Interim condensed consolidated financial information and review report **Kuwait Financial Centre – KPSC and Subsidiaries** 

**Kuwait** 

30 September 2020 (Unaudited)

Kuwait Financial Centre - KPSC and subsidiaries Interim Condensed Consolidated Financial Information 30 September 2020 (Unaudited)

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### Report on review of interim condensed consolidated financial information

To the Board of Directors of Kuwait Financial Centre – KPSC Kuwait

### Introduction

We have reviewed the accompanying interim condensed consolidated statement of financial position of Kuwait Financial Centre – KPSC ("the Parent Company") and its subsidiaries ("the Group") as at 30 September 2020 and the related interim condensed consolidated statements of profit or loss, profit or loss and other comprehensive income, changes in equity and cash flows for the nine-month period then ended. Management is responsible for the preparation and presentation of this interim condensed consolidated financial information in accordance with the basis of preparation set out in Note 2. 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 the basis of preparation set out in Note 2.

### Report on review of other legal and regulatory requirements

Based on our review, the interim condensed consolidated financial information is in agreement with the books of the Parent Company. We further report that, to the best of our knowledge and belief, no violation of the Companies Law No. 1 of 2016 and its Executive Regulations, or of the Parent Company's Memorandum of Incorporation and Articles of Association, as amended, have occurred during the nine-month period ended 30 September 2020 that might have had a material effect on the business or financial position of the Parent Company.

We further report that, during the course of our review, we have not become aware of any material violations of the provisions of Law No. 32 of 1968, as amended, concerning currency, the Central Bank of Kuwait and the organisation of banking business, and its related regulations, or of the provision of Law No. 7 of 2010 concerning the Capital Market Authority and its related regulations during the nine-month period ended 30 September 2020 that might have had a material effect on the business or financial position of the Parent Company.

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### Interim condensed consolidated statement of profit or loss

		Three mor	nths ended	Nine mon	ths ended
	Note	30 Sept. 2020 (Unaudited) KD '000	30 Sept. 2019 (Unaudited) KD '000	30 Sept. 2020 (Unaudited) KD '000	30 Sept. 2019 (Unaudited) KD '000
Revenue					
Interest income		(146)	169	426	476
Dividend income		139	276	769	1,159
Management fees and commission		2,265	2,002	5,770	6,002
Gain/(loss) from financial assets at fair value through profit or loss	6	4,177	(1,678)	(6,027)	4,992
Gain on sale of asset held for sale	10	-, , , ,	(1,070)	1,066	-,002
Share of results of associate and joint	, ,			,,,,,,,	
venture		(24)	(18)	(29)	(70)
Gain on sale of investment properties		-	521	4.000	820
Net rental income		364	439	1,802	803
Foreign currency exchange gain/(loss) Other income		108 403	(101) (11)	709 1,092	(126) 17
Other income			<del></del>		
		7,286	1,599	5,578	14,073
Expenses and other charges					
General and administrative expenses		(2,773)	(2,403)	(7,495)	(8,003)
Net (impairment)/reversal of impairment of					
investment properties	12		-	(3,121)	37
Other expenses		399	(6)	(348)	(28)
Finance costs		(601)	(769)	(2,071)	(1,991)
		(2,975)	(3,178)	(13,035)	(9,985)
Profit/(loss) before provisions for contribution to Kuwait Foundation for the Advancement of Sciences (KFAS),					
National Labour Support Tax (NLST) and Zakat		4,311	(1,579)	(7,457)	4,088
Zarat		4,511	(1,070)	(1,401)	4,000
Provision for contribution to KFAS		-	12		(33)
Provision for NLST		-	34	•	(97)
Provision for Zakat			13	-	(39)
Profit/(loss) for the period		4,311	(1,520)	(7,457)	3,919
Profit/(loss) for the period attributable to:					
Owners of the Parent Company		4,031	(1,370)	(6,019)	3,448
Non-controlling interests		280	(150)	(1,438)	471
Profit/(loss) for the period		4,311	(1,520)	(7,457)	3,919
Basic and diluted earnings/(loss) per share					
attributable to the owners of the Parent	_		(0) ="	(46) =	
Company	7	8 Fils	(3) Fils	(13) Fils	7 Fils

# Interim condensed consolidated statement of profit or loss and other comprehensive income

	Three mor	nths ended	Nine months ended	
_	30 Sept. 2020 (Unaudited) KD '000	30 Sept. 2019 (Unaudited) KD '000	30 Sept. 2020 (Unaudited) KD '000	30 Sept. 2019 (Unaudited) KD '000
Profit/(loss) for the period	4,311	(1,520)	(7,457)	3,919
Other comprehensive income/(loss): Items to be reclassified to statement of profit or Ioss in subsequent periods: Debt investments at fair value through other comprehensive income:				
- Net change in fair value arising during the period Foreign currency translation:	719	3	385	6
- Exchange differences arising on translation of foreign operations	(128)	73	448	50
Share of other comprehensive (loss)/income of associate and joint venture	(17)	(7)	(52)	12
Total other comprehensive income	574	69	781	68
Total comprehensive income/(loss) for the period	4,885	(1,451)	(6,676)	3,987
Total comprehensive income/(loss) for the period attributable to:				
Owners of the Parent Company	4,338	(1,304)	(5,412)	3,517
Non-controlling interests	547	(147)	(1,264)	470
	4,885	(1,451)	(6,676)	3,987

# Interim condensed consolidated statement of financial position

Time deposits		Note	30 Sept. 2020 (Unaudited) KD '000	31 Dec. 2019 (Audited) KD '000	30 Sept. 2019 (Unaudited) KD '000
Time deposits	Assets				
Time deposits	Cash and bank balances	8	8,634	4,937	7,632
Loans to customers	Time deposits	8		1,332	1,982
Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss Asset held for sale Investments at fair value through other comprehensive income Investments carried at amortised cost Investment in associate and joint venture Investment properties Investment Inves			,	7,430	5,019
Asset held for sale Investments at fair value through other comprehensive income Investments carried at amortised cost Investments carried at amortised cost Investment in associate and joint venture Investment in associate and joint venture Investment properties Investment Investment properties Investment I					384
Investments at fair value through other comprehensive income		_	96,044		105,045
income   415   2,735   44   Investments carried at amortised cost   11   5,255   9,099   5,0   Investment in associate and joint venture   3,551   3,594   3,6   Investment properties   12   56,616   55,256   64,9   Right-of-use assets   396   600   6   Equipment   967   1,084   1,0    Total assets   182,038   200,937   195,8    Liabilities and equity   Liabilities   Accounts payable and other liabilities   11,453   15,307   12,0   Borrowings   13   34,096   41,632   43,1   Bonds issued   25,000   25,000   25,0    Total liabilities   70,549   81,939   80,1    Equity   Share capital   48,080   48,080   48,0   Share premium   7,902   7,902   7,9   Treasury shares   14   (260)   (260)   (200)   Statutory reserve   16,752   16,752   16,0   Voluntary reserve   15,107   15,107   14,3   Other components of equity   15   804   197   6   (Accumulated losses)/retained earnings   (884)   7,417   5,44			-	7,819	-
Investments carried at amortised cost   11   5,255   9,099   5,0		е	445	0.705	400
Investment in associate and joint venture   3,551   3,594   3,6		11		•	422 5,070
Investment properties   12   56,616   55,256   64,9     Right-of-use assets   396   600   6     Equipment   967   1,084   1,0     Total assets   182,038   200,937   195,8      Liabilities and equity     Liabilities   Accounts payable and other liabilities   11,453   15,307   12,0     Borrowings   13   34,096   41,632   43,1     Bonds issued   25,000   25,000   25,00     Total liabilities   70,549   81,939   80,1      Equity     Share capital   48,080   48,080   48,08     Share premium   7,902   7,902   7,902     Treasury shares   14   (260)   (260)   (2     Statutory reserve   16,752   16,752   16,0     Voluntary reserve   15,107   15,107   14,3     Other components of equity   15   804   197   6     (Accumulated losses)/retained earnings   (884)   7,417   5,44     Total assets   14   (260)   (260)   (260)     Candidate   15,107   15,107   14,3     Candidate   15,107   15,107   14,3     Candidate   15,107   15,107   15,107   15,107     Candidate   15,107   15,107   15,107   15,107     Candidate   15,107   15,107   15,107   15,107     Candidate		1.1	,		3,645
Right-of-use assets         396         600         6           Equipment         967         1,084         1,0           Total assets         182,038         200,937         195,8           Liabilities and equity         Liabilities         11,453         15,307         12,0           Borrowings         13         34,096         41,632         43,1           Bonds issued         25,000         25,000         25,000         25,0           Total liabilities         70,549         81,939         80,1           Equity         Share capital         48,080         48,080         48,0           Share premium         7,902         7,9		12			64,923
Equipment         967         1,084         1,0           Total assets         182,038         200,937         195,8           Liabilities and equity           Liabilities         11,453         15,307         12,0           Borrowings         13         34,096         41,632         43,1           Bonds issued         25,000         25,000         25,000         25,0           Total liabilities         70,549         81,939         80,1           Equity         Share capital         48,080         48,080         48,0           Share premium         7,902         7,902         7,9           Treasury shares         14         (260)         (260)         (2           Statutory reserve         16,752         16,752         16,0           Voluntary reserve         15,107         15,107         14,3           Other components of equity         15         804         197         6           (Accumulated losses)/retained earnings         (884)         7,417         5,4		-			668
Liabilities and equity         Liabilities       11,453       15,307       12,0         Accounts payable and other liabilities       13       34,096       41,632       43,1         Borrowings       13       34,096       41,632       43,1         Bonds issued       25,000       25,000       25,000       25,0         Total liabilities       70,549       81,939       80,1         Equity       Share capital       48,080       48,080       48,0         Share premium       7,902       7,902       7,9         Treasury shares       14       (260)       (260)       (2         Statutory reserve       16,752       16,752       16,0         Voluntary reserve       15,107       15,107       14,3         Other components of equity       15       804       197       6         (Accumulated losses)/retained earnings       (884)       7,417       5,4	Equipment		967		1,098
Liabilities       11,453       15,307       12,0         Borrowings       13       34,096       41,632       43,1         Bonds issued       25,000       25,000       25,000       25,0         Total liabilities       70,549       81,939       80,1         Equity       Share capital       48,080       48,080       48,0         Share premium       7,902       7,902       7,9         Treasury shares       14       (260)       (260)       (2         Statutory reserve       16,752       16,752       16,0       16,0         Voluntary reserve       15,107       15,107       14,3         Other components of equity       15       804       197       6         (Accumulated losses)/retained earnings       (884)       7,417       5,4	Total assets		182,038	200,937	195,888
Equity         48,080         48,080         48,080         48,080         48,080         48,080         7,902         1,002	Liabilities Accounts payable and other liabilities Borrowings	13	34,096	41,632	12,018 43,104 25,000
Share capital       48,080       48,080       48,080       48,080       48,080       48,080       48,080       7,902       16,002       10,002	Total liabilities		70,549	81,939	80,122
	Share capital Share premium Treasury shares Statutory reserve Voluntary reserve Other components of equity (Accumulated losses)/retained earnings  Equity attributable to the owners of the Parent Company		7,902 (260) 16,752 15,107 804 (884)	7,902 (260) 16,752 15,107 197 7,417	48,080 7,902 (260) 16,005 14,360 624 5,482 92,193 23,573
Total equity 111,489 118,998 115,70	Total equity		111,489	118,998	115,766
	Total liabilities and equity		182,038	200,937	195,888

Yusuf Alghanim Chairman

Ali Hassan Khalil Chief Executive Officer

The notes set out on pages 8 to 22 form an integral part of this interim condensed consolidated financial information.

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# Interim condensed consolidated statement of changes in equity

			Equity attribu	table to the o	wners of the	Equity attributable to the owners of the Parent Company	any		Non- controlling interests	Total
	Share capital KD '000	Share premium KD '000	Treasury shares KD '000	Statutory reserve KD '000	Voluntary reserve KD '000	Other components of equity (Note 15) KD '000	Retained earnings / (accumulated losses) KD '000	Sub total KD '000	KD '000	000, QX
Balance at 1 January 2020	48,080	7,902	(260)	16,752	15,107	197	7,417	95,195	23,803	118,998
Net change in non-controlling interests	1	•	1	1		1	٠	•	1,558	1,558
Effect of change in ownership percentage of subsidiaries (Note 5)	•	ī	•	1	1	1	109	109	(109)	ı
Cash dividend (Note 16)	•	1	•	1	1	•	(2,391)	(2,391)		(2,391)
Transactions with owners	1	•	1	•	•	t	(2,282)	(2,282)	1,449	(833)
Loss for the period	1		1		ŧ	1	(6,019)	(6,019)	(1,438)	(7,457)
Total other comprehensive income for the period	1	1	•	•	1	209		209	174	781
Total comprehensive income/(loss) for the period	1	•	ı		1	209	(6,019)	(5,412)	(1,264)	(6,676)
Balance at 30 September 2020	48,080	7,902	(260)	16,752	15,107	804	(884)	87,501	23,988	111,489

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# Interim condensed consolidated statement of changes in equity (continued)

		Щ	quity attributa	able to the ow	mers of the F	Equity attributable to the owners of the Parent Company	ŕ		Non- controlling interests	Total
	Share capital KD '000	Share premium KD '000	Treasury shares KD '000	Statutory reserve KD '000	Voluntary reserve KD '000	Other components of equity (Note 14) KD '000	Retained earnings KD '000	Sub total KD '000	000, QX	000, QX
Balance at 1 January 2019	48,080	7,902	(260)	16,005	14,360	555	4,408	91,050	23,002	114,052
Net change in non-controlling interests	1	ı	ţ	1	ì	1	1	ı	(48)	(48)
Effect of change in ownership percentage of subsidiaries (Note 5)	ı	ı	ı	ı	ı	ı	(149)	(149)	149	1
Gain arising on redemption of units of a subsidiary	1	1	ı	U	ı	ı	166	166	ı	166
Cash dividend (Note 15)	t	ı	I	ī	I	1	(2,391)	(2,391)	ı	(2,391)
Transactions with owners	-		1	t	6	ı	(2,374)	(2,374)	101	(2,273)
Profit for the period	,		ı	,		,	3,448	3,448	471	3,919
Total other comprehensive income/(loss) for the period	ı	1	1	1	1	69	ı	69	(1)	89
Total comprehensive income for the period	1		•	1	1	69	3,448	3,517	470	3,987
Balance at 30 September 2019	48,080	7,902	(260)	16,005	14,360	624	5,482	92,193	23,573	115,766

The notes set out on pages 8 to 22 form an integral part of this interim condensed consolidated financial information.

### Interim condensed consolidated statement of cash flows

	Note	Nine months ended 30 Sept. 2020 (Unaudited) KD '000	Nine months ended 30 Sept. 2019 (Unaudited) KD '000
OPERATING ACTIVITIES			
(Loss)/profit for the period		(7,457)	3,919
Adjustments for: Interest income		(426)	(476)
Share of results of associate and joint venture		29	70
Gain on sale of investment properties		-	(820)
Gain on sale of asset held for sale		(1,066)	-
Depreciation Amortisation of right-of-use assets		1,050 204	686 207
Net impairment/(reversal) of investment properties		3,121	(37)
Charge of provisions		25	-
Finance costs		2,071	1,991
		(2,449)	5,540
Changes in operating assets and liabilities:		40.000	(10.071)
Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss  Accounts receivable and other assets		10,602 28	(12,371) (1,480)
Loans to customers		(45)	(80)
Accounts payable and other liabilities		(4,529)	252
Net cash from/(used in) operating activities		3,607	(8,139)
INVESTING ACTIVITIES		(07)	47
Change in time deposits maturing after three months  Purchase of equipment		(37) (216)	17 (469)
Movement in investments carried at amortised cost		(210)	2,015
Purchase of investments carried at amortised cost		(310)	(136)
Proceeds from redemption of investments carried at amortised cost		50	49
Proceeds from redemption of debt investments at fair value through OCI		347	11
Additions to investment properties  Proceeds from sale of assets held for sale		(152) 10,960	(8,444)
Proceeds from sale of assets field for sale  Proceeds from sale of investment properties		10,300	1,237
Increase in investment in associate and joint venture		(38)	(76)
Interest income received		814	440
Net cash from consolidation of underlying subsidiaries	5.1	288	-
Net cash from/(used in) investing activities		11,706	(5,356)
FINANCING ACTIVITIES			
Dividend paid		(2,205)	(2,354)
Proceeds from bank borrowings		13,005	26,135
Repayment of bank borrowings		(20,699)	(5,626)
Finance costs paid Payment of lease liability		(2,052) (202)	(2,131) (218)
Net change in non-controlling interests		1,287	118
Net cash (used in)/from financing activities		(10,866)	15,924
Increase in cash and cash equivalents		4,447	2,429
Foreign currency adjustments  Cash and each equivalents at the heatinging of the period.	8	15 6,252	(54) 7 235
Cash and cash equivalents at the beginning of the period			7,235
Cash and cash equivalents at the end of the period	8	10,714	9,610

### 1 Incorporation and activities

Kuwait Financial Centre – KPSC ("the Parent Company") was incorporated in 1974 in accordance with the Commercial Companies Law in the State of Kuwait. The Parent Company along with its subsidiaries are jointly referred to as "the Group". The Parent Company is listed on Boursa Kuwait and is governed under the directives of the Central Bank of Kuwait and Capital Markets Authority of Kuwait.

The principal activities of the Parent Company are as follows:

- Funding import and export operations, whether by direct credit or accepting drafts drawn on the Company for short terms, as well as brokerage in securing the banking facilities for clients in Kuwait and abroad.
- Undertake the job of broker between the public of borrowers and lenders, undertake approved agency works for the payment processes arising from issuing medium and long term securities, in addition to keeping securities on behalf of the clients.
- Dealing and trading in the foreign currencies and the precious metal markets inside and outside Kuwait.
- Undertake all the services which assist to extend and support the money and capital market capacity in Kuwait and fulfil its needs within the limits of the law and the procedures or instructions issued by the Central Bank of Kuwait. The Company may have an interest or participate in any manner with the bodies practicing business similar to its business or which may assist it to achieve its objectives inside or outside Kuwait and it may acquire such bodies or append them to itself.
- Offering personal, commercial and consumer loans, undertake finance operations on the basis of margin related to investment operations in the local and international markets, trading currencies, as well as the finance operations related to pledging investment portfolios and securities, and undertaking finance and brokerage in international and local commercial operations.
- Investment in the various economic sectors such as the industrial, real estate, agricultural, services and other sectors, whether directly or by contribution through existing companies or incorporating these companies related to the said activity or acquire projects which fulfil such objective.
- Undertake the functions of investment trustees and investment portfolio management for the account of third parties with the required loaning and borrowing operations.
- Unregistered securities broker in the stock exchange.
- Investment portfolio manager.
- Collective investment scheme manager.
- Investment advisor.
- Placement agent.
- Custodian.

The address of the Parent Company's registered office is PO Box 23444, Safat 13095, State of Kuwait.

The Board of Directors of the Parent Company approved these interim condensed consolidated financial information for issue on 10 November 2020.

### 2 Basis of preparation

This interim condensed consolidated financial information of the Group for the nine-month period ended 30 September 2020 has been prepared in accordance with IAS 34, Interim Financial Reporting except as noted below.

The annual consolidated financial statements have been prepared in accordance with the regulations for financial services institutions as issued by the Central Bank of Kuwait ("CBK") in the State of Kuwait. These regulations require expected credit loss ("ECL") to be measured at the higher of the ECL on credit facilities computed under IFRS 9 according to the CBK guidelines or the provisions as required by CBK instruction; the consequent impact on related disclosures; and the adoption of all other requirements of International Financial Reporting Standards ("IFRSs") as issued by the International Accounting Standards Board ("IASB") (collectively referred to as IFRS, as adopted for use by the State of Kuwait).

The accounting polices used in the preparation of these interim condensed consolidated financial information are consistent with those used in the preparation of the annual consolidated financial statements for the year ended 31 December 2019 except for the changes described in Note 3.

This interim condensed consolidated financial information does not contain all information and disclosures required for complete consolidated financial statements prepared in accordance with the International Financial Reporting Standards. In the opinion of the Parent Company's management, all adjustments consisting of normal recurring accruals considered necessary for a fair presentation have been included.

Operating results for the nine months ended 30 September 2020 are not necessarily indicative of the results that may be expected for the financial year ending 31 December 2020. For more details, refer to the annual audited consolidated financial statements and its related disclosures for the year ended 31 December 2019.

### 3 Changes in accounting policies

### 3.1 New and amended standards adopted by the Group

A number of new and revised standards are effective for annual periods beginning on or after 1 January 2020 which have been adopted by the Group. Information on these new standards is presented below:

Standard or Interpretation	Effective for annual periods beginning
IFRS 3 - Amendments	1 January 2020
IAS 1 and IAS 8 - Amendments	1 January 2020
IFRS 7 and IFRS 9- Amendments	1 January 2020
IFRS 16 – Amendments	1 September 2020

### IFRS 3 - Amendments

The Amendments to IFRS 3 Business Combinations are changes to Appendix A Defined terms, the application guidance, and the illustrative examples of IFRS 3 only with respect to Definition of Business. The amendments:

- clarify that to be considered a business, an acquired set of activities and assets must include, at a minimum, an input and a substantive process that together significantly contribute to the ability to create outputs;
- narrow the definitions of a business and of outputs by focusing on goods and services provided to customers and by removing the reference to an ability to reduce costs;
- add guidance and illustrative examples to help entities assess whether a substantive process has been acquired;
- remove the assessment of whether market participants are capable of replacing any missing inputs or processes and continuing to produce outputs; and
- add an optional concentration test that permits a simplified assessment of whether an acquired set of
  activities and assets is not a business

### 3 Changes in accounting policies (continued)

### 3.1 New and amended standards adopted by the Group (continued)

### IFRS 3 - Amendments (continued)

The application of the amendments did not have a significant impact on the Group's interim consolidated financial information.

### IAS 1 and IAS 8 - Amendments

The amendments to IAS 1 and IAS 8 clarify the definition of 'material' and align the definition used in the Conceptual Framework and the standards. The threshold for materiality influencing users has been changed from 'could influence' to 'could reasonably be expected to influence'.

### IFRS 7 and IFRS 9- Amendments

This includes amendments regarding pre-replacement issues in the context of the IBOR reform.

### IFRS 16- Amendments

This includes amendments on Covid-19-Related Rent Concessions.

The application of the amendments did not have a significant impact on the Group's interim consolidated financial information.

### 3.2 IASB Standards issued but not yet effective

At the date of authorisation of this interim condensed consolidated financial information, certain new standards, amendments and interpretations to existing standards have been published by the IASB but are not yet effective, and have not been adopted early by the Group.

Management anticipates that all of the relevant pronouncements will be adopted in the Group's accounting policies for the first period beginning after the effective date of the pronouncements. Information on new standards, amendments and interpretations that are expected to be relevant to the Group's interim condensed consolidated financial information is provided below. Certain other new standards and interpretations have been issued but are not expected to have a material impact on the Group's interim condensed consolidated financial information.

Standard or Interpretation

Effective for annual periods beginning

IFRS 10 and IAS 28 Sale or Contribution of Assets between an Investor and its Associate or Joint Venture - Amendments IAS 1 Amendments

No stated date 1 January 2023

### IFRS 10 and IAS 28 Sale or Contribution of Assets between an Investor and its Associate or Joint Venture - Amendments

The Amendments to IFRS 10 Consolidated Financial Statements and IAS 28 Investments in Associates and Joint Ventures (2011) clarify the treatment of the sale or contribution of assets from an investor to its associate or joint venture, as follows:

- require full recognition in the investor's financial statements of gains and losses arising on the sale or contribution of assets that constitute a business (as defined in IFRS 3 Business Combinations)
- require the partial recognition of gains and losses where the assets do not constitute a business, i.e. a gain or loss is recognised only to the extent of the unrelated investors' interests in that associate or joint venture.

### 3 Changes in accounting policies (continued)

### 3.2 IASB Standards issued but not yet effective (continued)

### IFRS 10 and IAS 28 Sale or Contribution of Assets between an Investor and its Associate or Joint Venture – Amendments (continued)

These requirements apply regardless of the legal form of the transaction, e.g. whether the sale or contribution of assets occurs by an investor transferring shares in a subsidiary that holds the assets (resulting in loss of control of the subsidiary), or by the direct sale of the assets themselves.

IASB has postponed the effective date indefinitely until other projects are completed. However, early implementation is allowed. Management anticipates that the application of these amendments may have an impact on the Group's interim consolidated financial information in future should such transactions arise.

### IAS 1 Amendments

The amendments provide for consistent application of the requirements with respect to determining whether, in the statement of financial position, debt and other liabilities with an uncertain settlement date should be classified as current (i.e. due to be settled within one year) or non-current.

### 4 Judgment and estimates

The preparation of interim condensed consolidated financial information requires management to make judgments, estimates and assumptions that affect the application of accounting policies and the reported amounts of assets and liabilities, income and expense. Actual results may differ from these estimates.

In preparing this interim condensed consolidated financial information, the significant judgments made by management in applying the Group's accounting policies and the key sources of estimation uncertainty were the same as those that applied to the annual audited consolidated financial statements as at and for the year ended 31 December 2019.

### 5 Group's subsidiaries

During the period, the Group's ownership has changed in the following subsidiaries:

		Owne	rship percen	tage	
Name	Country of incorporation	30 Sept. 2020 (Unaudited)	31 Dec. 2019 (Audited)	30 Sept. 2019 (Unaudited)	Activities
Markaz Arabian Fund	Kingdom of Bahrain	69.33%	69.31%	69.07%	Investment Fund
Markaz Development 3	Cayman Island	62.64%	67.67%	-	Real Estate

The ownership of Markaz Arabian Fund increased by 0.02% (30 September 2019: decreased by 0.68%) and Markaz Development 3 decreased by 5.03% (30 September 2019: Nil) due to changes in units and shares held by non-controlling interests holders as a result of subscription and redemption of the fund's units and entity shares. These changes in the ownership resulted in a net gain of KD109 thousand (30 September 2019: loss KD149 thousand) which was included in interim condensed consolidated statement of changes in equity.

### 5 Group's subsidiaries (continued)

### 5.1 Consolidation of SPV

During the current period, the Group concluded that through one of the subsidiary companies (Markaz Development 3 Ltd), the Group is able to control the structured entities incorporated in Delaware, USA, which were recognised as investments carried at amortized cost and investments at FVOCI in the previous period. Accordingly, during the period, the Group has consolidated financial information of these entities in the interim condensed consolidated financial information of the Group, as of 30 September 2020. The acquisition was accounted in accordance with IFRS 3 as follows:

	KD'000
Fair value of the existing investments	5,420
Value of non-controlling interests	1,315
	6,735
Less: recognized amounts of identifiable assets acquired and liabilities assumed	
Cash and cash equivalents	288
Investment properties	4,457
Accounts receivables and other assets	2,662
Accounts payable and other liabilities	(672)
Total identifiable net assets	6,735
Gain/(bargain purchase) on acquisition of subsidiaries	•

For the purpose of the interim condensed consolidated statement of cash flows, the net cash inflow on acquisition of the subsidiary is KD288 thousand.

The initial accounting for the business combination is provisional due to its complexity, and will be adjusted retrospectively (if required) when the final purchase price allocation is completed during the one-year measurement period from the acquisition date.

### 6 Gain/(loss) from financial assets at fair value through profit or loss

	Three mor	ths ended	Nine mon	ths ended
	30 Sept. 2020 (Unaudited) KD '000	30 Sept. 2019 (Unaudited) KD '000	30 Sept. 2020 (Unaudited) KD '000	30 Sept. 2019 (Unaudited) KD '000
Gain/(loss) on sale of financial assets at fair value through profit or loss Change in fair value of financial assets at fair	616	309	(811)	1,003
value through profit or loss	3,561	(1,987)	(5,216)	3,989
	4,177	(1,678)	(6,027)	4,992

### 7 Basic and diluted earnings/(loss) per share attributable to the owners of the Parent Company

Basic and diluted earnings/(loss) per share attributable to the owners of the Parent Company is calculated by dividing the profit/(loss) for the period attributable to the owners of the Parent Company by the weighted average number of shares outstanding and in issue during the period (excluding treasury shares).

	Three mor	nths ended	Nine mon	ths ended
	30 Sept. 2020 (Unaudited)	30 Sept. 2019 (Unaudited)	30 Sept. 2020 (Unaudited)	30 Sept. 2019 (Unaudited)
Profit/(loss)for the period attributable to the owners of the Parent Company (KD '000)	4,031	(1,370)	(6,019)	3,448
Weighted average number of shares outstanding and in issue during the period (excluding treasury shares)	478,201,747	478,201,747	478,201,747	478,201,747
Basic and diluted earnings/(loss) per share attributable to the owners of the Parent Company	8 Fils	(3) Fils	(13) Fils	7 Fils

### 8 Cash and cash equivalents

Cash and cash equivalents included in the interim condensed consolidated statement of cash flows comprise of the following accounts:

	30 Sept. 2020 (Unaudited) KD '000	31 Dec. 2019 (Audited) KD '000	30 Sept. 2019 (Unaudited) KD '000
Cash and bank balances Time deposits	8,634 2,134	4,937 1,332	7,632 1,982
-	10,768	6,269	9,614
Less: Time deposits maturing after three months	(54)	(17)	(4)
Cash and cash equivalent for the purpose of interim condensed consolidated statement of cash flows	10,714	6,252	9,610

The Group's time deposits carry an average effective interest rate of 1.10% (31 December 2019: 1.85% and 30 September 2019: 2.17%) per annum.

### 9 Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss

	30 Sept. 2020 (Unaudited) KD '000	31 Dec. 2019 (Audited) KD '000	30 Sept. 2019 (Unaudited) KD '000
Local quoted securities	3,549	3,448	3,307
Foreign quoted securities	16,718	18,729	17,493
Local managed funds	47,899	50,922	47,161
Foreign managed funds	13,199	13,374	13,849
Fixed income securities	6,023	6,338	6,537
Equity participation	8,656	13,835	16,698
	96,044	106,646	105,045

### 9 Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss (continued)

The interest rates on fixed income securities range from 2.375% to 7.625% (31 December 2019: 2.375% to 7.60% and 30 September 2019: 2.375% to 7.60%) per annum.

### 10 Asset held for sale

During the previous year, the management of the Group has transferred, one of its investment properties with a carrying value of KD7,819 thousand to assets held for sale category, upon meeting the criteria for recognition as non-current assets held for sale, as of 31 December 2019. During the current period, this property has been disposed for a consideration of KD10,960 thousand, realising a gain of KD1,066 thousand.

### 11 Investments carried at amortised cost

These represent investment in sukuk, a debt instrument amounting to KD4,868 thousand (31 December 2019: KD4,918 thousand and 30 September 2019: KD4,934 thousand) carrying profit rate of 2% above Central Bank of Kuwait discount rate (31 December 2019 and 30 September 2019: 2% above Central Bank of Kuwait discount rate) per annum. Also includes a foreign debt instrument amounting to KD387 thousand carrying interest rate 13% per annum (31 December 2019: KD4,181 thousand and 30 September 2019: KD136 thousand).

### 12 Investment properties

The movement in investment properties is as follows:

	30 Sept. 2020 (Unaudited) KD '000	31 Dec. 2019 (Audited) KD '000	30 Sept. 2019 (Unaudited) KD '000
Carrying value at the beginning of the period/year	55,256	56,830	56,830
Additions	152	9,504	8,752
Result of consolidation of SPV (Note 5.1)	4,457	-	-
Disposal	_	(1,476)	(417)
Transferred to assets held for sale	-	(7,819)	-
Net (impairment)/reversal charged	(3,121)	(1,065)	37
Depreciation	(717)	(675)	(437)
Foreign currency translation adjustment	589	(43)	158
	56,616	55,256	64,923

During the period, no finance costs (30 September 2019: KD308 thousand) has been capitalised to investment properties.

Investment properties with carrying value of KD19,289 thousand (31 December 2019: KD20,849 thousand and 30 September 2019: KD21,050 thousand) are secured against bank borrowings.

During the period, the Group performed an internal impairment assessment on certain foreign real estate investments as there were indications of further impairment/recovery of previously recognised impairment for such properties. Consequently, the Group recognised an impairment of KD3,121 thousand (30 September 2019: net reversal of impairment of KD37 thousand) in respect of those foreign properties.

### 13 Borrowings

This represents following borrowings:

- a. Unsecured loans facilities amounting to KD22,000 thousand obtained from local commercial banks carry interest rate of 2.0% to 2.5% above Central Bank of Kuwait discount rate. Outstanding balance of these loan facilities as at 30 September 2020 amounted to KD7,836 thousand (31 December 2019: KD8,000 thousand and 30 September 2019: KD8,500 thousand).
- b. Two unsecured Murabaha facilities amounting to KD8,000 thousand obtained from a local Islamic bank with a profit rate of 1.5% to 1.9% above Central Bank of Kuwait discount rate. Outstanding balance of these Murabaha facilities as at 30 September 2020 amounted to KD4,890 thousand (31 December 2019: KD4,905 thousand and 30 September 2019: KD6,404 thousand). Also, one unsecured Murabaha facility of USD20,000 thousand equivalent to KD6,124 thousand was obtained from a local Islamic bank with a profit rate of 2% above 6 months LIBOR. Outstanding balance of this Murabaha facility as at 30 September 2020 amounted to USD19,969 thousand equivalent KD6,115 thousand (31 December 2019: USD19,982 thousand equivalent KD6,056 thousand and 30 September 2019: USD20,000 thousand equivalent KD6,081 thousand).
- c. Two secured loan facilities amounting to AED142,350 thousand equivalent to KD11,869 thousand obtained from a foreign commercial bank which carry an interest rate of 2.75% above 3 month EIBOR. Outstanding balance of these loan facilities as at 30 September 2020 amounted to AED122,064 thousand equivalent to KD10,177 thousand (31 December 2019: AED123,661 thousand equivalent to KD10,204 thousand and 30 September 2019: AED123,860 thousand equivalents to KD10,254 thousand). These facilities are secured by certain foreign investment properties.
- d. An unsecured credit facility amounting to USD10 million was approved from a foreign commercial bank which carries an interest rate of 2.09% per annum. No amount has been availed from this facility as of 30 September 2020. (31 December 2019: USD275 thousand equivalent KD83 thousand and 30 September 2019: USD300 thousand equivalent KD91 thousand).
- e. An unsecured loan facility of USD16,585 thousand equivalent to KD5,078 thousand obtained from a local commercial bank carrying an interest rate of 2.75% above 3 months LIBOR repayable on every six months and mature on 31 October 2022. As of 30 September 2020 this facility was fully availed (31 December 2019: USD16,585 thousand equivalent to KD5,026 thousand and 30 September 2019: USD16,585 equivalent KD5,043 thousand). The purpose of this facility is to finance the real estate activities in certain foreign countries.
- f. An unsecured loan facility of EUR2,125 thousand equivalent to KD760 thousand obtained from a related party (represented by a non-controlling interest of a foreign subsidiary) carrying an interest rate of 3% was settled during the period. (31 December 2019: EUR1,903 thousand equivalent KD646 thousand and 30 September 2019: EUR1,903 thousand equivalent KD633 thousand).
- g. A secured loan facility (development facility) of EUR21,319 thousand equivalent to KD7,621 thousand obtained by a foreign subsidiary from a foreign commercial bank carrying an interest rate of 2.6% above 3 months EURIBOR was settled during the period. (31 December 2019: EUR18,702 thousand equivalent KD6,350 thousand and 30 September 2019: EUR16,472 equivalent KD5,477 thousand).
- h. A secured loan facility of PLN22,000 thousand equivalent to KD1,713 thousand obtained by a foreign subsidiary from a foreign commercial bank carrying an interest rate of 1.8% above 3 months WIBOR per annum was settled during the period. (31 December 2019: PLN1,067 thousand equivalent KD362 thousand and 30 September 2019: PLN8,184 thousand equivalent KD621 thousand).

### 13 Borrowings (continued)

Reconciliation of liabilities arising from financing activities

	30 Sept. 2020 (Unaudited) KD '000	31 Dec. 2019 (Audited) KD '000	30 Sept. 2019 (Unaudited) KD '000
Opening balance	41,632	22,565	22,565
Proceeds from bank borrowings	13,005	25,173	26,135
Repayment of bank borrowings	(20,699)	(6,096)	(5,626)
Effect of change in foreign exchange rates	158	(10)	30
Closing balance	34,096	41,632	43,104

### 14 Treasury shares

-	30 Sept. 2020 (Unaudited)	31 Dec. 2019 (Audited)	30 Sept. 2019 (Unaudited)
Number of shares	2,600,000	2,600,000	2,600,000
Percentage of issued shares	0.54%	0.54%	0.54%
Market value (KD '000)	219	273	232
Cost (KD'000)	260	260	260

Reserves of the Parent Company equivalent to the cost of the treasury shares have been earmarked as non-distributable.

### 15 Other components of equity

	Fair value reserve KD'000	Foreign currency translation reserve KD'000	Total KD'000
Balance at 1 January 2020 Investments at fair value through other comprehensive income:	(174)	371	197
- Net change in fair value arising during the period	261	-	261
Exchange differences arising on translation of foreign operations	-	398	398
Share of other comprehensive loss of associate and joint venture	-	(52)	(52)
Total other comprehensive income	261	346	607
Balance at 30 September 2020	87	717	804
Balance at 1 January 2019 Investments at fair value through other comprehensive income:	79	476	555
- Net change in fair value arising during the period	4	-	4
Exchange differences arising on translation of foreign operations	-	53	53
Share of other comprehensive income of associate and joint venture	-	12	12
Total other comprehensive income	4	65	69
Balance at 30 September 2019	83	541	624

### 16 Annual General Assembly of the Shareholders

The shareholders' of the Parent Company at the Annual General Assembly held on 28 April 2020 approved the consolidated financial statements of the Group for the year ended 31 December 2019 and approved a cash dividend of 5 Fils per share amounting to KD2,391 thousand (31 December 2018: 5 Fils per share amounting to KD2,391 thousand) instead of the cash dividend of 10 Fils per share proposed by the Board of Directors at their meeting held on 16 February 2020. Also Shareholders agreed to reduce directors remuneration from KD175 thousand to KD105 thousand for the year end 31 December 2019.

### 17 Related party transactions

Related parties represent associate, major shareholders, 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. Details of transactions between the Group and other related parties are disclosed below.

During the period, the Group entities entered into the following transactions with related parties.

	Three m	onths ended	Nine mon	ths ended
	30 Sept. 2020	30 Sept. 2019	30 Sept. 2020	30 Sept. 2019
	(Unaudited) KD '000	(Unaudited) KD '000	(Unaudited) KD '000	(Unaudited) KD '000
Transactions included in the interim condensed consolidated statement of profit or loss:				
Interest income on loans to customers	1	1	3	1
Management fees and commission Finance costs (Borrowings)	1,709	1,305 (15)	4,040 (16)	3,818 (70)
Key management compensation: Salaries and other short-term benefits	199	158	606	594
End of service benefits	35	68	107	118
Board of Directors' remuneration	-		-	70
	234	226	713	782
		30 Sept. 2020 (Unaudited) KD '000	31 Dec. 2019 (Audited) KD '000	30 Sept. 2019 (Unaudited) KD '000
Balances included in the interim condensed constatement of financial position:	solidated			
Loans to customers		103	102	109
Accounts receivable and other assets		1,915	1,744	1,572
Accounts payable and other liabilities Borrowings (Note 13 f)		1,725	2,348 646	1,763 633

### 18 Segmental information

Operating segments are identified based on internal management reporting information that is regularly reviewed by the chief operating decision maker in order to allocate resources to the segment and to assess its performance, and is reconciled to Group profit or loss. The measurement policies the Group uses for segment reporting under IFRS 8 are the same as those used in its annual consolidated financial statements.

### 18 Segmental information (continued)

The revenues and profits generated from, and assets and liabilities allocated to, Group's business are as follows:

		inagement udited)	Investment Banking (Unaudited)			
	30 Sept. 2020 (Unaudited) KD'000	30 Sept. 2019 (Unaudited) KD'000	30 Sept. 2020 (Unaudited) KD'000	30 Sept. 2019 (Unaudited) KD'000	30 Sept. 2020 (Unaudited) KD'000	30 Sept. 2019 (Unaudited) KD'000
Segment revenue	3,842	12,550	1,736	1,523	5,578	14,073
Segment result	(7,621)	4,042	164	46	(7,457)	4,088
Provisions for KFAS, NLST and Zakat	-	(167)		(2)	-	(169)
(Loss)/profit for the period	(7,621)	3,875	164	44	(7,457)	3,919
Total assets	159,868	174,966	22,170	20,922	182,038	195,888

### 19 Fiduciary accounts

The Group manages portfolios on behalf of others, mutual funds and maintains cash balances and securities in fiduciary accounts, which are not reflected in the interim condensed consolidated statement of financial position. Assets under management at 30 September 2020 amounted to KD1,032,610 thousand (31 December 2019: KD1,142,838 thousand and 30 September 2019: KD1,095,099 thousand). The Group earned management fee of KD5,450 thousand (30 September 2019: KD5,536 thousand) from the asset management activities.

20 Commitments and contingent liability

	30 Sept. 2020 (Unaudited) KD '000	31 Dec. 2019 (Audited) KD '000	30 Sept. 2019 (Unaudited) KD '000
Commitments for purchase of investments	2,234	2,243	2,239
Commitments for investment properties		83	488
Letter of guarantee	-	1	1
	2,234	2,327	2,728

### 21 Forward foreign exchange contracts

The contractual amounts of outstanding derivative instruments together with the fair value are as follows:

	30 Sept. 2020		31 Dec. 2019		30 Sept. 2019	
	(Unaudited)		(Audited)		(Unaudited)	
	Contractual	Assets/	Contractual	Assets/	Contractual	Assets/
	amounts	(liabilities)	amounts	(liabilities)	amounts	(liabilities)
	KD'000	KD'000	KD'000	KD'000	KD'000	KD'000
At fair value through profit or loss: Forward foreign exchange contracts	10,741	113	10,625	39	10,659	(15)

### 22 Fair value measurement

Fair value represents the price that would be received to sell an asset or paid to transfer a liability in an orderly transaction between market participants at the measurement date.

Financial assets and financial liabilities measured at fair value in the interim condensed consolidated statement of financial position are grouped into three levels of a fair value hierarchy. The three levels are defined based on the observability of significant inputs to the measurement, as follows:

- Level 1 fair value measurements are those derived from quoted prices (unadjusted) in active markets for identical assets or liabilities;
- Level 2 fair value measurements are those derived from inputs other than quoted prices that are observable for the asset or liability, either directly (i.e. as prices) or indirectly (i.e. derived from prices); and
- Level 3 fair value measurements are those derived from valuation techniques that include inputs for the asset or liability that are not based on observable market data (unobservable inputs).

The financial assets and liabilities measured at fair value on a recurring basis in the interim condensed consolidated financial position are grouped into the fair value hierarchy as follows:

30 September 2020 (Unaudited)	KD'000					
)	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3	Total		
	KD'000	KD'000	KD'000	KD'000		
Financial assets at FVTPL Quoted securities	20,267		-	20,267		
Managed funds		61,098	-	61,098		
Equity participation	-	-	8,656	8,656		
Fixed income securities	5,023	-	1,000	6,023		
	25,290	61,098	9,656	96,044		
Derivative						
Forward foreign currency contracts held for trading	-	113	-	113		
Financial assets at FVOCI Debt investments	_	-	415	415		
	25,290	61,211	10,071	96,572		
31 December 2019 (Audited)						
Financial assets at FVTPL						
Quoted securities	22,177	-	-	22,177		
Managed funds		64,296	-	64,296		
Equity participations	-		13,835	13,835		
Fixed income securities	5,438	_	900	6,338		
	27,615	64,296	14,735	106,646		
Derivative						
Forward foreign currency contracts held for trading		39		39		
Financial assets at FVOCI						
Debt investments	-	-	418	418		
Equity participation	-		2,317	2,317		
	27,615	64,335	17,470	109,420		

### 22 Fair value measurement (continued)

	KD'000			
	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3	Total
	KD'000	KD'000	KD'000	KD'000
30 September 2019 (Unaudited)				
Financial assets at FVTPL				
Quoted securities	20,800	-	-	20,800
Managed funds	-	61,010	-	61,010
Equity participation	-	-	16,698	16,698
Fixed income securities	5,637		900	6,537
	26,437	61,010	17,598	105,045
Derivative	•			
Forward foreign currency contracts	-	(15)	-	(15)
Financial assets at FVOCI			100	400
Debt instruments		-	422	422
	26,437	60,995	18,020	105,452

Fair value of investments carried at amortised cost are not materially different from their carrying values.

There have been no significant transfers between levels 1 and 2 during the reporting period.

### Measurement at fair value

The methods and valuation techniques used for the purpose of measuring fair value are unchanged compared to the previous reporting year/period.

### Level 3 fair value measurements

The Group's financial assets and liabilities classified in level 3 uses valuation techniques based on significant inputs that are not based on observable market data. The financial instruments within this level can be reconciled from beginning to ending balances as follows:

	30 Sept.	31 Dec.	30 Sept.
	2020	2019	2019
	(Unaudited)	(Audited)	(Unaudited)
	KD '000	KD '000	KD '000
Opening balance	17,470	12,540	12,540
Net (disposal/redemption)/additions	(7,367)	5,929	6,117
Net change in fair value	(32)	(999)	(637)
Closing balance	10,071	17,470	18,020

### 23 Structured entities (Special Purpose Vehicle)

The Group has created certain Special Purpose Vehicles (SPVs) for the Group's asset management activities. These SPVs are used to raise funds from the Group's clients on the basis of product offering documents with eventual objectives of investments in specified asset classes as defined in the offering documents of the SPVs. These SPVs are managed on a fiduciary basis by the Group's asset management teams. As some of these SPVs are not controlled as at the reporting date in accordance with the definition of control in IFRS 10, those SPVs are not consolidated into the Group's interim condensed consolidated financial information.

Investment in SPVs that are not consolidated, are included in financial assets at fair value through profit or loss, and investments carried at amortised cost in the interim condensed consolidated statement of financial position.

### 24 Fire incident

During the second quarter, one of the structured entities (which was consolidated during the current period – refer note 5.1) reported a fire incident at a development project in the USA which has damaged 2/3rd of the project buildings. The project is covered by an insurance policy against damage due to fire. The loss due to fire incident has been fully assessed and the Group's management believes that the insurance claim will cover for the losses incurred on this project as the insurer has already accepted the claim and paid substantial part of the insurance claim for the reconstruction of the damaged site. Accordingly, this incident will not materially impact the Group's interim condensed consolidated financial information.

### 25 Effect of COVID-19

The outbreak of Coronavirus ("COVID-19") pandemic and related global responses have caused material disruptions to businesses around the world, leading to an economic slowdown. Global and local equity markets have experienced significant volatility and weakness. While governments and central banks have reacted with various financial packages and reliefs designed to stabilise economic conditions, the duration and extent of the impact of the COVID-19 outbreak, as well as the effectiveness of government and central bank responses, remains unclear at this time. Management of the Group is actively monitoring the effects COVID-19 may have on its business operations.

In light of COVID-19, the Group has considered whether any adjustments and changes in judgments, estimates and risk management are required to be considered and reported in the condensed interim consolidated financial information. Below are the key assumptions about the future and other key sources of estimation that may have a significant risk of causing material adjustments to the interim condensed consolidated financial information:

### Impairment of non-financial assets

The Group has analyzed impairment indicators arising and significant uncertainties around its investment properties located in UAE and KSA, especially arising as a result of COVID-19.

Accordingly, the Group has performed an impairment assessment of its investment properties, considering the negative impact of COVID-19 on market value of properties located in UAE and KSA, and concluded that recoverable amounts of certain properties are lower than their carrying values as at the end of reporting period. As a result, during the period the Group has identified an impairment loss amounting to KD 3.1 million in respect of these properties in this interim condensed consolidated financial information.

### Fair valuation of financial assets

The uncertainties caused by COVID-19 have required the Group to reassess the inputs and assumptions used for the determination of fair value of financial assets at FVTPL.

The Group has determined the fair value of its equity securities, managed funds and fixed income securities based on most recent market information relating to the respective investments and recognized resulting unrealized loss in this interim condensed consolidated financial information.

With regards to Group's equity participations in real estate properties in USA and Europe the Group has performed an analysis of market conditions in respective locations under current condition including analysis of property specific factors. Based on this analysis Group management has concluded that values of the underlying properties as at 31 December 2019 remains largely unchanged.

### 25 Effect of COVID-19 (continued)

Going concern

The Group has performed an assessment of whether it is a going concern in the light of current economic conditions and all available information about future risks and uncertainties. The projections have been prepared covering the Group's future performance, capital and liquidity. The impact of COVID-19 may continue to evolve, but at the present time the projections show that the Group has ample resources to continue in operational existence and its going concern position remains largely unaffected and unchanged from 31 December 2019. As a result, this interim condensed consolidated financial information has been appropriately prepared on a going concern basis.