KAWAN FOOD BERHAD

[Company No: 200401001942 (640445-V)

(Incorporated in Malaysia)

CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF PROFIT OR LOSS AND OTHER COMPREHENSIVE INCOME FOR THE THIRD QUARTER AND FINANCIAL PERIOD ENDED 30 SEPTEMBER 2022

		3 months	s ended	9 months ended		
		30.9.2022	30.9.2021	30.9.2022	30.9.2021	
	Note	RM'000	RM'000	RM'000	RM'000	
Revenue	8	71,831	64,039	220,875	184,394	
Cost of sales	-	(50,146)	(42,180)	(144,487)	(118,689)	
Gross profit		21,685	21,859	76,388	65,705	
Other income		5,179	1,420	8,382	4,487	
Selling & distribution expenses		(10,172)	(8,594)	(32,455)	(28,094)	
Administrative expenses		(6,722)	(5,575)	(19,955)	(16,152)	
Finance costs	18	(112)	(135)	(288)	(444)	
Share of losses from associate	_	(270)	-	(270)		
Profit before tax	17	9,588	8,975	31,802	25,502	
Income tax expense	19	795	(1,234)	(1,995)	(3,315)	
Profit for the period	•	10,383	7,741	29,807	22,187	
Other comprehensive income						
Exchange differences on translation of						
foreign operations		1,233	1,469	1,083	3,677	
Total comprehensive income for the period		11,616	9,210	30,890	25,864	
Profit attributable to:						
Owners of the company		10,400	7,742	29,845	22,221	
Non-controlling interest ("NCI")		(17)	(1)	(38)	(34)	
Profit for the period	-	10,383	7,741	29,807	22,187	
	•	-,	,	-,		
Total comprehensive income attributable to:						
Owners of the company		11,633	9,211	30,928	25,898	
Non-controlling interest		(17)	(1)	(38)	(34)	
Total comprehensive income for the period		11,616	9,210	30,890	25,864	
Earnings per share	26					
Basic (sen)	-•	2.89	2.15	8.31	6.18	
Diluted (sen)		2.87	2.13	8.24	6.12	
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The Condensed Consolidated Statement of Profit or Loss and Other Comprehensive Income should be read in conjunction with the Audited Financial Statements for the year ended 31 December 2021 and the accompanying explanatory notes attached to the interim financial statements.

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CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION AS AT 30 SEPTEMBER 2022

	Note	30.9.2022 RM'000	31.12.2021 RM'000
ASSETS		Unaudited	Audited
Non-current assets		240 495	220.072
Property, plant and equipment Right-of-use assets		210,185	220,073
Investment properties		17,224 7,884	17,980 7,994
Deferred tax assets		464	464
Deletted tax assets	-	235,757	246,511
Current assets	-	200,101	210,011
Trade and other receivables		84,316	55,950
Other investments		4,107	2,894
Inventories		38,544	32,732
Current tax assets		6,523	3,897
Prepayments		9,268	4,372
Cash and cash equivalents		79,431	88,601
·	-	222,189	188,446
Total assets	=	457,946	434,957
EQUITY AND LIABILITIES			
Equity			
Share capital		180,547	179,760
Translation reserve		11,966	10,883
Share option reserve	21	351	480
Retained earnings		196,297	177,221
Equity attributable to owners of the Company	-	389,161	368,344
Non-controlling interests		620	658
Total equity	-	389,781	369,002
. Ottal Oquity	-	000,101	000,002
Liabilities			
Non-current liabilities			
Loans and borrowings	22	-	2,113
Deferred tax liabilities	<u>-</u>	12,721	13,618
Current liabilities	-	12,721	15,731
	22	9,362	10.005
Loan and borrowings Trade and other payables	22	43,003	10,005
Current tax liabilities		43,003 3,079	40,027 192
Current tax habilities	-	55,444	50,224
	-	00,444	00,224
Total liabilities	-	68,165	65,955
Total equity and liabilities	=	457,946	434,957
Net assets per share attributable to			
owners of the Company (RM)		1.08	1.03
company (cm)	=	1.00	1.00

The Condensed Consolidated Statement of Financial Position should be read in conjunction with the Audited Financial Statements for the year ended 31 December 2021 and the accompanying explanatory notes attached to the interim financial statements.

KAWAN FOOD BERHAD [Company No: 200401001942 (640445-V) (Incorporated in Malaysia)

At 30 September 2022

CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN EQUITY AS AT 30 SEPTEMBER 2022

		Attributable on-distributa	e to Owners of t	the Company Distributable	>	Non-	
(Audited) At 1 January 2021	Share Capital RM'000 179.760	Translation Reserve RM'000 9,028	Share Option Reserve RM'000	Retained Earnings RM'000 155,106	Sub Total RM'000 345,009	Controlling Interests RM'000	Total Equity RM'000 345,668
At 1 January 2021	179,700	9,020	1,113	133,100	343,009	039	343,000
Net profit for the financial year Other comprehensive expense for the	-	-	-	31,785	7,849	(1)	7,848
financial year	-	1,855	-	-	-	-	-
Total comprehensive (expense)/income for the financial year Contributions by and distributions to owners	-	1,855	-	31,785	33,640	(1)	33,639
-dividend to owners of the Company	_	_	_	(10,785)	(10,785)	_	(10,785)
-share options granted under ESOS	-	-	480	-	480	-	480
-share options lapsed	-	-	(1,115)	1,115	-	-	-
At 31 December 2021	179,760	10,883	480	177,221	368,344	658	369,002
(Unaudited)							
At 1 January 2022	179,760	10,883	480	177,221	368,344	658	369,002
Net profit for the financial period Other comprehensive expense for the	-	-	-	29,845	29,845	(38)	29,807
financial period	_	1,083	_	-	1,083	_	1,083
Total comprehensive (expense)/income for the financial period Contributions by and distributions to owners	-	1,083	-	29,845	30,928	(38)	30,890
-dividends to owners of the Company	-	-	-	(10,769)	(10,769)	-	(10,769)
-share options exercised	2,140	-	(163)	-	1,977	-	1,977
-share options granted under ESOS	-	-	34	-	34	-	34
Acquisition of treasury shares	(1,353)	-	-	-	(1,353)	-	(1,353)

The Condensed Consolidated Statement of Changes in Equity should be read in conjunction with the Audited Financial Statements for the year ended 31 December 2021 and the accompanying explanatory notes attached to the interim financial statements.

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CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS FOR THE THIRD QUARTER AND FINANCIAL PERIOD ENDED 30 SEPTEMBER 2022

	Unaudited 30.9.2022 RM'000	Unaudited 30.9.2021 RM'000
Cash flows from operating activities		
Profit before tax	31,802	25,502
Adjustments for:		
Depreciation and amortisation	14,339	13,864
Employee share scheme expenses	34	-
Finance income from deposits	(616)	(687)
Finance costs	288	444
Impairment loss on trade receivables	10	-
Provision for slow moving inventories	84	43
Inventories written off	295	219
(Gain)/loss on disposal of property, plant and equipment	(39)	(62)
Fair value loss/(gain) on financial assets	517	(702)
Loss in investment in associate	270	-
Unrealised (gain)/loss on foreign exchange	(1,716)	(46)
Operating profit before working capital changes	45,268	38,575
Changes in working capital:	(0.404)	0.050
Inventories	(6,191)	2,853
Trade and other receivables, prepayments	(00.070)	(0.440)
and other financial assets	(33,272)	(3,440)
Trade and other payables	2,966	(6,180)
Cash generated from operations	8,771	31,808
Income tax paid Net cash from operating activities	(2,619) 6,152	(1,072)
Net cash from operating activities	0,132	30,730
Cash flows from investing activities		
Acquisition of property, plant and equipment,		
net of interest capitalised	(3,601)	(8,662)
Proceeds from disposal of property, plant and equipment	55	70
Investment in unquoted shares	(2,000)	-
Finance income from deposits	616	687
Placement in other/liquid investments	-	(47,180)
Net cash used in investing activities	(4,930)	(55,085)
Cook flows from financing activities		
Cash flows from financing activities Dividends paid to owners of the Company	(10.760)	(10.795)
· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	(10,769)	(10,785)
Repayment of loans and borrowings Finance cost on loans and borrowings	(2,757)	(3,587) (444)
Issuance of new shares	(288) 1,977	(444)
Acquisition of treasury shares	(1,353)	-
Drawdown of loans and borrowings	(1,353)	- 1 /1 /
Net cash used in financing activities	(13,190)	1,414
Net cash used in illiancing activities	(13,190)	(13,402)
Net decrease in cash and cash equivalents	(11,968)	(37,751)
Effect of changes in foreign exchange rate	2,798	932
Cash and cash equivalents at beginning of year	88,601	66,319
Cash and cash equivalents at end of year	79,431	29,500
	70,701	20,000

The Condensed Consolidated Statement of Cash Flows should be read in conjunction with the Audited Financial Statements for the year ended 31 December 2021 and the accompanying explanatory notes attached to the interim financial statements.

NOTES TO THE UNAUDITED CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE THIRD QUARTER AND FINANCIAL PERIOD ENDED 30 SEPTEMBER 2022

1 Basis of Preparation

The condensed consolidated interim financial statements ("interim financial statements") are unaudited and have been prepared in accordance with the requirements of Malaysian Financial Reporting Standards ("MFRS"), MFRS 134: Interim Financial Reporting and Paragraph 9.22 of the Main Market Listing Requirements of Bursa Malaysia Securities Berhad ("Bursa Securities").

The interim financial statements should be read in conjunction with the audited financial statements of the Group for the financial year ended 31 December 2021. These explanatory notes attached to the interim financial statement 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 financial year ended 31 December 2021.

The interim financial statements have been prepared in accordance with the same accounting policies and methods of computation adopted in audited financial statements for the financial year ended 31 December 2021 except the adoption of standards, interpretations and amendments to standards that are mandatory applied beginning on 1 January 2022 did not have any material impact ont the financial statements of the Group.

Effective for financial periods beginning on or after 1 January 2022

Amendments to MFRS 3 Business Combinations - Reference to the Conceptual Framework
Amendments to MFRS 116 Property, Plant and Equipment - Proceeds before Intended Use

Amendments to MFRS 137 Provisions, Contigent Liabilities and Contigent Assets - Onerous Contracts-

Cost of Fulfilling a Contract

Annual Improvements to MFRS Standards 2018-2020

Effective for financial periods beginning on or after 1 January 2022

Amendments to MFRS 3 Business Combinations - Reference to the Conceptual Framework Amendments to MFRS 116 Property, Plant and Equipment - Proceeds before Intended Use

Amendments to MFRS 137 Provisions, Contigent Liabilities and Contigent Assets - Onerous Contracts-

Cost of Fulfilling a Contract

Annual Improvements to MFRS Standards 2018-2020

Effective for financial periods beginning on or after 1 January 2023

Amendments to MFRS 101 Presentation of Financial Statements - Classification of Liabilities as

Current or Non-current

Amendments to MFRS 101 Presentation of Financial Statements – Disclosure of Accounting Policies
Amendments to MFRS 108 Accounting Policies, Changes in Accounting Estimates and Errors –

Definition of Accounting Estimates

Amendments to MFRS 112 Income Taxes – Deferred Tax related to Assets and Liabilities arising

from a Single Transaction

The Group and the Company will adopt the above pronuncements when they become effective in the respective financial periods. These pronouncements are not expected to have any material effect to the financial statements of the Group and the Company upon their initial applications.

2 Qualification of financial statements

There was no qualification made on the preceding audited financial statements.

3 Seasonal or cyclical factors

The business operations of the Group were not significantly affected by any seasonal or cyclical factors.

4 Unusual items affecting assets, liabilities, equity, net income or cash flows

Except for the Covid-19 pandemic, there were no unusual items affecting assets, liabilities, equity, net income or cash flows for the current quarter and financial period ended 30 September 2022.

5 Changes in estimates

There were no significant changes in estimates for prior periods that have materially affected the results of current quarter and financial period ended 30 September 2022.

NOTES TO THE UNAUDITED CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE THIRD QUARTER AND FINANCIAL PERIOD ENDED 30 SEPTEMBER 2022

6 Debt and equity securities

The Company has implemented an Employee Share Option Scheme ("ESOS") of up to 15% of the Company's issued and paid-up share capital (excluding treasury shares, if any) for the eligible employees of the Group effective from 2 October 2018. The Company has granted 3,801,500 units of ESOS options on 24 November 2021 at exercise price of RM1.55.

On 16 June 2022, the Company made additional offer of 250,000 shares option to Chief Executive Officer at an exercise price of RM1.54.

During the current quarter ended 30 September 2022, the Company issued 1,262,100 new share due to ESOS options exercised.

7 Dividends paid

The following dividends were paid during the current and previous financial year ended:

	31 Dec 2022	31 Dec 2021
First interim dividend		
For the financial year ended	31 Dec 2022	31 Dec 2021
Approval and declared on	1 Mar 2022	22 Feb 2021
Date paid	30 Mar 2022	30 Mar 2021
Number of ordinary shares on which dividends		
were paid ('000)	358,966	359,520
Interim dividend per share (single-tier)	3.0 sen	3.0 sen
Net dividend paid (RM'000)	10,769	10,785

8 Segmental information

The Group's business segments comprise mainly the manufacturing and sale of frozen food products.

Business segmental information therefore has not been prepared as all the Group's revenue, operating profit, assets employed, liabilities, depreciation and amortisation, and non-cash expenses are mainly confined to one business segment.

Geographical segments

In presenting information on the basis of geographical segments, segment revenue is based on the geographical location of customers.

	3 months	3 months ended			Year-to-date ended		
	30 Sep 2022	30 Sep 2021	Changes	30 Sep 2022	30 Sep 2021	Changes	
	RM'000	RM'000	(%)	RM'000	RM'000	(%)	
Malaysia	31,435	34,276	-8.3%	96,154	92,511	3.9%	
China	1,919	5,295	-63.8%	5,354	11,119	-51.8%	
Rest of Asia	10,925	5,118	> 100%	31,595	21,886	44.4%	
Europe	9,117	5,150	77.0%	25,379	13,663	85.7%	
North America	13,078	11,607	12.7%	50,119	39,015	28.5%	
Oceania	5,232	2,593	> 100%	11,002	6,115	79.9%	
Africa	125	-	100.0%	1,272	85	> 100%	
Consolidated	71,831	64,039	12.2%	220,875	184,394	19.8%	

9 Valuation of property, plant and equipment

No revaluation of property, plant and equipment were undertaken during the current quarter under review.

10 Material events subsequent to the end of the interim period

There were no material events subsequent to the end of the current quarter up to the date of this report.

11 Capital commitments

The capital commitments of the Group as at 30 September 2022 is as follows:

	RMTUUU
Property, plant and equipment	
Contracted but not provided for	2,621_

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NOTES TO THE UNAUDITED CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE THIRD QUARTER AND FINANCIAL PERIOD ENDED 30 SEPTEMBER 2022

12 Related party transactions

The Group's related party transactions in the current quarter and the financial period ended 30 September 2022 are as follows: 3 months Year-to-date ended ended 30 Sep 2022 30 Sep 2022 RM'000 RM'000 Transaction with a company in which Gan Ka Bien being a Director of the Company has interests: Hot & Roll Holdings Sdn Bhd -Sales 468 1,295 Transactions with a company in which the daughter of Gan Thiam Chai and Kwan Sok Kay, and the son of Gan Thiam Hock have interests: GT Chain Sdn Bhd -Sales 2 5 Transactions with a company in which the sons and the spouse of Gan Thiam Hock, a Director of the Company have interests: MH Delight Sdn Bhd -Sales 27 27 -Purchases 322 870 Transactions with a company in which the daughters of Gan Thiam Chai and Kwan Sok Kay, including Gan Ka Bien and the son of Gan Thiam Hock have Food Valley Sdn Bhd -Rental income 110 385 Transactions with companies in which Nareshchandra Gordhandas Nagrecha, a Major Shareholder and Former Director of the Company has interest, and Nareshchandra's associate, En Abdul Razak Bin Shakor is a non independent non executive director in the Company Shana Foods Limited -Sales 5,969 18,790 Rubicon Food Products Limited 2,765 9,523 -Sales Transactions with companies in which the son of Nareshchandra Gordhandas Nagrecha, a Major Shareholder and Former Director of the Company has interest, and Nareshchandra's associate, En Abdul Razak Bin Shakor is a non independent non executive Director of the Company Rubicon Exotic Drinks FZE -Sales 120

The above transactions have been entered in the normal course of business and have been established on terms and condition that are not materially different from those obtainable in similar transactions with unrelated parties.

NOTES TO THE UNAUDITED CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE THIRD QUARTER AND FINANCIAL PERIOD ENDED 30 SEPTEMBER 2022

13 Review of performance

	3 months	3 months		Year-to-date	Year-to-date	
	ended	ended		ended	ended	
	30 Sep 2022	30 Sep 2021	Changes	30 Sep 2022	30 Sep 2021	Changes
	("3Q 2022")	("3Q 2021")		(YTD 2022")	("YTD 2021")	
	RM'000	RM'000	(%)	RM'000	RM'000	(%)
Revenue	71,831	64,039	12.2%	220,875	184,394	19.8%
Profit before tax	9,588	8,975	6.8%	31,802	25,502	24.7%
Profit after tax	10,383	7,741	34.1%	29,807	22,187	34.3%
Profit attributable to owners of the						
Company	10,400	7,742	34.3%	29,845	22,221	34.3%

Comparison between 3Q 2022 with 3Q 2021

The Group achieved revenue of RM71.8 million, an increase of 12.2% as compared to corresponding quarter of RM64.0 million. There was higher sales in Q3 as compared to corresponding quarter preceding year; mainly due to the easing of the bottleneck in container shipment.

14 Variance of quarterly results compared to preceding quarter

	Immediate	
Current	Preceding	
Quarter	Quarter	
30 Sep 2022	30 June 2022	Changes
RM'000	RM'000	%
71,831	80,368	-10.6%
9,588	12,581	-23.8%
10,383	10,818	-4.0%
10,400	10,841	-4.1%
	Quarter 30 Sep 2022 RM'000 71,831 9,588 10,383	Current Quarter Preceding Quarter 30 Sep 2022 30 June 2022 RM'000 RM'000 71,831 80,368 9,588 12,581 10,383 10,818

For the current quarter under review, the Group recorded revenue of RM71.8 million, a decrease of 10.6% from the preceding quarter of RM80.4 million, mainly due to softening local sales. With the lower revenue recorded, the Group's profit after tax is RM10.4 million in current quarter as compared to RM10.8 million in preceding quarter.

15 Commentary on the prospect

As the Malaysian economy is keeping its solid momentum, assisted by the transition to the endemic phase of Covid-19, the Group has observed an encouraging rebound in export sales, despite soft local market sentiment.

The Group will continue to remain competitive and seek opportunities to grow its business despite challenges in production costs, focusing on operational efficiencies and cost optimization with the implementation of Industry 4.0 in strategic phases.

The Group had obtained approval for the hiring of foreign workers and is in the midst of arranging for the workforce on-boarding. This will enable the Group to increase production capacity.

NOTES TO THE UNAUDITED CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE THIRD QUARTER AND FINANCIAL PERIOD ENDED 30 SEPTEMBER 2022

16 Variance of actual and profit forecast

The Group did not issue any profit forecast or profit guarantee for the current financial year.

17 Profit before tax

The following have been included in arriving at profit before tax:

Profit before tax is arrived at after charging/(crediting): Finance costs		3 months ended 30 Sep 2022 RM'000	3 months ended 30 Sep 2021 RM'000	Year-to-date ended 30 Sep 2022 RM'000	Year-to-date ended 30 Sep 2021 RM'000
Finance costs	Profit before tax is arrived at after	1111 000	T (IV) CCC	1 (11) 000	1 1111 000
Depreciation and amortisation	charging/(crediting):				
Foreign exchange (gain)/loss (3,413) 22 (3,530) Impairment loss/(write back) on trade receivables (106) 158 10 Inventories written off 72 6 295 Provision/(write back) for slow moving inventories - (82) 84 Fair value (gain)/loss on financial assets - (592) 517 (10,500)	Finance costs	112	135	288	444
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Inventories written off	Foreign exchange (gain)/loss	(3,413)	22	(3,530)	(46)
Provision/(write back) for slow moving inventories - (82) 84 Fair value (gain)/loss on financial assets - (592) 517 (Loss in investment in associate 270	Impairment loss/(write back) on trade receivables	(106)	158	10	158
Fair value (gain)/loss on financial assets	Inventories written off	72	6	295	219
Loss in investment in associate 270 - 270 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1	Provision/(write back) for slow moving inventories	=	(82)	84	43
Interest income (Gain)/loss on disposal of property, plant and equipment	Fair value (gain)/loss on financial assets	=	(592)	517	(702)
(Gain)/loss on disposal of property, plant and equipment (39) 18 Finance cost 3 months 3 months Year-to-date Year-to-date ended en	Loss in investment in associate	270	-	270	-
Plant and equipment	Interest income	(139)	(269)	(616)	(687)
3 months 3 months 9 months 10 mont	(Gain)/loss on disposal of property,				
3 months 3 months Year-to-date Year-to-date ended	plant and equipment	-	-	(39)	(62)
3 months 3 months Year-to-date Year-to-date ended	18 Finance cost				
ended ende	io i manoc cost	3 months	3 months	Year-to-date	Year-to-date
RM'000 RM'0000			*		ended
RM'000 RM'0000					30 Sep 2021
-not at fair value through profit or loss: Term loans, secured 77 121 198 Other bank charges 35 14 90 112 135 288 19 Income tax expense 19 Income tax expense 3 months Year-to-ended err 30 Sep 2022 30 Sep 2022 RM'000 RM Tax expense - Current year 606 2,		•	•		RM'000
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Tax expense - Current year 606 2,				·	30 Sep 2022 RM'000
	Tay expense. Current year				2,890
Deferred tax expense	rax expense - Current year			000	2,090
Boron on the order	Deferred tax expense				
	-origination and reversal of temporary differences			. , ,	(895)
Total (795) 1,	Total		_	(795)	1,995

The effective tax rate of the Group during the current quarter is lower than the statutory tax rate mainly due to utilisation of tax incentive and reinvestment allowance.

20 Corporate Proposals

There were no corporate proposal announced but not completed as at date of this report.

21 Share Option Reserve

The fair value of equity-settled share options granted was estimated using Trinomial Option Pricing model, taking into account the terms and conditions upon which the options were granted.

The expected life of the option is based on historical data and is not necessarily indicative of exercise patterns that may occur. The expected volatility reflects the assumption that the historical volatility is indicative of future trends, which may also not necessarily be the actual outcome. No other features of the options granted were incorporated into the measurement of fair value.

NOTES TO THE UNAUDITED CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE THIRD QUARTER AND FINANCIAL PERIOD ENDED 30 SEPTEMBER 2022

22 Borrowings (secured)

	As at	As at
	30 Sep 2022	30 Sep 2021
	RM'000	RM'000
Short term borrowings:		
in Malaysia Ringgit	3,020	5,716
in RMB	-	-
in US Dollar	6,342	4,100
	9,362	9,816
Long term borrowings:		
in Malaysia Ringgit		3,197

23 Material litigation

The Group does not have any material litigation as at the date of this announcement.

24 Share capital

During the current quarter ended 30 September 2022, the Company issued 1,262,100 new shares for share option exercised. In the last quarter ended 31 March 2022, the Company has acquired total of 882,100 of treasury shares.

25 Dividends

An interim single tier dividend of 3.0 sen per ordinary share totalling RM10,768,982 in respect of the financial year ended 31 December 2022 has been paid on 30 March 2022.

26 Earnings per share ("EPS")

a) Basic earnings per share				
	3 months	3 months	Year-to-date	Year-to-date
	ended	ended	ended	ended
	30 Sep 2022	30 Sep 2021	30 Sep 2022	30 Sep 2021
Profit attributable to equity				
holders of the parent (RM'000)	10,400	7,742	29,845	22,221
Weighted average number of				
ordinary shares in issue (units)	359,768,828	359,519,760	359,237,677	359,519,760
ordinary shares in issue (units)	359,760,626	359,519,760	359,237,677	359,519,760
Basic earnings per share (sen)	2.89	2.15	8.31	6.18
b) Diluted earnings per share				
	3 months	3 months	Year-to-date	Year-to-date
	ended	ended	ended	ended
	RM'000	RM'000	RM'000	RM'000
Profit attributable to equity				
holders of the parent (RM'000)	10,400	7,742	29,845	22,221
Weighted average number of				
ordinary shares in issue (units)	359,768,828	359,519,760	359,237,677	359,519,760
Weighted everage number of				
Weighted average number of				
ordinary shares deemed to been issued for exercise				
	2,852,508	2 742 710	2 052 500	2 742 740
ESOS option (units)	2,002,000	3,742,718	2,852,508	3,742,718
Weighted average number of				
ordinary shares for diluted earnings				
per share computation (units)	362,621,337	363,262,478	362,090,185	363,262,478
Diluted earnings per share (sen)	2.87	2.13	8.24	6.12
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By Order of the Board

Gan Thiam Chai Executive Chairman Date: 22 November 2022