# CONSTANCE LA GAIETE COMPANY LIMITED AND ITS SUBSIDIARIES

### ABRIDGED AUDITED FINANCIAL STATEMENT FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2017

STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION		STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN EQUITY							
THE GROUP - AUDITED Rs'000 ASSETS		THE GROUP - AUDITED Rs'000	Stated capital	Fair value reserves	Reserve of associated companies	Actuarial losses	Other reserves	Retained earnings	Total
Non-current assets Current assets Total assets	704,840     731,206       162,580     205,306       867,420     936,512	At January 1, 2017  Total comprehensive income for the year	120,000	11,360 4,315	5,242 2,361	(103,352) (13,106)	162,361	343,986 (117,373)	539,597 (123,803)
EQUITY AND LIABILITIES Owners' interest Non-current liabilities	<b>394,194</b> 539,597 <b>286,117</b> 262,897	Dividends At December 31, 2017		15,675	<u>-</u>	(116,458)	(36) - 162,325	36 (21,600) 205,049	(21,600)
Current liabilities Total equity and liabilities	187,109 134,018 867,420 936,512	At January 1, 2016 Total comprehensive income for the year	120,000	11,134 226	1,541 3,701	(98,021) (5,331)	162,917	326,703 38,327	524,274 36,923
STATEMENT OF PROFI OTHER COMPREHEN		Transfer to retained earnings Dividends At December 31, 2016	- - 120,000	11,360	- - 5,242	(103,352)	(556) - 162,361	556 (21,600) 343,986	(21,600) 539,597
THE GROUP - AUDITED		_					-		

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Rs'000	Dec-2017	Dec-2016
Statement of profit or loss		
Revenue	262,372	294,921
Operating expenses	(374,544)	(312,301)
Operating loss	(112,172)	(17,380)
Other income	8,736	45,319
	(103,436)	27,939
Finance costs	(6,163)	(4,642)
Share of profit of associates	682	17,759
(Loss)/profit before taxation	(108,917)	41,056
Taxation	(8,456)	(2,729)
(Loss)/profit for the year	(117,373)	38,327
(Loss)/earnings per share (Rs)	(24.45)	7.98
Statement of comprehensive income		
(Loss)/profit for the year	(117,373)	38,327
Other comprehensive income for the year	(6,430)	(1,404)
Total comprehensive income for the year	(123,803)	36,923

### STATEMENT OF CASH FLOW

THE GROUP - AUDITED

Rs'000	Dec-2017	Dec-2016
Net cash (used in)/generated from operating activities Net cash used in investing activities Net cash (used in)/generated from financing activities (Decrease)/increase in cash and cash equivalents	(10,417) (19,413) (21,600) (51,430)	4,829 (1,269) 28,400 31,960
Movement in cash and cash equivalents		
At the beginning of the year (Decrease)/increase At the end of the year	(43,161) (51,430) (94,591)	(75,121) 31,960 (43,161)

## **COMMENTS:**

1. The abridged financial statement for the year ended 31 December 2017 is audited by BDO & Co. The financial statement complies with the Companies Act 2001 and has been prepared in accordance with International Financial Reporting Standards effective for the year under review.

Declining sugar prices, estimated at Rs 11,000 per ton for the year compared to Rs15,300 per ton in 2016, had a severe impact on the results. Although accompanying measures totaling some Rs 2,700 per ton were available for this crop year, Group revenue fell to Rs 262 million. The Group operating expenses include Rs 52.8 million of impairment/writing down of biological assets pertaining to its sugar activity as a result of the prevailing sugar price.

2. Segmental results for the Group were as follows:

THE GROUP	Dec-2017				Dec-2016				
Rs'000	Agricultural products and related activities	Livestock and aquaculture	Other activities	Total	Agricultural products and related activities	Livestock and aquaculture	Other activities	Total	
Revenues	188,918	58,872	14,582	262,372	220,550	59,313	15,058	294,921	
Operating segment results	(103,144)	18,708	(27,736)	(112,172)	(9,152)	17,770	(25,998)	(17,380)	
Other income			8,736	8,736			45,319	45,319	
Segment results	(103,144)	18,708	(19,000)	(103,436)	(9,152)	17,770	19,321	27,939	

By order of the Board

La Gaieté Services Ltd Secretaries

29 March 2018

The statement of direct and indirect interests of insiders pursuant to rule 8(2)(m) of the Securities (Disclosure obligations of Reporting Issuers) Rules 2007 is available free of charge upon request from the Company Secretary, La Gaieté Services Ltd, 5th Floor, Labama House, 35 Sir William Newton Street, Port Louis. The financial statement is issued pursuant to DEM Listing Rule 18 and the Securities Act 2005. The Board of Directors of Constance La Gaieté Company Limited accepts full responsibility for the accuracy of the information contained in this financial statement. Copies of this abridged audited financial statement are available to the public free of charge at 5th floor, Labama House, 35 Sir William Newton Street, Port Louis, Mauritius.