MALAYSIAN BULK CARRIERS BERHAD Company No.: 198801008597 (175953-W)

QUARTERLY REPORT

This is a quarterly report on consolidated results for the period ended 30 June 2023

UNAUDITED CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED INCOME STATEMENT FOR THE PERIOD ENDED 30 JUNE 2023

	Note	INDIVIDUAL O CURRENT YEAR QUARTER 30-Jun-23 RM '000	QUARTER PRECEDING YEAR QUARTER 30-Jun-22 RM '000	Changes (%)	CUMULA CURRENT YEAR TO DATE 30-Jun-23 RM '000	PRECEDING YEAR TO DATE 30-Jun-22 RM '000	Changes (%)
Revenue Cost of sales		32,961 (5,134)	39,568 (5,839)	-17%	68,052 (10,476)	78,648 (11,886)	-13%
Operating expenses		27,827 (21,715)	33,729 (19,265)		57,576 (43,341)	66,762 (40,965)	
Operating profit		6,112	14,464	-58%	14,235	25,797	-45%
Gain on disposal of property, plant and equipment		<u>-</u>	50,058			50,058	
Other operating (expense)/income, n Administrative expenses	et	6,112 (4,768) (2,415)	64,522 (760) (1,754)		14,235 (4,063) (5,273)	75,855 35 (3,667)	
Interest expense on bank borrowings Interest expense on lease liabilities	i.	(1,071) (20) (105)	62,008 (298) (632)		4,899 (35) (449)	72,223 (1,335) (1,343)	
(Loss)/profit before tax Income tax expense	B5 B6	(1,196) (334)	61,078 (10)	-102%	4,415 (591)	69,545 (35)	-94%
(Loss)/profit for the period		(1,530)	61,068	-103%	3,824	69,510	-94%
Attributable to: Equity holders of the parent		(1,530)	61,068		3,824	69,510	
(Loss)/earnings per share (sen) - Basic		(0.15)	6.11		0.38	6.95	

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UNAUDITED CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF COMPREHENSIVE INCOME FOR THE PERIOD ENDED 30 June 2023

	INDIVIDUAL QUARTER		CUMULA ⁻	TIVE
	CURRENT	PRECEDING	CURRENT	PRECEDING
	YEAR	YEAR	YEAR	YEAR
	QUARTER	QUARTER	TO DATE	TO DATE
	30-Jun-23	30-Jun-22	30-Jun-23	30-Jun-22
	RM '000	RM '000	RM '000	RM '000
(Loss)/profit for the period	(1,530)	61,068	3,824	69,510
Other comprehensive income/(loss):				
Items that will be reclassified to profit or loss				
Currency translation differences	13,559	23,077	20,090	25,607
Net change in cash flow hedge		<u> </u>		(48)
Total comprehensive income for the period	12,029	84,145	23,914	95,069
Total comprehensive income attributable to:				
Equity holders of the parent	12,029	84,145	23,914	95,069

CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION AS AT 30 JUNE 2023

		UNAUDITED	AUDITED
		AS AT END OF CURRENT	AS AT PRECEDING FINANCIAL
		QUARTER	YEAR END
	Note	30-Jun-23 RM '000	31-Dec-22 RM '000
ASSETS		555	555
Non-current assets			
Goodwill		60,192	-
Property, plant and equipment		236,816	230,931
Right-of-use assets		434	10,921
		297,442	241,852
Current assets			
Inventories		8,310	3,352
Receivables and other current assets Short term deposits		29,047 130,493	7,421 321,909
Cash and bank balances		65,733	57,390
		233,583	390,072
Non-current assets classified as held for sale		7,693	7,342
		241,276	397,414
TOTAL ASSETS		538,718	639,266
EQUITY AND LIABILITIES			
Equity attributable to equity holders of the p	arent		
Share capital		338,791	338,791
Foreign currency translation reserve Retained earnings		163,869	143,778
-		8,306	4,483
Total equity		510,966	487,052
Non-current liabilities	Do	000	
Borrowings Deferred tax liabilities	В8	898 39	-
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Current liabilities			
Payables and other current liabilities		21,512	18,160
Dividend payable Contract liabilities		- 4,316	100,000 903
Borrowings	В8	276	-
Lease liabilities	B9	72	33,111
Provision for taxation		639	40
		26,815	152,214
Total liabilities		27,752	152,214
TOTAL EQUITY AND LIABILITIES		538,718	639,266
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UNAUDITED CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN EQUITY FOR THE PERIOD ENDED 30 JUNE 2023

<u>-</u>	Attributable to Equity Holders of the Parent				
	_	Non-distributable			
	Share capital RM '000	Cash flow hedge reserve RM '000	Foreign currency translation reserve RM '000	Retained earnings RM '000	Total equity RM '000
6 MONTHS ENDED 30 JUNE 2022					
At 1 January 2022	338,791	48	118,881	11,302	469,022
Total comprehensive (loss)/income for the period	-	(48)	25,607	69,510	95,069
At 30 June 2022	338,791	-	144,488	80,812	564,091
6 MONTHS ENDED 30 JUNE 2023					
At 1 January 2023	338,791	-	143,778	4,483	487,052
Total comprehensive income for the period	-	-	20,090	3,824	23,914
At 30 June 2023	338,791	-	163,868	8,307	510,966

UNAUDITED CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS FOR THE PERIOD ENDED 30 JUNE 2023

		CUMULATI	VE
		CURRENT	PRECEDING
		YEAR	YEAR
	Note	30-Jun-23	30-Jun-22
		RM '000	RM '000
Cash Flow From Operating Activities			
Profit before tax		4,415	69,545
Adjustments for:			
Amortisation of intangible assets		15	143
Depreciation on owned assets		5,440	6,683
Depreciation on right-of-use assets		8,586	21,163
Provision for expected credit losses on trade receivables		-	228
Unrealised foreign exchange loss		10,135	940
Interest income		(3,256)	(467)
Interest expense on bank borrowings		35	1,335
Interest expense on lease liabilities		449	1,343
Lease modification		1,701	(18)
Gain on disposal of property, plant and equipment		· -	(50,058)
Discontinuation of hedge instrument		-	(603)
Operating profit before working capital changes	-	27,520	50,234
Working capital changes:			00,20
Consumable stores		(588)	1,480
Receivables and other current assets		(10,109)	(1,003)
Contract assets		-	2,108
Payables and other liabilities		(7,817)	(6,067)
Contract liabilities		3,413	(68)
Cash generated from operating activities	=	12,419	46,684
Tax paid, net of tax refund		(591)	(118)
Net cash generated from operating activities	-	11,828	46,566
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Cash Flows From Investing Activities		(00)	(4.740)
Purchase of other assets and capitalisation of docking costs		(68)	(1,748)
Interest received		3,256	467
Proceeds from disposal of property, plant and equipment Acquisition of a subsidiary, net of cash acquired	A11	14 (63,433)	160,554
Net cash used in investing activities	-	(60,231)	159,273
Net cash used in investing activities	-	(00,231)	139,213
Cash Flows From Financing Activities			
Dividends paid to shareholders		(100,000)	-
Interest on bank borrowings		(35)	(780)
Interest on lease liabilities		(449)	(1,343)
Repayment of borrowings		(109)	(66,470)
Payment of principal portion of lease liabilities		(32,660)	(19,319)
Payments for derivatives		-	(285)
Net cash used in financing activities	- -	(133,253)	(88,197)
Net change in cash and cash equivalents		(181,656)	117,642
Effects of foreign exchange rate changes		(1,417)	7,255
Cash and cash equivalents at the beginning of the period		379,299	
Cash and cash equivalents at the end of the period	-	196,226	207,174 332,071
Sach and Sach equitations at the one of the period	=	100,220	552,011
Cash and cash equivalents comprise:			
Short term deposits		130,493	108,006
Cash and bank balances		65,733	224,065
	- -	196,226	332,071
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NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL REPORT

A1. BASIS OF PREPARATION

The interim financial statements have been prepared under the historical cost basis, except for investment securities and derivative financial instruments which are stated at fair value.

The interim financial statements are unaudited and have been prepared in accordance with the MFRS 134: Interim Financial Reporting and paragraph 9.22 of the Listing Requirements of Bursa Malaysia Securities Berhad. This interim financial report also comply with IAS 34 Interim Financial Reporting issued by the International Accounting Standards Board. This interim financial report should be read in conjunction with the audited financial statements of the Group for the year ended 31 December 2022.

The significant accounting policies and methods of computation adopted in the preparation of this interim financial report are consistent with those adopted in the audited financial statements of the Group for the financial year ended 31 December 2022, except for the adoption of the following amendments to Malaysian Financial Reporting Standards ("MFRS"):

	Effective for annual
	periods beginning
Description	on or after
MFRS 17: Insurance Contracts	1 January 2023
MFRS 17: Initial Application of MFRS 17 and MFRS 9 - Comparative Information	
(Amendments to MFRS 17 Insurance Contracts)	1 January 2023
MFRS 101: Disclosure of Accounting Policies	
(Amendments to MFRS 101 Presentation of Financial Statements)	1 January 2023
MFRS 108: Definition of Accounting Estimates	
(Amendments to MFRS 108 Accounting Policies, Changes in Accounting Estimates	
and Errors)	1 January 2023

The adoption of these amendments to MFRSs did not result in significant changes in the accounting policies of the Group and had no significant effect on the financial performance or position of the Group.

Standards and Amendments in Issue But Not Yet Effective

At the date of authorisation for issue of these financial statements, the new MFRS and amendments to MFRSs which were in issue but not yet effective and not early adopted by the Group are as listed below:

Description	Effective for annual periods beginning on or after
MFRS 101: Classification of Liabilities as Current or Non-current (Amendments to MFRS 101 Presentation of Financial Statements)	1 January 2024
MFRS 16: Lease Liability in a Sale and Leaseback	4. January 2004
(Amendments to MFRS 16 Leases) MFRS 10 and MFRS 128: Sale or Contribution of Assets between an Investor and its Associate	1 January 2024
or Joint Venture (Amendments to MFRS 10 and MFRS 128)	Deferred

The Directors expect that the adoption of the above standards, amendments and interpretations will have no material impact on the financial statements in the period of initial applications.

A2. AUDIT REPORT OF PRECEDING ANNUAL FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

The financial statements for the year ended 31 December 2022 were not qualified.

A3. SEASONAL OR CYCLICAL FACTORS

The business operations of the Group were not significantly affected by any seasonal or cyclical factors.

A4. NATURE AND AMOUNT OF UNUSUAL ITEMS

There were no items affecting assets, liabilities, equity, net income or cash flows that are unusual because of their nature, size or incidence for the current quarter.

A5. CHANGES IN ESTIMATES

There were no changes to the estimates of amounts reported in prior financial years that may have a material effect in the current quarter.

A6. ISSUANCE OR REPAYMENT OF DEBT AND EQUITY SECURITIES

There were no issuance and repayment of debt and equity securities, share buy-backs, share cancellation or shares held as treasury shares and resale of treasury shares for the current quarter.

A7. DIVIDENDS PAID

No dividend has been paid for the current quarter ended 30 June 2023.

A8. SEGMENT REPORT

For management purposes, the Group's operating businesses are organised according to products and services, namely ship owning and ship operating of bulk carriers ("Shipping Bulkers"), shelving & storage solution and Investment holding and others segments. Inter-segment transactions and pricing arrangements, where applicable, are determined on a commercial basis. The results by segments for the current, preceding and last year same quarter are as follows:

Segmental reporting for the financial year-to-date is as below:

Shipping & storage holding &	
Bulkers solution others Elimination	n Group
6 months ended 30 June 2023 RM '000 RM '000 RM '000 RM '000	
Revenue	
Group 43,056 24,996 385 (385	68,052
Inter-segment - (385) 385	,
External revenue 43,056 24,996 -	68,052
Operating profit/(loss) 10,886 3,765 (416)	14,235
Other operating income/(loss), net 430 170 (4,642) (2 ⁻	, , ,
Administrative expenses (366) (1,140) (3,767)	(5,273)
10,950 2,795 (8,825) (2) 4,899
Interest expense on bank borrowings - (35) -	- (35)
Interest expense on shareholder's loan - (21) - 2'	
Interest expense on lease liabilities (446) (3) -	(449)
Profit/(loss) before tax 10,504 2,736 (8,825)	4,415
Shelving Investment	
Shipping & storage holding &	
Bulkers solution others Eliminatio	
<u>6 months ended 30 June 2022</u> RM '000 RM '000 RM '000 RM '000	0 RM '000
Revenue	
Group 78,335 - 384 (7'	,
Inter-segment - (71) 7'	
External revenue 78,335 - 313	78,648
Operating profit/(loss) 26,020 - (223) Gain on disposal of property, plant	25,797
and equipment 50,058 -	50,058
Other operating income/(loss), net 482 - (447)	- 35
Administrative expenses (1,137) - (2,530)	(3,667)
75,423 - (3,200)	72,223
Interest expense on bank borrowings (1,335)	- (1,335)
Interest expense on lease liabilities (1,338) - (5)	(1,343)
Profit/(loss) before tax 72,750 - (3,205)	69,545

A9. VALUATION OF SHIPS, PROPERTY AND EQUIPMENT

The property, plant and equipment are stated at cost less accumulated depreciation and impairment losses.

A10. SIGNIFICANT AND SUBSEQUENT EVENTS

(a) On 16 May 2023:

the Company proposed to undertake a reduction of the issued share capital of the Company pursuant to Section 116 of the Companies Act 2016 ("Proposed Capital Reduction").

The Proposed Capital Reduction entails the reduction of RM275.0 million of the issued share capital of the Company by the cancellation of the issued share capital which is lost or unrepresented by available assets pursuant to Section 116 of the Act.

A10. SIGNIFICANT AND SUBSEQUENT EVENTS (CONT'D)

(a) On 16 May 2023 (cont'd):

The credit arising from the Proposed Capital Reduction shall be utilised to set off the accumulated losses of the Company while the balance, if any, will be credited to the retained earnings of the Company which may be utilised in such manner as the Board deems fit and in the best interest of the Company, as permitted by the relevant and applicable laws as well as the Main Market Listing Requirements of Bursa Malaysia Securities Berhad and the Constitution of the Company.

The proposal is subject to approval by the following:

- (i) the Shareholders at the extraordinary general meeting ("EGM") held on 15 June 2023;
- (ii) the sanction of the Court for the Proposed Capital Reduction pursuant to Section 116 of the Act;
- (iii) the approval or consent of the Company's financiers/creditors for the Proposed Capital Reduction, if applicable; and
- (iv) any other relevant regulatory authorities and/or parties, if required.

On 15 June 2023, the Company has obtained approval from the Shareholders at the EGM. On 3 August 2023, the Company had obtained the sanction from the Court. The Company had received notice dated 18 August 2023 issued by the Registrar of Companies confirming the reduction of share capital. Accordingly, the Share Capital Reduction is deemed complete on 18 August 2023.

(b) On 20 June 2023:

The Company proposes to obtain a shareholders' mandate for the disposal of Alam Kekal, a bulk carrier, by Kekal Shipping Pte Ltd, an indirect wholly-owned subsidiary of MBC to a non-related third party to be identified for a disposal consideration to be determined and satisfied entirely in cash ("Proposed Disposal Mandate")

The proposal is subject to approval by the following:

- (i) the Shareholders at the extraordinary general meeting ("EGM") held on 31 July 2023;
- (ii) any other relevant regulatory authorities and/or parties, if required.

On 31 July 2023, the Company has obtained approval from the Shareholders at the EGM. As at the date of this report, the Group has yet to dispose the vessel.

A11. CHANGES IN THE COMPOSITION OF THE GROUP

On 30 January 2023, the Company acquired 1,000,000 ordinary shares, representing 100% of total issued shares in EMT Systems Sdn Bhd ("EMTS") for a total cash consideration of RM70,000,000. The principal activities of EMTS is engaged in supply, design, consult and installation work of racking and shelving products.

There were no other changes in the composition of the Group during the current quarter under review.

Cash outflow on acquisition was as follows:	RM'000
Cash consideration	70,000
Cash and cash equivalents of subsidiary acquired	(6,567)
Net cash outflow of the Group	63,433

A12. CONTINGENT LIABILITIES

There were no contingent liabilities since 31 December 2022 to the date of this report.

A13. CAPITAL COMMITMENTS

There was no capital commitment as at end of the current quarter.

A14. RELATED PARTY TRANSACTIONS

Companies in which certain directors or directors of a subsidiary are deemed to have substantial financial interests:

	Current
	financial
	year-to-date
	RM'000
Income earned:	
Sales of steel product	1,181_
Expenditure incurred:	
	
Trading of steel product	20,409
Rental of office and warehouse	100

All related party transactions and balances within the Group had been entered into in the normal course of business and were carried out on commercial terms.

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B1. REVIEW OF PERFORMANCE

The Group reported lower revenue of RM68.052 million (1H 2022: RM78.648 million) and operating profit of RM14.235 million (1H 2022: RM25.797 million). Revenue from Shipping Bulkers segment dropped from RM78.335 million in 1H 2022 to RM43.056 million in 1H 2023. The drop is offset by the new revenue stream from Shelving & Storage Solution Segment of RM24.996 million (1H 2022: RM Nil)

For the Shipping Bulkers segment, the hire days in 1H 2023 was lower due to a smaller fleet size and a 16% decrease in charter rates compared to 1H 2022.

The table below summarises the average time charter equivalent (TCE) and hire days for MBC Fleet.

	Average TCE/day		Hire	Days
	Jan-Jun 2023	Jan-Jun 2022	Jan-Jun 2023	Jan-Jun 2022
	(USD)	(USD)	(Days)	(Days)
Dry Bulk Fleet	15,874	18,897	471	806

The Group incurred a higher unrealised foreign exchange losses of RM10.135 million (1H 2022: RM 0.940 million) mainly from cash balances denominated in Ringgit, due to weakening of Ringgit against USD which is the functional currency of the Group.

Interest expenses decreased by 82% to RM0.484 million (1H 2022: RM2.678 million) mainly due to lower borrowing cost from the repayment of loans and reduced lease liabilities with the redelivery of 2 chartered-in vessels in January and in May 2023.

1H 2022 result included gain on disposal of RM50.058 million from disposal of Alam Kukuh.

Excluding the gain from disposal of Alam Kukuh, the Group reported a profit before tax of RM4.415 million in 1H 2023, a decrease of RM15.072 million compared to the profit before tax of RM19.487 million in 1H 2022.

The new shelving and storage solution segment contributed profit before tax of RM2.736 million to offset a drop in profit from Shipping Bulkers segment and investment holding segment.

The Group reported a profit for the period of RM3.824 million, a decrease of RM65.686 million compared to RM69.510 million in 1H FY2022.

B2. COMPARISON WITH PRECEDING QUARTER'S RESULTS

	Individual Qua	rter		
	Q2 FY2023	Q1 FY2023	Variance	Variance
	RM'000	RM'000	RM'000	%
Revenue	32,961	35,091	(2,130)	-6%
Cost of sales	(5,134)	(5,342)	208	0,0
Net revenue	27,827	29,749	(1,922)	
Operating expenses	(21,715)	(21,626)	(89)	
Operating profit	6,112	8,123	(2,011)	-25%
Other operating income, net	(4,768)	705	(5,473)	
Administrative expenses	(2,415)	(2,858)	443	
	(1,071)	5,970	(7,041)	
Interest expense on bank borrowings	(20)	(15)	(5)	
Interest expense on lease liabilities	(105)	(344)	239	
(Loss)/profit before taxation	(1,196)	5,611	(6,807)	-121%
Income tax expense	(334)	(257)	(77)	
(Loss)/profit for the period	(1,530)	5,354	(6,884)	-129%
Attributable to:				
Equity holders of the parent	(1,530)	5,354	(6,884)	

Revenue and operating profit for the Group in Q2 FY2023 was RM32.961 million and RM6.112 million, a reduction of RM2.130 million and RM2.011 million respectively compared to Q1 FY2023's revenue of RM35.091 million and operating profit of RM8.123 million.

Revenue contribution from Shipping Bulkers Segment reduced from RM24.489 million in Q1 FY2023 to RM18.567 million in Q2 FY2023, attributable to a reduction of charter rates (Q2 FY2023: USD13,957/day vs Q1 FY2023: USD17,307/day) and reduction of hire days upon redelivery of Alam Sayang in May 2023 (Q2 FY2023: 216.58 days vs Q1 FY2023: 254.61 days).

Revenue contributed by Shelving & Storage Solution Segment improved from RM10.602 million in Q1 FY2023 to RM14.394 million in Q2 FY2023 due to increase in demand for its products.

B2. COMPARISON WITH PRECEDING QUARTER'S RESULTS (CONT"D)

In Q2 FY2023 the Group incurred an unrealized foreign currency exchange loss of RM9.086 million as compared to RM1.049 incurred in Q1 FY2023 mainly due to the weakening of Ringgit against US Dollars, in entities where USD is the functional currency.

The Group reported a loss before tax of RM1.196 million in Q2 FY2023, compared to the profit before tax of RM5.611 million reported in Q1 FY2023.

B3. PROSPECTS

a) Shipping Bulkers Segment

The rebound we experienced in Q1 was short-lived. The shipping markets retreated again around early April. Despite China reopening its economy, sentiment was still weak. Although industrial production had some recovery, it was still below expectations. The volume of steaming coal imports to Europe which was active in 2022 has fallen a lot which has decreased the tonne mile demand (EU/UK coal imports is expected to decrease 7% in 2023 after increasing about 49% in 2022).

However, the supply/demand situation is still forecasted to be balanced going forward. Due to continued easing congestion and the high interest rate environment, we expect charter rates to be at levels below 2022. We also anticipate that China may have to declare fresh stimulus soon that could help the markets in the medium term.

b) Shelving and Storage Solutions Segment

The industrial sector is experiencing increased demand for industrial racking following recent festivals. Moreover, the ongoing trade war between China and the US has attracted more foreign investors to Malaysia, further driving the demand for industrial racking.

In the retail sector, retail shelving has become a leading product this year with successful partnerships established with distributors in Malaysia for gondola shelving. The rise of pharmacy retailers and outlets since 2020, due to the impact of the COVID-19 pandemic, provides a positive outlook for this business, particularly, in the upcoming third and fourth quarters.

However, the household sector is facing lower demand for products such as light-duty shelving, mainly due to challenges in ecommerce and retail sales to household customers.

Overall, a better performance is expected in the third quarter compared to the previous two quarters.

B4. VARIANCE OF PROFIT FORECAST AND PROFIT GUARANTEE

There were no profit forecast or profit guarantee for the period under review.

B5. NOTES TO CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED INCOME STATEMENT

	Current quarter RM'000	Preceding quarter RM'000	Current financial year-to-date RM'000	Preceding financial year-to-date RM'000
Interest income	1,424	323	3,256	467
Amortisation of intangible assets	(15)	(71)	(15)	(143)
Depreciation on owned assets	(2,759)	(3,059)	(5,440)	(6,683)
Depreciation on right-of-use assets	(2,237)	(10,695)	(8,586)	(21,163)
Unrealised exchange loss	(9,086)	(780)	(10,135)	(940)
Discontinuation of hedge instrument	<u> </u>	<u> </u>	<u> </u>	603

B6. TAXATION

	Current quarter RM'000	Preceding quarter RM'000	Current financial year-to-date RM'000	Preceding financial year-to-date RM'000
Income tax charge				
-current period	336	10	582	35
-prior year	(2)	-	9	-
	334	10	591	35

The shipping income of the Group that is derived from the operations of sea-going Malaysian registered ships and Singapore registered ships is tax exempt under Section 54A of the Malaysian Income Tax Act, 1967 and Section 13A of the Singapore Income Tax Act respectively. The income tax expense for the Group is attributable to tax in respect of non-tax exempt activities of the Group, mainly from shelving and storage solution segment.

B7. STATUS OF CORPORATE PROPOSALS

Except as disclosed in Note A10, there was no other corporate proposal announced but not completed at the date of this report.

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B8. BORROWINGS

The Group's borrowings are as follows:

			As at	As at
			30-Jun-23	31-Dec-22
	<u>Currency</u>	Secured	RM '000	RM '000
	RM	Non-current	898	-
		Current	276	-
			1,174	
B9.	LEASE LIABILI	ΠES		
	The Group's lea	se liabilities are as follows:		
			As at	As at
			30-Jun-23	31-Dec-22
	<u>Currency</u>	Unsecured	RM '000	RM '000
	USD	Current	-	33,104
	RM	Current	72	7

Lease liabilities mainly represent future obligations to make lease payments for the right to use a chartered in vessel and warehouse rental.

B10. MATERIAL LITIGATION

The Group does not have any material litigation which would materially and adversely affect the financial position of the Group.

B11. DIVIDENDS

The Board recommends a first single tier interim dividend of 1.5sen per ordinary share, amounting to RM15 million for the current financial quarter ended 30 June 2023. The dates for entitlement and payment will be determined and announced at a later date.

B12. (LOSS)/EARNINGS PER SHARE

The basic (loss)/earnings per share of the Group is calculated by dividing the (loss)/profit attributable to equity holders of the parent by the number of ordinary shares in issue.

	CURRENT	PRECEDING	CURRENT	PRECEDING
	YEAR	YEAR	YEAR	YEAR
	QUARTER	QUARTER	TO DATE	TO DATE
	30-Jun-23	30-Jun-22	30-Jun-23	30-Jun-22
(Loss)/profit attributable to equity holders				
of the parent (RM'000)	(1,530)	61,068	3,824	69,510
Number of ordinary shares in issue ('000)	1,000,000	1,000,000	1,000,000	1,000,000
(Loss)/earnings per share attributable to equity holders				
of the parent (sen)	(0.15)	6.11	0.38	6.95