CREST BUILDER HOLDINGS BERHAD (573382-P)

UNAUDITED INTERIM FINANCIAL REPORT FOR THE FIRST QUARTER ENDED 31 MARCH 2010

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CREST BUILDER HOLDINGS BERHAD (573382-P) CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF COMPREHENSIVE INCOME FOR THE FIRST QUARTER ENDED 31 MARCH 2010

	INDIVIDUA	INDIVIDUAL PERIOD		CUMULATIVE PERIOD	
	Current Year Quarter 31/03/2010 RM'000	Preceding Year Quarter 31/03/2009 RM'000	Current Year To Date 31/03/2010 RM'000	Preceding Year To Date 31/03/2009 RM'000	
Revenue	92,185	61,379	92,185	61,379	
Cost of Sales	(81,768)	(52,667)	(81,768)	(52,667)	
Gross Profit	10,417	8,712	10,417	8,712	
Other Operating Income	361_	467	361	467	
	10,778	9,179	10,778	9,179	
Administration Costs	(2,882)	(2,905)	(2,882)	(2,905)	
	7,896	6,274	7,896	6,274	
Finance Costs	(2,204)	(2,021)	(2,204)	(2,021)	
Profit Before Tax	5,692	4,253	5,692	4,253	
Taxation	(1,696)	(955)	(1,696)	(955)	
Profit of the period	3,996	3,298	3,996	3,298	
Other Comprehensive Income, net of tax	(-	' <u>w</u>	_	
Total Comprehensive Income for the per not of tax	iod, 3,996	3,298	3,996	3,298	
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Profit attributable to: Equity holders of the Company Minority Interest	3,996	3,298	3,996	3,298	
	3,996	3,298	3,996	3,298	
Total Comprehensive Income attributable Equity holders of the Company Minority Interest	e to: 3,996	3,298	3,996	3,298	
	3,996	3,298	3,996	3,298	
Earnings Per Share (sen) - Basic - Diluted	0.2	2.7 N/A *	3.2 N/A *	2.7 N/A *	

The condensed consolidated statement of comprehensive income should be read in conjunction with the audited financial statements for the year ended 31 December 2009 and the accompanying explanatory notes attached to the quarterly report.

^{*} The calculation for Diluted EPS is not applicable for the individual quarter and period ended 31 March 2010 as it has an anti-dilution effect.

CREST BUILDER HOLDINGS BERHAD (573382-P) CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION AS AT 31 MARCH 2010

	As at 31/03/2010 RM'000	(Audited) As at 31/12/2009 RM'000
ASSETS		V
Non-current assets		
Property, plant and equipment	15,857	27,344
Prepaid land lease payments	38,105	38,206
Investment properties	96,305	83,851
Other investments Held to maturity investments	4.054	4,054
Intangible assets	4,054 33,604	33,604
Land held for property development	15,222	15,116
Land hold for property development	203,147	202,175
Current assets		-
Property development costs	25,114	20,858
Inventories	2,015	2,015
Trade receivables	113,332	106,440
Amounts due from contract customers	166,718	157,791
Other receivables, deposits and prepayments	15,450	17,809
Tax recoverable	4,586	4,524
Cash and bank balances	11,047	23,429
	338,262	332,866
TOTAL ASSETS	541,409	535,041
EQUITY AND LIABILITIES		
Equity attributable to equity holders of the Company		
Share capital	124,089	124,089
Treasury shares	(121)	*:
Reserves	110,688	106,692
Total equity	234,656	230,781
Non-current liabilities		
Loans	107,350	108,510
Hire purchase payables	2,453	2,641
Deferred tax liabilities	188	295
	109,991	111,446
Current liabilities		
Trade payables	114,573	108,810
Amounts due to contract customers	1,920	663
Progress billings in respect of property development costs	15,014	14,689
Other payables, deposits and accruals	15,814	24,652
Hire purchase payables Bank overdraft	2,877	2,407
Other bank borrowings	16,796 29,761	10,768 30,820
Provision for taxation	29,761 7	30,620 5
F10VISION IOI LAXAUUN	196,762	
	130,702	192,814
Total liabilities	306,753	304,260
TOTAL EQUITY AND LIABILITIES	541,409	535,041
Net assets per share attributable to equity holders of the Company		
(RM)	1.89	1.86

The condensed consolidated statement of financial position should be read in conjunction with the audited financial statements for the year ended 31 December 2009 and the accompanying explanatory notes attached to the quarterly report.

CREST BUILDER HOLDINGS BERHAD (\$73382-P) CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN EQUITY FOR THE FIRST QUARTER ENDED 31 MARCH 2010

———— ATTRIBUTABLE TO EQUITY HOLDERS OF THE COMPANY

			NON-DISTRIBUTABLE	BUTABLE	DISTRIBUTABLE			
	Share Capital RM'000	Treasury Shares RM'000	Capital Reserve RM'000	Other Reserve RM'000	Retained Earnings RM'000	Total RM'000	Minority Interest RM'000	Total Equity RM'000
At 1 January 2009 Total comprehensive income for the	124,089		4,074	251	94,128	222,542	9	222,542
period At 31 March 2009	124,089		4,074	251	3,298 97,426	3,298		3,298 225,840
At 1 January 2010 Total comprehensive income for the	124,089	ı	4,074	296	102,322	230,781	Ĭ	230,781
period	124 080		- 1001	- 10	3,996	3,996	•	3,996
Purchase of treasury shares		(121)	4,074	296	106,318	234,777	, ,	234,777
At 31 March 2010	124,089	(121)	4,074	296	106,318	234,656		234,656

The condensed consolidated statement of changes in equity should be read in conjunction with the audited financial statements for the year ended 31 December 2009 and the accompanying explanatory notes attached to the quarterly report.

CREST BUILDER HOLDINGS BERHAD (573382-P) CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF CASH FLOW FOR THE FIRST QUARTER ENDED 31 MARCH 2010

	3 Months Ended 3/31/2010 RM'000	3 Months Ended 3/31/2009 RM'000
Profit before taxation	5,692	4,253
Adjustments for :- Depreciation Amortisation of prepaid land lease payments Goodwill on acquisition of new subsidiary company Gain on disposal of property, plant and equipment Interest expense Interest income Operating profit before working capital changes	1,030 101 23 (54) 2,204 (26) 8,970	957 - (137) 2,021 (104) 6,990
Net change in current assets Net change in current liabilities	6,790 (26,022) (19,232)	5,892 (19,064) (13,172)
Cash use in operations	(10,262)	(6,182)
Income tax paid	(1,863)	(1,917)
Net cash use in operating activities	(12,125)	(8,099)
CASH FLOWS FROM INVESTING ACTIVITIES		
Interest received Increase in development expenditure Proceeds from disposal of property, plant and equipment Purchase of treasury shares Purchase of investment properties Purchase of property, plant and equipment Net cash (used in)/generated from investing activities	26 (106) 54 (121) (465) (436) (1,048)	104 - 137 - (229) 12
CASH FLOWS FROM FINANCING ACTIVITIES		
Fixed deposits with licensed banks Interest paid Loan raised Repayment of loans Repayment of hire purchase creditors Net cash (used in)/generated from financing activities	1,451 (2,204) 36 (2,256) (813) (3,786)	(2,021) 3,608 (641) (665) 281
Net decrease in cash and cash equivalents Cash and cash equivalents brought forward Cash and cash equivalents carried forward	(16,959) 9,531 (7,428)	(7,806) 6,658 (1,148)
Note: Cash and bank balances Fixed deposit with licensed banks	5,448 5,599 11,047	1,319 13,106 14,425
Less: Bank overdraft Fixed deposit pledged Cash and cash equivalents	(16,796) (1,679) (7,428)	(12,116) (3,457) (1,148)

The condensed consolidated statement of cash flow should be read in conjunction with the audited financial statements for the year ended 31 December 2009 and the accompanying explanatory notes attached to the quarterly report.

PART A: EXPLANATORY NOTES PURSUANT TO PARAGRAPH 16, FRS134 INTERIM FINANCIAL REPORTING

A1. BASIS OF PREPARATION

The unaudited interim financial report has been prepared in accordance with the reporting requirements as set out in the Financial Reporting Standards ("FRS") No. 134 – "Interim Financial Reporting" and paragraph 9.22 of the Bursa Malaysia Securities Berhad ("Bursa Securities") Main Market Listing Requirements, and should be read in conjunction with the Group's audited statutory financial statements presented in the Annual Report for the financial year ended 31 December 2009.

The accounting policies and method of computation adopted by the Group in this interim financial report are consistent with those adopted for the annual audited financial statements for the financial year ended 31 December 2009, except for the adoption of the new and revised FRSs, Amendments to FRSs and Interpretations with effect from 1 July 2009 and 1 January 2010.

The adoption of the new and revised FRSs, Amendments to FRSs and Interpretations, which are commencing from 1 July 2009 and 1 January 2010 does not have significant impact to the Group.

The following new and revised FRSs and Interpretations were issued but not yet effective and have not been applied by the Group:-

FRSs and Interpre	tations	Effective for financial periods beginning on or after
Amendments to FRS 132	Financial Instruments: Presentation- Classification of Rights Issues	1 March 2010
FRS 1	First-time Adoption of Financial Reporting Standards	1 July 2010
FRS 3	Business Combinations (revised)	1 July 2010
FRS 127	Consolidated and Separate Financial Statements (amended)	1 July 2010
Amendments to FRS 2	Share-based Payments	1 July 2010
Amendments to FRS 5	Non-current Assets Held for Sale and Discontinued Operations	1 July 2010
Amendments to FRS 138	Intangible Assets	1 July 2010

A1. BASIS OF PREPARATION (CON'T)

IC Interpretation 12	Service Concession Arrangements	1 July 2010
IC Interpretation 15	Agreements for the Construction of Real Estate	1 July 2010
IC Interpretation 16	Hedges of a Net Investment in a Foreign Operation	1 July 2010
IC Interpretation 17	Distribution of Non-cash Assets to Owners	1 July 2010
Amendments to IC Interpretation 9	Reassessment of Embedded Derivatives	1 July 2010
Amendments to FRS 1	Limited Exemption from Comparative FRS 7 Disclosures for First-time Adopters	1 January 2011
Amendments to FRS 7	Improving Disclosures about Financial Instruments	1 January 2011

The adoption of the abovementioned new and revised FRSs, Amendments to FRSs and Interpretations upon their effective dates are not expected to have any significant impact to the Group.

A2. AUDIT QUALIFICATION OF PRECEDING ANNUAL FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

The auditors' report on the annual audited financial statements for the financial year ended 31 December 2009 was not qualified.

A3. SEASONALITY AND CYCLICALITY FACTORS

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

A4. UNUSUAL ITEMS DUE TO THEIR NATURE, SIZE OR INCIDENCE

There were no unusual items affecting the assets, liabilities, equity, net income or cash flows for the current quarter ended 31 March 2010.

A5. CHANGES IN ESTIMATES

There were no changes in estimates of amounts reported in prior financial years that have a material effect on the current quarter ended 31 March 2010.

A6. ISSUANCE OR REPAYMENT OF DEBT AND EQUITY SECURITIES

During the current quarter, the Company repurchased 155,900 units of its own shares through purchases on Bursa Malaysia Securities Berhad. The total amount paid for acquisition of the shares was RM121,438 including transaction costs and has been deducted from equity. The repurchase transactions were financed by internally generated funds and the average price paid for the shares was RM0.78. The shares repurchased are being held as treasury shares in accordance with Section 67A of the Companies Act 1965.

There were no issuance and repayment of debt securities, share cancellations, and/or resale of treasury shares for the current financial period under review.

A7. DIVIDEND PAID

There were no dividends paid during the current quarter.

A8. SEGMENTAL REPORTING

The segmental reporting by industry of the Group is set out as below:-

(i) For the three (3) months ended 31 March 2010.

Segment Revenue and Segment Results

	Construction	Investment	Property	Eliminations	Consolidated
Business Segment	RM'000	Holding RM'000	Developments RM'000	RM'000	RM'000
Revenue					Ę
- External customer	88,577	1,935	1,673	-	92,185
- Inter-segment	2,242	1,636	-	(3,878)	-
Total revenue	90,819	3,571	1,673	(3,878)	92,185
Results				,	
- Segment Results	5,560	2,683	204	(551)	7,896
Finance Cost					(2,204)
Taxation					(1,696)
Profit for the period					3,996

No geographical segment is presented as the Group operates principally in Malaysia.

(ii) For the three (3) months ended 31 March 2009.

Segment Revenue and Segment Results

	Construction	Investment	Property	Eliminations	Consolidated
Business Segment	RM'000	Holding RM'000	Developments RM'000	RM'000	RM'000
Revenue					
- External customer	57,370	1,805	2,204	-	61,379
- Inter-segment	2,373	1,456	-	(3,829)	-
Total revenue	59,743	3,261	2,204	(3,829)	61,379
Results					
- Segment Results	3,405	2,601	812	(544)	6,274
Finance Cost					(2,021)
Taxation	•				(955)
Profit for the Period					3,298

No geographical segment is presented as the Group operates principally in Malaysia.

A9. VALUATIONS OF PROPERTY, PLANT AND EQUIPMENT

The valuations of property, plant and equipment have been brought forward without amendment from the financial statements for the year ended 31 December 2009.

A10. SUBSEQUENT MATERIAL EVENTS

There were no material events subsequent to the reporting period up to 21 May 2010, being the latest practicable date which is not earlier than 7 days from the date of issue of this quarterly report, that have not been reflected in the financial statements for the current quarter ended 31 March 2010.

A11. CHANGES IN THE COMPOSITION OF THE GROUP

There were no changes in the composition of the Group for the current quarter ended 31 March 2010.

A12. CONTINGENT LIABILITIES AND CONTINGENT ASSETS

Contingent liabilities of the Group as at 21 May 2010 being the latest practicable date which is not earlier than 7 days from the date of issue of this quarterly report comprises of Bank Guarantees provided by the Group to the various parties in the normal course of business and the changes in contingent liabilities since the last financial year ended 31 December 2009 are as follows:-

	RM'000
Balance as at 1 January 2010	85,846
Extended during the period	9,363
Discharged during the period	(395)
Balance as at 21 May 2010	94,814

A13. CAPITAL COMMITMENTS

There were no capital commitments that have a material effect in the current quarter ended 31 March 2010.

A14. SIGNIFICANT RELATED PARTY DISCLOSURES

Crest Builder Holdings Berhad and / or its subsidiaries	Transacting Party	Relationship	Nature of Transactions	Current Quarter Ended 31 March 2010 RM'000	Cumulative Quarter Ended 31 March 2010 RM'000
Crest Builder Sdn Bhd	Farima Sdn Bhd	Company connected with a Director of the Company	Construction work	3,413	3,413

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

PART B: EXPLANATORY NOTES PURSUANT TO APPENDIX 9B OF THE LISTING REQUIREMENTS OF BURSA SECURITIES

B1. REVIEW OF PERFORMANCE

For the first quarter under review, the Group revenue increased by 50% to RM92.1 million from RM61.4 million in the corresponding first quarter of the preceding year. The profit after tax increased by 21% to RM4.0 million from RM3.3 million in the corresponding first quarter of the preceding year.

The increase in revenue and profit after tax was mainly due to the higher contribution from construction activities undertaken during the current quarter.

B2. COMPARISON WITH IMMEDIATE PRECEDING QUARTER'S RESULTS

	Current 1 st Quarter	Preceding 4 th Quarter	Increase/ (Decrease)		
	RM'000	RM'000	RM'000	%	
Revenue	92,185	101,495	(9,310)	(9%)	
Profit before taxation	5,692	2,407	3,285	134%	
Profit after taxation	3,996	135	3,861	286%	

For the current quarter under review, the Group recorded profit before taxation and profit after taxation of RM5.7 million and RM4.0 million respectively as compared to RM2.4 million and RM0.1 million respectively in the immediate preceding quarter.

B3. CURRENT YEAR PROSPECT

The Group continues to bid actively and successfully for construction projects. Continuous effort is being taken to identify measures for improving the Group's construction margin. The Group is also looking for strategic landbank and at the same time planning for new launches on its existing landbank.

Despite the global economic crisis, the Board is cautiously optimistic that the operating results for 2010 will remain satisfactory.

B4. VARIANCES ON PROFIT FORECAST AND PROFIT GUARANTEE

Not applicable to the Group.

B5. TAXATION

	INDIVIDUAL QUARTER		CUMULATIVE QUARTER	
	Quarter Ended 31-3-2010 (RM'000)	Quarter Ended 31-3-2009 (RM'000)	Period Ended 31-3-2010 (RM'000)	Period Ended 31-3-2009 (RM'000)
Current period's				
provision	1,803	1,220	1,803	1,220
Deferred tax	(107)	(265)	(107)	(265)
	1,696	955	1,696	955
Profit before taxation	5,692	4,253	5,692	4,253
Taxation at Malaysian statutory tax rate – 25%	1,423	1,063	1,423	1,063
Tax losses not yet utilised Over provision in	51	18	51	18
deferred tax in prior year Expenses not deductible for tax	-	(265)	-	(265)
purposes	222	139	222	139
	1,696	955	1,696	955

The Group's effective tax rate for the current quarter ended 31 March 2010 was higher than the statutory tax rate prevailing in Malaysia principally due to certain expenses not deductible for tax purposes.

B6. PROFIT ON SALE OF UNQUOTED INVESTMENTS AND / OR PROPERTIES

There was no disposal of unquoted investments and/or properties for the current quarter ended 31 March 2010.

B7. DEALINGS IN QUOTED SECURITIES

- (i) The Group did not transact any quoted securities for the current quarter ended 31 March 2010.
- (ii) As at 31 March 2010, the Group did not hold any quoted securities.

B8. CORPORATE PROPOSALS

The Group has not announced any corporate proposal during the current quarter ended 31 March 2010 under review.

B9. BORROWINGS AND DEBT SECURITIES

The details of Group borrowings and debt securities, all of which is denominated in Ringgit Malaysia, as at 31 March 2010 are as follows:-

	RM'000	RM'000
Short term borrowings:		
Secured		
- Hire Purchase	2,877	
- Term Loan	4,918	
Unsecured		
- Bank Overdraft	16,796	
- Bankers' Acceptance	24,843	
		49,434
Long term borrowings:		
Secured		
- Hire Purchase	2,453	
- Term Loan	67,350	
Unsecured		
- Term Loan	40,000	
	_	109,803
Total		159,237
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B10. OFF BALANCE SHEET FINANCIAL INSTRUMENT

There were no financial instruments with off balance sheet risk as at 21 May 2010, being the latest practicable date which is not earlier than 7 days from the date of issue of this quarterly report.

B11. MATERIAL LITIGATION

Save as previously disclosed, there were no changes in material litigation, including the status of pending material litigation since the previous quarter to 21 May 2010, being the latest practicable date which is not earlier than 7 days from the date of issue of this quarterly report.

B12. DIVIDEND

No dividend was proposed or paid in respect of the first quarter ended 31 March 2010.

B13. EARNINGS PER SHARE

a. Basic earnings per share

The basic earnings per share has been calculated based on the Group's profit after taxation and divided by the weighted average number of ordinary shares outstanding during the current quarter ended 31 March 2010.

	INDIVIDUAL QUARTER		CUMULATIVE QUARTER	
	31-3-2010	31-3-2009	31-3-2010	31-3-2009
Profit after tax attributable to equity holders of the company (RM'000)	3,996	3,298	3,996	3,298
Weighted average number of ordinary shares in issue ('000)	124,089	124,089	124,089	124,089
Basic earnings per share (sen)	3.2	2.7	3.2	2.7

b. Diluted earnings per share

The diluted earnings per share has been calculated based on the Group's profit after taxation and divided by the weighted average number of ordinary shares which would be issued on conversion of all dilutive potential ordinary shares into ordinary shares as follows:-

	INDIVIDUAL QUARTER		CUMULATIVE QUARTER	
	31-3-2010	31-3-2009	31-3-2010	31-3-2009
Profit after tax				
attributable to equity	3,996	3,298	3,996	3,298
holders of the company				
(RM'000)	1			
Weighted average				
number of ordinary	124,089	124,089	124,089	124,089
shares ('000)				
Assume full conversion				
of Warrants ('000)	*	*	*	*
Effects of ESOS ('000)	*	*	*	*
Weighted average		*		
number of ordinary	124,089	124,089	124,089	124,089
shares ('000)				•
Diluted earnings per		<u>.</u>	1.	
share (sen)	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A

^{*} Not taken into account in the computation of diluted earnings per share because the effect is anti-dilutive.

The computation for diluted earnings per share is not applicable for individual quarter and period ended 31 March 2010 as it has an anti-dilution effect.

B14. AUTHORISED FOR ISSUE

The interim financial statements were authorised for issue by the Board of Directors in accordance with a resolution of the directors on 25 May 2010.

By Order of the Board

Company Secretaries Heng Chiang Pooh FCIS (MAICSA 7009923) Chiam Han Twee FCIS (MAICSA 7009910)

Date: 25 May 2010