UNAUDITED INTERIM CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

**SEPTEMBER 30, 2023** 

### Interim condensed consolidated financial statements September 30, 2023

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### INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT ON REVIEW OF INTERIM CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS TO THE SHAREHOLDERS OF **GULF NAVIGATION HOLDING P.I.S.C**

### Introduction

We have reviewed the accompanying interim condensed consolidated financial statements of Gulf Navigation Holding P.J.S.C (the "Company") and its subsidiaries (collectively referred to as the "Group"), comprising the interim consolidated statement of financial position as at September 30, 2023, and the related interim consolidated statement of comprehensive income for the three months and nine months periods then ended, and the related interim consolidated statements of changes in equity and cash flows for the nine months period then ended, and explanatory notes. Management is responsible for the preparation and presentation of these interim condensed consolidated financial statements in accordance with IAS 34 Interim Financial Reporting (IAS 34). Our responsibility is to express a conclusion on these interim condensed consolidated financial statements 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.

### Comparative Information

Without qualifying our conclusion, we draw attention to Note 23 to the interim condensed consolidated financial statements, which indicates that the comparative information presented as at December 31, 2022 has been restated.

As part of our review of these interim condensed consolidated financial statements, we reviewed the adjustments described in Note 23 that were applied to restate the comparative information presented as at December 31, 2022.

The consolidated financial statements of the Group as at and for the year ended December 31, 2022, excluding the adjustments described in Note 23 to the interim condensed consolidated financial statements. were audited by another auditor who expressed a modified opinion on those statements on April 3, 2023 with respect to gains from treasury shares recognized in profit or loss.

The interim condensed consolidated financial statements of the Group as at and for the nine months ended September 30, 2022, were reviewed by another auditor who expressed an unmodified conclusion on those statements on November 4, 2022



### INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT ON REVIEW OF INTERIM CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS TO THE SHAREHOLDERS OF GULF NAVIGATION HOLDING P.J.S.C (continued)

### Other Matter

At the General Assembly Meeting of the Company that was held on April 30, 2023, the shareholders approved the consolidated financial statements of the Group as at and for the year ended December 31, 2022 but did not approve the Auditor's Report and did not discharge the auditor for the fiscal year ended December 31, 2022.

### Conclusion

Based on our review, nothing has come to our attention that causes us to believe that the accompanying interim condensed consolidated financial statements are not prepared, in all material respects, in accordance with IAS 34.

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Dr. Osama El Bakry Registration No. 935 October 16, 2023

**Dubai, United Arab Emirates** 

### INTERIM CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION As at September 30, 2023

	Notes	September 30, 2023 AED'000 (Unaudited)	December 31, 2022 AED 000 (Audited) (Restated)
ASSETS Non-current assets			
Vessels, property and equipment Goodwill	4 5	502,859 143,463	587,121 143,463
Total non-current assets		646,322	730,584
Current assets Inventories		0.047	7.066
Trade and other receivables	6	9,047 49,054	7,966 17,796
Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss	7	67,655	17,790
Cash and bank balances	8	227,663	28,271
Total current assets		353,419	54,033
TOTAL ASSETS		999,741	784,617
EQUITY AND LIABILITIES			
Equity	9	837,696	1 075 201
Share capital	9, 10	58,981	1,275,391
Share premium Treasury shares	9, 10 10	(17,072)	8,452 (24,045)
Statutory reserve	10	(17,072)	19,747
Retained earnings/(accumulated losses)		12,943	(679,159)
Other reserves	11	(181,071)	(181,071)
Total equity		711,477	419,315
LIABILITIES			
Non-current liabilities	12	111,335	157 000
Interest-bearing borrowings Provision for employees' end-of-service benefits	12	1,202	157,889 1,211
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Total non-current liabilities		112,537	159,100
Current liabilities			
Interest-bearing borrowings	12	17,077	75,434
Islamic non-convertible Sukuk	13	3,028	34,983
Bank overdraft	8	90,000	_
Trade and other payables	14	65,622	95,785
Total current liabilities		175,727	206,202
Total liabilities		288,264	365,302
TOTAL EQUITY AND LIABILITIES		999,741	784,617

The interim condensed consolidated financial statements were approved by the Board of Directors on October 16, 2023 and signed on its behalf by:

Dr. Abdul Rahman Al Afeefi

**Board Member** 

Ahmad "M.F." A. Al Kilani Board Member Ali Abouda

Chief Financial Officer

### INTERIM CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF COMPREHENSIVE INCOME For the nine months ended September 30, 2023

		Nine m		Three n	
		ended Sept	ember 30,	ended Sept	ember 30,
		2023	2022	2023	2022
	Notes	AED'000	AED'000	AED'000	AED'000
		(Unaudited)	(Unaudited)	(Unaudited)	(Unaudited)
Revenue	17	83,060	104,093	18,181	31,748
Direct costs	18	(75,540)	(86,750)	(21,334)	(26,616)
GROSS PROFIT		7,520	17,343	(3,153)	5,132
General and administrative expenses	19	(14,459)	(10,329)	(1,733)	(2,585)
Other operating income	4	24,834	19,840		10,131
OPERATING PROFIT		17,895	26,854	(4,886)	12,678
Other non-operating income	20	39,095	829	18,361	819
Finance costs	21	(20,957)	(24,559)	(6,142)	(8,836)
PROFIT BEFORE INCOME TAX		36,033	3,124	7,333	4,661
Income tax		(1,373)	(1,373)	(458)	(458)
PROFIT FOR THE PERIOD		34,660	1,751	6,875	4,203
Other comprehensive income			- <del>-</del>		
TOTAL COMPREHENSIVE INCOME FOR THE PERIOD		34,660	1,751	6,875	4,203
Profit and total comprehensive income attributable to:					
Owners of the Company Non-controlling interests		34,660	1,939 (188)	6,875	4,470 (267)
	;	34,660	1,751	6,875	4,203
Earnings per share attributable to Owners of the Company					
Basic and diluted (AED)	22	0.036	0.0014	0.006	0.0033

Gulf Navigation Holding PJSC and its subsidiaries INTERIM CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN EQUITY For the nine months ended September 30, 2023

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	Share capital AED'000	Share premium AED'000	Treasury sbares AED'000	Statutory reserve AED'000	(Accumulated losses) / retained earnings	Other reserves AED'000	Mandatory convertible bonds and Sukuk AED'000	Total AED'000	Non-controlling interests AED'000	Total AED'000
Balance at January 1, 2022 – Audited	1,019,209	ï	î	19,747	(606,899)	(2,724)	ī	367,323	10,148	377,471
Treasury shares (Note 10)	1	ï	(14,696)	7	ä	а	î	(14,696)	ť	(14,696)
Total comprehensive income for the period	ı	ī	Ĭ	)	1,939	а	;; <b>•</b> •[	1,939	(188)	1,751
Liability holders issued mandatory convertible bonds (Note 2.2)	31	ηĒ	Ĉ	r	ŗ	ı	85,394	85,394	1	85,394
Shares issued to bond holders (Note 2.2)	256,182	1	ij.	£		(170,788)	(85,394)	č	Ĭ	,
Acquisition of non-controlling interest (Note 11)	ar	Û	Ĉ	ř,	(188)	(7,559)	i	(7,747)	(096'6)	(17,707)
Balance at September 30, 2022 – Unaudited	1,275,391		(14,696)	19,747	(667,158)	(181,071)	ï	432,213	T	432,213
Balance at January 1, 2023 – Audited	1,275,391	9	(24,045)	19,747	(866,878)	(181,071)	Ê	423,144	¥	423,144
Correction of error (Note 23)	,	8,452	700	i.	(12,281)	ť	i	(3,829)		(3,829)
Balance at January 1, 2023 – Audited Restated	1,275,391	8,452	(24,045)	19,747	(679,159)	(181,071)	è	419,315	ı,	419,315
Total comprehensive income for the period	31	á	ì	ı	34,660	Ę.	Ē	34,660	ı	34,660
Capital reduction and absorption of losses (Note 9)	(637,695)	ì	1	(19,747)	657,442	1	ř	Es.	ı	I.
Treasury shares (Note 10)	я	30,529	6,973	9	9. <b>4</b> .9	(6)	380	37,502	<b>C</b>	37,502
Issuance of mandatory convertible Sukuk (Note 9)	a a	Ü	1	3	T	28 <b>1</b> °L	220,000	220,000	Ū	220,000
Shares issued to Sukuk holders (Note 9)	200,000	20,000	9	Đ	•	an	(220,000)	1	•	U.
Balance at September 30, 2023 – Unaudited	837,696	58,981	(17,072)		12,943	(181,071)		711,477	1	711,477

The attached notes 1 to 24 form part of these interim condensed consolidated financial statements.

### Gulf Navigation Holding PJSC and its subsidiaries INTERIM CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS

For the nine months ended September 30, 2023

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	Notes	2023 AED'000 (Unaudited)	2022 AED'000 (Unaudited)
OPERATING ACTIVITIES			,
Profit before income tax		36,033	3,124
Adjustments for:		es.	
Depreciation of vessels, property and equipment	4	14,533	30,852
Depreciation of right-of-use assets Provision for employees' end of service benefits		- 90	192 119
Gain on sale of a vessel	4	(24,834)	119
Write-back of liabilities	20	(37,530)	(19,049)
Allowance for expected credit losses	19	1,000	-
Change in fair value of financial assets at FVTPL	7	(850)	_
Income on discounting of financial liability to present value		20.057	(191)
Finance costs		20,957	24,559
Washing orbital sharpes		9,399	39,606
Working capital changes Inventories		(1,081)	2,091
Trade and other receivables	*	(33,658)	(6,424)
Trade and other payables		(1,158)	(11,285)
Cash (used in) / from operations		(26,498)	23,988
Employees' end of service benefits paid		(99)	(135)
Net cash flows (used in) / from operating activities		(26,597)	23,853
INVESTING ACTIVITIES			
Investments in financial assets at FVTPL	7	(78,912)	-
Acquisition of non-controlling interest		=	(915)
Proceeds from disposal of financial assets at FVTPL	7	12,107	=
Proceeds from sale of a vessel	4	99,472	(1,512)
Repair of a vessel Placement of fixed deposits	4 8	(4,909) (200,000)	-
Net cash flows used in investing activities		(172,242)	(2,427)
<b>.</b>			
FINANCING ACTIVITIES			(4.170)
Arrangement fee paid Repayment of interest-bearing borrowings		(98,309)	(4,172)
Settlement of Islamic non-convertible Sukuk	13	(28,443)	
Proceeds from interest-bearing borrowings		-	28,670
Interest paid		(12,049)	(9,400)
Movement in treasury shares, net		37,502	(14,696)
Payment of lease liabilities		<b></b>	(192)
Net movement in restricted cash Proceeds from issuance of mandatory convertible Sukuk		220,000	4,278
Proceeds from issuance of mandatory convertible surdic			
Net cash flows from financing activities		118,701	4,488
NET (DECREASE) / INCREASE		(80,138)	25,914
IN CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS		Am 664	
Cash and cash equivalents at the beginning of the period			9,740
CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS	o	(60.227)	25 45 4
AT THE END OF THE PERIOD	8	(62,337)	35,654
The attached notes 1 to 24 form part of these interim condensed	consolidated fin	ancial statements.	

NOTES TO THE INTERIM CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS September 30, 2023

### 1 LEGAL STATUS AND ACTIVITIES

Gulf Navigation Holding PJSC (the "Company") is a public joint stock company since October 30, 2006 as per the Resolution of the Ministry of Economy No. 425 of 2006 and in accordance with the UAE Federal Decree-Law No. (32) of 2021. The Company is listed on the Dubai Financial Market. The Company operates from its office on the 39th Floor, API Trio Tower, Al Barsha, Dubai, United Arab Emirates ("UAE").

The Group is primarily engaged in sea transport of oil and petroleum products and similar commodities, ship charter, shipping lines of freight and passenger transportation, sea freight and passenger charters, shipping services, sea shipping lines agents, clearing and forwarding services, cargo loading and unloading services, cargo packaging, sea cargo services and ship management operations.

Federal Decree Law No 47 of 2022 was issued on December 9, 2022 relating to taxation of Corporations and Businesses in the United Arab Emirates and is effective for tax periods commencing on or after June 1, 2023. Management is in the process of reviewing the Decree Law and will ensure compliance with the requirements of the law from the effective period applicable to the Company. Refer to Note 24 for further disclosures.

These interim condensed consolidated financial statements include the assets, liabilities and results of operations of the Group's subsidiaries and branches as disclosed in the Group's annual consolidated financial statements as at December 31, 2022.

### 2 BASIS OF PREPARATION AND CHANGES TO ACCOUNTING POLICIES

### 2.1 Basis of preparation

These interim condensed consolidated financial statements for the nine-month period ended September 30, 2023 have been prepared in accordance with IAS 34: Interim Financial Reporting.

The interim condensed consolidated financial statements do not include all the information and disclosures required in the annual consolidated financial statements and should be read in conjunction with the Group's annual consolidated financial statements as at December 31, 2022. In addition, the results for the nine-month period ended September 30, 2023 may not be indicative of the results that may be expected for the financial year ending December 31, 2023.

When preparing the interim condensed consolidated financial statements, management undertakes a number of judgements, estimates, and assumptions about recognition and measurement of assets, liabilities, income and expenses. The actual results may differ from the judgements, estimates and assumptions made by management.

### 2.2 Going concern

The Group, excluding other operating and non-operating income of AED 63,929 thousand, incurred a loss of AED 29,269 thousand for the nine-month period ended September 30, 2023.

At the General Assembly Meeting held on January 31, 2022, the shareholders resolved to approve the issuance of Mandatorily Convertible Bonds for a value up to AED 150,000 thousand ("New Bonds") by way of a private placement, out of which AED 85,394 thousand (Notes 12, 13 and 14) were utilized against settlement of liabilities and conversion of the same into 256,182 thousand shares of the Company at a price of AED 0.33 per share, subject to a lockup period of one year. The shareholders had also resolved to approve the increase of the share capital of the Company for the purposes of converting the New Bonds into shares of the Company.

Further, at the General Assembly Meeting held on March 22, 2023, the shareholders resolved to approve a capital reduction to absorb accumulated losses and a private issuance of 220 million mandatory convertible bonds to increase the share capital of the Company to eventually become AED 837,696 thousand.

The Group has received, through an investment banker, interest from potential key investors to provide liquidity to the Group of up to AED 220,000 thousand, and accordingly, at the General Assembly Meeting held on September 11, 2023, the shareholders approved the issuance of 220 million mandatory convertible Sukuk, which have also been converted to share capital at a conversion price of AED 1.10 (Note 9) providing the Group sufficient cash flow for investment and operating activities in addition to settlement of existing liabilities.

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### 2 BASIS OF PREPARATION AND CHANGES TO ACCOUNTING POLICIES (continued)

### 2.2 Going concern (continued)

The management of the Group has taken into consideration the above as well as prepared a cash flow forecast for a period of not less than twelve months from the date of these interim condensed consolidated financial statements and has a reasonable expectation that the Group will have adequate resources to continue its operational existence in the foreseeable future. Accordingly, the interim condensed consolidated financial statements have been prepared on the basis that the Group will continue as a going concern.

Furthermore, the shareholders have resolved to continue the operations of the Group at the General Assembly Meeting held on April 30, 2023 as required by Article 309 of the Federal Decree-Law No. (32) of 2021.

### 2.3 New standards, interpretations and amendments adopted by the Group

The accounting policies adopted in the preparation of these interim condensed consolidated financial statements are consistent with those followed in the preparation of the Group's annual consolidated financial statements for the year ended December 31, 2022 except for the adoption of new standards effective as of January 1, 2023 where appropriate. The Group has not early adopted any other standard, interpretation or amendment that has been issued but is not yet effective.

Several amendments, which are listed below, apply for the first time in 2023, but do not have an impact on the interim condensed consolidated financial statements of the Group.

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

### 2.4 Fair value measurement

All financial assets and liabilities are stated at amortised cost or historical cost in these interim condensed consolidated financial statements, except for financial assets at fair value through profit or loss, which have been carried at fair value using Level 1 category of fair value measurement.

### 3 OPERATING SEGMENTS

### **Business segments**

Operating segments are reported in a manner consistent with the internal reporting provided to the chief operating decision-maker. The chief operating decision-maker has been identified as the Group's Executive Committee who make strategic decisions. The Executive Committee reviews the Group's internal reporting in order to assess performance and allocate resources. Management has determined the operating segments based on these reports, which have changed from December 31, 2022.

The Group comprises the following main business segments:

- Vessel chartering: Chartering of vessels to customers;
- Shipping and technical services: Providing agency services to ships calling at ports; and providing workshop services for hoats
- Corporate: Includes management of all divisions and administrative activities.

Vessel chartering, shipping and technical services and corporate meet the criteria required by IFRS 8: Operating Segments and reported as separate operating segments.

## NOTES TO THE INTERIM CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS September 30, 2023

## OPERATING SEGMENTS (continued)

Geographical segments
The Group's Executive Committee does not consider the geographical distribution of the Group's operations to be relevant for their internal management analysis and therefore no geographical segment information has been disclosed. All operating segments' results, for which discrete financial information is available, are reviewed regularly by the Group's Executive Committee to make decisions about resources to be allocated to the segment and assess their performance.

## Nine-month ended September 30, 2023 - Unaudited

Total AED'000	83,061 (75,540) (14,459) 63,928 (20,957) (1,373)	34,660	999,741
Inter- segment elimination AED'000	(236) 236 192 (192)	,	(1,324)
Corporate AED'000	200 (10,480) 18,343 (3,771)	4,292	(38,065)
Shipping and technical services	4,582 (2,909) (2,834) 27 (5)	(1,139)	(1,265)
Vessel chartering AED'000	78,515 (72,867) (1,337) 45,750 (17,181)	31,507	702,100
	Revenue Direct costs General and administrative expenses Other income Finance costs Income tax	Segment profit / (loss)  At Sentember 30, 2023 – Unaudited	Segment assets Segment liabilities

# Gulf Navigation Holding PJSC and its subsidiaries NOTES TO THE INTERIM CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS September 30, 2023

## OPERATING SEGMENTS (continued)

Nine-month ended September 30, 2022 - Unaudited Restated

Total AED'000	104,093 (86,750) (10,329) 20,669 (24,559) (1,373)	1,751	784,617	(365,302)
Inter- segment elimination AED'000	(622) 622 (576) 576 -	r	(1,089)	1,650
Corporate AED'000	(6,370) 8,834 (7,182)	(4,718)	55,693	(156,560)
Shipping and technical services AED'000	8,751 (6,344) (2,525)	(118)	17,786	(29,864)
Vessel chartering AED'000	95,964 (81,028) (858) 11,259 (17,377) (1,373)	6,587	712,227	(180,528)
	Revenue Direct costs General and administrative expenses Other income Finance costs Income tax	Segment profit / (loss)	At December 31, 2022 – Audited Restated Segment assets	Segment liabilities
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### 4 VESSELS, PROPERTY AND EQUIPMENT

- (a) During the nine-month period ended September 30, 2023, the Group did not purchase any vessels, property and equipment (December 31, 2022: Nil except for capital expenditure towards major repairs of one of the vessels amounting to AED 4,909 thousand).
- (b) Vessels with a carrying value of AED 421,126 thousand (December 31, 2022: AED 534,153 thousand) are mortgaged as security against interest-bearing borrowings (Note 12).
- (c) Management had performed a detailed impairment assessment of vessels, property and equipment as at December 31, 2022 and had not identified any impairment. The impairment was assessed by comparing the carrying value of vessels with their recoverable amounts, which is the higher of fair value less cost of disposal and the value in use. At September 30, 2023, management did not identify any indications that vessels, property and equipment may be impaired.
- (d) During the nine-month period ended September 30, 2023, the Group sold a vessel with a carrying amount of AED 74,638 thousand for a cash consideration of AED 99,472 thousand resulting in a gain of AED 24,834 thousand.
- (e) Depreciation expense has been allocated as follows:

(c) Depreciation expense has been anotated as follows.	Nine month Septemb	
	2023 AED'000 (Unaudited)	2022 AED'000 (Unaudited)
Direct costs* (Note 18) General and administrative expenses (Note 19)	14,204 329	30,520 332
	14,533	30,852

<sup>\*</sup> Includes depreciation related to dry-docking costs of AED 7,148 thousand (2022: AED 3,910 thousand)

### 5 GOODWILL

3 GOOD WILL	September 30 2023 AED'000 (Unaudited)	December 31 2022 AED'000 (Andited)
Goodwill – gross Accumulated impairment loss	219,912 (76,449)	219,912 (76,449)
Carrying value	143,463	143,463

The goodwill of AED 135,999 thousand and AED 83,913 thousand that arose at the time of the initial public offer (IPO) and acquisition of livestock vessels in 2018, respectively, have been allocated to the vessel owning and chartering reporting segment.

Management had performed a detailed impairment assessment of goodwill as at December 31, 2022. Based on its assessment, no impairment loss was recognized in the Group's consolidated financial statements for the year ended December 31, 2022. As at December 31, 2022, if the discount rate used was 0.5% higher, with all other variables held constant, there would be an impairment loss of AED 9,000 thousand to goodwill.

Management did not identify any indications of impairment to goodwill as at September 30, 2023.

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### 6 TRADE AND OTHER RECEIVABLES

	September 30, 2023 AED'000 (Unaudited)	December 31, 2022 AED'000 (Audited) (Restated)
Trade receivables	22,495	13,650
Less: allowance for expected credit losses (ECL)	(6,875)	(5,875)
	15,620	7,775
Advances to suppliers	23,573	2,196
Prepayments	6,347	3,243
Other receivables	3,514	4,582
	49,054	17,796

### 7 FINANCIAL ASSETS AT FAIR VALUE THROUGH PROFIT OR LOSS

During the nine-month period ended September 30, 2022, the Group invested in quoted equity instruments listed in the UAE for trading purposes, and accordingly, these investments have been classified as financial assets at fair value through profit or loss (FVTPL). The movement in the investments in financial assets at FVTPL is as follows:

	September 30, 2023 AED'000 (Unaudited)	December 31, 2022 AED'000 (Audited)
At the beginning of the period/year Acquisitions Change in fair value (Note 20) Disposals	78,912 850 (12,107)	-
	67,655	¥:
8 CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS	September 30, 2023 AED'000 (Unaudited)	December 31, 2022 AED'000 (Audited)
Cash on hand Cash at banks Cash balance held with the liquidity provider (Note 10)	79 211,691 15,893	136 28,135
Cash and bank balances Less: restricted cash* Less: bank overdraft** Less: fixed deposit with initial maturity of more than 3 months**  Cash and cash equivalents	227,663 (90,000) (200,000) ————————————————————————————————	28,271 (10,470) - - 17,801
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<sup>\*</sup> Represents cash held in certain bank accounts for payment of old outstanding unclaimed dividends (Note 14), which were transferred to the Securities and Commodities Authority ("SCA") in 2023 as instructed by SCA.

<sup>\*\*</sup> During the third quarter of 2023, the Group placed AED 200 million as fixed term deposit with a local bank with interest rate of 5% per annum and 1-year maturity. During the same period, the Group has obtained a bank overdraft facility secured by the fixed deposit, which is primarily being utilized for working capital financing with interest rate of 0.75% over the highest rate payable on pledged deposits.

NOTES TO THE INTERIM CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS September 30, 2023

### 9 SHARE CAPITAL

	September 30 2023 AED'000 (Unaudited)	December 31 2022 AED'000 (Audited)
Authorised, issued, and fully paid up: 837,695,625 shares (2022: 1,275,391,249 shares) of AED 1 each	837,696	1,275,391
037,073,023 States (2022. 1,273,371,277 States) 01.11217 1 Cacif		1,275,591

At the General Assembly Meeting held on March 22, 2023, the Company's shareholders, through special resolutions, approved a capital reduction by 50% of the total issued share capital of the Company through the cancellation of 637,695,625 shares in the Company with nominal value of AED 1 (the "Capital Reduction"), on a pro rata basis, to absorb accumulated losses to the extent of AED 637,695,625 reducing the Company's share capital to AED 637,695,625, noting that the Company will fully utilize the legal or optional reserves to absorb part of the accumulated losses with the remaining losses absorbed from the share capital. The shareholders also approved granting the Board of Directors the full authority to take all actions required to implement and execute the Capital Reduction pursuant to the provisions of the UAE Federal Decree-Law No. (32) of 2021 and the executive regulations of the SCA. The Capital Reduction was completed on May 22, 2023 and the statutory reserve was fully utilized for the partial absorption of accumulated losses as approved by the General Assembly and after obtaining the necessary regulatory approvals.

At the General Assembly Meeting held of September 11, 2023, the Company's shareholders, through special resolutions, approved the issuance of 220 million mandatory convertible Sukuk to new investors to be converted to 200 million shares of the Company at a conversion price of AED 1.10 increasing the share capital of the Company to AED 837,695,625 (the "Capital Increase") post the Capital Reduction. The Capital Increase was completed on September 15, 2023 resulting in a share premium of AED 20,000 thousand. The Company is in the process of updating its Articles of Association to reflect the increase in share capital.

### 10 TREASURY SHARES

At the Annual General Assembly held on April 28, 2022, the shareholders of the Company approved the recommendation of the Board of Directors to buy back the Company's shares, not exceeding 10% of its total shares, for the purpose of disposing them in accordance with the decision issued by the Securities & Commodities Authority ("SCA") in this regard, while authorising the Group's Board of Directors to:

- Implement the decision of the General Assembly during 2022 approved by SCA.
- Reduce the capital of the Company in the event of not meeting the period specified by SCA to dispose of the
  purchased shares by cancelling those shares with the amendment of the Company's capital in the Articles of
  Association.

Consequently, in 2022, the Company acquired 11,150,000 of its own shares through market brokers and agents, which have been registered under the Company's name as legal and beneficial holder of those shares, as well as appointed a liquidity provider to provide liquidity for the Company's securities listed on the DFM as the regulated market by entering two-way daily quotes into the Market Trading System, whereby the Company's shares traded under the liquidity provision agreement would be held under the legal name of the liquidity provider on behalf and for the benefit of the Company.

The details of the outstanding treasury shares at the reporting date are as follows:

	Number of shares		Acquisition cost of shares	
	September 30	December 31	September 30	December 31
	2023	2022	2023	2022
	No.	No.	AED'000	AED'000
	(Unaudited)	(Audited)	(Unaudited)	(Audited)
Held under the legal name of: - the Company - the liquidity provider	575,000	11,150,000	334	3,335
	2,302,470	35,619,293	16,737	20,710
Total	2,877,470	46,769,293	17,071	24,045

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### 10 TREASURY SHARES (continued)

A cumulative gain of AED 38,981 thousand has been recognised at September 30, 2023 as Share Premium under equity out of which a net gain of AED 30,529 thousand is from the net disposal of shares during the current period (year ended December 31, 2022: net gain of AED 8,452 thousand – Restated). In accordance with the signed agreement, the liquidity provider has partially funded the acquisition of the treasury shares.

### 11 OTHER RESERVES

Other reserves include reserve of AED 170,788 thousand arising on issuance of 256,182 thousand shares of the Company at a discount against settlement of AED 85,394 thousand of liabilities (Note 2.2) whereby the Company had completed the requirement for capital increase effective September 29, 2022 with an increase from AED 1,019,209,250 to AED 1,275,391,250. Other reserves also include AED 7,559 thousand equity adjustment on acquisition of non-controlling interest in 2022 representing the excess of purchase consideration over the net carrying value of non-controlling interest as at the date of acquisition.

12 INTEREST-BEARING BORROWINGS		
	September 30 2023	December 31 2022
	AED'000	AED'000
	(Unaudited)	(Audited)
	(	(2 2111111003)
Term loans (b)	127,658	232,492
Short-term loan	754	831
	process and the second	1660 No. 1
3 <b>.</b>	128,412	233,323
Less: non-current portion	(111,335)	(157,889)
Current marting	17,077	75 424
Current portion	=======================================	75,434
(a) Movement during the period/year		
The movement in interest-bearing borrowings was as follows:		
	Nine months	Year ended
	ended September	December 31,
	30, 2023	2022
	AED'000	AED'000
	(Unaudited)	(Audited)
At the beginning of the period/year	233,323	229,232
Add: amortization of arrangement fee	1,468	2,810
Add: amortization of discounted value	450	1,525
Add: availed during the period/year	-	226,920
Less: repaid during the period/year	(98,309)	(222,992)
Less: arrangement fee paid Less: write back	(8,520)	(4,172)
Less: while back	(0,520)	
	128,412	233,323
(b) Term loans		
	September 30	December 31
	2023	2022
	AED'000	AED'000
	(Unaudited)	(Andited)
Town loss I*	, 2	v
Term loan I* Term loan II*		23,147
Term loan III**	127,658	11,050 198,295
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	127,658	232,492

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### 12 INTEREST-BEARING BORROWINGS (continued)

\* At December 31, 2022, the Group had defaulted the repayment of term loans I and II, and accordingly, the entire amount of the term loans was classified as current liability in the consolidated statement of financial position as at December 31, 2022.

During the current period, the Group agreed on a revised settlement plan with the lender according to which the Group settled an upfront payment of AED 1,000 thousand in addition to legal fees of AED 190 thousand, with the remaining amount of AED 25,000 thousand due for payment on June 1, 2023 plus interest of 3-month EIBOR + 3.5% per annum (minimum 5.5%) until the full and final settlement in case of any delay. However, the AED 25,000 thousand along with accrued interest were fully settled in April 2023.

On this basis, the Group wrote back AED 8,520 thousand of loan principal with relation to the two term loans and AED 10,941 thousand with respect to the related accrued interest, which were recorded under other non-operating income in profit or loss (Note 20).

\*\* Term loan III has been obtained in 2022 part of a refinancing arrangement with a financial institution to restructure the Group's borrowings. In accordance with the arrangement, the Group borrowed AED 226,920 thousand and partially utilized the proceeds to fully settle two other term loans. The Group incurred arrangement fee of AED 4,172 thousand, which is being amortised over the term of the loan of 5 years. The loan is subject to compliance with certain financial covenants on quarterly basis, which are all met as at September 30, 2023 (2022: all met). Upon sale of a vessel during the current period (Note 4), the related remaining portion of the term loan of AED 41.9 million was fully settled and the related unamortized portion of the arrangement fee was fully expensed under finance costs.

### 13 ISLAMIC NON-CONVERTIBLE SUKUK

On January 16, 2020 the Board of Directors passed a resolution to issue 125 million Islamic non-convertible sukuk (the "Sukuk") amounting to AED 125,000 thousand (AED 1 per Sukuk) in compliance with Islamic Shari'a and by way of a private placement. The Group had obtained approvals on March 12, 2020 from the regulatory authority and on March 29, 2020 from the shareholders at a General Assembly Meeting to issue the Sukuk, which carry profit of 12% per annum payable semi-annually with a maturity term of 5 years.

In 2020, Sukuk amounting to AED 87,572 thousand have been subscribed and the related cash proceeds were received by the Group. Cost of issuance of Sukuk amounting to AED 9,915 thousand is being unwound over the contractual period of the Sukuk.

In 2022, holders of Sukuk amounting to AED 50,540 thousand along with accrued interest until March 31, 2022 of AED 11,565 thousand agreed to settle the Sukuk by way of issuing Mandatorily Convertible Bonds and conversion of the same to shares in the Company (Note 2.2).

The movements in Sukuk are as follows:

	September 30 2023 AED'000	December 31 2022 AED'000
	Unaudited	Audited
Balance at 1 January	34,983	81,385
Settlement (refer below)	(33,028)	(50,541)
Amortisation of the arrangement fee Amortisation of the arrangement fee related to conversion	1,073	1,839
to Mandatory convertible bonds		2,300
	3,028	34,983

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### 13 ISLAMIC NON-CONVERTIBLE SUKUK (continued)

On February 14, 2023, the representative of Sukuk holders (the 'Representative') has sent an event of default notice to the Company in relation to default in payment of periodic distribution amount as per the terms of the underlying agreements related to the issuance of Sukuk (the "Terms"). Accordingly, the Representative has demanded and claimed the dissolution distribution amount and delegate liabilities sum, being USD 14,804 thousand (equivalent AED 54,183 thousand). Further, the Securities and Commodities Authority (SCA) through their letter dated March 24, 2023 has requested clarification from the Group in relation to such default. Management of the Group has assessed that the claims made by the Representative are not valid and is of the view that the liability recorded in the interim condensed consolidated financial statements of the Group is in accordance with the Terms and will be settled when due as per the Terms. This assessment was communicated by the management to SCA through a letter dated March 24, 2023. On September 15, 2023, Management successfully settled with the Sukuk holders an outstanding Sukuk amount AED 33,028 thousand and the related accrued interest amount of AED 13,484 at an agreed aggregate settlement amount of AED 28,443 thousand resulting in a gain on settlement of Sukuk of AED 18,069 thousand recognized under other non-operating income (Note 20) during the current period.

### 14 TRADE AND OTHER PAYABLES

	September 30 2023 AED'000 (Unaudited)	December 31 2022 AED '000 (Audited) (Restated)
Trade payables	33,005	22,091
Accrued interest on Sukuk		10,954
Advances from customers	4,950	11,501
Dividend payable (Note 8)		10,470
Accruals, provisions and other payables	26,294	18,417
Accrued interest on bank borrowings		10,946
Tax accrual	1,373	3,812
Payable to liquidity provider (Note 10)		7,594
	65,622	95,785
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During 2022, the Company issued Mandatorily Convertible Bonds against the settlement of creditor balances of AED 12,450 thousand, which were converted to shares in the Company (Note 2.2).

### 15 RELATED PARTY TRANSACTIONS

Key management personnel remuneration

	Nine months ended 30 September	
	2023 AED'000 (Unaudited)	2022 AED'000 (Unaudited)
Directors' fees (Note 19) Short-term benefits Post-employment benefits	2,450 2,315 128	- 1,750 81
	4,893	1,831

Other related party transaction

During 2022, the Company issued Mandatorily Convertible Bonds against the settlement of short-term loans from related parties amounting to AED 10,838 thousand, which were converted to shares in the Company (Note 2.2).

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### 16 COMMITMENTS AND CONTINGENCIES

### Group as lessor

The Group leases its marine vessels under operating leases (time charters). The lease rental is usually negotiated to reflect market rentals upon entering into/renewal of the charter. Future minimum rentals receivable under the non-cancellable operating leases are as follows:

	September 30 2023 AED'000 (Unaudited)	December 31 2022 AED'000 (Audited)
Within one year	59,314	99,043
After one year but no more than five years	62,395	33,763 ————————————————————————————————————
	121,709	132,000

### Contingencies

The Company and its subsidiaries do not have any contingent liabilities at the reporting date (2022: AED 5,952 thousand).

### 17 REVENUE

	Nine months ended September 30	
	2023 AED'000 (Unaudited)	2022 AED'000 (Unaudited)
Services transferred over time	(	1 a manually
Vessel chartering	78,335	95,342
Services transferred at a point in time		
Shipping and technical services	4,725	8,751
	83,060	104,093

### 18 DIRECT COSTS

	Nine months ended September 30	
	2023 AED'000	2022 AED'000
Vessel chartering:	(Unaudited)	(Unaudited)
Ship running - vessels	54,266	45,016
Depreciation of vessels, property and equipment (Note 4e)	14,204	30,520
Ship running - crew boats	3,390	4,052
Ship repairs	435	818
Shipping and technical services:		
Operating expenses	3,245	6,344
	75,540	86,750

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### 19 GENERAL AND ADMINISTRATIVE EXPENSES

2023		Nine months ended September 30	
Directors' fees (Note 15)         2,450         - Professional fees         1,854         1,401           Expected credit losses on trade receivables         1,000         - 329           Others         1,015         3,930           20 OTHER NON-OPERATING INCOME         Nine months ended September 30           2023 AED '000 (Unaudited)         2022 AED '000 (Unaudited)           Write back of loans and related accrued interest (Note 12b)         19,461         - 320 (Unaudited)           Gain of sertlement of Sukuk (Note 13)         18,069         - 320 (Unaudited)           Change in fair value of financial assets at FVTPL (Note 7)         850         - 339,095         829           21 FINANCE COSTS         Nine months ended september 30           2023 AED '000 (Unaudited)         Clunaudited)         Nine months ended september 30           21 FINANCE COSTS         Nine months ended september 30           22023 AED '000 (Unaudited)         Clunaudited)           Finance cost on:         - Term loans         1,2013 13,056           - Amortisation of arrangement fees         4,585         4,956           - Islamic non-convertible Sukuk         3,966         5,044           - Short-term loan         - 1,204           Other charge		AED'000	AED'000
Directors' fees (Note 15)         2,450         - Professional fees         1,854         1,401           Expected credit losses on trade receivables         1,000         - 329           Others         1,015         3,930           20 OTHER NON-OPERATING INCOME         Nine months ended September 30           2023 AED '000 (Unaudited)         2022 AED '000 (Unaudited)           Write back of loans and related accrued interest (Note 12b)         19,461         - 320 (Unaudited)           Gain of sertlement of Sukuk (Note 13)         18,069         - 320 (Unaudited)           Change in fair value of financial assets at FVTPL (Note 7)         850         - 339,095         829           21 FINANCE COSTS         Nine months ended september 30           2023 AED '000 (Unaudited)         Clunaudited)         Nine months ended september 30           21 FINANCE COSTS         Nine months ended september 30           22023 AED '000 (Unaudited)         Clunaudited)           Finance cost on:         - Term loans         1,2013 13,056           - Amortisation of arrangement fees         4,585         4,956           - Islamic non-convertible Sukuk         3,966         5,044           - Short-term loan         - 1,204           Other charge	Staff costs	7,811	4,998
Expected credit losses on trade receivables   1,000   329   3,930   1,015   3,930   14,459   10,329     10,329     14,459   10,329     14,459   10,329     14,459   10,329     14,459   10,329     14,459   10,329     14,459   10,329     14,459   10,329     14,459   10,329     14,459   10,329     14,459   10,329     14,459   10,329     14,459   10,329     14,459   10,329     14,459   10,329     14,459   10,329     14,459   10,329   14,459   10,329   14,459   19,461   14,459   14,459   14,459   14,459   14,459   14,459   14,459   14,459   14,459   14,459   14,459	Directors' fees (Note 15)		.=
Depreciation of vessels, property and equipment (Note 4e)         329         1,015         3,930           20 OTHER NON-OPERATING INCOME         Nine months ended September 30           2023 AED 7000 (Unaudited)         ValeD 7000 (Unaudited)           Write back of loans and related accrued interest (Note 12b)         19,461 1 - 18,069 - 18,069 - 18,069 - 18,069 - 19,461 - 18,069 - 19,461 - 18,069 - 19,461 - 18,069 - 19,461 - 18,069 - 19,461 - 18,069 - 19,461 - 18,069 - 19,461 - 18,069 - 19,461 - 18,069 - 19,461 - 19,	Professional fees	1,854	1,401
Others         1,015         3,930           14,459         10,329           20 OTHER NON-OPERATING INCOME         Nine months ended September 30 (Unaudited)           2023 AED 1000 (Unaudited)         2022 AED 1000 (Unaudited)           Write back of loans and related accrued interest (Note 12b)         19,461         -           Gain of settlement of Sukuk (Note 13)         18,069         -           Change in fair value of financial assets at FVTPL (Note 7)         850         -           Others         715         829           39,095         829           21 FINANCE COSTS         Nine months ended September 30           2023 AED 1000 (Unaudited)         2022 AED 1000 (Unaudited)           Finance cost on:         2022 AED 1000 (Unaudited)           Finance cost on:         2023 AED 1000 (Unaudited)           Finance cost on:		1,000	-
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Nine months ended September 30           2023 AED'000 (Unaudited)         2022 AED'000 (Unaudited)           Write back of loans and related accrued interest (Note 12b)         19,461 -		14,459	10,329
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Write back of loans and related accrued interest (Note 12b)         19,461         -           Gain of settlement of Sukuk (Note 13)         18,069         -           Change in fair value of financial assets at FVTPL (Note 7)         850         -           Others         715         829           21 FINANCE COSTS         Nine months ended September 30           2023 AED '000         (Unaudited) (Unaudited)         (Unaudited)           Finance cost on:         -           - Term loans         12,013         13,056           - Amortisation of arrangement fees         4,585         4,495           - Islamic non-convertible Sukuk         3,966         5,044           - Short-term loan         -         1,204           Other charges         393         760			
Write back of loans and related accrued interest (Note 12b)       19,461       -         Gain of settlement of Sukuk (Note 13)       18,069       -         Change in fair value of financial assets at FVTPL (Note 7)       850       -         Others       715       829         21 FINANCE COSTS       Nine months ended September 30         2023 AED*000 AED*000 (Unaudited)         (Unaudited)       (Unaudited)         Finance cost on:       12,013       13,056         - Term loans       12,013       13,056         - Amortisation of arrangement fees       4,585       4,495         - Islamic non-convertible Sukuk       3,966       5,044         - Short-term loan       -       1,204         Other charges       393       760			
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Change in fair value of financial assets at FVTPL (Note 7)       850       -         Others       715       829         39,095       829         21 FINANCE COSTS       Nine months ended September 30         2023 AED'000 (Unaudited) (Unaudited)       2022 AED'000 (Unaudited) (Unaudited)         Finance cost on:	Write back of loans and related accrued interest (Note 12b)	19,461	•
Others         715         829           39,095         829           Nine months ended September 30           2023 2022 AED '000 (Unaudited) (Unaudited)           Finance cost on: - Term loans - Amortisation of arrangement fees - Amortisation of arrangement fees - Islamic non-convertible Sukuk - Short-term loan - 1,204 - Other charges         3,966 - 5,044 - 5,044 - 5,045 - 1,204 - Other charges         393 - 760		18,069	-
39,095   829	Change in fair value of financial assets at FVTPL (Note 7)		
Nine months ended   September 30	Others	715	829
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AED'000	21 FINANCE COSTS		
AED'000		2022	2022
Finance cost on:   Term loans	140		
- Term loans       12,013       13,056         - Amortisation of arrangement fees       4,585       4,495         - Islamic non-convertible Sukuk       3,966       5,044         - Short-term loan       -       1,204         Other charges       393       760			
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Other charges 393 760		2,200	
<b>20,957</b> 24,559	Other charges	393	
		20,957	24,559

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### 22 BASIC AND DILUTED EARNINGS PER SHARE

The calculation of basic and diluted earnings per share has been based on the profit for the period attributable to the Owners of the Company and weighted average number of ordinary shares outstanding during the period.

	Nine months ended September 30	
	2023 (Unaudited)	2022 (Unaudited)
Profit for the period attributable to the Owners of the Company (AED'000)	34,660	1,751
Weighted average number of ordinary shares* (Note 10)	959,282,697	1,275,391,249
Basic and diluted earnings per share (AED)	0.036	0.0014

<sup>\*</sup> The weighted average number of ordinary shares takes into account the weighted average effect of changes in treasury shares, the Capital Reduction (Note 9), and the Capital Increase (Note 9) during the period.

### 23 CORRECTION OF ERROR AND COMPARATIVE INFORMATION

The Group restated the comparative information to correct the accounting treatment of gains from treasury shares that were previously included in profit or loss, and rather recorded such gains directly in equity in accordance with IAS 32 Financial Instruments. The error has been corrected by restating each of the affected financial statement line items for the prior period.

In addition, certain amounts have been reclassified in the interim consolidated statements of financial position and comprehensive income to conform with the current period's classification with no impact on the previously reported net assets and results of the Group.

Furthermore, the Group made changes in the reporting segments following changes in internal reporting (Note 3).

The impact of the correction of error and reclassifications is as follows:

Impact on the interim consolidated statement of financial position (December 31, 2022)	As previously reported	Effect of restatement and reclassification	As currently reported
Trade and other receivables	25,528	(7,732)	17,796
Total assets	792,349	(7,732)	784,617
Trade and other payables	99,688	(3,903)	95,785
Total liabilities	369,205	(3,903)	365,302
Share premium	-	8,452	8,452
Accumulated losses	(666,878)	(12,281)	(679,159)
Total equity	423,144	(3,829)	419,315

The correction of error did not have any impact on the interim consolidated statement of comprehensive income for the nine months and three months periods ended September 30, 2022 and on the interim consolidated statement of cash flows for the nine months period ended September 30, 2022.

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### 24 CORPORATE TAX IN THE UAE

On December 9, 2022, the UAE Ministry of Finance released Federal Decree-Law No. 47 of 2022 on the Taxation of Corporations and Businesses (Corporate Tax Law or the Law) to enact a Federal corporate tax (CT) regime in the UAE. The CT regime is effective from June 1, 2023 and accordingly, it has an income tax related impact on the interim condensed consolidated financial statements for accounting periods beginning on or after June 1, 2023.

The Cabinet of Ministers Decision No. 116 of 2022 specifies the threshold of income over which the 9% tax rate would apply and accordingly, the Law is now considered to be substantively enacted from the perspective of IAS 12 - Income Taxes. A rate of 9% will apply to taxable income exceeding AED 375,000 and a rate of 0% will apply to taxable income not exceeding AED 375,000 and a rate of 0% on qualifying income of free zone entities.

The Group will be subject to taxation commencing January 1, 2024. Management is in the process of assessing the deferred tax implication on the Group.