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UNAUDITED CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF PROFIT OR LOSS AND OTHER COMPREHENSIVE INCOME FOR THE FIRST QUARTER ENDED 30 NOVEMBER 2015 $^{(1)}$

| | INDIVIDUAI | L QUARTER | CUMULATIVE QUARTER | | |
|--|--------------|----------------|--------------------|-----------------|--|
| | Current Year | Preceding Year | Current Year- | Preceding Year- | |
| | Quarter | Quarter | To-Date | To-Date | |
| | 30.11.2015 | 30.11.2014 | 30.11.2015 | 30.11.2014 | |
| | RM'000 | RM'000 | RM'000 | RM'000 | |
| | | | | | |
| Revenue | 21,030 | 16,323 | 21,030 | 16,323 | |
| Cost of sales | (11,740) | (9,392) | (11,740) | (9,392) | |
| Gross profit | 9,290 | 6,931 | 9,290 | 6,931 | |
| Other operating income | 5 | 63 | 5 | 63 | |
| Distribution expenses | (1,992) | (1,883) | (1,992) | (1,883) | |
| Administrative expenses | (3,598) | (2,548) | (3,598) | (2,548) | |
| Other operating expenses | (187) | (294) | (187) | (294) | |
| Operating profit | 3,518 | 2,269 | 3,518 | 2,269 | |
| Interest income | 9 | 113 | 9 | 113 | |
| Finance costs | (287) | (96) | (287) | (96) | |
| Profit before tax | 3,240 | 2,286 | 3,240 | 2,286 | |
| Tax expense | (920) | (638) | (920) | (638) | |
| Profit/Total comprehensive income for the financial period | 2,320 | 1,648 | 2,320 | 1,648 | |
| | | | | | |
| Profit/Total comprehensive income attributable to: | 2.022 | 1.640 | 2.022 | 1.640 | |
| - Owners of the Company | 2,032 288 | 1,648 | 2,032 288 | 1,648 | |
| - Non-controlling interests | 2,320 | 1,648 | 2,320 | 1,648 | |
| Earnings per share (sen) attributable to owners of the | | | | | |
| Company: | | | | | |
| - Basic (2) | 1.60 | 1.30 | 1.60 | 1.30 | |
| - Diluted | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A | |
| | | | | | |

Notes

N/A Not applicable

⁽¹⁾ The Unaudited Condensed Consolidated Statement of Profit or Loss and Other Comprehensive Income should be read in conjunction with the Audited Financial Statements of Sasbadi Holdings Berhad ("the Company") for the financial year ended 31 August 2015 and the accompanying explanatory notes attached to these interim financial statements.

⁽²⁾ Based on the weighted average number of ordinary shares in issue as detailed in Note B11.



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UNAUDITED CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION AS AT 30 NOVEMBER 2015 $^{(1)}$

| | | Unaudited | Audited | |
|-------------------|--|------------------|------------|--|
| | | As at | As at | |
| | | 30.11.2015 | 31.08.2015 | |
| | | RM'000 | RM'000 | |
| ASSETS | | | | |
| Property, p | lant and equipment | 30,437 | 30,872 | |
| Intangible | | 21,995 | 22,326 | |
| Other inves | stments | 343 | 343 | |
| Deferred ta | xassets | 64 | 64 | |
| Total non-curr | ent assets | 52,839 | 53,605 | |
| Inventories | s | 37,583 | 37,060 | |
| Current tax | assets | 1,787 | 1,144 | |
| Trade and | other receivables | 49,221 | 40,417 | |
| Prepaymen | ts | 238 | 244 | |
| Cash and c | ash equivalents | 9,062 | 8,338 | |
| Total current a | ssets | 97,891 | 87,203 | |
| Total assets | | 150,730 | 140,808 | |
| EQUITY | | | | |
| Share capit | al | 63,500 | 63,500 | |
| Share prem | ium | 13,461 | 13,461 | |
| Reserves | | 30,301 | 28,269 | |
| Equity attributa | ible to owners of the Company | 107,262 | 105,230 | |
| Non-controlling | interests | 5,349 | 5,061 | |
| Total equity | | 112,611 | 110,291 | |
| LIABILITIES | | | | |
| Borrowings | s | 74 | 99 | |
| Deferred ta | x liabilities | 5,986 | 6,092 | |
| Total non-curr | ent liabilities | 6,060 | 6,191 | |
| Borrowings | s | 17,538 | 9,333 | |
| Provisions | | 1,395 | 1,199 | |
| | other payables | 12,873 | 13,438 | |
| Current tax | 1.7 | 253 | 356 | |
| Total current li | | 32,059 | 24,326 | |
| Total liabilities | | 38,119 | 30,517 | |
| Total equity and | | 150,730 | 140,808 | |
| | share attributable to the owners of the Compar | ny (RM) (2) 0.84 | 0.83 | |



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Notes:

- (1) The Unaudited Condensed Consolidated Statement of Financial Position should be read in conjunction with the Audited Financial Statements of the Company for the financial year ended 31 August 2015 and the accompanying explanatory notes attached to these interim financial statements.
- (2) Based on the issued share capital of 127,000,000 ordinary shares.



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UNAUDITED CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN EQUITY FOR THE FIRST QUARTER ENDED 30 NOVEMBER 2015 (1)

| | Share capital RM'000 | Non- distributable Share premium RM'000 | Non- distributable Merger deficit RM'000 | Non- distributable Revaluation reserve RM'000 | Distributable Retained earnings RM'000 | Total RM'000 | Non-controlling interests RM'000 | Total equity RM'000 |
|--|-------------------------|--|---|---|--|-----------------|----------------------------------|------------------------|
| At 1 September 2015 | 63,500 | 13,461 | (50,500) | 13,596 | 65,173 | 105,230 | 5,061 | 110,291 |
| Profit/Total comprehensive income for the financial period | - | _ | - | _ | 2,032 | 2,032 | 288 | 2,320 |
| At 30 November 2015 | 63,500 | 13,461 | (50,500) | 13,596 | 67,205 | 107,262 | 5,349 | 112,611 |
| At 1 September 2014 | 63,500 | 13,461 | (50,500) | 13,596 | 53,652 | 93,709 | - | 93,709 |
| Profit/Total comprehensive income for the financial period | - | - | - | - | 1,648 | 1,648 | _ | 1,648 |
| At 30 November 2014 | 63,500 | 13,461 | (50,500) | 13,596 | 55,300 | 95,357 | - | 95,357 |

Note:

⁽¹⁾ The Unaudited Condensed Consolidated Statement of Changes in Equity should be read in conjunction with the Audited Financial Statements of the Company for the financial year ended 31 August 2015 and the accompanying explanatory notes attached to these interim financial statements.



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UNAUDITED CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS FOR THE FIRST QUARTER ENDED 30 NOVEMBER 2015 $^{\rm (l)}$

| | Current | Preceding |
|---|-------------------------|--------------|
| | Year-To-Date 30.11.2015 | Year-To-Date |
| | | 30.11.2014 |
| | RM'000 | RM'000 |
| Cash flows from operating activities | | |
| Profit before tax | 3,240 | 2,286 |
| Adjustments for: | | |
| Amortisation of intangible assets | 331 | 137 |
| Depreciation on property, plant and equipment | 613 | 534 |
| Gain on disposal of property, plant and equipment | (5) | (63) |
| Net inventories write-down | 208 | 673 |
| Interest expense | 282 | 91 |
| Interest income | (9) | (113) |
| Provision/(Reversal of provision) for sales returns | 196 | (586) |
| Operating profit before changes in working capital | 4,856 | 2,959 |
| Changes in inventories | (731) | (3,405) |
| Changes in trade and other receivables and prepayments | (8,798) | (796) |
| Changes in trade and other payables | (565) | 3,004 |
| Cash (used in)/generated from operations | (5,238) | 1,762 |
| Taxpaid | (1,772) | (1,855) |
| Interest paid | (279) | (88) |
| Interest received | 9 | 113 |
| Net cash used in operating activities | (7,280) | (68) |
| Cash flows from investing activities | | |
| Acquisition of intangible assets | - | (1,000) |
| Acquisition of property, plant and equipment | (178) | (900) |
| Proceeds from disposal of property, plant and equipment | 5 | 63 |
| Net cash used in investing activities | (173) | (1,837) |



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UNAUDITED CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS FOR THE FIRST QUARTER ENDED 30 NOVEMBER 2015 $^{\rm (1)}$ (CONT'D)

| | | Current | Preceding | |
|-------------|--|--|-------------------|--|
| | | Year-To-Date | Year-To-Date | |
| | | 30.11.2015 | 30.11.2014 | |
| | | RM'000 | RM'000 | |
| Cash flow | s from financing activities | | | |
| Net drawd | lown of bankers' acceptance | 3,655 | - | |
| Interest pa | aid | (3) | (3) | |
| Repaymen | nt of finance lease liabilities | (25) | (25) | |
| Net cash g | generated from/(used in) financing activities | 3,627 | (28) | |
| Net decre | ase in cash and cash equivalents | (3,826) | (1,933) | |
| Cash and | cash equivalents at beginning of the financial p | eriod 45 | 20,562 | |
| Cash and | cash equivalents at end of the financial period | (3,781) | 18,629 | |
| Cash and | cash equivalents included in the statement of ca | ash flows comprise the following state | ment of financial | |
| position a | | | | |
| position a | Cash and bank balances | 8,555 | 24,407 | |
| position a | | 8,555 507 | 24,407 39 | |
| position a | Cash and bank balances | -, | | |
| position a | Cash and bank balances | 507 | 39 | |

Note:

(1) The Unaudited Condensed Consolidated Statement of Cash Flows should be read in conjunction with the Audited Financial Statements of the Company for the financial year ended 31 August 2015 and the accompanying explanatory notes attached to these interim financial statements.



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A EXPLANATION NOTES PURSUANT TO MALAYSIA FINANCIAL REPORTING STANDARD ("MFRS") 134: INTERIM FINANCIAL REPORTING

A1. Accounting Policies and Basis of Preparation

The interim financial statements are unaudited and have been prepared in accordance with the requirements of Malaysian Financial Reporting Standard ("MFRS") 134: Interim Financial Reporting issued by the Malaysian Accounting Standards Board ("MASB"), International Accounting Standard ("IAS") 34: Interim Financial Reporting issued by the International Accounting Standard Board ("IASB") and paragraph 9.22 and Part A of Appendix 9B of the Main Market Listing Requirements ("Listing Requirements") of Bursa Malaysia Securities Berhad ("Bursa Securities").

These interim financial statements should be read in conjunction with the Audited Financial Statements of the Company for the financial year ended 31 August 2015 and the accompanying explanatory notes attached to these interim financial statements.

These interim financial statements provide an explanation of events and transactions that are significant to an understanding of the changes in the financial position and performance of the Company and its subsidiaries ("the Group") since the financial year ended 31 August 2015.

The significant accounting policies and methods of computation applied in these unaudited condensed interim financial statements are consistent with those adopted as disclosed in the Audited Financial Statements of the Company for the financial year ended 31 August 2015, except for the following accounting standards, amendments and interpretations that have been issued by the MASB but have not been adopted by the Group:

MFRSs, Interpretations and amendments effective for annual periods beginning on or after 1 January 2016

- Amendments to MFRS 5, Non-current Assets Held for Sale and Discontinued Operations (Annual Improvements 2012-2014 Cycle)
- Amendments to MFRS 7, Financial Instruments: Disclosures (Annual Improvements 2012-2014 Cycle)
- Amendments to MFRS 10, Consolidated Financial Statements and MFRS 128, Investments in Associates and Joint Ventures Sale or Contribution of Assets between an Investor and its Associate or Joint Venture
- Amendments to MFRS 10, Consolidated Financial Statements, MFRS 12, Disclosure of Interests in Other Entities and MFRS 128, Investments in Associates and Joint Ventures Investment Entities: Applying the Consolidation Exception
- Amendments to MFRS 11, Joint Arrangements Accounting for Acquisitions of Interests in Joint Operations
- MFRS 14, Regulatory Deferral Accounts
- Amendments to MFRS 101, Presentation of Financial Statements Disclosure Initiative
- Amendments to MFRS 116, Property, Plant and Equipment and MFRS 138, Intangible Assets Clarification of Acceptable Methods of Depreciation and Amortisation
- Amendments to MFRS 116, Property, Plant and Equipment and MFRS 141, Agriculture Agriculture: Bearer Plants
- Amendments to MFRS 119, Employee Benefits (Annual Improvements 2012-2014 Cycle)
- Amendments to MFRS 127, Separate Financial Statements Equity Method in Separate Financial Statements
- Amendments to MFRS 134, Interim Financial Reporting (Annual Improvements 2012-2014 Cycle)



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MFRSs, Interpretations and amendments effective for annual periods beginning on or after 1 January 2018

- MFRS 9, Financial Instruments (2014)
- MFRS 15, Revenue from Contracts with Customers

The Group plans to apply the abovementioned accounting standards, amendments and interpretations:

- From the annual period beginning on 1 September 2016 for those accounting standards, amendments or interpretations that are effective for annual periods beginning on or after 1 January 2016, except for Amendments to MFRS 11, MFRS 14, Amendment to MFRS 141 and Amendments to MFRS 119 which are not applicable to the Group.
- From the annual period beginning on 1 September 2018 for those accounting standards, amendments or interpretations that are effective for annual periods beginning on or after 1 January 2018.

The initial application of the accounting standards, amendments or interpretations are not expected to have any material financial impacts to the financial statements of the Group except as mentioned below:

MFRS 9, Financial Instruments

MFRS 9 replaces the guidance in MFRS 139, *Financial Instruments: Recognition and Measurement* on the classification and measurement of financial assets and financial liabilities, and on hedge accounting.

The Group is currently assessing the financial impact that may arise from the adoption of MFRS 9.

MFRS 15, Revenue from Contracts with Customers

MFRS 15 replaces the guidance in MFRS 111, Construction Contracts, MFRS 118, Revenue, IC Interpretation 13, Customer Loyalty Programmes, IC Interpretation 15, Agreements for Construction of Real Estate, IC Interpretation 18, Transfer of Assets from Customers and IC Interpretation 131, Revenue - Barter Transactions Involving Advertising Services.

The Group is currently assessing the financial impact that may arise from the adoption of MFRS 15.

A2. Auditors' Report on Preceding Annual Financial Statements

The Auditors' Reports on the financial statements of the Company and its subsidiaries for the financial year ended 31 August 2015 were not qualified.

A3. Seasonality or Cyclicality of Operations

The Group's business operations are exposed to seasonality patterns as the Group generally experiences significantly higher quarterly sales in the second financial quarter (December to February) compared to the other three (3) financial quarters. This is primarily caused by the timing of the start of the academic year for national schools. As a result, the seasonal sales patterns may adversely impact on the Group's quarterly revenue, profit and cash flow. Nevertheless, the Group takes the seasonality patterns into consideration in our cash flow planning.



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A4. Unusual Items

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

A5. Changes in Estimates

There were no changes in the estimates that have a material effect in the current financial quarter.

A6. Debt and Equity Securities

There was no issuance, cancellation, repurchase, resale or repayment of debt and equity securities in the current financial quarter.

A7. Dividend Paid

No dividend was paid by the Company in the current financial quarter.



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A8. Segment Information

Segmental information is presented in accordance with the Group's entities, which are the Group's strategic business units.

| | <current 30.11.2015<="" and="" current="" ended="" financial="" quarter="" th="" year-to-date=""></current> | | | | | | | | |
|--------------------------|---|--|---------------------------------|--|---|--|-----------------------------|--|-----------------|
| | Sasbadi Sdn Bhd RM'000 | Sasbadi Online Sdn Bhd RM'000 | Orbit Buku Sdn Bhd RM'000 | Malaysian Book Promotions Sdn Bhd RM'000 | Sasbadi Learning Solutions Sdn Bhd RM'000 | Sanjung Unggul Sdn Bhd and its subsidiaries RM'000 | Other entities RM'000 | Inter- company elimination RM'000 | Total RM'000 |
| | | | | | | | | | |
| Revenue | | | | | | | | | |
| Revenue | 14,738 | 852 | 247 | 826 | 751 | 5,354 | - | (1,738) | 21,030 |
| Cost of sales | (8,693) | (579) | (158) | (345) | (371) | (3,332) | - | 1,738 | (11,740) |
| Gross profit | 6,045 | 273 | 89 | 481 | 380 | 2,022 | - | - | 9,290 |
| Add/(Less) | | | | | | | | | |
| Other operating income | | | | | | | | | 5 |
| Distribution expenses | | | | | | | | | (1,992 |
| Administrative expenses | | | | | | | | | (3,598) |
| Other operating expenses | | | | | | | | | (187 |
| Operating profit | | | | | | | | | 3,518 |

| | Preceding financial year's corresponding quarter and year-to-date ended 30.11.2014> | | | | | | | | |
|--------------------------|---|--|---------------------------------|--|-----------------------------|--|-----------------|--|--|
| | Sasbadi Sdn Bhd RM'000 | Sasbadi Online Sdn Bhd RM'000 | Orbit Buku Sdn Bhd RM'000 | Malaysian Book Promotions Sdn Bhd RM'000 | Other entities RM'000 | Inter- company elimination RM'000 | Total RM'000 | | |
| Revenue | | | | | | | | | |
| Revenue | 15,390 | 311 | 61 | 719 | - | (158) | 16,323 | | |
| Cost of sales | (9,043) | (146) | (68) | (293) | - | 158 | (9,392) | | |
| Gross profit | 6,347 | 165 | (7) | 426 | - | - | 6,931 | | |
| Add/(Less) | | | | | | | | | |
| Other operating income | | | | | | | 63 | | |
| Distribution expenses | | | | | | | (1,883) | | |
| Administrative expenses | | | | | | | (2,548) | | |
| Other operating expenses | | | | | | | (294) | | |
| Operating profit | | | | | | | 2,269 | | |

A9. Valuation of Property, Plant and Equipment

There was no valuation of property, plant and equipment undertaken in the current financial quarter.

A10. Material Events Subsequent to the End of the Interim Period

Save for the private placement, proposed share split and proposed amendment to the Memorandum of Association of the Company as disclosed in Note B7(i)(c) below, there were no material events subsequent to the end of the current financial quarter up to the date of this report that have not been reflected in the financial statements.



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A11. Effects of Changes in Composition of the Group

There were no changes in the composition of the Group during the current financial quarter.

A12. Capital Commitments

Save for the proposed acquisition of the leasehold industrial land with a three (3) – storey factory building erected thereon for a total cash consideration of RM7,500,000.00 (as disclosed in Note B7(i)(b) below), of which RM1,200,000.00 has been paid up to 30 November 2015, there were no material capital commitments for the Group for the current financial quarter.

A13. Changes in Contingent Liabilities and Contingent Assets

Contingent Liabilities

| | As at | As at |
|---|------------|------------|
| | 30.11.2015 | 31.08.2015 |
| | RM'000 | RM'000 |
| | | |
| | | |
| Bank guarantees obtained by the subsidiary, Sasbadi | | |
| Sdn Bhd, to the Ministry of Education Malaysia | 488 | 488 |
| | | |
| | | |

Contingent Assets

The Group does not have any material contingent assets as at 30 November 2015.



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B ADDITIONAL INFORMATION REQUIRED BY THE MAIN MARKET LISTING REQUIREMENTS OF BURSA SECURITIES MALAYSIA BERHAD

B1. Review of Performance

The Group recorded a revenue and profit before tax ("PBT") of RM21.030 million and RM3.240 million, respectively, for the current financial quarter as compared to RM16.323 million and RM2.286 million, respectively, for the preceding financial year's corresponding quarter.

The increase in revenue and PBT was mainly attributable to the consolidation of the results of Sanjung Unggul Sdn Bhd ("Sanjung Unggul") and its subsidiaries ("Sanjung Unggul Group") for the current financial quarter post acquisition of 70% equity interest in Sanjung Unggul by the Company (in August 2015). To recap, the Sanjung Unggul Group is principally involved in publishing books and educational materials catering for students in national-type Chinese schools (Sekolah Jenis Kebangsaan (Cina)). The Sanjung Unggul Group recorded a revenue, gross profit and PBT of RM5.354 million, RM2.022 million and RM1.282 million, respectively, for the current financial quarter.

B2. Variation of Results for the current financial quarter ended 30 November 2015 against the immediate preceding financial quarter

There are no material variations in terms of the revenue and PBT recorded by the Group for the current financial quarter vis-à-vis the immediate preceding financial quarter (Current Financial Quarter: Revenue of RM21.030 million and PBT of RM3.240 million, vis-à-vis Immediate Preceding Financial Quarter: Revenue of RM20.104 million and RM3.327 million).

B3. Group's Prospects for the financial year ending ("FYE") 31 August 2016

The withdrawal of fuel subsidies, the implementation of the Goods and Services Tax, the fall in global oil prices, and the depreciating ringgit against the US dollar and other major currencies, have all contributed to the increasing cost of living and doing business in our country. Notwithstanding that, based on the Economic Report 2015/2016, the Malaysian economy is expected to expand between 4% and 5% in 2016. The growth is expected to be driven by domestic demand, with private expenditure being the main anchor.

On the education front, the sector has demonstrated resilient characteristics and continued to receive a substantial allocation (RM41.3 billion) under the 2016 National Budget with multiple proposals announced to push the objectives outlined in the Malaysian Education Blueprint 2013-2025. The Ministry of Education Malaysia ("MoE") has also announced new textbook tenders in October and December 2015, and January 2016, for various packages which include, among others, textbooks for Year 1 of national-type Chinese and Tamil schools, and Form 1, Form 3 and Form 4 of national secondary schools. The winning tenderers are expected to publish, print and deliver the textbooks to the respective schools in the last quarter of the calendar year 2016 (for use in the calendar year 2017).

The Group will continue to pursue acquisition opportunities, besides organic growth, as a strategy for growth. The Group will continue to look for acquisition targets or intellectual property rights within the education/publishing industry which are synergistic or complementary to our business. For organic growth, the Group will continue to introduce new titles/products to the market and collaborate with strategic partners to open up new sales channels. The Group will participate in textbook tenders and explore opportunities for other MoE tenders.

Premised on the above and barring any unforeseen circumstances, the Group remains positive of our prospects and performance for FYE 31 August 2016.



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B4. Variance of Profit Forecast

No profit forecast has been issued by the Group previously in any public document.

B5. Notes to the Statement of Comprehensive Income

The profit before tax is arrived at after charging/(crediting):

| | INDIVIDUA | L QUARTER | CUMULATIVE QUARTER | | |
|-------------------------------------|--------------|----------------|--------------------|-----------------|--|
| | Current Year | Preceding Year | Current Year- | Preceding Year- | |
| | Quarter | Quarter | To-Date | To-Date | |
| | 30.11.2015 | 30.11.2014 | 30.11.2015 | 30.11.2014 | |
| | RM'000 | RM'000 | RM'000 | RM'000 | |
| | | | | | |
| Amortisation of intangible assets | 331 | 137 | 331 | 137 | |
| Depreciation on property, plant | | | | | |
| and equipment | 613 | 534 | 613 | 534 | |
| Gain on disposal of property, plant | | | | | |
| and equipment | (5) | (63) | (5) | (63) | |
| Interest expense | 282 | 91 | 282 | 91 | |
| Interest income | (9) | (113) | (9) | (113) | |
| Net inventories write-down | 208 | 673 | 208 | 673 | |
| Realised foreign exchange loss | 1 | 81 | 1 | 81 | |
| Provision/(Reversal of provision) | | | | | |
| for sales returns | 196 | (586) | 196 | (586) | |

Save as disclosed above, the other items as required under paragraph 16 of Part A of Appendix 9B of the Main Market Listing Requirements of Bursa Securities are not applicable.



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B6. Income Tax Expense

| | INDIVIDUAI | L QUARTER | CUMULATIVE QUARTER | | | |
|--------------------------|--------------|----------------|--------------------|-----------------|--|--|
| | Current Year | Preceding Year | Current Year- | Preceding Year- | | |
| | Quarter | Quarter | To-Date | To-Date | | |
| | 30.11.2015 | 30.11.2014 | 30.11.2015 | 30.11.2014 | | |
| | RM'000 | RM'000 | RM'000 | RM'000 | | |
| Current tax expense | | | | | | |
| - current period | 1,026 | 559 | 1,026 | 559 | | |
| - prior period | - | - | - | _ | | |
| | 1,026 | 559 | 1,026 | 559 | | |
| Deferred tax expense | | | | | | |
| - current period | (106) | 79 | (106) | 79 | | |
| - prior period | - | - | - | - | | |
| | (106) | 79 | (106) | 79 | | |
| Total income tax expense | 920 | 638 | 920 | 638 | | |

The effective tax rate for the current financial quarter is higher than the statutory tax rate of 25% mainly due to non-deductible expenses and unutilised tax losses.

B7. Status of Corporate Proposals and Utilisation of Proceeds

(i) Status of Corporate Proposals

Save as disclosed below, there were no corporate proposals announced but not completed at the date of this report:

- (a) The Company has, on 29 June 2015, entered into a conditional share sale agreement ("SSA") with Chua Chong Keow, Amir Hamzah Bin Mohd Yusof and Norizan Binti Samausi to acquire 100% of the issued and paid-up share capital of PMI Education Sdn Bhd, comprising 1,000,000 ordinary shares of RM1.00 each, for a purchase price of RM2,600,000.00 to be settled via cash ("Proposed PMI Acquisition"). The Proposed PMI Acquisition is pending fulfillment of the conditions precedent as set out in the SSA.
- (b) Sasbadi Sdn Bhd, a wholly-owned subsidiary of the Company, has, on 13 August 2015, entered into a conditional sale and purchase agreement with Tama Equity Sdn Bhd to acquire a parcel of leasehold industrial land held under H.S.(D) 283534, PT 12527, Pekan Baru Sungai Buloh, Daerah Petaling, Negeri Selangor, measuring approximately 1,157.993 square meters (equivalent to 12,464.53 square feet) with a three (3) storey factory building erected thereon, for a total cash consideration of RM7,500,000.00 ("Proposed Property Acquisition"). The Proposed Property Acquisition is pending completion.



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- (c) The Company has, on 21 December 2015, announced the following proposals ("Proposals"):
 - Proposed private placement of up to ten percent (10%) of the issued and paid-up share capital of the Company to third party investor(s) to be identified ("Private Placement").
 - Proposed share split involving the subdivision of every one (1) existing ordinary share of RM0.50 each in the Company into two (2) ordinary shares of RM0.25 each in the Company held on an entitlement date to be determined and announced later ("Proposed Share Split").
 - Proposed amendment to the Memorandum of Association of the Company to facilitate the implementation of the Proposed Share Split ("Proposed Amendment").

The Company has placed out 12,700,000 new ordinary shares of RM0.50 each in the Company at RM2.49 per share pursuant to the Private Placement, which was completed on 20 January 2016, raising a total proceeds of RM31,623,000.00. The proceeds raised are expected to be utilised in the following manner:

| | Purpose | Proposed utilisation | Estimated timeframe for utilisation (from receipt of proceeds) |
|-------|--|----------------------|--|
| | | RM'000 | |
| (i) | Part financing of future acquisition(s) of publishing/education/education-related business(es), or intellectual property rights. | 20,000 | Within eighteen (18) months |
| (ii) | Part repayment of bank borrowings | 6,000 | Within three (3) months |
| (iii) | Working capital* | 5,103 | Within six (6) months |
| (iv) | Estimated expenses in relation to the Proposals* | 520 | Within one (1) month |
| | Total gross proceeds | 31,623 | |

Note:

The Proposed Share Split and Proposed Amendment will be tabled for the shareholders' at our forthcoming Annual General Meeting.

^{*} Any variation in the actual amount of the expenses will be adjusted to the portion of the proceeds to be utilised for working capital purposes.



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(ii) Utilisation of proceeds

The Company was listed on the Main Market of Bursa Securities on 23 July 2014. The status of the utilisation of the gross proceeds of RM25.228 million raised from the Public Issue as at 30 November 2015 is as follows:

| | Purpose | Proposed utilisation | Actual utilisation | Deviation | Balance | Estimated timeframe for utilisation (from the listing date) |
|-------|---|----------------------|-----------------------|-----------|---------|---|
| | Turpose | RM'000 | RM'000 | RM'000 | RM'000 | noting dutcy |
| (i) | Establishment of applied learning centres | 1,000 | (134) | - | 866 | Within two (2) years |
| (ii) | Part-financing of proposed acquisition of publishing businesses | 17,500^ | (17,500) | - | - | Within two (2) years |
| (iii) | Financing of the acquisition of intellectual property rights | 1,000^^ | (1,000) | - | - | Within one (1) year |
| (iv) | Working capital | 2,728 | (2,379) | (349)* | _ | Within one (1) year |
| (v) | Estimated listing expenses | 3,000 | (3,349) | 349* | - | Upon Listing |
| | Total gross proceeds | 25,228 | (24,362) | - | 866 | • |

Note: The utilisation of proceeds as disclosed above should be read in conjunction with Section 3.6 of the Prospectus of the Company dated 7 July 2014 and the Company's announcements dated 29 October 2014 and 7 August 2015.

[^] Revised as per the Company's announcements dated 29 October 2014 and 7 August 2015.

[^] Revised as per the Company's announcement dated 29 October 2014.

^{*} The actual listing expenses incurred were more than the estimated listing expenses by RM0.349 million mainly due to higher than estimated professional fees, underwriting commission and placement fee. In accordance with Section 3.6 of the Prospectus of the Company dated 7 July 2014, the deficit was funded out of the portion allocated for working capital.



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B8. Group Borrowings

Total Group borrowings as at 30 November 2015 were as follows:

| | As at | As at 31.08.2015 RM'000 | |
|--------------------------------|------------|-------------------------------|--|
| | 30.11.2015 | | |
| | RM'000 | | |
| Non-current | | | |
| Finance lease liabilities | 74 | 99 | |
| | 74 | 99 | |
| Current | | | |
| Finance lease liabilities | 99 | 99 | |
| Bank overdraft - secured | 12,843 | 8,293 | |
| Bankers' acceptances - secured | 4,596 | 941 | |
| | 17,538 | 9,333 | |
| | 17,612 | 9,432 | |
| | | | |

The above borrowings are denominated in Ringgit Malaysia.

B9. Material Litigation

The Group is not engaged in any material litigation either as plaintiff or defendant, which has a material effect on the financial position of the Group, and the Directors do not have any knowledge of any proceedings pending or threatened or of any facts likely to give rise to any proceedings which may materially and adversely affect the financial position or business of the Group, as at the date of this report.

B10. Dividend

No dividend has been declared or recommended for payment by the Company for the current financial quarter.

However, at our forthcoming Annual General Meeting, a final single tier dividend of two (2) sen per ordinary share of RM0.50 each in respect of the financial year ended 31 August 2015 will be tabled for shareholders' approval.



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B11. Earnings Per Share

(a) Basic Earnings Per Share

The basic earnings per share for the current financial quarter are computed as follows:

| INDIVIDUAL QUARTER | | CUMULATIVE QUARTER | |
|--------------------|---|---|---|
| Current Year | Preceding Year | Current Year- | Preceding Year- |
| Quarter | Quarter | To-Date | To-Date |
| 30.11.2015 | 30.11.2014 | 30.11.2015 | 30.11.2014 |
| RM'000 | RM'000 | RM'000 | RM'000 |
| 2,032 | 1,648 | 2,032 | 1,648 |
| | | | |
| 127,000 | 127,000 | 127,000 | 127,000 |
| 1.60 | 1.30 | 1.60 | 1.30 |
| | Current Year Quarter 30.11.2015 RM'000 2,032 | Current Year Preceding Year Quarter Quarter 30.11.2015 30.11.2014 RM'000 RM'000 2,032 1,648 127,000 127,000 | Current Year Preceding Year Current Year- Quarter Quarter To-Date 30.11.2015 30.11.2014 30.11.2015 RM'000 RM'000 RM'000 2,032 1,648 2,032 127,000 127,000 127,000 |

(b) Diluted Earnings Per Share

Diluted earnings per share were not computed as the Company does not have any dilutive potential ordinary shares in issue for the current financial quarter.

B12. Realised and Unrealised Profits / Losses Disclosure

The breakdown of the retained earnings of the Group as at the end of the current financial quarter into realised and unrealised profits / (losses) # is as follows:

| | As at 30.11.2015 RM'000 | As at 31.08.2015 RM'000 |
|---|-------------------------|-------------------------------|
| Total retained earnings of the Company and its subsidiaries | | |
| - Realised | 72,783 | 70,661 |
| - Unrealised | (5,578) | (5,488) |
| | 67,205 | 65,173 |
| | | |

[#] Prepared in accordance with Guidance on Special Matter No. 1, Determination of Realised and Unrealised Profits or Losses in the Context of Disclosures Pursuant to Bursa Malaysia Securities Berhad Listing Requirements as issued by the Malaysian Institute of Accountants on 20 December 2010.

By order of the Board Kuala Lumpur 27 January 2016