

(Registration No. 201601008159 (1179087-X))

**Incorporated in Malaysia** 

INTERIM FINANCIAL REPORT FOR THE FIRST (1ST) QUARTER ENDED 31 MARCH 2025

### UNAUDITED CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF PROFIT OR LOSS AND OTHER COMPREHENSIVE INCOME<sup>(1)</sup> FOR THE FINANCIAL PERIOD ENDED 31 MARCH 2025

|  |      | INDIVIDUAL QUARTER<br>Preceding<br>Year            |   | CUMULATI   | VE PERIOD<br>Preceding<br>Year                     |
|--|------|--|---|--|--|
|  | Nete | Current Year<br>Quarter<br>Unaudited<br>31.03.2025 | Corresponding<br>Quarter<br>Unaudited<br>31.03.2024 | Current Period<br>To-Date<br>Unaudited<br>31.03.2025 | Corresponding<br>Period<br>Unaudited<br>31.03.2024 |
| Revenue  | Note | <b>RM'000</b><br>55,954                            | <b>RM'000</b><br>27,079                             | <b>RM'000</b><br>55,954                              | <b>RM'000</b><br>27,079                            |
| Cost of sales  |      | (43,530)   | (20,711)  | (43,530)   | (20,711)   |
| Gross profit ("GP")  |      | 12,424   | 6,368   | 12,424   | <b>6,368</b>                                       |
| Other operating income   |      | 600  | 244   | 600  | 244  |
| Selling and distribution expenses  |      | (1,227)  | (767)   | (1,227)  | (767)  |
| Administrative expenses  |      | (5,263)  | (3,455)   | (5,263)  | (3,455)  |
| Profit from operation  |      | 6,534  | 2,390   | 6,534  | 2,390  |
| Finance cost   |      | (3,993)  | (1,781)   | (3,993)  | (1,781)  |
| Profit before taxation ("PBT")   | B14  | 2,541  | 609   | 2,541  | 609  |
| Taxation   | B6   | (666)  | (270)   | (666)  | (270)  |
| Profit after taxation ("PAT")/<br>Total comprehensive income                               |      |  |   |  |  |
| for the period   |      | 1,875  | 339   | 1,875  | 339  |
| PAT / Total comprehensive income<br>for the period attributable to:<br>Owners of the Group |      | 1,875  | 339   | 1,875  | 339  |
| Earnings per share (" <b>EPS</b> ")<br>- Basic / Diluted (sen) <sup>(2)</sup>              | B13  | 0.23   | 0.04  | 0.23   | 0.04   |

#### Notes:

- <sup>(1)</sup> The basis of preparation of the Unaudited Condensed Consolidated Statement of Profit or Loss and other comprehensive income are disclosed in Note A1 and should be read in conjunction with the audited financial statements for the financial year ended 31 December 2024 and the accompanying explanatory notes attached to this interim financial report.
- <sup>(2)</sup> Diluted EPS of the Company for the individual quarter ended 31 March 2025 and period-to-date ended 31 March 2025 is equivalent to the basic earnings per share as the Company does not have any convertible options as at the end of the reporting period.

# UNAUDITED CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION $^{(1)}$ AS AT 31 MARCH 2025

|   | UNAUDITED           | AUDITED              |
|---|---------------------|----------------------|
|   | As at<br>31.03.2025 | As at<br>31.12.2024  |
|   | RM'000              | S1.12.2024<br>RM'000 |
| ASSETS                                  |                     |                      |
| Non-current assets                      |                     |                      |
| Property, plant and equipment           | 140,105             | 131,409              |
| Inventories <sup>(3)</sup>              | 851                 | 851                  |
| Deferred tax assets                     | 6,251               | 5,822                |
| -                                       | 147,207             | 138,082              |
| Currents assets                         |                     |                      |
| Inventories <sup>(3)</sup>              | 349,781             | 337,770              |
| Trade and other receivables             | 79,988              | 70,074               |
| Contract assets                         | 80,629              | 63,693               |
| Tax recoverable                         | 2,099               | 1,949                |
| Fixed deposit with licensed bank        | 35,166              | 34,393               |
| Cash and cash equivalents               |                     | 31,659               |
| -                                       | 581,018             | 539,538              |
| TOTAL ASSETS                            | 728,225             | 677,620              |
|   |                     |                      |
| EQUITY and LIABILITIES<br>EQUITY        |                     |                      |
| Share capital                           | 153,625             | 153,625              |
| Retained profits                        | 127,600             | 128,125              |
| Reorganisation Reserve                  | (105,584)           | (105,584)            |
|   | 175,641             | 176,166              |
| LIABILITIES                             |                     |                      |
| Non-current liabilities                 |                     |                      |
| Borrowings                              | 95,018              | 54,244               |
| Lease liabilities                       | 10,291              | 7,643                |
| Land Cost Payable                       | 6,461               | 12,118               |
| -                                       | 111,770             | 74,005               |
|   |                     |                      |
| Current liabilities                     | 102 700             | 122.102              |
| Trade and other payables                | 103,780             | 122,192              |
| Contract liabilities                    | 2,254               | 1,284<br>65          |
| Amount due to a related party           | -                   |                      |
| Borrowings                              | 328,865             | 299,152              |
| Lease liabilities                       | 4,129               | 2,744                |
| Tax payables                            | 1,786               | 2,012                |
| -                                       | 440,814             | 427,449              |
| TOTAL LIABILITIES                       | 552,584             | 501,454              |
| TOTAL EQUITY AND LIABILITIES            | 728,225             | 677,620              |
| NET ASSET PER SHARE (RM) <sup>(2)</sup> | 0.22                | 0.22                 |

## UNAUDITED CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION <sup>(1)</sup> AS AT 31 MARCH 2025

#### Notes:

- <sup>(1)</sup> The basis of preparation of the Unaudited Condensed Consolidated Statement of Financial Position are disclosed in Note A1 and should be read in conjunction with the audited financial statements for the financial year ended 31 December 2024 and the accompanying explanatory notes attached to this interim financial report.
- <sup>(2)</sup> Net assets per ordinary share is calculated based on the Company's number of ordinary shares as at 31 March 2025 of 800,000,000 shares (31 December 2024: 800,000,000 shares).
- <sup>(3)</sup> Inventories comprise of the followings:

|                                    | UNAUDITED  | AUDITED    |
|------------------------------------|------------|------------|
|                                    | as at      | as at      |
|                                    | 31.03.2025 | 31.12.2024 |
| Inventories                        | RM'000     | RM'000     |
| Non-current assets                 |            |            |
| Land held for property development | 851        | 851        |
| Current assets                     |            |            |
| Property development costs         | 348,759    | 337,332    |
| Completed properties               | 1,022      | 438        |
|                                    | 349,781    | 337,770    |

#### UNAUDITED CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN EQUITY <sup>(1)</sup> FOR THE FINANCIAL PERIOD ENDED 31 MARCH 2025

|  | Share<br>capital<br>RM'000 | Reorganisation<br>reserve<br>RM'000 | Retained<br>profits<br>RM'000 | Total<br>equity<br>RM'000 |
|--|----------------------------|-------------------------------------|-------------------------------|---------------------------|
| Balance as at 1 January 2024 (Audited)   | 2,000                      | -                                   | 134,607                       | 136,607                   |
| Contributions by owners of the Company:<br>- Issuance of new shares<br>Share issuance expenses | 153,584<br>(1,959)         | (105,584)<br>-                      | -<br>-                        | 48,000<br>(1,959)         |
| Profit for the financial year  | -                          | -                                   | 8,518                         | 8,518                     |
| Dividend   | -                          | -                                   | (15,000)                      | (15,000)                  |
| Balance as at 31 December 2024 (Audited)   | 153,625                    | (105,584)                           | 128,125                       | 176,166                   |
| Profit for the financial Period<br>Dividend  | -<br>-                     | -                                   | 1,875<br>(2,400)              | 1,875<br>(2,400)          |
| Balance as at 31 March 2025 (Unaudited)  | 153,625                    | (105,584)                           | 127,600                       | 175,641                   |

#### Note:

<sup>(1)</sup> The basis of preparation of the Unaudited Condensed Consolidated Statement of Changes in Equity are disclosed in Note A1 and should be read in conjunction with the audited financial statements of the Company for the financial year ended 31 December 2024 and the accompanying explanatory notes attached to this interim financial report.

#### UNAUDITED CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS <sup>(1)</sup> FOR THE FINANCIAL PERIOD ENDED 31 MARCH 2025

|  | UNAUDITED<br>3 Months<br>Ended<br>31.03.2025<br>RM'000 | UNAUDITED<br>3 Months<br>Ended<br>31.03.2024<br>RM'000 |
|--|--|--|
| CASH FLOW FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES            |  |  |
| Profit before tax                              | 2,541  | 609  |
| Adjustments for:                               |  |  |
| Depreciation for property, plant and equipment | 338  | 461  |
| Interest expense                               | 3,993  | 1,781  |
| Interest income                                | (338)  | (201)  |
| OPERATING PROFIT BEFORE WORKING CAPITAL        |  |  |
| CHANGES  | 6,534  | 2,650  |
| Increase in inventories                        | (9,722)  | (5,600)  |
| Increase in trade and other receivables        | (9,913)  | (1,905)  |
| Increase in contract assets                    | (15,967)   | (8,467)  |
| Decrease in trade and other payables           | (9,162)  | (16,070)   |
| Cash used in operations                        | (38,230)   | (29,392)   |
| Interest paid                                  | (9,970)  | (1,781)  |
| Interest received                              | 338  | 201  |
| Income tax paid                                | (1,472)  | (940)  |
| NET CASH USED IN OPERATING ACTIVITIES          | (49,334)   | (31,912)   |
| CASH FLOWS FOR INVESTING ACTIVITIES            |  |  |
| Purchase of property, plant and equipment      | (696)  | (3,023)  |
| Advance payment for purchase of PPE            | (13,735)   | -  |
| Increase in housing development accounts       | (12,603)   | (4,611)  |
| NET CASH USED IN INVESTING ACTIVITIES          | (27,034)   | (7,634)  |

#### UNAUDITED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS <sup>(1)</sup> FOR THE FINANCIAL PERIOD ENDED 31 MARCH 2025(CONT'D)

|  | UNAUDITED<br>3 Months<br>Ended<br>31.03.2025<br>RM'000 | AUDITED<br>3 Months<br>Ended<br>31.03.2024<br>RM'000 |
|--|--|--|
| CASH FLOW FROM FINANCING ACTIVITIES  |  |  |
| Uplift of fixed deposit  | (762)  | (680)  |
| Dividend paid  | (2,400)  | (15,000)   |
| Drawdown of term loan  | 43,734   | 9,059  |
| Drawdown of trade financing  | 49,768   | 42,691   |
| Repayment of lease liabilities   | (953)  | (185)  |
| Repayment of term loan   | (8,337)  | (535)  |
| Repayment of trade financing   | (16,809)   | (9,472)  |
| NET CASH FROM FINANCING ACTIVITIES   | 64,241   | 25,878   |
| Net decrease in cash and cash equivalents  | (12,127)   | (13,668)   |
| Cash and cash equivalents at the beginning of the financial period                   | 33,592   | 19,709   |
| Cash and cash equivalents at the end of the financial period                         | 21,465   | 6,041  |
| Cash and cash equivalents at the end of the financial period comprise the following: |  |  |
| Cash and bank balances   | 33,355   | 13,336   |
| Fixed deposit placed with licensed banks   | 35,166   | 16,159   |
| Balance as stated in the statement of financial position                             | 68,521   | 29,495   |
| Less: Bank overdraft   | (14,212)   | (3,869)  |
| Less: Fixed deposit pledged with licensed banks                                      | (14,365)   | (14,868)   |
| Less: Housing development bank account   | (18,479)   | (4,717)  |
| Balance for Statement of Cash Flows  | 21,465   | 6,041  |

#### Note:

<sup>(1)</sup> The basis of preparation of the Unaudited Condensed Consolidated Statement of Financial Position are disclosed in Note A1 and should be read in conjunction with the audited financial statements of the Company for the financial year ended 31 December 2024 and the accompanying explanatory notes attached to this interim financial report.

## Part A – EXPLANATORY NOTES IN COMPLIANCE WITH MALAYSIAN FINANCIAL REPORTING STANDARD ("MFRS") 134 : INTERIM FINANCIAL REPORTING

#### A1. Basis of preparation

This interim financial report is unaudited and has been prepared in accordance with Malaysian Financial Reporting Standards ("**MFRS**") 134: Interim Financial Reporting issued by the Malaysian Accounting Standards Board ("**MASB**") and Rule 9.22 and Appendix 9B of the ACE Market Listing Requirements of Bursa Malaysia Securities Berhad ("**Bursa Securities**")("**Listing Requirements**").

This interim financial report should be read in conjunction with the audited financial statements for the financial year ended 31 December 2024 and the accompanying explanatory notes attached to this interim financial report.

#### A2. Summary of Significant Accounting Policies

The significant accounting policies and presentation adopted for the interim financial statements are consistent with those disclosed in the audited financial statements of the Company for the financial year ended 31 December 2024, except for the adoption of the following new amendments to MFRS's:

Effective for financial periods beginning on or after 1 January 2025

- Amendments to MFRS 121 Lack of Exchangeability
- MFRS 9 and MFRS 7: Classification and Measurement of Financial Instruments (Amendments to MFRS 9 Financial Instruments and MFRS 7 Financial Instruments: Disclosures)
- MFRS 19: Subsidiaries without Public Accountability: Disclosures
- MFRS 18: Presentation and Disclosure in Financial Statements

Effective date to be announced

• Amendments to MFRS 10 and MFRS 128 Sale or Contribution of Assets between an Investor and its Associate or Joint Venture.

The Group will adopt the above accounting pronouncements when they become effective in the respective financial periods. These accounting pronouncements are not expected to have any significant effect on the consolidated financial statements upon their initial applications.

#### A3. Auditors' report on preceding annual financial statements

There were no qualifications on the audited financial statements of the Company and its subsidiary companies for the financial year ended 31 December 2024.

#### A4. Seasonal of cyclical factors

The Group's operation was not significantly affected by any unusual seasonal or cyclical factors in the current quarter and financial period-to-date under review.

#### A5. Unusual items affecting assets, liabilities, equity, net income or cash flows

There were no material items of unusual nature affecting assets, liabilities, equity, net income, or cash flows in the current quarter and financial period-to-date under review.

### PART A - EXPLANATORY NOTES IN COMPLIANCE WITH MALAYSIAN FINANCIAL REPORTING STANDARDS ("MFRS") 134 : INTERIM FINANCIAL REPORTING (CONT'D)

#### A6. Material changes in Accounting Estimates

There were no material changes in estimates that have a material effect on the results for the current quarter and financial period-to-date under review.

#### A7. Debt and equity securities

There were no issuance, cancellation, repurchase, resale and repayment of debt and equity securities for the current financial quarter under review.

#### A8. Dividend paid

An interim dividend of RM2.4 million was declared on 27 February 2025 and paid on 27 March 2025.

#### A9. Valuation of property, plant and equipment

There was no valuation of the property, plant and equipment in the current financial quarter under review.

#### A10. Capital commitments

|                                 | UNAUDITED  | AUDITED    |
|---------------------------------|------------|------------|
|                                 | As at      | As at      |
|                                 | 31.03.2025 | 31.12.2024 |
|                                 | RM'000     | RM'000     |
| Land under property development |            |            |
| Authorised and contracted for   | 19,385     | 46,935     |

#### **A11. Material Subsequent Events**

There were no material events subsequent to the end of the current financial period that have not been reflected in the interim financial reports for the said period as at the date of this report.

#### A12. Changes in the composition of the Group

There were no other material changes in the composition of the Group for the current financial quarter under review.

#### A13. Contingent assets and contingent liabilities

Save as disclosed in Note B11 of this report, the Group is not aware of any material and/or indirect contingent liabilities that may be incurred by the Group that may have a material impact on its financial position.

# PART B - EXPLANATORY NOTES PURSUANT TO CHAPTER 9, APPENDIX 9B OF THE LISTING REQUIREMENTS

#### **B1. REVIEW OF PERFORMANCE**

#### **Results for current quarter**

KTI Landmark and its subsidiaries (the "**Group**") recorded revenue of RM55.95 million for the current quarter ended 31 March 2025. The revenue was mainly derived from its ongoing property development projects namely Residensi Seri Akasia Block E & F, Plaza Lemawang 2, Kayana Heights, Taman Seraya and The Logg project together with revenue from the external construction projects at Lok Kawi and Labuan.

Correspondingly, the Group recorded a PBT of RM2.54 million for the current quarter ended 31 March 2025.

#### **B2.** Comparison with immediate preceding quarter's results

|                      | Income                  | 9                      | Variance |       |  |
|----------------------|-------------------------|------------------------|----------|-------|--|
|                      | Unaudited               | Unaudited<br>Immediate |          |       |  |
|                      | Current Year<br>Quarter | Preceding<br>Quarter   |          |       |  |
|                      | 31.03.2025              | 31.12.2024             |          |       |  |
|                      | RM'000                  | RM'000                 | RM'000   | %     |  |
| Revenue              |                         |                        |          |       |  |
| Property Development | 33,317                  | 45,865                 | (12,548) | (27)  |  |
| Construction         | 22,637                  | 20,129                 | 2,508    | 12    |  |
| Others               | -                       | 28                     | (28) (   | (100) |  |
|                      | 55,954                  | 66,022                 | (10,068) | (15)  |  |
| PBT                  | 2,541                   | 8,359                  | (5,818)  | (70)  |  |

The Group recorded a revenue of approximately RM55.95 million from property development and construction contract projects for the current financial quarter under review, representing a decrease of 15% compared to RM66.02 million revenue recognised in the previous quarter. This was mainly due to no new launches during the current quarter and the completion of the Residensi Seri Akasia Blocks C & D as compared to the previous financial quarter. However, improved revenue from higher construction activities assisted in reducing the deficit in the revenue recognised for the current financial quarter.

The Group recorded a PBT of approximately RM2.54 million for the current financial quarter under review as compared to a PBT of RM8.36 million in the immediate preceding financial quarter resultant from the reduced revenue recognised in the current financial quarter and also due to the increased administrative cost from the increase in the employee cost and payment of bonus for the employees in the current financial quarter.

#### EXPLANATORY NOTES PURSUANT TO CHAPTER 9, APPENDIX 9B OF THE LISTING REQUIREMENTS (CONT'D)

#### **B3. SEGMENT INFORMATION**

Segment revenue and results

Information regarding the Group's reportable segments is presented below:

| Current period to date ended 31 March 2025   | Property<br>development<br>RM'000      | Construction<br>RM'000           | Others<br>RM′000      | Elimination<br>RM'000          | Total<br>RM'000                        |
|--|--|----------------------------------|-----------------------|--------------------------------|--|
| Revenue Sales to external customers Inter-segment revenue Total revenue  | 33,317<br>                             | 22,637<br>2,114<br><b>24,751</b> |                       |                                | 55,954<br>-<br><b>55,954</b>           |
| Segment profit before tax  | 2,241                                  | 595                              | 5,794                 | (6,089)                        | 2,541                                  |
| Included in the measure of segment profit are:   |  |                                  |                       |                                |  |
| Cost of sales<br>Interest income<br>Interest expenses<br>Depreciation of property, plant and equipment<br>Tax expenses | 22,250<br>(245)<br>3,626<br>309<br>545 | 23,114<br>-<br>367<br>29<br>142  | 191<br>(93)<br>-<br>- | (2,025)<br>-<br>-<br>-<br>(21) | 43,530<br>(338)<br>3,993<br>338<br>666 |

#### EXPLANATORY NOTES PURSUANT TO CHAPTER 9, APPENDIX 9B OF THE LISTING REQUIREMENTS (CONT'D)

#### **B3. SEGMENT INFORMATION (CONT'D)**

| Preceding period to date ended 31 March 2024   | Property<br>development<br>RM'000        | Construction<br>RM'000        | Others<br>RM′000 | Elimination<br>RM′000          | Total<br>RM′000                          |
|--|--|-------------------------------|------------------|--------------------------------|--|
| Revenue<br>Sales to external customers<br>Inter-segment revenue<br>Total revenue                                       | 26,687<br>                               | 392<br>2,186<br><b>2,578</b>  | -<br>-           | (2,186)<br>(2,186)             | 27,079<br>-<br><b>27,079</b>             |
| Segment profit before tax  | 858                                      | 189                           | (114)            | (324)                          | 609                                      |
| Included in the measure of segment profit are:   |  |                               |                  |                                |  |
| Cost of sales<br>Interest income<br>Interest expenses<br>Depreciation of property, plant and equipment<br>Tax expenses | 20,347<br>(200)<br>1,735<br>1,424<br>303 | 2,484<br>-<br>46<br>174<br>45 | (1)              | (2,120)<br>-<br>-<br>-<br>(78) | 20,711<br>(201)<br>1,781<br>1,598<br>270 |

#### EXPLANATORY NOTES PURSUANT TO CHAPTER 9, APPENDIX 9B OF THE LISTING REQUIREMENTS (CONT'D)

#### **B3. SEGMENT INFORMATION (CONT'D)**

| <u>As at 31 March 2025</u>  | Property<br>development<br>RM'000  | Construction<br>RM'000       | Others<br>RM′000                | Elimination<br>RM'000                  | Total<br>RM′000                    |
|---|------------------------------------|------------------------------|---------------------------------|--|------------------------------------|
| <b>Assets</b><br>Segment assets<br>Deferred tax assets and current tax liabilities<br><b>Total assets</b> | 573,573<br>6,882<br><b>580,455</b> | 57,316<br>-<br><b>57,316</b> | 287,489<br>69<br><b>287,558</b> | (198,501)<br><u>1,400</u><br>(197,101) | 719,877<br>8,351<br><b>728,228</b> |
| As at 31 December 2024 (Audited)  |                                    | 57,510                       | 207,330                         | (197,101)                              | 720,220                            |
| Assets<br>Segment assets  | 643,441                            | 83,048                       | 150,822                         | (207,461)                              | 669,850                            |
| Deferred tax assets and current tax liabilities<br>Total assets   | 6,360<br>649,801                   | 83,048                       | 32<br><b>150,854</b>            | 1,379<br>(206,082)                     | 7,771<br>677,621                   |

# EXPLANATORY NOTES PURSUANT TO CHAPTER 9, APPENDIX 9B OF THE LISTING REQUIREMENTS (CONT'D)

#### B4. Prospects of the Group

As disclosed in the Prospectus of the Company dated 21 May 2024, The Group has put in place a series of future plans as follows:

- (i) The Group intends to expand the Group's property development business through the acquisition of landbank for future projects in Sabah;
- (ii) The Group intends to further strengthen its market presence as an established property developer in Sabah;
- (iii) The Group intends to expand the production capability of its casting activities with the addition of a new industrialised building system (**`IBS**") production line to produce hollow core slabs to supplement our existing range of IBS components manufactured; and
- (iv) The Group intends to upgrade its software and systems to further enhance its operational efficiency.

Barring any unforeseen circumstances, the Board of Directors of the Company ("**Board**") is optimistic about the future prospects of the Group.

#### **B5.** Variance of actual profits from profit forecast

The Group did not issue any profit forecast or profit guarantee during the current financial quarter under review.

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#### B6. Income tax expenses

|                      | Quarter I<br>Unaud   |                      | Period E<br>Unaudi   |                      |
|----------------------|----------------------|----------------------|----------------------|----------------------|
|                      | 31.03.2025<br>RM'000 | 31.12.2024<br>RM'000 | 31.03.2025<br>RM'000 | 31.12.2024<br>RM'000 |
| Income tax expense   |                      |                      |                      |                      |
| - Current year       | (1,096)              | (3,438)              | (1,096)              | (4,298)              |
| - Prior year         | -                    | -                    | -                    | (1,518)              |
| Deferred tax expense |                      |                      |                      |                      |
| - Current year       | 430                  | 3,897                | 430                  | 5,554                |
| - Prior year         |                      | -                    | -                    | 78                   |
| Total tax expense    | (666)                | 459                  | (666)                | (184)                |

The Group's effective tax rate for the financial period of 26% is higher than the statutory income tax rate of Malaysia of 24% mainly due to the non-recognition of deferred tax assets on unutilised tax losses of certain subsidiaries.

#### **B7.** Status of Corporate Proposals

There were no corporate proposals pending completion as at the date of this interim financial report.

# EXPLANATORY NOTES PURSUANT TO CHAPTER 9, APPENDIX 9B OF THE LISTING REQUIREMENTS (CONT'D)

#### **B8.** Utilisation of proceeds from the IPO

The gross proceeds from the IPO amounting to RM48,000,000 has been fully utilised in the following manner:

| Details of utilisation of proceeds   | Proposed<br>utilisation<br>RM'000 | Actual<br>utilisation<br>RM'000 | Unutilised<br>RM'000 | Estimated time<br>frame for utilisation<br>upon listing |
|--|-----------------------------------|---------------------------------|----------------------|---|
| Acquisition of land for<br>development   | 18,000                            | 18,000                          | -                    | Within 12 months  |
| Upgrading existing/expansion<br>of the casting yard/ IBS<br>facility for the building division | 2,150                             | 2,150                           | -                    | Within 24 months  |
| Upgrading software and system  | 350                               | 350                             | -                    | Within 6 months   |
| Working capital for project development  | 20,700                            | 20,700                          | -                    | Within 12 months  |
| Repayment of bank<br>borrowings  | 3,000                             | 3,000                           | -                    | Within 6 months   |
| Estimated listing expenses   | 3,800                             | 3,800                           | -                    | Within 1 month  |
|  | 48,000                            | 48,000                          |                      |   |

#### **B9.** Bank borrowings - secured

|                           | UNAUDITED  | AUDITED    |
|---------------------------|------------|------------|
|                           | As at      | As at      |
|                           | 31.03.2025 | 31.12.2024 |
|                           | RM'000     | RM'000     |
| Non-current liabilities:  |            |            |
| Term Loan                 | 95,018     | 54,244     |
| Lease liabilities payable | 10,291     | 7,643      |
|                           | 105,309    | 61,887     |
|                           |            |            |
| Current liabilities:      |            |            |
| Term loan                 | 85,879     | 90,625     |
| Bank overdrafts           | 14,212     | 12,980     |
| Bridging loan             | 175,243    | 150,295    |
| Revolving credit          | 30,349     | 30,000     |
| Trade facilities          | 23,182     | 15,252     |
| Lease liabilities payable | 4,129      | 2,744      |
|                           | 332,994    | 301,896    |
| Total Bank Borrowings     | 438,303    | 363,783    |

The borrowings are denominated in Ringgit Malaysia.

### **B. EXPLANATORY NOTES PURSUANT TO CHAPTER 9, APPENDIX 9B OF THE LISTING REQUIREMENTS** (CONT'D)

#### **B10.** Material litigation

Save as disclosed below, the Group is not engaged in any government, legal or arbitration proceedings, including those relating to bankruptcy, receivership or similar proceedings which may have or have had, material or significant effects on the financial position or profitability of the Group as at 22 May 2025:

#### (i) Landmark Property Sdn Bhd ("Landmark Property") v Ketua Pengarah Hasil Dalam Negeri and Lembaga Hasil Dalam Negeri Malaysia ("LHDN")

Pursuant to the letter dated 2 November 2020 from LHDN to Landmark Property, LHDN stated that the expenses incurred by Landmark Property in relation to the government grant awarded to Landmark Property of up to RM56,225,544 for the years of assessment 2016, 2017 and 2018 are not deductible for tax purposes pursuant to Paragraph 3 of the Income Tax (Exemption) (No.22) Order 2006 ("**Exemption Order**").

Landmark Property filed a judicial review application on 25 November 2020 ("**Judicial Review**") seeking for a declaration that the following notices are ultra vires the Exemption Order, Section 127(3)(b) of the Income Tax Act 1967 and accordingly are null and void in law:

- (aa) the Notice of Assessment for the Year of Assessment 2016;
- (bb) the Notice of Assessment for the Year of Assessment 2017; and
- (cc) the Notice of Additional Assessment for the Year of Assessment 2018,

#### (collectively, "the Impugned Assessments").

On 23 December 2020, the High Court granted Landmark Property leave to commence the said Judicial Review, subsequently on 9 July 2021, the Judicial Review application was allowed by the High Court. Following that, in August 2021, LHDN filed a Notice of Appeal to the Court of Appeal against the decision of the High Court ("Substantive Appeal") and the Substantive Appeal was stayed pending Landmark Property's appeal against the dismissal of their representing solicitor's ad hoc admission application ("the Ad Hoc Admission Appeal"). The Ad Hoc Admission Appeal was dismissed by the Court of Appeal, and Landmark Property applied to the Federal Court for leave to appeal against the Decision of the Court of Appeal but this was dismissed on 25 February 2025.

The Court of Appeal allowed the Substantive Appeal on 13 March 2025.

Landmark Property has made payment to LHDN up till July 2021 amounting to RM1,337,041 in accordance with an Impugned Assessments instalment scheme that was proposed for the settlement of the tax liabilities ("Amount Paid"), and Landmark Property has since ceased subsequent payments to be made in accordance with the abovementioned instalment scheme following the High Court's decision to allow the Judicial Review application. In light of the Substantive Appeal being allowed, the balance amount of the impugned Assessments due is RM14,670,037.27.

Landmark Property has on 25 March 2025 filed a Notice of Motion to Stay the Decision of the Court of Appeal. Further, LPSB has on 11 April 2025 filed (i) a Notice of Motion for Leave to Appeal to the Federal Court against the Decision of the Court of Appeal; and (ii) a Notice of Motion to Recall and Vary the Judgment of the Court of Appeal.

### **B. EXPLANATORY NOTES PURSUANT TO CHAPTER 9, APPENDIX 9B OF THE LISTING REQUIREMENTS** (CONT'D)

The representing solicitors are of the view that Landmark Property has a reasonable prospect of success in both Motions, given that on the same day the Court of Appeal delivered its decision in the Substantive Appeal, the Federal Court, in Ketua Pengarah Hasil Dalan Negeri v. Kind Action (M) Sdn

Bhd (Civil Appeal No. 01(f)-18-05/2024(J)), issued a conflicting judgement which, if applied to the Substantive Appeal, would favour LPSB.

Therefore, the representing solicitors are of the opinion that the LHDN has no reasonable basis to issue the impugned Assessments.

#### (ii) Landmark Property v GCA

Landmark Property and GCA entered into a Memorandum of Agreement / Conditions of Engagement dated 3 November 2010 ("**Contract**") for the provision of professional services by GCA for Landmark Property's project called "Proposed Commercial & Housing Development on Country Lease No. 025341940 at Kinarut South, Papar, Sabah" ("**Project**"). The Project is divided into Phase 1 to 3 and Phase 4.

In respect of Phase 1 to 3, GCA claims an alleged total sum of RM2,490,341.59 as at 30 June 2021 for work done. In respect of Phase 4, GCA claims an alleged total sum of RM7,659,459.80 as at 30 June 2021 for work done.

Landmark Property counterclaimed against GCA for the following reliefs:

- (aa) a declaration that the suspension by GCA of its professional services in failing or refusing to issue the *Perumahan Penjawat Awam Malaysia* (PPAM) certification for Phase 4 of the Project was unlawful and a repudiation of the Contract;
- (bb) a declaration that Landmark Property has lawfully terminated the Contract; and
- (cc) that GCA is to pay to Landmark Property the sum of RM3,825,460.50 (excluding interest and cost) as at 19 August 2021 comprising of financing costs or interest charges, additional cost to carry out valuation or quantity surveying works, additional cost incurred to appoint another prime consultant and two other consultants, interest and costs.

### **B. EXPLANATORY NOTES PURSUANT TO CHAPTER 9, APPENDIX 9B OF THE LISTING REQUIREMENTS** (CONT'D)

On 2 June 2022, the final arbitration award was rendered against Landmark Property in the following terms:

- (aa) the outstanding professional fees and 6.0% sales and service tax amounting to RM2,092,777.34 for Phases 1 to 3 and the amount of RM2,192,522.50 for Phase 4 was awarded to GCA;
- (bb) the simple interest at the rate of 5.0% per annum on the amount of RM2,092,777.34 for Phases 1 to 3 and on the amount of RM2,192,522.50 for Phase 4 awarded to GCA calculated from the date of the final award to the date of full realisation; and
- (cc) Landmark Property will pay GCA's cost and the cost of GCA's solicitor on a client-solicitor basis taxed by the court, including all costs and expenses and payments already incurred and/or disbursed for this arbitration.

On 7 July 2022, the High Court registered the final award as a court order. Landmark Property's application to set aside the final award ("**Main Suit**") was dismissed on 16 January 2023. Subsequent thereto, Landmark Property fully paid the sums due, amounting to RM4.29 million pursuant to the court order to GCA in early 2023. Despite having lost in the High Court in respect of the Main Suit, Landmark Property has filed a notice of appeal to the Court of Appeal. The parties received the grounds of judgment of the High Court on 3 October 2023. The Court of Appeal heard the appeal on 21 May 2025 and has reserved its decision to a later date, which has yet to be fixed.

In the event Landmark Property fails to defend its appeal, there will be no further amount due to be paid save for legal costs. Conversely, if Landmark Property is successful in its appeal, Landmark Property may potentially recover the amounts paid to GCA.

#### **B11.** Contingent liabilities

Save for the value of the Impugned Assessments amounting to RM14,670,037.27 as disclosed in B10 (i) above, there are no contingent liabilities incurred by the Group, the subsidiaries, which upon becoming enforceable, may have a material effect on the financial position or the subsidiaries' financial position.

#### **B12.** Dividend

The Board of Directors had on 27 February 2025 declared a single-tier interim dividend in respect of financial year ended 31 December 2024 of 0.3 sen per share to be paid on 27 March 2025 to every member who is entitled to receive dividend at the close of business on 17 March 2025.

### **B. EXPLANATORY NOTES PURSUANT TO CHAPTER 9, APPENDIX 9B OF THE LISTING REQUIREMENTS** (CONT'D)

#### B13. Earnings per share

The basic and diluted earnings per share for the current financial quarter and financial period to date are computed as follows:

|  | UNAUDITED  | UNAUDITED<br>Current |
|--|------------|----------------------|
|  | Current    | Period               |
|  | Quarter    | To-Date              |
|  | 31.03.2025 | 31.03.2025           |
|  | RM'000     | RM'000               |
| Profit attributable to the owners of the |            |                      |
| Company                                  | 1,875      | 1,875                |
| Weighted average                         | 800,000    | 800,000              |
| Basic / Diluted EPS (sen)                | 0.23       | 0.23                 |

## B. EXPLANATORY NOTES PURSUANT TO CHAPTER 9, APPENDIX 9B OF THE LISTING REQUIREMENTS (CONT'D)

#### **B14.** Notes to the Statement of Comprehensive Income

|   | UNAUDITED  | UNAUDITED<br>Current |
|---|------------|----------------------|
|   | Current    | Period               |
|   | Quarter    | To-Date              |
|   | 31.03.2025 | 31.03.2025           |
|   | RM'000     | RM'000               |
| PBT is after charging / (crediting)           |            |                      |
| Depreciation of property, plant and equipment | 338        | 338                  |
| Directors' remuneration                       | 1,043      | 1,043                |
| Interest expense                              | 3,843      | 3,843                |
| Interest on lease liabilities                 | 150        | 150                  |
| Staff Costs                                   | 1,969      | 1,969                |
| Interest income                               | (338)      | (338)                |
| Rental income                                 | (9)        | (9)                  |

#### **B15. Related Party Transactions**

|  | UNAUDITED  | UNAUDITED  |
|--|------------|------------|
|  |            | Current    |
|  | Current    | Period     |
|  | Quarter    | To-Date    |
|  | 31.03.2025 | 31.03.2025 |
|  | RM'000     | RM'000     |
| Transactions with Directors              |            |            |
| Rental expenses                          | 12         | 12         |
| Directors' remuneration and emoluments   | 1,043      | 1,043      |
| Transactions with related party          |            |            |
| Rental expenses                          | 9          | 9          |
| Repair and maintenance of motor vehicles | 270        | 270        |

#### **BY ORDER OF THE BOARD**

#### **KTI LANDMARK BERHAD**

29 MAY 2025