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Report on Review of Interim Condensed Consolidated Financial Information to the Board of Directors

Kuwait Portland Cement Co. K.P.S.C. State of Kuwait

Introduction

We have reviewed the accompanying interim condensed consolidated statement of financial position of Kuwait Portland Cement Co. K.P.S.C. ("The Parent Company") and its subsidiary (together referred to as "the Group") as at 30 June 2023, and the interim condensed consolidated statements of profit or loss, profit or loss and other comprehensive income, changes in equity and cash flows for the six month period then ended. The preparation and presentation of this interim condensed consolidated financial information is the responsibility of the Parent Company's management in accordance with IAS 34: (Interim Financial Reporting). Our responsibility is to express a conclusion on this interim condensed consolidated financial information based on our review.

Scope of Review

We conducted our review in accordance with the International Standard on Review Engagements 2410, "Review of Interim Financial Information Performed by the Independent Auditor of the Entity." A review of interim condensed consolidated financial information 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 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 information is not prepared, in all material respects, in accordance with International Accounting Standard 34: (Interim Financial Reporting).

Report on Other Legal and Regulatory Requirements

Furthermore, the interim condensed consolidated financial information is in agreement with the books of account. We further report that, based on our review, to the best of our knowledge and belief, no violations of Companies' Law No. 1 of 2016, and its Executive Regulations, as amended, Law No. 7 of 2010 concerning the Establishment of Capital Markets Authority and the Organization of Securities Activity and its Executive Regulations and related instructions, or of the Parent Company's Memorandum of Incorporation and Articles of Association, as amended, have occurred during the six month period ended 30 June 2023, that might have had a material effect on the business of the Group or on its interim condensed consolidated financial position.

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BDO Al Nisf & Partners

Kuwait: 3 August 2023

Interim Condensed Consolidated Statement of Financial Position (Unaudited) As at 30 June 2023

		30 June	(Audited) 31 December	30 June
		2023	2022	2022
Assets	Notes	KD	KD	KD
2000				
Non-current assets	*	0.050.054		12 2 3 3 67 17
Property, plant and equipment Investment in an associate	4	9,870,374	6,789,296	5,911,042
	5	2,682,899	2,707,103	3,576,911
Financial assets at fair value through	2	22 102 606		
other comprehensive income	6	33,189,696	32,146,248	30,361,638
Cumunto accata		45,742,969	41,642,647	39,849,591
Currents assets Trade and other receivables		25 000 005		
		27,009,207	28,930,288	22,943,294
Financial assets at fair value through	_			
profit or loss Inventories	7	14,185,864	13,039,284	13,807,576
		9,160,604	7,587,082	7,930,333
Cash and cash equivalents	8	2,602,488	8,175,000	7,455,242
Trade I		52,958,163	57,731,654	52,136,445
Total assets		98,701,132	99,374,301	91,986,036
E				
Equity and liabilities				
Equity Share conital				
Share capital		10,022,196	10,022,196	10,022,196
Statutory reserve		10,022,196	10,022,196	10,022,196
Voluntary reserve		10,022,196	10,022,196	10,022,196
General reserve		2,500,000	2,500,000	2,500,000
Treasury shares reserve		544,943	544,943	544,943
Change in fair value reserve		7,858,349	8,968,635	16,176,018
Retained earnings		32,852,850_	36,424,992	22,186,429
Total equity		73,822,730	78,505,158	71,473,978
T :- L 1977				
Liabilities				
Non-current liabilities				
Provision for employees' end of service				
indemnity		5,121,643	5,046,806	6,645,166
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Current liabilities				
Trade and other payables	9	14,135,507	14,882,119	12,890,379
Dividends payable		1,123,866	940,218	976,513
Financing from third party	10	4,497,386	-	¥8
		19,756,759	15,822,337	13,866,892
Total liabilities	18	24,878,402	20,869,143	20,512,058
Total equity and liabilities	9	98,701,132	99,374,301	91,986,036
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The accompanying notes from pages 7 to 15 form an integral part of the interim condensed consolidated financial information.

Ahmed Mahmoud Issa Al-Asfoor *Chairman*



Khalifa Hamoud Al Ghanim CEO and Board Member

Interim Condensed Consolidated Statement of Profit or Loss (Unaudited)

For the six month period ended 30 June 2023

Three months ended Six months ended 30 June 30 June 2023 2022 2023 2022	2022
2023 2022 2023	
KD KD KD	KD
Revenues	
Sales 29,910,454 20,855,240 69,675,370	53,769,117
	52,715,904)
Gross profit 967,665 55,345 3,617,166	1,053,213
Unrealized profit / (loss) from financial assets at fair value	
I C. 1	
through profit or loss 67,615 (1,761,636) (383,503) Loss / profit from sale of	567,152
financial assets at fair value	
the state of the s	215 740
Share of associate's business (200,220) 191,314 (200,034)	315,740
results - 19,568 4,153	(183,107)
Interest income 552 1,183 552	1,183
Dividends income 908,397 1,213,883 908,397	1,213,883
Loss from foreign exchange - 2,364 -	2,364
Other revenues531,747	1,015,985
Total revenues 2,275,756 146,077 5,204,121	3,986,413
Expenses and other charges	
General and administrative	
expenses (319,407) (351,117) (962,824)	(909,952)
Distribution expenses (160,448) (118,586) (373,329)	(909,932) $(247,217)$
Finance costs $(10,626)$ - $(10,626)$	(247,217)
Provision for doubtful debts	
no longer required 750,000	
Profit for the period before	
KFAS, NLST, Zakat and	
Directors' remuneration 1,785,275 426,374 3,857,342	2,829,244
Contribution to Kuwait	
Foundation for the	
Advancement of Sciences (17,894) (4,068) (38,573)	(28,097)
National Labour Support Tax (23,800) 30,362 (75,595) Zakat (9,520) 12,145 (30,238)	(71,608)
Zakat (9,520) 12,145 (30,238) Board of Directors'	(28,643)
remuneration (65,000) (65,000) (130,000)	(120,000)
Net profit for the period 1,669,061 399,813 3,582,936	(130,000) 2,570,896
Basic earnings per share	4,370,090
(fils) (Note 11) 16.65 3.99 35.75	25.65



Interim Condensed Consolidated Statement of Profit or Loss and Other Comprehensive Income (Unaudited)

For the six month period ended 30 June 2023

		nths ended June		ths ended June
	2023	2022	2023	2022
	KD	KD	KD	KD
Profit for the period	1,669,061	399,813	3,582,936	2,570,896
Items of other comprehensive (loss) / income: Items that can not be reclassified subsequently in the interim condensed consolidated statement of profit or loss:				
Change in fair value of financial assets at fair value through other comprehensive income				
Other comprehensive (loss) / income for	(964,548)	_(4,421,293)	(1,110,286)	1,343,113
the period Total comprehensive income /(loss) for	(964,548)	(4,421,293)	_(1,110,286)_	1,343,113
the period	704,513	(4,021,480)	2,472,650	3 914 009



Interim condensed consolidated statement of changes in equity (unaudited) For the six month period ended 30 June 2023

Total equity	KD	74,503,519	3,914,009		u l š		200	7 015 490)	71,473,978		78,505,158	2,472,650		(130 500)	(7 015 490)	73,822,730
Retained	KD	26,627,642	2,570,896		(68,559)		1000	7 015 490)	22,186,429		36,424,992	3,582,936		(130 588)	(159,388)	32,852,850
Change in fair value reserve	KD	14,764,346	1,343,113		68,559				16,176,018		8,968,635	(1,110,286)		0	i (i	7,858,349
Treasury shares reserve	KD	544,943	3. 1	*					544,943		544,943	alt		ļ	. 3	544,943
Reserve General	KD	2,500,000	1		ı			. 1	2,500,000		2,500,000	ï		i		2,500,000
Voluntary reserve	KD	10,022,196	T)		L		99	6 1	10,022,196	0000	10,022,196	ř		Ĭ		10,022,196
Statutory reserve	KD	10,022,196	4 8		(1)		a	T	10,022,196	701 000 01	10,022,190	Ē		1	ť	10,022,196
Share capital	KD	10,022,196	a		1			a	10,022,196	10.000.105	10,022,190	5 9 5		ű	1	10,022,196
	Balance as at 31 December	2021	Total comprehensive income for the period Transferred to retained	earnings due to sale of financial assets at fair value through other comprehensive	income Realized profit on sale of	financial assets at fair value	unougn omer comprenensive income	Cash dividends	Balance as at 30 June 2022	Balance as at 31 December	Total comprehensive income	for the period Realised loss on sale of	financials assets at fair value	unough other comprehensive income	Cash dividends	Balance as at 30 June 2023

Interim Condensed Consolidated Statement of Cash Flows (Unaudited)

For the six month period ended 30 June 2023

_	Six months ended 30 June	
	2023	2022
	KD	KD
Operating activities		
Net profit for the period	3,582,936	2,570,896
Adjustments to:		
Depreciation	985,519	675,174
Unrealized loss / (profit) from financial assets at fair value through profit	705,517	073,174
or loss	383,503	(567,152)
Realized loss / (profit) on sale of assets at fair value through profit or loss	200,034	(315,740)
Share of associate's business results	(4,153)	183,107
Dividends income	(908,397)	(1,213,883)
Finance costs	10,626	-
Provision for employees' end of service indemnity	137,218	1,276,764
Manager to the state of the sta	4,387,286	2,609,166
Movements in working capital:		
Trade and other receivables Inventories	3,184,085	(1,939,283)
Trade and other payables	(1,573,522)	(662,004)
Cash from operations	(746,612)	3,666,581
Payment of employees' end of service indemnity provision	5,251,237	3,674,460
Net cash from operating activities	(62,381)	(8,224)
The cash from operating activities	5,188,856	3,666,236
Investing activities		
Paid for purchase of property, machinery and equipment	(631,597)	(372,844)
Financial assets at fair value through other comprehensive income	(2,293,322)	22,262
Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss	(3,634,799)	2,122,960
Proceeds from dispose of part of investment in an associate	28,357	2,122,700
Dividends income received	908,397	1,213,883
Net cash (used in) / generated from investing activities	(5,622,964)	2,986,261
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Financing activities		
Financing from third party	1,704,064	₩.
Dividends payments	(6,831,842)	(6,803,256)
Finance costs paid	(10,626)	
Net cash used in financing activities	(5,138,404)	(6,803,256)
Net decrease in cash and cash equivalents	(E 570 510)	(150.750)
Cash and cash equivalents at beginning of the period	(5,572,512)	(150,759)
Cash and cash equivalents at end of the period (Note 8)	8,175,000	7,606,001
the period (Note of	2,602,488	7,455,242
Non-cash transactions:		
Trade and other receivables	(631,502)	
Property, plant and equipment	(3,435,000)	-
Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss	1,273,180	-
Financing from third party	2,793,322	<u> </u>

Notes to the Interim Condensed Consolidated Financial Information (Unaudited)

For the six month period ended 30 June 2023

1. General Information

Kuwait Portland Cement Company K.P.S.C. ("the Parent Company") was incorporated on 7 July 1976 in Kuwait as per Memorandum of Incorporation No. 966, Volume 2, and was listed in Boursa Kuwait on 1 April 1995. The latest amendment to the Parent Company's Memorandum of Incorporation and Articles of Association was dated 16 May 2022 to amend number of board members to become 10 members instead of 9 members and to add a new article on allowing the Parent Company to practice the following new activity:

Recycling of solid building materials and any other materials related to building materials and waste.

Registration of such amendment in the commercial register was done on 6 June 2022 under No. 24170.

The principal activities of the Parent Company are as follows:

- Trading by import & export in bulk cement and packaging of the different types of cement.
- Constructing, operating, leasing, and renting of stores and silos necessary for the supply and distribution of the different types of cement.
- Acquisition of the means of transportation for that purpose.
- Utilizing the financial surpluses of the Parent Company by investing them in portfolios by specialized companies and entities.
- Manufacturing and marketing of readymade concrete
- Purchasing and importing raw materials, machines and vehicles related to the Group's purposes.
- Acquisition of movables and real estates related to the Group's purposes.
- Activity of aggregate import, trade and sale and acquisition of its equipment, means of transportation and crushers.
- Activity related to sand (Quarries) and acquisition of its equipment and means of transportation.
- Recycling of solid building materials and any other materials related to building materials and waste.

The address of the Parent Company's registered office is P.O. Box, 42191-70652, Shuwaikh, State of Kuwait.

The interim condensed consolidated financial information of Kuwait Portland Cement Company K.S.C. (Public) and its subsidiary (the Group) for the period ended 30 June 2023 were authorized for issue by the Parent Company's board of directors on 3 August 2023.

2. Basis of preparation

This interim condensed consolidated financial information of the Group has been prepared in accordance with International Accounting Standard 34 "Interim Financial Reporting". The interim condensed consolidated financial information does not include all the information and disclosures required for complete annual consolidated financial statements prepared in accordance with International Financial Reporting Standards (IFRS). In the opinion of management, all adjustments consisting of normal recurring accruals considered necessary for fair presentation have been included.

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2. Basis of preparation (Continued)

Operating results for the six month period ended 30 June 2023 are not necessarily indicative of the results that may be expected for the financial year ending 31 December 2023. For further information, please refer to the annual audited consolidated financial statements of the Group for the year ended 31 December 2022.

The interim condensed consolidated financial information has been presented in Kuwaiti Dinars which is the functional and presentation currency of the Group.

New standards, interpretations and amendments adopted by the Group

The accounting policies adopted in the preparation of the interim condensed consolidated financial information are consistent with those adopted in the preparation of the annual consolidated financial statements of the Group for the financial year ended 31 December 2022, except for the adoption of new standards effective as of 1 January 2023. The Group has not early adopted any standard, interpretation or amendment that was issued but not yet effective.

Several amendments are applied for the first time in 2023, but they do not have an impact on the interim condensed consolidated financial information of the Group.

- IFRS 17: Insurance Contracts.
- Definition of Accounting Estimates Amendments to IAS (8).
- Disclosure of Accounting Policies Amendments to IAS (1) and IFRS Practice Statement (2)

3. Use of judgements and estimates

In preparation of the interim condensed consolidated financial information, the management made judgments and estimates that may affect the adoption of accounting policies and the reported amounts of assets and liabilities, revenues and expenses. Actual results may differ from these estimates.

The significant judgements made by management in adopting the Group's accounting policies and the key sources of estimation uncertainty were the same as those described in the last annual consolidated financial statements.

4. Property, plant and equipment

	30 June 2023	(Audited) 31 December 2022	30 June 2022
	KD	KD	KD
Carrying amount as at beginning of the period /			
year	6,789,296	6,213,372	6,213,372
Additions	4,066,597	1,586,724	372,844
Disposals	(16,750)	(53,460)	#)
Depreciation charged during the period/year	(985,519)	(997,785)	(675, 174)
Depreciation related to disposals	16,750	40,445	=
Carrying amount as at the end of the period /		(<u> </u>	
year	9,870,374	6,789,296	5,911,042

The additions include buildings with a value of KD 3,435,000 that the Parent Company acquired according to a final ruling in its favor (Note 16), which is registered in the name of a local bank against an ijarah contract with a promise to ownership (Note 10).

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5. Investment in an associate

Movement in investment in an associate is as follows:

		(Audited)	
	30 June 2023	31 December 2022	30 June 2022
	KD	KD	KD
Balance at beginning of the period/year	2,707,103	3,760,018	3,760,018
Group's share in associates' business results	4,153	(152,915)	(183,107)
Disposals	(28,357)		-
Impairment losses in an associate		(900,000)	
Net carrying amount at end of the period / year	2,682,899	2,707,103	3,576,911

Financial statements prepared by the management were relied on in calculating the Group's share of the results of the operations of an associate company.

The Group made a partial sale of its investment in the associate for an amount of KD 28,357, and the sale price was determined at the same carrying amount and did not result in any profit or loss.

During the subsequent period, the investment in an associate was reclassified to financial assets at fair value through other comprehensive income, as the Parent Company lost significant influence as a result of the resignation of its representative from the membership of the board of directors of the associate.

6. Financial assets at fair value through other comprehensive income

		(Audited)	
	30 June	31 December	30 June
	2023	2022	2022
	KD	KD	KD
Quoted financial assets	33,089,696	32,046,248	30,261,638
Unquoted financial assets	100,000	100,000	100,000
	33,189,696	32,146,248	30,361,638

7. Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss

Tip.	30 June 2023 KD	(Audited) 31 December 2022 KD	30 June 2022 KD
Local quoted financial assets Local unquoted financial assets Foreign quoted financial assets Foreign unquoted financial assets	13,935,400 188,822 5,895 55,747 14,185,864	11,515,932 1,462,002 5,603 55,747 13,039,284	10,675,271 3,059,000 17,558

Notes to the Interim Condensed Consolidated Financial Information (Unaudited)

For	the six month period ended 30 June 2023		(=	
8.	Cash and cash equivalents			
		30 June 2023 KD	(Audited) 31 December 2022 KD	30 June 2022 KD
	Cash on hand Bank balances	206,600 1,861,684	191,007 2,236,400	296,858 3,184,929
	Cash at investment portfolios	534,204 2,602,488	5,747,593 8,175,000	3,973,455 7,455,242
9.	Trade and other payables			
		30 June 2023	(Audited) 31 December 2022	30 June 2022
		KD	KD	KD
	Trade payables Accrued expenses Accrued leaves	11,997,697 876,246 788,692	12,357,295 1,303,622 762,736	11,018,472 875,915 737,644
	Contribution to Kuwait Foundation for the Advancement of Sciences	93,363	54,790	*
	National Labour Support Tax Zakat	178,221 71,288	102,626 41,050	28,097 71,608 28,643
	Board of Directors' remuneration	130,000 14,135,507	260,000 14,882,119	130,000 12,890,379
10.	Financing from third party	£1		
		30 June 2023 KD	(Audited) 31 December 2022	30 June 2022
	Ijarah contract (a) Bank facilities (b)	2,793,322 1,704,064	KD -	KD - -

Financing from third party is as follows:

a- Ijarah contract with a promise to ownership in exchange for buildings at a value of KD 3,435,000 (Note 4) and due on 30 September 2023, is as follows:

4,497,386

		(Audited)	
	30 June 2023 KD	31 December 2022 KD	30 June 2022 KD
Ijarah liability	2,750,000	=	
Costs charged to ijarah contract	43,322	(man)	-
	2,793,322		

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10. Financing from third party (Continued)

b- Bank facilities represented in overdrafts granted by a local bank that are due within one year and carry an interest rate of 1.5% per annum over Central Bank of Kuwait discount rate.

11. Basic earnings per share (fils)

Basic earnings per share are calculated by dividing net profit for the period by the weighted average number of shares:

	Three months ended 30 June		Six months ended 30 June	
	2023	2022	2023	2022
Loss for the period (KD) Weighted average number of outstanding	1,669,061	399,813	3,582,936	2,570,896
shares (shares) Basic earnings per	100,221,960	100,221,960	100,221,960	100,221,960
share (fils)	16.65	3.99	35.75	25.65

12. Related party transactions

Related parties mainly consist of major shareholders, directors and key management personnel, Board members of the Group and entities controlled or significantly influenced by such parties. All related party transactions are carried out on terms approved by the Group's management.

Related parties transactions included in the interim condensed consolidated financial information were as follows:

_	Three months ended 30 June		Six months ended 30 June	
	2023	2022	2023	2022
T. 1	KD	KD	KD	KD
Interim condensed consolidated statement of profit or loss: Staff and executive	а			
managers:				
Salaries and other benefits Directors' remuneration	185,038 65,000	185,038 65,000	370,076 130,000	370,076 130,000

13. Segment information

IFRS 8 requires that operating segments to be identified based on the internal reports of Group segments which are regularly reviewed by the chief decision maker so as to evaluate their performance. The Parent Company's management has classified the Group's products and services into the following operational segments according to the IFRS 8: "Operating Segments":

- Cement, steel, aggregate and ready mix.
- Investments.

Notes to the Interim Condensed Consolidated Financial Information (Unaudited) For the six month period ended 30 June 2023

13. Segment information (Continued)

Below is the analysis of income and profit of segments as disclosed:

	Segments revenues Operational Six months ended 30 June		Net profit Operating Segments	
			Six months ended 30 June	
	2023	2022	2023	2022
	KD	KD	KD	KD
Cement, steel, aggregate and				
ready mix	69,675,370	53,769,117	3,617,166	1,053,213
Investments		-	329,565	1,917,215
Total for operations	69,675,370	53,769,117	3,946,731	2,970,428
Unallocated income			1,257,390	1,015,985
General, administrative and			and the second second	,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,
distribution expenses			(1,336,153)	(1,157,169)
Finance costs			(10,626)	_
Withholdings and tax			(144,406)	(128,348)
Directors' remuneration	v.		(130,000)	(130,000)
Net profit for the period			3,582,936	2,570,896

For the purposes of monitoring segment performance and allocating resources between segments, the segment assets and liabilities are as follows:

as follows.		
30 June 2023	(Audited) 31 December 2022	30 June 2022
KD	KD	KD
48,642,673 50,058,459	51,481,666 47,892,635	44,239,911 47,746,125
98,701,132	99,374,301	91,986,036
30 June 	(Audited) 31 December 2022	30 June 2022 KD
	RD	KD
19,257,150 <u>5,621,252</u> 24,878,402	19,928,925 <u>940,218</u> 20,869,143	19,535,545 976,513 20,512,058
	2023 KD 48,642,673 50,058,459 98,701,132 30 June 2023 KD 19,257,150 5,621,252	CAudited 31 December 2023 KD KD

14. Fair value measurement

The following table provides an analysis of financial instruments that are measured subsequent to initial recognition at fair value, grouped into Levels 1 to 3 based on the degree to which the fair value is observable:

• Level 1 fair value measurements are those derived from quoted prices (unadjusted) in active markets for identical assets.

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14. Fair value measurement (Continued)

- Level 2 fair value measurements are those derived from inputs other than quoted prices included within Level 1 that are supported by observable sources for the assets, either directly (i.e. as prices) or indirectly (i.e. derived from prices).
- Level 3 fair value measurements are those derived from valuation techniques that include inputs for the asset that are not based on observable market data (unobservable inputs).

The level within which the financial asset is classified is determined based on the lowest level of significant input to the fair value measurement.

The financial assets measured at fair value in the interim condensed consolidated statement of financial position are grouped into the fair value hierarchy as follows:

30 June 2023 Level 1 Level 3	Total
KD KD	KD
Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss	
Quoted equities 13,941,295	13,941,295
Unquoted equities - 244,569	244,569
Financial assets at fair value through other comprehensive income Quoted equities 33,089,696 Unquoted equities - 100,000	33,089,696 100,000
31 December 2022 Level 1 Level 3	7F 4 1
<u> Level 3</u>	Total
Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss	KD
Quoted equities 11,521,535	11,521,535
Unquoted equities - 1,517,749	1,517,749
Financial assets at fair value through other comprehensive income Quoted equities 32,046,248	32,046,248
Unquoted equities - 100,000	100,000
30 June 2022 <u>Level 1</u> <u>Level 3</u>	Total
Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss KD KD	KD
Quoted equities 10,692,829	10,692,829
Unquoted equities - 3,114,747 Financial assets at fair value through other	3,114,747
Comprehensive income Quoted equities 30.261.638	2.0
Unquoted equities 30,261,638 - 100,000	30,261,638
	100,000

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14. Fair value measurement (Continued)

The fair value of financial instruments traded in active markets is based on quoted market prices at the reporting date. A market is regarded as active if quoted prices are readily and regularly available from an exchange, dealer, broker, industry group, pricing service, or regulatory agency, and those prices represent actual and regularly occurring market transactions on an arm's length basis. These instruments are included in Level 1.

The fair value of financial instruments that are not traded in an active market is determined by using valuation techniques. These valuation techniques maximise the use of observable market data where it is available and rely as little as possible on the Group's specific estimates. If all significant inputs required to fair value an instrument are observable, the instrument is included in level 2.

If one or more of the significant inputs is not based on observable market data, the instrument is included in Level 3. Valuation of unquoted equity investments classified under level 3 is normally based on price to book value technique, dividend yield method and external valuations with marketability discount provided.

15. Contingent liabilities

	(Audited)		
	30 June 2023	31 December 2022	30 June 2022
	KD	KD	KD
Letters of guarantee	32,040,433	32,040,433	43,386,633

16. Lawsuits and claims

During the period, an appeal judgment was issued in favor of the Parent Company in the amount of KD 1,273,180 related to a claim for the value of a real estate portfolio and its returns, after the court deducted the value of two real estate owned by a Kuwaiti bank from the dues of the aforementioned Company, charged with indebtedness to the bank, and this judgment is being appealed by cassation to claim the rest of the dues.

The effect of the above ruling is as follows:

	30 June 2023
	KD
Total due to the Parent Company according to the issued ruling	1,273,180
Addition to leased real estate properties based on valuation from an accredited valuer to property, plant and equipment (Note 4) Addition to indebtedness represented in ijarah contract (Note 10) Total amount of recoveries from financial assets at fair value through profit or loss	3,435,000 (2,793,322) 641,678
The residual of the total balance of the real estate portfolio within financial assets at fair value through profit or loss and transferred to trade and other receivables according to the judgment issued in favor of the Parent Company.	631,502

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17. General Assembly of Shareholders

On 2 May 2023, the Parent Company's shareholders' general assembly meeting was held and decided the following:

- Approval of the consolidated financial statements for the financial year ended 31 December 2022.
- Approval of the distribution of cash dividends at 70% of the capital, at 70 fils per share, with a total amount of KD 7,015,495, for shareholders registered on the maturity date 17 May 2023 (distributing cash dividends at 70% of the capital, at 70 fils per share, for the year ended 31 December 2022).
- Approval of Board of Directors' remuneration of KD 260,000.