

WELLCALL HOLDINGS BERHAD

Registration No.: 200501025213 (707346-W)

Incorporated in Malaysia

**CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF PROFIT OR LOSS AND OTHER COMPREHENSIVE INCOME
FOR THE SECOND QUARTER ENDED 31 MARCH 2021**

(The figures have not been audited)

	Note	Individual Quarter		Cumulative Quarter	
		3-Months Ended		6-Months Ended	
		31 Mar 2021	31 Mar 2020	31 Mar 2021	31 Mar 2020
		RM'000	RM'000	RM'000	RM'000
Revenue		38,229	31,944	73,750	71,324
Cost of sales		(22,840)	(20,079)	(43,658)	(44,747)
Gross profit		15,389	11,865	30,092	26,577
Selling & distribution costs		(1,570)	(757)	(2,530)	(1,703)
Administrative expenses		(3,068)	(3,039)	(5,811)	(5,837)
Other operating income		1,180	991	1,042	1,352
Profit from operations		11,931	9,060	22,793	20,389
Finance costs		(50)	(47)	(94)	(115)
Interest income		146	305	271	662
Share of loss of equity accounted associate, net of tax		(124)	(22)	(248)	(49)
Profit before taxation		11,903	9,296	22,722	20,887
Tax expense		(3,111)	(1,967)	(5,700)	(4,435)
Profit for the period		8,792	7,329	17,022	16,452
Other comprehensive income		-	-	-	-
Total comprehensive income for the period		8,792	7,329	17,022	16,452
Attributable to:					
Equity holders of the Company		8,792	7,329	17,022	16,452
Earnings per share (sen):					
Basic	B11(a)	1.77	1.47	3.42	3.30
Diluted	B11(b)	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Single tier dividend per share (sen)	B9	1.40	1.10	2.80	2.55

N/A - Not Applicable

The Condensed Consolidated Statement of Profit or Loss and Other Comprehensive Income should be read in conjunction with the Audited Financial Statements for the year ended 30 September 2020 and the accompanying notes to the Interim Financial Report.

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CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION**AS AT 31 MARCH 2021**

(The figures have not been audited)

	As At	Audited As At
Note	<u>31 Mar 2021</u> RM'000	<u>30 Sep 2020</u> RM'000
ASSETS		
Non-current assets		
Property, plant and equipment	54,229	56,894
Investment property	3,434	3,485
Capital work-in-progress	958	335
Investment in associate	3,885	4,134
Other investment	10	10
	<u>62,516</u>	<u>64,858</u>
Current assets		
Inventories	17,706	13,793
Trade receivables	5,644	5,577
Other receivables, deposits & prepayments	370	81
Tax recoverable	10	6
Deposits with licensed banks	14,850	15,970
Cash and bank balances	43,248	40,109
	<u>81,828</u>	<u>75,536</u>
TOTAL ASSETS	<u>144,344</u>	<u>140,394</u>
EQUITY AND LIABILITIES		
Capital and reserves		
Share capital	68,836	68,836
Retained profits	55,107	52,028
TOTAL EQUITY	<u>123,943</u>	<u>120,864</u>
Non-current liability		
Deferred taxation	4,952	5,174
	<u>4,952</u>	<u>5,174</u>
Current liabilities		
Trade payables	5,832	5,326
Other payables & accruals	6,670	7,729
Tax payable	2,947	1,301
	<u>15,449</u>	<u>14,356</u>
TOTAL LIABILITIES	<u>20,401</u>	<u>19,530</u>
TOTAL EQUITY AND LIABILITIES	<u>144,344</u>	<u>140,394</u>
Net assets per share attributable to equity holders of the Company (RM)	<u>0.249</u>	<u>0.243</u>

The Condensed Consolidated Statement of Financial Position should be read in conjunction with the Audited Financial Statements for the year ended 30 September 2020 and the accompanying notes to the Interim Financial Report.

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**CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN EQUITY
FOR THE SECOND QUARTER ENDED 31 MARCH 2021**

(The figures have not been audited)

	<u>Non-Distributable</u>	<u>Distributable</u>	
	Share Capital RM'000	Retained Profits RM'000	Total Equity RM'000
At 1 October 2020	68,836	52,028	120,864
Total comprehensive income for the period	-	17,022	17,022
Dividends	-	(13,943)	(13,943)
At 31 March 2021	68,836	55,107	123,943
At 1 October 2019	68,836	47,564	116,400
Total comprehensive income for the period	-	16,452	16,452
Dividends	-	(14,440)	(14,440)
At 31 March 2020	68,836	49,576	118,412

Note 1:

With the Companies Act 2016 ("CA 2016") that had taken effect on 31 January 2017, the credit standing in the share premium account of RM2.443 million had been transferred to the share capital account. Pursuant to sub-section 618(3) and 618(4) of the CA 2016, the Group may exercise its right to use the credit amounts being transferred from share premium account within twenty four (24) months after the commencement of the CA 2016. The Board of Directors had approved to transfer the share premium account of RM2.443 million to the share capital account.

The Condensed Consolidated Statement of Changes in Equity should be read in conjunction with the Audited Financial Statements for the year ended 30 September 2020 and the accompanying notes to the Interim Financial Report.

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**CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS
FOR THE SECOND QUARTER ENDED 31 MARCH 2021**

(The figures have not been audited)

	6-Months Ended	
	31 Mar 2021	31 Mar 2020
	RM'000	RM'000
Cash Flows from Operating Activities		
Profit before taxation	22,722	20,887
Adjustments for:		
Depreciation of investment property	51	25
Depreciation of property, plant and equipment	2,746	2,781
Unrealised gain on foreign exchange	(343)	(912)
Gain on disposal of property, plant and equipment	-	(134)
Dividend income	(1)	-
Interest income	(271)	(662)
Share of loss of equity accounted associates, net of tax	248	49
Operating profit before working capital changes	25,152	22,034
Net change in inventories	(3,913)	(1,136)
Net change in receivables	(322)	3,628
Net change in payables	(560)	(3,201)
Cash generated from operations	20,357	21,325
Tax paid	(4,280)	(4,544)
Interest received	271	662
Net cash generated from operating activities	16,348	17,443
Cash Flows from Investing Activities		
Proceeds from disposal of property, plant and equipment	-	134
Dividend received	1	-
Investment In Associate Company	-	(4,402)
Capital work-in-progress	(623)	-
Purchase of property, plant and equipment	(81)	(4,509)
Net cash used in investing activities	(703)	(8,777)
Cash Flows from Financing Activities		
Dividends paid	(13,943)	(14,440)
Net cash used in financing activities	(13,943)	(14,440)
Net Increase/(Decrease) in Cash and Cash Equivalents	1,702	(5,774)
Effect of Exchange Rate Changes	317	912
Cash and Cash Equivalents at beginning of the year	56,079	52,822
Cash and Cash Equivalents at end of the period	58,098	47,960

The Condensed Consolidated Statement of Cash Flows should be read in conjunction with the Audited Financial Statements for the year ended 30 September 2020 and the accompanying notes to the Interim Financial Report.

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NOTES TO THE INTERIM FINANCIAL REPORT**A. Explanatory Notes Pursuant to MFRS 134****A1. Basis of Preparation**

The Interim Financial Report is unaudited and has been prepared in accordance with the reporting requirements outlined in the Malaysian Financial Reporting Standard ("MFRS") No. 134: Interim Financial Reporting issued by the Malaysian Accounting Standards Board ("MASB") and paragraph 9.22 of the Main Market Listing Requirements of the Bursa Malaysia Securities Berhad ("BMSB").

The Interim Financial Report should be read in conjunction with the audited financial statements of the Group for the financial year ended 30 September 2020. These explanatory notes attached provide an explanation of events and transactions that are significant for an understanding of the changes in the financial position and performance of the Group since the financial year ended 30 September 2020.

Changes in accounting policies

The significant accounting policies adopted are consistent with those of the audited financial statements for the year ended 30 September 2020 except for the adoption of the following new, revised MFRSs, amendments to MFRS and Issues Committee ("IC") Interpretations:

Standards and Amendments Issued But Not Yet Effective

- a) Amendments to MFRS 101: Presentation of Financial Statements
- b) Amendments to MFRS 108: Accounting Policies, Changes in Accounting Estimates and Errors
- c) Amendments to IC Interpretation 22: Foreign Currency Transactions and Advance Consideration
- d) Amendments to MFRS 101: Presentation of Financial Statements - Definition of Materials
- e) Amendments to MFRS 7, MFRS 9 and MFRS 139: Interest Rate Benchmark Reform
- f) Amendments to MFRS 3: Business Combinations - Definition of Business
- g) MFRS 17 Insurance Contracts
- h) Amendments to MFRS 10: Consolidated Financial Statements and MFRS 128: Sale or Contribution of Assets between an Investor and its Associate or Joint Venture

The adoption of above standards and amendments to MFRS and IC Interpretations do not have material financial impact on the results and the financial position of the Group.

A2. Auditors' Report on Preceding Annual Financial Statements

The preceding audited financial statements for the financial year ended 30 September 2020 was not subject to any qualification.

A3. Seasonal or Cyclical Factors

The Group's operations are not materially affected by seasonal or cyclical changes during the current quarter under review.

A4. Unusual Items

There were no material items of an unusual nature and amount affecting the results of current quarter and cumulative period-to-date.

A5. Changes in Estimates

There were no changes in estimates of amounts which have a material effect in the current quarter under review.

A6. Changes in Debt and Equity Securities

Please refer to Part B Note B7.

A7. Dividend Paid

A first single tier dividend of 1.40 sen per share on 497,947,555 ordinary shares in respect of the financial year ending 30 September 2021 amounting to approximately RM6,971,266 was paid on 26 March 2021.

A8. Segmental Information

Segmental information for the Group by geographical and business segment is presented as follows:

	6-Months Ended	
	31 Mar 2021	31 Mar 2020
	RM'000	RM'000
Geographical Segments		
Revenue		
<i>Export Market</i>		
USA/Canada	16,006	19,697
Asia	14,833	12,756
Middle East	6,856	6,649
Europe	10,550	11,450
Australia/New Zealand	9,650	7,124
South America	7,964	4,297
Africa	1,488	2,497
	67,347	64,470
<i>Local Market</i>	6,403	6,854
	73,750	71,324
Results		
<i>Export Market</i>	20,749	18,880
<i>Local Market</i>	1,973	2,007
Profit before taxation	22,722	20,887

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NOTES TO THE INTERIM FINANCIAL REPORT (Continued)**A. Explanatory Notes Pursuant to MFRS 134 (Continued)****A9. Valuation of Property, Plant and Equipment**

There were no valuation of property, plant and equipment in the current quarter under review. The valuation of property, plant and equipment have been brought forward without amendments from the previous audited financial statements.

A10. Material Events Subsequent to the End of the Quarter

There were no material events between the end of the current quarter under review and the date of this report, which is likely and substantially affecting the results of current quarter and cumulative period-to-date, except as disclosed in Part B Note B9.

A11. Changes in Composition of the Group

There were no significant changes in the composition of the Group during the current quarter under review.

A12. Contingent Liabilities and Contingent Assets

There were no contingent liabilities or contingent assets since the last annual reporting date.

A13. Capital Commitment

There were no material capital commitments approved and contracted for capital expenditures as at the date of this report.

A14. Cash and Cash Equivalents

Cash and cash equivalents included in the Condensed Consolidated Statement of Cash Flows comprises of the following amounts:

	As at	As at
	31 Mar 2021	31 Mar 2020
	RM'000	RM'000
Deposit with licensed banks	14,850	16,650
Cash and bank balances	43,248	31,310
	58,098	47,960
Deposit with licensed banks:		
(a) Islamic	13,850	15,650
(b) Non-Islamic	1,000	1,000
	14,850	16,650
Total cash (excluding Islamic instrument) ("A")	44,248	32,310
Total assets ("B")	144,344	136,857
A/B (%)	31%	24%

A15. Related Party Transactions

Related party transactions with Global Rubber Industry (M) Sdn. Bhd. as follows:

	6-Months Ended	
	31 Mar 2021	31 Mar 2020
	RM'000	RM'000
Sub-contract services for topping of nylon cord on hoses for Wellcall Hose (M) Sdn. Bhd.	447	-

These transactions have been entered into in the normal course of business and have been established under negotiated terms.

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NOTES TO THE INTERIM FINANCIAL REPORT (Continued)**B. Additional Information Required by the Bursa Malaysia Securities Berhad Listing Requirements****B1.1. Analysis of Current Quarter Performance**

	3-Months Ended		Variance	
	31 Mar 2021	31 Mar 2020	RM'000	%
	RM'000	RM'000		
Revenue				
(a) Export	35,348	28,847	6,501	23%
(b) Local	2,881	3,097	(216)	-7%
	<u>38,229</u>	<u>31,944</u>	6,285	20%
Profit before taxation ("PBT")	<u>11,903</u>	<u>9,296</u>	2,607	28%

For the current quarter ended 31 March 2021, the Group recorded revenue of RM38.229 million, representing an increase of RM6.285 million or approximately 20% on a quarter to quarter basis. The export market and local market contributed approximately 92% and 8% respectively to the Group's revenue. The overall improvement in revenue was mainly resulted from the Group efforts in strengthening the customer base through prompt delivery.

The Group recorded PBT of RM11.903 million for the current quarter ended 31 March 2021 compared to PBT of RM9.296 million in the corresponding quarter last year which was mainly resulted from the continuous replacement demand for our industrial rubber hose.

B1.2. Analysis of Cumulative Quarter Performance (Year-to-Date)

	6-Months Ended		Variance	
	31 Mar 2021	31 Mar 2020	RM'000	%
	RM'000	RM'000		
Revenue				
(a) Export	67,347	64,470	2,877	4%
(b) Local	6,403	6,854	(451)	-7%
	<u>73,750</u>	<u>71,324</u>	2,426	3%
Profit before taxation ("PBT")	<u>22,722</u>	<u>20,887</u>	1,835	9%

The Group recorded revenue of RM73.750 million, representing an increase of RM2.426 million or approximately 3% from RM71.324 million for the six (6) months period ended 31 March 2021. The export market contributed approximately 91% to the Group's revenue. The export market registered an increase of 4% while local market registered a decrease of 7% as compared to the corresponding period of the preceeding financial year. The overall improvement in revenue were mainly due to the increase in revenue from export market despite continuous slowdown in local market.

The Group recorded a PBT of RM22.722 million for the six (6) months period ended 31 March 2021 compared to PBT of RM20.887 million recorded in corresponding period of the preceeding financial year, representing an increase of RM1.835 million or 9% increase. Higher PBT achieved in the six (6) months period mainly due to continuation of recovery in global demand for industrial rubber hose.

B2. Comparison with Previous Quarter Results

	Current	Preceding		
	Quarter	Quarter		
	3-Months Ended		Variance	
	31 Mar 2021	31 Dec 2020	RM'000	%
	RM'000	RM'000		
Revenue	38,229	35,521	2,708	8%
Profit before taxation ("PBT")	11,903	10,819	1,084	10%

The Group has recorded an increase in revenue to RM38.229 million for the current quarter ended 31 March 2021 as compared to RM35.521 million recorded in preceeding quarter ended 31 December 2020, mainly due to of gradual recovery from the global industrial rubber hose market despite the challenges in the volatility of the global economy due to the continuous outbreak of Covid-19 pandemic.

As a result of increase in revenue, the Group recorded a higher PBT of RM11.903 million for the current quarter ended 31 March 2021 as compared to RM10.819 million recorded in the preceeding quarter ended 31 December 2020, representing an increase of RM1.084 million or approximately 10%.

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The uncertainty of global economic environment affected by the Covid-19 pandemic continues to impact the supply and demand mechanism of raw materials, disruption to global supply chains, constrained cargo capacity and fluctuation of foreign exchange sentiment. Covid-19 pandemic remains a threat despite availability of vaccines worldwide. Uncertainties persist about the future course of the pandemic and its further economic and social consequences arising thereafter. The Group remains cautious, and will continue to focus on its operational efficiencies and improve on all areas of operations, technology, manpower, logistics, safety and health of the workforce.

Barring any unforeseen circumstances, the Board believes that the Group's prospects in the forthcoming financial year ending 30 September 2021 continues to remain positive and the Group is able to sustain its performance despite challenges ahead.

B4. Board of Directors Statement on Internal Targets

The Group did not announce or disclose any profit forecast, projection or internal management target in any public document.

B5. Profit Forecast and Profit Guarantee

The Group did not announce or disclose any profit forecast or profit guarantee in a public document.

B6. Tax Expense

	Individual Quarter 3-Months Ended		Cumulative Quarter 6-Months Ended	
	31 Mar 2021	31 Mar 2020	31 Mar 2021	31 Mar 2020
	RM'000	RM'000	RM'000	RM'000
Income tax	3,005	1,967	5,922	4,653
Deferred tax	106	-	(222)	(218)
	<u>3,111</u>	<u>1,967</u>	<u>5,700</u>	<u>4,435</u>

The deferred tax liabilities arose from accelerated capital allowances over depreciation plant and machineries.

B7. Group Borrowings

There were no group borrowings in the current quarter under review.

B8. Profit Before Taxation

	Individual Quarter 3-Months Ended		Cumulative Quarter 6-Months Ended	
	31 Mar 2021	31 Mar 2020	31 Mar 2021	31 Mar 2020
	RM'000	RM'000	RM'000	RM'000
Profit for the period is arrived at after charging/(crediting):				
(a) Interest income	(146)	(305)	(271)	(662)
(b) Rental income	(54)	(1)	(108)	(2)
(c) Depreciation of investment property	26	25	51	25
(d) Depreciation of property, plant and equipment	1,355	1,396	2,746	2,781
(e) Unrealized gain on foreign exchange	(778)	(674)	(343)	(912)
(f) Realized gain on foreign exchange	(318)	(224)	(479)	(230)
(g) Gain on disposal of property, plant and equipment	-	(62)	-	(134)

Save as disclosed above and in the Condensed Consolidated Statement of Profit or Loss and Other Comprehensive Income, the other items under Appendix 9B, Part A (16) of the Bursa Listing Requirements are not applicable.

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The Board of Directors have recommended a second single tier dividend of 1.40 sen per share amounting to approximately RM6,971,266 in respect of financial year ending 30 September 2021. The entitlement date and payment date for the said dividend shall be on 11 June 2021 and 25 June 2021 respectively.

During the previous corresponding period, the Company declared a second single tier dividend of 1.10 sen per share for the financial year ended 30 September 2020 amounting to RM5,477,423.

The total dividend paid and payable by the Company in respect of the financial year ending 30 September 2021 is 2.80 sen per share represented by a total amount of approximately RM13,942,532.

Records of Dividends

<u>Financial Year</u>	<u>Dividend Per Share</u> <u>Sen</u>	<u>Total Dividend</u> <u>RM</u>	<u>Status</u>
2021 (2nd single tier dividend)	1.40	6,971,266	Payable
2021 (1st single tier dividend)	1.40	6,971,266	Paid
Total dividend payable for the current financial year	<u>2.80</u>	<u>13,942,532</u>	
2020 *	4.95	24,648,404	Paid
2019 *	5.65	28,134,038	Paid
2018 *	5.45	27,138,145	Paid
2017 *	6.17	30,706,773	Paid
2016 *	6.13	30,540,785	Paid
2015 *	6.13	30,540,785	Paid
2014 *	5.53	27,541,099	Paid
2013 *	4.79	23,872,684	Paid
2012 *	4.26	21,203,464	Paid
2011 *	3.19	15,867,047	Paid
2010 *	2.91	14,500,860	Paid
2009 *	2.89	14,372,251	Paid
2008 *	2.24	11,162,210	Paid
2007 *	1.62	8,055,482	Paid
2006 *	0.60	3,000,300	Paid
Total dividend paid from financial year 2006 to 2020		<u>311,284,327</u>	

* Adjusted to reflect the share split of every two (2) ordinary shares in WHB into three (3) ordinary shares in WHB held in WHB ("Subdivided Shares"). The subdivided shares was completed on 14 September 2017.

B10. Material Litigation

The Group was not engaged in any material litigation or arbitration, either as plaintiff or defendant, which has a material effect on the financial position of the Group and the Board does not know of any proceedings pending or threatened, or of any fact likely to give rise to any proceedings, which might materially and adversely affect the position or business of the Group.

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(a) Basic earnings per share

Basic earnings per share is calculated by dividing net profit attributable to ordinary equity holders by the weighted average number of ordinary shares in issue during the period.

Weighted average number of ordinary shares for calculation of basic earnings per share:

	Individual Quarter 3-Months Ended		Cumulative Quarter 6-Months Ended	
	31 Mar 2021 RM'000	31 Mar 2020 RM'000	31 Mar 2021 RM'000	31 Mar 2020 RM'000
Profit attributable to equity holders	8,792	7,329	17,022	16,452
Weighted average number of shares in issue ('000)	497,948	497,948	497,948	497,948
Basic earnings per share (sen)	1.77	1.47	3.42	3.30

(b) There is no dilution of earnings per share during the quarter.

B12. Corporate Proposal

There were no corporate proposals announced as at the date of this report.

B13. Authorization for Issue

The unaudited interim financial statements were authorized for issue by the Board of Directors in accordance with a Resolution of the Directors dated 25 May 2021.

BY ORDER OF THE BOARD

TEO SOON MEI (f)
Company Secretary
(SSM PC 201908000235)
(MAICSA 7018590)

25 May 2021