

Chams Holding Company Plc

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Chams Holding Company Plc

Unaudited Consolidated and Separate Statement of Profit or Loss and other Comprehensive Income

for the period ended March 31st , 2024

| | Notes | Group Account Unaudited 2024 Q1 (Jan-March) | Group Account Unaudited 2023 Q1 (Jan-March) | Group Account Audited 2023 | Company Unaudited 2024 Q1 (Jan-March) | Company Unaudited 2023 Q1 (Jan-March) | Company Audited 2022 |
|--|-------|--|--|----------------------------------|--|--|----------------------------|
| | | N' 000 | N' 000 | N' 000 | N' 000 | N' 000 | N' 000 |
| Revenue | 1 | 3,470,921 | 2,583,108 | 9,645,967 | - | - | |
| Cost of Sales | 2 | (2,494,056) | (2,055,019) | (7,785,396) | - | (12,958) | |
| Gross Profit | | 976,865 | 528,089 | 1,860,571 | - | (12,958) | - |
| Other operating Income | 3 | 23,873 | 378,593 | 705,430 | 72,232 | 425,331 | 769,441 |
| Administrative Expenses | 4 | (593,753) | (595,578) | (2,195,500) | (200,821) | (340,268) | (634,447) |
| Operating Profit/(Loss) | | 406,985 | 311,104 | 370,501 | (128,589) | 72,105 | 134,994 |
| Finance expense | 5 | (20,519) | (73,422) | (237,127) | (18,799) | (30,749) | (114,687) |
| Finance Income | | 10,107 | 86,130 | 115,116 | | | 4,921 |
| (Loss)/Profit before Taxation | | 396,573 | 323,811 | 248,490 | (147,388) | 41,356 | 25,228 |
| Taxation expense (Provision) | | (250,001) | | (228,270) | (44,217) | | (7,694) |
| Profit/(Loss) after Taxation | | 146,572 | 323,811 | 20,220 | (191,605) | 41,356 | 17,534 |
| (Loss)/Profit attributable to : | | | | | | | |
| Owners of the parent | | 91,608 | 202,382 | 77,672 | | | |
| Non-Controlling interests | | 54,965 | 121,429 | (57,452) | | | |
| | | 146,572 | 323,811 | 20,220 | | | 17,534 |
| Basic (Loss) / earnings per share (kobo) | | 1.95 | 4.31 | 1.65 | (4.08) | 0.88 | 0.37 |
| Diluted (Loss)/ earnings per share (Kobo) | | 1.95 | 4.31 | 1.65 | (4.08) | 0.88 | 0.37 |
| Other Comprehensive Income/ Loss Gain/Loss on investment securities at fair value | | | | | | | |
| through other comprehensive income | | | | 15,546 | | | 15,546 |
| Other comprehensive income/(loss) (net of tax) | | | - | 15,546 | | - | 15,546 |
| Disposal | | | | | | | |
| Profit on disposal of asset | | | | | | | |
| Total Comprehensive Income | | 146,572 | 323,811 | 35,766 | (191,605) | 41,356 | 33,080 |
| Profit/Loss for the period attributable to : | | | | | | | |
| Owners of the company | | | | 15,546 | (191,605) | 41,356 | 15,546 |
| Non controlling interest | | 146,572 | 323,811 | | | - | |
| Income after taxation | | 146,572 | 323,811 | 15,546 | (191,605) | 41,356 | 15,546 |
| Total comprehensive income attributable to: | | | | | | | |
| Owners of Parent | | | 280,884 | 93,218 | (191,605) | 41,356 | |
| Non controlling interest | | | 42,927 | (57,452) | | - | - |
| | | 146,572 | 323,811 | 35,766 | (191,605) | 41,356 | 33,080 |

Chams Holding Company Plc and Its Subsidiary Companies Unaudited Consolidated and Separate Statement of Financial Position for the period ended March 31st , 2024

| | | Group | | | Company | | |
|---|-------|-------------------------------|-------------------------------|--------------------------|-------------------------------|-------------------------------|--------------------------|
| Assets | Notes | Unaudited Q1 2024 N'000 | Unaudited Q1 2023 N'000 | Audited 2023 N'000 | Unaudited Q1 2024 N'000 | Unaudited Q1 2023 N'000 | Audited 2023 N'000 |
| Non-current assets | | | | | | | |
| Right of Use of Asset | | | 15,300 | 9,800 | | | |
| Property, plant and equipment | 6 | 2,339,730 | 2,268,855 | 2,323,956 | 1,612,118 | 1.704.128 | 1,625,872 |
| Investment Project | | 6,000 | | -// | _// | | _/===/== |
| Deposit for Investment | | 20,525 | | | | | |
| Intangible Asset | 7 | 7,334,502 | 7,144,798 | 7,347,772 | | | |
| Investment in Subsidiaries | - | | . / / | . / / | 4,214,991 | 4,400,059 | 4,214,991 |
| Investment in associates | | 75,000 | 75,000 | 75,000 | 75,000 | 75,000 | 75,000 |
| Investment in Joint Ventures | | | 425,044 | 17,375 | | | · |
| | | 100.000 | 04.454 | 100.000 | 100.000 | 04.454 | 100.000 |
| other Comprehensive Income | | 100,000 9,875,757 | 84,454 | 100,000 | 100,000 | 84,454 | 100,000 |
| CURRENT ASSETS | | 9,8/5,/5/ | 10,013,451 | 9,873,903 | 6,002,109 | 6,263,641 | 6,015,863 |
| Inventory & Work In Progress | 8 | 2,707,526 | 676,774 | 2,778,049 | - | - | - |
| Trade and other receivable | 9 | 4,650,893 | 3,645,275 | 4,434,907 | 676,734 | 415,625 | 671,360 |
| Short term investment | | 24,103 | 5,015,275 | 1,131,507 | 0/0//31 | 115,025 | 0/1/500 |
| Prepayments | | 104,855 | 111,935 | | 10.884 | | |
| Cash and Cash Equivalent | 14 | 1,863,531 | 1,824,353 | 1,912,636 | 51,417 | 57,081 | 2,681 |
| | | 9,350,908 | 6,258,336 | 9,125,592 | 739,035 | 472,706 | 674,041 |
| Total Assets | | 19,226,665 | 16,271,787 | 18,999,495 | 6,741,144 | 6,736,347 | 6,689,904 |
| | | | | | | | |
| Liabilities | | | | | | | |
| Non -current liabilities Lease liabilities | | | | | | | |
| Long Term Loan | 10 | 774,658 | 827.018 | 945,908 | 698,806 | 707,023 | 853,345 |
| Deferred Tax/ Income | 10 | 156,454 | 156,454 | 156,454 | 156,454 | 156,454 | 156,454 |
| | | 931,112 | 983,472 | 1,102,362 | 855,260 | 863,477 | 1,009,799 |
| Current liabilities | | 551/112 | 505,172 | 1/102/002 | 000/200 | 000/11/ | 1,005,755 |
| Trade and other Payable | 11 | 7,656,760 | 3,733,332 | 7,784,149 | 1,874,931 | 1,711,240 | 1,778,679 |
| Loan & Borrowing | | 311,426 | 670,636 | 16,996 | 311,426 | 281,719 | 15,961 |
| Deposit for Shares | 12 | 302,283 | 108,931 | | . , | | ., |
| Defered Income | | 12,312 | 844,354 | 74,736 | | | |
| Due to Related Party | | | 21,605 | | | | |
| Taxation | | 198,851 | 136,192 | 353,903 | 129,517 | 110,020 | 123,850 |
| | | 8,481,632 | 5,515,051 | 8,229,784 | 2,315,874 | 2,102,979 | 1,918,490 |
| Total liabilities | | 9,412,744 | 6,498,523 | 9,332,146 | 3,171,134 | 2,966,456 | 2,928,289 |
| NET ASSETS | | 9,813,921 | 9,773,264 | 9,667,349 | 3,570,010 | 3,769,891 | 3,761,615 |

Chams Holding Company Plc Unaudited Consolidated and Separate Financial Statements for the period ended 31st March 2024

Statement of Financial Position (Continued) As at March 31st, 2024

| | | | Gro | up | | Com | bany |
|---|--------|-------------------------------|-------------------------------|--------------------------|-------------------------------|-------------------------------|--------------------------|
| | | Unaudited Q1 2024 N'000 | Unaudited Q1 2023 N'000 | Audited 2023 N'000 | Unaudited Q1 2024 N'000 | Unaudited Q1 2023 N'000 | Audited 2023 N'000 |
| Issued capital and reserves attributable to | | | | | | | |
| owners of the parent | | | | | | | |
| Share Capital | | 2,348,030 | 2,348,030 | 2,348,030 | 2,348,030 | 2,348,030 | 2,348,030 |
| Share Premium | | 35,008 | 35,008 | 35,008 | 35,008 | 35,009 | 35,008 |
| Revaluation Reserve | | 4,755,307 | 4,755,307 | 4,755,307 | 1,463,364 | 1,463,364 | 1,463,364 |
| Revenue Reserve | | | | | | | |
| Capital Reserve | | 145,522 | 145,522 | 145,522 | | | |
| Retained Earnings | 13(i) | (2,106,367) | (1,994,762) | (2,197,974) | (276,392) | (60,965) | (84,787) |
| Fairvalue Reserve | | | (15,546) | | | (15,546) | |
| Equity Attributable to Owners of the Parent | | 5,177,501 | 5,273,559 | 5,085,893 | 3,570,010 | 3,769,891 | 3,761,615 |
| Non-Controlling Interest | 13(ii) | 4,636,421 | 4,499,705 | 4,581,456 | | | |
| TOTAL EQUITY | | 9,813,921 | 9,773,264 | 9,667,349 | 3,570,010 | 3,769,891 | 3,761,615 |

The Financial statements on Pages 2 to 5 were approved for issue by the Board of Directors on 18 April 2024 and signed on its behalf by :

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Mayowa Olaniyan Group Managing Director FRC/2013/ICAN/00000004330

Ifeoma Obasanya Head, Finance and Account FRC/2022/PRO/NIM/002/191239

| Group | Issued Share capital | Share Premium | Revaluation Reserve | Retained Earnings | Capital Reserve | Fairvalue Reserve | Non- controlling Interest | Total |
|--|-------------------------|------------------|------------------------|----------------------|--------------------|----------------------|---------------------------------|----------|
| | N'000 | N'000 | N'000 | N'000 | N'000 | N'000 | N'000 | N'000 |
| Balance as at 1st January 2023 | 2,348,030 | 35,008 | 4,755,307 | (2,275,646) | 145,522 | (15,546) | 4,456,778 | 9,449,45 |
| Profit /(Loss) for the Period Negative retained earnings written off Impact of balance sheet restructuring | - | | | 77,672 | | | (57,452) | 20,22 |
| Other Comprehensive Income | - | - | | - | | | | - |
| airvalue loss in the year | | | | | | 15,546 | | 15,54 |
| levaluation gain on intangible asset | | | | | | | | - |
| otal Comprehensive Profit | - | - | - | 77,672 | - | 15,546 | (57,452) | 35,76 |
| ransactions with owners recorded directly in equity: | | - | | - | | | | - |
| Balance Adjustment on Beginning Balance Equity | | | | - | | | | - |
| Shares disposed during the year | | - | | - | | | 182,130 | - 182,13 |
| Balance as at 31 December 2023 | 2,348,030 | 35,008 | 4,755,307 | (2,197,974) | 145,522 | | 4,581,456 | 9,667,34 |

| Group | Issued Share capital N'000 | Share Premium N'000 | Revaluation Reserve N'000 | Retained Earnings N'000 | Capital Reserve N'000 | Fairvalue Reserve N'000 | Non- controlling Interest N'000 | Total N'000 |
|--|----------------------------------|---------------------------|---------------------------------|-------------------------------|-----------------------------|-------------------------------|--|----------------|
| Balance as at 1st January 2024 | 2,348,030 | 35,008 | 4,755,307 | (2,197,974) | 145,522 | - | 4,581,456 | 9,667,349 |
| Profit /(Loss) for the Period Other Comprehensive Income | - | - | | 91,608 - | | | 54,965 | 146,572 - |
| Fairvalue loss in the year Revaluation gain on intangible asset | | | | | | | | - |
| Total Comprehensive income | | - | - | 91,608 | - | - | 54,965 | 146,572 |
| Transactions with owners recorded directly in equity: | - | - | | - | | | | - |
| Balance Adjustment on Beginning Balance Equity | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Balance as at 31 March, 2024 | 2,348,030 | 35,008 | 4,755,307 | (2,106,367) | 145,522 | - | 4,636,421 | 9,813,921 |

Chams Holding Company Plc Unaudited Consolidated and Separate Statement of Equity As at 31st March 2024

| Company | Issued Share capital | Share Premium | Revaluation Reserve | Retained Earnings | Fairvalue Reserve | Total |
|---|-------------------------|------------------|------------------------|----------------------|----------------------|-------------|
| | N'000 | N'000 | N'000 | N'000 | N'000 | N'000 |
| Balance as at 1st January 2023 | 2,348,030 | 35,008 | 1,463,364 | (102,321) | (15,546) | 3,728,535 |
| Profit /(Loss) for the Period Other Comprehensive Income | - | _ | | 17,534 | | 17,534 - |
| Fairvalue loss in the year | | | | | 15,546 | 15,546 |
| Revaluation gain on intangible asset | | | | | | - |
| Total Comprehensive Profit | - | - | - | 17,534 | 15,546 | 33,080 |
| Transactions with owners recorded directly in equity: | | - | | | | - |
| Balance Adjustment on Beginning Balance Equity | _ | - | | - | | - |
| · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · | | | | - | | |
| Balance as at 31 December 2023 | 2,348,030 | 35,008 | 1,463,364 | (84,787) | - | 3,761,615 |

| Company | Issued Share capital N'000 | Share Premium N'000 | Revaluation Reserve N'000 | Retained Earnings N'000 | Fairvalue Reserve N'000 | Total N'000 |
|---|----------------------------------|---------------------------|---------------------------------|-------------------------------|-------------------------------|----------------|
| Balance as at 1st January 2024 | 2,348,030 | 35,008 | 1,463,364 | (84,787) | - | 3,761,615 |
| Profit /(Loss) for the Period Other Comprehensive Income | - | - | | (191,605) | | (191,605) |
| Total Comprehensive Loss | - | - | - | (191,605) | | (191,605 |
| Transactions with owners recorded directly in equity: | - | - | | - | | - |
| | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Balance as at 31 March, 2024 | 2,348,030 | 35,008 | 1,463,364 | (276,392) | - | 3,570,010 |

CHAMS HOLDING COMPANY PLC

Consolidated and Separate Statement of Cashflows

For the period ended 31st March 2024

| For the period ended 31st March 2024 | | | | |
|--|-------------|-------------|-----------|-----------|
| | Grou | up | Compa | any |
| | 2024 | 2023 | 2024 | 2023 |
| | N'000 | N'000 | N'000 | N'000 |
| Cash flows from operating activities | | 20.220 | (| 17 524 |
| Profit/(loss) after tax | 146,572 | 20,220 | (191,605) | 17,534 |
| Adjustment for: Depreciation of property, plant and equipment | 43,149 | 187,278 | 12,781 | 90,027 |
| Depreciation of right-of-use-assets | -5,175 | 6,820 | 12,701 | |
| Amortisation of intangible assets | | 5,354 | | - |
| Impairment (write back)/charge on financial assets | | 225,809 | | - |
| Impairment write back on trade and other receivables | | (69,945) | | (39,406) |
| Impairment on other financial assets | | (251) | | - |
| Write off trade and other receivables | | (127,642) | | (27,626) |
| Other movement in trade and other receivables | | 62,972 | | - |
| Other adjustment to the property, plant and equipment | | 13,181 | | 2,422 |
| Gain from disposal of investment (Note 8) | | (451,563) | | (451,563) |
| Profit on disposal of property, plant and equipment | | (545) | | (53) |
| Interest income | (10,107) | (115,116) | | (4,921) |
| Finance cost | 20,519 | 237,127 | 18,799 | 114,687 |
| Deferred taxation | 20,020 | - | 20,7.55 | - |
| Tax expense | 250,001 | 226,930 | 44,217 | 7,631 |
| · · · · · | 450,134 | 220,629 | (115,808) | (291,268) |
| Changes in operating assets and liabilities | | | | |
| Inventories | (1,458,918) | (1,997,472) | - | - |
| Trade and other receivables | (360,044) | (575,575) | (16,258) | (142,242) |
| Deferred income | 116,880 | 24,057 | | - |
| Trade and other payables | 1,480,968 | 2,897,469 | 258,941 | 26,717 |
| Tax paid | (90,658) | (35,187) | (19,138) | (4,302) |
| Withholding tax credit notes | | - | | - |
| Net cash from/(used in) operating activities | 138,362 | 533,921 | 107,737 | (411,095) |
| Cash flows from investing activities | | | | |
| Purchase of right-of-use assets | | (1,320) | | - |
| Proceeds from sale of property, plant and equipment | | 1,738 | | 53 |
| Purchase of property, plant and equipment | (15,774) | (276,570) | (1,794) | (1,187) |
| Acquisition of intangible assets | 13,270 | (208,328) | | - |
| Sales of investment in subsidiaries | | 636,629 | | 636,629 |
| Interest income | 10,107 | 115,116 | | 4,921 |
| Net cash from/(used in)/from investing activities | 7,603 | 267,265 | (1,794) | 640,416 |
| Cash flows from financing activities | | | | |
| Proceeds from loans and borrowings | | 693,969 | | 693,969 |
| Repayment of loans and borrowings | (174,551) | (1,237,128) | (38,463) | (939,306) |
| Lease liabilities | | (10,680) | | - |
| Interest paid | (20,519) | | (18,799) | |
| Net cash (used in)/from financing activities | (195,070) | (553,839) | (57,262) | (245,337) |
| Increase/(decrease) in cash and cash equivalents | (49,105) | 247,347 | 48,681 | (16,016) |
| Cash and cash equivalents at the beginning of the year | 1,912,636 | 1,648,402 | 2,736 | 2,736 |
| Cash and cash equivalents at the end of the year | 1,863,531 | 1,895,749 | 51,417 | (13,280) |
| cush and cush equivalents at the end of the year | 1,003,331 | 1,000,749 | 51/71/ | (13,230) |

Chams Holding Company Plc and Its Subsidiaries NOTES TO UNAUDITED CONSOLIDATED AND SEPARATE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS for the period ended March 31st, 2024

| _ | N '000 |
|---|--|
| Revenue Printer Solutions and Access | 2,401,945 |
| Card personalisation & Printing | 43,453 |
| ······································ | 908,141 |
| | 117,382 |
| | 3,470,921 |
| Intercompany Sales | 3,470,921 |
| | <u> </u> |
| COST OF SALES | |
| Printer Solutions and Access | 1,723,193 |
| Card personalisation & Printing | 722,237 |
| Payment Systems Solutions | 10,155 |
| Agency banking, mobile money operation | 38,471 |
| | 2,494,056 |
| OTHER INCOME | |
| | 19,732 |
| | 2,832 |
| | 1.033 |
| | 276 |
| chain Switch | 23,873 |
| | |
| | 200,821 |
| Chams Access | 150,465 |
| Card Centre | 123,028 |
| Chams Switch | 61,423 |
| ChamsMobile | 58,016 |
| | 593,753 |
| | Card personalisation & Printing Payment Systems Solutions Agency banking, mobile money operation Intercompany Sales COST OF SALES Printer Solutions and Access Card personalisation & Printing Payment Systems Solutions Agency banking, mobile money operation OTHER INCOME Chams Holding Company Plc Chams Access: Sundry Card Centre Cham Switch |

| FINANCE EXPENSE | |
|---------------------------|--------|
| | 10 700 |
| Chams Holding Company Plc | 18,799 |
| Chams Access | 1,590 |
| ChamsSwitch | 130 |
| | 20,519 |
| Finance Income | |

| Finance Income | |
|---------------------------|--------|
| Interest on Fixed Deposit | 10,107 |
| Net | 10,412 |
| | |

NOTES TO UNAUDITED CONSOLIDATED AND SEPARATE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS for the period ended March 31st, 2023 (Continued)

| 6 | PROPERTY, PLANT & EQUIPMENT Chams Holding Company Plc | 1,612,118 |
|----|--|----------------------------|
| | Chams Access | 95,185 |
| | Card Centre | 584,829 |
| | ChamsSwitch | 32,963 |
| | ChamsMobile | 14,634 2,339,729 |
| | | 2,339,729 |
| 7 | Intangible Asset | |
| | ChamsAccess | 4,219 |
| | Chams Switch | 4,294,038 |
| | ChamsMobile | 2,969,873 |
| | Cardcentre | 66,372 |
| | | 7,334,502 |
| 8 | INVENTORIES/ WORK IN PROGRESS | |
| | Chams Access | 249,155 |
| | Card Centre | 2,443,434 |
| | Chams Switch ChamsMobile | 14,937 |
| | Champeroblic | 2,707,526 |
| | | |
| 9 | RECEIVABLES TRADE & OTHER RECEIVABLES | |
| | Chams Holding Company Plc | 311,453 |
| | Chams Access | 3,442,142 |
| | Card Centre | 583,422 |
| | Chams Switch | 180,211 |
| | ChamsMobile | 133,666 |
| | | 4,650,894 |
| 10 | Loan term loan | |
| | Chams Holding Company Plc | 698,806 |
| | Card Centre | 75,852 |
| | | 774,658 |
| 11 | Trade & Other Payables | |
| | Chams Holding Company Plc | 1,874,931 |
| | Chams Access | 1,824,111 |
| | Card Centre | 3,520,873 |
| | Chams Switch | 273,304 |
| | ChamsMobile | 163,541 |
| | | 7,656,760 |
| 12 | Deposit for Share | |
| 12 | Card Centre | 108,931 |
| | Cham Switch | 193,352 |
| | | 302,283 |
| | | |

| 13 (i) | Retained Earning Non Controlling Interest B/F Profit Attributable to NCI Total NCI | 4,581,456 54,965 4,636,421 |
|-----------|---|--|
| (ii) | Parent Retained Earnings Attributable to the Parent B/F Attributable to the Parent for the Period Total Retained Earnings for the Group | (2,197,974) 91,608 (2,106,367) |

NOTES TO UNAUDITED CONSOLIDATED AND SEPARATE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS for the period ended March 31st, 2024 (Continued)

14 Cash and Cash Equivalents

| Chams Holding Company Plc | 51,417 |
|---------------------------|-----------|
| Chams Access | 53,646 |
| Card Centre | 663,388 |
| Chams Switch | 34,405 |
| ChamsMobile | 1,060,676 |
| | 1,863,531 |
| | |

1 General Information

Chams Holding Company Plc (The Company) was incorporated as a limited liability Company on 10 September 1985 and became a public Company on 4 September 2008. The Company was listed on the floor of the Nigerian Stock Exchange on 8 September 2008. The principal activities of Chams Holding Company Plc and its subsidiaries (The Group) include identity management, payment collections and transactional systems. The Company's registered office is located at 8, Louis Solomon Close, Victoria Island, Iagos.

2 Basis of Preparation

These unaudited interim financial statements for the Three months ended 31st March, 2024 have been prepared in accordance with IAS 34. 'Interim financial reporting'. The interim financial statements should be read in conjunction with the annual financial statements for the year ended 31 December 2023, which have been in accordance with IFRS.

3 Significant accounting policies

The accounting policies adopted are consistent with those of the previous financial year

4 Estimates

The preparation of interim financial statements requires management to make judgements, estimates and assumptions that affect the application of accounting policies and the reported amounts of assets and liabilities, income and expenses. Actual results may differ from these estimates.

In preparing these condensed interim financial statements, the significant judgements made by managment in applying the group's accounting policies and the key sources of estimation uncertainty were the same as those that applied to the financial statements for the year ended 31 December 2023

5 Revenue recognition

Revenue is recognised when it is probable that the economic benefits associated with the transaction will flow to the enterprise and the amount of the revenue can be measured reliably. Revenue is the fair value of the consideration received net of taxes and discounts. Revenue from sales of goods is recognised when delivery has taken place and transfer of risks and reward of ownership has been completed. Revenue from service rendered is recognised immediately the service is completed and a service delivery form is issued. When services are provided in phases, revenue is recognised on completion of each phase of the project.

6 Property, plant and equipment

Items of property. Plant and equipment are initially recognised at cost. As well as the purchase price, cost includes directly atttributable costs and the estimated present value of any future unavoidable costs of dismanting and removing items. The corresponding liability is recognised within provisions.

7 Cash and Cash equivalent

Cash and Cash equivalents include cash in hand, deposits held at call with banks, other short term highly liquid investments with original maturities of three months or less. For the purpose of the statement of Cashflows bank overdrafts are shown within loans and borrowings in current liabilities on the consolidated statement of financial position.

Security Trading Policy

The Board and Directors has approved a Securities Trading Policy which prescribes a code of behaviour for Directors, management of the company, external advisers and other related persons in possession of market related information.

The code prohibits these persons from dealing in the company's securities during closed periods in accordance with the Provisions of the Investments and Securities Act and post listing Rules of the Nigerian Stock Exchange. All insiders are notified of closed periods through written or electronic communication from the Company Secretary. The Securities Trading Policy is available on the Company website.