

(Company No. 390116-T) (Incorporated in Malaysia)

#### Condensed statement of profit or loss and other comprehensive income

for the financial period ended 30 June 2017 - (Unaudited)

	Individua	I Quarter Preceding year	Cumulat	ive Period
	Current year quarter ended 30/6/2017 RM'000	corresponding quarter ended 30/6/2016 RM'000	Current year- to-date 30/6/2017 RM'000	Preceding year- to-date 30/6/2016 RM'000
Revenue	88,628	102,013	211,553	198,093
Operating expenses Depreciation and amortisation Other income	(77,567) (14,542) 776	(87,161) (13,888) 1,024	(178,856) (31,792) 1,476	(171,719) (26,101) 3,215
Results from operating activities Finance costs Finance income Net finance costs	(2,705) (3,223) 49 (3,174)	1,988 (3,515) 73 (3,442)	2,381 (6,692) 108	3,488 (6,989) 139
Share of profit of equity-accounted joint venture,			(6,584)	(6,850)
net of tax  Loss before tax	(5,640)	(1,454)	527	- (0.000)
Tax expense	(719)	(1,434)	(3,676) (2,408)	(3,362) (2,647)
Loss for the period	(6,359)	(2,973)	(6,084)	(6,009)
Other comprehensive expense, net of tax Items that may be reclassified subsequently to profit or loss Foreign currency translation differences for foreign operations		1		4
Other comprehensive expense for the period, net of tax		1		4
Total comprehensive expense for the period	(6,359)	(2,972)	(6,084)	(6,005)
Loss attributable to : Owners of the Company Non-controlling interests Loss for the period	(6,359) - (6,359)	(2,967) (6) (2,973)	(6,083) (1) (6,084)	(5,998) (11) (6,009)
Total comprehensive expense attributable to : Owners of the Company Non-controlling interests	(6,359)	(2,966)	(6,083)	(5,994)
Total comprehensive expense for the period	(6,359)	(2,972)	(1) (6,084)	(11) (6,005)
Loss per ordinary share (sen): Basic Diluted	(4.00)	(1.86)	(3.82)	(3.77)

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#### **Condensed Consolidated Statement of Financial Position**

as at 30 June 2017

	30/6/2017 (Unaudited) RM'000	31/12/2016 (Audited) RM'000
Assets		
Property, plant and equipment Intangible assets Investment in a joint venture Deferred tax assets Total non-current assets	425,973 90,425 914 2,300 519,612	413,793 90,004 327 2,365 506,489
Inventories Trade and other receivables Prepayments and other assets Current tax assets Other investments Cash and cash equivalents Total current assets	58,058 71,640 2,127 4,003 3,897 20,702 160,427	42,021 96,825 5,152 4,137 3,889 40,299 192,323
Total assets	680,039	698,812
Equity		
Share capital Reserves Total equity attributable to owners of the Company Non-controlling interest Total equity	180,029 133,471 313,500 (503) 312,997	165,960 153,631 319,591 (502) 319,089
Liabilities		
Loan and borrowings Deferred income Deferred tax liabilities Total non-current liabilities	98,897 3,046 3,998 105,941	82,134 3,141 4,555 89,830
Loan and borrowings  Deferred income  Provision for warranties  Trade and other payables  Total current liabilities	165,581 439 713 94,368 261,101	198,661 541 650 90,041 289,893
Total liabilities	367,042	379,723
Total equity and liabilities	680,039	698,812
Net assets per share attributable to owners of the Company (RM)	1.97	2.01

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# Condensed Consolidated Statement of Changes in Equity

for the financial period ended 30 June 2017 - (Unaudited)

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Repurchase of own shares	ì		ž	(74)	1	(74)	•	
At 30 June 2016	165,960	14,069	(6/6)	(4.631)	156.513	330.932	(530)	330 402

In accordance with Section 74 of the Companies Act, 2016, the Company's shares no longer have a par or nominal value with effect from 31 January 2017. There is no impact on the number of shares in issue or the relative entitlement of any of the members as a result of this transition. In accordance with the transitional provisions set out in section 618 of the Companies Act, 2016, any amount standing to the credit of the share premium account becomes part of the Company's share capital. Companies have twenty-four months upon the commencement of Companies Act, 2016 to utilise the credit. During the financial period, the Company has utilised none of the credit of the share premium account which have now become part of the share capital. Note a:

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#### **Condensed Consolidated Statement of Cash Flows**

for the financial period ended 30 June 2017 -(Unaudited)

	6 months Ended 30/6/2017 RM'000	6 months Ended 30/6/2016 RM'000
Cash flows from operating activities		
Loss before tax:	(3,676)	(3,362)
Adjustments for: Non cash items	31,792	26,101
Non-operating items	6,950	7,007
Share of profit of equity-accounted joint venture, net of tax	(587)	-
Operation profit before changes in working capital	34,479	29,746
Changes in working capital:		
Decrease/(increase) in inventories	(16,037)	7,000
Decrease/(increase) in trade and other receivables,		
prepayments and other assets	27,884	27,413
(Decrease)/increase in trade and other payables (Decrease)/increase in deferred income	4,570 (197)	(22,959)
Cash generated from operations	50,699	(94) 41,106
Finance costs paid	(2,058)	(4,130)
Income tax paid	(2,838)	(3,974)
Warranties paid	(276)	(207)
Net cash generated from operating activities	45,527	32,795
Cash flows from investing activities		
Interest received	108	139
Increase in pledged deposits with licensed banks	(8)	(708)
Increase in development costs	(1,465)	(4,308)
Purchase of property, plant and equipment	(42,928) (44,293)	(31,379)
Net cash used in investing activities	(44,293)	(36,256)
Cash flows from financing activities		
Finance costs paid	(4,634)	(2,859)
Net drawdown/(repayment) of bank borrowings	(7,680)	(1,107)
Net drawdown/(repayment) of finance lease liabilities Dividends paid to owners of the Company	(8,542)	(242) (1,592)
Purchase of treasury shares	(8)	(74)
Net cash used in financing activities	(20,864)	(5,874)
Net increase/(decrease) in cash and cash equivalents	(19,630)	(9,335)
Effect of change in exchange rate	(10,000)	(9,555)
Cash and cash equivalents at beginning of period	28,289	26,953
Cash and cash equivalents at end of period	8,659	17,622
The condensed consolidated statement of cash flows should	•	

The condensed consolidated statement of cash flows should be read in conjunction with the audited financial statements for the financial year ended 31 December 2016 and the accompanying explanatory notes attached to the interim financial statements.

Cash and cash equivalents in the statement of cash flows con	mprise the following:	
Deposit placed with licensed banks	2,743	4,770
Cash and bank balances	17,959	24,771
	20,702	29,541
Less : Pledged deposits	(2,348)	(2,281)
Bank overdraft	(9,695)	(9,638)
	8,659	17,622

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#### A Notes to the Interim Financial Statements Pursuant to Malaysian Financial Reporting Standards ("MFRS") 134

#### A1. Basis of preparation

These condensed consolidated interim financial statements for the second quarter ended 30 June 2017 are unaudited and have 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. They do not include all of the information required for a full annual financial statements.

The unaudited interim financial report should be read in conjunction with the audited financial statements of the Group for the year ended 31 December 2016. The explanatory notes attached to the unaudited interim financial report 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 2016.

#### A2. Changes in accounting policies

The significant accounting policies and methods of computation adopted in these interim financial statements are consistent with those adopted in the audited financial statements for the financial year ended 31 December 2016 except for the adoption of the following accounting standards, amendments and interpretations that have been issued by the Malaysian Accounting Standards Board ("MASB") but are not yet effective and have not been applied by the Group:

MFRSs, Interpretations and amendments effective for annual periods beginning on or after 1 January 2017

- Amendments to MFRS 12, Disclosure of Interests in Other Entities (Annual Improvements to MFRS Standards 2014-2016 Cycle)
- Amendments to MFRS 107, Statement of Cash Flows Disclosure Initiative
- Amendments to MFRS 112, Income Taxes Recognition of Deferred Tax Assets for Unrealised Losses

MFRSs, Interpretations and amendments effective for annual periods beginning on or after 1 January 2018

- MFRS 9, Financial Instruments (2014)
- MFRS 15, Revenue from Contracts with Customers
- Clarifications to MFRS 15, Revenue from Contracts with Customers
- IC Interpretation 22, Foreign Currency Transactions and Advance Consideration

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#### A2. Changes in accounting policies (continued)

MFRSs, Interpretations and amendments effective for annual periods beginning on or after 1 January 2018 (continued)

- Amendments to MFRS 1, First-time Adoption of Malaysian Financial Reporting Standards (Annual Improvements to MFRS Standards 2014-2016 Cycle)
- Amendments to MFRS 2, Share-based Payment Classification and Measurement of Share-based Payment Transactions
- Amendments to MFRS 4, Insurance Contracts Applying MFRS 9 Financial Instruments with MFRS 4 Insurance Contracts
- Amendments to MFRS 128, Investments in Associates and Joint Ventures (Annual Improvements to MFRS Standards 2014-2016 Cycle)
- Amendments to MFRS 140, Investment Property Transfers of Investment Property

MFRSs, Interpretations and amendments effective for annual periods beginning on or after 1 January 2019

MFRS 16, Leases

MFRSs, Interpretations and amendments effective for annual periods beginning on or after a date yet to be confirmed

Amendments to MFRS 10, Consolidated Financial Statements and MFRS 128, Investments in Associates and Joint Ventures – Sale or Contribution of Assets between an Investor and its Associate or Joint Venture

The Group plans to apply the abovementioned accounting standards, amendments and interpretations:

- from the annual period beginning on 1 January 2017 for those amendments that are effective for annual periods beginning on or after 1 January 2017, except for Amendments to MFRS 12 which is not applicable to the Group.
- from the annual period beginning on 1 January 2018 for those accounting standards, amendments or interpretations that are effective for annual periods beginning on or after 1 January 2018, except for Amendments for MFRS 1, Amendments for MFRS 2, Amendments for MFRS 4 and Amendments for MFRS 140 which are not applicable to the Group.
- from the annual period beginning on 1 January 2019 for the accounting standard that is effective for the annual periods beginning on or after 1 January 2019.

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#### A2. Changes in accounting policies (continued)

The initial application of the accounting standards, amendments or interpretations are not expected to have any material financial impacts to the current period and prior period financial statements for the Group except as mentioned below:

#### MFRS 15, Revenue from Contracts with Customers

MFRS 15 replaces the guidance in MFRS 111, Construction Contracts, MFRS 118, Revenue, IC Interpretation 13, Customer Loyalty Programmes, IC Interpretation 15, Agreements for Construction of Real Estate, IC Interpretation 18, Transfer of Assets from Customers and IC Interpretation 131, Revenue – Barter Transactions Involving Advertising Services.

The Group is currently assessing the financial impact that may arise from the adoption of MFRS 15.

#### MFRS 9, Financial Instruments

MFRS 9 replaces the guidance in MFRS 139, Financial Instruments: Recognition and Measurement on the classification and measurement of financial assets and financial liabilities, and on hedge accounting.

The Group is currently assessing the financial impact that may arise from the adoption of MFRS 9.

#### MFRS 16, Leases

MFRS 16 replaces the guidance in MFRS 117, Leases, IC Interpretation 4, Determining whether an Arrangement contains a Lease, IC Interpretation 115, Operating Leases – Incentives and IC Interpretation 127, Evaluating the Substance of Transactions Involving the Legal Form of a Lease

The Group is currently assessing the financial impact that may arise from the adoption of MFRS 16.

#### A3. Audit qualifications

The audited financial statements of the Group for the financial year ended 31 December 2016 was not subject to any qualification.

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#### A4. Unusual items affecting assets, liabilities, equity, net income or cash flows

There were no items affecting assets, liabilities, equity, net income, or cash flows that were unusual in nature, size or incidence during this financial period-to-date.

#### A5. Material changes in estimates

There were no changes in nature and amount of changes in estimates of amounts reported in current financial year or changes in estimates of amounts reported in prior financial years that have a material effect in the financial period-to-date.

#### A6. Changes in the composition of the Group

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

#### A7. Seasonality or cyclicality of operations

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

#### A8. Segmental information

During the current reporting period, the Group operates under one main business segment which is Automotive. The information contains in the Condensed statement of profit or loss and other comprehensive income represent the Automotive segment.

#### A9. Valuation of property, plant and equipment

The valuations of certain property, plant and equipment have been brought forward without amendment from the latest audited annual financial statements.

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#### A10. Capital commitments

Capital commitments not provided for in the financial statements as at 30 June 2017 are as follows:

	RM'000
Property, plant and equipment	
Authorized but not contracted for	4,450
Contracted but not provided for	36,750
	41,200

#### A11. Changes in contingent liabilities or contingent assets

The changes in contingent liabilities since 31 December 2016 are summarised as follows:-

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	RM'000
Balance as at 31 December 2016  Movement in corporate guarantee issued to financial institutions	129,624
for banking facilities granted to the subsidiaries	1,838
Balance as at 30 June 2017	<b>1</b> 31,462

The contingent liabilities were in respect of financial guarantees to banks for banking facilities granted to certain subsidiaries. There was no indication that any subsidiary would default on repayment.

#### A12. Debt and equity securities

There were no issuance, cancellation, repurchase, resale and repayment of debt and equity securities during the quarter under review.

As at 30 June 2017, total shares bought back and held as treasury shares were 6,889,000 shares.

#### A13. Related party transactions

The Group has significant related party transactions with companies in which certain directors of the Company have interests. Related parties are those defined under MFRS 124 Related Party Disclosures. Transactions with these related parties have been entered into in the normal course of business and have been established under arms length basis.

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#### A14. Material events subsequent to the end of the financial year

There were no material events subsequent to the current quarter ended 30 June 2017 up to the date of this report.

#### A15. Dividends Paid

There is no dividend paid during the quarter under review.

### B. Explanatory Notes Pursuant to Appendix 9B of the Listing Requirements of Bursa Malaysia Securities Berhad

#### **B1.** Review of the performance

#### **Current Quarter**

Revenue of the Group for the current quarter was 13.1% lower than the preceding year corresponding quarter due to drop in automotive sales and consequentially, the Group registered net loss of RM6.4mil compared to RM3.0mil in the preceding year corresponding quarter

#### B2. Comparison with Immediate Preceding Quarter

Revenue of the Group for the current quarter was 27.9% lower than the preceding quarter due to drop in automotive sales. Accordingly the Group registered net loss of RM6.4mil for current quarter compared to net profit of RM0.3mil in the preceding quarter.

#### **B3.** Prospects for coming financial year

The operating environment continues to be challenging due to weaker demand for motor vehicles. However the Board remains confident that the Group will continue to increase productivity and efficiency and to source new customer base to remain competitive in the automotive industry.

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#### **B4.** Profit forecast or profit guarantee

There were no profit forecast or profit guarantee issued by the Group during the financial year.

#### **B5.** Tax expense

	Individual Quarter		Cumulative	Period
	Current year quarter ended 30/6/2017 RM'000	Preceding year corresponding quarter ended 30/6/2016 RM'000	Current year- to-date 30/6/2017 RM'000	Preceding year-to- date 30/6/2016 RM'000
Income tax: -Current year -Prior years	818	1,410	2,900	2,876
,	818	1,410	2,900	2,876
Deferred tax: -Current year	(99)	109	(492)	(213)
-Prior years				(16)
-	(99)	109	(492)	(229)
-	719	1,519	2,408	2,647

The effective tax rate of the Group for the current quarter was higher than the statutory tax rate mainly due to certain expenses not deductible for tax purposes and no deferred tax assets recognized for certain subsidiaries.

#### **B6.** Status of corporate proposals

There were no corporate proposals announced which have not been completed as at the date of this report.

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#### B7. Group borrowings and debt securities

The group borrowings as at 30 June 2017 are as follows:

	Denominated in	Foreign currency amount JPY'000	Total RM'000
Non-current Secured - Finance lease liabilities - Finance lease liabilities - Term loans	JPY RM RM	423,181 - -	16,330 468 82,099 98,897
Current Secured - Finance lease liabilities - Finance lease liabilities - Banker's acceptance - Bank overdraft - Term loans	JPY RM RM RM RM	169,042 - - - -	6,523 410 124,624 9,695 24,329 165,581
Total			264,478

#### B8. Changes in material litigation

As at the date of this report, there is no pending material litigation.

#### B9. Dividend

The Board of Directors does not declare any dividend for the financial period-to-date.

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#### B10.Earnings/(loss) per share

The calculation of basic earnings/(loss) per share is based on the net profit/(loss) attributable to owners of the Company for the period divided by the weighted average number of ordinary shares:

	Individu	al Quarter	Cumulati	ve Period
	Current year quarter ended 30/6/2017	Preceding year corresponding quarter ended 30/6/2016	Current year- to- date 30/6/2017	Preceding year-to-date 30/6/2016
Profit/(Loss) for the period attributable to owners of the				
Company (RM'000)	(6,359)	(2,967)	(6,083)	(5,998)
Weighted average number of ordinary shares ('000)	150.092	150 244	150,092	
Basic earnings/(loss)	159,082	159,244	159,082	159,244
per share (sen)	(4.00)	(1.86)	(3.82)	(3.77)
Diluted earnings per share (sen)	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A

No diluted EPS is disclosed in these condensed consolidated interim financial statements as there are no dilutive potential ordinary shares.

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#### **B11.Notes to the Statement of Comprehensive Income**

	Individu	ıal Quarter	Cumula	tive Period
	Current year quarter ended 30/6/2017 RM'000	Preceding year corresponding quarter ended 30/6/2016 RM'000	Current year- to- date 30/6/2017 RM'000	Preceding year-to-date 30/6/2016 RM'000
Interest income	49	73	108	139
Other income	776	1,024	1,476	3,215
Interest expense	(3,223)	(3,515)	(6,692)	(6,989)
Depreciation and amortisation	(14,542)	(13,888)	(31,792)	(26,101)
Foreign exchange gain/(loss)	113	(235)	(513)	(90)

The above disclosure is prepared in accordance with the paragraph 16 of Appendix 9B of the Main Market Listing Requirements ("MMLR") issued by Bursa Malaysia Securities Berhad. Except for the above, the rest of the items required for disclosures pursuant to Paragraph 16 of MMLR are not applicable to the Group.

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#### B12. Realized and Unrealized Profits

The breakdown of the retained profits of the Group as at 30 June 2017 into realized and unrealized profits, pursuant to Paragraph 2.06 and 2.23 of Bursa Malaysia Main Market Listing Requirement are as follows:

	Current year quarter ended 30/6/2017 RM'000	As at end of 31/12/2016 RM'000
Total retained earnings of the Company and its subsidiaries:		
- Realized	150,192	160,297
- Unrealized	18,226	15,721
_	168,418	176,018
Less: Consolidation adjustments	(30,290)	(30,822)
Total retained earnings as per statement		
of financial positions	138,128	145,196

The determination of realized and unrealized profits is compiled based on Guidance on Special Matter No. 1 Determination of Realized and Unrealized Profits or Losses in the Context of Disclosures Pursuant to Bursa Malaysia Securities Berhad Listing Requirements, issued by the Malaysian Institute of Accountants on 20 December 2010.

The disclosure of realized and unrealized profits above is solely for the purposes of complying with the disclosure requirements stipulated in the directive of Bursa Securities and should not be applied for any other purposes.

By order of The Board EP Manufacturing Bhd.

Teo Wei Theng Company Secretary Shah Alam Date: 25 August 2017