

## **SAMAIDEN GROUP BERHAD**

(Registration No.: 201901037874 (1347204-V)) (Incorporated in Malaysia under the Companies Act 2016)

## INTERIM FINANCIAL REPORT FOR THE QUARTER AND YEAR-TO-DATE ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2023

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UNAUDITED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF PROFIT OR LOSS AND OTHER COMPREHENSIVE INCOME FOR THE QUARTER AND YEAR-TO-DATE ENDED 31 DECEMBER  ${f 2023}^{(1)}$ 

	Individual Quarter		Cumulative 6 months		
	Current	Preceding	Current Year	Preceding	
	Quarter	Year Quarter	To Date	Year To Date	
	31.12.23	31.12.22	31.12.23	31.12.22	
	RM'000	RM'000	RM'000	RM'000	
Revenue Cost of sales Gross profit Other income Administrative expenses Operating profit Finance costs Profit before taxation Income tax expense	48,830	40,233	94,985	80,999	
	(41,516)	(34,046)	(80,956)	(69,158)	
	7,314	6,187	14,029	11,841	
	1,020	433	1,766	769	
	(3,767)	(2,796)	(6,938)	(5,177)	
	4,567	3,824	8,857	7,433	
	(363)	(348)	(707)	(674)	
	4,204	3,476	8,150	6,759	
	(1,039)	(883)	(2,023)	(1,724)	
Profit after taxation Other comprehensive income: - Exchange differences on translation of foreign operations Total comprehensive income for the financial period	3,165	2,593 2,593	6,127	5,035	
PROFIT AFTER TAXATION ATTRIBUTABLE TO:- Owners of the Company Non-controlling interests	3,170	2,596	6,132	5,039	
	(5)	(3)	(5)	(4)	
	3,165	2,593	6,127	5,035	
TOTAL COMPREHENSIVE INCOME ATTRIBUTABLE TO:- Owners of the Company Non-controlling interests	3,170	2,596	6,132	5,039	
	(5)	(3)	(5)	(4)	
	3,165	2,593	6,127	5,035	
Earnings per share attributable to owners of the Company: Basic (Sen) (Note B11) - Diluted (Sen) (Note B11)	0.80	0.67	1.55	1.31	
	0.70	0.67	1.35	1.31	

#### Note:-

(1) The basis of preparation of the Unaudited Consolidated Statements of Profit or Loss and Other Comprehensive Income are disclosed in Note A1 and should be read in conjunction with the audited financial statements of the Company for the financial year ended 30 June 2023 and the accompanying explanatory notes attached to this interim financial report.



## UNAUDITED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF FINANCIAL POSITION AS AT 31 DECEMBER ${f 2023}^{(1)}$

	Unaudited As at 31.12.23 RM'000	Audited As at 30.06.23 RM'000
ASSETS		
Non-Current Assets		
Property, plant and equipment	4,555	3,362
Right-of-use asset	2,661	3,017
Deferred tax assets	<u>263</u>	263
Total non-current assets	7,479	6,642
Current Assets		
Inventories	398	509
Trade receivables	39,504	30,511
Other receivables, deposits and prepayments	4,139	6,712
Contract assets	26,363	41,900
Tax recoverable	17	44
Short-term investments	96,709	60,799
Fixed deposit with licensed banks	6,059	6,334
Cash and bank balances	8,944	41,055
Total current assets	182,133	187,864
TOTAL ASSETS	<u> 189,612</u>	194,506
EQUITY AND LIABILITIES		
Equity		
Share capital	80,553	62,612
Foreign currency translation reserve	1	1
Merger deficit	(6,412)	(6,412)
Retained profits	45,687	41,592
Equity attributable to owners of the Company	119,829	97,793
Non-controlling interests	135	140
TOTAL EQUITY	119,964	97,933
Non-Current Liabilities		
Lease liabilities	1,986	2,432
Borrowings	1,879	1,926
Total Non-Current Liabilities	3,865	4,358
Current Liabilities		
Trade payables	52,555	69,470
Contract liabilities	7,462	15,980
Other payables and accruals	369	1,169
Lease liabilities	685	691
Borrowings	4,024	4,526
Current tax liabilities	688	379
Total Current Liabilities	65,783	92,215
TOTAL LIABILITIES	69,648	96,573
TOTAL EQUITY AND LIABILITIES	189,612	194,506



# UNAUDITED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF FINANCIAL POSITION AS AT 31 DECEMBER 2023 $^{(1)}$ (CONT'D)

	Unaudited As at 31.12.23 RM'000	Audited As at 30.06.23 RM'000
Number of issued shares ('000)	412,307	387,390
Net assets per ordinary share attributable to owners of the Company (Sen)	29.06	25.24

#### Note:-

(1) The basis of preparation of the Unaudited Consolidated Statements of Financial Position are disclosed in Note A1 and should be read in conjunction with the audited financial statements of the Company for the financial year ended 30 June 2023 and the accompanying explanatory notes attached to this interim financial report.



#### UNAUDITED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF CHANGES IN EQUITY FOR THE YEAR-TO-DATE ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2023(1)

		< Non-Distribu	table>	Distributable	Attributable to	Non	
	Share Capital RM'000	Foreign Currency Translation RM'000	Merger Deficit RM'000	Retained Profits RM'000	Attributable to Owners of the Company RM'000	Non- controlling interests RM'000	Total Equity RM'000
At 01.07.23	62,612	1	(6,412)	41,592	97,793	140	97,933
Profit after taxation for the financial period	-	-	-	6,132	6,132	(5)	6,127
Other comprehensive income for the financial period	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total comprehensive income for the financial period	-	-	-	6,132	6,132	(5)	6,127
Transactions with owners: Issuance of shares pursuant							
to warrants exercised	17,941	-	-	-	17,941	-	17,941
- Dividend paid	-	-	-	(2,037)	(2,037)	-	(2,037)
At 31.12.23	80,553	1	(6,412)	45,687	119,829	135	119,964



### UNAUDITED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF CHANGES IN EQUITY FOR THE YEAR-TO-DATE ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2023<sup>(1)</sup> (CONT'D)

	Share Capital RM'000	< Non-Distribu Foreign Currency Translation Reserve RM'000	Merger Deficit RM'000	Distributable  Retained  Profits  RM'000	Attributable to Owners of the Company RM'000	Non- controlling interests RM'000	Total Equity RM'000
At 01.07.22	60,895	1	(6,412)	31,513	85,997	168	86,165
Profit after taxation for the financial period Other comprehensive income for the	-	-	-	5,039	5,039	(4)	5,035
financial period	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total comprehensive income for the financial period	-	-	-	5,039	5,039	(4)	5,035
At 31.12.22	60,895	1	(6,412)	36,552	91,036	164	91,200

#### Note:-

(1) The basis of preparation of the Unaudited Consolidated Statements of Changes in Equity are disclosed in Note A1 and should be read in conjunction with the audited financial statements of the Company for the financial year ended 30 June 2023 and the accompanying explanatory notes attached to this interim financial report.



# UNAUDITED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF CASH FLOWS FOR THE YEAR-TO-DATE ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2023<sup>(1)</sup>

	Current Year To Date 31.12.23 RM'000	Preceding Year To Date 31.12.22 RM'000
CASH FLOWS USED IN OPERATING ACTIVITIES		
Profit before taxation	8,150	6,759
Adjustments for:-		
Depreciation of property, plant and equipment	116	125
Amortisation of right-of-use asset	356	340
Interest expense	707	674
Interest income	(942)	(566)
Fair value gain on short-term investments	(824)	(202)
Unrealised gain on foreign exchange	(150)	<del>-</del>
Operating profit before working capital changes	7,413	7,130
Decrease in inventories	111	358
Increase in trade and other receivables	(6,417)	(1,474)
Decrease in contract assets	15,537	10,660
Decrease in trade and other payables	(17,755)	(22,290)
(Decrease)/Increase in contract liabilities	(8,518)	5,848
CASH (FOR)/FROM OPERATIONS Income tax paid	(9,629) (1,687)	232 (2,122)
NET CASH USED IN OPERATING ACTIVITIES	(11,316)	(1,890)
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CASH FLOWS FROM/(USED IN) INVESTING ACTIVITIES		
Interest received	942	566
Fair value gain on short-term investments	824	202
Acquisition of property, plant and equipment	(1,309)	(1,284)
Acquisition of right-of-use asset	-	(57)
Increase in short-term investments	(35)	(4,108)
Decrease in fixed deposit pledged	, ,	,
with licensed banks	1,658	466
NET CASH FROM/(USED IN) INVESTING ACTIVITIES	2,080	(4,215)
CASH FLOWS FROM FINANCING ACTIVITIES		
Repayment of term loans	(60)	(21)
Proceed from warrants conversion	17,941	-
Repayment of lease liabilities	(452)	(366)
Net repayment of bankers acceptance	(1,489)	(6,742)
Net drawdown of revolving credit	1,000	-
Net drawdown in invoice financing	- -	8,330
Interest paid	(707)	(674)
Dividend paid	(2,037)	
NET CASH FROM FINANCING ACTIVITIES	14,196	527



# UNAUDITED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF CASH FLOWS FOR THE YEAR-TO-DATE ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2023 $^{(1)}$ (CONT'D)

	Current Year To Date 31.12.23 RM'000	Preceding Year To Date 31.12.22 RM'000
Net Increase/(Decrease) In Cash and Cash Equivalents	4,960	(5,578)
Effect of foreign exchange differences	187	-
Cash and Cash Equivalents at the Beginning of the Financial Period	96,621	69,008
Cash and Cash Equivalents at the End of the Financial Period	101,768	63,430
Cash and Cash Equivalents comprises:-		
Fixed deposit with licensed banks	6,059	6,785
Cash and bank balances	8,944	25,208
Money market funds, at fair value	91,441	37,259
	106,444	69,252
Less : Fixed deposit pledged to licensed banks	(4,676)	(5,822)
	101,768	63,430

#### Note:-

(1) The basis of preparation of the Unaudited Consolidated Statements of Cash Flows are disclosed in Note A1 and should be read in conjunction with the audited financial statements of the Company for the financial year ended 30 June 2023 and the accompanying explanatory notes attached to this interim financial report.



## A EXPLANATORY NOTES TO THE INTERIM FINANCIAL REPORT FOR THE QUARTER AND YEAR-TO-DATE ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2023

#### A1. Basis of Preparation

The interim financial report of Samaiden Group Berhad and its subsidiaries (the "**Group**") is unaudited and has been prepared in accordance with Malaysian Financial Reporting Standard ("**MFRS**") 134, Interim Financial Reporting, International Financial Reporting Standards ("**IFRS**") 34, Interim Financial Reporting and Rule 9.22 of the Main Market Listing Requirements ("**Listing Requirements**").

This interim financial report should be read in conjunction with the audited financial statements of the Company for the financial year ended 30 June 2023 and the accompanying explanatory notes attached to this interim financial report.

#### A2. Changes in Accounting Policies

The accounting policies and methods of computation adopted by the Group in this interim financial report are consistent with those as disclosed in the audited financial statements of the Company for the financial year ended 30 June 2023. The Group has adopted the following standards, amendments and interpretations that have become effective in current financial period:-

#### MFRSs and/or IC Interpretations (including the Consequential Amendments)

- MFRS 17 : Insurance Contracts
- Amendments to MFRS 17 : Insurance Contracts
- Amendments to MFRS 17: Initial Application of MFRS 17 & MFRS 9 Comparative Information
- Amendments to MFRS 101: Disclosure of Accounting Policies
- > Amendments to MFRS 108: Definition of Accounting Estimates
- Amendments to MFRS 112: Deferred Tax related to Assets and Liabilities arising from a Single Transaction
- Amendments to MFRS 112: International Tax Reform Pillar Two Model Rules

The adoption of the above accounting standards and/or interpretations (including the consequential amendments, if any) did not have any material impact on the financial performance and position of the Group upon their initial application.

The Group has not applied in advance the following Malaysian Financial Reporting Standards and interpretations (including the consequential amendments, if any) that have been issued by the Malaysian Accounting Standards Board ("MASB") but are not yet effective for the current financial period:-

MFRSs and/or IC Interpretations (Including The Consequential Amendments)	Effective Date
Amendments to MFRS 10 and MFRS 128 : Sale or Contribution of Assets	Ziiodiivo Bato
between an Investor and its Associate or Joint Venture	Deferred
Amendments to MFRS 16: Lease Liability in a Sale and Leaseback	1 January 2024
Amendments to MFRS 101: Classification of liabilities as current or non-	
current	1 January 2024
Amendments to MFRS 101: Non-current Liabilities with Covenants	1 January 2024
Amendments to MFRS 107 and MFRS 7: Supplier Finance Arrangements	1 January 2024
Amendments to MFRS 121: Lack of Exchangeability	1 January 2025



## A EXPLANATORY NOTES TO THE INTERIM FINANCIAL REPORT FOR THE QUARTER AND YEAR-TO-DATE ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2023 (CONT'D)

#### A2. Changes in Accounting Policies (cont'd)

The adoption of the above accounting standards and interpretations (including the consequential amendments, if any) is not expected to have a material impact on the financial statements of the Group upon their initial application.

#### A3. Auditors' Report on Preceding Annual Financial Statements

There was no qualification on the audited financial statements of the Group for the financial year ended 30 June 2023.

### A4. Seasonal or Cyclical Factors

The business operations of the Group during the current financial quarter under review were not materially affected by any seasonal or cyclical factors.

#### A5. Unusual Items Affecting Assets, Liabilities, Equity, Net Income or Cash Flows

There were no unusual items for the current financial quarter under review.

#### A6. Changes in Estimates

There were no material changes in estimates for the current financial quarter under review.



#### EXPLANATORY NOTES TO THE INTERIM FINANCIAL REPORT FOR THE QUARTER AND Α YEAR-TO-DATE ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2023 (CONT'D)

#### **Debt and Equity Securities** A7.

There were no significant issuance and repayment of debt and equity securities, share buy-backs, share cancellations, shares held as treasury shares and resale of treasury shares during the current financial quarter under review except for the following:-

During the financial period to-date, there was an issuance of 24,917,530 new ordinary shares pursuant to the conversion of Warrants 2021/2026 at an exercise price of RM0.72 per ordinary share for a total cash consideration of RM17,940,622.

#### A8. **Dividends Paid**

There was no dividend paid by the Company during the current financial quarter under review.

#### A9. **Segmental Reporting**

The Group's operating segments are classified according to the nature of activities as follows:-

Engineering, procurement, construction and commissioning

("EPCC") of solar energy

solution

Solar Photovoltaic ("PV")

Investment

Provision of services related to renewable energy and environmental sector.

Sale of electricity generated through own solar

photovoltaic facility.

31 December 2023	EPCC RM'000	Solar PV Investment RM'000	Elimination RM'000	Consolidated RM'000
Revenue				
External	94,897	88	-	94,985
Inter-segment	1,518		(1,518)	
Total Revenue	96,415	88	(1,518)	94,985
Results				
Profits from operation				8,857
Finance costs				(707)
Profit before tax				8,150



## A EXPLANATORY NOTES TO THE INTERIM FINANCIAL REPORT FOR THE QUARTER AND YEAR-TO-DATE ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2023 (CONT'D)

#### A10. Significant Events Subsequent to the End of the Interim Financial Period

There were no significant events subsequent to the end of the current financial quarter that have not been reflected in this interim financial report except for the following:-

(a) On 22 January 2024, the Company announced that Samaiden Sdn. Bhd. ("SSB"), a wholly-owned subsidiary of the Company, with its consortium member JS Solar (SSB and JS Solar collectively referred to as the "Contractors"), had on 22 January 2024 entered into a Contract with NUR to undertake, amongst others, the EPCC works in relation to the development of a ground-mounted 50 megawatts ("MWac") solar power plant (first phase) located at Kulim HiTech Park, Kedah (the "Project") to supply green energy to all customers located at Kulim HiTech Park.

The contract price is RM92,000,000.00 and the optional items price is RM8,000,000.00. Solar modules will be free-issued by NUR.

The completion of the Works shall be upon the issuance of completion certificate by NUR, which shall be by 31 March 2025.

(b) On 30 January 2024, the Company announced that Samaiden Biomass Energy Sdn. Bhd., an indirect wholly-owned subsidiary of the Company, had on 30 January 2024 received the approval letter dated 22 January 2024 for Feed-in Tariff ("FiT") from the Government of Malaysia through SEDA to undertake the development of a 7.0 MW Biomass Power Plant in Tangkak, Johor Darul Takzim ("Project").

Details of the fit approval are as follows:-

Installed capacity:	7.0 MW
Net export capacity:	6.0 MW
Scheduled FiT commencement date:	22 January 2027
Effective Period:	21 years from scheduled FiT commencement date
FiT rate:	RM0.34 per kilowatt hour

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

There were no changes in the composition of the Group for the current financial period under review, except for the following:-

- (a) On 6 December 2023, Samaiden Sdn. Bhd. ("SSB"), a wholly-owned subsidiary of the Company subscribed for 30% equity interest in Bright Winter Sdn. Bhd. It intends to involve in operation of generation facilities that produce electric energy.
- (b) On 12 December 2023, SSB has incorporated a wholly-owned company, named Legasi Green Energy Sdn. Bhd. It intends to involve in development, installation and operation of power generation and/or electricity from renewable energy, engineering, procurement, construction and commissioning of solar photovoltaic system, power plants, utility project and any other works in connection thereto and provision of operation and maintenance services related to the nature business of the Company.



## A EXPLANATORY NOTES TO THE INTERIM FINANCIAL REPORT FOR THE QUARTER AND YEAR-TO-DATE ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2023 (CONT'D)

#### A12. Fair Value of Financial Liabilities

There were no gains or losses arising from fair value changes of the Group's financial liabilities for the current financial quarter under review.

### A13. Capital Commitments

The Group does not have any material capital commitments during the current financial period under review.

### A14. Contingent Assets and Contingent Liabilities

#### **Contingent Assets**

The Group has no contingent assets as at the date of this report.

#### **Contingent Liabilities**

No provisions are recognised on the following matters as it is not probable that a future sacrifice of economic benefits will be required or the amount is not capable of reliable measurement:-

31.12.23 RM'000

(i)	Guarantees for contracts in favour of prospective and existing customers	38,322
(ii)	Guarantees for letter of credits issued in favour of existing suppliers	31,020

#### A15. Related Party Transactions

There are no transactions entered with related parties of the Group during the current financial period under review.



## B. ADDITIONAL INFORMATION REQUIRED BY THE MAIN MARKET LISTING REQUIREMENTS OF BURSA MALAYSIA SECURITIES BERHAD (CONT'D)

#### **B1.** Review of Group Performance

#### Comparison between current quarter with the corresponding quarter in the preceding year

The Group recorded revenue of RM48.83 million for the current quarter compared to RM40.23 million in the preceding year's corresponding quarter. The increase was due to higher work progress for ongoing projects in the current quarter.

The Group achieved profit before taxation ("**PBT**") of RM4.20 million for the current quarter compared to RM3.48 million in the preceding year's corresponding quarter. The higher PBT was in line with the higher revenue recorded and partially offset by increase in professional and stamp duty fees incurred for additional bank facilities.

#### Comparison between current year to date with preceding year to date

Revenue increased to RM94.99 million for current year to date as compared to RM81.00 million in the preceding year to date and PBT increased to RM8.15 million as compared to RM6.76 million in the preceding year to date. This was mainly attributed to the higher revenue recorded and partially offset by increase in professional and stamp duty fees incurred for additional bank facilities.

#### B2. Comparison with Immediate Preceding Quarter Results

	Current Quarter 31.12.23 RM'000	Preceding Quarter 30.09.23 RM'000
Revenue	48,830	46,155
PBT	4,204	3,946

PBT is marginally higher in the current quarter as compared to immediate preceding quarter, and this is in tandem with the increase in revenue recorded for the current quarter.



## B. ADDITIONAL INFORMATION REQUIRED BY THE MAIN MARKET LISTING REQUIREMENTS OF BURSA MALAYSIA SECURITIES BERHAD (CONT'D)

#### **B3.** Prospects

The government of Malaysia ("Government") is working towards increasing the use of RE resources, including mini-hydro, biomass, biogas and solar as an initiative to reduce carbon dioxide ("CO2") emission. Variety of national initiatives has been undertaken to reduce greenhouse gases by 45% by 2030 and achieve net-zero by 2050. Notwithstanding, government has also revised the country's 2050 renewable energy mixed target from 40% to an ambitious 70%. To promote the adoption of green technology and align with the nation's net-zero goal, the government is taking several measures.

The Corporate Green Power Programme (CGPP) is poised to be a significant driver of job opportunities and a boost to order books in the renewable energy (RE) sector, with an estimated value of contracts ranging between RM2.7 billion to RM3 billion. Financial institution foresees the initiation of contract flows for Engineering, Procurement, Construction, and Commissioning (EPCC) companies through CGPP starting in early 2024, given the expected operational status of the majority of CGPP projects by the end of 2025. In November 2023, the 800MW CGPP was fully allocated.

Besides, the Green Electricity Tariff (GET) programme, which was set to expire on 31 December 2023 will be continued this year. The government is now reviewing the implementation and operational methods of the programme.

In addition, the Ministry of Energy Transition and Water Transformation ("PETRA") had on 26 January 2024, announced the fifth large-scale solar (LSS) programme, featuring a quota of up to 2GW with a special category for floating solar farm of 500MW has been created. It is anticipated to significantly accelerate the expansion of the clean energy sector. The latest government statement emphasizes a notable increase in the application limit, now extended to 500MW per company. Furthermore, a new initiative, the Low Carbon Energy Generation Programme, has been introduced with a total quota of 400MW under the New Enhanced Dispatched Arrangement (NEDA) mechanism. Beyond the LSS, the government has allocated an additional 400MW quota under the Net Energy Metering (NEM) mechanism. This includes 100MW for the residential segment and another 300MW for the commercial and industrial ("C&I") segment. The Battery Energy Storage System ("BESS") pilot project implementation will also support the aspirations of the country's energy transition by strengthening the electricity grid network system. With the launching of several initiatives, Deputy Prime Minister Datuk Seri Fadillah Yusof claimed that the ripple effects are expected to extend to the economy, with direct investments of approximately RM12 billion in the renewable energy (RE) industry and the creation of at least 36,000 job opportunities for the public.

Apart from that, Environmental, Social and Governance ("ESG") drive is being actively endorsed by the Government to ensure sustainable development in Malaysia. Bursa Malaysia Securities Berhad ("Bursa Malaysia") launched the ESG Reporting Platform, serving as a repository for disclosures aligned with the enhanced sustainability reporting requirements. This advocacy has sparked a growing interest in green energy, driven by its dual benefits of cost reduction and environmental responsibility. We have observed a rising number of companies within the private sector adopting green energy systems as part of their commitment to ESG principles.



## B. ADDITIONAL INFORMATION REQUIRED BY THE MAIN MARKET LISTING REQUIREMENTS OF BURSA MALAYSIA SECURITIES BERHAD (CONT'D)

#### B3. Prospects (cont'd)

Therefore, we believe that these initiatives hold the potential to inspire the relevant sectors to embrace green energy solutions. These efforts present us with an opportunity to offer comprehensive and tailored solutions in the realm of clean energy. Our dedication to harnessing our core competencies and extensive experience in providing end-to-end services for clean energy projects empowers us to consistently address the evolving needs of our clients while leaving a positive environmental imprint. Overall, the prospects for the renewable energy sector remain optimistic, buoyed by the unwavering support and commitments from the Government.

The Group's total outstanding orderbook stood at RM358.2 million as at 31 December 2023 and is expected to contribute positively to the Group's revenue and profit over the next three years.

Barring any unforeseen circumstances, the Board is cautiously optimistic that the Group's performance will remain satisfactory for the remaining period to the end of the financial year ending 30 June 2024.



## B. ADDITIONAL INFORMATION REQUIRED BY THE MAIN MARKET LISTING REQUIREMENTS OF BURSA MALAYSIA SECURITIES BERHAD (CONT'D)

#### **B4.** Profit Forecast and Profit Guarantee

The Group did not issue any profit forecast or guarantee during the current financial quarter under review.

#### **B5.** Income Tax Expense

The breakdown of income tax expense are as follows:-

	Individua	l Quarter	Cumulative 6 months		
	Current Quarter 31.12.23 RM'000	Preceding Year Quarter 31.12.22 RM'000	Current Year To Date 31.12.23 RM'000	Preceding Year To Date 31.12.22 RM'000	
Income tax:-					
<ul> <li>Current year</li> </ul>	1,039	883	2,023	1,724	
- Prior year	-	-	-	-	
Deferred tax	-	-	-	-	
	1,039	883	2,023	1,724	
Effective tax rate (1)	24.7%	25.4%	24.8%	25.5%	

#### Note:-

(1) The Group's effective tax rate for the current year to date is higher than the statutory tax rate of 24.0% mainly due to non-tax deductible expenses.

#### **B6.** Status of Corporate Proposals

There were no corporate proposals announced but not completed as at the date of this report.



# B. ADDITIONAL INFORMATION REQUIRED BY THE MAIN MARKET LISTING REQUIREMENTS OF BURSA MALAYSIA SECURITIES BERHAD (CONT'D)

#### B7. Utilisation of Proceeds Raised from IPO

The Company completed its IPO exercise on 15 October 2020 which raised gross proceeds of RM29.35 million. The status of the utilisation of the IPO proceeds as at 31 December 2023 are as follows:-

No.	Details of utilisation	IPO proceeds raised	Re- allocation	Amount utilised	Balance to be utilised	Original timeframe for utilisation (from the listing date on 15 October 2020)	Revised timeframe for utilisation (from the listing date on 15 October 2020)	Deviation proposed uti	
		RM'000	RM'000	RM'000	RM'000			RM'000	%
1.	Purchase of corporate office	7,000	(7,000)	-	-	Within 24 months	-	N/A	N/A
2.	Business expansion and marketing activities	2,540	-	(1,931)	609	Within 24 months	Within 48 months	N/A	N/A
3.	Capital expenditure	1,168	-	(1,168)	-	Within 24 months	Within 48 months	N/A	N/A
4.	Working capital	15,446	7,000	(22,446)	-	Within 30 months	Within 48 months	N/A	N/A
5.	Estimated listing expenses	3,200	-	(3,200)	-	Within 3 months	-	-	-
Tota	l	29,354	-	(28,745)	609				

The utilisation of proceeds and their re-allocation and revised timeframe for utilisation as disclosed above should be read in conjunction with the Prospectus of the Company dated 28 September 2020 and the Company's announcement dated 30 August 2022 pertaining to the variation and extension of time of the utilisation of IPO proceeds.



## B. ADDITIONAL INFORMATION REQUIRED BY THE MAIN MARKET LISTING REQUIREMENTS OF BURSA MALAYSIA SECURITIES BERHAD (CONT'D)

#### B7. Utilisation of Proceeds Raised from the Private Placement

The status of the utilisation of proceeds raised from the private placement as at 31 December 2023 are as follows:-

No.	Purpose	Proposed utilisation	Amount utilised	Balance to be utilised	Intended timeframe for utilisation (from the listing date on 25 February 2022 of placement shares)	Deviation propos utilisat	sed tion
		RM'000	RM'000	RM'000		RM'000	%
1.	Finance/Part finance investment in RE assets	24,805	(2,953)	21,852	Within 30 months	N/A	N/A
2.	Estimated expenses in relation to the Private Placement	500	(500)	-	Within 3 months	N/A	N/A
	Total	25,305	(3,453)	21,852			

The utilisation of the proceeds as disclosed above should be read together with the announcement made by the Company dated 25 October 2021 in relation to the Private Placement, as well as Company's announcement dated 25 February 2022 pertaining to the completion of the Private Placement.



## B. ADDITIONAL INFORMATION REQUIRED BY THE MAIN MARKET LISTING REQUIREMENTS OF BURSA MALAYSIA SECURITIES BERHAD (CONT'D)

#### **B8.** Group Borrowings

The Group's borrowings as at 31 December 2023 are as follows:-

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	Payable within 12 months RM'000	Payable after 12 months RM'000	Total RM'000
Lease Liabilities	685	1,986	2,671
Bankers Acceptances	3,904	-	3,904
Term Loans	120	1,879	1,999
Total	4,709	3,865	8,574

Included in lease liabilities is an amount of RM2,330,716 which is recognised pursuant to MFRS 16 Leases in relation to rented premises and hence it is unsecured. All the other borrowings are secured and denominated in Ringgit Malaysia.

#### **B9.** Material Litigation

As at the date of this report, save as disclosed below, the Group is not engaged in any material litigation:-

 In the High Court of Kuala Lumpur Summons No. WA-22C-74-10/2021
 Q Horizon Sdn Bhd v Samaiden Sdn Bhd

Q Horizon Sdn Bhd ('the Plaintiff') and Samaiden Sdn Bhd ('the Defendant') had entered into a Contract dated 3 May 2021, whereby the Defendant had appointed the Plaintiff as the subcontractor for the Project known as "The development of a 100MWAC large scale solar photovoltaic plant over the land held under PN257319, Lot 9089, Mukim Beriah, Daerah Kerian, Negeri Perak" ('said Project') for the works "Appointment of Sub-Contractor works for Part WP3 – Piling, Mechanical & Photovoltaic (PV) Installation Works".

The Plaintiff filed a Statement of Claim at the High Court on 18 October 2021. The Plaintiff's claim against the Defendant is in relation to the purported final claim sum of RM1,224,131.04 for the said Project.

The Defendant filed a counter claim against the Plaintiff on 26 October 2021 in the total sum of RM944,222.08 which essentially includes the following:

- (i) advance payment made on behalf of the Plaintiff in the execution of the said Project;
- (ii) payment to the third-party contractor subsequent to the termination of the service of the Plaintiff to rectify the outstanding defective works for the Project; and
- (iii) damage of equipment charges.



- B. ADDITIONAL INFORMATION REQUIRED BY THE MAIN MARKET LISTING REQUIREMENTS OF BURSA MALAYSIA SECURITIES BERHAD (CONT'D)
- B9. Material Litigation (cont'd)
  - In the High Court of Kuala Lumpur Summons No. WA-22C-74-10/2021
     Q Horizon Sdn Bhd v Samaiden Sdn Bhd (cont'd)

The Parties went through mediation to settle the matter out of court but to no avail. During case management on 9 September 2022, the Court has scheduled the trial dates on 2, 3, 10, 23, 24 February 2023. The Court has further scheduled a case management on 31 January 2023.

On 31 January 2023, Court had vacated trial dates set for 2 February 2023 and 3 February 2023 and first day of trial is fixed on 10 February 2023. The Court had further scheduled additional trial dates on 10 July 2023, 31 July 2023, 1 August 2023, 11 August 2023, 25 August 2023, 31 October 2023, 23 November 2023 and 30 November 2023.

Upon the conclusion of testimony from all witnesses, the Court has fixed new dates for the submission of pleadings by both parties. The Court will issue further directions after the filling of the final pleading, namely the oral submission, which has been fixed for filing on 18 March 2024 by both parties.



#### B9. Material Litigation (cont'd)

2. Payment Claim Pursuant to Section 5 of the Construction Industry Payment and Adjudication Act 2021 (hereinafter referred to as "CIPAA") from Samaiden Sdn Bhd ("SSB") against Ditrolic Sdn Bhd ("Ditrolic") and Notices of Arbitration served by Ditrolic against SSB

By the following (hereinafter referred to as the "Sub-Contract"), Ditrolic appointed SSB as its sub-contractor for Work Packages No.3 ("WP3") and Work Packages No.4 ("WP4") in relation to the Project known as "The development of a 100MWAC large scale solar photovoltaic plant over the land held under PN257319, Lot 9089, Mukim Beriah, Daerah Kerian, Negeri Perak" ('said Project').

SSB had issued the following payment claims for the Project to Ditrolic pursuant to the CIPAA to claim for outstanding payments premised on works carried out by SSB. SSB had on 8 February 2023 received 2 Notices of Arbitration from Ditrolic in connection with WP3 and WP4 for the said Project, the details of which are as follow:

	Adjud	Arbitration	
Work Package	Amount of unpaid claim (excluding costs and interest)	Present Status of CIPAA	Claims by Ditrolic against SSB
WP3 No.1	RM2,539,141	On 19 December 2022, the adjudicator had decided for a sum of RM2,677,990 together with late payment interests, adjudication and legal costs (less back charges of RM4,825 claimed by Ditrolic) to be paid by Ditrolic to SSB on or before 3 January 2023.  Following the conclusion of adjudication, no payment had been received by SSB from Ditrolic.  On 6 January 2023, SSB had filed Enforcement Application by applying to the High Court for an order to enforce the adjudication decision as if it is a judgement or order of the High Court.  Ditrolic, on the other hand, had applied to the High Court to set aside the adjudication decision and for a stay of the adjudication decision.	On 8 February 2023, SSB received a Notice of Arbitration - WP3 from Ditrolic for an estimated claim of RM8,119,482 for the entire WP3, which entails the payment made on behalf of SSB and demand of liquidated damages for the WP3.  On 10 March 2023, SSB had proposed its arbitrators in response to the Notice of Arbitration received. In the response, SSB had notified Ditrolic of SSB's counterclaim of RM10,336,339 for amongst others, the work carried out and completed by SSB in WP3.  However, due to the non-action of Ditrolic in proceeding with the arbitration proceedings, SSB had on 19 June 2023, issued a fresh notice of arbitration to DSB amounting to RM10,552,704.



- B. ADDITIONAL INFORMATION REQUIRED BY THE MAIN MARKET LISTING REQUIREMENTS OF BURSA MALAYSIA SECURITIES BERHAD (CONT'D)
- B9. Material Litigation (cont'd).
  - 2. Payment Claim Pursuant to Section 5 of the Construction Industry Payment and Adjudication Act 2021 (hereinafter referred to as "CIPAA") from Samaiden Sdn Bhd ("SSB") against Ditrolic Sdn Bhd ("Ditrolic") and Notices of Arbitration served by Ditrolic against SSB (cont'd)

	Adjud	Arbitration	
Work Package	Amount of unpaid claim (excluding costs and interest)	Present Status of CIPAA	Claims by Ditrolic against SSB
WP3 No.1 (Cont'd)	RM2,539,141	<ul> <li>The High Court had directed Setting Aside Application and Stay Application to be heard together with the Enforcement Application.</li> <li>On 11 October 2023, the High Court had made the following decisions:</li> <li>(a) that SSB's enforcement application plus interest on the net adjudicated sum of RM2,677,990 was allowed with the costs of RM3,000; and</li> <li>(b) Ditrolic's setting aside application was dismissed with the costs of RM5,000.</li> <li>(c) Ditrolic's stay of execution application was dismissed with the costs of RM5,000.</li> <li>Accordingly, SSB will be entitled to an additional total cost of RM13,000, and the final adjudicated sum of RM2,677,990 plus interest from Ditrolic.</li> <li>Ditrolic had filed 3 Notices of Appeal against the decisions on the Enforcement, Stay and Setting Aside applications respectively all dated on 10 November 2023.</li> </ul>	The parties decided to consolidate the arbitration proceedings for WP3 and WP4.  An arbitrator has been appointed and first preliminary meeting was held on 21 November 2023.  During the preliminary meeting on 21 November 2023, the arbitrator has set hearing dates on 15 October 2024, 16 October 2024, 17 October 2024, 28 October 2024, 29 October 2024, 30 October 2024, 4 November 2024 and 5 November 2024.  SSB was notified on 2 February 2024 by its solicitors that Statement of Claim was received from Ditrolic seeking for the reliefs and/or remedies against SSB of approximately RM10,373,963 and further or other sum as may be deemed fit by the tribunal/arbitrator.



- B. ADDITIONAL INFORMATION REQUIRED BY THE MAIN MARKET LISTING REQUIREMENTS OF BURSA MALAYSIA SECURITIES BERHAD (CONT'D)
- B9. Material Litigation (cont'd).
  - 2. Payment Claim Pursuant to Section 5 of the Construction Industry Payment and Adjudication Act 2021 (hereinafter referred to as "CIPAA") from Samaiden Sdn Bhd ("SSB") against Ditrolic Sdn Bhd ("Ditrolic") and Notices of Arbitration served by Ditrolic against SSB (cont'd)

	Adjud	Arbitration	
Work Package	Amount of unpaid claim (excluding costs and interest)	Present Status of CIPAA	Claims by Ditrolic against SSB
WP3 No.1 (Cont'd)	RM2,539,141	The Court had fixed the hearing for all 3 appeals on 20 August 2024.  Section 30  Due to non-payment from Ditrolic, on 17 February 2023, SSB had filed an application against Kerian Solar Sdn Bhd ("Kerian Solar"), being the principal of Ditrolic or project owner to request for direct payment based on the adjudication decision pursuant to Section 30 of CIPAA.  On 9 October 2023, the High Court had allowed SSB's Section 30 application with costs of RM5,000.00 to be paid by Kerian to SSB.  On 27 October 2023, SSB received a total sum of RM2,792,813 from Kerian being the payment of final adjudicated sum plus interest costs.	
WP3 No.2	RM3,812,503	The adjudication is ongoing.	



- B. ADDITIONAL INFORMATION REQUIRED BY THE MAIN MARKET LISTING REQUIREMENTS OF BURSA MALAYSIA SECURITIES BERHAD (CONT'D)
- **B9.** Material Litigation (cont'd)
  - 2. Payment Claim Pursuant to Section 5 of the Construction Industry Payment and Adjudication Act 2021 (hereinafter referred to as "CIPAA") from Samaiden Sdn Bhd ("SSB") against Ditrolic Sdn Bhd ("Ditrolic") and Notices of Arbitration served by Ditrolic against SSB (cont'd)

	Adjud	Arbitration	
Work Package	Amount of unpaid claim (excluding costs and interest)	Present Status	Claims by Ditrolic against SSB
WP4 No.1	RM5,179,382	On 12 December 2022, the adjudicator had decided for a sum of RM1,457,353 <sup>(i)</sup> together with legal costs to be paid by Ditrolic to SSB on or before 11 January 2023.  Following the conclusion of adjudication, no payment had been received by SSB from Ditrolic.	On 8 February 2023, SSB received a Notice of Arbitration – WP4 from Ditrolic for an estimated claim of RM4,091,514 for the entire WP4, which entails the payment made on behalf of SSB for WP4.
		On 17 January 2023, SSB had filed Enforcement Application by applying to the High Court for an order to enforce the adjudication decision as if it is a judgement or order of the High Court.  Ditrolic, on the other hand, had applied to the High Court for a stay of the adjudication decision.  The High Court had directed the Stay Application to be heard together with the Enforcement Application.	On 10 March 2023, SSB had proposed its arbitrators in response to the Notice of Arbitration received. In the response, SSB had notified Ditrolic of SSB's counterclaim of RM10,674,333 for amongst others, the work carried out and completed by SSB in WP4.  However, due to the non-action of Ditrolic with the arbitration proceedings, SSB had on 19 June 2023, issued a fresh notice of arbitration to DSB amounting to RM10,956,376.  The parties decided to consolidate the arbitration proceedings for WP3 and WP4.  An arbitrator has been appointed and first preliminary meeting will be held on 21 November 2023.



- B. ADDITIONAL INFORMATION REQUIRED BY THE MAIN MARKET LISTING REQUIREMENTS OF BURSA MALAYSIA SECURITIES BERHAD (CONT'D)
- B9. Material Litigation (cont'd)
  - 2. Payment Claim Pursuant to Section 5 of the Construction Industry Payment and Adjudication Act 2021 (hereinafter referred to as "CIPAA") from Samaiden Sdn Bhd ("SSB") against Ditrolic Sdn Bhd ("Ditrolic") and Notices of Arbitration served by Ditrolic against SSB (cont'd)

	Adjud	Arbitration	
Work Package	Amount of unpaid claim (excluding costs and interest)	Present Status	Claims by Ditrolic against SSB
WP4 No.1 (Cont'd)	RM5,179,382	<ul> <li>On 1 August 2023, the Court had made the following decisions:</li> <li>(a) that SSB's enforcement application plus interest on the net adjudicated sum of RM1,457,352 was allowed with the costs of RM4,000; and</li> <li>(b) Ditrolic's stay of execution application was dismissed with the costs of RM4,000.</li> <li>Accordingly, SSB will be entitled to an additional total cost of RM8,000, and the final adjudicated sum of RM1,457,352 plus interest from Ditrolic.</li> <li>On 11 August 2023, SSB received a total sum of RM1,545,160 from Ditrolic being the payment of final adjudicated sum plus interest costs.</li> </ul>	During the preliminary meeting on 21 November 2023, the arbitrator has set hearing dates on 15 October 2024, 16 October 2024, 17 October 2024, 28 October 2024, 29 October 2024, 30 October 2024, 4 November 2024 and 5 November 2024.  SSB was notified on 2 February 2024 by its solicitors that Statements of Claim was received from Ditrolic seeking for the reliefs and/or remedies against SSB of approximately RM5,827,904 and further or other sum as may be deemed fit by the tribunal/arbitrator.



- B. ADDITIONAL INFORMATION REQUIRED BY THE MAIN MARKET LISTING REQUIREMENTS OF BURSA MALAYSIA SECURITIES BERHAD (CONT'D)
- **B9.** Material Litigation (cont'd)
  - 2. Payment Claim Pursuant to Section 5 of the Construction Industry Payment and Adjudication Act 2021 (hereinafter referred to as "CIPAA") from Samaiden Sdn Bhd ("SSB") against Ditrolic Sdn Bhd ("Ditrolic") and Notices of Arbitration served by Ditrolic against SSB (cont'd)

	Adjud	dication (CIPAA Claims)	Arbitration
Work Package	Amount of unpaid claim (excluding costs and interest)	Present Status	Claims by Ditrolic against SSB
WP4 No.1 (Cont'd)	RM5,179,382	Section 30 Consequent to payment received from Ditrolic, SSB informed the Court on the intention to withdraw the application. The Court had allowed SSB's application withdrawal with a cost of RM5,000.00 to be paid by SSB to Kerian Solar.	
WP4 No.2	RM2,002,565	On 27 March 2023, the adjudicator had decided for a sum of RM1,446,935 <sup>(ii)</sup> together with legal costs to be paid by Ditrolic to SSB on or before 10 April 2023.  Following the conclusion of adjudication, no payment had been received by SSB from Ditrolic.  On 19 June 2023, SSB had filed Enforcement Application by applying to the High Court for an order to enforce the adjudication decision as if it is a judgement or order of the High Court.  Ditrolic, on the other hand, had applied to High Court to set aside the adjudication decision.  On 29 October 2023, Ditrolic had further applied to High Court for a stay of the adjudication decision.	



- B. ADDITIONAL INFORMATION REQUIRED BY THE MAIN MARKET LISTING REQUIREMENTS OF BURSA MALAYSIA SECURITIES BERHAD (CONT'D)
- **B9.** Material Litigation (cont'd)
  - 2. Payment Claim Pursuant to Section 5 of the Construction Industry Payment and Adjudication Act 2021 (hereinafter referred to as "CIPAA") from Samaiden Sdn Bhd ("SSB") against Ditrolic Sdn Bhd ("Ditrolic") and Notices of Arbitration served by Ditrolic against SSB (cont'd)

	Adjuc	lication (CIPAA Claims)	Arbitration
Work Package	Amount of unpaid claim (excluding costs and interest)	Present Status	Claims by Ditrolic against SSB
WP4 No.2 (Cont'd)	interest) RM2,002,565	The High Court had directed Setting Aside Application and Stay Application to be heard together with the Enforcement Application.  On 1 February 2024, the Court had made the following decisions:  (a) that SSB's enforcement application on the total adjudicated sum of RM1,446,935 plus interest was allowed with the costs of RM3,000 subject to allocator;  (b) Ditrolic's setting aside application was dismissed with the costs of RM5,000 subject to allocator; and  (c) Ditrolic's stay of execution application was dismissed with the costs of RM5,000 subject to allocator.  Accordingly, SSB will be entitled to an additional total cost of RM13,000, and the total adjudicated sum of RM1,446,935 plus interest from Ditrolic.	
		No payment had been received by SSB from Ditrolic to date.	



- B. ADDITIONAL INFORMATION REQUIRED BY THE MAIN MARKET LISTING REQUIREMENTS OF BURSA MALAYSIA SECURITIES BERHAD (CONT'D)
- **B9.** Material Litigation (cont'd)
  - 2. Payment Claim Pursuant to Section 5 of the Construction Industry Payment and Adjudication Act 2021 (hereinafter referred to as "CIPAA") from Samaiden Sdn Bhd ("SSB") against Ditrolic Sdn Bhd ("Ditrolic") and Notices of Arbitration served by Ditrolic against SSB (cont'd)

	Adjuc	Arbitration		
Work Package	Amount of unpaid claim (excluding costs and interest)	Present Status	Claims by Ditrolic against SSB	
WP4 No.2 (Cont'd)	RM2,002,565	Section 30 Due to non-payment from Ditrolic, on 14 November 2023, SSB had filed an application against Kerian Solar, being the principal of Ditrolic or project owner to request for direct payment based on the adjudication decision pursuant to Section 30 of CIPAA. The High Court has fixed decision and/or clarification for this matter on 14 March 2024.		
WP4 No.3	RM2,195,599	The adjudication is ongoing.		



- B. ADDITIONAL INFORMATION REQUIRED BY THE MAIN MARKET LISTING REQUIREMENTS OF BURSA MALAYSIA SECURITIES BERHAD (CONT'D)
- B9. Material Litigation (cont'd)
  - Payment Claim Pursuant to Section 5 of the Construction Industry Payment and Adjudication Act 2021 (hereinafter referred to as "CIPAA") from Samaiden Sdn Bhd ("SSB") against Ditrolic Sdn Bhd ("Ditrolic") and Notices of Arbitration served by Ditrolic against SSB (cont'd)

#### Note:

- (i) The adjudicator had awarded SSB the outstanding payment sums of RM5,103,165 and legal and adjudication costs of RM98,430. However, the adjudicator had also allowed the liquidated and ascertained damages ("LAD") claimed by Ditrolic during the CIPAA adjudications of RM3,697,853 and other back charges of RM46,389, for which the final sum of RM1,457,353 was arrived.
- (ii) The adjudicator had awarded SSB the outstanding payment sums of RM1,447,580 and Ditrolic shall further bear the costs of the adjudication proceedings in the sum of RM65,501. However, the adjudicator had also allowed back charges claimed by Ditrolic of RM66,146, for which the final sum of RM1,446,935 was arrived.

The material litigation with Ditrolic should be read together with the announcement made by the Company dated 14 February 2023, 10 March 2023, 29 March 2023, 19 June 2023, 4 August 2023, 12 October 2023 and 2 February 2024.

#### B10. Dividend

In respect of the financial year ended 30 June 2023, the directors had on 30 August 2023 declared a first interim single-tier dividend of 0.5 sen per share, the Entitlement Date and Payment Date on 22 September 2023 and 16 October 2023, respectively.

The total dividend declared for the financial year ended 30 June 2023 is 0.5 sen per share.

No dividend has been declared by the Company during the current financial quarter under review.



# B. ADDITIONAL INFORMATION REQUIRED BY THE MAIN MARKET LISTING REQUIREMENTS OF BURSA MALAYSIA SECURITIES BERHAD (CONT'D)

### **B11.** Earnings per Share

### (a) Basic earning per share

The basic earnings per share is computed based on profit after taxation attributable to the owners of the Company and divided by the weighted average number of ordinary shares.

	Individual Quarter		Cumulative 6 months	
	Current	Preceding	<b>Current Year</b>	Preceding
	Quarter	Year Quarter	To Date	Year To Date
	31.12.23	31.12.22	31.12.23	31.12.22
	RM'000	RM'000	RM'000	RM'000
Profit after taxation attributable to owners of the Company				
(RM'000)	3,170	2,596	6,132	5,039
Weighted average number of				
shares in issue ('000)	396,367	385,005	396,367	385,005
Basic earnings per share	0.80	0.67	1.55	1.31



## B. ADDITIONAL INFORMATION REQUIRED BY THE MAIN MARKET LISTING REQUIREMENTS OF BURSA MALAYSIA SECURITIES BERHAD (CONT'D)

#### **B11.** Earnings per Share (Cont'd)

#### (b) Diluted earnings per share

The diluted earnings per share is computed based on profit after taxation attributable to the owners of the Company and divided by the weighted average number of ordinary shares that would have been issued upon full conversion of the remaining Warrants 2021/2026 and Share Issuance Scheme.

	Individual Quarter		Cumulative 6 months	
	Current Quarter 31.12.23 RM'000	Preceding Year Quarter 31.12.22 RM'000	Current Year To Date 31.12.23 RM'000	Preceding Year To Date 31.12.22 RM'000
Profit after taxation attributable to owners of the Company (RM'000)	3,170	2,596	6,132	5,039
Weighted average number of shares in issue ('000)	396,367	385,005	396,367	385,005
Effect of dilution: Exercise of warrants	57,921	*	57,921	*
Adjusted weighted average number of shares in issue ('000)	454,287	385,005	454,287	385,005
Diluted earnings per share	0.70	0.67	1.35	1.31

<sup>\*</sup> The effects of potential ordinary shares arising from the conversion of warrants were antidilutive and accordingly, it has been ignored in the calculation of diluted earnings per share. As a result, the diluted earnings per share is the same as basic earnings per share.



## B. ADDITIONAL INFORMATION REQUIRED BY THE MAIN MARKET LISTING REQUIREMENTS OF BURSA MALAYSIA SECURITIES BERHAD (CONT'D)

#### B12. Notes to the Statements of Profit or Loss and Other Comprehensive Income

Profit before taxation is arrived at after charging/(crediting):-

	Individual Quarter		Cumulative 6 months	
	Current Quarter	Preceding Year Quarter	Current Year To Date	Preceding Year To Date
	31.12.23 RM'000	31.12.22 RM'000	31.12.23 RM'000	31.12.22 RM'000
Interest income	(454)	(280)	(942)	(566)
Fair value gain on short-term investments	(588)	(152)	(824)	(202)
Interest expense	363	348	707	674
Depreciation of property, plant and equipment	41	63	116	125
Amortisation of right-of-use asset	176	174	356	340
Realised loss on foreign exchange	786	217	1,043	354
Unrealised gain on foreign exchange	-	-	(150)	-

Other disclosure items pursuant to Appendix 9B Note 16 of the Listing Requirements are not applicable.

#### **B13.** Derivatives

The Group did not enter into any derivatives during the current quarter under review.

#### **B14.** Authorisation for issue

The interim financial report was authorised for issue by the Board of Directors on 21 February 2024.