Unaudited Condensed Financial Statements for quarter and half year ended 31 December 2017.



Statement of comprehensive	THE GROUP			
income (Abridged)	Unaudited	Unaudited	Unaudited	
	Quarter ended	Half Year ended	Half Year ended	
	31.12.2017	31.12.2017	31.12.2016	
Continuing operations	Rs000	Rs000	Rs000	
Revenue	10 913 061	19 502 039	17 212 13	
Profit from operations	1145 496	1419 346	1485 31	
Share of results of associates and joint venture	177 181	405 011	419 49!	
Exceptionalitems	14 979	14 979	195 55	
Net finance costs	(185 510)	(343 699)	(395 453	
Profit before taxation	1152146	1495 637	1704 91	
Taxation	(160 253)	(191 631)	(181 903	
Profit for the period from continuing operations	991893	1304 006	1523 01	
Profit for the period	991893	1304 006	1523 01	
Other comprehensive income for the period	(1123)	89 025	(82 505	
Total comprehensive income for the period	990 770	1393 031	1440 50	
Profit attributable to :-				
Owners of the parent	498 001	741865	919 91	
Non-controlling interests	493 892	562 141	603 09	
	991893	1304 006	1523 01	
Total comprehensive income attributable to :-				
Owners of the parent	496 679	800 523	92192	
Non-controlling interests	494 091	592 508	518 57	
	990 770	1393 031	1440 50	
Earnings per share (Rs)				
Number of shares	680 224 040	680 224 040	680 224 04	
- From continuing operations	0,73	1,09	1,3	
Net assets per share (Rs)	-	24,56	24,4	

Segmental Information		THE GROUP				
	Unaudited	Unaudited	Unaudited			
	Quarter ended	Half Year ended	Half Year ended			
Revenue	31.12.2017	31.12.2017	31.12.2016			
	Rs000	Rs000	Rs000			
Agro	_	_	-			
Building & Engineering	2 497 172	5 064 790	4 027 832			
Commercial	3 847 892	6 868 058	6 077 697			
Financial & Other Services	484 564	899 276	874 416			
Hospitality	1743 332	2800540	2 548 546			
Life	43 966	65 039	56 105			
Logistics	655 069	1080 515	992 705			
Manufacturing & Processing	2 584 211	4 312 240	3 966 126			
Properties	66 755	132 551	-			
Corporate services	152 833	178 139	168 860			
Consolidation Adjustment	(1162 733)	(1899109)	(1500150)			
Revenue from continuing operations	10 913 061	19 502 039	17 212 137			

Profit from operations	THE GROUP				
	Unaudited Unaudited		Unaudited		
	Quarter ended	Half Year ended	Half Year ended		
	31.12.2017	31.12.2017	31.12.2016		
	Rs000	Rs000	Rs000		
Agro	-	-	-		
Building & Engineering	235 124	452 274	462 097		
Commercial	136 674	248 825	289 962		
Financial & Other Services	42 411	71 116	66 131		
Hospitality	364 344	261 618	252 329		
Life	(7 799)	(37 776)	(52 119)		
Logistics	42 156	69 779	78 924		
Manufacturing & Processing	333 163	413 212	456 418		
Properties	41870	81690	51602		
Corporate services	(37 008)	(135 952)	(114 666)		
Consolidation Adjustment	(5 439)	(5 440)	(5 362)		
Profit from operations for continuing operations	1145 496	1419 346	1 485 316		

Share of results of associates	THE GROUP				
and joint venture	Unaudited	Unaudited	Unaudited		
	Quarter ended	Half Year ended	Half Year ended		
	31.12.2017	31.12.2017	31.12.2016		
	Rs000	Rs000	Rs000		
Agro	28 052	64 312	124 325		
Building & Engineering	3 006	12 572	19 033		
Commercial	(971)	(910)	2 435		
Financial & Other Services	106 133	237 997	188 563		
Hospitality	-	-	-		
Life	18 525	40 341	18 456		
Logistics	-	-	-		
Manufacturing & Processing	22 436	50 699	66 907		
Properties	_	-	-		
Corporate services	_	-	(224)		
Share of results of associates and joint venture	177 181	405 011	419 495		

Statement of financial position	THE GROUP				
(Abridged)	Unaudited	Audited	Unaudited		
	As at	Asat	As at		
	31.12.2017	30.06.2017	31.12.2016		
Assets	Rs000	Rs000	Rs000		
Property, plant and equipment	24 895 741	23 631857	22729350		
Investment properties	395 950	395 950	487 881		
Intangible assets	3 417 594	3 204 630	3 109 547		
Investments	10 998 611	10 685 542	10 795 824		
Deferred tax assets	225 756	241304	123 460		
Finance lease receivables	361387	398 198	494 923		
Other assets	8 245	13 936	13 447		
Non-current assets	40 303 284	38 571 417	37 754 432		
Current Assets	14 726 140	14 412 483	14 972 974		
Total Assets	55 029 424	52 983 900	52727406		
Equity and Liabilities					
Equity attributable to owners of the parent	16 705 408	16 424 050	16 640 596		
Non-controlling interests	10 553 145	10 553 145 10 631 629			
Total equity	27 258 553	27 258 553 27 055 679			
Non-current liabilities	14 120 211 9 087 730		10 261 318		
Current liabilities	13 650 660	15 134 852			
Total Equity and Liabilities	55 029 424	52 983 900	52 727 406		

Statement of cash flow	THE GROUP				
(Abridged)	Unaudited	Audited	Unaudited		
	As at	As at	As at		
	31.12.2017	30.06.2017	31.12.2016		
	Rs000	Rs000	Rs000		
Net cash generated from operating activities	954 421	2 939 774	1206 399		
Net cash used in investing activities	(3 155 736)	(1739 748)	(454 656)		
Net cash generated from/(used in) financing activities	4 188 774	(1546 812)	84 493		
Net increase/(decrease) in cash & cash equivalents	1987 459	(346 786)	836 236		
Cash & cash equivalents at 1 July	(3 622 187)	(3 275 401)	(3 275 401)		
Cash & cash equivalents at end of period/year	(1634728)	(3 622 187)	(2 439 165)		

Statement of Changes in Equity	THE GROUP				
(Abridged)	Owners of the parent	Non- controlling interests	Total equity		
	Rs000	Rs000	Rs000		
Unaudited					
At 1 July 2016 – pre–amalgamation	13 205 568	12 887 578	26 093 146		
Amalgamation Adjustments	2 639 269	(2 639 269)			
At 1 July 2016 – post–amalgamation	15 844 837	10 248 309	26 093 146		
Total comprehensive income	921928	518 577	1440 505		
Other movements	(3729)	(13 497)	(17 226)		
Dividends paid to non controlling interests	-	(62 749)	(62 749)		
Dividends	(122 440)		(122 440)		
At 31 December 2016	16 640 596	10 690 640	27 331 236		
Audited					
At 1 July 2016 – pre-amalgamation					
- As previously reported	13 205 568	12 887 578	26 093 146		
- Amalgamation adjustments	2 639 269	(2 639 269)	-		
- As restated	15 844 837	10 248 309	26 093 146		
Total comprehensive income	1135 471	870 224	2 005 695		
Other movements	(114 112)	(4 170)	(118 282)		
Dividends paid to non controlling interests	-	(482734)	(482734)		
Dividends	(442 146)	-	(442 146)		
At 30 June 2017	16 424 050	10 631 629	27 055 679		
Unaudited					
At 1 July 2017	16 424 050	10 631 629	27 055 679		
Total comprehensive income	800 523	592 508	1393 03		
Other movements	(383 120)	(596 040)	(979 160)		
Dividends paid to non controlling interests	_	(74 952)	(74 952)		
Dividends	(136 045)	_	(136 045)		
At 31 December 2017	16 705 408	10 553 145	27 258 553		

Year on year Performance highlights							
Revenue Rs Million		Profit from operation Rs Million		Underlying Profit* Rs Million			
	19502 039		1485 316	1419 346		1509 358	1480 658
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*Underlying profit is profit before tax excluding exceptional items

Group results for the half year ended 31 December 2017 show a 13% increase in turnover. Profit from operations was lower by 4% compared to same period last year.

Comments

The Board of IBL Ltd is pleased to present the Group's unaudited condensed financial statements for the half year ended 31 December 2017.

The financial highlights have been prepared in accordance with International Financial Reporting Standards and on the same basis as the accounting policies set out in the audited statutory financial statements for the year ended 30 June 2017, except for the adoption of relevant amendments to published standards, standards and Interpretations issued and effective for accounting period starting on 1 July 2017.

Highlights for the half year ended 31 December 2017

Group turnover increased by 13% to reach Rs 19,502 million compared to the same period last year.

Operating profit for the first half of the financial year was of Rs 1,419 million against Rs 1,485 million for the same period last year, a decrease of 4%.

Underlying profit (PBT excluding exceptional items) was Rs 1,481 million, showing a decrease of 2% from last year.

Most segments witnessed growth in revenue. However, a number of exogenous market factors affected the Group's reported results, namely a drop in fishmeal price and implementation of fishing quotas affecting the seafood sector, depressed sugar price in Mauritius and lower relative cane availability in Kenya affecting the Agro sector and a depreciation in USD affecting the reported results in our Global businesses.

Building and Engineering – Increase in turnover driven mostly by the contracting business. Manser Saxon Group posting good growth against last year on account of new projects undertaken. Margin rates remain under pressure though outlook is positive.

Commercial – Results driven by Winners' and BrandActiv. They have both posted positive growth. The consolidation of Monoprix contributed to higher revenues but losses to bottom line Group results, albeit improving performance under new management.

Hospitality – Both turnover and operating profit on the rise for LUX*. Occupancy rates in all destinations remained high with Rev PAR (Room Revenue per available room) improving at key locations. IBL Ltd has acquired a further 10% stake in LUX* during the period under review.

Manufacturing and Processing – Other than the abovementioned issues in the seafood sector, Phoenix Beverages posted a 10% rise in turnover benefitting from the launch of new products since 2016.

Financial and Other Services – Other than the FX impact on Global businesses, AfrAsia posted revenue growth and the leasing business showed improved results with lower provisions

Agro – Alteo was affected by lower Sugar cane availability in Kenya and depressed price in Mauritius. Tanzanian operations are performing well.

Outlook

Our medium to long term growth prospects are positive, although some businesses face short term challenges.

In line with our long–term vision of a stronger IBL in growth activities, the Group is refocusing its portfolio. Two significant transactions have been made, namely the acquisition of an additional 10% stake in LUX* Island Resorts concluded in December and the reduction of the Group's exposure in the global business segment through the impending sale of its stake in Abax as announced on 6 February 2018.

By Order of the Board

IBL Management Ltd Company Secretary 12 February 2018

Copies of the condensed financial statements (which can also be viewed on the website www.iblgroup.com) and the statement of direct and indirect interests of officers of the Company are available free of charge, upon request made to the Company Secretary, 4th Floor, IBL House, Caudan, Port Louis, Mauritius.

The above condensed financial statements are issued pursuant to Listing Rule 12.20 and Securities Act 2005. The Board of Directors of IBL Ltd accepts full responsibility for the accuracy of the information contained in these condensed financial statements.