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UNAUDITED SECOND QUARTER FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AND ANNOUNCEMENT FOR THE 6 MONTHS ENDED 30 JUNE 2014 OF OCEANUS GROUP LIMITED ("OCEANUS") AND ITS SUBSIDIARIES (COLLECTIVELY KNOWN AS THE "OCEANUS GROUP")

#### PART I - INFORMATION REQUIRED FOR ANNOUNCEMENTS OF QUARTERLY (Q1, Q2 & Q3), HALF-YEAR AND FULL YEAR RESULTS

1(a) An income statement (for the Group) together with a comparative statement for the corresponding period of the immediately preceding financial year.

	3 months ended		Favourable	6 month	is ended	ded Favourable	
	2014-06-30 RMB'000	2013-06-30 RMB'000 Restated	/(Adverse) %	2014-06-30 RMB'000	2013-06-30 RMB'000 Restated	/(Adverse) %	
Sales of aquaculture products							
Sales of live marine products	829	7,083	(88)	948	14,310	(93)	
<u>Continuing operations</u> (Loss)/Gain arising from changes in fair value less cost to sell of biological assets Other operating income	(14,936) 139	(12,543) 4,089	(19) (97)	(2,430) 294	2,230 5,042	NM (94)	
Feed used	(4,375)	(10,682)	59	(8,783)	(21,509)	59	
Electricity,fuel and water	(2,459)	(7,450)	67	(5,931)	(14,748)	60	
Staff costs	(4,645)	(10,098)	54	(9,263)	(20,145)	54	
Foreign currency gain/(loss)	3,097	(6,653)	NM	14,495	495	>100	
Other operating expenses	(6,189)	(3,278)	(89)	(9,811)	(10,020)	2	
Depreciation Finance costs	(16,160) (26,378)	(19,521) (16,408)	17 (61)	(32,194) (37,350)	(39,109) (31,140)	18 (20)	
Loss before income tax Income tax	(71,906) -	(82,544) -	13 NM	(90,973) (48)	(128,904) -	29 (100)	
Loss for the year from continuing operations	(71,906)	(82,544)	13	(91,021)	(128,904)	29	
Discontinued operations Profit for the year from discountinued							
operations	19,835	5,907	>100	21,812	7,018	>100	
Loss for the year	(52,071)	(76,637)	32	(69,209)	(121,886)	43	
EBITDA*	(9,533)	(40,708)	77	383	(51,637)	NM	
Attributable to: Equity holders of the Company	(52,071)	(76,637)	32	(69,209)	(121,886)	43	

"EBITDA - Profit Before Interest, Tax, Depreciation and Amortisation.

Loss for the period is arrived at after charging / (crediting) the following items:

		., .	Favourable			Favourable
	3 months	s ended	/(Adverse)	6 months	s ended	/(Adverse)
Continuing operations	2014-06-30 RMB'000	2013-06-30 RMB'000 Restated	%	2014-06-30 RMB'000	2013-06-30 RMB'000 Restated	%
Interest income	(1)	(2)	(50)	(1)	(3)	(67)
Interest expense						
(i) Coupon rate 5%	4,389	3,996	(10)	8,625	7,939	(9)
(ii) Notional interest	20,911	10,536	(98)	27,502	21,303	(29)
(iii) Ioan interest	147	1,021	86	292	1,043	72
(iv) Witholding tax	931	855	(9)	931	855	(9)
Depreciation of property, plant and						
equipment	16,160	19,521	17	32,194	39,109	18
Amortisation of prepaid leases	168	98	(71)	327	323	(1)
Operating lease expenses Reversal of impairment on	434	488	11	863	1,001	14
property, plant and equipment	-	-	NM	-	(1,246)	(100)
Foreign ex change (gain)/loss	(3,097)	6,653	NM	(14,495)	(495)	>100
Discontinued operations						
Gain on disposal of plant and						
equipment	(19,992)	(897)	>100	(19,992)	(897)	>100
(Gain)/loss on disposal of prepaid						
lease	-	897	(100)	(4,208)	897	NM
Reversal of allowance for doubtful						
debts	-	(4,413)	(100)	-	(4,413)	(100)
Foreign exchange (gain)/loss	449	(2,813)	NM	2,654	(4,369)	NM

N/M: Not meaningful

## (b) A Statement of Comprehensive Income (for the Group) together with a comparative statement for the corresponding period of the immediately preceding financial year.

	3 months	ended	6 months ended		
	2014-06-30 RMB'000	2013-06-30 RMB'000 Restated	2014-06-30 RMB'000	2013-06-30 RMB'000 Restated	
Loss for the period	(52,071)	(76,637)	(69,209)	(121,886)	
Other comprehensive income					
Exchange differences on translation of foreign operations	(6,106)	18,573	(22,504)	15,187	
Total comprehensive income for the period	(58,177)	(58,064)	(91,713)	(106,699)	
<b>Attributable to:</b> Equity holders of the Company	(58,177)	(58,064)	(91,713)	(106,699)	

## 1 (c)(i) A balance sheet (for the Issuer and Group), together with a comparative statement as at the end of the immediately preceding financial year.

	Grou	q	Company		
	2014-06-30	2013-12-31	2014-06-30	2013-12-31	
-	RMB'000	RMB'000	RMB'000	RMB'000	
ASSETS					
Current assets					
Cash and bank balances	2,227	5,531	774	3,119	
Trade receivables	-	5	-	-	
Other receivables	16,149	17,041	2,273	-	
Biological assets	16,527	19,906		-	
-	34,903	42,483	3,047	3,119	
Non-current assets					
Property, plant and equipment	478,466	510,557	-	-	
Prepaid leases	14,178	14,498	-	-	
Investment in subsidiaries	-	-	795,000	795,000	
-	492,644	525,055	795,000	795,000	
Total assets	527,547	567,538	798,047	798,119	
LIABILITIES AND EQUITY					
Current liabilities					
Trade payables	22,528	16,347	-	-	
Other payables	79,412	73,930	42,701	32,025	
Loans and borrowings	14,237	12,016	13,237	11,016	
Current tax payable	23,948	23,948		-	
_	140,125	126,241	55,938	43,041	
Non-current liabilities					
Convertible loan	289,666	254,746	289,666	254,746	
Derivative liabilities	125,864	123,082	125,864	123,082	
Deferred tax liabilities	6,177	6,041	6,177	6,041	
-	421,707	383,869	421,707	383,869	
Total liabilities	561,832	510,110	477,645	426,910	
Capital and reserves					
Share capital	2,373,685	2,373,685	2,373,685	2,373,685	
Capital reserve	(1,137,504)	(1,137,504)	11,229	11,229	
Currency translation reserve	5,238	27,742	(10,746)	(712)	
Warrantreserve	101,651	101,651	101,651	101,651	
Statutory reserve	39,262	39,262	-	-	
Accumulated losses	(1,416,617)	(1,347,408)	(2,155,417)	(2,114,644)	
Equity attributable to equity holders of the Company	(34,285)	57,428	320,402	371,209	
Total liabilities and equity	527,547	567,538	798,047	798,119	
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#### 1(c)(ii) Aggregate amount of the Group's borrowings and debt securities.

	Group					
	As at 30	June 2014	As at 31 De	cember 2013		
	Secured RMB'000	Unsecured RMB'000	Secured RMB'000	Unsecured RMB'000		
Amount payable in one year or less, or demand	-	14,237	-	12,016		
Amount repayable after one year	-	289,666	-	254,746		
Total		303,903	-	266,762		

#### Details of any collateral

The Unsecured amount repayable after one year of RMB289 million relates to a restructured 3-year Convertible Loan which was completed in a Proposed Restructuring Exercise on an Extraordinary General Meeting (EGM) held on 10 July 2012.

The restructured Convertible Loan was classified as non-current liabilities as they will expire on 13 July 2015.

## 1(d) A cash flow statement (for the Group), together with a comparative statement for the corresponding period of the immediately preceding financial year.

	Group				
	3 month	ns ended	6 months	s ended	
	2014-06-30	2013-06-30	2014-06-30	2013-06-30	
	RMB'000	RMB'000	RMB'000	RMB'000	
Cash Flows from Operating Activities					
Loss before income tax	(52,071)	(76,637)	(69,161)	(121,886)	
Adjustments for:					
Gain arising from changes in fair value less cost to sell of biological		10 - 10	<b>•</b> /••	(0,000)	
assets	14,936	12,543	2,430	(2,230)	
Depreciation of property, plant and equipment	16,160	19,521	32,194	39,109	
Gain on disposal of property, plant and equipment	(19,992)	(897)	(19,992)	(897)	
(Gain) Loss on disposal of prepaid lease	-	897	(4,208)	897	
Reversal of allowance for doubtful debts	- (1)	(4,413)	-	(4,413)	
Interest income	(1)	(2)	(1)	(3)	
Interest expense	26,378	16,408	37,350	31,140	
Amortisation of prepaid leases Net foreign exchange difference	168 (2,413)	98 6,818	327 (12,030)	323 (2,294)	
Operating cash flows before working capital changes	(16,835)	(25,664)	(12,030) (33,091)	(60,254)	
Operating cash nows before working capital changes	(10,033)	(23,004)	(33,091)	(00,254)	
Trade receivables	5	2,970	5	(712)	
Other receivables	10,753	(2,974)	9,942	7,181	
Inventories	-	167		7,718	
Biological assets	830	2,376	949	9,484	
Trade payables	3,541	7,297	6,181	125	
Other payables	(3,908)	17,799	2,885	17,859	
Cash used in operations	(5,614)	1,971	(13,129)	(18,599)	
Interest received	1	2	1	3	
Interest paid	-	(3,744)	-	(3,947)	
Income taxes paid	-	-	(48)	-	
Cash flows used in from operating activities	(5,613)	(1,771)	(13,176)	(22,543)	
Investing activities				(57.4)	
Purchase of property, plant and equipment	-	-	-	(571)	
Proceeds from disposal of property, plant and equipment	3,000	7,647	7,900	7,647	
Cash flows used in investing activities	3,000	7,647	7,900	7,076	
Financing activities					
Proceeds on loan from investors	1,972	910	1,972	20,834	
Repayment of bank loan		(7,611)	-	(7,611)	
Cash flows from financing activities	1,972	(6,701)	1,972	13,223	
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Net decrease in cash and cash equivalent	(641)	(825)	(3,304)	(2,244)	
Cash and cash equivalent at beginning of the period	2,868	3,035	5,531	4,454	
Cash and cash equivalents at end of the period	2,227	2,210	2,227	2,210	
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For the purpose of the consolidated cash flow statement, cash and cash equivalents comprise the following:

	6 months e	ended
	30/06/2014	30/06/2013
	RMB'000	RMB'000
pank balances	2,227	2,210

1(d)(i) A statement (for the Issuer and Group) showing either (i) all changes in equity or (ii) changes in equity other than those arising from capitalisation issues and distributions to shareholders, together with a comparative statement for the corresponding period of the immediately preceding financial year.

	Share capital	Capital reserve	Currency translation reserve	Warrant reserve	Statutory surplus reserve funds	Accumulated losses	Total attributable to equity holders of the Company	Non controlling interest	Total
	RMB'000	RMB'000	RMB'000	RMB'000	RMB'000	RMB'000	RMB'000	RMB'000	RMB'000
<u>The Group</u> Balance as at 1 Jan 2013	2,202,268	(1,137,504)	(12,482)	107,092	39,262	(902,746)	295,890	-	295,890
Loss for the year	-	-	-	-	-	(121,886)	(121,886)	-	(121,886)
<u>Other comprehensive income</u> Foreign currency translation	-	-	15,187	-	-	-	15,187	-	15,187
Total comprehensive income/(loss) for the period			15,187	-	-	(121,886)	(106,699)	-	(106,699)
Exercise of convertible warrant	29,231	-	-	(4,216)	-	-	25,015	-	25,015
Balance as at 30 June 2013	2,231,499	(1,137,504)	2,705	102,876	39,262	(1,024,632)	214,206	-	214,206
Balance as at 1 Jan 2014	2,373,685	(1,137,504)	27,742	101,651	39,262	(1,347,408)	57,428	-	57,428
Loss for the period	-	-	-	-	-	(69,209)	(69,209)	-	(69,209)
<u>Other comprehensive income</u> Foreign currency translation	-	-	(22,504)	-	-	-	(22,504)	-	(22,504)
Total comprehensive income/(loss) for the period	-	-	(22,504)	-	-	(69,209)	(91,713)	-	(91,713)
Balance at 30 June 2014	2,373,685	(1,137,504)	5,238	101,651	39,262	(1,416,617)	(34,285)	-	(34,285)

	<u>Share</u> capital	<u>Capital</u> reserve	<u>Currency</u> <u>translation</u> <u>reserve</u>	<u>Warrant</u> <u>reserve</u>	Accumulated losses	<u>Total</u>
	RMB'000	RMB'000	RMB'000	RMB'000	RMB'000	RMB'000
The Company						
Balance as at 1 Jan 2013	2,202,268	11,229	15,932	107,092	(708,785)	1,627,736
Loss for the period	-	-	-	-	(36,689)	(36,689)
Other comprehensive income						
Foreign currency translation	-	-	(13,042)	-	-	(13,042)
Total comprehensive income/(loss) for the period	-	-	(13,042)	-	(36,689)	(49,731)
Exercise of convertible warrant	29,231	-	-	(4,216)	-	25,015
Balance as at 30 June 2013	2,231,499	11,229	2,890	102,876	(745,474)	1,603,020
Balance as at 1 Jan 2014	2,373,685	11,229	(712)	101,651	(2,114,644)	371,209
Loss for the period	-	-	-	-	(40,773)	(40,773)
Other comprehensive income						
Foreign currency translation	-	-	(10,034)	-	-	(10,034)
Total comprehensive income/(loss) for the period	-	-	(10,034)	-	(40,773)	(50,807)
Balance as at 30 June 2014	2,373,685	11,229	(10,746)	101,651	(2,155,417)	320,402

1(d)(ii) Details of any changes in the Company's share capital arising from rights issue, bonus issue, share buy-backs, exercise of share options or warrants, conversion of other issues of equity securities, issue of shares for cash or as consideration for acquisition or for any other purpose since the end of the previous period reported on. State also the number of shares that may be issued on conversion of all the outstanding convertibles, as well as the number of shares held as treasury shares, if any, against the total number of issued shares excluding treasury shares of the issuer, as at the end of the current financial period reported on and as at the end of the corresponding period of the immediately preceding financial year.

There was no change in the Company's share capital since the end of the previous period reported on.

As of 30 June 2014, there were 1,018,565,587 outstanding warrants. If all the outstanding warrants were converted to shares, there will be 4,656,507,134 shares issued.

The Company did not have any treasury shares as at 30 June 2014.

### (iii) To show the total number of issued shares excluding treasury shares as at the end of the current financial period and as at the end of the immediately preceding year.

The total number of issued shares as at 30 June 2014 is 3,637,941,547 shares (31 December 2013: 3,637,941,547 shares).

(iv) A statement showing all sales, transfers, disposal, cancellation and/or use of treasury shares as at the end of the current financial period reported on.

Not applicable.

2. Whether the figures have been audited or reviewed and in accordance with which auditing standard or practice.

The figures have not been reviewed or audited by the auditors.

3. Where the figures have been audited or reviewed, the auditors' report (including any qualifications or emphasis of a matter).

Not applicable.

4. Whether the same accounting policies and methods of computation as in the issuer's most recently audited annual financial statements have been applied.

The Group has applied the same accounting policies and methods of computation in the financial statements for the current financial period as those applied in the Group's most recently audited financial statements for the year ended 31 December 2013.

# 5. If there are any changes in the accounting policies and methods of computation, including any required by an accounting standard, what has changed, as well as the reasons for, and the effect of, the change.

Not applicable.

6. Earnings per ordinary share of the Group for the current financial period reported on and the corresponding period of the immediately preceding financial year, after deducting any provision for preference dividends.

	3 month	ns ended	6 months ended	
	30/6/2014	30/6/2013	30/6/2014	30/6/2013
a) EPS based on weighted average number of shares (RMB cents/ share)	(1.43)	(2.91)	(1.93)	(4.69)
b) EPS based on fully diluted basis (RMB cents/ share)	(1.43)	(2.91)	(1.93)	(4.69)
Weighted average number of shares applicable to earnings per share	3,637,941,547	2,636,189,529	3,637,941,547	2,598,441,503
Weighted average number of shares fully diluted basis	3,637,941,547	2,636,189,529	3,637,941,547	2,598,441,503

Basic earnings per share is calculated by dividing earnings for the period attributable to the equity holders of the Company by the weighted average number of ordinary shares issued during the financial period under review.

The dilutive earning per share is shown as the same amount as the basic earnings per share because the warrants are considered anti dilutive and ignored in the computation of diluted earnings per share.

7. Net asset value (for the Issuer and Group) per ordinary share based on issued share capital excluding treasury shares of the Issuer at the end of the:(a) current financial period reported on; and
(b) immediately preceding financial year.

	Gro	oup	Company		
	30/06/2014	31/12/2013	30/06/2014	31/12/2013	
Net asset value per ordinary share based on issued share capital as at end of the period (RMB cents/share)	(0.94)	1.58	8.8	10.2	

Net asset value for the Group and the Company as at 30 June 2014 and 31 December 2013 are computed based on 3,637,941,547 at the end of the financial period under review.

The negative net asset value was caused by the impairment on unutilised farms in prior year amounting to RMB55 million. This amount will be reversed when the farms resume operation. In addition, depreciation expense, which is non cash item, has reduced the Group net asset by RMB32.2 million in this quarter. Nevertheless, in regard of cash related items, it shows a positive EBITDA of RMB383,000 for the 6 months ended 30 June 2014.

- 8. A review of the performance of the Group, to the extent necessary for a reasonable understanding of the group's business. It must include a discussion of the following:-
- (a) any significant factors that affected the turnover, costs, and earnings of the Group for the current financial period reported on, including (where applicable) seasonal or cyclical factors.

#### **REVIEW OF RESULTS OF OPERATIONS**

The Group 2Q 2014 Adjusted EBITDA\* is a loss of RMB12.6 million.

In RMB'000	Q2/2014	Q1/2014	Q4/2013
Net loss	(52,071)	(17,138)	(217,857)
Add/(deduct)			
Income tax	-	48	(17,866)
Depreciation	16,160	16,034	20,481
Interest expense	26,378	10,972	23,339
EBITDA	(9,533)	9,916	(191,903)
Allowance for doubtful trade receivables	-	-	1,016
Foreign exchange (gain)/loss	(3,097)	(9,193)	19,348
Impairment loss on property plant and equipment	-	-	35,563
Write off of property plant and equipment	-	-	81,808
Impairment loss on prepaid lease	-	-	2,123
Inventory written down	-	-	1,175
Fair value loss on financial derivatives	-	-	36,723
Adjusted EBITDA	(12,630)	723	(14,147)

\*Adjusted EBITDA demonstrates the real operating loss excluding non-cash items e.g. depreciation, amortization, interest expense and unrealized foreign exchange gain or loss etc.

Sales of live marine products decreased by RMB6.2 million or 88% from RMB7 million in 2Q 2013 to RMB0.8 million in 2Q 2014. Abalone prices meanwhile remained weak reflect the continuing impact of frugality measures imposed by the China government, abalone like many other high end consumer products including liquor were affected by the frugality drive.

The Group reported an YTD loss of RMB69.2 million against loss of RMB121.9 million for the same period last year. The favorable variance of RMB52.7 million was mainly due to:

- (1) Gain or loss arising from changes in fair value of biological assets was decreased by RMB4.6 million as a result of decline in the fair value of unit prices in each category and decrease in abalone population from 55.6 million units in Q4 2013 to 27.8 million units in Q2 2014 as compared to the same period last year. The 53 million that are uncaged have not been valued.
- (2) Direct Production Costs refer to Feed, Electricity and Staff costs. Direct Production Cost for 6M 2014 of RMB23.9 million is RMB32.7 million or 136% lower than that in same period last year. The decrease was as a result of cost cutting measures implemented by the new management of the Group and decreasing of abalone population by 57%.
- (2) Foreign exchange gain was due to RMB strengthening against SGD as at 30 June 2014, i.e SGD1: RMB4.93 as compared to 31 December 2013 i.e SGD1:RMB4.82.
- (3) Increase in finance cost was mainly due to higher notional interest recognised as compared to same period last year.

An analysis of the results by key business segment is as follows:-

#### Live Marine Products

#### Biological Assets: standing population & valuation as at 30 June 2014

#### I. <u>Total Population (figures expressed in Thousands)</u>

Sizes:	То	Total		
	Unit	RMB'000		
Large Size (5.8-8.2cm)	311	867		
Medium Size (3.8-5.7cm)	14,611	11,234		
Smaller Size (2.0-3.7cm)	12,969	4,426		
Uncaged (Approximate)	53,020	-		
	80,911	16,527		

Uncaged - relates to year 2013 cohort with sizes below 2cm and they are valued at zero value.

II. <u>Caged Abalone Population (in '000 units)</u>	2Q 2014	2Q 2013	Favourable /(Adverse)
- Larger sizes (5.8cm and above)	311	3,605	(91%)
- Medium sizes (3.8-5.7cm)	14,611	20,089	(27%)
- Smaller sizes	12,969	41,322	(69%)
Total Abalones	27,891	65,016	(57%)
III. <u>Tanks Utilized</u>	0 700	40 740	(000)
No. of Juvenile tanks used	2,783	13,716	(80%)
No. of Grow-out tanks used	1,505	2,884	(48%)
	4,288	16,600	(74%)

2Q 2014 Caged population decreased by 57% as compared to Q2 2013. Large, medium and smaller sizes have decreased by 91%, 27% and 69% respectively. Oceanus is consolidating the business in current frugality period and to prepare for the next upturn.

The Uncaged population is kept in juvenile tanks and carried at zero value which will be caged in coming September and October this year when the weather is cooler and the environment more suited to segregate and move the abalones in order to minimize stress, hereby preventing unnecessary mortalities.

There is 80% decrease in juvenile tanks resulting in an overall 74% decrease in tanks used as a result of decreasing abalone populations. Oceanus is reducing the utilization of tanks by selling off all the laggards and slow growing abalone to optimize costs efficiency and prepare for upcoming breeding project.

Note: the population mix is one of the key production cost drivers.

#### Live Marine Products (cont'd)

	3 months 30/6/2014 RMB'000	ended 30/6/2013 RMB'000	Favourable /(Adverse) %	6 months 30/6/2014 RMB'000	ended 30/6/2013 RMB'000	Favourable /(Adverse) %
External sales	829	7,083	-88%	948	14,310	-93%
(Loss)/Gain on fair value Other operating income	(14,936) 134	(12,543) 4,090	19% -97%	(2,430) 289	2,230 5,042	NM -94%
Feed used	(4,375)	(10,682)	59%	(8,783)	(21,509)	59%
Electricity and fuel	(2,459)	(7,313)	66%	(5,931)	(14,611)	59%
Staff costs Depreciation	(2,903) (16,160)	(8,259) (19,487)	65% 17%	(5,836) (32,194)	(16,629) (39,039)	65% 18%
Foreign exchange	1,728	9,012	-81%	(2,345)	13,848	NM
Other operating expenses	(4,292)	(489)	>-100%	(6,249)	(4,091)	-53%
Net loss before tax	(43,263)	(45,671)		(63,479)	(74,759)	

Sales for Live marine products in 6M 2014 were RMB900K representing a 93% decrease from 6M 2013. 6M 2014 sales comprised mainly sale of laggards and slow growing abalone.

Direct Production Costs refer to Feed, Electricity and Staff costs. Direct Production Cost for 6M 2014 of RMB20.5 million is RMB32.2 million or 157% lower than that in same period last year. The decrease was a result of cost cutting measures implemented by the new management of the Group and decreasing abalone population by 57%.

Other operating expenses increase by 53% due to Company has improved its security controls over farms to safeguard the Company's assets.

#### **GROUP OPERATING ITEMS**

#### Other operating income

Other operating income comprising mainly gain on disposal of prepaid lease, property, plant and equipment, rental income and scrap sales. There was a gain on disposal of prepaid lease and property, plant and equipment under discontinued processed marine products segment amounting to RMB4.2 million and RMB19.9 million respectively.

### (b) any material factors that affected the cash flow, working capital, assets or liabilities of the Group during the current financial period reported on.

#### **REVIEW OF BALANCE SHEET**

Total assets of the Group decreased RMB40 million from RMB567.5 million at 31 December 2013 to RMB 527.5 million at 30 June 2014. This movement is attributable to the following:-

- 1. **Biological assets** decreased by RMB3.4 million from RMB19.9 million as at 31 December 2013 to RMB 16.5 million as at 30 June 2014. The decrease was due to sale of abalone (laggards & slow growing abalone) and mortality.
- Property, plant and equipment decreased by RMB32.1 million from RMB510.5 million as at 31 December 2013 to RMB478.4 million as at 30 June 2014. The decrease was due to depreciation charge for this quarter.

**Total current liabilities** increased by RMB13.9 million from RMB126.2 million as at 31 December 2013 to RMB140.1 million as at 30 June 2014 due to increase in amount due to trade supplier - feed of RMB6.2 million, additional loan from third parties of RMB2 million for working capital uses and increase of interest payable arising from outstanding convertible loan of RMB9.5 million as at 30 June 2014, the increase was offset against net repayment to other payables amounting to RMB3.8 million.

**Non-current liabilities** refer to the convertible loan, derivative and deferred tax liability. Increase of RMB37.8 million due to notional interest charge of RMB27.5 million and unrealized foreign currency loss of RMB10.3 million recognized in this quarter.

**Total equity** decrease by RMB91.7 million to - RMB34.2 million as of 30 June 2014 was due to 6M 2014 losses and decrease in translation reserve.

#### **REVIEW OF CASH FLOW STATEMENT**

The Group generated a negative cash flow of RMB3.3 million for the 6 months ended 30 June 2014. In this quarter, the Group has received additional RMB3 million from disposal of property, plant and equipment of processing plant and RMB2 million loan from third parties. These amounts were solely used for working capital purposes.

### 9. Where a forecast, or a prospect statement, has been previously disclosed to shareholders, any variance between it and the actual results.

Not applicable.

# 10. A commentary at the date of the announcement of the significant trends and competitive conditions of the industry in which the group operates and any known factors or events that may affect the Group in the next reporting period and the next 12 months

The consumer market for luxury items like abalones continued to be weak but stabilised at this level. This weak market will remain unchanged for the rest of this year. With the consolidation of the farming sector, the prices for juvenile abalones are expected to recover next year.

Management continues actively to cull the existing abalone population to stringently ensure only the best performing abalones are retained despite having a smaller population. This is important to improve our cost of production to maximise cost efficiency for future profitability. This strategy will be our guiding principle for strict adherence. Management is preparing for the coming breeding season in October to produce substantial number of juveniles for sale next year to boost cash flow and population numbers, aided by very selective purchases of good quality abalones for further grow out to repopulate certain size categories of the population. Cost control and cash flow management will be top priority.

Financially, the Group continues to review and reduce costs. Losses have narrowed markedly and the Group is marginally EBITA positive for the six months ended 30 June 2014.

The Group will continue to work with tertiary and research institutions to bring technology to farming to improve cost and production efficiency. The Group is also discussing with technology partners in the aquaculture field on possible joint ventures to diversify the Group into other high value seafood. At the same time, it is exploring possible future mergers and acquisitions to value add to the Group.

Lastly, the Group has recently announced a binding term sheet to raise S\$30 million to finance ongoing operations which the existing warrant holders have also agreed to. Most notable is the mandatory conversion of the warrants to shares at certain share price targets in the term sheet. This move will eventually eliminate the debt burden on the Group. The legal documentation for submission to SGX and EGM for approval is in progress.

#### 11. Dividend

#### (a) Current Financial Period Reported On

Any dividend declared for the current financial period reported on?

No

#### (b) Corresponding Period of the Immediately Preceding Financial Year

Any dividend declared for the corresponding period of the immediately preceding financial year?

No

#### (c) Date payable

Not applicable

#### (d) Books closure date

Not applicable

#### 12. If no dividend has been declared/recommended, a statement to that effect.

Not applicable

# 13. If the Group has obtained a general mandate from shareholders for IPTs, the aggregate value of such transactions as required under Rule 920 (1)(a)(ii). If no IPT mandate has been obtained, a statement to that effect.

There is no general mandate obtained from shareholders for the interested person's transactions.

#### 14. Use of Net Proceed from the Rights Issue

The Group has fully utilized the net proceeds of S\$28,253,000 raised from Rights Issue as of 30 June 2014 as follows:

Payment of Company's subsidiaries expenses:	Amount S\$'000
- Repayment of trade payables	2,664
- Repayment of loan and borrowings	1,818
- Abalone breeding project expenditure	506
- Production and other operating expenses	4,672
Repayment of bank loans	557
Reconstruction of production facilities	1,640
Repayment of loan and advances taken for the working capital of the Company's	
subidiaries	11,085
Payment of the Company's professional & legal fee	2,723
Payment of the Company's other operating expenses	2,588
	28,253
Balance unutilised	
Total net proceeds	28,253

### 13. Negative assurance confirmation on the interim financial results pursuant to Rule 705(5) of the listing manual.

The Board hereby confirms to the best of our knowledge, nothing has come to the attention of the Board of Directors of the Company which may render the unaudited interim financial results for the 6 months ended 30 June 2014 to be false or misleading in any material respect.

#### BY ORDER OF THE BOARD

Ng Cher Yew Executive Chairman 8 August 2014