MEDICAL DISPOSABLES SUPPLIES LIMITED are ... aking.

RELEASE TO SHAREHOLDERS

The Board of Directors of Medical Disposables and Supplies Limited (MDS) is pleased to present the unaudited financial statements for the three months ended June 30, 2017.

	Three Months Ended June 30, 2017	Three Months Ended June 30, 2016	Audited Year Ended March 31, 2017
Sales revenue	\$480.6m	\$425.3m	\$1.71b
Gross profit	\$102.5m	\$99.2m	\$410.73m
Net profit after taxation	\$15.7m	\$17.8m	\$100.57m
Earnings per share (EPS)	6 cents	7 cents	38 cents
Market share price	\$5.50	\$3.40	\$6.00

FINANCIAL HIGHLIGHTS

For the three month period ending June 30, 2016, the Company generated sales revenue of \$480.6m which was an increase of \$55.3m or 13% when compared to the same period last year. This positive performance was driven by the Company's strategic plan to increase its market share, through increased product offerings and the widening of the customer base in all categories of the Company's business operations.

Gross profit of \$102.5m increased by \$3.3m or 3.3%. This improvement resulted from increased sales arising from the introduction of new business lines.

Total operational expenses of \$79.9m increased by \$11.1m or 16.1%, due mainly to staff related expenses, depreciation and amortization, insurance, utilities, and security expenses. Staff related expenses, in particular, increased because of the strategic decision to realign the staff complement and compensation to sustain the current growth, development and expansion of the business.

Total non operational expenses of \$6.9m decreased by \$5.6m or 44.8%. The decrease was as a result of:

Lower interest expenses on loans

• Gain on foreign exchange calculated on costs of goods purchased

Profit after tax of \$15.7m, decreased by \$2.1m or 11.8%. This was mostly attributable to the Pharmaceutical division which experienced out of stock situations from major drug houses and above average seasonal market activities.

Total assets grew by \$142m or 11.7% from \$1.214b to \$1.356b.

- Increase in non-current assets, namely the expansion of the warehouse facilities to accommodate additional business lines, office furniture and equipment
- Increased inventory and receivables balances as a direct result of new business lines resulted in the overall increase in sales revenue.

Liabilities of \$776.9m increased by \$126.3m or 19.4%. This was due to an increase in the bank overdraft and trade and other payables balances as a result of the increased purchases from suppliers to support the new business lines.

Shareholders' equity of \$579.2m grew by \$15.7m or 2.8%.

The Company's liquidity position remains healthy.

CORPORATE RESPONSIBILITY

During the first quarter, the company participated in the Pharmaceutical Society of Jamaica 32nd Annual Pharmaceutical Conference held at the Montego Bay Convention Centre. The theme this year was **"Pharmacists: Advancing Sustainable Development Goals For A Healthier You".**

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Kurt Boothe GENERAL MANAGER

July 25, 2017

Statement of Comprehensive Income For the Period Ended June 30, 2017

	Three Months To June 2017 <u>\$</u>	Three Months To June 2016 <u>\$</u>	Audited March 2017 <u>\$</u>
Revenue Cost of sales	480,590,069 (378,086,789)	425,356,659 (326,149,754)	1,714,019,129 (1,303,288,753)
Gross profit	102,503,280	99,206,905	410,730,376
Other income Administrative expenses Selling and promotional costs Other operating expenses Depreciation	1,083,068 (41,419,323) (33,011,066) (689,248) (5,906,987)	1,046,948 (37,756,073) (25,634,453) (646,265) (5,835,673)	4,268,152 (152,221,210) (102,582,344) (2,478,264) (22,134,714)
Total Operational Expenses	(79,943,556)	(68,825,516)	(275,148,380)
Profit after Operational Expenses	22,559,724	30,381,389	135,581,996
Finance income Finance cost Gain / (Loss) on foreign exchange	4,675 (8,047,467) 1,181,430	71,881 (9,001,509) (3,599,639)	95,404 (34,300,839) (743,304)
Total Non Operational Expenses	(6,861,362)	(12,529,267)	(34,948,739)
Profit before tax	15,698,362	17,852,122	100,633,257
Tax expense	(30,000)	(30,000)	(60,000)
PROFIT FOR THE PERIOD / YEAR	15,668,362	17,822,122	100,573,257
EARNINGS PER SHARE	0.06	0.07	0.38

Unaudited Statement of Financial Position As At June 30, 2017

	3 Months To	3 Months To	Audited
	30-Jun -17	30-Jun -16	31-Mar-17
	\$	\$	\$
Assets			
Non-Current Assets			
Property, Plant and Equipment	494,075,302	477,091,109	487,100,658
Current Assets			
Inventories	481,049,447	298,729,260	369,382,694
Trade Receivables	294,017,355	273,301,440	272,564,684
Other Receivables & Prepayments	63,097,207	53,089,354	57,639,282
Tax Recoverable	2,334,612	2,333,077	2,334,564
Cash and Bank Balances	21,605,048	49,943,298	25,225,310
	862,103,670	677,396,429	727,146,534
Total Assets	1,356,178,972	1,154,487,538	1,214,247,192
Equity			
Capital and Reserve			
Share Capital	107,835,764	107,835,764	107,835,764
Revaluation Reserve	48,198,190	35,613,267	48,198,190
Retained Profits	423,173,881	351,070,174	407,505,519
Total Equity	579,207,835	494,519,205	563,539,474
Liabilities			
Non-Current Liabilities			
Interest-bearing Borrowings	225,475,179	293,777,375	233,274,769
	225,475,179	293,777,375	233,274,769
Current Liabilities			
Trade Payables	367,289,441	198,341,096	279,591,010
Other Payables	47,876,337	49,521,011	46,841,548
Short Term Borrowings	50,000,000	50,000,000	50,000,000
Other Loans	10,000,000	10,000,000	10,000,000
Bank Overdraft	76,330,181	58,328,851	31,000,391
	551,495,958	366,190,958	417,432,949
Total Liabilities	776,971,137	659,968,333	650,707,719
Total Equity and Liabilities	1,356,178,972	1,154,487,538	1,214,247,192

Approved for issue by the Board of Directors on July 25, 2017 and signed on its behalf by:

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KURT BOOTHE GENERAL MANAGER and DIRECTOR

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Unaudited Statement of Changes In Equity For the Period Ended June 30, 2017

	Share Capital \$	Revaluation Reserve \$	Retained Profit \$	Total \$
Balance at April 1, 2016	107,835,764	35,613,267	344,563,841	488,012,872
Dividend paid	-	-	(11,315,789)	(11,315,789)
Total comprehensive income for the period	-	-	17,822,122	17,822,122
BALANCE AT JUNE 30, 2016	107,835,764	35,613,267	351,070,174	494,519,205
Balance at April 1, 2017	107,835,764	48,198,190	407,505,519	563,539,473
Dividend paid	-	-	-	-
Total comprehensive income for the period	-	-	15,668,362	15,668,362
BALANCE AT JUNE 30, 2017	107,835,764	48,198,190	423,173,881	579,207,835

Unaudited Statement of Cash Flows For The Three Months Ended June 2017

	June 2017 \$	June 2016 \$
Cash flows from operating activities:		
Profit before tax	15,698,362	17,852,122
Adjustments for:		
Depreciation	5,906,987	5,835,673
Interest expenses	8,047,467	9,001,509
Interest income	(4,675)	(71,881)
FX loss on loan	-	1,314,000
	29,648,141	33,931,423
Increase in inventories	(111,666,752)	(11,604,512)
Increase in trade and other receivables	(26,910,597)	(22,847,641)
Increase / (decrease) in trade and other payables	88,733,219	(65,401,448)
Cash used in operations	(20,195,989)	(65,922,178)
Income tax paid	(30,049)	(46,964)
Interest paid	(8,047,467)	(9,001,509)
Net cash used in operating activities	(28,273,505)	(74,970,651)
Cash flows from investing activities:		
Purchase of property, plant & equipment	(12,881,632)	(7,746,442)
Interest received	4,675	71,881
Net cash used in investing activities	(12,876,957)	(7,674,561)
Cash flows from financing activities:		
Dividend payments	-	(11,315,789)
Proceeds from borrowings	30,000,000	91,870,000
Repayment of borrowings	(37,799,591)	(35,199,372)
Net cash (used in) / provided by financing activities	(7,799,591)	45,354,839
Net decrease in cash & cash equivalents	(48,950,053)	(37,290,373)
Cash and cash equivalent at beginning of period	(5,775,081)	28,904,820
CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS AT THE END OF PERIOD	(54,725,134)	(8,385,553)

Notes to the Unaudited Financial Statements Three Months Ended June 30, 2017

1. Identification and activities

Medical Disposables and Supplies Limited is a limited liability company incorporated under the Laws of Jamaica on November 27, 1998.

The company is domiciled in Jamaica with its registered office located at 83 Hagley Park Road, Kingston 10.

The main activity of the company is the sale of medical disposables and supplies. The company's shares were listed on the Junior Market of the Jamaica Stock Exchange on December 24, 2013.

2. Basis of preparation

The condensed interim financial statements for the three months ended June 30, 2017 have been prepared in accordance with IAS 34 – Interim Financial Reporting. The interim financial statements should be read in conjunction with the audited financial statements ended March 31, 2017 which have been prepared in accordance with IFRSs as issued by the International Accounting Standards Board (IASB).

3. Accounting Policies

There have been no changes in accounting policies since the most recent audited financial statements as at March 31, 2017.

Notes to the Unaudited Financial Statements Three Months Ended June 30, 2017

4. Share capital

2017	2016
\$	\$
107,835,764	107,835,764
107,835,764	107,835,764
	\$ 107,835,764

5. Taxation

The company's shares were listed on the Junior Market of the Jamaica Stock Exchange on December 24, 2013. Consequently, the company is entitled to a waiver of income taxes for ten years in the proportions set out below, provided that the shares remain listed for at least fifteen years.

Year 1 – 5	100%
Year 6 – 10	50%

Top Ten (10) Shareholders

Shareholders	Number of Units	Shareholding %
Kurt Boothe	50,841,500	19.32%
Myrtis Boothe	50,000,000	19.00%
Winston Boothe	50,000,000	19.00%
Nikeisha Boothe	50,000,000	19.00%
Mayberry West Indies Limited	10,687,636	4.06%
Mayberry Managed Cients A/Cs	7,936,915	3.02%
Apex Pharmacy	3,496,926	1.33%
Bamboo Group Holdings Limited	3,350,631	1.27%
Leon O.W. Headley	1,737,957	0.66%
Nigel O. Coke	1,572,498	0.60%
VM Wealth Equity Fund	1,342,514	0.51%
Manwei International Limited	1,292,000	0.49%

Shareholding of Directors and Senior Managers

Directors	Total	Direct	Connected Parties
Kurt Boothe	200,841,500	50,841,500	150,000,000
Myrtis Boothe	200,841,500	50,000,000	150,841,500
Winston Boothe	200,841,500	50,000,000	150,841,500
Nikeisha Boothe	200,841,500	50,000,000	150,841,500
Dahlia McDaniel-Dickson	1,373,100	1,073,100	300,000
Vincent Lawrence	1,284,222	Nil	1,284,222
Sandra Glasgow	Nil	Nil	Nil
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Senior Managers	Total	Direct	Connected Parties
	Total 200,841,500	Direct 50,841,500	Connected Parties 150,000,000
Senior Managers			
Senior Managers Kurt Boothe	200,841,500	50,841,500	150,000,000
Senior Managers Kurt Boothe Myrtis Boothe	200,841,500 200,841,500	50,841,500 50,000,000	150,000,000 150,841,500
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