

(Company Registration No.201400185H)

Unaudited Financial Statement and Dividend Announcement For the Second Quarter Ended 30 June 2017

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

1(a)(i) An income statement and statement of comprehensive income, or a statement of comprehensive income (for the group) together with a comparative statement for the corresponding period of the immediately preceding financial year.

	3	Group Months Ended		6	Group Months Ended	
	30 June 2017 (Unaudited)	30 June 2016 (Unaudited)	Change	30 June 2017 (Unaudited)	30 June 2016 (Unaudited)	Change
	S\$'000	S\$'000	%	S\$'000	S\$'000	%
Revenue	9,249	8,235	12%	17,710	15,065	18%
Cost of sales	(4,877)	(4,322)	13%	(9,395)	(7,723)	22%
Gross profit	4,372	3,913	12%	8,315	7,342	13%
Other item of income						
Other income	105	95	11%	203	203	0%
Other items of expense Selling and distribution						
expenses	(7)	(15)	-53%	(27)	(32)	-16%
Administrative expenses	(1,918)	(1,637)	17%	(3,582)	(3,101)	16%
Other expenses	(99)	(133)	-26%	(315)	(266)	18%
Interest expense	(1)	(1)	0%	(2)	(2)	0%
Profit before income tax	2,452	2,222	10%	4,592	4,144	11%
Income tax expense	(502)	(483)	4%	(978)	(814)	20%
Profit for the financial period	1,950	1,739	12%	3,614	3,330	9%

	Group 3 Months Ended			6	Group 6 Months Ended			
	30 June 2017 (Unaudited) S\$'000	30 June 2016 (Unaudited) \$\$'000	Change %	30 June 2017 (Unaudited) S\$'000	30 June 2016 (Unaudited) \$\$'000	Change		
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Other comprehensive income Items that may be reclassified subsequently to profit or loss:								
Foreign currency translation differences -								
foreign operations	334	(580)	NM	(98)	343	NM		
Other comprehensive								
income for the financial period, net of tax	334	(580)	NM	(98)	343	NM		
Total comprehensive		, ,				_		
income for the financial period	2,284	1,159	97%	3,516	3,673	-4%		
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Profit attributable to:								
Owners of the parent	1,961	1,720	14%	3,621	3,296	10%		
Non-controlling interests	(11)	19	NM	(7)	34	NM		
Profit for the financial period	1,950	1,739	12%	3,614	3,330	9%_		
Total comprehensive income attributable to:								
Owners of the parent	2,291	1,139	101%	3,520	3,642	-3%		
Non-controlling interests	(7)	20	NM	(4)	31	NM		
Total comprehensive income for the financial								
period	2,284	1,159	97%	3,516	3,673	-4%		

NM – Not meaningful

1(a)(ii) Notes to Consolidated Statement of Comprehensive Income

Profit before income tax is arrived after charging/(crediting) the following:

	3	Group Months Ended		6	Group Months Ended	
	30 June 2017 (Unaudited) S\$'000	30 June 2016 (Unaudited) S\$'000	Change %	30 June 2017 (Unaudited) S\$'000	30 June 2016 (Unaudited) S\$'000	Change
Depreciation of plant and equipment - cost of sales	151	130	16%	287	255	13%
Depreciation of plant and equipment – administrative expenses	93	83	12%	177	165	7%
Amortisation of intangible assets – other expenses	141	133	6%	281	266	6%
Amortisation of intangible assets – administrative expenses	17	13	31%	34	23	48%
Interest income	(87)	(88)	-1%	(172)	(167)	3%
(Gain)/ Loss on exchange differences - net	(45)	*	NM	31	(5)	NM
(Gain)/ Loss on disposal of plant and equipment	(2)	*	NM	(2)	*	NM

^{* -} Amount less than \$\$1,000

NM – Not meaningful

1(b)(i) A statement of financial position (for the issuer and group), together with a comparative statement as at the end of the immediately preceding financial year

	Group			Company		
	30 June 2017	31 December 2016	30 June 2017	31 December 2016		
	(Unaudited) S\$'000	(Audited) S\$'000	(Unaudited) S\$'000	(Audited) S\$'000		
ASSETS		37 000	37 000	37 000		
Non-current assets						
Plant and equipment	3,858	3,967	104	118		
Investment in subsidiaries	-	-	48,386	48,386		
Intangible assets	38,742	39,111	4	į		
Deferred tax assets	30	30				
	42,630	43,108	48,494	48,509		
Current assets						
Inventories	1,289	1,218	-			
Trade and other receivables	2,430	2,171	5,391	4,718		
Current tax assets	92	103	-			
Prepayments	129	176	7	14		
Cash and cash equivalents	22,117	20,376	9,231	8,266		
	26,057	24,044	14,629	12,998		
TOTAL ASSETS	68,687	67,152	63,123	61,507		
EQUITY AND LIABILITIES						
Equity						
Share capital	59,673	59,673	59,673	59,673		
Reserves	(5,408)	(5,307)	-			
Retained earnings	9,476	6,424	3,240	1,50		
Equity attributable to						
owners of parent	63,741	60,790	62,913	61,174		
Non-controlling interests	250	(31)		C1 17/		
TOTAL EQUITY	63,991	60,759	62,913	61,174		
LIABILITIES						
Non-current liabilities						
Deferred tax liabilities	713	761	-			
Provisions	201	198	19	19		
	914	959	19	19		
Current liabilities						
Trade and other payables	3,102	4,919	190	313		
Current income tax payable	680	515	1	1		
	3,782	5,434	191	314		
TOTAL LIABILITIES	4,696	6,393	210	333		
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LIABILITIES	68,687	67,152	63,123	61,507		

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1(b)(ii) Aggregate amount of group's borrowings and debt securities

Amount repayable in one year or less, or on demand

None.

Amount repayable after one year

None.

Details of any collateral

Not applicable.

1(c) A statement of cash flows (for the group), together with a comparative statement for the corresponding period of the immediately preceding financial year.

Consolidated Statement of Cash Flows

	Grou 3 Months	•	Gro 6 Month	•
	30 June 2017 (Unaudited) S\$'000	30 June 2016 (Unaudited) S\$'000	30 June 2017 (Unaudited) S\$'000	30 June 2016 (Unaudited) S\$'000
Cash flows from operating activities				
Profit before income tax	2,452	2,222	4,592	4,144
Adjustments for:				
Depreciation of plant and equipment	244	213	464	420
Amortisation of intangible assets	158	146	315	289
Write-back of provisions/accruals	-	(2)	-	(2)
Plant and equipment written-off	-	-	*	-
(Gain)/ loss on disposal of plant and equipment	(2)	*	(2)	*
Interest income	(87)	(88)	(172)	(167)
Interest expense	1	1	2	2
Operating cash flows before working capital changes	2,766	2,492	5,199	4,686
Working capital changes:				
- Inventories	(53)	36	(72)	(121)
- Trade and other receivables	(267)	(274)	(276)	(27)
- Prepayments	56	(28)	48	25
- Trade and other payables	99	(219)	(976)	(1,073)
Cash generated from operations	2,601	2,007	3,923	3,490
Income tax paid	(485)	(346)	(850)	(675)
Net cash from operating activities	2,116	1,661	3,073	2,815

^{* -} Amount less than S\$1,000

	Grow 3 Months	•	Group 6 Months Ended		
	30 June 2017 (Unaudited) S\$'000	30 June 2016 (Unaudited) S\$'000	30 June 2017 (Unaudited) S\$'000	30 June 2016 (Unaudited) S\$'000	
Investing activities					
Purchase of plant and equipment	(240)	(204)	(295)	(239)	
Purchase of intangible assets	(2)	(10)	(10)	(19)	
Proceeds from disposal of plant and equipment	14	2	14	2	
Interest received	82	100	189	189	
Net cash used in investing activities	(146)	(112)	(102)	(67)	
Financing activities					
Dividends paid to shareholders	(569)	(1,076)	(569)	(1,076)	
Dividends paid to vendors ⁽¹⁾	(659)	-	(932)	-	
Subscription of shares in subsidiaries by non-controlling interests	-	-	285	-	
Net cash used in financing activities	(1,228)	(1,076)	(1,216)	(1,076)	
Net increase in cash and cash equivalents Cash and cash equivalents at beginning of	742	473	1,755	1,672	
financial period	21,281	26,340	20,376	24,924	
Effects of exchange rate changes on cash and cash equivalents	94	(161)	(14)	56	
Cash and cash equivalents at end of financial period	22,117	26,652	22,117	26,652	

⁽¹⁾ Vendors refer to the previous shareholders of JLM Companies prior to 1 December 2016.

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

Statements of Changes in Equity

	Attributable to owners of the company						
	Share capital	Merger reserve	Foreign currency translation reserve	Retained earnings	Equity attributable to owners of the company	Non- controlling interests	Total Equity
	S\$'000	S\$'000	S\$'000	S\$'000	S\$'000	S\$'000	S\$'000
Group (Unaudited)							
At 1 January 2017	59,673	(3,572)	(1,735)	6,424	60,790	(31)	60,759
Profit for the financial period	-	-	-	1,660	1,660	4	1,664
Other comprehensive income Foreign currency translation differences – foreign operations	-	-	(431)	_	(431)	(1)	(432)
Total comprehensive income for the financial period	-	-	(431)	1,660	1,229	3	1,232
Transaction with non-controlling interests							
Subscription of shares in subsidiaries by non-controlling interests	-	-	-	-	-	285	285
Total transaction with non- controlling interests	-	-	-	-	-	285	285
At 31 March 2017	59,673	(3,572)	(2,166)	8,084	62,019	257	62,276
At 1 April 2017	59,673	(3,572)	(2,166)	8,084	62,019	257	62,276
Profit for the financial period	-	-	-	1,961	1,961	(11)	1,950
Other comprehensive income Foreign currency translation differences – foreign operations			330		330	4	334
Total comprehensive income for the financial period	-	<u> </u>	330	1,961	2,291	(7)	2,284
Transaction with owners of the Company							
Dividends	-	-	-	(569)	(569)	-	(569)
Total transaction with owners of the Company	-	-	-	(569)	(569)	-	(569)
At 30 June 2017	59,673	(3,572)	(1,836)	9,476	63,741	250	63,991

Statements of Changes in Equity

	Attributable to owners of the company						
	Share capital	Merger reserve	Foreign currency translation reserve	Retained earnings	Equity attributable to owners of the company	Non- controlling interests	Total Equity
	S\$'000	S\$'000	S\$'000	S\$'000	S\$'000	S\$'000	S\$'000
Group (Unaudited)							
At 1 January 2016	51,462	(3,572)	(1,253)	5,362	51,999	(74)	51,925
Profit for the financial period	-	-	-	1,576	1,576	15	1,591
Other comprehensive income Foreign currency translation			027		027	(2)	022
differences – foreign operations Total comprehensive income for	-	-	927	-	927	(4)	923
the financial period	-	-	927	1,576	2,503	11	2,514
At 31 March 2016	51,462	(3,572)	(326)	6,938	54,502	(63)	54,439
At 1 April 2016	51,462	(3,572)	(326)	6,938	54,502	(63)	54,439
Profit for the financial period	-	-	-	1,720	1,720	19	1,739
Other comprehensive income Foreign currency translation							
differences – foreign operations	-	-	(581)	-	(581)	1	(580)
Total comprehensive income for the financial period	-	-	(581)	1,720	1,139	20	1,159
Transaction with owners of the Company							
Dividends	-	-	-	(1,076)	(1,076)	-	(1,076)
Total transaction with owners of the Company	-	-	-	(1,076)	(1,076)	-	(1,076)
At 30 June 2016	51,462	(3,572)	(907)	7,582	54,565	(43)	54,522

Statements of Changes in Equity

	Share capital S\$'000	Retained earnings S\$'000	Total Equity S\$'000
Company (Unaudited)			
At 1 January 2017	59,673	1,501	61,174
Loss for the financial period, representing total comprehensive income for the financial period	-	(112)	(112)
At 31 March 2017	59,673	1,389	61,062
At 1 April 2017	59,673	1,389	61,062
Profit for the financial period, representing total comprehensive income for the financial period	-	2,420	2,420
Transaction with owners of the Company			
Dividends Total transaction with owners of the Company	-	(569)	(569)
Total transaction with owners of the company	-	(569)	(569)
At 30 June 2017	59,673	3,240	62,913
	Share capital S\$'000	Retained earnings S\$'000	Total Equity S\$'000
Company (Unaudited)		=	· ·
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(Unaudited)	S\$'000	S\$'000	S\$'000
(Unaudited) At 1 January 2016 Loss for the financial period, representing total	S\$'000	\$\$'000 1,406	\$\$'000 52,868
(Unaudited) At 1 January 2016 Loss for the financial period, representing total comprehensive income for the financial period	\$\$'000 51,462	1,406 (145)	\$\$'000 52,868 (145)
(Unaudited) At 1 January 2016 Loss for the financial period, representing total comprehensive income for the financial period At 31 March 2016	\$\$'000 51,462 - 51,462	\$\$'000 1,406 (145) 1,261	\$\$'000 52,868 (145) 52,723
(Unaudited) At 1 January 2016 Loss for the financial period, representing total comprehensive income for the financial period At 31 March 2016 At 1 April 2016 Profit for the financial period, representing total	\$\$'000 51,462 - 51,462	1,406 (145) 1,261	\$\$'000 52,868 (145) 52,723
(Unaudited) At 1 January 2016 Loss for the financial period, representing total comprehensive income for the financial period At 31 March 2016 At 1 April 2016 Profit for the financial period, representing total comprehensive income for the financial period	\$\$'000 51,462 - 51,462	1,406 (145) 1,261	\$\$'000 52,868 (145) 52,723
(Unaudited) At 1 January 2016 Loss for the financial period, representing total comprehensive income for the financial period At 31 March 2016 At 1 April 2016 Profit for the financial period, representing total comprehensive income for the financial period Transaction with owners of the Company	\$\$'000 51,462 - 51,462	1,406 (145) 1,261 1,065	\$\$'000 52,868 (145) 52,723 52,723 1,065

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 the number of shares that may be issued on conversion of all the outstanding convertibles, if any, against the total number of issued shares excluding treasury shares and subsidiary holdings 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. State also the number of shares held as treasury shares and the number of subsidiary holdings, if any, and the percentage of the aggregate number of treasury shares and subsidiary holdings held against the total number of shares outstanding in a class that is listed 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.

Share Capital – Ordinary Shares

	Number of ordinary shares	Issued and paid-up share capital	
		S\$	
At 31 March 2017 and 30 June 2017	517,095,669	59,672,457	

The Company did not have any outstanding options or convertibles as at 30 June 2017 and 30 June 2016. There have been no options and share awards granted pursuant to the Company's employee share options scheme and performance share plan.

There were also no treasury shares or subsidiary holdings as at 30 June 2017 and 30 June 2016.

1(d)(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

2017 31 December	2010
95,669 517,095,	669
	31 December 95,669 517,095,

There were no treasury shares as at 30 June 2017 and 31 December 2016.

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

Not applicable. There were no treasury shares during and as at the end of the current financial period reported on.

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1(d)(v) A statement showing all sales, transfers, cancellation and/or use of subsidiary holdings as at the end of the current financial period reported on.

Not applicable. There were no subsidiary holdings during and as at the end of the current financial period reported on.

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

The figures have not been audited or reviewed by the Company's 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

Except as disclosed in paragraph 5 below, the accounting policies and methods of computation adopted in the financial statements for the current financial reporting period are consistent with those disclosed in the audited financial statements for the financial year ended 31 December 2016.

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

The Group has adopted all the applicable new and revised Financial Reporting Standards ("FRS") and Interpretations of Financial Reporting Standards ("INT FRS") that are mandatory for the accounting periods beginning on or after 1 January 2017. The adoption of these new and revised FRS and INT FRS did not result in any substantial change to the Group's and the Company's accounting policies and has no significant impact on the financial statements for the current financial reporting period.

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

	Gro	oup	Group		
	3 month	s ended	6 months ended		
	30 June 2017	30 June 2016	30 June 2017	30 June 2016	
Earnings per share ("EPS")	(Unaudited)	(Unaudited)	(Unaudited)	(Unaudited)	
Profit attributable to owners of					
the parent (S\$'000)	1,961	1,720	3,621	3,296	
Weighted average number of ordinary shares in issue	517,095,669	489,211,919	517,095,669	489,211,919	
Basic and fully diluted basis (Singapore cents) (1)	0.38	0.35	0.70	0.67	

- (1) There were no potentially dilutive ordinary shares in existence during the respective financial periods.
- 7. Net asset value (for the issuer and group) per ordinary share based on the total number of issued shares excluding treasury shares of the issuer at the end of the
 - (a) Current financial period reported on; and
 - (b) Immediately preceding financial year

	Group		Company	
	30 June 2017	31 December 2016	30 June 2017	31 December 2016
	(Unaudited)	(Audited)	(Unaudited)	(Audited)
Net asset value attributable to owners of the parent (\$\$'000)	63,741	60,790	62,913	61,174
Number of ordinary shares in issue	517,095,669	517,095,669	517,095,669	517,095,669
Net asset value per ordinary share (S\$)	0.12	0.12	0.12	0.12

- 8. A review of the performance of the group, to the extent necessary for a reasonable understanding of the group's business. The review must discuss:-
 - (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; and
 - (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 comparative performance of the Group for the 3 months ended 30 June 2017 ("2Q2017") and 30 June 2016 ("2Q2016").

Consolidated Statement of Comprehensive Income

Revenue

The Group recorded revenue of \$\$9.25 million in 2Q2017, an increase of 12%. The increase in revenue was mainly attributable to revenue of \$\$1.02 million generated from JL Medical (Bukit Batok) Pte. Ltd., JL Medical (Sembawang) Pte. Ltd., JL Medical (Woodlands) Pte. Ltd. and JL Medical (Yew Tee) Pte. Ltd (collectively, the "JLM Companies"), which were acquired on 1 December 2016.

Cost of sales

Cost of sales increased by 13%, or \$\$0.56 million, to \$\$4.88 million in 2Q2017 in tandem with the increase in revenue.

Gross profit and gross profit margin

Gross profit increased by 12% to \$\$4.37 million in 2Q2017, which is generally consistent with the increase in revenue and the corresponding cost of sales between 2Q2016 and 2Q2017. Gross profit margins for both periods are generally consistent too, from 47.5% in 2Q2016 to 47.3% in 2Q2017.

Administrative expenses

Administrative expenses increased by 17%, or \$\$0.28 million, in 2Q2017 mainly due to staff costs, rental of clinic premises, depreciation charges on renovation and office equipment, and other operating expenses of the JLM Companies which were absent in 2Q2016.

Depreciation expenses

Depreciation expenses increased by 14% from \$\$0.21 million in 2Q2016 to \$\$0.24 million in 2Q2017 mainly due to the inclusion of depreciation charge incurred by JLM Companies of \$\$0.02 million, as well as additional depreciation charge incurred from fixed asset additions by the Group's Malaysian operations.

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Income tax expense

The effective tax rates of the Group in 2Q2016 and 2Q2017 were 22% and 21% respectively. The statutory corporate tax rates are 17% in Singapore and 24% in Malaysia. The effective tax rate of the Group in 2Q2017 was lower due to lower effective tax rate enjoyed by JLM Companies, arising mainly from partial tax exemptions.

Profit after tax

Net profit of the Group in 2Q2017 was \$\\$1.95 million, an increase of \$\\$0.21 million compared to \$\\$1.74 million in 2Q2016, mainly due to the above mentioned factors.

Consolidated Statement of Financial Position

Non-current assets

Non-current assets (comprising plant and equipment, intangible assets and deferred tax assets) were \$\$42.63 million as at 30 June 2017, a decrease of \$\$0.48 million.

The decrease of S\$0.37 million in intangible assets was mainly due to amortisation expense of S\$0.28 million on contractual relationships arising from the acquisition of ISEC Eye Pte. Ltd. and customer relationships arising from the acquisition of JLM Companies, and a reduction of S\$0.06 million in the Singapore Dollar-translated carrying value of the goodwill which arose from the acquisition of Southern Specialist Eye Centre Sdn. Bhd. ("SSEC").

Plant and equipment decreased by \$\$0.11 million to \$\$3.86 million as at 30 June 2017, mainly due to depreciation expenses of \$\$0.46 million and disposal of plant and equipment amounting to \$\$0.01 million, offset by additional medical equipment purchased amounting to \$\$0.39 million as at 30 June 2017.

Current assets

Current assets increased by S\$2.01 million mainly as a result of increased revenue which is consistent with the increased patient visits over the 6 months period ended 30 June 2017.

Current liabilities

Current liabilities decreased by \$\$1.65 million to \$\$3.78 million as at 30 June 2017, mainly due to dividends of \$\$0.93 million paid to the vendors of JLM Companies (which were declared before the completion of the acquisition by the Company) and payments of previously accrued bonuses to the Group's doctors and staff of \$\$0.90 million, offset by increased trade payables of \$\$0.16 million mainly from increased procurement of inventories in anticipation of increases in operations.

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Consolidated Statement of Cash Flows

As at 30 June 2017, the Group had cash and cash equivalents of \$\$22.12 million, as compared to \$\$26.65 million of cash and cash equivalents as at 30 June 2016.

Cash flows from operating activities

In 2Q2017, net cash flows from operating activities was recorded at \$\$2.12 million. This comprised operating cash flows before working capital changes of \$\$2.77 million, less income tax paid of \$\$0.46 million and changes in working capital outflow of \$\$0.17 million, arose mainly from increased trade and other receivables, in line with increased sales revenue during the period.

Cash flows used in investing activities

Net cash used in investing activities in 2Q2017 amounted to \$\\$0.15 million mainly due to purchase of fixed assets by Malaysia operations. The outflow was offset by interest income received of \$\\$0.08 million.

Cash flows used in financing activities

Net cash used in financing activities of \$\\$1.23 million pertained to dividends paid of \$\\$0.57 million and \$\\$0.66 million to shareholders of the Company and vendors of JLM Companies respectively during the period.

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

No forecast or prospect statement has been previously disclosed to shareholders.

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.

A significant portion of the Group's revenue is contributed by our Malaysian operations. The movement in medical tourism in Malaysia is expected to be closely correlated to the weakening of the Malaysian Ringgit that would result in stronger purchasing power of foreign currencies, and vice versa. However, as the presentation currency of the Group is in Singapore Dollar, the revenue from Malaysia operations translated to Singapore Dollar will be impacted by foreign exchange movements.

The Group expects the general operating environment of the healthcare industry to remain challenging for the next 12 months due to overall dampening of the economic climate in Singapore and the region.

Nevertheless, the Group will continue to remain focus to grow its talent pool and stay at the forefront of the ophthalmology services industry by driving innovation and adopting cutting-edge procedures and technology to offer its patients the best possible treatment.

11. Dividend

(a) Current Financial Period Reported On: Any dividend declared for the current financial period reported on?

Yes.

Name of dividend	First Interim Dividend
Dividend type	Cash
Dividend rate	0.5 Singapore cents (\$\$0.005) per ordinary share
Tax rate	Tax exempt (one-tier)

(b) Corresponding Period of the Immediately Preceding Financial Year: Any dividend declared for the corresponding period of the immediately preceding financial year?

Yes.

Name of dividend	First Interim Dividend
Dividend type	Cash
Dividend rate	0.22 Singapore cents (\$\$0.0022) per ordinary
	share
Tax rate	Tax exempt (one-tier)

(c) Date payable:

The date payable for the proposed interim dividend will be announced at a later date.

(d) Books closure date:

The books closure date will be announced at a later date.

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 interested person transactions ("IPT"), 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.

The Company did not obtain a general mandate from shareholders for IPTs.

There was no IPT of S\$100,000 and above for 2Q2017.

14. Confirmation that the issuer has procured undertakings from all its directors and executive officers (in the format set out in Appendix 7H) under Rule 720(1)

The Company confirms that undertakings have been procured from the Board of Directors and executive officers (in the format set out in Appendix 7H) under Rule 720(1).

15. Use of IPO proceeds

As at the date of this announcement, the status on the use of the IPO net proceeds is as follows:

		<u>Amount</u>		
		<u>allocated</u>		
		pursuant to		
		<u>reallocation</u>		
		of unutilised		
	<u>Amount</u>	<u>listing</u>	<u>Amount</u>	
	<u>allocated</u>	<u>expenses</u>	<u>utilised</u>	Balance
	<u>\$\$'000</u>	<u>\$\$'000</u>	<u>\$\$'000</u>	<u>\$\$'000</u>
Business expansion in the Asia Pacific				
region (including Malaysia and Singapore)	13,800	300	$(12,565)^{(1)}$	1,535
General working capital	2,500	-	(2,500)(2)	-
Total	16,300	300	(15,065)	1,535

(1) Utilised for the acquisition of SSEC and JLM Companies:

	Acquisition of		
	Acquisition of SSEC (S\$'000)	the JLM Companies (S\$'000)	Total (S\$'000)
Cash consideration	5,204	6,971	12,175
Administrative expenses	122	268	390
Total	5,326	7,239	12,565

(2) Utilised for general working capital:

	S\$'000
Cost of sales	1,028
Administrative expenses	1,378
Selling and distribution expenses	94
	2,500

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16. Negative Confirmation by the Board Pursuant to Rule 705(5)

The Board of Directors of the Company confirms, to the best of their knowledge, nothing has come to their attention which may render the unaudited financial results for the 3-month and 6-month financial period ended 30 June 2017 to be false or misleading in any material aspect.

BY ORDER OF THE BOARD

Dr Wong Jun Shyan Executive Director and Chief Executive Officer 8 August 2017

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