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# **OVERVIEW**



# COVER RATIONALE

Throughout our journey of over two decades, we have encountered both successes and setbacks, and have weathered the ups and downs of economic and market fluctuations. But through it all, we have remained resilient, reassessing and revamping our strategies to drive progress and expand forward.

The theme "Expanding the Horizon" reflects our determination to stay ahead of the curve by embracing change and seizing new opportunities. We recognise that we must constantly evolve and adapt to the changing needs of our customers, community and industry to remain relevant and impactful.

At the heart of our commitment to expand our horizons lies an unwavering desire to push the boundaries of what is possible while upholding our commitment of quality, standards, value and service. We are unafraid to take risks, to explore new perspectives and business streams that will enable us to achieve greater heights of success.

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# OUR LOGO RATIONALE



The globe is a symbol of our desire to set new horizons as we grow and strengthen, striving to achieve greater heights.

The colour red represents our commitment in harnessing the trust and confidence of our stakeholders and customers. But above all, it reflects the paramount quality of our products, which are designed and developed with great thoughtfulness and assurance.



# **ENCORP VALUES**

# OUR MISSION

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# OUR VISION

To be recognised as the leading provider of value for money development and infrastructure, working with chosen partners to create sustainable value

OUR TAGLINE

Simply The Best!



# OUR VALUES



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#### Excellence

We are engaged, enterprising, and resourceful problem-solvers, focusing on practical solutions to improve personal and organisational effectiveness and efficiency.



#### Nimbleness

We are agile, alert to changing conditions, focusing on speed of response.



#### Competence

We meet our objectives through collegial collaboration, coordination and teamwork.



#### Organisational Excellence

We are empowered, accountable, reliable, and open to new ideas to meet agreed deadlines.



#### Responsibility

We are resilient, dependable, and trustworthy partners.



#### Productivity

We achieve high levels of productivity through rational, competent problem-solving partnerships.

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**23**rd Annual General Meeting of Encorp Berhad

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Broadcast Venue at Executive Lounge, Third Floor, Encorp Berhad, No 46-3, Jalan PJU 5/22, Pusat Perdagangan Kota Damansara, Kota Damansara PJU 5, 47810 Petaling Jaya, Selangor Darul Ehsan.



22 June 2023, Thursday, 3.00 p.m.

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# ENCORP AT A GLANCE

# Incorporated in 2000 Listed on the Main

Market Bursa Malaysia Securities Berhad since

# 2003

Net Assets Per Share

RM1.06 Attributable to owners of the parent

Shareholders' Funds **RM333.9 million** Attributable to owners of the parent

# Market capitalisation of **RM69.7 million**

# Board Composition

- 1 Independent Non-Executive Chairman
- 2 Non-Independent Non-Executive Directors
- 2 Independent Non-Executive Directors





• Quality Assessment System in Construction by the Construction Industry Development Board

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Recognition of

Standards through many industry accolades since 2010 109 Volunteers donated 558.5 hours

of training in 2022

of service to local communities in 2022 ENC RP Annual Report 2022

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### **MESSAGE FROM THE CHAIRMAN**

I am pleased to present the annual report for Encorp Berhad (ENCORP or the Group) for the financial year ending 31 December 2022 (FY2022). The operating year was marked by a mix of optimism from economic recovery amidst a fair share of challenges. At ENCORP, we remained steadfast in our commitment to recalibrate for growth with a clear focus on the future and an unwavering aim to deliver long-term sustainable growth to our valued stakeholders.



Chairman Encorp Berhad

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#### A Resilient Year in Perspective \_

As we reflect on the past two years, it is undeniable that the world has faced significant challenges. The pandemic has disrupted global systems and structures, creating extraordinary economic and social difficulties. This has been compounded by ongoing global geopolitical tensions that continue to impact various aspects of business and our lives.

Despite the lingering cautious sentiment, economic activities in Malaysia began to pick up as the country moved into the endemic phase, and people gradually returned to their daily lives in what has become a new, normalised way. As a result, businesses stabilised and gained momentum, leading to increased economic and social activities. In 2022, the Malaysian Gross Domestic Product (GDP) grew by 8.7%, driven by increased private consumption and robust growth in exports, particularly in manufacturing. However, this growth was accompanied by a rise in the inflation rate, which averaged 3.3% in 2022, compared to 2.5% in 2021.

To manage inflation, not just in Malaysia but globally, central banks tightened monetary policies, resulting in a considerable rise in borrowing costs. This has had a dual effect of reducing business profitability and diminishing the purchasing power of consumers. Although Malaysia has moved towards economic recovery, inflationary pressures such as rising interest rates and building material costs have had an influence on property purchase decisions.

#### Strengthening Our Foundation for Growth \_\_\_\_

In response to the challenges of recent years, our organisation is undergoing a significant transformation. We recalibrated our strategy to strengthen the business foundation for a growth trajectory, focusing on income clarity, consistency, and diversification.

# Our aim is to build sustainable income streams with a diversified portfolio, underscored by efforts to elevate brand value and sustainability.

In FY2022, we concentrated on enhancing our capabilities in line with our strategy, leading to a year of consolidation. This approach enabled us to prioritise our efforts on core business segments, namely property development, investment property, construction, and concessionaire. As a result, we secured significant projects in our books that will contribute to total gross profit and income contribution from our property development business. We have also started to make inroads in our income diversification strategy in complementary sectors, which include mining.



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The Group's financial performance for FY2022 was marginally softer, with a decline of 6% in revenue to RM137.5 million compared to FY2021. The property development segment, which remained the largest revenue contributor, faced an industry-wide labour shortage issue that led to a decrease in revenue. The Group incurred a loss before tax of RM7.5 million in FY2022, primarily due to a write-down of RM13.6 million in inventories, compared to a profit before tax of RM19 million in FY2021. On the other hand, our concerted efforts to improve liabilities have reduced the gearing ratio from 0.05 in FY2021 to 0.03 in FY2022.

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#### Expanding the Horizon Ahead

Looking ahead to 2023, we anticipate a year of normalisation amidst ongoing macroeconomic and geopolitical uncertainties. Our revamped strategy strongly emphasises sustainability, which we view as essential to our long-term success. As we align with growth and value opportunities, we are excited to expand our horizons and seize new opportunities.

Despite the challenges we faced in the past year, we have secured numerous projects and are currently negotiating many more. Our diversification strategy will be essential to drive greater resilience for the Group. We are also evaluating opportunities presented by our overseas business partners and associates, particularly in Indonesia and the United Kingdom. These strategic efforts are essential to our goal of achieving income diversity and consistency, and we recognise that some may take several years to come to fruition.

As we look ahead to the future, we are confident that our unwavering commitment to growth and expansion will position us for even greater success in the years to come. We will stride forward with our usual discipline and rigour to grow the business and create value for our shareholders in a sustainable manner.

#### In Appreciation

As we conclude another progressive year, we would like to express our deepest gratitude to those who have contributed to the achievements of ENCORP. I would like to thank my esteemed Board members, Datuk Haji Jaafar bin Abu Bakar, Encik Mahadzir bin Mustafa, and Tuan Haji Lukman bin Abu Bakar, for their steadfast and exemplary commitment to good governance and their wise counsel. We also acknowledge the invaluable guidance provided by our former director of the Board, Datuk Shireen Ann Zaharah binti Muhiudeen. We warmly welcome Dato' Dr. Suzana Idayu Wati binti Osman to the Board of Directors and look forward to the unique perspectives she will bring to the Board's robust deliberations.

We are grateful for the continued support and trust of our shareholders, customers, partners, and regulators. We also recognise and appreciate the dedication and hard work of our management and employees, who have been instrumental in driving our growth and accomplishments. We look forward to welcoming new talents and expertise to further our vision of a sustainable future. With the commitment of our team, we are confident in achieving even greater heights in the years to come.

Thank you.

Tuan Haji Sr. Mohd Ali Bin Abd Karim Chairman

# **MANAGEMENT PERSPECTIVE**

# MANAGEMENT DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS



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In 2022, many countries experienced a gradual transition to an endemic COVID-19 environment, but this relief was riddled with concerns about inflationary pressures, interest rate hikes, and recessionary risks in major economies. To thrive in this fast-changing world, Encorp Berhad (ENCORP or the Group) recognised the need to constantly evolve to remain relevant. The Group focused on implementing its revamped five-year 2021-2025 Strategic Framework that was established to strengthen business sustainability and chart a clear path towards profitability. This included strengthening sustainable income streams, expanding portfolio diversification to increase resiliency, and enhancing brand awareness.

Despite an uneven year under review, ENCORP persevered to navigate a challenging environment and successfully implemented strategies to strengthen the foundations for its long-term growth and success.

#### **OUR OPERATING ENVIRONMENT**

FY2022 Operating Landscape

In 2022, the primary objective for many countries was on economic recovery as borders reopened. Malaysia successfully transitioned into endemicity, leading to a return to normal levels of economic activity and increased mobility as containment measures were lifted. This led to robust Gross Domestic Product (GDP) growth of 8.7% for the year, driven by a rebound in domestic demand, despite higher inflationary pressures<sup>2</sup>.

The property and construction sectors also saw a recovery in activities and sales, with growth in the construction sector mainly driven by large civil engineering, commercial, and industrial projects in the non-residential subsectors. Construction activities picked up after the lockdowns of the previous two years that caused delays in development projects in Malaysia. This recovery helped to boost demand for products and led to earnings growth in FY2022. In 2022, Malaysia recorded the highest-ever total property transaction value of RM179.07 billion since 2001, with a 23.6% year-on-year (y-o-y) increase from RM144.87 billion in 2021. Total transactions also saw double-digit growth, rising by 29.5% y-o-y to 389,000 from 300,497 in 2021, according to the National Property Information Centre (NAPIC) in its Property Market Report 2022. The strong economic growth for the year under review, coupled with the Government's Home Ownership campaign, played a role in supporting the growth of the property market.



<sup>2</sup>Malaysia Economic Performance Fourth Quarter 2022 report, published on 10 February 2023 by Department of Statistics Malaysia



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**OUR BUSINESS OVERVIEW** 

The Group has been prominent in the Malaysian property development, investment property, construction, and concessionaire sectors for over two decades. ENCORP has been listed on the Main Board of Bursa Malaysia since 2003. As of the end of FY2022, FELDA Investment Corporation Sdn Bhd, the investment arm of the Federal Land Development Authority (FELDA), holds an equity stake of 62.30% in the Group.

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ENCORP's award-winning development portfolios reflect its commitment to its Quality, Standards, Value, and Service (QSVS) charter. The Group also has a presence in prime locations in Australia through its property development segment. ENCORP's notable properties comprise the Encorp Strand in Kota Damansara, Encorp Cahaya Alam in Shah Alam, Encorp Marina Puteri Harbour in Iskandar Puteri, and The Residences of McCallum Lane in Perth, Australia. The total Gross Development Value (GDV) under its property development segment is RM3.7 billion as at end 2022.

ENCORP's construction and concessionaire business segments offer industry-specific construction services, infrastructure solutions, and electrical and mechanical specialisation. The Group is a certified Bumiputra Contractor Class A under Contractor Service Centre (PKK) and holds a Grade G7 and G4 with the Construction Industry Development Board (CIDB). In the past, ENCORP has undertaken projects such as the Electrified Double Track Rail project for the Seremban-Gemas line, refurbishment work for the Sarawak School Project, and the national teachers' housing project for the Ministry of Education, with works totaling up to RM1.8 billion in contract value.

The Group's investment properties include the Strand Mall, the recently revamped Warna Avenue (formerly known as the Red Carpet Avenue), and the Encorp Strand Garden Office (ESGO) carpark. Collectively, the value for the Group's investment properties is at RM291.8 million as of the end of FY2022.

## **ENCORP's Business Segments**

## **Property Development**

## GDV: RM3.7 billion

- **Encorp Strand**
- Encorp Cahaya Alam
- Encorp Marina Puteri Harbour
- The Residences of McCallum Lane, Perth, Australia
- Tea Tree Close, Cockburn Central, Perth, Australia
- Lamanda Chuping
- Cahaya Kristal
- Teluk Cempedak

# **Construction and Concessionaire**

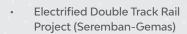
# **Contract Value: RM1.8 billion**

- Project (Seremban-Gemas)
- Sarawak School Project
- National Teachers' Housing Project

# **Investment Property**

## Valuation: RM291.8 million

- Strand Mall
- (Shopping Mall)
- Warna Avenue (Shop Office)
- **ESGO** Carpark











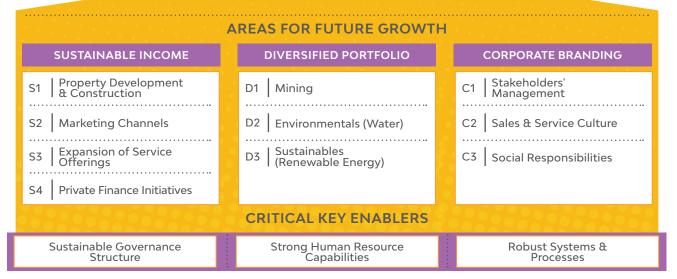
# MANAGEMENT PERSPECTIVE

## **CHARTING A CLEAR COURSE TO CREATE VALUE**

Challenges faced by the Group over the past few years, coupled with the vastly changed operating landscape following the COVID-19 pandemic, have had an influence on the Group's business. In the last operating year of FY2021, we undertook to conduct a review and realignment of ENCORP's strategies to revitalise the business for sustainable growth in the new era. The review involved assessing material matters that could significantly impact the business and reframing strategies to ensure consistent income streams, income diversification, and reliable income generating capacity.

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## **MISSION, VISION AND VALUES**



We identified three main areas that needed to be addressed, which are to have greater Income Clarity, Income Diversity and Income Consistency, which informed our strategic approach. We developed a five-year 2021-2025 Strategic Framework focused on three pillars: building sustainable income, expanding portfolio diversification, and elevating corporate rebranding, with the ultimate objectives of ensuring reliable income generation capacity, strong cash flows, and profits to fund dividend distribution and future expansion plans.



We have developed a comprehensive four-phase strategy to fortify our business foundation, and we have just completed the first phase from 2021 to 2022 with great momentum. This initial phase focused on strengthening our operational and business models, with a particular emphasis on enhancing People, Processes, Systems, and Infrastructure.

As part of this effort, we have streamlined our organisational structure, revised our authority limits, and updated our processes and procedures to increase governance and efficiency. These fundamental steps are crucial to align with our strategic goals of portfolio optimisation, expediting the delivery of our secured development projects, and scaling partnerships.

Our Strategic Framework is built on these essential foundational steps, and we are confident that our efforts will enable us to achieve our long-term objectives while driving growth and value for our stakeholders.



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Leveraging its core strength in property development, ENCORP has strengthened its focus on securing projects for long-term sustainable income. This includes its ongoing property development and construction initiatives and those under evaluation, which are expected to enhance the company's long-term sustainable income and facilitate further growth. For the year under review, three new property developments were secured, with a GDV value of RM708.0 million. We also added a total of 27.57 acres of landbank in FY2022, predominantly through:

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#### New Property Development and Construction Projects Secured in FY2022

No.	Projects	Value (GDV)	Landbank Size
01	<ul> <li>Joint-venture agreement with FELDA for residential development at Chuping, Perlis</li> <li>Phase 1 : restoration works</li> <li>Phase 2 : development work for Medium Cost Terrace Homes, Semi-Detached Homes and Commercial Lots</li> </ul>	RM28.23 million RM60.57 million	- 21.00 acres
02	Development agreement with Ipmuda Properties Sdn Bhd for residential development at Kota Kinabalu, Sabah	RM79.2 million	1.60 acres
03	Joint-venture agreement with Touch Millennium Sdn Bhd for mixed development at Teluk Cempedak, Pahang	RM540.0 million	4.97 acres

At the same time, the Group continued with efforts to develop its own landbank in the matured township of Encorp Cahaya Alam. Two new parcels, Encorp Cahaya Alam Iris and Encorp Cahaya Alam Akasia 2, will have an estimated GDV of RM170.9 million.

FELDA is an important stakeholder for us. We entered into a joint-venture agreement for a mixed-development project worth an estimated RM88.8 million on a 46-acre land at FELDA Chuping, Perlis, in March 2022. We have commenced the first part of the two-phase masterplan development, which is scheduled to be completed over a period of close to five years.

Through ENCORP's subsidiary, we entered into an agreement with Jentayu Sustainables Berhad's subsidiary, Ipmuda Properties Sdn Bhd, to develop a 1.6-acre residential land in Bukit Kepayan, Kota Kinabalu, Sabah. The project is estimated to have a GDV of RM79.2 million and will feature 166 residential units. The project aims to be completed by 2026.

#### Ongoing Property Development in FY2022



ENCORP's property development portfolio is primarily concentrated domestically, but the Group is also exploring potential opportunities presented by overseas business partners and associates and is evaluating opportunities to expand its presence to Indonesia and the United Kingdom. These projects are likely to be developed in FY2024 and beyond.

The Group owns land in Tea Tree Close, Cockburn Central, Perth, Australia, located on North Lake Road within the

Muriel Court Structural Plan - Cockburn Central North. This area is designated to become the largest activity centre outside of Perth Central Business District and serves as a transportation hub for surrounding areas. The Perth property market is experiencing an upturn due to the increase in demand for properties. However, the demand has been affected by the increase in borrowing rates, and the spike in construction costs has been developing the property very challenging. Management is looking at ways to make the project feasible in the near future.



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## MANAGEMENT PERSPECTIVE

#### **Diversified Portfolio**

Under its refreshed 2021-2025 Strategic Framework, which outlines diversification as a key enabler for future growth, the Group will undertake expansion efforts in the areas of mining, water and renewable energy. These strategic portfolios were selected with a focus on addressing income diversity and consistency, as these initiatives typically have a gestation period that extends beyond a five to seven years horizon. The strategy was also formulated with a view to helping FELDA, our majority shareholder, monetise its broad asset base.

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IDENT	IFIED POTENTIALS	RATIONALE	
	MINING (2023 - ONWARDS)	<ul> <li>Provides much needed income diversity and consistency</li> <li>The minerals identified are the core focus of the Mineral Industry Transformation 2021 - 2030 agenda</li> <li>Leveraging on the expertise and know-how of subject matter experts</li> <li>All mining activities shall be concluded in line with sustainability agenda objectives, e.g. reforestation, off-river water storage, solar power pond, eco-tourism</li> </ul>	I A LATER STAGE
ENCORP DIVERSIFIED PORTFOLIO	ENVIRONMENTALS - WATER (2024 - ONWARDS)	<ul> <li>Provides much needed income diversity and consistency</li> <li>Basic commodity with high budget priority</li> <li>Part of sustainability agenda and providing solutions for current issues with regards to water supply</li> <li>Chosen focus areas are within the expertise and know-how of ENCORP Group, i.e. engineering &amp; construction</li> </ul>	PO SPINOFF AT
	SUSTAINABLES - RENEWABLE ENERGY (2025 - ONWARDS)	<ul> <li>High potential future sources of energy</li> <li>Multiple incentives provided by both Government &amp; Financial Institutions</li> <li>In support of Government's initiative ito achieve a low carbon energy system</li> <li>In full support of the sustainability agenda</li> <li>Provides a potential unique selling propositions to our other business lines when combined</li> </ul>	POTENTIAL II

For the year under review, ENCORP has been actively pursuing a diversification strategy to expand into new business streams. ENCORP has already taken steps to expand into mining by entering into a Distribution Agreement in 2022 with LMC Mining Sdn Bhd (LMC) through its wholly-owned subsidiary, Encorp Construction & Engineering Sdn Bhd, for the distribution of silica.

Under the agreement, ENCORP shall distribute the silica from identified sites jointly produced with LMC. The mining operations at these sites are expected to commence in 2023, with mining rehabilitation works being carried out simultaneously during the operational period.

These initiatives demonstrate ENCORP's commitment to expanding its portfolio and exploring new growth opportunities. These projects, coupled with ongoing initiatives and new ventures, are expected to contribute positively to the Group's financial performance in the future.



#### Corporate Branding

As part of the revamped journey of growth and transformation, the company undertook a comprehensive review of its Mission, Vision and Values to ensure that they aligned with ENCORP's refreshed strategic direction. After a collaborative and inclusive process in 2022 involving all levels of internal stakeholders, including the Board and Management, ENCORP refined its Mission, Vision and Values. These refreshed statements reflect the company's commitment to building a better future and are aligned with its strategic direction. This can be summarised in ENCORP's brand promise tagline "Simply the Best!" which we aspire to achieve by 2030.

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# Mission

Leveraging core competencies in property development and construction, ENCORP develops affordable infrastructure to create sustainable value for stakeholders

# Vision

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# Values

Excellence	
We are engaged, enterprising, and resourceful problem-solvers, focusing on practical solutions to improve personal and organisational effectiveness and	
efficiency.	
Nimbleness	
We are agile, alert to changing conditions, focusing on speed of response.	
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Organisational Excellence	
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Responsibility	
We are resilient, dependable, and trustworthy partners.	
Productivity	
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#### Tagline Simply The Best!

ENCORP's core values embed tenets of sustainability and resilience to guide the company's efforts to deliver high-quality, affordable, and sustainable infrastructures while creating value for all stakeholders. We believe that by remaining true to these core values, we can enhance shareholder and stakeholder value while positively impacting our community.

ENCORP recognises that sharing and institutionalising the refreshed mission, vision, values and brand promise tagline are essential to aligning the entire team towards achieving its strategic objectives. The new statements will guide management thinking on strategic issues, help define performance standards, inspire employees to work more productively by giving them common goals to focus on, and help them make decisions based on the company's core values. Additionally, the refreshed statements will establish a framework for ethical and effective behaviour, which will be achieved through ENCORP's Values Statement.

In 2023, the refreshed mission, vision, values and brand promise tagline will be shared across the internal teams and aligned with our work and decision-making processes. To this end, we will be undertaking a series of internal communication campaigns, including workshops, training sessions, and team-building exercises, to ensure that all employees are fully aware of the new strategic direction and their role in achieving it. We will also engage with our external stakeholders to keep them continuously apprised of our refreshed standing and efforts to drive the business forward.

## **MANAGEMENT PERSPECTIVE**

# FINANCIAL PERFORMANCE REVIEW

**Key Performance Indicators** 



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#### Group Financial Performance FY2022

ENCORP reported a decline in its financial performance in FY2022, with revenue of RM137.5 million, reflecting a 6% decrease from FY2021. The property development segment was the highest revenue contributor to the Group, generating RM73.4 million, followed by the concessionaire segment at RM58.6 million and the investment property segment at RM50 million.

However, the Group incurred a loss before tax of RM7.5 million in FY2022, compared to a profit before tax of RM1.9 million in FY2021. This included one-off adjustments, such as an inventory write-down of RM13.6 million, which were partially offset by a gain on the fair value of investment properties of RM1.5 million.

The Group's gearing ratio decreased from 0.05 in FY2021 to 0.03 in FY2022. To determine the net debt position, we took into account trade and other payables as part of our borrowings. The reduction in gearing in FY2022 was due to the decrease in ENCORP's loan commitment.

The Group's incurred income tax expenses comprised RM6.8 million in income tax and RM3.9 million in deferred tax. The higher income tax expense for FY2022 was attributed to the Group's increased profit from the completion of Clover, Encorp Cahaya Alam parcel in the first quarter of the year under review.

The Group is unable to declare any dividends due to the losses in FY2022. However, the Board of Directors plans to declare dividends in the near future subject to available profits to provide a return on investment for the Group's shareholders.



#### Segmental Financial Performance FY2022

#### Property Development Segment

The decrease in revenue for the property development segment was mainly due to the delay in completion of the Lily phase in Encorp Cahaya Alam due to industry-wide labour shortage issue. This caused a delay in completing construction work and affected timely delivery resulting in a revenue decline. The revenue for the ongoing projects in Encorp Cahaya Alam was particularly impacted, leading to a significant revenue decrease of RM9.4 million compared to the previous year.

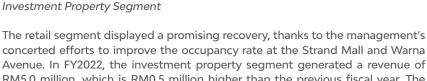
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However, the reopening of the border between Malaysia and Singapore provided a much-needed boost to the sales of high-rise properties in Encorp Marina Puteri Harbour. The revenue for this segment increased from RM2.1 million in FY2021 to RM13.2 million in FY2022, indicating a positive trend in the market.

Despite the increase in revenue for the high-rise properties, the overall property development segment incurred a loss before tax of RM18.5 million in FY2022. This was primarily due to the one-off inventories value that were written down, amounting to RM13.6 million. The write down was neccessary to reflect the true market value of the properties.

#### Property development revenue (by projects)

Property development revenue	2022 (RM'000)	2021 (RM'000)
Iskandar Puteri, Johor Bahru		
Encorp Marina Puteri Harbour	13,283	2,143
Kota Damansara, Selangor		
Encorp Strand Residences	-	51
Encorp Cahaya Alam, Selangor		
Magnolia	1,604	-
Clover	19,707	46,211
Akasia I	-	995
Dahlia	2,932	4,174
Lily	35,862	18,801
Rumah Idaman	-	3,706
Total	73,388	76,081



concerted efforts to improve the occupancy rate at the Strand Mall and Warna Avenue. In FY2022, the investment property segment generated a revenue of RM5.0 million, which is RM0.5 million higher than the previous fiscal year. The increase in occupancy rate contributed to a fair value increase of RM1.5 million in the investment properties, thereby narrowing the loss before tax by RM2.2 million to RM9.4 million in FY2022.

struction of Lily, Encorp Cahaya Alam, Selang

The improvement in occupancy rates was a result of ENCORP's strategy to attract tenants with an appealing rental package that comprises capex assistance, long free rental periods, competitive rental rates and event arrangements. The management's decision to offer flexible leasing terms to existing tenants who were facing challenges due to the pandemic has also contributed to the increase in occupancy rate. These measures have resulted in a steady increase in footfall and spending at ENCORP's retail properties, further boosting the segment's revenue.



FIFA World Cup 2022 screening at Warna Avenue

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#### Concessionaire Segment

The Concessionaire segment maintained a consistent revenue stream in FY2022, generating RM58.6 million in revenue and a profit before tax of RM0.3 million. This is a marginal decrease from FY2021, where the division generated RM66.0 million in revenue and a profit before tax of RM0.4 million.

The Concessionaire segment's income comes from the Government, payable after the completion and handover of each cluster of teachers' quarters, up until the end of the concession period in FY2028. However, year-on-year there has been a tapering trend in the concession income attributed to the end of the concession period.



#### SEGMENT BUSINESS REVIEW

#### **Property Development**

Guided by the Strategic Framework that we put in place in FY2021, ENCORP's property development segment, which is the biggest revenue contributor to the Group, charted new projects as well as continued upcoming phases of its ongoing development. We expanded our landbank in 2022 through joint venture agreements, which have enabled us to strategically secure new land parcels and strengthen our portfolio of development projects.

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Indicators	FY2022	FY2021	FY2020
Total Landbank Size	45.39 acres	32.26 acres	37.95 acres

Progressing with Encorp Cahaya Alam

#### ENCORP CAHAYA ALAM, SHAH ALAM

GDV	
RM993.1 million	

# Land size 🕴 Undertaken by

210 acres Must Ehsan Development Sdn Bhd

Encorp Cahaya Alam is a mixed development with residential and commercial properties with a GDV of RM993.1 million. The 210-acre parcel is located in Seksyen U12, Shah Alam, and is expected to be fully developed by 2027. It offers central connectivity to the North-South Highway (NSE) and Federal Highway, and is surrounded by green spaces, parks, and a man-made lake. The Encorp Cahaya Alam parcel is also close to public facilities and amenities such as sports facilities, shopping malls, schools, and hospitals.





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CLOVER 2-Storey Link House 10.94 acres GDV: RM 124.1 million

Launched in June 2019, Clover consists of 143 double-storey link homes with beautiful views of a man-made lake surrounded by greenery. Clover achieved 97.9% sales at the end of 2022. However, construction activities faced delays due to a shortage of labour in 2022.



LILY 2-Storey Link House 6.41 acres GDV: RM77.1 million

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Launched in November 2020, Lily comprises 92 spacious two-storey link homes, of which, 91 homes have been sold leveraging innovative sales and marketing initiatives, including those using 3D walkthrough and social media advertising. Built around a lake and manicured greens, Lily offers a sense of serenity.

## UPCOMING



IRIS 2-Storey Link House 5.48 acres GDV: RM54.9 million

Originally targeted for a mid-2022 launch, Iris was subsequently launched in April 2023. Iris comprises 59 units of two-storey link homes which feature high ceiling and an interior that conveys a sense of grandeur, augmented by natural lighting.



AKASIA 2 2-Storey Superlink house 9.62 acres GDV: 116.0 million

Targeted to launch in July 2023, the last phase of the highly anticipated Akasia concept homes will feature 112 units of luxurious double-storey super link houses, adjacent to the first phase of Akasia. Akasia 2 is designed for those seeking the ultimate in modern, upscale living, and its launch will provide buyers with a final opportunity to own a property in this much-sought-after neighbourhood.



#### Capitalising on Collaborations

We continue to seek attractive opportunities with like-minded partners in the industry to expand our property development efforts through a collaborative and mutually beneficial partnerships that yields positive results for all. In FY2022, we entered into agreements with FELDA, Ipmuda Properties Sdn Bhd, and Touch Millennium Sdn Bhd.

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Lamanda Chuping, PWF Chuping Kangar, Perlis 46-acre GDV: 88.8 million	Joint-Venture Agreement (JVA) with FELDA for a restoration and redevelopment project at FELDA Chuping, Perlis, which is part of the 'Perumahan Warga FELDA' programme initiated by the Government to meet the increase in demand for affordable homes by FELDA's second generation. The 2-phase development is scheduled to be completed over 54 months, with the first phase focusing on the restoration and redevelopment of 224 residential and 17 commercial units over 25 acres in 18 months. The second phase will span 36 months on 21 acres and include 13 commercial lots, 270 medium-end residential units, a petrol station plot, and a recreational area.
<b>Cahaya Kristal,</b> <b>Kota Kinabalu, Sabah</b> 1.60-acre GDV: RM79.2 million	ENCORP's subsidiary, Encorp Development Sdn Bhd, entered into an agreement with Ipmuda Properties Sdn Bhd, for the development of a low-density leasehold Cahaya Kristal condominium at Bukit Kepayan, Kota Kinabalu, Sabah. The development comprises 166 units in a 10-storey tower block with panoramic view of the South China Sea and lush green hilltop, is estimated to commence in 2023 and is due for completion by 2026. The development is surrounded by matured residential and commercial developments and will include a swimming pool, roof terrace, convenience shop, laundry room, gym and multi-level security system.
Mixed Development, Teluk Cempedak, Kuantan, Pahang 4.97-acre GDV: RM540.0 million	ENCORP's subsidiary, Encorp Construction & Infrastructure Sdn Bhd, and Touch Millennium Sdn Bhd formed a 70:30 JVA to develop a mixed commercial development project on 4.97-acre of land in Teluk Cempedak, Kuantan, Pahang. The construction is expected to commence in 2024 and completed by 2027. It is strategically located at Kuantan's iconic Teluk Cempedak beach, with attractions in the immediate surroundings, such as the Kuantan Botanical Garden, Taman Teruntum Zoo, Royal Pahang Golf Club, Teluk Cempedak Trails, and the long sandy beaches by the South China Sea.

#### Ensuring Quality and Satisfaction

#### Customer Satisfaction (Quality target of 75%)



Given that the operating landscape has been somewhat dynamic over the past couple of years, we recognise that the priorities of our stakeholders ccontinue to evolve in tandem. The Group remains committed to adapting to these expectations. We place a high value on identifying and prioritising the issues that matter most to our business and stakeholders.

We place great emphasis on ensuring that our customers are satisfied with the quality of our products and services. To measure our performance in this area, we conduct customer satisfaction surveys during project handovers.

In FY2022, our customer satisfaction results for the development project of Clover Encorp Cahaya Alam, Shah Alam exceeded our targeted expectations. We achieved an impressive customer satisfaction quality index of 93%, surpassing our quality target of 75%. This achievement is a testament to our unwavering commitment to delivering high-quality products and services that meet our QSVS standards and the expectations of our customers. We will continue to work diligently to maintain this level of excellence and strive for continuous improvement in all aspects of our business.

For more information, please refer to Customer Satisfaction sub-section in the Sustainability Report of this Annual Report.



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**Investment Property** 

In 2022, the performance of the retail property sector in Malaysia moderated, with shopping complexes recording an occupancy rate of 75.4%, down marginally from 76.3% in 2021<sup>3</sup>. As Malaysia transitioned into the endemic phase, consumers continued to practice caution and chose to shop online instead of visiting physical stores.

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Upgrading Works and Marketing Efforts Driving Higher Tenancy and Footfall Traffic



#### STRAND MALL, KOTA DAMANSARA

The Group's investment property portfolio includes the Strand Mall, and the recently revamped Warna Avenue. The Strand Mall is located in the Kota Damansara area and is easily accessible via the North Klang Valley Expressway (NKVE), the Damansara - Shah Alam Elevated Expressway (DASH) and the Lebuhraya Damansara Puchong (LDP) by way of Persiaran Surian and Persiaran Mahogani. It offers a variety of shopping, dining, and entertainment options, with a total lettable area of 245,414 square feet (sq. ft.) spread out over four levels. The mall also has 1,723 covered parking bays and outdoor parking. The Warna Avenue is a 90-ft-wide and 800-ft-long covered al fresco boulevard that offers dining, office and entertainment outlets, with suitable space for events. It has a total lettable area of 170,814 sq. ft.

In an effort to improve the overall experience of visitors to the Strand Mall and Warna Avenue, we have implemented several plans, which include enhancing the facade and landscape to make them more appealing to shoppers, upgrading the lighting in the mall and car park levels, added securities, installation of musical moving lights display and improving the WIFI network at Warna Avenue to enhance connectivity and convenience for visitors.

Marketing efforts have also been made to attract more shoppers. Efforts were intensified and focused on digital platforms, including Facebook, Instagram, and TikTok, when compared to the previous year. The mall continued to host events and TV production shoots to bring more excitement and engagement, such as live screenings of major football tournaments, the General Election, and food festivals.

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#### **Overall Retail Mall & Warna Avenue Tenants**

#### FY2022 FY2021 **FY2020** 50% units occupied for Strand Mall 40% of units occupied for Strand : 64% units occupied for Warna Mall Mall Avenue . 60% of units occupied for Warna : 70% Overall Net Lettable Area Avenue Avenue . 58% Overall Net Lettable Area ÷., New Retail Mall & Warna Avenue Tenants FY2022 FY2021 FY2020

- 20 new tenants occupying 38 units : •
- Equivalent to 56,005 sq. ft. of retail
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- space 13.5% Overall Retail Net Lettable . Area
- 7 new tenants occupying 13 units
- Equivalent to 15,009 sq. ft. of retail 🗄 🔸 space

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3.5% Overall Retail Net Lettable Area

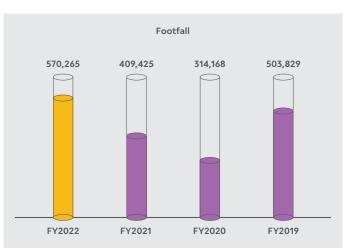
- 44% of units occupied for Strand
- 58% of units occupied on Warna
- 62% Overall Net Lettable Area
- 6 new tenants occupying 15 units
- Equivalent to 26,657 sq. ft. of retail space & 164,256 sq. ft. of carpark space
- 7.01% Overall Retail Net Lettable Area

In 2022, we aimed to increase the occupancy rate for both the Strand Mall and Warna Avenue by implementing attractive leasing enablers. This included securing specialised and anchor tenants to reposition the mall and bring in more foot traffic. In addition, we improved micro revenue and credit control, such as increasing administrative fees for tenancy agreements and implementing new parking rates.

To support tenants, a financial support package was provided, which included options such as reduced rental rates with longer tenancy periods, offering rent relief to those who remained loyal to Strand Mall, and creating a monthly instalment plan for outstanding arrears. We have also made inroads to move towards becoming fully cashless by accepting payment methods such as Touch n Go, Visa and MasterCard Pay Wave, and Olapay apps for season parkers.

These efforts have resulted in the securing of 20 new tenants occupying 38 units, comprising 56,005 sq. ft. net lettable area. Additionally, there has been an 100% occupancy rate in the prominent area of Warna Avenue shop lots on the ground floor.

Footfall traffic to the mall has increased to 39% in FY2022 compared to the previous year, and is even higher than pre-pandemic FY2019 footfall.



Additionally, the Group transferred unsold inventories from its Encorp Strand Garden Offices carpark into its investment portfolio to generate investment income. We have converted nine units in the Encorp Strand Residences into homestays, and 516 carparks for rent since 2021. This strategy is demonstrative of the Group's resourcefulness in monetising assets that have not been sold since the onset of the pandemic.



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#### **Replanting Contract**

Through its wholly-owned subsidiary, Encorp Construction & Engineering Sdn Bhd, we have undertaken a project for a palm oil replanting programme for FELDA. The initial acreage covers an estimated 868 hectares with a contract value of RM3.36 million. Our involvement in this project demonstrates our ability to leverage our inherent knowledge and expertise in land clearing and preparation, which can be applied across various industries. By utilising our skills and experience, we aim to drive growth and contribute to sustainable and diversified income streams for the Group. We expect the acreage to increase significantly in the future and that this will become a consistent revenue for the Group.

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#### Mining

As part of ENCORP's income stream diversification and consistency, the Group has commenced exploring the potential of silica mining, an industry that holds great income potential for the future.

The Group, through its wholly-owned subsidiary, Encorp Construction & Engineering Sdn Bhd, signed a Distribution Agreement with LMC Mining Sdn Bhd to undertake the distribution of silica. The Group will also be involved in joint mining operations in several identified sites. The mining operations are expected to commence in 2023 and to start contributing to the Group's numbers immediately. The reason why silica is chosen as our preferred mineral is due to the high demand for high grade silica which is an important component of solar panels, which are currently the favourite source of renewable energy.





### MANAGEMENT PERSPECTIVE

53% male : 47% female

(ratio of 55 male to 48

#### **PEOPLE AND PERFORMANCE**

The commitment of our employees is key to the Group's ability to steer the organisation onto a sustainable path. We invest<br/>in our workforce to ensure ongoing learning and development, as well as prioritise their well-being.IndicatorsFY2022FY2021FY2020

54% male : 46% female

(ratio of 53 male to 46

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Ratio	female employees)	female employees)	female employees)
Average Training Hours Per Employee	50 hours per person based on 109 employees	37 hours per person based on 99 employees	18 hours per person based on 103 employees
Safety Performance – Lost Time Injury (LTI)	Zero	Zero	Zero

55% male : 45% female

(ratio of 60 male to 49

#### Safe Working Environment

Male : Female Workforce

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We place the safety and well-being of our employees as our highest priority. To achieve the highest level of safety, we have developed a comprehensive Health and Safety Policy that is shared with all our contractors and relevant stakeholders. This policy outlines our commitment to providing a safe and healthy work environment, preventing accidents and injuries, and promoting employee well-being.

It is important to note that last year, understandably, our focus was on safety and health, given the impact that COVID-19 wrought on lives. However, we remain dedicated to continually improve our approach to the safety and health of our employees and stakeholders. In terms of safety performance, we closely monitor and track Lost Time Injuries (LTI) to ensure that we are maintaining high standards of safety across our operations. We are grateful to note that there has been no LTI for the year in review.

We are committed to promoting a workplace culture that values work merit above all else, regardless of gender or age. Our gender distribution is balanced, with 55% of our workforce being male and 45% female. We take pride in empowering women and promoting gender equality by hiring more women in our traditionally male-dominated industry.

#### Inclusive and Engaged Workforce

In implementing our first phase of the Strategic Framework, ENCORP made significant efforts to strengthen its internal structure in FY2022. One of the approaches was through promoting and placing employees internally rather than recruiting externally, which was aimed at improving employee loyalty and motivation. To further enhance the work environment and promote teamwork, ENCORP also implemented various measures and activities to foster camaraderie among employees and break down communication barriers, wherever possible.

Our dedication to diversity and inclusivity in the workplace extends beyond our gender distribution, and we work diligently to ensure that our workplace is free of discrimination and bias. We believe that providing equal opportunities to all employees is crucial for creating a positive and productive work environment. In addition to our commitment to promoting diversity, equality and inclusivity, we are also dedicated to enhancing the professional and personal growth of our employees. As the new way of working post the pandemic becomes more settled, we continued with training and development programmes to provide our employees with the necessary skills and knowledge to succeed in their roles. In FY2022, we increased our training hours to 50 hours per person based on 109 employees, compared to 37 hours per person based on 99 employees in the previous year.

For more information, please refer to the Sustainability Report of this Annual Report.

#### **Technology and Digitalisation**

The Group has progressed its adoption of technology and digitalisation into aspects of its business and operations as we adapt to an increasingly digital world. We continued efforts to accelerate our digitalisation which involved changing the way we work to align with our Environmental, Social, and Governance (ESG) commitments, reducing our reliance on paper, and implementing paperless procedures.

To ensure business continuity, we leveraged information technology to enhance our systems and software. We upgraded the key performance indicators (KPIs) form to an online version, revamped our corporate website using WordPress, and implemented Cloud backup to complement the traditional backup methods. Additionally, we provided an online platform for the mall team to request items related to mall maintenance, renewed and updated webpage security with Secure Sockets Layer (SSL) wildcard, updated Microsoft Office software to version 2021, and upgraded telecommunications for both corporate and mall use. We also provided an online registration form to assist various departments in organising events throughout the year. These technology initiatives have increased efficiency and streamlined processes, ultimately improving business continuity.

For more information, please refer to the Sustainability Report of this Annual Report.



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STRENGTHENING SUSTAINABILITY

Sustainability is a key focus of our strategic intent, and we are dedicated to creating a more resilient business through sustainable management practices. We prioritise ESG principles as a critical enabler that underscores our Strategic Framework, which is led by our Group Sustainability division.

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Our commitment to placing sustainability at the forefront of our operations stems from our belief that the Group's financial health is interconnected with environmental and social health, as well as adherence to sound governance principles.

For the year in review, we refreshed our materiality survey and assessment and enlarged the materiality contents to ensure our sustainability reporting meets the highest standards. We are committed to enhancing our sustainability reporting according to the updated Bursa Malaysia Sustainability Reporting Guide (3<sup>rd</sup> edition) requirements, ensuring year-to-year data accuracy and disclosure.

We are committed to being fully transparent with our stakeholders when it comes to climate-related risks and opportunities. To that end, we intend to update our disclosures annually and follow the recommendations of the Task Force on Climate-related Financial Disclosure (TCFD) to ensure full transparency.

Looking ahead, we intend to integrate climate-related risks and opportunities and will be developing a climate strategy. Part of this entails verifying the Greenhouse Gas (GHG) inventory, including Scope 3 emissions, and developing a decarbonisation roadmap and GHG mitigation/offsetting actions for our businesses.

For more information, please refer to the Sustainability Goal and Roadmap in the Sustainability Report of this Annual Report.

## **GROUNDED IN GOOD GOVERNANCE**

ENCORP is dedicated to building an organisation that operates with integrity and strong governance practices. At the forefront of this commitment is the Board, which sets the tone for the entire company. To ensure that this value is embedded in our culture, ENCORP has established a Code of Conduct and Business Ethics that extends to both employees and business partners. This code requires a pledge of commitment and compliance with ethical practices. ENCORP has also implemented a Whistle-blowing Policy and guidelines to encourage reporting of misconduct and issues related to integrity and governance.

As of FY2022, relevant policies and procedures, such as the Anti-Bribery and Anti-Corruption Policy, Conflict of Interest Management Policy and Donations, and Sponsorship Policy have been strengthened to ensure continued commitment to good corporate governance practices.

For more information, please refer to the Corporate Governance Overview Statement of this Annual Report.

In order to maintain our growth and resilience, we regularly assess both our risks and opportunities. We remain mindful of the potential risks that could affect our operations, financial performance, governance, and reputation. Within our industry, we keep a close eye on material costs that could impact project development and sales. Additionally, market sentiment is a key factor in determining customer acceptance of the projects we undertake and construct.

For more information, please refer to the Audit, Risk and Governance Committee Report of this Annual Report.





# MANAGEMENT PERSPECTIVE

#### **OUTLOOK AHEAD**

The global economy is expected to experience a deceleration in 2023, followed by a recovery in the following year. Economic growth is expected to be relatively weak, given the efforts to curb inflation and the impact of Russia's conflict in Ukraine. It is projected that global growth will decrease from 3.4% in 2022 to 2.9% in 2023, with a subsequent recovery to 3.1% in 2024<sup>4</sup>.

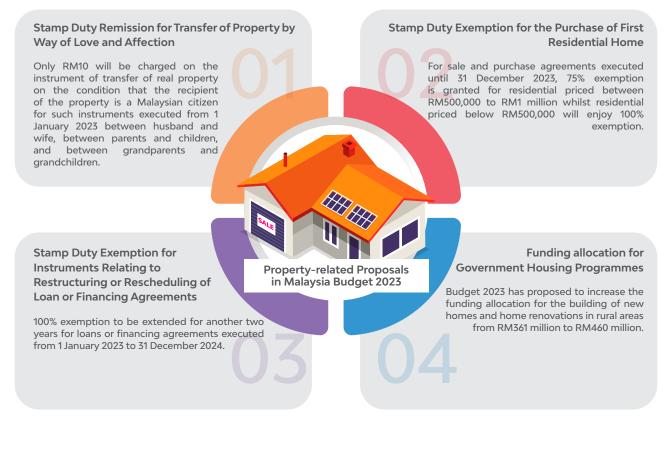
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Economic growth for Malaysia in 2023 is expected to moderate due to a slower global economy. Domestic demand will be the primary driver of growth, with improvements in employment and income prospects boosting household spending. Ongoing infrastructure projects and revised Malaysia Budget 2023 are expected to further support growth. Headline and core inflation rates are expected to decrease but remain high due to demand and cost factors, with upside risks from changes in domestic policies and global commodity prices.

According to industry reports, the outlook for the property market in 2023 is expected to remain largely neutral. However, rising global cost pressures due to the Russia-Ukraine war, surging commodity prices, supply chain disruptions, increase in construction costs as well as labour shortages, continue to pose challenges to the property market recovery. Developers are also facing challenges with consumer purchasing power and accumulating property overhangs. Developers must find innovative solutions to overcome these challenges while ensuring profitability.

Despite the uncertain external environment, the property market is anticipated to grow at a rate that corresponds with the slightly reduced economic growth forecast for 2023. This growth is expected to be supported by accommodating policies, sustained Government backing, and the effective implementation of planned measures under the revised Malaysia Budget 2023 and strategies and initiatives outlined in the 12<sup>th</sup> Malaysia Plan (12MP), which is a development roadmap for Malaysia's path towards a prosperous, inclusive and sustainable nation.

The revised Malaysia Budget 2023 includes that the stamp duty exemption for first homes will be maintained, and the stamp duty on property transfer through love and affection has been revised.



<sup>4</sup>World Economic Outlook Update : Inflation Peaking amid low Growth, published on January 2023 by the International Monetary Fund



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#### OUR FOCUS FOR FY2023

Our strategy for growth remains clear and focused. The three core growth strategies for ENCORP, which are to build a sustainable income, diversify our income portfolio, and elevate corporate branding, have already taken root and are poised for further traction.

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On the property front, the year ahead will see us strengthening our efforts in delivering on the projects that are in our books, reducing inventories of completed properties, while maintaining a healthy gearing ratio to ensure agility amidst rising costs of construction. We anticipate our new launches of Iris and Akasia 2 in Encorp Cahaya Alam to attract prospective homebuyers, given that the previous parcels of this project have already been well-received with their strategic location, top-notch amenities, and modern design features. With this success in mind, we are focused on maintaining this momentum through attractive marketing and sales initiatives, notwithstanding the ongoing property market sentiment. On the retail management front, we have seen an encouraging trend with the efforts that we have put in place to boost footfall and will continue with efforts in a similar vein.

Progressing ENCORP's business through leveraging our affiliation with FELDA, a Memorandum of Understanding was signed on 10 April 2023 between FELDA, Melaka Corporation (formerly known as Perbadanan Kemajuan Negeri Melaka), and ENCORP to explore additional arrangements and foster mutual cooperation for a 640.98-acre piece of land at Mukim Bukit Katil in the Melaka Tengah district.

Our efforts to diversify our income streams have also seen good progress with securing the silica mining projects, and we will continue to ride on that momentum. We expect to continue exploring synergies further in silica sand mining as we build our name and presence in this industry.

Our aim is sustainable earnings growth, and we are committed to balancing our portfolio of assets against risk and growth. To achieve this, we have recruited experienced and capable personnel to strengthen our management capability and help us realise our plans to strengthen ENCORP.

The Group remains committed to a disciplined approach in seizing opportunities that are well-balanced with risk management. Our ultimate goal is to create sustainable value and deliver on our shareholders' expectations. Our commitment to excellence and value creation will remain constant, and we will continue on a steady path towards expanding our horizons to achieve this aspiration.





# LEADERSHIP

# PROFILE OF BOARD OF DIRECTORS



Date of Appointment: 14 September 2021

# Tuan Haji Sr. Mohd Ali Bin Abd Karim

Independent Non-Executive Chairman

Tuan Haji Sr. Mohd Ali has over 30 years of experience in the local construction Industry. He started his career with JUBM in 1986 and was appointed as Director in 1992 and subsequently he was Executive Chairman and Director in 1999. He retired in 2016 and remained as Non-Executive Chairman and Advisor in JUBM and Arcadis Asia until end of 2017. He returned as Non-Executive Chairman and Director of JUBM on 1 January 2023.

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Tuan Haji Sr. Mohd Ali was on the Board of Langdon & Seah Sdn Bhd as a Consultant back in year 1999. He served as a Director of PUSB Engineering Sdn Bhd, a company involved in oil and gas consultancy services for 10 years from 2005 to 2015.

Tuan Haji Sr. Mohd Ali was appointed as a Member of Corporation in Perbadanan PR1MA Malaysia since October 2018 until September 2020.

Tuan Haji Sr. Mohd Ali experience and project expertise includes project management, master planning, cost planning, procurement and cost management of mega high rise building and civil engineering and infrastructure project in Malaysia.

Tuan Haji Sr. Mohd Ali does not have any family relationship with any director and/or major shareholder or any conflict of interest with the Company. He has not been convicted of any offence within the past 5 years, nor any public sanction or penalty imposed by regulatory bodies during the financial year.

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Datuk Haji Jaafar Bin Abu Bakar is a Malaysian whose career has been working with both the public and private sector institutions.

Datuk Haji Jaafar completed his studies at University of Malaya with Bachelor of Arts (Honors) in 1969, he obtained a Masters degree in Public policy and Administration from University of Wisconsin's La Follete School of Public Affairs (Center for Development), Madison U.S.A in 1980. He is a Fellow member of Economic Development Institute of the World Bank, Washington, D.C.

Datuk Haji Jaafar started his career as a Land Administrator in FELDA before joining the Malaysian Civil Service in 1970. Being an officer of the Malaysian Administrative and Diplomatic Service, he had been involved in the implementation of development plans at regional/state levels. He was State Development Officer of Penang, Pahang and Kelantan. He also had the opportunity to head public enterprises and actively involved in trust agency activities. He served as Director/ CEO of Kelantan Land Development Board and later as General Manager/CEO of Kelantan State Economic Development Corporation from 1984 to 1990. He was one of the founding members of Gemaputra (Bumiputra Trust Agencies Union) and became its Chairman in 1988/1989.

Datuk Haji Jaafar has served as a Board Member of the Malaysian Industrial Development Authority. He completed his public service as Deputy Secretary General of the Ministry of Domestic Trade and Consumer Affairs in 1991.

Moving into private sector, Datuk Haji Jaafar became Group General Manager of Koperasi Usaha Bersatu Holdings Berhad in 1991. He subsequently took up the position as Executive Director and Managing Director of Damansara Realty Berhad until 1995. He served as Executive Chairman of Cold Storage (Malaysia) Berhad from 1996 to 1998 and subsequently as President/ CEO of Uniphoenix Corporation Berhad until 2006. He served as a member of FELCRA Board from 1998 to 2007.

He was then a board member of Mission Biotechnologies Sdn Bhd and Mission Biofuels Sdn Bhd, the two subsidiary companies of Mission NewEnergy Limited which is listed on the Australian Stock Exchange (ASX), the company involves in biodiesel industry.

Datuk Haji Jaafar was a Director/ Chairman of Petaling Tin Berhad from 1997 until 2019. Currently, He is the Chairman of Tajaria Sdn Bhd and Director of Daya Semaian Sdn Bhd.

Datuk Haji Jaafar does not have any family relationship with any director and/or major shareholder or any conflict of interest with the Company. He has not been convicted of any offence within the past 5 years, not any public sanction or penalty imposed by regulatory bodies during the financial year.

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Date of Appointment: 27 June 2019



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# Mahadzir Bin Mustafa

Non-Independent Non-Executive Director Member of Audit, Risk and Governance Committee

Mahadzir Mustafa brings with him over 27 years of experience in areas of financial and management accounting, taxation, corporate finance and treasury matters, within various industries, GLCs and MNCs, ranging from manufacturing, trading and distribution, highway concessionaire, e-commerce and water assets development.

Prior to his appointment in Federal Land Development Authority ("FELDA"), he was the CEO of Pengurusan Aset Air Berhad, the national water asset developer for the country.

Currently, he is the Deputy Director General (Corporate Services) at FELDA, responsible for the company's strategic investments, assets and properties management, administration, legal affairs, corporate communications, information technology and procurement regulation.

He sits on the board of several FELDA group of companies and cooperative such as FELDA Middle East Sdn Bhd, FIC Properties Sdn Bhd, FIC UK Grand Plaza Ltd. and Koperasi Permodalan FELDA 2.

Mahadzir holds a Bachelor of Science in Accounting and Finance from the University of Wales at Aberystwyth, United Kingdom and Master of Business Administration (MBA) from Anglia Ruskin University, United Kingdom. He is a fellow of the Association of Chartered Certified Accountants (ACCA) and Member of the Malaysian Institute of Accountants (MIA).

Mahadzir does not have any family relationship with any director and/or major shareholder or any conflict of interest with the Company. He has not been convicted of any offence within the past 5 years, nor any public sanction or penalty imposed by regulatory bodies during the financial year.

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Date of Appointment: 3 November 2022

# YBhg Dato' Dr. Suzana Idayu Wati Binti Osman

Non-Independent Non-Executive Director Member of the Nominating and Remuneration Committee

Dato' Dr Suzana Idayu Wati holds a PhD in Finance from the University Putra Malaysia ("UPM") in 2011 and a Master's degree in Business Administration (Finance) from UPM in 2004. She also holds a BA (Hons) in Business Studies from the University of Huddersfield, United Kingdom in 1992 and attended the Harvard Business School's Advanced Management Programme (AMP) in 2009.

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Dato' Dr Suzana Idayu Wati is a seasoned C-Suite professional with 30 years of experience in the food, agriculture, financial services and institutional asset management industries. Having held various Board positions and diverse roles at C-Level provide unique strategic perspectives in the management of multi-business corporate and multi-asset financial portfolios. She also has extensive experience in transforming businesses as well as managing effective operational strategy executions.

Dato' Dr Suzana Idayu Wati served as Chairman, Board of Director and Advisor of more than 35 entities across various sectors such as plantation, downstream agri-business, oleochemicals, consumers goods, technology, travel, construction, livestock, logistic, trading, fintech and private equity firm.

Dato' Dr Suzana Idayu Wati is currently the chairman of IIUM Holdings Sdn Bhd, an Independent Non-Executive Director of CB Industrial Product Holding Berhad and also a Board member of Lembaga Kemajuan Tanah Persekutuan (FELDA). She is also an Investment Committee Member of BCP Asia Fund 1 LP and a Member of the Supervisory Committee of the FELDA Rehabilitation Plan. She also sits as a Public Interest Director of Private Pension Administrator Malaysia.

Dato' Dr Suzana Idayu Wati does not have any family relationship with any director and/or major shareholder or any conflict of interest with the company. She has not been convicted of any offence within the past 5 years, nor has any public sanction or penalty been imposed by regulatory bodies during the financial year.

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# PROFILE OF BOARD OF DIRECTORS



Date of Appointment: 14 September 2021

# Tuan Haji Lukman Bin Abu Bakar

Independent Non-Executive Director Member of Audit, Risk and Governance Committee Member of Nominating and Remuneration Committee

Tuan Haji Lukman holds Bachelor of Urban and Regional Planning (Hons) from University of Technology Malaysia and Post Graduate Diploma of Housing, Building and Planning from Institute for Housing Studies, Rotterdam, Holland. He also attended Management Programme at Asian Institute of Management in Manila, Philippines.

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Tuan Haji Lukman held various senior management positions in Johor Corporation (JCorp) and chairmainship and directorship of companies within JCorp Group. He started his career in 1982 as a Town Planning Officer. He was the Deputy Manager in 1989. He was then promoted to Senior General Manager of JCorp in 2006. He then served as Senior Vice President in JCorp in 2009. He was appointed as Chief Executive of Property Division of JCorp in 2011 until his retirement in 2019.

Tuan Haji Lukman's career in Johor Land Berhad (JLand) began in 2010 as the Managing Director Upon his retirement at Jcorp, he was appointed as the Business Advisor of JLand until 2020.

Tuan Haji Lukman was seconded to Pasir Gudang Municipal Council as Assistant Secretary back in 1989 and moved up to Manager cum Deputy Secretary in 1992, He also served as Secretary of Pasir Gudang Municipal Council in 2004. He was appointed as the first President of Pasir Gudang Municipal Council when the Pasir Gudang Local Authority was upgraded as a full-fledged Municipal Council on July 2008 and served until August 2009, upon the Council was handed over to the administration of the State Government of Johor.

Tuan Haji Lukman joined Sindora Berhad as the Deputy General Manager back in year 1993 and then promoted to General Manager in 1995 until 2004. He was appointed as a Board Member of DBhd from 2006 to 2014. Besides, he also served as a Board and Audit Committee member of Damansara Reits Managers Sdn Bhd back in 2010 to 2020. Currently, he sits as member of Majlis Agama Islam Johor (MAIJ) from 2015 until present. He is also a Board of Director in Waqaf An-Nur Corporation Berhad and Audit Committee Member of Permodalan Darul Takzim Sdn Bhd (PDT).

Tuan Haji Lukman does not have any family relationship with any director and/or major shareholder or any conflict of interest with the Company. He has not been convicted of any offence within the past 5 years, nor any public sanction or penalty imposed by regulatory bodies during the financial year.



MAT AKHER BIN HASSAN Head of Technology

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# LEADERSHIP

# SENIOR MANAGEMENT TEAM



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#### Academic/Professional Qualifications

- Bachelor of Arts (Honours) in Accounting from Sheffield Hallam University, United Kingdom
- Fellow Member of Association of Chartered Certified Accountants
- Member of Malaysian Institute of Accountants

#### Past Experience

Actively involved and held various portfolios in Finance, Property and Infrastructure facilities with more than 26 years of experience including in public listed companies: • Auditor in PricewaterhouseCoopers (1996)

- Operations Manager for Pengurusan Danaharta Nasional Berhad (1999)
- Financial Controller for Pembinaan BLT Sdn Bhd, a company owned by the Minister of Finance Inc. (2005)
- Chief Financial Officer for Symphony Life Berhad Group (formerly known as Bolton Berhad) (2006)

#### Declaration

- Does not hold directorship in any other public companies and listed issuers
- Does not have any family relationship with any director and/or major shareholder or any conflict of interest with the Company
- Has not been convicted any offences within the past 5 years, nor any public sanction or penalty imposed by regulatory bodies during the financial year

#### Academic/Professional Qualifications

- Bachelor of Science in Civil Engineering from University of Toledo, Ohio, USA
- Registered Professional Engineer with the Board of Engineers Malaysia
- · Member of Institution of Engineers Malaysia

#### Past Experience

Actively involved and held various portfolios in Property and Construction Management with more than 30 years of experience including in international and public listed companies:

- Engineer for T.R. Worline & Assoc. Inc. Swanton, Ohio, USA (1990)
- Engineer for H.S. Liao Sdn Bhd (1991)
- Project Manager for WCT Engineer Berhad (1995)
- Senior Project Manager for Berjava Land Berhad (2000)
- Project Director for ATC Project (Vietnam) Co Ltd (2005)
- Deputy General Director for Ocean Group of Companies (2008)
- Director of Projects for Petaling Tin Berhad/ Karambunai Corp Berhad (2011)
- Project Director for Grandmas Development Sdn Bhd (2013)
- Chief Operating Officer for DMIA (M) Sdn Bhd (2014)
- Project Director (Freelance) (2018)

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# SENIOR MANAGEMENT TEAM



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#### Academic/Professional Qualifications

- Bachelor of Business in Accounting and Computing from Swinburne University of Technology, Australia
- Member of CPA Australia
- · Member of Malaysia Institute of Accountants

#### Past Experience

Actively involved and held various portfolios in Advisory, Finance and Property with more than 28 years of experience including in public listed companies:

- Consultant in Transaction Advisory Services and Assurance Department for Ernst & Young, Kuala Lumpur (1995)
- Senior Executive in Corporate Finance, Merger & Acquisition for Petaling Tin Berhad (2001)
- Finance Manager for Metroplex Berhad (2004)
- Senior Finance Manager for Sunway City Berhad and Sunway Berhad (2007)

#### Declaration

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#### Academic/Professional Qualifications

- Bachelor of Laws (LL.B Honours) Degree from
   University of Leicester, United Kingdom
- Admitted as an Advocate and Solicitor of the High Court of Malaya in 1993
- Licensed Company Secretary

#### Past Experience

Lee Lay Hong commenced her legal practice in litigation and subsequently ventured into commercial sectors. She has 30 years of experience in legal work, covering corporate and commercial, banking, litigation, industrial relations, intellectual property and construction, corporate secretarial and corporate governance matters

- Prior to joining ENCORP, she has held leadership positions as Head of Legal and Group Company Secretary for Mah Sing Group Berhad and Head of Legal for Puncak Niaga (M) Sdn Bhd
- Awarded the 1st Asian Company Secretary of the Year Recognition Awards 2013 by Corporate Governance Asia, Hong Kong

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# SENIOR MANAGEMENT TEAM



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## Academic/Professional Qualifications

 National Technical Certificate in Electrical Technology (Installation & Servicing) from the Institute of Technical Education Singapore

#### Past Experience

Actively involved and held various portfolios in Property with more than 17 years of experience including in public listed companies:

- Sales Executive for Magna Prima Berhad (2007)
- Sales Executive for Symphony Life Berhad (2010)
- Assistant Sales Manager for Berjaya Land Berhad (2014)
- Sales Manager for Jakel Development (2015)
- Sales Manager for Naza TTDI Sdn Bhd (2016)
- Senior Sales Manager for Setia Haruman Sdn Bhd (2018)

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#### Academic/Professional Qualifications

- Bachelor of Graphic Design & Marketing from Curtin
   University of Technology, Australia
- Master of Business Administration from INTI
  International University, Malaysia
- Member of Malaysia Institute of Human Resource
   Management
- Member of International Association of Human Resources

#### **Past Experience**

Actively involved and held various portfolios in Education and Property with more than 18 years of experience including in public listed companies:

- Assistant in Investor Relations and Corporate Planning for PECD Berhad (2005)
- Senior Manager in Network Development, Human Resource and Administration Services for Limkokwing University (2007)
- Senior Manager in Corporate Relations, Business Development and Human Resource for Studylink Sdn Bhd (2009)
- Head of Corporate Relations, Human Resource and Business Development for KRU Academy (2011)
- Manager in Corporate Relations and Marketing for Taylor's University (2013)

#### Declaration

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### SENIOR MANAGEMENT TEAM



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#### Academic/Professional Qualifications

- Bachelor of Accounting and Finance from John Moores Liverpool University
- Master of Forensic Accounting and Financial Criminology from University Technology MARA, Malaysia
- Member of Institute of Enterprise Risk Practitioners Certified Integrity Officer with the Certified Integrity Officer (CeIO) Accreditation Board

### **Past Experience**

Actively involved and held various portfolios in Internal Audit and Advisory with more than 22 years of experience including in public listed companies:

- Internal Audit Executive for AmMerchant Bank Berhad (2001)
- Senior Executive in Advisory Services for Ernst and Young (2005)
- Internal Audit Manager for DRB-HICOM (2010)
- Internal Audit Manager for Sapura Kencana Petroleum Berhad (2014)

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### Academic/Professional Qualifications

- Diploma in Computer Science from University Technology MARA, Malaysia
- Master of Information Technology from Open University Malaysia

### **Past Experience**

Actively involved and held various portfolios in Warehousing & Logistics, Broadcasting and Property with more than 33 years of experience including in public listed companies:

- Programmer for Shapadu Kontena Berhad (1990)
- Analyst Programmer for Diperdana Corporation Berhad (1995)
- Senior Executive in Information Technology for Konsortium Logistik Berhad (1997)
- System Analyst for Casaville Technology Services Sdn Bhd, a company owned by Natseven TV Sdn Bhd (2001)
- IT Manager for Glenmarie Properties Sdn Bhd, a subsidiary of DRB-HICOM Berhad (2012)

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### CORPORATE **PROFILE**

Listed on the Main Market of Bursa Malaysia Securities Berhad on 11 February 2003, Encorp Berhad (ENCORP or the Group) is a property development and management services company that is headquartered in Petaling Jaya, Malaysia.

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The Group's holding company is Felda Investment Corporation Sdn Bhd (FIC), the investment arm of the Federal Land Development Authority (FELDA), which holds a 62.30% equity stake.

ENCORP's four main business segments comprise property development, investment property (retail mall, shop offices & carpark units), construction and concessionaire, with property development as its core business area. The Group's footprint of landbanks and property portfolio encompasses Malaysia and Australia, all situated in strategically prime development locations.

Since inception, ENCORP has focused its value creation efforts towards engendering sustainable and meaningful outcomes for its ecosystem of stakeholders. The company has leveraged on its industry credibility and accreditations, and its proven track record in property development and management, to identify value accretive opportunities to drive its growth in the longer term and ensure its business sustainability.

ENCORP's development include:

### Past and on-going developments

ENCORP is recognised for building value-added properties with innovative designs, superior workmanship and finishing, within a well-planned concept. A reflection of our contribution can be seen in the various projects listed below:

Encorp Strand, Kota Damansara – a mixed development with Gross Development Value (GDV) of RM1.03 billion and fully completed.



Encorp Cahaya Alam, Shah Alam – a mixed development consisting of residential and commercial properties with GDV of RM0.99 billion and expected to be completed by 2026.



Encorp Marina Puteri Harbour, Iskandar Puteri – a commercial and serviced apartment development with GDV of RM594.8 million and fully completed.

The Residences on McCallum Lane, Perth, Australia – a residential apartment development with GDV of RM68.0 million and fully completed.

### Future developments

- Lamanda Chuping, PWF Chuping Kangar, Perlis a mixed development with GDV of RM88.8 million and expected to be completed by 2027.
- Cahaya Kristal, Kota Kinabalu, Sabah a residential apartment development with GDV of RM79.2 million and expected to be completed by 2026.
- Teluk Cempedak, Kuantan, Pahang a mixed development with GDV of RM540.0 million and expected to be completed by 2027.
- The Tree Close, Cockburn Central, Perth, Australia a mixed development with GDV of RM340.0 million.





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The Group's uncompromising commitment to stellar quality, standards, value and service is evident from its innovative lifestyle-centred developments that seek to cater to evolving customer needs and expectations, centred on holistic lifestyles and community living that are the hallmarks of modern life. Complementing this is the Group's customer promise of providing excellent customer service, as propagated by its two-pronged customer-centric strategy. ENCORP's unswerving commitment resulted in Dahlia at Encorp Cahaya Alam being awarded a Quality Assessment System in Construction (Qlassic) rating of 71%, or "High Quality", by the Construction Industry Development Board (CIDB) in 2019; Encorp Marina Puteri Harbour receiving a Qlassic score of 75% in 2018, and Encorp Strand Residences a Qlassic score of 72% in 2017.

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The Group has a range of subsidiaries that specialise in specific areas related to its three main business segments. Encorp Must Sdn Bhd and Must Ehsan Development Sdn Bhd provide property development and construction services, and are accredited with ISO 9001:2015 certification. ENCORP's investment property arm, Encorp Strand Mall Sdn Bhd manages Strand Mall, a lifestyle neighbourhood mall in Kota Damansara. Encorp Facilities Management Sdn Bhd specialises in facility management services, while Encorp Construction and Infrastructure Sdn Bhd provides industryspecific construction and infrastructure solutions. Both Encorp Construction and Infrastructure Sdn Bhd and Encorp Construction and Engineering Sdn Bhd are registered as Bumiputra Contractors Class A under Contractor Service Centre (PKK) and possess a Grade G7 with Construction Industry Development Board (CIDB). Encorp Development Sdn Bhd is G4 certified by the CIDB, with Encorp Construction and Engineering Sdn Bhd having an additional electrical and mechanical specialisation under the CIDB certification.

Towards building robust foundations that will ensure the Group's sustained long-term value creation journey, ENCORP has effected its transformation journey towards becoming a leading company in the property development sector in Malaysia. Underlying this is ENCORP's focus on upholding the highest standards of corporate governance, which has been recognised through awards such as the Corporate Governance Asia Recognition Award 2013, the 1<sup>st</sup> Asian Company Secretary of the Year Award 2013 and the Best Investor Relations Company at the 7<sup>th</sup> Asian Excellence Recognition Awards 2017.

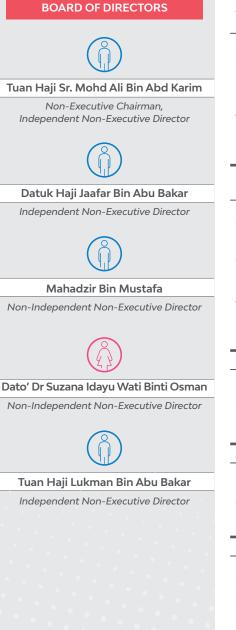
The Group highly values its employees, as it is the human capital that drives its strategic performance and business outcomes. The Group's sustained efforts led to HR Asia identifying it as a winner in the Best Companies to Work for in Asia Awards for 2019 and 2021, adding to awards obtained previously, such as the Human Resource Asia Best Companies to Work for in Asia 2018 Award, as well as the Silver Medal Award for Employer of Choice (Private Sector) at the Malaysia Human Resources Awards 2018.

ENCORP is constantly looking for opportunities to further expand its businesses locally and internationally in the property and construction arena. The Group is also amenable to expand its service offerings and one of these is to establish a facilities management function to support the maintenance of our buildings and assets as well as to explore opportunities in complementary sectors such as mining, water and renewable energy.

Committed and dedicated to help move ENCORP in its journey of growth and expansion are the Board of Directors comprising of Tuan Haji Sr. Mohd Ali Bin Abd Karim (Non-Executive Chairman), YBhg Datuk Haji Jaafar Bin Abu Bakar, Encik Mahadzir Bin Mustafa, YBhg Dato' Dr. Suzana Idayu Wati Binti Osman, and Tuan Haji Lukman Bin Abu Bakar as well as by the Group Chief Executive Officer, Encik Hazurin Bin Harun.

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### AUDIT, RISK AND GOVERNANCE COMMITTEE

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**Datuk Haji Jaafar Bin Abu Bakar** Chairman

Mahadzir Bin Mustafa Member

**Tuan Haji Lukman Bin Abu Bakar** Member

### NOMINATING AND REMUNERATION COMMITTEE

Datuk Haji Jaafar Bin Abu Bakar Chairman

Dato' Dr Suzana Idayu Wati Binti Osman Member

**Tuan Haji Lukman Bin Abu Bakar** Member

### COMPANY SECRETARY

Lee Lay Hong LS 0008444 SSM PC No. 201908002088

### AUDITORS

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### STOCK EXCHANGE LISTING

Main Market of Bursa Malaysia Securities Berhad Stock Name : **ENCORP** Stock Code : **6076** 

### **REGISTERED OFFICE**

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### PRINCIPAL BANKERS

Malayan Banking Berhad

United Overseas Bank (Malaysia) Berhad

Bank Islam Malaysia Berhad

Bank Muamalat Malaysia Berhad

### SOLICITORS

Zul Rafique & Partners

C.S. Tan Seah & Partners

Sanjay Mohan

Zaid Ibrahim & Co

Azmi & Associates

Zain Megat & Murad

Rosli Dahlan Saravana Partnership

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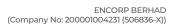
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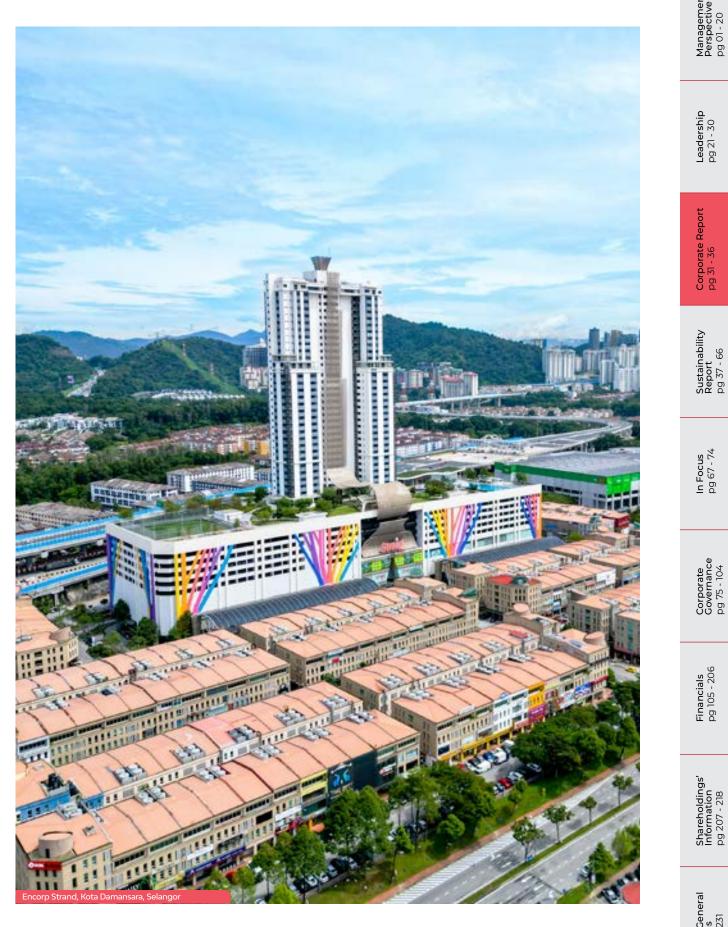
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Subsidiary Company	Percentage (%)	Principal Activity	Place of Incorporation
Encorp Must Sdn Bhd	100	Investment Holding and Property Project Management	Malaysia
Must Ehsan Development Sdn Bhd	70	Property Development	Malaysia
Encorp Strand Mall Sdn Bhd	100	Property Investment	Malaysia
Encorp Parking Sdn Bhd	100	Property Investment	Malaysia
Red Carpet Avenue Sdn Bhd	100	Investment Holding	Malaysia
Encorp Development Sdn Bhd	100	Property Development	Malaysia
Encorp Iskandar Development Sdn Bhd	100	Property Development	Malaysia
Encorp Construction & Infrastructure Sdn Bhd	100	Investment Holding and Construction Project Management	Malaysia
Encorp Systembilt Sdn Bhd	100	Concessionaire to build and transfer teachers' quarters to the Government of Malaysia	Malaysia
Encorp Construction & Engineering Sdn Bhd	100	General Trading	Malaysia
Encorp Development Pty Ltd	100	Property Development	Australia
Encorp Facilities Management Sdn Bhd	100	Facilities Management Services Provider	Malaysia
Encorp Bukit Katil Sdn Bhd	100	Property Development	Malaysia
Encorp Millennium Sdn Bhd	70	Investment Holding, Construction Project Management And Property Development	Malaysia

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### SUSTAINABILITY STATEMENT

### INTRODUCTION

We are gratified to share our sixth annual Sustainability Report which reflects our Group's sustainability efforts in 2022. Across the various industries where Encorp Berhad (ENCORP or the Group) is present, we strive to integrate the highest standards of governance into our sustainability initiatives and our daily business processes. By doing this, we maintain responsible practices, optimise the environmental impact of our business, and provide safe and healthy working environments across our entire chain of operations.

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In accordance with the Main Market Listing Requirements of Bursa Malaysia Securities Berhad, our Sustainability Report has been produced with reference to the Global Reporting Initiatives Standards.



#### **Scope And Reporting Boundry**

ENCORP is a listed property developer on Bursa Malaysia's Main Market and headquartered in Petaling Jaya, Selangor, Malaysia. The scope of this Report includes our sustainability approach and sustainability strategy and initiatives, as well as comparative historical data where applicable. Our sustainability initiatives are aligned with the United Nations' 17 Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs) with an increasingly stronger focus on climate action and reducing carbon emissions. The scope of the data for this Report is primarily within Malaysia unless stated otherwise.



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## SUSTAINABILITY GOAL AND ROADMAP

This report reveals our sustainability journey towards becoming a Group that balances environmental and social integration as well as economic considerations in the planning, design and implementation of our projects. We improve our performance and commitment year-on-year as set out in our five-year roadmap.

In an effort to contribute to global and national initiatives towards sustainable development, ENCORP seeks to continuously refine its strategic approach to the United Nations' 17 SDGs. For this year of reporting, we have identified primarily with the focus areas of six SDGs Focus Area, which are: Good Health and Well-Being (SDG 3), Decent Work and Economic Growth (SDG 8), Sustainable Cities and Communities (SDG 11), Responsible Consumption and Production (SDG 12), Climate Action (SDG 13) and Peace, Justice and Strong Institutions (SDG 16).



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# Sustainable Development Goals and Business for The Future

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### Encorp SDG Focus Area

Sustainability Goal	Target	Contributions
SDG 3 <b>3</b> AND VELLEBING <b>C</b> <b>C</b> <b>C</b> <b>C</b> <b>C</b> <b>C</b> <b>C</b> <b>C</b>	INCREASE HEALTH FINANCING AND SUPPORT HEALTH WORKFORCE IN DEVELOPING COUNTRIES Substantially increase health financing and the recruitment, development, training and retention of the health workforce in developing countries, especially in least developed countries and small island developing States.	<ul> <li>We prioritise health and safety in our business operations by adopting safety standards and systems as well as implementing a Quality, Environmental, Safety and Health (QESH) policy.</li> <li>We promote healthy lifestyles by organising programmes that focus on employee well-being.</li> <li>We manage our construction wastes responsibly and ensure proper storage as well as disposal of hazardous and non-hazardous waste.</li> </ul>
SDG 8 8 ECENT WORK AND CONNING GROWTH Fromote sustained, inclusive and sustainable	DIVERSIFY, INNOVATE AND UPGRADE FOR ECONOMIC PRODUCTIVITY Achieve higher levels of economic productivity through diversification, technological upgrading and innovation, including through a focus on high-value added and labour-intensive sectors.	• We provide competitive salaries and benefits packages for our employees in addition to training opportunities for growth and career development.
economic growth, full and productive employment and decent work for all	PROMOTE POLICIES TO SUPPORT JOB CREATION AND GROWING ENTERPRISES Promote development-oriented policies that support productive activities, decent job creation, entrepreneurship, creativity and innovation, and encourage the formalisation and growth of micro-, small- and medium-sized enterprises, including through access to financial services.	• We are developing and implementing relevant policies and procedures.
	PROMOTE YOUTH EMPLOYMENT, EDUCATION AND TRAINING Reduce the proportion of youth not in employment, education or training.	• We provide competitive salaries and benefits packages to our employees in addition to training opportunities for growth and career development.
	PROTECT LABOUR RIGHTS AND PROMOTE SAFE WORKING ENVIRONMENTS Protect labour rights and promote safe and secure working environments for all workers.	<ul> <li>Our Safety and Health Unit monitors and checks for compliance to relevant rules and regulations.</li> </ul>

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### Encorp SDG Focus Area (Cont'd.)

Sustainability Goal	Target	Contributions
SDG 11 11 SUSTAINABLE CITIES AND COMMUNITIES	SAFE AND AFFORDABLE HOUSING Access to adequate, safe and affordable housing and basic services and upgrade slums.	<ul> <li>As a property developer, we connect communities and businesses and promote sustainable lifestyles by encouraging people to walk and use public transport.</li> </ul>
Make cities and human settlements inclusive, safe, resilient and sustainable	INCLUSIVE AND SUSTAINABLE URBANISATION Enhance sustainable urbanisation and capacity for participatory, integrated and sustainable human settlement planning and management in all countries.	• We have been involved in the construction of infrastructures that enhance the sustainable features of cities, such as affordable housing.
	SUPPORT LEAST DEVELOPED COUNTRIES IN SUSTAINABLE AND RESILIENT BUILDING Support least developed countries, including through financial and technical assistance, in building sustainable and resilient buildings utilising local materials.	<ul> <li>For year 2022, 100% of the required services were carried out by Malaysian vendors. By supporting them, we play a part in contributing to the domestic economy.</li> </ul>
SDG 12 12 RESPONSIBLE CONSUMPTION AND PRODUCTION	SUSTAINABLE MANAGEMENT AND USE OF NATURAL RESOURCES Achieve the sustainable management and efficient use of natural resources.	• We recycle wood and pallets used in construction works.
Ensure sustainable consumption and production patterns	SUBSTANTIALLY REDUCE WASTE GENERATION Reduce waste generation through prevention, reduction, recycling and reuse.	<ul> <li>We actively reduce usage of paper by initiating the used of digital- based documentation.</li> </ul>
	ENCOURAGE COMPANIES TO ADOPT SUSTAINABLE PRACTICES AND SUSTAINABILITY REPORTING Encourage companies, especially large and transnational companies, to adopt sustainable practices and to integrate sustainability information into their reporting cycle.	<ul> <li>A concise Sustainability report is included in the ENCORP Annual Report.</li> </ul>

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### Encorp SDG Focus Area (Cont'd.)

Sustainability Goal	Target	Contributions
SDG 12 12 ESPONSIBLE CONSUMPTION AD PRODUCTION CONSUMPTION AD PRODUCTION Ensure sustainable consumption and production patterns	PROMOTE UNIVERSAL UNDERSTANDING OF SUSTAINABLE LIFESTYLES Ensure relevant information and awareness for sustainable development and lifestyles in harmony with nature.	<ul> <li>Employees are required to participate and involved in Corporate Social Responsibilities (CSR) activities as part of their respective key performance measures and indicators.</li> <li>The company has also provided the Clover and Lily developments, under the Encorp Cahaya Alam project with lake and garden landscapes, security features enhanced with boom gates, guard houses and smart security applications.</li> </ul>
SDG 13 13 The second s	INTEGRATE CLIMATE CHANGE MEASURES INTO POLICIES, STRATEGIES AND PLANNING Improve education, awareness-raising and human and institutional capacity on climate change mitigation, adaptation, impact reduction and early warning.	<ul> <li>We have revised our relevant policies and procedures to include climate change action.</li> <li>Our employees have been sent for Sustainability development training.</li> </ul>
SDG 16 <b>16</b> Prace, JUSTICE AND <b>10</b> Prace, JUSTICE AND <b>10</b> Promote peaceful and inclusive societies for sustainable development, provide access to	PROMOTE THE RULE OF LAW AND ENSURE EQUAL ACCESS TO JUSTICE Promote the rule of law at the national and international levels and ensure equal access to justice for all.	<ul> <li>We have intergrated the below into our policies and procedures:</li> <li>Laws of Malaysia Act 694, Malaysian Anti-Corruption Commission Act 2009.</li> <li>Guideline on Adequate Procedures Pursuant to Subsection (5) of Section 17A under the Malaysian Anti-Corruption Commission Act 2009.</li> <li>Bursa Malaysia Listing Requirement on Anti-Corruption and Whistle Blowing.</li> </ul>
justice for all and build effectiveness accountable and inclusive institutions at all level	COMBAT ORGANISED CRIME AND ILLICIT FINANCIAL AND ARMS FLOWS Reduce illicit financial and arms flows, strengthen the recovery and return of stolen assets and combat all forms of organised crime.	<ul> <li>Emphasising an anti-bribery mindeset by implementing the Code of Conduct and Business Ethic Guideline as well as the Whistle Blowing Policy and Guideline.</li> </ul>
	SUBSTANTIALLY REDUCE CORRUPTION AND BRIBERY Substantially reduce corruption and bribery in all their forms.	<ul> <li>Enforcement of integrity at work.</li> <li>Gap analysis on adequate Procedures to determine implementation of Anti-Bribery Management System.</li> <li>Integrity training for all employees.</li> <li>Education and awareness on integrity through email, poster and training.</li> </ul>
	ENSURE RESPONSIVE, INCLUSIVE AND REPRESENTATIVE DECISION-MAKING Ensure responsive, inclusive, participatory and representative decision-making at all levels.	Equality of gender without precedent.

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SUSTAINABILITY LEADERSHIP & COMMITMENT

The ENCORP Board of Directors, ensures the effectiveness of leadership of the Company. The Board is responsible for the setting of the mission, visions, values and standards of the Company.

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The Board of Directors determines ENCORP's strategic direction and ensures our compliance to laws, internal regulations, risk management and control. Sustainability is a component of our corporate strategy. ENCORP Sustainability is the unit responsible for sustainability strategy and sustainability management. Demonstrating our Board's commitment to drive change through innovation and building on our legacy as a sustainability leader, ENCORP Group Sustainability has been set up to cascade and drive the climate and environment policy, operations and management of natural resources, energy, utilities, environment, biodiversity, waste management, and use of alternative resources to systematically and sustainably maximise system efficiency.

Decisions on the long-term alignment of sustainability-related areas of action are endorsed at Board level, whereby they would convene to discuss and assess ENCORP's progress on economic, environmental and social issues as well as the degree to which sustainability principles have been integrated into the various divisions. During this meeting, the Group's sustainable development goals and targets are presented and endorsed by the Board, which are then incorporated into the Group's sustainable development strategy.



### STAKEHOLDER ENGAGEMENT

Our sustainability agenda considers balancing our diverse stakeholders' near and long-term interests. Stakeholder engagement is a collaborative process that is critical to the success of the Group.

We believe that actively engaging and working in partnership with our stakeholders is crucial to addressing sustainability concerns.

The table on the next page illustrates our methods of engagement with each stakeholder group, their expectations and the manner in which we address their expectations.

The table also catalogues their concerns and our responses to resolve such issues:

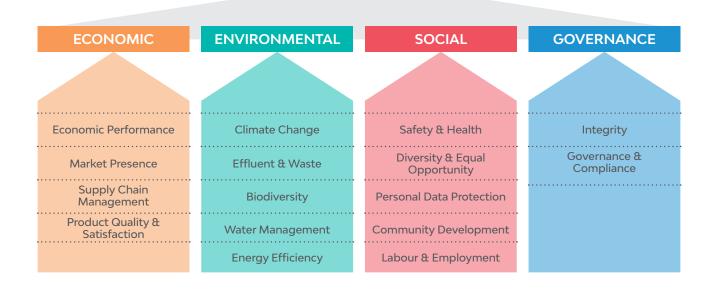
Stakeholder Group	Area of Interests/Expectations	Methods of Engagement
Employees	Career development, Work-life balance, Fair remuneration, Safe and conducive workplace	Training Programme, Employee satisfaction survey, Employee Get Connected Programme, Sports activities, Townhall and Performance review
Customers	Product affordability, Competitive pricing, Product quality, Customer satisfaction, Support service, Complaints resolution	Customer satisfaction survey and Community events
Authorities	Regulatory compliances, Standards and certification, Policy and regulatory changes	Consultation sessions and conferences, Visit and inspection, ISO 9001 certificate compliance, Meetings and policy briefings
Investors	Financial performance, Business strategies, Financial stability, Governance	Progress Report on the Company's website, AGM/ Shareholder meeting, Financial and/or business activities update to stakeholders
Vendors/Suppliers	Procurement process practice, Supply chain management, Cost reduction/ saving, Payment schedule	Contract negotiation and interview, Vendors meeting, Vendors evaluation, Safety and Quality briefings
Media	Updates and accessibility, Market presence and the Impact of community investment	Periodic updates on corporate development, key events, press releases and broadcasts, Websites (which contain updated information and contents that are relevant to listed issuer's shareholders, Engagement activities with media, E-digital – social media outreach (via facebook and instagram))
Local Community	Economic investments and social impact for local welfare, Community programmes and events for social development	Corporate Social Responsibility (CSR) programmes and Public events

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### SUSTAINABILITY MATTERS

Materiality is defined by the Bursa Malaysia Sustainability Reporting Guide as the principle of assessing a wide range of sustainability matters and identifying those that are most important to the organisation and its stakeholders.

### SUSTAINABILITY MATTERS



ENCORP conducts detailed materiality analysis annually. The materiality study prioritised areas that have significant:

- Impact on the economy, society and environment; and/or
- Influence on the decision-making of stakeholders.

We know that stakeholder priorities are constantly changing, and that we must evolve to ensure we meet expectations. We identify and prioritise business and stakeholders.

For FY2022, the following sustainability matters were identified as being the most relevant to the company and our stakeholders. The significance of these sustainability matters can be found in our Materiality Matrix as laid out in the chart on the right:



OUR MATERIAL MATTERS			
Economic			
Material Sustainability Matters	Corresponding Global Reporting Initiative (GRI) Aspects	Relevant Stakeholders	SDG
Economic Performance	Economic performance	Investors	8 BECENT MUSE AND DISAMBLE CORVER
Market Presence	Market presence	Employees	8 BECENT HOLD AND DOMARE COUNTR
Supply Chain	Procurement Practices Supply Chain	Suppliers, Consultants, Contractors and Regulatory Bodies	8 всеми начи нал.
Product Quality & Satisfaction	Indirect Economic Impact	Regulatory Agencies, Customers and Investors	12 REPORTED

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Enviromental			
Material Sustainability Matters	Corresponding GRI Aspects	Relevant Stakeholders	SDG
Climate Change	Environmental	Customers, Communities, Employees	10 207 C
Effluent & Waste	Effluent & Waste	Customers, Communities, Investors, Regulatory Bodies	12 RESPONSE
Biodiversity	Biodiversity	Customers, Communities, Investors, Regulatory Bodies	12 responses consumption CONSUMPTION CONSUMPTION
Energy Efficiency	Energy	Customers, Communities, Investors, Regulatory Bodies	12 ICONSUMPLIE CONSUMP
Water Management	Water	Customers, Communities, Investors, Regulatory Bodies, Employees	12 ESSENSE CONSUMPTION AD POLICION

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Social			
Material Sustainability Matters	Corresponding GRI Aspects	Relevant Stakeholders	SDG
Safety & Health	Occupational Health & Safety	Employees & Regulatory Bodies	3 AND MILLERG
Diversity and Equal Opportunity	Diversity & Equal Opportunity	Employees, Regulatory Bodies, Suppliers & Vendors	12 ESPANSIE DOGRAFIA MORALICITA
Personal Data Protection	Socioeconomic Compliance	Customers, Investors and Vendors	16 PARLATICA DO ESTANDA DE TRADA DE TRA
Community Development	Local Communities	Communities	
Labour & Employment	Employment Labour & Management Relations Training & Education Child Labour	Employees, Vendors, Suppliers	8 ECONTRACIÓN ECONTRACIÓN ECONTRACIÓN

Governance			
Material Sustainability Matters	Corresponding GRI Aspects	Relevant Stakeholders	SDG
Integrity	General Disclosure Anti-Corruption	Employees, Investor, Vendors, Suppliers, Regulatory Bodies	16 PLACE JATELE AND STRONG HETTERING
Governance & Compliance	General Disclosure Socioeconomic Compliance	Employees, Investors, Regulatory Bodies	



### GOVERNANCE

### **Business Ethics, Policy and Procedure**

To demonstrate our commitment towards excellence in corporate governance, the Group has maintained ethical policies that provide guiding principles on employee conduct when acting on behalf of ENCORP. Our policies have been reviewed and approved by the Board of Directors and/or relevant Senior Management. Our employees and stakeholders can seek additional advice or raise concerns about potential misconduct through the dedicated whistleblowing channel. Areas of concern include violation of business ethics, conflict of interest, corruption or fraud. The avenues for whistleblowing are published through the Whistleblowing Policy and is under the purview of the Audit, Risk and Governance Committee.

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Procedures have been established to ensure a fair and unbiased investigation, with protection of whistle-blowers from reprisal as well unless required by law. As of FY2022 relevant policies and procedures have been initiated and approved;



In line with the Group's commitment to conduct its business professionally, ethically and with the highest standard of integrity, the Board and all employees of ENCORP are committed to upholding the highest standards of professionalism and exemplary corporate conduct in our daily operations by adhering to the Code of Conduct and Business Ethics. It sets out the principles and standards of business ethics and conduct, and each employee has a duty to read and adhere to it. The Group has in place a number of Company codes and policies that establish the rules of conduct within the organisation; representing the main points of reference for all who work for and with us. These codes and policies can be found on the Company's website. The purpose of a code of ethics is to provide guidance and set common ethical standards to promote consistency in behaviour across all levels of employment.

A code governs the actions and working relationships of board members and top management with employees and in dealings with other stakeholders.

The parameters outlined in the code are as below:

- Requires the highest standards for honest and ethical conduct, including proper procedures for dealing with conflicts of interest between personal and professional relationships.
- Requires full, fair, accurate, timely and understandable disclosure in reports and documents filed with regulators, including financial reports, and provided to shareholders.
- Requires compliance with applicable governmental laws, rules and regulations.
- Establishes accountability for adherence to the code.
- Provides for methods to communicate violations of the code.

An effective code establishes an ongoing process to meet new and challenging situations that test a company's ability to identify and respect the rights of its stakeholders and to act not necessarily to enhance the shareholder value, although that can be the by-product of making ethical decisions, but, instead, to protect the rights of customers to have a safe product or development.

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#### Anti-Bribery and Anti-Corruption

We remain committed to behaving professionally and with integrity in our business dealings with our customers, shareholders, business associates, third parties as well as towards one another. Pursuant to the Malaysian Anti-Corruption Commission (Amendment) Act 2018, we have implemented anti-bribery measures across the Group to strengthen our integrity, governance and anti-corruption framework. The Group practices a zero-tolerance approach against all forms of bribery and corruption, and upholds all applicable laws in relation to anti-bribery and corruption.

The measures comprise of a guideline which contains principles that guide our ethical decisions. We enhanced and strengthened our business ethics framework by updating the ENCORP Code of Conduct and Business Ethics and developed a Code of **Business Conduct for Third Parties** and relevant policies and procedures on anti-bribery and corruption. A compulsory internal virtual training on integrity and anti-corruption was conducted for all employees. A dedicated communication channel to create awareness and disseminate information on anti-bribery and corruption as well as to promote a culture of integrity and compliance have been set up on our intranet. Each employee is expected to read, familiarise and strictly comply with the policy in carrying out their duties.

Third parties performing work or services for or on behalf of ENCORP are also required to acknowledge conformity to the Integrity 3rd Parties as well as comply with all applicable laws and our policy manual. All investments including mergers, acquisitions, joint ventures and projects are reviewed for anti-bribery and corruption risk with appropriate due diligence conducted on the counter party and owners of the counter party, where relevant. Integrity pledges were signed by the ENCORP leadership team to demonstrate top level commitment. We have in place control measures for compliance and to mitigate

corruption risks which are assessed, monitored and regularly audited. In addition, we have in place robust testing and monitoring programmes to ensure that our control environment is effective. The Group continues to take all necessary measures to promote a culture of integrity through awareness campaigns and regular communications.

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Integrity Development with the community, employees and business partners is an approach that involves learning about customer needs, service delivery challenges, supporting communities and companies to achieve integrity initiatives for practical solutions, continuous monitoring and service delivery. In line with combating bribery and a zero-tolerance approach against all forms of bribery and corruption, ENCORP in collaboration with Malaysian Anti-Corruption Commission (MACC) organised an awareness programme for employees, contractors, consultants and Mall tenants on 10 November 2022.





#### **Personal Data Protection**

Privacy and confidentiality of employees' and customers' information are kept and managed in accordance to the requirements of the Personal Data Protection Act (2010) pertaining to processing of personal data, purpose of use, disclosure to parties, transfer of personal data, access, correction and acknowledgement for consensual use.

## Personal data is collected by ENCORP for the following purposes:

- to administer the business or contractual relationship between ENCORP and interested parties;
- to communicate with interested parties;
- to administer customer relationship management procedures;
- to provide interested parties with information about the activities, products, services, events and programmes that may be organised, managed, facilitated, provided, sponsored and/or participated by ENCORP;
- to provide interested parties with information about the products, services, events and programmes offered by selected third parties that may interest them;
- to facilitate payment in connection with the business or contractual dealings between ENCORP and interested parties;
- to conduct research, study, assessment, survey and/or prepare reports/statistics for purpose of ENCORP's business activities;
- to respond to enquiries;
- to comply with any legal or regulatory requirements applicable to ENCORP, and to make disclosure under the requirements of any law, regulation, direction, court order, by-law, guideline, circular or code applicable to ENCORP;
- for recruitment of employees;
- for ENCORP's internal record keeping; and/or
- other lawful business activities of ENCORP.

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### Product Quality

It takes persistence for continual improvement to stay on top of changing the quickly business environment, especially in the variety of industries we are involved in. Our motto of "Good to Great" remains a priority for us. This unwavering dedication imprints our Good to Great on all of our goods and services. In accordance with pertinent local and international benchmark requirements, all of our business divisions have management systems in place and are accredited. By providing clear guidelines, uniform standards, and direction for our procedures and activities, we create an environment where excellence is valued. This gives our employees the authority to take initiative and produce results via dedication and competence.

The ISO 9001:2015 Quality Management System has been accredited for our Property Management and Facilities Management Divisions. The ISO 9001:2015 outlines how we should conduct our business to satisfy our stakeholders and customers. This international standard encourages the use of a process approach using the Plan-Do-Check-Act cycle, with an overall focus on risk-based thinking to seize opportunities and avoid unfavourable outcomes.



### Our Certification in Quality Management System ISO 9001:2015

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Company	Scope	Awarded
Encorp Berhad	Property development and project management of residential, industrial and commercial buildings	Certified to ISO 9001:2000 on 19 January 2007
Encorp Must Sdn Bhd		Certified to ISO 9001:2008 on 19 January 2010
Must Ehsan Development Sdn Bhd		Certified to ISO 9001:2015 on 24 September 2018
Encorp Facilities Management Sdn Bhd	Facilities Management of residential, industrial and commercial buildings	Certified to ISO 9001:2015 on 24 September 2018

### ISO 9001:2015 Surveillance Audit Result for year 2022

The audit team, SGS Sdn Bhd, carried out a process-based audit with a focus on major aspects, risks, and standards-required objectives(s). Based on the data accessible at the time of the audit, a sampling process was used. Interviews, observation of activities, and a review of records and documentation were the auditing techniques employed.

The audit's organisational structure followed the audit plan, which is annexed to this summary report.

The audit team also concludes that ENCORP and its subsidiaries has established and maintained its management system in line with the requirements of the standard and demonstrated the ability of the system to systematically achieve agreed requirements for products or services within the scope and the organisation's policy and objectives.

### Audit Findings:

The management system documentation demonstrated conformity with the requirements of the audit standard and provided sufficient structure to support implementation and maintenance of the management system.

The organisation has demonstrated effective implementation and maintenance / improvement of its management system and is capable of achieving its policy objectives, as well as and the intended results of the respective management system(s).

The organisation has demonstrated the establishment and tracking of appropriate key performance objectives and targets and monitored progress towards their achievement.

The internal audit programme has been fully implemented and demonstrates effectiveness as a tool for maintaining and improving the management system.

The management review process demonstrated capability to ensure the continuing suitability, adequacy and effectiveness of the management system as well as and the intended results of the respective management system(s).

Throughout the audit process, the management system demonstrated overall conformance with the requirements of the audit standard.



Number of non-conformities identified:			
0 Major	0 Minor	2 Opportunities for Improvement	

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Therefore, the audit team concluded that based on the results of the said audit, the system demonstrated the state of development and maturity of a quality management system and the certification was continued.

#### **Customer Satisfaction**

Customer satisfaction is a crucial factor to measure the quality of our product and service deliverables. Throughout the year, we have conducted customer satisfaction surveys to assess, solicit feedback and gain insights into customers' satisfaction levels on services, products and overall experience. The purchasers were selected to participate in the survey based on several assessment criteria and included groups of purchasers that had signed the Sales & Purchase Agreement, who had collected their keys and those purchasers that had lodged complaints. Their feedback and opinions were crucial for us to identify and bridge the gap between loyalty, service delivery, product satisfaction and customer expectations.

We have conducted customer satisfaction surveys during project handovers to gauge our customer satisfaction levels and are pleased to report that in FY2022, our customer satisfaction results surpassed our target for the development project of Clover Encorp Cahaya Alam, Shah Alam. We achieved a customer satisfaction quality index of 93% for Clover, Encorp Cahaya Alam, Shah Alam, in FY2022 which is above the quality target of 75%.



Project team with homeowner



### **Customer Satisfaction For Clover Project 2022**



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**ECONOMIC PERFORMANCE** 

Economic performance is essential to the long-term viability of the organisation and guarantees that all components of our governance are upheld as our commercial operations expand. It is important to establish a robust risk management framework in order to address the stakeholders concern adequately. Our biggest asset, and what drives our economic prosperity, is our people. As a result, we offer employee perks to ensure that our workers profit from our ongoing economic success. The Employment Act of 1955 stipulates that each employee who is covered by it must have access to an employee benefits plan. Each employee's Employee Provided Fund (EPF) received a contribution. The amount and percentage (of our revenue earned) that we have allocated to our employees' retirement plans are shown on the right.

Revenue (F	RM'000)
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### RM137,494

Employee EPF (RM'000) **RM948** 

0.69% of Revenue

#### Procurement

As a crucial component of operations, suppliers and procurement should be effectively managed, according to ENCORP's values. We actively look for ways to improve how we acquire goods and services. Our supplier chain's transparency and environmental effect are crucial factors in determining how sustainable the company is. The Procurement Policy and Procedures, which offer explicit direction to ensure fairness, transparency, and accountability of purchasing decisions, are strictly followed in all activities.

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We recognise our role in advancing the construction industry as an industry leader and a good corporate citizen by preserving, fostering, and assisting a thriving local supplier chain. Before being requested to submit quotes and being selected as an ENCORP supplier, all of our suppliers must obtain the required points in the preliminary qualification evaluation and register as approved suppliers.

We must make sure that the country's infrastructure investment has a positive knock-on impact for medium-sized and smaller contractors and suppliers further down the value chain, ultimately achieving the goal of boosting the local economy. The project team approves the selections made from the quotes that the procurement department has reviewed and appraised.

Consultant	Contractor	Supplier	_
<ul> <li>Architect Consultancy Services</li> <li>Civil Structural (C&amp;S) and Mechanical and Electrical (M&amp;E)</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Building Work Contractor</li> <li>Interior Design Work Contractor</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Information Technology (IT) Supplier</li> <li>Security Service Supplier</li> <li>Pest Control Supplier</li> <li>M&amp;E Supplier</li> </ul>	
<ul> <li>Quantity Surveyor Consultancy Services</li> <li>Town Planner Consultancy Services</li> </ul>		<ul> <li>Civil Work Supplier</li> <li>Landscaping, Cleaning, Sound and Lighting Supplier</li> <li>General Purchase Supplier</li> </ul>	

Multiple economic advantages emerge from our choice for local suppliers. When opposed to overseas purchases, local procurement can ensure timely delivery and allows for better risk management.

ENCORP constantly takes the initiative to involve its local suppliers, which allows us more control over product quality and delivery time while also frequently lowering overall costs locally.

This aids in reducing the possibility of project delays and cost overruns and guarantees delivery of high quality. Since many variable factors, such as foreign exchange rates, tax ramifications, shipping and fuel surcharges are more predictable compared to international sourcing, local procurement also enables more precise budget forecasting and risk reduction. By sourcing locally and promoting the expansion of the local supply chain, we are essentially reducing our carbon footprint by reducing the need for international shipping.

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### MONITORING OUR ENVIRONMENTAL FOOTPRINT

Our property development division is committed to ensuring the long-term sustainability of its developments. This remains uncompromised years after the projects are completed.

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As part of our effort in minimising any adverse environmental impact on the usage of paper and energy conservation as well as improve work efficiency, our Technology Department has initiated and improved the IT systems as below;

Application/Software	Objectives
e-KPI	Provide platform for online key performance indicators (KPIs) form in replacement of the manual form.
Corporate Website revamp	Revamp the corporate website with the latest version of WordPress.
Cloud Backup and Disaster Recovery Planning	Implemented Cloud Backup as a Disastor Recovery solution and complement the on-premises tape backup at 3 <sup>rd</sup> party office.
Online Mall Maintenance Purchase Requisition	Provide platform for user to request for items related to the mall operation.
Renew and Update Secure Sockets Layer (SSL) wildcard for webpage security	Update SSL for ENCORP's web based application of HRIS, Fingertips, WIP, Helpdesk and BPMS.
Microsoft Office upgrade	Purchase 50 Microsoft Office 2021 licenses due to end-of-life of the Microsoft Office version 2010 that was announced by Microsoft.
TM Unifi replacement for Strand Mall and Encorp Berhad (corporate)	Upgrade TM Unifi from 500MBPS to 800MBPS for both corporate and mall.
	Created an online registration form for the launch of ENCORP's new property development.
Online registration form for Events	Created an online registration form for the Townhall event.
	Created an online registration for the Strand Mall event.
	Created an online registration form for the Iftar programme.
	Created an online registration form to sell used desktops to employees.



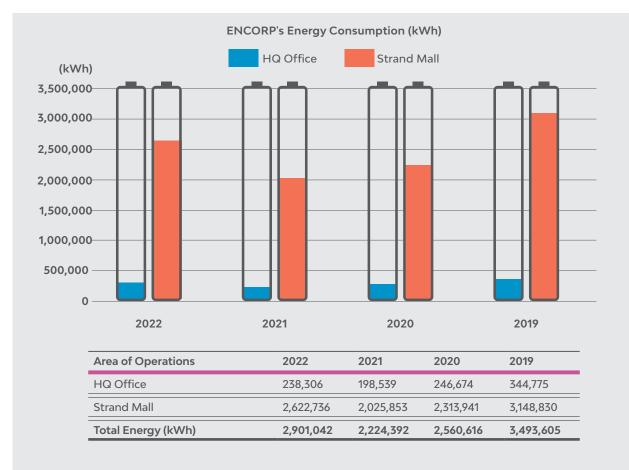
### Annual Energy Efficiency Review

All of our business divisions kept up with various energy-efficiency projects throughout the year, which helped us use less energy. This included the activities of installing a new baby chiller, optimising it, and switching all of our business divisions' flood lights on the façade to Light-emitting diode (LED)s in order to decrease the building's energy intensity.

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On the basis of information provided by the business divisions, our facility management team and ENCORP main office (HQ Office) conducted a biannual energy review. We monitored performance based on industry-specific performance requirements for each sector.

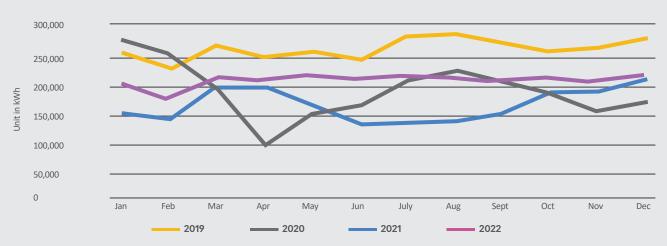
We noticed a decrease in energy for the HQ office and Strand Mall in 2020 and 2021 as a result of the COVID-19 pandemic, where our office and some of the retails in Strand Mall were forced to close for several months due to the Malaysia Movement Control Order to stop the spread of COVID-19, whereas energy increased in 2022 due to the reopening of the economy and the resume of businesses.



In FY2022, ENCORP estimated a total savings of 592 MWh due to our energy-efficient initiatives across all operation platforms (taking 2019 as a baseline).

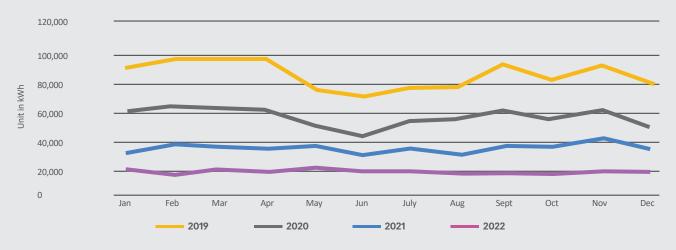
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### **Electric Consumption for Strand Mall**



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#### **Electric Consumption for HQ Office**

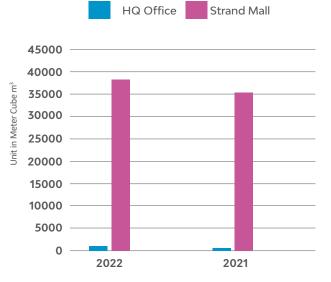


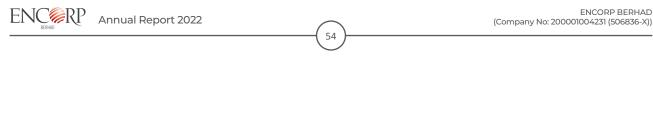
#### Water Consumption

We will strive to encourage water saving initiatives at our premises. The following table shows the water intensity for Strand Mall and the HQ Office for the years 2022 and 2021. For the year in 2022, a total water usage of 40,225m3/m2 was noted.

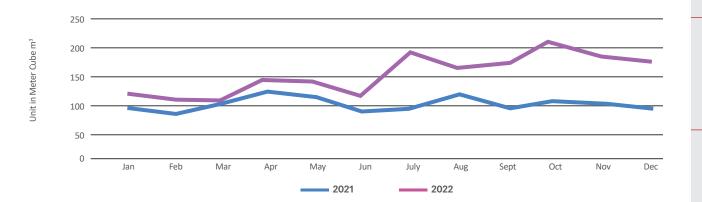
Area of Operations	2022	2021
HQ Office	1,828	1,224
Strand Mall	38,397	35,358
Total Water Usage (m <sup>3</sup> )	40,225	36,582

### ENCORP's Water Consumption (m3)

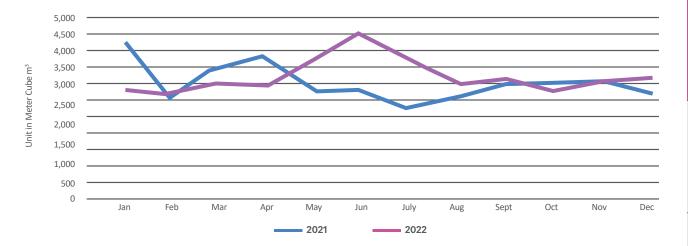




### Water Consumption HQ Office (m<sup>3</sup>)



#### Water Consumption for Strand Mall (m<sup>3</sup>)



Note: The average water usage grew significantly from 36,582m<sup>3</sup> in 2021 to 40,255m<sup>3</sup> in 2022. This is due to the increased of activities in various business sectors, particularly in our mall and office.

### **Reducing Paper Use**

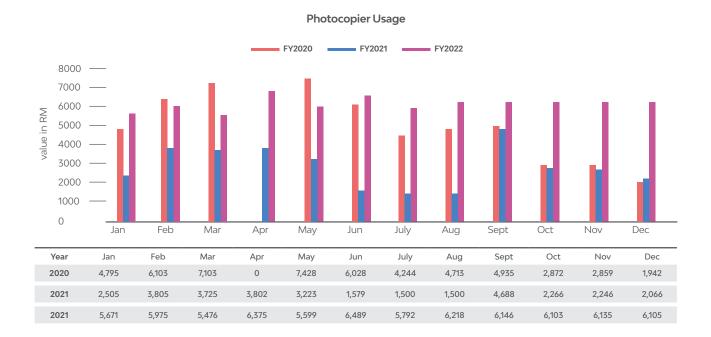
We have put in place a number of initiatives to promote environmentally responsible business practices for paper used at our HQ Office.

We strictly adhere to the paperless policy, and we urge employees to print only necessary documents. For instance, we monitor by enforcing password restrictions on paper copy machines and printers.

To save and distribute documents, we frequently use our preferred cloud platform. We also use an online platform for electronic payment requests (e-PR), KPI evaluations and assessments, and many more electronic features.

Monthly reports on printing volumes are created from this data and distributed to the relevant business units for analysis. Additionally, these business divisions are urged to take internal actions to minimise their use of paper. For the year 2022, we printed a total of about 326,991 sheets of paper for RM72,084, a modest of increase to 54% compared to RM32,294 for the year 2021. The graph on the next page illustrate the monthly utilisation of paper for photocopy machines.

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Note: The significant reason for the increase in printing use for the year 2022 was due to the reopening of the economy and the resume of businesses.

### **Effluent And Waste**

Waste Produced Construction-related activities are the principal source of solid waste generated by ENCORP's business operations, which must be disposed of in landfills. ENCORP strives to minimise the generation of our construction debris whenever possible in order to solve this issue and align with SDG 12 on waste management. We apply the 3Rs (Reduce, Reuse, and Recycle) method at our project sites, where we separate recyclables from reusable garbage. This enables us to significantly lower the amount of material that is transferred to the inert waste landfills. We offer a variety of bin types for different wastes, including recyclable trash made up of paper, plastic, glass, scrap metal, wood, and concrete, to help with waste segregation at project sites. To lessen the usage of virgin resources in the future, scrap metal, wood, and recyclable waste are sent to be recycled. To reduce potential risks and accidents, concrete waste is recycled as crusher runs for access roads and to fill in potholes on project sites. Concrete waste that cannot be recycled is delivered to a licensed landfill for disposal.

Our projects also produce scheduled waste, which is managed in compliance with the Environmental Quality (Scheduled Wastes) Regulations 2005, in addition to construction waste. At our project sites, generated scheduled waste is carefully labelled, kept, and disposed of when it reaches a predetermined level or duration. To collect and transport the scheduled waste for treatment before disposal, we only employ contractors who are authorised by the Department of Environment (DOE).



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In order to make it simpler for Mall Strand tenants to recycle their waste, we incorporate waste separation and collection facilities. To stop earth from being poured into the drains, we created a slip trap into our property developments.

#### **Built with Less Disposing Less**

We work with our We encourage the recycling of waste Strand Mall tenants to separate all of minimising the usage of wood their waste, going in construction by beyond regulatory contractors. requirements to contractors promote a recycling are obligated to culture in our transparent developments. about the amount

### **Compliance to Environmental Regulations**

ENCORP is attentive of the way its business and operations affect the environment. All our projects sites are therefore governed by our customers' stringent policies on environmental protection, including aspects such as waste management. For instance, we regularly check for and examine water and air pollutions, as well as record and analyse important parameters to make sure they are below the limits established by law. Additionally, we adhere to all local environmental laws and compliance standards.

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We take compliance seriously and ensure adherence to all relevant rules and regulations. We adhere to the Environmental Quality Act 1974 (amendment) 1996 and its subsequent Regulations and Orders. We did not receive any stop work orders or fines by the authorities for our Encorp Cahaya Alam project.

At Encorp Cahaya Alam, a 210-acre vibrant and integrated collection of commercial developments, we have put in place green features to benefit the community in an environment-friendly manner. The development has designated open spaces and boasts sustainable landscape design planning which emphasises the reintroduction and propagation of indigenous trees and plants that create more shade and provide habitats for animals in a harmonious ecosystem. As a Group, we managed to allocate an average of 20% of total development for open spaces, which is beyond the local authority's requirement of 10%.

Retention of indigenous plants



Planting of trees to ensure environmental sustainability







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### SAFE WORKPLACE

At ENCORP, health and safety is one of our most significant material issues. Due to the nature of our business, we are dedicated to ensuring that our health and safety practices comply with those required by law and are always seeking to enhance our standards so that they are in accordance with global best practices.

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The safety of our employees is of utmost priority. To ensure the highest level of safety, we have a Health and Safety Policy which is shared with all our contractors and relevant stakeholders.

#### ENCORP SAFETY STATEMENT

ENCORP is committed to the practice of inspiring confidence by ensuring the health, safety and wellbeing of its employees and the protection of the environment.

To achieve this goal, ENCORP believes in embedding the principles and policies of Safety, Health and Environment in all our employees and those involved in our daily activities, with a particular focus on leadership by top management.

In this regard, ENCORP complies with the provisions of the Occupational Safety and Health Act 1994, its regulations and all approved codes of practice. It does so by:

- Ensuring awareness, accountability, commitment and cooperation among all heads of department and other top
  management with respect to Occupational Safety and Health and its impact on the performance of the company
  and employees.
- Identifying any and all hazards in the workplace, whether at the office or at construction sites, assessing and controlling risks to provide a safer working environment for employees and those involved in our activities.
- Periodically reviewing policies, procedures, documentation and training content to ensure effectiveness and to keep up to date with current laws and regulations.
- Setting Occupational Safety, Health and Environment (OSHE) targets and objectives and ensuring that these targets are monitored.

ENCORP will continue striving towards achieving the highest standards in OSHE through training, commitment, support and supervision to ensure a safe and healthy working environment.

### **Our Safety Performance**

In FY2022, there were no accidents or injuries recorded within the company.

Type of Stakeholder	Gender	Minor Injuries	Major Injuries	Fatalities	Loss Time Injury
Employees	Male	0	0	0	0
	Female	0	0	0	0

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### Safety & Health Committee

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A Safety and Health Committee is established at all of our operating units to provide an avenue for the management and workers to meet regularly and collectively improve the workplace safety and health. Workers' representatives are elected by the workers themselves and comprise representatives from various sections of the operating unit. Each operational unit's committee is trained annually by the Company's Safety and Health Officer on OSHE related matters and updates.

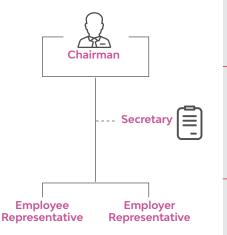
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Safety and Health Committee Responsibilities:

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- Assist in the development of health and safety rules and a safe working system;
- Review the effectiveness of safety and health programmes;
- Analyse trends of accidents, near-miss incidents, dangerous occurrences, occupational poisoning and occupational disease occurring at the workplace;
- Report any unsafe or unhealthy work conditions or practices at the workplace to the management together with recommendations for corrective actions;
- Conduct investigations on accidents occurring at the workplace; and
- Promote and conduct OSHE activities such as health and safety campaigns, competitions and promotions.





### **Safety Initiatives**

Initiative	Purpose	Date	cus - 74
Emergency Preparedness on COVID-19	<ul> <li>Protocol on facing COVID-19 and Action Plan</li> <li>Simulation exercise to test the effectiveness of the Emergency Response Plan</li> </ul>	Yearly	In Focus pg 67 - 74
Training	<ul> <li>New Hires Orientation</li> <li>Safety at Workplace</li> <li>Lifting Appliances</li> <li>First Aider Training</li> <li>First Aider Refresher Training</li> <li>Emergency Response Team Training with Balai Bomba Sungai Buloh.</li> <li>Fire Drill Training</li> <li>Safety Knowledge Sharing with Employees</li> </ul>	Ongoing as and when required	Corporate Governance pg 75 - 104
Plant & machinery inspection	<ul> <li>Monthly workplace assessment is conducted following the relevant Regulations/Act:</li> <li>Machinery: FMA 1967, Part III &amp; V</li> <li>False Work Safety, Working/Loading Platform, Scaffolding, Public Safety, Electricity Safety, Formwork &amp; False work: FMA (BOWEC), Reg.1986</li> <li>Floor Opening, Expose Floor Edge, Working at Height, Access to Work- place, Workers Quarters, Site Cleanliness and Tidiness, Storage of Materi- al, Emergency Response &amp; Preparedness and Personal Protective Equip- ment &amp; Others : Safety, Health &amp; Welfare, Reg.1970</li> </ul>	Monthly	Financials pg 105 - 206
Fire Certificate by Bomba	Building Fire Certificate for Strand Mall	Yearly	oldings' ation - 218

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### **Diversity & Equal Opportunity**

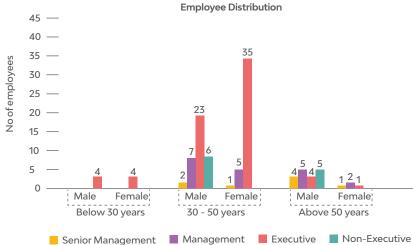
Equality is about ensuring everybody has an equal opportunity, and is not treated differently or discriminated against because of their characteristics. Diversity is about taking into account the differences between people and groups of people, and placing a positive value on those differences.

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Benefits of equality and diversity in ENCORP:

- Add new skills to teams.
- Promotes innovation.
- Opens new markets.
- Improves brand reputation.
- Opens up new talent.

The charts on the right shows the age and gender distribution at ENCORP. We have an experienced team where 73% of our employees are aged between 30 to 50 years, followed by 7% aged below 30 years and 20% aged above 50 years. Our gender distribution comprised of 45% female and 55% male, which is equally distributed.



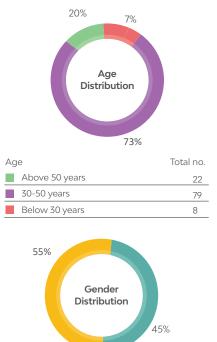
ENCORP, believes that by empowering women, we will be able to elevate the Company to greater heights. Multiple events were organised in 2022 for our female employees which include:

Flexible Working Hours

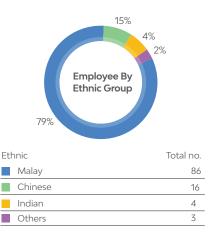
We provide flexible working hours to the women in our workforce to help them in juggling work, family and life-related matters. The flexible working hours of our female employees has increased flexibility with their work schedule while allowing them to maintain a progressive and productive work environment.

- Women's Check Up Female employees are entitled for annual medical check-ups such as pap smears, mammograms and others.
- Medical Coverage for Child Birth
- Female employees entitled to full term child birth medical coverage.
- ENCORP International Women's Day Celebration
- The celebrations to support the professional development of female employees.
- Be Hot & Gorgeous!

This programme is designed for our female employees to learn about how to dress properly, the do's and don'ts using makeup, and to build self-esteem and self-confidence.









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### **Employee Benefits**

ENCORP employees enjoy benefits as stipulated in the Employment Act 1955. ENCORP is committed to providing competitive pay, comprehensive benefits and a professional working environment that fosters both innovation and rewards performance. Total employee compensation includes several sustainable employment components:

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Company Leave	Leadership pg 21 - 30	
Annual LeaveMaternity LeavePublic HolidaysPaternity LeaveAnnual Leave Brought ForwardCompassionate & Calamity LeaveMedical LeaveMarriage LeaveHospitalisation LeavePilgrimage LeaveProlonged Illness LeaveExamination LeaveReplacement Leave	Seport	
Medical - Outpatient Annual Limit (Employee & Dependents)	Corporate   pg 3] - 36	
Employee and Dependents Entitlement Executive Medical Check Up (Employee only) Dental Treatment (Employee only) Pregnancy only for any kind of full term childbirth (Female employee only)	Sustainability Report pg 37 - 66	
Group Hospitalisation & Surgical	ustair eport g 37 -	
<ul> <li>ENCORP provides Hospitalisation and Surgical Insurance coverage plans for its employees and eligible dependents to</li> <li>seek medical consultation, treatment and prescribed medicines.</li> </ul>	י את מ	
COVID-19 Assistance		
Following Ministry of Health rules and regulations.		
Following Ministry of Health rules and regulations. Employees' Insurance Scheme		
All employees of ENCORP are insured under the: - Group Term Life Insurance scheme - Group Personal Accident Insurance scheme		
Allowances	ů.	
Allowances are given to employees with specific duties, requirements and grades:	Corporate Governance pg 75 - 104	
Mobile Shift Laundry Relocation Extra Car Acting capacity Housing Site phone responsibility responsibilities		
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Professional Association Membership Club Membership Fee Employee Welfare Entertainment Expenses Claim	Finan Finan	
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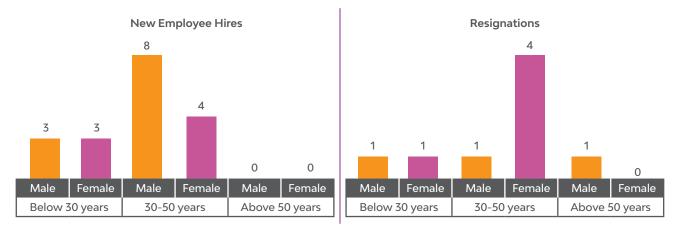
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### **Employee Hires and Turnover**

ENCORP offers an attractive working environment that is good to work in keeps our employees engaged and interested. ENCORP continues to offer competitive salaries and benefits, creating opportunities for growth whilst recognising and appreciating employees in a timely manner. We continue to focus our efforts to equip our employees with the skills and capabilities to deliver as high performing teams. We place great importance on employee engagement and provide a conducive workplace to retain our talents.

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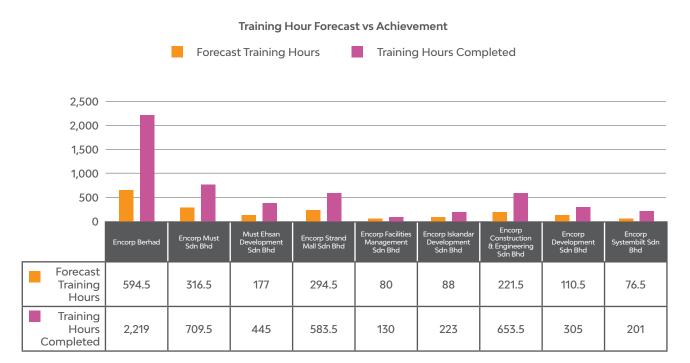
Our new employee hires and employee turnover from January 2022 to December 2022 are shown in the graphs below, with our employee turnover rate of 8.1%

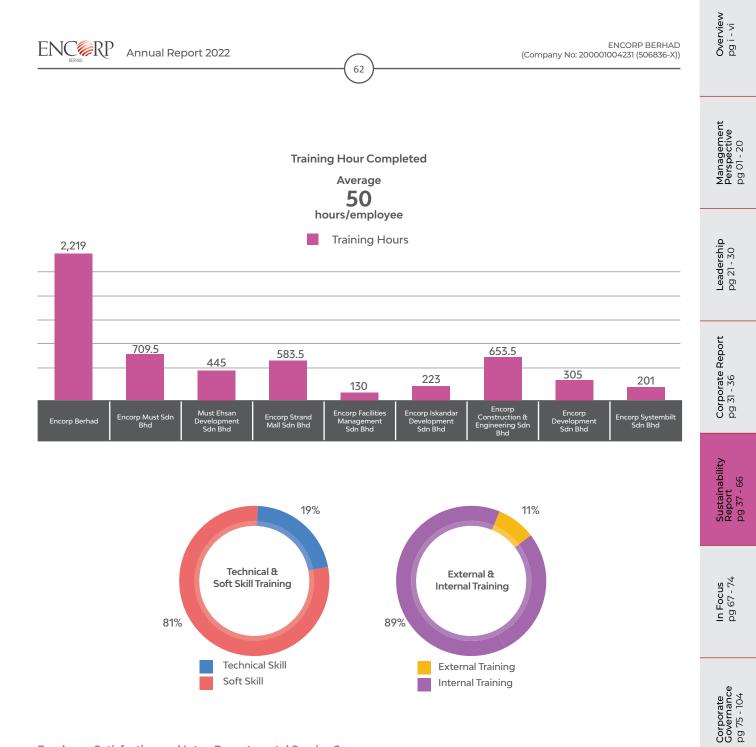


#### Learning and Development

We are committed to enhancing the continual professional and personal growth of our employees. In FY2022, ENCORP employees clocked over 5,469.5 training hours. We offered a wide spectrum of learning and development programmes in FY2022 to enhance our employees' potential, covering technical programmes, emergency response preparedness and crisis management, leadership skills, selling skills and other soft skills.

2022 Training Programme breakdown:





#### **Employee Satisfaction and Inter-Departmental Service Survey**

At ENCORP, we conduct an employee satisfaction survey at the end of every year to obtain our employees' feedback of ENCORP and to ensure better communication including perception and expectations, as well as strengths, weaknesses and areas for improvement. We value our employees' feedback as it allows us to improve our management and business practices.

Two surveys were conducted in FY2022; an employee satisfaction survey and inter-departmental service survey. The employee satisfaction survey covered feedback on job satisfaction, provision of tools, technologies and resources in order to conduct their daily work and training adequacy. The second survey which focused on inter-departmental service levels, and saw employees from various operating units given feedback on the key issue of responsiveness centring on speed, communication and cooperation. All feedback was anonymous.

The results showed that our service level ranged an overall average of 75% from 13 business units which fell under the category of "Good", and above the quality target of 70%.

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#### **ENRICHING OUR COMMUNITY**

#### **Employee Engagement**

We constantly engage with our employees through our internal communication platforms and engagement events to communicate news and developments across the Group and ensure better alignment, enabling us to build strong relationships. Our aim is to create an engaging and conducive workplace where feedback is welcomed to ensure continuous improvement within the Group. In line with our aspiration to build sustainable communities, we strive hard to instil a culture of work-life balance to inculcate a workplace where people can connect, be inspired, get excited and stay engaged to deliver excellence.

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During the pandemic, we pivoted and adapted well to work-from-home arrangements to ensure business continuity amidst the lockdowns. To better understand the needs of our people, we adopted a customised approach that leveraged technology to analyse and create relevant insights into employees' values, attitudes and expectations, as well as their professional growth. This enabled us to support our employees in maximising their contributions at work, allowing them to progress with the Group and better align themselves with the purpose of the organisation.

The following are highlights of our employee engagement activities in FY2022:

Name of Event	Period	Category
Envoice CNY Ong Box & Lucky Draw	February	Festive Engagement
Futsal & Football Match	Weekly	Sports
International Women's Day	March	Festive Engagement
Yasin & Tahlil Recitation	Monthly	Social Engagement
Ramadhan Talk & Quiz: Diet Tips For Ramadan	April	Learning Session
Motivational Talk: Pekerja Disayangi, Majikan Dihormati	April	Learning Session
Ramadan Iftar Treat	April	Festive Engagement
Game Session For Townhall Event	August	Contest
Malaysia Day's Photo Contest : Hari Kita, Warna Kita. Happy Malaysia Day Encorp	September	Contest
Air Badminton	Weekly	Sports
Diwali Kolum Activity	October	Festive Engagement
Diwali Colours Box	October	Festive Engagement
Encorp Family Bowling Day	November	Sports
Encorp Family Movie Day Out	November	Social Engagement
Encorp Fomula Karting Racing	December	Sports

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### Local Community Engagement

ENCORP is also committed to contribute to the society by assisting the less fortunate. In FY2022, we collectively dedicated about 558.5 hours of service from 109 ENCORP volunteers, an average of 5 hours per employee, to local communities. The major activities organised are highlighted as follows:

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### a) Raising Books and Raising Readers (8 April 2022)

ENCORP employees pooled together to collect 269 recycled books from 21 employees to reignite the joy of reading within the community. Book genres ranged from children literature, historical, science, motivational, novels, cookbooks and lifestyle. With the books received, volunteers then wrapped and set up a reading corner at the Strand Mall.

### b) ENCORP Iftar Treat with Rumah Kasih Harmoni, Paya Jaras (21 April 2022)

During the month of Ramadhan, ENCORP hosted a Ramadhan breaking of fast with 40 underprivileged children of Rumah Kasih Harmoni, Paya Jaras. ENCORP also contributed duit raya, a token sum, as part of its efforts to provide support

### c) ENCORP Iftar Treat with Rumah Cahaya Kasih (25 April 2022)

ENCORP volunteers organised a-day-out programme with 30 children from Rumah Cahaya Kasih. Being part of the efforts to improve the well-being of the children during the festive season, ENCORP spent time and sponsored a new set of festive and muslimah clothing for each child followed by a breaking of fast treat at Ayn Zam.

### d) Blood Donation Drive (12 May 2022)

In collaboration with Encorp Strand Mall and Alpha IVF & Women's Specialists, ENCORP employees and the public donated their blood to the National Blood Centre as an act of kindness to assist people in need. The blood centre managed to collect 49 units of blood from 80 participants.

### e) ENCORP Eco Campaign (13 – 22 June 2022)

ENCORP organised an environmental awareness programme throughout the organisation. This was a continuation of our awareness programme that has been in place since 2020. 56 employees collectively gathered 1,452 reusable and recyclable materials ranging from papers, plastic bottles, aluminium, batteries, light bulbs and old clothing. All items collected were separated and disposed properly at IPC Recycling & Buy Back Centre.

### f) Miss World Charity Gala (26 August 2022)

ENCORP contributed RM30,000 to the Dewan Bandaraya Kota Kinabalu for the aid of children battling with cancer and thalassemia via Sabah Women & Children Hospital (Likas Hospital) by way of a Miss World Charity Gala.

### g) Growth of Education (26 September 2022)

ENCORP extended its assistance to the children of Sekolah Kebangsaan Rentam FELDA, BERA by sponsoring 55 pieces of T-shirts worth RM1,480 for their school activities and in hope that the school could progress with their extracurricular activities.

### h) Growth of Sports (13 October 2022)

ENCORP came to the assistance of the Kelab Bola Sepak Sekolah Sukan Negeri Johor by contributing RM2,700 worth of home-away full kit jersey to 30 students as part of its efforts to provide support to young football players in Malaysia.

### i) Growth of Education (7 December 2022)

ENCORP sponsored the on-site instant Photo Booth at the Management and Science University's SHCA Dean's List Award to acknowledge the efforts of the students on their outstanding character and scholastic achievement to carve out a bright future for themselves.

### j) ENCORP Cheer Gift Box (16 December 2022)

ENCORP ended the year with a gift-giving initiative for the orphanage homes of Pusat Jagaan Kasih Harapan and Telaga Kasih Nur Muhammad, Kota Damansara. Employees personally purchased, wrapped and donated a total of 50 shoe boxes filled with a mixture of personal hygiene products, stationaries, toys and a personalised message. ENCORP also spent time at both homes and donated household items such as cooking oil, laundry detergent, soap, rice, trash bag and dish detergent.

### Social Working Conditions & Well-Being

### a) Used Desktop for Employees at Affordable Price (14 February 2022)

ENCORP provided means for employees to purchase used desktops at affordable prices to facilitate a more conducive household enviroment, especially for those working from home or for those with children who were studying from home. A total of 10 computers were sold to 10 employees through a balloting process for the price of RM100.

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### b) ENCORP Step Challenge (21 – 29 November 2022)

ENCORP believes in keeping the employees healthy, happy and engaged. Employees were given targets to achieve and tracked the number of their steps from walking or running. We managed to collect 1,665,433 steps from 34 employees in 7 days. The top 5 achievers were rewarded with prizes.

#### c) Employees' Children Examination Excellence Award 2022

In addition, to encourage employees to instil in their children the aspiration to acquire knowledge, we also awarded the children of our employees who achieved excellent academic performances. The employees' children who excelled in major public examinations like Malaysia Certificate of Education (SPM), Matriculation and Degree Programmes received cash awards.

FY2022	
Recognition of	ENCORP awarded cash rewards to seven (7) children of our employees who achieved:
Employees' Children who excel in Key	10As for SPM
Examinations	CGPA 3.70 for the Foundation of Science
	CGPA 3.59 for the Diploma in Culinary Arts
	Bachelor of Science Degree with Second Class Honours, First Division in Actuarial Studies
	Bachelor of Chemical Engineering Technology (Biotechnology) with Second Class Honour
	First Division / CGPA 3.57

- Bachelor of Technology with Education (Living Skills) with CGPA 3.83
- Bachelor of Mechanical Engineering with CGPA of 3.48



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#### d) COVID-19 Relief Measures and Support

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 To ensure safety at the workplace, we remained vigilant through our responses and support, which included implementing compulsory self-testing, home quarantine paid leave for 7 days, as well as providing self-test kits and related assistance.

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- We improvised existing virtual engagements to become hybrid so both on-site and work-from-home teams could interact through ENCORP's New Ways of Working programme.
- Provided means for employees to educate themselves on mental health, via our trainings such as Take Charge! of Myself, Virtual Yasin Recitation, and Stress at Work! Overload or Unorganised?



#### CONCLUSION

Looking to the future, developers will need to get better at anticipating regulatory change, in order to future-proof their schemes and thus make them attractive to occupiers and investors. The pace of change in terms of stakeholders' expectations is significant, as far as regulations are concerned. Commercial property developers would do well to ensure that a stand-off similar to the one that occurred between government and residential property developers does not happen in their sector regarding on-site renewable technologies. All developers should also realise that if sustainable development policy moves in a direction which seeks to increase sustainability significantly, then the development of new schemes is likely to get more expensive compared to the refurbishment of existing buildings.

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Together, let's create a better future and a more sustainable world.





# 2022 HIGHLIGHTS



22 March

Encorp Development Sdn Bhd, a wholly-owned subsidiary of ENCORP, and Federal Land Development Authority entered into a Joint Venture Agreement to restore and redevelop Perumahan Warga FELDA at FELDA Chuping, Perlis.



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25 April

ENCORP volunteers treated the children of Rumah Cahaya Kasih to a day-out programme, as well as new festive and muslimah clothing, and a breaking of fast treat, as part of efforts to bring cheer to the children during the festive season.



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Through a collective drive, ENCORP employees collected 269 recycled books and set up a reading corner at Strand Mall to reignite the love of reading in the community.



12 May

ENCORP, Strand Mall and Alpha IVF & Women's Specialists organised a blood donation drive, resulting in the donation of 49 blood units to the National Blood Centre as an act of kindness to help those in need.



21 April

ENCORP demonstrated its commitment to charitable causes by hosting a Ramadhan breaking of fast for the underprivileged children of Rumah Kasih Harmoni.





Encorp Development Sdn Bhd, a wholly-owned subsidiary of ENCORP, and Ipmuda Properties Sdn Bhd entered into a Joint Venture Agreement to develop a residential development at Bukit Kepayan, Kota Kinabalu, Sabah.



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13-22 June

ENCORP continued its environmental awareness programme, which has been running since 2020, where employees collectively gathered reusable and recyclable materials and send them to the IPC Recycling & Buy Back Centre. Corporate Social Responsibility

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26 August

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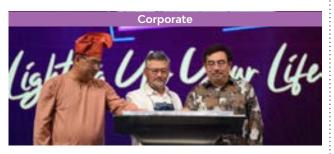


**29 June** .... ENCORP's 22<sup>nd</sup> Annual General Meeting.



9 September

Encorp Construction & Infrastructure Sdn Bhd, a wholly-owned subsidiary of ENCORP, and Touch Millennium Sdn Bhd entered into a Joint Venture Agreement to develop a commercial mixed development at Teluk Cempedak, Kuantan, Pahang.





ENCORP renamed the covered pedestrianised Red Carpet Avenue at The Strand development as Warna Avenue, which was announced during the unveiling event Cahaya Baharu @ Strand Mall.



Encorp Millennium Sdn. Bhd., a joint venture company between a wholly-owned subsidiary of Encorp Berhad and Touch Millennium Sdn Bhd, has been established with registration number 202201033618 (1479315-V).

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26 September

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13 October

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30 September

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# 7 December

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16 December

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ENCORP, Jentayu to jointly develop RM68m GDV project in Kota	Kinabalu, The Edge Markets, 18/5/2022				
ENCORP to build apartments, retail lots in Kuantan, New Straits Times, 12/9/2022					
ENCORP Partners LMC for Distribution of Mined Silica, Business	Today, 30/9/2022				

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ENCORP, FELDA bekerjasama bangunkan perumahan di Perlis, Berita Harian, 22/3/2022

# **RECOGNITION OF A GROWING ENCORP**

Winner of HR Asia: Best Companies to Work for in Asia Awards 2018, 2019, 2021

Winner of Employer of Choice Award (Silver) Private Sector, Malaysia International HR Awards 2018

Winner of Best Investor Relations Company, 7th Asian Excellence Recognition Awards 2017

Winner of HR Asia: Best Companies to Work for in Asia Awards 2017 Winner of Employer of Choice Award (Silver), Malaysia HR Awards 2017

Winner of Property Development (CSR), Malaysia Social Media Week Awards 2017

Winner of Property Development, Selangor Business Excellence Awards 2017

Winner of Jury for Encorp Strand Mall, Universal Design Award 2016

Finalist of Best Mixed Development for Encorp Strand, iProperty.com People's Choice Awards 2016 ENC Annual Report 2022

# **IN FOCUS**

# **GROUP FINANCIAL HIGHLIGHTS**

	FY 2022	<b>—</b> •	137,494
REVENUE	FY 2021	·····>	146,704
(RM '000)	FY 2020		134,117
	FY 2019		165,619
	FY 2018		249,858
	FY 2022	<b>0-</b>	(7,537)
PROFIT/(LOSS)	FY 2021		1,884
BEFORE TAX	FY 2020	• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •	1,560
(RM '000)	FY 2019		(35,097)
	FY 2018	• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •	1,999
	FY 2022	o-	(18,204)
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- $N1 \qquad \text{There is no margin available due to the loss postion for that year.}$
- $N2 \qquad \text{The results are attributable to owners of the parent company.}$
- N3 The net gearing ratio is calculated using the loans and borrowing amount plus trade payables however excluding the Sukuk Murabahah, cash and cash equivalents, fixed deposits and investment securities. The Sukuk Murabahah has been excluded as the Sukuk is secured by the assignment of the contract Concession Payments and the Project Escrow Account and the Sukuk do not have any financial recourse to the Group.
- N4 Includes property development cost.

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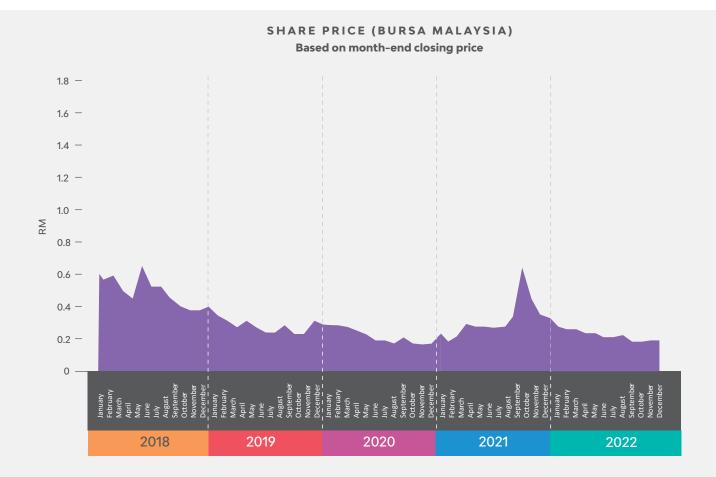
FINANCIAL RATIOS	2022	2021	2020	2019	2018
Profit before tax margin (%)	N1	1.3%	1.2%	N1	0.8%
Basic loss per share (sen)	(6.37)	(3.44)	(1.18)	(15.30)	(2.54)
Closing share price as at end of year (RM)	0.220	0.330	0.235	0.31	0.43
Price-earning ratio (times)	(0.03)	(0.10)	(0.21)	(0.02)	(0.17)
Return on capital employed (ROCE)	0.06	0.07	0.05	0.06	0.06
Return on equity (ROE) №2	(0.060)	(0.031)	(0.010)	(0.13)	(0.02)
Net gearing ratio (%) <sup>N3</sup>	3%	5%	11%	57%	55%
Net assets per share (RM) <sup>N2</sup>	1.06	1.12	1.15	1.13	1.32
Shares ('000)	316,685	316,685	316,685	306,474	293,952

KEY BALANCE SHEET DATA	2022 RM'000	2021 RM'000	2020 RM'000	2019 RM'000	2018 RM'000
Property, plant and equipment	5,523	4,828	5,084	5,298	5,623
Investment properties	291,780	290,290	284,050	303,050	303,620
Land held for property development	26,590	17,034	36,683	501,581	511,739
Trade and other receivables	564,034	650,160	756,225	807,763	906,193
Inventories N4	110,234	113,007	144,937	148,122	157,417
Cash & bank balance and Investment Security	175,750	179,301	157,691	173,369	179,858
Other assets	11,390	36,732	11,768	29,465	44,259
Assets of disposal group classified as held for sale	-	-	-	-	100
Lease asset	15,585	17,597	19,622	21,056	-
Total Assets	1,200,886	1,308,949	1,416,060	1,989,704	2,108,809
Loans and borrowings	71,137	90,244	103,191	93,041	136,571
Sukuk Murabahah	574,107	651,860	721,943	785,021	841,275
Trade and other payables	100,407	90,065	87,863	633,292	626,364
Other liabilities	13,594	15,862	33,590	23,121	33,094
Liabilities of disposal group classified as held for sale	-	-	-	-	950
Lease liabilities	18,598	20,074	21,370	22,005	-
Total Liabilities	777,843	868,105	967,957	1,556,480	1,638,254
Total Equity	423,043	440,844	448,103	433,224	470,555
Non-controlling interest	89,107	87,095	84,275	87,335	82,343
Shareholders' equity	333,936	353,749	363,828	345,889	388,212

# **IN FOCUS**

# SHARE PERFORMANCE

Stock Exchange           Bursa Malaysia Securities Berhad		Stock Name ENCORP		Stock Code	
During the year	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022
Highest (RM)	0.83	0.45	0.31	0.70	0.375
Lowest (RM)	0.35	0.27	0.17	0.18	0.20





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# CORPORATE GOVERNANCE OVERVIEW STATEMENT

The Board of Directors ("the Board") reaffirms its commitment to and supports the best practices of the Malaysian Code on Corporate Governance 2021 ("the Code") which sets out broad principles, intended outcome and guidance to promote and cultivate a strong culture of good corporate governance for listed companies.

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The Board strives to ensure that the highest standards of corporate governance are practiced to protect and enhance shareholders' value.

During the financial year ended 31 December 2022, the Board continued to adhere to the principles and recommendations of the Code. The Board is pleased to report to the shareholders on how the Company has applied each Practice as set out in the Code in the Corporate Governance Overview Statement below, along with certain departures from the Code. For full details in relation to the compliance and/or departure from each Practice set out in the Code during the financial year ended 31 December 2022, please refer to the Corporate Governance Report 2022 on the Company's website at <u>www.encorp.com.my.</u>

#### PRINCIPLE A: BOARD LEADERSHIP AND EFFECTIVENESS

#### I. Board's Role and Responsibilities

The Board is charged with leading and managing the Company in an effective and responsible manner and is collectively responsible for meeting the objectives and goals of the Company. Each Director has a legal duty to act in good faith and in the best interest of the Company exercising due care and diligence avoiding conflict of interest wherever possible. Directors are to refrain from making improper use of information, property or opportunity gained through the position of Director or engaging in business which is in competition with the Company. The Directors, collectively and individually, are aware of their responsibilities to the shareholders and stakeholders for the manner in which the affairs of the Company are managed.

In line with the Code, the Board has adopted a Board Charter which was last reviewed on 17 January 2023. The Board Charter primarily sets out the Board's strategic intent and outlines the Board's roles and responsibilities, to ensure that all Board members are aware of their fiduciary duties and responsibilities, legislations and regulations affecting their conduct. The Board Charter aims to promote the highest standards of corporate governance within the Group, so that the interests of the shareholders, customers and other stakeholders are safeguarded.

During the financial year, the Board has approved the adoption of Fit and Proper Policy which is implemented to guide the Board and the Nominating and Remuneration Committee in appointment and re-election of Directors to the Board and the Group. This Policy which was approved by the Board will be reviewed from time to time to remain aligned with MMLR of Bursa Securities taking into consideration the changes in the law and regulatory requirements.

The Board had also adopted and implemented a Code of Conduct and Business Ethics to provide guidance and set common ethical standards to promote consistency in behavior across the Group. It includes, amongst others, guidance on health and safety, disclosure of conflict of interest, maintaining confidentiality and gift and business courtesies. The Directors, management and employees are expected to behave ethically and professionally at all times and protect the reputation of the Company. The Group communicates its Code of Conduct and Business Ethics to all Directors, management and employees.

More information on the Board Charter, Fit and Proper Policy and the Code of Conduct and Business Ethics can be found on the Company's website at <u>www.encorp.com.my</u>.

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The Board has the following principal responsibilities, which facilitate the discharge of the Board's stewardship in the pursuit of the best interest of the Company:

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- Setting, reviewing and approving the business plan and overall strategic plan of the Company that supports long term value creation which includes strategies on environmental, economic, social considerations which underpins sustainability for the Company;
- Review, challenge and decide on Management's proposals or the Company and monitor its implementation by Management;
- Overseeing the conduct of the Company's business to evaluate whether the business is being properly managed;
- Together with Senior Management, promote good Corporate Governance culture within the Company which reinforces ethical, prudent and professional behavior;
- Identifying principal financial and non-financial risks and ensuring the implementation of appropriate risk management framework to identify, analyse, evaluate, manage and monitor these risks and to set the risk appetite;
- Succession planning, includes appointment, training, fixing compensation of and where appropriate, replacing key management;
- Ensure the Senior Management has the necessary skills and experience, and there are measures in place to provide for the orderly succession of Board and Senior Management;
- Developing and implementing an investor relations programme or shareholders' communications policy for the Company and encouraging the use of information technology for effective dissemination of information;
- Reviewing the adequacy and integrity of the Company's internal control systems and management information systems, including systems for compliance with applicable laws, regulations, rules, directives and guidelines; and
- Ensuring that the Company has appropriate corporate governance structures in place including standards of ethical, prudent and professional behavior and working with Senior Management in promoting a culture of good Corporate Governance and promoting a culture of corporate responsibility.

All the Board Committees are actively engaged and act as oversight committees. They evaluate and recommend matters under their purview for the Board to consider and approve. The Board receives updates from the respective Chairman of the Board Committees on matters that have been discussed and deliberated at the respective meetings.

#### **Board Balance**

The Board comprises a majority of independent directors where the Chairman is an Independent Non-Executive Director. The current size and composition of the Board are considered adequate to provide an optimum mix of skills and experiences. The Directors, with their diverse professional backgrounds and specialisations, collectively bring considerable knowledge, independent judgements and expertise to the Board. Further, the Chairman also ensures proper balance of power and authority on the Board by encouraging robust discussions during meetings. The Independent Directors also provide an element of objectivity, independent views, evaluations, check and balance on Board deliberations and decisions. This ensures that the interests of the Group, shareholders, employees, customers, suppliers and other business associates are safeguarded.

In addition, the role of the Chairman and the Group Chief Executive Officer ("GCEO") are distinct and separate to ensure that there is a balance of power and authority. The Chairman is responsible for the leadership, effectiveness, conduct and governance of the Board. The GCEO of the Company was appointed on 17 February 2021 to run the day-to-day management of Encorp Group business within the limits of authority delegated by the Board. The GCEO acts as a conduit between the Board and the Management in ensuring the success of the Company's governance and management functions. Notwithstanding that, the GCEO is also responsible to achieve goals and decisions made by the Board, ensure effective operations within the Group, and to explain, clarify and inform the Board on key matters pertaining to the Group.

To further strengthen the Group's Board governance, the Nominating and Remuneration Committee is given the responsibility to review the roles and responsibilities of the Board and the Board Committees.

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The Board is also of the view that the Chairman of the Board should not involve in any Board Committees in order to ensure check and balance as well as objectivity will not be impaired/influenced by the Chairman of the Board.

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Detailed description of these roles can be found on the Board Charter inclusive of the Terms of Reference ("TOR") of the Board Committees online at <u>www.encorp.com.my</u>.

#### **Role of Company Secretary**

The Board is supported by a suitably qualified and competent company secretary that has legal qualifications, and is qualified to act as company secretary under Section 235(2) of the Companies Act 2016. The Company Secretary provides support to the Board in fulfilling its fiduciary duties and leadership role in shaping the Corporate Governance of the Company. In this respect, Company Secretary plays an advisory role to the Board, particularly with regard to the Company's constitution, Board policies and procedures, and its compliance with regulatory requirements, codes, guidance and legislation for the affairs of the Board. The Company Secretary reports directly to the Chairman of the Board.

Company Secretary has attended trainings and seminars conducted by the Companies Commission of Malaysia and Bursa Malaysia Securities Berhad ("Bursa Securities") to keep abreast with the relevant updates on statutory and regulatory requirements such as updates on the Main Market Listing Requirements ("MMLR") of Bursa Securities, compliance with the Capital Markets and Services Act 2007, Companies Act 2016 and to ensure the Company's adherence to the Code. Therefore, the Board are regularly updated and advised by the Company Secretary on new statutory and regulatory requirements.

#### Access to Information

The Directors have timely, full and unrestricted access to all information pertaining to the Group's business affairs, whether as a full Board or in their individual capacity, to enable them to discharge their duties effectively. The Board is expected to meet at least four (4) times for each financial year, with additional meetings to be convened when necessary to discuss and resolve on urgent basis.

#### **Board Meetings**

To ensure that Directors can plan ahead, Board Meetings are scheduled in advance at the beginning of each year. Special Board Meeting is convened as and when necessary for the Board to deliberate on matters that require expeditious decisions.

During the financial year under review, nine (9) Board meetings were held. The summary of attendance of the Board is as follows:

Name of Director	No. of Meetings Attended
Tuan Haji Sr. Mohd Ali Bin Abd Karim	9/9
Datuk Haji Jaafar Bin Abu Bakar	9/9
Mahadzir Bin Mustafa	9/9
Tuan Haji Lukman Bin Abu Bakar	9/9
Dato' Dr Suzana Idayu Wati Binti Osman (Appointed on 3.11.2022)	2/2
Datuk Shireen Ann Zaharah Binti Muhiudeen ( <i>Retired on 29.6.2022</i> )	3/5



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Sustainability

Encorp Group acknowledges the importance of sustainability relating to environmental, social and governance ("ESG") including their risks and opportunities to/for our Group. The Company will implement an ESG policy with the objective to priorities health and safety in the Group's business operations.

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The Company is committed to communicate the targets and performances of the ESG to all the stakeholders of the Group regardless internally or externally. Detailed information pertaining to the sustainability of the Group can be found in the Sustainability Report of the Annual Report 2022 which is available on Bursa Securities and the Company's website at <u>www.encorp.com.my</u>.

#### II. Board Composition

The Company is managed and led by Board members from diverse professional backgrounds with relevant experiences and expertise in financial, business and other fields.

Practice 5.2 of the Code states that at least half (1/2) of the Board should comprise of Independent Directors. During the financial year ended 31 December 2022, there were five (5) members of the Board, comprising one (1) Independent Non-Executive Chairman, two (2) Independent Non-Executive Directors and two (2) Non-Independent Non-Executive Director. The Independent Directors make up the majority of the composition of the Board.

This composition also complies with Paragraph 15.02 of the MMLR of Bursa Securities which requires that at least two (2) Directors or one-third (1/3) of the Board, whichever is higher, must be independent directors.

The Board implemented an evaluation process, for assessing the effectiveness and competencies of the Board as a whole. The results of the self-assessment by Directors and the Board's effectiveness as a whole, as compiled by the Company Secretary were tabled to the Board for review and notation. The Board was satisfied with the results of the annual assessment and that the current size and composition of the Board is appropriate and well-balanced with the right mix of skills. The Board was also satisfied with the Board composition comprising individuals of high caliber, credibility and with the necessary skills and qualifications to enable the Board to discharge its duties and responsibilities effectively.

#### **Board Independence**

The Board has developed the criteria to assess the independence of the independent directors on an annual basis. When assessing independence, the Board is encouraged to focus beyond the independent director's background, economic and family relationships and consider whether the independent director can continue to bring independent and objective judgment to Board deliberations.

The Board Charter sets outs the restriction that the tenure of an independent director should not exceed a term limit of nine (9) years. Upon completion of nine (9) years, an independent director may continue to serve on the board as a nonindependent director. If the board intends to retain an independent director beyond nine years, the Board must justify and seek shareholders' approval at General Meeting through a two-tier voting process. The tenure of an Independent Director shall not exceed a cumulative term of twelve (12) years from the date of his/her first appointment as stipulated under the MMLR.

The Nominating and Remuneration Committee had performed an annual review on the independence of the Independent Directors. At present, there are no Independent Directors whose tenure exceeds a cumulative term of nine (9) years in the Company.

The Board has undertaken an assessment of the Independent Director as per the criteria defined under the MMLR and other independence criteria applied by the Company which took into account the individual Director's independence of management and free from any business or other relationship which could interfere with the exercise of independent and objective judgment, and his ability to advise the Board on matters relating to transaction where conflict of interest may exist. Based on the assessment done, the Board concluded that each of the Independent Directors continues to demonstrate behaviour that reflect their independence.



#### **Appointment of Directors**

When appointing a Director, the Nominating and Remuneration Committee and the Board will consider the cultural background, experience, skill, age, gender, competency, knowledge and potential contribution of the candidate, whilst the Practice 5.5 of the Code will also be given due consideration for boardroom diversity. The Nominating and Remuneration Committee considers, evaluates and proposes to the Board any new board appointments, whether of executive or non-executive position. The Nominating and Remuneration Committee recommends suitable candidate for appointment to the Board, the appointment of which will be decided upon by the Board as a whole to ensure a balanced mix of experience and expertise amongst its members. Thereafter, the Board carries out its own assessment based on the recommendations made by the Nominating and Remuneration Committee and determines the appointments to be made.

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On the appointment of new Director, the new Director is required to commit sufficient time to attend to the Company's matters before accepting his appointment to the Board. Directors are required to notify the Chairman before accepting any new directorship and to indicate the time expected to be spent on the new appointment. In compliance with Paragraph 15.06(1) of the MMLR, all Directors of Encorp do not hold more than five (5) directorships of listed issuer at any one time.

The Nominating and Remuneration Committee reviewed and recommended the candidate for Non-Independent Non-Executive Director namely Dato' Dr Suzana Idayu Wati Binti Osman, in replacement of Datuk Shireen Ann Zaharah Binti Muhiudeen who had retired on 29 June 2022. Dato' Dr Suzana Idayu Wati Binti Osman was appointed to our Board on 3 November 2022.

The above appointment was recommended by the Company's major shareholder during candidate selection. The Nominating and Remuneration Committee scrutinised the suitability and qualification of the candidates and recommend the same for the Board's approval. In discharging this duty, the Nominating and Remuneration Committee assessed the suitability of the candidates by taking into account the individual's mix of skill, functional knowledge, expertise, experience, professionalism, integrity and/or other commitments that the candidate can bring to complement the Board.

#### **Board Diversity**

The Board recognises the challenges in achieving the right balance of diversity on the Board. Nevertheless, the Board is committed to provide fair and equal opportunities and nurturing diversity within the Group. The Board has established a Board Diversity Policy to ensure that through the Nominating and Remuneration Committee, selection and appointment of new board members take into account the candidates from a wide variety of background, without discriminating based on gender, age, ethnic, marital status and religion but on the required mix of skill, knowledge and professional experience which the new director should bring to the Company.

The Board acknowledges the new enhancement under Paragraph 15.02 of the MMLR to appoint at least one woman director on the board by 1 June 2023. With Dato' Dr Suzana Idayu Wati Binti Osman's appointment to the Board on 3 November 2022, Encorp achieved a 20% female representation. The Board is also mindful of the Practice 5.9 of the Code and will ensure that suitable women candidates are sought and considered as part of the recruitment exercise. This will be done over time, taking into account the present size of the Board, the merit and suitability of female candidates and the evolving challenges to the Company from time to time.

#### **Re-Election and Re-Appointment of Directors**

In accordance with the Company's Constitution, one-third (1/3) of the Directors are required to retire from office at each Annual General Meeting ("AGM") and all Directors shall retire at least once in every three (3) years. The retiring Directors shall be eligible for re-election at the AGM. Newly appointed directors during the year must offer themselves to the shareholders for re-election at the next AGM following their appointment.

To assist the shareholders in their decision, sufficient information such as personal profiles of the Directors standing for re-election can be found in this Annual Report.

#### **Directors' Training**

All Directors have attended the Mandatory Accreditation Programme prescribed by Bursa Securities.

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The Directors constantly participate in training programmes, seminars and conferences to keep themselves abreast with changes and new developments, both in the legal and commercial aspects.

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During the financial year ended 31 December 2022, the Directors have attended the following training programmes/ seminars/workshops/talks:

Name of Director	Training and Seminars attended
Tuan Haji Sr. Mohd Ali Bin Abd Karim	<ol> <li>Trident Integrity - Corporate Liability, ISO 37001 &amp; Adequate Procedures: Implementing Effective Measures Based On The ISO 37001 Anti-Bribery Management System Trident Integrity</li> <li>Boardroom - Duties and Responsibilities of Directors</li> <li>Bursa Malaysia - Bursa Malaysia Immersive Experience: The Board "Agender"</li> </ol>
Datuk Haji Jaafar Bin Abu Bakar	<ol> <li>Trident Integrity - Corporate Liability, ISO 37001 &amp; Adequate Procedures: Implementing Effective Measures Based On The ISO 37001 Anti-Bribery Management System Trident Integrity</li> <li>Audit Oversight Board - Survey with the Audit Committees on Transparency Reporting by Audit Firms</li> <li>Audit Oversight Board - AOB Inspection Results, How Audit Committees can make full use of it</li> <li>Boardroom - Duties and Responsibilities of Directors</li> </ol>
Mahadzir Bin Mustafa	<ol> <li>Trident Integrity - Corporate Liability, ISO 37001 &amp; Adequate Procedures: Implementing Effective Measures Based On The ISO 37001 Anti-Bribery Management System Trident Integrity</li> <li>Felda - Kursus Berkenaan Tatacara Pentadbiran Syarikat Serta Peranan Ahli Lembaga Pengarah Di Dalam Syarikat Subsidiari Module 1: Dynamics Of A Company Daripada Pihak Suruhanjaya Syarikat Malaysia (SSM)</li> <li>Institut Koperasi Malaysia - Bengkel Pengurusan Strategik (Wajib 3)</li> <li>Felda - Bengkel KPI 2023</li> <li>Felda - Seminar Pengurus 2022</li> <li>Boardroom - Duties and Responsibilities of Directors</li> </ol>
Tuan Haji Lukman Bin Abu Bakar	<ol> <li>Trident Integrity - Corporate Liability, Iso 37001 &amp; Adequate Procedures: Implementing Effective Measures Based On The Iso 37001 Anti-Bribery Management System Trident Integrity (11 Januari 2022)</li> <li>Audit Oversight Board - Survey with the Audit Committees on Transparency Reporting by Audit Firms</li> <li>Audit Oversight Board - AOB Inspection Results, How Audit Committees can make full use of it</li> <li>Boardroom - Duties and Responsibilities of Directors</li> </ol>
Dato' Dr Suzana Idayu Wati Binti Osman	<ol> <li>Kursus Berkenaan Tatacara Pentadbiran Syarikat Serta Peranan Ahli Lembaga Pengarah Di Dalam Syarikat Subsidiari, Module 1: Dynamics Of A Company (Suruhanjaya Syarikat Malaysia)</li> <li>Khazanah Megatrends Forum 2022</li> <li>Bursa Immersive Session: The Board "Agender" (Bursa Malaysia/ LeadWomen)</li> <li>Bursa - HLIB Stratum Focus Series XIV titled "CyberSecurity: Managing Threat in the Digital Economy".</li> <li>Training Programme for ESG, Corporate Governance &amp; Anti Bribery &amp; Anti Corruption (PPA -Tricor Excelasia)</li> <li>Sustainability, Environment, Social and Governance &amp; Anti-Bribery and Anti-Corruption Training Programme (CBIP-Tricor Excelasia)</li> <li>Virtual MIA International Accountants Conference 2022 (MIA)</li> <li>Cyber Security Awareness (Inforisk360)</li> <li>BoardRoom - Duties and Responsibilities of Directors</li> </ol>

#### III. Remuneration

#### **Board Remuneration**

The Nominating and Remuneration Committee recommends the remuneration package for the Executive Director/ GCEO to the Board for approval. The Executive Director abstains from deliberation and voting on decisions in respect of his own remuneration.

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The Nominating and Remuneration Committee comprised of two (2) Independent Non-Executive Directors and one (1) Non-Independent Non-Executive Director as follows:-

Name	Designation	Directorship
Datuk Haji Jaafar Bin Abu Bakar	Chairman	Independent Non-Executive Director
Tuan Haji Lukman Bin Abu Bakar	Member	Independent Non-Executive Director
Dato' Dr Suzana Idayu Wati Binti Osman (Appointed on 29.11.2022)	Member	Non-Independent Non-Executive Director
Datuk Shireen Ann Zaharah Binti Muhiudeen (Retired on 29.6.2022)	Member	Non-Independent Non-Executive Director

The Nominating and Remuneration Committee assists the Board in fulfilling the following functions:

#### (i) New appointments, re-election and re-appointment

- to establish clear and appropriate criteria on the selection and recruitment of the Board;
- to consider and recommend to the Board candidates for directorship based on a variety of sources including existing Board members, management, major shareholders and/or independent sources, taking into consideration the candidates' skills, knowledge, expertise, experience, time, commitment, character, professionalism, independence and integrity that fit the Company's objectives and strategic goals;
- to recommend to the Board candidates to fill the seats on Board as Directors or Board Committees having regard to their ability to discharge the responsibilities/functions as required under the MMLR of Bursa Malaysia Securities Berhad;
- to evaluate the balance of skills, knowledge, experience and diversity (including gender diversity), age, cultural background on the Board and senior management;
- to evaluate and recommend to the Board on the re-election and re-appointment of the directors who are subject to retirement at annual general meeting;
- to evaluate and recommend to the Board the appointment, promotion and termination of the executive director, chief executive officer and senior management; and
- to ensure each of the Director, chief executive officer or key senior management has the character, experience, integrity, competence and time to effectively discharge his role as Director, chief executive officer or key senior management as required under Paragraph 2.20A of the MMLR before appointment and fulfills the requirements under Section 198 of Companies Act, 2016 and Paragraph 15.05 of the MMLR.

#### (ii) Evaluation

- to establish clear and appropriate criteria on annual assessment of the Board;
- to assess annually the effectiveness and competencies of the Board as a whole, the Board Committees and the contribution of each individual director; and
- to assess annually the independence of the independent directors.

#### (iii) Succession planning and training

- to establish appropriate plans for succession at Board level and senior management level; and
- to review the training needs of the Board.



#### (iv) Remuneration

to establish formal and transparent remuneration policies and procedures to attract and retain Board members and senior management of the Company and its subsidiaries ("the Group");

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- to review and recommend to the Board the remuneration package for executive director, chief executive officer and senior management;
- to review with chief executive officer and executive directors, their goals and objectives and to assess their performance against these objectives as well as contribution to the Company's short-term and long-term corporate strategy; and
- to review and recommend to the Board the annual increments and bonuses of executive directors and senior management team.

#### (v) Additional duties and responsibilities

- to carry out such other responsibilities, functions or assignments as may be defined jointly by the Nominating and Remuneration and the Board from time to time; and
- to carry out such other responsibilities as guided by MMLR and the Code.

The terms of reference of the Nominating and Remuneration Committee is provided in the Company's website at www.encorp.com.my.

The Nominating and Remuneration Committee deliberated on the following matters in 2022:

- Annual Board assessment on the effectiveness and competencies of the Board as a whole, Board Committees and individual directors;
- Evaluation of the independence of each Independent Director on an annual basis;
- Identification of appropriate training and education programmes with respect to the business, structure and management of the Group as well as the expectations of the Board with regards to their contributions to the Board and Group: and
- Proposed appointment of new member of Nominating and Remuneration Committee.

#### **Policies and Procedures**

The Executive Director/GCEO is not entitled to annual Directors' fees nor entitled to receive any meeting allowances for the Board and Board Committee meetings that he attends.

Non-Executive Directors are paid yearly fees that are determined by the Board and approved at the AGM. Attendance allowances are also paid to the Non-Executive Directors for each Board or committee meeting they attend.

The Directors' Remuneration Policy was adopted by the Board on 26 November 2015, which aims to attract, develop and retain high performing and motivated Directors with a competitive remuneration package.

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The remuneration of Directors for the financial year ended 31 December 2022 are as follows:

Group	Fees (RM'000)	Salaries / Allowance & Other Emoluments (RM'000)	Defined contribution plan (RM'000)
Tuan Haji Sr. Mohd Ali Bin Abd Karim	156	35	-
Datuk Haji Jaafar Bin Abu Bakar	120	20	-
Mahadzir Bin Mustafa	92	17	-
Tuan Haji Lukman Bin Abu Bakar	116	22	-
Dato' Dr Suzana Idayu Wati Binti Osman (Appointed on 3.11.2022)	6	2	-
Datuk Shireen Ann Zaharah Binti Muhiudeen (Retired on 29.6.2022)	30	5	-
Total	520	101	-

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Company	Fees (RM'000)	Salaries / Allowance & Other Emoluments (RM'000)	Defined contribution plan (RM'000)
Tuan Haji Sr. Mohd Ali Bin Abd Karim	120	24	-
Datuk Haji Jaafar Bin Abu Bakar	120	20	-
Mahadzir Bin Mustafa	72	15	-
Tuan Haji Lukman Bin Abu Bakar	96	20	-
Datuk Shireen Ann Zaharah Binti Muhiudeen (Retired on 29.6.2022)	30	5	-
Dato' Dr Suzana Idayu Wati Binti Osman (Appointed on 3.11.2022)	6	2	-
Total	444	86	-

#### Senior Management Remuneration

Practice 8.2 of the Code states that the Company should disclose on a named basis the top (5) Senior Management's remuneration component including salary, bonus, benefits in kind and other emoluments in bands of RM50,000. The Board is of the view that such disclosure will give rise to recruitment and talent retention issues. The remuneration for the top five (5) Senior Management for the financial year ended 31 December 2022, ranged as follows:

No. of Senior Management
0
1
0
2
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1
0
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# PRINCIPLE B: EFFECTIVE AUDIT AND RISK MANAGEMENT

### I. Audit, Risk and Governance Committee

The Audit, Risk and Governance Committee is made up of three (3) members comprising of two (2) Independent Non-Executive Directors and one (1) Non-Independent Director appointed by the Board and it has written terms of reference clearly setting out its authority and duties.

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The Audit, Risk and Governance Committee take note of Practice 9.2 of the MCCG 2021 that the cooling-off period shall be at least three (3) years before a former partner is appointed as member of the Audit Committee. During the financial year ended 31 December 2022, none of the Audit, Risk and Governance Committee members were former key audit partners of the Company. The Audit, Risk and Governance Committee have review and recommend to the Board to update its terms of reference on the requirement to observe the cooling-off period of at least three (3) years before appointment of a former partner of the external audit firm of the Company as a member of the Audit, Risk and Governance Committee, as recommended by the Code. The terms of reference of Audit, Risk and Governance Committee was last reviewed on 29 November 2022 to reflect the Code accordingly.

The terms of reference and Report of the Audit, Risk and Governance Committee are also provided in this Annual Report and website at <u>www.encorp.com.my</u>.

The Audit, Risk and Governance Committee assists the Board in fulfilling its oversight responsibilities, primarily reviewing the quarterly and annual financial statements of the Group prior to their submission to the Board for approval, focusing particularly on accounting policies and compliance; reviewing the scope of external audit and audit process; and reviewing the Group's system of internal control and risk management.

The Audit, Risk and Governance Committee currently comprises the following members:

Name	Designation	Directorship
Datuk Haji Jaafar Bin Abu Bakar	Chairman	Independent Non-Executive Director
Mahadzir Bin Mustafa	Member	Non-Independent Non-Executive Director
Tuan Haji Lukman Bin Abu Bakar	Member	Independent Non-Executive Director

More information on the Audit, Risk and Governance Committee and its activities for year 2022 is also available in this Annual Report.

# Relationship with External Auditors

Through the Audit, Risk and Governance Committee, the Group has established a transparent relationship with the external auditors in seeking professional advice and ensuring compliance with the laws and regulations. The external auditors were invited to attend the Audit, Risk and Governance Committee Meeting to give their views on the state of affairs of the Company, where necessary. The external auditors also highlight to the Board any material deficiency pertaining to the system of internal control and compliance issues of the Group.

The Company has established an External Auditors Policy to assess and monitor the external auditors. The Audit, Risk and Governance Committee has assessed the independence of Ernst & Young PLT and was satisfied with their competency and independence. The Audit, Risk and Governance Committee has therefore recommended the re-appointment of Ernst & Young PLT as auditors to the Board, upon which shareholders' approval will be sought at the forthcoming AGM. Shareholdings' Information pg 207 - 218

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#### II. Risk Management and Internal Control Framework

#### **Risk Management Committee**

The Risk Management Committee comprises the Heads of Departments and Group's senior management. The Risk Management Committee reports to the Audit, Risk and Governance Committee on a quarterly basis. The Audit, Risk and Governance Committee assists the Board in providing oversight over the Group's management of risk and reviews the adequacy of compliance and control throughout the Group.

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#### Internal Control

The Board of Directors recognises the pivotal role of a strong internal control system in keeping the Group on course towards its goal of maximising shareholders' value. To this extent, the need for a strong internal control environment has been ingrained into the culture of the Group by the Board and Management.

The effectiveness of the Group's system of internal control is reviewed periodically by the Audit, Risk and Governance Committee. The Group's Statement on Risk Management & Internal Control is set out in this Annual Report.

#### Whistle Blowing Policy

As part of its commitment to uphold the highest standards of ethics, integrity and accountability, the Group has formalised a Whistle Blowing Policy. This is essentially a mechanism to enable the employees to disclose internally any serious malpractice or misconduct without fear of reprisal. This policy provides a safe and acceptable platform for employees to channel their concerns about illegal, unethical or improper business conduct affecting the Group.

The complainant should report immediately if they have a reasonable belief that a wrongdoing has been, is being or it believed to have committed. The complainant is encouraged to make a report via the following methods:

- · Meet or contact any Risk and Governance Department staff to make a report; and
- In writing and delivered either by hand, mail to the Chairman of Audit, Risk and Governance Committee.

The Board and the Management give their assurance that the whistle-blower identities are kept confidential and the whistle-blower will not be at risk to any detrimental action as a result of raising a concern with good faith. The Company, however, does not extend this assurance to someone who maliciously raises a matter which is untrue. If an investigation is necessary, the investigation team shall have full access to people, documentation and evidences as required and necessary to carry out the investigation in accordance to the authority assigned by the Board.

The Whistle-Blowing Policy is provided on the Company's website at <u>www.encorp.com.my</u>.

#### Anti-Bribery and Corruption Guideline ("ABAC Guideline")

The Board had also adopted the Anti-Bribery and Corruption Guideline to ensure that it has adequate procedures in place to prevent persons associated with the Group from undertaking corrupt conduct in relation to the business activities.

The ABAC Guideline is provided on the Company's website at <u>www.encorp.com.my</u>.

#### **Internal Audit Function**

The Audit, Risk and Governance Committee is supported by an in-house Internal Audit function in the discharge of its duties and responsibilities. The Internal Audit Unit which is under the Risk and Governance Department undertakes regular reviews of the adequacy and effectiveness of the Group's system of internal controls and risk management process, as well as appropriateness and effectiveness of the corporate governance practices based on procedures approved by the respective Audit, Risk and Governance Committees.

Further details of Internal Audit are also available in this Annual Report.



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#### PRINCIPLE C: INTEGRITY IN CORPORATE REPORTING AND MEANINGFUL RELATIONSHIP WITH STAKEHOLDERS

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#### I. Communication with Stakeholders

The Company adheres strictly to the disclosure requirements under the MMLR of Bursa Securities. The financial results of the Company are announced quarterly to Bursa Securities via Bursa Link. Material transactions and events are also announced accordingly.

The Company recognises the importance of effective communication with shareholders, investors and the public in general. In this respect, the Company keeps shareholders, investors and the public informed through announcements, release of quarterly financial results, annual reports, circulars and general meetings. In line with the practices under the Code, a Stakeholders' Communication Policy was implemented to handle the process of handling queries from its stakeholders.

The Company maintains regular and effective communication with its shareholders and stakeholders by attending to shareholders' and investors' e-mails and phone calls enquiries, Company general meetings and other Company events. The Notice for the Company's Annual General Meetings provides information to the shareholders regarding the details of the AGM, their entitlement to attend the AGM, their rights to appoint a proxy and information as to who may count as a proxy.

The Company's website has a dedicated section that provides all relevant information on the Company which is accessible to the public. While the Company endeavours to provide as much information as possible to its shareholders and stakeholders, the Company is mindful of the legal and regulatory framework governing the release of material information.

#### **Corporate Disclosure Policy**

The Board has formalised a Corporate Disclosure Policy ("CDP") which aims to provide accurate, timely, consistent and fair disclosure of corporate information to enable informed and orderly market decision by the investors and stakeholders. The CDP sets out the policies and procedures for disclosure of material information of the Group. The CDP is applicable to all Directors and employees of the Group.

#### II. Conduct of General Meetings

The AGMs serve as the principal avenue for shareholders to engage the Board and Management in a constructive two-way dialogue. Shareholders are encouraged to actively participate during the AGMs by raising questions and providing feedbacks to the Board and Management Team.

As precautionary measure amid the COVID-19 pandemic, Encorp had successfully convened its Twenty Second Annual General Meeting conducted on a virtual basis through live streaming from the broadcast venue at the Group's premises. All members participated the AGM online and voted electronically using the Securities Services e-Portal. Meanwhile, shareholders and proxies of the Company were also able to submit their questions electronically via the virtual event platform during the AGM.

Proper notices of AGM or any general meeting are at all times dispatched to the shareholders at least 21 days prior to the meetings, unless otherwise required by law, in order to provide sufficient time for shareholders to understand and evaluate the subject matter. Notwithstanding that, the Code strongly advised that the notice of AGM should be given to the shareholders at least 28 days prior to the meeting. The Notice convening the 2022 AGM was issued to shareholders on 28 April 2022, which was more than 28 days prior to the AGM date. Each item of special business included in the notice of the meeting is accompanied by a full explanatory statement for the proposed resolution to facilitate better understanding and evaluation of issues involved.

During the AGM, the Board encourages participation from shareholders by having question and answer session during the AGM (inclusive of the Chairman of the Board, Audit, Risk and Governance Committee and Nominating and Remuneration Committee) were available to provide meaningful responses to queries raised. Shareholders had direct access to the Board during the AGM proceedings and to participate in the question-and-answer session on the resolutions being proposed or on the Group's operations in general. Shareholders who are unable to participate in the virtual AGM are allowed to appoint proxies to participate and vote on their behalf in accordance with the Company's Constitution. The GCEO, Board members in attendance and the external auditors, if so required, will endeavor to respond to shareholders' questions during the meeting. All questions posed by shareholders during the AGM were well attended by the Board and/or the Management.

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Lastly, the AGM minutes and summary of Q&A dialogues had been published on our corporate websites for public viewing following the conclusion of the 22nd AGM. The minutes of the AGM was made available to shareholders within 30 business days after the 22nd AGM of the Company's website at <u>www.encorp.com.my</u>.

#### **Future Priorities**

The Board will continue to enhance the corporate disclosure requirements in the best interest of the Company's shareholders and stakeholders in the upcoming years. The areas to be prioritised would be those principles which have not adopted by the Company as disclosed in the Corporate Governance Report 2022.

This Corporate Governance Overview Statement was approved by the Board of Directors on 23 February 2023.

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#### Audit and Non-Audit Fees

During the financial year under review, the fees paid / payable to the external auditors, Ernst & Young PLT and its affiliated companies in relation to the audit and non-audit services rendered to Encorp Berhad and its subsidiaries are as follows:

	Group (RM)	Company (RM)
Statutory audit services provided by Ernst & Young PLT	263,000	80,000
Non-audit services provided by Ernst & Young PLT	53,000	45,000
Advisory services provided by affiliates of Ernst & Young PLT	N/A	N/A
Total	316,000	125,000

### **Material Contracts**

There were no material contracts entered into by the Group involving Directors' and major shareholders' interests which were still subsisting as at the end of the financial year under review or which were entered into since the end of the previous financial year.

#### Recurrent Related Party Transactions

The Company was given shareholders' mandate to enter into recurrent related party transactions for the sale of properties in the ordinary course of business, provision of comprehensive facilities management services, construction and property development works with related parties ("Recurrent Transactions") at the Twenty Second Annual General Meeting held on 29 June 2022.

There were no Recurrent Transactions conducted during the financial year ended 31 December 2022.

### **Utilisation of Proceeds**

During the financial year ended 31 December 2022, there were no proceeds raised by the Company from corporate proposals.

# AUDIT, RISK AND GOVERNANCE COMMITTE REPORT

The Board of Directors is pleased to present the report on the Audit, Risk and Governance Committee ("ARGC") for the financial year ended 31 December 2022.

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#### MEMBERSHIP AND MEETINGS OF THE ARGC

During the financial year ended 31 December 2022, the ARGC convened five (5) meetings which were attended by the members as tabulated below:-

Name of members	Directorship	No. of Meetings Attended
Datuk Haji Jaafar Bin Abu Bakar	Chairman, Independent Non-Executive Director	5/5
Mahadzir Bin Mustafa	Non-Independent Non-Executive Director	5/5
Tuan Haji Lukman Bin Abu Bakar	Independent Non-Executive Director	5/5

The Chief Executive Officer, Head of Finance, the Head of Risk & Governance Management and the representatives from the external auditors and internal auditors and/or advisor also attended the meetings at the invitation of the ARGC. The Company Secretary acts as the secretary of the ARGC.

#### **TERMS OF REFERENCE OF ARGC**

#### Objective

The objective of the ARGC is to assist the Board in discharging its responsibility relating to the Group's financial reporting, as well as, to assist the Board in fulfilling its fiduciary duties in relation to governance, ethics and risk management.

#### Composition

The Board shall appoint the ARGC members from amongst themselves, comprising no fewer than three (3) non-executive directors. The majority of the ARGC members shall be independent directors.

The Board adopts the definition of "independent director" as defined under the Main Market Listing Requirements ("Main Market LR") of Bursa Malaysia Securities Berhad ("Bursa Securities").

All members of the ARGC shall be financially literate and at least one (1) member of the ARGC must be:

- (a) a member of the Malaysian Institute of Accountants ("MIA"); or
- (b) if he is not a member of MIA, he must have at least three (3) years of working experience; and
  - he must have passed the examinations specified in Part 1 of the First Schedule of the Accountants Act 1967; or
  - he must be a member of one of the associations of the accountants specified in Part II of the First Schedule of the Accountants Act 1967; or
- (c) fulfils such other requirements as prescribed or approved by Bursa Securities.

No alternate director of the Board shall be appointed as a member of the ARGC. Any former key audit engagement partner of the external auditors of the Company must first observe a cooling-off period of at least three (3) years before he/she is eligible for appointment as a member of the ARGC.

If a member of the ARGC resigns, dies, or for any reason ceases to be a member resulting in non-compliance to the composition criteria as stated above, the Board shall fill the vacancy within three (3) months.



#### Chairman

The members of the ARGC shall elect a Chairman from amongst their number who shall not be the Chairman of the Board and who is an independent director.

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In the absence of the Chairman, the other members shall amongst themselves elect a Chairman who must be an independent director to chair the meeting.

#### Secretary

The Company Secretary shall be the Secretary of the ARGC and as a reporting procedure, the Minutes shall be circulated to all members of the Board.

#### Meetings

The ARGC shall meet regularly and hold at least four (4) meetings in a year, with due notice of issues to be discussed, and shall record its conclusions in discharging its duties and responsibilities.

In addition, the Chairman may call for additional meetings at any time at the Chairman's discretion. ARGC meetings may be held at two (2) or more venues within or outside Malaysia using any technology that enables the members as a whole to participate for the entire duration of the meeting.

Upon the request of the external auditors, the Chairman of the ARGC shall convene a meeting of the ARGC to consider any matter the external auditors believe should be brought to the attention of the Directors or Shareholders.

The Chairman of the ARGC shall engage on a continuous basis with senior management, such as the chief executive officer, chief operating officer, the head of finance, the internal auditors and the external auditors in order to be kept informed of matters affecting the Company.

The chief executive officer, chief operating officer, the head of finance, a representative of the internal auditors and a representative of the external auditors should normally attend meetings. Other Board members and employees may attend meetings upon the invitation of the ARGC.

The ARGC shall be able to convene meetings with the external auditors without the presence of other directors and employees at least once a year.

Questions arising at any meeting of the ARGC shall be decided by a majority of votes of the members present.

A member of the ARGC shall abstain from discussion or deliberation and voting on matters which give rise to an actual or perceived conflict of interest for him.

#### **Resolution in Writing**

A resolution in writing, signed by all the members of the ARGC for the time being entitled to receive notice of a meeting of the Audit, Risk and Governance, shall be as valid and effectual as if it had been passed at a meeting of the ARGC duly convened and held.

#### Minutes

Minutes of each meeting shall be kept at the registered office and distributed to each member of the ARGC and also to the other members of the Board. The Chairman of the ARGC shall report on each meeting to the Board.

The minutes of the ARGC meeting shall be signed by the Chairman of the meeting at which the proceedings were held or by the Chairman of the next succeeding meeting.

#### Quorum

In order to form a quorum for the ARGC meeting, the majority of members present must be independent directors.

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#### Authority

The ARGC shall, in accordance with a procedure to be determined by the Board and at the expense of the Company:-

- (a) have explicit authority to investigate any matter within its terms of reference;
- (b) have full and unlimited/unrestricted access to all information and documents/resources required to perform its duties;
- (c) obtain independent professional or other advice; and
- (d) have direct communication channels with the external auditors and persons carrying out the internal audit function or activity.

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Where the ARGC is of the view that the matter reported by it to the Board has not been satisfactorily resolved resulting in a breach of the Main Market LR of Bursa Securities, the ARGC shall promptly report such matter to Bursa Securities.

#### Duties

The duties of the ARGC shall be:-

#### (a) oversee all matters relating to external audit

- to discuss with the external auditors where necessary, the nature and scope of the audit and ensure co-ordination of audits where more than one audit firm is involved;
- to discuss problems and reservations arising from the interim and final audits and any matter the auditors may wish to discuss (In the absence of management, where necessary);
- to review with the external auditors, their management letter and management's response, the external auditors' report and the audited financial statements before the same are presented to the Board for approval;
- to review with the external auditors, their evaluation of the systems of internal control and risk management framework of the Group;
- to consider the appointment of external auditors taking into consideration, amongst others, the suitability, independence, experience, resource and objectivity as well as the appropriateness of their audit fees as recommended by the management;
- to assess the suitability and independence of external auditors in respect of the provision of audit and non-audit services to the Group and the Company in accordance with the terms of all relevant professional and regulatory requirements;
- to annually assess the performance of the external auditors and report to the Board on the independence of the external auditors and obtaining their assurance on the continued registration with Audit Oversight Board;
- · to consider any letter of resignation of external auditors and any questions of resignation and dismissal;
- to review the level of assistance given by the employees of the Group to the external auditors; and
- to undertake continuous professional development to keep abreast of relevant developments in accounting and auditing standards, practices and rules.

#### (b) oversee all matters relating to internal audit

- to review and ensure that the Company and Group maintains a sound and effective system of internal controls and risk management framework;
- to review the adequacy of the scope, functions, competency, experience and resources of the internal audit function;
- to ensure the internal audit is carried out objectively and is independent from the management of the Company and the functions which it audits;
- · to review and approve the internal audit plan and internal audit annual budget;
- to ensure co-ordination of external audit with internal audit;
- to review major findings of internal audit reviews and management's response and ensure that appropriate actions are taken on the recommendations of the internal audit function;
- to review any assessment of the performance of the member of the internal audit function;
- · to approve any appointment or termination of senior staff members of the internal audit function; and
- to keep itself informed of resignations of internal audit staff members and provide resigning staff member an opportunity to submit his/ her reasons for resigning.



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- Trident Integrity Corporate Liability, Iso 37001 & Adequate Procedures: Implementing Effective Measures Based On The ISO 37001 Anti-Bribery Management System Trident Integrity (11 Januari 2022) Boardroom - Duties and Responsibilities of Directors (17 January 2023) 2.
  - 3. Audit Oversight Board - Survey with the Audit Committees on Transparency Reporting by Audit Firms (6 December 2022)
  - 4. Audit Oversight Board - AOB Inspection Results, How Audit Committees can make full use of it (6 December 2022)

(c) review of financial statements

To review the quarterly and year end financial statements of the Group before submission to the Board, focusing particularly on:

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- any changes in accounting policies and practices;
- significant audit issues and adjustments arising from audit;
- going concern assumption;
- compliance with the applicable approved accounting standards and regulatory requirements; and
- compliance with the Main Market LR of Bursa Securities and other legal requirements.

# (d) review of systems of internal control and risk management

- to review the reports of respective risk management teams in relation to the adequacy and integrity of the Group's internal control systems in mitigating risks;
- to review and recommend the risk management policy, procedures and risk management framework to the Board;
- to review the effectiveness of the risk management framework and to ensure that the framework adopted is based on an internationally recognised risk management framework that is able to identify, assess, manage and monitor significant financial and non-financial risks in a regular and timely manner;
- to provide guidance on the overall risk strategy for implementation and ensure that the principles and requirements of managing risk are consistently adopted throughout the Group;
- to communicate to the Board the critical risks (present & potential) the Group faces, their profile change (if any) and the management action plans to manage these risks; and
- to conduct annual review and periodic testing of the Group's internal control and risk management framework.

#### (e) governance responsibilities

- to review the Group's governance framework as guided by the Malaysian Code of Corporate Governance and other best practices in corporate governance;
- to review the Group's policies to support the implementation of the Group's governance framework; and
- to review and monitor the Group's policies and practices in compliance with legal and regulatory requirements.

#### additional duties and responsibilities (f)

- to review any related party transactions and conflict of interest situation that may arise within the Group or the Company including any transaction, procedure or course of conduct that raises questions of management integrity;
- to verify the allocation of Employees' Share Option Scheme ("ESOS") and Employees' Share Grant Scheme ("ESGS") in compliance with the criteria as stipulated in the by-laws of the ESOS and ESGS of the Company, if any; and
- to carry out such other responsibilities, functions or assignments as may be defined jointly by the ARGC and the Board from time to time.

### **Review of Committee**

The Nominating and Remuneration Committee shall review the term of office and performance of the ARGC and each of its members at least once a year to determine whether the ARGC and its members have carried out their duties in accordance with the terms of reference and thereafter make its recommendations to the Board for consideration.

The ARGC shall review its terms of reference periodically and recommend any changes it considers necessary.

# TRAINING

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The ARGC members have attended the following training, seminars and conferences during the year to acquire relevant knowledge that enables them to discharge their duties effectively:

#### SUMMARY OF ACTIVITIES OF THE ARGC DURING 2022

In accordance with its Terms of Reference, the following activities were undertaken during the year by the ARGC:

• Reviewed the quarterly unaudited financial statements of the Company and the Group for the financial quarters ended 31 December 2021, 31 March 2022, 30 June 2022 and 30 September 2022 with Management prior to the Board's deliberation and approval for their release to the Bursa Securities. The review focused particularly on:

- Any change in or implementation of accounting policies and practices;
- Significant adjustments arising from the audit, if any;
- The going concern assumption;
- Significant and unusual events; and
- Compliance with accounting standards and other legal requirements.
- Reviewed the draft audited annual financial statements for the financial year ended 31 December 2021 with Management and the external auditors before recommending it to the Board for approval and release to the Bursa Securities.
- Reviewed and discussed Management Accounts with Management.
- Reviewed and deliberated on the Enterprise Risk Management (ERM) report which was updated on quarterly basis by the Risk Management Department.
- Reviewed and discussed the audit report, the extent of assistance rendered by Management, issues and reservations arising from statutory audit with the external auditors.
- Assessed the performance of the external auditors, including their suitability and independence and recommended the same to the Board for re-appointment.
- Met with the external auditors two (2) times without the presence of the Executive Board members and Management and no major issues were highlighted.
- Reviewed the internal audit activities carried out by the Internal Auditors and deliberated on significant audit findings identified, audit recommendations made and management's action plans to ensure that the risks issues were adequately addressed.
- Reviewed and recommended the Corporate Governance Overview Statement, Corporate Governance Report, ARGC Report and Statement on Risk Management & Internal Control and Statement of Sustainability and to the Board for approval.
- Reviewed with the external auditor, the audit plan inclusive of areas of audit emphasis, audit fees, and scope for the year as well as the audit procedures to be followed prior to commencement of annual audit for 2022.
- Reviewed related party transactions entered into by the Group.
- Reviewed and recommended to the Board the Circular to Shareholders in respect of the proposed shareholders' mandate for recurrent related party transactions.
- Discussed the implication of any development or latest changes and pronouncements issued by the statutory and regulatory bodies on the Group.
- Updated the Board on the issues and concerns discussed during their meetings and made the necessary recommendations to the Board.

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#### SUMMARY OF ACTIVITIES OF THE INTERNAL AUDIT FUNCTION DURING THE YEAR

The internal audit function of the Company has been outsourced to an independent professional firm, BDO Governance Advisory Sdn Bhd, which assists the ARGC in discharging its duties and responsibilities until 30 June 2022. The Company then has set-up an in-house Internal Audit Unit effective from 1 July 2022 to take over in assessing the adequacy, effectiveness and integrity of the Group's system of risk management and internal controls. They act independently and with due professional care and report directly to the ARGC.

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The internal audit provides risk-based and objective assurance on the adequacy and effectiveness of the risk management, internal control and governance processes.

During the financial year ended 31 December 2022, the major activities carried out by the BDO Governance Advisory Sdn. Bhd and Internal Audit Unit of the Company were as follows:

- Performed risk-based internal audits on a quarterly basis as specified in the approved annual audit plan;
- Issued quarterly internal audit reports to the ARGC detailing audit issues and recommendations for corrective actions to be adopted by Management, to overcome the deficiencies or to enhance controls. The identified key internal audit areas performed in 2022 are the following:
  - Sales and Marketing Internal audit review conducted by outsourced IA service provider BDO Governance Advisory;
  - Business Development Internal audit review conducted by outsourced IA service provider BDO Governance Advisory Sdn. Bhd.;
  - Mall Maintenance- Internal audit review conducted by in-house internal audit unit;
  - One special review and one follow-up audit conducted by in-house internal audit unit;
  - Report status of action plans arising from internal audit issues highlighted to ARGC; and
- Conducted follow-up on selected areas upon ARGC's request.

The costs incurred for the internal audit function for the financial year ended 31 December 2022 amounted to RM42,250.00.

# STATEMENT ON RISK MANAGEMENT & INTERNAL CONTROL

The Board of Directors ("the Board") of Encorp Berhad ("ENCORP" or the "Company") is highly committed to maintain a sound system of risk management and internal control in the Company and its subsidiaries (collectively referred to as the "Group"). The Board is pleased to present its Statement on Risk Management and Internal Control (the "Statement") which outlines the nature and scope of risk management and internal control systems of the Group for the financial year ended 31 December 2022 ("Financial Year").

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This Statement is prepared pursuant to Paragraph 15.26(b) of the Main Market Listing Requirements ("MMLR") of Bursa Malaysia Securities Berhad ("Bursa Securities") which calls for the annual report to incorporate "*a statement about the state of risk management and internal control of the listed issuer as a group*" and Practice 10.2 of the Malaysian Code on Corporate Governance ("MCCG") which stipulates that "the board should disclose the features of its risk management and internal control framework, and the adequacy and effectiveness of this framework". In preparing this Statement, the Board has taken into consideration the enumerations encapsulated in Bursa Malaysia Berhad's Corporate Governance Guide (4th edition) and the "Statement on Risk Management and Internal Control: Guidelines for Directors of Listed Issuers (the "Guidelines"), a publication endorsed by Bursa Securities pursuant to paragraph 15.26(b) of the MMLR of Bursa Securities.

#### **BOARD'S RESPONSIBILITY**

The Board recognises the importance of a sound system of risk management and internal control to safeguard shareholders' investment and the Group's businesses and assets through regular reviews. The Board affirms its overall responsibility for the Group's system of risk management and internal control and for reviewing the adequacy and integrity of the system. The system of internal control covers governance, risk management, financial, strategy, organisational, operational, regulatory and compliance control matters. The Board recognises that this system is designed to manage rather than eliminate the risks of not adhering to the Group's policies and achieving goals and objectives within the risk tolerance established by the Board and Management. Therefore, the system provides reasonable, but not absolute assurance against the occurrence of any material misstatement, loss or fraud. Nonetheless, in striving for continuous improvement, the Board will put in place appropriate actions plans, when necessary, to further enhance the Group's systems of risk management and internal control.

In 2022, the adequacy and effectiveness of internal controls were reviewed by the Audit, Risk and Governance Committee ("ARGC") in relation to the audits conducted by Internal Auditors during the year. Audit issues and actions taken by Management to address the issues tabled by Internal Auditors were deliberated on during the ARGC meetings.

The ARGC provides oversight on risk management matters relating to the activities of the Group, to ensure prudent risk management over Group's business and operations. At its meetings in 2022, the ARGC had reviewed, appraised and assessed the efficacy of the controls and progress of action plans taken to mitigate, monitor and manage the overall risk exposure of the Group. The ARGC also reviewed proposals for new products, monitored the progress and status of risk management activities, as well as raised issues of concern and provided feedback for Management's actions. Reviews are conducted by the ARGC on quarterly basis.

The Board continuously evaluates appropriate initiatives to strengthen the transparency and efficiency of its operations, taking into account the requirements for sound and appropriate internal controls and management information systems within the Group.

Internal control and risk-related, matters which warranted the attention of the Board were recommended by the ARGC to the Board for its deliberation and approval and matters or discussions made within the ARGC's purview were escalated to the Board for its notation.

There is an ongoing process for identifying, evaluating and managing the significant risks faced by the Group in its achievement of objectives and strategies. The process has been in place during the year up to the date of approval of the annual report and is subject to review by the Board.

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of corporate governance. Combining a strong and sustained commitment from the Board and Senior Management with a clear direction and oversight from all levels of leadership, the Group embraces a holistic risk management approach to achieve its business targets with minimal surprises. The abovementioned risk management practices of the Group serve as the ongoing process used to identify, evaluate and manage significant risks of the Group for the Financial Year under review and up to the date of approval of the Statement

The Board, ARGC, Risk Management Committee ("RMC"), and Heads of Department / Operating units of the Group play an important role in ensuring the effective management of risks.

#### RISK MANAGEMENT AND INTERNAL CONTROL FRAMEWORK

The following key features have been implemented by the Board in its effort to maintain an effective and sound system of risk management and internal controls:

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#### 1. RISK MANAGEMENT

The Board fully supports the contents of Practices 10.1 and 10.2 of the MCCG which call for the establishment of an effective risk management and internal control framework and the disclosure thereof.

The Group has an ongoing process for identifying, evaluating and managing the significant risks faced by the Group throughout the financial year under review. This is to ensure that all high risks are adequately addressed at various levels within the Group. Risk management is embedded in the Group's management system and it is every employee's responsibility. The Group firmly believes that risk management is critical for the Group's continued profitability and the enhancement of shareholder value. For each of the risks identified, a risk owner is assigned to ensure appropriate risk response actions are carried out and the implementation of the actions are being closely monitored.

The Board has formalised a comprehensive ERM Framework and clear governance structure that takes into account all significant aspects of internal control including risks assessment, the control environment and control activities, information and communication and monitoring. Key business risks have been categorised to highlight the source of the risk, and scored to reflect both financial and reputational impact of the risk and the likelihood of its occurrence.

The Board regards risk management as an integral part of the Group's business operations and has oversight over this area through the ARGC. The ARGC provides an independent assessment of the effectiveness of the Group's Enterprise Risk Management ("ERM") framework and reports to the Board. The Group's ERM is consistent with the ERM framework and involves systematically identifying, analysing, measuring, monitoring and reporting on the risks that may affect the achievement of its business objectives. The framework helps to reduce the uncertainties surrounding the Group's internal and external environment.

The ERM process is based on the following principles:

- Consider and manage risks enterprise-wide;
- Integrate risk management into business activities;
- Manage risk in accordance with the Risk Management framework;
- Tailor responses to business circumstances; and
- Communicate risks and responses to Management.

As part of the Group's effort to instil a proactive risk management culture and ownership, the following activities were undertaken during the financial year under review:

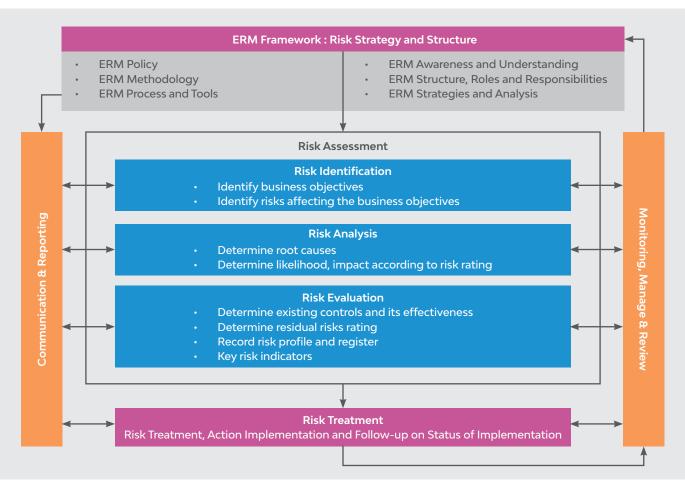
- Conducted mandatory ERM awareness training for new hiring during induction training, in building up and maintaining a strong risk culture in the Group;
- Providing risk advisory and independent assessment as and when necessary, as well as facilitated discussions across the Group;
- Risk review and update by the respective Heads of Departments, where key risks identified were rated in terms of likelihood of the risk occurring and its impact should the risk occur;

The Board recognises the importance of effective ERM in enhancing shareholder value while upholding a high standard

- Update of the Group's risk register based on risk review and update; and
- The results of the risk review and update were reported to the ARGC.

under review and up to the date of approval of the Statement.

The ERM process adopted is as follows: -



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The ERM policy is mandatory for all operating units and forms an integral part of good management practice for the Group. Its purpose is to foster a proactive risk management culture within the Group's companies and department.

#### 2. AUDIT

#### Internal Audit Function

The Group's Internal Audit Function assists the Board and ARGC by providing an independent assessment of the adequacy and effectiveness of the Group's internal control system. Further details of the Internal Audit Function are set out in the Audit, Risk and Governance Committee Report included in this Annual Report.

During the financial year ended 31 December 2022, internal audit function of the Group has been undertaken via an in-house internal audit team together with an independent, external consulting firm, namely BDO Governance Advisory Sdn Bhd (collectively known as "Internal Auditors") to assist the ARGC and the Board primarily in formalising the Internal Audit Plan based on the established risk profile of the Group.

The in-house internal audit team comprises of an Assistant Manager and an Executive whereas BDO Governance Advisory Sdn Bhd assigns at least three (3) team members during each audit assignment, thus providing overall support and back up to the entire internal audit team.

The Internal Audit team continues to be independent, free from any relationships or conflict of interest, objectively and regularly review key processes, check compliance with policies and procedures, valuate the adequacy and effectiveness of internal control, risk management and governance measures in respect of any non-compliance.

The annual audit plan, established primarily on a risk-based approach, is reviewed and approved by the ARGC annually and takes into consideration feedback from the Management. The ARGC oversees the Internal Audit team's functions, its independence, scope of work and resources. The Internal Auditors, which report directly to the ARGC, assesses the selected areas under the internal audit scope in relation to risk exposures, compliance with the approved policies and procedures and relevant laws and regulations and where relevant, benchmarked against available best practices. The Internal Audit Function carries out the audit on rotational basis to cover selected areas and companies in every audit. For any significant gaps identified in the governance, risk management and internal control processes during the engagements, Internal Auditors provides recommendations to Management on how to improve the design and effectiveness of the processes where applicable. The ARGC has full access to the service and advice of the Internal Auditors and the ARGC, together with the Management, reviewed the issues identified by the Internal Auditors and External Auditors and ensured that all practical recommendations, agreed to by the

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The Internal Audit team also reports on the control issues observed to the ARGC in order to preserve its independence. The ARGC reviews and approves Internal Audit's annual budget, audit plan and monitors the progress of the audit periodically.

In the financial year ended 31 December 2022, reviews in various areas involving Property Development operation was conducted. Key coverage areas included:

- Project Management of Project Cahaya Alam;
- Sales and Marketing Operation;

Management, are implemented.

- Business Development of Encorp Berhad;
- Encorp Strand Mall Maintenance; and
- Placement of Deposits with PMM Perth for Encorp Development Pty. Ltd.

Following the completion of its work, the internal audit function reported directly to the ARGC on improvement measures pertaining to internal controls, including a follow-up on the status of Management's implementation of recommendations raised in previous reports. Internal audit reports were submitted to the ARGC, which reviewed the observations with Management, including Management's action plans to address the concerns raised. The Management as a whole is responsible for ensuring that the necessary corrective actions on reported weaknesses are promptly taken. The ARGC presents its findings regularly to the Board.

#### External Auditors

The Group employs Messrs. Ernst & Young PLT as its External Auditors. The external auditors' annual audit strategy, audit plan, scope of work, and audit procedures for the financial year in relation to the audit services on the Group's financial statements as well as non-audit services are reviewed and approved by the ARGC. Further details on the oversight of the external auditors are set out in the Audit, Risk and Governance Committee Report.

#### Quality Management System

The Group takes continuous efforts in maintaining the quality of its products and services. Accordingly, the Group has processes to enable timely adherence to safety and health regulations, environmental requirements and relevant legislations affecting the Group's operations. The Property Division of the Group has been accorded with full ISO 9001:2015 accreditation, i.e. an international standard that specifies requirements for a quality management system. This underscores the Group's drive to consistently improve the strength of its internal control system.

#### **INTERNAL CONTROL**

The internal control system complements the risk management process, effected by the Board and ARGC, and designed to provide reasonable assurance regarding the achievement of the Group's objectives, and safeguard the shareholders' investment and the assets of the Group.

Establishing an appropriate control environment is the responsibility of the Board and ARGC, which comprises the overall attitude, awareness and actions of Directors regarding the internal control system and its importance in the Group.

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Key elements of the Group's control environment are set out below: -

#### 1. INTEGRITY AND ETHICAL VALUES

The Board acknowledges that tone at the top is a perquisite for an ethical corporate culture that shapes the Company's values and forms the bedrock for sustainable growth of the business. The Board is cognisant that ethical leadership has been made even more imperative with the operationalisation of corporate liability provision [vide the Malaysian Anti-Corruption Commission (Amendment) Act 2018] on 1 June 2020 which places the onus on Directors and Management to proactively avert corrupt practices through the establishment of adequate procedures and exercise of due diligence.

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#### Code of Conduct and Business Ethics Guideline ("the Code")

The Code sets out the policy stand on the conduct of business and the standards of behavior / ethical conduct expected of the Group employees. The Group is committed to upholding a strong culture of integrity and ethical values, as emphasised in the Code which shall be observed by Directors and Employees of the Group. The Group's Code was approved on 31 July 2019. The Code will be reviewed as and when necessary to ensure that it remains current and relevant in addressing any ethical issues that may arise within the organisation.

This covers commitment to the Group's workplace, preservation and protection of the Group's assets and information, fostering open and honest communication, ethical conduct, interaction with counterparties, business partners, customers, environment and communities, working with joint venture partners and business alliances and when the Group deal with the Government, regulators, political parties, and non-governmental organisations ("NGOs"). All employees of the Group are called upon to adhere to the Code in guiding them to observe high standards of personal and corporate integrity in their dealings with internal and external stakeholders. In addition, the Group has an Employee Handbook that guides the Group's employees in their day-to-day conduct, conducting themselves with integrity and objectivity and not be placed in a position of conflict of interest.

#### • Whistleblowing Policy and Guideline ("WPG")

The Group has put in place WPG which provides an avenues for any persons namely employees, directors or external parties to report any improper conduct as defined in the WPG against any employee or director, in a safe and confidential manner related to possible illegal actions, improprieties in relation to financial reporting, unethical conduct, potential breaches of business conduct, non-compliance with legal and regulatory requirements as well as other malpractices without fear of retaliation to the Risk and Governance Department or directly to Chairman of ARGC, especially if the report pertains to a member of ENCORP's Management team. An employee who makes a report of improper conduct in good faith shall not be subject to unfair dismissal, victimisation, demotion, suspension, intimidation or harassment, discrimination, any action causing injury, loss or damage or any other retaliatory actions by the Group. The Whistleblowing Policy and Guideline document is made available on ENCORP's website at <u>www.encorp.com.my</u>.

#### Anti-Bribery and Corruption Guideline ("ABC")

Anti-Bribery and Corruption is a material matter to the Group. The Board has taken steps to direct the establishment of adequate procedures to prevent the commission of corrupt acts by persons associated to the Group through the institution of the ABC. The ABC, amongst others, covers areas pertaining to gifts, donations and sponsorship; support letters' facilitation payments; conflict of interest; and sanctions for non-compliance. The ABC is premised on a supply-chain wide perspective covering dealings with third parties such as agents, suppliers and vendors, contractors, sub-contractors and distributors. Compliance and Sustainability Unit as the owner of the Anti-Bribery and Corruption Guideline is responsible for implementing Adequate Procedures initiatives. The Guideline set out the Group's stance on areas relevant to anti-bribery and corruption; expected conduct by employees in adhering to the highest levels of integrity and ethics; and guidelines pertaining to governance, risk assessment, prevention, detection, incident reporting, investigation and corrective action, and monitoring. Employees are also provided with training on anti-bribery and corruption guidelines. All employees are required to declare that they have read, understood and will abide by the ABC via the Corporate Integrity Pledge Form.

#### Anti-Bribery Policy and Procedures

The Board and Management has also approved and introduced the Anti-Bribery Policy and Procedures in order to sets out the limitations to prevent the risks of bribery and corrupt practices in relation to the businesses of ENCORP Group.

# 2. AUTHORITY AND RESPONSIBILITY

### Organisation Structure

The Group has in place an organisational structure with clearly demarcated lines of responsibilities and segregated reporting lines to the Board and Board Committees to ensure operational efficiency and independent stewardship, permeating through every facet of the Group's operations.

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### Board Charter

A Board Charter is established to ensure that all Board members acting collectively on behalf of the Company are aware of their duties and responsibilities as Board members with an emphasis of applying high standards of corporate governance throughout the Group in safeguarding the interest of all stakeholders as well as enhancing shareholders' value and financial performance of the Group.

### Terms of Reference

Clear definition of the terms of reference, i.e. functions, authorities and responsibilities of the various Board committees have been established.

# Board Committees

The Board has two (2) Board Committees:

# Audit, Risk and Governance Committee ("ARGC")

The ARGC is establish to assist the Board in identifying, assessing and monitoring key business risks (including environment, social and governance risks) and recommending the risk management as well as sustainability policies and strategies for the Company. The primary function of the ARGC is to review quarterly and annual financial statements before submission to the Board, external and internal audit plans, systems of internal controls and related party transactions as well as other responsibilities as my be agreed to by the ARGC and the Board. Further details of the ARGC are outline in the Terms of Reference available on ENCORP's website at www.encorp.com.my.

# Nomination and Remuneration Committee ("NRC")

The NRC is established to assist in identifying and nominating for the approval of the Board, candidates to fill Board vacancies as and when they arise, making recommendations to the Board on the Directors to fill seats of Board Committees, assessing annually the eligibility of the Directors who are subjected for re-appointment, the effectiveness of the Board and the independence of individual Directors. The NRC primary duties include reviewing the annual remuneration package of each individual Director, recommending to the Board the remuneration packages of the Directors. Further details of the NRC are outlined in the Terms of Reference available on ENCORP's website at <u>www.encorp.com.my</u>.

### Risk Management Committee ("RMC")

The RMC is responsible for monitoring and performing regular reviews on the Group's risk management processes and for ascertaining if the enterprise-wide risk management framework approved by the Board is properly implemented throughout the Group's business operations. The RMC reports directly to the ARGC. The RMC is chaired by the Group Chief Executive Officer ("GCEO") and includes representatives from all departments.

# Management Committee ("MC")

The MC comprising key senior management personnel reports to the Board and is responsible for the development and effective implementation of strategic business plans for the Group in line with the strategic directions approved by the Board. The MC reports regularly to the Board on the progress of the execution of the strategic business plans approved by the Board with periodic financial and operational performance of the various business departments as well as other strategic, financial and operational matters. Shareholdings' Information pg 207 - 218

#### Project Committee ("PC")

The PC was established on 26 May 2022 and the roles and responsibilities of the Committee include:

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- (a) Monitoring the progress in the implementation of projects.
- (b) Examining from time to time the development of project proposals and make recommendations to the Board on the implementation of such proposals.
- (c) Keeping under review on an ongoing basis the in-house procedural framework related to the implementation of contracts and make recommendations on adjustment mechanisms to facilitate speedier and smoother implementation of project.
- (d) Developing of strategies to address delays in the implementation of projects.
- (e) Reviewing development projects.
- (f) Making such recommendations as relevant with a view to enhancing the operations and performance of the operations departments.

#### 3. LIMITS OF AUTHORITY ("LOA")

Clearly defined and documented lines and limits of authority, responsibility and accountability have been established through the relevant terms of references, organisational structures and appropriate authority limits, including matters requiring the Board's approval. Its key objectives are to provide a holistic view of the authority limits set, to encourage delegation, empowerment and accountability, and to eliminate guesswork, confusion hence providing clarity. The corporate structure further enhances the ability of each subsidiary or division, as the case may be, to focus on its assigned core or support functions within the Group. In designing and implementing these policies, structures and systems the Group is guided by the dictum that no single individual should be accorded with unfettered powers. The LOA document is subject to periodical review to incorporate any changes that affect the authority limits.

#### 4. PLANNING, MONITORING AND REPORTING

The following internal control processes have been deployed by the Group:

- a. An annual planning and budgetary exercise which performance is monitored on an ongoing basis is undertaken requiring all departments to prepare business plans in which the Group's business objectives, strategies and targets are articulated, and budgets for the forthcoming year. These are deliberated and approved by the Board before being implemented.
- b. The Board is updated on the Group's performance at the scheduled meetings where the Group's business plan and actual versus budget performance for the year are reviewed and deliberated by the Board on a half-yearly basis. However, financial performance variances are presented to the Board on a quarterly basis on significant changes in the business and external environment in which the Company operates and overall status of key initiatives are updated to the Board in the GCEO's report at every ARGC and the Board of Directors meeting.
- c. There is a regular and comprehensive flow of information to the Board and Management on all aspects of the Group's operations to facilitate the monitoring of performance against the Group's corporate strategy and business. The Group has established processes and procedures to ensure that Quarterly and Annual Reports, which cover the Group's performance, are submitted to Bursa Securities for release to shareholders and stakeholders on a timely basis. The preparation of quarterly and annual results and the state of affairs of the Group are reviewed and approved by the Board before a release of the same to the stakeholders and regulators whilst the full year financial statements are audited by the external auditor before their issuance to regulators and stakeholders. All quarterly results are reviewed by the Board prior to their announcements. The Annual Report of the Group is issued to the shareholders within the stipulated time as prescribed under the MMLR of Bursa Securities.
- d. The Board has also delegated the oversight of the Group's sustainability practice and management and ethical conduct of the Group's business including anti-corruption controls to the ARGC, which forms part of the Group's Sustainability Governance Structure (as detailed in the Sustainability Statement included in this Annual Report). Sustainability is one of the important value creation drivers to ensure business resilience and future organisational success. It is integrated into the Group long-term corporate strategies, policies and planning processes as the Group aim to translate sustainability aspirations into business practices. The Group Constantly evaluate the Group sustainability efforts through regular engagements with the stakeholders. The Group Sustainability Report is aligned with the MMLR and relevant international standards and guidelines to enable the Group to effectively communicate the sustainability progress and strive for higher levels of transparency.



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5. POLICIES AND PROCEDURES

#### Documented Policies and Procedures

Clearly defined operating policies and Standard Operating Procedures ("SOPs") have been established to meet changing business, operational needs and regulatory requirements to reflect changing risks or to address operational deficiencies. These policies and procedures ensure that processes adequately mitigate risks with appropriate internal controls. Regular reviews are performed to ensure that documentations remains current and relevant. Operating policies and procedures are made available on ENCORP's intranet for easy access by employees to guide them in their-day-to-day work processes.

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#### Human Resource Policy

There are proper guidelines within the Group for recruitment and selection, compensation and benefits, performance management, conduct of employment, and other relevant procedures in line with its brand promise and core values. The Group, being in a competitive industry, recognises the importance of sustainable investment in improving the skills and competencies of its Management and other employees. This is achieved through facilitating various training and development programmes, seminars and workshops are identified and scheduled for employees to acquire the necessary knowledge and competency to meet their job expectations and to multi task when necessary, which is a step-in succession planning and continuous learning initiatives.

#### Information Technology Equipment, Data Integrity and Security

Information technology ("IT") equipment, data integrity and security are integral part of the Group's operation and are necessary to achieve the Group's business objectives.

The Group's IT function is responsible for continuously monitoring and resolving both internal and external security threats to the Group. This includes conducting security awareness initiatives on cyber risks, compliance audits on the Group's IT networks and systems and vulnerability assessments to mitigate the impact of security attacks, negligence and malware. The IT policies and procedures are established to proactively manage current and potential security threats to the Group's data and content arising from physical and logical access.

The Group continuously review the adequacy of its IT equipment, network infrastructure, data integrity and security and takes necessary actions to mitigate the risks on internet connectivity, data loss and protection of its assets and systems.

Investment are also channeled for information technology infrastructure with a view of facilitating the impetus towards digitalisation.

#### Business Continuity Management

Business Continuity Plan and Disaster Recovery Plan are in place with daily backup and system vendors' support to provide assurance for business continuity. There are also offline procedures to implement in case of system failure.

#### Safety and Security

Management has always placed importance in complying with the Occupational Safety and Health Act, 1994 to ensure that all the employees are aware of the safety procedures that are in place for their own safety during any emergencies and that the Group's assets and resources are well protected from any accident or mishap. Furthermore, all staff are provided with face mask, hand sanitisers, and all required to adhere to the Group's Guideline on Business Continuity Planning for Covid-19.

#### INSURANCE COVERAGE AND SAFEGUARDING OF MAJOR ASSETS

Adequate insurance of the major assets and resources of the Group are in place to ensure that these are sufficiently covered against any mishap, calamities and thefts that may result in material losses to the Group. The insurance coverage is reviewed at regular intervals to ensure its adequacy vis-à-vis the Group's risk appetite. At the same time, physical security measures are taken to safeguard these major assets. Information technology-based assets (software and hardware) are upgraded from time to time to mitigate the possibility of security breaches.

# **CORPORATE GOVERNANCE**

#### MATERIAL JOINT VENTURES AND ASSOCIATES

The Group's risk management process, internal control systems and internal audit review do not apply to associate and jointly controlled entities where the Group does not have full management control over them. However, the Group's interest in these companies is served through representation on their respective Joint Management Committees or Boards. This representation provides the Board with access to review and monitor the performance of these investments. The Board is provided with periodic reports and information on their performances.

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#### ASSURANCE FROM MANAGEMENT

In line with the Guidelines, the Board has also received assurance from the management that the Group's risk management and internal control systems are operating adequately and effectively, in all material aspects to meet the Group's objectives during the financial year under review, based on the risk management framework adopted by the Group. All internal control weaknesses identified during the period under review have been or are being addressed. There were no major internal control weaknesses that require disclosure in the Annual Report. The Management has also committed to continuously review and take measures to strengthen the risk management and internal control system to ensure its adequacy and robustness.

#### **REVIEW OF THE STATEMENT BY EXTERNAL AUDITORS**

Pursuant to paragraph 15.23 of the MMLR of Bursa Securities, the External Auditors, Messrs. Ernst & Young PLT has reviewed this Statement for inclusion in the 2022 Annual Report.

Their limited assurance review was performed in accordance with Malaysian Approved Standard on Assurance Engagements, ISAE3000 (Revised), Assurance Engagements Other Than Audits or Reviews of Historical Financial Information and Audit and Assurance Practice Guide ("AAPG") 3: Guidance for Auditors on Engagements to Report on the Statement on Risk Management and Internal Control included in the Annual Report, issued by the Malaysian Institute of Accountants ("MIA"), and reported to the Board that nothing has come to their attention that caused them to believe that the Statement intended to be included in the annual report of the Group, in all material respects:

- a. has not prepared in accordance with the disclosures required by paragraphs 41 and 42 of the Statement on Risk Management and Internal Control: Guidelines for Directors of Listed Issuers, or
- b. is factually inaccurate.

AAPG does not require the external auditors to consider whether the Directors' Statement on Risk Management and Internal Control covers all risks and controls, or to form an opinion on the adequacy and effectiveness of the Group's risk management and internal control system including the assessment and opinion by the Board of Directors and management thereon. The auditors are also not required to consider whether the processes described to deal with material internal control aspects of any significant problems disclosed in the annual report will, in fact, remedy the problems.

#### CONCLUSION

The Board is of the view that the existing internal control and risk management systems in place for the year under review, and up to the date of approval of this Statement, is sound and sufficient to safeguard the Group's businesses and assets, as well as the shareholders' investments, and the interests of employees and other stakeholders. Notwithstanding this, reviews of all control procedures will be continuously improved and enhancement of the existing system of risk management and internal controls will be made, taking into consideration the changing business environment.

The Board has received assurance from the management that the Group's risk management and internal control systems have operated adequately and effectively for the Financial Year under review, in all material aspects based on the framework adopted by the Group.

The assurance has been given based on the internal controls established and maintained by the Group, work performed and reports provided by the internal audit function, management letters provided by External Auditors and reviews performed by ARGC.

This Statement was approved by the Board on 29 March 2023.



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# STATEMENT OF DIRECTORS' RESPONSIBILITY

# ON ANNUAL AUDITED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

The Directors have overall responsibility for preparing the annual audited financial statements. Under the Companies Act 2016, the Directors are required to prepare the financial statements in accordance with applicable approved accounting standards which give a true and fair view of the financial position as at the end of each financial year and the financial performance for each financial year of the Company and all its subsidiaries ("Group").

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In preparing the financial statements for the financial year ended 31 December 2022, the Directors ensured that the Management has:

- adopted appropriate accounting policies and applied them consistently;
- used reasonable and prudent judgments and estimations;
- ensured that applicable approved accounting standards and statutory requirements have been followed; and
- prepared the financial statements on the going concern basis.

The Directors are also responsible for ensuring the Group properly keeps adequate accounting records that are sufficient to explain the Group's transactions and disclose with reasonable accuracy at any time the financial position of the Group and enable them to ensure that the financial statements comply with the relevant statutory requirements. The Directors have overall responsibility for taking reasonable steps to safeguard the assets of the Group and to prevent and detect fraud and other irregularities.

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#### **Directors' report**

The directors hereby present their report together with the audited financial statements of the Group and of the Company for the financial year ended 31 December 2022.

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#### **Principal activities**

The principal activities of the Company are investment holding and provision of general management support services.

The principal activities and other information of the subsidiaries are disclosed in Note 16 to the financial statements.

There have been no significant changes in the nature of these principal activities during the financial year.

#### Results

The results of the operations of the Group and of the Company for the financial year are as follows:

Group RM'000	Company RM'000	Sustainability Report pg 37 - 66
(18,204)	(8,733)	
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(20,141)	(8,733)	<b>In Focus</b> pg 67 - 74
1,937		<b>–</b> 00
(18,204)	(8,733)	
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In the opinion of the directors, the results of the operations of the Group and of the Company during the financial year have not been substantially affected by any item, transaction or event of a material and unusual nature other than as disclosed in Note 8 and 11 to the financial statements.

#### **Reserves and provisions**

There were no material transfers to or from reserves or provisions during the financial year other than as disclosed in the financial statements.

#### Dividends

No dividend has been paid or declared by the Company since the end of the previous financial year. The directors do not recommend the payment of any dividend in respect of the current financial year.

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#### Directors

The names of the directors of the Company in office since the beginning of the financial year to the date of this report are:

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Datuk Haji Jaafar Bin Abu Bakar Haji Lukman Bin Abu Bakar Mahadzir Bin Mustafa Haji Sr. Mohd Ali Bin Abd Karim Dato' Dr Suzana Idayu Wati Binti Osman (Appointed on 3 November 2022) Datuk Shireen Ann Zaharah Binti Muhiudeen (Retired on 29 June 2022)

The names of the directors of the Company's subsidiaries since the beginning of the financial year to the date of this report, excluding those who are already listed above are:

Raja Dato' Idris Bin Raja Halid (Appointed on 9 September 2022) Hajah Nor Azlina Binti Haji Amran Hazurin Bin Harun Ir. Ts. Haji Ahmad Feruz Bin Izharuddin Ezzuddin Bin Hassan Mazlee Bin Muhammad Junid

#### Directors' benefits

Neither at the end of the financial year, nor at any time during that year, did there subsist any arrangement to which the Company was a party, whereby the directors might acquire benefits by means of the acquisition of shares in or debentures of the Company or any other body corporate.

Since the end of the previous financial year, no director has received or become entitled to receive a benefit (other than benefits included in the aggregate amount of emoluments received or due and receivable by the directors or the fixed salary of a full time employee of the Company as shown below) by reason of a contract made by the Company or a related corporation with any director or with a firm of which the director is a member, or with a company in which the director has a substantial financial interest.

The Directors' benefits are as follows:

	Group	Company
	RM'000	RM'000
Non-executive:		
Fees	560	444
Allowances and other emoluments	115	86
	675	530

#### Directors' interests

None of the directors in office at the end of the financial year had any interest in shares in the Company or its related companies.

#### Holding company and body

The immediate holding company of the Company is Felda Investment Corporation Sdn. Bhd.. The Directors regard the Federal Land Development Authority ("FELDA"), a body set up under the Land Development Act 1956, as the ultimate holding body.



#### Other statutory information

(a) Before the financial statements of the Group and of the Company were prepared, the directors took reasonable steps:

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- (i) to ascertain that proper action had been taken in relation to the writing off of bad debts and the making of allowance for doubtful debts and satisfied themselves that all known bad debts have been written off and that adequate allowance had been made for doubtful debts; and
- to ensure that any current assets which were unlikely to realise their values as shown in the accounting records in the ordinary course of business had been written down to an amount which the Group and the Company might be expected so to realise.
- (b) At the date of this report, the directors are not aware of any circumstances:
  - (i) the amount written off for any bad debts or the amount of the allowance for doubtful debts in the financial statements of the Group and of the Company inadequate to any substantial extent; and
  - (ii) the values attributed to the current assets in the financial statements of the Group and of the Company misleading.
- (c) At the date of this report, the directors are not aware of any circumstances which have arisen which would render adherence to the existing method of valuation of assets or liabilities of the Group and of the Company misleading or inappropriate.
- (d) At the date of this report, the directors are not aware of any circumstances not otherwise dealt with in this report or financial statements of the Group and of the Company which would render any amount stated in the financial statements misleading.
- (e) At the date of this report, there does not exist:
  - (i) any charge on the assets of the Group or of the Company which has arisen since the end of the financial year which secures the liabilities of any other person; or
  - (ii) any contingent liability of the Group or of the Company which has arisen since the end of the financial year.
- (f) In the opinion of the directors:
  - no contingent or other liability has become enforceable or is likely to become enforceable within the period of twelve months after the end of the financial year which will or may affect the ability of the Group or of the Company to meet their obligations when they fall due; and
  - (ii) no item, transaction or event of a material and unusual nature has arisen in the interval between the end of the financial year and the date of this report which is likely to affect substantially the results of the operations of the Group or of the Company for the financial year in which this report is made.

#### Indemnity and insurance for directors and officers

The Company maintains directors' liability insurance for purpose of Section 289 of the Companies Act 2016, throughout the year, which provides appropriate insurance cover of the directors of the Company. The amount of insurance premium paid during the year amounted to RM42,000.

#### Significant events

In addition to the significant events disclosed elsewhere in this report, other significant events are disclosed in Note 11, 15(a), 15(b), 16(a) and 36 to the financial statements.

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#### Auditors and auditors' remuneration

The auditors, Ernst & Young PLT, have expressed their willingness to continue in office.

Auditors' remuneration is as follows:

	Group RM'000	Company RM'000
Ernst & Young PLT	316	125

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#### Indemnification of auditors

To the extent permitted by law, the Company has agreed to indemnify its auditors, Ernst & Young PLT, as part of the terms of its audit engagement against claims by third parties arising from the audit (for an unspecified amount). No payment has been made to indemnify Ernst & Young PLT for the financial year ended 31 December 2022.

Signed on behalf of the Board in accordance with a resolution of the directors dated on 29 March 2023.

Haji Sr. Mohd Ali Bin Abd Karim Director Datuk Haji Jaafar Bin Abu Bakar Director



#### Statement by directors Pursuant to Section 251(2) of the Companies Act 2016

We, Haji Sr. Mohd Ali Bin Abd Karim and Datuk Haji Jaafar Bin Abu Bakar, being two of the directors of Encorp Berhad, do hereby state that, in the opinion of the directors, the accompanying financial statements set out on pages 117 to 204 are drawn up in accordance with the Malaysian Financial Reporting Standards, International Financial Reporting Standards and the requirements of the Companies Act 2016 in Malaysia so as to give a true and fair view of the financial position of the Group and of the Company as at 31 December 2022 and of their financial performance and cash flows for the year then ended.

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Signed on behalf of the Board in accordance with a resolution of the directors dated on 29 March 2023.

Haji Sr. Mohd Ali Bin Abd Karim Director Datuk Haji Jaafar Bin Abu Bakar Director

#### Statutory declaration Pursuant to Section 251(1)(b) of the Companies Act 2016

I, Seow Yoke Wei @ Seow Yoke Loong, being the officer primarily responsible for the financial management of Encorp Berhad, do solemnly and sincerely declare that the accompanying financial statements set out on pages 117 to 204 are in my opinion correct, and I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true and by virtue of the provisions of the Statutory Declarations Act, 1960.

Subscribed and solemnly declared by the abovenamed Seow Yoke Wei @ Seow Yoke Loong at Petaling Jaya in the Selangor Darul Ehsan on 29 March 2023

Seow Yoke Wei @ Seow Yoke Loong CA 21381

Before me, Ahmad Zaidi Bin Ahmad (No. B805) Commissioner of Oaths

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Independent auditors' report to the members of Encorp Berhad (Incorporated in Malaysia)

#### Report on the audit of the financial statements

#### Opinion

We have audited the financial statements of Encorp Berhad, which comprise the statements of financial position as at 31 December 2022 of the Group and of the Company, and statements of comprehensive income, statements of changes in equity and statements of cash flows of the Group and of the Company for the year then ended, and notes to the financial statements, including a summary of significant accounting policies, as set out on pages 117 to 204.

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In our opinion, the accompanying financial statements give a true and fair view of the financial position of the Group and of the Company as at 31 December 2022, and of their financial performance and cash flows for the year then ended in accordance with Malaysian Financial Reporting Standards, International Financial Reporting Standards and the requirements of the Companies Act 2016 in Malaysia.

#### Basis for opinion

We conducted our audit in accordance with approved standards on auditing in Malaysia and International Standards on Auditing. Our responsibilities under those standards are further described in the *Auditors' responsibilities for the audit of the financial statements* section of our report. We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our audit opinion.

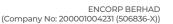
#### Independence and other ethical responsibilities

We are independent of the Group and of the Company in accordance with the By-Laws (on Professional Ethics, Conduct and Practice) of the Malaysian Institute of Accountants ("By-Laws") and the International Code of Ethics for Professional Accountants (including International Independence Standards) ("IESBA Code"), and we have fulfilled our other ethical responsibilities in accordance with the By-Laws and the IESBA Code.

#### Key audit matters

Key audit matters are those matters that, in our professional judgement, were of most significance in our audit of the financial statements of the Group and of the Company for the current year. These matters were addressed in the context of our audit of the financial statements of the Group as a whole, and in forming our opinion thereon, and we do not provide a separate opinion on these matters. For each matter below, our description of how our audit addressed the matter is provided in that context.

We have fulfilled the responsibilities described in the *Auditors' responsibilities for the audit of the financial statements* section of our report, including in relation to these matters. Accordingly, our audit included the performance of procedures designed to respond to our assessment of the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements. The results of our audit procedures, including the procedures performed to address the matters below, provide the basis of our audit opinion on the accompanying financial statements.





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Report on the audit of the financial statements (cont'd.)

Key audit matters (cont'd.)

#### a) Revenue and cost of sales from property development activities

For the financial year ended 31 December 2022, revenue of RM73,388,000 and cost of sales of RM34,600,000 from property development activities (including sale of completed properties) account for approximately 53% and 80% of the total Group's revenue and cost of sales respectively.

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The Group recognises revenue and profit from its property development activities by reference to the progress towards completion of a performance obligation that is satisfied over time. The amount of revenue and profit recognised are dependent on, amongst others, the extent of costs incurred to the total estimated costs of construction to derive at the percentage of completion, the actual number of units sold and the estimated total revenue for each of the respective projects.

We identified revenue and cost of sales from property development activities recognised by reference to the progress towards completion as matters requiring audit focus as these are areas which involved significant management's judgement and estimates in estimating the total property development costs (which is used to determine the progress towards completion and gross profit margin of property development activities undertaken by the Group).

In assessing the appropriateness of the extent of costs incurred, total estimated costs of construction and total estimated revenue collectively, we have:

- Reviewed samples of sales and purchase agreements entered into with customers to obtain an understanding of the significant performance obligations, terms and conditions to be satisfied;
- Obtained an understanding of management's internal control over the revenue recognition process, including controls over the timing of revenue recognition and the estimation of property development costs, profit margin and progress towards completion of property development activities;
- Evaluated the assumptions applied in estimating the property development costs for property development phases on a sampling basis by examining documentary evidence such as letter of award issued to contractors to support the budgeted costs;
- Evaluated the actual property development costs incurred by examining documentary evidence such as contractors' progress claims and suppliers' invoices; and
- Assessed the mathematical accuracy of the calculation of progress towards completion in respect of revenue and profit recognised.

The Group's accounting policies and disclosures on property development activities based on percentage of completion method, are disclosed in Notes 2.15, 2.16, 2.21(a), 3(a), 4, 5, and 15(b) respectively to the financial statements.

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Report on the audit of the financial statements (cont'd.)

Key audit matters (cont'd.)

#### b) Valuation of investment properties

As at 31 December 2022, the carrying amount of investment properties amounted to RM291,780,000 representing approximately 37% and 24% of the Group's total non-current assets and total assets respectively.

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Investment properties are stated at fair value and any gain or loss arising from changes in the fair value are included in profit or loss in the year in which they arise. The Group has appointed independent professional valuers to perform valuations on its investment properties. The valuations are based on assumptions including, amongst others, estimated rental value per square feet, expected market rental growth, void rate and discount rate.

We consider the valuation of the investment properties as an area of audit focus as such valuation involves significant judgement and estimates that are highly subjective.

Our procedures to address this area of focus include, amongst others, the following:

- Assessed the objectivity, independence, reputation, experience and expertise of the independent valuer;
- Reviewed the methodology adopted by the independent valuers in estimating the fair value of the investment properties and assessed whether such methodology is consistent with those used in the industry;
- Evaluated the appropriateness of the data used by the independent valuers as input into their valuations. We
  interviewed the external valuers, discussed and challenged the significant estimates and assumptions applied in
  their valuation process; and
- Assessed the adequacy of the disclosures of the Group's accounting policies, significant judgement and estimates, including the basis and assumptions used in determining the fair values of the investment properties.

The Group's accounting policies, significant judgement and estimates and disclosures on investment properties are disclosed in Notes 2.9, 3(c), 6, 14 and 32 respectively to the financial statements.

#### c) Impairment of amount due from a subsidiary

MFRS 9 Financial Instruments requires an entity to recognise a loss allowance for expected credit losses on financial assets that are measured at amortised cost, including amounts due from subsidiaries. Included in the amounts due from subsidiaries of the Company as at 31 December 2022 is an amount due from Encorp Development Pty. Ltd. ("EDPL") of RM50,814,000, net of accumulated impairment loss of RM35,483,000, resulting in a net carrying amount of RM15,331,000.

The Company performed an impairment review in respect of the amount due from EDPL by comparing the carrying amount of the asset and the present value of estimated future cash flows receivable from EDPL.

This is an area of audit focus as the determination of the quantum of the impairment loss is a subjective area due to the significant level of judgement and assumptions applied by management.



Independent auditors' report to the members of Encorp Berhad (Incorporated in Malaysia)

Report on the audit of the financial statements (cont'd.)

Key audit matters (cont'd.)

c) Impairment of amount due from a subsidiary (cont'd.)

Our procedures to address this area of focus included, amongst others, the following:

- Obtained an understanding of the relevant internal controls over the process of estimating the recoverable amount due from EDPL; and

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- Evaluated the assumptions applied in the determination of the amount and timing of receipts from EDPL in light of the estimation of profits and the resulting cash flows to be derived from the operations of EDPL.

We also reviewed and assessed the adequacy of the disclosures in the financial statements relating to the impairment of the amount due from EDPL in Notes 8 and 18(c) to the financial statements.

#### Information other than the financial statements and auditors' report thereon

The directors of the Company are responsible for the other information. The other information comprises the Director's Report, but does not include the financial statements of the Group and of the Company and our auditors' report thereon, which we obtained prior to the date of this auditors' report, and the annual report, which is expected to be made available to us after the date of this auditors' report.

Our opinion on the financial statements of the Group and of the Company does not cover the other information and we do not and will not express any form of assurance conclusion thereon.

In connection with our audit of the financial statements of the Group and of the Company, our responsibility is to read the other information identified above and, in doing so, consider whether the other information is materially inconsistent with the financial statements of the Group and of the Company or our knowledge obtained in the audit or otherwise appears to be materially misstated.

If, based on the work we have performed on the other information that we obtained prior to the date of this auditors' report, we conclude that there is a material misstatement of this other information, we are required to report that fact. We have nothing to report in this regard.

When we read the annual report, if we conclude that there is a material misstatement therein, we are required to communicate the matter to the directors of the Company and take appropriate action.

#### Responsibilities of the directors for the financial statements

The directors of the Company are responsible for the preparation of financial statements of the Group and of the Company that give a true and fair view in accordance with Malaysian Financial Reporting Standards, International Financial Reporting Standards and the requirements of the Companies Act 2016 in Malaysia. The directors are also responsible for such internal control as the directors determine is necessary to enable the preparation of financial statements of the Group and of the Company that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

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Report on the audit of the financial statements (cont'd.)

#### Responsibilities of the directors for the financial statements (cont'd.)

In preparing the financial statements of the Group and of the Company, the directors are responsible for assessing the Group's and the Company's ability to continue as a going concern, disclosing, as applicable, matters related to going concern and using the going concern basis of accounting unless the directors either intend to liquidate the Group or the Company or to cease operations, or have no realistic alternative but to do so.

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#### Auditors' responsibilities for the audit of the financial statements

Our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements of the Group and of the Company as a whole are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error, and to issue an auditors' report that includes our opinion. Reasonable assurance is a high level of assurance, but is not a guarantee that an audit conducted in accordance with approved standards on auditing in Malaysia and International Standards on Auditing will always detect a material misstatement when it exists. Misstatements can arise from fraud or error and are considered material if, individually or in the aggregate, they could reasonably be expected to influence the economic decisions of users taken on the basis of these financial statements.

As part of an audit in accordance with approved standards on auditing in Malaysia and International Standards on Auditing, we exercise professional judgement and maintain professional scepticism throughout the audit. We also:

- Identify and assess the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements of the Group and of the Company, whether due to fraud or error, design and perform audit procedures responsive to those risks, and obtain audit evidence that is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion. The risk of not detecting a material misstatement resulting from fraud is higher than for one resulting from error, as fraud may involve collusion, forgery, intentional omissions, misrepresentations, or the override of internal control.
- Obtain an understanding of internal control relevant to the audit in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the Group's and the Company's internal control.
- Evaluate the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of accounting estimates and related disclosures made by the directors.
- Conclude on the appropriateness of the directors' use of the going concern basis of accounting and, based on the audit evidence obtained, whether a material uncertainty exists related to events or conditions that may cast significant doubt on the Group's or the Company's ability to continue as a going concern. If we conclude that a material uncertainty exists, we are required to draw attention in our auditors' report to the related disclosures in the financial statements of the Group and of the Company or, if such disclosures are inadequate, to modify our opinion. Our conclusions are based on the audit evidence obtained up to the date of our auditors' report. However, future events or conditions may cause the Group or the Company to cease to continue as a going concern.
- Evaluate the overall presentation, structure and content of the financial statements of the Group and of the Company, including the disclosures, and whether the financial statements of the Group and of the Company represent the underlying transactions and events in a manner that achieves fair presentation.
- Obtain sufficient appropriate audit evidence regarding the financial information of the entities or business activities within the Group to express an opinion on the financial statements of the Group. We are responsible for the direction, supervision and performance of the group audit. We remain solely responsible for our audit opinion.



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Report on the audit of the financial statements (cont'd.)

#### Auditors' responsibilities for the audit of the financial statements (cont'd.)

We communicate with the directors regarding, among other matters, the planned scope and timing of the audit and significant audit findings, including any significant deficiencies in internal control that we identify during our audit.

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We also provide the directors with a statement that we have complied with relevant ethical requirements regarding independence, and to communicate with them all relationships and other matters that may reasonably be thought to bear on our independence, and where applicable, actions taken to eliminate threats or safeguards applied.

From the matters communicated with the directors, we determine those matters that were of most significance in the audit of the financial statements of the Group and of the Company for the current year and are therefore the key audit matters. We describe these matters in our auditors' report unless law or regulation precludes public disclosure about the matter or when, in extremely rare circumstances, we determine that a matter should not be communicated in our report because the adverse consequences of doing so would reasonably be expected to outweigh the public interest benefits of such communication.

#### Report on other legal and regulatory requirements

In accordance with the requirements of the Companies Act 2016 in Malaysia, we report that the subsidiary of which we have not acted as auditors, is disclosed in Note 16 to the financial statements.

#### Other matters

This report is made solely to the members of the Company, as a body, in accordance with Section 266 of the Companies Act 2016 in Malaysia and for no other purpose. We do not assume responsibility to any other person for the content of this report.

Ernst & Young PLT 202006000003 (LLP0022760-LCA) & AF 0039 Chartered Accountants

Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia Date: 29 March 2023 Chuan Yee Yang No. 03489/03/2024 J Chartered Accountant

# Statements of comprehensive income For the year ended 31 December 2022

Revenue       4       137,494       146,704       3,840         Cost of sales       5       (43,268)       (43,617)       -         Gross profit       94,226       103,087       3,840	2021 M'000 3,840 - 3,840 3,385 - (7,746) (2,407) (2,451)
Cost of sales     5     (43,268)     (43,617)     -       Gross profit     94,226     103,087     3,840	3,840 3,385 (7,746) (2,407)
Gross profit         94,226         103,087         3,840	3,385 - (7,746) (2,407)
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Other operating income 6 7,152 4,657 3,259	(2,407)
Selling and marketing expenses (6,650) (688) -	(2,407)
Administrative expenses (19,796) (17,814) (11,331)	
Finance costs 7 (65,942) (73,161) (2,329)	(2,451)
Other operating expenses (16,527) (14,197) (2,172)	
(Loss)/Profit before tax 8 (7,537) 1,884 (8,733)	(5,379)
Income tax expense 11 (10,667) (10,051) -	-
Loss for the year (18,204) (8,167) (8,733)	(5,379)
Other comprehensive income	
Foreign currency translation   26   328   908   -	-
Total comprehensive loss for the year(17,876)(7,259)(8,733)	(5,379)
(Loss)/Profit for the year attributable to:	
Owners of the parent (20,141) (10,892) (8,733)	(5,379)
Non-controlling interests 1,937 2,725 -	-
(18,204) (8,167) (8,733)	(5,379)
Total comprehensive income/(loss) attributable to:	
Owners of the parent (19,813) (9,984) (8,733)	(5,379)
Non-controlling interests 1,937 2,725 -	-
(17,876) (7,259) (8,733)	(5,379)
Loss per share attributable to owners of the parent (sen per share)	
Basic/Diluted         12         (6.37)         (3.44)	

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The accompanying accounting policies and explanatory information form an integral part of the financial statements.

#### Statements of financial position As at 31 December 2022

Statements of financial position As at 31 December 2022		Group		Compa	-	Management Perspective pg 01 - 20
	Note	2022 RM'000	2021 RM'000	2022 RM'000	2021 RM'000	
Assets						ë.
Non-current assets						<b>Leadership</b> pg 21 - 30
Property, plant and equipment	13	5,523	4,828	261	188	Lead pg 2
Investment properties	14	291,780	290,290	-	-	
Land held for property development	15 (a)	26,590	17,034	-	-	
Investment in subsidiaries	16	_	-	129,960	130,197	ort
Intangible assets	17	152	79	131	78	Corporate Report pg 31 - 36
Trade and other receivables	18	457,023	543,349	23,117	18,202	r <b>ate</b> 36
Right-of-use assets	19 (a)	15,585	17,597	15,540	17,368	orpoi
Deferred tax assets	20	2,040	5,653	-	-	O O
	-	798,693	878,830	169,009	166,033	
<b>Current assets</b> Property development costs Inventories Trade and other receivables	15 (b) 15 (c) 18	31,681 78,553 107,011	5,553 107,454 106,811	- - 48,396	- - 72,078	Sustainability Report pg 37 - 66
Contract assets	22	7,558	29,031	-	-	
Tax recoverable		1,242	1,227	-	-	s 74
Other investments	21	139,680	134,350	5,575	553	<b>In Focus</b> pg 67 - 74
Other current assets	23	398	742	173	261	n Pg
Cash and cash equivalents	24 _	36,070	44,951	90	237	
	_	402,193	430,119	54,234	73,129	
Total assets	-	1,200,886	1,308,949	223,243	239,162	
Equity and liabilities Equity attributable to owners of the parent						Corporate Governance pg 75 - 104
Share capital	25	399,016	399,016	399,016	399,016	
Treasury shares	25	(327)	(327)	(327)	(327)	
Other reserves	26	23,889	23,561	-	-	<b>als</b> 206
Accumulated losses		(88,642)	(68,501)	(261,390)	(252,657)	<b>Financials</b> pg 105 - 206
Owners' equity	-	333,936	353,749	137,299	146,032	Fini pg 1
Non-controlling interests	_	89,107	87,095			
Total equity	-	423,043	440,844	137,299	146,032	

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#### Statements of financial position As at 31 December 2022 (cont'd.)

		Grou	ıp	Compa	iny
	Note	2022 RM'000	2021 RM'000	2022 RM'000	2021 RM'000
Non-current liabilities					
Trade and other payables	27	30,867	18,387	-	-
Loans and borrowings	28	526,524	618,394	17,066	18,548
Deferred tax liabilities	20	4,942	4,664		-
	-	562,333	641,445	17,066	18,548
Current liabilities					
Trade and other payables	27	69,540	71,678	52,396	53,297
Other current liabilities	29	3,823	4,655	-	-
Contract liabilities	22	3,923	4,650	-	-
Loans and borrowings	28	137,318	143,784	16,482	21,285
Income tax payable	_	906	1,893		-
	_	215,510	226,660	68,878	74,582
Total liabilities	_	777,843	868,105	85,944	93,130
Total equity and liabilities	-	1,200,886	1,308,949	223,243	239,162

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The accompanying accounting policies and explanatory information form an integral part of the financial statements.

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Consolidated statement of changes in equity

For the year ended 31 December 2022

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Total comprehensive income/(loss) Other comprehensive income

(Loss)/Profit for the year

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Incorporation and issuance of shares by

a subsidiary (Note 16)

At 31 December 2022

Transaction with owners:

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Consolidated statement of changes in equity For the year ended 31 December 2022 (cont'd.)

		Non-distributable	utable				
	Share capital (Note 25) RM'000	Treasury shares (Note 25) RM'000	Other reserves (Note 26) RM'000	Accumulated losses RM'000	Total RM'000	Non- controlling interests RM'000	Total equity RM'000
At 1 January 2021	399,016	(327)	22,653	(57,609)	363,733	84,370	448,103
(Loss)/Profit for the year Other comprehensive income	1 1		- 008	(10,892) -	(10,892) 908	2,725 -	(8,167) 908
Total comprehensive income/(loss)	'	1	908	(10,892)	(9,984)	2,725	(7,259)
At 31 December 2021	399,016	(327)	23,561	(68,501)	353,749	87,095	440,844

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The accompanying accounting policies and explanatory information form an integral part of the financial statements.

Company statement of changes in equity For the year ended 31 December 2022				
	Non	Non-distributableNon-distributable		
	Share capital (Note 25) RM'000	Treasury shares (Note 25) RM'000	Accummulated losses RM'000	Total RM'000
At 1 January 2022	399,016	(327)	(252,657)	146,032
Loss for the year	·	ı	(8,733)	(8,733)
At 31 December 2022	399,016	(327)	(261,390)	137,299
At 1 January 2021	399,016	(327)	(247,278)	151,411
Loss for the year		'	(5,379)	(5,379)
At 31 December 2021	399,016	(327)	(252,657)	146,032

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The accompanying accounting policies and explanatory information form an integral part of the financial statements.

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### Statements of cash flows

For the year ended 31 December 2022

	Group		Compar	ıy
	2022 RM'000	2021 RM'000	2022 RM'000	2021 RM'000
Cash flows from operating activities				
(Loss)/Profit before tax	(7,537)	1,884	(8,733)	(5,379)
Adjustments for:				
Depreciation of property, plant and equipment	344	340	72	100
Depreciation of right-of-use assets	2,012	2,025	1,828	1,828
Amortisation of intangible assets	36	13	35	9
Interest expense	65,942	73,161	2,329	2,407
Distribution income from money market investment securities	(195)	(3,157)	(3)	(26)
(Gain)/Loss on fair value adjustment of investment securities	(3,104)	782	(53)	1
Property, plant and equipment written off	2	-	2	-
Gain on disposal of property, plant and equipment	(28)	(50)	(27)	(50)
Interest income	(1,016)	(231)	(3,173)	(3,303)
Deposit forfeited	(228)	(80)	-	-
Provision for short-term accumulating compensated absences	245	237	82	77
(Gain)/Loss on fair value adjustment of investment properties	(1,463)	7,688	-	-
Inventories written down	13,635	4,131	-	-
Expected credit losses on:				
- trade receivables	519	1,388	480	360
- other receivables	500	74	4,741	507
Impairment on investment in subsidiary	-	-	237	513
Unrealised loss on foreign exchange	491	1,272	491	1,272
Effects of modification on liabilities at amortised costs	(8)	(96)	_	-
Reversal of liquidated and ascertained damages	(412)	(51)	-	-
Reversal of expected credit losses on:				
- trade receivables	(504)	(973)	-	(419)
- other receivables	_	(882)	(1,721)	(885)
Operating cash flows before working capital changes carried forward	69,231	87,475	(3,413)	(2,988)

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#### Statements of cash flows For the year ended 31 December 2022 (cont'd.)

Statements of cash flows For the year ended 31 December 2022 (cont'd.)	Group		Compos		Management Perspective pg 01 - 20
	2022	2021	Compar 2022	2021	
	RM'000	RM'000	RM'000	RM'000	
Cash flows from operating activities (cont'd.)					Leadership pg 21 - 30
Operating cash flows before working capital changes brought forward (cont'd.)	69,231	87,475	(3,413)	(2,988)	Lead pg 3
Changes in working capital:					Report
Land held for development and development expenditure	(14,184)	29,349	-	-	Corporate Report pg 31 - 36
Inventories Trade and other receivables	15,266	4,171	-	-	Ŭŭ
Contract assets and contract liabilities	85,348	105,864	14,776	3,698	
Other current assets	20,746 344	(32,364) 19	- 88	(97)	lity
Trade and other payables	(12,329)	2,363	(983)	(3,069)	nabi t - 66
Other current liabilities	(420)	(16,701)	(703)		Sustainability Report pg 37 - 66
Cash generated from/(used in) operations	164,002	180,176	10,468	(2,456)	លី៥ ជ័
Interest paid	(41,642)	(47,346)	(1,219)	(1,229)	
Income taxes paid	(7,778)	(4,179)	-	-	
Net cash flows generated from/ (used in) operating activities	114,582	128,651	9,249	(3,685)	In Focus pg 67 - 74
Cash flows from investing activities					
Purchase of property, plant and equipment	(1,041)	(84)	(147)	(36)	Corporate Governance pg 75 - 104
Purchase of intangible assets	(109)	(78)	(88)	(78)	verr verr
Additional costs incurred on investment properties	(27)	-	-	-	00 <u>0</u>
Proceeds from disposal of property, plant and equipment	28	50	27	50	. (Q
(Investment in)/Withdrawal of other investments	(2,226)	(7,333)	(4,966)	2,632	<b>Financials</b> pg 105 - 206
Investment in subsidiary	-	-	-	(750)	Fina pg ]
Distribution income	195	3,157	3	26	
Interest received	1,016	231	3,170	3,277	
Net cash flows (used in)/generated from investing activities	(2,164)	(4,057)	(2,001)	5,121	ldings' cion 218
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### Statements of cash flows

For the year ended 31 December 2022 (cont'd.)

	Group		Compan	У
	2022 RM'000	2021 RM'000	2022 RM'000	2021 RM'000
Cash flows from financing activities				
Proceeds from issuance of shares to the non-controlling interest of a subsidiary	75	-	-	-
Placement of deposits	(23)	(22)	-	-
Drawdown of loans and borrowings (Note (a))	3,000	11,978	-	-
Repayment of loans and borrowings (Note (a))	(122,025)	(119,700)	(5,000)	-
Repayment of principal and agreed portion of lease liabilities (Note (a))	(2,595)	(2,495)	(2,395)	(2,280)
Net cash flow used in financing activities	(121,568)	(110,239)	(7,395)	(2,280)
Net (decrease)/increase in cash and cash equivalents	(9,150)	14,355	(147)	(844)
Effect of exchange rate changes on cash and cash equivalents	246	682	-	_
Cash and cash equivalents at beginning of year	42,158	27,121	237	1,081
Cash and cash equivalents at end of year (Note 24)	33,254	42,158	90	237

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# Statements of cash flows

For the year ended 31 December 2022 (cont'd.)

(a) Reconciliation of movement of liabilities to cash flows arising from financing activities.

The movement of borrowings in the statements of cash flow is as follows:

At 31 December 2022 Group	As at 1 January 2022 RM'000	Net changes from financing cash flows RM'000	Others/ Non-cash changes RM'000	As at 31 December 2022 RM'000
Loans and borrowings (Note 28)	742,104	(119,025)	22,165	645,244
Lease liabilities (Note 19(b))	20,074	(2,595)	1,119	18,598
Total liabilities from financing activities	762,178	(121,620)	23,284	663,842

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#### Company

Total liabilities from financing activities

Loans and borrowings (Note 28)	20,000	(5,000)	-	15,000
Lease liabilities (Note 19(b))	19,833	(2,395)	1,110	18,548
Total liabilities from financing activities	39,833	(7,395)	1,110	33,548

At 31 December 2021	As at 1 January	Net changes from financing	Others/ Non-cash	As at 31 December
Group	2021 RM'000	cash flows RM'000	changes RM'000	2021 RM'000
Loans and borrowings (Note 28)	825,134	(107,722)	24,692	742,104
Lease liabilities (Note 19(b))	21,370	(2,495)	1,199	20,074
Total liabilities from financing activities	846,504	(110,217)	25,891	762,178
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Loans and borrowings (Note 28)	20,000	-	-	20,000
Lease liabilities (Note 19(b))	20,935	(2,280)	1,178	19,833

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The accompanying accounting policies and explanatory information form an integral part of the financial statements.

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Notes to the financial statements 31 December 2022

#### 1. Corporate information

The Company is a public limited liability company, incorporated and domiciled in Malaysia, and is listed on the Main Market of Bursa Malaysia Securities Berhad. The registered office of the Company is located at No. 45-1, Jalan PJU 5/21, Pusat Perdagangan Kota Damansara, Kota Damansara PJU 5, 47810 Petaling Jaya, Selangor Darul Ehsan. The principal place of business of the Company is located at No. 45-G, Jalan PJU 5/21, Pusat Perdagangan Kota Damansara, Kota Damansara PJU 5, 47810 Petaling Jaya, Selangor Darul Ehsan. The principal place of business of the Company is located at No. 45-G, Jalan PJU 5/21, Pusat Perdagangan Kota Damansara, Kota Damansara PJU 5, 47810 Petaling Jaya, Selangor Darul Ehsan.

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The principal activities of the Company are investment holding and provision of general management support services. The principal activities of the subsidiaries are disclosed in Note 16.

The immediate holding company of the Company is Felda Investment Corporation Sdn. Bhd.. The Directors regard the Federal Land Development Authority ("FELDA"), a body set up under the Land Development Act 1956, as the ultimate holding body.

The financial statements were authorised for issue by the Board of Directors in accordance with a resolution of the directors on 29 March 2023.

#### 2. Summary of significant accounting policies

#### 2.1 Basis of preparation

The financial statements of the Group and the Company have been prepared in accordance with Malaysian Financial Reporting Standards ("MFRS"), International Financial Reporting Standards and the requirements of the Companies Act 2016 in Malaysia.

The financial statements of the Group and of the Company have been prepared on the historical cost basis except as disclosed in the accounting policies below.

The financial statements are presented in Ringgit Malaysia ("RM") and all values are rounded to the nearest thousand (RM'000) except when otherwise indicated.

The ability of the Company to continue as a going concern is closely related to the ability of the Group as a whole to continue as a going concern. The Company is an investment holding company and its main assets are the investment in subsidiaries which the Company controls. The Company's main source of income is from the management fees charged to subsidiaries and interest income.

The management of the Company monitors the cash flows and utilisation of funds within the Group for the requirements of the Company as well as the subsidiaries on a Group-wide basis. This includes determining the timing and quantum of the repayment of amounts due from and due to the subsidiaries of the Company when required.

As at 31 December 2022, the Group has net current assets and net assets of RM188,683,000 and RM423,043,000 respectively. The directors and the management of the Company have assessed and concluded that the going concern assumption remains appropriate for the Group and the Company.



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#### 2. Summary of significant accounting policies (cont'd.)

#### 2.2 Adoption of new and revised pronouncements

As of 1 January 2022, the Group and the Company have adopted the following pronouncements that are applicable and have been issued by the Malaysian Accounting Standards Board ("MASB") as listed below:

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#### Effective for annual periods beginning on or after 1 January 2022

Amendments to MFRS 1	Annual Improvements to MFRS Standards 2018–2020
Amendments to MFRS 3	Reference to the Conceptual Framework (Amendments to MFRS 3 Business Combinations)
Amendments to MFRS 9	Annual Improvements to MFRS Standards 2018–2020
Amendments to MFRS 116	Property, Plant and Equipment—Proceeds before Intended Use (Amendments to MFRS 116 Property, Plant and Equipment)
Amendments to MFRS 137	Onerous Contracts - Cost of Fulfilling a Contract (Amendments to MFRS 137 Provisions, Contingent Liabilities and Contingent Assets)
Amendments to MFRS 141	Annual Improvements to MFRS Standards 2018–2020

The application of these amendments did not have any material impact on the financial statements of the Group and the Company.

#### 2.3 Standards issued but not yet effective

The Group and the Company have not adopted the following standards and interpretations that have been issued but not yet effective:

#### Effective for annual periods beginning on or after 1 January 2023:

MFRS 17	Insurance Contracts
Amendments to MFRS 17	Initial Application of MFRS 17 and MFRS 9—Comparative Information (Amendment to MFRS 17 Insurance Contracts)
Amendments to MFRS 101	Disclosure of Accounting Policies (Amendments to MFRS 101 Presentation of Financial Statements)
Amendments to MFRS 108	Definition of Accounting Estimates (Amendments to MFRS 108 Accounting Policies, Changes in Accounting Estimates and Errors)
Amendments to MFRS 112	Deferred Tax related to Assets and Liabilities arising from a Single Transaction (Amendments to MFRS 112 Income Taxes)

- 2. Summary of significant accounting policies (cont'd.)
  - 2.3 Standards issued but not yet effective (cont'd.)

The Group and the Company have not adopted the following standards and interpretations that have been issued but not yet effective: (cont'd.)

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Effective for annual periods beginning on or after 1 January 2024:

Amendments to MFRS 16	Lease Liability in a Sale and Leaseback (Amendments to MFRS 16 Leases)
Amendments to MFRS 101	Classification of Liabilities as Current or Non-current (Amendments to MFRS 101 Presentation of Financial Statements)
Amendments to MFRS 101	Non-current Liabilities with Covenants (Amendments to MFRS 101 Presentation of Financial Statements)
Deferred:	
Amendments to MFRS 10 and MFRS 128	Sale or Contribution of Assets between an Investor and its Associate or Joint Venture (Amendments to MFRS 10 Consolidated Financial Statements and MFRS 128 Investment in Associates and Joint Venture)

The directors expect that the adoption of the above standards will have no significant impact to the financial statements in the period of initial application.

#### 2.4 Basis of consolidation

The consolidated financial statements comprise the financial statements of the Company and its subsidiary companies as at the reporting date. The financial statements of the subsidiary companies used in the preparation of the consolidated financial statements are prepared for the same reporting date as the Company. Consistent accounting policies are applied for like transactions and events in similar circumstances.

Control is achieved when the Group is exposed, or has rights, to variable returns from its involvement with the investee and has the ability to affect those returns through its power over the investee. Specifically, the Group controls an investee if and only if the Group has:

- Power over the investee (such as existing rights that give it the current ability to direct the relevant activities of the investee);
- Exposure, or rights, to variable returns from its involvement with the investee; and
- The ability to use its power over the investee to affect its returns.



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2. Summary of significant accounting policies (cont'd.)

#### 2.4 Basis of consolidation (cont'd.)

Generally, there is a presumption that a majority of voting rights results in control. To support this presumption and when the Group has less than a majority of the voting or similar rights of an investee, the Group considers all relevant facts and circumstances in assessing whether it has power over an investee, including:

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- The contractual arrangement with other vote holder(s) of the investee;
- Rights arising from other contractual arrangements; and
- The Group's voting rights and potential voting rights.

The Group re-assesses whether or not it controls an investee if facts and circumstances indicate that there are changes to one or more of the three elements of control. Consolidation of a subsidiary begins when the Group obtains control over the subsidiary and ceases when the Group loses control of the subsidiary. Assets, liabilities, income and expenses of a subsidiary acquired or disposed of during the year are included in the consolidated financial statements from the date the Group gains control until the date the Group ceases to control the subsidiary.

Profit or loss and each component of other comprehensive income ("OCI") are attributed to the equity holders of the parent of the Group and to the non-controlling interests, even if this results in the non-controlling interests having a deficit balance. When necessary, adjustments are made to the financial statements of subsidiaries to bring their accounting policies in line with the Group's accounting policies. All intra-group assets and liabilities, equity, income, expenses and cash flows relating to transactions between members of the Group are eliminated in full upon consolidation.

A change in the ownership interest of a subsidiary, without a loss of control, is accounted for as an equity transaction.

If the Group loses control over a subsidiary, it derecognises the related assets (including goodwill), liabilities, non-controlling interest and other components of equity, while any resultant gain or loss is recognised in profit or loss. Any investment retained is recognised at fair value.

#### 2.5 Business combinations and goodwill

Business combinations are accounted for using the acquisition method. The cost of an acquisition is measured as the aggregate of the consideration transferred, which is measured at the fair value on the acquisition date, and the amount of any non-controlling interests in the acquiree. For each business combination, the Group elects whether to measure the non-controlling interests in the acquiree at fair value or at the proportionate share of the acquiree's identifiable net assets. Acquisition-related costs are expensed as incurred and included in administrative expenses.

When the Group acquires a business, it assesses the financial assets and liabilities assumed for appropriate classification and designation in accordance with the contractual terms, economic circumstances and pertinent conditions as at the acquisition date. This includes the separation of embedded derivatives in host contracts by the acquiree.

Any contingent consideration to be transferred by the acquirer will be recognised at fair value at the acquisition date. Contingent consideration classified as equity is not re-measured and its subsequent settlement is accounted for within equity. Contingent consideration classified as an asset or liability that is a financial instrument and within the scope of MFRS 9 Financial Instruments, is measured at fair value with the changes in fair value recognised in the statement of profit or loss in accordance with MFRS 9. Other contingent consideration that is not within the scope of MFRS 9 is measured at fair value at each reporting date with changes in fair value recognised in profit or loss.



#### 2. Summary of significant accounting policies (cont'd.)

#### 2.5 Business combinations and goodwill (cont'd.)

Goodwill is initially measured at cost (being the excess of the aggregate of the consideration transferred and the amount recognised for non-controlling interests and any previous interest held over the net identifiable assets acquired and liabilities assumed). If the fair value of the net assets acquired is in excess of the aggregate consideration transferred, the Group re-assesses whether it has correctly identified all of the assets acquired and all of the liabilities assumed and reviews the procedures used to measure the amounts to be recognised at the acquisition date. If the reassessment still results in an excess of the fair value of net assets acquired over the aggregate consideration transferred, then the gain is recognised in profit or loss.

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After initial recognition, goodwill is measured at cost less any accumulated impairment losses. For the purpose of impairment testing, goodwill acquired in a business combination is, from the acquisition date, allocated to each of the Group's cash-generating units that are expected to benefit from the combination, irrespective of whether other assets or liabilities of the acquiree are assigned to those units.

Where goodwill has been allocated to a cash-generating unit ("CGU") and part of the operation within that unit is disposed of, the goodwill associated with the disposed operation is included in the carrying amount of the operation when determining the gain or loss on disposal. Goodwill disposed in these circumstances is measured based on the relative values of the disposed operation and the portion of the cash-generating unit retained.

#### 2.6 Foreign currency

#### (a) Functional and presentation currency

The Group's consolidated financial statements are presented in RM, which is also the parent company's functional currency. For each entity, the Group determines the functional currency and items included in the financial statements of each entity are measured using that functional currency. The Group uses the direct method of consolidation and on disposal of a foreign operation, the gain or loss that is reclassified to profit or loss reflects the amount that arises from using this method.

#### (b) Transactions and balances

Transactions in foreign currencies are initially recorded by the Group's entities at their respective functional currency spot rates at the date the transaction first qualifies for recognition. Monetary assets and liabilities denominated in foreign currencies are translated at the functional currency spot rates of exchange at the reporting date.

Differences arising on settlement or translation of monetary items are recognised in profit or loss with the exception of monetary items that are designated as part of the hedge of the Group's net investment in a foreign operation. These are recognised in OCI until the net investment is disposed of, at which time, the cumulative amount is reclassified to profit or loss. Tax charges and credits attributable to exchange differences on those monetary items are also recognised in OCI.

Non-monetary items that are measured in terms of historical cost in a foreign currency are translated using the exchange rates at the dates of the initial transactions. Non-monetary items measured at fair value in a foreign currency are translated using the exchange rates at the date when the fair value is determined. The gain or loss arising on translation of non-monetary items measured at fair value is treated in line with the recognition of the gain or loss on the change in fair value of the item (i.e. translation differences on items whose fair value gain or loss are recognised in OCI or profit or loss are also recognised in OCI or profit or loss, respectively).



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# Subsequent to recognition, property, plant and equipment except for freehold land are stated at cost net of

accumulated depreciation and accumulated impairment losses, if any. When significant parts of plant and equipment are required to be replaced at intervals, the Group depreciates them separately based on their specific useful lives. Likewise, when a major inspection is performed, its cost is recognised in the carrying amount of the plant and equipment as a replacement if the recognition criteria are satisfied. All other repair and maintenance costs are recognised in profit or loss as incurred. The present value of the expected cost for the decommissioning of an asset after its use is included in the cost of the respective asset if the recognition criteria for a provision are met.

Depreciation is computed on a straight-line basis over the estimated useful lives of the assets as follows:

5 years
5 - 10 years
10 years
50 years
5 years

An item of property, plant and equipment and any significant part initially recognised is derecognised upon disposal (i.e. at the date the recipient obtains control) or when no future economic benefits are expected from its use or disposal. Any gain or loss arising on derecognition of the asset (calculated as the difference between the net disposal proceeds and the carrying amount of the asset) is included in the statement of profit or loss when the asset is derecognised.

The carrying values of property, plant and equipment are reviewed for impairment when events or changes in circumstances indicate that the carrying value may not be recoverable. The policy for the recognition and measurement of impairment losses is in accordance with Note 2.11.

#### Summary of significant accounting policies (cont'd.) 2.

#### 2.6 Foreign currency (cont'd.)

# (b) Transactions and balances (cont'd.)

In determining the spot exchange rate to use on initial recognition of the related asset, expense or income (or part of it) on the derecognition of a non-monetary asset or non-monetary liability relating to advance consideration, the date of the transaction is the date on which the Group initially recognises the nonmonetary asset or non-monetary liability arising from the advance consideration. If there are multiple payments or receipts in advance, the Group determines the transaction date for each payment or receipt of advance consideration.

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# (c) Group companies

On consolidation, the assets and liabilities of foreign operations are translated into RM at the rate of exchange prevailing at the reporting date and their statements of profit or loss are translated at exchange rates prevailing at the dates of the transactions. The exchange differences arising on translation for consolidation are recognised in OCI. On disposal of a foreign operation, the component of OCI relating to that particular foreign operation is reclassified to profit or loss.

Any goodwill arising on the acquisition of a foreign operation and any fair value adjustments to the carrying amounts of assets and liabilities arising on the acquisition are treated as assets and liabilities of the foreign operation and translated at the spot rate of exchange at the reporting date.

#### 2.7 Property, plant and equipment

All items of property, plant and equipment are initially recorded at cost. The cost of an item of property, plant and equipment is recognised as an asset if, and only if it is probable that future economic benefits associated with the item will flow to the Group and the Company and the cost of an item can be measured reliably.

#### 2. Summary of significant accounting policies (cont'd.)

#### 2.7 Property, plant and equipment (cont'd.)

The residual values, useful lives and methods of depreciation of property, plant and equipment are reviewed at each financial year end and adjusted prospectively, if appropriate.

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#### 2.8 Leases

The Group and the Company assess at contract inception whether a contract is, or contains, a lease. That is, if the contract conveys the right to control the use of an identified asset for a period of time in exchange for consideration.

For a contract that contains a lease component and non-lease components, the Group and the Company allocate the consideration in the contract to each lease and non-lease component on the basis of their relative stand alone prices.

#### As a lessee

The Group and the Company apply a single recognition and measurement approach for all leases, except for short-term leases and leases of low-value assets. The Group and the Company recognise lease liabilities to make lease payments and right-of-use assets representing the right to use the underlying assets.

#### (i) Right-of-use assets

The Group and the Company recognise right-of-use assets at the commencement date of the lease (i.e. the date the underlying asset is available for use). Right-of-use assets are measured at cost, less any accumulated depreciation and impairment losses, and adjusted for any remeasurement of lease liabilities. The cost of right-of-use assets includes the amount of lease liabilities recognised, initial direct costs incurred, and lease payments made at or before the commencement date less any lease incentives received. Right-of-use assets are depreciated on a straight-line basis over the shorter of the lease term and the estimated useful lives of the assets, as follows:

Office premise	15 years
Office equipments	3 years

If ownership of the leased asset transfers to the Group and the Company at the end of the lease term or the cost reflects the exercise of a purchase option, depreciation is calculated using the estimated useful life of the asset.

The right-of-use assets are also subject to impairment. The policy for the recognition and measurement of impairment losses is in accordance with Note 2.11.

(ii) Lease liabilities

At the commencement date of the lease, the Group and the Company recognise lease liabilities measured at the present value of lease payments to be made over the lease term. The lease payments include fixed payments (including in-substance fixed payments) less any lease incentives receivable, variable lease payments that depend on an index or a rate, and amounts expected to be paid under residual value guarantees. The lease payments also include the exercise price of a purchase option reasonably certain to be exercised by the Group and the Company and payments of penalties for terminating the lease, if the lease term reflects the Group and the Company exercising the option to terminate. Variable lease payments that do not depend on an index or a rate are recognised as expenses (unless they are incurred to produce inventories) in the period in which the event or condition that triggers the payment occurs.



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## 2. Summary of significant accounting policies (cont'd.)

#### 2.8 Leases (cont'd.)

#### As a lessee (cont'd.)

(ii) Lease liabilities (cont'd.)

In calculating the present value of lease payments, the Group and the Company use its incremental borrowing rate at the lease commencement date because the interest rate implicit in the lease is not readily determinable. After the commencement date, the amount of lease liabilities is increased to reflect the accretion of interest and reduced for the lease payments made. In addition, the carrying amount of lease liabilities is remeasured if there is a modification, a change in the lease term, a change in the lease payments (i.e. changes to future payments resulting from a change in an index or rate used to determine such lease payments) or a change in the assessment of an option to purchase the underlying asset.

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(iii) Short-term leases and leases of low-value assets

The Group and the Company apply the short-term lease recognition exemption to its short-term leases of office equipments (i.e., those leases that have a lease term of 12 months or less from the commencement date and do not contain a purchase option). It also applies the lease of low-value assets recognition exemption to leases of office equipments that are considered to be low value. Lease payments on short-term leases and leases of low value assets are recognised as expense on a straight-line basis over the lease term.

#### As a lessor

Leases in which the Group and the Company do not transfer substantially all the risks and rewards incidental to ownership of an asset are classified as operating leases. Rental income arising is accounted for on a straight-line basis over the lease term and is included in revenue in the statement of comprehensive income due to its operating nature. Initial direct costs incurred in negotiating and arranging an operating lease are added to the carrying amount of the leased asset and recognised over the lease term on the same basis as rental income. Contingent rents are recognised as revenue in the period in which they are earned.

#### 2.9 Investment properties

Investment properties are measured initially at cost, including transaction costs. Subsequent to initial recognition, investment properties are stated at fair value, which reflects market conditions at the reporting date. Gains or losses arising from changes in the fair values of investment properties are included in profit or loss in the period in which they arise, including the corresponding tax effect. Fair values are determined based on an annual valuation performed by an accredited external independent valuers applying a valuation model recommended by the International Valuation Standards Committee or internal appraisals by the directors.

A property interest under an operating lease is classified and accounted for as an investment property on a property-by-property basis when the Group and the Company hold it to earn rentals or for capital appreciation or both. Any such property interest under an operating lease classified as an investment property is carried at fair value.

Investment properties are derecognised either when they have been disposed of (i.e. at the date the recipient obtains control) or when they are permanently withdrawn from use and no future economic benefit is expected from their disposal. The difference between the net disposal proceeds and the carrying amount of the asset is recognised in profit or loss in the period of derecognition. The amount of consideration to be included in the gain or loss arising from the derecognition of investment property is determined in accordance with the requirements for determining the transaction price in MFRS 15.

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#### 2. Summary of significant accounting policies (cont'd.)

#### 2.9 Investment properties (cont'd.)

Transfers are made to or from investment property only when there is a change in use. For a transfer from investment property to owner-occupied property, the deemed cost for subsequent accounting is the fair value at the date of change in use. If owner-occupied property becomes an investment property, the Group accounts for such property in accordance with the policy stated under property, plant and equipment, set out in Note 2.7 up to the date of change in use.

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#### 2.10 Intangible assets

Intangible assets acquired separately are measured initially at cost. Following initial acquisition, intangible assets are measured at cost less any accumulated amortisation and accumulated impairment losses.

#### Computer software

The Group and the Company have developed the following criteria to identify computer software to be classified as intangible asset:

- software or license that is embedded in computer-controlled equipment, including operating system that
  cannot operate without that specific software is an integral part of the related hardware and is treated as
  property and equipment; and
- application software that is being used on a computer is generally easily replaced and is not an integral part of the related hardware and is classified as intangible asset.

Computer softwares considered to have finite useful lives are amortised over the estimated useful lives and assessed for impairment whenever there is an indication that the other intangible asset may be impaired. The amortisation period and the amortisation method for other intangible assets with finite useful lives are reviewed at least at the end of each reporting period. Changes in the expected useful life or the expected pattern of consumption of future economic benefits embodied in the asset are considered to modify the amortisation period or method, as appropriate, and are treated as changes in accounting estimates. The amortisation expense on other intangible assets with finite lives is recognised in the statement of comprehensive income in the expense category that is consistent with the function of the intangible assets.

#### Computer software

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An intangible asset is derecognised upon disposal (i.e. at the date the recipient obtains control) or when no future economic benefits are expected from its use or disposal. Any gain or loss arising upon derecognition of the asset (calculated as the difference between the net disposal proceeds and the carrying amount of the asset) is included in the statement of comprehensive income.

#### 2.11 Impairment of non-financial assets

The Group and the Company assess the carrying amounts of the Group's and the Company's non-financial assets, other than deferred tax assets and inventories for completed properties, at each reporting date, whether there is an indication that an asset may be impaired. If any indication exists, or when annual impairment testing for an asset is required, the Group and the Company estimate the asset's recoverable amount. An asset's recoverable amount is the higher of an asset's or cash generating unit ("CGU's") fair value less costs of disposal and its value in use. The recoverable amount is determined for an individual asset, unless the asset does not generate cash inflows that are largely independent of those from other assets or groups of assets. When the carrying amount of an asset or CGU exceeds its recoverable amount, the asset is considered impaired and is written down to its recoverable amount.



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#### 2. Summary of significant accounting policies (cont'd.)

#### 2.11 Impairment of non-financial assets (cont'd.)

In assessing value in use, the estimated future cash flows are discounted to their present value using a pre-tax discount rate that reflects current market assessments of the time value of money and the risks specific to the asset. In determining fair value less costs of disposal, recent market transactions are taken into account. If no such transactions can be identified, an appropriate valuation model is used. These calculations are corroborated by valuation multiples, quoted share prices for publicly traded companies or other available fair value indicators.

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The Group and the Company base its impairment calculation on detailed budgets and forecast calculations, which are prepared separately for each of the Group's CGUs to which the individual assets are allocated. These budgets and forecast calculations generally cover a period of five years. A long-term growth rate is calculated and applied to project future cash flows after the fifth year.

An assessment for assets is made at each reporting date to determine whether there is an indication that previously recognised impairment losses no longer exist or have decreased. If such indication exists, the Group and the Company estimate the asset's or CGU's recoverable amount. A previously recognised impairment loss is reversed only if there has been a change in the assumptions used to determine the asset's recoverable amount since the last impairment loss was recognised. The reversal is limited so that the carrying amount of the asset does not exceed its recoverable amount, nor exceed the carrying amount that would have been determined, net of depreciation, had no impairment loss been recognised for the asset in prior years. Such reversal is recognised in the statement of profit or loss unless the asset is carried at a revalued amount, in which case, the reversal is treated as a revaluation increase.

#### 2.12 Financial assets

#### Initial recognition and measurement

Financial assets are classified, at initial recognition, as subsequently measured at amortised cost, fair value through OCI, and fair value through profit or loss.

The classification of financial assets at initial recognition depends on the financial asset's contractual cash flow characteristics and the Group's and the Company's business model for managing them. With the exception of trade receivables that do not contain a significant financing component or for which the Group and the Company have applied the practical expedient, the Group and the Company initially measure a financial asset at its fair value plus, in the case of a financial asset not at fair value through profit or loss, transaction costs. Trade receivables that do not contain a significant financing component or for which the Group and the Company have applied the practical expedient are measured at the transaction price determined under MFRS 15.

In order for a financial asset to be classified and measured at amortised cost or fair value through OCI, it needs to give rise to cash flows that are solely payments of principal and interest ("SPPI") on the principal amount outstanding. This assessment is referred to as the SPPI test and is performed at an instrument level.

The Group's and the Company's business model for managing financial assets refer to how it manages its financial assets in order to generate cash flows. The business model determines whether cash flows will result from collecting contractual cash flows, selling the financial assets, or both.

Purchases or sales of financial assets that require delivery of assets within a time frame established by regulation or convention in the market place (regular way trades) are recognised on the trade date, i.e. the date that the Group and the Company commit to purchase or sell the asset.

#### 2. Summary of significant accounting policies (cont'd.)

2.12 Financial assets (cont'd.)

#### Subsequent measurement

For purposes of subsequent measurement, financial assets are classified in two categories:

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- Financial assets at amortised cost (debt instruments)
- Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss

#### Financial assets at amortised cost (debt instruments)

This category is the most relevant to the Group and the Company. The Group and the Company measure financial assets at amortised cost if both of the following conditions are met:

- The financial asset is held within a business model with the objective to hold financial assets in order to collect contractual cash flows; and
- The contractual terms of the financial asset give rise on specified dates to cash flows that are solely payments of principal and interest on the principal amount outstanding.

Financial assets at amortised cost are subsequently measured using the effective interest ("EIR") method and are subject to impairment. Gains and losses are recognised in profit or loss when the asset is derecognised, modified or impaired.

The Group's and the Company's financial assets at amortised cost include trade receivables, sundry receivables, contract assets and cash and cash equivalents.

#### Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss

Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss include financial assets held for trading, financial assets designated upon initial recognition at fair value through profit or loss, or financial assets mandatorily required to be measured at fair value. Financial assets are classified as held for trading if they are acquired for the purpose of selling or repurchasing in the near term. Derivatives, including separated embedded derivatives, are also classified as held for trading unless they are designated as effective hedging instruments. Financial assets with cash flows that are not solely payments of principal and interest are classified and measured at fair value through profit or loss, irrespective of the business model. Notwithstanding the criteria for debt instruments to be classified at amortised cost or at fair value through OCI, as described above, debt instruments may be designated at fair value through profit or loss on initial recognition if doing so eliminates, or significantly reduces, an accounting mismatch.

Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss are carried in the statement of financial position at fair value with net changes in fair value recognised in the statement of comprehensive income.

This category includes listed equity investments which the Group had not irrevocably elected to classify at fair value through OCI. Dividends on listed equity investments are also recognised as other income in the statement of comprehensive income when the right of payment has been established.



2.12 Financial assets (cont'd.)

Derecognition

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Summary of significant accounting policies (cont'd.)

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## The Group and the Company have transferred its rights to receive cash flows from the asset or have assumed an obligation to pay the received cash flows in full without material delay to a third party under (a) the Group and the Company have transferred substantially all the risks and rewards of the asset, or

(b) the Group and the Company have neither transferred nor retained substantially all the risks and rewards

A financial asset (or, where applicable, a part of a financial asset or part of a group of similar financial assets) is primarily derecognised (i.e. removed from the Group's and the Company's statement of financial position) when:

The rights to receive cash flows from the asset have expired; or

a 'pass-through' arrangement; and either

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of the asset, but have transferred control of the asset. When the Group and the Company have transferred its rights to receive cash flows from an asset or has entered

into a pass-through arrangement, it evaluates if, and to what extent, it has retained the risks and rewards of ownership. When it has neither transferred nor retained substantially all of the risks and rewards of the asset, nor transferred control of the asset, the Group and the Company continue to recognise the transferred asset to the extent of its continuing involvement. In that case, the Group and the Company also recognise an associated liability. The transferred asset and the associated liability are measured on a basis that reflects the rights and obligations that the Group and the Company have retained.

Continuing involvement that takes the form of a guarantee over the transferred asset is measured at the lower of the original carrying amount of the asset and the maximum amount of consideration that the Group could be required to repay.

### 2.13 Impairment of financial assets

The Group and the Company recognise an allowance for expected credit losses ("ECLs") for all debt instruments not held at fair value through profit or loss. ECLs are based on the difference between the contractual cash flows due in accordance with the contract and all the cash flows that the Group and the Company expect to receive, discounted at an approximation of the original effective interest rate. The expected cash flows will include cash flows from the sale of collateral held or other credit enhancements that are integral to the contractual terms.

ECLs are recognised in two stages. For credit exposures for which there has not been a significant increase in credit risk since initial recognition, ECLs are provided for credit losses that result from default events that are possible within the next 12-months (a 12-month ECL). For those credit exposures for which there has been a significant increase in credit risk since initial recognition, a loss allowance is required for credit losses expected over the remaining life of the exposure, irrespective of the timing of the default (a lifetime ECL).

For trade receivables and contract assets, the Group and the Company apply a simplified approach in calculating ECLs. Therefore, the Group and the Company do not track changes in credit risk, but instead recognise a loss allowance based on lifetime ECLs at each reporting date. The Group and the Company have established a provision matrix that is based on its historical credit loss experience, adjusted for forward-looking factors specific to the debtors and the economic environment.

### 2. Summary of significant accounting policies (cont'd.)

#### 2.14 Cash and cash equivalents

Cash and cash equivalents in the statement of financial position comprise of cash at hand and at the banks and short-term deposits with a maturity of three months or less, which are subject to an insignificant risk of changes in value.

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For the purpose of the consolidated statement of cash flows, cash and cash equivalents consist of cash on hand and at the banks and short-term deposits.

#### 2.15 Inventories

Inventories are stated at the lower of cost and net realisable value. Costs incurred in bringing the inventories to their present location and condition are accounted for as the cost of unsold properties comprises cost associated with the acquisition of land, direct costs and appropriate proportions of common costs

#### (a) Land held for property development

Land held for property development (classified within non-current assets) comprise land banks which are in the process of being prepared for development but have not been launched, or where development activities are not expected to be completed within the normal operating cycle. Such land is classified within non-current assets and is stated at the lower of cost or net realisable value.

Cost associated with the acquisition of land includes the purchase price of the land, professional fees, stamp duties, commissions, conversion fees and other relevant levies.

Land held for property development is reclassified as property development costs at the point when development activities have commenced and where it can be demonstrated that the development activities can be completed within the normal operating cycle.

#### (b) Property development costs

Property development costs comprise all costs that are directly attributable to development activities or that can be allocated on a reasonable basis to such activities.

Where the financial outcome of a development activity can be estimated reliably, property development revenue and expenses are recognised in profit or loss by using the stage of completion method. The stage of completion is determined by the proportion that property development costs incurred for work performed to date bear to the estimated total property development costs.

Where the financial outcome of a development activity cannot be estimated reliably, property development revenue is recognised only to the extent of property development costs incurred that are likely to be recoverable. Property development costs are recognised as expenses in the period in which they are incurred.

Incremental costs of obtaining a contract with a customer are recognised as assets if the entity expects to recover those costs. The incremental costs of obtaining a contract are those costs that an entity incurs to obtain a contract with a customer that it would not have incurred if the contract had not been obtained. Costs to obtain a contract that would have been incurred regardless of whether the contract was obtained shall be recognised as an expense when incurred, unless those costs are explicitly chargeable to the customer regardless of whether the contract is obtained.

Any expected loss on a development project, including costs to be incurred over the defects liability period, is recognised as an expense immediately.



### 2. Summary of significant accounting policies (cont'd.)

#### 2.15 Inventories (cont'd.)

#### (b) Property development costs (cont'd.)

Property development costs not recognised as an expense are recognised as an asset, which is measured at the lower of cost and net realisable value.

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The excess of revenue recognised in profit or loss over billings to purchasers is classified as contract assets and the excess of billings to purchasers over revenue recognised in profit or loss is classified as contract liabilities.

#### (c) Completed properties

Costs comprise costs of acquisition of land including all related costs incurred subsequent to the acquisition necessary to prepare the land for its intended use, related development costs to projects and direct building costs.

Net realisable value represents the estimated selling price in the ordinary course of business less the estimated costs of completion and the estimated costs necessary to make the sale.

#### 2.16 Contract assets and Contract liabilities

A contract asset is the right to consideration in exchange for goods or services transferred to the customer when that right is conditioned on something other than the passage of time, for example, billings require certification by the customer. Upon receipt of such certification from a customer, the amount recognised as contract assets is reclassified to trade receivables. Contract assets are subject to impairment assessment.

A contract liability is the obligation to transfer goods or services to a customer for which the Group and the Company have received consideration (or an amount of consideration is due) from the customer. If a customer pays consideration before the Group and the Company transfers goods or services to the customer, a contract liability is recognised when the payment is made or the payment is due (whichever is earlier). Contract liabilities are recognised as revenue or other income when the Group and the Company perform the contract.

#### 2.17 Provisions

Provisions are recognised when the Group and the Company have a present obligation (legal or constructive) as a result of a past event, it is probable that an outflow of resources embodying economic benefits will be required to settle the obligation and a reliable estimate can be made of the amount of the obligation. When the Group and the Company expect some or all of a provision to be reimbursed, for example, under an insurance contract, the reimbursement is recognised as a separate asset, but only when the reimbursement is virtually certain. The expense relating to a provision is presented in the statement of comprehensive income net of any reimbursement.

If the effect of the time value of money is material, provisions are discounted using a current pre-tax rate that reflects, when appropriate, the risks specific to the liability. When discounting is used, the increase in the provision due to the passage of time is recognised as a finance cost.

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### 2. Summary of significant accounting policies (cont'd.)

### 2.18 Financial liabilities

### Initial recognition and measurement

The Group's and the Company's financial liabilities include trade and other payables, lease liabilities and loans and borrowings.

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Financial liabilities are classified, at initial recognition, as financial liabilities at fair value through profit or loss, loans and borrowings, payables, or as derivatives designated as hedging instruments in an effective hedge, as appropriate. Refer to the accounting policy on leases for the initial recognition and measurement of lease liabilities, as this is not in the scope of MFRS 9.

All financial liabilities are recognised initially at fair value and, in the case of loans and borrowings and payables, net of directly attributable transaction costs.

#### Subsequent measurement

The measurement of financial liabilities depends on their classification, as described below:

#### (a) Financial liabilities at fair value through profit or loss

Financial liabilities at fair value through profit or loss include financial liabilities held for trading and financial liabilities designated upon initial recognition as at fair value through profit or loss.

Financial liabilities are classified as held for trading if they are incurred for the purpose of repurchasing in the near term. This category also includes derivative financial instruments entered into by the Group and the Company that are not designated as hedging instruments in hedge relationships as defined by MFRS 9. Separated embedded derivatives are also classified as held for trading unless they are designated as effective hedging instruments.

Gains or losses on liabilities held for trading are recognised in the statement of profit or loss.

Financial liabilities designated upon initial recognition at fair value through profit or loss are designated at the initial date of recognition, and only if the criteria in MFRS 9 are satisfied. The Group and the Company have not designated any financial liabilities as at fair value through profit or loss.

#### (b) Other financial liabilities

The Group's and the Company's other financial liabilities include trade and other payables, lease liabilities and loans and borrowings.

Other financial liabilities are recognised initially at fair value plus directly attributable transaction costs and subsequently measured at amortised cost using the effective interest method.

After initial recognition of loans and borrowings, interest-bearing loans and borrowings are subsequently measured at amortised cost using the effective interest rate ("EIR") method. Gains and losses are recognised in profit or loss when the liabilities are derecognised as well as through the EIR amortisation process.

Amortised cost is calculated by taking into account any discount or premium on acquisition and fees or costs that are an integral part of the EIR. The EIR amortisation is included as finance costs in the statement of comprehensive income.



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### 2. Summary of significant accounting policies (cont'd.)

### 2.18 Financial liabilities (cont'd.)

### Derecognition

A financial liability is derecognised when the obligation under the liability is discharged or cancelled or expires. When an existing financial liability is replaced by another from the same lender on substantially different terms, or the terms of an existing liability are substantially modified, such an exchange or modification is treated as the derecognition of the original liability and the recognition of a new liability. The difference in the respective carrying amounts is recognised in the statement of comprehensive income.

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### Offsetting of financial instruments

Financial assets and financial liabilities are offset and the net amount is reported in the consolidated statement of financial position if there is a currently enforceable legal right to offset the recognised amounts and there is an intention to settle on a net basis, to realise the assets and settle the liabilities simultaneously.

### 2.19 Borrowing costs

Borrowing costs directly attributable to the acquisition, construction or production of an asset that necessarily takes a substantial period of time to get ready for its intended use or sale are capitalised as part of the cost of the asset. Capitalisation of borrowing costs commences when the activities to prepare the asset for its intended use or sale are in progress and the expenditures and borrowing costs are incurred. Capitalisation of borrowing costs will cease when the qualifying assets are ready for their intended used. All other borrowing costs are expensed in the period in which they occur. Borrowing costs consist of interest and other costs that an entity incurs in connection with the borrowing of funds.

### 2.20 Employee benefits

### (a) Short term benefits

Wages, salaries, bonuses and social security contributions are recognised as an expense in the year in which the associated services are rendered by employees of the Group and the Company.

Short term accumulating compensated absences such as paid annual leave are recognised when services are rendered by employees that increase their entitlement to future compensated absences. Short term non-accumulating compensated absences such as sick leave are recognised when the absences occur and they lapse if the current period's entitlement is not used in full and do not entitle employees to a cash payment for unused entitlement on leaving the Group.

### (b) Defined contribution plans

The Group and the Company participate in the national pension schemes as defined by the laws of the countries in which it has operations. The Malaysian companies in the Group and the Company make contributions to the Employee Provident Fund in Malaysia, a defined contribution pension scheme. Contributions to defined contribution pension schemes are recognised as an expense in the period in which the related service is performed.



### 2. Summary of significant accounting policies (cont'd.)

#### 2.21 Revenue from contracts with customers

Revenue is recognised when or as a performance obligation in the contract with customer is satisfied, i.e. when the "control" of the goods or services underlying the particular performance obligation is transferred to the customer.

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A performance obligation is a promise to transfer a distinct goods or service (or a series of distinct goods or services that are substantially the same and that have the same pattern of transfer) to the customer that is explicitly stated in the contract and implied in the Group's and the Company's customary business practices.

Revenue is measured at the amount of consideration to which the Group and the Company expect to be entitled in exchange for transferring the promised goods or services to the customers, excluding amounts collected on behalf of third parties such as taxes. If the amount of consideration varies due to discounts, rebates, refunds, credits, incentives, penalties or other similar items, the Group and the Company estimate the amount of consideration to which it will be entitled based on the expected value or the most likely outcome. If the contract with customer contains more than one performance obligation, the amount of consideration is allocated to each performance obligation based on the relative stand-alone selling prices of the goods or services promised in the contract.

The revenue is recognised to the extent that it is highly probable that a significant reversal in the amount of cumulative revenue recognised will not occur when the uncertainty associated with the variable consideration is subsequently resolved.

The control of the promised goods or services may be transferred over time or at a point in time. The control over the goods or services is transferred at point in time unless one of the following over time criteria is met:

- the Group's and the Company's performance creates or enhances an asset that the customer controls as the asset is created or enhanced; or
- the Group's and the Company's performance does not create an asset with an alternative use and the Group and the Company have an enforceable right to payment for performance completed to date.

#### (a) Sale of development properties

Contracts with buyers may include multiple promises to buyers and therefore accounted for as separate performance obligations. In this case, the transaction price will be allocated to each performance obligation based on the standalone selling prices. When these are not directly observable, they are estimated based on expected cost plus margin.

Revenue from property development is recognised as and when the control of the asset is transferred to the buyer and it is probable that the Group will collect the consideration to which it will be entitled in exchange for the asset that will be transferred to the buyer. Depending on the terms of the contract and the laws that apply to the contract, control of the asset may be transferred over time or at point in time. The Group recognises revenue from property development over time if it creates an asset with no alternative use to the Group, and the Group has an enforceable right to payment for performance completed to date. Revenue is recognised over the period of the contract by reference to the progress towards complete satisfaction of that performance obligation.

The progress towards complete satisfaction of the performance obligation is measured based on the Group's efforts or inputs to the satisfaction of the performance obligation (i.e. by reference to the property development costs incurred to date as a percentage of the estimated total costs of development of the project). The input method depicts the Group's progress of performance in the assets created which has no alternative use to the Group. Otherwise, revenue is recognised at a point in time when the buyer obtains control of the asset.

Revenue from sale of vacant land is recognised upon delivery of vacant land where the control of the vacant land has been transferred to the buyer.



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2. Summary of significant accounting policies (cont'd.)

### 2.21 Revenue from contracts with customers (cont'd.)

### (b) Construction contracts

Contract revenue includes the initial amount agreed in the contract plus any variations in contract work, claims and incentive payments. Under the terms of the contracts, the Group has an enforceable right to payment for performance completed to date and that the customer controls the assets during the course of construction by the Group and that the construction services performed does not create an asset with an alternative use to the Group.

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Revenue from construction contracts is recognised progressively over time based on the percentage of completion by using the cost-to-cost method ("input method"), based on the proportion of contract costs incurred for work performed to date relative to the estimated total contract costs. Work done is measured based on external certification of project activities. Full provision is made for any foreseeable losses which is offset against revenue. There is no significant financing component in construction contracts with customers as the period between the recognition of revenue under the percentage of completion and the milestone payment is generally less than one year.

### (c) Sale of completed properties

Revenue from the sale of completed properties are recognised when the performance obligation in the contract with customer is satisfied (i.e. when the control of the asset underlying the particular performance obligation is transferred to the customer).

Revenue from the sale of completed properties are recognised upon handing over of vacant possession where control of the asset has been transferred to the customer. Revenue is recognised based on the price specified in the contract, net of rebates and discounts.

### (d) Concession income

Concession income is recognised when the performance obligation has been performed and fulfilled (i.e. when the ownership has passed upon the completion and handover of each unit of the teachers' quarters to the Government).

Pursuant to the Privatisation Agreement, the concession income is payable by the Government from the completion and handover of each cluster of the teachers' quarters up to the end of the concession period ("the residual concession period").

Accordingly, the Group is compensated with deferred payment income over time in accordance to the Privatisation Agreement. The concession will expire in the year 2028.

### (e) Rental income

Rental income is recognised on a straight-line basis over the lease term. The aggregate cost of incentives provided to lessees is recognised as a reduction of rental income over the lease term on a straight-line basis.

### 2.22 Other income recognition

### (a) Interest income

Interest income is recognised using the effective interest method.

### (b) Distribution income

Distribution income from money market investment security is recognised when the Group receives the distribution voucher from the investment security.

### 2. Summary of significant accounting policies (cont'd.)

### 2.22 Other income recognition (cont'd.)

(c) Dividend income

Dividend income is recognised when the Group's and the Company's right to receive payment is established.

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#### (d) Management fees

Revenue from management fee is recognised when performance of services are rendered, net of taxes and discounts.

#### 2.23 Taxes

#### (a) Current income tax

Current income tax assets and liabilities are measured at the amount expected to be recovered from or paid to the taxation authorities. The tax rates and tax laws used to compute the amount are those that are enacted or substantively enacted at the reporting date in the countries where the Group and the Company operate and generate taxable income.

Current income tax relating to items recognised directly in equity is recognised in equity and not in the statement of comprehensive income. Management periodically evaluates positions taken in the tax returns with respect to situations in which applicable tax regulations are subject to interpretation and establishes provisions where appropriate.

### (b) Deferred tax

Deferred tax is provided using the liability method on temporary differences at the reporting date between the tax bases of assets and liabilities and their carrying amounts for financial reporting purposes at the reporting date.

Deferred tax liabilities are recognised for all temporary differences, except:

- when the deferred tax liability arises from the initial recognition of goodwill or an asset or liability in a transaction that is not a business combination and, at the time of the transaction, affects neither the accounting profit nor taxable profit or loss; and
- in respect of taxable temporary differences associated with investments in subsidiaries, associates and
  interests in joint arrangements, when the timing of the reversal of the temporary differences can be
  controlled and it is probable that the temporary differences will not reverse in the foreseeable future.

Deferred tax assets are recognised for all unutilised deductible temporary differences, the carry forward of unabsorbed capital allowance and any unutilised tax losses. Deferred tax assets are recognised to the extent that it is probable that taxable profit will be available against which the deductible temporary differences, and the carry forward of unabsorbed capital allowance and unutilised tax losses can be utilised, except:

- when the deferred tax asset relating to the deductible temporary difference arises from the initial recognition of an asset or liability in a transaction that is not a business combination and, at the time of the transaction, affects neither the accounting profit nor taxable profit or loss; and
- in respect of deductible temporary differences associated with investments in subsidiaries, associates and interests in joint arrangements, deferred tax assets are recognised only to the extent that it is probable that the temporary differences will reverse in the foreseeable future and taxable profit will be available against which the temporary differences can be utilised.



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### 2. Summary of significant accounting policies (cont'd.)

### 2.23 Taxes (cont'd.)

### (b) Deferred tax (cont'd.)

The carrying amount of deferred tax assets is reviewed at each reporting date and reduced to the extent that it is no longer probable that sufficient taxable profit will be available to allow all or part of the deferred tax asset to be utilised. Unrecognised deferred tax assets are re-assessed at each reporting date and are recognised to the extent that it has become probable that future taxable profits will allow the deferred tax asset to be utilised.

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Deferred tax assets and liabilities are measured at the tax rates that are expected to apply in the year when the asset is realised or the liability is settled, based on tax rates (and tax laws) that have been enacted or substantively enacted at the reporting date.

The Group offsets deferred tax assets and deferred tax liabilities if and only if it has a legally enforceable right to set off current tax assets and current tax liabilities and the deferred tax assets and deferred tax liabilities relate to income taxes levied by the same taxation authority on either the same taxable entity or different taxable entities which intend either to settle current tax liabilities and assets on a net basis, or to realise the assets and settle the liabilities simultaneously, in each future period in which significant amounts of deferred tax liabilities or assets are expected to be settled or recovered.

### 2.24 Equity instruments

### (a) Share capital and share issuance expenses

An equity instrument is any contract that evidences a residual interest in the assets of the Group and the Company after deducting all of its liabilities. Ordinary shares are equity instruments.

Ordinary shares are recorded at the proceeds received, net of directly attributable incremental transaction costs. Ordinary shares are classified as equity. Dividends on ordinary shares are recognised in equity in the period in which they are declared.

### (b) Treasury shares

When shares of the Company, that have not been cancelled, recognised as equity are reacquired, the amount of consideration paid is recognised directly in equity. Reacquired shares are classified as treasury shares and presented as a deduction from total equity. No gain or loss is recognised in profit or loss on the purchase, sale, issue or cancellation of treasury shares. When treasury shares are reissued by resale, the difference between the sales consideration and the carrying amount is recognised in equity.

### 2.25 Contingencies

A contingent liability or asset is a possible obligation or asset that arises from past events and whose existence will be confirmed only by the occurrence or non-occurrence of uncertain future events not wholly within the control of the Group and the Company.

Contingent liabilities and assets are not recognised in the statements of financial position of the Group and the Company.

### 2. Summary of significant accounting policies (cont'd.)

### 2.26 Government grants

Government grants are recognised where there is reasonable assurance that the grant will be received, and all attached conditions will be complied with. When the grant relates to an expense item, it is recognised as income on a systematic basis over the periods that the related costs, for which it is intended to compensate, are expensed. When the grant relates to an asset, it is recognised as income in equal amounts over the expected useful life of the related asset.

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When the Group and the Company receive grants of non-monetary assets, the asset and the grant are recorded at nominal amounts and released to profit or loss over the expected useful life of the asset, based on the pattern of consumption of the benefits of the underlying asset by equal annual instalments.

#### 2.27 Fair value measurements

Fair value is the price that would be received to sell an asset or paid to transfer a liability in an orderly transaction between market participants at the measurement date. The fair value measurement is based on the presumption that the transaction to sell the asset or transfer the liability takes place either:

- in the principal market for the asset or liability; or
- in the absence of a principal market, in the most advantageous market for the asset or liability.

The principal or the most advantageous market must be accessible to by the Group and the Company.

The fair value of an asset or a liability is measured using the assumptions that market participants would use when pricing the asset or liability, assuming that market participants act in their economic best interest.

A fair value measurement of a non-financial asset takes into account a market participant's ability to generate economic benefits by using the asset in its highest and best use or by selling it to another market participant that would use the asset in its highest and best use.

The Group and the Company use valuation techniques that are appropriate in the circumstances and for which sufficient data are available to measure fair value, maximising the use of relevant observable inputs and minimising the use of unobservable inputs.

All assets and liabilities for which fair value is measured or disclosed in the financial statements are categorised within the fair value hierarchy, described as follows, based on the lowest level input that is significant to the fair value measurement as a whole:

- Level 1 Quoted (unadjusted) market prices in active markets for identical assets or liabilities.
- Level 2 Valuation techniques for which the lowest level input that is significant to the fair value measurement is directly or indirectly observable.
- Level 3 Valuation techniques for which the lowest level input that is significant to the fair value measurement is unobservable

For assets and liabilities that are recognised in the financial statements at fair value on a recurring basis, the Group and the Company determine whether transfers have occurred between levels in the hierarchy by reassessing categorisation (based on the lowest level input that is significant to the fair value measurement as a whole) at the end of each reporting period.



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## Management Perspective pg 01 - 20 Summary of significant accounting policies (cont'd.) 2.28 Current versus non-current classification The Group and the Company present assets and liabilities in statement of financial position based on current/ non-current classification. An asset as current when it is: Leadership pg 21 - 30 (i) Expected to be realised or intended to be sold or consumed in normal operating cycle; (ii) Held primarily for the purpose of trading; (iii) Expected to be realised within twelve months after the reporting period; or Corporate Report pg 31 - 36 (iv) Cash or cash equivalent unless restricted from being exchanged or used to settle a liability for at least twelve months after the reporting period. All other assets are classified as non-current. A liability is current when: It is expected to be settled in normal operating cycle; (i) Sustainability Report pg 37 - 66 (ii) It is held primarily for the purpose of trading; (iii) It is due to be settled within twelve months after the reporting period; or (iv) There is no unconditional right to defer the settlement of the liability for at least twelve months after the reporting period. The Group and the Company classify all other liabilities as non-current. In Focus pg 67 - 74 Deferred tax assets and liabilities are classified as non-current assets and liabilities. 3. Significant accounting judgements and estimates

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The preparation of the Group's and the Company's financial statements requires management to make judgements, estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of revenues, expenses, assets and liabilities, and the disclosure of contingent liabilities at the reporting date. However, uncertainty about these assumptions and estimates could result in outcomes that could require a material adjustment to the carrying amount of the asset or liability affected in the future.

### Key sources of estimation uncertainty

The key assumptions concerning the future and other key sources of estimation uncertainty at the reporting date that have a significant risk of causing a material adjustment to the carrying amounts of assets and liabilities within the next financial year are discussed below:

#### (a) **Property development**

The Group and the Company use percentage of completion method to recognise revenue and profit from its property development activities. The amount of revenue and profit recognised are dependent on, amongst others, the extent of costs incurred to the total estimated costs of construction to derive at the percentage of completion, the actual number of units sold and the estimated total revenue for each of the respective projects. These areas involve significant judgement and estimates in estimating the total property development costs (which is used to determine the percentage of completion and gross profit margin of property development activities undertaken by the Group and the Company).

The revenues, cost of sales, carrying amounts of assets and liabilities of the Group and the Company arising from property development activities are disclosed in Notes 4, 5, 15(a) and 15(b).

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### 3. Significant accounting judgements and estimates (cont'd.)

Key sources of estimation uncertainty (cont'd.)

### (b) Allowance for expected credit losses of trade and other receivables and contract assets

When measuring ECL, the Group and the Company use reasonable and supportable forward looking information, which is based on assumptions for the future movement of different economic drivers and how these drivers will affect each other. Where these assumptions are not readily available, the ECL is estimated as the difference between all contractual cash flows that are due to the Group in accordance with the contract and all the cash flows that the Group and the Company expect to receive, discounted at the effective interest rate.

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Significant estimate is required in determining the impairment of trade and other receivables and contract assets. Impairment loss measured based on expected credit loss model is based on assumptions on risk of default and expected loss rates. The Group and the Company use judgement in making these assumptions and selecting the inputs to the impairment calculation based on the Group's and the Company's past collection records, existing market conditions as well as forward looking estimates as of the end of the reporting period. Details are disclosed in Note 18(c).

#### (c) Fair value adjustments of investment properties

The Group and the Company carry its investment properties at fair value, with changes in fair values being recognised in profit or loss. The Group and the Company engaged independent valuation specialists to determine the fair values as disclosed in Notes 14 and 32. The key assumptions in determining the fair values of investment properties, including the sensitivity analysis of key assumptions are disclosed in Note 32.

#### 4. Revenue

Revenue of the Group and of the Company consists of the following:

	Group		Company	
	2022 RM'000	2021 RM'000	2022 RM'000	2021 RM'000
Derived from third parties				
Sale of development properties	55,568	68,719	-	-
Concession income	58,631	66,038	-	-
Sale of completed properties	17,820	7,362	-	-
Revenue from construction contracts	440	-	-	-
Rental income	5,035	4,585	-	-
Derived from related companies				
Management fees from subsidiaries	-	-	3,840	3,840
	137,494	146,704	3,840	3,840
Timing and recognition				
Revenue recognised:				
- At a point in time	17,820	7,362	-	-
- Over time	119,674	139,342	3,840	3,840
	137,494	146,704	3,840	3,840



### 4. Revenue (cont'd.)

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Revenue expected to be recognised in the future relating to performance obligations that are unsatisfied (or partially satisfied) as at the reporting date, are as follows:

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	2022	2021
Group	RM'000	RM'000
Sale of development properties:		
Sale of development properties.		
Within one year	20,604	67,383
More than one year and less than two years	-	2,583
	20,604	69,966
Cost of sales		
	Group	
	2022	2021
	RM'000	RM'000
Property development costs (Note 15(b))	27.082	12 673

Property development costs (Note 15(b))	27,082	42,673
Costs of completed properties *	7,518	(5,145)
Mall operating expenses	6,450	4,380
Construction cost	393	-
Consultancy service	1,825	1,709
	43,268	43,617

\* In the prior year, the provision for affordable housing of RM15,995,000 was derecognised. The net credit in the prior year includes the effects of the reversal of provision for affordable housing amounting to RM9,154,000, while the reversal of the remaining RM6,841,000 is adjusted as a reduction against the property development costs, and reflected in the profit or loss based on the percentage of completion of the related premium housing phases.

### 6. Other operating income

Included in other operating income are as follows:

	Group		Compa	any
	2022 2021		2022	2021
	RM'000	RM'000	RM'000	RM'000
Gain on fair value adjustment of investment securities	3,104	-	53	-
Rental income	836	752	-	-
Interest income				
- At amortised cost	1,016	231	3,173	3,303
Distribution income from money market investment securities	195	3,157	3	26
Gain on fair value adjustment of investment properties	1,463	-	-	-
Gain on disposal of property, plant and equipment	28	50	27	-
Deposit forfeited	228	80	-	-
Grant income #	5	106	-	1
Effects of modification on other liabilities at amortised costs*	8	96	-	-

# Being amount received pursuant to the wage subsidy program by the Government of Malaysia.

\* The recognition of time value of money of financial liabilities of the Group are measured at amortised cost.

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### 7. Finance costs

	Group		Company	
	2022 RM'000	2021 RM'000	2022 RM'000	2021 RM'000
Interest expense of financial liabilities that are not at fair value through profit or loss:				
- Sukuk Murabahah	59,917	67,042	-	-
<ul> <li>Bank credit facilities, bank loans and bank overdrafts</li> </ul>	3,942	4,509	776	847
<ul> <li>Unwinding of discount on other liabilities at amortised costs*</li> </ul>	521	29	-	-
<ul> <li>Interest on advances from immediate holding company</li> </ul>	443	382	443	382
Interest expenses on lease liabilities	1,119	1,199	1,110	1,178
	65,942	73,161	2,329	2,407

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\* The recognition of time value of money of financial liabilities of the Group are measured at amortised cost.

### 8. (Loss)/Profit before tax

The following items have been included in arriving at (loss)/profit before tax:

	Group		Compan	у
	2022 RM'000	2021 RM'000	2022 RM'000	2021 RM'000
Auditors' remuneration:				
- current year	298	254	115	80
- other service	18	18	10	10
Expected credit losses:				
- trade receivables (Note 18(c))	519	1,388	480	360
- other receivables (Note 18(c))	500	74	4,741	507
Depreciation of:				
- property, plant and equipment (Note 13)	344	340	72	100
- right-of-use assets (Note 19(a))	2,012	2,025	1,828	1,828
Amortisation of intangible assets (Note 17)	36	13	35	9
Property, plant and equipment written off	2	-	2	-



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8.	(Loss)/Profit	before tax	(cont'd.)
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The following items have been included in arriving at (loss)/profit before tax: (cont'd.)

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	Group	Group C		Company	
	2022 RM'000	2021 RM'000	2022 RM'000	2021 RM'000	
(Gain)/Loss on fair value adjustment of investment properties (Note 14)	(1,463)	7,688	-	-	
(Gain)/Loss on fair value adjustment of investment securities	(3,104)	782	(53)	1	
Impairment of investment in subsidiary	-	-	237	513	
Inventories written down	13,635	4,131	-	-	
Gain on disposal of property, plant and equipment	(28)	(50)	(27)	(50)	_
Short term lease payments on:					
- premises	-	-	439	450	
- equipment	92	84	81	71	
- others	7	2	3	1	
Reversal of expected credit losses:					
- trade receivables (Note 18(c))	(504)	(973)	-	(419)	
- other receivables (Note 18(c))	-	(882)	(1,721)	(885)	
Unrealised loss on foreign exchange	491	1,272	491	1,272	
Reversal of Liquidated and ascertained damages (Note 29(a))	(412)	(51)	-	-	

### 9. Employee benefits expense

	Group		Company	
	2022 RM'000	2021 RM'000	2022 RM'000	2021 RM'000
Wages and salaries	7,167	7,231	3,406	3,567
Social security contributions	75	66	33	31
Contributions to defined contribution plan	948	863	448	429
Provision of short term accumulating compensated absences (Note 27(d))	245	237	82	77
Other benefits	2,462	1,372	1,261	885
	10,897	9,769	5,230	4,989

### 10. Directors' remuneration

The details of remuneration receivable by directors of the Group and of the Company during the financial year were as follows:

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	Group		Com	pany
	2022 RM'000	2021 RM'000	2022 RM'000	2021 RM'000
Non-executive:				
Fees	560	644	444	514
Allowances and other emoluments	115	72	86	58
Total directors' remuneration	675	716	530	572

### 11. Income tax expense

The major components of income tax expense for the years ended 31 December 2022 and 2021 are:

	Group		Com	pany
	2022 RM'000	2021 RM'000	2022 RM'000	2021 RM'000
Statement of profit or loss:				
Current income tax:				
- Malaysian income tax	6,832	4,774	-	-
- Over provision in prior years	(56)	(1,668)		
	6,776	3,106		
Deferred income tax (Note 20):				
<ul> <li>Relating to origination and reversal of temporary differences</li> </ul>	3,953	5,783	-	-
- (Over)/Under provision in prior year	(62)	1,162	-	-
	3,891	6,945	-	
Income tax expense	10,667	10,051	-	-



### 11. Income tax expense (cont'd.)

Reconciliation between tax and accounting (loss)/profit

Domestic income tax is calculated at the Malaysian statutory tax rate of 24% (2021: 24%) of the estimated assessable profit for the year. Taxation for other jurisdictions is calculated at the rates prevailing in the respective jurisdictions.

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The reconciliation of income tax expense and the product of accounting (loss)/profit multiplied by the applicable corporate tax rate for the years ended 31 December 2022 and 2021 are as follows:

	Group		Com	oany
	2022 RM'000	2021 RM'000	2022 RM'000	2021 RM'000
(Loss)/Profit before tax	(7,537)	1,884	(8,733)	(5,379)
Tax (credit)/expense at Malaysian				
statutory tax rate of 24%	(1,809)	452	(2,096)	(1,291)
Different tax rates in other countries	9	(38)	-	-
Adjustments:				
Non-deductible expenses	6,629	6,652	1,178	304
Income not subject to tax	(85)	(997)	(20)	(6)
Deferred tax assets not recognised	6,246	4,270	938	993
(Over)/Under provision of tax expense in prior years:				
- current taxation	(56)	(1,668)	-	-
- deferred tax	(62)	1,162	-	-
Deferred tax recognised at different tax rate	(205)	218		
Income tax expense recognised in profit or loss	10,667	10,051		

On 28 October 2022, a subsidiary of the Group, Must Ehsan Development Sdn. Bhd. ("MEDSB") received notification from the Inland Revenue Board ("IRB") of additional income tax assessment and penalty amounting to RM18,793,000 for the year of assessment 2013.

The additional assessment and penalty were imposed by the IRB on the basis that the loss arising from the disposal of the Encorp Strand Mall and car park units to its subsidiary, Encorp Strand Mall Sdn. Bhd. is to be disregarded pursuant to Section 140(6) of the Income Tax Act, 1967.

In a correspondence letter dated 22 November 2022, the IRB approved MEDSB's request to settle the additional tax payable and penalty in seven monthly instalments of RM313,000, with the remaining balance due on 15 May 2023. On 23 November 2022, MEDSB filed a Notice of Appeal to IRB regarding the assessment.

The appeal is currently assessed by the Dispute Resolution Department of the IRB. Based on consultation with the Group's tax and legal advisors, the management has assessed that it is probable that the Group would be successful in its appeal against the additional income tax assessment and tax penalty.

Consequently, no provision has been made for the additional income tax and penalty of RM18,793,000. The two instalment payments amounting to RM626,000 have been included in the tax recoverable balance as at 31 December 2022.



### 12. Loss per share

(a) Basic

Basic loss per share amounts are calculated by dividing loss for the year attributable to ordinary equity holders of the owners of the parent by the weighted average number of ordinary shares in issue during the financial year.

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The following table reflects the loss and share data used in the computation of basic loss per share for the years ended 31 December:

	2022 RM'000	2021 RM'000
Loss for the year attributable to owners of the parent used in the computation of basic loss per share	(20,141)	(10,892)
	Number of S	Shares
	2022	2021
	'000	'000
Weighted average number of ordinary shares for basic loss per share		
computation*	316,299	316,299

\* The weighted average number of shares takes into account the weighted average effect of changes in ordinary shares transactions and net of treasury shares.

	2022 sen	2021 sen
Basic loss per share	(6.37)	(3.44)

#### (b) Diluted

Diluted loss per share amounts are calculated by dividing profit/(loss) for the year, net of tax, attributable to owners of the parent by the weighted average number of ordinary shares outstanding during the financial year plus the weighted average number of ordinary shares that would be issued on the conversion of all the dilutive potential ordinary shares into ordinary shares.

At the date of this report, the Company has no other dilutive potential ordinary shares. Accordingly, the diluted loss per share is not presented as it is the same as the basic loss per share.



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### 13. Property, plant and equipment

Motor         Tumiture RM'000         Office and fitting RM'000         and RM'000         and RM'000         Total RM'000         and RM'000         Total RM'000         and RM'000         Total RM'000         and RM'000         Total RM'000         and RM'000         and RM'000 </th <th>Property, plant and equipment</th> <th></th> <th>Office</th> <th></th> <th></th> <th></th> <th></th> <th>Management Perspective pg 01 - 20</th>	Property, plant and equipment		Office					Management Perspective pg 01 - 20
Cost         Mat Lanuary 2022         432         2,782         3,898         5,070         -         12,182         Mage Mark         Mage Mark <t< td=""><td>Group</td><td>vehicles</td><td>and fittings</td><td>renovation</td><td>-</td><td>machinery</td><td></td><td>adership 21 - 30</td></t<>	Group	vehicles	and fittings	renovation	-	machinery		adership 21 - 30
At 1 January 2022       432       2,782       5,898       5,070       -       12,182       Additions       133       842       -       -       16       10,411       Disposals       (354)       (82)       -       -       -       (3)       -       -       -       (3)       -       -       -       (3)       -       -       -       (3)       -       -       -       (3)       -       -       -       (3)       -       -       -       (3)       -       -       -       (3)       -       -       -       (3)       -       -       -       (3)       -       -       -       (3)       -       -       -       (3)       -       -       -       (3)       -       -       -       (3)       -       -       -       (3)       -       -       -       (3)       -       -       -       (3)       -       -       -       (3)       -       -       -       (3)       -       -       -       -       10       -       -       -       10)       -       -       -       10       -       10       -       10       -       100       <	At 31 December 2022							bg
At 31 December 2022       251       3,539       3,898       5,070       16       12,784         Accumulated depreciation       At 1 January 2022       432       2,209       3,829       884       -       7,354         Recognised in profit or loss (Note 8)       18       199       22       102       3       344         Disposals       (354)       (82)       -       -       (436)         Written-off       -       (1)       -       -       (436)         Net carrying amount       At 31 December 2022       165       1,214       47       4,084       13       5,523         At 31 December 2021       720       2,698       3,8978       5,070       -       12,386         Cost       At 31 December 2021       720       2,698       3,8978       5,070       -       12,386         At 31 December 2021       720       2,698       3,8978       5,070       -       12,386         At 31 December 2021       720       2,048       3,751       783       -       7,302         Accumulated depreciation       -       -       (288)       -       -       -       (288)         At 31 December 2021       720       2,0	Cost							
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At 31 December 2021       432       2,782       3,898       5,070       -       12,182       Image: Second seco	Additions	-	84	-	-	-	84	
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(Note 8)       -       161       78       101       -       340       So the set of the set o	At 1 January 2021	720	2,048	3,751	783	-	7,302	
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Net carrying amount         -         573         69         4,186         -         4,828	At 31 December 2021	432	2,209	3,829	884		7,354	forms 207
	Net carrying amount							S S S S S S S S S S S S S S S S S S S
	At 31 December 2021	-	573	69	4,186	-	4,828	ral

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### 13. Property, plant and equipment (cont'd.)

Company	Office renovation RM'000	Motor vehicles RM'000	Office equipment RM'000	Total RM'000
At 31 December 2022				
Cost				
At 1 January 2022	2,766	354	1,520	4,640
Additions	-	-	147	147
Disposals	-	(354)	(55)	(409)
Written-off	-	-	(3)	(3)
At 31 December 2022	2,766	-	1,609	4,375
Accumulated depreciation				
At 1 January 2022	2,756	354	1,342	4,452
Recognised in profit or loss (Note 8)	10	-	62	72
Disposals	-	(354)	(55)	(409)
Written-off		-	(1)	(1)
At 31 December 2022	2,766	-	1,348	4,114
Net carrying amount				
At 31 December 2022		-	261	261
At 31 December 2021				
Cost				
At 1 January 2021	2,766	642	1,484	4,892
Additions	-	-	36	36
Disposals		(288)		(288)
At 31 December 2021	2,766	354	1,520	4,640
Accumulated depreciation				
At 1 January 2021	2,715	642	1,283	4,640
Recognised in profit or loss (Note 8)	41	-	59	100
Disposals	-	(288)	-	(288)
At 31 December 2021	2,756	354	1,342	4,452
Net carrying amount				
At 31 December 2021	10		178	188

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Included in property, plant and equipment of the Group are two units of terrace shop offices amounting to RM4,081,000 (2021: RM4,183,000) which have been pledged as a fixed charge for term loans and revolving credit facilities as disclosed in Note 28(b).



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### 14. Investment properties

Investment properties comprising shopping mall, terrace shop office and car park units, are held either to earn rental income or for capital appreciation or for both. The investment properties are classified as Level 3 in the fair value hierarchy as disclosed in Note 32.

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At fair value	Shopping Mall RM'000	Terrace Shop office RM'000	Car park RM'000	Total RM'000	Leadership pg 21 - 30
Group					L
At 1 January 2021	164,000	120,050	-	284,050	e Report
Transferred from inventories	-	-	7,800	7,800	orate - 36
Fair value adjustments (Note 8)		(1,560)	-	(1,560)	<b>Corporate</b>   pg 31 - 36
At 31 December 2021 and 1 January 2022	164,000	118,490	7,800	290,290	Οd
Fair value adjustments (Note 8)	1,073	390	-	1,463	
Capitalised cost	27		-	27	lity
At 31 December 2022	165,100	118,880	7,800	291,780	idbi 66
Fair value for financial reporting purposes					Sustainability Report pg 37 - 66
Market value as estimated by the professional external valuers	165,100	118,880	7,800	291,780	

### Transfer from inventories to investment properties

On 20 December 2021, the Group transferred 516 car park units from inventories to investment properties due to the change in use of the car park units for generating investment income for the Group.

A fair value loss of RM6,128,000 was recognised in prior year on the difference between the fair value of the car park units and their previous carrying amount upon the transfer. In arriving the market value of property, the Group has adopted comparison method and investment method. The valuer considered the sales of similar or substitute properties and related market data, and establishes a value estimate by adjustments made for differences in factors that affect value together with the capitalisation of the net annual income stream that is expected to be received from property after deducting annual outgoings and other operating expenses incidental to the property with allowance for void by using an appropriate market derived capitalisation rate.

	2021 RM'000
Cost of car park units transferred from inventories	13,928
Fair value loss on the car park units (Note 8)	(6,128)
Fair value of car park units	7,800

As at 31 December 2022, there was no further change in the fair value of the car park units.

### 14. Investment properties (cont'd.)

The following are recognised in the profit or loss in respect of investment properties:

	Group		
	2022 RM'000	2021 RM′000	
Rental income	5,035	4,585	
Direct operating expenses (exclude depreciation):			
- income generating investment properties	(6,450)	(4,380)	
- non-income generating investment properties	(101)	(108)	

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The following properties have been pledged as security for borrowings:

- (i) During the year, 22 units of terrace shop offices are charged as security for term loans and revolving credit facilities as disclosed in Note 28(b), 28(e) and 28(f). In the previous year, 9 units of terrace shop offices were charged as security for term loans and revolving credit facilities as disclosed in Note 28(b), 28(d) and 28(e); and
- (ii) Shopping mall included in the investment properties has been pledged as security for bank loan as disclosed in Note 28(b).
- 15. Inventories

	Group			
	Note	2022 RM'000	2021 RM'000	
Non-current				
Land held for property development (at lower of cost and net realisable value)	(a)	26,590	17,034	
Current				
Property development cost (at cost)	(b)	31,681	5,553	
Properties held for sale (at lower of cost and net realisable value)	(c)	78,553	107,454	
		110,234	113,007	
Total inventories at the lower of cost and net realisable value	_	136,824	130,041	



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### 15. Inventories (cont'd.)

(a) Land held for property development

	Freehold	Leasehold	Development		
Group	land RM'000	land RM'000	expenditure RM'000	Total RM'000	ship 50
At 31 December 2022					<b>Leadership</b> pg 21 - 30
Cost					7 2
At 1 January 2022	18,123	3,687	5,041	26,851	
Addition (Note (i))	18,360	-	-	18,360	oort
Transfer to property development cost (Note 15(b))	-	(3,687)	(5,041)	(8,728)	Corporate Report pg 31 - 36
Exchange differences	(167)	-		(167)	31 - 5
At 31 December 2022	36,316	-	_	36,316	D O D
Accumulated write-down to net realisable value					llity
At 1 January 2022	(9,817)	-	-	(9,817)	Sustainability Report pg 37 - 66
Exchange differences	91	-		91	epor agor 37
At 31 December 2022	(9,726)	-		(9,726)	Na g
Carrying amount					
At 31 December 2022	26,590	-	-	26,590	
					L
Group	Freehold land RM'000	Leasehold land RM'000	Development expenditure RM'000	Total RM'000	In Focus pg 67 - 74
Group At 31 December 2021	land	land	expenditure		
	land	land	expenditure		
At 31 December 2021	land	land	expenditure		
At 31 December 2021 Cost	land RM'000	land RM'000	expenditure RM'000	RM'000	Corporate In Fc Governance pg 6 pg 75 - 104
At 31 December 2021 Cost At 1 January 2021	land RM'000	land RM'000	expenditure RM'000 14,300	<b>RM'000</b> 49,831	Corporate Governance pg 75 - 104
At 31 December 2021 Cost At 1 January 2021 Addition Transfer to property	land RM'000	land RM'000 13,867 -	expenditure RM'000 14,300 405	<b>RM'000</b> 49,831 405	Corporate Governance pg 75 - 104
At 31 December 2021 Cost At 1 January 2021 Addition Transfer to property development cost (Note 15(b))	land RM'000 21,664 -	land RM'000 13,867 -	expenditure RM'000 14,300 405	<b>RM'000</b> 49,831 405 (19,844)	Corporate Governance pg 75 - 104
At 31 December 2021 Cost At 1 January 2021 Addition Transfer to property development cost (Note 15(b)) Exchange differences	land RM'000 21,664 - - (3,541)	land RM'000 13,867 - (10,180) -	expenditure RM'000 14,300 405 (9,664)	RM'000 49,831 405 (19,844) (3,541)	
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### 15. Inventories (cont'd.)

### (a) Land held for property development (cont'd.)

(i) Acquisition of freehold land in Daerah Kuantan, Pahang

Encorp Millennium Sdn. Bhd. ("EMLSB"), a subsidiary of the Group acquired a piece of freehold land on 9 September 2022 in Daerah Kuantan, Pahang from Touch Millennium Sdn. Bhd. ("TMSB") for a consideration of RM21,500,000. As a result of the deferred payment plan stipulated in the agreement with TMSB, the cost of the land was recorded at its present value of RM18,360,000. Further details are disclosed in Notes 16 and 36.

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### (b) Property development costs

Group	Freehold land RM'000	Leasehold land RM'000	Development expenditure (Note (i)) RM'000	Total RM'000
At 31 December 2022				
Cumulative property development costs				
At 1 January 2022	26,127	28,355	551,796	606,278
Addition (Note(ii))	10,348	-	-	10,348
Costs incurred during the year	-	-	36,255	36,255
Transfer from land held for property development (Note 15(a))	-	3,687	5,041	8,728
Unsold unit transferred to inventories	-	-	(2,121)	(2,121)
At 31 December 2022	36,475	32,042	590,971	659,488
Cumulative costs recognised in profit or loss At 1 January 2022 Recognised during the year (Note 5) At 31 December 2022			-	(600,725) (27,082) (627,807)
Property development costs at 31 December 2022				31,681
At 31 December 2021				
Cumulative property development costs				
At 1 January 2021	26,127	18,175	529,003	573,305
Costs incurred during the year	-	-	13,129	13,129
Transfer from land held for property development (Note 15(a))		10,180	9,664	19,844
At 31 December 2021	26,127	28,355	551,796	606,278

### 15. Inventories (cont'd.)

(b) Property development costs (cont'd.)

Group	Total RM'000
At 31 December 2021	
Cumulative costs recognised in profit or loss	
At 1 January 2021	(558,052)
Recognised during the year (Note 5)	(42,673)
At 31 December 2021	(600,725)
Property development costs at 31 December 2021	5,553

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### (i) Development expenditure

Included in development expenditure is the cost to obtain contracts relating to commission fee paid to intermediaries as a result of obtaining property sales contracts. These costs are grouped separately and are charged out to cost of sales based on stage of completion method.

	2022 RM'000	2021 RM'000
As at 1 January	1,193	489
Cost incurred during the year	1,990	2,889
Recognised during the year	(2,518)	(2,185)
At 31 December	665	1,193

### (ii) Acquisition of leasehold land in Kota Kinabalu, Sabah

A subsidiary of the Group, Encorp Development Sdn. Bhd. ("EDSB") had on 18 May 2022 entered into an agreement with Ipmuda Properties Sdn. Bhd. ("IPSB") to acquire a piece of leasehold development land in Kota Kinabalu, Sabah for a consideration of RM10,800,000. As a result of the deferred payment plan for the consideration, the cost of the land was recorded at its present value of RM10,348,000. Further details are disclosed in Note 36.

### (c) Properties held for sale

	Gro	up	
	2022 RM'000	2021 RM'000	
At cost	28,417	51,142	
At net realisable value	50,136	56,312	
	78,553	107,454	

Properties held for sale with a carrying amount of RM14,940,000 (2021: RM14,420,000) are charged as security for term loan facilities as disclosed in Note 28(c).

During the year, the amount of inventories recognised as an expense in cost of sales of the Group was RM14,558,000 (2021: RM3,925,000).

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						Company 2022 RM'000	2021 RM'000
Unquoted shares, at cost Impairment loss on investment in subsidiaries	diaries					296,710 (166,750) 129,960	296,710 (166,513) 130,197
Details of the subsidiaries are as follows:	llows:						
Name of subsidiaries	Share capital RM'000	Principal place of business/Country of incorporation	Principal activities	Proportion (%) of ownership interest	n (%) of interest	Proportion (%) of ownership interest held by non-controlling interests	of ownership eld by g interests
				2022	2021	2022	2021
Encorp Construction & Infrastructure Sdn. Bhd.	50,000	Malaysia	Investment holding and construction project management	100	100		
Encorp Must Sdn. Bhd.	10,000	Malaysia	Investment holding and property project management	100	100		,
Encorp Development Pty. Ltd.^	+	Australia	Property development	100	100	I	,
Encorp Facilities Maangement Sdn. Bhd.	750	Malaysia	Facilities management services provider	100	100	I	T

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(a) Details of the subsidiaries are as follows: (cont'd.)

f Principal Proportion (%) of Proportion (%) of ownership of activities ownership interest interest hold by non-controlling interests	2022 2021 2022	Concessionaire to 100 100 - build and transfer teachers' quarters to the Government of Malaysia	General trading 100 100 -	Investment 70 - 30 holding, construction project management and property development
Principal place of business/Country of incorporation		Malaysia	Malaysia	Malaysia
Share capital RM'000		50,000	1,000	250
Name of subsidiaries	Subsidiaries of Encorp Construction & Infrastructure Sdn. Bhd.	Encorp Systembilt Sdn. Bhd.	Encorp Construction & Engineering Sdn. Bhd.	Encorp Millennium Sdn. Bhd. (Note (i))

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16. Investment in subsidiaries (cont'd.)

(a) Details of the subsidiaries are as follows: (cont'd.)

Name of subsidiaries	Share capital RM'000	Principal place of business/Country of incorporation	Principal activities	Proportion (%) of ownership interest	6) of erest	Proportion (%) of ownership interest held by non-controlling interests	wmership I by nterests
Subsidiaries of Encorp Must Sdn. Bhd.				2022	2021	2022	2021
Must Ehsan Development Sdn. Bhd.	15,000	Malaysia	Property development	70	70	30	30
Encorp Development Sdn. Bhd.	2,500	Malaysia	Property development	100	100	ı	ī
Encorp Iskandar Development Sdn. Bhd.	2,750	Malaysia	Property development	100	100	I	I.
Encorp Bukit Katil Sdn. Bhd.	ම	Malaysia	Property development	100	100	ı	ī
Subsidiaries of Must Ehsan Development Sdn. Bhd.							
Red Carpet Avenue Sdn. Bhd.	6)	Malaysia	Investment holding	100	100	ı	,
Encorp Strand Mall Sdn. Bhd.	2,500	Malaysia	Property investment	100	100	ı	
Encorp Parking Sdn. Bhd.	6)	Malaysia	Property investment	100	100	I	I

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### 16. Investment in subsidiaries (cont'd.)

- (a) Details of the subsidiaries are as follows: (cont'd.)
  - ^ This entity has no statutory audit requirement
  - + Represents paid-up capital of one hundred (100) ordinary shares of 1 Australian Dollar each

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- @ Represents paid-up capital of two (2) ordinary shares
- (i) Incorporation of a subsidiary EMLSB

On 9 September 2022, a subsidiary of the Company, Encorp Construction & Infrastructure Sdn. Bhd. ("ECISB") incorporated a subsidiary, EMLSB.

EMLSB, a 70% subsidiary of the Group, was incorporated during the year with an initial share capital of RM1,000. The share capital of EMLSB was subsequently increased to RM251,000 via the issuance of additional share capital of RM250,000. As at 31 December 2022, the cumulative cost of investment in EMLSB is RM176,000.

(b) Non-controlling interest in subsidiaries

Summarised financial information of Must Ehsan Development Sdn. Bhd. ("MEDSB") and its subsidiaries ("MEDSB Group") and EMLSB which have 30% non-controlling interests that are material to the Group are set out below. The summarised financial information presented below is the amount after incorporating the elimination of inter-company transactions and consolidation adjustments.

(i) Summarised statements of financial position

At 31 December 2022	MEDSB Group RM'000	EMLSB RM'000	Total RM'000
Non-current assets	296,013	18,360	314,373
Current assets	126,622	234	126,856
Total assets	422,635	18,594	441,229
Current liabilities	96,876	6,531	103,407
Non-current liabilities	28,715	12,084	40,799
Total liabilities	125,591	18,615	144,206
Net assets	297,044	(21)	297,023
Non-controlling interests	89,113	(6)	89,107

At 31 December 2021	MEDSB Group RM'000	EMLSB RM'000	Total RM'000
Non-current assets	306,361	-	306,361
Current assets	163,123	-	163,123
Total assets	469,484	-	469,484
Current liabilities	138,269	-	138,269
Non-current liabilities	40,899	-	40,899
Total liabilities	179,168	-	179,168
Net assets	290,316	-	290,316
Non-controlling interests	87,095	-	87,095

### 16. Investment in subsidiaries (cont'd.)

### (b) Non-controlling interests in subsidiaries (cont'd.)

### (ii) Summarised statements of comprehensive income

At 31 December 2022	MEDSB Group RM'000	EMLSB RM'000	Total RM'000
Revenue	65,689	-	65,689
Profit/(Loss) for the year	6,731	(273)	6,458
Profit/(Loss) representing total comprehensive income/(loss) attributable to the non-controlling interests	2,019	(82)	1,937
At 31 December 2021	MEDSB Group RM'000	EMLSB RM'000	Total RM'000
Revenue	79,069	-	79,069
Profit for the year	9,083	-	9,083
Profit representing total comprehensive income attributable to the non-controlling interests	2,725		2,725

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### (iii) Summarised statements of cash flows

At 31 December 2022	MEDSB Group RM'000	EMLSB RM'000	Total RM'000
Net cash generated from/(used in) operating activities	264	(17)	247
Net cash generated from investing activities	2,564	-	2,564
Net cash (used in)/generated from financing activities	(14,234)	251	(13,983)
Net (decrease)/increase in cash and cash equivalents	(11,406)	234	(11,172)
Cash and cash equivalents at beginning of the year	41,277		41,277
	29,871	234	30,105
At 31 December 2021	MEDSB Group RM'000	EMLSB RM'000	Total RM'000
<b>At 31 December 2021</b> Net cash generated from operating activities			
	RM'000		RM'000
Net cash generated from operating activities	<b>RM'000</b> 39,635		<b>RM'000</b> 39,635
Net cash generated from operating activities Net cash used in investing activities	RM'000 39,635 (9,953)		<b>RM'000</b> 39,635 (9,953)
Net cash generated from operating activities Net cash used in investing activities Net cash used in financing activities	RM'000 39,635 (9,953) (12,930)		RM'000 39,635 (9,953) (12,930)

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### 17. Intangible assets

Group	Goodwill on consolidation RM'000	Computer software RM'000	Total — RM'000
Cost			
At 1 January 2021	197,003	2,130	199,133
Additions		78	78
At 31 December 2021 and 1 January 2022	197,003	2,208	199,211
Additions		109	109
At 31 December 2022	197,003	2,317	199,320
Accumulated amortisation			
At 1 January 2021	197,003	2,116	199,119
Amortisation (Note 8)		13	13
At 31 December 2021 and 1 January 2022	197,003	2,129	199,132
Amortisation (Note 8)		36	36
At 31 December 2022	197,003	2,165	199,168
Net carrying amount:			
At 31 December 2021	-	79	79
At 31 December 2022	-	152	152
Company		Comp	uter software RM'000
Cost			_
A+4 Jamuana 2024			1 700
At 1 January 2021 Additions			1,382 78
Additions At 31 December 2021 and 1 January 2022			1,460
Additions			88
At 31 December 2022			1,548
			1,5+0
Accumulated amortisation:			
At 1 January 2021			1,373
Amortisation (Note 8)			9
At 31 December 2021 and 1 January 2022			1,382
Amortisation (Note 8)			35
At 31 December 2022			1,417
Net carrying amount			
At 31 December 2021			78
At 31 December 2022			131

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### 18. Trade and other receivables

Group	Note	2022 RM'000	2021 RM'000
Current			
Trade receivables			
Amount due from third parties	(a)	13,561	20,532
Concession income receivables	(b)	86,332	78,149
		99,893	98,681
Expected credit losses	(c)	(2,191)	(2,176)
Trade receivables, net		97,702	96,505
Other receivables			
Amount due from immediate holding company	(d)	53	53
Deposits		5,257	5,221
Sundry receivables		4,600	5,133
		9,910	10,407
Expected credit losses	(c)	(601)	(101)
Other receivables, net		9,309	10,306
Total current receivables		107,011	106,811
Non-current			
Trade receivables			
Retention sum on construction contracts	(a)	6	-
Concession income receivables	(b)	457,017	543,349
Trade receivables		457,023	543,349
Other receivables			
Long term receivables	(e)	47,579	47,579
Expected credit losses	(c)	(47,579)	(47,579)
Other receivables, net			-
Total non-current receivables, net		457,023	543,349
Total trade and other receivables		564,034	650,160

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### 18. Trade and other receivables (cont'd.)

. Trade and other receivables Company	; (cont'd.)	Note	2022 RM'000	2021 RM′000	Management Perspective pg 01 - 20
Current					o nip
Trade receivables					Leadership pg 21 - 30
Amount due from:					pg 2
- third parties		(a)	70	70	
- subsidiaries		(d)	5,012	9,711	
			5,082	9,781	ort
Expected credit losses		(c)	(3,449)	(2,969)	Rep
Trade receivables, net			1,633	6,812	36 36
Other receivables					Corporate Report pg 31 - 36
Amount due from:					0 0
- subsidiaries		(d)	62,026	80,988	
- immediate holding com	ipany	(d)	53	53	lity
Deposits			697	690	Sustainability Report pg 37 - 66
Sundry receivables			75	37	stair port 37 -
			62,851	81,768	pg Bgu
Expected credit losses		(c)	(16,088)	(16,502)	
Other receivables, net			46,763	65,266	
Total current receivables			48,396	72,078	<b>5</b> 74
Non-current					In Focus pg 67 - 74
Other receivables					
Long term receivables					
- third party		(e)	38,320	38,320	
- amount due from subsi	diary	(d)	58,601	50,252	04 04
			96,921	88,572	Corporate Governance pg 75 - 104
Expected credit losses		(c)	(73,804)	(70,370)	Dg 7
Total non-current receivable	es, net		23,117	18,202	
Total trade and other receiv	vables		71,513	90,280	

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### 18. Trade and other receivables (cont'd.)

### (a) Trade receivables

Ageing analysis of trade receivables

Ageing analysis of the Group's and Company's trade receivables from third parties are as follows:

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	Group		Company	
	2022 RM'000	2021 RM'000	2022 RM'000	2021 RM'000
Current	1,071	3,899	-	-
1 to 30 days past due	1,163	677	-	-
31 to 60 days past due	3,083	1,935	-	-
61 days to 90 days past due	362	6,809	-	-
91 days to 120 days past due	88	1,288	-	-
121 days to 365 days past due	5,603	3,748	-	-
	11,370	18,356	-	-
Credit impaired				
Individually impaired	2,191	2,176	70	70
	13,561	20,532	70	70

Trade receivables are non-interest bearing and are generally on 7 to 60 days (2021: 7 to 60 days) terms. They are recognised at their original invoice amounts which represent their fair values on initial recognition.

### (b) Concession income receivables

Group	2022 RM'000	2021 RM'000
Concession income receivables:		
Within 1 year	136,779	136,779
More than 1 year and less than 2 years	136,779	136,779
More than 2 years and less than 5 years	410,338	410,338
More than 5 years	11,412	148,193
	695,308	832,089
Unearned income	(151,959)	(210,591)
	543,349	621,498
Concession income receivables analysed as:		
Due within one year	86,332	78,149
Due after one year	457,017	543,349
	543,349	621,498

The Group's normal trade credit term on concession income receivables is 21 days (2021: 21 days). The entire concession income receivables are pledged to the holders of the Sukuk Murabahah as disclosed in Note 28(a).

The entire concession income receivables are due from the Government of Malaysia.



### 18. Trade and other receivables (cont'd.)

### (c) Allowance for expected credit losses

The Group measures the loss allowance for trade and other receivables at an amount equal to lifetime expected credit losses. The expected credit losses on trade and other receivables are estimated by reference to past default experience of the debtor and an analysis of the debtor's current financial position, adjusted for factors that are specific to the debtors, general economic conditions of the industry in which the debtors operate and an assessment of both the current as well as the forecast direction of conditions at the reporting date. Where these assumptions are not readily available, the ECL is estimated as the difference between all contractual cash flows that are due to the Group in accordance with the contract and all the cash flows that the Group expects to receive, discounted at the effective interest rate.

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There has been no change in the estimation techniques or significant assumptions made during the year.

### Movement in allowance accounts for trade receivables:

Group	2022 RM'000	2021 - RM'000
At 1 January	2,176	2,226
Expected credit losses (Note 8)		
- Individually assessed	519	1,388
- Reversal of expected credit losses	(504)	(973)
Written-off	-	(465)
At 31 December	2,191	2,176
Company		
At 1 January	2,969	3,028 -
Expected credit losses (Note 8)		
- Individually assessed	480	360
- Reversal of expected credit losses	-	(419)
At 31 December	3,449	2,969

- 18. Trade and other receivables (cont'd.)
  - (c) Allowance for expected credit losses (cont'd.)

Movement in allowance accounts for other receivables:

Group	2022 RM'000	2021 RM'000
At 1 January	47,680	48,488
Expected credit losses (Note 8)		
- Individually assessed	500	74
- Reversal of expected credit losses	-	(882)
At 31 December	48,180	47,680
Company		
At 1 January	86,872	87,250
Expected credit losses (Note 8)		
- Individually assessed (Note (i))	4,741	507
- Reversal of expected credit losses	(1,721)	(885)
At 31 December	89,892	86,872

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(i) Included in the amounts due from subsidiaries of the Company as at 31 December 2022 is an amount due from Encorp Development Pty. Ltd. ("EDPL") with a net carrying amount of RM15,331,000 (2021: RM18,202,000). The Company performed an impairment review in respect of the amount due from EDPL by comparing the carrying amount of the assets and the present value of estimated future cash flows receivable from EDPL. The accumulated expected credit losses was RM35,483,000 (2021: RM32,050,000).

### (d) Amounts due from subsidiaries and holding company

The amounts due from subsidiaries and holding company are unsecured, repayable on demand, and noninterest bearing except for an amount due from subsidiaries of RM45,817,000 (2021: RM56,027,000) which bears interest at rates ranging from 4.37% to 6.00% (2021: 4.34% to 6.00%).

The management of the Group monitors the cash flows and funding requirements of the Company and its subsidiaries on a Group-wide basis. This includes determining the timing and quantum of the repayment of amounts due from and due to subsidiaries and related companies of the Company when required.

As at 31 December 2022 and 31 December 2021, no demand for repayment has been made by the Company for any of the balances due from the subsidiaries or holding company. Considering the nature and terms of these balances, the Company has assessed that there are no amounts which are regarded as past due and no ageing analysis has been presented for these balances.

(e) Long term receivables were in relation to the amount due from Pembinaan Legenda Unggul Sdn. Bhd. (formerly known as Encorp Construct Sdn. Bhd.).



#### 19. Leases

#### Group as a lessee

The Group and the Company lease 20 units office premise until June 2031. Lease payments to be increased every 3 years from July 2016 to reflect current market rentals. The Group has also leased office equipment until March 2023.

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The Group and the Company also have certain leases of office equipments with lease terms of 12 months or less and leases of office equipment with low value. The Group and the Company apply the 'short-term lease' and 'lease of low-value assets' recognition exemptions for these leases.

#### (a) Right-of-use assets

Set out below are the carrying amounts of right-of-use assets recognised and the movements during the year:

	Group		Comp	bany
	2022 RM'000	2021 RM′000	2022 RM'000	2021 RM'000
At 1 January	17,597	19,622	17,368	19,196
Depreciation (Note 8)	(2,012)	(2,025)	(1,828)	(1,828)
At 31 December	15,585	17,597	15,540	17,368

#### (b) Lease liabilities

Set out below are the carrying amounts of lease liabilities (included under interest-bearing loans and borrowing (Note 28)) and the movements during the year:

	Group		Company	
	2022 RM'000	2021 RM'000	2022 RM'000	2021 RM'000
At 1 January	20,074	21,370	19,833	20,935
Accretion of interest (Note 7)	1,119	1,199	1,110	1,178
Payments	(2,595)	(2,495)	(2,395)	(2,280)
At 31 December	18,598	20,074	18,548	19,833

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19. Leases (cont'd.)

Group as a lessee (cont'd.)

#### (b) Lease liabilities (cont'd.)

Leases liabilities are payables as follows:

	Grou	up Comp		pany	
	2022 RM'000	2021 RM'000	2022 RM'000	2021 RM'000	
Current					
Current					
Less than one year	1,532	1,476	1,482	1,285	
Non-current					
More than 1 year and less than 2 years	1,571	1,532	1,571	1,482	
More than 2 years and less than 5 years	5,981	5,397	5,981	5,397	
5 years or more	9,514	11,669	9,514	11,669	
Total non-current lease liabilities	17,066	18,598	17,066	18,548	
	40,500	00.074	40 5 40	40.077	
Total lease liabilities	18,598	20,074	18,548	19,833	

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The maturity analysis of lease liabilities is disclosed in Note 33(b).

#### Group as a lessor

#### **Operating lease commitments**

The Group has entered into commercial property leases on its investment properties. These non-cancellable leases have remaining lease terms of between six months to five years and include clauses to enable periodic upward revision of the rental charge according to prevailing market conditions.

Future minimum rentals receivable under the non-cancellable operating leases as at 31 December are as follows:

	Grou	р
	2022 RM'000	2021 RM'000
Not later than 1 year	3,377	3,484
Later than 1 year but not later than 5 years	3,084	1,926
	6,461	5,410

	As at	31 December 2021	RM'000		
	Recognised in profit or	loss (Note 11)	RM'000		
	As at	1 January 2021	RM'000		
:DL					
elates to the followir					
Deferred tax as at 31 December relates to the following:				Group	Deferred tax liabilities:

Deferred tax liabilities:		
Property, plant and equipment	10	
Contract assets	166,206	
Investment properties	3,139	
	169,355	
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<b>Deferred tax assets:</b> Tax losses and capital allowances Loans and borrowings
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17,182	1,843	3,541
(106,588)	(41,602)	(5,020)
19,951	323	3,805

(126,539) (41,925) (8,825) (177,289)

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20. Deferred tax

As at

**31 December** 

loss (Note 11) RM'000

Recognised in profit or 2022 RM'000

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20. Deferred tax (cont'd.)

Presented after appropriate offsetting as follows:

Group	2022 RM'000	2021 RM'000
Deferred tax assets	(2,040)	(5,653)
Deferred tax liabilities	4,942	4,664
	2,902	(989)

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Deferred tax assets have not been recognised in respect of the following items:

	Group		Company	
	2022 RM'000	2021 RM'000	2022 RM'000	2021 RM'000
Unutilised tax losses	173,680	134,524	19,108	16,168
Unabsorbed capital allowances	4,648	4,230	3,316	3,145
Other deductible temporary differences	12,926	26,475	3,581	2,783
	191,254	165,229	26,005	22,096

Effective from Year of Assessment 2019, the unutilised tax losses of the Group as at 31 December 2020 and thereafter will only be available for carry forward for a period of 7 consecutive years. Upon expiry of the 7 years, the unutilised tax losses will be disregarded. The carry forward period for such losses was extended to 10 years based on Finance Act 2021 which was gazetted on 31 December 2021.

The unutilised tax losses and unabsorbed capital allowances of the Group and the Company are available for offsetting against future taxable profits of the respective entities within the Group and the Company, subject to no substantial changes in shareholdings of those entities under Income Tax Act, 1967 and guidelines issued by the tax authority, as follows:

	Group		Company	
	2022 RM'000	2021 RM'000	2022 RM'000	2021 RM'000
Utilisation period				
Indefinite	4,648	4,230	3,316	3,145
Within 6 years from recognition	61,304	-	11,071	-
Within 7 years from recognition	39,616	61,304	2,155	11,071
Within 8 years from recognition	15,939	39,616	1,062	2,155
Within 9 years from recognition	17,665	15,939	1,880	1,062
Within 10 years from recognition	39,156	17,665	2,940	1,880
	178,328	138,754	22,424	19,313

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# 21. Other investments

		Group		Company	
	Note	2022 RM'000	2021 RM'000	2022 RM'000	2021 RM'000
Current					
Amortised cost					
Amount placed with a financial services advisory firm	(a)	4,645	4,645	-	
Provision for impairment	(a)	(4,645)	(4,645)	-	
		-	-	-	-
Fair value through profit or loss					
Money market investment securities	(b)	139,680	134,350	5,575	553
		139,680	134,350	5,575	553

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(a) This was related to a principal amount of AUD1.5 million placed by a foreign subsidiary of the Group for a period of 24 months, which matured in 2021. The investment was expected to earn an interest at a fixed rate of 15% per annum.

This balance has been impaired in the year 2020 as the Group had not recovered this amount despite having submitted the request for the liquidation and redemption of this balance. The Group has also initiated legal proceedings against the financial advisory services firm involved for the recovery of this balance. The legal proceedings for the recovery of this balance are ongoing.

(b) The investment securities are restricted investment scheme in short-term money market instruments and deposit placements with an option to roll over the investments placed with licensed fund managers.

The income received from the investment securities shall where necessary, be remitted into the Escrow Account to meet the payment obligations arising from the Sukuk Murabahah as disclosed in Note 28(a).

#### 22. Contract assets/(liabilities)

	Group			
Contract assets	Note	2022 RM'000	2021 RM'000	
Property development Construction contract	(a) (b)	7,435 123 7,558	29,031 - 29,031	
Contract liabilities Property development	(a)	(3,923)	(4,650)	

(b)

- 22. Contract assets/(liabilities) (cont'd.)
  - (a) Contract assets/(liabilities) from property development

Group	2022 RM'000	2021 RM'000
Contract assets		
Accrued billings	7,435	29,031
Contract liabilities		
Progress billings	(3,923)	(4,650)
	3,512	24,381

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Set out below are the carrying amounts of contract assets recognised and the movements during the year:

Group	2022 RM'000	2021 RM'000
Contract assets		
At 1 January	24,381	(7,983)
Revenue recognised during the year	73,477	72,825
Progress billings during the year	(94,346)	(40,461)
At 31 December	3,512	24,381
) Contract assets from construction contract		
Group	2022 RM'000	2021 RM'000
Contract assets		
Accrued billings	123	-

Set out below are the carrying amounts of contract assets recognised and the movements during the year:

Group	2022 RM'000	2021 RM'000
At 1 January	-	-
Revenue recognised during the year	275	-
Progress billings during the year	(152)	-
At 31 December	123	-
Retention sum on construction contracts included in:		
- Trade payable	309	-

The directors of the Group measure the loss allowance on amounts due from customers at an amount equal to lifetime ECL, taking into account the historical default experience and the future prospects of the respective industry. There was no impairment loss recognised on contract asset at the end of the reporting period.

The management monitors the movement of the contracts assets balance and there is no balance which is assessed as past due or is to be impaired.

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	Group		Company	
	2022 RM'000	2021 RM'000	2022 RM'000	2021 RM'000
Prepayments	317	514	173	261
Consideration payable to customers	81	228	-	-
	398	742	173	261

Included in the consideration payable to customers are the cost for sales and purchase agreements as a result of entering into contract with customers.

#### 24. Cash and cash equivalents

		Group		Company	
	Note	2022 RM'000	2021 RM'000	2022 RM'000	2021 RM'000
Cash and bank balances	(a)	33,254	42,158	90	237
Deposits with licensed banks	(b)	2,816	2,793	-	-
Deposits, cash and bank balances	(c)	36,070	44,951	90	237
Less: Deposits with tenure of more than 3 months		(2,816)	(2,793)	-	-
Cash and cash equivalents	_	33,254	42,158	90	237

(a) Included in cash at bank of the Group is an amount of RM24,727,000 (2021: RM39,594,000) held pursuant to Section 7A of the Housing and Development (Control & Licensing) Act, 1966 and restricted from use in other operations.

- (b) The deposits with licensed banks of the Group and of the Company which are pledged are as follows:
  - (i) Deposits of RM970,000 (2021: RM483,000) pledged to banks as securities for credit facilities granted to subsidiaries.
  - (ii) Deposits of RM2,247,000 were pledged to a bank as collateral for credit facilities that were granted to a subsidiary in the prior year. The collateral has been discharged in the current financial year.
- (c) Cash at bank and on hand of the Group include an amount of RM186,000 (2021: RM58,000) maintained in Escrow Account and Finance Service Reserve Account to meet the payment obligations arising from the Sukuk Murabahah as disclosed in Note 28(a).

Cash at banks earns interest at floating rates based on daily bank deposit rates. Deposits are made for varying periods of between 1 month to 12 months, depending on the immediate cash requirements of the Group and of the Company, and earn interest at the respective deposit rates. As at reporting date, the effective interest rates of deposits of the Group and of the Company range from 1.75% to 2.75% (2021: 1.25% to 3.5%) per annum respectively.

#### 25. Share capital and treasury shares

	Group and Company			
	Number of	ordinary		
	Share capital (Issued and fully paid)	Treasury shares	Share capital (Issued and fully paid) RM'000	Treasury shares RM'000
At 1 January 2021, 31 December 2021, 1 January 2022 and 31 December 2022	316,684,717	(386,000)	399,016	(327)

#### 25. Share capital and treasury shares (cont'd.)

#### (a) Share capital

The holders of ordinary shares (except treasury shares) are entitled to receive dividends as and when declared by the Company. All ordinary shares carry one vote per share without restrictions and rank equally with regard to the Company's residual assets.

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#### (b) Treasury shares

Treasury shares relate to ordinary shares of the Company that are held by the Company. The amount consists of the acquisition cost of treasury shares net of the proceeds received on their subsequent sale or issuance.

The directors of the Company are committed to enhancing the value of the Company for its shareholders and believe that the repurchase plan can be applied in the best interests of the Company and its shareholders. The repurchase transactions were financed by internally generated funds. The shares repurchased are being held as treasury shares.

As at 31 December 2022, the Company held as treasury shares a total of 386,000 of its 316,684,717 (2021: 316,684,717) issued ordinary shares. Such treasury shares are held at a carrying amount of RM326,731.

#### 26. Other reserves

	Note	2022 RM'000	2021 RM'000
Foreign translation reserve	(a)	717	389
Capital contribution reserve	(b)	23,172	23,172
		23,889	23,561

#### (a) Foreign currency translation reserve

	Group RM'000
At 1 January 2021	(519)
Foreign currency translation	908
At 31 December 2021 and 1 January 2022	389
Foreign currency translation	328
At 31 December 2022	717

The foreign currency translation reserve represents exchange differences arising from the translation of the financial statements of foreign operations whose functional currency is different from that of the Group's presentation currency.

#### (b) Capital contribution reserve

A subsidiary of the Group, Encorp Bukit Katil Sdn. Bhd. ("EBKSB") had on 20 January 2016 entered into a Master Development Agreement with FELDA, the ultimate holding body, in which EBKSB accepts the development rights for the development of one (1) plot of leasehold land measuring approximately 640.98 acres held at Mukim Bukit Katil, District of Melaka Tengah in Melaka for a total cash consideration of RM583,600.000.

The capital contribution reserve represents the amount waived by FELDA of RM23,172,000 pursuant to a settlement agreement entered into between FELDA and EBKSB to discharge EBKSB's obligation on the land to FELDA for the Master Development Agreement.



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# 27. Trade and other payables

•	Trade and other payables Group	Note	2022 RM'000	2021 RM'000	Management Perspective pg 01 - 20
	Current				
	Trade payables				<b>Leadership</b> pg 21 - 30
	Amount due to:				g 21 -
	- third parties	(a)	9,627	13,557	ц й
	Land proprietor	(b)	6,480	-	
	Total trade payables	-	16,107	13,557	ť
	Other neurobles	_			Corporate Report pg 31 - 36
	Other payables				6 te R
	Amount due to: - immediate holding company		( 0 ( 0	( 0 / 7	pora 31 - 3
		(c)	6,060	6,867	pg
	Sundry payables		15,066	15,349	
	Provision for short-term accumulating compensated absences	(d)	245	237	
	Other accruals	()	32,062	35,668	oility
	Total other payables	-	53,433	58,121	ainak irt 7 - 66
	Total current trade and other payables	-	69,540	71,678	Sustainability Report pg 37 - 66
	Non-current				011 01
	Trade payables				<b>J</b> 4
	Retention sum on construction contracts		15,961	18,387	<b>In Focus</b> pg 67 - 74
	Land proprietor	(b)	2,822	-	L bd
	Non-controlling interest of a subsidiary	(f)	12,084	-	
	Total non-current trade payables		30,867	18,387	
	Total trade and other payables		100,407	90,065	ů.
	Company				Corporate Governance pg 75 - 104
	Current				Corp Cove Pg 7
	Trade payables				
	Amount due to third party	(a)	8	12	5 106
	Other payables				<b>Financials</b> pg 105 - 206
	Amount due to:				Pg .
	- subsidiaries	(e)	37,569	38,883	
	- immediate holding company	(c)	6,060	6,867	
	Sundry payables		2,937	1,638	<u>`v</u>
	Provision for short-term accumulating compensated absences	(d)	82	77	on 18
	Other accruals	-	5,740	5,820	Shareholdings' Information pg 207 - 218
	Total other payables	-	52,388	53,285	thare of 20
	Total trade and other payables		52,396	53,297	0 <u>-</u> 0

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- 27. Trade and other payables (cont'd.)
  - (a) The trade payables are non-interest bearing and the normal trade credit terms granted to the Group and the Company range from 14 to 60 days (2021: 14 to 60 days).

In the prior years, certain subsidiaries of the Group had commenced arbitration proceedings in relation to claims made against certain contractors which were involved in the property development projects of the Group. These contingent assets have not yet been recognised in the financial statements as at 31 December 2022, pending the outcome of the arbitration proceedings.

In addition, no incremental provisions have been recognised in relation to counter-claims by these contractors, as the Group has assessed, in consultation with its legal advisors that it is probable that the Group would be successful in its defense against these claims.

- (b) These are amounts due to IPSB in relation to the purchase of 1.6 acres of land at Bukit Kepayan, Kota Kinabalu. The outstanding amount is repayable to IPSB progressively in tandem with the progress of construction work or drawdown of financing facility. Further details are disclosed in Note 15(b)(ii) and 36.
- (c) Amount due to immediate holding company is unsecured, repayable on demand and bears interest rate of 5.08% (2021: 5.08%) except for an amount of RM5,725,000 (2021: RM5,725,000) which bears interest rate range of 6.00% (2021: 6.00%).
- (d) The movement of provision for short-term accumulating compensated absences is as follows:

	Group		Com	bany
	2022 RM'000	2021 RM'000	2022 RM'000	2021 RM'000
At beginning of financial year	237	243	77	98
Recognised in profit or loss (Note 9)	245	237	82	77
Utilised during the year	(237)	(243)	(77)	(98)
At end of financial year	245	237	82	77

- (e) The amounts due to subsidiaries are unsecured, non-interest bearing and are repayable on demand.
- (f) These are amounts due to TMSB in relation to the purchase of a piece of 4.97 acres freehold development land in Daerah Kuatan, Pahang. The outstanding amount is repayable to TMSB progressively in tandem with the sales collection of properties from the said land. Further details are disclosed in Note 15(a)(i) and 36.

#### 28. Loans and borrowings

Group         Company           2022         2021         2022           Note         RM'000         RM'000	2021
Note RM:000 RM:000 RM:000	
	RM'000
Current	
Secured:	
Sukuk Murabahah (a) 79,936 77,476 -	-
Term loan 1 (b) 13,502 -	-
Term loan 2 (c) 8,848 8,930 -	-
Revolving credit 1 (d) - 2,500 -	-
Revolving credit 2 (b) 12,500 -	-
Revolving credit 3 (e) 15,000 15,000 15,000	15,000
Revolving credit 4 (f) 6,000 7,400 -	-
Revolving credit 5         (g)         -         5,000         -	5,000
135,786 142,308 15,000	20,000

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#### 28. Loans and borrowings (cont'd)

Loans and borrowings (cont'd)		Grou	p	Comp	pany	Management Perspective pg 01 - 20
	Note	2022 RM'000	2021 RM'000	2022 RM'000	2021 RM'000	
Current (cont'd.)						Leadership pg 21 - 30
Unsecured:						-) Q
Lease liabilities	(h)	1,532	1,476	1,482	1,285	
Total current loans and borrowings		137,318	143,784	16,482	21,285	eport
Non-current						Corporate Report pg 31 - 36
Secured:						5
Sukuk Murabahah	(a)	494,171	574,384	-	-	abili <sup>.</sup> 66
Term loan 1	(b)	15,287	25,412	-	-	Sustainability Report pg 37 - 66
		509,458	599,796		_	Pg Rel Bg
Unsecured:						
Lease liabilities	(h)	17,066	18,598	17,066	18,548	\ <b>+</b>
Total non-current loans and borrowings		526,524	618,394	17,066	18,548	In Focus pg 67 - 74
Total loans and borrowings		663,842	762,178	33,548	39,833	

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The remaining maturities of loans and borrowings as at 31 December are as follows:

	Group		Compa	any
	2022 RM'000	2021 RM'000	2022 RM'000	2021 RM'000
On demand or within one year	137,318	143,784	16,482	21,285
More than 1 year and less than 2 years	107,885	95,246	1,570	1,482
More than 2 years and less than 5 years	334,783	322,253	5,981	5,397
5 years or more	83,856	200,895	9,515	11,669
	663,842	762,178	33,548	39,833

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- 28. Loans and borrowings (cont'd)
  - (a) Sukuk Murabahah

The weighted average effective interest rates of borrowings as at the reporting date is 9.72% (2021: 9.72%) per annum.

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A subsidiary of the Group, Encorp Systembilt Sdn. Bhd. had on 18 May 2012 issued Islamic Securities of Sukuk Murabahah ("Sukuk") based on the Shariah principle of Murabahah via a Tawarruq arrangement with a total nominal value of RM1.575 billion. The Sukuk was issued for the following purposes:

- to refinance all of the amounts outstanding under the existing Al-Bai' Bithaman Ajil Notes Issuance Facilities which had previously been issued to finance the planning, design, construction and completion of 10,000 units of teachers' quarters for the Government of Malaysia;
- (ii) to fund the Trustees' Reimbursement Account; and
- (iii) the balance, for the subsidiary's general corporate expenses which includes payments to defray expenses incurred in relation to the issuance of the Sukuk and a one-time dividend payment to its immediate holding company.

The Sukuk has a tenure of up to 16 years and matures on 18 May 2028. The principal amount of the Sukuk is divided into 31 tranches and redeemable semi-annually. The yield to maturity ranges from 8.37% to 10.44% per annum, and is repayable half yearly.

The Sukuk is secured over the following:

- (i) assignment of the concession payments in respect of 10,000 units of teachers' quarters under the Privatisation Agreement dated 9 February 1998 between the Government of Malaysia and the subsidiary;
- (ii) a debenture to create a first ranking fixed and floating charge over all present and future assets of the subsidiary; and
- (iii) first ranking charge and assignment of the designated accounts which include:
  - an Escrow Account in which all the payments from the Government of Malaysia pursuant to the Privatisation Agreement and all other income, revenue or proceeds received by the subsidiary (save for proceeds from the Sukuk) are to be deposited and shall be operated solely by the Security Trustee; and
  - a Finance Service Reserve Account utilised solely for the profit payments under the Sukuk falling due and payable and shall be solely operated by the Security Trustee.

The major covenants that are required to be complied by the subsidiary are as follows:

- (i) to maintain a Finance Service Cover Ratio of at least 1.20 times throughout the tenure of the Sukuk Murabahah to be duly confirmed by the external auditors based on the latest audited financial statements on an annual basis; and
- (ii) to maintain an amount equivalent to the next immediate profit payment in the Finance Service Reserve Account at least three (3) months prior to such profit payment due date.



### 28. Loans and borrowings (cont'd.)

(b) Term loan 1 and revolving credit 2

Term loan 1 is at bank's one-month effective cost of funds + 3.50% (2021: cost of funds + 3.50%) per annum. Revolving credit 2 of RM12.5 million is at effective cost of funds + 2.75% (2021: cost of funds + 2.75%) per annum.

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These loans are secured by a fixed charge over the Group's two units of terrace shop offices recognised as property, plant and equipment as disclosed in Note 13, two units of terrace shop offices recognised as investment properties as disclosed in Note 14, leasehold land included in investment properties as disclosed in Note 14, assignment over the project account and debenture over fixed and floating charge.

(c) Term loan 2

The term Ioan 2 has been renewed in current year at 5.61% (2021: 3.09%) per annum. The Ioan is secured by a fixed deposit as disclosed in Note 24(b)(i), three penthouse units located at Western Australia as disclosed in Note 15(c), freehold land as disclosed in Note 15(a) and corporate guarantee provided by the Company and a deed of subordination. During the year, the security over the freehold land as disclosed in Note 15(a) has been discharged.

(d) Revolving credit 1

The revolving credit 1 has been fully repaid in current year. In the prior year, the revolving credit 1 is at effective cost of funds + 1.25% per annum.

In prior year, the facility was secured with two units terrace shop offices as disclosed in Note 14 together with the assignment of rental proceeds and corporate guarantee provided by the Company. During the year, the securities for the facility have been discharged.

(e) Revolving credit 3

Revolving credit 3 is at cost of funds + 2% per annum. Five units of terrace shop offices have been charged for the revolving credit facility 3 as disclosed in Note 14.

(f) Revolving credit 4

Revolving credit 4 is at cost of funds + 1.25% per annum. In prior year, the facility was secured via the legal charge and assignment over the FSRA. During the current year, the bank has increased the facility and secured with fifteen units of terrace shop offices as disclosed in Note 14 and assignment over the sales proceeds of the Housing Development Account.

(g) Revolving credit 5

The revolving credit 5 has been fully repaid in current year. In the prior year, the revolving credit is at cost of funds + 1.50% per annum. Six units of terrace shop offices as disclosed in Note 15(c) have been discharged for the revolving credit 5 facility.

(h) Lease liabilities

The incremental borrowing rate of the lease liabilities are 5.82% - 6.32% (2021: 5.50% - 6.32%).

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#### 29. Other current liabilities

		Group		
Current	Note	2022 RM'000	2021 RM′000	
Provision for Liquidated and Ascertained Damages	(a)	3,823	4,655	

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#### (a) Provision for liability - Liquidated and Ascertained Damages

The provision is in respect of the estimated liquidated and ascertained damages payable arising from the property development projects undertaken by the Group.

	Group		
	2022 RM'000	2021 RM'000	
At 1 January	4,655	5,412	
Reversal to profit or loss	(412)	(51)	
Payments made	(420)	(706)	
At 31 December	3,823	4,655	

The Group is involved in certain legal cases involving claims for compensation for the late delivery and the specific performance for the construction of certain public infrastructure relating to a completed property development project of the Group. No incremental provisions have been made in relation to these claims in the current and prior years, as the Group has assessed, in consultation with its legal advisors, that it is probable that the Group would be successful in defending these claims.

30. Financial guarantees

The Company has provided the following guarantees at the reporting date:

Corporate guarantees given to banks of RM8,848,000 (2021: RM11,448,000) for credit facilities granted to subsidiaries.

The management has assessed and concluded that there is no indication that the corporate guarantees would crystalise and no provision for expected credit loss has been provided on these guarantees as the borrowings are also secured over the inventories and other inventories of the subsidiaries. Consequently, the fair value of the corporate guarantees is assessed as nil.

#### 31. Significant related party transactions

#### (a) Sales and purchases of goods and services

In addition to transactions detailed elsewhere in the financial statements, the Group and the Company had the following transactions with related parties during the financial year:

Group	2022 RM'000	2021 RM′000
Interest charged on advances from immediate holding company	443	382



<ol> <li>Significant related party transactions (cont'd</li> </ol>	31.	Significant relat	ed party transactions	(cont'd.)
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#### (a) Sales and purchases of goods and services (cont'd.)

In addition to transactions detailed elsewhere in the financial statements, the Group and the Company had the following transactions with related parties during the financial year: (cont'd.)

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	Note	2022 RM'000	2021 RM'000	
Company				
Management fees charged to subsidiaries	(i)	(3,840)	(3,840)	
Rental payable to subsidiary	(ii)	439	450	
Interest charged to subsidiaries		(127)	(174)	
Coupon payable on Redeemable Convertible Secured Loan Stocks ("RCSLS") charged to subsidiary	(iii)	(3,035)	(3,122)	

- (i) The rendering of services to subsidiaries have been entered into in the normal course of business and are repayable at negotiated terms.
- (ii) The rental payable to the subsidiary has been entered into in the normal course of business and is repayable at negotiated term.
- (iii) The coupon payable on RCSLS charged to MEDSB is in relation to the interest on RCSLS proceed advanced to MEDSB for its current projects.

Information regarding outstanding balances arising from related party transactions as at 31 December 2022 and 31 December 2021 are disclosed in Notes 18 and 27.

(b) Compensation of key management personnel

Key management personnel are those persons having authority and responsibility for planning, directing and controlling the activities of the entity either directly or indirectly.

The remuneration of directors and other members of key management during the year was as follows:

	Group		Company	
	2022 RM'000	2021 RM'000	2022 RM'000	2021 RM'000
Salaries and other emoluments	660	754	660	754
Contributions to defined contribution plans	93	92	93	92
Other staff related expenses	116	171	116	171
	869	1,017	869	1,017

#### 32. Fair value measurements

#### Fair value hierarchy

The Group's and the Company's financial instruments are analysed in a three level fair value hierarchy based on the significance of inputs.

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#### Level 1

Quoted (unadjusted) market prices in active markets for identical assets or liabilities.

#### Level 2

Input other than quoted prices included within level 1 that are observable for the asset or liability, either directly (i.e. as prices) or indirectly (i.e. derived from prices).

Level 3

Input for the asset or liability that are not based on observable market data (unobservable input).

The following table provides the fair value measurement hierarchy of the Group's and of the Company's assets:

At 31 December 2022	
Investment properties (Note 14):	
- Shopping mall 165,	0 165,100
- Terrace shop office 118,	0 118,880
- Car park units 7,8	0 7,800
Financial assets:	
- Investment securities carried at fair value	
through profit or loss (Note 21) - 139,680	- 139,680
- 139,680 291,	431,460
At 31 December 2021	
Investment properties (Note 14):	
- Shopping mall - 164,(	0 164,000
- Terrace shop office - 118,	0 118,490
- Car park units 7,5	0 7,800
Financial assets:	
- Investment securities carried at fair value	
through profit or loss (Note 21) - 134,350	- 134,350
- 134,350 290,	0 424,640
Company	
At 31 December 2022	
Financial assets:	
- Investment securities carried at fair value through profit or loss (Note 21) - 5,575	- 5,575
At 31 December 2021	
Financial assets:	
- Investment securities carried at fair value through profit or loss (Note 21) - 553	- 553



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#### 32. Fair value measurements (cont'd.)

Description of valuation techniques used and key inputs to valuation on investment properties measured at level 3:

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Property category	Valuation technique	Significant unobservable inputs	Range
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At 31 December 2	022		
Terrace Shop office	Market comparable approach	Difference in location, time factor, size, land usage, tenure and main road frontage	2.5%-5%
Shopping mall	Investment method	Estimated rental rates Outgoings Allowance for void Reversionary yield rates Term yield rates	RM1.80 to RM8.50 psf RM2.00 psf 15% 4.5% 4.25%
Car park units	Market comparable approach	Difference in location, time factor, size, land usage, tenure and main road frontage	Adjusted range of RM15,328 – RM18,879 per bay
	Investment method	Estimated rental rates Outgoings Allowance for void Capitalisation rate	RM105 per bay/month 25% 10% 6.50%
At 31 December 2	021		
Terrace Shop office	Market comparable approach	Difference in location, time factor, size, land usage, tenure and main road frontage	2.5%-5%
Shopping mall	Investment method	Estimated rental rates Outgoings Allowance for void Reversionary yield rates Term yield rates	RM1.80 to RM9.00 psf RM1.50 psf 15% 5.3% 5%
Car park units	Market comparable approach	Difference in location, time factor, size, land usage, tenure and main road frontage	Adjusted range of RM15,328 – RM18,879 per bay
	Investment method	Estimated rental rates Outgoings Allowance for void Capitalisation rate	RM105 per bay/month 25% 10% 6.50%

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#### 32. Fair value measurements (cont'd.)

#### Terrace shop offices

In arriving at the market value, the valuer adopted the market comparison method. This method of valuation seeks to determine the value of the property being valued by comparing and adopting recent transactions and sale evidence involving other similar properties in the viciniity as a yardstick. Due considerations are given for such factors including location, plot size, land usage, tenure and proximity to the main road.

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#### Shopping mall

The fair values were determined based on the capitalisation of net income method ("investment method") and is premised on the principle that the value of an income-producing property is represented by the "present worth of future rights to income, or utility". The values estimated under this method are derived by ascertaining the market rent of the properties ("estimated rental rates"), deducting all reasonable annual operating expenses ("outgoings") (as would be experienced under typical management) and then capitalising the resultant net operating income by an appropriate rate ("reversionary yield rates") of capitalisation to obtain the present value of the income stream. In undertaking their assessment of the value using this approach, the market rental income and expected future rental income are taken into consideration. In arriving at the net income, the outgoings i.e. quit rent, assessment, insurance coverage, repairs and maintenance and management, are deducted from gross rental income together with allowance for void ("allowance for void").

#### Car park units

In arriving at the market value, the valuer adopted comparison approach and income approach by investment method.

The comparison approach considers the sales of similar or substitute properties and related market data, and establishes a value estimate by adjustments made for differences in factors that affect value.

Income approach by investment method involved capitalisation of the net annual income stream that is expected to be received from the property after deducting the annual outgoings and other operating expenses incidental to the property with allowance for void by using an appropriate market derived capitalisation rate.

#### Sensitivity analysis for fair value of the shopping mall

The following table demonstrates the sensitivity of the fair value and the impact to the profit and loss to the changes in estimated rental rate, outgoings, allowance for void, reversionary yield rate and term yield rate with all other variables held constant.

		2022 Increase/(Decrease) Loss net of tax RM'000	2021 Increase/(Decrease) Loss net of tax RM'000
Estimated rental rates	+ 10%	16,600	23,000
	- 10%	(16,600)	(23,000)
Outgoings	+ 10%	(10,000)	(7,000)
	- 10%	10,000	7,000
Allowance for void	+ 10%	(7,900)	(10,000)
	- 10%	7,900	10,000
Reversionary yield rates	+ 1%	(27,900)	(25,000)
	- 1%	40,300	35,000
Term yield rates	+ 1%	(31)	(21)
	- 1%	31	21



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32.	Fair value	measurements	(cont'd.)
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Financial instruments that are not carried at fair value and whose carrying amounts are reasonable approximation of fair value

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The following are classes of financial instruments that are not carried at fair value and whose carrying amounts are reasonable approximation of fair value:

	Note
Trade and other receivables (non-current and current)	18
Other investments	21
Cash and cash equivalents	24
Trade and other payables (non-current and current)	27
Loans and borrowings (non-current and current)	28

The carrying amounts of these financial assets and liabilities are reasonable approximation of fair values, either due to their short-term nature or that they are floating rate instruments that are repriced to market interest rates on or near the reporting date.

The carrying amounts of the current portion of loans and borrowings are reasonable approximation of fair values due to the insignificant impact of discounting.

#### Amounts due from/to related parties, finance lease obligations and loans and borrowings

The fair values of these financial instruments are estimated by discounting expected future cash flows at market incremental lending rate for similar types of lending, borrowing or leasing arrangements at the reporting date.

#### **Financial guarantees**

Fair value is determined based on probability weighted discounted cash flow method. The probability has been estimated and assigned for the following key assumptions:

- The likelihood of the guaranteed party defaulting within the guaranteed period;
- The exposure on the portion that is not expected to be recovered due to the guaranteed party's default; and
- The estimated loss exposure if the party guaranteed was to default.

Detail is as disclosed in Note 30.

**Categories of financial instrument:** 

Group	Note	2022 RM'000	2021 RM'000
Financial assets			
At amortised costs:			
Trade and other receivables	18	564,034	650,160
Cash and cash equivalents	24	36,070	44,951
At fair value through profit or loss:			
Other investment	21	139,680	134,350

32. Fair value measurements (cont'd.)

Categories of financial instrument: (cont'd.)

Group (cont'd.)	Note	2022 RM'000	2021 RM'000
Financial liabilities			
At amortised costs:			
Trade and other payables	27	100,407	90,065
Loans and borrowings	28	663,842	762,178
Company			
Financial assets			
At amortised costs:			
Trade and other receivables	18	71,513	90,280
Cash and cash equivalents	24	90	237
At fair value through profit or loss:			
Other investment	21	5,575	553
Financial liabilities			
At amortised costs:			
Trade and other payables	27	52,396	53,297
Loans and borrowings	28	33,548	39,833

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#### 33. Financial risk management objectives and policies

The Group and the Company are exposed to financial risks arising from their operations and the use of financial instruments. The key financial risks include credit risk, liquidity risk, interest rate risk and foreign currency risk.

The Board of Directors reviews and agrees policies and procedures for the management of these risks which are executed by the Risk Management Committee. The audit committee provides independent oversight to the effectiveness of the risk management process.

It is, and has been throughout the current and previous financial year, the Group's policy that no derivatives shall be undertaken except for the use as hedging instruments where appropriate and cost-efficient. The Group and the Company do not apply hedge accounting.

The following sections provide details regarding the Group's and the Company's exposure to the above-mentioned financial risks and the objectives, policies and processes for the management of these risks.

#### (a) Credit risk management

Credit risk is the risk of loss that may arise on outstanding financial instruments should a counterparty default on its obligations. The Group's and the Company's exposure to credit risk arises primarily from sales made on deferred credit terms. For other financial assets (including cash and cash equivalents and short-term investment), the Group and the Company minimise credit risk by dealing exclusively with high credit rating counterparties.

The Group's credit risk is primarily attributable to trade receivables. The Group trades only with recognised and creditworthy third parties. It is the Group's policy that all customers who wish to trade on credit terms are subject to credit verification procedures. In addition, receivable balances are monitored on an ongoing basis and the Group's exposure to bad debts is not significant.

All trade and other receivables and contract assets are subject to impairment review at the end of the reporting period. The collateral mitigates credit risk and would reduce the extent of impairment allowance for the assets subject to impairment review.



# 33. Financial risk management objectives and policies (cont'd.)

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#### (a) Credit risk management (cont'd.)

Exposure to credit risk

As at the reporting date, the Group has a concentration of credit risk as disclosed in Note 18. Apart from this, the Group does not have any significant exposure to any individual customer or counterparty nor does it have any major concentration of credit risk related to any financial assets.

The details of the financial guarantees provided by the Company to its subsidiaries and the assessment of the expected credit loss and fair values are disclosed in Note 30.

#### Credit risk concentration profile

The Group determines concentration of credit risk by monitoring the industry sector profile of its trade receivables on an ongoing basis. The credit risk concentration profile of the Group's trade receivables at the reporting date is as follows:

Group	2022		2021	
	RM'000	% of total	RM'000	% of total
By industry sectors				
Concessionaire sector	543,349	98%	621,498	97%
Property development sector	10,454	2%	17,292	3%
Investment property *	2,822	0%	2,954	0%
Other sector *	291	0%	286	0%
	556,916	100%	642,030	100%

\* Less than 1% of total receivables

#### Financial assets that are neither past due nor impaired

Information regarding trade receivables that are neither past due nor impaired as disclosed in Note 18. Deposits with banks that are neither past due nor impaired are placed with or entered into with reputable financial institutions or companies with high credit ratings and no history of default.

#### (b) Liquidity risk management

Liquidity risk is the risk that the Group or the Company will encounter difficulty in meeting financial obligations due to shortage of funds. The Group's and the Company's exposure to liquidity risk arises primarily from the mismatches of the maturities of financial assets and liabilities. The Group's and the Company's objective is to maintain a balance between continuity of funding and flexibility through the use of stand-by credit facilities.

#### Analysis of financial instruments by remaining contractual maturities

Prudent liquidity risk management implies maintaining sufficient cash and the availability of funding through an adequate amount of committed credit facilities. Due to the dynamic nature of the underlying businesses, the Group and the Company aim at maintaining flexibility in funding by keeping committed credit lines available.

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- 33. Financial risk management objectives and policies (cont'd.)
  - (b) Liquidity risk management (cont'd.)

#### Analysis of financial instruments by remaining contractual maturities (cont'd.)

The table below summarises the maturity profile of the Group's and of the Company's liabilities at the reporting date based on contractual undiscounted repayment obligations.

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At 31 December 2022         Financial liabilities         Trade and other payables       75,630       28,882       -       104,512         Loans and borrowings       198,871       558,762       216,582       984,215         Total undiscounted financial liabilities       274,501       597,644       216,582       1,088,727         At 31 December 2021       Financial liabilities       77,548       13,641       -       91,189         Loans and borrowings       204,185       580,259       219,346       1,003,790         Total undiscounted financial liabilities       281,733       593,900       219,346       1,094,979         Company       At 31 December 2022       Image: Second	Group	On demand or within one year RM'000	One to five years RM'000	Over five years RM'000	Total RM'000
Trade and other payables       75,630       28,882       -       104,512         Loans and borrowings       198,871       568,762       216,582       984,215         Total undiscounted financial liabilities       274,501       597,644       216,582       1,088,727         At 31 December 2021       Financial liabilities       77,548       13,641       -       91,189         Loans and borrowings       204,185       580,259       219,346       1,003,790         Loans and borrowings       204,185       580,259       219,346       1,094,979         Company       At 31 December 2022       Financial liabilities       281,733       593,900       219,346       1,094,979         Company       At 31 December 2022       Financial liabilities       70,559       10,674       10,501       39,338         Total undiscounted financial liabilities       70,559       10,674       10,501       91,734         At 31 December 2021       Financial liabilities       70,559       10,674       10,501       91,734         At 31 December 2021       Financial liabilities       70,559       10,674       10,501       91,734         At 31 December 2021       Financial liabilities       73,220       -       -       53,220	At 31 December 2022				
Loans and borrowings         198,871         568,762         216,582         984,215           Total undiscounted financial liabilities         274,501         597,644         216,582         1,088,727           At 31 December 2021         Financial liabilities         77,548         13,641         91,189           Loans and borrowings         204,185         580,259         219,346         1,003,790           Loans and borrowings         204,185         580,259         219,346         1,003,790           Total undiscounted financial liabilities         281,733         593,900         219,346         1,094,979           Company         At 31 December 2022         Financial liabilities         52,396         -         -         52,396           Loans and borrowings         18,163         10,674         10,501         39,338           Total undiscounted financial liabilities         70,559         10,674         10,501         91,734           At 31 December 2021         Financial liabilities         70,559         10,674         10,501         91,734           At 31 December 2021         Example 10,0421         13,265         46,926         53,220         -         53,220           Loans and borrowings         23,240         10,421         13,265 <td>Financial liabilities</td> <td></td> <td></td> <td></td> <td></td>	Financial liabilities				
Total undiscounted financial liabilities       274,501       597,644       216,582       1,088,727         At 31 December 2021       Financial liabilities       77,548       13,641       -       91,189         Loans and borrowings       204,185       580,259       219,346       1,003,790         Total undiscounted financial liabilities       281,733       593,900       219,346       1,094,979         Company       At 31 December 2022       Financial liabilities       70,559       -       -       52,396         Financial liabilities       70,559       10,674       10,501       39,338       70,559       10,674       10,501       91,734         At 31 December 2021       Financial liabilities       70,559       10,674       10,501       91,734         At 31 December 2021       Financial liabilities       70,559       10,674       10,501       91,734         At 31 December 2021       Financial liabilities       70,559       10,674       10,501       91,734         At 31 December 2021       Einancial liabilities       73,220       -       -       53,220         Loans and borrowings       23,240       10,421       13,265       46,926	Trade and other payables	75,630	28,882	-	104,512
At 31 December 2021         Financial liabilities         Trade and other payables       77,548         Loans and borrowings       204,185         580,259       219,346         1,003,790         Total undiscounted financial liabilities       281,733         593,900       219,346         1,094,979         Company         At 31 December 2022         Financial liabilities         Trade and other payables       52,396         Loans and borrowings       18,163         10,674       10,501         29,338       70,559         Total undiscounted financial liabilities       70,559         Trade and other payables       53,220         Loans and borrowings       53,220         Trade and other payables       53,220         Loans and borrowings       23,240         10,421       13,265         46,926	Loans and borrowings	198,871	568,762	216,582	984,215
Financial liabilities         Trade and other payables       77,548       13,641       -       91,189         Loans and borrowings       204,185       580,259       219,346       1,003,790         Total undiscounted financial liabilities       281,733       593,900       219,346       1,094,979         Company       At 31 December 2022       -       -       52,396       -       -       52,396         Financial liabilities       52,396       -       -       52,396       -       -       52,396         Loans and borrowings       18,163       10,674       10,501       39,338       39,338         Total undiscounted financial liabilities       70,559       10,674       10,501       91,734         At 31 December 2021       -       -       53,220       -       -       53,220         Financial liabilities       53,220       -       -       53,220       -       53,220         Loans and borrowings       53,220       -       -       53,220       -       53,220         Loans and borrowings       23,240       10,421       13,265       46,926       46,926	Total undiscounted financial liabilities	274,501	597,644	216,582	1,088,727
Trade and other payables       77,548       13,641       -       91,189         Loans and borrowings       204,185       580,259       219,346       1,003,790         Total undiscounted financial liabilities       281,733       593,900       219,346       1,094,979         Company       At 31 December 2022       -       -       52,396       -       -       52,396         Financial liabilities       70,559       10,674       10,501       39,338       39,338         Total undiscounted financial liabilities       70,559       10,674       10,501       91,734         At 31 December 2021       -       -       53,220       -       -       53,220         Financial liabilities       70,559       10,674       10,501       91,734         At 31 December 2021       -       -       53,220       -       -       53,220         Loans and borrowings       53,220       -       -       53,220       -       -       53,220         Loans and borrowings       23,240       10,421       13,265       46,926	At 31 December 2021				
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Total undiscounted financial liabilities       281,733       593,900       219,346       1,094,979         Company       At 31 December 2022         Financial liabilities       52,396       -       -       52,396         Trade and other payables       52,396       -       -       52,396         Loans and borrowings       18,163       10,674       10,501       39,338         Total undiscounted financial liabilities       70,559       10,674       10,501       91,734         At 31 December 2021       Financial liabilities       Trade and other payables       53,220       -       -       53,220         Loans and borrowings       23,240       10,421       13,265       46,926	Trade and other payables	77,548	13,641	-	91,189
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Financial liabilities         Trade and other payables       52,396       -       -       52,396         Loans and borrowings       18,163       10,674       10,501       39,338         Total undiscounted financial liabilities       70,559       10,674       10,501       91,734         At 31 December 2021       Financial liabilities       53,220       -       -       53,220         Trade and other payables       53,220       -       -       53,220         Loans and borrowings       23,240       10,421       13,265       46,926	Company				
Trade and other payables       52,396       -       -       52,396         Loans and borrowings       18,163       10,674       10,501       39,338         Total undiscounted financial liabilities       70,559       10,674       10,501       91,734         At 31 December 2021              Financial liabilities       53,220       -       -       53,220         Loans and borrowings       23,240       10,421       13,265       46,926	At 31 December 2022				
Loans and borrowings       18,163       10,674       10,501       39,338         Total undiscounted financial liabilities       70,559       10,674       10,501       91,734         At 31 December 2021       Financial liabilities         Trade and other payables       53,220       -       -       53,220         Loans and borrowings       23,240       10,421       13,265       46,926	Financial liabilities				
Total undiscounted financial liabilities       70,559       10,674       10,501       91,734         At 31 December 2021       Financial liabilities       70,559       10,674       10,501       91,734         Financial liabilities       70,559       10,674       10,501       91,734         Trade and other payables       53,220       -       -       53,220         Loans and borrowings       23,240       10,421       13,265       46,926	Trade and other payables	52,396	-	-	52,396
At 31 December 2021           Financial liabilities           Trade and other payables         53,220         -         -         53,220           Loans and borrowings         23,240         10,421         13,265         46,926	Loans and borrowings	18,163	10,674	10,501	39,338
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Trade and other payables       53,220       -       -       53,220         Loans and borrowings       23,240       10,421       13,265       46,926	At 31 December 2021				
Loans and borrowings         23,240         10,421         13,265         46,926	Financial liabilities				
	Trade and other payables	53,220	-	-	53,220
Total undiscounted financial liabilities         76,460         10,421         13,265         100,146	Loans and borrowings	23,240	10,421	13,265	46,926
	Total undiscounted financial liabilities	76,460	10,421	13,265	100,146



#### 33. Financial risk management objectives and policies (cont'd.)

#### (c) Interest rate risk management

Interest rate risk is the risk that the fair value or future cash flows of the Group's and of the Company's financial instruments will fluctuate because of the changes in market interest rates.

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The Group's exposure to market risk for changes in interest rates relates primarily to the Group's debt obligations. The Group adopts a policy of constantly monitoring movements in interest rates. Presently, it does not use derivative financial instruments to hedge its interest rate risk.

The Group's policy is to manage interest cost using a mix of fixed and floating rate debts.

Sensitivity analysis for interest rate risk

At the reporting date, if interest rates had been 10 basis points lower/higher, with all other variables held constant, the Group's loss net of tax would have been RM38,000 (2021: RM18,060) lower/higher, arising mainly as a result of lower/higher net of interest received from the floating rate other investment and deposit with loans and borrowings. The assumed movement in basis points for interest rate sensitivity analysis is based on the currently observable market environment.

#### (d) Foreign currency exchange risk management

Foreign currency risk is the risk that the fair value or future cash flows of a financial instrument will fluctuate because of changes in foreign exchange rates.

The Group holds cash and cash equivalents and other investments denominated in foreign currency for working capital purposes. At the reporting date, such foreign currency balances (mainly in Australian Dollar ("AUD")) amounted to RM981,000 (2021: RM557,000) for the Group.

There is no impact on the equity of the Group and the Company arising from a reasonably possible change in the interest rate.

The Group maintains a natural hedge, whenever possible, by borrowing in the currency of the country in which the investment is located or by borrowing in currency that match the future revenue stream to be generated from its investment.

The Group is also exposed to currency translation risk arising from its net investments in foreign operation in Australia. The Group's net investments in Australia is not hedged as it is considered to be long-term in nature.

#### Sensitivity analysis for foreign currency risk

The following table demonstrates the sensitivity of the Group's loss net of tax to a reasonably possible strengthening in the AUD exchange rates against the functional currency of the Group, with all other variables held constant.

	Gro	pup
	2022 Increase/(Decrease) Loss net of Tax RM'000	2021 Increase/(Decrease) Loss net of Tax RM'000
AUD/RM		
- strengthened 1% (2021: 2%)	(1)	(15)
- weakened 1% (2021: 2%)	1	15

There is no impact on the equity of the Group and the Company arising from a reasonably possible change in the interest rate.

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#### 34. Capital management

The primary objective of the Group's capital management is to ensure that it maintains a strong credit rating and healthy capital ratios in order to support its business and maximise shareholders' value.

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The Group manages its capital structure and makes adjustments to it, in light of changes in economic conditions. To maintain or adjust the capital structure, the Group may adjust the return of capital to shareholders or issue new shares. No changes were made in the objectives, policies or processes during the years ended 31 December 2022 and 31 December 2021.

The Group monitors capital using a gearing ratio, which is net debt divided by total capital plus net debt. The Group's policy is to keep the gearing ratio to not more than 100%. The Group includes within net debt, loans and borrowings (excluding Sukuk), trade and other payables, less cash and cash equivalents, fixed deposits and investment securities. Capital includes equity attributable to the owners of the parent and non-controlling interest.

		Grou	р	Compa	ny
	Note	2022 RM'000	2021 RM'000	2022 RM'000	2021 RM'000
Loans and borrowings	28	663,842	762,178	33,548	39,833
Trade and other payables	27	100,407	90,065	52,396	53,297
Less:					
Sukuk Murabahah	28	(574,107)	(651,860)	_	-
Other investments	21	(139,680)	(134,350)	(5,575)	(553)
Cash and cash equivalents	24	(36,070)	(44,951)	(90)	(237)
Net debt	-	14,392	21,082	80,279	92,340
Equity attributable to the					
owners of the parent		333,936	353,749	137,299	146,032
Non-controlling interest	_	89,107	87,095		-
Total capital	_	423,043	440,844	137,299	146,032
Capital and net debt	-	437,435	461,926	217,578	238,372
Gearing ratio	-	3%	5%	37%	39%

The Sukuk Murabahah has been excluded from the computation above as the Sukuk is secured over security as disclosed in Note 28(a) and the Sukuk do not have any financial recourse to the Group.



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# 35. Segment information

For management purposes, the Group is organised into six main business units based on their products, and has six reportable operating segments as follows:

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- (i) Investment holding and the provision of management services;
- (ii) Concessionaire;
- (iii) Construction management;
- (iv) Property development;
- (v) Investment property; and
- (vi) Others Trading of building materials, food and beverage operation and provision of facilities management.

Except as indicated above, no operating segments has been aggregated to form the above reportable operating segments.

Management monitors the operating results of its business units separately for the purpose of making decisions about resource allocation and performance assessment. Segment performance is evaluated based on operating profit or loss which, in certain respects as explained in the table below, is measured differently from operating profit or loss in the consolidated financial statements. Income taxes are managed on a group basis and are not allocated to operating segments.

The directors are of the opinion that all inter-segment transactions have been entered into in the normal course of business.

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Per consolidated financial statements RM'000		137,494	I	137,494			4,315	(65,942)	(2,392)	836	5	533	1,463
Notes			۷									ш	
Adjustment and eliminations RM'000		I	(10,961)	(10,961)			(12,270)	12,283	(101)	I	I	(14)	(450)
Others * RM'000		440	5,546	5,986			2	(17)	(2)	I	I	ω	ı
Construction project management RM'000		ı	I	T			3	(15)	ı	I	I	I	ı
Investment property RM'000		5,035	866	5,901			~	(9,058)	(283)	9	I	17	1,913
Property development RM'000		73,388	I	73,388			10,340	(6,889)	(09)	830	5	336	I
Concessionaire RM'000		58,631	I	58,631			3,001	(59,917)	(2)	I	I	155	I
Investment and the provision of management services RM'000		'	4,549	4,549			3,238	(2,329)	(1,944)	I	I	31	,
	At 31 December 2022 Revenue	External customers	Inter-segment	Total revenue	Results:	Interest income and distribution	income	Interest expense	Depreciation and amortisation	Rental income	Grant income	Other non-cash income	Fair value gain on investment property

	Investment and the provision of management services RM'000	Concessionaire RM'000	Property development RM'000	Investment property RM'000	Construction project management RM'000	Others * RM'000	Adjustment and eliminations RM'000	Notes	Per consolidated financial statements RM'000
At 31 December 2022 (cont'd.)									
Results: (cont'd.) Inventories written down Segment (loss)/profit	- (15,270)	- 284	(13,663) (18,453)	- (9,412)	- (1,592)	- (1,343)	28 27,582		(13,635) (18,204)
Assets: Additions to non-current assets Segment assets	158 256,283	4 676,666	18,598 538,023	692 317,558	- 56,683	4 2,342	(28) (646,669)		19,428 1,200,886
Segment liabilities	95,003	575,081	270,841	374,005	15,185	13,939	(566,211)	ш	777,843

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Per consolidated financial Notes statements RM'000		146,704	-	146,704			3,383	(73,161)		(2,378)	752	106		B 416	1007 L/
Adjustment and eliminations Nv RM'000		I	(6,725) /	(6,725)			(11,927)	11,927		(100)	I	I			
Others * RM'000		I	ı				2	(5)		(4)	I	I		I	
Construction project management RM'000		I	I	I			-	(14)		ı	I	I		I	
Investment property RM'000		4,585	829	5,414			I	(8,669)		(248)	I	58		81	1021 07
Property development RM'000		76,081		76,081			8,929	(6,951)		(80)	752	15		146	
Concessionaire RM'000		66,038		66,038			3,048	(67,042)		(1)	I	I		133	
Investment and the provision of management services RM'000		I	5,896	5,896			3,330	(2,407)		(1,945)	I	33		56	
	At 31 December 2021 Revenue	External customers	Inter-segment	Total revenue	Results:	Interest income and distribution	income	Interest expense	Depreciation and	amortisation	Rental income	Grant income	Other non-cash	income	Fair value loss on investment

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35. Segment information (cont'd.)

	Investment and the provision of				Construction		Adjustment		Per consolidated
	management	Conressionaire	Property development	Investment	project manadement	Others *	and Aliminations	Notes	financial statements
	RM'000	RM'000	RM'000	RM'000	RM'000	RM'000	RM'000		RM'000
At 31 December 2021 (cont'd.)									
Results: (cont'd.)									
Inventories written down	I	I	(4,148)	I	ı	I	17		(4,131)
Segment (loss)/profit	(8,123)	404	1,615	(11,618)	(563)	(668)	10,786		(8,167)

	489	1,308,949	868,105
	U		ш
	ı	(644,329)	(537,265)
	I	496	9,913
	ı	50,339	7,249
	13	305,469	352,696
	426	567,969	287,701
	04	753,698	652,479
	47	275,307	95,332
Assets:	Additions to non-current assets	Segment assets	Segment liabilities

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35. Segment information (cont'd.)

- 35. Segment information (cont'd.)
  - A Inter-segment revenues were eliminated on consolidation.
  - B Other material non-cash income consist of the following items as presented in the respective notes to the financial statements:

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	Note	2022 RM'000	2021 RM'000
Other Income-Purchasers related income		301	125
Other income		204	241
Gain on disposal of assets	6	28	50
		533	416

#### C Additions to non-current assets consist of:

	Note	2022 RM'000	2021 RM′000
Property, plant and equipment	13	1,041	84
Investment properties	14	27	-
Land held for property development	15(a)	18,360	405
	_	19,428	489

D The following items were added to/(deducted from) segment assets to arrive at total assets reported in the consolidated statement of financial position:

	Note	2022 RM'000	2021 RM'000
Deferred tax assets	20	2,040	5,653
Tax recoverable		1,242	1,227
Inter-segment assets		(649,951)	(651,209)
		(646,669)	(644,329)

E The following items were added to/(deducted from) segment liabilities to arrive at total liabilities reported in the consolidated statement of financial position:

	Note	2022 RM'000	2021 RM'000
Current tax payable		906	1,893
Deferred tax liabilities	20	4,942	4,664
Inter-segment liabilities		(572,059)	(543,822)
		(566,211)	(537,265)



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### 35. Segment information (cont'd.)

#### Geographical information

Revenue and non-current assets information based on the geographical location of customers and assets respectively are as follows:

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	Revenue		Non-current assets	
	2022 RM'000	2021 RM'000	2022 RM'000	2021 RM'000
Malaysia	137,494	146,704	315,815	303,925
Australia		-	8,230	8,306
	137,494	146,704	324,045	312,231

Non-current assets information presented above consist of the following items as presented in the consolidated statement of financial position:

	Note	2022 RM'000	2021 RM'000	
Property, plant and equipment	13	5,523	4,828	
Intangible assets	17	152	79	_
Investment properties	14	291,780	290,290	
Land held for property development	15(a)	26,590	17,034	
		324,045	312,231	

#### 36. Significant events

During the year, the Group entered into the following arrangements:

- (i) A subsidiary of the Group, EDSB had on 22 March 2022 signed an agreement with FELDA to develop a mixeddevelopment project on a 46-acre land at FELDA Chuping. The project comprises Phase 1 and 2 of low cost and medium cost houses, shop houses and semi-detached houses. Phase 1 of the project is currently under development.
- (ii) On 18 May 2022, EDSB had signed a conditional agreement with IPSB to acquire a piece of leasehold land measuring 1.60 acres located at Bukit Kepayan, District of Kota Kinabalu, State of Sabah for a consideration of RM10,800,000. The land is payable by instalment based on the sales collection. The agreement became unconditional on 16 December 2022 following the fulfillment of all conditions listed on the agreement. As a result of the deferred payment plan offered for the land, the Group has recorded the land costs at a discounted consideration of RM10,348,000. The project is under the planning stage as at 31 December 2022. Construction work and the launching of the sale of the project is expected to begin in 2023.
- (iii) On 9 September 2022, ECISB had signed a conditional agreement with TMSB to acquire and jointly develop a land measuring approximately 4.97 acres held under HS(D) 9832 Lot PT 30854 at Mukim Kuala Kuantan, Daerah Kuantan, Negeri Pahang. The consideration of the land is RM21,500,000. The agreement became unconditional on 30 September 2022 upon the fulfillment of all conditions stated in the agreement.

For this arrangement, a subsidiary, EMLSB, which the Group has a 70% equity interest was incorporated as disclosed in Note 16.

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# LIST OF PROPERTIES

LOCATION LAND	DESCRIPTION AND EXISTING USE	AREA (sq. m)	NET CARRYING AMOUNTS * AS AT 31.12.2022 (RM'000)	YEAR OF ACQUISITION
Completed Investment Properties				
Warna Avenue	29 units terrace shop offices	18,124	135,400	2013
Strand Mall	4 storey retail podium including a basement car park and 4 levels of car park located above the retail podium	122,445	165,100	2013
Garden Office, Kota Damansara, Selangor Darul Ehsan on PN 96661, Lot 53635, Pekan Baru Sungai Buloh, Daerah Petaling, Selangor Darul Ehsan	516 units of car park bay (99 years lease expiring on 14/11/2107)	6,136	7,800	2021
LOCATION LAND	DESCRIPTION AND EXISTING USE	AREA (sq. m)	NET CARRYING AMOUNTS * AS AT 31.12.2022 (RM'000)	YEAR OF ACQUISITION
Inventories - Properties Held For Sale				
Garden Office, Kota Damansara, Selangor Darul Ehsan on PN 96661, Lot 53635, Pekan Baru Sungai Buloh, Daerah Petaling, Selangor Darul Ehsan	15 units of office suites (99 years lease expiring on 14/11/2107)	1,590	4,964	2000
PN 83285 Lot 5354, PN 83359 Lot 5427 & PN 83360 Lot 5428, Bandar Shah Alam, Daerah Petaling, Selangor Darul Ehsan	Residential properties (99 years lease expiring on 28/03/2104)	1,490	120	2000
PN 117612 Lot 53634 , Pekan Baru Sungai Buloh, Daerah Petaling, Selangor Darul Ehsan	29 units of residential apartment & 71 units of car park bay (99 years lease expiring on 14/11/2107)	4,942	25,187	2000
PN 82706 Lot 4775, Bandar Shah Alam, Daerah Petaling, Selangor Darul Ehsan	1 unit of residential properties (99 years lease expiring on 30/03/2104)	178	582	2000
PN 81957 Lot 4093, PN 82016 Lot 4149, PN 82046 Lot 4183 & PN 82052 Lot 4190, Bandar Shah Alam, Daerah Petaling, Selangor Darul Ehsan	4 units of residential properties (99 years lease expiring on 22/03/2104)	923	2,121	2000
No Hakmilik 509608, Lot 194438, Mukim Pulai, Daerah Johor Bahru, Johor	32 units of residential apartment, 16 units of retail & 316 units of car park bay (freehold land)	9,447	31,747	2012

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OCATION LAND	DESCRIPTION AND EXISTING USE	AREA (sq. m)	NET CARRYING AMOUNTS * AS AT 31.12.2022 (RM'000)	YEAR OF ACQUISITION
nventories - Properties Under Developr	ment & Land Held for Deve	lopment		
PN 83361 - 83425 Lot 5432 - 5496, PN 33426 - 83434 Lot 5499 - 5507 & PN 33435 - 83452 Lot 5509 - 5526 Bandar Shah Alam, Daerah Petaling, Selangor Darul Ehsan	Residential properties under construction (99 years lease expiring on 31/03/2104)	16,195	1,730	2000
2N 82612 - 82624 Lot 4694 - Lot 4706, 2N 82644 - 82651 Lot 4707 - 4714, PN 82653 - 82664 Lot 4718 - 4729, PN 82669 82670 Lot 4730 - 4731, PN 82671 - 82675 Lot 4744 - 4748, PN 82677 - 82683 80 4749 - 4755 & PN 83748 - 83759 Lot 8732 - 4743, Bandar Shah Alam, Daerah Petaling, Selangor Darul Ehsan	Residential properties under construction (99 years lease expiring on 28/03/2104 & 30/03/2104)	11,910	8,603	2000
I.S.(D) No.10717, PT 398, Mukim Padang iding, Daerah Perlis, Perlis	270 units of residential properties and 13 units shoplot under construction and land held for property development (99 years lease expiring on 17/06/2113)	84,984	5,061	2022
PN 82833 - 82852 Lot 4902 - 4921, PN 32854 - 82925 Lot 4924 - 4995 & PN 32927 - 82946 Lot 4997 - 5016, Bandar Shah Alam, Daerah Petaling, Selangor Darul Ehsan	Land held for property development (99 years lease expiring on 31/03/2104)	22,989	8,983	2000
H.S.(D) 9832 PT 30854, Mukim Kuala Kuantan, Daerah Kuantan, Pahang	Freehold land held for property development	20,097	18,360	2022
Town Lease Lot No.017549665, Plan No.01126047, Bukit Kepayan, Daerah Kota Kinabalu, Sabah	Land held for property development (99 years lease expiring on 31/12/2097)	6,475	10,427	2022
LOCATION LAND	DESCRIPTION AND EXISTING USE	AREA (sq. m)	NET CARRYING AMOUNTS * AS AT 31.12.2022 (RM'000)	YEAR OF ACQUISITION
Oversea Inventories		,		,
7 McCallum Lane, Victoria Park, Australia being Lots 26, 27 & 28 on Strata Title Plan 63339	3 units of residential apartment (freehold)	1,187	14,940	2010
LOCATION LAND	DESCRIPTION AND EXISTING USE	AREA (sq. m)	NET CARRYING AMOUNTS * AS AT 31.12.2022 (RM'000)	YEAR OF ACQUISITION
nventories - Overseas Properties Under [				
380 North Lake Road, Cockburn Central, Australia	Freehold land held for	11,002	8,230	2012

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# SHAREHOLDINGS' INFORMATION

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#### ANALYSIS OF SHAREHOLDINGS AS AT 21 MARCH 2023

Issued Share Capital	: RM 399,016,243.65 comprising 316,684,717 ordinary shares *
Class of Shares	: Ordinary shares
Voting Rights	: One (1) vote per ordinary share

\* Including 386,000 shares bought and retained as treasury shares

Size of Holdings	No. of Shareholders	%	No. of Shares	% of Shareholdings
1 - 99	164	5.92	1,528	0.00
100 - 1,000	392	14.14	243,111	0.08
1,001 - 10,000	1,471	53.07	6,940,322	2.19
10,001 - 100,000	626	22.58	22,928,229	7.25
100,001 – less than 5% of issued shares	117	4.22	49,118,001	15.53
5% and above of issued shares	2	0.07	237,067,526	74.95
Total	2,772	100.00	316,298,717	100.00

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#### INFORMATION OF SUBSTANTIAL SHAREHOLDERS

Name of Substantial Shareholders	Direct			
	Direct No. of Shares	% Indirect No. of Shares		%
Felda Investment Corporation Sdn. Bhd.	197,067,526	62.30	-	-
Federal Land Development Authority	-	[]	197,067,526 ①	62.30
Anjakan Masyhur Sdn. Bhd.	40,000,000	12.65	-	-
Azman Hanafi bin Abdullah	-	[]	40,000,000 ②	12.65
Ahmad Zaed bin Saleh Hamdi		- ]	40,000,000 2	12.65

Deemed interest through Felda Investment Corporation Sdn. Bhd. pursuant to Section 8 of the Companies Act, 2016.
 Deemed interest by virtue of their substantial shareholdings in Anjakan Masyhur Sdn. Bhd.

# LIST OF DIRECTORS' SHAREHOLDINGS

Directors	Shareholdings			
	Direct No. of Shares	%	Indirect No. of Shares	%
Tuan Haji Sr. Mohd Ali Bin Abd Karim	-	-	-	-
Datuk Haji Jaafar Bin Abu Bakar	-	- ]	-	-
Mahadzir Bin Mustafa	-	-	-	-
Tuan Haji Lukman Bin Abu Bakar		-	-	-
Datoʻ Dr Suzana Idayu Wati Binti Osman		-	-	-

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# LIST OF 30 LARGEST SHAREHOLDERS

# (as at 21 March 2023)

No.	Name	No. of Shares	%
1.	Felda Investment Corporation Sdn. Bhd.	197,067,526	62.30
2.	Anjakan Masyhur Sdn. Bhd.	40,000,000	12.65
3.	Kamaruzzaman Bin Abu Kassim	7,026,700	2.22
4.	CGS-CIMB Nominees (Tempatan) Sdn. Bhd. Pledged Securities Account for Teh Swee Heng (MM1118)	5,952,000	1.88
5.	Ting Ding Ing	1,924,500	0.61
6.	Lee Min Huat	1,500,000	0.47
7.	Rosnah Binti Abd Majid	1,354,401	0.43
8.	Wee Huey Chin	1,200,000	0.38
9.	Affin Hwang Nominees (Tempatan) Sdn. Bhd. Pledged Securities Account for Tan Kian Aik	1,064,100	0.34
10.	Maybank Nominees (Tempatan) Sdn. Bhd. Pledged Securities Account for Chew Pok Oi	1,060,800	0.34
11.	Abdul Aziz Bin Abdul Kadir	1,000,000	0.32
12.	Ang Choon Leng	998,500	0.32
13.	Boon Jit Fan	970,000	0.31
14.	Er Ka Yong	847,600	0.27

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No.	Name	No. of Shares	%
15.	Cartaban Nominees (Asing) Sdn. Bhd. The Bank of New York Mellon for Acadian Emerging Markets Micro-Cap Equity Master Fund	774,000	0.24
16.	Low Lay Ping	768,100	0.24
17.	CGS-CIMB Nominees (Tempatan) Sdn. Bhd. Pledged Securities Account for Khor Kim Hock (B B Klang-CL)	752,200	0.24
18.	Maybank Nominees (Tempatan) Sdn. Bhd. Pledged Securities Account for Stuart Saw Teik Siew	659,500	0.21
19.	Public Nominees (Tempatan) Sdn. Bhd. Pledged Securities Account for Hii Sui Cheng (E-JCL)	598,500	0.19
20.	Kenanga Nominees (Tempatan) Sdn. Bhd. Rakuten Trade Sdn Bhd for Eow Dick Yen	550,000	0.17
21.	Cheng Kok Sang	543,500	0.17
22.	Eng Kim Liong	500,000	0.16
23.	Public Nominees (Tempatan) Sdn. Bhd. Pledged Securities Account for Tio Tian Teck (E-KTN)	486,700	0.15
24.	Lim Geok Eng Mary	468,500	0.15
25.	Maybank Nominees (Tempatan) Sdn. Bhd. Pledged Securities Account for Tan Kian Aik	452,800	0.14
26.	Olive Lim Swee Lian	410,000	0.13
27.	Lim Geok Eng Mary	360,000	0.11
28.	Tin Tong Joo	360,000	0.11
29.	Maybank Nominees (Tempatan) Sdn. Bhd. Chua Eng Ho Wa'a @ Chua Eng Wah	339,400	0.11
30.	Lee Kek Fook	338,000	0.11
	Total	270,327,327	85.47

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# STATEMENT OF SHARE BUY-BACK

# STATEMENT ACCOMPANYING NOTICE OF ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING PURSUANT TO PARAGRAPH 12.06(1) OF THE MAIN MARKET LISTING REQUIREMENTS OF BURSA MALAYSIA SECURITIES BERHAD

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# 2. Introduction

The Company had on 23 February 2023, announced that it will be seeking shareholders' approval at the 23rd Annual General Meeting ("AGM") of the Company for the proposed renewal of authority for the Company to purchase its own ordinary shares ("Encorp Shares") of up to ten per centum (10%) of the total number of issued shares of the Company ("Proposed Renewal of Authority for Share Buy-Back").

The purpose of this Statement is to provide the information on the Proposed Renewal of Authority for Share Buy-Back together with the Directors' recommendation thereon, and to seek shareholders' approval of the Ordinary Resolution on the Proposed Renewal of Authority for Share Buy-Back to be tabled at the 23rd AGM of the Company to be held at the Broadcast Venue at Executive Lounge, Third Floor, Encorp Berhad, No 46-3, Jalan PJU 5/22, Pusat Perdagangan Kota Damansara, Kota Damansara PJU 5, 47810 Petaling Jaya, Selangor Darul Ehsan.

## 3. Details of the Proposed Renewal of Authority for Share Buy-Back

At the 22nd AGM of the Company held on 29 June 2022, the shareholders had approved the renewal of the authority for the Company to purchase its own shares of up to ten per centum (10%) of the total number of issued shares of the Company. The said approval will expire at the conclusion of the 23rd AGM of the Company unless renewed by an ordinary resolution passed by the shareholders.

The renewal of authority for the Company to purchase its own shares will be effective immediately upon the passing of the Ordinary Resolution at the forthcoming 23rd AGM and will expire at:

- the conclusion of the next AGM of the Company following the general meeting at which such resolution was passed at which time it shall lapse unless by an ordinary resolution passed at that meeting, the authority is renewed, either unconditionally or subject to conditions;
- (ii) the expiration of the period within which the next AGM of the Company after the date is required by law to be held; or
- (iii) revoked or varied by an ordinary resolution passed by the shareholders in a general meeting;

whichever occurs first.

The Company may only purchase its own shares at a price which is not more than fifteen per centum (15%) above the weighted average market price of the shares for the five (5) market days immediately before the purchase.

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In accordance with Section 127 of the Companies Act, 2016 (the "Act"), the Company could deal with any Encorp Shares so purchased in the following manner:

(i) to cancel the shares so purchased;

(ii) to retain the shares so purchased as treasury shares; or

(iii) to retain part of the shares so purchased as treasury shares and cancel the remainder of the shares.

Shares that are purchased by the Company shall be deemed to be cancelled immediately on purchase unless it is held as treasury shares. If such purchased shares are held as treasury shares, the Directors of the Company may:-

- (a) distribute the shares as share dividends to shareholders;
- (b) resell the shares or any of the shares in accordance with the relevant rules of Bursa Securities;
- (c) transfer the shares, or any of the shares for the purposes of or under an employees' share scheme;
- (d) transfer the shares, or any of the shares as purchase consideration;
- (e) cancel the shares or any of the shares; or
- (f) sell, transfer or otherwise use the shares for such other purposes as the minister charged with the responsibility for companies may by order prescribe.

If such purchased shares are held as treasury shares, the rights attached to them as to attending and voting at meetings and any purported exercise of such rights is void. The treasury shares shall not confer the right to receive dividends or other distributions, whether cash or otherwise, of the Company's assets including any distribution of assets upon winding up of the Company.

In addition, the treasury shares shall not be taken into account in calculating the number or percentage of shares or of a class of shares in the Company for any purposes including, without limiting the generality of the provision in the Act or the Listing Requirements of Bursa Securities on substantial shareholding, takeovers, notices, the requisitioning of meetings, the quorum for a meeting and the result of a vote on resolutions at meetings of shareholders.

Where treasury shares are distributed as share dividends, the costs of the shares on the original purchase shall be applied in the reduction of the funds otherwise available for distribution as dividends.

Where the shares so purchased or treasury shares are cancelled, the costs of the shares shall be applied in the reduction of the profits otherwise available for distribution as dividends. The issued capital of the Company shall be diminished by the shares so cancelled.

The Encorp Shares purchased and retained by Encorp as treasury shares can only be resold at a price which is:

- (i) not less than the weighted average market price of the Encorp Shares for the five (5) market days immediately prior to the resale; or
- (ii) at a discount of not more than five per centum (5%) to the weighted average market price of the Encorp Shares for the five (5) market days immediately before the resale provided that:
  - (a) the resale takes place not earlier than thirty (30) days from the date of purchase; and
  - (b) the resale price is not less than the cost of purchase of the Encorp Shares being resold.



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In accordance with Paragraph 12.26 of the Listing Requirements, Encorp may purchase its own shares in odd lots, i.e. any number of its own shares which is less than the number of shares prescribed by Bursa Securities as a board lot through Direct Business Transaction or in any other manner as may be approved by Bursa Securities in accordance with such requirements as may be prescribed or imposed by Bursa Securities.

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To date, the Company has yet to determine the manner of which the purchased shares are to be treated.

#### 4. Rationale for the Proposed Renewal of Authority for Share Buy-Back

The proposed share buy-back, if exercised, is expected to potentially benefit the Company and its shareholders in the following manners:

- (a) The proposed share buy-back will provide the Company the option to return its surplus financial resources to its shareholders;
- (b) Depending on the effective cost of funding of the shares to be purchased, the earnings per share of the Group may be enhanced (in the case where the shares so purchased are cancelled), and thereby long term investors are expected to enjoy a corresponding increase in the value of their investments in the Company;
- (c) If the shares purchased are kept as treasury shares, the treasury shares may be realised with potential gain without affecting the total number of issued shares of the Company. Alternatively, the shares purchased can be distributed as share dividends to reward the shareholders of the Company; and
- (d) The Company may be able to stabilise the supply and demand of its shares in the open market and thereby supporting its fundamental value.

#### 5. Retained Profits

The proposed share buy-back must be made wholly-out of the company's retained profits. The maximum amount of funds to be utilised must not exceed the retained profit of the Company.

Based on the Audited Financial Statements of the Company for the financial year ended 31 December 2022, the accumulated loss of the Company stood at RM261,390,000.

#### 6. Source of Funds

The amount allocated for share buy-back will be financed by internally generated funds and/or bank borrowings, the proportion of which will depend on the quantum of the purchase consideration as well as the availability of internally generated funds and repayment capability of the Company, if financed by bank borrowings, at the date(s) of the purchase(s). In the event that the Company intends to purchase its own shares using external borrowings, the Board of Directors shall ensure that the Company shall have sufficient funds to repay the external borrowings and that the repayment would have no material effect on the cash flow of Encorp group of companies.

# 7. Direct and Indirect Interest of the Directors and Substantial Shareholders in the Proposed Renewal of Authority for Share Buy-Back

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The proforma effects of the proposed share buy-back on the shareholdings of the Directors of the Company as at 21 March 2023 on the assumption that shares purchased from shareholders other than the Directors are set out below:

	Before Prop	osed Ren Share Bu	ewal of Autho Jy-Back	ority for	After Proposed Renewal of Authority for Share Buy-Back ①				
	Direc	:t	t Indirect		Direct		Indire	ct	
Directors	No. of Shares	%	No. of Shares	%	No. of Shares	%	No. of Shares	%	
Tuan Haji Sr. Mohd Ali Bin Abd Karim	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
YBhg Datuk Haji Jaafar Bin Abu Bakar	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Mahadzir Bin Mustafa	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Tuan Haji Lukman Bin Abu Bakar	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Dato' Dr. Suzana Idayu Wati Binti Osman	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	

(1) Assuming that ten per centum (10%) of the existing total number of issued shares of Encorp are bought and retained as treasury shares in total.

The proforma effects of the proposed share buy-back on the shareholdings of the substantial shareholders in Encorp as at 21 March 2023 on the assumption that shares are purchased from shareholders other than the substantial shareholders are set out below:

	Before Prop	osed Ren Share Bu	ewal of Authori Jy-Back	ty for	After Propose		val of Authority f Back #	or Share
	Direct	:	Indirect		Direct		Indirect	
Substantial Shareholders	No. of Shares	%	No. of Shares	%	No. of Shares	%	No. of Shares	%
Felda Investment Corporation Sdn. Bhd.	197,067,526	62.30	-	-	197,067,526	69.14	-	-
Federal Land Development Authority	-	-	197,067,526 ①	62.30	-	-	197,067,526 ①	69.14
Anjakan Masyhur Sdn. Bhd.	40,000,000	12.65	-	-	40,000,000	14.03	-	-
Ahmad Zaed Bin Saleh Hamdi	-	-	40,000,000 ②	12.65	-	-	40,000,000	14.03
Azman Hanafi Bin Abdullah	-	-	40,000,000 ②	12.65	-		40,000,000 ②	14.03

# Assuming that ten per centum (10%) of the existing total number of issued shares capital of Encorp are bought and retained as treasury shares in total

① Deemed interest through Felda Investment Corporation Sdn. Bhd. pursuant to Section 8 of the Companies Act, 2016.

<sup>(2)</sup> Deemed interest by virtue of their substantial shareholdings in Anjakan Masyhur Sdn. Bhd.



vill depend on whether the Encorp Shares so purchased are	
the total number of issued shares if all the Encorp Shares stributed to our shareholders.	
eduction of the total number of issued shares if the Encorn	

The proposed share buy-back will however, result in the reduction of the total number of issued shares if the Encorp Shares so purchased are cancelled. The proforma effects of the proposed share buy-back based on the issued and paid-up share capital as at 21 March 2023 and assuming the Encorp Shares so purchased are cancelled are set out below:

	No. of Encorp Shares
Existing issued and paid-up share capital as at 21 March 2023	316,684,717
Treasury shares as at 21 March 2023	(386,000)
If maximum number of shares are purchased pursuant to the proposed share buy-back	(31,282,472)
Issued and paid-up share capital as diminished, if the treasury shares are cancelled	285,016,245

8. Potential Advantages and Disadvantages of the Proposed Renewal of Authority for Share Buy-Back

Potential advantages of the Proposed Renewal of Authority for Share Buy-Back to the Company and its shareholders are stated in Section 4 above.

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Potential disadvantages of the Proposed Renewal of Authority for Share Buy-Back to the Company and its shareholders are as follow:

- (a) it will reduce the financial resources of the Group and may result in the Group foregoing better investment opportunities in future or, at least deprive Encorp Group of interest income that can be derived from the funds utilised for the Share Buy-Back; and
- (b) As the Share Buy-Back can only be made out of retained profits of the Company, it may result in the reduction of financial resources available for distribution to shareholders in the immediate future.

The Proposed Renewal of Authority for Share Buy-Back is not expected to have any potential material disadvantages to the Company and its shareholders, as it will be exercised only after in depth consideration of the financial resources of the Company and of the resultant impact on its shareholders. The Board of Directors in exercising any decision on the share buy-back will be mindful of the interest of the Company and its shareholders.

## 9. Financial Effects of the Proposed Renewal of Authority for Share Buy-Back

On the assumption that the share buy-back is carried out in full, the effects of the Proposed Renewal of Authority for Share Buy-Back on the share capital, net assets (NA) per share, working capital and earnings per share (EPS) of the Company are set out below:

#### (a) Share Capital

The effects of any purchase of the Company's own shares will depend on whether the Encorp Shares so purchased are cancelled or retained as treasury shares.

The proposed share buy-back will not have any effect on the total number of issued shares if all the Encorp Shares purchased are to be retained as treasury shares, re-sold or distributed to our shareholders.

e set out below:

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#### (b) NA

The effects of the share buy-back on the NA per share of the Encorp Group are dependent on the purchase price of the Encorp Shares at the time of buy back. If all Encorp Shares so purchased are cancelled, the consolidated NA per share of the Group is likely to be reduced if the purchase price exceeds the NA per share, whereas the NA per share of the Group will increase if the purchase price is less than the NA per share of the Group at the time of purchase.

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For shares purchased which are kept as treasury shares, upon resale, the NA per share of the Group would increase assuming that a gain has been realised or decreased if a loss is realised. If treasury shares are distributed as share dividends, the NA of the Group would decrease by cost of the treasury shares.

#### (c) Working Capital

The proposed share buy-back will reduce the working capital of the Group, the quantum of which depends on, amongst others, the number of shares eventually purchased and the purchase price of the shares.

#### (d) EPS

Assuming that the shares purchased under the share buy-back are cancelled, the share buy-back may increase the EPS of Encorp Group. Similarly, on the assumption that the shares purchased are treated as treasury shares and subsequently resold, the extent of the effect on earnings of Encorp Group will depend on the actual selling price and number of treasury shares resold and the effective gain arising. In the event the shares purchased are held as treasury shares, i.e., neither cancelled nor resold, the effective reduction in the total number of issued shares of Encorp pursuant to the share buy-back would generally, all else being equal, increase the consolidated EPS of the Company.

#### (e) Dividends

Assuming the proposed share buy-back is implemented in full and the Company's quantum of dividends is maintained at historical levels, the share buy-back will have the effect of increasing the dividend rate of the Company as a result of the reduction in the total number of issued shares of the Company.

The proposed share buy-back may have an adverse impact on the Company's dividend policy for the financial year ending 31 December 2023 as it would reduce the cash available, which may otherwise be used for dividend payment. Nonetheless, the treasury shares purchased may be distributed as dividends to shareholders of the Company, if the Company so decides.

#### (f) Shareholdings

The effect of the proposed share buy-back on the percentage of shareholdings of the Directors and substantial shareholders of the Company would depend on the timing of the purchase, the number of shares purchased, if any, and their actual shareholdings at the time of such purchase.

Please refer to Section 7 above for further details on the shareholding structure of the Directors and substantial shareholders of the Company.

# 10. Implication Under the Rules on Take Overs, Mergers and Compulsory Acquisitions (the "Rules")

In the event the proposed share buy-back results in any director(s), substantial shareholder(s) and/or parties acting in concert with him/them triggering a mandatory offer obligation under the Rules, the affected director(s) or substantial shareholder(s) will be obliged to make a mandatory offer for the remaining Encorp Shares not held by him/them.

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However, an approval may be sought from the Securities Commission by the affected director(s) or substantial shareholder(s) for exemption under the Rules before a mandatory offer obligation is triggered.

# 11. Purchase, Resale, Transfer and/or Cancellation of shares made in the previous twelve (12) months

As per the Record of Depositors as at 21 March 2023, a total of 386,000 shares were held as treasury shares.

None of the 386,000 shares bought back has been resold, transferred, cancelled and/or distributed as share dividend.

# 12. Public Shareholding Spread

As at 21 March 2023, the public shareholding spread of Encorp was 25.05%. The Company will not undertake any share buy-back if that will result in further breach of paragraph 8.02(1) of the Main Market Listing Requirements of Bursa Securities, which requires the Company to maintain a shareholding spread of at least 25% of its total listed shares (excluding treasury shares) are in the hands of public shareholders. The Board is mindful of the shareholding spread requirement and will continue to be mindful of the requirement when making any purchase of Encorp Shares by the Company.

## 13. Share Prices

The monthly highest and lowest prices of the shares traded on the Bursa Securities for the last twelve (12) months from April 2022 to March 2023 are as follows:

Year/ Month	2022 April	2022 May	2022 June	2022 Jul	2022 Aug	2022 Sept	2022 Oct	2022 Nov	2022 Dec	2023 Jan	2023 Feb	2023 Mar
(RM) HIGH	0.275	0.255	0.260	0.265	0.270	0.255	0.220	0.230	0.255	0.305	0.330	0.310
(RM) LOW	0.255	0.235	0.225	0.220	0.225	0.210	0.200	0.200	0.220	0.215	0.270	0.245

The last transacted price of Encorp shares on 21 March 2023 being the last practicable date prior to the printing of this statement was RM0.250.

## 14. Directors' Statement

This Statement has been seen and approved by the Board of Directors and they individually and collectively accept full responsibility for the accuracy of the information given in this Statement and confirm that, after making all reasonable enquiries, to the best of their knowledge and belief, there are no other facts the omission of which would make any statement herein misleading.

Having considered all aspects of the proposed share buy-back, the Board of Directors is of the opinion that the Proposed Renewal of Authority for Share Buy-Back is fair, reasonable and in the best interest of the Company.

#### 15. Directors' Recommendation

The Board of Directors recommends that you vote in favour of the Ordinary Resolution for the Proposed Renewal of Authority for Share Buy-Back to be tabled at the forthcoming 23rd AGM.

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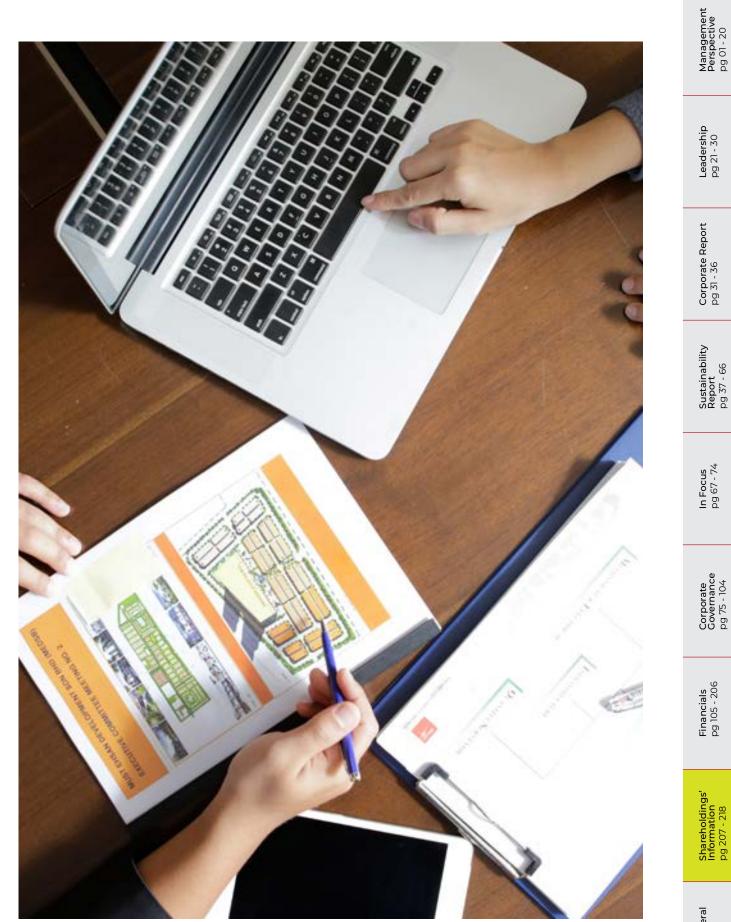
#### 16. Other Information

Copies of the following documents will be available for inspection at the registered office of Encorp at No.45-1, Jalan PJU 5/21, Pusat Perdagangan Kota Damansara, Kota Damansara PJU 5, 47810 Petaling Jaya, Selangor Darul Ehsan, during normal office hours on any working day from 18 April 2023 up to and including the date of the 23rd AGM:

- (a) Constitution of Encorp;
- (b) Unaudited Quarterly Financial Report on the Consolidated Results of the Encorp Berhad Group of Companies for the Fourth Quarter ended 31 December 2022; and
- (c) Audited financial statements for the financial years ended 31 December 2021 and 31 December 2022.

There is no other information concerning the Proposed Renewal of Authority for Share Buy-Back as shareholders and their professional advisers would reasonably require and expect to find in this Statement for the purpose of making informed assessment as to the merits of approving the Proposed Renewal of Authority for Share Buy-Back and the extent of the risks involved in doing so.





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# NOTICE OF 23<sup>RD</sup> ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the 23rd Annual General Meeting ("AGM") of ENCORP BERHAD will be conducted as a virtual AGM at the Broadcast Venue at Executive Lounge, Third Floor, Encorp Berhad, No 46-3, Jalan PJU 5/22, Pusat Perdagangan Kota Damansara, Kota Damansara PJU 5, 47810 Petaling Jaya, Selangor Darul Ehsan, on Thursday, 22 June 2023 at 3.00 p.m. for the following purposes:

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	Agenda							
As C	As Ordinary Business							
1	To receive the Audited Financial Statements for the financial year ended 31 December 2022 together with the Reports of the Directors and Auditors thereon.	(Please refer to Explanatory Note 1)						
2	To approve the Directors' fees of up to RM700,000 from the conclusion of 23rd AGM until the next AGM of the Company, to be payable on a quarterly basis in arrears.	(Ordinary Resolution 1)						
3	To approve the payment of Directors' benefits of up to RM170,000 being meeting attendance allowances and up to RM85,000 for each Director being the medical benefits, from the conclusion of 23rd AGM until the next AGM of the Company.	(Ordinary Resolution 2)						
4	To re-elect Datuk Haji Jaafar Bin Abu Bakar who retires by rotation in accordance with Clause 99 of the Constitution of the Company and who being eligible offers himself for re-election.	(Ordinary Resolution 3)						
5	To re-elect Dato' Dr Suzana Idayu Wati Binti Osman who retires in accordance with Clause 106 of the Constitution of the Company and who being eligible offers herself for re-election.	(Ordinary Resolution 4)						
6	To re-appoint Messrs Ernst & Young PLT as Auditors of the Company until the conclusion of the next AGM and to authorise the Directors to fix the Auditors' remuneration.	(Ordinary Resolution 5)						

#### **As Special Business**

To consider and, if thought fit, to pass the following resolutions:

7	Proposed Renewal of Authority for Share Buy-Back	
	"THAT subject always to the Companies Act 2016, the Constitution of the Company, Main Market Listing Requirements ("Listing Requirements") of Bursa Securities, and the approvals of all relevant governmental and/or regulatory authorities, the Directors of the Company be and are hereby authorised to make purchases of such amount of ordinary shares in the Company through Bursa Securities, provided that:	
	<ul> <li>(a) the aggregate number of ordinary shares purchased and/or held by the Company as treasury shares shall not exceed ten per centum (10%) of the existing total number of issued shares of the Company for the time being;</li> </ul>	
	(b) the maximum funds allocated by the Company for the purpose of purchasing its shares shall not exceed the total retained profits of the Company; and	

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(i)	the conclusion of the next AGM of the Company following the general meeting at which such resolution was passed at which time it shall lapse unless by ordinary resolution passed at that meeting, the authority is renewed, either unconditionally or subject to conditions;		
(ii)	the expiration of the period within the next AGM after that date is required by law to be held; or		
(iii)	revoked or varied by ordinary resolution passed by the shareholders in a general meeting;		
whi	chever is earlier.		
	AT the Directors of the Company be and are hereby authorised to deal with es purchased in their absolute discretion in the following manner:		
(i) can	cel all the shares so purchased;		
(ii) reta	in the shares so purchased as treasury shares; or		
	in part of the shares so purchased as treasury shares and cancel the ainder of the shares.		
to take arranger give full modifica	RTHER THAT the Directors of the Company be and are hereby authorised all such steps as are necessary and/or enter into any and all agreements, ments and guarantees with any party or parties to implement, finalise and effect to the aforesaid purchase with full powers to assent to any conditions, ations, revaluations, variations and/or amendments (if any) as may be by the relevant authorities from time to time to implement or to effect the		
purchas	e of its own shares."	(Ordinary Resolution 6)	
 Revenue	d Shareholders' Mandate for Recurrent Related Party Transactions of a e or Trading Nature as specified in Section 2.3 of the Circular to Shareholders April 2023.		
and is h into and or tradir defined 2.3 of th day-to-o	ubject always to the Listing Requirements of Bursa Securities, approval be ereby given to the Company and its subsidiaries ("Encorp Group") to enter give effect to specified recurrent related party transactions of a revenue og nature of the Encorp Group with specified classes of related parties (as in the Listing Requirements of Bursa Securities and as specified in Section e Circular to Shareholders dated 18 April 2023) which are necessary for the day operations in the ordinary course of business and are carried out at arms'		
favoural not detr	asis on normal commercial terms of the Encorp Group, on terms not more ole to the related parties than those generally available to the public and are imental to minority shareholders of the Company and such approval shall a to be in force until:		
	conclusion of the next AGM of the Company at which time it will lapse, ess by a resolution passed at the meeting, the authority is renewed;		

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(c) the authority conferred by this resolution will commence immediately upon passing of this ordinary resolution and shall continue to be in force until:

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	(b) the expiration of the period within which the next AGM after the date it is required to be held pursuant to Section 340(2) of the Companies Act 2016, (but shall not extend to such extension as may be allowed pursuant to Section 340(4) of the Companies Act 2016); or	
	(c) revoked or varied by resolution passed by the shareholders in a general meeting;	
	whichever is earlier.	
	THAT authority be and is hereby given to the Directors of the Company to complete and do all such acts and things as they may consider necessary or expedient in the best interest of the Company (including executing all such documents as may be required) to give effect to the transactions contemplated and/or authorised by this Ordinary Resolution."	(Ordinary Resolution 7)
9	To transact any other ordinary business of which due notice has been given in accordance with the Companies Act, 2016.	

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By Order of the Board

Lee Lay Hong LS 0008444 SSM PC No. 201908002088 Company Secretary

Selangor Darul Ehsan 18 April 2023

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### Notes:

 The 23rd AGM of the Company will be conducted on a virtual basis by way of live streaming and online remote voting via Remote Participation and Voting ("RPV") facilities available on Securities Services e-Portal of SS E Solutions Sdn. Bhd. at <u>https://sshsb.net.my/</u>. Please follow the procedures in the Administrative Guide in order to participate remotely via RPV.

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- 2. The broadcast venue is strictly for the purpose of complying with Section 327(2) of the Companies Act 2016 which requires the Chairman of the meeting to be present at the main venue of the meeting. **NO MEMBERS/PROXIES** from the public shall be physically present at the broadcast venue on the day of the 23rd AGM.
- 3. In respect of deposited securities, only members whose names appear in the Record of Depositors on 15 June 2023 (General Meeting Record of Depositors) shall be entitled to attend, speak and vote at this 23rd AGM.
- 4. A proxy may but need not be a member of the Company.
- 5. If the appointer is a corporation, the form of proxy must be given under its common seal or under the hand of an officer or attorney of the corporation duly authorised.
- 6. A member shall be entitled to appoint more than one (1) proxy subject always to a maximum of two (2) proxies to attend and vote at the same meeting provided that the provision of Section 294(2) of the Companies Act 2016 is complied with.
- 7. Where a member appoints more than one (1) proxy, the appointment shall be invalid unless he specifies the proportions of his shareholdings to be represented by each proxy.
- 8. Where a member of the Company is an exempt authorised nominee which holds ordinary shares in the Company for multiple beneficial owners in one securities account ("omnibus account"), there is no limit to the number of proxies which the exempt authorised nominee may appoint in respect of each omnibus account it holds.
- 9. The appointment of proxy may be made in a hardcopy form or by electronic means as follows and must be deposited with the Company's Share Registrar, Securities Services (Holdings) Sdn. Bhd. not less than forty-eight (48) hours before the time for holding this meeting or any adjournment thereof. Otherwise the instrument of proxy should not be treated as valid.
  - (a) By Hardcopy Form

The Form of Proxy or the Power of Attorney or other authority, if any, must be deposited at the office of the Company's Shares Registrar, Securities Services (Holdings) Sdn. Bhd. at Level 7, Menara Milenium, Jalan Damanlela, Pusat Bandar Damansara, Damansara Heights, 50490 Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia.

(b) By Online system

The instrument appointing a proxy can be electronically submitted to the Share Registrar via Securities Services e-Portal at <u>https://sshsb.net.my/</u> (Kindly refer to the Administrative Guide for further information.)

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#### **Explanatory Notes:**

1. Audited Financial Statements

The Audited Financial Statements are laid in accordance with Section 340(1) (a) of the Companies Act 2016 for discussion only under Agenda 1. They do not require shareholders' approval and hence, will not be put for voting.

2. The payment of Directors' fees of up to RM700,000 from the conclusion of the 23rd AGM until the next AGM of the Company, to be payable on a quarterly basis in arrears (Ordinary Resolution 1)

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The payment of Directors' benefits of up to RM170,000 being meeting attendance allowances and up to RM85,000 for each Director being the medical benefits, from the conclusion of the 23rd AGM until the next AGM of the Company (Ordinary Resolution 2)

Section 230(1) of the Companies Act 2016 provides amongst others, that the fees of the Directors, and any benefits payable to the Directors of a listed company and its subsidiaries shall be approved at a general meeting.

In this respect, the Board wishes to seek shareholders' approval for the payments to the Directors of the Company as below:

- (a) Payment of Directors' fees of up to RM700,000 (no change from the previous AGM).
- (b) The details of the estimated total benefits payable to the Non-Executive Chairman and Non-Executive Directors from the conclusion of the 23rd AGM until the next AGM are as follows:
  - (i) Meeting allowance (no change from previous AGM)

Estimated amount of meeting allowance of up to RM170,000 is calculated based on the number of scheduled Board and Board Committees' meetings

(ii) Medical benefits (no change from previous AGM)

Estimated amount of medical benefits is up to RM85,000 for each Director.

This authority, unless revoked or varied by the Company in a general meeting, will expire at the conclusion of the next AGM of the Company.

#### 3. Retirement by rotation in accordance with Clause 99 and 106 of the Company's Constitution

Clause 99 of the Company's Constitution states that at each AGM one-third (1/3) of the Directors for the time being, or if their number is not a multiple of three, the number nearest to one-third (1/3) with a minimum of one shall retire from office. In addition, each Director shall retire at least once in every three years but shall be eligible for re-election. Datuk Haji Jaafar Bin Abu Bakar, who retires in accordance with Clause 99 and being eligible, has offered himself for re-election.

Clause 106 of the Company's Constitution stipulates that a Director appointed by the Board shall hold office until the conclusion of the Company's next AGM and be eligible for re-election. Dato' Dr Suzana Idayu Wati Binti Osman who retires in accordance with Clause 106 of the Constitution and being eligible, has offered herself for re-election.

For the purpose of determining the eligibility of the Directors to stand for re-election at this 23rd AGM and in line with Practice 5.1 of the Malaysian Code on Corporate Governance, the Nominating and Remuneration Committee ("NRC") has reviewed and assessed each of the retiring Directors for the FY2022. The Board endorsed the recommendation of the NRC on the re-election of the retiring Directors.



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## 4. Proposed Renewal of Authority for Share Buy-Back

The proposed adoption of Ordinary Resolution 6 is intended to renew the authority granted by the shareholders of the Company at the AGM held on 29 June 2022. The proposed renewal of authority for share buy-back will allow the Board of Directors to exercise the power of the Company to purchase not more than ten per centum 10% of the total number of issued shares of the Company at any time within the time period stipulated in the Listing Requirements of Bursa Securities.

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## 5. Proposed Shareholders' Mandate for Recurrent Related Party Transactions of a Revenue or Trading Nature

The proposed Ordinary Resolution 7, if approved, will allow the Company and its subsidiaries to enter into recurrent related party transactions of a revenue and trading nature relating to sale of properties by the Encorp Group to related parties. The details of the proposal are set out in the Circular to Shareholders dated 18 April 2023.

# Statement accompanying Notice of Annual General Meeting

(Pursuant to Paragraph 8.27(2) of the Main Market Listing Requirements of Bursa Malaysia Securities Berhad).

# Details of individuals who are standing for election as Directors

There are no individuals who are standing for election as directors (excluding directors standing for a re-election) at the 23rd Annual General Meeting of the Company.



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#### ADMINISTRATIVE GUIDE FOR THE 23rd ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

 
 Date:
 Wednesday, 22 June 2023

 Time:
 3.00 p.m.

 Broadcast Venue:
 Executive Lounge, Third Floor, Encorp Berhad, No 46-3, Jalan PJU 5/22, Pusat Perdagangan Kota Damansara, Kota Damansara PJU 5, 47810 Petaling Jaya, Selangor Darul Ehsan.

#### **MODE OF MEETING**

The 23rd AGM of the Company will be conducted on a virtual AGM through live streaming from the broadcast venue and online remote participation via Remote Participation and Voting facilities ("RPV") provided by SS E Solutions Sdn. Bhd. via its Securities Services e-Portal accessible at <u>https://sshsb.net.my/</u>.

The broadcast venue is strictly a main venue of the 23rd AGM where the Chairman will be present in compliance with Section 327(2) of the Companies Act, 2016. Thus, **NO MEMBERS/PROXIES** will be physically present at the broadcast venue on the day of the 23rd AGM.

We have provided the broadcast venue address above to comply with Section 327 of the Companies Act 2016. Members/ proxies from the public should not be physically present, and will not be admitted, at the broadcast venue on the day of the 23rd AGM.

#### ENTITLEMENT TO PARTICIPATE AND VOTE

In respect of deposited securities, only members whose names appear in the Record of Depositors on 15 June 2023 (General Meeting Record of Depositors) shall be entitled to attend, speak and vote at this 23rd AGM.

In view that the 23rd AGM will be conducted on a virtual basis, if you are unable to attend the meeting via RPV on 22 June 2023, you may appoint the Chairman of the 23rd AGM as proxy and indicate the voting instructions in the Form of Proxy.

If you wish to personally participate in the 23rd AGM, please do not submit any Form of Proxy. You will not be allowed to participate in the 23rd AGM together with a proxy appointed by you.

The original Form of Proxy must be deposited at the Company's Share Registrar, Securities Services (Holdings) Sdn. Bhd. at Level 7, Menara Milenium, Jalan Damanlela, Pusat Bandar Damansara, Damansara Heights, 50490 Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia not less than forty-eight (48) hours before the time for holding this meeting or any adjournment thereof. Otherwise the instrument of proxy should not be treated as valid.

Alternately, you may also submit the Form of Proxy electronically via Securities Services e-Portal at https://shsb.net.my/.

Corporate Shareholder or its authorised representative who wish to participate and vote remotely at the AGM must contact the Share Registrar and will be required to provide the following documents to the Share Registrar not less than forty-eight (48) hours before the time set for holding the meeting:

(a) original certificate of appointment of its Corporate Representative under the seal of the corporation;

- (b) copy of the Corporate Representative's MyKad (front and back separately) or valid Passport; and
- (c) Corporate Representative's email address and mobile number.

The Share Registrar will respond to your remote participation request upon receipt of these documents.



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For the beneficiary who holds shares of the Company under a Nominee Company's Central Depository System ("CDS") account, and who wishes to use the RPV facilities to participate and vote at the AGM remotely, he/she can request his/ her Nominee Company to appoint him/her as a proxy. In this respect, he/she must contact the Share Registrar and will be required to provide the following documents to the Share Registrar no later than forty-eight (48) hours before the time set for holding the meeting:

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(a) duly executed Form of Proxy by the Nominee Company;

- (b) copy of the proxy holder's MyKad (front and back separately) or valid Passport; and
- (c) Proxy holder's email address and mobile number.

The Share Registrar will respond to your remote participation request upon receipt of these documents.

# PROCEDURES FOR REMOTE PARTICIPATION AND VOTING (RPV)

Please read and follow the procedures and actions reflected below to engage in remote participation through live streaming and online remote voting at the 23rd AGM using the RPV facilities:

	Procedures	Actions
	BEFORE AGM	
1	Sign up for a user account at Securities Services e-Portal	<ul> <li>Visit <u>https://sshsb.net.my/</u>.</li> <li>Click on 'SIGN UP' to register. You will be prompted to fill up your information and to submit a copy of your MyKad (front and back separately) or valid Passport for verification purposes.</li> <li>Users must register before 3.00 p.m. on Sunday, 18 June 2023.</li> <li>You will receive a notification email within one (1) working day. Your email address is your user ID.</li> <li>Verify your user account within seven (7) days from receiving the notification email.</li> <li>This is a ONE-TIME registration. If you are already have a user account, you are not required to register again.</li> </ul>
2	Submit your request for RPV registration/ e-Proxy Form	<ul> <li>Registration will be opened from 3.00 p.m. on Tuesday, 18 April 2023 until 3.00 p.m. on Tuesday, 20 June 2023.</li> <li>Registration options: <ul> <li>(a) RPV registration</li> <li>Login with your user ID and password.</li> <li>Select Company name: Encorp Berhad</li> <li>23rd AGM on Thursday, 22 June 2023 at 3.00 p.m.</li> <li>Registration for Remote Participation.</li> <li>Click "&gt;" to register for remote participation at the 23rd AGM.</li> </ul> </li> <li>(b) Submission of e-Proxy Form <ul> <li>Login in with your user ID and password.</li> <li>Select Company name: Encorp Berhad</li> <li>23rd AGM on Thursday, 22 June 2023 at 3.00 p.m.</li> </ul> </li> <li>(b) Submission of e-Proxy Form <ul> <li>Login in with your user ID and password.</li> <li>Select Company name: Encorp Berhad</li> <li>23rd AGM on Thursday, 22 June 2023 at 3.00 p.m.</li> <li>Submission of Proxy Form.</li> <li>Click "&gt;" to submit your e-Proxy Form for the meeting.</li> <li>Step 1: Select individual shareholder/corporate/authorised representative of a body corporate.</li> <li>Step 2: Insert every CDS account number and indicate the proportion of shares to be represented by your proxy/proxies.</li> <li>Step 3: Submit your remote participation/e-Proxy Form.</li> <li>Appointed proxies need not register for remote participation, but they will need to be registered users of the Securities Services e-Portal before 3.00 p.m. on Sunday, 18 June 2023.</li> <li>The proxy will be given access to remote participation at the meeting to which he/she is appointed for instead of the shareholder, provided the proxy must be a registered user of the e-Portal. Failing which, the proxy will not be able to participate at the meeting as the meeting will be conducted on a fully virtual basis.</li> </ul> </li> </ul>

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		<ul> <li>You will receive a notification email acknowledged receipt your remote participation/e-Proxy Form.</li> <li>After the General Meeting ROD as at 15 June 2023, you will receive an email that will advise if your registration for remote participation/e-Proxy Form has been approved or rejected.</li> <li>A copy of your remote participation/e-Proxy Form can be accessed via My Records in the Securities Services e-Portal.</li> <li>Read and agree to the Terms &amp; Conditions and confirm the Declaration.</li> <li>Evidence of authority:         <ul> <li>For body corporates, the appointed corporate /authorised representative must upload the evidence of authority, such as:</li> <li>Certificate of Appointment of Corporate Representative, Power of Attorney, letter of authority or other documents proving authority.</li> <li>Documents that are not in English in one (1) file. For verification, the original evidence of authority and translation thereof, if required, must be submitted to: Securities Services (Holdings) Sdn. Bhd at Level 7, Menara Milenium, Jalan Damanlela, Pusat Bandar Damansara, Damansara Heights, 50490 Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia.</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
	ON THE DAY OF 23rd A	GM
3	Login to Securities Services e-Portal	<ul> <li>Login with your user ID and password for remote participation.</li> <li>Login 30 minutes before the commencement of AGM at 3.00 p.m. on Thursday, 22 June 2023.</li> </ul>
4	Submit questions through live streaming	<ul> <li>Select "Event".</li> <li>Select Company name: Encorp Berhad – 23rd AGM on Thursday, 22 June 2023 at 3.00 p.m. – Live Stream Meeting.</li> <li>Click "&gt;" to join the 23rd AGM remotely.</li> <li>Read and agree to the Terms &amp; Conditions and confirm the Declaration.</li> <li>Use the text box to submit a question for the Chairman/Board. Your questions will be responded to during the 23rd AGM. If there is time constraint, the responses will be emailed to you after the meeting.</li> <li>NOTE: Quality of the live streaming is dependent on the bandwidth and stability of the internet connection of the remote participants' location.</li> </ul>
5	Online remote voting	<ul> <li>If you are already accessing the Live Stream Meeting, click Proceed to Vote under the live stream player. OR</li> <li>Select "Event".</li> <li>Select Company name: Encorp Berhad – 23rd AGM on Thursday, 22 June 2023 at 3.00 p.m. – Remote Voting.</li> <li>Click the radio button against each resolution to review and confirm your vote, then click "&gt;" to submit your votes online for the resolutions tabled.</li> <li>Voting commences at 3.00 p.m. on Thursday, 22 June 2023 and will end at the time announced by the Chairman.</li> <li>Read and agree to the Terms &amp; Conditions and confirm the Declaration prior to submitting your votes.</li> <li>Your votes casted will apply throughout ALL the CDS accounts you represent as an individual shareholder, corporate/authorised representative and proxy. Where you are attending as a proxy, we will take the shareholder's indicated votes in the Form of Proxy.</li> <li>A copy of your submitted remote voting record can be accessed via My Records in the Securities Services e-Portal.</li> </ul>
6	End of remote participation	Upon the announcement by the Chairman on the closure of the 23rd AGM, the live streaming will end.

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The voting at the 23rd AGM will be conducted by poll in accordance with Paragraph 8.29A of Bursa Malaysia Securities Berhad Main Market Listing Requirements. Members can submit votes on the resolutions upon commencement of the 23rd AGM at 3.00 p.m. on Thursday, 22 June 2023 until the end of the voting session which will be announced by the Chairman of the meeting. Upon completion of the voting session, the Scrutineers will verify and announce the poll results followed by the Chairman's declaration on whether the resolutions are duly passed.

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# ANNUAL REPORT 2022 AND CIRCULAR TO SHAREHOLDERS

The Annual Report 2022 is available on the Company's website at <u>www.encorp.com.my</u>.

Please note that printed copies of the Annual Report 2022 will be available only upon request. You may submit your request for a printed copy of the Annual Report by completing the enclosed Requisite Form and either send by post to Company's office address at No. 46-G, Jalan PJU 5/22, Pusat Perdagangan Kota Damansara, Kota Damansara PJU 5, 47810 Petaling Jaya, Selangor or email to <u>pauline@encorp.com.my</u>, the printed copy of the Annual Report will be despatched to you by ordinary post within four (4) market days from the date of receipt of your request. However, please consider the environment before you decide to request for the printed copy.

## NO DOOR GIFT/FOOD VOUCHER

There will be NO distribution of door gift/food voucher to members/proxies who participate in the 23rd AGM.

## **RECORDING OR PHOTOGRAPHY**

Strictly NO unauthorised recording or photography of the proceedings of the 23rd AGM.

## ENQUIRY

For enquiries prior to the AGM, please contact Company's Share Registrar during office hours on Monday to Friday from 8:30 a.m. to 12:15 p.m. and from 1:15 p.m. to 5:30 p.m. (except public holidays):

Share Registrar	:	Securities Services (Holdings) Sdn. Bhd.	
Contact person	:	Mr Wong Piang Yoong Ms Lee Pei Yeng Ms Rachel Ou En Saiful General Line	+603 2084 9168 +603 2084 9169 +603 2084 9161 +603 2084 9164 +603 2084 9000
Email address	:	eservices@sshsb.com.my	

# FORM OF PROXY



No. of Shares Held	
CDS Account No.	
Telephone No.	

ENCORP BERHAD (Company No. 200001004231 (506836-X)) (Incorporated in Malaysia)

*I/We		
(Full name	as per NRIC/Certificate of	of Incorporation in CAPITAL letters)
Company No./NRIC No. (new)		(old)
of		
	(Full Ac	ldress)
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being a member of ENCORP BERHAD, h	ereby appoint	
		NRIC No. (new)
(Full name as per NRIC in CAPITA	AL letters)	, , ,
(old)	or failing *him/h	er(Full name as per NRIC in CAPITAL letters)
NRIC No. (new)	(old)	

or failing \*him/her, the Chairman of the Meeting as \*my/our proxy to vote for \*me/us on \*my/our behalf at the 23rd Annual General Meeting ("AGM") of the Company to be held at the Broadcast Venue at Executive Lounge, Third Floor, Encorp Berhad, No 46-3, Jalan PJU 5/22, Pusat Perdagangan Kota Damansara, Kota Damansara PJU 5, 47810 Petaling Jaya, Selangor Darul Ehsan, on Thursday, 22 June 2023 at 3.00 p.m. and at any adjournment thereof. \*My/our proxy is to vote as indicated below:

(Please indicate with an "X" in the appropriate boxes how you wish your vote to be cast. If you do not indicate how you wish your proxy to vote on any resolution, the proxy shall vote as he/she thinks fit, or at his/her discretion, abstain from voting.)

No.	Ordinary Resolutions	For	Against
1.	Approval of Directors' fees of up to RM700,000 from the conclusion of 23rd AGM until the next AGM of the Company, to be payable on a quarterly basis in arrears.		
2.	Approval of Directors' benefits of up to RM170,000 being meeting attendance allowances and up to RM85,000 for each Director being the medical benefits, from the conclusion of 23rd AGM until the next AGM of the Company.		
3.	Re-election of YBhg Datuk Haji Jaafar Bin Abu Bakar as Director.		
4.	Re-election of YBhg Dato' Dr. Suzana Idayu Wati Binti Osman as Director.		
5.	Re-appointment of Messrs Ernst & Young PLT as Auditors and authority to the Directors to fix the Auditors' remuneration.		
6.	Proposed renewal of authority for share buy-back.		
7.	Approval of Proposed Shareholders' Mandate as specified in Section 2.3 of the Circular to Shareholders dated 18 April 2023.		

Dated this ..... day of ..... 2023

For appointment of two proxies, percentage of shareholdings to be represented by the proxies:		
	No. of shares	Percentage
Proxy 1		
Proxy 2		
Total		100%

Signature(s)/Common Seal of Member(s)

#### Notes:

- The 23rd AGM of the Company will be conducted on a virtual basis by way of live streaming and online remote voting via Remote Participation and Voting ("RPV") facilities available on Securities Services e-Portal of SS E Solutions Sdn. Bhd. at https://sshsb.net.my/. Please follow the procedures in the Administrative Guide in order to participate remotely via RPV.
- The broadcast venue is strictly for the purpose of complying with Section 327(2) of the Companies Act 2016 which requires the Chairman of the meeting to be
  present at the main venue of the meeting. NO MEMBERS/PROXIES from the public shall be physically present at the broadcast venue on the day of the 23rd
  AGM.
- 3. In respect of deposited securities, only members whose names appear in the Record of Depositors on 15 June 2023 (General Meeting Record of Depositors) shall be entitled to attend, speak and vote at this 23rd AGM.
- 4. A proxy may but need not be a member of the Company.
- 5. If the appointer is a corporation, the form of proxy must be given under its common seal or under the hand of an officer or attorney of the corporation duly authorised.
- 6. A member shall be entitled to appoint more than one (1) proxy subject always to a maximum of two (2) proxies to attend and vote at the same meeting provided that the provision of Section 294(2) of the Companies Act 2016 is complied with.
- 7. Where a member appoints more than one (1) proxy, the appointment shall be invalid unless he specifies the proportions of his shareholdings to be represented by each proxy.
- 8. Where a member of the Company is an exempt authorised nominee which holds ordinary shares in the Company for multiple beneficial owners in one securities account ("omnibus account"), there is no limit to the number of proxies which the exempt authorised nominee may appoint in respect of each omnibus account it holds.
- 9. The appointment of proxy may be made in a hardcopy form or by electronic means as follows and must be deposited with the Company's Share Registrar, Securities Services (Holdings) Sdn. Bhd. not less than forty-eight (48) hours before the time for holding this meeting or any adjournment thereof. Otherwise the instrument of proxy should not be treated as valid.
  - (a) By Hardcopy Form
    - The Form of Proxy or the Power of Attorney or other authority, if any, must be deposited at the office of the Company's Shares Registrar, Securities Services (Holdings) Sdn. Bhd. at Level 7, Menara Milenium, Jalan Damanlela, Pusat Bandar Damansara, Damansara Heights, 50490 Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia. By Online system
  - (b) By Online system The instrument appointing a proxy can be electronically submitted to the Share Registrar via Securities Services e-Portal at <u>https://sshsb.net.my/</u>(Kindly refer to the Administrative Guide for further information.)





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