

MESTRON HOLDINGS BERHAD
Registration No: 201801018716 (1280732 – K)
(Incorporated in Malaysia)

FOR THE THIRD (3rd) QUARTER ENDED 30 SEPTEMBER 2022

UNAUDITED CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF PROFIT OR LOSS AND OTHER COMPREHENSIVE INCOME ⁽¹⁾

(The figures have not been audited)

	Note	<-- Individual Quarter -->		<-- Cumulative Quarter -->	
		Current year quarter 30 September 2022 RM'000	Preceding year quarter 30 September 2021 RM'000	Current year quarter 30 September 2022 RM'000	Preceding year quarter 30 September 2021 RM'000
Revenue	A7	37,155	14,263	82,104	36,860
Cost of Sales		(30,395)	(11,457)	(67,254)	(27,786)
Gross Profit		6,760	2,806	14,850	9,074
Other income		229	313	1,064	415
Finance income		114	117	375	299
Selling and distribution expenses		(178)	(46)	(563)	(297)
Administrative expenses		(2,937)	(1,988)	(7,907)	(6,203)
Other operating expenses		(1)	-	(100)	(58)
Finance costs		(251)	(12)	(404)	(85)
Profit before taxation		3,736	1,190	7,315	3,145
Taxation	B5	(400)	(183)	(600)	(500)
Profit for the financial period		3,336	1,007	6,715	2,645
Attributable to:					
- Owners of the Company		3,346	1,009	6,737	2,651
- Non-controlling interests		(10)	(2)	(22)	(6)
		3,336	1,007	6,715	2,645
Earnings per share attributable to owners of the Company (sen):					
- Basic ⁽²⁾	B10	0.36	0.11	0.72	0.28
- Diluted ⁽³⁾	B10	0.36	0.11	0.72	0.28

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Notes:

- (1) The basis of preparation of the Unaudited Condensed Consolidated Statement of Profit or Loss and Other Comprehensive Income are disclosed in Note A1 and the accompanying explanatory notes attached to this interim financial report.
- (2) Basic earnings per share is calculated based on the weighted average number of ordinary shares in issuance for the comparative current quarter and cumulative quarter.
- (3) Diluted earnings per share of the Group for the current quarter and cumulative quarter is equivalent to the basic earnings per share as the Group does not have convertible securities as at the end of the respective reporting period.

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UNAUDITED CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION
AS AT 30 SEPTEMBER 2022 ⁽¹⁾
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	Note	(Unaudited) As at 30 September 2022 RM'000	(Audited) As at 31 December 2021 RM'000
ASSETS			
NON-CURRENT ASSETS			
Property, plant and equipment		44,717	35,646
Right-of-use assets		14,659	13,936
Land held for property development		3,862	3,522
Investment in associates		6,000	-
Goodwill on consolidation		3,973	3,973
TOTAL NON-CURRENT ASSETS		73,211	57,077
CURRENT ASSETS			
Inventories		18,211	15,765
Trade receivables		32,033	19,123
Other receivables		6,073	3,548
Fixed deposit with licensed banks		1,000	128
Cash and bank balances		10,338	30,292
Tax recoverable		2,072	1,644
TOTAL CURRENT ASSETS		69,727	70,500
TOTAL ASSETS		142,938	127,577
EQUITY AND LIABILITIES			
EQUITY			
Share capital		83,553	83,553
Merger deficit		(29,100)	(29,100)
Retained earnings		47,636	40,899
Total shareholders' funds		102,089	95,352
Non-controlling interests		973	995
TOTAL EQUITY		103,062	96,347
NON-CURRENT LIABILITIES			
Borrowings	B7	12,457	4,117
Lease liabilities	B7	5,866	133
Deferred tax liabilities		1,299	1,299
TOTAL NON-CURRENT LIABILITIES		19,622	5,549

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AS AT 30 SEPTEMBER 2022 (cont'd) ⁽¹⁾

(The figures have not been audited)

		(Unaudited) As at 30 September 2022 RM'000	(Audited) As at 31 December 2021 RM'000
	Note		
CURRENT LIABILITIES			
Trade payables		7,871	14,837
Other payables		8,578	9,264
Dividend payable		-	1,210
Borrowings	B7	3,689	233
Lease liabilities	B7	116	137
TOTAL CURRENT LIABILITIES		20,254	25,681
TOTAL LIABILITIES		39,876	31,230
TOTAL EQUITY AND LIABILITIES		142,938	127,577
Net assets per share (RM) ⁽²⁾		0.11	0.10

Notes:

- (1) The basis of preparation of the Unaudited Condensed Consolidated Statement of Financial Position are disclosed in Note A1 and the accompanying explanatory notes attached to this interim financial report.
- (2) Net assets per share is calculated based on the ordinary shares in Mestron of 930,450,000 shares as at 30 September 2022 and 31 December 2021 respectively.

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UNAUDITED CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN EQUITY ⁽¹⁾

(The figures have not been audited)

	←-Non-distributable-→		Distributable		Non-controlling interests RM'000	Total Equity RM'000
	Share Capital RM'000	Merger Deficit RM'000	Retained Earnings RM'000	Total RM'000		
As at 1 January 2022	83,553	(29,100)	40,899	95,352	995	96,347
Total comprehensive income for the year	-	-	6,737	6,737	(22)	6,715
As at 30 September 2022	83,553	(29,100)	47,636	102,089	973	103,062

Note:

- (1) The basis of preparation of the Unaudited Condensed Consolidated Statement of Changes in Equity are disclosed in Note A1 and the accompanying explanatory notes attached to this interim financial report.

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UNAUDITED CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS ⁽¹⁾

(The figures have not been audited)

	<-- Cumulative Quarter -->	
	30 September 2022	31 December 2021
	RM'000	RM'000
Cash Flows From Operating Activities		
Profit before tax	7,315	4,678
Adjustments for:-		
Property, plant and equipment written off	-	6
Bad debts written off	-	5
Depreciation of property, plant and equipment	962	1,361
Depreciation of right-of-use asset	449	1,220
Gain on disposal of property, plant and equipment	-	(10)
Interest expenses	399	98
Interest income	(370)	(355)
Allowance for expected credit losses on trade receivables	-	39
Reversal of allowance for expected credit losses on receivables	-	(31)
Operating profit before working capital changes	<u>8,755</u>	<u>7,011</u>
Changes in working capital:-		
Inventories	(2,446)	(982)
Receivables	(15,435)	5,588
Payables	(7,578)	(322)
Cash (used in)/generated from operations	<u>(16,704)</u>	<u>11,295</u>
Interest received	370	355
Tax paid	(1,027)	(1,984)
Net cash (used in)/generated from operating activities	<u>(17,361)</u>	<u>9,666</u>
Cash Flows From Investing Activities		
Acquisition of subsidiaries and associates, net of cash	(6,000)	(6,250)
Proceeds from disposal of property, plant and equipment	-	10
Placement of fixed deposits	(872)	(128)
Purchase of property, plant and equipment	(10,373)	(12,776)
Purchase of right-of-use assets	(1,172)	-
Purchase of land held for property development	-	(41)
Net cash used in investing activities	<u>(18,417)</u>	<u>(19,185)</u>

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	<-- Cumulative Quarter -->	
	30 September 2022	31 December 2021
	RM'000	RM'000
Cash Flows From Financing Activities		
Repayment to directors	(76)	(1)
Proceeds from issuance of share capital	-	27,595
Repayment of lease liabilities	(288)	(1,432)
Drawdown of borrowings	18,557	-
Repayment of borrowings	(760)	(3,422)
Interests paid	(399)	(98)
Dividend paid	(1,210)	(1,324)
Net cash generated from financing activities	<u>15,824</u>	<u>21,318</u>
Cash and cash equivalents		
Net changes	(19,954)	11,799
At the beginning of the year	30,292	18,493
At the end of the year	<u>10,338</u>	<u>30,292</u>

Note:

- (1) The basis of preparation of the Unaudited Condensed Consolidated Statement of Cash Flows are disclosed in Note A1 and the accompanying explanatory notes attached to this interim financial report.

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NOTES TO THE INTERIM FINANCIAL REPORT
EXPLANATORY NOTES TO THE UNAUDITED INTERIM FINANCIAL REPORT

A1. Basis of preparation

The interim financial statements are unaudited and have been prepared in accordance with the requirements of Malaysian Financial Reporting Standards ("MFRS") 134 *Interim Financial Reporting* and Rule 9.22 of the ACE Market Listing Requirements of Bursa Malaysia Securities Berhad ("Listing Requirement").

The interim financial statements should be read in conjunction with the audited financial statements for the financial year ended 31 December 2021 and accompanying notes attached to this interim financial report.

The accounting policies adopted in the interim financial statements are consistent with those adopted in the audited financial statements for the financial year ended 31 December 2021. The Group has adopted those standards, amendments and interpretations that have become effective and such adoptions do not have material impact on the financial position and performance of the Group.

Adoption of new and amended standard

During the financial period, the Group has adopted the following amendments for MFRSs issued by the Malaysian Accounting Standards Board ("MASB") that are mandatory for current financial period.

Adoption of the above standards and interpretations did not have any material impact to the financial statements of the Group.

Standards issued but not yet effective

At the date of authorisation for issue of this interim financial report, the new and revised Standards and Amendments, which were in issue but not yet effective and have not been early adopted by the Group are as follow:-

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A1. Basis of preparation (cont'd)

Standards issued but not yet effective (cont'd)

Standards	Effective dates for financial period beginning on and after
Amendments to MFRS 3 Business Combinations – Reference to the Conceptual Framework	1 January 2022
Amendments to MFRS 116 Property, Plant and Equipment – Proceeds before Intended Use	1 January 2022
Amendments to MFRS 137 Provisions, Contingent Liabilities and Contingent Assets – Onerous Contract-Cost of Fulfilling a Contract	1 January 2022
Annual Improvements to MFRS Standards 2018-2020	1 January 2022
MFRS 17 Insurance Contracts	1 January 2023
Amendments to MFRS 4 Insurance Contracts – Extension of the Temporary Exemption from Applying MFRS 9	1 January 2023
Amendments to MFRS 17 Insurance Contracts	1 January 2023
Amendments to MFRS 17 – Initial Application of MFRS 17 and MFRS 9-Comparative Information	1 January 2023
Amendments to MFRS 101 Presentation of Financial Statements – Classification of Liabilities as Current or Non-Current	1 January 2023
Amendments to MFRS 101 Presentation of Financial Statements – Disclosure of Accounting Policies	1 January 2023
Amendments to MFRS 108 Accounting Policies, Changes in Accounting Estimates and Errors	1 January 2023
Amendments to MFRS 123 Income Taxes – Deferred Tax related to Assets and Liabilities arising from a Single Transaction	1 January 2023
Amendments to MFRS 10 Consolidated Financial Statements	Deferred
MFRS 128 Investments in Associates and Joint Ventures	Deferred

The Directors anticipate that the abovementioned Standards and Amendments will be adopted in the annual financial statements of the Group when they become effective and that the adoption of these Standards and Amendments are not expected to have any material impact on the financial statements of the Group in the period of initial application.

A2. Auditors' report of preceding annual audited financial statements

The audited combined financial statements of the Group for the financial year ended 31 December 2021 was not subject to any qualification.

A3. Seasonal or cyclical factors

The Group's operations are not significantly affected by seasonal or cyclical effects, albeit marginal slowdown during festive periods such as Chinese New Year and Hari Raya as most of the Group's customers do not operate during these periods and large lorries are not allowed to transport goods due to traffic control. Nevertheless, the impact of the marginal slowdown is unlikely to be significant to the Group.

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A4. Unusual items

There were no unusual items affecting assets, liabilities, equity, net income or cash flows of the Group during the current financial quarter and financial period-to-date.

A5. Material changes in estimates

There were no changes in the estimates in the current financial quarter under review.

A6. Debt and equity securities

There were no issuance and repayment of the debt and equity securities, share buy-backs, share cancellations, shares held as treasury shares and resale of treasury shares during the current financial year to-date.

A7. Segmental information

The Group's segmental information for the current financial quarter ended 30 September 2022 is as follows:-

(a) Analysis of revenue by business segments

	<-- Individual Quarter -->		<-- Cumulative Quarter -->	
	(Unaudited) 30 September 2022 RM'000	(Unaudited) 30 September 2021 RM'000	(Unaudited) 30 September 2022 RM'000	(Unaudited) 30 September 2021 RM'000
Manufacturing	32,314	12,040	68,635	29,706
Trading	4,841	2,223	13,469	7,154
Total	37,155	14,263	82,104	36,860

(b) Analysis of revenue by geographical location

	<-- Individual Quarter -->		<-- Cumulative Quarter -->	
	(Unaudited) 30 September 2022 RM'000	(Unaudited) 30 September 2021 RM'000	(Unaudited) 30 September 2022 RM'000	(Unaudited) 30 September 2021 RM'000
Malaysia	35,503	13,050	77,788	34,195
Australia	444	1,046	2,068	1,760
Singapore	1,203	132	2,160	597
Korea	5	-	6	-
New Zealand	-	-	82	-
Sri Lanka	-	35	-	308
Total	37,155	14,263	82,104	36,860

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A8. Dividends Paid

On 22 November 2021, the Directors declared a first interim single tier dividend of RM0.0013 per ordinary share in respect of the financial year ended 31 December 2021. The dividend has been paid on 28 January 2022 to shareholders registered in the Register of Members at the close of business on 17 January 2022.

A9. Valuation of property, plant and equipment

The Group has not carried out any valuation on its property, plant and equipment in the current financial quarter.

A10. Capital commitments

There were no material capital commitments of the Group as at 30 September 2022.

A11. Changes in the composition of the Group

There are no changes in the composition of the Group to be disclosed as at the date of this interim financial.

A12. Contingent liabilities and contingent assets

There are no material contingent liabilities and contingent assets to be disclosed as at the date of this interim financial.

A13. Material events subsequent to the end of the quarter

There are no material events subsequent to the end of the quarter to be disclosed as at the date of this interim financial.

A14. Related party transactions

There were no material related party transactions during the current financial quarter under review.

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B. ADDITIONAL INFORMATION REQUIRED BY THE LISTING REQUIREMENTS

B1. Review of performance

	<-- Individual Quarter -->		Changes	<-- Cumulative Quarter -->		Changes
	(Unaudited) 30 September 2022 RM'000	(Unaudited) 30 September 2021 RM'000		(Unaudited) 30 September 2022 RM'000	(Unaudited) 30 September 2021 RM'000	
Revenue	37,155	14,263	160.50	82,104	36,860	122.75
Gross profit	6,760	2,806	140.91	14,850	9,074	63.65
Profit before tax	3,736	1,190	213.95	7,315	3,145	132.59
Profit after tax	3,336	1,007	231.28	6,715	2,645	153.88

Current quarter (3 months)

For the current financial quarter ended 30 September 2022, the Group recorded revenue of RM37.16 million as compared to the revenue of RM14.26 million recorded for the previous year's financial quarter ended 30 September 2021. The increase in revenue was mainly due to increase in sales demands of standard poles, lantern and specialty poles mainly for the telecommunication segment for the current year's financial quarter ended 30 September 2022.

The Group's revenue was principally derived from the manufacturing segment which accounts for approximately 87.0% of the total revenue for the current financial quarter ended 30 September 2022. The revenue from manufacturing segment is mainly driven by the sale of standard poles and specialty poles mainly for the telecommunication segment.

The Malaysian market remains as the largest market contributing to the Group's revenue accounting for approximately 95.6% of the total revenue for the current financial quarter ended 30 September 2022.

Overall, the Group registered a higher profit before tax of RM3.74 million in the current financial quarter under review as compared with a profit before tax of RM1.19 million recorded in previous financial quarter ended 30 September 2021 due to the higher sales demands for telco tower and outdoor lighting products.

Cumulative quarter (9 months)

The Group recorded revenue of RM82.11 million for the current financial quarter ended 30 September 2022 as compared to the revenue of RM36.86 million recorded for the previous year's financial quarter ended 30 September 2021. The increase in sales demands of standard poles, lantern and specialty poles mainly for the telecommunication segment for the current year's financial quarter ended 30 September 2022.

The Group's revenue was principally derived from the manufacturing segment which accounts for approximately 83.6% of the total revenue for the current financial quarter ended 30 September 2022. The revenue from manufacturing segment is mainly driven by the sale of standard poles and specialty poles mainly for the telecommunication segment.

The Malaysian market remains as the largest market contributing to the Group's revenue accounting for approximately 94.8% of the total revenue for the current financial quarter ended 30 September 2022.

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B1. Review of performance (cont'd)

Cumulative quarter (9 months) (cont'd)

Overall, the Group registered a higher profit before tax of RM7.32 million in the current financial quarter under review as compared with a profit before tax of RM3.15 million recorded in previous financial quarter ended 30 September 2021 due to the higher sales demands for telco tower and outdoor lighting products.

B2. Comparison with immediate preceding quarter's results

	<-- Individual Quarter -->		<-- Changes -->	
	(Unaudited) 30 September 2022 RM'000	(Unaudited) 30 June 2022 RM'000	RM'000	%
Revenue	37,155	24,132	13,023	53.97
Profit before tax	3,736	2,024	1,712	84.58

For the current financial quarter ended 30 September 2022, the Group recorded higher revenue of RM37.16 million and a higher profit before tax of RM3.74 million as compared to revenue of RM24.13 million and profit before tax of RM2.03 million respectively in the immediate preceding financial quarter ended 30 June 2022.

The increase in profit before tax is mainly due to the higher sales demand for telco tower amidst the faster roll-out of telco infrastructure project for current financial quarter ended 30 September 2022. In addition, higher sales demand for outdoor lighting products which generally command higher sales margin for current financial quarter.

B3. Prospects and outlook

In the second half of 2022, there were signs of recovery in the manufacturing sector in Malaysia as we move towards endemicity with the reopening of markets and borders. Moving ahead, several headwinds are expected to remain due to the unresolved geopolitical conflict between Russia and Ukraine, the continuation of zero-Covid policy implementation in China as well as the worsening global inflation. These events have caused further strain on global supply chains which have in turn led to rising global commodity and raw material prices as well as global logistic disruptions and high shipping costs.

The Group has seen a faster pickup in orders for telco towers projects amidst the faster roll-out of telco infrastructure project this year following the recovery of economy. Given the Group's strong track record in the industry, the Group is confident that we will continue to secure new contracts from different telco infrastructure players. The growing demand for its specialty poles within the telco segment will continue into 2023 amidst the rollout of 5G network nationwide.

The Group will exercise extra vigilance in the business and will strive to deliver satisfactory performance for the year. The group will explore other opportunities and is looking to diversify the business to expand our sources of revenue and include other sources of recurring income as a source of our business income.

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B4. Profit forecast or profit guarantee

The Group does not have any profit forecast or profit guarantee for the current quarter under review in any public documents.

B5. Taxation

	<-- Individual Quarter -->		<-- Cumulative Quarter -->	
	(Unaudited) 30 September 2022 RM'000	(Unaudited) 30 September 2021 RM'000	(Unaudited) 30 September 2022 RM'000	(Unaudited) 30 September 2021 RM'000
Income tax expense:				
Current tax expense	400	183	600	500
Total tax expense	400	183	600	500
Effective tax rate (%)	10.7	15.4	8.2	15.9

Note:

- (1) The Group's effective tax rate is lower than the statutory income tax rate as the Group entitled for higher allowances due to increase in purchase of plant and machinery in year 2022 and overprovision of tax for year assessment 2021.

B6. Status of corporate proposals and utilisation of proceeds

Status of corporate proposals

On 18 August 2020, the Company had announced that the Company wishes to undertake the private placement exercise of up to 158,000,000 new ordinary shares in Mestron ("**Placement Shares**"), representing up to approximately 20% of the total number of issued shares of Mestron, to independent third-party investor(s) to be identified later at an issue price to be determined later ("**Private Placement**") ("**Announcement**").

The additional listing application for the Placement Shares was approved by Bursa Securities on 7 September 2020. The Company have since issued a total of 140,450,000 Placement Shares and raised total gross proceeds of RM28.32 million. The Private Placement has lapsed on 30 September 2021.

On 20 August 2021, the Company has completed the bonus issue of warrants exercise following the listing and quotation for 453,450,000 Warrants on the ACE Market of Bursa Securities.

Save for the Private Placement and bonus issue of warrants, the Group does not have any corporate exercises which have been announced.

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B6. Status of corporate proposals and utilisation of proceeds (cont'd)

Utilisation of proceeds

(a) Public Issue

On 26 May 2019, the Company issued its prospectus in relation to the public issue of 158,000,000 new ordinary shares ("**Public Issue**") at issue price of RM0.16 per ordinary share. The listing exercise of the Company's enlarged share capital of 790,000,000 shares on the ACE Market of Bursa Securities was completed on 18 September 2019.

The gross proceeds raised from the Public Issue amounting to RM25.28 million are intended to be utilised in the following manner:-

Purpose	Proposed Utilisation	Actual Utilised	Unutilised Amount	Estimated Timeframe for utilisation (from the date of Listing)
	RM'000	RM'000	RM'000	
i) Expansion of our Main Manufacturing Facility and acquisition of manufacturing machineries and equipment	10,500	7,665	2,835 ⁽¹⁾	Within 30 months ⁽¹⁾
ii) Working capital	7,680	7,680	-	Within 12 months
iii) Repayment of bank borrowings	4,000	4,000	-	Within 6 months
iv) Estimated listing expenses	3,100	3,100	-	Within 1 months
	<u>25,280</u>	<u>22,445</u>	<u>2,835</u>	

The utilisation of proceeds as disclosed above should be read in conjunction with the Prospectus of the Company dated 23 May 2019.

Note:

- (1) The Group had on 19 May 2020 announced the variation on the utilisation of proceed raised from the initial public offering exercise. RM2.50 million of the proceeds earmarked for the expansion of the Group's main manufacturing facility and acquisition of manufacturing machineries and equipment has been reallocated for to finance the Group's working capital requirement such as fixed overhead cost and purchase of raw materials. The estimated timeframe for utilisation of proceeds allocated for expansion of the Group's main manufacturing facility and acquisition of manufacturing machineries and equipment has also been extended for an additional 6 months.

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B6. Status of corporate proposals and utilisation of proceeds (cont'd)

(b) Private Placement

Private Placement of up to 20% of the issued shares of the Company, involving up to 158,000,000 Placement Shares was approved on 7 September 2020.

140,450,000 new Placement Shares were issued pursuant to the Private Placement and were subsequently listed and quoted on the ACE Market of Bursa Securities.

On 30 September 2021, Mestron has resolved to withdraw the Extension of Time Application. As such, the Private Placement has lapsed on 30 September 2021.

The status of the utilisation of total gross proceeds of private placement are as below: -

Purpose	Proposed Utilisation	Actual Utilised	Unutilised Amount	Estimated Timeframe for utilisation (from the date of Listing)
	RM'000	RM'000	RM'000	
i) Future business projects/investments	12,728	12,300	428	Within 24 months
ii) Repayment of bank borrowings	5,303	4,315	988	Within 12 months
iii) Working capital	10,038	10,038	-	Within 18 months
iv) Estimated expenses for the private placement	252	252	-	Within 1 month
	<u>28,321</u>	<u>26,905</u>	<u>1,416</u>	

The utilisation of proceeds as disclosed above should be read in conjunction with the Announcement of the Company dated 18 August 2020.

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B7. Finance Lease Payable & Borrowings

The Group's finance lease payable and borrowings were as follows:-

	As at 30 September 2022 RM'000	As at 31 December 2021 RM'000
Secured:		
Current		
Lease liabilities	116	137
Banker acceptance	3,500	-
Term loan	189	233
	<u>3,805</u>	<u>370</u>
Secured:		
Non-current		
Lease liabilities	5,866	133
Term loan	12,457	4,117
	<u>18,323</u>	<u>4,250</u>
Total bank borrowings	<u>22,128</u>	<u>4,620</u>

Note:

- (1) All the Group borrowings are denominated in Ringgit Malaysia and there are no foreign currency denomination borrowings.

B8. Changes in material litigation

As at the date of this report, the Group is not involved in any litigations or arbitrations either as a defendant or plaintiff, which has a material effect on the financial position of the Group, and the Board is not aware of any proceedings pending or of any fact likely to give rise to any proceedings.

B9. Dividends Proposed

There are no dividends proposed during the current financial quarter under review.

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B10. Earnings per share

The basic and diluted earnings per share for the current quarter and financial period is calculated as follows:-

	<-- Individual Quarter -->		<-- Cumulative Quarter -->	
	(Unaudited)	(Unaudited)	(Unaudited)	(Unaudited)
	30	30	30	30
	September	September	September	September
	2022	2021	2022	2021
Profit attributable to owners of the Company (RM'000)	3,346	1,009	6,737	2,651
Weighted average number of ordinary shares ('000) ⁽¹⁾	930,450	930,450	930,450	930,450
Basic earnings per share (sen) ⁽²⁾	0.36	0.11	0.72	0.28
Diluted earnings per share (sen) ⁽³⁾	0.36	0.11	0.72	0.28

Notes:

- (1) Weighted average number of ordinary shares is based on the weighted average number of ordinary shares in issuance for the financial year and financial quarter.
- (2) Basic earnings per share for the current quarter and financial year is calculated based on the net profit divided by the weighted average number of ordinary shares.
- (3) Diluted earnings per share of the Company for the current quarter and financial period to date ended 30 September 2022 is equivalent to the basic earnings per share as the Company does not have convertible options as at the end of the reporting period.

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B11. Disclosure on selected expense/(income) items as required by the Listing Requirements

	<-- Individual Quarter -->		<-- Cumulative Quarter-->	
	(Unaudited)	(Unaudited)	(Unaudited)	(Unaudited)
	30	30	30	30
	September	September	September	September
	2022	2021	2022	2021
	RM'000	RM'000	RM'000	RM'000
Profit before tax is arrived at after charging/(crediting):-				
Depreciation of property, plant and equipment	106	306	962	853
Depreciation of right-of-use assets	153	149	449	454
Realised loss on foreign exchange	284	90	481	128
Interest income	(111)	(117)	(370)	(299)
Interest expenses	250	12	399	85

Note:

- (1) Save as disclosed above, the other disclosure items pursuant to Paragraph 16, Part A of Appendix 9B of the Listing Requirements are not applicable. The Group does not have the following items for the financial period under review:-
- (i) amortisation of investment properties;
 - (ii) rental income;
 - (iii) provision for and write off of receivables;
 - (iv) provision for and write off of inventories;
 - (v) gain or loss on disposal of quoted or unquoted investments or properties;
 - (vi) impairment of assets; and
 - (vii) gain or loss on derivatives.