INTERIM CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL INFORMATION (UNAUDITED) 30 SEPTEMBER 2024





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REPORT ON REVIEW OF THE INTERIM CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL INFORMATION TO THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF ALI AL-GHANIM SONS AUTOMOTIVE COMPANY K.S.C.P.

Introduction

We have reviewed the accompanying interim condensed consolidated statement of financial position of Ali Al-Ghanim Sons Automotive Company K.S.C.P. (the "Parent Company") and its subsidiaries (collectively, the "Group" as at 30 September 2024, and the related interim condensed consolidated statement of profit or loss and interim condensed consolidated statement of comprehensive income for the three-month and nine-month periods then ended and the interim condensed consolidated statement of changes in equity and the interim condensed consolidated statement of cash flows for the nine-month period then ended. Management is responsible for the preparation and presentation of this interim condensed consolidated financial information in accordance with International Accounting Standard 34 *Interim Financial Reporting* ("IAS 34"). Our responsibility is to express a conclusion on this interim condensed consolidated financial information based on our review.

Scope of Review

We conducted our review in accordance with International Standard on Review Engagements 2410, "Review of Interim Financial Information Performed by the Independent Auditor of the Entity". A review of interim 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.

Conclusion

Based on our review, nothing has come to our attention that causes us to believe that the accompanying interim condensed consolidated financial information is not prepared, in all material respects, in accordance with IAS 34.

Report on Other Legal and Regulatory Requirements

Furthermore, based on our review, the interim condensed consolidated financial information is in agreement with the books of account of the Parent Company. We further report that, to the best of our knowledge and belief, we have not become aware of any violations of the Companies Law No. 1 of 2016, as amended, and its executive regulations, as amended, or of the Parent Company's Memorandum of Incorporation and Articles of Association, during the nine-month period ended 30 September 2024, that might have had a material effect on the business of the Parent Company or on its financial position.

We further report that, during the course of our review, to the best of our knowledge and belief, we have not become aware of any violations of the provisions of Law No 7 of 2010 concerning establishment of Capital Markets Authority ("CMA") and organisation of security activity and its executive regulations as amended during the nine-month period ended 30 September 2024, that might have had a material effect on the business of the Parent Company or on its financial position.

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INTERIM CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF PROFIT OR LOSS (UNAUDITED)

			nths ended otember	Nine months ended 30 September		
	Notes	2024 KD	2023 KD	2024 KD	2023 KD	
Revenue from contracts with customers Vehicle lease income	3	54,886,514 1,522,613	68,384,678 1,095,903	182,641,918 3,881,349	193,490,841 3,348,258	
Revenue Cost of sales and services rendered		56,409,127 (41,732,290)	69,480,581 (52,273,856)	186,523,267 (140,117,723)	196,839,099 (148,511,157)	
GROSS PROFIT		14,676,837	17,206,725	46,405,544	48,327,942	
Other operating income Selling and distribution expenses Administrative expenses		92,592 (3,715,019) (2,161,574)	51,084 (4,818,415) (2,765,669)	311,415 (12,457,930) (7,769,530)	329,295 (13,625,482) (9,678,588)	
OPERATING PROFIT		8,892,836	9,673,725	26,489,499	25,353,167	
Finance costs Share of results of equity-accounted		(926,777)	(599,165)	(2,397,241)	(1,401,615)	
investees	7	980,286	773,652	2,853,545	2,270,442	
PROFIT BEFORE TAX		8,946,345	9,848,212	26,945,803	26,221,994	
Taxation	5	(488,787)	(677,918)	(1,586,991)	(1,649,556)	
PROFIT FOR THE PERIOD		8,457,558	9,170,294	25,358,812	24,572,438	
Attributable to: Equity holders of the Parent Company Non-controlling interests		7,228,164 1,229,394	7,513,366 1,656,928	21,485,861 3,872,951	20,928,834 3,643,604	
		8,457,558	9,170,294	25,358,812	24,572,438	
BASIC AND DILUTED EARNINGS PER SHARE ATTRIBUTABLE TO ORDINARY EQUITY HOLDERS OF THE PARENT COMPANY (FILS)	6	26.38	27.42	78.42	76.37	

INTERIM CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF COMPREHENSIVE INCOME (UNAUDITED)

Three months ended 30 September		Nine months ended 30 September		
2024 KD	2023 KD	2024 KD	2023 KD	
8,457,558	9,170,294	25,358,812	24,572,438	
- -	40,807 866	- -	539,674 (117,381)	
-	19,895	-	228,238	
-	61,568	-	650,531	
(138,329)	15,150	(6,515,853)	(599,041)	
(138,329)	76,718	(6,515,853)	51,490	
10,500	45,500	(77,000)	94,500	
10,500	45,500	(77,000)	94,500	
(127,829)	122,218	(6,592,853)	145,990	
8,329,729	9,292,512	18,765,959	24,718,428	
7,168,683 1,161,046	7,636,950 1,655,562	18,086,301 679,658	21,335,201 3,383,227	
8,329,729	9,292,512	18,765,959	24,718,428	
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INTERIM CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION (UNAUDITED)

As at 30 September 2024

ASSETS	Notes	30 September 2024 KD	(Audited) 31 December 2023 KD	30 September 2023 KD
Non-current assets				
Property, plant, and equipment		113,242,539	109,949,266	105,415,294
Intangible assets		130,495	75,989	77,363
Medium-term receivables Investment in equity-accounted investees	7	567,881 13,154,794	972,529 12,262,937	916,579 9,227,758
Financial assets at fair value through other comprehensive income	1	532,000	609,000	560,000
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		127,627,709	123,869,721	116,196,994
Current assets				
Inventories		83,803,174	63,292,109	66,227,651
Accounts receivable and prepayments		12,762,246	8,851,965	9,443,491
Receivables from related parties	12	6,618,547	6,688,528	8,174,303
Cash and short-term deposits	8	16,426,610	20,480,145	22,302,638
		119,610,577	99,312,747	106,148,083
TOTAL ASSETS		247,238,286	223,182,468	222,345,077
EQUITY AND LIABILITIES				
Equity Share capital		27,750,000	27,750,000	27,750,000
Statutory reserve		7,676,188	7,676,188	4,676,367
Treasury shares	9	(3,079,961)	(3,011,204)	(2,954,654)
Treasury shares reserve		5,139	5,139	5,139
Asset revaluation surplus		31,508,181	31,508,181	31,508,181
Fair value reserve		57,283	134,283	85,283
Foreign currency translation reserve		(4,482,554)	(1,159,994)	(704,471)
Other reserve		1,196,343	1,196,343	1,196,343
Retained earnings		20,740,824	18,432,439	13,879,644
Equity attributable to equity holders of the Parent Company		81,371,443	82,531,375	75,441,832
Non-controlling interests		9,473,305	9,897,447	9,305,280
Total equity		90,844,748	92,428,822	84,747,112
Non-current liabilities		-	en e	
Islamic finance payables	10	35,177,915	29,048,163	26,471,528
Employees' end of service benefits	10	6,148,935	5,845,787	5,683,835
Trade payables, accruals and other provisions	11	14,927,079	16,383,512	14,811,653
		56,253,929	51,277,462	46,967,016
Current liabilities				
Islamic finance payables	10	18,595,315	4,459,073	13,069,074
Trade payables, accruals and other provisions	11	69,789,617	65,336,472	68,951,850
Payables to related parties	12	11,754,677	9,680,639	8,610,025
		100,139,609	79,476,184	90,630,949
TOTAL LIABILITIES		156,393,538	130,753,646	137,597,965
TOTAL EQUITY AND LIABILITIES		247,238,286	223,182,468	222,345,077
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INTERIM CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN EQUITY (UNAUDITED)

Attributable to equity holders of the Parent Company														
	Share capital KD	Statutory reserve KD	Treasury shares KD	Treasury shares reserve KD	Asset revaluation surplus KD	Cash flow hedge reserve KD	Cost of hedging reserve KD	Fair value reserve KD	Foreign currency translation reserve KD	Other reserves KD	Retained earnings KD	Sub-total KD	Non- controlling interests KD	Total equity KD
As at 1 January 2024 (Audited)	27,750,000	7,676,188	(3,011,204)	5,139	31,508,181	-	_	134,283	(1,159,994)	1,196,343	18,432,439	82,531,375	9,897,447	92,428,822
Profit for the period Other comprehensive	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	21,485,861	21,485,861	3,872,951	25,358,812
loss for the period	_	-	-		-			(77,000)	(3,322,560)	-	-	(3,399,560)	(3,193,293)	(6,592,853)
Total comprehensive (loss) income for the														
period Net purchase of treasury	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(77,000)	(3,322,560)	-	21,485,861	18,086,301	679,658	18,765,959
shares Dividends to equity holders of the Parent	-	-	(68,757)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(68,757)	-	(68,757)
Company (Note 13) Dividends to non-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(19,177,476)	(19,177,476)	-	(19,177,476)
controlling interests	-				-								(1,103,800)	(1,103,800)
At 30 September 2024	27,750,000	7,676,188	(3,079,961)	5,139	31,508,181			57,283	(4,482,554)	1,196,343	20,740,824	81,371,443	9,473,305	90,844,748

INTERIM CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN EQUITY (UNAUDITED) (continued)

	Attributable to equity holders of the Parent Company													
	Share capital KD	Statutory reserve KD	Treasury shares KD	Treasury shares reserve KD	Asset revaluation surplus KD	Cash flow hedge reserve KD	Cost of hedging reserve KD	Fair value reserve KD	Foreign currency translation reserve KD	Other reserve KD	Retained earnings KD	Sub-total KD	Non- controlling interests KD	Total equity KD
As at 1 January 2023 (Audited) Profit for the period Other comprehensive income (loss) for the	27,750,000	4,676,367	(2,954,654)	5,139 -	31,508,181	(591,721)	(110,857)	(9,217)	(365,807)	1,196,343	11,860,187 20,928,834	72,963,961 20,928,834	6,702,293 3,643,604	79,666,254 24,572,438
period	-	-	-	-	-	539,674	110,857	94,500	(338,664)	-	-	406,367	(260,377)	145,990
Total comprehensive income (loss) for the period Transfer of cash flow hedge reserve to	-			-		539,674	110,857	94,500	(338,664)		20,928,834	21,335,201	3,383,227	24,718,428
inventories Dividends to equity	-	-	-	-	-	52,047	-	-	-	-	-	52,047	-	52,047
holders of the Parent Company (Note 13) Dividends to non- controlling interests	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(18,909,377)	(18,909,377)	(780,240)	(18,909,377) (780,240)
At 30 September 2023	27,750,000	4,676,367	(2,954,654)	5,139	31,508,181	-	-	85,283	(704,471)	1,196,343	13,879,644	75,441,832	9,305,280	84,747,112

INTERIM CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS (UNAUDITED)

		Nine mon 30 Sept	
	=	2024	2023
	Notes	KD	KD
OPERATING ACTIVITIES			
Profit before tax		26,945,803	26,221,994
Adjustments to reconcile profit before tax to net cash flows:			
Gain on disposal of property, plant and equipment		(19,320)	(14,245)
Gain on derecognition and remeasurement of leases		(10,075)	(842)
Share of results of equity-accounted investees	7	(2,853,545)	(2,270,442)
Depreciation of property, plant and equipment and right of use assets	4	4,606,851	5,719,359
Amortisation of intangible assets		23,479	169,542
Charge of provision for old and obsolete inventories	4	53,559	860,705
Allowance for provision for expected credit losses on trade receivables	4	103,332	468,120
Provision for employees' end of service benefits		630,021	478,733
Dividend income		(26,250)	(26,250)
Finance costs on Islamic finance payables		2,202,804	1,240,773
Interest expense on lease liabilities		194,437	160,842
interest expense on rease nationales			
Wayling agrital adjustments		31,851,096	33,008,289
Working capital adjustments: Inventories		(18,147,978)	(16,020,578)
Medium term receivables		404,648	36,241
Accounts receivable and prepayments		(4,000,904)	(57,163)
Receivables from related parties		69,981	(117,908)
Payables to related parties		(107,075)	(30,138)
Accounts payable and accruals		4,165,297	93,974
			
Cash flows from operations		14,235,065	16,912,717
Employees' end of service benefits paid		(326,873)	(246,534)
Taxes paid		(1,701,027)	(967,094)
Net cash flows from operating activities		12,207,165	15,699,089
INVESTING ACTIVITIES			
Purchase of property, plant and equipment		(10,162,422)	(5,447,576)
Proceeds from disposal of property, plant and equipment		204,467	213,013
Purchase of intangible assets		(77,985)	(23,398)
Net movement in receivables from related parties		-	(4,210,025)
Net payments made to investment in equity accounted investee	7	(4,605,375)	(4,605,000)
Dividend income received		26,250	26,250
Net movement in term deposits			1,000,000
Net cash flows used in investing activities		(14,615,065)	(13,046,736)
FINANCING ACTIVITIES			
Proceeds from Islamic finance payables		30,250,000	25,400,000
Repayment of Islamic finance payables		(14,062,365)	(2,463,717)
Dividends paid to non-controlling interests		(867,560)	(780,240)
Net movement in payables to related parties		2,181,113	4,330,583
Purchase of treasury shares		(68,757)	-
Dividends paid to equity holders of the Parent Company		(19,154,628)	(18,922,702)
Finance costs paid on Islamic finance payables		(2,202,804)	(1,240,773)
Payment of lease liabilities		(1,850,592)	(1,691,441)
Net cash flows (used in) from financing activities		(5,775,593)	4,631,710
			

INTERIM CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS (UNAUDITED) (CONTINUED)

	Notes	Nine montl 30 Septe	
	_	2024	2023
		KD	KD
NET (DECREASE) INCREASE IN CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS		(8,183,493)	7,284,063
Cash and cash equivalents at 1 January		20,480,145	14,908,263
Net foreign exchange difference		51,599	110,312
CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS AT 30 SEPTEMBER	8	12,348,251	22,302,638
Non-cash items excluded from the interim condensed consolidated statement of c	eash flows	:	
Effective portion of loss on hedging instruments (adjusted with accounts payable and accruals)	16		5,074
Additions to lease liabilities (adjusted with accounts payable and accruals)	10	893,312	2,811,945
Additions to right-of-use assets (adjusted with property, plant and equipment)		(893,312)	(2,811,945)
Dividends payable to non-controlling interests (adjusted with accounts payable and		(0)0,012)	(2,011,713)
accruals)		236,240	-
Derecognition and remeasurement of right-of-use assets (adjusted property, plant and		,	
equipment)		534,842	216,618
Derecognition and remeasurement of lease liabilities (adjusted with accounts payable			
and accruals)		(544,917)	(217,460)
Transfer of property, plant and equipment from (to) inventories (net) - (adjusted with			
property, plant and equipment)		2,414,591	1,327,854
Transfer of property, plant and equipment (from) to inventories (net) - (adjusted with		(2.414.501)	(1 227 954)
inventories)		(2,414,591)	(1,327,854)

NOTES TO THE INTERIM CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL INFORMATION (UNAUDITED)

As at and for the period ended 30 September 2024

1 CORPORATE INFORMATION

The interim condensed consolidated financial information of Ali Al-Ghanim Sons Automotive Company K.S.C.P. (the "Parent Company") and its Subsidiaries (collectively, the "Group") for the nine months ended 30 September 2024 was authorised for issue in accordance with a resolution of the Parent Company's Board of Directors on 10 November 2024.

The shareholders of the Parent Company at the annual general assembly meeting ("AGM") held on 28 March 2024 approved the consolidated financial statements for the year ended 31 December 2023. Dividends proposed and paid by the Group for the year then ended are provided in Note 13.

The Parent Company was a closed Kuwaiti shareholding Company registered and incorporated in the State of Kuwait on 24 July 2018. The Parent Company's shares were listed in the Premier Market of Boursa Kuwait on 7 June 2022, therefore the name of the Parent Company was changed to Ali Al-Ghanim Sons Automotive Company K.S.C.P. The changes in the articles and memorandum of association were authenticated in the commercial register on 25 July 2022 under registration number 399347.

The Parent Company is a subsidiary of Ali Alghanim Sons Holding Company K.S.C. (Closed) (the "Ultimate Parent Company").

The registered postal address of the Parent Company is P.O. Box 21540, Safat 13076, Kuwait City.

The Parent Company is principally engaged in the following activities:

- ▶ Selling and purchasing cars and its spare parts.
- Renting Cars
- ▶ Importing and exporting light and heavy vehicles and cars.
- Maintaining and renting light and heavy vehicles and cars.
- ▶ Trading of auto spare parts, renting equipment and their maintenance.
- The Parent Company may have interest or participate, in any respect, with entities which embark on businesses similar to its businesses and which may help it to achieve its objects in Kuwait or abroad; and it shall have the right to purchase these entities.
- Possessing movables and real estate necessary for undertaking its activity within the limitation allowed by the law
- ▶ Utilising the financial surpluses available with the Parent Company by means of investing them in financial portfolios to be managed by specialised companies and authorities.
- Selling and purchasing the shares and bonds only for its account.

2 BASIS OF PREPARATION AND CHANGES TO THE GROUP'S MATERIAL ACCOUNTING POLICY INFORMATION

2.1 Basis of preparation

The interim condensed consolidated financial information of the Group for the nine months ended 30 September 2024 has been prepared in accordance with International Accounting Standard 34: "Interim Financial Reporting" ("IAS 34"). The Group has prepared the interim condensed consolidated financial information on the basis that it will continue to operate as a going concern. Management consider that there are no material uncertainties that may cast significant doubt over this assumption. They have formed a judgement that there is a reasonable expectation that the Group has adequate resources to continue in operational existence for the foreseeable future, and not less than 12 months from the date of the approval of the interim condensed consolidated financial information for the nine months ended 30 September 2024.

The interim condensed consolidated financial information does not contain all information and disclosures required for full Consolidated financial statements prepared in accordance with the International Financial Reporting Standards ("IFRS") and should be read in conjunction with the Group's annual consolidated financial statements for the year ended 31 December 2023.

NOTES TO THE INTERIM CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL INFORMATION (UNAUDITED)

As at and for the period ended 30 September 2024

2 BASIS OF PREPARATION AND CHANGES TO THE GROUP'S MATERIAL ACCOUNTING POLICY INFORMATION (continued)

2.1 Basis of preparation (continued)

Certain prior period amounts have been reclassified to conform to the current period presentation. There in no effect of these classifications on the previously reported equity as at 31 December 2023 and 30 September 2023 and profit for the periods then ended. Such reclassifications have been made to improve the quality of information presented.

2.2 New standards, interpretations, and amendments adopted by the Group

The accounting policies adopted in the preparation of the interim condensed consolidated financial information are consistent with those followed in the preparation of the Group's annual consolidated financial statements for the year ended 31 December 2023, except for the adoption of new standards effective as of 1 January 2024. The Group has not early adopted any standard, interpretation or amendment that has been issued but is not yet effective.

Several amendments and interpretations apply for the first time in 2024, but do not have an impact on the interim condensed consolidated financial information of the Group.

Supplier Finance Arrangements – Amendments to IAS 7 and IFRS 7

In May 2023, the IASB issued amendments to IAS 7 Statement of Cash Flows and IFRS 7 Financial Instruments: Disclosures to clarify the characteristics of supplier finance arrangements and require additional disclosure of such arrangements. The disclosure requirements in the amendments are intended to assist users of consolidated financial statements in understanding the effects of supplier finance arrangements on an entity's liabilities, cash flows and exposure to liquidity risk.

The transition rules clarify that an entity is not required to provide the disclosures in any interim periods in the year of initial application of the amendments. Thus, the amendments had no impact on the Group's interim condensed consolidated financial information.

Lease Liability in a Sale and Leaseback - Amendments to IFRS 16

In September 2022, the IASB issued amendments to IFRS 16 to specify the requirements that a seller-lessee uses in measuring the lease liability arising in a sale and leaseback transaction, to ensure the seller-lessee does not recognise any amount of the gain or loss that relates to the right of use it retains.

The amendments had no impact on the Group's interim condensed consolidated financial information.

Classification of Liabilities as Current or Non-current – Amendments to IAS 1

In January 2020 and October 2022, the IASB issued amendments to paragraphs 69 to 76 of IAS 1 to specify the requirements for classifying liabilities as current or non-current. The amendments clarify:

- What is meant by a right to defer settlement
- ▶ That a right to defer must exist at the end of the reporting period
- That classification is unaffected by the likelihood that an entity will exercise its deferral right
- That only if an embedded derivative in a convertible liability is itself an equity instrument, would the terms of a liability not impact its classification

In addition, a requirement has been introduced to require disclosure when a liability arising from a loan agreement is classified as non-current and the entity's right to defer settlement is contingent on compliance with future covenants within twelve months.

The amendments had no impact on the Group's interim condensed consolidated financial information.

NOTES TO THE INTERIM CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL INFORMATION (UNAUDITED)

As at and for the period ended 30 September 2024

3 REVENUE FROM CONTRACTS WITH CUSTOMERS

Disaggregated revenue information

Set out below is the disaggregation of the Group's revenue from contracts with customers:

	Three months ended		Nine months ended		
	30 September		30 Se	ptember	
	2024	2023	2024	2023	
	KD	KD	KD	KD	
Type of goods or service:					
Sales of vehicles and spare parts	51,241,757	64,915,884	172,106,639	183,608,738	
Vehicle inspection, repair and maintenance services	3,240,843	3,018,999	9,228,515	8,576,156	
Insurance brokerage income	403,914	449,795	1,306,764	1,305,947	
Total revenue from contracts with customers	54,886,514	68,384,678	182,641,918	193,490,841	
Geographical markets:					
Kuwait	48,637,438	63,449,021	164,806,888	179,876,960	
Iraq	6,249,076	4,935,657	17,835,030	13,613,881	
Total revenue from contracts with customers	54,886,514	68,384,678	182,641,918	193,490,841	
Timing of revenue recognition:					
Goods transferred at a point in time	50,738,163	64,470,008	170,637,204	182,407,618	
Goods transferred over a period of time	503,594	445,876	1,469,435	1,201,120	
Services rendered at a point in time	3,272,616	3,174,620	9,517,773	9,032,209	
Services rendered over a period of time	372,141	294,174	1,017,506	849,894	
Total revenue from contracts with customers	54,886,514	68,384,678	182,641,918	193,490,841	

NOTES TO THE INTERIM CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL INFORMATION (UNAUDITED)

As at and for the period ended 30 September 2024

4 PROFIT FOR THE PERIOD

The profit for the period is stated after charging:

	Three months ended 30 September		Nine months ended 30 September		
	2024 KD	2023 KD	2024 KD	2023 KD	
Staff costs included in: Cost of sales and services rendered Selling and distribution expenses Administrative expenses	1,432,281 750,950 1,240,885	1,137,818 652,608 1,939,443	4,167,464 2,242,554 4,752,600	3,333,059 1,984,765 5,688,220	
	3,424,116	3,729,869	11,162,618	11,006,044	
Expense relating to short term leases included in: Cost of sales and services rendered	9,908	6,375	51,113	17,250	
Administrative expenses	14,777	8,652	36,839	27,242	
	24,685	15,027	<u>87,952</u>	44,492	
Costs of inventories recognised as an expense (included in cost of sales and services rendered)	38,187,401	49,450,358	130,412,284	139,732,332	
Rental vehicle fleet insurance charges (included in cost of sales and services rendered)	186,441	74,661	469,166	196,901	
(Reversal) charge of provision for old and obsolete inventories included in:					
Cost of sales and services rendered	(28,940)	371,984	53,559	860,705	
Allowance for provision for ECL on trade receivables and instalment credit receivables included in:					
Selling and distribution expenses Administrative expenses	5,023 (149,294)	4,323 117,889	16,590 86,742	17,210 450,910	
	(144,271)	122,212	103,332	468,120	
Depreciation expense recognised included in: Cost of sales and services rendered Selling and distribution expenses Administrative expenses	554,939 564,418 424,493	644,935 723,042 542,177	1,593,458 2,223,233 790,160	1,826,504 2,595,125 1,297,730	
	1,543,850	1,910,154	4,606,851	5,719,359	
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5 TAXATION

	Three mont 30 Septe		Nine mon 30 Sept	
	2024	2023	2024	2023
	KD	KD	KD	KD
Taxation on overseas subsidiary National Labour Support Tax ("NLST") Contribution to Kuwait Foundation for the Advances	180,425	267,551	583,774	556,938
	165,296	230,236	550,293	615,064
of Sciences ("KFAS")	76,056	88,036	228,661	231,528
Zakat	67,010	92,095	224,263	246,026
- -	488,787	677,918	1,586,991	1,649,556

Pillar 2 Income Taxes

In 2021, OECD's Inclusive Framework (IF) on Base Erosion and Profit Shifting (BEPS) had agreed to a two-pillar solution in order to address tax challenges arising from digitalization of the economy. Under Pillar 2, multinational entities whose revenue exceed EUR 750 million are liable to pay corporate income tax at a minimum effective tax rate of 15%.

The jurisdictions in which the Group operates including the State of Kuwait have joined the IF.

The Group is currently assessing its exposure to the additional income taxes under Pillar 2 regulations. The assessment indicates that a substantial portion of Group's earnings, primarily from Kuwait, Iraq and UAE will be subject to additional income taxes under Pillar 2 regulations. A reasonable estimate of the additional tax cannot be provided at this stage, as the relevant tax legislation is yet to be introduced in Kuwait and some other jurisdictions.

6 BASIC AND DILUTED EARNINGS PER SHARE (EPS)

Basic EPS amounts are calculated by dividing the profit for the period attributable to equity holders of the Parent Company by the weighted average number of ordinary shares outstanding during the period. Diluted EPS is calculated by dividing the profit attributable to ordinary equity holders of the Parent Company by the weighted average number of ordinary shares outstanding during the period plus the weighted average number of ordinary shares that would be issued on conversion of all the dilutive potential ordinary shares into ordinary shares. As there are no dilutive instruments outstanding, basic and diluted EPS are identical.

	Three mon 30 Sept		Nine moni 30 Sept	
	2024	2023	2024	2023
Profit for the period attributable to equity holders of the Parent Company (KD)	7,228,164	7,513,366	21,485,861	20,928,834
Weighted average number of shares outstanding during the period (shares)*	273,967,461	274,048,954	273,967,461	274,048,954
Basic and diluted EPS attributable to equity holders of the Parent Company (Fils)	26.38	27.42	78.42	76.37

^{*} The weighted average number of shares takes into account the weighted average effect of changes in treasury shares during the period.

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6 BASIC AND DILUTED EARNINGS PER SHARE (EPS) (continued)

There have been no other significant transactions involving ordinary shares or potential ordinary shares between the reporting date and the authorisation date of this interim condensed consolidated financial information.

7 INVESTMENT IN EQUITY-ACCOUNTED INVESTEES

		(Audited)	
	30 September	31 December	30 September
	2024	2023	2023
	KD	KD	KD
As at 1 January	12,262,937	3,065,573	3,065,573
Additions	4,605,375	8,356,256	4,605,000
Share of profit for the period	2,853,545	3,510,835	2,270,442
Other movements	-	(944, 194)	-
Exchange differences	(6,567,063)	(1,725,533)	(713,257)
Total equity accounted investments	13,154,794	12,262,937	9,227,758

Global Auto S.A.E

At 31 December 2023, the Group capitalised a convertible loan amounting to KD 3,751,256 advanced to Global Auto SAE which was previously included within receivables from related parties. This transaction does not involve any cash out flows at the date of conversion.

Auto Mobility For Import Cars LLC

The Group acquired 50% equity interest in Auto Mobility for Import Cars LLC, by contributing an amount of KD 4,605,000 (USD 15 million) towards the capital of the investee during the period ended 30 September 2023. The Company is not publicly listed and is the official dealership of a renowned automobile brand in the Arab Republic of Egypt.

The Group made an additional contribution of KD 4,605,375 (USD 15 million) towards the capital of the investee during the current period ended 30 September 2024.

8 CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS

For the purpose of the interim condensed consolidated statement of cash flows, cash and cash equivalents comprise the following at the reporting date:

	(Audited)		
	30 September	31 December	30 September
	2024	2023	2023
	KD	KD	KD
Cash at banks and on hand	14,518,185	17,297,262	15,911,102
Cash held in managed portfolios	1,908,425	1,682,883	1,241,536
Short-term deposits	-	1,500,000	5,150,000
Cash and short-term deposits	16,426,610	20,480,145	22,302,638
Less: Bank overdrafts	(4,078,359)	-	-
Cash and cash equivalents	12,348,251	20,480,145	22,302,638

Term deposits are subject to an insignificant risk of changes in value. These are placed with local Islamic financial institutions and earn yields at the respective short-term deposit rates.

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9 TREASURY SHARES

	(Audited)		
	30 September 2024	31 December 2023	30 September 2023
Number of treasury shares	3,573,546	3,506,046	3,451,046
Percentage of total outstanding shares	1.29%	1.26%	1.24%
Cost (KD)	3,079,961	3,011,204	2,954,654
Market value (KD)	3,802,253	3,702,385	4,003,213
Market value per share (Fils)	1,064	1,056	1,160

An amount equivalent to the cost of purchase of treasury shares held is not available for distribution during the holding period of such shares as per CMA guidelines.

10 ISLAMIC FINANCE PAYABLES

	30 September 2024 KD	(Audited) 31 December 2023 KD	30 September 2023 KD
Islamic finance payables	53,773,230	33,507,236	39,540,602
Non-current Current	35,177,915 18,595,315	29,048,163 4,459,073	26,471,528 13,069,074
	53,773,230	33,507,236	39,540,602

Islamic finance payables include facilities amounting to KD 15,983,529 (31 December 2023: KD 17,412,093; 30 September 2023: KD 17,433,033) which bear finance costs at commercial rates and are secured by a corporate guarantee provided by certain Group entities (Note 12). The remaining Islamic finance payables are unsecured and bear finance costs at commercial rates.

11 TRADE PAYABLES, ACCRUALS AND OTHER PROVISIONS

	30 September 2024		
	Non-current	Current	Total
	KD	KD	KD
Trade payables	-	38,916,171	38,916,171
Advances from customers	-	8,311,433	8,311,433
Contract liabilities*	10,722,820	4,684,001	15,406,821
Lease liabilities	3,889,259	2,026,028	5,915,287
Accrued expenses and provisions	· -	11,044,912	11,044,912
Dividends payable	-	311,737	311,737
Other payables	315,000	4,495,335	4,810,335
	14,927,079	69,789,617	84,716,696

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11 TRADE PAYABLES, ACCRUALS AND OTHER PROVISIONS (continued)

31 December 2023 (Audited)		
Non-current	Current	Total
KD	KD	KD
-	30,602,018	30,602,018
-	14,100,419	14,100,419
9,287,115	4,146,019	13,433,134
5,052,960	2,175,846	7,228,806
-	12,474,484	12,474,484
-	52,549	52,549
2,043,437	1,785,137	3,828,574
16,383,512	65,336,472	81,719,984
	30 September 2023	}
Non-current	Current	Total
KD	KD	KD
-	35,849,910	35,849,910
-	12,762,028	12,762,028
9,063,390	4,280,276	13,343,666
4,430,038	1,973,204	6,403,242
138,800	11,934,096	12,072,896
-	64,069	64,069
1,179,425	2,088,267	3,267,692
14,811,653	68,951,850	83,763,503
	Non-current KD - 9,287,115 5,052,960 - 2,043,437 16,383,512 Non-current KD - 9,063,390 4,430,038 138,800 - 1,179,425	Non-current Current KD 30,602,018 - 14,100,419 9,287,115 4,146,019 5,052,960 2,175,846 - 12,474,484 - 52,549 2,043,437 1,785,137 16,383,512 65,336,472 Non-current Current KD KD - 35,849,910 - 12,762,028 9,063,390 4,280,276 4,430,038 1,973,204 138,800 11,934,096 - 64,069 1,179,425 2,088,267

^{*} Contract liabilities represent unsatisfied performance obligations as at the reporting date towards vehicle maintenance contracts and extended warranties.

12 RELATED PARTY DISCLOSURES

Related parties represent major shareholders, associates, joint venture, directors and key management personnel of the Group, and entities controlled, jointly controlled or significantly influenced by such parties. Pricing policies and terms of these transactions are approved by the Group's management.

The following table provides the total amount of transactions that have been entered into with related parties during the nine months ended 30 September 2024 and 2023, as well as balances with related parties as at 30 September 2024, 31 December 2023 and 30 September 2023:

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12 RELATED PARTY DISCLOSURES (continued)

	Three mor	ıths ended	Nine months ended	
	30 September 2024	30 September 2023	30 September 2024	30 September 2023
Interim condensed consolidated statement of profit or loss	KD	KD	KD	KD
Entities under common control				
Sale of goods	59,816	2,621	136,995	338,849
Rendering of services	28,834	1,624	30,032	9,733
Vehicle rental income	11,247	-	26,305	-
Administrative expenses	(9,080)	(5,150)	(22,936)	(23,109)
Associate of the Ultimate Parent Company				
Sale of goods	290,054	309,409	738,774	637,475
Rendering of services	20,134	9,761	36,409	17,413
			(Audited)	
		30 September	31 December	30 September
		2024	2023	2023
		KD	KD	KD
Consolidated statement of financial position Investment in a quoted equity security*	on	532,000	609,000	560,000
Trade receivables*		1,135,369	944,684	546,341
Receivables from related parties:				
- Entities under common control /owners	hip	9,067	224,208	51,022
 Equity-accounted investees** 	•	6,411,679	6,452,746	8,110,642
- Associate of the Ultimate Parent Comp	any	7,974	-	-
- Other related parties		189,827	11,574	12,639
		6,618,547	6,688,528	8,174,303

^{*.} Associate of the Ultimate Parent Company and an entity with common board directorship.

^{**} The balance includes an amount of KD 6,208,263 (31 December 2023: KD 6,297,566; 30 September 2023: KD 7,955,462) advanced to Global Auto S.A.E. to finance the working capital and other requirements. The amount is unsecured, interest free and callable after the respective termination dates as per the loan agreement at the discretion of the Group.

		(Audited)	
	30 September	31 December	30 September
	2024	2023	2023
	KD	KD	KD
Payables to related parties:			
Key management personnel	5,346	108,717	24,519
Entities under common control/ownership	4,478	12,598	727
Other related parties***	11,744,853	9,559,324	8,584,779
	11,754,677	9,680,639	8,610,025

^{***} As at the period end this balance includes an amount payable to the non-controlling investor of German Automotive Holding Limited amounting to KD 11,257,408 (31 December 2023: KD 9,076,295; 30 September 2023: KD 8,101,746).

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12 RELATED PARTY DISCLOSURES (continued)

Terms and conditions of transactions with related parties

Transactions with related parties are made on terms approved by the Group's management. All balances at the period-end are unsecured, interest free and have no fixed repayment schedule. For the period ended 30 September 2024, the Group has not recognised any provision for expected credit losses relating to amounts owed by related parties (31 December 2023: Nil; 30 September 2023: Nil).

Other related party disclosures

- ▶ Islamic finance payables include tawarruq facilities amounting to KD 15,983,529 (31 December 2023: KD 17,412,093; 30 September 2023: KD 17,433,033) secured by a corporate guarantee provided by certain Group entities (Note 10).
- As at 30 September 2023, the Group has provided a corporate guarantee of KD 7,005,564 (31 December 2023: KD 7,018,824; 30 September 2023: KD 6,721,596) in the ordinary course of business to be utilised by a related party (Note 14).

Compensation of key management personnel

Key management personnel comprise of the personnel having authority and responsibility for planning, directing and controlling the activities of the Group. The aggregate value of transactions and outstanding balances related to key management personnel were as follows:

	Transaction values for three months period ended		Transaction values for nine months period ended	
	30 September 2024	30 September 2023	30 September 2024	30 September 2023
Salaries and short-term benefits	<i>KD</i> 93,246	<i>KD</i> 99,151	<i>KD</i> 266,788	<i>KD</i> 325,244
End of service benefits	9,153	7,582	32,669 299,457	24,823 350,067
			lance outstanding a.	
		30 September 2024 KD	31 December 2023 KD	30 September 2023 KD
		1112	(Audited)	
Salaries and short-term benefits End of service benefits Directors' remuneration		159,393 504,924	1,121,042 472,255 85,000	175,172 464,445
Directors remuneration		664,317	1,678,297	639,617

The Board of Directors of the Parent Company at the meeting held on 20 February 2024 proposed directors' remuneration of KD 85,000 (31 December 2022:KD 35,000) for the year ended 31 December 2023. This proposal was approved by the shareholders at the AGM held on 28 March 2024 and paid during the current period.

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13 DIVIDENDS MADE AND PROPOSED

The Board of Directors of the Parent Company in their meeting held on 6 August 2024 declared an interim cash dividend of 35 fils per share aggregating to KD 9,587,688 (30 September 2023: 35 fils per share aggregating to KD 9,591,713) on outstanding shares (excluding treasury shares) for the period ended 30 June 2024.

The Board of Directors of the Parent Company in their meeting held on 20 February 2024 proposed a distribution of a cash dividend of 35 fils per share aggregating to KD 9,589,788 for the year ended 31 December 2023 (2022: 34 fils per share aggregating to KD 9,317,664). The proposed dividends for the year then ended were approved by the shareholders at AGM held on 28 March 2024 and was paid during the current period.

Dividends payable to equity holders of the parent company as at 30 September 2024 amounted to KD 75,397 (31 December 2023: KD 52,549 and 30 September 2023: KD 64,069) and are recorded within "Accounts payable and accruals" in the interim condensed consolidated statement of financial position.

14 CONTINGENCIES

14.1 Legal claim contingencies

The Group operates in the automotive industry and is subject to legal proceedings in the normal course of business. While it is not practicable to forecast or determine the final results of all pending or threatened legal proceedings, management does not believe that such proceedings (including litigation) will have a material effect on its results and financial position.

14.2 Other contingencies

The Group had contingent liabilities in respect of bank guarantees and letters of credit arising in the ordinary course of business amounting to KD 22,845,604 (31 December 2023: KD 19,205,172; 30 September 2023: KD 19,332,072), out of which KD 7,005,564 (31 December 2023: KD 7,018,824; 30 September 2023: KD 6,721,596) is utilised by a related party, from which it is anticipated that no material liability will arise (Note 12).

15 SEGMENT INFORMATION

For management purposes, the Group is divided into three main geographical segments that are: a) State of Kuwait, b) Iraq c) United Arab Emirates where the Group performs its main activities in the sales of vehicles, spare parts and rendering of services related to vehicle inspection, repair and maintenance services.

a) Segment revenue and results

The following tables present revenue and profit information of the Group's operating segments for the nine-month ended 30 September 2024 and 2023, respectively:

	Reve	enue	Res	sults
	Nine months ended		Nine months ended	
		tember	30 September	
	2024	2023	2024	2023
	KD	KD	KD	KD
Kuwait	183,061,136	191,297,906	40,758,846	43,159,654
Iraq	17,835,030	13,613,881	3,282,394	3,100,257
United Arab Emirates	-	-	2,845,109	2,476,928
Adjustments and eliminations	(14,372,899)	(8,072,688)	(21,527,537)	(24,164,401)
	196 522 267	106 920 000	25 259 912	24 572 429
	186,523,267	196,839,099	25,358,812	24,572,438

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15 SEGMENT INFORMATION (continued)

b) Segment assets and liabilities

The following tables present assets and liabilities information for the Group's operating segments as at 30 September 2024, 31 December 2023 and 30 September 2023, respectively:

		(Audited)	
	30 September	31 December	30 September
	2024	2023	2023
	KD	KD	KD
Segment assets			
Kuwait	256,401,403	236,747,456	234,392,815
Iraq	18,370,514	13,897,389	12,348,047
United Arab Emirates	19,912,668	19,089,109	17,720,146
Adjustments and eliminations	(47,446,299)	(46,551,486)	(42,115,931)
Total consolidated segment assets	247,238,286	223,182,468	222,345,077
Segment liabilities			
Kuwait	148,105,822	125,146,601	129,223,253
Iraq	6,599,957	4,587,596	4,585,373
United Arab Emirates	11,263,174	9,084,962	8,111,230
Adjustments and eliminations	(9,575,415)	(8,065,513)	(4,321,891)
Total consolidated segment liabilities	156,393,538	130,753,646	137,597,965

c) Other profit and loss disclosures

	Share of profit (loss) of equity accounted investees		Cost of inventories recognised as an expense	
	- 11111	Nine months ended 30 September		hs ended ember
	2024	2023	2024	2023
	KD	KD	KD	KD
Kuwait	-	(172,527)	118,425,447	131,750,495
Iraq United Arab Emirates*	2,853,545	2,442,969	11,986,837	7,981,837
	2,853,545	2,270,442	130,412,284	139,732,332

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15 SEGMENT INFORMATION (continued)

d) Other disclosures

	30 September 2024 KD	(Audited) 31 December 2023 KD	30 September 2023 KD
Investment in equity accounted investees			
United Arab Emirates	13,154,794	12,262,937	9,227,758
Capital expenditure**			
Kuwait	10,112,556	11,396,741	5,328,978
Iraq	127,851	66,833	141,996
	10,240,407	11,463,574	5,470,974

^{*} In presenting the geographic information, the segment has been based on the country of domicile of the legal entity; however geographical location of customers and assets is based in Egypt.

16 FAIR VALUE OF FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS

The following table provides the fair value measurement hierarchy of the Group's financial instruments:

	Fair value measurement using		
30 September 2024	Quoted market prices (Level 1) KD	Significant observable inputs (Level 2) KD	Total KD
Financial instruments measured at fair value: Financial assets at FVOCI			
Quoted equity securities	532,000	-	532,000
31 December 2023 (Audited)			
Financial instruments measured at fair value: Financial assets at FVOCI Quoted equity securities	609,000		609,000
30 September 2023 Financial instruments measured at fair value: Financial assets at FVOCI			
Quoted equity securities	560,000	-	560,000
Derivative financial liabilities		(7.05 ()	(5.05 °)
Foreign exchange forward contracts	-	(5,074)	(5,074)

^{**} These represent addition to non-current assets other than financial instruments.

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16 FAIR VALUE OF FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS (continued)

During the period, there were no transfers between the levels of fair value hierarchy.

The valuation techniques and inputs used in this interim condensed consolidated financial information are consistent with those followed in the preparation of the Group's annual consolidated financial statements for the year ended 31 December 2023.

For other financial assets and financial liabilities carried at amortised cost, the carrying value is not significantly different from their fair value as most of these assets and liabilities are of short-term maturity or are re-priced immediately based on market movement in interest rates. The fair value of financial assets and financial liabilities with a demand feature is not less than its face value.

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