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COMPANY ANNOUNCEMENT

PUBLICATION OF UNAUDITED INTERIM CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE SIX-MONTH PERIOD ENDED 30TH JUNE 2022

The following is a company announcement issued by Class Finance plc ("The Company"), having company registration number C 94741, issued in terms of the Prospects Rules, the market regulated as a multi-lateral trading facility operated by the Malta Stock Exchange ("Prospects MTF").

Quote

The Board of Directors of the Company announces that it met on the 29th August 2022 and considered and approved the Company's Unaudited Interim Consolidated Financial Statements for the six-month period ended 30th June 2022. The latter are reproduced below and are also available for viewing on the Company's website:

https://www.classoptical.com/company-announcements

Unquote

By order of the board

Anton Magro Company Secretary



for the six months period ended 30th June 2022

Company Registration No. C 94741

Condensed Interim Consolidated Financial Statements (Unaudited)

For the six months period ended 30th June 2022

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GENERAL INFORMATION

Registration

Class Finance PLC is registered in Malta as public limited liability company under the Companies Act (Cap 386). The company's registration number is C 94741.

Directors

Dr. John C. Grech Mr. Cyril Gabarretta Mr. Robert Tua Dr. Maurice Zarb Adami Mr. Kerstien Gabarretta Mr. Robert Ebejer

Company Secretary

Mr. Anton Magro

Registered Office

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Bankers

APS Bank PLC APS Centre, Tower Street, Birkirkara. BKR 4012 Malta

Auditors

Griffiths & Associates Ltd Level 1, Casal Naxaro, Labour Avenue, Naxxar. NXR 9021 Malta

For the six months period ended 30th June 2022

DIRECTORS REPORT

The directors present the condensed interim unaudited consolidated Financial Statements of the group for the six months period ended 30th June 2022.

Principal Activities

The Company's main activity is to invest and hold investments in other companies. The Group is engaged in the manufacturing, wholesale and retail of sunglasses, spectacles and other optical goods.

Business review and financial performance

The group delivered a positive financial performance during the period under review. The Group delivered a Profit before Tax of EUR 605,621.

The Group Revenue was EUR 4.9 million and the group equity which includes reserves available for distribution amounted to EUR 5.3 million.

Dividend

The directors have authorised a payment of a net dividend of EUR 182,000.

Events after the end of the reporting period

There were no events after the end of the reporting period that materially affected the financial position of the Group or of the Company, or that require mention in this report.

Approved by the Board of Directors on 30 August 2022 and signed on its behalf by

Mr. Cyril Gabarretta Director

Mr. Robert Tua Director

For the six months period ended 30th June 2022

DIRECTORS DECLARATION

We hereby confirm that to the best of knowledge:

- The condensed consolidated interim financial statements give a true and fair view of the financial position of the Group as at 30 June 2022, and of its financial performance and cash flows for the six-month period ended in accordance with IAS 34 *Interim Financial Reporting* ; and
- The Interim Directors' Report includes a fair review of the information required in terms of Prospects Rule 4.11.12.

Mr. Cyril Gabarretta Director

29 August 2022

Mr. Robert Tua Director

Condensed Interim Consolidated Statement of Comprehensive Income (Unaudited) for the period ended 30 June 2022

	01.01.2022 to 30.06.2022 €	01.01.2021 to 30.06.2021 €
Revenue	4,877,385	4,283,122
Cost of Sales	(2,714,528)	(2,453,164)
Gross Profit	2,162,857	1,829,958
Administration & Distribution Expenses	(1,526,707)	(1,315,074)
Net Impairment Losses of financial and contract assets	(120,000)	-
Other Income	232,211	193,012
Operating Profit	748,362	707,895
Finance Costs	(142,741)	(70,600)
Profit before Tax	605,621	637,295
Income Tax Expense	(211,311)	(240,080)
Profit for the year - Total Comprehensive Income	394,310	397,215

Condensed Interim Consolidated Statement of Financial Position (Unaudited) As at the period ended 30 June 2022

	01.01.2022	01.01.2021
	to	to
	30.06.2022	30.06.2021
	€	€
ASSETS		
Non-Current Assets		
Right-of-Use assets	2,048,645	2,226,808
Property, Plant & Equipment	1,592,787	678,193
Investment in associate	17,000	17,000
Deferred Tax	22,195	
Total Non-Current Assets	3,680,627	2,922,000
Current Assets		
Inventories	2,349,732	2,189,021
Trade & Other Receivables	3,199,468	3,795,639
Cash & Cash Equivalents	3,063,247	761,420
Total current assets	8,612,447	6,746,081
Total Assets	12,293,074	9,668,081

Condensed Interim Consolidated Statement of Financial Position (Unaudited) As at the period ended 30 June 2022

	01.01.2022	01.01.2021
	to	to
	30.06.2022	30.06.2021
	€	€
EQUITY & LIABILITIES		
Capital & Reserves		
Share Capital	373,400	373,400
Other Reserves	4,279,657	4,279,657
Retained Earnings	676,988	359,676
Non-controlling interest	(18,496)	(14,109)
Total Equity	5,311,549	4,998,624
Non-current Liabilities		
Borrowings	3,152,495	211,922
Lease Liabilities	1,968,710	2,234,959
Deferred Tax		56,046
Total Non-Current Liabilities	5,121,205	2,502,927
Current Liabilities		
Borrowings	52,093	78,000
Lease liabilities	142,101	151,719
Trade and other payables	1,486,297	1,710,535
Current tax liability	179,830	226,276
Total Current Liabilities	1,860,321	2,166,530
Total Equity & Liabilities	12,293,074	9,668,081 -

Condensed Interim Consolidated Statement of Changes in Equity (Unaudited) for the period ended 30 June 2022

	Other Reserve €	Retained Earnings €	Share Capital €	Total €	Non- Controlling Interest €	Total Equity €
Balance as at 1 January 2021	4,279,657	162,461	373,400	4,815,518	(12,235)	4,803,283
Profit for the period - Total Comprehensive Income		397,215		397,215	(1,874)	395,341
Transactions with owners in their capacity as owners						
Dividends paid		(200,000)		(200,000)		(200,000)
Balanace as at 30th June 2021	4,279,657	359,676	373,400	5,012,733	(14,109)	4,998,624
Balance as at 1 January 2022 Profit for the period - Total Comprehensive Income	4,279,657	461,878 397110.04	373,400	5,114,935 397,110	(15,696) (2,800)	5,099,239 394,310
Transactions with owners in their capacity as owners						
Dividends paid		(182,000)		(182,000)		(182,000)
Balanace as at 30th June 2021	4,279,657	676,988	373,400	5,330,045	(18,496)	5,311,549

CLASS FINANCE P.L.C Condensed Interim Consolidated Statement of Cashflows (Unaudited) for the period ended 30 June 2022

	01.01.2022
	to
	30.06.2022
	€
Cashflows from operating activities	204.240
Profit before Tax	394,310
Adjustments for:	177 202
Amortisation of Bond Issue Costs	177,282
Depreciation expense	84,631
Impairment of financial assets	120,000
Amortisation of bond issue costs	4,761
Profit from Operations	780,984
Change in Inventories	(203,725) (415,645)
Change in Receivables	(415,645)
Change in Payables	124,843
Income taxes paid Net Cash generated from Operating Activities	(76,155)
Net cash generated from Operating Activities	210,302
Investing Activities	
Acquisition of Property, Plant & Equipment	(293,327)
Net cash used in investing activities	(293,327)
Financing Activities	
Interest paid on loans and borrowings	(3,683)
Interest paid on bond issue	(61,250)
Interest paid on lease liabilities	(77,808)
Dividends paid to equity shareholder	(182,000)
Loan to equity shareholder	(241,800)
Proceeds from bond issue	3,000,000
Net cash from financing activities	2,433,459
Net movement in cash and cash equivalents	2,350,434
Cash and Cash equivalents at beginning of the year	712,813
Cash and Cash equivalents at end of period	3,063,247

Condensed Interim Consolidated Financial Statements (Unaudited) For the six months period ended 30th June 2022

NOTES

1. BASIS OF PREPARATION

These unaudited condensed interim consolidated financial statements for the six month period ended 30 June 2022 have been prepared in accordance with International Accounting Standard (IAS) 34 *Interim Financial Reporting*.

These interim condensed consolidated financial statements do not include all the information and disclosures required in the annual financial statements, and should be read in conjuction with the Group's annual financial statements as at 31 December 2021, which have been prepared in accordance with International Financial Reporting Standards (IFRS) as adopted by the European Union (EU).

In addition, results for the six-month period ended 30 June 2022 are not necessarily indicative of the results that may be expected for the financial year ending 31st December 2022.

2. SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

The principal accounting policies adopted are consistent with those of the Group's financial statements for the year ended 31 December 2021.

Use of judgements and estimates

In preparing condensed interim consolidated financial statements, the Board of Directors have made judgements, estimates and assumptions that affect the application of accounting policies and the reported amounts of assets and liabilities, income and expense. Actual results may differ from these estimates.

There have been no material revisions to the natures and estimates of amounts reported in prior periods. The significant judgements made by management in applying the Group's accounting policies and the key sources of estimation uncertainty were the same as those applied to the consolidated financial statements as at 31 December 2021.