### Ali Al-Ghanim Sons Automotive Company K.S.C.P and its Subsidiaries

### INTERIM CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL INFORMATION (UNAUDITED)

### 31 MARCH 2024

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# **REPORT ON REVIEW OF THE INTERIM CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL INFORMATION TO THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF ALI AL-GHANIM SONS AUTOMOTIVE COMPANY K.S.C.P.**

#### Introduction

We have reviewed the accompanying interim condensed consolidated statement of financial position of Ali Al-Ghanim Sons Automotive Company K.S.C.P. (the "Parent Company") and its subsidiaries (collectively, the "Group") as at 31 March 2024, and the related interim condensed consolidated statement of profit or loss, interim condensed consolidated statement of comprehensive income, interim condensed consolidated statement of consolidated statement of cash flows for the three month period then ended. Management is responsible for the preparation and presentation of this interim condensed consolidated financial information in accordance with International Accounting Standard 34 *Interim Financial Reporting* ("IAS 34"). Our responsibility is to express a conclusion on this interim condensed consolidated financial information based on our review.

#### Scope of Review

We conducted our review in accordance with International Standard on Review Engagements 2410, *"Review of Interim Financial Information Performed by the Independent Auditor of the Entity"*. A review of interim financial information consists of making inquiries, primarily of persons responsible for financial and accounting matters, and applying analytical and other review procedures. A review is substantially less in scope than an audit conducted in accordance with International Standards on Auditing and consequently does not enable us to obtain assurance that we would become aware of all significant matters that might be identified in an audit. Accordingly, we do not express an audit opinion.

#### Conclusion

Based on our review, nothing has come to our attention that causes us to believe that the accompanying interim condensed consolidated financial information is not prepared, in all material respects, in accordance with IAS 34.

#### **Report on Other Legal and Regulatory Requirements**

Furthermore, based on our review, the interim condensed consolidated financial information is in agreement with the books of account of the Parent Company. We further report that, to the best of our knowledge and belief, we have not become aware of any violations of the Companies Law No. 1 of 2016, as amended, and its executive regulations, as amended, or of the Parent Company's Memorandum of Incorporation and Articles of Association, during the three-month period ended 31 March 2024, that might have had a material effect on the business of the Parent Company or on its financial position.

We further report that, during the course of our review, to the best of our knowledge and belief, we have not become aware of any violations of the provisions of Law No 7 of 2010 concerning establishment of Capital Markets Authority ("CMA") and organisation of security activity and its executive regulations as amended during the three-month period ended 31 March 2024, that might have had a material effect on the business of the Parent Company or on its financial position.

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9 May 2024 Kuwait

## INTERIM CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF PROFIT OR LOSS (UNAUDITED)

For the period ended 31 March 2024

		Three months ended 31 March			
	Notes	2024 KD	2023 KD		
Revenue from contracts with customers Vehicle lease income	3	63,105,131 1,121,895	62,020,671 1,091,630		
Revenue Cost of sales and services rendered		64,227,026 (48,727,938)	63,112,301 (47,876,911)		
GROSS PROFIT		15,499,088	15,235,390		
Other operating income Selling and distribution expenses Administrative expenses		213,675 (4,826,948) (2,832,992)	117,338 (4,500,374) (3,301,590)		
Operating profit		8,052,823	7,550,764		
Finance costs Share of results of equity-accounted investees	7	(666,785) 531,088	(326,282) (232,998)		
PROFIT BEFORE TAX		7,917,126	6,991,484		
Taxation	5	(510,577)	(450,841)		
PROFIT FOR THE PERIOD		7,406,549	6,540,643		
Attributable to: Equity holders of the Parent Company Non-controlling interests		6,316,568 1,089,981 7,406,549	5,990,604 550,039 6,540,643		
BASIC AND DILUTED EARNINGS PER SHARE ATTRIBUTABLE TO ORDINARY EQUITY HOLDERS OF THE PARENT COMPANY (FILS)	6	23.05	21.86		

## INTERIM CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF COMPREHENSIVE INCOME (UNAUDITED)

For the period ended 31 March 2024

	Three months ended 31 March		
	2024 KD	2023 KD	
PROFIT FOR THE PERIOD	7,406,549	6,540,643	
<b>Other comprehensive (loss) income</b> Other comprehensive (loss) income that may be reclassified to profit or loss in subsequent periods:			
Cash flow hedges – effective portion of changes in fair value	-	613,898	
Cost of hedging reserve – changes in fair value	-	(64,075)	
Cost of hedging reserve – amortised to profit or loss	-	130,405	
Net gain on cash flow hedges		680,228	
Net exchange differences on translation of foreign operations	(6,099,429)	(119,687)	
Other comprehensive (loss) income that may be reclassified to profit or loss in subsequent periods	(6,099,429)	560,541	
Other comprehensive income (loss) that will not be reclassified to profit or loss in subsequent periods: Net gain (loss) on equity instruments designated at fair value through other comprehensive income	28,000	(3,500)	
Other comprehensive income (loss) that will not be reclassified to profit or loss in subsequent periods	28,000	(3,500)	
Other comprehensive (loss) income for the period	(6,071,429)	557,041	
TOTAL COMPREHENSIVE INCOME FOR THE PERIOD	1,335,120	7,097,684	
Attributable to:			
Equity holders of the Parent Company	3,233,627	6,560,444	
Non-controlling interests	(1,898,507)	537,240	
	1,335,120	7,097,684	

### INTERIM CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION (UNAUDITED)

As at 31 March 2024

ASSETS	Notes	31 March 2024 KD	(Audited) 31 December 2023 KD	31 March 2023 KD
Non-current assets Property, plant, and equipment Intangible assets Medium-term receivables Investment in equity-accounted investees Financial assets at fair value through other comprehensive income	7	110,638,532 79,125 824,421 11,307,654 637,000	109,949,266 75,989 972,529 12,262,937 609,000	102,360,119 205,902 649,780 2,721,472 462,000
Current assets		123,486,732	123,869,721	106,399,273
Inventories Accounts receivable and prepayments Receivables from related parties Cash and short-term deposits	12 8	74,174,699 10,547,886 6,606,174 19,600,762	63,292,109 8,851,965 6,688,528 20,480,145	48,879,504 8,519,102 7,314,930 23,698,816
		110,929,521	99,312,747	88,412,352
TOTAL ASSETS		234,416,253	223,182,468	194,811,625
EQUITY AND LIABILITIES Equity Share capital		27,750,000	27,750,000	27,750,000
Statutory reserve Treasury shares Treasury shares reserve	9	7,676,188 (3,011,204) 5,139	7,676,188 (3,011,204) 5,139	4,676,367 (2,954,654) 5,139
Asset revaluation surplus Cash flow hedge reserve Cost of hedging reserve		31,508,181	31,508,181	31,508,181 463,209 (42,386)
Fair value reserve Foreign currency translation reserve Other reserves Retained earnings	17	162,283 (4,270,935) 1,196,343 15,159,219	134,283 (1,159,994) 1,196,343 18,432,439	(12,717) (427,652) 1,196,343 8,533,127
Equity attributable to equity holders of the Parent Company Non-controlling interests		76,175,214 6,895,140	82,531,375 9,897,447	70,694,957 6,449,133
Total equity		83,070,354	92,428,822	77,144,090
<b>Non-current liabilities</b> Islamic finance payables Employees' end of service benefits	10	28,544,298 6,006,416	29,048,163 5,845,787	15,651,657 5,606,983
Accounts payable and accruals	11	14,598,426	16,383,512	12,502,927
		49,149,140	51,277,462	33,761,567
Current liabilities Islamic finance payables	10	1,337,778	4,459,073	2,822,989
Accounts payable and accruals	11	88,902,001	65,336,472	75,221,369
Payables to related parties	12	11,956,980	9,680,639	5,861,610
Total liabilities		102,196,759	79,476,184	83,905,968
TOTAL EQUITY AND LIABILITIES		234,416,253	223,182,468	194,811,625
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**Eng. Fahad Ali Mohammed Thunayan Al-Ghanim** *Chairman* The attached notes 1 to 17 form part of this interim condensed consolidated financial information.

### Ali Al-Ghanim Sons Automotive Company K.S.C.P. and its Subsidiaries

#### INTERIM CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN EQUITY (UNAUDITED) For the period ended 31 March 2024

					Attributable	e to equity holde	ers of the Paren	t Company						
	Share capital KD	Statutory reserve KD	Treasury shares KD	Treasury shares reserve KD	Asset revaluation surplus KD	Cash flow hedge reserve KD	Cost of hedging reserve KD	Fair value reserve KD	Foreign currency translation reserve KD	Other reserves KD	Retained earnings KD	Sub-total KD	Non- controlling interests KD	Total equity KD
As at 1 January 2024 (Audited) Profit for the period Other comprehensive income (loss) for the	27,750,000	7,676,188 -	(3,011,204)	5,139 -	31,508,181 -	-	-	134,283 -	( <b>1,159,994</b> ) -	1,196,343 -	<b>18,432,439</b> 6,316,568	<b>82,531,375</b> 6,316,568	<b>9,897,447</b> 1,089,981	<b>92,428,822</b> 7,406,549
period	-	-	-	-	-	-		28,000	(3,110,941)	-	-	(3,082,941)	(2,988,488)	(6,071,429)
Total comprehensive income (loss) for the period Dividends to equity	_	-	-	-	-	-	-	28,000	(3,110,941)	-	6,316,568	3,233,627	(1,898,507)	1,335,120
holders of the Parent Company (Note 13)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(9,589,788)	(9,589,788)	-	(9,589,788)
Dividends to non- controlling interests	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(1,103,800)	(1,103,800)
At 31 March 2024	27,750,000	7,676,188	(3,011,204)	5,139	31,508,181	-	-	162,283	(4,270,935)	1,196,343	15,159,219	76,175,214	6,895,140	83,070,354

### Ali Al-Ghanim Sons Automotive Company K.S.C.P. and its Subsidiaries

### INTERIM CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN EQUITY (UNAUDITED) (continued) For the period ended 31 March 2024

	Attributable to equity holders of the Parent Company													
	Share capital KD	Statutory reserve KD	Treasury shares KD	Treasury shares reserve KD	Asset revaluation surplus KD	Cash flow hedge reserve KD	Cost of hedging reserve KD	Fair value reserve KD	Foreign currency translation reserve KD	Other reserves KD	Retained earnings KD	Sub-total KD	Non- controlling interests KD	Total equity KD
As at 1 January 2023 (Audited) Profit for the period Other comprehensive income (loss) for the	27,750,000	4,676,367 -	(2,954,654)	5,139 -	31,508,181 -	(591,721)	(110,857)	(9,217)	(365,807)	1,196,343 -	11,860,187 5,990,604	72,963,961 5,990,604	6,702,293 550,039	79,666,254 6,540,643
period	-	-	-	-	-	566,714	68,471	(3,500)	(61,845)	-	-	569,840	(12,799)	557,041
Total comprehensive income (loss) for the period Transfer of cash flow hedge reserve to	-	-	-	-	-	566,714	68,471	(3,500)	(61,845)	-	5,990,604	6,560,444	537,240	7,097,684
inventories	-	-	-	-	-	488,216	-	-	-	-	-	488,216	(10,160)	478,056
Dividends to equity holders of the Parent Company (Note 13) Dividends to non- controlling interests	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(9,317,664)	(9,317,664)	- (780,240)	(9,317,664)
At 31 March 2023	27,750,000	4,676,367	(2,954,654)	5,139	31,508,181	463,209	(42,386)	(12,717)	(427,652)	1,196,343	8,533,127	70,694,957	6,449,133	77,144,090

# INTERIM CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS (UNAUDITED)

For the period ended 31 March 2024

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N	otes -	2024 KD	2023 KD
OPERATING ACTIVITIES	0100		ne
Profit before tax		7,917,126	6,991,484
Adjustments to reconcile profit before tax to net cash flows:			
Gain on disposal of property, plant and equipment Gain on derecognition of leases		(12,544)	(73) (74)
-	4	1,719,044	1,778,852
Amortisation of intangible assets		6,556	17,389
	7	(531,088)	232,998
Charge of provision for old and obsolete inventories	4	114,444	304,816
Allowance for (reversal of) provision for expected credit losses on trade			
receivables	4	109,288	(25,220)
Provision for employees' end of service benefits		279,722	170,721
Finance costs on Islamic finance payables		595,573	279,771
Interest expense on lease liabilities		71,212	46,511
		10,269,333	9,797,175
Working capital adjustments:		(10 724 (27)	4 09 4 2 4 7
Inventories		(10,734,627)	4,084,247
Medium term receivables		148,108	303,040
Accounts receivable and prepayments		(1,796,445)	1,675,495
Receivables from related parties		82,354	(263,065)
Payables to related parties		(2,646)	(36,208)
Accounts payable and accruals		11,908,458	(4,689,805)
Cash flows from operations		9,874,535	10,870,879
Employees' end of service benefits paid		(119,093)	(15,374)
Taxes paid		(52,564)	(186,091)
Net cash flows from operating activities		9,702,878	10,669,414
INVESTING ACTIVITIES			
Purchase of property, plant and equipment		(2,606,124)	(1,947,030)
Proceeds from disposal of property, plant and equipment		80,699	26,503
Purchase of intangible assets		(9,692)	-
Net movement in receivables from related parties		-	(3,215,855)
Net payments made to investment in equity accounted investee	7	(4,605,375)	-
Net cash flows used in investing activities		(7,140,492)	(5,136,382)
FINANCING ACTIVITIES			
Proceeds from Islamic finance payables		2,350,000	2,700,000
Repayment of Islamic finance payables		(6,248,380)	(829,673)
Dividends paid to non-controlling interests		(858,715)	(317,640)
Net movement in payables to related parties		2,278,987	1,588,238
Dividends paid to equity holders of the Parent Company		(3,434)	(35,703)
Finance costs paid on Islamic finance payables		(595,573)	(279,771)
Payment of lease liabilities		(629,894)	(569,162)
Net cash flows (used in) from financing activities		(3,707,009)	2,256,289

## INTERIM CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS (UNAUDITED) (CONTINUED)

For the period ended 31 March 2024

	Notes	Three months ended 31 March			
	_	2024 KD	2023 KD		
NET (DECREASE) INCREASE IN CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS		(1,144,623)	7,789,321		
Cash and cash equivalents at 1 January Net foreign exchange difference		20,480,145 (7,980)	14,908,263 1,232		
CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS AT 31 MARCH	8	19,327,542	22,698,816		

#### Non-cash items excluded from the interim condensed consolidated statement of cash flows:

Effective portion of gain on hedging instruments (adjusted with accounts receivable and prepayments) 16	_	660.234
Additions to lease liabilities (adjusted with accounts payable and accruals)	197.581	1.137.653
Additions to right-of-use assets (adjusted with property, plant and equipment)	(197,581)	(1,137,653)
Investment in equity-accounted investees (adjusted with amounts due from related		
parties)	-	(10,360)
Dividends payable to non-controlling interests (adjusted with accounts payable and		
accruals)	(245,085)	(462,600)
Modification of right-of-use assets (adjusted property, plant and equipment)	58,394	(38,845)
Modification of lease liabilities (adjusted with accounts payable and accruals)	(58,394)	38,845
Derecognition of right-of-use assets (adjusted property, plant and equipment)	-	229,846
Derecognition of lease liabilities (adjusted with accounts payable and accruals)	-	(229,920)
Transfer of property, plant and equipment from (to) inventories (net) - (adjusted with		
property, plant and equipment)	262,951	445,139
Transfer of property, plant and equipment (from) to inventories (net) - (adjusted with		
inventories)	(262,951)	(445,139)

As at and for the period ended 31 March 2024

#### 1 CORPORATE INFORMATION

The interim condensed consolidated financial information of Ali Al-Ghanim Sons Automotive Company K.S.C.P. (the "Parent Company") and its Subsidiaries (collectively, the "Group") for the three months ended 31 March 2024 was authorised for issue in accordance with a resolution of the Parent Company's Board of Directors on 9 May 2024.

The shareholders of the Parent Company at the annual general assembly meeting ("AGM") held on 28 March 2024 approved the consolidated financial statements for the year ended 31 December 2023. Dividends proposed and paid by the Group for the year then ended are provided in Note 13.

The Parent Company was a closed Kuwaiti shareholding Company registered and incorporated in the State of Kuwait on 24 July 2018. The Group has set its initial public offering price to float a 45-percent stake and filed to list on Boursa Kuwait. The Board of Commissioners of Kuwait Capital Markets Authority ("CMA") approved the listing of the Parent Company on Boursa Kuwait in the Premier Market on 28 April 2022. The Parent Company's shares were listed in the Premier Market of Boursa Kuwait on 7 June 2022. The shareholders of the Parent Company in the extraordinary general assembly meeting ("EGM") held on 6 July 2022 approved the change in the legal name to Ali Al-Ghanim Sons Automotive Company K.S.C.P. The changes in the articles and memorandum of association were authenticated in the commercial register on 25 July 2022 under registration number 399347.

The Parent Company is a subsidiary of Ali Alghanim Sons Holding Company K.S.C. (Closed) (the "Ultimate Parent Company").

The registered postal address of the Parent Company is P.O. Box 21540, Safat 13076, Kuwait City.

The Parent Company's primary objectives are as follows:

- Selling and purchasing cars and its spare parts.
- Renting cars
- ▶ Importing and exporting light and heavy vehicles and cars.
- Maintaining and renting light and heavy vehicles and cars.
- ▶ Trading of auto spare parts, renting equipment and their maintenance.
- ► The Parent Company may have interest or participate, in any respect, with entities which embark on businesses similar to its businesses and which may help it to achieve its objects in Kuwait or abroad; and it shall have the right to purchase these entities.
- Possessing movables and real estate necessary for undertaking its activity within the limitation allowed by the law.
- Utilising the financial surpluses available with the Parent Company by means of investing them in financial portfolios to be managed by specialised companies and authorities.
- Selling and purchasing the shares and bonds only for its account.

## 2 BASIS OF PREPARATION AND CHANGES TO THE GROUP'S MATERIAL ACCOUNTING POLICY INFORMATION

#### 2.1 Basis of preparation

The interim condensed consolidated financial information of the Group for the three months ended 31 March 2024 has been prepared in accordance with International Accounting Standard 34: *"Interim Financial Reporting"* ("IAS 34"). The Group has prepared the interim condensed consolidated financial information on the basis that it will continue to operate as a going concern. Management consider that there are no material uncertainties that may cast significant doubt over this assumption. They have formed a judgement that there is a reasonable expectation that the Group has adequate resources to continue in operational existence for the foreseeable future, and not less than 12 months from the date of the approval of the interim condensed consolidated financial information for the three months ended 31 March 2024.

The interim condensed consolidated financial information does not contain all information and disclosures required for full consolidated financial statements prepared in accordance with the International Financial Reporting Standards ("IFRS") and should be read in conjunction with the Group's annual consolidated financial statements for the year ended 31 December 2023.

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#### 2 BASIS OF PREPARATION AND CHANGES TO THE GROUP'S MATERIAL ACCOUNTING POLICY INFORMATION (continued)

#### 2.1 Basis of preparation (continued)

Certain prior period amounts have been reclassified and regrouped to conform to the current period presentation. There is no effect of these reclassifications and regroupings on the previously reported equity as at 31 December 2023 and 31 March 2023 and profit for the periods then ended. Such reclassifications have been made to improve the quality of information presented.

#### 2.2 New standards, interpretations, and amendments adopted by the Group

The accounting policies adopted in the preparation of the interim condensed consolidated financial information are consistent with those followed in the preparation of the Group's annual consolidated financial statements for the year ended 31 December 2023, except for the adoption of new standards effective as of 1 January 2024. The Group has not early adopted any standard, interpretation or amendment that has been issued but is not yet effective.

Several amendments and interpretations apply for the first time in 2024, but do not have an impact on the interim condensed consolidated financial information of the Group.

#### Supplier Finance Arrangements – Amendments to IAS 7 and IFRS 7

In May 2023, the IASB issued amendments to IAS 7 *Statement of Cash Flows* and IFRS 7 *Financial Instruments: Disclosures* to clarify the characteristics of supplier finance arrangements and require additional disclosure of such arrangements. The disclosure requirements in the amendments are intended to assist users of consolidated financial statements in understanding the effects of supplier finance arrangements on an entity's liabilities, cash flows and exposure to liquidity risk.

The transition rules clarify that an entity is not required to provide the disclosures in any interim periods in the year of initial application of the amendments. Thus, the amendments had no impact on the Group's interim condensed consolidated financial information.

#### Lease Liability in a Sale and Leaseback – Amendments to IFRS 16

In September 2022, the IASB issued amendments to IFRS 16 to specify the requirements that a seller-lessee uses in measuring the lease liability arising in a sale and leaseback transaction, to ensure the seller-lessee does not recognise any amount of the gain or loss that relates to the right of use it retains.

The amendments had no impact on the Group's interim condensed consolidated financial information.

#### Classification of Liabilities as Current or Non-current – Amendments to IAS 1

In January 2020 and October 2022, the IASB issued amendments to paragraphs 69 to 76 of IAS 1 to specify the requirements for classifying liabilities as current or non-current. The amendments clarify:

- ▶ What is meant by a right to defer settlement
- ▶ That a right to defer must exist at the end of the reporting period
- ▶ That classification is unaffected by the likelihood that an entity will exercise its deferral right
- ▶ That only if an embedded derivative in a convertible liability is itself an equity instrument, would the terms of a liability not impact its classification

In addition, a requirement has been introduced to require disclosure when a liability arising from a loan agreement is classified as non-current and the entity's right to defer settlement is contingent on compliance with future covenants within twelve months.

The amendments had no impact on the Group's interim condensed consolidated financial information.

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#### 3 REVENUE FROM CONTRACTS WITH CUSTOMERS

#### Disaggregated revenue information

Set out below is the disaggregation of the Group's revenue from contracts with customers:

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	<b>2024</b> 202		
	KD	KD	
Type of goods or service:			
Sales of vehicles and spare parts	59,755,076	58,786,821	
Vehicle inspection, repair and maintenance services	2,917,795	2,814,757	
Insurance brokerage income	432,260	419,093	
Total revenue from contracts with customers	63,105,131	62,020,671	
Geographical markets:			
Kuwait	58,141,254	57,684,494	
Iraq	4,963,877	4,336,177	
Total revenue from contracts with customers	63,105,131	62,020,671	
Timing of revenue recognition:			
Goods transferred at a point in time	59,314,732	58,424,610	
Goods transferred over a period of time	440,344	362,211	
Services rendered at a point in time	3,008,545	2,944,431	
Services rendered over a period of time	341,510	289,419	
Total revenue from contracts with customers	63,105,131	62,020,671	

### NOTES TO THE INTERIM CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL

INFORMATION (UNAUDITED)

As at and for the period ended 31 March 2024

#### 4 **PROFIT FOR THE PERIOD**

The profit for the period is stated after charging:

	Three months ended 31 March		
	2024	2023	
Staff costs included in:	KD	KD	
Cost of sales and services rendered	1,368,124	982,514	
Selling and distribution expenses	753,698	737,794	
Administrative expenses	1,802,629	1,649,762	
	3,924,451	3,370,070	
Expense relating to short term leases included in:			
Cost of sales and services rendered	19,638	4,500	
Selling and distribution expenses	-	1,200	
Administrative expenses	11,385	6,587	
	31,023	12,287	
Costs of inventories recognised as an expense (included in cost of sales and	45 202 140	44 265 040	
services rendered)	45,203,140	44,365,040	
Rental vehicle fleet insurance charges (included in cost of sales and services rendered)	124,561	54,283	
Charge of provision for obsolete and slow-moving inventories included in:			
Cost of sales and services rendered	114,444	304,816	
Allowance for (reversal of) ECL on trade receivables and instalment credit			
receivables included in:	5 295	C 117	
Selling and distribution expenses Administrative expenses	5,285 104,003	6,447 (31,667)	
Administrative expenses		(51,007)	
	109,288	(25,220)	
Depreciation expense recognised included in:			
Cost of sales and services rendered	701,875	653,845	
Selling and distribution expenses	815,769	773,753	
Administrative expenses	201,400	351,254	
	1,719,044	1,778,852	

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#### 5 TAXATION

	Three months ended 31 March		
	2024 KD	2023 KD	
Taxation on overseas subsidiary National Labour Support Tax ("NLST") Zakat Contribution to Kuwait Foundation for the Advances of Sciences ("KFAS")	194,680 176,307 71,864 67,726	154,043 168,009 67,204 61,585	
	510,577	450,841	

#### Pillar 2 Income Taxes

In 2021, OECD's Inclusive Framework (IF) on Base Erosion and Profit Shifting (BEPS) had agreed to a twopillar solution in order to address tax challenges arising from digitalization of the economy. Under Pillar 2, multinational entities whose revenue exceed EUR 750 million are liable to pay corporate income tax at a minimum effective tax rate of 15%.

The jurisdictions in which the Group operates including the State of Kuwait have joined the IF. The Group expects to be liable for the Global Minimum Tax under Pillar 2 of the BEPS regulations starting from the year 2025.

The Group is currently assessing its exposure to the additional income taxes under Pillar 2 regulations. The assessment indicates that a substantial portion of Group's earnings, primarily from Kuwait, Iraq and UAE will be subject to additional income taxes under Pillar 2 regulations. A reasonable estimate of the additional tax cannot be provided at this stage, as the relevant tax legislation is yet to be introduced in Kuwait and some other jurisdictions.

#### 6 BASIC AND DILUTED EARNINGS PER SHARE (EPS)

Basic EPS amounts are calculated by dividing the profit for the period attributable to equity holders of the Parent Company by the weighted average number of ordinary shares outstanding during the period. Diluted EPS is calculated by dividing the profit attributable to ordinary equity holders of the Parent Company by the weighted average number of ordinary shares outstanding during the period plus the weighted average number of ordinary shares that would be issued on conversion of all the dilutive potential ordinary shares into ordinary shares. As there are no dilutive instruments outstanding, basic and diluted EPS are identical.

	Three months ended 31 March		
	2024	2023	
Profit for the period attributable to equity holders of the Parent Company (KD)	6,316,568	5,990,604	
Weighted average number of shares outstanding during the period (shares)*	273,993,954	274,048,954	
Basic and diluted EPS attributable to equity holders of the Parent Company (Fils)	23.05	21.86	

\* The weighted average number of shares takes into account the weighted average effect of changes in treasury shares during the period.

There have been no other transactions involving ordinary shares or potential ordinary shares between the reporting date and the authorisation date of this interim condensed consolidated financial information.

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#### 7 INVESTMENT IN EQUITY-ACCOUNTED INVESTEES

		(Audited)	
	31 March	31 December	31 March
	2024	2023	2023
	KD	KD	KD
As at 1 January	12,262,937	3,065,573	3,065,573
Additions	4,605,375	8,356,256	10,360
Share of profit (loss) for the period	531,088	3,510,835	(232,998)
Other movements	-	(944,194)	-
Exchange differences	(6,091,746)	(1,725,533)	(121,463)
Total equity accounted investments	11,307,654	12,262,937	2,721,472

#### Global Auto S.A.E

At 31 December 2023, the Group capitalised a convertible loan amounting to KD 3,751,256 advanced to Global Auto SAE which was previously included within receivables from related parties. This transaction does not involve any cash out flows at the date of conversion.

#### Auto Mobility For Import Cars LLC

At 31 December 2023, the Group acquired 50% equity interest in Auto Mobility for Import Cars LLC, a joint venture in which the Group has joint control by contributing an amount of KD 4,605,000 (USD 15 million) towards the capital of the investee. The joint venture is not publicly listed and is the official dealership of a renowned automobile brand in the Arab Republic of Egypt.

During the period ended 31 March 2024, the Group made an additional contribution of KD 4,605,375 (USD 15 million) towards the capital of the investee.

#### 8 CASH AND SHORT-TERM DEPOSITS

For the purpose of the interim condensed consolidated statement of cash flows, cash and cash equivalents comprise the following at the reporting date:

	31 March 2024 KD	(Audited) 31 December 2023 KD	31 March 2023 KD
Cash at banks and on hand	18,998,357	17,297,262	15,979,473
Cash held in managed portfolios	602,405	1,682,883	1,219,343
Short-term deposits	-	1,500,000	6,500,000
Cash and short-term deposits	19,600,762	20,480,145	23,698,816
Less: Term deposits with original maturity of more than three months but less than twelve months after the reporting period Bank overdraft	(273,220)	-	(1,000,000)
Cash and cash equivalents	19,327,542	20,480,145	22,698,816

Term deposits are subject to an insignificant risk of changes in value. These are placed with local Islamic financial institutions and earn yields at the respective short-term deposit rates.

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#### 9 TREASURY SHARES

	(Audited)		
	31 March 2024	31 December 2023	31 March 2023
Number of treasury shares	3,506,046	3,506,046	3,451,046
Percentage of total outstanding shares %	1.26%	1.26%	1.24%
Cost (KD)	3,011,204	3,011,204	2,954,654
Market value (KD)	4,095,062	3,702,385	3,174,962
Market value per share (Fils)	1.168	1.056	920

An amount equivalent to the cost of purchase of treasury shares held is not available for distribution during the holding period of such shares as per CMA guidelines.

#### 10 ISLAMIC FINANCE PAYABLES

	31 March 2024 KD	(Audited) 31 December 2023 KD	31 March 2023 KD
Islamic finance payables	29,882,076	33,507,236	18,474,646
Non-current Current	28,544,298 1,337,778	29,048,163 4,459,073	15,651,657 2,822,989
	29,882,076	33,507,236	18,474,646

Islamic finance payables include tawarruq facilities amounting to KD 19,030,013 (31 December 2023: KD 17,412,093; 31 March 2023: KD 12,929,368) which bear finance costs at commercial rates and are secured by a corporate guarantee provided by certain Group entities (Note 12). The remaining Islamic finance payables are unsecured and bear finance costs at commercial rates.

#### 11 ACCOUNTS PAYABLE AND ACCRUALS

		31 March 2024	
	Non-current	Current	Total
	KD	KD	KD
Trade payables	-	41,728,311	41,728,311
Advances from customers	-	13,031,394	13,031,394
Contract liabilities*	9,158,861	4,653,908	13,812,769
Lease liabilities	4,780,049	2,031,163	6,811,212
Accrued expenses	344,518	13,634,141	13,978,659
Dividend payable	_	9,883,988	9,883,988
Other payables	314,998	3,939,096	4,254,094
	14,598,426	88,902,001	103,500,427

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#### 11 ACCOUNTS PAYABLE AND ACCRUALS (continued)

	31 De	31 December 2023 (Audited)		
	Non-current	Current	Total	
	KD	KD	KD	
Trade payables	-	30,602,018	30,602,018	
Advances from customers	-	14,100,419	14,100,419	
Contract liabilities*	9,287,115	4,146,019	13,433,134	
Lease liabilities	5,052,960	2,175,846	7,228,806	
Accrued expenses	-	12,474,484	12,474,484	
Dividend payable	-	52,549	52,549	
Other payables	2,043,437	1,785,137	3,828,574	
	16,383,512	65,336,472	81,719,984	
		31 March 2023		
	Non-current	Current	Total	
	KD	KD	KD	
Trade payables	-	33,119,241	33,119,241	
Advances from customers	-	15,153,541	15,153,541	
Contract liabilities*	8,261,313	3,409,026	11,670,339	
Lease liabilities	4,035,952	1,727,160	5,763,112	
Accrued expenses	138,800	9,456,648	9,595,448	
Dividend payable	-	9,821,065	9,821,065	
Other payables	66,862	2,534,688	2,601,550	
	12,502,927	75,221,369	87,724,296	

\* Contract liabilities represent unsatisfied performance obligations as at the reporting date towards vehicle maintenance services.

#### **RELATED PARTY DISCLOSURES** 12

Related parties represent major shareholders, associates, joint venture, directors and key management personnel of the Group, and entities controlled, jointly controlled or significantly influenced by such parties. Pricing policies and terms of these transactions are approved by the Group's management.

The following table provides the total amount of transactions that have been entered into with related parties during the three months ended 31 March 2024 and 2023, as well as balances with related parties as at 31 March 2024, 31 December 2023 and 31 March 2023:

	Three months ended 31 March	
	2024	2023
	KD	KD
Interim condensed consolidated statement of profit or loss		
Entities under common control		
Sale of goods	76,210	233,924
Rendering of services	821	3,628
Vehicle rental income	4,950	2,798
Administrative expenses	(2,256)	(12,164)
Associate of the Ultimate Parent Company		
Sale of goods	257,472	174,617
Rendering of services	6,940	3,648

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#### 12 RELATED PARTY DISCLOSURES (continued)

		(Audited)	
	31 March	31 December	31 March
	2024	2023	2023
	KD	KD	KD
Consolidated statement of financial position			
Investment in a quoted equity security*	637,000	609,000	462,000
Trade receivables*	996,880	944,684	308,180
Receivables from related parties:			
- Entities under common control /ownership	125,953	224,208	191,767
<ul> <li>Equity-accounted investees**</li> </ul>	6,466,093	6,452,746	7,106,320
- Other related parties	14,128	11,574	16,843
	6,606,174	6,688,528	7,314,930

\* Associate of the Ultimate Parent Company and an entity with common board directorship.

\*\* The balance includes the following:

An amount of KD 6,262,249 (31 December 2023: KD 6,297,566; 31 March 2023: KD 3,213,000) advanced to Global Auto S.A.E. to finance the working capital and other requirements. The amount is not secured, interest free and callable after at least after twelve months from the date of the loan agreement at the discretion of the Group.

		(Audited)	
	31 March	31 December	31 March
	2024	2023	2023
	KD	KD	KD
Payables to related parties:			
Key management personnel	107,520	108,717	1,422
Entities under common control/ownership	11,443	12,598	5,589
Other related parties***	11,838,017	9,559,324	5,854,599
	11,956,980	9,680,639	5,861,610

\*\*\* As at the period end this balance includes an amount payable to the non-controlling investor of German Automotive Holding Limited amounting to KD 11,355,281 (31 December 2023: KD 9,076,295; 31 March 2023: KD 5,359,400).

#### Terms and conditions of transactions with related parties

Transactions with related parties are made on terms approved by the Group's management. All balances at the period-end are unsecured, interest free and have no fixed repayment schedule. For the period ended 31 March 2024, the Group has not recognised any provision for expected credit losses relating to amounts owed by related parties (31 December 2023: Nil ; 31 March 2023: Nil).

#### Other related party disclosures

- ▶ Islamic finance payables include tawarruq facilities amounting to KD 19,030,013 (31 December 2023: KD 17,412,093; 31 March 2023: KD 12,929,368) secured by a corporate guarantee provided by certain Group entities (Note 10).
- Certain related parties provided a corporate guarantee to the Group amounting to KD Nil (31 December 2023: KD Nil; 31 March 2023: KD 14,993,368) in the ordinary course of business.
- ► As at 31 March 2024, the Group provided a corporate guarantee of KD 6,848,076 (31 December 2023: KD 7,018,824; 31 March 2023: KD 6,285,240) in the ordinary course of business to be utilised by a related party (Note 14).

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#### 12 RELATED PARTY DISCLOSURES (continued)

#### Compensation of key management personnel

Key management personnel comprise of the personnel having authority and responsibility for planning, directing and controlling the activities of the Group. The aggregate value of transactions and outstanding balances related to key management personnel were as follows:

	Transaction values for three months period ended 31 March	
	2024 KD	2023 KD
Salaries and short-term benefits End of service benefits	101,359 17,219	120,718 9,180
	118,578	129,898

	Bal	lance outstanding as	at
	31 March	31 December	31 March
	2024	2023	2023
	KD	KD	KD
		(Audited)	
Salaries and short-term benefits	1,130,250	1,121,042	862,058
End of service benefits	489,474	472,255	502,223
Directors' remuneration	85,000	85,000	-
	1,704,724	1,678,297	1,364,281

The Board of Directors of the Parent Company at the meeting held on 20 February 2024 proposed directors' remuneration of KD 85,000 for the year ended 31 December 2023. This proposal was approved by the shareholders at the AGM held on 28 March 2024.

#### 13 DIVIDENDS MADE AND PROPOSED

The Board of Directors of the Parent Company in their meeting held on 20 February 2024 proposed a distribution of a cash dividend of 35 fils per share aggregating to KD 9,589,788 for the year ended 31 December 2023 (2022: 34 fils per share aggregating to KD 9,317,664). The proposed dividends for the year then ended were approved by the shareholders at AGM held on 28 March 2024.

Dividends payable to equity holders of the Parent Company as at 31 March 2024 amounted to KD 9,638,903 (31 December 2023: KD 52,549 and 31 March 2023: KD 9,359,366) and recorded within "accounts payable and accruals" in the interim condensed consolidated statement of financial position.

#### 14 CONTINGENCIES

#### 14.1 Legal claim contingencies

The Group operates in the automotive industry and is subject to legal proceedings in the normal course of business. While it is not practicable to forecast or determine the final results of all pending or threatened legal proceedings, management does not believe that such proceedings (including litigation) will have a material effect on its results and financial position.

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#### 14 CONTINGENCIES (continued)

#### 14.2 Other contingencies

The Group had contingent liabilities in respect of bank guarantees and letters of credit arising in the ordinary course of business amounting to KD 22,293,688 (31 December 2023: KD 19,205,172; 31 March 2023: KD 26,303,081), out of which KD 6,848,076 (31 December 2023: KD 7,018,824; 31 March 2023: KD 6,285,240) is utilised by a related party, from which it is anticipated that no material liability will arise (Note 12).

#### 15 SEGMENT INFORMATION

For management purposes, the Group is divided into four main geographical segments that are: a) State of Kuwait, b) Iraq and c) United Arab Emirates where the Group performs its main activities in the sales of vehicles, spare parts and rendering of services related to vehicle inspection, repair and maintenance services.

#### a) Segment revenue and results

The following tables present revenue and profit information of the Group's operating segments for the three month ended 31 March 2024 and 2023, respectively:

	<b>Revenue</b> Three months ended 31 March		Three months ended		Three mor	ults nths ended Iarch
	2024 KD	2023 KD	2024 KD	2023 KD		
Kuwait Iraq United Arab Emirates Adjustments and eliminations	61,874,066 4,963,877 (2,610,917)	60,888,151 4,336,177 - (2,112,027)	16,568,684 1,098,236 529,714 (10,790,085)	16,852,859 822,488 (59,277) (11,075,427)		
	64,227,026	63,112,301	7,406,549	6,540,643		

#### b) Segment assets and liabilities

The following tables present assets and liabilities information for the Group's operating segments as at 31 March 2024, 31 December 2023 and 31 March 2023, respectively:

	31 March 2024 KD	(Audited) 31 December 2023 KD	31 March 2023 KD
Segment assets			
Kuwait	255,397,108	236,747,456	223,981,712
Iraq	16,286,604	13,897,389	9,875,245
United Arab Emirates	18,144,939	19,089,109	10,220,443
Adjustments and eliminations	(55,412,398)	(46,551,486)	(49,265,775)
Total consolidated segment assets	234,416,253	223,182,468	194,811,625
Segment liabilities			
Kuwait	151,438,235	125,146,601	120,763,185
Iraq	6,624,574	4,587,596	4,495,295
United Arab Emirates	11,362,004	9,084,962	5,369,441
Adjustments and eliminations	(18,078,914)	(8,065,513)	(12,960,386)
Total consolidated segment liabilities	151,345,899	130,753,646	117,667,535

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#### 15 SEGMENT INFORMATION (continued)

#### c) Other profit and loss disclosures

	Share of profit (loss) of equity accounted investees Three months ended 31 March		Cost of inventories recognised as an expense Three months ended 31 March	
	2024 KD	2023 KD	2024 KD	2023 KD
Kuwait Iraq United Arab Emirates*	531,088	(172,527) - (60,471)	41,834,097 3,369,043	41,457,520 2,907,520 -
	531,088	(232,998)	45,203,140	44,365,040

#### d) Other disclosures

(Audited)		
31 March	31 December	31 March
2024	2023	2023
KD	KD	KD
11,307,654	12,262,937	2,721,472
11,307,654	12,262,937	2,721,472
2,592,174	11,396,741	1,867,465
23,642	66,833	79,565
2,615,816	11,463,574	1,947,030
	2024 KD 11,307,654 11,307,654 2,592,174 23,642	31 March       31 December         2024       2023         KD       KD         11,307,654       12,262,937         11,307,654       12,262,937         2,592,174       11,396,741         23,642       66,833

\* In presenting the geographic information, the segment has been based on the country of domicile of the legal entity; geographical location of customers and assets is based in Egypt.

\*\* These represent addition to non-current assets other than financial instruments.

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#### 16 FAIR VALUE OF FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS

The following table provides the fair value measurement hierarchy of the Group's financial instruments:

	Fair va	Fair value measurement using		
31 March 2024	Quoted market prices (Level 1) KD	Significant observable inputs (Level 2) KD	Total KD	
<b>Financial instruments measured at fair value:</b> <i>Financial assets at FVOCI</i>	<b>(25</b> 000			
Quoted equity securities	637,000	-	637,000	
31 December 2023 (Audited)				
Financial instruments measured at fair value: Financial assets at FVOCI				
Quoted equity securities	609,000	-	609,000	
31 March 2023				
Financial instruments measured at fair value: Financial assets at FVOCI				
Quoted equity securities	462,000	-	462,000	
Darivative financial assets				
<i>Derivative financial assets</i> Foreign exchange forward contracts		660,234	660,234	

During the period, there were no transfers between the levels of fair value hierarchy.

The valuation techniques and inputs used in this interim condensed consolidated financial information are consistent with those followed in the preparation of the Group's annual consolidated financial statements for the year ended 31 December 2023.

For other financial assets and financial liabilities carried at amortised cost, the carrying value is not significantly different from their fair value as most of these assets and liabilities are of short-term maturity or are re-priced immediately based on market movement in interest rates. The fair value of financial assets and financial liabilities with a demand feature is not less than its face value.

#### 17 FOREIGN CURRENCY TRANSLATION RESERVE

Exchange differences arising on translation of the foreign operations are recognised in other comprehensive income and accumulated in a separate reserve within equity. The cumulative amount is reclassified to the profit or loss when the net investment is disposed of.

The effects of changes in foreign currency exchange rates during the period as a result of the devaluation of Egyptian Pound (EGP) amounted to KD 3,119,530.

The effect of changes in EGP foreign exchange rate subsequent to period end is immaterial.

The Group does not have a foreign currency hedging policy for EGP.

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