution of Assets between an Investor and its Associate or Joint Venture	Deferred

# A3 Audit Report

There was no qualification on the audited financial statements of the Group for the financial year ended 31 March 2024.

### A4 Seasonal or Cyclical Factors

The operation of the Group is not subject to any major effects of seasonality or cyclicality.



# A5 Material Unusual Items

There were no unusual items that have a material effect on the assets, liabilities, equity, net income or cash flows of the Group during the current quarter and financial year under review.

# A6 Material Changes in Accounting Estimates

There were no changes in accounting estimates that have a material effect in the current quarter and financial year under review.

# A7 Debt and Equity Securities

There were no issuance, cancellation, repurchase, resale and repayment of debt and equity securities during the financial period ended 30 June 2024 except for the issuance of 115,500 new ordinary shares pursuant to the Employees' Share Option Scheme ("ESOS").

As at 30 June 2024, the Company held a total of 707,500 ordinary shares as treasury shares out of its 195,584,260 issued ordinary shares.

# A8 Dividends Paid

A single-tier final dividend of RM0.035 per ordinary share amounting to RM 6,816,644 for the financial year ended 31 March 2024 was paid on 23 May 2024.

# A9 Segmental Reporting

The Group's business segments comprise the followings:

Filing Products	:	Manufacturing and trading of stationery products, paper and plastic based related products.
Consumer & Food Ware Products	:	Manufacturing and trading of consumer and food ware products.

Others : Investment holding and commission agent.

# 3 months ended 30.06.2024

		Consumer & Food		
	Filing	Ware		
	Products	Products	Others	Total
	RM'000	RM'000	RM'000	RM'000
Revenue from external customers	65,054	12,109	5	77,168
Operating profit	9,380	1,678	(54)	11,004
Reconciliation of reportable segment prof	fit:			
Operating profit for reportable segments				11,058
Operating profit for non-reportable segme	nt			(54)
Finance cost				(15)
Investing results				3,833
Share of loss of an associate			_	(1,049)
Consolidated profit before taxation			=	13,773



# A9 Segmental Reporting (continued)

#### 3 months ended 30.06.2023

		Consumer		
		& Food		
	Filing	Ware		
	Products	Products	Others	Total
	RM'000	RM'000	RM'000	RM'000
Revenue from external customers	65,473	10,170	6	75,649
Operating profit	16,218	1,472	365	18,055
Reconciliation of reportable segment pro	ofit:			
Operating profit for reportable segments				17,690
Operating profit for non-reportable segment	ient			365
Finance cost				(30)
Investing results				2,901
Share of loss of an associate			_	(2,774)
Consolidated profit before taxation			=	18,152

#### A10 Valuations of Property, Plant and Equipment

The valuations of land and buildings have been brought forward without amendment from the previous audited financial statements.

#### A11 Material Events Subsequent to the end of the Quarter

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

#### A12 Changes in Composition of the Group

There were no changes in the composition of the Group for the quarter and financial year under review.

#### **A13 Contingent Liabilities and Contingent Assets**

- (i) The Company has given corporate guarantees to certain financial institutions for banking facilities granted to its subsidiaries for a limit of RM154.88mil (31 March 2024: RM155.02mil).
- (ii) The Company has also given corporate guarantee of RM11.94mil (31 March 2024: RM11.94mil) to a supplier of its subsidiary, Higher Kings Mill Limited of which RM1.51mil (31 March 2024: RM1.50mil) was utilised at the end of the quarter.

#### A14 Capital Commitments

Save as disclosed below, the Group does not have any material capital commitments.

	30.06.24
	RM'000
Approved and contracted for:	
Machinery and Equipment	473



### A15 Intangible Assets

	30.06.24	31.03.24
	RM'000	RM'000
Goodwill	30,234	30,234
A16 Net Assets per Share (sen)		
	30.06.24	31.03.24
Shareholders' Fund (RM '000)	802,376	791,962
Share Capital (Unit '000)	194,877	194,761
Net Assets per Share (sen)	411.73	406.63
	411.75	400.00

#### **B** ADDITIONAL INFORMATION REQUIRED BY THE LISTING REQUIREMENTS

# **B1** Review of Performance

#### **Current Quarter**

For the quarter ended 30 June 2024, the Group registered a total turnover of RM 77.17 million, a slight improvement of 2% over the amount of RM 75.65 million achieved one year ago. Revenue contribution from Filing division remain consistent at RM 65.05 million (June 2023: RM 65.47 million) while sales from Consumer & Food ware increased by 19.1% to RM 12.11 million as compared to RM 10.17 million recorded in the corresponding period last year. The growth in sales from the Consumer & Food ware was mainly due to the successful launching of new products in the second half of last year.

During the quarter, the Group recorded a lower pre-tax profit of RM 13.77 million from RM 18.15 million achieved one year ago. The major contributing factor for a weaker profit is due to less favorable exchange rate movement in both GBP and EURO this year which resulted in foreign exchange loss of RM 263k as opposed to substantial foreign exchange gain of RM 9.3 million recorded in the corresponding period last year. In addition, the Red Sea crisis led to a significant rise in freight costs, which further increased the Group's operating expenses for the quarter.

# B2 Comparison with Preceding Quarter

	30.06.24	31.03.24
	RM'000	RM'000
Revenue	77,168	72,045
Operating Profit	11,004	15,957
Profit Before Tax	13,773	20,339

Despite a higher turnover, profit before tax dropped to RM 13.77 million from RM 20.34 million achieved in the preceding quarter. The lower profit was mainly due to unfavourable exchange movement and also loss contribution from the associate company during the quarter.



# **B3** Current Year Prospects

The consumer industry will continue to face headwind as global economy growth remain unexciting. The Group will remain focus on improving productivity and efficiency while actively seeking opportunity to add new product category to its existing product range. Various product development initiatives have been carried out to identify potential new products which could help to enhance the group's revenue base. With all the preparatory works well rolled out to cushion the impact from a declining demand from its filing division, the Group is confident that its performance for the financial year ending 31 March 2025 will remain positive.

# **B4** Profit Forecast or Profit Guarantee

No profit forecast or profit guarantee was published by the Group.

# **B5** Tax Expense

	3 months ended	
	30.06.24	30.06.23
	RM'000	RM'000
Current Tax Expense		
- Current Year	3,752	2,898
Witholding Tax Expense	283	-
Deferred Tax Expense		
- Current Year	(563)	(763)
	3,472	2,135

# B6 Sale of Unquoted Investments and Properties

There were no sales of unquoted investments and properties for the current quarter and financial year under review.

# **B7** Status of Corporate Proposal Announced

As at 21 August 2024, being the latest practicable date, which is not earlier than 7 days from the date of issue of this quarterly report, there were no corporate proposals announced and pending completion.

# **B8** Other Investments

	30.06.24 RM'000	31.03.24 RM'000
Current Assets		
Fair Value through Profit or Loss:		
Investment in bond fund	25,147	25,176
Short-term funds	4,972	4,829
	30,119	30,005

# **B9** Changes in Material Litigation

There was no material litigation involving the Group as at to date.



### **B10 Dividends Proposed**

The Board of Directors does not recommend any dividend during the current quarter.

#### **B11** Earnings per Share

	3 months ended	
	30.06.24	30.06.23
Basic earnings per share		
Profit Attributable to Equity Holders of the Company (RM'000)	10,266	15,981
Weighted Average Number of Ordinary Shares (Unit '000)	194,797	194,634
Earnings per Share (sen)	5.27	8.21
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	3 months	
	30.06.24	30.06.23
Diluted earnings per share		
Diluted earnings per share Profit Attributable to Equity Holders of the Company (RM'000)	10,266	15,981
	10,266 194,797	15,981 194,634
Profit Attributable to Equity Holders of the Company (RM'000)		·
Profit Attributable to Equity Holders of the Company (RM'000) Weighted Average Number of Ordinary Shares (Unit '000)	194,797	194,634
Profit Attributable to Equity Holders of the Company (RM'000) Weighted Average Number of Ordinary Shares (Unit '000) Adjustment for share options (Unit'000)	194,797	194,634
Profit Attributable to Equity Holders of the Company (RM'000) Weighted Average Number of Ordinary Shares (Unit '000) Adjustment for share options (Unit'000) Weighted Average Number of Ordinary Shares for	194,797 2,883	194,634 1,199

# **B12** Fair Value of Financial Instruments

The carrying amounts of cash and cash equivalents, short term receivables and payables reasonably approximate their fair values due to the relatively short term nature of these financial instruments.

The table below analyses financial instruments carried at fair value for which fair value is disclosed, together with their fair values and carrying amounts shown in the consolidated statement of financial position. The difference levels have been defined as follows:

- Level 1: Quoted prices (adjusted) in active markets for identical assets or liabilities
- Level 2: Inputs other than quoted prices included within Level 1 that are observable for the asset or liability either directly (that is, as prices) or indirectly (that is, derived from prices)
- Level 3: Inputs for the asset or liability that are not based on observable market data (that is, unobservable inputs)



### (Incorporated in Malaysia)

# B12 Fair Value of Financial Instruments (continued)

The table below presents the financial instruments of the Group, which are measured at fair value, classified by level of the fair value hierarchy.

	← Fair Value Hierarchy >			Cornving
As at 30 June 2024	Level 1 RM'000	Level 2 RM'000	Level 3 RM'000	Carrying Amount RM'000
Financial Assets				
Financial Assets at Fair Value				
Through Profit or Loss	4,972	25,147	-	30,119
<b>As at 31 March 2024</b> <u>Financial Assets</u> Financial Assets at Fair Value				
Through Profit or Loss	4,829	25,176	_	30,005
	1,825	23,178		23,005

# **B13** Profit Before Tax

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

	3 months ended	
	30.06.24	30.06.23
	RM'000	RM'000
Distribution income	12	1
Interest income	3,814	2,807
Other income including investment income	213	308
Interest expense	(15)	(30)
Depreciation and amortisation	(2,845)	(2,895)
Reversal for doubtful debts	14	15
Gain on disposal of property, plant and equipment	17	14
Foreign exchange (loss)/gain	(263)	9,327
Share option expenses	(156)	(278)

**B14** The condensed consolidated interim financial statements were authorised for issue by the Board of Directors in accordance with a resolution of the Directors.