Consolidated Financial Statements
(With Independent Auditor's Report Thereon)

March 31, 2024

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#### INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT

To the Shareholders of Polaris Holding Company Ltd.

#### Opinion

We have audited the consolidated financial statements of Polaris Holding Company Limited and its subsidiaries (the "Group"), which comprise the consolidated statement of financial position as at March 31, 2024, the consolidated statements of comprehensive income, changes in equity and cash flows for the year then ended, and notes, comprising significant accounting policies and other explanatory information.

In our opinion, the accompanying consolidated financial statements present fairly, in all material respects, the consolidated financial position of the Group as at March 31, 2024, and its consolidated financial performance and its consolidated cash flows for the year then ended in accordance with International Financial Reporting Standards as issued by the International Accounting Standards Board ("IFRS").

## Basis for opinion

We conducted our audit in accordance with International Standards on Auditing ("ISA"). Our responsibilities under those standards are further described in the *Auditor's responsibilities for the audit of the consolidated financial statements* section of our report. We are independent of the Group in accordance with the International Ethics Standards Board for Accountants International Code of Ethics for Professional Accountants (including International Independence Standards) ("IESBA Code") together with the ethical requirements that are relevant to our audit of the consolidated financial statements in Bermuda, and we have fulfilled our other ethical responsibilities in accordance with these requirements and the IESBA Code. We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion.

#### Other information

Management is responsible for the other information. The other information comprises the annual report to shareholders but does not include the consolidated financial statements and our auditor's report thereon.

Our opinion on the consolidated financial statements does not cover the other information and we do not express any form of assurance conclusion thereon.

In connection with our audit of the consolidated financial statements, our responsibility is to read the other information and, in doing so, consider whether the other information is materially inconsistent with the consolidated financial statements or our knowledge obtained in the audit, or otherwise appears to be materially misstated. If, based on the work we have performed, we conclude that there is a material misstatement of this other information, we are required to report that fact. We have nothing to report in this regard.

#### Responsibilities of management and those charged with governance for the consolidated financial statements

Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of the consolidated financial statements in accordance with IFRS, and for such internal control as management determines is necessary to enable the preparation of consolidated financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.



In preparing the consolidated financial statements, management is responsible for assessing the Group's ability to continue as a going concern, disclosing, as applicable, matters related to going concern and using the going concern basis of accounting unless management either intends to liquidate the Group or to cease operations, or has no realistic alternative but to do so.

Those charged with governance are responsible for overseeing the Group's financial reporting process.

## Auditor's responsibilities for the audit of the consolidated financial statements

Our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the consolidated financial statements as a whole are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error, and to issue an auditor's report that includes our opinion. Reasonable assurance is a high level of assurance, but is not a guarantee that an audit conducted in accordance with ISA will always detect a material misstatement when it exists. Misstatements can arise from fraud or error and are considered material if, individually or in the aggregate, they could reasonably be expected to influence the economic decisions of users taken on the basis of these consolidated financial statements.

As part of an audit in accordance with ISA, we exercise professional judgment and maintain professional skepticism throughout the audit. We also:

- Identify and assess the risks of material misstatement of the consolidated financial statements, whether due to fraud or error, design and perform audit procedures responsive to those risks, and obtain audit evidence that is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion. The risk of not detecting a material misstatement resulting from fraud is higher than for one resulting from error, as fraud may involve collusion, forgery, intentional omissions, misrepresentations, or the override of internal control.
- Obtain an understanding of internal control relevant to the audit in order to design audit procedures that are
  appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the
  Group's internal control.
- Evaluate the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of accounting estimates and related disclosures made by management.
- Conclude on the appropriateness of management's use of the going concern basis of accounting and, based on the audit evidence obtained, whether a material uncertainty exists related to events or conditions that may cast significant doubt on the Group's ability to continue as a going concern. If we conclude that a material uncertainty exists, we are required to draw attention in our auditor's report to the related disclosures in the consolidated financial statements or, if such disclosures are inadequate, to modify our opinion. Our conclusions are based on the audit evidence obtained up to the date of our auditor's report. However, future events or conditions may cause the Group to cease to continue as a going concern.
- Evaluate the overall presentation, structure and content of the consolidated financial statements, including the
  disclosures, and whether the consolidated financial statements represent the underlying transactions and events in a
  manner that achieves fair presentation.
- Obtain sufficient appropriate audit evidence regarding the financial information of the entities or business activities
  within the Group to express an opinion on the consolidated financial statements. We are responsible for the
  direction, supervision and performance of the group audit. We remain solely responsible for our audit opinion.
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We communicate with those charged with governance regarding, among other matters, the planned scope and timing of the audit and significant audit findings, including any significant deficiencies in internal control that we identify during our audit.



We also provide those charged with governance with a statement that we have complied with relevant ethical requirements regarding independence, and communicate with them all relationships and other matters that may reasonably be thought to bear on our independence, and where applicable, related safeguards.

From the matters communicated with those charged with governance, we determine those matters that were of most significance in the audit of the consolidated financial statements of the current period and are therefore the key audit matters. We describe these matters in our auditor's report unless law or regulation precludes public disclosure about the matter or when, in extremely rare circumstances, we determine that a matter should not be communicated in our report because the adverse consequences of doing so would reasonably be expected to outweigh the public interest benefits of such communication.

The Engagement Partner on the audit resulting in this independent auditor's report is Felicia Wilsen.

KPMG Audit Limited

Chartered Professional Accountants Hamilton, Bermuda July 26, 2024

Consolidated Statement of Financial Position

March 31, 2024 and 2023 (Expressed in Bermuda Dollars)

		<u>2024</u>			2023
Assets					
Non-current assets Property, plant and equipment (Notes 8 and 9)	\$_	12,453,768	5	\$_	13,536,409
Total non-current assets		12,453,768			13,536,409
Current assets Cash and cash equivalents (Notes 10 and 21) Accounts receivable (Notes 18 and 21) Inventory (Note 11) Prepaid expenses Asset held for sale – investment property (Note 7)	=	1,395,871 984,399 1,126,274 748,564		_	2,252,480 1,162,724 749,637 848,064 1,216,618
Total current assets		4,255,108			6,229,523
Total assets	\$	16,708,876	Ş	\$	19,765,932
Liabilities	=			=	
Non-current liabilities					
Long term debt (Note 14)	\$	3,012,083	5	5	2,713,601
Accrued expenses		90,252			107,352
Lease liabilities (Note 9)	_			_	4,098,940
Total non-current liabilities		3,102,335			6,919,893
Current liabilities	_			_	
Accounts payable and accrued expenses (Note 21)		1,968,201			1,777,585
Long-term debt – current portion (Note 14)		356,152			270,136
Lease liabilities (Note 9)		192,008			20,497
Unearned revenue (Note 6)	_	212,024		_	291,643
Total current liabilities		2,728,385			2,359,861
Total liabilities	_	5,830,720			9,279,754
Equity	_			_	
Share capital (Note 16)		1,190,849			1,189,787
Share premium (Note 16)		51,752			44,825
General reserve (Note 17)		1,250,000			1,250,000
Retained earnings	_	8,385,555		_	8,001,566
Total equity attributable to the Company's shareholders		10,878,156			10,486,178
Total liabilities and equity	\$	16,708,876	5	\$ 	19,765,932

The accompanying notes are an integral part of these consolidated financial statements

Signed on behalf of the Board

Director

Consolidated Statement of Comprehensive Income

For the years ended March 31, 2024 and 2023 (Expressed in Bermuda Dollars)

		<u>2024</u>		2023
Revenue				
Stevedoring revenue (Notes 6 and 18)	\$	11,109,093	\$	11,409,895
Stevedoring expenses (Notes 12 and 13)	_	(6,886,752)	_	(6,819,349)
Stevedoring gross profit		4,222,341		4,590,546
East End Asphalt revenue (Note 6)		3,273,193		3,974,281
East End Asphalt expenses (Note 11)		(2,631,140)		(2,764,223)
East End Asphalt gross profit	_	642,053		1,210,058
Total income		4,864,394		5,800,604
Expenses			_	
Administrative salaries, wages and benefits (Notes 12 and 13)		1,855,755		1,870,836
Depreciation (Note 8)		1,027,986		1,255,089
General and administrative expenses		938,205		745,271
Professional fees (Notes 18 and 23)		768,193		593,945
Information technology and telecommunication (Note 18)		294,084		271,540
Impairment of goodwill (Note 15)		-		1,100,000
Loss on disposal of property, plant and equipment		<u> </u>		59,176
Total expenses		4,884,223		5,895,857
Results from operations		(19,829)		(95,253)
Finance expense (Notes 0 and 14)		(202 022)		(42E 0E9)
Finance expense (Notes 9 and 14) Gain on lease termination (Note 9)		(292,832)		(425,058)
Gain on lease termination (Note 9)		456,311		<u>_</u>
Net profit (loss) from continuing operations	\$	143,650	\$	(520,311)
Net profit from discontinued operations (Note 7)		597,169	_	38,410
Net profit (loss) for the year (attributable to owners of the Company)	\$	740,819	\$	(481,901)
Earnings per share:	_		_	
Net earnings (loss) per share – basic (Note 19)	\$	0.62	\$	(0.41)
Net earnings (loss) per share – fully diluted (Note 19)	\$	0.62	\$	(0.41)
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Earnings per share – continuing operations:	•	0.40	Φ.	(0.44)
Net earnings (loss) per share – basic (Note 19)	\$	0.12	\$	(0.44)
Net earnings (loss) per share – fully diluted (Note 19)	\$	0.12	\$	(0.44)
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All items included in the consolidated statement of comprehensive income relate to continuing and discontinuing operations. There are no other components of comprehensive income.

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Consolidated Statement of Changes in Equity

For the years ended March 31, 2024 and 2023 (Expressed in Bermuda Dollars)

		Share <u>capital</u>		Share <u>premium</u>		General reserve		Retained earnings		Total equity
Balance at April 1, 2022	\$	1,188,302	\$	34,052	\$	1,250,000	\$	8,958,833	\$ 11,4	131,187
Total comprehensive income: Loss for the year		-		-		-		(481,901)	(4	181,901)
Transactions with owners of the Company recognized directly in equity: Shares issued (Note 16) Dividends declared and paid (Note 16)	_	1,485 _		10,773 		- -		- (475,366)	(4	12,258 175,366)
Balance at March 31, 2023	_	1,189,787	_	44,825	_	1,250,000		8,001,566	10,4	186,178
Total comprehensive income: Profit for the year		-		-		-		740,819	7	740,819
Transactions with owners of the Company recognized directly in equity: Shares issued (Note 16) Dividends declared and paid (Note 16)		1,062		6,927			_	- (356,830)	(3	7,989 856,830)
Balance at March 31, 2024	\$	1,190,849	\$	51,752	\$	1,250,000	\$	8,385,555	\$ 10,8	378,156

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Consolidated Statement of Cash Flows

For the years ended March 31, 2024 and 2023 (Expressed in Bermuda Dollars)

Operating activities		<u>2024</u>		<u>2023</u>
Profit (loss) for the year	\$	740,819	\$	(481,901)
Adjustments for:	Ψ	1 10,010	Ψ	(101,001)
Depreciation		1,569,512		1,583,498
Depreciation of heavy equipment parts		677,247		677,058
Depreciation of investment property		_		94,658
Impairment of goodwill		_		1,100,000
Net finance expense		292,832		425,058
Gain from lease termination		(456,311)		, <u> </u>
Loss on disposal of property, plant and equipment				59,175
Gain on disposal of assets held for sale		(600,268)		_
Changes in non-cash working capital balances:		, ,		
Accounts receivable		178,325		225,370
Inventory		(376,637)		(246,748)
Prepaid expenses		99,500		(720,679)
Accounts payable and accrued expenses		173,516		314,260
Unearned revenue	_	(79,619)	_	8,053
Net cash provided by operating activities		2,218,916		3,037,802
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Investing activities				
Purchase of property, plant and equipment (Note 8)		(4,470,405)		(2,280,007)
Disposal of investment property (Note 7)		1,816,886		-
Purchase of investment property (Note 7)		_		(7,299)
Proceeds on disposal of property, plant and equipment	_		_	170,000
Net cash used in investing activities		(2,653,519)	_	(2,117,306)
Financing activities				
Repayment of long-term debt		(615,502)		(274,162)
Dividends declared and paid		(356,830)		(475,366)
Proceeds from debt issued (Note 14)		1,000,000		_
Proceeds from shares issued		7,989		12,258
Payment of lease liabilities		(164,831)		(190,805)
Interest paid	_	(292,832)	-	(425,058)
Net cash used in financing activities		(422,006)		(1,353,133)
Decrease in cash and cash equivalents	_	(856,609)	_	(432,637)
Cash and cash equivalents at beginning of year	_	2,252,480	_	2,685,117
Cash and cash equivalents at end of year	\$	1,395,871	\$	2,252,480
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Notes to Consolidated Financial Statements

March 31, 2024 and 2023

#### 1. General

Polaris Holding Company Ltd. (the "Company" or "PHC") was incorporated on January 24, 2011 under the laws of Bermuda. The address of the Company's registered office is Clarendon House, 2 Church Street, Hamilton, Bermuda. There is no ultimate controlling party.

The Company is the holding company for the group of companies which comprise of SSL, Equipment Sales and Rentals Limited ("ESR"), East End Asphalt Company Limited ("EEA"), Mill Reach Holding Company Limited. ("MRH") and Duck's Puddle Properties Ltd. ("DPPL"). All subsidiaries are wholly owned and incorporated under the laws of Bermuda.

SSL carries on business as a stevedoring company. The Company holds the terminal operators license from the Corporation of Hamilton to operate on the Hamiton docks until February 28, 2026

ESR carries on the business of purchasing and leasing heavy operating machinery and equipment. MRH owned investment property at Mill Reach Lane, Pembroke, Bermuda which was sold in April 2023, as described in Note 7

EEA carries on business as an asphalt manufacturing and paving company.

In April 2023, the Company established a new wholly owned subsidiary Duck's Puddle Limited (DPL), in May 2023 this was amalgamated with DPPL, being DPPL the surviving company, DPPL owns 8 Duck's Puddle Drive property which is leased to EEA. Prior to amalgamation, DPPL recognized land and building with no other assets and liabilities. The Company applied concentration test and this transaction was accounted for as an acquisition of properties. As a result, land valued at \$2,293,146 and a building valued at \$500,000 was recognized.

## 2. Basis of preparation

#### (a) Statement of compliance

These consolidated financial statements have been prepared in accordance with International Financial Reporting Standards ("IFRS") issued by the International Accounting Standards Board.

These consolidated financial statements were authorized for issue by the Board of Directors on July 26, 2024.

#### (b) Basis of measurement

These consolidated financial statements have been prepared on the historical cost basis.

## (c) Functional and presentation currency

These consolidated financial statements are presented in Bermuda dollars, which is the Company's functional currency.

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## 2. Basis of preparation (continued)

## (d) Use of estimates and judgments

The preparation of these consolidated financial statements in conformity with IFRS requires the use of estimates and assumptions about future considerations. The use of available information and the application of judgment are inherent in the formation of estimates; actual results in the future may differ from estimates upon which financial information is prepared. Revisions to accounting estimates, if any, are recognized in the period in which the estimate is revised and in any future periods affected. Further information about key assumptions concerning the future, and other key sources of estimation uncertainty, are set out in the following notes:

• Note 3(h) – impairment of non-financial assets

## 3. Material accounting policies

The accounting policies set out below have been applied consistently to all periods presented in these consolidated financial statements, unless otherwise stated.

## (a) Basis of consolidation

The consolidated financial statements include the balances and results of operations of the Company and its wholly owned subsidiaries (together referred to as the "Group"). All inter-company transactions and balances are eliminated on consolidation.

#### (b) Revenue recognition

Stevedoring revenues include stevedoring and dock handling revenues, and are recognized in the accounting period in which the services are rendered which is generally at the point when freight is unloaded from vessels.

Performance obligations and revenue recognition policies

The Group recognizes revenue when it transfers control over a good or service to a customer.

The following table provides information about the nature and timing of the satisfaction of performance obligations in contracts with customers, including significant payment terms, and the related revenue recognition policies.

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# 3. Material accounting policies (continued)

Revenue stream	Nature and timing of satisfaction of performance obligations, including significant payment terms	Revenue recognition policies
Containers	Containers revenue is based upon the completion of the discharging and backloading process. The performance obligation is the completion of this process. Payment is net 30 days.	Revenue is recognized at a point in time when the performance obligation is satisfied.
Break Bulk / Loose Cargo	Break bulk and loose cargo revenue is based upon the completion of the discharging and backloading process. The performance obligation is the completion of this process. Payment is net 30 days.	Revenue is recognized at a point in time when the performance obligation is satisfied.
Labour Surcharges	Labour surcharge revenue, while working overtime, is based upon the completion of the labour work process. The performance obligation is the completion of this process. Payment is net 30 days.	Revenue is recognized at a point in time when the performance obligation is satisfied.
Line Handling	Line handling revenue is based upon the completion of the vessel tie up process. The performance obligation is the completion of this process. Payment is net 30 days.	Revenue is recognized at a point in time when the performance obligation is satisfied.
Terminal Handling Charges	Terminal handling charge revenue is based upon the handling and discharging of cargo leaving the docks. The performance obligation is the completion of this process.  Payment is net 30 days.	Revenue is recognized at a point in time when the performance obligation is satisfied.

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## 3. Material accounting policies (continued)

## (b) Revenue recognition (continued)

Performance obligations and revenue recognition policies (continued)

Revenue stream	Nature and timing of satisfaction of performance obligations, including significant payment terms	Revenue recognition policies
Port Storage Fees	Port storage fee revenue is based upon the storage of cargo at the docks. The performance obligation is the completion of this process.  Payment is due on collection.	Revenue is recognized over time as the performance obligation is satisfied.
Paving	Paving revenue is based on the asphalting of roads and driveways. The performance obligation is the completion of this process. Payment is net 30 days.	Revenue is recognized over time on a monthly basis, based on the stage of completion.
Aggregate and Asphalt Sales	Aggregate and asphalt sales revenue is based on the acquisition of the material by customers. The performance obligation is the transfer of goods to the customer. Payment is net 30 days.	Revenue is recognized at a point in time when the performance obligation is satisfied based on the cost-to-cost method.

#### Rental income

Rental income is recognized as revenue on a straight-line basis over the term of the lease.

## (c) Property, plant and equipment

Property, plant and equipment are stated at cost less accumulated depreciation and accumulated impairment losses, if any. Cost includes expenditures that are directly attributable to the acquisition of the asset and include capitalized borrowing costs. Depreciation is charged on a straight-line basis over the estimated useful lives of the assets. Improvements to leased premises are capitalized and depreciated over the remainder of the related lease period. When parts of an item of property, plant and equipment have different useful lives, they are accounted for as separate items (major components). Items of property, plant and equipment are depreciated from the date that they are ready for use. Land is not depreciated.

Any gain or loss on disposal of an item of property, plant and equipment is recognized in profit or loss.

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#### 3. Material accounting policies (continued)

## (c) Property, plant and equipment (continued)

The estimated useful lives of significant items of property, plant and equipment are as follows:

Buildings and building improvements	10-25 years
Right of use assets (lease term)	5–50 years
Asphalt Plant	25 years
Furniture and fixtures	3-5 years
Computer equipment	3-10 years
Vehicles	5 years
Cranes and heavy equipment	5-15 years
Light equipment	5 years
Heavy equipment parts	4 years

### (d) Investment property

Investment property is property held either to earn rental income or for capital appreciation or for both, but not for sale in the ordinary course of business, use in the production or supply of goods or services or for administrative purposes. Investment property is measured at cost less accumulated depreciation and accumulated impairment losses. Land held as investment property is not subject to depreciation. The buildings are stated at cost less accumulated depreciation and depreciated on a straight-line basis over their estimated useful lives of 10 years. Cost includes expenditure that is directly attributable to the acquisition or construction of the investment property.

## (e) Assets held for sale and discontinued operations

Discontinued operations are reported when a component of the Company, representing a separate major line of business or area of operations with clearly distinguishable cash flows, has been disposed of or is held for sale. Classification as a discontinued operation occurs upon disposal or when the operation meets the criteria to be classified as held for sale, if earlier. In accordance with IFRS 5, *Non-current Assets Held for Sale and Discontinued Operations* ("IFRS 5"), discontinued operations are reported as a separate element of net income or loss on the consolidated statement of operations and comprehensive income for both the current and comparative periods. When a disposal group is classified as held for sale, assets and liabilities are aggregated and presented as separate line items, respectively, on the consolidated statement of financial position. Comparative periods are not restated on the consolidated statement of financial position. Assets held for sale are not depreciated and are measured at the lower of carrying value and fair value less costs to sell.

#### (f) Financial instruments

The Group's financial assets comprise of cash and cash equivalents and accounts receivable. The Group's financial liabilities comprise of accounts payable, lease liabilities and long-term debt.

#### (i) Recognition and initial measurement

Accounts receivable are initially recognized when they are originated. All other financial assets and financial liabilities are initially recognized when the Group becomes a party to the contractual provisions of the instrument. Accounts receivable are initially measured at the transaction price which reflects fair value. All other financial assets and financial liabilities are initially measured at fair value plus transaction costs that are directly attributable to their acquisition or issue.

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#### 3. Material accounting policies (continued)

#### (f) Financial instruments (continued)

#### (ii) Classification and subsequent measurement

## Financial assets

On initial recognition, the Group determines the classification of its financial assets. Financial assets are not reclassified subsequent to their initial recognition unless the Group changes its business model for managing financial assets, in which case all affected financial assets are reclassified on the first day of the first reporting period following the change in the business model.

The Company classifies its financial assets at amortized cost. A financial asset is measured at amortized cost if it meets both of the following conditions and is not designated as at fair value through profit or loss ("FVTPL"):

- it is held within a business model whose objective is to hold assets to collect contractual cash flows; and
- its contractual terms give rise on specified dates to cash flow that are solely payments of principal and interest on the principal amount outstanding.

#### Financial assets - Business model assessment

The Company makes an assessment of the objective of the business model in which a financial asset is held at a portfolio level because this best reflects the way the Company is managed and information is provided to management. The information considered includes:

- the stated policies and objectives for the portfolio and the operation of those policies in practice; and
- the risks that affect the performance of the business model (and the financial assets held within that business model) and how those risks are managed.

## Financial assets - Subsequent measurement and gains and losses

The Company's financial assets classified as amortized cost are subsequently measured at amortized cost using the effective interest method. The amortized cost is reduced by impairment losses. Interest income and impairment gains and losses are recognized in profit or loss. Any gain or loss on de-recognition is recognized in profit or loss.

Financial liabilities - Classification, subsequent measurement and gains and losses

The Company classifies its financial liabilities as other financial liabilities. The Company's financial liabilities are subsequently measured at amortized cost using the effective interest method.

## (iii) De-recognition

#### Financial assets

The Company derecognizes a financial asset when the contractual rights to the cash flow from the financial asset expire, or it transfers the rights to receive the contractual cash flows in a transaction in which substantially all of the risks and rewards of ownership of the financial asset are transferred or in which the Company neither transfers nor retains substantially all of the risks and rewards of ownership and it does not retain control of the financial asset.

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## 3. Material accounting policies (continued)

## (f) Financial instruments (continued)

#### Financial liabilities

The Company derecognizes a financial liability when its contractual obligations are discharged, cancelled, or expire. The Company also de-recognizes a financial liability when its terms are modified and the cash flows of the modified liability are substantially different, in which case a new financial liability based on the modified terms is recognized at fair value. On de-recognition of a financial liability, the difference between the carrying amount extinguished and the consideration paid is recognized in the consolidated statement of comprehensive income.

## Offsetting

Financial assets and liabilities are offset and the net amount presented in the consolidated statement of financial position when, and only when, the Company has a legally enforceable right to set off the amounts and it intends either to settle them on a net basis or to realize the asset and settle the liability simultaneously.

#### (g) Impairment

#### Financial assets

The Group recognizes loss allowances or expected credit losses ("ECLs") on financial assets measured at amortized cost. The Company measures loss allowances at an amount equal to 12-month ECLs for cash and cash equivalents that are determined to have a low credit risk at the reporting date and for which credit risk has not increased significantly since initial recognition.

Loss allowances for trade receivables and other receivables are always measured at an amount equal to lifetime ECLs.

When determining whether the credit risk of a financial asset has increased significantly since initial recognition and when estimating ECLs, the Group considers reasonable and supportable information that is relevant and available without undue cost or effort. This includes both quantitative and qualitative information and analysis, based on the Group's historical experience and informed credit assessment and including forward-looking information.

The Group assumes that the credit risk on a financial asset has increased significantly if it is more than 30 days past due. The Group considers a financial asset to be in default when it is more than 90 days past due.

Lifetime ECLs are the ECLs that result from all possible default events over the expected life of a financial instrument. 12-month ECLs are the portion of ECLs that result from default events that are possible within the 12 months after the reporting date (or a shorter period if the expected life of the instrument is less than 12 months). The maximum period considered when estimating ECLs is the maximum contractual period over which the Group is exposed to credit risk.

### Measurement of ECLs

ECLs are a probability-weighted estimate of credit losses. Credit losses are measured as the present value of all cash shortfalls (i.e. the difference between the cash flows due to the Group in accordance with the contract and the cash flows that the Group expects to receive). ECLs are discounted at the effective interest rate of the financial asset.

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#### 3. Material accounting policies (continued)

## (g) Impairment (continued)

For financial assets measured at amortized cost the Group applies a simplified approach in calculating the ECLs. Therefore, the Group does not track changes in credit risk, but instead recognizes a loss allowance based on the lifetime ECLs at each reporting date. The Group has established a provision matrix based on its historical loss experience, adjusted for forward-looking factors specific to the receivables and the economic environment.

## Credit impaired financial assets

At each reporting date, the Group assesses whether financial assets carried at amortized cost are credit-impaired. A financial asset is credit-impaired when one or more events that have a detrimental impact on the estimated future cash flows of the financial asset have occurred. Evidence that a financial asset is credit-impaired includes the following observable data:

- significant financial difficulty of the issuer;
- a breach of contract such as a default or being more than 90 days past due;
- it is probable that the issuer will enter bankruptcy or other financial reorganization; or
- the disappearance of an active market for that financial asset because of financial difficulties.

Presentation of allowance for ECL in the consolidated statement of financial position

Loss allowances for financial assets measured at amortized cost are deducted from the gross carrying amount of the assets.

#### Write-off

The gross carrying amount of a financial asset is written off when the Group has no reasonable expectations of recovering a financial asset in its entirety or a portion thereof. For individual customers, the Group has a policy of writing off the gross carrying amount when the financial asset is 240 days past due based on historical experience of recoveries of similar assets.

#### (h) Impairment of non-financial assets

Property, plant and equipment and investment property are reviewed for impairment whenever events or changes in circumstances indicate that the carrying amount of an asset may not be recoverable. Goodwill is tested annually for impairment. If any such indication exists, then the asset's recoverable amount is estimated. An impairment loss is recognized in profit or loss if the carrying amount of an asset exceeds its recoverable amount. An impairment loss is reversed only to the extent that the asset's carrying amount does not exceed the carrying amount that would have been determined, net of depreciation if no impairment loss had been recognized.

The recoverable amount of an asset is the greater of its value in use and its fair value less costs to sell. In assessing value in use, the estimated future cash flows are discounted to their present value using a discount rate that reflects the time value of money and any risks specific to the asset. For the purpose of impairment testing, assets that cannot be tested individually are grouped together into the smallest group of assets that generates cash inflows from continuing use that are largely independent of the cash inflows of other assets or groups of assets (the "cash-generating unit" or "CGU"). Goodwill arising from a business combination is allocated to CGUs or groups of CGUs that are expected to benefit from the synergies of the combination. An impairment loss is recognized if the carrying amount of an asset or its CGU exceeds its estimated recoverable amount. Impairment losses are recognized in profit or loss. They are allocated first to reduce the carrying amount of any goodwill allocated to the CGU, and then to reduce the carrying amounts of the other assets in the CGU on a pro rata basis.

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## 3. Material accounting policies (continued)

#### (h) Impairment of non-financial assets (continued)

An impairment loss in respect of goodwill is not reversed. For other assets, an impairment loss is reversed only to the extent that the asset's carrying amount does not exceed the carrying amount that would have been determined, net of depreciation or amortization, if no impairment loss had been recognized.

### (i) Cash and cash equivalents

For the purposes of the consolidated statement of cash flows the Group considers all cash on hand, deposits with financial institutions that can be withdrawn without prior notice or penalty and short-term deposits with an original maturity of three months or less as equivalent to cash. Cash and cash equivalents are used to manage the Group's short term liquidity commitments

## (j) Employee benefits

The costs of employee benefits payable in respect of the Group's defined contribution pension plan are charged to the consolidated statement of comprehensive income in the year in which the related services are rendered by the employees. The Group pays fixed contributions to a separate entity and has no obligation to

pay further amounts. The Group has committed to providing health insurance costs for certain former officers and employees. The present value of the estimate future obligations payable is recognized in full.

The grant-date fair value of share-based payment arrangements granted to employees under the Group's share option agreement is generally recognized as an expense, with a corresponding increase in equity, over the vesting period of the awards which approximates to the date when the eligible employees exercise their option to subscribe for shares under the stock option plan.

#### (k) Foreign currency translation

Monetary assets and liabilities denominated in foreign currencies are translated into Bermuda dollars at the rates of exchange prevailing at the consolidated statement of financial position date, while associated revenues and expenses are translated into Bermuda dollars at the actual rates prevailing at the date of the transaction. Resulting gains or losses are recorded in the consolidated statement of comprehensive income.

## (I) Taxation

The Group is a registered Bermuda incorporated entity, which is not currently subject to tax on profit, income or capital gains in the Islands of Bermuda. On December 27, 2023 the Bermuda government enacted legislation into law, the Bermuda Corporate Income Tax Act 2023. The Group is not currently in scope for this new legislation. Accordingly, no provision for current or deferred income tax has been made in these consolidated financial statements.

## (m) Inventory

Inventory is measured at the lower of cost and net realizable value. Provision is made where necessary for obsolete and slow-moving items. The cost of inventory is based on the first-in, first-out principle.

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#### 3. Material accounting policies (continued)

#### (n) Business combinations

The Group accounts for business combinations using the acquisition method when control is transferred to the Group. The Group controls an entity when it is exposed to, or has rights to, variable returns from its involvement with the entity and has the ability to affect those returns through its power over the entity. The financial statements of subsidiaries are included in these consolidated financial statements from the date on which control commences until the date on which control ceases. The consideration transferred in the acquisition is generally measured at fair value, as are the identifiable net assets acquired. Any goodwill that arises is tested annually for impairment (see Note 3(h)). Any gain on a bargain purchase is recognized in profit or loss immediately. Transaction costs are expensed as incurred, except if related to the issue of debt or equity securities.

The Group has an option to apply a 'concentration test' that permits a simplified assessment of whether an acquired set of activities and assets is not a business. The optional concentration test is met if substantially all of the fair value of the gross assets acquired is concentrated in a single identifiable asset or group of similar identifiable assets.

The consideration transferred does not include amounts related to the settlement of pre-existing relationships. Such amounts are generally recognized in profit or loss.

Any contingent consideration is measured at fair value at the date of acquisition. If an obligation to pay contingent consideration that meets the definition of a financial instrument is classified as equity, then it is not re-measured, and settlement is accounted for within equity. Otherwise, other contingent consideration is re-measured at fair value at each reporting date and subsequent changes in the fair value of the contingent consideration are recognized in profit or loss.

#### (o) Goodwill

Goodwill arising on the acquisition of subsidiaries is measured at cost less accumulated impairment losses. Goodwill is not amortized.

## (p) Leases

At the inception of a contract, the Group assesses whether a contract is, or contains, a lease. A contract is, or contains, a lease if the contract conveys the right to control the use of an identified asset for a period of time in exchange for consideration. To assess whether a contract conveys the right to control the use of an identified asset, the Group uses the definition of a lease in *IFRS 16 Leases*.

#### As a lessee

At commencement or on modification of a contract that contains a lease component, the Group allocates the consideration in the contract to each lease component on the basis of its relative stand-alone price.

The Group recognizes a right-of-use asset and a lease liability at the lease commencement date. The right-of-use asset is initially measured at cost, which comprises the initial amount of the lease liability adjusted for any lease payments made at or before the commencement date, plus any initial direct costs incurred and an estimate of costs to dismantle and remove the underlying asset or to restore the underlying asset or the site on which it is located, less any lease incentives received.

The right-of-use asset is subsequently depreciated using the straight-line method from the commencement date to the end of the lease term, unless the lessor transfers ownership of the underlying asset to the Group by the end of the lease term or the cost of the right-of-use asset reflects that the Group will exercise a purchase option. In that case the right-of-use asset will be depreciated over the useful life of the underlying asset, which is determined

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#### 3. Material accounting policies (continued)

## (p) Leases (continued)

## As a lessee (continued)

on the same basis as those of property, plant and equipment. In addition, the right-of-use asset is periodically reduced by impairment losses, if any, and adjusted for certain remeasurement of the lease liability.

The lease liability is initially measured at the present value of the lease payments that are not paid at the commencement date, discounted using the interest rate implicit in the lease or, if that rate cannot be readily determined, the Group's incremental borrowing rate. Generally, the Group uses its incremental borrowing rate of 5.3% as the discount rate.

The Group determines its incremental borrowing rate by obtaining interest rates from various external financing sources and makes certain adjustments to reflect the terms of the lease and type of the asset leased.

Lease payments included in the measurement of the lease liability comprise the following:

- fixed payments, including in-substance fixed payments;
- variable lease payments that depend on an index or a rate, initially measured using the index or rate as at the commencement date;
- amounts expected to be payable under a residual value guarantee; and
- the exercise price under a purchase option that the Group is reasonably certain to exercise, lease payments in an optional renew period if the Group is reasonably certain to exercise an extension option, and penalties for early termination of a lease unless the Group is reasonably certain not to terminate early.

The lease liability is measured at amortized cost using the effective interest method. It is remeasured when there is a change in future lease payments arising from a change in an index or rate, if there is a change in the Group's estimate of the amount expected to be payable under a residual guarantee, if the Group changes its assessment of whether it will exercise a purchase, extension or termination option or if there is a revised in-substance fixed lease payment.

When the lease liability is remeasured in this way, a corresponding adjustment is made to the carrying amount of the right-of-use assets that do not meet the definition of investment property in 'property, plant and equipment' and lease liabilities in 'loans and borrowings' in the consolidated statement of financial position.

Short-term leases and leases of low-value assets

The Group has elected not to recognize right-of-use assets and lease liabilities for leases of low-value and short-term leases, including IT equipment. The Group recognizes the lease payments associated with these leases as an expense on a straight-line basis over the lease term.

#### As a lessor

At inception or on modification of a contract that contains a lease component, the Group allocates the consideration in the contract to each lease component on the basis of their relative stand-alone prices.

When the Group acts as a lessor, it determines at lease inception whether each lease is a finance lease or an operating lease.

To classify each lease, the Group makes an overall assessment of whether the lease transfers substantially all of the risks and rewards incidental to ownership of the underlying asset. If this is the case, then the lease is a finance

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## 3. Material accounting policies (continued)

## (p) Leases (continued)

As a lessor (continued)

lease; if not, then it is an operating lease. As part of this assessment, the Group considers certain indicators such as whether the lease is for the major part of the economic life of the asset.

If an arrangement contains lease and non-lease components, the Group applies *IFRS 15 Revenue from Contract with Customers* to allocate the consideration in the contract.

The Group applies the derecognition and impairment requirements of *IFRS 9 Financial Instrument* to the net investment in the lease (see Note 3(g)). The Group further regularly reviews estimated unguaranteed residual values used in calculating the gross investment in the lease.

The Group recognizes lease payments received under operating leases as income on a straight-line basis over the lease term as part of 'other revenue'.

## 4. Changes to material accounting policies

There were a number of amendments to standards that were effective for periods beginning on or after April 1, 2023, but they do not have a material effect on the Group's consolidated financial statements. These have been listed below:

- Deferred Tax related to Assets and Liabilities arising from a Single Transaction (Amendments to IAS 12)
- Disclosure of Accounting Policies (Amendments to IAS 1 and IFRS Practice Statement 2)
- Definition of Accounting Estimates (Amendments to IAS 8)
- IFRS 17 Insurance Contracts (and Amendments to IFRS 17)

## 5. New standards and interpretations not yet adopted

A number of new or amended standards are effective for annual periods beginning after March 31, 2024, and early adoption is permitted; however, the Group has not early adopted the following new or amended standards in preparing these consolidated financial statements.

The following amended standards and interpretations are not expected to have a significant impact on the Group's consolidated financial statements.

- Classification of Liabilities as Current or Non-current (Amendments to IAS 1)
- Sale or Contribution of Assets between an Investor and its Associate or Joint Venture (Amendments to IFRS 10 and IAS 28)
- Lease Liability in a sale and Leaseback (Amendments to IFRS 16)
- Non-current Liabilities with Covenants (Amendments to IAS 1)
- Amendments to the Classification and Measurement of Financial Instruments and IFRS 7 Financial Instruments: Disclosures
- Presentation and Disclosure in Financial Statements (IFRS 18)

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## 6. Revenue

		<u>2024</u>		<u>2023</u>
Revenue from contracts with customers – continuing operations Other revenue	\$	14,382,286	\$	15,384,176
Rental income – discontinued operations (Notes 7 and 9)		8,020	_	160,841
	\$	14,390,306	\$	15,545,017
	=		=	

Unearned revenue is derived from the advance consideration received from customers for projects for which revenue is recognized over time. All unearned revenue of \$291,643 as at 31 March 2023 was realized during the year ended March 31, 2024. Unearned revenue of \$212,024 deferred as at March 31, 2024 was all received during the year then ended as advance payments.

Disaggregation of revenue from contracts with customers

In the following tables, revenue from contracts with customers is disaggregated by major product and service lines and timing of revenue recognition. The table also includes a reconciliation of the disaggregated revenue with the Group's reportable segments.

	2024					
		<u>SSL</u>		<u>EEA</u>		<u>Total</u>
Major products and service lines						
Containerized and Break Bulk/						
Loose Cargo	\$	8,879,655	\$	-	\$	8,879,655
Terminal Handling Charges		1,259,412		-		1,259,412
Labour Surcharges		698,296		-		698,296
Line Handling		207,249		-		207,249
Port Storage Fees		64,481		-		64,481
Paving		-		1,888,050		1,888,050
Aggregate asphalt and other sales	-		_	1,385,143	_	1,385,143
	\$	11,109,093	\$	3,273,193	\$	14,382,286
Timing of revenue recognition	=		=		=	
Products and services transferred						
over time	\$	64,481	\$	1,949,755	\$	2,014,236
Products and services transferred at						
a point in time	-	11,044,612	_	1,323,438	_	12,368,050
Revenue from contracts with	\$	11,109,093	\$	3,273,193	\$	14,382,286
customers	=		=		=	<del></del>

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customers

6.	Revenue (continued)						
				2023			
			<u>SSL</u>		<u>EEA</u>		<u>Total</u>
	Major products and service lines						
	Containerized and Break Bulk/						
	Loose Cargo	\$	9,008,848	\$	_	\$	9,008,848
	Terminal Handling Charges		1,257,593		_		1,257,593
	Labour Surcharges		794,854		-		794,854
	Line Handling		226,046		_		226,046
	Port Storage Fees		122,554		_		122,554
	Paving		-		2,989,180		2,989,180
	Aggregate asphalt and other sales	<del>-</del>		_	985,101	_	985,101
		\$	11,409,895	\$	3,974,281	\$	15,384,176
	Timing of revenue recognition	=		=		=	
	Products and services transferred						
	over time	\$	122,554	\$	2,989,180	\$	3,111,734
	Products and services transferred at						
	a point in time	-	11,287,341	_	985,101	_	12,272,442
	Revenue from contracts with	\$	11,409,895	\$	3,974,281	\$	15,384,176

# 7. Assets held for sale – investment property and discontinued operations

Investment property was comprised of land and buildings being held in MRH. In April 2023, the Group had sold its investment property for \$1,850,000. The property had a net book value of \$1,216,618 as at March 31, 2023. The gain on sale, before closing costs, was \$640,681, with the net gain after legal spending, stamp duties, and other charges, \$600,268. As of March 31, 2024, MRH has no remaining assets or liabilities, the division is wound down and discontinued.

# Results of discontinued operations

scontinued operations		<u>2024</u>		<u>2023</u>
Revenue Rental income (Note 6)	\$	8,020	\$	160,841
Expenses Professional fees General and administrative Depreciation		7,500 3,619 	_	2,525 25,248 94,658
Operating (loss) income		(3,099)		38,410
Gain on sale of property	_	600,268	_	
Net profit from discontinued operations	\$	597,169	\$_	38,410

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# 7. Assets held for sale and discontinued operation (continued)

# Cash flows used in discontinued operations

	<u>2024</u>	2023
Operating activities		
Profit for the year	\$ 597,169	\$ 38,410
Adjustments for:		
Depreciation	_	94,658
Gain on disposal of assets held for sale	(600,268)	-
Changes in non-cash working capital balances:		
Prepaid expenses	6,410	(118)
Accounts payable and accrued expenses	<u> </u>	<u>(449,450)</u>
Net cash provided by (used in) operating activities	3,311	(316,500)
Investing activities		
Sale (purchase) of investment property	1,816,886	(7,299)
Net cash provided by (used in) investing activities	1,816,886	(7,299)
Increase (decrease) in cash and cash equivalents	\$ 1,820,197	\$ (323,799)

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8. Property, pl	ant and equipment								
		Heavy	Land and	Cranes,			Capital	Terminal	
	Asphalt	equipment	building	vehicles and	Furniture	Computer	property	operator's	
	<u>plant</u>	<u>parts</u>	<u>improvements</u>	<u>equipment</u>	and fixtures	<u>equipment</u>	lease (Note 9)	license (Note 9)	<u>Total</u>
Cost									
April 1, 2022	\$ 1,663,858	\$ 3,901,319	\$ 499,183	\$ 14,380,578	\$ 381,435	\$ 862,352	\$ 3,600,581	\$ 1,286,811	\$ 26,576,117
Additions	300,492	935,997	1,905	922,285	26,862	92,466	-	-	2,280,007
Disposals				(1,899,598)					(1,899,598)
At March 31, 2023	\$ 1,964,350	\$ 4,837,316	\$ 501,088	\$ 13,403,265	\$ 408,297	\$ 954,818	\$ 3,600,581	\$ 1,286,811	\$ 26,956,526
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At April 1, 2023	\$ 1,964,350	\$ 4,837,316	\$ 501,088	\$ 13,403,265	\$ 408,297	\$ 954,818	\$ 3,600,581	\$ 1,286,811	\$ 26,956,526
Additions	309,767	631,439	2,793,146	636,058	28,711	71,284	_	-	4,470,405
Derecognition	<u>-</u>	(2,062,448)	(17,068)	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>		(3,600,581	)	(5,680,097)
-									
At March 31, 2024	\$ 2,274,117	\$ 3,406,307	\$ 3,277,166	\$ 14,039,323	\$ 437,008	\$ 1,026,102	\$ -	\$ 1,286,811	\$ 25,746,834

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# 8. Property, plant and equipment (continued)

Accumulated depreciatio	Asphalt <u>plant</u> on		Heavy equipment <u>parts</u>	<u>im</u>	Land and Building provements	,	Cranes, vehicles and <u>equipment</u>	Furniture and fixtures	Computer equipment	<u>le</u>	Capital property ase (Note 9)	licen	Terminal operator's se (Note 9)	<u>Total</u>
At April 1, 2022 \$ Depreciation for the year Disposals	186,067 77,998 —	\$	2,670,960 677,049 –	\$	405,925 23,186 –	\$	7,911,758 1,097,596 (1,670,422)	\$ 363,816 13,398 –	\$ 514,591 113,848 –	\$	216,216 72,072 –	\$	560,659 185,400 –	\$ 12,829,992 2,260,547 (1,670,422)
At March 31, 2023 \$	264,065	\$ =	3,348,009	\$	429,111	\$	7,338,932	\$ 377,214	\$ 628,439	\$	288,288	\$	746,059	\$ 13,420,117
At April 1, 2023 \$ Depreciation for the year Derecognition	264,065 90,203 –	\$	3,348,009 677,247 (2,062,448)	\$	429,111 40,580 (17,068)	\$	7,338,932 1,085,236 	\$ 377,214 35,346 	\$ 628,439 126,741 _	\$	288,288 6,006 (294,294)	\$	746,059 185,400 –	\$ 13,420,117 2,246,759 (2,373,810)
At March 31, 2024 \$	354,268	\$ =	1,962,808	\$ =	452,623	\$	8,424,168	\$ 412,560	\$ 755,180	\$	_	\$	931,459	\$ 13,293,066
Net book value														
At April 1, 2022 \$	1,477,791	\$	1,230,359	\$	93,258	\$	6,468,820	\$ 17,619	\$ 347,761	\$	3,384,365	\$	726,152	\$ 13,746,125
At March 31, 2023 \$	1,700,285	\$	1,489,307	\$	71,977	\$	6,064,333	\$ 31,083	\$ 326,379	\$	3,312,293	\$	540,752	\$ 13,536,409
At March 31, 2024 \$	1,919,849	\$_	1,443,499	\$	2,824,543	\$	5,615,155	\$ 24,448	\$ 270,922	\$	_	\$	355,352	\$ 12,453,768

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#### 9. Leases

Leases as lessee

The Group leased a property used by EEA, and SSL holds a Terminal Operator's License, each as outlined in Note 20.

On May 4, 2023, the Group acquired the property where EEA is situated, the division's third-party lease on that property ended, resulting in capital property lease asset and liability to be \$nil on March 31,2024 (2023 - capital property lease of \$3,312,293, lease liability of \$3,764,220).

The Group leases IT equipment with contract terms of one to three years. These leases are short-term and/or leases of low-value items. The Group has elected not to recognize right-of-use assets and lease liabilities for these leases.

Set out below are the carrying amounts of right-to-use assets recognized and the movements during the period:

		Terminal operator's <u>license</u>		Capital property <u>lease</u>		<u>Total</u>
Balance at April 1, 2022  Depreciation charge for the year  Balance at March 31, 2023  Depreciation charge for the year  Termination of capital property lease (Note 8)  Balance at March 31, 2024	\$  \$ 	726,152 (185,400) 540,752 (185,400) ———————————————————————————————————	\$ _ \$	3,384,365 (72,072) 3,312,293 (6,006) (3,306,287)	\$	4,110,517 (257,472) 3,853,045 (191,406) (3,306,287) 355,352
Set out below are the carrying amounts of lease liabilities:		Terminal operator's <u>license</u>		Capital property <u>lease</u>		<u>Total</u>
Balance at April 1, 2022 Accretion of interest Payment of lease liabilities	\$	526,558 28,659 (200,000)	\$	3,783,685 200,535 (220,000)	\$ _	4,310,243 229,194 (420,000)
Balance at March 31, 2023 Accretion of interest Payment of lease liabilities Termination of capital property lease		355,217 36,791 (200,000)	_	3,764,220 16,711 (18,333) (3,762,598)	_	4,119,437 53,502 (218,333) (3,762,598)
Balance at March 31, 2024	\$	192,008	\$	_	\$	192,008

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## Leases (continued)

Set out below are the amounts recognized in the consolidated statement of comprehensive income:

	<u>2024</u>		<u>2023</u>
Depreciation expense on right-of-use assets Interest on lease liabilities Expenses relating to short-term leases – IT equipment	\$ 191,406 53,502 6,480	\$	257,412 229,194 6,480
	\$  251,388 	\$ —	493,086
	<u>2024</u>		<u>2023</u>
Total cash outflow for leases	\$ 218,333	\$	420,000

#### Extension options

Some leases contain extension options exercisable by the Group. The Group assesses at lease commencement date whether it is reasonably certain to exercise the extension options. The Group reassesses whether it is reasonably certain to exercise the options if there is a significant event or significant changes in circumstances within its control.

## Leases as lessor

In April 2023, the Group sold its investment property which was previously leased out. The previous lease was classified as an operating lease, because the lease does not transfer substantially all of the risks and rewards incidental to the ownership of the asset. Rental income recognized by the Group during the year ended March 31, 2024 was \$8,020 (2023 - \$160,841) (Note 6).

# 10. Cash and cash equivalents

Cash and cash equivalents only includes current accounts. The effective interest rate earned on cash and cash equivalents for the year ended March 31, 2024 was nil% (2023 - nil%).

## 11. Inventory

Inventory relating to raw materials of \$1,126,274 (2023 - \$749,637) is stated net of an allowance for obsolescence of \$nil (2023 - \$nil). Included in EEA expenses in the consolidated statement of comprehensive income are recognized inventory expenses of \$1,069,879 (2023 - \$912,339). Inventory amounting to \$37,467 was written down during the year ended March 31, 2024 (2023 - \$nil).

# 12. Employee pension benefits

The total expense incurred for the Group's defined contribution plan was \$208,587 (2023 - \$214,397).

The total pension benefits expense is included in stevedoring expenses, EEA expenses, administrative salaries, wages and employment benefits in the consolidated statement of comprehensive income. Employee benefits also include the expense of providing health insurance benefits to employees during the term of their employment and to a former officer and director and former employee as described in Note 20.

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## 13. Personnel expenses

	<u>2024</u>	<u>2023</u>
Salaries, wages and employment benefits Key management compensation – short-term employment benefits Compulsory payroll tax, social insurance, life, and health contributions Payments to defined contribution pension scheme (Note 12)	\$ 5,446,521 582,161 1,283,523 208,587	\$ 5,448,439 633,491 1,286,102 214,397
	\$ 7,520,792	\$ 7,582,429

Personnel expenses are included in stevedoring expenses and administrative salaries and wages in the consolidated statement of comprehensive income.

# 14. Long-term debt

On March 14, 2019 the Group borrowed \$3,800,000 from a Bermuda Bank, comprised of three separate loans:

A \$1,500,000 loan at 0.55% above a Bermuda Bank's Bermuda dollar corporate base rate. The loan is repayable over 15 years.

A \$1,900,000 loan at 1.20% above a Bermuda Bank's Bermuda dollar corporate base rate. The loan is repayable over 10 years.

A \$400,000 loan at 3.2% above a Bermuda Bank's Bermuda dollar corporate base rate. The loan was repayable over 10 years. In July 2023, this loan was fully paid off.

A new loan of \$ 1,000,000 at 0.50% above a Bermuda Bank's Bermuda dollar corporate base rate was secured in May 2023 to facilitate the purchase of the DPP land. The loan is repayable over 10 years.

Interest paid during the year was \$251,903 (2023 - \$195,864).

The long-term debt is secured by a fixed and floating debenture over the assets of the Group, cross guaranteed by ESR, DPP, EEA and SSL.

Principal repayments are as follows:

2025	\$ 356,152
2026	383,327
2027	412,579
2028	443,713
2029	477,942
2030 and thereafter	 1,294,522
	\$ 3,368,235

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## 14. Long-term debt (continued)

Reconciliation of repayment of the loan to cash flows from financing activities:

• •	Ü	<u>2024</u>	<u>2023</u>
Balance as at April 1 New loan Repayment of long-term debt		\$  2,983,737 1,000,000 (615,502)	\$ 3,257,899 - (274,162)
Balance as at March 31		\$ 3,368,235	\$ 2,983,737

#### 15. Goodwill

On March 14, 2019, the Group acquired 100% of the shares and voting interests in East End Asphalt Company Limited ("EEA"). Goodwill of \$1,339,892 represented the excess purchase price of \$4,189,497 over the net assets in EEA at the time of acquisition of \$2,849,605. Goodwill arose through a number of synergies gained from the existing operations.

<u>2024</u>		<u>2023</u>
\$ _ 	\$_	1,100,000 (1,100,000)
\$ _	\$_	_
<u> </u>	\$ <u>-</u>	\$ - \$ 

## Impairment

In previous years goodwill was impaired to its estimated recoverable amount of \$1,100,000. At year-end fiscal 2023, management conducted an impairment review on the goodwill allocated to EEA. The recoverable amount of this CGU was based on its value in use, determined by discounting the future cash flows to be generated from the continuing use of the CGU.

The recoverable amount of the CGU of \$5,980,461 was determined to be lower than its carrying amount of \$7,229,191, and as such management recognized an impairment loss of \$1,100,000 in fiscal 2023.

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## 16. Share capital

The Company's authorized share capital is \$2,000,000 represented by 2,000,000 common shares of par value \$1 each. At March 31, 2024 1,190,849 (2023 - 1,189,787) shares were issued and fully paid.

	Number of ordinary shares			
	<u>2024</u>	<u>2023</u>		
In issue at April 1 Exercise of share options	1,189,787 1,062	1,188,302 1,485		
In issue at March 31 – fully paid	1,190,849	1,189,787		

As at March 31, 2024 the direct and indirect shareholding ownership of directors and officers was 329,779 (2023 - 328,717) shares. No rights to subscribe for shares in the Company have been granted to or exercised by any director or officer, except for the share option agreement referred to below.

The holders of common shares are entitled to receive dividends as declared from time to time. The following dividends were declared and paid by the Company:

	<u>2024</u>		<u>2023</u>
\$0.10 (2022 - \$0.08) per qualifying ordinary share – June	\$ 118,922	\$	118,804
\$0.10 (2022 - \$0.10) per qualifying ordinary share – September	118,922		118,804
\$0.05 (2022 - \$0.10) per qualifying ordinary share - December	59,493		118,879
\$0.05 (2023 - \$0.10) per qualifying ordinary share – March	 59,493	_	118,879
	\$ 356,830	\$	475,366

#### Share option agreement (equity settled)

During the year ended March 31, 2022 the Group established an employee stock option plan ("Plan"), for all full-time employees with one year or more of tenure. The Plan will operate for a period of 10 years from the effective date being September 17, 2021. The total number of shares reserved and available for issuance under the Plan is 125,000 shares which will be issued from the Company's authorised and unissued share capital. Eligible employees each have an option to acquire up to 125 common shares twice annually on April 1 and October 1 (subject to a minimum subscription of 25 shares) at a price 20% below the weighted average of the Company's Bermuda Stock Exchange trade price, based on the last three trades. Unexercised options expire within 5 business days of the April 1 and October 1 grant dates and are added back to the share option plan. As at March 31, 2024 and 2023 all options granted but not exercised have expired. The total number of shares exercised is 1,062 (2023 - 1,485), out of these shares, 500 shares (2023 - 500) were subscribed by key management employees of the Group for an amount of \$3,140 (2023 - \$3,405).

Stock options	<u>2024</u>	<u>2023</u>
Granted	11,000	12,500
Exercised	(1,062)	(1,485)
Expired	(9,938)	(11,015)

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#### 17. General reserve

General reserve represents amounts appropriated by the directors.

#### 18. Transactions and balances with parties having significant relationship with the Group

Bermuda International Shipping Ltd ("BISL") and Somers Isles Shipping Ltd ("SISL") are companies which are related by virtue of common significant influence by directors of the Group.

The Group earned stevedoring revenue of \$5,294,701 (2023 - \$5,567,358) from both BISL and SISL. Included in accounts receivable as at March 31, 2024 is \$235,914 (2023 - \$496,939) due from both companies.

Forensics First Ltd. is related by virtue of common significant influence by a director of the Group. The Group incurred consultancy expenses of \$71,932 (2023 - \$73,707) from Forensics First Ltd. which are included in professional fees in the statement of comprehensive income.

Meyer Technologies Ltd. was related by virtue of common significant influence by a director of the Group in fiscal 2023. For the year end March 31, 2024, company does not have any common directors.

## 19. Earnings per share

Earnings per share is computed by dividing income for the year by the monthly weighted average number of shares outstanding during the year.

The calculation of basic earnings per share at March 31, 2024 is based on the net profit attributable to ordinary shareholders of \$740,819 (2023 - loss of \$481,901), and a weighted average number of ordinary shares outstanding of 1,190,318 (2023 - 1,189,045).

Weighted-average number of ordinary shares

	<u>2024</u>	<u>2023</u>
Issued ordinary shares at April 1 Effect of shares issued in the year (Note 16)	1,189,787 <u>531</u>	1,188,302 <u>743</u>
Weighted-average number of ordinary shares at March 31	1,190,318	1,189,045

Share options scheme with a dilutive effect were implemented on October 1, 2021 (Note 16). The calculation of diluted earnings per share at March 31, 2024 is based on the gain attributable to ordinary shareholders \$740,819 (2023 – loss of \$481,901), and a diluted weighted average number of ordinary shares outstanding of 1,190,318 (2023 - 1,189,045).

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#### 20. Commitments

The Group has committed to provide and pay the health insurance costs for a former employee for the rest of her life. The present value of these future obligations (which is unfunded) is estimated at \$104,832 (2023 - \$127,849) and has been included in accrued expenses in the consolidated statement of financial position (Note 12).

The Group had no contracted capital commitments as at March 31, 2024 or 2023.

#### 21. Financial instruments

#### Fair value

The fair value of cash and cash equivalents, accounts receivable, accounts payable and accrued expenses and long-term debt approximates their carrying value due to their short-term maturity or because they attract market rates of interest which are variable.

Certain items such as inventory, property, plant and equipment, prepaid expenses, and accrued expenses are excluded from fair value disclosure. Thus, the total fair value amounts cannot be aggregated to determine the underlying economic value of the Group.

#### Credit risk

A concentration of credit risk exists when there are significant contracts with individual counterparties or when groups of issuers or counterparties have similar business characteristics that would cause their ability to meet contractual commitments to be adversely affected, in a similar manner, by changes in the economy or other market conditions.

## Market risk

The Group has no significant interest rate, foreign exchange or other price risk.

## (a) Cash and cash equivalents and investments

At March 31, 2024 - 53% (2023 - 66%) of the Group's cash and cash equivalents are held with a single Bermuda bank which has a credit rating of BBB+ according to the Standard & Poor's rating agency. Management does not believe that there is any significant credit risk with respect to its cash and cash equivalents.

The following table presents an analysis of the credit quality of cash and cash equivalents at amortized cost by reference to the external credit rating and default rates published by Standard & Poor's:

	<u>2024</u>	<u>2023</u>
BBB+ B	\$ 744,775 651,096	\$ 1,490,261 762,219
	\$ 1,395,871	\$ 2,252,480

The Group considers that its cash and cash equivalents have low credit risk based on the external credit ratings of the counterparties, and accordingly no impairment loss has been recorded. 12-month and lifetime probabilities of default are based on historical data supplied by Standard & Poor's for each credit rating and are recalibrated based on current bond yields and credit default swap prices.

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## 21. Financial instruments (continued)

## (b) Accounts receivable

At March 31, 2024, 77% (2023 - 78%) of the Group's accounts receivable balance is due from three customers.

The Group's major customers have been transacting with the Group for a number of years and significant losses have not occurred. Therefore, management does not believe there is significant credit risk arising from accounts receivable balances. The maximum exposure to credit risk for accounts receivable is represented by the carrying value in the consolidated statement of financial position.

Expected credit loss assessment for individual customers

The Group uses an allowance matrix to measure the ECLs of trade receivables from individual customers.

Loss rates are calculated using a 'roll rate' method based on the probability of a receivable progressing through successive stages of delinquency to write-off. Roll rates are calculated separately for exposures in different segments based on the type of product purchased.

The following table provides information about the exposure to credit risk and ECLs for trade receivables from individual customers as at March 31, 2024:

	Weighted		Gross			
	average		carrying		Loss	Credit
As at March 31, 2024	<u>loss rate</u>		<u>amount</u>	<u>all</u>	<u>owance</u>	<u>impaired</u>
Current	<1%	\$	170,304		nil	No
Past 30 days	<1%		682,573		nil	No
Past 60 days	<1%		100,534		nil	No
Past 90 days	<1%		30,988		nil	No
Past 240 days	<1%	_			nil	No
		\$	984,399	\$	nil	
		_				

Loss rates are based on the actual credit loss experience over the past three years. These rates are multiplied by scalar factors to reflect the difference between economic conditions during the period over which the historical data has been collected, current conditions and the Group's view of economic conditions over the expected lives of the receivables.

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## 21. Financial instruments (continued)

## (b) Accounts receivable (continued)

The following table provides information about the exposure to credit risk and ECLs for trade receivables from individual customers as at March 31, 2023:

As at March 31, 2023	Weighted average <u>loss rate</u>	Gross carrying <u>amount</u>	Loss <u>allowance</u>	Credit impaired
Current	nil%	\$ 1,028,126	\$ nil	No
Past 30 days	nil%	35,134	nil	No
Past 60 days	nil%	18,027	nil	No
Past 90 days	nil%	81,437	nil	No
Past 240 days	nil%		<u>nil</u>	No
		\$ 1,162,724	\$ nil	

Loss rates are based on the actual credit loss experience over the past three years. These rates are multiplied by scalar factors to reflect the difference between economic conditions during the period over which the historical data has been collected, current conditions and the Group's view of economic conditions over the expected lives of the receivables.

Movements in the allowance for impairment in respect of trade receivables

The movement in the allowance for impairment in respect of trade receivables during the year was as follows.

	<u>2024</u>	<u>2023</u>
Balance at April 1 Amounts written off	\$ _ 	\$ 4,500 (4,500)
Balance at March 31	\$ _	\$ _

#### Interest rate risk

Interest rate risk arises from the possibility that changes in interest rates will affect interest payable on long-term debt and interest earned on cash and cash equivalents. The Group's exposure to the risk of changes in market interest relates primarily to the Group's variable portion of the interest rate applicable to the long-term debt. A 100 basis point increase or decrease in interest rates at the beginning of the reporting period would have increased or decreased net loss by approximately \$35,000.

#### Liquidity risk

Liquidity risk is the risk the Group will not be able to meet its financial obligations as they fall due. The Group maintains sufficient cash together with cash generated from the collection of accounts receivable to meet all its liabilities as they fall due.

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## 21. Financial instruments (continued)

Liquidity risk (continued)

The table below categorizes the Group's financial liabilities into relevant maturity groupings based on the remaining period at the reporting date to the contractual maturity date. The amounts in the table are contractual undiscounted consolidated cash flows and represents future payments and principal balances including interest accrual.

As at March 31, 2024	<u>Total</u>	6 months or less		6 - 12 months	1 - 2 <u>years</u>		2 - 15 <u>years</u>
Accounts payable Lease liability Long-term debt	\$ 838,032 200,000 4,486,863	\$ 838,032 - 294,234	\$	200,000 294,234	\$ - - 1,176,721	\$	- - 2,721,674
	\$ 5,524,895	\$ 1,132,266	\$	494,234	\$ 1,176,721	\$	2,721,674
		6 months		6 - 12	1 - 2		2 - 15
As at March 31, 2023	<u>Total</u>	<u>or less</u>		months	<u>years</u>		<u>years</u>
Accounts payable Lease liability Long-term debt	\$ 626,483 4,119,437 4,170,575	\$ 626,483 95,403 306,363	\$ _	95,403 306,363	\$ 222,806 612,726	\$ _	3,705,825 2,945,123
	\$ 8,916,495	\$ 1,028,249	\$	401,766	\$ 835,532	\$	6,650,948

## 22. Capital management

The Group's capital comprises shareholders' equity, which consists of share capital, share premium, general reserve and retained earnings. The Group's capital management approach is driven by its operational requirements whilst functioning within Bermuda's economic, commercial, and regulatory environment. The Group's strategy is approved by the Board of Directors. The Board of Directors also monitors the level of dividends to ordinary shareholders. It is the Group's policy to maintain a strong capital base to support operational needs at all times, to provide returns to its shareholders and to maintain investor, creditor and market confidence, and to sustain future development of the business. The Group also maintains discipline over its investment decisions. The allocation of capital is monitored to ensure that returns are appropriate after taking account of capital cost.

PHC's capital management policies and principles define the process by which the Group examines the risk profiles from both economic and regulatory capital viewpoints. This ensures that the minimum levels of capital are maintained to meet the following circumstances:

- Remain sufficient to support the Group's risk profile and outstanding commitments.
- ii. Capable of withstanding a severe economic downturn scenario.
- iii. Remain consistent with the Group's strategic and operational goals whilst maintaining the Board of Directors' and shareholders' expectations.

There were no changes to the Group's approach to capital management during the year. The Group is not exposed to externally imposed capital requirements.

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#### 23. Professional fees

Included in professional fees is the audit fee of \$114,225 for the year ended March 31, 2024 (2023 - \$104,500).

## 24. Operating segments

The reportable operating segments (all located in Bermuda) are as follows:

- 1. PHC carries on business as an investment holding company in Bermuda.
- 2. SSL carries on the business as a stevedoring company in Bermuda.
- 3. ESR carries on the business of purchasing and leasing heavy operating machinery and equipment in Bermuda.
- 4. MRH previously carries on the business of leasing its investment property to businesses as office and business space in Bermuda, MRH has discontinued operations since prior year and was dissolved in current vear.
- 5. EEA carries on business as an asphalt manufacturing and paving company.
- 6. DPP owns the rental property where EEA is situated.

For management purposes, the Group is organized into these six (2023 - five) separate business segments based on their products and services. For financial reporting purposes, these six (2023 - five) companies are the main contributing factors for the consolidated financial statements of PHC. Inter-segment transactions are determined on an arm's length basis.

Management including the chief operating decision maker, monitors the operating results of the business segments separately for the purpose of making decisions about resources to be allocated and of assessing performance. Segment performance is evaluated based on the profit or loss of the Group which is explained in the table below.

Due to a leasing arrangement between ESR (the "lessor") and SSL (the "lessee") for the use of the heavy port operating equipment, an elimination transaction in the amount of \$1,300,542 (2023 - \$1,320,7454) was recognized under the PHC group structure.

The SSL segment of the group earns \$10,743,611 from three customers who contribute \$5,448,909 (38%), \$2,950,824 (21%), and \$2,343,878 (16%), respectively, to the total revenue of the group of \$14,389,892.

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# 24. Operating segments (continued)

2024 (stated in \$000's)

	<u>EEA</u>		<u>PHC</u>		<u>SSL</u>		<u>ESR</u>		MRH*		<u>DPP</u>		Elimination	<u>C</u>	onsolidation
Stevedoring revenue	\$ _	\$	_	\$	11,109	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	_	\$	11,109
EEA revenue	3,273		_		-		_		_		_		-		3,273
Rental income	_		-		_		_		7		_		_		7
Inter-segment	 	_	1,076	-	<u>_</u>	_	1,299	_	<u>-</u>	_	202	-	(2,577)	_	
Total revenue	3,273		1,076		11,109		1,299		7		202		(2,577)		14,389
Stevedoring expenses	_		_		6,887		_		_		_		_		6,887
EEA expenses	2,631		-		_		_		_		_		_		2,631
Depreciation	17		_		169		818		_		18		_		1,022
Interest expense	196		_		_		_		_		61		_		257
Gain on sale of property	-		-		_		_		(601)		_		_		(601)
Other expenses	 <u>567</u>		1,085	_	1,770		6	_	<u>10</u>	_	14	_		_	3,452
Expenses	3,411		1,085		8,826		824		(591)		93		_		13,648
Inter-segment	 253		<u>-</u> _	_	2,060	_	258		<u> </u>	_	5	_	(2,577)		
Total expenses	3,664		1,085		10,886		1,082		(590)		98		(2,577)		13,648
Net Profit	\$ (391)	\$	(9)	\$	223	\$	217	\$	597	\$	104	\$	_	\$	741

<sup>\*</sup>Amount relates to MRH discontinued operations

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# 24. Operating segments (continued)

2023 (stated in \$000's)

	<u>EEA</u>	PHC	<u>SSL</u>	<u>ESR</u>	MRH*	<u>DPP</u>	Elimination	Consolidation
Stevedoring revenue \$	_	\$ -	\$ 11,410	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 11,410
EEA revenue	3,974	_	-	-	-	_	-	3,974
Rental income	-	_	-	-	161	-	-	161
Inter-segment _		<u>970</u>		1,321			(2,291)	
Total revenue	3,974	970	11,410	1,321	161	-	(2,291)	15,545
Stevedoring expenses	_	_	6,819	_	_	_	_	6,819
EEA expenses	2,764	_	_	-	-	-	_	2,764
Depreciation	16	_	152	-	-	-	_	168
Depreciation of								
investment property	_	-	-	858	95	-	-	953
Interest expense	396	_	29	-	-	-	-	425
Goodwill impairment	-	1,100	_	-	-	-	-	1,100
Other expenses	1,053	970	1,685	62	28			3,798
Expenses	4,229	2,070	8,685	920	123	_	_	16,027
Inter-segment _	30		2,015	240	6		(2,291)	
Total expenses	4,259	2,070	10,700	1,160	129			16,027
Net Profit \$	(285)	\$ (1,100)	\$ 710	\$ 161	\$ 32	\$ -	\$ -	\$ (482)

<sup>\*</sup>Amount relates to MRH discontinued operations

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# 24. Operating segments (continued)

As at March 31, 2024 (stated in \$000's)

	<u>EEA</u>	<u>PHC</u>	<u>SSL</u>	<u>ESR</u>	MRH*	<u>DPP</u>	Total reportable <u>Segments</u>	<u>Elimination</u>	Total
Assets Liabilities	\$ 5,010 3,372	\$ 12,522 6,749	\$ 9,932 6,201	\$ 9,937 3,900	\$ - -	\$ 2,978 2,862	\$ 40,379 23,084	\$ (23,670) \$ (17,253)	16,709 5,831
Capital expenditure	\$ 453	\$ -	\$ 740	\$ 681	\$ -	\$ 2,793	\$ -	\$ - \$	4,667
As at March 31 (stated in \$000's		2110		500	Mark		Total reportable		
	<u>EEA</u>	<u>PHC</u>	<u>SSL</u>	<u>ESR</u>	MRH*	<u>DPP</u>	<u>Segments</u>	Elimination	Total
Assets Liabilities	\$ 9,338 7,309	\$ 3,696 92	\$ 5,332 1,825	\$ 5,820 -	\$ 1,931 -	\$ -	\$ 26,117 9,226	\$ (6,405) \$ -	19,712 9,226
Capital expenditure	\$ 391	\$ _	\$ 1,105	\$ 930	\$ 7	\$ -	\$ _	\$ - \$	2,433