## Singapore Press Holdings Limited

**FY2017 Financial Results** 

October 11, 2017

## **Group FY2017 financial highlights**

	FY2017 S\$'000	FY2016 S\$'000	Change %
Operating revenue	1,032,515	1,124,349	(8.2)
Operating profit#	205,448	305,169	(32.7)
Fair value change on investment properties	57,386	11,823	NM
Investment income	53,865	51,753	4.1
Gain on divestment of a joint venture	149,690	-	NM
Impairment of associates and a joint venture	(35,459)	-	NM
Profit after taxation	395,216	306,139	29.1
Net profit attributable to shareholders	350,085	265,293	32.0

<sup>#</sup> This represents the recurring earnings of the media, property and other businesses.



NM: Not meaningful

## **Group FY2017 financial highlights**

Operating Revenue	FY2017 S\$'000	FY2016 S\$'000	Change %
Media	725,427	834,221	(13.0)
Property	244,159	241,310	1.2
Others	62,929	48,818	28.9
	1,032,515	1,124,349	(8.2)

#### Media

- Advertisement revenue declined \$\$102.5m (16.9%)
- Circulation revenue decreased \$\$8.7m (5.1%)

#### **Property**

Higher rental income from the Group's retail assets

#### **Others**

Included revenue from Orange Valley Healthcare since acquisition on April 25, 2017



## **Group FY2017 financial highlights**

Profit/(Loss) before taxation	FY2017 \$\$'000	FY2016 S\$'000	Change %
Media	114,472	197,352	(42.0)
Property	162,971	149,586	8.9
Treasury and Investment	47,038	48,833	(3.7)
Others	(4,041)	(18,195)	(77.8)
	320,440	377,576	(15.1)
Gain on divestment of a joint venture	149,690	-	NM
Fair value change on investment properties	57,386	11,823	NM
Impairment charges	(96,024)	(28,358)	NM
	111,052	(16,535)	NM
	431,492	361,041	19.5

#### Media

Revenue declines partially mitigated by lower newsprint, depreciation and staff costs

#### **Property**

- Higher rental income and lower costs
- Contribution from Chinatown Point

#### **Treasury and Investment**

Fair value losses partially offset by higher gains on disposal of investments

#### **Others**

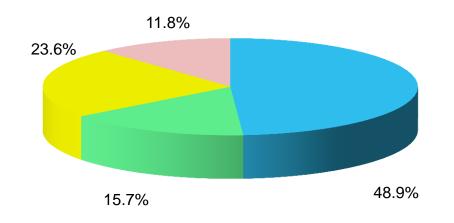
Reduced losses from the online classifieds business

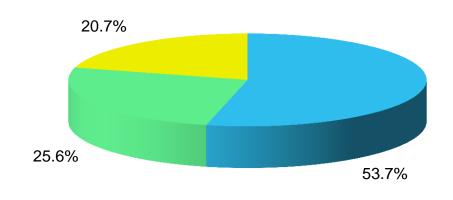


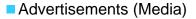
### **Group FY2017 highlights**

## Operating Revenue Composition (S\$1,032.5m)

# Media Advertisement Revenue Composition (S\$504m)







Circulation

Rental & Services

Other revenue

Classified\*

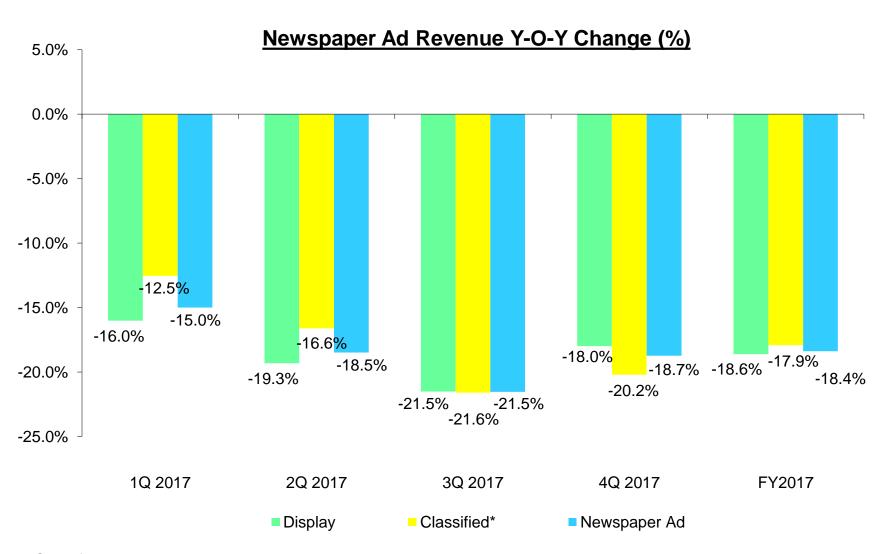
Magazines & Others



Display

<sup>\*</sup> Classified includes Recruitment and Notices

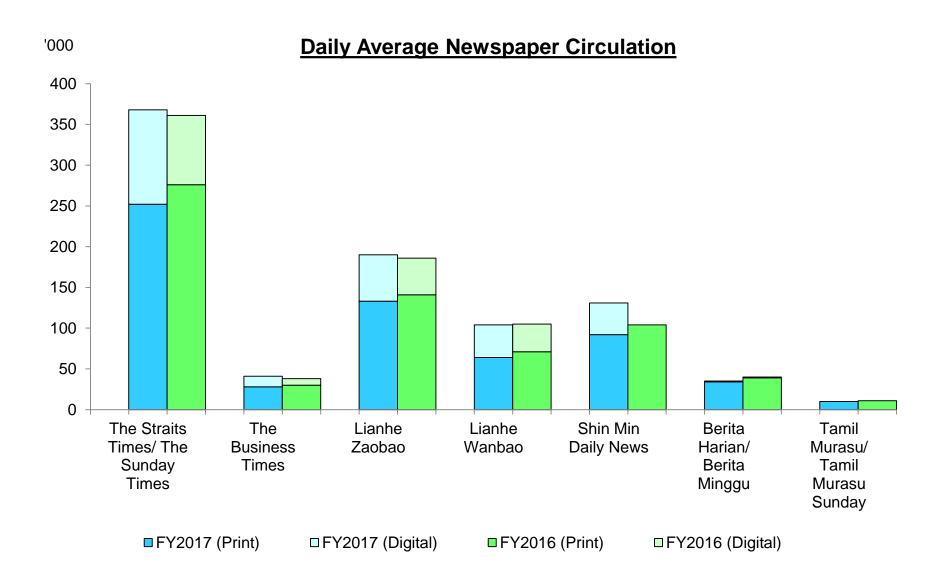
## Advertising market remained weak



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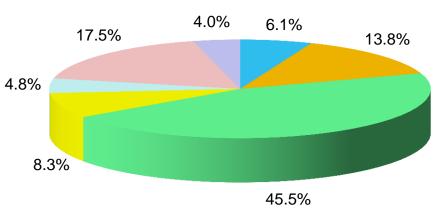
## Circulation maintained by digital





## Operating costs fell 4.1%

#### FY2017 Operating Expenditure\* **Cost Composition** (S\$786m)



Newsprint Other Materials, Production & Distribution Costs Staff Costs Premises Costs Depreciation Other Operating Expenses Finance Costs



S\$'m Newsprint Staff costs 5.1 Premises costs# 4.7 Depreciation 6.9 Other operating expenses 7.5

<sup>\*</sup> Excluding impairment charges

<sup>#</sup> Last year included additional property tax on the Group's investment property.

#### Staff costs contained

	FY2017	FY2016	Change %
Headcount as at end-August^	4,410	4,182	5.5
Staff Costs (S\$'000)	357,464	362,551	(1.4)

^ Increase in headcount due to acquisition of Orange Valley Healthcare (457)

### Restructuring update

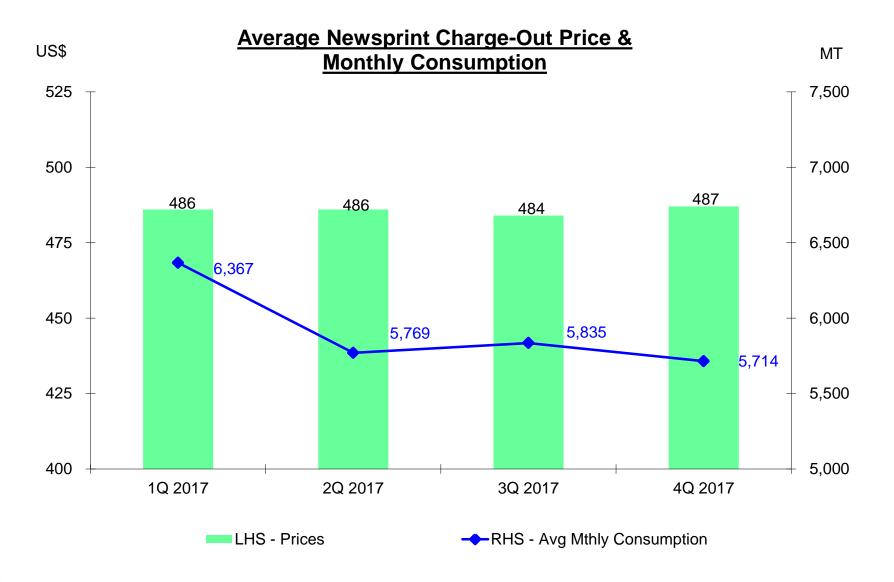
- Oct 2016: announced up to 10% headcount reduction over 2 years
- Aug 2017: 5.5% reduction achieved
- Oct 2017 : full 10% reduction targeted

(15% from Newsroom and Sales Operations)

#### 10% headcount reduction achieved

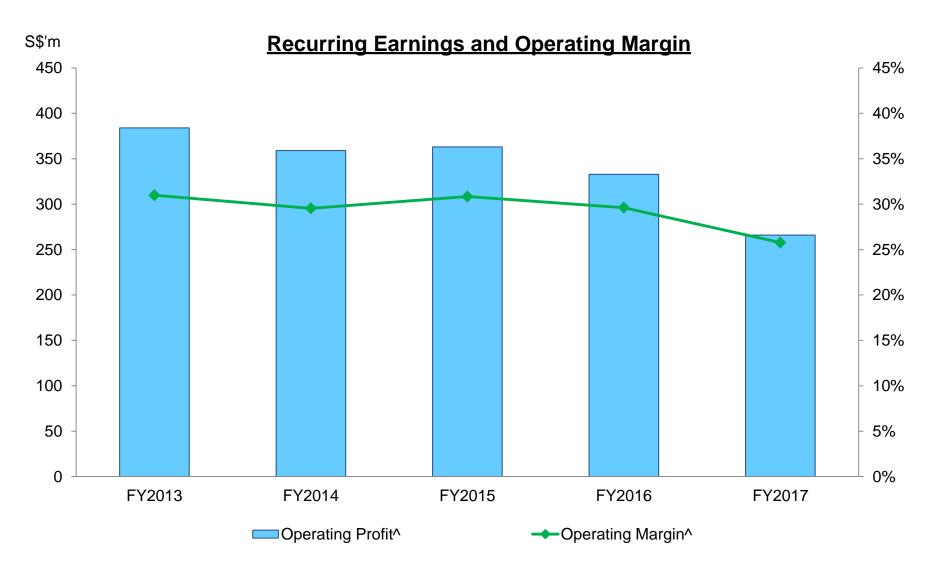


### Newsprint prices expected to strengthen





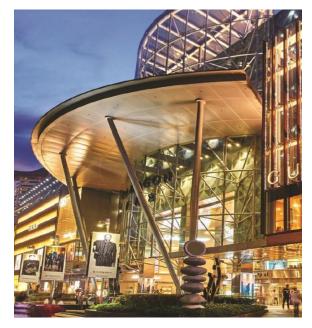
## Good operating margins



<sup>^</sup> Excluding impairment charges on goodwill and intangibles, and property, plant and equipment



### **Sustained Property performance**







**Paragon** 

The Clementi Mall

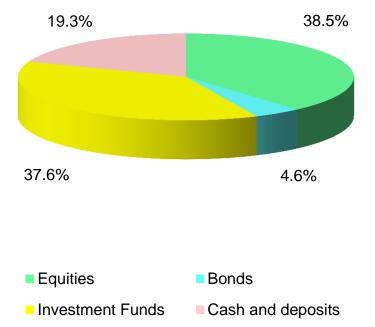
The Seletar Mall

- Net Property Income (NPI) grew 4.9% to \$\$188.3m.
- All 3 malls continue to provide recurrent income stream.
- Market value for Paragon (freehold), The Clementi Mall and The Seletar Mall at \$\$2.85b, \$\$583m and \$\$490m respectively.



### Group investible fund

## Group Investible Fund (S\$1.1b)



 Conservative stance maintained on investment allocation, focused on capital preservation

 Returns are expected to be commensurate with low riskreturn profile to mitigate against volatility

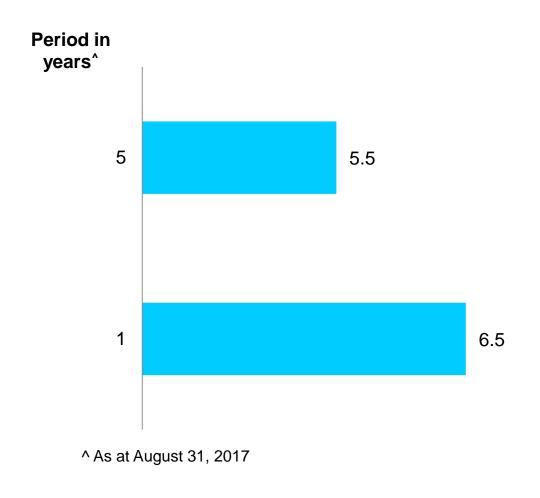
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#### Portfolio Investment Performance

4.3%

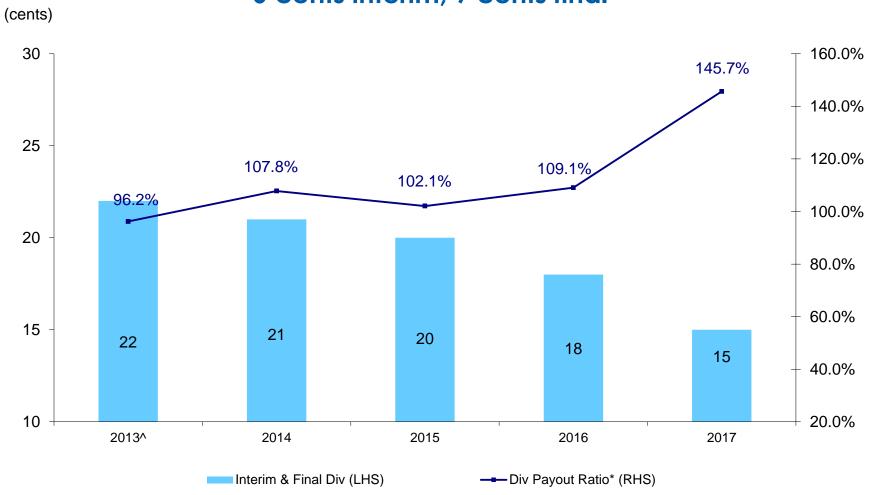
annualised return since inception





#### Declared dividend per share of 15 cents

#### 6 cents interim, 9 cents final



<sup>\*</sup> Computed based on Group recurring earnings net of non-controlling interests of the Property segment

<sup>^</sup> Excludes special dividend of 18 cents paid pursuant to the establishment of SPH REIT



## Some initiatives to enhance capabilities

# Investing in new capabilities

- ✓ Digital
- ✓ Data analytics
- ✓ Radio
- ✓ Video
- ✓ Content Marketing

Enabling new growth





Extending international reach of flagship through digital subscription

# Expanding our product portfolio

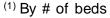
- Radio has performed well
- Launch of 2 new radio stations in early 2018



#### **Orange Valley at a Glance**

- Top 3 nursing home operator (1) in Singapore
- 5 homes with 900 beds (not including Balestier)
  - 600+ beds located in optimally sized purpose built facilities located on 30-year leasehold properties
  - Remaining av. bed tenure >15 years
- Average occupancy of 90%
- Only private nursing home fully run by professional managers
- Vertically integrated operations
- Employs c.460 people







# Orange Valley has Won a Range of Awards/Certifications in Recognition of its Clinical and Service Quality and Innovations



# ISO 9001-certified since 2002

Successful re-certification of ISO:9001 (Quality Management System) and conversion to 2015 Standard



## Singapore Health Quality Service Award

Garnered 8 silver awards in 2016; 23 silver awards in 2017



#### **Enterprise 50 Award**

Ranked 4th and 8th in 2015 and 2016



# Intermediate and Long-Term (ILTC) Excellence Awards 2016

Awarded "Team Award (Merit) for Clinical Quality Improvement" for the Kampong Project at Sims Avenue.



#### Singapore 1000 Award

Presented with the Singapore 1000 Award in 2016 which recognises the most outstanding business performances in the country



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