YANBU CEMENT COMPANY (A SAUDI JOINT STOCK COMPANY)

INTERIM CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED
FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (UNAUDITED)
FOR THE THREE-MONTH AND SIX-MONTH
PERIODS ENDED 30 JUNE 2023
AND INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REVIEW REPORT

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INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REVIEW REPORT

To the Sharehoders of Yanbu Cement Company (A Saudi Joint Stock Company)

Introduction

We have reviewed the accompanying interim condensed consolidated financial statements of Yanbu Cement Company, a Saudi Joint Stock Company ("the Company" or "the Parent Company") and its subsidiary (collectively referred to as "the Group") which comprises the interim condensed consolidated statement of financial position as at 30 June 2023 and the related interim condensed consolidated statements of profit or loss and comprehensive income for the three-month and six-month periods then ended and the related interim condensed consolidated statements of changes in equity and cash flows for the six-month period then ended and a summary of significant accounting policies and other explanatory notes. Management is responsible for the preparation and presentation of these interim condensed consolidated financial statements in accordance with International Accounting Standard 34 - "Interim Financial Reporting" (IAS 34) that is endorsed in the Kingdom of Saudi Arabia. Our responsibility is to express a conclusion on these interim condensed consolidated financial statements based on our review.

Scope of review

We conducted our review in accordance with International Standard on Review Engagements 2410, 'Review of Interim Financial Information Performed by the Independent Auditor of the Entity' that is endorsed in the Kingdom of Saudi Arabia. A review of interim condensed consolidated financial statements consists of making inquiries, primarily of persons responsible for financial and accounting matters, and applying analytical and other review procedures. A review is substantially less in scope than an audit conducted in accordance with International Standards on Auditing that are endorsed in the Kingdom of Saudi Arabia and consequently does not enable us to obtain assurance that we would become aware of all significant matters that might be identified in an audit. Accordingly, we do not express an audit opinion.

Conclusion

Based on our review, nothing has come to our attention that causes us to believe that the accompanying interim condensed consolidated financial statements are not prepared, in all material respects, in accordance with IAS 34, that is endorsed in the Kingdom of Saudi Arabia.

For-Dr. Mohamed Al-Amri & Co

Maher Al-Khatieb Certified Public Accountant

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		For the three- month period ended 30 June 2023 SR	For the three- month period ended 30 June 2022 SR	For the six- month period ended 30 June 2023 SR	For the six- month period ended 30 June 2022 SR
Revenue Cost of revenue GROSS PROFIT	Note 4	Unaudited 173,555,200 (118,643,100) 54,912,100	Unaudited 238,170,854 (174,524,199) 63,646,655	Unaudited 397,561,354 (270,120,019) 127,441,335	Unaudited 479,803,664 (361,718,266) 118,085,398
Selling and distribution expenses General and administrative expenses PROFIT FROM OPERATIONS	5	(3,133,684) (10,568,661) 41,209,755	(3,022,558) (9,794,199) 50,829,898	(7,412,003) (23,075,355) 96,953,977	(7,105,908) (19,952,978) 91,026,512
Gain / (loss) on derivative instruments at fair value through profit or loss Finance cost Other income Other expense Finance income PROFIT BEFORE ZAKAT Zakat NET PROFIT FOR THE PERIOD	5	169,684 (3,461,755) 968,251 (1,550,585) 322,975 37,658,325 (2,384,143) 35,274,182	627,138 (1,480,601) 4,847,757 (4,500,000) 80,515 50,404,707 (2,360,735) 48,043,972	92,044,237 (5,757,821)	3,469,625 (3,893,761) 6,442,694 (4,500,000) 130,133 92,675,203 (5,702,867) 86,972,336
EARNINGS PER SHARE Basic and diluted earnings per share	13	0.22	0.31	0.55	0.55

		For the three- month period	month period	For the six- month period	For the six- month period
		ended 30 June	ended 30 June	ended 30 June	
		2023	2022	2023	2022
•		SR	SR	SR	SR
	Note	Unaudited	Unaudited	Unaudited	Unaudited
NET PROFIT FOR THE PERIOD		35,274,182	48,043,972	86,286,416	86,972,336
Other comprehensive income TOTAL COMPREHENSIVE INCOME		-		2	
FOR THE PERIOD		35,274,182	48,043,972	86,286,416	86,972,336

ASSETS	Note	30 June 2023 SR Unaudited	31 December 2022 SR Audited
NON-CURRENT ASSETS Property, plant and equipment Intangible assets Investment in associate Other non-current assets TOTAL NON-CURRENT ASSETS	6	2,325,674,536 1,453,640 312,278 26,836,712 2,354,277,166	2,398,067,922 1,802,689 312,278 32,904,342 2,433,087,231
CURRENT ASSETS Inventories Trade receivables Prepayments, advances and other receivables Financial derivatives Short-term murabaha deposit Cash and cash equivalents TOTAL CURRENT ASSETS TOTAL ASSETS	7 8 16 9	696,164,797 151,943,968 57,531,425 4,166,051 	594,985,500 157,065,253 37,955,186 4,511,669 21,000,000 100,681,866 916,199,474 3,349,286,705
EQUITY AND LIABILITIES EQUITY Share capital Statutory reserve Retained earnings TOTAL EQUITY	1 11	1,575,000,000 787,500,000 256,226,520 2,618,726,520	1,575,000,000 787,500,000 406,190,104 2,768,690,104
NON-CURRENT LIABILITIES Bank borrowings Provision for employees benefits Lease liability TOTAL NON-CURRENT LIABILITIES	10(a)	76,250,000 103,294,708 5,536,533 185,081,241	91,500,000 95,983,900 5,444,625 192,928,525
CURRENT LIABILITIES Trade payables Current portion of bank borrowings Short term financing Dividend payable Accrued expenses and other current liabilities Zakat payable TOTAL CURRENT LIABILITIES TOTAL EQUITY AND LIABILITIES	10(a) 10(b) 5	31,370,083 27,476,194 301,203,448 83,282,640 91,986,242 8,497,078 543,815,685 728,896,926 3,347,623,446	52,386,278 23,737,659 50,041,713 81,072,268 164,467,883 15,962,275 387,668,076 580,596,601 3,349,286,705

The accompanying notes from 1 to 18 form an integral part of these unaudited interim condensed consolidated financial statements.

Yanbu Cement Company (A Saudi Joint Stock Company) INTERIM CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN EQUITY For the six-month period ended 30 June 2023

Attributable to the owners of the parent

As at 1 January 2023 (Audited)

Net profit for the period

Other comprehensive income for the period

Total comprehensive income for the period

Dividends (note 12)

Balance at 30 June 2023 (Unaudited)

Attributable to owners of the parent
As at 1 January 2022 (Audited)
Net profit for the period
Other comprehensive income for the period

Balance at 30 June 2022 (Unaudited)

Increase in ownership interest of the subsidary

Dividends (note 12)

Total comprehensive income for the period

2,618,726,520	•	256,226,520 2,618,726,520	256,226,520	787,500,000	1,575,000,000
(236,250,000)	E	(236,250,000) (236,250,000)	(236,250,000)		4
86,286,416	*	86,286,416	86,286,416	(au	
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86,286,416	56	86,286,416	86,286,416		
2,768,690,104		406,190,104 2,768,690,104	406,190,104	787,500,000	1,575,000,000
Total equity SR	interests SR	Total SR	earnings SR	reserve SR	Share capital SR
	Non-controlling		Retained	Statutory	

2,763,681,546		2,763,681,546	401,181,546	787,500,000	1,575,000,000
(118,125,000	•	(118,125,000)	(118,125,000)	17.	• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •
(32,331,437)	(32,331,437)	7A	340	(1. 8 .5)	r
86,972,336	•	86,972,336	86,972,336		
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86,972,336	٠	86,972,336	86,972,336		•
32,331,437 2,827,165,647	32,331,437	2,7	432,334,210	787,500,000	1.575,000,000
SR	SR	SR	SR	SR	SR
Total equity	Non-controlling		Retained	Statutory	Share

The accompanying notes from 1 to 18 form an integral part of these unaudited interim condensed consolidated financial statements.

	<u>Note</u>	For the six- month period ended 30 June 2023 SR Unaudited	For the six- month period ended 30 June 2022 SR Unaudited
OPERATING ACTIVITIES		02 044 227	02 475 202
Profit before zakat		92,044,237	92,675,203
Adjustments to reconcile operating income to net cash flow	/s: 6	83,708,666	82,547,972
Depreciation of property, plant and equipment	U	349,049	349,049
Amortization of intangible assets Finance cost		5,999,857	3,893,761
Loss on disposal of property, plant and equipment		23,205	
Loss / (gain) on derivative instruments at fair value through		<u> </u>	(2.4(0.425)
profit or loss		345,618	(3,469,625)
Provision for spare parts obsolescence	7	1,550,585	4,500,000
Provision for employees benefits		8,965,240	9,987,992
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Working capital changes:			
Inventories		(102,729,882)	(25,104,540)
Trade receivables		5,121,285	10,996,766
Prepayments, advances and other receivables		(13,508,609)	(11,616,355)
Trade payables		(21,016,195)	826,130
Accrued expenses and other current liabilities		<u>(72,481,641)</u>	93,408,161
		(11,628,585)	258,994,514
Zakat paid	5	(13,223,018)	(11,519,693)
Employees benefits paid		(1,654,432)	(2,443,259)
Finance cost paid		(5,867,949)	(3,754,491)
Net cash (used in) / generated from operating activities		(32,373,984)	241,277,071
INVESTING ACTIVITIES			
Purchase of property, plant and equipment	6	(11,338,485)	(11,187,953)
Short term murabaha deposit encashed		21,000,000	
Payment made for the ownership interest of the subsidiary		· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	(32,331,437)
Net cash generated from / (used in) investing activities		9,661,515	(43,519,390)
FINANCING ACTIVITIES			
Payment of lease liability		(40,000)	(650,000)
Net movement of bank borrowings		(11,511,465)	(944,444)
Net movement of short-term financing		251,161,735	(5,355,670)
Dividends paid		(234,039,628)	(117,687,242)
Net cash generated from / (used in) financing activities		5,570,642	(124,637,356)
NET CHANGES IN CACH AND CACH FOUNTAL ENTS		(17,141,827)	73,120,325
NET CHANGES IN CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS Cash and cash equivalents at the beginning of the period	9	100,681,866	60,605,196
CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS AT THE END OF THE	7	83,540,039	133,725,521
PERIOD			

1 CORPORATE INFORMATION

Yanbu Cement Company ("the Company" or "the Parent Company") - a Saudi Joint Stock Company has been established in the Kingdom of Saudi Arabia by the Royal Decree No. M/10 dated on 4 Rabi' I 1397H (corresponding to 22 February 1977). It is registered in Yanbu city under Commercial Registration (CR) No. 4700000233 dated 21 Dhul-Qi'dah 1398H (corresponding to 24 October 1978). The Company's shares are listed in the stock exchange of the Kingdom of Saudi Arabia. These interim condensed consolidated financial statements comprise the Company and its subsidiary, Yanbu Saudi Kuwaiti Paper Products Company Limited (the "Subsidiary") (together referred to as the "Group").

During 2022, the Company acquired 40% additional shares of the Subsidiary. Consequently, the Company became 100% owner of it.

The Parent Company's authorized and paid-up capital is divided into 157,500,000 shares of SR 10 each as at 30 June 2023 (31 December 2022: 157,500,000 shares of SR 10 each).

The Company is mainly engaged in manufacturing, producing and trading in cement and its related products as per industrial license No. 451110128256 issued on 5 Muharram 1445H (corresponding to 23 July 2023) which ends on 13 Rabi ul Awal 1450H (corresponding to 4 August 2028). The Subsidiary is mainly engaged in manufacturing and wholesale trading in cement Paper as per industrial license No. 431110118935 issued on 23 Sha'ban 1425H (corresponding to 7 October 2004) and ending on 26 Dhu'l-Hijjah 1448H (corresponding to 01 June 2027) and registered in Yanbu city under Commercial Registration (CR) No. 4700009036 dated on 17 Dhul-Qi'dah 1425H (corresponding to 29 December 2004).

The registered address of the Company is Yanbu Cement building located at Al Baghdadiyah Al Gharbiyah District, P. O. Box 5330, Jeddah 21422, Kingdom of Saudi Arabia. The Company has a branch in Jeddah with CR numbers 4030021367.

Investment in associate

During the year ended 31 December 2020, the Company has invested 49% interest in Knowledge Center for Cement Training Limited (the associate company), a mixed limited liability company registered in the Kingdom of Saudi Arabia and have a share capital of SR 500,000. The Company is established to conduct short term cement training programs. The remaining 51% shareholding is held by FLSmidth Company.

2 BASIS OF PREPARATION AND BASIS OF MEASUREMENT

2.1 Statement of compliance

These interim condensed consolidated financial statements have been prepared in accordance with International Accounting Standard 34, "Interim Financial Reporting" "IAS 34" that is endorsed in the Kingdom of Saudi Arabia amd other standards and pronouncements that are endorsed by the Saudi Organization for Chartered and Professional Accountants.

These interim condensed consolidated financial statements do not include all the information and disclosures required in the annual consolidated financial statements and therefore should be read in conjunction with the Group's annual consolidated financial statements for the year ended 31 December 2022. In addition, results for the interim period ended 30 June 2023 are not necessarily indicative of the results that may be expected for the financial year ending 31 December 2023.

2.2 Basis of measurement

These interim condensed consolidated financial statements have been prepared on a historical cost basis except for financial derivatives that have been measured at fair value and for employee benefit liabilities, projected unit credit method is used. The interim condensed consolidated financial statements are presented in Saudi Riyals ("SR"), which is the currency of the Group.

2 BASIS OF PREPARATION AND BASIS OF MEASUREMENT (Continued)

2.3 Significant accounting judgments, estimates and assumptions

The preparation of the Group's interim condensed consolidated financial statements requires management to make judgments, estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of revenues, expenses, assets and liabilities, and the accompanying disclosures, and the disclosure of contingent liabilities. Actual results may differ from these estimates.

The significant judgments made by management in applying the Group's the key sources of estimation uncertainty were the same as those described in the consolidated financial statements of the Group for the year ended 31 December 2022. However, the Group has reviewed the key sources of estimation uncertainties disclosed in 2022 annual consolidated financial statements. Management believes that all sources of estimation uncertainty remain similar to those disclosed in 2022 annual consolidated financial statements. The Group will continue to monitor the situation, and any changes required will be reflected in future reporting periods.

2.4 New standards, interpretations and amendments adopted by the Group

The accounting policies used in the preparation of these interim condensed consolidated financial statements are consistent with those followed in the preparation of the Group's consolidated financial statements for the year ended 31 December 2022, except for the following amendments which apply for the first time in 2023. However, not all are expected to impact the Group as they are either not relevant to the Group's activities or require accounting which is consistent with the Group's current accounting policies.

The following new standards and amendments are effective for the period beginning 1 January 2023:

- Disclosure of Accounting Policies (Amendments to IAS 1 Presentation of Financial Statements and IFRS Practice Statement 2);
- Definition of Accounting Estimates (Amendments to IAS 8 Accounting policies, Changes in Accounting Estimates and Errors); and
- Deferred Tax related to Assets and Liabilities arising from a Single Transaction (Amendments to IAS 12 Income Taxes).

These amendments had no impact on the interim condensed consolidated financial statements of the Group as there are no such transactions under the above amendments during the current period.

Impact of accounting standards to be applied in future periods

There are a number of standards and interpretations which have been issued by the International Accounting Standards Board that are effective for periods beginning on or after 1 January 2024 that the Group has decided not to adopt early. The Group does not believe these standards and interpretations will have a material impact on the consolidated financial statements once adopted.

3 SEGMENT INFORMATION

The Group is engaged in one operating segment, i.e. manufacturing cement and operates entirely from the Kingdom of Saudi Arabia. Accordingly, the financial information was not divided into different geographic or business segments. The financial information of the Subsidiary is not significant to Group's interim condensed consolidated financial statements for segment information.

4 REVENUE

The Group's revenue is described below:

	For the three-month	period ended	For the six-month pe June	
	2023 SR	2022 SR	2023 SR	2022 SR
Product type	<u>Unaudited</u> 92,813,236	<u>Unaudited</u> 101,550,948	<u>Unaudited</u> 201,519,048	<u>Unaudited</u> 220,805,800
Bulk cement Packed cement	50,297,949 4,060,861	64,102,515 599,925	115,940,431 18,617,724	143,571,243 12,301,050
Cement bags Raw cement (clinker) Total revenue (*)	26,383,154 173,555,200	71,917,466 238,170,854	61,484,151 397,561,354	103,125,571 479,803,664
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Geographical markets				
Total revenue inside the Kingdom of Saudi Arabia	147,172,046	166,253,388	336,077,203	376,678,093
Total revenue outside the Kingdom of Saudi Arabia	26,383,154	71,917,466	61,484,151	103,125,571
Total revenue	173,555,200	238,170,854		479,803,664

(*) The timing of the revenue recognition from the above goods is at a point in time.

5. ZAKAT

The movement in zakat payable of the Group is as follows:

The movement in zakat payable of the Group is as follows.	30 June 2023	31 December 2022
	SR	SR
	Unaudited	Audited
Balance at beginning of the period / year	15,962,275	12,003,418
Charged during the period / year	5,757,821	15,478,550
Paid during the period / year	(13,223,018)	(11,519,693 <u>)</u>
Balance at the end of the period / year	8,497,078	15,962,275
balance at the end of the period? Year		

Zakat for the period ended 30 June 2023 is calculated based on the management's estimate, which may not represent an accurate indication about zakat for the year ending 31 December 2023.

Status of assessments

Parent Company:

The Company has submitted its zakat returns to Zakat, Tax and Customs Authority ("ZATCA") up to the year ended 31 December 2022. The Company has also finalized it status until the year ended 31 December 2018. During 2021, the Company received an assessment orders for the years 2019 and 2020, claiming additional zakat of SR 23.4 million. The Company paid an amount of SR 11.7 million for the appeal to be accepted as per ZATCA regulations and filed its objection to the said assessments. Subsequently the claim was reduced to SR 13.5 million.

On January 02, 2022, the Company filed an appeal with the Tax Committees for Resolution of Tax Violations and Disputes (TVDRC- GSTC Level 1) against ZATCA's revised assessment appealing on two items aggregated to SR 6 million (i.e, the balance of the provision for the obsolescence of spare parts not intended for sale and advance payment to customers) and accepted remaining items. On October 2022, GSTC Level 1 issued their decision and stick to ZATCA's decision for the appealed items The Company raised its appeal to the Tax Violation and Dispute Appellate Committee ("TVDAC") for the same items appealed to TVDRC. However, in case these items would be rejected by TVDAC, the only amount to be paid to ZATCA would be SR 1.7 million as the remaining amount was paid earlier. The management belives that current provision for zakat is adequate.

5 ZAKAT (Continued)

Status of assessments (Continued)

Subsidiary:

The Company has submitted the zakat returns for the financial year ended 31 December 2022. The Company received an additional assessment from Zakat, Tax and Customs Authority ("ZATCA") for the year 2017 with an additional zakat liability of SR 0.20 million. The Company has filed objections against this assessment order with the Tax Violation and Dispute Appellate Committee which were rejected on 16 March 2022 for the year 2017. Management has filed the appeal against the decision to the General Secretariat of the Tax Committees on 13 April 2022. The appeal is under process until 30 June 2023.

6 PROPERTY, PLANT AND EQUIPMENT

For purpose of preparing the interim condensed consolidated statement of cash flows, movement in property, plant and equipment during the six- month period ended 30 June is as follows:

	For the six-month p June	
	2023 SR Unaudited	2022 SR Unaudited
Depreciation Additions to property, plant and equipment	83,708,666 11,338,485	82,547,972 11,187,953

The plants are situated on land leased from the Ministry of Industry and Mineral Resources, of Ras Baridi in Yanbu, for 30 Hijri years commencing 4 Rabi' I 1398H (corresponding to 12 February 1978). The lease has been renewed for a similar period for 30 years on 3 Rabi' I 1428H (corresponding to 22 March 2007). The lease is renewable for further similar years, as mentioned above, subject to the agreement of both parties.

30 June 2023 SR	31 December 2022 SR
Unaudited	Audited
	257,948,576
7,701,817	8,118,375
449,710,884	355,829,879
49,783,510	33,911,788
10,192,401	9,808,398
5,172,613	9,115,177
7,460,077	6,421,778
181,743	9,068,787
296,562	318,198
793,270,838	690,540,956
	(95,555,456 <u>)</u>
696,164,797	594,985,500
	SR Unaudited 262,771,231 7,701,817 449,710,884 49,783,510 10,192,401 5,172,613 7,460,077 181,743 296,562 793,270,838 (97,106,041)

As at 30 June 2023, provision against slow-moving spare parts amounted to SR 97.11 million (31 December 2022: SR 95.56 million).

30 June 2023 SR	31 December 2022 SR
Unaudited	Audited
155,059,746	160,181,031
(3,115,778)	(3,115,778)
151,943,968	157,065,253
	2023 SR Unaudited 155,059,746 (3,115,778)

Trade receivables are non-interest bearing and are generally on the term of 30 to 90 days.

or the six-month period elided 30 Julie 2023		
CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS		
CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS	30 June	31 December
	2023	2022
	SR	SR
	Unaudited	Audited
	202,931	15,119
ash on hand	83,337,108	100,666,747
ank balances	83,540,039	100,681,866
) The outstanding bank borrowings as at period / year e	30 June	31 December 2022
	2023 SR	SR
	Unaudited	Audited
		80,237,659
Gulf International Bank loan (Note i) GAB loan (Note ii and iii)	103,726,194	35,000,000
	103,726,194	115,237,659
	(27,476,194)	(23,737,659)
Eurrent portion		91,500,000
Non-current portion	76,250,000	71,300,000

- i) During 2021, the Parent Company entered into a bank facility contract with Gulf International Bank amounted to SR 100 million to cover the financing of the project to raise the production capacity of the fourth line. The loan was subject to be repayable in quarterly insallements of SR 5 million each and last payment was due in December 2026. However, the Company has fully paid the outstanding balance during the period ended 30 June 2023.
- During 2022, the Parent Company entered into a bank facility agreement with SAB amounted SR 35 million to cover the acquisition of 40% of the remaining shares of the Subsidiary Company. The loan is subject to repayment of quarterly installments of SR 1.75 million each, starting from July 2023 until June 2028. The loan entails financing costs as per prevailing Saudi rates (SIBOR) in addition to a fixed commission rate.
- iii) During 2023, the Parent Company entered into a murabaha finance agreement with SAB amounted to SR 70 million The loan is subject to repayment of quarterly installments of SR 5 million each, starting from September 2023 until February 2027. The loan entails financing costs as per prevailing Saudi rates (SIBOR) in addition to a fixed commission rate.

b) Short term financing

During the period ended 30 June 2023, the Parent Company has entered into non-conventional financing facilities contracts with various banks to meet the working capital requirements with the total amount of SR 715 million (31 December 2022: SR 350 million). These loans are subject to financing costs according to the prevailing market rate among Saudi banks (SIBOR) plus a fixed commission rate. As at 30 June 2023, the outstanding balance of SR 301 million (31 December 2022: SR 50 million) was classified under current liabilities due to the fact that it is due for repayment within 12 months from the reporting date i.e. 30 June 2023.

11 STATUTORY RESERVE

In accordance with the Parent Company's By-laws, the Parent Company is required to transfer at least 10% of the profit to the statutory reserve. The Parent Company may cease such transfers when the statutory reserve equals 30% of the share capital. The Parent Company has voluntarily decided to maintain the statutory reserves at 50% of the share capital.

12 DIVIDENDS

- On 28 May 2023 (corresponding to 8 Dhu-Al Qa'dah 1444), the Board of Directors of the Parent Company decided to distribute cash dividends amounting of SR 236.25 million (SR 1.50 per share) for the first half of the year ending 31 December 2023 which represent 15% of the nominal value of shares which was approved by the General Assembly on 25 may 2023.
- On 1 June 2022 (corresponding to 2 Dhu-Al Qa'dah 1443), the Board of Directors of the Parent Company decided to distribute cash dividends amounting of SR 118.1 million (SR 0.75 per share) for the first half of the year ending 31 December 2022 which represent 7.5% of the nominal value of shares which was approved by the General Assembly on 1 June 2022.

13 EARNINGS PER SHARE

Basic earnings per share (EPS) is calculated by dividing the net profit for the period by the weighted average number of ordinary shares which are 157.50 million shares. The table below reflects the details of the net profit for the period and the number of shares used in calculating basic and diluted earnings per share:

	For the three-month period ended 30 June		For the six-month period ended 30 June	
	2023	2022	2023	2022
	<u>Unaudited</u>	<u>Unaudited</u>	<u>Unaudited</u>	<u>Unaudited</u>
Net profit for the period - SR	35,274,182	48,043,972	86,286,416	86,972,336
Weighted average number of outstanding ordinary shares Basic and diluted earnings per share - SR	157,500,000	157,500,000	157,500,000	157,500,000
	0.22	0.31	0.55	0.55

There has been no item of dilution affecting the weighted average number of ordinary shares.

14 CONTINGENCIES AND COMMITMENTS

As at 30 June 2023, the contingencies against banks' letter of guarantees issued on behalf of the Group are amounted to SR 20.30 million (31 December 2022: SR 23.47 million).

As at 30 June 2023, the Group has bank letter of credits which are amounting to SR 4.40 million (31 December 2022: SR 29.75 million) issued from a bank in the Kingdom of Saudi Arabia.

15 RELATED PARTY TRANSACTIONS AND BALANCES

Related parties represents major shareholders, Board of Directors, the Group's key management personnel and enterprises managed or significantly influenced by those parties. The following are the details of major-related parties' transactions during the three-month period ended 30 June 2023:

Allowances and compensation of the Board of Directors and senior executives

The Group's senior management includes key management personnel and executives, Board of Directors, having authorities and responsibilities for planning, directing and controlling the activities of the Group.

Board of Directors and Committees' compensation charged and accrued during the six-month period ended 30 June 2023 amounting to SR 1.90 million (30 June 2022: SR 1.90 million).

15 RELATED PARTY TRANSACTIONS AND BALANCES (Continued)

Key management personnel compensation comprised the following

key management personner con	For the three-month period ended		For the six-month period ended 30 June	
	2023	2022	2023	2022
	SR	SR	SR	SR
	Unaudited	Unaudited	Unaudited	Unaudited
Short term employee benefits Post-employment benefits	1,990,374	1,706,350	3,938,748	3,412,700
	117,554	95,453	233,117	190,906
	2,107,928	1,801,803	4,171,865	3,603,606

The Group entered into transaction with its associate under mutually agreed terms and conditions:

Associate	
Knoweldge Centre for	Cement

Training Limited	Amount of transaction		Due (from) / to related party	
Truming Limited	30 June 2023	31 December 2022	30 June 2023	31 December 2022 SR
(Nature of transaction)	SR Unaudited	SR Audited	SR Unaudited	Audited
Training cost charges by associate	90,563	2,240,559	(1,883,736)	569,426

16 FAIR VALUE MEASUREMENT

All assets and liabilities for which fair value is measured or disclosed in the interim condensed consolidated financial statements are categorized within the fair value hierarchy, described as follows, based on the lowest level input that is significant to the fair value measurement as a whole:

- Level 1 Quoted (unadjusted) market prices in active markets for identical assets or liabilities.
- Level 2 Valuation techniques for which the lowest level input that is significant to the fair value measurement is directly or indirectly observable.
- Level 3 Valuation techniques for which the lowest level input that is significant to the fair value measurement is unobservable.

Suppose the inputs used to measure the fair value of an asset or liability falls into different levels of the fair value hierarchy. In that case, the fair value measurement is categorized in its entirety in the same level of the fair value hierarchy as the lowest input level that is significant to the entire measurement.

Set out below is a comparison, by class, of the carrying amounts and fair value of the Group's financial instruments, other than those with carrying amounts that are reasonable approximations of fair values:

Fair value measurement using Significant Significant Quoted prices unobservable observable in active inputs inputs markets (Level 3) (Level 2) **Total** (Level 1) Assets measured Date of SR SR SR SR valuation at fair value 30 June 2023 4,166,051 4,166,051 Financial derivatives (Unaudited) 31 December 4,511,669 4,511,669 Financial derivatives 2022 (Audited)

16 FAIR VALUE MEASUREMENT (Continued)

The Group enters into derivative financial instrument principally with financial institutions having investment-grade credit ratings. Derivatives valued using valuation techniques with observable market inputs is interest rate swaps. The most frequently applied valuation techniques include forward pricing and swap models, using present value calculations.

As at 30 June 2023 and 31 December 2022, the fair values of the Group's financial instruments are estimated to approximate their carrying values and are classified under level 3 of the fair value hierarchy. The fair value of trade receivables as at 30 June 2023 and 31 December 2022 is carrying amount because of short term nature of the balance.

Fair values of the Group's borrowings are determined by using Discounted Cash Flows (DCF) method using a discount rate that reflects the borrowing rate as at the end of the reporting period. As at 30 June 2023 and 31 December 2022, the carrying amounts of borrowings were not materially different from their calculated fair values.

During the six-month period ended 30 June 2023 and year ended 31 December 2022, there were no movements between the levels.

17 EVENTS AFTER THE REPORTING PERIOD

There are no subsequent events that require disclosure or amendments to the accompanying condensed interim financial statements.

18 APPROVAL OF THE INTERIM CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

These interim condensed consolidated financial statements for the Group for the six month period ended 30 June 2023, were approved by the Board of Directors on 14 Muharram 1445H (corresponding to 1 August 2023)