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### NOTES TO THE QUARTERLY REPORT FOR THE THIRD QUARTER ENDED 30 SEPTEMBER 2011

#### **A1. Basis of preparation**

The Interim Financial Report is unaudited and has been prepared in compliance with the Financial Reporting Standard ("FRS") 134: Interim Financial Reporting issued by Malaysian Accounting Standards Board and paragraph 9.22 of the Listing Requirements of Bursa Malaysia Securities Berhad ("Bursa Securities") and shall be read in conjunction with the Group's annual audited financial statements for the year ended 31 December 2010.

### Changes in Accounting Policies

Improvements to FRSs (2010)

The significant accounting policies applied in this interim financial statements are consistent with those adopted in the most recent audited annual financial statements for the year ended 31 December 2010 except for the adoption of the following new FRSs, Amendments to certain FRSs and IC Interpretations for financial period beginning on 1 January 2011:

FRS 1	First-time Adoption of Financial Reporting Standards (revised)
FRS 3	Business Combinations (revised)
FRS 127	Consolidated and Separate Financial Statements (revised)
Amendments to FRS 1	First-time Adoption of Financial Reporting Standards -
	Limited Exemption from Comparative FRS 7
	Disclosures for First-time Adopter
	Additional Exemption for First-time Adopters
Amendments to FRS 2	Share-based Payment
	Group Cash-settled Share Based Payment Transactions
Amendments to FRS 5	Non-current Assets Held for Sale and Discontinued Operations
Amendments to FRS 7	Improving Disclosures about Financial Instruments
Amendments to FRS 132	Financial Instruments: Presentation – Classification of Rights
	Issues
Amendment to FRS 138	Intangible Assets
IC Interpretation 4	Determining whether an Arrangement contains a Lease
IC Interpretation 12	Service Concession Agreements (Not applicable to the Group)
IC Interpretation 16	Hedges of a Net Investment in a Foreign Operation
IC Interpretation 17	Distributions of Non-cash Assets to Owners
IC Interpretation 18	Transfer of Assets from Customers
Amendments to IC	Reassessment of Embedded Derivatives
Interpretation 9	



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### A1. Basis of preparation (continued)

### Changes in Accounting Policies (continued)

The initial application of a standard, an amendment or an interpretation, which will be applied prospectively or which requires extended disclosures, is not expected to have any significant financial impacts to the financial statements upon their first adoption.

### FRS yet to be effective

As at the date of this report, The Group has yet to apply the following FRSs which were issued but not yet effective:

# FRSs, Interpretations and amendments effective for annual periods beginning on or after 1 July 2011

- IC Interpretation 19, Extinguishing Financial Liabilities with Equity Instruments
- Amendments to IC Interpretation 14, Prepayments of a Minimum Funding Requirement

# FRSs, Interpretations and amendments effective for annual periods beginning on or after 1 January 2012

- FRS 124, Related Party Disclosures (revised)
- IC Interpretation 15, Agreements for the Construction of Real Estate (Not applicable to the Group)



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### A2. Auditors' report

The auditors' report of the audited financial statements for the financial year ended 31 December 2010 was not subject to any qualification.

### A3. Seasonal or cyclical factors

The business of the Group was not affected by any significant seasonal or cyclical factors.

### A4. Extraordinary and exceptional items

There were no unusual items affecting assets, liabilities, equity, net income or cash flows during the financial quarter under review and financial period-to-date.

### A5. Changes in estimates

There were no changes in estimates during the financial quarter under review and financial period-to-date.

### A6. Debt and equity securities

8-year 6% Redeemable Convertible Secured Loan Stocks ("RCSLS") at 100% of its nominal value with free detachable warrants ("Warrant")

The Company has on 23 August 2011 issued 145,684,940 RCSLS and 145,684,940 Warrants pursuant to the proposed renounceable rights issue announced on 15 April 2011. The RCSLS and Warrants were subsequently listed in the Main Market of Bursa Malaysia Securities Berhad on 26 August 2011.

### A7. Dividends paid

Dividends paid for the respective financial period are:

	Sen	Total	Date of
	(Tax exempt)	Amount	payment
		RM'000	
Interim 2011 Ordinary	1	4,392	28 October 2011
Final 2010 Ordinary	1	<u>4,391</u>	28 July 2011



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### A8. Segmental information

Segmental information is presented in respect of the Group's business segment.

The Group comprises the following main business segments:

### (i) Manufacturing & trading

Manufacturing and marketing of aluminium and other related products.

### (ii) Contracting

Contracting of aluminium and stainless steel products.



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### A8. Segmental information – continued

Business Segments RM'000	Manufacturing & trading	Contracting	Elimination	Total	
Revenue from external customers	1,584,722	61,786	-	1,646,508	
Inter-segment revenue	1,462,922	-	(1,462,922)	-	
Total revenue	3,047,644	61,786	(1,462,922)	1,646,508	<b></b>
Segment results	145,453	2,784		148,237	=
Share of associate's profit Financing cost				1,382 (49,571)	)
<b>Profit before tax</b> Taxation				100,048 (25,524)	
Profit after tax				74,524 =====	-
Geographical Segments	Malaysia	Asia Region	Europe Region	Elimination	Total
Revenue from external Customers	1,680,806	1,231,992	196,632	(1,462,922)	1,646,508
Segment assets by location	3,546,613	1,583,342	170,286	(1,941,520)	3,358,721
Investment in associate	29,676	-	-		29,676
	3,576,289	1,583,342	170,286	(1,941,520)	3,388,397



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

There was no revaluation of property, plant and equipment brought forward from the previous audited financial statements, as the Group does not adopt a revaluation policy of its property, plant and equipment.

#### A10. Material events subsequent to the balance sheet date

There was no material event subsequent to the end of the financial period reported.

### A11. Changes in the composition of the Group

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

### A12. Contingent liabilities and contingent assets

There were no material changes in contingent liabilities as at the date of this quarterly report.

### A13. Capital commitments

As at 30 September 2011, the Group has the following known commitments:

RM'000

Authorised property, plant and equipment expenditure not provided for in the financial statements

<u>7,000</u>

### A14. Related Party Transactions

The Group

RM'000

With the affiliated companies – PMB Technology Berhad Group Sales of aluminium products

114,903

Purchase of fabricated aluminium products and building materials

45,622



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Disclosure requirements per Bursa Malaysia Securities Berhad's Listing Requirements – Part A of Appendix 9B

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

The Group has recorded a revenue of RM581.6 million in the current year quarter, representing an increase of RM114.3 million or 24.4% compared to RM467.3 million in the corresponding quarter last year. Higher revenue was attributable to higher demand for both upstream and downstream operations.

The Group profit before tax has also increased to RM30.0 million during the current year quarter as compared to RM19.9 million in the same quarter last year.

### B2. Variation of results against preceding quarter

Profit before tax for the current year quarter was lower than the preceding quarter's by RM6.6 million or 18.2% mainly due to weakening of metal price.

### **B3.** Current year's prospects

The Group has increased its operational activities and in view of the sustainable outlook for the remaining of the year, it is expected to maintain a satisfactory result for the year ending 31 December 2011.

### **B4.** Profit forecast

Not applicable as no profit forecast was published.



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#### **B5.** Taxation

Taxation comprises the following:

	9 months ended 30.09.2011 <i>RM'000</i>
Current taxation	
Malaysian income tax	6,108
Foreign tax	3,310
Deferred tax	16,106
	25,524

The Group's effective tax rate for financial period-to-date is higher than the statutory tax rate due to certain non-tax deductible expenses.

### **B6.** Retained Earnings

	As at 30.09.2011 <i>RM'000</i>	As at 31.12.2010 <i>RM'000</i>
Retained earnings:		
Realised	811,822	685,206
Unrealised	(153,577)	(84,729)
Track to the second of the sec	658,245	600,477
Total share of retained earnings of associate: Unrealised	(17,864)	(16,191)
Total Group retained earnings	640,381	584,286

### B7. Profit / Loss on disposal of unquoted investments and properties

There were no other sale of unquoted investments during the current quarter and financial period-to-date.

### **B8**. Purchases or Disposals of Quoted Securities

There were no purchases or disposals of any quoted securities during the financial quarter under review and financial period-to-date.



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### B9. Status of Corporate Proposals Announced and Pending Completion

### **Acquisition of China Smelting Plant**

On 28 November 2006, the Company has entered into a sale and purchase agreement and the relevant supplemental agreements (collectively known as "SPA") with Hubei Hashing Aluminium & Electric Co. Ltd (HHAE), Qianjiang City Qiansheng State-Owned Enterprise (QCQ) and Qianjiang City Huashin State-Owned Enterprise for the acquisition of all the assets, including non-current and current assets and certain current liabilities, excluding long-term bank borrowings, interest payable and tax liabilities of HHAE, which are located in Hubei province in the People's Republic of China ("PRC"), for a total cash consideration of RMB 360 million (approximately RM168 million based on an exchange rate of RMB1: RM0.466).

The acquisition of the entire Assets and assumption of Certain Liabilities from HHAE has been undertaken through a company incorporated in the PRC, Hubei Press Metal Huasheng Aluminium & Electric Co. Ltd., which is 90% held by the Company whilst the remaining 10% is held by QCQ.

The Group is entitled to the revenue and profit deriving from the Hubei Smelting Plant pursuant to a sale and purchase agreement and a Custody Agreement signed with the relevant parties. The Custody Agreement allows the Group to take custody of the Hubei Smelting Plant and be entitled to revenue generated pending the finalisation of the transfer of the plant.

The Group assumed control over Hubei Smelting Plant upon making the first payment of the total purchase price. The pledge on the assets acquired has been discharged subsequently and the said assets have been transferred to HHAE during the quarter ended 30 September 2007. As such, a negative goodwill being the excess of the net fair value of the assets acquired and liabilities assumed over the cost of acquisition amounting to RM337.0 million has therefore been recognised as an income in the third quarter 2007.



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### B10. Group borrowing and debt securities as at 30 September 2011

	Secured (RM'000)	Unsecured (RM'000)	Total ( <u>RM'000)</u>
Long term Short term	560,380 224,996	22,391 867,062	582,771 1,092,058
	785,376 ======	889,453 ======	1,674,829

### B11. Financial Instruments with off Balance Sheet Risk

There were no financial instruments with off balance sheet risk as at the date of this quarterly report.

### **B12.** Material Litigation

There is no material litigation pending as at the date of this quarterly report except for certain customers of PMB Development Sdn Bhd ("PMBD"), a subsidiary of the Company, have filed legal suits in the year 1998 to recover approximately RM609,790 from PMBD for breach of a term in the sales and purchase agreements. Based on legal opinion obtained, the Directors believe that PMBD has a good defence and accordingly, no provision for loss has been made in the financial statements. The court has fixed the hearing for respective cases.

#### B13. Dividend

There was no dividend proposed during the current quarter under review.



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### **B14.** Earnings Per Ordinary Share

### (a) Basic earnings per share

The basic earnings per share of the Group have been computed by dividing the net profit attributable to shareholders for the financial quarter and year-to-date as set out below:-

	3rd Quarter 3 months ended		Year-to-Date 9 months ended	
	30.09.11	30.09.10	30.09.11	30.09.10
Profit attributable to shareholders (RM'000)	20,132	14,230	64,878	61,844
Weighted average number of ordinary shares ('000)	439,340	428,412	439,340	428,412
Basic earnings per share (sen)	4.58	3.32	14.77	14.44



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### (b) Diluted earnings per share

The diluted earnings per share of the Group have been computed by dividing the net profit attributable to shareholders for the financial quarter and year-to-date as set out below:-

	3rd Quarter 3 months ended		Year-to-Date 9 months ended	
	30.09.11	30.09.10	30.09.11	30.09.10
Profit attributable to shareholders (RM'000)	20,132	14,230	64,878	61,844
Weighted average number of ordinary shares ('000)	439,340	428,412	439,340	428,412
Employee Shares Option				
Scheme ('000)	5,440	17,892	5,440	17,892
	444,780	446,304	444,780	446,304
Basic earnings per share (sen)	4.53	*	14.59 ====	*

<sup>\*</sup> The diluted earnings per share is not show as the effect of the employees' share options is anti-dilutive in the preceding year corresponding quarter.

### On behalf of the Board

Dato' Koon Poh Keong Group Chief Executive Officer 23 November 2011