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QUARTERLY FINANCIAL REPORT

Quarter 1: Financial Year Ending 31 December 2023

The Directors are pleased to release the quarterly financial report for the three-months ended 31 March 2023, being the first quarter for the financial year ending 31 December 2023.

The contents of the financial report comprise of the following attached condensed financial statements, explanatory notes, and additional disclosures. These must be read in conjunction with the Group's financial statements for the year ended 31st December 2022:

Schedule I	: Condensed Consolidated Statement of Comprehensive Income
Schedule II	: Condensed Consolidated Statement of Financial Position
Schedule III	: Condensed Consolidated Statement of Cash Flow
Schedule IV	: Condensed Consolidated Statement of Changes in Equity
Schedule V	: Selected Explanatory Notes Pursuant to MFRS 134
Schedule VI	: Additional Disclosures in Compliance with Main Market Listing Requirements

This quarterly financial report has been prepared in accordance with the accounting standards on interim financial reporting issued by the Malaysian Accounting Standards Board and contains additional disclosures prescribed by the Main Market Listing Requirements of Bursa Malaysia. Unless specified otherwise, the same accounting policies and methods of computation applied to the Group's financial statements for the previous year had been followed throughout this quarterly financial report.

By Order of the Board

Eric Toh Chee Seong (MAICSA 7016178) Company Secretary 29 May 2023



Schedule I: Condensed Consolidated Statement of Comprehensive Income For the 1st quarter ended 31 March 2023

	Individual 1 st Quarter			Cumulative 1 st Quarter		
	31/03/2023 RM'000	31/03/2022 RM'000	% chg	31/03/2023 RM'000	31/03/2022 RM'000	% chg
Revenue	6,926	4,866	42.3%	6,926	4,866	42.3%
Other direct costs	(4,759)	(4,145)	(14.8%)	(4,759)	(4,145)	(14.8%)
Employment expenses	(1,357)	(943)	(43.9%)	(1,357)	(943)	(43.9%)
Premises and infrastructure expenses	(71)	(20)	(>100%)	(71)	(20)	(>100%)
Administrative expenses	(396)	(301)	(31.6%)	(396)	(301)	(31.6%)
Other income/(expenses)	7	(10)	>100%	Ý	(10)	>100%
Adjusted EBITDA	350	(553)	>100%	350	(553)	>100%
Foreign exchange gains/(losses) Fair value gains/(losses) on equity	-	-		-	-	
instruments through profit or loss	695	(1,630)		695	(1,630)	
Bargain purchase	1 . 1	58		-	58	
Gain/(loss) on disposal of investments	(18)	(1)		(18)	(1)	
Depreciation and amortisation	(935)	(459)		(935)	(459)	
Interest income	-	-		-	-	
Interest expense	(509)	(77)		(509)	(77)	
Interest expense – lease liabilities	(5)	(4)		(5)	(4)	
Effect of discounting on other payables	(31)	(33)		(31)	(33)	
Share of loss from a joint venture	-	(1)		-	(1)	
Profit/(loss) before tax	(453)	(2,700)	83.2%	(453)	(2,700)	83.2%
Taxation	31	(12)		31	(12)	
Net profit/(loss) after tax	(422)	(2,712)	84.4%	(422)	(2,712)	84.4%
Other comprehensive income Items that may be reclassified subsequently to profit or loss Exchange differences on translation of foreign operations Other comprehensive income for the period, net of tax					<u> </u>	
Total comprehensive income for						
the financial period	(422)	(2,712)	84.4%	(422)	(2,712)	84.4%
Profit/(Loss) for the financial period attributable to:						
Owners of GCAP	(240)	(2,486)	90.3%	(240)	(2,486)	90.3%
Non-controlling interests	(182)	(226)	30.370	(182)	(226)	30.370
	(422)	(2,712)		(422)	(2,712)	
	(422)	(2,712)		(422)	(2,712)	
Total comprehensive income/(loss) attributable to:						
Owners of GCAP	(240)	(2,486)	90.3%	(240)	(2,486)	90.3%
Non-controlling interests	(182)	(226)		(182)	(226)	
	(422)	(2,712)		(422)	(2,712)	
Earnings/(Loss) per share ("EPS"):						
Basic EPS (sen)	(0.07)	(0.78)		(0.07)	(0.78)	
Diluted EPS (sen)	(0.07)	(0.78)		(0.07)	(0.78)	
	(0.07)	(0.70)		(0.07)	(0.70)	

This Statement should be read in conjunction with the selected explanatory notes on Schedule V & VI of this Report and the Group's audited financial statements for the year ended 31 December 2022.



Schedule II: Condensed Consolidated Statement of Financial Position As at 31 March 2023

	31/03/2023 RM'000	Audited 31/12/2022 RM'000
ASSETS		
Non-current assets		
Property, plant and equipment	98,852	98,450
Rights-of-use assets	83	72
Other intangible assets	22,755	22,994
Investment in a joint venture company Other investments	21 2,431	21 2,431
Other receivables	2,431	2,431 345
Goodwill on consolidation	11,054	11,054
	135,541	135,367
		100,007
Current assets		
Other investments	26,011	17,840
Trade receivables	9,251	5,486
Other receivables	3,719	3,824
Amount due from a joint venture company	125	125
Tax recoverable	1,486	1,447
Term deposits Cash and cash equivalents	570 5,746	570 15,955
Cash and cash equivalents	46,908	45,247
Total assets	182,449	180,614
	102,110	100,011
EQUITY		
Share capital	130,964	130,964
Reserves	(7,603)	(7,559)
Accumulated losses	(18,636)	(18,396)
Equity attributable to owners of GCAP	104,725	105,009
Non-controlling interests	5,519	5,701
Total equity	110,244	110,710
LIABILITIES		
Non-current liabilities		
Borrowings	41,830	41,943
Lease liabilities	178	186
Other payables	857	797
Deferred tax liabilities	5,363	5,395
	48,228	48,321
Current liabilities		
Current liabilities Borrowings	2,742	3,040
Lease liabilities	123	3,040
Amount due to corporate shareholders	7,967	2,560
Trade payables	7,464	12,754
Other payables	4,608	3,110
Deferred revenue	1,073	
	23,977	21,583
Total liabilities	72,205	69,904
Total equity and liabilities	182,449	180,614
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Net assets per share (Sen)	34.4	34.5

This Statement should be read in conjunction with the selected explanatory notes on Schedule V & VI of this Report and the Group's audited financial statements for the year ended 31 December 2022.



Schedule III: Condensed Consolidated Statement of Cash Flows For the three months ended 31 March 2023

	Cumulative	1st Quarter
	31/03/2023	31/03/2022
	RM'000	RM'000
Cash flows from operating activities		
Profit/(loss) before tax	(453)	2,700
Adjustments for:	· · ·	
Bargain purchase	-	(58)
Depreciation and amortisation	935	459
Effect of discounting on other payables	31	33
Fair value loss on equity investments	(695)	1,630
Loss on disposal of investments	18	1
Interest income	-	-
Interest expense on:		
- Borrowing	509	77
- Lease liabilities	5	4
Share of loss from a joint venture	-	(550)
Operating loss before working capital changes	350	(553)
Changes in working conital		
Changes in working capital: Inventories		
Trade and other receivables	(3,657)	- 958
Trade and other payables	1,570	2,118
Cash generated from operations	(1,737)	2,733
Interest paid	(514)	(291)
Interest received	-	(201)
Tax paid	(39)	(81)
Net cash from operating activities	(2,290)	2,361



Schedule III: Condensed Consolidated Statement of Cash Flows

For the three months ended 31 March 2023

	Cumulative 1st Quarter		
	31/03/2023 RM'000	31/03/2022 RM'000	
Cash flows from investing activities			
Acquisitions of: - Property, plant and equipment	(1,070)	(5,401)	
- Short-term other investments	(6,391)	(165)	
Net investment in term deposits	-	(660)	
Cash acquired on acquisition of subsidiary Payment for acquisition of subsidiary	-	323 (676)	
Proceeds from disposals of short term other investment	-	-	
Net cash used in investing activities	(7,461)	(6,579)	
Cash flows from financing activities			
Proceed/ (repayment) of borrowings	(410)	2,908	
(Repayments to)/advances from related parties	(6)	-	
Proceeds from issuance of shares Repayment of lease liabilities	- (42)	- (30)	
Net cash generated from financing activities	(458)	2,878	
Net increase/(decrease) in cash and cash equivalents	(10,209)	(1,340)	
Cash and cash equivalents at beginning of period	15,955	6,403	
Effects of exchange rate changes on cash and cash equivalents	<u> </u>	55	
Cash and cash equivalents at end of period	5,746	5,118	
Comprising of:			
Cash and bank	5,746	5,118	
Fixed deposits with financial institutions	-	-	
Cash & cash equivalents at end of period	5,746	5,118	

This Statement should be read in conjunction with the selected explanatory notes on Schedule V & VI of this Report and the Group's audited financial statements for the year ended 31 December 2022.



Schedule IV: Condensed Consolidated Statement of Changes in Equity For the three months ended 31 March 2023

	Share capital RM	Reserves RM	Retained earnings/ (Accumulated losses) RM	Subtotal RM	Non- controlling interest RM	Total equity RM
At 1 January 2022 Total comprehensive	130,964	(6,224)	280	125,020	7,621	132,641
income/(loss)	-	-	(2,486)	(2,486)	(226)	(2,712)
Acquisition of subsidiary	-	-	-	-	705	705
Shares issued	-	-	-	-	-	-
At 31 March 2022	130,964	(6,224)	(2,206)	122,534	8,100	130,634
At 1 January 2023	130,964	(7,559)	(18,396)	105,009	5,701	110,710
Total comprehensive income/(loss)		· .	(240)	(240)	(182)	(422)
Acquisition of subsidiary		(44)	-	(44)	-	(44)
Shares issued	-	-	-	-	-	-
At 31 March 2023	130,964	(7,603)	(18,636)	104,725	5,519	110,244





Schedule V: Selected Explanatory Notes Pursuant to MFRS 134

1. <u>Accounting Policies and method of computation</u>

The condensed consolidated interim financial statements have been prepared in accordance with MFRS 134, Interim Financial Reporting Standards, the requirements of Companies Act 2016 and Paragraph 9.22 of the Bursa Malaysia Listing Requirements. The accounting policies and presentation adopted by the Group for the quarterly financial statements are consistent with those adopted in the Group's consolidated audited financial statements for the financial year ended 31 December 2022.

The Group has not adopted the following new standards and amendments to standards that have been issued but are not yet effective:

Effective dates for financial periods beginning on or after

		1	
MFRS 17	Insurance Contracts	1 January 2023	
Amendments to MFRS 17	Insurance Contracts	1 January 2023	
Amendments to MFRS 17	Initial Application of MFRS 17 and MFRS 9 -	1 January 2023	
	Comparative Information		
Amendments to MFRS 101	Classification of Liabilities as Current or Non-Current	1 January 2023	
Amendments to MFRS 101 and	Disclosure of Accounting Policies	1 January 2023	
MFRS Practice Statement 2			
Amendments to MFRS 108	Definition of Accounting Estimates	1 January 2023	
Amendments to MFRS 112	Deferred Tax related to Assets and Liabilities arising	1 January 2023	
	from a Single Transaction		
Amendments to MFRS 16	Lease Liability in a Sale and Leaseback	1 January 2024	
Amendments to MFRS 101	Non-Current Liabilities with Covenants	1 January 2024	
Amendments to MFRS 10, and	Sales or Contribution of Assets between an Investor	Deferred until further	
Amendments to MFRS 128	and its Associate or Joint Venture	notice	

The Group intends to adopt the above new standards and amendments to standards when they become effective. The initial application of the abovementioned standards and amendments to standards are not expected to have any significant impacts on the financial statements of the Group.

2. <u>Auditors' report</u>

The auditors' report of the preceding annual financial statements of the Company and of the Group was not subject to any qualification.

3. <u>Comment on seasonality or cyclicality of operation</u>

The Group's performance is normally not affected by seasonal or cyclical events on a year-to-year basis. However, contract revenue from the Ministry of Defence contract to ferry school children is based on students attending school. Thus, school holidays will affect contract revenues. In December of each calendar year there is no revenue from this contract.

4. Significant estimates and changes in estimates

There were no significant estimates or changes in estimates that have had any material effect on the results of the current quarter.



Schedule V: Selected Explanatory Notes Pursuant to MFRS 134 (Cont'd)

5. <u>Issuance or repayments of debt/equity securities</u>

On 8 March 2023, 32,068,900 ESOS Options under the LTIP Scheme were granted to eligible persons. Of which 12,835,200 ESOS granted to the director, Datuk Yap Yee Ping. There are no share rights granted.

On 5 May 2023, a total of 1,500,000 ESOS Options were exercised. Consequently, the share capital has been enlarged to 322,190,971 shares valued at RM131,556,779.

6. <u>Dividends paid</u>

No dividends have been paid in the current financial quarter.

7. Segmental Analysis

The Group has five (5) reportable segments, as described below, which are the Group's strategic business units. The strategic business units offer different products and services, being transportation division, hydropower division, solarpower division, water division, investment holding and others. Segment performance is evaluated based on adjusted EBITDA. Inter-segment transactions and pricing arrangements where applicable, are determined on a commercial basis. The results by segments for the quarter are as follows:

Segmental Results

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Hydropower - <th< td=""><td>Revenue</td><td></td><td></td><td></td><td></td><td></td><td></td></th<>	Revenue							
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$ \begin{array}{c ccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$	Solarpower	917	881	4.1%	917	318	>100%	
$\begin{array}{cccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$	Water	1,836	2,243	(18.1%)	1,836	675	>100%	
$ \begin{array}{c ccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$	Investment holding and others	7	7	-	7	7	-	
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$ \begin{array}{c c c c c c c c c c c c c c c c c c c $	Group revenue	6,926	7,304	(5.2%)	6,926	4,866	42.3%	
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Intersegment adjustment	Investment holding and others	(864)	(568)	(52.1%)	(864)	(877)	1.5%	
		350	(317)	>100%	350	(553)	>100%	
Group Adjusted EBITDA 350 (317) >100% 350 (553) >100%	Intersegment adjustment	-	-	-	-	-	-	
	Group Adjusted EBITDA	350	(317)	>100%	350	(553)	>100%	



Schedule V: Selected Explanatory Notes Pursuant to MFRS 134 (cont'd)

7. <u>Segmental Analysis (Cont'd)</u>

	Current	t v Preceding Qua	arter	Curre	nt v Preceding Y	ear
	31/03/2023 RM'000	31/12/2022 RM'000	% chg	31/03/2023 RM'000	31/12/2022 RM'000	% chg
Total Assets						
Transportation	8,510	7,851	8.4%	8,510	7,851	8.4%
Hydropower	42,785	49,688	(13.9%)	42,785	49,688	(13.9%)
Solarpower	98,418	98,383	0.04%	98,418	98,383	0.04%
Water	6,685	5,487	21.8%	6,685	5,487	21.8%
Investment holding and others	99,747	92,974	7.3%	99,747	92,974	7.3%
-	256,145	254,383	0.7%	256,145	254,383	0.7%
Intersegment adjustment	(73,696)	(73,769)	0.1%	(73,696)	(73,769)	0.1%
Group Assets	182,449	180,614	1.0%	182,449	180,614	1.0%
Total Liabilities						
Transportation	2,914	2,090	39.4%	2,914	2,090	39.4%
Hydropower	34,375	40,795	(15.7%)	34,375	40,795	(15.7%)
Solarpower	79,197	78,298	1.1%	79,197	78,298	1.1%
Water	6,248	5,438	14.9%	6,248	5,438	14.9%
Investment holding and others	23,167	17,052	35.9%	23,167	17,052	35.9%
	145,901	143,673	1.6%	145,901	143,673	1.6%
Intersegment adjustment	(73,696)	(73,769)	0.1%	(73,696)	(73,769)	0.1%
Group Liabilities	72,205	69,904	3.3%	72,205	69,904	3.3%
Group Liabilities	72,205	69,904	3.3%	72,205	69,904	3.3%

7.1 <u>Current Quarter vs Previous Quarter</u>

7.1.1 Revenue and Adjusted EBITDA

(i) <u>Transportation division</u>

1Q2023 revenue did not have significant movement from 4Q2022, due to the shift of schooling terms since the uplift of the final COVID-19 Movement Control Order ("MCO"), where the final school term break did not fall on year ends.

Lower administrative costs in 1Q2023 had resulted in an improvement of RM65K in Adjusted EBITDA compared to 4Q2022.

(ii) Hydropower division

While waiting for completion and commissioning of mini-hydropower projects to be revenue generating, the Adjusted EBITDA loss in the hydropower division is mainly resulted from cost of our in-house engineers, administration expenses, and costs of procuring the necessary approvals from the relevant State Government authorities.

(iii) Solarpower division

There was no new Solar Photovoltaics ("Solar PV") Systems were powered up in 1Q2023. Solarpower division continued to generate revenue by harvesting solar energy from the six (6) existing Solar PV systems, marginally improved 4.1% revenue in 1Q2023 compared to 4Q2022.

The higher Adjusted EBITDA in 4Q2022 was due to RM620K one-time capitalization of transaction costs specifically related to borrowings that was expensed off earlier. However, this increase was partially offset with the effect of assets being written-off, amounting to RM233K in 4Q2022.



Schedule V: Selected Explanatory Notes Pursuant to MFRS 134 (cont'd)

- 7. <u>Segmental Analysis (Cont'd)</u>
- 7.1 Current Quarter vs Previous Quarter (Cont'd)

7.1.1 Revenue and Adjusted EBITDA (Cont'd)

(iii) Solarpower division (Cont'd)

As at 31 March 2023, a total of 18.51 MWp Solar Photovoltaics ("PV") System installed for six (6) corporate clients are up and running, being: -

- (i) 1.1 MWp on 5 September 2022 for De-Luxe Food Services Sdn Bhd before Aryzta Food Solutions Sdn Bhd succeeding as owner of the premises and GCAP Group inked PPA with the former.
- (ii) 1.2MWp on 19 January 2022 for Muda Pasifik Sdn Bhd in Penang;
- (iii) 3.0MWp on 16 February 2022 and 0.51MWp extension on 15 September 2022 for Muda Paper Mills Sdn Bhd in Penang;
- (iv) 3.0MWp on 26 March 2022 and 0.30MWp on 19 August 2022 for Muda Paper Converting Sdn Bhd in Penang;
- (v) 7.0MWp on 1 July 2022 for Evergreen Fibreboard Berhad in Johor; and
- (vi) 2.4MWp on 15 November 2022 for Chin Well Fasteners Co Sdn Bhd in Penang.
- (iv) Water division

Revenue from Water division dropped 18.1% from RM2.2 million in 4Q2022 to RM1.8 million in 1Q2023., while the Adjusted EBITDA reported in black of RM625K in 1Q2023 from a red of RM552K in 4Q2022. These are mainly attributable to projects progressed satisfying different performance obligations and hence varies project margin yield between 1Q2023 and 4Q2022.

(v) Investment holding and other division

Lower Adjusted EBITDA loss in 4Q2022 was resulted from reversal of professional fee provided for a proposed rights issue aborted on 6 December 2022.

7.1.2 Assets and Liabilities

Total assets of the Group continued on the rise in 1Q2023, mainly due to the increase in assets from Water and Investment division. The former with increase in receivables from progress billings whilst the latter increase in fair value of equity shares held.

Although with increased in Solarpower segment's borrowings to finance Solar PV projects, liabilities continue to be well managed, at 39.6% and 38.7% of total assets in 1Q2023 and 4Q2022 respectively.

8. Valuation of property, plant and equipment

There were no changes in the valuation on property, plant and equipment since the last annual financial statements.

- Significant & subsequent events There is no significant event subsequent to the end of the quarter that have not been reflected in the current financial quarter under review.
- <u>Changes in the composition of the Group</u> On 3 January 2023, the Group has acquired Excel Hydropower Sdn. Bhd. ("Excel Hydropower") (formerly known as LCW Development Sdn. Bhd.), obtaining full ownership by paying RM2 for 2 ordinary shares.



Schedule V: Selected Explanatory Notes Pursuant to MFRS 134 (cont'd)

11. <u>Contingent liabilities</u>

There were no contingent liabilities of a material nature since the last audited consolidated statement of financial position (FY2022).

12. Contingent assets

There were no contingent assets of a material nature since the last audited consolidated statement of financial position (FY2022).

13. Capital commitments

14.

		31/03/2023 RM'000
Contracted but not provided for: - Mini-hydro - Solar PV plants		13,580 7,339 20,919
Significant related party transactions		
	31/03/2023 RM'000	31/03/2022 RM'000
Company connected to a director of a subsidiary		
- Transportation service	4,056	3,618
 Provision of engineering, procurement, construction and commission services of Solar PV plants Provision of water engineering and related consultancy services 	2,835 34	5,730



1. <u>Operations review</u>

Explanatory comments on the performance of each of the Group's segments is provided in Note 7. of Schedule V.

2. Comment on material change in profit before taxation vs preceding quarter

	Curren	Current v Preceding Quarter			
	31/03/2023 RM'000	31/12/2022 RM'000	% chg		
Revenue	6,926	7,304	(5.2%)		
Adjusted EBITDA/ (loss)	350	(316)	>100%		
Loss before tax	(453)	(6,478)	93.0%		
Loss after tax	(422)	(6,213)	93.2%		
Loss attributable to ordinary equity holders of GCAP	(240)	(5,559)	95.7%		

The Group is reporting a slightly lower revenue of RM6.9 million in 1Q2023 compared to a revenue of RM7.3 million in 4Q2022, mainly attributable to the variation to revenue earned from different performance obligations satisfied between 1Q2023 and 4Q2022. However, higher Adjusted EBITDA of RM350K was reported in 1Q2023 as compared to a loss of RM316K in 4Q2022, mainly attributable to a fair value gain on equity instruments of RM695 in 1Q2023.

Loss before tax for 1Q2023 was RM453 K (4Q2022: loss of RM6.5 million). The higher loss before tax in 4Q2022 was driven by a one-off impairment loss on goodwill of RM4.4 million and a fair value loss on revaluation of investments held of RM395 K. However, In 1Q2023, portfolio of investments held yielded a fair value gains of RM695 K.

3. Future prospects

The Group cheered to receive the Budget 2023 announced by the tenth(10th) Prime Minister Datuk Seri Anwar Ibrahim on 24 February 2023, amongst other:-

- Bank Pembangunan Malaysia Berhad Strategic Financing will be subsidizing 1.5% of finance cost payable to include maritime & logistic scheme and allocating up to RM1,500 million for sustainable development financing scheme;
- (ii) Extension of Green Investment Tax Allowance (GITA) and Green Income Tax Exemption (GITE) to 31 December 2025; and
- (iii) Green Technology Financing Scheme increased to RM 3 billion until 2025.

We see these measurements indicating the newly formed government continue to support the development of renewable energy industry and we envisaged these shall spur in our business's viability in terms of financing cost saving and improvement to the business prospects.



3. <u>Future prospects – (Cont'd)</u>

3.1 Transportation division

On 30 December 2022, the Group signed a supplemental agreement with Ministry of Defence Malaysia ("Mindef"). Under the Supplemental Agreement, the contract tenure has been extended for another one (1) year to end at 31 December 2023 with additional contract value awarded of RM8.409 million; making it a total contract value of RM52,639,560 from 1 January 2020 to 31 December 2023.

3.2 Mini hydropower division

The Group remains committed to completing the construction of the mini hydropower projects.

Earlier, on 15 December 2020, our 96.0%-owned by subsidiary, Gunung Hydropower Sdn Bhd ("**Gunung Hydropower**"), won on SEDA e-bidding for 10MW low-head small hydropower project in Sungai Perak, Salu ("**Project Salu – A**"). With a higher tariff of RM0.2898/kwh, we signed the 21 years' Renewable Energy Power Purchase Agreement ("**REPPA**") with TNB on 12 August 2021.

Subsequently, on 10 May 2022, Gunung Hydropower bid and won at RM0.2460 per kilowatt-hour ("**KWh**") for 8.0 MW high-head small hydropower plant at Sg. Temelong and Sg. Ibul of Perak ("**Project Temelong_Ibul**"). We successfully inked REPPA with TNB for Project Temelong_Ibul on 9 December 2022.

For clarity, Project Salu – A and Project Temelong_Ibul (collectively referred to as scheme Salu_Temelong_Ibul) are designed to be developed together and share inter-connection facilities costs. Its total capacity of 18MW is now ready for next phase of development.

The same e-Bidding on 10 May 2022, the Group is showered by blessing with yet another winning when 74.64%owned Kundur Hydro R E Sdn Bhd ("**Kundur Hydro**") bid and won at RM0.2461/KWh for 2.0 MW high-head small hydropower plant at Sg. Geroh of Perak ("**Project Geroh**"). Kundur Hydro successfully inked REPPA with TNB for Project Geroh on 7 November 2022.

The successful future commissioning of Project Salu – A, Project Temelong_Ibul and Project Geroh in the near future will contribute directly to the Group's long term consolidated revenue, earnings, and enhance the Group's earnings growth potential. Under 60%-owned Perak Hydro Renewable Energy Corporation Sdn Bhd ("**PHREC**"), our mini hydro portfolio includes 10 sites with an installed capacity of 84.05MW, at various stages of construction.

On 17 November 2022, Northern Star Hydropower Sdn Bhd, a wholly-owned subsidiary bid and won at RM0.2298 per KWh for 26.0 MW high-head small hydropower plants at Sg. Dong, Sg. Lipis, Sg. Kenur and Sg. Kelang of Pahang Darul Makmur ("**Project Pahang Tengah Scheme**"). Successful commissioning of this scheme will also contribute directly to the Group's long term consolidated revenue and earnings.



3. <u>Future prospects – (Cont'd)</u>

3.3 Solarpower division

The Group is pleased with a total of 18.5 MWp Solar PV System from 6 notable clients as Note 8.1.1(iii) of Schedule V that's income producing.

In addition, on 15 May 2023, the Group energised 4,500.00 KWp for Federal Packages Sdn Bhd in Penang.

The management remained optimistic to secure and commission no less than 20 MWp Solar PV projects in financial year 2023 and contribute to the Group's revenue and earnings accordingly.

3.4 Water division

The Group is in various stages of negotiation with various parties for NRW projects .

In addition to abovementioned divisions, management is continually formulating strategies and longer terms plans to maximize value to shareholders. This includes evaluating equity investment proposals, partnerships & joint venture proposals, generating earnings growth through acquisitions and earnings growth organically via unlocking the value of our existing assets, know-how and expertise.

4. Tax expense

The details of the tax expense (*) are as follows: -

	Individual	1st Quarter	Cumulative	1st Quarter
	31/03/2023 RM'000	31/03/2022 RM'000	31/03/2023 RM'000	31/03/2022 RM'000
Current Deferred tax	- 31	- (12)	- 31	- (12)
Deletted tax	31	(12)	31	(12)



5. <u>Status of corporate proposals</u>

5.1 Proposed Rights Issue

On 5 April 2023, KAF Investment Bank Berhad ("**KAF IB**" or "**principal advisor**") had announced on behalf of GCAP that GCAP is proposing to undertake a proposed renounceable rights issue of up to RM112,883,159 nominal value of 1,411,039,484 five (5)-year, 8.0%, redeemable convertible unsecured loan stocks ("**RCULS**") at 100% of its nominal value of RM0.08 each, on the basis of four (4) RCULS for every one (1) existing ordinary share in GCAP held on an entitlement date to be determined later.

The proceeds arising therefrom are to be utilised mainly to part finance development of small hydropower projects and to meet working capital requirements of the Group.

The Group is in the midst of preparing listing applications to procure approval from Securities Commission and Bursa Malaysia Securities Berhad ("**Bursa Securities**") for the Proposed Rights Issue.

Save as disclosed above, there is no material development on the status of the corporate proposals.

6. <u>Group borrowings and debt securities</u>

The details of the Group's borrowings as at 31 March 2023 are as follows: -

As at 31 March 2023	Currency	Current	Non- Current	Total
Lease liabilities^	RM	123	178	301
Project financing term loan#@	RM	2,742 2,865	41,830 42,008	44,572 44,873
As at 31 December 2022	Currency	Current	Non- Current	Total
Lease liabilities^	RM	119	186	305
Project financing term loan#@	RM	3,040 3,159	41,943 42,129	44,983 45,288

^No material changes in borrowings year-on-year. Borrowing consists of hire purchase facilities for vehicles under the Group. Borrowing costs of hire purchase obligations range from 2.47%-4.74%.

Financing of the development of a mini-hydro site bearing floating rate interest of 1.00% above the financial institution's base lending rate.

@ Financing of Solar PV Projects, bearing floating rate interest of 1.25% - 2.00% above the financial institution's cost of fund.



7. <u>Material litigation, claims or arbitration</u>

GCAP Group is not engaged in any material litigation, claim or arbitration, either as plaintiff or defendant and the Board does not have any knowledge of any proceedings pending or threatened against GCAP Group, or of any fact likely to give rise to any proceedings, which might materially affect the Group's business or financial results or position, save and except the following: -

(a) On 9 March 2021, GPB had filed a suit against Jabatan Latihan Khidmat Negara ("First Defendant"), Kementerian Pertahanan Malaysia ("Second Defendant"), Kementerian Belia dan Sukan Malaysia ("Third Defendant"), Kementerian Kewangan Malaysia ("Fourth Defendant") and Kerajaan Malaysia ("Fifth Defendant") (collectively, the "Defendants") at the High Court of Kuala Lumpur ("KL High Court") to claim for, inter alia, the principal amount of RM4,979,003.10 ("Principal Outstanding Sum 2"). The matter was scheduled for a case management on 10 June 2021 to be held by means of e-review.

The Defendant is an agency/department under the Second Defendant and/or Third Defendant whereas the Second Defendant, Third Defendant and Fourth Defendant are ministries under the Fifth Defendant.

The suit was filed by GPB against the Defendants to recover the Principal Outstanding Sum 2 and such other costs arising therefrom as aforementioned. The First Defendant, with the approval given by the Second Defendant and/or the Third Defendant, had entered into a contract to engage GPB for the provision of bus rental services and food provided for/to the trainees under Program Latihan Khidmat Negara for the period commencing from 26 December 2014 to 25 December 2017. The said contract was further extended for 2 years commencing from 26 December 2017 and expired on 25 December 2019.

As at the announcement, the GPB only received a sum of RM4,952,983.90 and Principal Outstanding Sum 2 remained uncollected, despite several reminders had been sent to the Defendants. During the case management on 14 March 2022, the KL High Court has fixed the trials on 23 August 2022 to 25 August 2022.

On 17 August 2022, the KL High Court has vacated the trial scheduled on 23 August 2022 to 25 August 2022 and fixed case management by way of e-review on 23 August 2022 to fix a 27 May 2024 to 30 May 2024 to be new trial dates.

The solicitors-in-charge for the above suit, Messrs Goik Ramesh & Loo, is of the view that there are high chances of GPB in succeeding in the matter.



- 7. <u>Material litigation, claims or arbitration (cont'd)</u>
 - (b) On 25 April 2018, Wak Ngah Pili A/P Bah Adim and 35 other individuals (collectively, the "Plaintiffs") had filed a suit against PHREC ("First Defendant"), Conso Hydro R E Sdn Bhd ("CHRE") ("Second Defendant"), Kerajaan Negeri Perak, Ketua Pengarah Jabatan Kemajuan Orang Asli, Pengarah Tanah dan Galian Perak and Kerajaan Malaysia (collectively, the "Defendants") at the High Court of Ipoh, Perak ("Ipoh High Court"), to seek for, inter alia, a declaration that the Plaintiffs are the proprietors of native customary titles over the land identified as 'Ulu Geruntum" ("Customary Land").

Both PHREC and CHRE are subsidiary companies of GCAP, which intended to construct a 2.0MW minihydropower plant project. As at the announcement, the cost incurred for this project is approximately RM14.10 million.

On 28 April 2021, an interim injunction order was granted in favour of the Plaintiffs whereby the First Defendant and Second Defendant and/or their agents shall be restrained from carrying on any works (including but not limited to construction works and land reclamation works) over the Customary Land.

The First Defendant had in response, filed a notice of appeal at the Court of Appeal, Kuala Lumpur ("Court of Appeal") against the said interim injunction on 6 May 2021 vide a notice of appeal with the Appeal No. A-01[IM][NCVC]]-258-05/2120. The solicitors-in-charge has filed all of the necessary documents relevant to the appeal and the grounds of judgement for the original interim injunction was received on 1 September 2021. The appeal on interim injunction was fixed for mention on 6 October 2021 and thereafter, the hearing application to set aside the injunction is set on 1 April 2022. The Court of Appeal has on 1 April 2022 ruled to set aside the injunction.

The case is fixed for continued trials on 23 to 25 March 2022, 12 to 13 April 2022, 20 to 21 April 2022, 25 to 28 April 2022, 23 to 27 May 2022, 15 to 18 August 2022, 23 to 26 August 2022, 19 to 23 September 2022, 29 November 2022 to 1 December 2022 for witnesses to testify before the Ipoh High Court.

On 1 December 2022, the lpoh High Court has fixed extra dates for the trial, being 30 to 31 January 2023, 1 to 2 March 2023 and 20 March to 22 March 2023 for the witness to testify. The trial is still ongoing and scheduled for continued hearing on 21 June 2023 to 23 June 2023.

The solicitors-in-charge for the above suit, Messrs Goik Ramesh & Loo, is of the view that there are high chances of successful to the trial.





7. <u>Material litigation, claims or arbitration (cont'd)</u>

- (c) On 16 November 2022, Solarcity Malaysia Sdn Bhd ("1st Plaintiff") and Eleaps Sdn Bhd ("2nd Plaintiff") (collectively, the 1st Plaintiff and the 2nd Plaintiff shall be known as the "Plaintiffs") had filed a suit against Apex Office Furniture Sdn Bhd ("1st Defendant"), Apex Office Furniture Exporter Sdn Bhd ("2nd Defendant") and AD Power Sdn Bhd ("3rd Defendant") (collectively, the 1st Defendant, 2nd Defendant and 3rd Defendant shall be known as the "Defendants") to claim for, amongst others:-
 - (a) a declaration that the Defendants had acted in conspiracy and/or joint tortfeasors to injure the Plaintiffs' business;
 - (b) an injunction restraining the 3rd Defendant whether by itself, or acting by their directors, officers, employees or agents or any of them in combination or otherwise however from providing solar supply to the 1st Defendant and 2nd Defendant at the Premises (as defined hereinbelow);
 - (c) an order that the 1st Defendant and the 2nd Defendant had wrongfully terminated and/or breached the terms of the Solar Supply Agreement dated 19 May 2021 ("SSA");
 - (d) aggravated and exemplary damages;
 - (e) costs on full indemnity basis;
 - (f) interests on all sums payable to the Plaintiffs at such rate to be determined by the Honourable Court; and
 - (g) such other orders the Honourable Court may think fit.

The suit is in connection with the dispute arising from the SSA which was entered into between the 1st Plaintiff, 1st Defendant and the 2nd Defendant whereby the 1st Plaintiff is to design, construct, install, own, operate and maintain a solar photovoltaic (PV) energy generating system with a DC capacity of 1,300 kWp at the rooftop of the principal place of business of the 1st Defendant and the 2nd Defendant ("**Premises**") at certain fixed rate pursuant to the SSA to be payable by the 2nd Defendant.

The 1st Plaintiff then engaged the 2nd Plaintiff to act as the 1st Plaintiff's representative in undertaking all installation works and subsequently the 2nd Plaintiff engaged the 3rd Defendant as sub-contractor for such works. The 2nd Plaintiff then discovered that the 2nd Defendant has not completed the 2nd Defendant's production loading at the Premises which resulted in the dissatisfactory load profile, causing a delay to necessary approval or permit and the installation works at the Premises.

The Plaintiffs further discovered that the 3rd Defendant had in his own capacity and without knowledge and consent of the Plaintiffs, installed a same solar PV system for the 2nd Defendant at the Premises which was confirmed by the Defendants. The Defendants further confirmed that they had entered into a new solar supply agreement. Accordingly, the Defendants breached the terms of the SSA and caused damages to the Plaintiffs which led to the filing of this suit.

Pursuant to the case management on 22 May 2023, the Honorable Court had directed the Plantiffs and Defendants to file pre-trial documents by 21 July 2023, for next case management fixed on 25 July 2023 for the updates of the documents' filing status.

The solicitors-in-charge for the above suit is of the considered view that the Plaintiffs has considerable prospect of success in this matter.

8. <u>Proposed Dividend</u>

No dividend has been proposed by the Board of Directors for the current financial period under review.



- 9. Basis of calculation of earnings/loss per share ("EPS")
 - (a) The basic EPS for the current quarter was computed by dividing the Group profit attributable to shareholders of GCAP by the weighted average number of ordinary shares in issue (net of treasury shares).

	Current Quarter	Current YTD
Group attributable loss to shareholders of GCAP (RM'000)	(240)	(240)
Weighted average issued capital net of treasury shares ('000)	320,691	320,691
Earnings per share (Sen)	(0.07)	(0.07)

(b) The diluted EPS for the current quarter was computed by dividing the Group profit attributable to shareholders, adjusted for the dilutive effects of the conversion of all the outstanding ESOS of GCAP into ordinary shares.

	Current Quarter	Current YTD
Group attributable profit/(loss) to shareholders of GCAP (RM'000)	(240)	(240)
Weighted average issued capital net of treasury shares ('000) Adjustment for ESOS conversion into ordinary shares ('000)	320,691	320,691
Adjusted weighted average issued capital net of treasury shares ('000)	320,691	320,691
Earnings/(Loss) per share (Sen)	(0.07)	(0.07)

10. Notes to the Condensed Consolidated Statement of Comprehensive Income

Loss Before Tax is arrived at after charging/(crediting) the following items:

	Individual 1	st Quarter	Cumulative 1st Quarter		
RM'000	31/03/2023	31/03/2022	31/03/2023	31/03/2022	
 (i) Interest Income (ii) Interest expense (iii) Interest expense – lease liabilities (iv) Effect of discounting on other payables (v) Depreciation and amortisation 	509 5 31 935	- 77 4 33 459	- 509 5 31 935	- 77 4 33 459	
 (vi) Fair value losses on equity instruments through profit or loss (vii) Bargain purchase (viii) Gain/(loss) on disposal of investments (ix) Impairment of trade receivables (x) Expenses related to short term leases (xi) Share of loss from a joint venture 	(695) - 18 - 71	1,630 (58) 1 - 8 1	(695) - 18 - 71	1,630 (58) 1 - 8 1	



11. Additional Disclosure Information

Trade Receivables

The credit terms of trade receivables granted to related parties are no different from those granted to non-related parties which are between 30-120 days. There were no overdue trade receivables of the Group as at 31 March 2023 arising from our Government customer. A trade receivable is deemed past due when the counter party has failed to make payment when the outstanding amount are contractually due.

Aged analysis of trade receivables past due but not impaired:

RM'000	<30 days	31-60 days	61-90 days	91-180 days	>180 days	Total
31/03/2023	163	758	1,186	957	902	3,966
31/12/2022	1,059	127	74	205	697	2,162

The past due trade receivables above 90 days are collectable. Of the RM4 million trade receivables past due, RM219K pertaining to outstanding receivable from customers towards sale of solar energy, whilst RM3.1 million pertaining to outstanding receivable from customers towards water works. Management is in active discussion with the debtors for debts recovery and remain optimistic towards the recoverability of such receivables.

Foreign exchange exposure/ hedging policy

The Group does not have any hedging policy or long-term foreign exchange exposure. The Group has minimal one-off foreign exchange exposure to USD and EUR for purchases of mechanical and electrical equipment for small hydropower projects and Non-revenue water projects. As at 31 March 2023, there is no contingent liability exposure to foreign exchange movements.

Material impairment of assets

Save for as disclosed in Note 10 of Schedule VI, there is no other material impairment on assets was made during the financial period under review.