NOEL GIFTS INTERNATIONAL LTD
Company Registration No.: $198303940 Z$
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Unaudited Half Year Financial Statement And Dividend Announcement for the Period Ended 31/12/2016

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

(a) A statement of comprehensive income statement (for the group) together with a comparative statement for the corresponding period of the immediately preceding financial year.
(a)(i)

|  | $\begin{gathered} \text { Group } \\ \text { \$'000 } \\ \text { 31-Dec-16 } \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} \text { Group } \\ \text { \$'000 } \\ \text { 31-Dec-15 } \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{array}{r} +(-) \\ \% \end{array}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Revenue | 9,207 | 19,284 | -52.3\% |
| Cost of sales | $(4,375)$ | $(11,034)$ | -60.3\% |
| Gross profit | 4,832 | 8,250 | -41.4\% |
| Other operating income | 176 | 179 | -1.7\% |
| Distribution costs | $(1,734)$ | $(1,923)$ | -9.8\% |
| Administrative expenses | $(3,299)$ | $(3,546)$ | -7.0\% |
| Other operating expenses | (217) | (260) | -16.5\% |
| Finance costs | - | (1) | -100.0\% |
| (Loss) Profit before income tax | (242) | 2,699 | -109.0\% |
| Income tax expense | - | (367) | -100.0\% |
| (Loss) Profit for the period | (242) | 2,332 | -110.4\% |

Other comprehensive loss:
Items that may be reclassified subsequently to profit or loss
Exchange differences arising on translation of
foreign subsidiaries
Fair value loss on available-for-sale investments:
Loss arising during the period

| 15 | 31 | $42.9 \%$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |
| $(29)$ | $(55)$ | $47.3 \%$ |
| 19 | - | $\mathrm{n} / \mathrm{m}$ |
| 5 | $(24)$ | $120.8 \%$ |
| $(237)$ | 2,308 | $-110.3 \%$ |

Note: $n / m$ - Not meaningful
(a)(ii) Notes to the

Other disclosure items included in the above statement
$\left.\left.\begin{array}{lrr} & \begin{array}{c}\text { GROUP } \\ \mathbf{\$ ' 0 0 0}\end{array} \\ \text { 31-Dec-16 }\end{array}\right) \begin{array}{c}\text { GROUP } \\ \text { \$'000 }\end{array}\right\}$

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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.

## ASSETS

| GROUP | GROUP | GROUP | COMPANY | COMPANY | COMPANY |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| \$'O00 | \$'000 | \$'000 | $\$$ '000 | $\${ }^{2} 000$ | $\$$ '000 |
| 31-Dec-16 | 31-Dec-15 | 30-Jun-16 | 31-Dec-16 | 31-Dec-15 | 30-Jun-16 |

Current Assets

| Current Assets | 9,092 | 9,050 | 14,893 | 7,852 | 8,369 | 12,834 |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| Cash and cash equivalents | 2,248 | 3,061 | 1,255 | 1,488 | 2,232 | 621 |
| Trade receivables |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Amount due from related companies, | - | - | - | 472 | 551 | 92 |
| associates and related parties | 650 | 636 | 301 | 425 | 480 | 229 |
| Other receivables and prepayments | 5,991 | 6,557 | 2,975 | 3,664 | 4,061 | 1,797 |
| Inventories | 4 | - | 4 | - | - | - |
| Assets classified as held for sale | 17,985 | 19,304 | 19,428 | 13,901 | 15,693 | 15,573 |
| Total Current Assets |  |  |  |  |  |  |


| Non - Current Assets |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Subsidiaries | - | - | - | 3,112 | 3,091 | 3,112 |
| Associates | 26 | 33 | 27 | - | - | - |
| Club membership | 145 | 160 | 145 | 145 | 160 | 145 |
| Available-for-sale investments | 1,331 | 1,181 | 1,392 | 1,331 | 1,181 | 1,392 |
| Plant and equipments | 1,747 | 1,935 | 1,850 | 1,182 | 1,330 | 1,308 |
| Investment properties | 14,347 | 15,825 | 14,347 | 14,347 | 15,825 | 14,347 |
| Total Non - Current Assets | 17,596 | 19,134 | 17,761 | 20,117 | 21,587 | 20,304 |
| Total Assets | 35,581 | 38,438 | 37,189 | 34,018 | 37,280 | 35,877 |

## LIABILITIES AND EQUITY

Current Liabilities

| Trade payables | 2,238 | 2,475 | 616 | 1,493 | 1,715 | 449 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Amount due to related companies, associates and related parties | 44 | 45 | 46 | 1,001 | 992 | 1,049 |
| Other payables | 1,570 | 1,402 | 2,862 | 1,142 | 864 | 2,166 |
| Finance lease | 25 | 5 | - | - | 5 | - |
| Income tax payable | 205 | 422 | 375 | 203 | 408 | 372 |
| Total Current Liabilities | 4,082 | 4,349 | 3,899 | 3,839 | 3,984 | 4,036 |
| Non-Current Liability |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Other payables | 232 | 241 | 249 | 172 | 173 | 184 |
| Deferred tax liability | 152 | 182 | 152 | 125 | 138 | 125 |
| Total Non-Current Liabilities | 384 | 423 | 401 | 297 | 311 | 309 |
| Capital and Reserves |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Share capital | 10,251 | 10,251 | 10,251 | 10,251 | 10,251 | 10,251 |
| Currency translation deficit | (78) | (81) | (93) | - | - | - |
| Fair value adjustment (deficit) surplus | 14 | (9) | 24 | 14 | (9) | 24 |
| Accumulated profits | 20,928 | 23,505 | 22,707 | 19,617 | 22,743 | 21,257 |
| Total Equity | 31,115 | 33,666 | 32,889 | 29,882 | 32,985 | 31,532 |
| Total Liabilities and Equity | 35,581 | 38,438 | 37,189 | 34,018 | 37,280 | 35,877 |

1(b)(ii)
In relation to the aggregate amount of the group's borrowings and debt securities, specify the following as at the financial period reported on with comparative figures as at the end of the immediately preceding year.

Amount repayable in one year or less, or on demand.

| As at 31 Dec 2016 |  |
| :---: | :---: |
| Secured | Unsecured |
| S $\$^{\prime} 000$ | S $\$ 000$ |
|  | 25 |


| As at 31 Dec 2015 |  |
| :---: | :---: |
| Secured | Unsecured |
| $\mathrm{S} \$^{\prime} 000$ | $\mathrm{~S} \$^{\prime} 000$ |
|  | - |

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

|  | $\begin{gathered} \text { GROUP } \\ \text { \$'000 } \\ \text { 31-Dec-16 } \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} \text { GROUP } \\ \text { \$'000 } \\ \text { 31-Dec-15 } \end{gathered}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Operating activities: |  |  |
| (Loss) Profit before income tax | (242) | 2,699 |
| Adjustments for: |  |  |
| Depreciation of plant and equipment | 307 | 321 |
| Dividend income | (26) | (29) |
| Interest income | (59) | (47) |
| Loss on disposal of available-for-sale investment | 66 | - |
| Allowance for doubtful debts - trade receivables | - | 17 |
| Net foreign exchange losses | 17 | 25 |
| Gain on disposal of plant and equipment | (7) | - |
| Operating cash flows before movements in working capital | 56 | 2,986 |
| Trade receivables | (993) | $(1,683)$ |
| Other receivables and prepayments | (349) | 4 |
| Inventories | $(3,016)$ | $(1,041)$ |
| Amount due from associates and related parties - net | (2) | (4) |
| Trade payables | 1,622 | 1,163 |
| Other payables | $(1,279)$ | $(1,163)$ |
| Cash (used in) generated from operations | $(3,961)$ | 262 |
| Interest received | 59 | 47 |
| Income tax paid | (170) | (26) |
| Net cash (used in) from operating activities | $(4,072)$ | 283 |
| Investing activities |  |  |
| Purchase of available-for-sale investments | (199) | - |
| Dividend income | 26 | 29 |
| Proceeds on disposal of available-for-sale investments | 184 | - |
| Proceeds on disposal of plant and equipment | 13 | - |
| Purchase of plant and equipment | (211) | (194) |
| Net cash used in investing activities | (187) | (165) |
| Financing activities |  |  |
| Dividend paid | $(1,537)$ | $(3,074)$ |
| Repayment of the hire purchase faciltiy | (5) | (15) |
| Cash used in financing activities | $(1,542)$ | $(3,089)$ |
| Net decrease in cash and cash equivalents | $(5,801)$ | $(2,971)$ |
| Cash and cash equivalents at beginning of year | 14,893 | 12,021 |
| Cash and cash equivalents at end of period | 9,092 | 9,050 |

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

## Group

| Share <br> Capital | Currency <br> Translation <br> Deficit | Fair Value <br> Adjustment <br> (Deficit) Surplus | Accumulated <br> Profits | Total |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| $\$$ \$'000 | $\$$ '000 | \$'000 | $\$ ' 000$ | $\$$ \$'000 |  |
| 10,251 | $(93)$ | 24 | 22,707 | 32,889 |  |
|  | - | - | - | $(242)$ | $(242)$ |
| - | 15 | $(10)$ | - | 5 |  |
| - | 15 | $(10)$ | $(242)$ | $(237)$ |  |
| - | - | - | $(1,537)$ | $(1,537)$ |  |
| 10,251 | $(78)$ | 14 | 20,928 | 31,115 |  |

Previous Corresponding Period
Balance as at July 1, 2015

| 10,251 | $(112)$ | 46 | 24,247 | 34,432 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  |  |
| - | - | - | 2,332 | 2,332 |
| - | 31 | $(55)$ | - | $(24)$ |
| - | - | $(55)$ | 2,332 | 2,308 |
| - | $(81)$ | $(3,074)$ | $(3,074)$ |  |
| 10,251 | $(9)$ | 23,505 | 33,666 |  |

## Company

## Latest Period

Balance as at July 1, 2016
Total comprehensive income for the period
Profit for the year
Other comprehensive loss for the period
Total
Dividends, representing transaction with owners,
recognised directly in equity

| Share <br> Capital | Fair Value <br> Adjustment <br> (Deficit) Surplus | Accumulated <br> Profits | Total |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | ---: |
| $\$$ '000 | $\$$ '000 | $\$ ' 000$ | $\$$ \$000 |
| 10,251 | 24 | 21,257 | 31,532 |
| - | - | $(103)$ | $(103)$ |
| - | $(10)$ | - | $(10)$ |
| - | $(10)$ | $(103)$ | $(113)$ |
|  | - | $(1,537)$ | $(1,537)$ |
| 10,251 |  | 14 | 19,617 |

Previous Corresponding Period

## Balance as at July 1, 2015

| 10,251 | 46 | 22,970 | 33,267 |
| :---: | :--- | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  |
| - | - | 2,847 | 2,847 |
| - | $(55)$ | - | $(55)$ |
| - | $(55)$ | 2,847 | 2,792 |
| - | - | $(3,074)$ | $(3,074)$ |
| 10,251 | $(9)$ | 22,743 | 32,985 |

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 oustanding 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 immediate preceding financial year.

| Number of shares | Paid-up Capital |
| ---: | :---: |
|  | S\$ |
| $102,476,024$ | $10,251,458$ |

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 ordinary shares excluding treasury shares as at 31 December 2016 was 102,476,024.
(30 June 2016: 102,476,024)

A statement showing all sales, transfer, disposal, cancellation and/or use of treasury shares as at 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 audited and reviewed.

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

Not applicable.

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

Other than the adoption of the new and revised Financial Reporting Standards ("FRS") which come into effect for the financial year ending 30 June 2017, there were no changes in accounting policies and methods of computation adopted in the financial statements for the current reporting period as compared to the most recent audited statements for the financial year ended 30 June 2016.

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 adoption of new or revised standards effective in the current financial period is not expected to result in material adjustements to the financial position, financial performance, or cash flows of the Group for the financial year ending 30 June 2017.

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:-

|  | Group <br> $31-$ Dec-16 | Group <br> $30-J u n-16$ |
| :--- | ---: | ---: |
| Earning per ordinary share for the period : - |  |  |
| (i) Based on weighted average number of <br> ordinary shares in issued | -0.24 cents | 2.28 cents |
| (ii) On a fully diluted basis | -0.24 cents | 2.28 cents |

Note to item (6i) :
Earnings per share is calculated based on the weighted average number of $102,476,024$ ( 30 Jun 16: $102,476,024$ ) ordinary shares in ssue.

The basic and fully diluted earnings per ordinary share are the same as the Group did not have any potential dilutive ordinary share outstanding as at 31 December 2016.

Net asset value (for the issuer and group) per ordinary share based on issued share capital of the issuer at the end of the: -
(a) current period reported on; and
(b) immediately preceding financial year

|  | As at <br> 31-Dec-16 <br> Cents | As at <br> 30-Jun-16 <br> Cents |
| :--- | :---: | :---: |
| Group | 30.36 | 32.85 |
| Company | 29.16 | 32.19 |

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; 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.

## Statement of comprehensive income

The Group's revenue for the six months ended 31 December 2016 ("1H FY2017") was $\$ 9.2$ million, $52.3 \%$ lower than the $\$ 19.3$ million generated for the corresponding period in the last financial year ("1H FY2016"). Last 1H FY2016, the revenue was higher due to the sales contribution from SG50 Projects.

Following the lower revenue described above, the Group's gross profit decreased by $39.6 \%$ from $\$ 8.3$ million to $\$ 4.8$ million. Gross profit margin increased from $42.8 \%$ in 1 H FY2016 to $52.5 \%$ in 1 H FY2017; this was attributed to higher cost of sales attached to the SG50 Projects in 1H FY2016.

Items included in other operating income comprise mainly dividend income from investment, interest income and income from government agencies.

The Group's total operating expenses comprise distribution costs, administration expenses and other operating expenses. These operating expenses for 1 H FY2017 were $\$ 0.5$ million lower as compared to 1 H FY2016. This was mainly due to the inclusion of marketing expenditures incurred for the SG50 projects in 1H FY2016, recorded in distribution costs. The decrease in administrative expenses was mainly due to the cessation of operations of the subsidiary in Kuala Lumpur.

Overall, the Group recorded a loss of $\$ 0.2$ million in 1H FY2017, compared with a profit after tax of $\$ 2.3$ million in 1H FY2016.

## Statement of financial position and statement of cash flows

Cash and cash equivalents decreased as at 31 Dec 2016 compared to 30 June 2016 due to a high build up of inventories between the two dates to cater for Chinese New Year sales. Correspondingly, the Group's inventories and trade payables increased.

The cash flows used in financing activities during the six months ended 31 Dec 2016 resulted mainly from the dividend payout of $\$ 1.5$ million.

Cash flows used in investing activiities in the same period were mainly due to purchase of quoted investments of $\$ 0.2$ million and plant and equipment of $\$ 0.2$ million offsetted partially by the proceeds from disposal of available-for-sale investment of $\$ 0.2$ million. and the actual results.

Not applicable.

A commentary at the date of the announcement of the significant trends and competitive conditions of the industry 10 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 global economic outlook continues to remain volatile. Going forward the outlook for the market environment in flowers and gifts is expected to continue to be subdued. The Group expects the operating environment to remain difficult and challenging for the next 12 months. In view of this and the depressed property market, we expect a downward adjustment in the fair values of our investment properties in the next six months. This could result in a loss for the full-year.

11 Dividend
(a) Current Financial Period Reported On

Any dividend declared for the current financial period reported on?

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

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

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

The Company has not obtained an IPT mandate from shareholders. It does not have any interested person transaction (excluding transaction less than $\$ 100,000$ ) during the period under review.

The Company has procured undertakings from all its directors and executive officers (in the format set out in Appendix 7.7) under Rule 720(1) of the Listing Manual of the Singapore Exchange Securities Trading Limited

15 Negative assurance on interim financial statement.

The Board of Directors, hereby confirmed that, to the best of its knowledge, nothing has come to its attention which may render the unaudited half year financial results of the Group to be false or misleading in any material respect.

BY ORDER OF THE BOARD

Wong Phui Hong
Company Secretary
13 February 2017


[^0]:    Detail of any collateral

    - Not applicable

