

INTERIM FINANCIAL REPORT
FOR NINE MONTHS ENDED
31-Jul-23

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## UNAUDITED STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION

For the 9 month(s) ended July 31, 2023

| Unaudited July 2023 | Unaudited July 2022 | Audited 12 months ended October 2022 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 22,347,179 | 31,196,704 | 28,688,171 |
| 48,790,571 | 65,518,767 | 61,336,718 |
| 12,147,775 | 4,285,913 | 7,392,968 |
| 5,000,000 | 5,000,000 | 5,000,000 |
| 88,285,525 | 106,001,384 | 102,417,856 |
| 9,041,551 | 5,904,369 | 8,483,027 |
| 585,783,272 | 642,130,968 | 578,433,393 |
| 18,780,336 | 26,630,214 | 18,536,610 |
| 552,646,808 | 622,742,087 | 480,708,886 |
| 3,744,908 | 365,865 | 3,413,584 |
| 55,919,160 | 101,632,890 | 74,631,083 |
| 1,225,916,035 | 1,399,406,393 | 1,164,206,584 |
| 1,314,201,560 | 1,505,407,777 | 1,266,624,440 |
| 138,773,634 | 138,773,634 | 138,773,634 |
| $(9,583,877)$ | $(9,583,877)$ | $(9,583,877)$ |
| 56,070,656 | 56,070,656 | 56,070,656 |
| 258,769,386 | 238,370,289 | 238,370,289 |
| $(73,941,737)$ | $(19,904,145)$ | 20,399,098 |
| 370,088,062 | 403,726,557 | 444,029,799 |
| 260,130,744 | 215,469,905 | 213,901,429 |
| 45,816,633 | 62,466,470 | 57,525,071 |
| 305,947,376 | 277,936,375 | 271,426,499 |

## CURRENT LIABILITIES

Loans and Borrowings
Due to Related party
Trade payables and other payables
Current portion of finance lease obligation
Income tax payable

| $61,027,580$ | $150,027,580$ | $150,027,580$ |
| ---: | ---: | ---: |
| 30,240 | $2,254,682$ | 0 |
| $564,234,762$ | $660,372,715$ | $388,267,022$ |
| $15,383,031$ | $15,383,031$ | $15,383,031$ |
| $(2,509,492)$ | $(4,293,164)$ | $(2,509,492)$ |
|  |  |  |
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| $\mathbf{1 , 3 1 4 , 2 0 1 , 5 6 0}$ | $\mathbf{1 , 5 0 5 , 4 0 7 , 7 7 7}$ | $\mathbf{1 , 2 6 6 , 6 2 4 , \mathbf { 4 4 0 }}$ |

Approved for issue by the Board of Directors on August 31, 2023 and signed on its behalf by:

Signed by:


Chairman Audit Committee

Signed by:
CocuSigned by:
Director

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## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN CASH FLOW

Nine months ended July 31, 2023

|  | Unaudited July 2023 \$ | Audited Oct 2022 \$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| CASH FLOWS FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES |  |  |
| Profit for the year | (73,941,739) | 20,400,507 |
| Adjusted for: |  |  |
| Taxation | $(4,753,787)$ | 820,999 |
| Depreciation PPE | 6,435,177 | 9,381,163 |
| Depreciation - right of use asset | 12,546,147 | 16,728,196 |
| Loss/(Gain) on disposal of fixed assets | $(3,060,000)$ |  |
| Loss/(Gain) on revaluation of investments | 468,676 | $(315,163)$ |
| Movement in expected credit loss |  | $(5,929,315)$ |
| Net foreign exchange (gains)/loss | 18,971,658 | 2,715,972 |
| Finance Cost | 39,705,588 | 34,135,284 |
| Interest expenses - right of use asset | - | (55,082) |
| Interest income |  | $(55,082)$ |
| Operating cash flows before movement in working capital | $(3,628,280)$ | 79,694,439 |
| Movements in Working Capital: |  |  |
| Taxation Recoverable | $(559,542)$ | - |
| Inventories | $(7,349,879)$ | $(114,562,994)$ |
| Trade receivables and other receivables | $(71,937,922)$ | 266,560,820 |
| Due from Related Party | $(243,726)$ | $(10,153,792)$ |
| Trade payables and other payables | 175,967,740 | $(303,020,779)$ |
| Cash Generated from Operations | 92,248,391 | $(81,482,306)$ |
| Income tax paid | - | $(12,688,515)$ |
| Net Cash Used in Operating Activities | 92,248,391 | $(94,170,821)$ |
| CASH FLOWS FROM INVESTING ACTIVITIES |  |  |
| Acquisition of property, plant and equipment | $(94,186)$ | $(15,866,976)$ |
| Proceeds from disposal of fixed assets | 3,060,000 | $(2,327,912)$ |
| Investment in Securities | $(800,000)$ | $(3,254,513)$ |
| Interest received |  | 55,082 |
| Net Cash (Used) Generated by Investing Activities | 2,165,814 | $(21,394,319)$ |
| CASH FLOWS FROM FINANCING ACTIVITIES |  |  |
| Dividend paid |  | $(4,516,129)$ |
| Repayment of bank loans | (202,770,685) | $(158,894,982)$ |
| Proceeds from bank loans | 110,000,000 | 317,995,000 |
| Repayment of preference shares | $(200,000,000)$ | - |
| Proceeds from issue of preference shares | 250,000,000 | - |
| Finance lease, net | $(11,708,438)$ | $(10,168,632)$ |
| Interest paid | $(39,705,588)$ | $(34,135,284)$ |
| Increase/(decrease) in amounts due to related parties | 30,240 | $(23,221,454)$ |
| Net Cash Provided (Used) for Financing Activities | (94,154,471) | 87,058,518 |
| NET DECREASE IN CASH AND CASH EQUIV. | 259,735 | $(28,506,622)$ |
| Effects of exchange rate changes on cash and cash equivalents | $(18,971,658)$ | $(1,268,377)$ |
| NET DECREASE IN CASH AND CASH EQUIV. | $(18,711,923)$ | $(29,774,999)$ |
| Cash and Cash Equivalents at Beginning of Year | 74,631,082 | 104,406,081 |
| CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS AT END OF YEAR | 55,919,159 | 74,631,082 |

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UNAUDITED STATEMENT OF PROFIT OR LOSS AND OTHER COMPREHENSIVE INCOME
As of July31, 2023

|  | YTD Ending Jul-23 | YTD Ending Jul-22 | Quarter Ending Jul-23 | Quarter Ending Jul-22 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Revenue | 637,763,300 | 754,938,197 | 251,256,915 | 219,283,140 |
| Cost of Sales | $(402,568,031)$ | $(444,243,015)$ | $(168,123,928)$ | $(144,887,639)$ |
| GROSS PROFIT | 235,195,269 | 310,695,182 | 83,132,987 | 74,395,501 |
| Other Income | 3,177,754 | 8,238,284 | 15,769 | 6,938,082 |
| ADMINISTRATIVE \& OTHER EXPENSES |  |  |  |  |
| Selling and Distribution | $(10,618,187)$ | $(15,771,780)$ | $(5,483,382)$ | $(7,999,744)$ |
| General Administration | $(247,697,925)$ | $(305,084,002)$ | $(76,983,232)$ | $(100,986,495)$ |
|  | $(258,316,112)$ | $(320,855,782)$ | $(82,466,614)$ | $(108,986,238)$ |
| PROFIT BEFORE FINANCE COST AND TAXATION | $(19,943,089)$ | $(1,922,316)$ | 682,142 | $(27,652,655)$ |
| Other Gains and Losses | (19,256,890) | 2,721,207 | $(10,226,923)$ | (1,301,752) |
| Interest Income | 210,041 | 41,951 | 146,034 | 14,682 |
| Interest Expense | 39,705,588 | 20,661,384 | 15,606,782 | 4,209,474 |
| NET FINANCE COST | $(58,752,437)$ | $(17,898,225)$ | $(25,687,672)$ | $(5,496,545)$ |
| PROFIT BEFORE TAXATION | (78,695,526) | $(19,820,541)$ | $(25,005,529)$ | $(33,149,200)$ |
| Taxation | 4,753,787 | $(83,604)$ | $(2,544,999)$ | $(552,402)$ |
| TOTAL COMPREHENSIVE INCOME | (73,941,739) | $(19,904,146)$ | $(27,550,528)$ | $(33,701,602)$ |
| Issued Shares | 129,032,258 | 129,032,258 | 129,032,258 | 129,032,258 |
| Earning Per Share (EPS) | (0.57) | (0.16) | (0.21) | (0.26) |

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN SHAREHOLDER'S NET EQUITY
Period ended July 31, 2023

|  | Share Capital | Capital Reserves | Retained Earnings | Total |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | \$ | \$ | \$ | \$ |
| Balances as at October 31, 2022 | 129,189,757.00 | 56,070,656.00 | 258,769,386.00 | 444,029,799.00 |
| Total Comprehensive Income |  |  | (73,941,737.00) | (73,941,737.00) |
| Balances as at July 31, 2023 | 129,189,757.00 | 56,070,656.00 | 184,827,649.00 | 370,088,062.00 |
| Balances as at October 30, 2021 | 129,189,757.00 | 56,070,657.00 | 242,886,418.00 | 428,146,832.00 |
| Total Comprehensive Income |  |  | 20,400,507.00 | 20,400,507.00 |
| Dividend Paid |  |  | $(4,516,129.00)$ | (4,516,129.00) |
| Balances as at October 31, 2022 | 129,189,757.00 | 56,070,657.00 | 258,770,796.00 | 444,031,210.00 |



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## NOTE ON LEASE

## Year Lease payment Discount factor PV of lease payments

| 1 | $\$ 3,244,140.00$ | 1.000 | $\$ 3,244,140.00$ |
| ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| 2 | $\$ 17,880,295.50$ | 0.909 | $\$ 16,254,814.09$ |
| 3 | $\$ 21,927,995.66$ | 0.826 | $\$ 18,122,310.46$ |
| 4 | $\$ 23,572,595.34$ | 0.751 | $\$ 17,710,439.77$ |
| 5 | $\$ 25,340,539.99$ | 0.683 | $\$ 17,307,929.78$ |
| 6 | $\$ 17,717,775.93$ | 0.621 | $\$ 11,001,344.87$ |
|  |  |  |  |

The lease is a 5 years variable rate lease that increases every 3 months in the first year and will increase by $7.5 \%$ every year for the next 4 years.
The rate implicit in the lease is $10 \%$ which is reasonable if compared to the incremental borrowing rate (the rate at which the company could get a loan to purchase a similar property)

After accounting for the increases over the 5 years the company is expected to pay $\$ 109,683,342.41$ in real terms.
When that is discounted at the $10 \%$ the ROU booked was 83,640,978.98.
This would be depreciated over the lease term, which would be $\$ 1,394,000$ per month.

The unwinding of the discount, which is the difference between the actual lease payment and the discounted amount is $\$ 26,042,363.44$, This will be booked as finance cost over the life of the lease.
This financial year lease payment will be $\$ 17,880,295.50$, of this amount $\$ 7,055,622.74$ will go to finance cost (representing the unwinding of the discount)

## LIST OF SHAREHOLDERS

NINE MONTHS ENDING JULY 2023

Authorised Ordinary Share Capital Issued Ordinary Share Capital

200,000,000 units
$129,032,258$ units

TOP TEN SHAREHOLDERS - ORDINARY

| RANK | SHAREHOLDERS | SHAREHOLDING | \% OF ISSUED SHARES |
| :--- | :--- | ---: | ---: |
| 1 | CAC Caribbean Limited | $67,462,522$ | $52.28 \%$ |
| 2 | Colin Roberts | $27,355,291$ | $21.20 \%$ |
| 3 | Donald Louis Williams | $6,180,000$ | $4.79 \%$ |
| 4 | VM Wealth Equity Fund | $5,893,910$ | $4.57 \%$ |
| 5 | PAM - Pooled Equity Fund | $3,334,203$ | $2.58 \%$ |
| 6 | Howard Chin | $2,884,050$ | $2.24 \%$ |
| 7 | Christine G. Wong | $1,143,988$ | $0.89 \%$ |
| 8 | Peter Nicholas Anthony Forde and | $1,232,961$ | $0.96 \%$ |
| 8 | Patricia Forde | $1,035,021$ | $0.80 \%$ |
| 9 | Sagicor Select Fund Ltd- ('Class C' |  |  |
|  | Shares) Manufacturing \& Distribution | 843,463 | $0.65 \%$ |
| 10 | Jamaica Credit Union Pension Fund | $\mathbf{1 1 7 , 3 6 5 , 4 0 9}$ |  |


| TOTAL ACCOUNT HOLDERS |  |  |
| :--- | ---: | :---: |
| JCSD register | 315 |  |

EXECUTIVE AND NON-EXECUTIVE DIRECTORS' SHAREHOLDING

| EXECUTIVE | SHAREHOLDING | CONNECTED PARTY |  |
| :--- | ---: | :--- | :---: |
| Steven Marston | Nil | Gia Abraham |  |
| Gia Abraham | 548,624 |  |  |
|  | $67,462,522$ | Steven Marston/Gia |  |
| CAC Caribbean Ltd. | $27,355,291$ |  |  |
| Colin Roberts |  |  |  |
| NON-EXECUTIVE |  | Charmaine/Renee/ |  |
|  | 54,286 | Jordanne Alexander |  |
| Edward Alexander | Nil |  |  |
| M. Anthony Shaw | Nil |  |  |
| Simon Roberts | Nil |  |  |
| Katherine Francis | Nil |  |  |
| Patrick Smith | $\mathbf{y y y}$ |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |

SENIOR MANAGEMENT'S SHAREHOLDING

| SENIOR MANAGEMENT | SHAREHOLDING | CONNECTED PARTY |  |  |  |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Marcus Hay | 13,400 |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | 13,400 |  |  |  |  |  |

LIST OF SHAREHOLDERS
NINE MONTHS ENDING JULY 2023

| Authorised Preference Share Capital | $350,000,000$ units |
| :--- | :--- |
| Issued Preference Share Capital | $250,000,000$ units |

FIXED RATE 13\% CUMULATIVE REDEEMABLE PREFERENCE SHARES

| RANK | SHAREHOLDERS | ALLOCATION | PERCENTAGE |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 | BNS INVESTMENT | $250,000,000$ | $100.00 \%$ |
|  |  |  |  |

