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## 1. Highlights

### 1.1 Corporate profile

Spackman Entertainment Group Ltd. ('SEGL' or the 'Company'), together with its subsidiaries (the 'Group'), one of Korea's leading entertainment company groups is primarily engaged in the independent development, production, presentation, and financing of theatrical motion pictures in Korea.

In order to diversify our revenue streams, we have expanded our business portfolio to include the production of Korean television dramas. In addition to our content business, we also make investments into entertainment companies and film funds that can financially and strategically complement our existing core operations.

SEGL is listed on the Catalist of the Singapore Exchange Securities Trading Limited under the ticker 40E.

Our films are theatrically distributed and released in Korea and overseas markets, as well as for subsequent post-theatrical worldwide release in other forms of media, including cable TV, broadcast TV, IPTV, Video On Demand (VOD), and home video/ DVD, etc. We release all of our motion pictures into wide-theatrical exhibition initially in Korea, and then in overseas and ancillary markets.

#### **Production Labels**

#### **Zip Cinema**

SEGL's Zip Cinema Co., Ltd. ('Zip Cinema') is one of the most recognised film production labels in Korea and has originated and produced some of Korea's most commercially successful theatrical films, consecutively producing 11 profitable movies since 2009 representing an industry leading track record. Recent theatrical releases of Zip Cinema's motion pictures include some of Korea's highest grossing and award-winning films such as #ALIVE (2020), CRAZY ROMANCE (2019), DEFAULT (2018), MASTER (2016), THE PRIESTS (2015), COLD EYES (2013), and ALL ABOUT MY WIFE (2012).

For more information on Zip Cinema, do visit <a href="http://zipcine.com">http://zipcine.com</a>.

#### **Novus Mediacorp**

SEGL also owns Novus Mediacorp Co., Ltd. ('Novus Mediacorp'), an investor, presenter, and/or post-theatrical distributor for a total of 79 films (58 Korean and 21 foreign) including ROSE OF BETRAYAL, THE OUTLAWS and SECRETLY, GREATLY, which was one of the biggest box office hits of 2013 starring Kim Soo-hyun of MY LOVE FROM THE STARS fame, as well as FRIEND 2: THE GREAT LEGACY. In 2012, Novus Mediacorp was also the post-theatrical rights distributor of ALL ABOUT MY WIFE, a top-grossing romantic comedy produced by Zip Cinema. In 2018, THE OUTLAWS, co-presented by Novus Mediacorp broke the all-time highest VOD sales records in Korea.

For more information on Novus Mediacorp, do visit http://novusmediacorp.com.

#### **Take Pictures**

SEGL owns a 100% equity interest in Take Pictures Pte. Ltd. ('Take Pictures') which produced STONE SKIPPING (2020) and THE BOX (2021), starring EXO's Chanyeol. It has another upcoming film in the pipeline with the working title, GUARDIAN, which is also expected to be released in 2021 tentatively.

### Simplex Films

SEGL owns a 100% equity interest in Simplex Films Limited ("Simplex Films") which is an early-stage film production firm. The maiden movie of Simplex Films, JESTERS: THE GAME CHANGERS (2019), was released in Korea on 21 August 2019. Simplex Films has several lineup of films including HURRICANE BROTHERS (working title).

### **Greenlight Content**

SEGL owns a 100% equity interest in Greenlight Content Limited ('Greenlight Content') which is mainly involved in the business of investing into dramas and movies, as well as providing consulting services for the production of Korean content. Through the acquisition of Greenlight Content, the Group's first co-produced drama, MY SECRET TERRIUS, starring top Korean star, So Ji Sub, achieved #1 in drama viewership ratings for its time slot and recorded double digits for its highest viewership ratings. It was also awarded "Drama of the Year" at the 2018 MBC Drama Awards. Greenlight Content was one of the main investors of MY SECRET TERRIUS.

#### The Makers Studio

SEGL owns a 20% equity interest in The Makers Studio Co. Ltd. ('The Makers Studio'), which plans to produce and release four upcoming films, the first of which will be THE ISLAND OF THE GHOST'S WAIL, a comedy horror film.

### **Talent Representation**

### **Spackman Media Group**

SEGL holds an effective shareholding interest of 43.88% in Spackman Media Group Limited ('Spackman Media Group' or 'SMGL'). SMGL, a company incorporated in Hong Kong, together with its subsidiaries, is collectively one of the largest entertainment talent agencies in Korea in terms of the number of artists under management, including some of the top names in the Korean entertainment industry. SMGL operates its talent management business through renowned agencies such as MS Team Entertainment Co., Ltd. (Son Ye-Jin, Lee Min-Jung, Ko Sung-Hee), UAA & Co Inc. (Song Hye-Kyo, Yoo Ah-In, Park Hyung-Sik), Fiftyone K Inc. (So Ji-Sub, Ok Taec-Yeon), SBD Entertainment Inc. (Son Suk-Ku, Han Ji-Hyun), and Kook Entertainment Co., Ltd.

Through these full-service talent agencies in Korea, SMGL represents and guides the professional careers of a leading roster of awardwinning actors/actresses in the practice areas of motion pictures, television, commercial endorsements, and branded entertainment.

SMGL leverages its unparalleled portfolio of artists as a platform to develop, produce, finance and own the highest quality of entertainment content projects, including theatrical motion pictures, variety shows, and TV dramas. This platform also creates and derives opportunities for SMGL to make strategic investments in development stage businesses that can collaborate with SMGL artists. SMGL is an associated company of the Company.

For more details, do visit http://spackmanmediagroup.com/.

### Constellation Agency

SEGL owns a 100% equity interest in Constellation Agency Pte. Ltd. ('Constellation Agency'). Constellation Agency, which owns The P Factory Co., Ltd. ('The P Factory') and Platform Media Group Co., Ltd. ('PMG'), is primarily involved in the business of overseas agency for Korean artists venturing into the overseas market.

The P Factory is an innovative marketing solutions provider specialising in event and branded content production. PMG is a talent management agency which represents and manages the careers of major artists in film, television, commercial endorsements, and branded entertainment.

### Strategic Business

#### **Frame Pictures**

SEGL owns a 100% equity interest in Frame Pictures Co., Ltd. ('Frame Pictures'). Frame Pictures is a leader in the movie/drama equipment leasing business in Korea, Established in 2014, Frame Pictures has worked with over 25 top directors and provided the camera and lighting equipment for some of Korea's most notable drama and movie projects including ITAEWON CLASS (2020), HOW TO BUY A FRIEND (2020), KIM JI-YOUNG, BORN 1982 (2019), FOUR MEN (2019), and ASADAL CHRONICLES (2019).

For more information on Frame Pictures, do visit http://framepictures.co.kr/.

#### **Upper West & Noon Pictures**

The Group also operates a café-lounge called Upper West, in the Gangnam district of Seoul, and owns a professional photography studio, noon pictures Co., Ltd ('Noon Pictures').

For more details, do visit <a href="http://www.spackmanentertainmentgroup.com/">http://www.spackmanentertainmentgroup.com/</a>.

### 1.2 Message to stakeholders & board statement

The Board of SEGL is committed to minimising our environmental impacts, growing sustainably, and inspiring others to take action for the benefit of conserving and protecting the world we live in.

In FY2020, we continue our sustainability journey to measure and manage our environmental impacts through our sustainability program covering Zip Cinema, Novus Mediacorp, Frame Pictures, Take Pictures and Simplex Films.

As a leading entertainment production company in Korea, we believe it is important for us to capitalise on the power of film and media to convey the message of environmental protection, not only through our actions of producing content but also narrating it in our content.

With the increasing global need and desire to practise eco-friendly and sustainable processes to produce content, we intend to set and improve our policies to achieve Environmental, Social and Governance sustainability. We understand that our position in the film and drama production arena provides us with the unique opportunity to advocate positive Environment, Social and Economic narratives through our efforts behind the camera as well as the underlying messages relayed on screen.

As such, we shall strive to comply with industry-leading sustainability practices in film and drama production, and also aim to raise awareness and inspire sustainable and socially responsible thinking in local and international audiences through our movie and drama content in the future.

### **Responding to COVID-19**

The COVID-19 pandemic has impacted every part of the world and our industry. Although most cinemas remain operational in South Korea, COVID-19 had a significant impact on the movie industry in 2020, resulting from cut back on daily screenings, and delay in both promotional events and film openings.

Despite the challenges, SEGL's #ALIVE, a story of survival during a pandemic, surpassed 1 million ticket sales within 5 days of its theatrical release in South Korea in June 2020. #ALIVE premiered globally on Netflix in November 2020 and was the number one Asian film on Netflix US in 2020.

As a Group, we have initiated business continuity planning to protect our staff and mitigate the impact on the Group's business operations, with film developments and productions still continuing with the necessary precautions in place.

Lastly, on behalf of the Board, we wish to inform that the Board has, on the whole, considered sustainability issues as part of its strategic formulation and, together with the Management, determined the material Environmental, Social and Governance factors, as well as overseen the management and monitoring of these factors in the Group's sustainability journey.

**ANTHONY WONG** Non-Executive & Independent Chairman

JOHN KO Chief Executive Officer

### 1.3 Scope of sustainability report

The scope of the report covers information on material sustainability aspects of SEGL relating to the Entertainment segment in Korea, from 1 January 2020 to 31 December 2020 ('FY2020'), unless otherwise specified. This should sufficiently address stakeholders' concerns in relation to sustainability issues arising from the major business operations of the Group.

This report is prepared in accordance with the Global Reporting Initiative ('GRI') Standards: Core Option as it provides a set of an extensive framework that is widely accepted as a global standard for sustainability reporting. It also considers the Sustainability Reporting Guide in Practice Note 7F of the Singapore Exchange Securities Trading Limited ('SGX-ST') Listing Manual Section B: Rules of Catalist ('Catalist Rules'). In preparing our report, we applied the GRI's principles for defining report content and report quality by considering the Group's activities, impacts and substantive expectations and interests of its stakeholders.

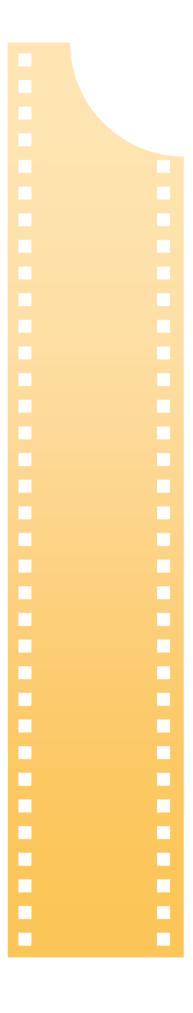
The data and information provided within the report have not been verified by an independent third party. We have relied on internal data monitoring and verification to ensure accuracy.

### 1.4 Restatements

No restatements were made from the previous report.

### 1.5 Sustainability contact

We welcome your views and feedback on our sustainability practices and reporting at <a href="mailto:sr@spackmanentertainmentgroup.com">sr@spackmanentertainmentgroup.com</a>.



# 2. Our approach to sustainability

### 2.1 Sustainability organisational structure

Sustainability is a vital part of our corporate strategy for achieving longterm growth. The values we create for our people, the environment and society at large very much determine our financial performance. We developed a sustainability organisational structure to move things forward:

The Board of Directors formulates related strategies and guidelines.

Sustainability Reporting Team helps to organise and coordinate the corporate social responsibility (CSR) work of all departments and subsidiaries.

Assigned staff at the subsidiaries are responsible for the organisation and implementation of CSR works.

Board of Directors

Sustainability Team (COO & Head of

### 2.2 Sustainability strategy

At the Group level, our sustainability strategy aims to create integrated values. Together with disciplined execution of our strategy and a commitment to doing business responsibly, we commit to deliver value to all our stakeholders through the following:



The sustainable strategy is underpinned by our Employee Code of Conduct, which establishes a clear tone at the top with regards to employees' business and ethical conduct.

The strategy is also guided by external sources, including the Global Reporting Initiative Standards and Sustainability Reporting Guide in Practice Note 7F of the Catalist Rules.

### 2.3 Consulting our stakeholders

We recognise the need to continuously develop our responsible business approach in order to address growing stakeholder expectations around our impact on the economy, environment and society. As such, we periodically consult with our stakeholders to determine the issues that are most relevant to them and SEGL on an ongoing and ad hoc basis. An overview of our approach and rationale is set out below (with stakeholders listed in alphabetical order), together with the feedback we have received.

Stakeholders	How we listen	Why we do it	What you've told us
Distributors	<ul> <li>Regular updates and communication</li> <li>Periodic meetings</li> <li>Events and official launches</li> <li>Interviews and press releases</li> <li>SEGL and other websites</li> </ul>	Expand distributorship of movies via movie theatres and online platforms in local and overseas markets	Maximise screening locations and distribution channels
Employees	<ul> <li>Internal updates and communication</li> <li>Events and functions</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Comply with manpower rules and regulations</li> <li>Develop and maintain effective avenues for two- way communication to obtain feedback from employees</li> </ul>	<ul><li>Equal opportunities</li><li>Career progression</li><li>Benefits and rewards</li></ul>
Government and regulators	Regular updates and communication via sponsor     Reports and compliance     Periodic meetings	<ul> <li>Uphold the highest standards of corporate governance and ethical behaviour</li> <li>Maintaining the good relationship between continuing sponsor and the Group</li> <li>Maintaining dialogue with SGX</li> <li>Participate in SGX events to increase visibility and transparency (Shareholder engagement events, roadshows, talks, SGX research programme etc.)</li> </ul>	Compliance with SGX rulings and local laws and regulations     Fully understand all regulations applicable to the company
Investors/ Producers/ Presenters	Regular updates and communication     Periodic meetings	<ul> <li>Maintain regular communication between producers, presenters, and investors</li> <li>Open communication between producer, directors, cast and crew members</li> <li>Discussion on what moviegoers want</li> </ul>	Content development     Project profitability     Budget monitoring
Moviegoers	<ul> <li>Events and official launches</li> <li>Interviews and press releases</li> <li>SEGL and other websites</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Expand distributorship of movies via movie theatres and online platforms in local and overseas markets</li> <li>Discussion on what moviegoers want</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Targeted screening locations and distribution channels</li> <li>Viewing preference</li> <li>Content development</li> </ul>
Shareholders	Shareholders' meeting     Board meeting     SEGL and other websites     Regular updates and communication     Roadshows	<ul> <li>Consistently improve company's management</li> <li>Operate and manage the Company effectively and efficiently</li> <li>Committed to delivering economic value to our capital providers through a strong financial performance and engagement with them</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Long-term profitability</li> <li>Sustainability matters</li> <li>Achieve company targets</li> <li>Company growth and development</li> <li>Compliance with all relevant requirements</li> <li>Ensure business continuity</li> </ul>

### 2.4 Sustainability materiality

Using a materiality index, we align our responsible business priorities with the SEGL's principal business and operational risks, as illustrated in the diagram below.

We have also developed metrics to help us measure our progress, as indicated in our sustainability scorecard in **Appendix A**. We will review and adjust the matrix each year, as the external and business context changes.

The aspect boundaries 'within' the organisation are limited to SEGL, Zip Cinema, Novus Mediacorp, Frame Pictures, Take Pictures and Simplex Films whereas the aspect boundaries 'outside' the organisation include distributors, employees, government and regulators, investors/ producers/ presenters, moviegoers, and shareholders.



## 3. Our performance

### 3.1 How we measure our performance

Our sustainability strategy is embedded into the appropriate parts of our business, with dedicated teams for each focus area, and coordination by our relevant departmental managers.

Progress will be tracked in two key ways: measuring performance against metrics, and evaluating how well the programs have advanced, through a series of 'commitments'.

### **Metrics and targets**

We have established key performance indicators for each of the four focus areas outlined in our sustainability strategy.

Periodically, we plan to introduce new metrics and update targets to ensure alignment with our strategy.

#### **Commitments**

To ensure we have a robust sustainability programme in place, we have included the key commitments for each area of our sustainability strategy. The progress we have made against each key commitment is indicated using the symbols shown in the table below.

We track and review our sustainability programme with the Board of Directors at least once a year.

### Symbols used to indicate progress against commitments

Symbol	Meaning
N	New commitment this year
	Not started / not met
•	In progress
•	Complete
<u>©</u>	Ongoing commitment: no end date

### 3.2 Environmental sustainability

#### Overview

Tracking of the energy consumptions of our businesses forms the basis of our sustainability efforts. We measure the carbon footprint of our operations, providing insight into the carbon reduction and energy efficiency opportunities at each division.

FY2020 Progress

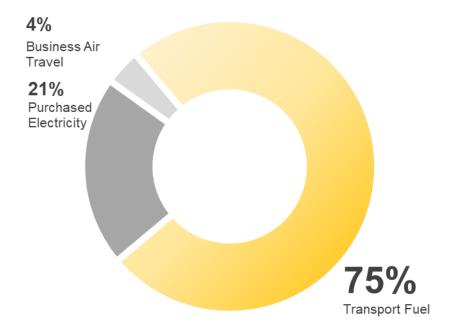
**7.0**tCO<sub>2</sub>e

Carbon emission intensity per million dollars of revenue

### Managing our carbon footprint

We recognise that reducing carbon footprint in our daily operations has a positive effect on climate change. To determine the carbon footprint, we collect energy usage data from each our businesses and then calculate our total annual greenhouse gas (GHG) emissions. We follow the Greenhouse Gas Protocol established by the World Resources Institute and the World Business Council for Sustainable Development, the standard manual for measuring corporate GHG emissions. Using the "control method", we include 100% of the emissions associated with businesses which we directly control. Our carbon footprint includes:

- All fuels used directly by our companies (Scope 1 emissions)
- All purchased electricity used in our offices (Scope 2 emissions)
- Impact of business air travel (optional Scope 3 emissions)



In FY2020, SEGL generated a carbon footprint of 66.5 tonnes of carbon dioxide emission (tCO2e) with a carbon footprint intensity of 7.0 tCO<sub>2</sub>e per million dollars of revenue, representing a 14% increase from the previous year. Despite a decrease of 46% in total carbon footprint of the Group compared to prior year, carbon footprint intensity increased from the prior year as the organisation specific metric (denominator) used to compute environmental impact intensity, i.e. total Group revenue, decreased by more than 50% compared to the prior year mainly due to the impact of COVID-19 on the Group.

Our carbon footprint mainly arises from GHG Scope 1 emissions from petrol usage in our vehicles which accounted for approximately 75% of the total carbon footprint of SEGL.

We continue our commitment to maintain the carbon footprint per million dollars of revenue in FY2019 as a baseline.

### Fuel efficiency

The Group's fuel consumption accounted for approximately 75% of the total carbon footprint of SEGL. This is mainly due to petrol usage by management of our various subsidiaries when conducting their day-to-day business in Seoul and around the rest of South Korea. The Group encourages regular maintenance of the vehicles to improve efficiency.

### Saving electricity

The Group's electricity consumption came from regular operations of the offices. All employees stringently complied with the Group's policy of saving energy. The Group utilised electricity-saving light bulbs at its offices as well as educated its employees about energy conservation and emission reductions. To ensure the effective use of electricity, the Group adopted the following practices:

- Turn off lights, computers and air conditioning system before clocking out
- Place energy saving reminder labels next to switches
- Clean office equipment (such as refrigerator, air-conditioner) regularly to maintain high efficiency
- Use energy saving appliances •
- Set temperature of air conditioners to 25°C

The Group established policies and procedures to reduce energy consumption in the office, to assess the energy efficiency, to increase the use of clean energy, and to ensure power is turned off when electrical appliances are not in use.

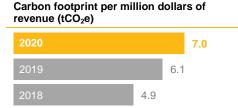
### **Business transportation and air travel**

We recognise that business transportation and air travel is a core part of doing business and face-to-face meetings are often the best way to build relationships with clients and business partners. However, this also gives rise to carbon emissions that contribute to deteriorating air quality and climate change.

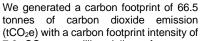
To manage our carbon emissions, we will strive to reduce non-essential business transportation and air travel by leveraging on other modes of client communication (including emails, telephone or video conferencing) calls) where possible.

#### **Commitments: Environmental stewardship**

Maintain carbon footprint per million dollars of revenue (from FY2019 baseline)



#### FY2020 progress



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- The emission mainly arises from petrol usage in our vehicles which accounted for approximately 75% of the total carbon footprint of SEGL.

### 3.3 Supporting local

#### Overview

Supporting local talent is the way to go in developing the local film industry. Collaborating with local authorities provides a host of economic benefits such as tourism promotion and job creation.

### Supporting the local industry

Zip Cinema has been a member of the Korean Film Producers Association (KFPA) under the Korean Film Council (KOFIC) since 2007. Novus Mediacorp and Frame Pictures also strongly support the industry initiatives of KFPA and KOFIC, to stimulate, grow and sustain the Korean film industry.

FY2020 Progress

91.3%

Talents sourced locally

91.1%

Purchases sourced locally

We also seek to create long-term economic benefits for our communities through recruitment of local talent and development of local suppliers, supporting a reliable local supply network to drive economic growth.

In addition, all of our suppliers and contractors must adhere to our requirements regarding safety, health, security and the environment, as well as the principles of our Standards of Business Conduct. We are also focused on developing local businesses through regular meetings with them to ensure they are aware of the opportunities created by our projects and understand our requirements.

As part of our strategy, we have committed to recruit at least 80% of our talent and source at least 80% of our purchases locally. In FY2020, 91.3% of our talent were recruited locally and 91.1% of our purchases were sourced locally as well.

#### **KOFIC Location Incentives**

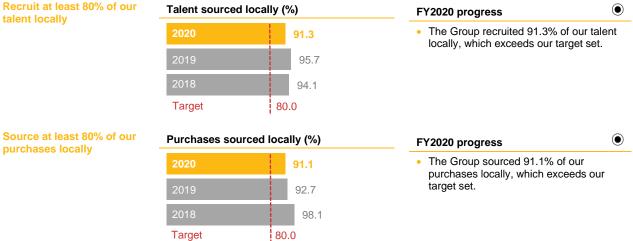
KOFIC provides a Location Incentive Grant to support part of the expenses spent in Korea for producing foreign audio-visual works, for the purpose of tourism promotion, job creation and other economic benefits. It is also aimed at encouraging the hosting of location shooting and post-production of foreign audio-visual works and thereby enhancing the production capacities of the Korean film industry and creating an international production network around it.

Eligible works consist of feature films, television series and documentaries produced by a foreign production company, in which the allocation of foreign capital in the production cost exceeds 80%. Up to 20-25% of the total Qualifying Production Expenditure (QPE) is claimable as Location Incentives Grant, depending on the available amount in the production's total budget.

Presently, the Group has not tapped either directly or indirectly on such incentives but may look at opportunities to collaborate with foreign partners to promote Korea as a film and drama hub and the sharing of Hallvu to international audiences.

### **Commitments: Supporting local**

Recruit at least 80% of our talent locally



### 3.4 Connecting audiences

#### Overview

In FY2020. Korean movies claimed a domestic market share of 73.1% (representing a box office of 39.9 million admissions). Given this potential, the Korean movie industry certainly has the opportunity to effect positive change in the society on a large scale.

Through effective storytelling, we believe our movies help to empower and inspire audiences to take action to improve their own lives and communities.

### Box office performance -**#ALIVE**

#ALIVE is a 2020 South Korean zombie film from Zip Cinema directed by Jo II-Hyung. Headlined by Spackman Media Group's Yoo Ah-In and star actress Park Shin-Hye, the film revolves around a video game live streamer's struggle for survival as he is forced to stay alone at his apartment in Seoul during a zombie apocalypse.

On the fifth day of its release in June 2020, #ALIVE surpassed 1 million admissions, and during the first weekend of its release, securing the first place at the box office for its first weekend. It became the first film to surpass 1 million since February 2020. It also ranked first at the box office for the first three weekends, and has achieved over 1.9 million admissions in South Korea as of December 2020. It is ranked number 7 amongst all movies released in South Korea in 2020.

SEGL made a bold move to release #ALIVE in the Korean theatres during the midst of the COVID-19 pandemic in South Korea. The successful opening of #ALIVE demonstrates that there is still substantial demand for theatrical viewing despite the various COVID-19 precautions in place at the theaters.

For more information on #ALIVE, please scan the QR code on the right.



#### Premier on Netflix

#ALIVE premiered on Netflix on 8 September 2020, and two days after release, it achieved global first place on the platform. #ALIVE topped the Netflix daily chart in 35 countries, including the United States, France, Spain, Sweden, Russia, Australia, Pakistan, and Canada. It became the first Korean film to top Netflix Movies Worldwide chart. By December 2020, #ALIVE was in the top 10 list in 90 countries, making it one of the most-loved titles globally on Netflix in 2020 and also the most popular horror title of 2020 across Asia. Notably, #ALIVE was the number one Asian film on Netflix US in

To view #ALIVE on Netflix, please scan the QR code on the right.



### **Box Office**





#### STONE SKIPPING

STONE SKIPPING, produced by Take Pictures, is a 2020 South Korean drama written and directed by Kim Jung-Sik. The film was released in October 2020.

The film follows a runaway girl who escapes to a rural village where she befriends a man with a learning disability, who runs a rice mill in a small village. One day, his world is turned upside-down when he encounters an incident at the mill. The cast includes Kim Dae-Myung, Song Yoon-A, Kim Eui-Sung, and Jeon Chae-Eun.

For more information on STONE SKIPPING, please scan the QR code on the right.



#### **Future goals**

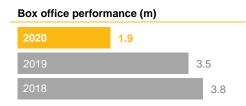
We recognise that our businesses represent a wide variety of voices, cultures, lifestyles, and perspectives; we do not speak with one single voice about sustainability but rather approach each audience with a unique and appropriate message. Going forward, we will continue to find new opportunities to use these platforms to address various sustainability concerns.

As part of our strategy, we have committed to track and report on the box office performance of our films going forward.



### **Commitments: Connecting audiences**

Track box office performance



### FY2020 progress



- #ALIVE, produced by Zip Cinema, has a total of 1.9 million tickets sales, grossing US\$14.4 million at the Korean box office.
- STONE SKIPPING, produced by Take Pictures, has a total of 0.02 million tickets sales, grossing US\$0.1 million at the Korean box office.

### 3.5 Regulatory compliance

#### Overview

To maintain a fair, ethical and efficient business and working environment, the Group strictly adheres to the local laws and regulations relating to intellectual property (IP), child actors, anti-corruption and bribery, irrespective of the area or country where the Group conducts its business.

### Intellectual property

IP rights shape each stage of a film-maker's journey from script to screen. They help producers attract much needed funds; enable directors, screenwriters and actors, as well as the numerous artists and technicians who work behind the scenes, to earn a living; and inspire technological breakthroughs that enable creative ideas to be brought to life.

The Group respects the creative effort behind all IPs driving the movie industry and ensures that all of its movies acknowledges and respects and appropriately remunerates the IP rights of all authors.

### FY2020 Progress



Regulatory and compliance incidents



Confirmed incidences of corruption and actions taken



Non-compliance with laws and/or regulations which resulted in significant fines and non-monetary sanctions

### **Child actors**

The Group aims to uphold industry standards to ensure conditions for the development and protection of children and young people under the age of 18 involved in artistic performance (e.g., level of guardian supervision required when working for the Group, continuation of education according to local legal conditions, limits to number of hours worked, psychological support in dealing with child celebrity).

### Legal compliance

The Group, through its Company Secretary, has updated the Board on relevant new laws and regulations affecting the Company, including changes to the SGX-ST Listing Rules, risk management, corporate governance, insider trading and key changes in the relevant regulatory requirements, to facilitate effective discharge of their fiduciary duties as Board or Board Committees members.

### Preventing corruption and bribery

The Group prohibits all forms of corruption and bribery. The Group requires all employees to strictly abide by professional ethics and eliminate any corruption and bribery. All employees are expected to discharge their duties with integrity, to act fairly and professionally, and to abstain from engaging in bribery activities or any activities, which might exploit their positions against the Group's interests.

Whistle-blowers can report verbally or in writing to the senior management of the Group for any suspected misconduct (including corruption, bribery extortion, fraud and money laundering) with full details and supporting evidence. The management will conduct investigations against any suspicious or illegal behavior to protect the Group's interests and the whistleblowers' confidentiality.

In FY2020, the Group was not in violation of any of the relevant laws and regulations in relation to IP, child actors, anti-corruption and bribery, extortion, fraud and money laundering that have a significant impact on the Group.

### **Business continuity**

The global outbreak of the COVID-19 dealt a significant toll on cinemas worldwide. Unlike home-based or digital media, which is likely to benefit from the possible spread of COVID-19 as people self-isolate at home and avoid social interactions, going to the movies is understandably a social activity that many people would want to avoid for now.

In South Korea, most cinemas remain operational and introduced COVID-19 measures like staggered seating, zero-contact food and ticket kiosks, and even customer service robots, to ensure proper social distancing during the pandemic. Despite the efforts, the domestic film agency KOFIC reported that cinema attendance still declined significantly in 2020, prompting many films to delay both promotional events and film openings.

As a Group, we have initiated business continuity planning to protect our staff and mitigate the impact on the Group's business operations. We have put in place the following controls at our Singapore Headquarters and our offices in Seoul, South Korea as follows:

- Brief employees on good personal hygiene practices as advised by the respective health authorities.
- Enhanced screening procedures for visitors, including completion of a health screening and declaration form which includes travel history to affected areas in the last 14 days and/or contact history with infected persons in the last 14 days.
- Carry out symptom or temperature monitoring of employees daily. It is compulsory for all staff to wear a mask at all times, and will be advised to go to a designated clinic/ hospital for immediate medical assessment if they are suspected to display symptoms of COVID-19.
- Hand sanitisers are placed in common areas for staff to use.
- Adopt social distancing measures as mandated by the respective governments.
- Where possible, cross-train employees and establish covering arrangements to minimise disruptions.

As far as practicable, our employees from Singapore and South Korea have also started working from home. Film developments and productions will still continue with the necessary COVID-19 precautions in place.

We will monitor the local situation and will put in place the above practices and any additional controls as required by the local governments (e.g. quarantine measures, stop work orders) where applicable.

As the current COVID-19 situation continues to develop, we shall keep a close eye on our operations, and announce any material changes to our business performance to shareholders timely, as and when appropriate.

#### Commitments: Regulatory compliance

Fully compliant with relevant laws and regulations in relation to IP, child actors, anticorruption and bribery, extortion, fraud and money laundering

#### **Achievements**

· Achieved full compliance with relevant laws and regulations in relation to IP, child actors, anti-corruption and bribery. extortion, fraud and money laundering

### FY2020 progress

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The Group was not in violation of any of the relevant laws and regulations in relation to IP, child actors, anti-corruption and bribery, extortion, fraud and money laundering that have a significant impact on the Group.

# Appendix A: Sustainability scorecard

### **Results**

Performance indicators	Units	FY2017	FY2018	FY2019	FY2020
Revenue	US\$'million	20.6	21.7	20.1	9.5

### **Environmental sustainability**

Performance indicators	Units	FY2017	FY2018	FY2019	FY2020
Total carbon footprint	tCO <sub>2</sub> e	84.5	105.7	123.5	66.5
Carbon emission intensity	tCO <sub>2</sub> e/ US\$'million	4.1	4.9	6.1	7.0

### **Supporting local**

Performance indicators	Units	FY2017	FY2018	FY2019	FY2020
Talents sourced locally	Percentage	94.1	94.1	95.7	91.3
Purchases sourced locally	Percentage	79.5	98.1	92.7	91.1

### **Connecting audiences**

Performance indicators	Units	FY2017	FY2018	FY2019	FY2020
Total box office (MASTER)	Million	7.2	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Total box office (GOLDEN SLUMBER)	Million	1.4	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Total box office (DEFAULT)	Million	n.a.	3.8	n.a.	n.a.
Total box office (CRAZY ROMANCE)	Million	n.a.	n.a.	2.9	n.a.
Total box office (JESTERS: THE GAME CHANGERS)	Million	n.a.	n.a.	0.6	n.a.
Total box office (#ALIVE)	Million	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	1.9
Total box office (STONE SKIPPING)	Million	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	0.02

n.a. - not applicable

### Regulatory compliance

Performance indicators	Units	FY2017	FY2018	FY2019	FY2020
Regulatory and compliance incidents	Number	0	0	0	0
Confirmed incidences of corruption and actions taken	Number	0	0	0	0
Non-compliance with laws and/or regulations which resulted in significant fines and non-monetary sanctions	Number	0	0	0	0

### Other information

Performance indicators	Units	FY2017	FY2018	FY2019	FY2020
Total employees	Number	17	17	23	18

# Appendix B: GRI content index

### **GRI Standards Content Index**

The GRI Content Index references the SEGL Group Ltd Sustainability Report 2020 (SR), the Annual Report 2020 (AR) and the SEGL Corporate Website (Web).

Disclosure number		Disclosure title	Page reference and remarks		
GRI 102: General disclosures					
Organisational profile	102-1	Name of organisation	AR: Corporate Profile (Page IFC)		
	102-2	Activities, brands, products, and services	AR: Corporate Profile (Page IFC)		
	102-3	Location of headquarters	AR: Corporate Information – Note 1 to the Financial Statements (Page 88)		
	102-4	Location of operations	<ul> <li>AR: Our Business (Page 2)</li> <li>AR: Group Structure (Page 11)</li> <li>AR: Corporate Information (Page 36)</li> <li>AR: Investment in Subsidiaries – Note 15 to the Financial Statements (Pages 120-128)</li> <li>AR: Investment in Associated Companies – Note 16 to the Financial Statements (Pages 129-131)</li> <li>Web: https://spackmanentertainmentgroup.com/contact</li> </ul>		
	102-5	Ownership and legal form	AR: Corporate Information – Note 1 to the Financial Statements (Page 88)		
	102-6	Markets served	AR: Segment Information – Note 31 to the Financial Statements (Pages 151-154)		
	102-7	Scale of organisation	<ul> <li>AR: Corporate Profile (Page IFC)</li> <li>AR: Segment Information – Note 31 to the Financial Statements (Pages 151-154)</li> </ul>		
	102-8	Information on employees and other workers	SR: Sustainability Scorecard (Page 19)		
	102-9	Supply chain	SR: Supporting Local (Pages 13-14)		
	102-10	Significant changes to the organisation and its supply chain	Web: https://spackmanentertainmentgroup.com/corporate-filings		
	102-11	Precautionary Principle or approach	AR: Corporate Governance Report (Pages 38-70)		
	102-12	External initiatives	Not applicable		
	102-13	Membership of associations	SR: Supporting Local (Pages 13-14)		
Strategy	102-14	Statement from senior decision-maker	<ul> <li>AR: Joint Message from Non-Executive Chairman &amp; CEO (Pages 12-13)</li> <li>SR: Message to Shareholders &amp; Board Statement (Page 4)</li> </ul>		
	102-15	Key impacts, risks, and opportunities	AR: Corporate Profile (Page IFC)     AR: Film Business Model (Page 10)     AR: Independent Auditor's Report (Pages 75-80)		
Ethics and integrity	102-16	Values, principles, standards, and norms of behavior	SR: Sustainability Strategy (Page 7)		
	102-17	Mechanisms for advice and concerns about ethics	AR: Corporate Governance Report (Pages 38-70)		
Governance	102-18	Governance structure	AR: Corporate Governance Report (Pages 38-70)		
	102-19	Delegating authority	AR: Corporate Governance Report (Pages 38-70)		

Disclosure number		Disclosure title	Page reference and remarks
	102-20	Executive-level responsibility for economic, environmental, and social topics	SR: Sustainability Organisational Structure (Page 10)
	102-21	Consulting stakeholders on economic, environmental, and social topics	SR: Consulting Our Stakeholders (Page 8)
	102-22	Composition of the highest governance body and its committees	AR: Corporate Governance Report (Pages 38-70)
	102-23	Chair of the highest governance body	AR: Corporate Governance Report (Pages 38-70)
	102-24	Nominating and selecting the highest governance body	AR: Corporate Governance Report (Pages 38-70)
	102-25	Conflicts of interest	<ul> <li>AR: Corporate Governance Report (Pages 38-70)</li> <li>AR: Statistics of Shareholdings (Pages 156-157)</li> <li>SR: Sustainability Strategy (Page 7)</li> </ul>
	102-26	Role of highest governance body in setting purpose, values, and strategy	AR: Corporate Governance Report (Pages 38-70)
	102-27	Collective knowledge of highest governance body	AR: Corporate Governance Report (Pages 38-70)
	102-28	Evaluating the highest governance body's performance	AR: Corporate Governance Report (Pages 38-70)
	102-29	Identifying and managing economic, environmental, and social impacts	SR: Sustainability Materiality (Page 9)
	102-30	Effectiveness of risk management processes	AR: Corporate Governance Report (Pages 38-70)
	102-31	Review of economic, environmental, and social topics	SR: Sustainability Report (Pages 1-23)
	102-32	Highest governance body's role in sustainability reporting	SR: Sustainability Organisational Structure (Page 10)
	102-33	Communicating critical concerns	SR: Sustainability Materiality (Page 9)
	102-34	Nature and total number of critical concerns	SR: Sustainability Materiality (Page 9)
	102-35	Remuneration policies	AR: Corporate Governance Report (Pages 38-70)
	102-36	Process for determining remuneration	AR: Corporate Governance Report (Pages 38-70)
	102-37	Stakeholders' involvement in remuneration	AR: Corporate Governance Report (Pages 38-70)
	102-38	Annual total compensation ratio	AR: Corporate Governance Report (Pages 38-70)

Disclosure number	er	Disclosure title	Page reference and remarks
	102-39	Percentage increase in annual total compensation ratio	AR: Corporate Governance Report (Pages 38-70)
Stakeholder engagement	102-40	List of stakeholder groups	SR: Consulting Our Stakeholders (Page 8)
	102-41	Collective bargaining agreements	Not applicable
	102-42	Identifying and selecting stakeholders	SR: Consulting Our Stakeholders (Page 8)
	102-43	Approach to stakeholder engagement	SR: Sustainability Strategy (Page 7)
	102-44	Key topics and concerns raised	SR: Consulting Our Stakeholders (Page 8)
Reporting practice	102-45	Entities included in the consolidated financial statements	AR: Investment in Subsidiaries – Note 15 to the Financial Statements (Pages 120-128)
			AR: Investment in Associated Companies – Note 16 to the Financial Statements (Pages 129-131)
	102-46	Defining report content and topic Boundaries	SR: Sustainability Materiality (Page 9)
	102-47	List of material topics	SR: Sustainability Materiality (Page 9)
	102-48	Restatements of information	SR: Restatements (Page 2)
	102-49	Changes in reporting	Not applicable
	102-50	Reporting period	SR: Scope of Sustainability Report (Page 2)
	102-51	Date of most recent report	• 31 December 2019
	102-52	Reporting cycle	Annual
	102-53	Contact point for questions regarding the report	SR: Sustainability Contact (Page 2)
	102-54	Claims of reporting in accordance with the GRI Standards	SR: Scope of Sustainability Report (Page 2)
	102-55	GRI content index	SR: GRI Content Index (Pages 20-23)
	102-56	External assurance	No external assurance
GRI 200: Economi	ic disclosu	res (applicable sections	s only)
Economic performance	201-1	Direct economic value generated and distributed	SR: Sustainability Scorecard (Page 19)
Procurement practices	204-1	Proportion of spending on local suppliers	SR: Supporting Local (Pages 13-14)
Anti-corruption	205-3	Confirmed incidents of corruption and actions taken	SR: Regulatory Compliance (Pages 17-18)
Anti-competitive behavior	206-1	Legal actions for anti- competitive behavior, anti-trust, and monopoly practices	SR: Regulatory Compliance (Pages 17-18)
GRI 300: Environn	nent disclo	sures (applicable section	ons only)
Energy	302-1	Energy consumption within the organisation	SR: Environmental Sustainability (Pages 11-12)
Emissions	305-1	Direct (Scope 1) GHG emissions	SR: Environmental Sustainability (Pages 11-12)

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Disclosure number		Disclosure title	Page reference and remarks	
	305-2	Energy indirect (Scope 2) GHG emissions	SR: Environmental Sustainability (Pages 11-12)	
	305-3	Other indirect (Scope 3) GHG emissions	SR: Environmental Sustainability (Pages 11-12)	
	305-4	GHG emissions intensity	SR: Sustainability Scorecard (Page 19)	
Laws and regulations	307-1	Non-compliance with environmental laws and regulations	There is no non-compliance with environmental laws and regulations.	
GRI 400: Social disclosures (applicable sections only)				
Child labor	408-1	Operations and suppliers at significant risk for incidents of child labor	SR: Regulatory Compliance (Pages 17-18)	
Forced or compulsory labor	409-1	Operations and suppliers at significant risk for incidents of forced or compulsory labor	Forced and compulsory labour is strictly prohibited.	
Socioeconomic compliance	419-1	Non-compliance with laws and regulations in the social and economic area	There is no non-compliance with socioeconomic laws and regulations.	