

**AL FIRDOUS HOLDINGS (P.J.S.C.)
AND IT'S SUBSIDIARY
DUBAI – UNITED ARAB EMIRATES**

**INTERIM CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
FOR THE SIX MONTHS ENDED SEPTEMBER 30, 2022
WITH REVIEW REPORT
(UNAUDITED)**

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REVIEW REPORT

The Shareholders
Al Firdous Holdings (P.J.S.C.)
And its subsidiary
Dubai – United Arab Emirates

Review Report on the interim condensed consolidated financial information

Introduction

We have reviewed the accompanying interim condensed consolidated financial statements of Al Firdous Holdings (P.J.S.C.) (the “Company”) together with its subsidiary (the “Group”) as at 30 September, 2022, comprising the interim condensed consolidated statement of financial position as at 30 September, 2022, the related interim condensed consolidated statement of profit or loss and other comprehensive income, statement of changes in shareholders equity and statement of cash flows for the Six month period then ended, and explanatory notes. Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of these interim condensed consolidated financial statements in accordance with International Accounting Standard 34, Interim Financial Reporting (“IAS 34”). Our responsibility is to express a conclusion on these interim condensed consolidated financial statement based on our review.

Scope of review

We conducted our review in accordance with the International Standard on Review Engagements 2410 “Review of Interim Financial Information Performed by the Independent Auditors of the Entity”.

A review of interim condensed financial information consists of making inquiries, primarily of persons responsible for financial and accounting matters, and applying analytical and other review procedures, A review is substantially less in scope than an audit conducted in accordance with International Standards on Auditing, and consequently does not enable us to obtain assurance that we would become aware of all significant matters that might be identified in an audit, Accordingly, we do not express an audit opinion.

Basis for disclaimer of conclusion

Receivable on sale of the investment portfolio

As disclosed in note 4 to the interim condensed consolidated financial statements, an amount of AED 326,789,701 (31 March, 2022: AED 326,789,701) is due from Islamic Arab Insurance Co, Labuan, Malaysia being the consideration for the sale of the Company’s subsidiary, Al Firdous Group Co Ltd for Hotels, and the Company’s Islamic Investing and financing assets, together referred to as the “Investment Portfolio”. This amount was to be settled by 31 March, 2011 but is still outstanding as of the date of these interim condensed consolidated financial statements. Based on negotiations being held with Islamic Arab Insurance Co. Labuan, no provision has been made against this receivable as the Board of Directors consider the amount will be recovered in full on the eventual disposal of the assets by Islamic Arab Insurance Co, Labuan. However, we have not been provided with sufficient and appropriate audit evidence to support this conclusion. Accordingly, we were unable to determine the extent of provision, if any, that may be required against this receivable. The audit report on the consolidated financial statements for the year ended 31 March, 2022 was also disclaimed in respect of this matter.

Advances against the purchase of the property

As disclosed in note 5 to the interim condensed consolidated financial statements, an amount of AED 289,939,984 (31 March, 2022: AED 289,939,984) was advanced through a related party for the purchase of land in Dubai. The related party has undertaken to secure the amount of AED 289,939,984 (31 March, 2022: AED 289,939,984) by the assignment of properties to the Company with a fair value not less than an equivalent amount. However, to date, no assignment of properties has taken place and we have not been provided with sufficient and appropriate audit evidence to support the recoverability of this amount. Accordingly, we were unable to determine whether any provision may be required against the advance for the property. The audit report on the consolidated financial statements for the year ended 31 March, 2022 was also disclaimed in respect of this matter.

REVIEW REPORT (CONTINUED)

Disclaimer of conclusion


Because of the significance of the matters described in the Basis for disclaimer of conclusion paragraphs above, we are unable to express a conclusion on the interim condensed consolidated financial statements of the Group.

Emphasis of matter

We draw attention to Exhibit-C to the interim condensed consolidated financial statements. As states therein, the Group has incurred a loss of AED 488,907 for Six months' period ended 30 September, 2022 (30 September, 2021: 904,363) and has accumulated losses of AED (42,946,023) as at 30 September, 2022 (31 March, 2022: 42,457,116). Notwithstanding this fact, the financial statements of the Group have been prepared on a going concern basis as management believes that the future operations of the Group will be able to support its business and meet its obligations as they fall due. The Group is ultimately supported financially by a shareholder that assumes its ability to continue as a going concern.

Other Matters

The interim condensed consolidated financial statements for the period ended 30 September, 2021 and the annual consolidated financial statements for the year ended 31 March, 2022 were reviewed and audited by another auditor, who disclaimed the review conclusion and audit opinions on November 11, 2021 and July 15, 2022 respectively, with regard to the above matters.



Eyad Samara
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Certified Public Accountants

November 9, 2022
Dubai – U.A.E.



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**INTERIM CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION AS OF SEPTEMBER
30, 2022
(UNAUDITED)**

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	Notes	September 30, 2022 (Unaudited)	March 31, 2022 (Audited)
ASSETS			
Current assets			
Other receivables	3	240,202	326,340
Receivable on sale of the investment portfolio	4	326,789,701	326,789,701
Due from related parties	5 - a	295,722,144	295,722,144
Total current assets		622,752,047	622,838,185
Non - Current assets			
Property, plant and equipment	6	218,233	436,507
Total non - current assets		218,233	436,507
Total assets		622,970,280	623,274,692
LIABILITIES AND SHAREHOLDERS' EQUITY			
Current liabilities			
Trade payables		5,174,371	5,223,440
Other payables and provisions	7	7,392,029	7,670,499
Due to related parties	5 - b	48,242,763	47,731,545
Total current liabilities		60,809,163	60,625,484
Non - current liabilities			
Provision for indemnity		5,880	5,064
Total non – current liabilities		5,880	5,064
Total liabilities		60,815,043	60,630,548
Shareholders' equity			
Share capital	8	600,000,000	600,000,000
Additional paid in capital		894,645	894,645
Statutory reserve	9	4,206,615	4,206,615
Accumulated (loss)		(42,946,023)	(42,457,116)
Total shareholders' equity		562,155,237	562,644,144
Total liabilities and shareholders' equity		622,970,280	623,274,692

These interim financial statements were approved by the board of directors on November 9, 2022 and signed on their behalf by:


Shk. Khaled Bin Zayed Al Nahyan
 Chairman

The accompanying notes form an integral part of this interim condensed financial information.

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INTERIM CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF PROFIT OR LOSS AND OTHER
COMPREHENSIVE INCOME FOR THE SIX MONTHS ENDED SEPTEMBER 30, 2022
(UNAUDITED)

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	Note	<u>Six month ended</u>		<u>Three month ended</u>	
		<u>September 30, 2022 (Unaudited)</u>	<u>September 30, 2021 (Unaudited)</u>	<u>September 30, 2022 (Unaudited)</u>	<u>September 30, 2021 (Unaudited)</u>
Expenses and other charges					
General, administrative and selling expenses	10	(503,626)	(904,363)	(212,886)	(460,916)
Total expenses and other charges		(503,626)	(904,363)	(212,886)	(460,916)
Other income		14,719	-	14,719	-
Net (loss) for the period		(488,907)	(904,363)	(198,167)	(460,916)
Other comprehensive income for the period		-	-	-	-
Total comprehensive (loss) for the period		(488,907)	(904,363)	(198,167)	(460,916)
(Loss) per share	11	(0.00081)	(0.0015)	(0.0003)	(0.0008)

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**INTERIM CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN SHAREHOLDERS'
EQUITY FOR THE SIX MONTHS ENDED SEPTEMBER 30, 2022
(UNAUDITED)**

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	Share capital	Additional paid in capital	Statutory reserve	Accumulated (loss)	Total
Balance at April 1, 2021	600,000,000	894,645	4,206,615	(40,933,836)	564,167,424
Total comprehensive (loss) for the period	-	-	-	(904,363)	(904,363)
Balance at September 30, 2021	600,000,000	894,645	4,206,615	(41,830,199)	563,263,061
Balance at April 1, 2022	600,000,000	894,645	4,206,615	(42,457,116)	562,644,144
Total comprehensive (loss) for the period	-	-	-	(488,907)	(488,907)
Balance at September 30, 2022	600,000,000	894,645	4,206,615	(42,946,023)	562,155,237

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**INTERIM CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS FOR THE SIX MONTHS
ENDED SEPTEMBER 30, 2022
(UNAUDITED)**

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	September 30, 2022 (Unaudited)	September 30, 2021 (Unaudited)
CASH FLOWS FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES		
Net (loss) for the period	(488,907)	(904,363)
Adjustment:		
Depreciation	218,274	218,274
Provision for indemnity	816	1,659
Other receivables	86,138	160,506
Trade payables	(49,069)	(107,290)
Other payables and provisions	(278,470)	209,803
Related parties	511,218	421,411
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Net cash (used in) operating activities	-	-
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Net changes in cash and cash equivalents	-	-
Cash and cash equivalents at the beginning of the period	-	-
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Cash and cash equivalents at the end of period	- =====	- =====

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1 COMPANY’S INFORMATION AND ACTIVITIES

Al Firdous Holdings (P.J.S.C.) (the “Company”) is a public joint stock company registered on July 1, 1998 in Dubai, United Arab Emirates, according to Ministerial Decree Number 106 for the year 1998. The Company commenced its operation on October 22, 1998. The registered address of the Company is Boulevard plaza 2 – 17th floor – office 1701 – Boulevard Shk Mohamed Bin Rashid – opposite to Burj Khalifa, Dubai, United Arab Emirates.

Up to December 31, 2008, the Company operated as a Group consisting of the Company (the “Parent Company”) and Al Firdous Group Co. Ltd. For Hotels, a company established in the Kingdom of Saudi Arabia (KSA) and involved in managing and operating hotels and restaurants in KSA and organizing Hajj and Umrah trips.

With effect from January 1, 2009, the Company sold its 100% owner subsidiary (Al Firdous Group Co. Ltd for Hotels) and its Islamic financing and investing assets with Al Massa Co. for Urban Development Jeddah, KSA (together referred as the “Investment Portfolio”) for a consideration of AED 326,789,701.

On December 31, 2014, the Company incorporated a subsidiary, Yummy Chain Two L.L.C. The principal activity of the subsidiary is operating in the Emirate of Dubai. On November 6, 2019 the management decided to close the restaurant business operations to stop losses from these operations.

2 BASIS OF PRESENTATION

The interim condensed financial information has been prepared in compliance with the International Accounting Standard No, 34 which related to the interim financial information. The interim condensed financial information does not include all of the information and footnotes required for complete financial statements prepared in accordance with International Financial Reporting Standards. In the opinion of management, all adjustments (consisting of normal recurring accruals) considered necessary for a fair presentation have been included, the operating results for the interim period ended September 30, 2022 are not necessarily indicative of the results that may be expected for the year ending March 31, 2023. For further information, refer to the financial statements and notes thereto included in the company’s annual report for the year ended March 31, 2022.

3 OTHER RECEIVABLES

	September 30, 2022 (Unaudited)	March 31, 2022 (Audited)
Prepaid expenses	28,053	114,190
Advances to suppliers	4,337	4,337
Refundable deposits	34,000	34,000
Others	173,812	173,813
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	240,202	326,340
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4 RECEIVABLE ON SALE OF THE INVESTMENT PORTFOLIO

This represents the amount receivable from Islamic Arab Insurance Co. Labuan, Malaysia on the sale of the Al Firdous Group Co. Ltd. For Hotels, a wholly owned subsidiary, and Islamic investing and finance assets with Al Masaa Co. for Urban Development (together, the "Investment Portfolio"). This amount is guaranteed by a related party (Note 5).

On 29 September 2009, the Group signed an agreement with Islamic Arab Insurance Co., Labuan Malaysia in which the parties agreed to reschedule the outstanding receivable of AED 326,789,701 into installments due every six months starting from 31 August 2010 and ending on 28 February 2012.

On 24 September 2010, and due to a proposed restructuring and investment plans by the Company, the rescheduling agreement was cancelled and both parties entered into another agreement to settle the amount receivable on the sale of the investment portfolio within 12 months from 31 March 2010.

The receivable on sale of the Investment Portfolio is still outstanding as of the date of these interim condensed consolidated financial statements. Negotiations are being held with Islamic Arab Insurance Co., Labuan for an early resolution to this matter. The Directors consider that the amount will be recovered on the eventual disposal of the investment Portfolio and, accordingly, the Group has not made any provision against this receivable.

5 RELATED PARTIES

Related parties comprise of the major shareholders, Board of Directors, entities controlled by them or under their joint control, executive officers, key management personnel and their close family members. The parent company approves the terms and conditions of related parties' transactions. The amount due from / to related parties do not attract interest although there are no defined repayment arrangements

The transactions between affiliates represent financial transaction.

a) The balances due from related parties at period end are as follows: -

	September 30, 2022 (Unaudited)	March 31, 2022 (Audited)
Advance against purchase of property – Entity under common control	289,939,984	289,939,984
Due from Bin Zayed Group – Entity under common control	5,782,160	5,782,160
Others	295,722,144	295,722,144
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Advance against the purchase of property represents the payment made for the purchase of land in the Emirate of Dubai.

For the period ended 30 September 2022, the Group has not recorded any impairment of amounts owed by related parties (31 March 2022: AED NIL).

The amount receivable on sale of the Investment Portfolio (Note 4) has been guaranteed by Bin Zayed Group, a related party. The security provided by Bin Zayed Group against the amount receivable on sale of the Investment Portfolio is a plot of land located in Dubai, United Arab Emirates which was appraised by an independent property consultant at AED 640,000,000 as of 31 October 2008.

Bin Zayed Group has also undertaken to secure the balance due from related parties amounting to AED 295,722,144 (31 March 2022: AED 295,722,144) by the assignment of properties to the Group with fair value not less than an equivalent amount.

- b) Balances due to related parties included in the interim condensed consolidated statement of financial position are as follows: -

	September 30, 2022 (Unaudited)	March 31, 2022 (Audited)
Other related parties	48,242,763 =====	47,731,545 =====

6 PROPERTY, PLANT AND EQUIPMENT

	Leasehold improvement	Machinery and Other assets	Furniture and fixture	Total
Cost:				
Balance at March 31, 2022	12,828,779	9,879,448	2,766,269	25,474,496
Disposals during the period	(8,675,456)	(6,370,837)	(2,766,269)	(17,812,562)
Balance at September 30, 2022	4,153,323	3,508,611	-	7,661,934
Depreciation:				
Balance at March 31, 2022	12,828,779	9,442,941	2,766,269	25,037,989
Depreciation for the period	-	218,274	-	218,274
Disposals during the period	(8,675,456)	(6,370,837)	(2,766,269)	(17,812,562)
Balance at September 30, 2022	4,153,323	3,290,378	-	7,443,701
Net book values:				
Balance at September 30, 2022 (Unaudited)	-	218,233	-	218,233
Balance at March 31, 2022 (Audited)	-	436,507	-	436,507

* Disposals of property, plant and equipment amount AED 17,812,562 based on board resolution on August 12, 2022.

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7 OTHER PAYABLES AND PROVISIONS

	September 30, 2022 (Unaudited)	March 31, 2022 (Audited)
Accrued expenses	3,937,615	4,174,736
Directors' fee payables	600,000	600,000
Others	2,854,414	2,895,763
	7,392,029	7,670,449

8 SHARE CAPITAL

The issued and fully paid up capital of the Company is AED 600,000,000 comprising of 600,000,000 No. of shares of AED 1 each.

9 STATUTORY RESERVE

As required by the company law of United Arab Emirates, 10% of the profit for the year is to be transferred to statutory reserve. The shareholders may resolve to discontinue such annual transfers as reserve equals one half of the share capital. The reserve is not available for distribution.

10 GENERAL, ADMINISTRATIVE AND SELLING EXPENSES

	Six month ended		Three month ended	
	September 30, 2022 (Unaudited)	September 30, 2021 (Unaudited)	September 30, 2022 (Unaudited)	September 30, 2021 (Unaudited)
Salaries and related benefits	20,391	50,953	6,075	25,500
Rent	129,242	445,264	64,972	247,652
Depreciations	218,274	218,274	109,137	109,137
Others	135,719	139,872	32,702	78,647
	503,626	904,363	212,886	460,916

11 (LOSS) PER SHARE

	Six month ended		Three month ended	
	September 30, 2022 (Unaudited)	September 30, 2021 (Unaudited)	September 30, 2022 (Unaudited)	September 30, 2021 (Unaudited)
(Loss) for the period	(488,907)	(904,363)	(198,167)	(460,916)
Weighted average number of ordinary shares for purposes of basic earnings	600,000,000	600,000,000	600,000,000	600,000,000
(Loss) per share	(0.00081)	(0.0015)	(0.0003)	(0.0008)

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12 GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF SHAREHOLDERS

The ordinary general assembly of shareholders was held on July 21, 2022 who approved the financial statements for the year ended March 31, 2022.

13 FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS

The group in the normal course of business uses various types of financial instruments. Information on financial risks and fair value of these financial instruments are set out below.

a) Credit risk

Financial assets, which potentially subject the group to credit risk, consist principally of cash at banks and accounts receivable. The group cash is placed with high credit rating financial institutions and receivables are presented net of allowance for doubtful debts. Credit risk with respect to receivables is limited due to the large number of customers and their dispersion across different industries.

b) Interest rate risk

The effective interest rates and the periods in which interest bearing financial assets and liabilities are reprised or mature are indicated in the respective notes.

c) Currency risk

The group ensures that the net exposure is kept to an acceptable level, by dealing in currencies that do not fluctuate significantly against the U.A.E. Dirham.

14 APPROVAL OF INTERIM CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

The interim condensed consolidated financial statements were approved by the board of directors on November 9, 2022.