

## FIRST JAMAICA INVESTMENTS LIMITED AND ITS SUBSIDIARIES

## Unaudited Financial Statements Six months ended 30 June 2007

## **Chairman's Statement**

The Directors are pleased to report that net profit attributable to equity holders for the quarter ended 30 June 2007 amounted to \$329 million compared to \$287 million for the same period in 2006, an increase of 14.7%, while earnings per stock unit were \$1.09 compared to \$0.95 for the same period in 2006. Operating profit for the quarter increased by 39.6% to \$211 million in 2007 from \$151 million in 2006.

For the six (6) months ended 30 June 2007, net profit attributable to equity holders amounted to \$603 million (2006: \$543 million), an increase of 11.0%, while earnings per stock unit were \$1.99 compared to \$1.80 for the same period in 2006.

During the quarter the Board of Directors declared a special dividend of \$2.90 per share and a second interim dividend of 20 cents per share, which were paid on 22 June 2007.

Our investment management segment has performed well for the first half of 2007, with contribution to group operating profit growing by \$42 million to \$157 million (2006: \$115 million), an increase of 36.7%. This reflects a realized gain of \$53 million on sale of securities during the second quarter. Our property segment continues to perform creditably, enjoying

overall average occupancy levels of 93% for the six (6) month period, resulting in a contribution to group operating profit of \$195 million compared to \$188 million for the same period last year. Our share of results in associated company, represented by our 24.5% investment in Life of Jamaica Limited (LOJ), improved by 3% to \$298 million (2006: \$289 million). LOJ's net profit attributable to stockholders for the six (6) months amounted to \$1,213 million, an increase of 3% over the same period last year.

Total assets at 30 June 2007 amounted to \$9,180 million, down \$759 million from the 31 December 2006 level, attributable principally to the payment of the special dividend. Stockholders' equity decreased by 5.9% to \$8,324 million (31 December 2006: \$8,846 million), which equates to a book value per share of \$27.54 as at 30 June 2007 (31 December 2006: \$29.26)

Maurice W. Facey

Stephen B. Facey Chief Executive Officer

Unaudited (		Statement o		S
	3 Months to June 2007 \$'000	3 Months to June 2006 \$'000	6 Months to June 2007 \$'000	6 Months to June 2006 \$'000
Income				
Investments Property Other	100,353 209,776 	48,335 203,432 	139,058 414,294 <u>26,985</u>	98,735 394,851 27,240
	320,913	261,817	580,337	520,826
Operating expenses	(110,376)	(110,961)	(215,267)	(206,071)
Operating profit	210,537	150,856	365,070	314,755
Interest expense	(5,389)	(6,895)	(12,864)	(11,855)
Gain on dilution of shareholding in associated company	-	15,452	10,886	15,452
Share of results in associated company	152,594	162,889	297,760	289,465
Profit before taxation	357,742	322,302	660,852	607,817
Taxation	(25,381)	(31,854)	(51,711)	(57,604)
_Net Profit	332,361	290,448	609,141	550,213
Attributable to: Equity holders of the company Minority interest	329,021 3,340	286,856 3,592	602,718 6,423	542,949 7,264
	332,361	290,448	609,141	550,213
Earnings per stock unit attribut to equity holders of the comp during the year Basic and fully diluted		\$0.95	\$1.99	\$1.80

during the year			
Basic and fully diluted \$1.09	\$0.95	\$1.99	\$1.80
Unaudited Consolid	ated Balance	Sheet	
30 June	2007		
	June 2007 \$'000	December 2006 \$'000	June 2006 \$'000
ASSETS  Cash and Bank Balances	28,526	102,419	11,259
Investments Short term deposits Securities:	-	261	111,163
Financial assets at fair value through profit and loss Available-for-sale Loans and receivables Securities purchased under agreements to resell Investment properties Investment in associated companies	80,986 900,611 39,871 381,145 2,646,007 4,596,123	72,103 1,784,605 46,896 411,618 2,533,020 4,451,245	1,738,235 50,563 281,362 2,401,662 4,011,828
	8,644,743	9,299,748	8,594,813
Taxation recoverable Deferred tax assets Other assets Due from related parties Property, plant and equipment Retirement benefit assets	67,693 237 251,158 3,798 137,934 46,227 9,180,316	133,720 226 276,677 3,149 76,781 46,227 9,938,947	135,762 226 257,103 32,264 105,510 30,582 9,167,519
STOCKHOLDERS' EQUITY AND LIABILITIES			
Stockholders' Equity			
Capital and Reserves Attributable to the Company's Equity Holders Share capital Capital redemption reserve Investment and other reserves Retained earnings Treasury shares	355,848 3,000 2,998,997 4,981,450 (15,574)	355,848 3,000 3,115,396 5,387,141 (15,574)	355,848 3,000 2,790,698 4,922,210 (15,574)
	8,323,721	8,845,811	8,056,182
Minority interest	102,149 8,425,870	95,726 8,941,537	99,202 8,155,384
Bank overdraft Taxation payable Deferred tax liability Due to related parties Other liabilities Loan liabilities	24,354 140,111 5,225 163,397 385,492	3,074 10,815 147,008 40,344 191,458 568,844	8,812 34,457 96,476 145,765 128,783 564,670

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9,167,519

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9,180,316

Retirement benefit liabilities

Unaudited Financia Six r	al Information b months ended 30 Jur	by Business Segments June 2007		
	Property Management \$'000	Investment Management Services \$'000	Eliminations \$'000	Total \$'000
REVENUE				
External Inter-segment	449,453 2,530	130,884 61,712	(64,242)	580,337 <u>-</u>
Total revenue	451,983	192,596	(64,242)	580,337
Segment results	195,263	156,943	-	352,206
Gain on dilution of shareholding in associated company				10,886
Share of results in associated company				297,760
Profit before taxation				660,852
Taxation				<u>(51,711</u> )
Net profit				609,141
Segment assets Associates	3,211,569	1,788,009	(415,385)	4,584,193 4,596,123
Total assets				9,180,316
Segment liabilities	753,737	416,094	(415,385)	754,446
30 June 2006				
	Property Management \$'000	Investment Management Services \$'000	Eliminations \$'000	Total \$'000
REVENUE				
External Inter-segment	430,513 2,027	90,313 59,074	(61,101)	520,826 <u>-</u>
Total revenue	432,540	149,387	(61,101)	520,826
Segment results  Gain on dilution of shareholding in	188,105	114,795	-	302,900
associated company				15,452
Share of results in associated company				<u>289,465</u>
Profit before taxation				607,817
Taxation				(57,604)
Net Profit				550,213
Segment assets Associates	2,839,136	2,798,719	(482,164)	5,155,691 4,011,828
Total assets				9,167,519
Segment liabilities	678,412	815,887	(482,164)	1,012,135

	6-Months to June 2007 \$'000	6-Months to June 2006 \$'000
let profit	609,141	550,213
tems not affecting cash	(440,231)	(455,286)
	168,910	94,927
hanges in non-cash working capital components	90,528	(129,650)
ash flows from/(used in) operating activities	259,438	(34,723)
ash flows from/(used in) investing activities	859,989	(299,146)
ash flows (used in)/from in financing activities	(1,220,980)	153,772
et decrease in cash and cash equivalents	(101,553)	(180,097)
ash and cash equivalents at beginning of period	511,224	575,069
ASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS AT END OF PERIOD	409,671	394,972
Comprising: Cash and bank balances Short term investments	28,526	11,259 111,163
Securities purchased under agreement to resell Bank overdraft	381,145	281,362 (8,812)
built overdrait	409,671	394,972

Unaudited Consolidated Statement of Changes in Stockholders' Equity Six months ended 30 June 2007		
	6-Months to June 2007 \$'000	6-Months to June 2006 \$'000
Balance at the beginning of the period	8,941,537	7,734,112
Unrealised losses on available-for-sale investments	(43,812)	(47,600)
Realised fair value gains transferred to Consolidated Statement of Operations	(57,591)	(7,597)
Net profit for the period	609,141	550,213
Movement in other reserves	(25,882)	36,588
Dividends paid	(997,523)	(110,332)
Balance at the end of the period	8,425,870	8,155,384