Exalco Finance p.l.c. (C-87384) 'Cornerstone Business Centre', Level 4, 16 September Square, Mosta MST1180, Malta



COMPANY ANNOUNCEMENT

Exalco Finance p.l.c.

Approval of interim financial statements

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QUOTE

The Board of Directors of Exalco Finance p.l.c. (the "Company") hereby announces the approval of the unaudited interim financial statements of the Company for the financial period ended 30 June 2022, a copy of which is attached herewith and is also available for viewing on the Company's website http://www.exalcogroup.com/investor-relations/.

UNQUOTE

By order of the Board.

Dr. Malcolm Falzon
COMPANY SECRETARY

EXALCO FINANCE p.l.c.

Half-Yearly Report 30 June 2022

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Half-yearly directors' report

This Half-Yearly Report is being published in terms of Chapter 5 of the Capital Market Rules of the Listing Authority – Malta Financial Services Authority and the Prevention of Financial Markets Abuse Act, 2005. The condensed financial statements included in this report have been extracted from Exalco Finance p.l.c.'s unaudited financial information for the six months ended 30 June 2022, prepared in accordance with International Financial Reporting Standards as adopted for use in the EU for interim financial statements (International Accounting Standard 34, 'Interim Financial Reporting'). This half-yearly report has not been audited or reviewed by the company's independent auditors.

Trading performance

The company

The company's principal activity is to carry on the business of an investment company, by raising funds to finance the operations and capital projects of Exalco Properties Limited, a main operating company forming part of Exalco Group.

Finance income amounting to €371,837 (2021: €369,401) is generated from a facility fee and interest charged on the loan advanced to Exalco Properties Limited. Financial costs comprise interest payable on the bond issue and amortisation of the issued costs thereof amounting to €312,534 (2021: €312,534). Profit before taxation for the six-month period under review was €26,660 (2021: €23,211).

The directors do not anticipate any significant changes during the forthcoming six months.

The Guarantor

The Guarantor generated revenue of €2,497,621, an increase of €39,733 over the comparative period. This increase is mainly attributable to revised rental agreements in line with market rates. This contributed to a profit before tax of €1,374,914.

The Guarantor envisages occupancy levels in the next six months to remain close to 100% in all its buildings, although its directors remain alert to external market factors, particularly the impact to the economy that may be caused by the continuation of the pandemic, the war in Ukraine, as well as Malta's continued ability to attract investment from abroad.

Half-yearly directors' report - continued

Dividends

The directors do not recommend the payment of an interim dividend.

Director's statement pursuant to Capital Market Rule 5.75.3

We hereby confirm that to the best of our knowledge:

- 1. the condensed half-yearly report gives a true and fair view of the financial position of the company as at 30 June 2022, and of its financial performance and its cash flows for the period then ended in accordance with International Financial Reporting Standards as adopted by the EU applicable to Interim Financial Reporting (IAS 34).
- 2. the interim directors' report includes a fair review of the information required in terms of Capital Market Rule 5.81.

Alexander Montanaro Director

Registered office: Exalco Finance p.l.c. Cornerstone Business Centre Level 4 16 September Square Mosta MST 1180 Malta

10 August 2022

Jean Marc Montanaro Director

Condensed statement of financial position

ASSETS	Note	As at 30 June 2022 € (unaudited)	As at 31 December 2021 € (audited)
Non-current assets			
Loan receivable from fellow subsidiary	3	15,171,500	15,021,500
Current assets		557,434	377,774
Total assets	,	15,728,934	15,399,274
EQUITY AND LIABILITIES			
Equity and reserves		362,333	345,004
Non-current liabilities			
Borrowings		14,817,500	14,802,500
Current liabilities		549,101	251,770
Total liabilities		15,366,601	15,054,270
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Total equity and liabilities		15,728,934	15,399,274

The notes on page 7 are an integral part of this interim condensed financial information.

The condensed interim financial information on pages 3 to 7 were authorised for issue by the board of directors on 10 August 2022 and were signed on its behalf by:

Alexander Montanaro

Director

Jean Marc Montanaro

Director

Condensed statement of comprehensive income

	Six months en	Six months ended 30 June	
	2022 € (unaudited)	2021 € (unaudited)	
Finance income Finance costs	371,837 (312,534)	369,401 (312,534)	
Net interest income Administrative expenses	59,303 (32,643)	56,867 (33,656)	
Profit before tax Tax expense	26,660 (9,331)	23,211 (8,124)	
Profit for the period - total comprehensive income	17,329	15,087	

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Condensed statement of changes in equity

	Share capital €	Retained earnings €	Total €
Balance at 1 January 2021	250,000	59,097	309,097
Profit for the period – total comprehensive income	**	15,088	15,088
Balance at 30 June 2021	250,000	74,185	324,185
Balance at 1 January 2022	250,000	95,004	345,004
Profit for the period – total comprehensive income	12 0	17,329	17,329
Balance at 30 June 2022	250,000	112,333	362,333

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Condensed statement of cash flows

	Six months ended 30 June	
	2022 €	2021 €
	(unaudited)	(unaudited)
Cash flows from operating activities	31,434	667
Cash flows from financing activities	(150,000)	
Net movement in cash and cash equivalents	(118,566)	667
Cash and cash equivalents at beginning of period	127,205	127,108
Cash and cash equivalents at end of period	8,639	127,775

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Notes to the half-yearly report

1. Basis of preparation

This condensed interim financial information for the period ended 30 June 2022 has been prepared in accordance with IAS 34, 'Interim financial reporting'. They have been prepared under the historical cost convention. These financial statements have not been audited nor reviewed by the company's independent auditors. The condensed interim financial information should be read in conjunction with the financial statements for the year ended 31 December 2021, which have been prepared in accordance with IFRSs as adopted by the EU.

2. Share capital

	30 June	31 December
	2022	2021
	€	€
Authorised, issued and fully paid up		
250,000 ordinary shares of €1 each	250,000	250,000

3. Related party transactions

The company forms part of the Exalco Group of Companies. All companies forming part of the Exalco Group are related parties since these companies are all ultimately owned by Exalco Holdings Limited, which is considered by the directors to be the ultimate controlling party. Trading transactions between these companies include items which are normally encountered in a group context. The group is ultimately fully owned by members of the Montanaro family, who are therefore considered to be related parties. The main related party with whom transactions are entered into is Exalco Properties Limited, the guarantor of the borrowings.

The principal transactions carried out with related parties during the period are outlined below:

9	Six months ended 30 June	
	2022	2021
	€	€
Finance income from fellow subsidiary	304,450	303,336
Facility fee from fellow subsidiary	67,387	66,065
	371,837	369,401

The company's balances with fellow subsidiary as at the end of the period is as follows:

	30 June 2022 €	31 December 2021 €
Loan receivable from fellow subsidiary	15,171,500	15,021,500

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