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## DIRECTOR'S REPORT FOR 9 MONTHS ENDED 30 SEPTEMBER 2024

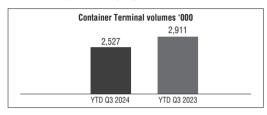
#### Dear Shareholders.

On behalf of the Board of Directors, I have the pleasure of presenting the unaudited consolidated financial results of your company for the period ended 30th Sept 2024 (YTD Sept'24).

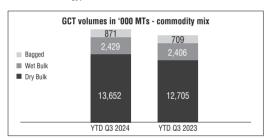
#### **Operational Overview**

The Container Terminal (CT) has handled 2,5 million TEUs (Twenty-foot Equivalent Units) during YTD Sept'24, against 2,9 million TEUs for the same period last year, which is a decrease of 13%. The decrease in volume is mainly attributed to the Red Sea issue.

The General Cargo Terminal (GCT) has handled 16,95 million metric



tons of general cargo during YTD Sept'24 as compared to 15,82 million metric tons same period last year an increase of 7%. The increase in volume is mainly attributed to the higher dry bulk volumes of limestone and gypsum.



#### Financial Overview

Consolidated net profit for YTD Sept'24 was recorded at RO 2,143 million, as compared to the corresponding period last year with a profit of RO 3,137 million. Consolidated EBITDA was recorded at RO 11,224 million YTD Sept'24, as compared to RO 11,369 million during same period last year.

Total Revenue from Operations increased marginally by 1% compared to the same period last year mainly driven by strong GCT volumes which was partly offset by lower container volumes due to the ongoing conflict in the Red Sea.

Particulars (in OMR x 1,000)	9 months ended Sep 30, 2024	9 months ended Sep 30, 2023	Change (2024/2023)
Financials			
Revenue from Operations	52,410	51,835	1%
Other Non-Operational Income	1,594	1,375	16%
Total Revenue	54,004	53,210	1%
Total Expenses	51,861	50,073	-4%
Net Profit after tax	2,143	3,137	-32%
Throughput handled			
Containers in TEU 000's	2,527	2,911	-13%
General cargo Metric Tons 000's	16,952	15,818	7%

Compared to the same period last year the expenses for the first 9 months of 2024 increased by 4%. This is mainly driven by repair and maintenance program, increased royalty fees and more depreciation related to the ongoing upgrade.

#### **Employee Development**

The Company continues to invest in training and development of its workers, with a focus on Omanization and skill development of local talent

Safety continues to be maintained as a top priority to ensure that employees continue to perform and deliver their tasks safely.

### Corporate Social Responsibility (CSR)

The Company is constantly committed to local initiatives with a significant focus on education, Community development, environment, safety, and health.

#### Future Outlook

The Economist Intelligence Unit (EIU) notes positive regional economic growth, driven by oil revenues and infrastructure, but trade tensions and security issues may disrupt key shipping lanes. Despite potential delays and rerouting, especially near Yemen and the Red Sea, the Container Terminal at Port of Salalah remains congestion-free and performs with high efficiency.

Container volume is expected to continue the current performance due to the ongoing conflict in the Red Sea. However, efforts to attract ad hoc vessel calls could partially mitigate the volume loss. By Q1 2025, the terminal will be prepared to receive the Gemini Network, a global vessel-sharing agreement between Maersk and Hapag-Lloyd, with the Port of Salalah serving as a strategic hub. This will coincide with increased terminal capacity becoming available at the same time and volumes are expected to increase as a result of the Gemini Network.

The general cargo outlook is expected to remain stable, with dry bulk commodities, particularly limestone and gypsum, playing a crucial role. Demand for these materials from key markets in India and Southeast Asia, driven by the construction and manufacturing sectors, is likely to remain strong. Despite global economic uncertainties and fluctuating freight rates, these sectors are less vulnerable to short-term demand shocks. Combined with improved performance in breakbulk, such as cement exports, and growth in the liquid segment, volumes are expected to surpass those of the previous year by the end of 2024.

### Conclusion

On behalf of the Board of Directors and the Shareholders of the company, we record sincere appreciation and gratitude to His Majesty Sultan Haitham bin Tariq, for his strategic vision, leadership, and his continued support, without which it would not have been possible to establish and maintain this world-class port.

We also thank our customers, investors, and partners at the Salalah Hub and Ministry of Transport and Communications, and members of the Government bodies we work together with.

We place on record our appreciation for the contributions of all our employees, who continue to perform with high distinction

### On behalf of the Board of Directors,

Braik Musallam Al Amri Chairman of Board of Directors, Salalah Port Services Co. SAOG 13th August 2024

# The complete accounts of the company will be delivered or sent by mail to any shareholder who requests them, in either Arabic or English as requested, within seven days of receipt of the request.

# UNAUDITED CONSOLIDATED AND PARENT STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION AS OF 30TH SEPTEMBER 2024

Parent Company Consolidated			Parent Company		Consolidated			
Sep-2023 US \$ '000	Sep-2024 US \$ '000	Sep-2023 US \$ '000	Sep-2024 US \$ '000		Sep-2024 RO '000	Sep-2023 RO '000	Sep-2024 RO '000	Sep-2023 RO '000
				ASSETS				
1,42,610	1,56,109	1,42,785	1,56,255	Property and equipment	60.042	54,851	60.098	54.917
20,133	51.840	20.189	51.881	Right of use of Assets	19,937	7,744	19,954	7,765
1,332	756	1,332	756	Intangible assets	291	511	291	511
546	546	-	_	Investments in Subsidiary	210	210		-
26.000	49.400	26.000	49.400	Long term deposits	19,000	10,000	19,000	10,000
1,90,621	2,58,651	1,90,306	2,58,292	Non-current assets	99.480	73,316	99.343	73.193
8,816	5,997	8,816	5,997	Inventories	2,307	3,390	2,307	3,390
7,758	9,466	7,758	9,466	Other current assets	3,640	2,984	3,640	2,984
8,693	11,729	8,693	11,729	Trade receivables	4,510	3,343	4,510	3,343
2,870	12,677	2,853	12,677	Other financial assets at amortised cost	4,875	1,104	4,875	1,098
20,601	30,600	20,601	30,600	Short term deposits	11,769	7,923	11,769	7,923
69,374	13,861	69,374	13,862	Cash and cash equivalents	5,331	26,682	5,332	26,682
1,18,112	84,330	1,18,095	84,331	Current assets	32,433	45,426	32,433	45,420
3,08,733	3,42,981	3,08,401	3,42,623	TOTAL ASSETS	1,31,912	1,18,742	1,31,776	1,18,613
				EQUITY				
46,758	46,758	46,758	46,758	Share capital	17,984	17,984	17,984	17,984
7,666	7,666	7,666	7,666	Share premium	2,949	2,949	2,949	2,949
15,584	15,584	15,665	15,665	Legal reserve	5,994	5,994	6,025	6,025
1,26,351	1,26,439	1,26,676	1,26,717	Retained earnings	48,631	48,599	48,735	48,723
1,96,359	1,96,447	1,96,765	1,96,806	Total equity	75,558	75,526	75,693	75,681
				LIABILITIES				
19,186	47,808	19,243	47,850	Lease Liabilities	18,388	7,379	18,404	7,401
11,264	13,303	11,264	13,303	Employees' end of service benefits	5,116	4,332	5,116	4,332
9,599	7,612	9,587	7,599	Deferred tax	2,927	3,692	2,923	3,687
40,049	68,723	40,094	68,752	Total Non Current Liabilities	26,431	15,403	26,443	15,420
5,338	11,678	5,342	11,692	Lease Liabilities	4,491	2,053	4,497	2,055
58,531	60,824	57,744	60,064	Trade and other payables	23,390	22,509	23,101	22,206
6,278	2,457	6,278	2,457	Contract liabilities	945	2,414	945	2,414
2,178	2,852	2,178	2,852	Current tax liabilities	1,097	837	1,097	837
72,325	77,811	71,542	77,065	Total Current Liabilities	29,923	27,813	29,640	27,512
1,12,374	1,46,534	1,11,636	1,45,817	TOTAL LIABILITIES	56,354	43,217	56,083	42,933
3,08,733	3,42,981	3,08,401	3,42,623	TOTAL EQUITY AND LIABILITIES	1,31,912	1,18,742	1,31,776	1,18,613
1.09	1.09	1.09	1.09	Net assets per share (US \$ / RO )	0.42	0.42	0.42	0.42

# UNAUDITED CONSOLIDATED AND PARENT STATEMENT OF INCOME FOR THE PERIOD 30 SEPTEMBER 2024

Parent Company Consolidated			Parent Company		Consolidated			
Sep-2023 US \$ '000	Sep-2024 US \$ '000	Sep-2023 US \$ '000	Sep-2024 US \$ '000		Sep-2024 RO '000	Sep-2023 RO '000	Sep-2024 RO '000	Sep-2023 RO '000
1,34,771	1,36,269	1,34,771	1,36,269	Revenue	52,410	51,835	52,410	51,835
(97,698)	(1,00,115)	(97,705)	(1,00,123)	Direct operating costs	(38,506)	(37,575)	(38,509)	(37,578)
(12,955)	(15,253)	(12,976)	(15,274)	Other operating expenses	(5,868)	(4,982)	(5,876)	(4,990)
(17,087)	(16,394)	(17,099)	(16,399)	Administration and general expenses	(6,305)	(6,571)	(6,307)	(6,575)
27	(129)	27	(129)	Net Impairment reversal on financial assets	(50)	11	(50)	11
1,086	636	1,086	636	Other Income	245	417	245	417
8,144	5,014	8,104	4,980	Operating profit	1,926	3,135	1,913	3,120
2,600	3,509	2,600	3,509	Finance income	1,349	1,000	1,349	1,000
(1,126)	(1,811)	(1,130)	(1,813)	Finance costs	(696)	(433)	(697)	(434)
9,618	6,712	9,574	6,676	Profit before tax	2,579	3,702	2,565	3,686
(1,429)	(1,098)	(1,429)	(1,098)	Income tax	(422)	(549)	(422)	(549)
8,189	5,614	8,145	5,578	Profit for the period	2,157	3,153	2,143	3,137
				Other comprehensive income for the				
-	-	-	-	period, net of tax	-	-	-	-
				Total comprehensive income for the				
8,189	5,614	8,145	5,578	period, net of tax	2,157	3,153	2,143	3,137
				Profit attributable to :				
8,189	5,614	8,145	5,578	Equity holders of the parent	2,157	3,153	2,143	3,137
-	-	-	-	Non-controlling interests	-	-	-	-
				Total comprehensive income attributable to				
8,189	5,614	8,145	5,578	Equity holders of the parent	2,157	3,153	2,143	3,137
-			-	Non-controlling interests	-	-	-	-
8,189	5,614	8,145	5,578		2,157	3,153	2,143	3,137
0.05	0.03	0.04	0.03	Basic and diluted earnings per share (US \$ /	/RO) 0.01	0.02	0.01	0.02