

HALFYEARLY REPORT 2024

BUILDING ON STRENGTH



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Sir Mohammed Anwar Pervez, O.B.E., H. Pk Lord Zameer Choudrey, CBE, SJ Pk Mr. Mohammed Younus Sheikh Mr. Dawood Pervez Mr. Muhammad Irfan A. Sheikh Mr. Syed Asif Shah Mr. Haider Zameer Choudrey Mrs. Fauzia Ahmad Mr. Tariq Rashid

Audit Committee

Mr. Tariq Rashid Mr. Syed Asif Shah Mr. Haider Zameer Choudrey

Human Resource & Remuneration Committee

Mrs. Fauzia Ahmad Mr. Muhammad Irfan A. Sheikh Lord Zameer Choudrey

Nomination Committee

Lord Zameer Choudrey Mr. Muhammad Irfan Anwar Sheikh Mr. Haider Zameer Choudrey

Risk Management Committee

Lord Zameer Choudrey Mr. Muhammad Irfan Anwar Sheikh Mr. Haider Zameer Choudrey

Company Secretary

Hassan Niazi

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Bankers

- Allied Bank Limited
- Askari Bank Limited
- Bank Alfalah Limited
- Bank Islami Pakistan Limited
- Bank of Khyber
- Bank of Punjab
- Dubai Islamic Bank Pakistan Limited
- Faysal Bank Limited
- Habib Bank Limited
- Habib Metropolitan Bank Limited
- MCB Bank Limited
- MCB Islamic Bank Limited
- Meezan Bank Limited
- National Bank of Pakistan
- Soneri Bank Limited
- United Bank Limited

DIRECTORS' REPORT

The Board of Directors take pleasure in presenting their report together with unaudited financial statements for the half year ended 31 December 2024.

Industry Overview

Domestic cement dispatches declined by 10% to 18.1 million tons from 20.2 million tonnes in the same period of last year. Export volumes grew by 32% from 3.7 million tonnes to 4.8 million tonnes. Overall, dispatches by the industry decreased by 4% from 23.9 million tonnes to 22.9 million tonnes for the period under review. The decline in construction activity caused by higher taxes, higher interest rates and higher input costs led to a reduction in the domestic sales volumes. Increase in exports was enabled by competitive pricing in the international market.

Production and Sales Review	Half year ended 31 December 2024	Half year ended 31 December 2023	Increase/ (Decrease)	Percentage
	Tonnes	Tonnes	Tonnes	%
Clinker production	3,082,294	3,384,100	(301,806)	(9%)
Cement production	3,378,375	3,693,977	(315,602)	(9%)
Cement and Xtreme Bond sales	3,365,927	3,713,682	(347,755)	(9%)

Your Company's local cement dispatches decreased by 9%, which is lower than the industry decline of 10%. This is mainly due to lower demand and intense competition in the domestic market, during the period under review.

Despite fierce competition, Bestway successfully retained its position as the largest cement producer and the market leader in the country.

Operating Highlights

The Company recorded gross turnover of Rs. 85.6 billion in the half year ended 31 December 2024, 11% higher compared with Rs. 76.8 billion during the same period of last year. Net turnover for the half year marginally increased by 1%, from Rs. 54.9 billion to Rs. 55.6 billion, due to exorbitantly higher increases in duties, taxes and distribution costs.

Gross profit for the half year stood at Rs. 20.4 billion as compared with Rs. 15.8 billion during the same period of last year.

Financial charges decreased to Rs.4.6 billion for the period as against Rs. 5.7 billion for the same period of last year due to decline in interest rates and reduction in borrowings.

Profit before tax amounted to Rs. 17.8 billion as compared to Rs.10.8 billion for the half year ended 31 December 2023. Profit after taxation for the half year amounted to Rs. 11.5 billion as compared to Rs. 6.8 billion for the same period of last year.

Earnings per share of the Company for the half year stood at Rs. 19.2 as against Rs. 11.4 for the same period of last year.

Plants' Performance

During the period under review, all our cement plants and the waste heat recovery plants operated satisfactorily.

Alternative Energy

Cement manufacturing is an energy-intensive process. Power represents one of the largest costs of production. Persistent power crisis in the country and a desire to shift to green and renewable energy necessitated a shift from conventional fossil fuels to alternate energy solutions. Your Company meets a significant part of its energy requirement through green and renewable sources making it the leader in adopting green and renewable energy in Pakistan's industrial sector.

Environment and Water Conservation

Bestway Cement reputes itself as a responsible corporate citizen and gives highest priority to protecting and creating a healthier environment for not only its own employees, but also for our communities where the Company has established its five plants. The wellbeing of the social environment in which Bestway operates is considered an integral part of the Company's success. Our plants are ISO 14001:2004 Environmental Management System (EMS) certified.

Bestway Cement ardently supports WWF Pakistan. Your Company has been praised and endorsed for its efforts in reducing the carbon footprint while working towards conservation and protection of environment. It is one of the very few companies in Pakistan which has been certified as a Green Office by WWF Pakistan.

Your Company is now the leader in water conservation after installation of Air Cooled Condenser Systems, the first and only one in the Cement industry, instead of the conventional water-cooled system which has enabled reduction of about 80% of industrial water requirements.

Rainwater harvesting has been a key area of focus and your Company has made huge strides in not only improving the existing rainwater harvesting ponds significantly but also setting up new ones. You would be pleased to learn that 100% of industrial water requirement at our Chakwal and Kallar Kahar plants are being fulfilled through rainwater harvesting.

Corporate Social Responsibility

Bestway invests in its operations for long term and appreciates that it has a special responsibility towards the local communities. The Company takes pride in its proactive development and welfare of the under-privileged through activities

such as improving access to health services, education, vocational trainings, environmental conservation programmes, and helping create jobs and local employment. Your Company conducts its corporate social responsibility activities mainly through its charitable trust, Bestway Foundation.

Return to Shareholders

Your company remains mindful of providing a superior return to its shareholders. The directors therefore feel great pleasure in declaring 2nd interim cash dividend of 80%, making it a total of 160% year to date.

Future Outlook

Pakistan continues to struggle with significant economic and political challenges. At the start of the year, high inflation, very high interest rates and depleted foreign exchange reserves significantly impacted the economic growth. The new agreement with IMF along with restructuring of loans with friendly countries has led to macroeconomic improvements, including reduction in inflation and interest rates. However, to ensure long term sustainability, financial discipline, structural reforms and effective economic management are required to get the economy back on track.

Unreasonably high taxation and economic & political uncertainty will continue to bear down on the cement industry and cement manufacturers are finding it difficult to pass on any increase in costs, which may impact the profit margins going forward.

Bestway is one of the lowest cost-producers in the country, which means that it is better placed to face off any headwinds as compared to most of its competitors. Your management is always cognisant of the challenges that might lie ahead and will continue to proactively adapt in order to ensure optimum performance by your Company and superior returns for its shareholders.

Acknowledgements

The directors wish to place on record their appreciation for the continued support, contribution and confidence demonstrated in the Company by its shareholders, members of staff, customers, suppliers, bankers and various government agencies throughout the period.

For and on behalf of the Board

Lord Zameer Choudrev

Chief Executive

Muhammad Irfan A. Sheikh Managing Director

Islamabad 19 February 2025

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INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REVIEW REPORT

To the members of Bestway Cement Limited Report on review of Interim Financial Statements

Introduction

We have reviewed the accompanying condensed interim statement of financial position of Bestway Cement Limited as at December 31,2024 and the related condensed interim statement of profit or loss, condensed interim statement of profit or loss and other comprehensive income, condensed interim statement of changes in equity, and condensed interim statement of cash flows, and notes to the financial statements for the six month period then ended (here-in-after referred to as the "interim financial statements"). Management is responsible for the preparation and presentation of these interim financial statements in accordance with accounting and reporting standards as applicable in Pakistan for interim financial reporting. Our responsibility is to express a conclusion on these interim financial statements based on our review. The figures of the condensed interim statement of profit or loss and other comprehensive income for three month period ended December 31, 2024 and 2023 have not been reviewed, as we are required to review only the cumulative figures for the six month period ended December 31, 2024.

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 statements consists of making inquiries, primarily of persons responsible for financial and accounting matters, and applying analytical and other review procedures. A review is substantially less in scope than an audit conducted in accordance with International Standards on Auditing and consequently does not enable us to obtain assurance that we would become aware of all significant matters that might be identified in an audit. Accordingly, we do not express an audit opinion.

Conclusion

Based on our review, nothing has come to our attention that causes us to believe that the accompanying interim financial statements are not prepared, in all material respects, in accordance with the accounting and reporting standards as applicable in Pakistan for interim financial reporting.

The engagement partner on the audit resulting in this independent auditor's report is Muhammad Imtiaz Aslam.

Chartered Accountants Islamabad Date: February 27, 2025 UDIN: RR202410050dsvn3YiBt

PRODUCT PORTFOLIO







BESTWAY ORDINARY PORTLAND CEMENT ALL PURPOSE CEMENT



PAKCEM ORDINARY PORTLAND CEMENT ALL PURPOSE CEMENT



LOW ALKALI **INFRASTRUCTURE PROJECTS ESPECIALLY FOR DAMS & BRIDGES**



DURA CEM ORDINARY PORTLAND CEMENT ASTM C150 (TYPE I)





ECOCEM ECONOMY WITH STRENGTH ALL PURPOSE CEMENT



STALLION EARLY SETTING CEMENT FOR PRE-CAST



LOW HEAT CEMENT LOW HEAT OF HYDRATION CEMENT FOR MASS CONCRETING & DAMS



SRC SULPHATE RESISTANT CEMENT **PROTECTS AGAINST** WATER LOGGED & SALINE SOILS



STALLION HIGH QUALITY CEMENT ALL PURPOSE CEMENT



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BESTWAY CEMENT LIMITED CONDENSED INTERIM STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION AS AT 31 DECEMBER 2024

	Note	31 December 2024 (Rupees '	30 June 2024
		(Un-audited)	(Audited)
EQUITY			
Authorised share capital			
700,000,000 (30 June 2024: 700,000,000) ordinary shares of Rs.	l0 each	7,000,000	7,000,000
Share capital and reserves			
Share capital		5,962,528	5,962,528
Capital reserves		11,909,631	10,171,967
Revenue reserves		49,132,278	46,925,483
		67,004,437	63,059,978
LIABILITIES			
Non-current liabilities			
Long term financing		34,133,155	40,682,768
Deferred income - Government grant		1,554,671	1,785,412
Deferred tax liability - net		26,968,955	24,058,434
Employee benefit obligations		22,240	26,884
		62,679,021	66,535,498
Current liabilities			
Trade and other payables		23,482,170	15,718,864
Short-term borrowings		42,726,606	12,885,088
Current portion of long term financing		11,185,854	8,770,992
Current portion of deferred income - Government grant		441,058	445,393
Unpaid dividend	5	1,715,934	440,144
Unclaimed dividend		72,202	35,491
		79,623,824	38,295,972
Total liabilities		142,302,845	104,849,470
Total equity and liabilities		209,307,282	167,909,448

CONTINGENCIES AND COMMITMENTS

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The annexed notes 1 to 15 form an integral part of these condensed interim financial statements.

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DIRECTOR

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BESTWAY CEMENT LIMITED CONDENSED INTERIM STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION AS AT 31 DECEMBER 2024

	Note	31 December 2024 (Rupees	30 June 2024 ; '000)
		(Un-audited)	(Audited)
ASSETS			
Non-current assets			
Property, plant and equipment Intangible assets and goodwill Investment property Long term investments Long term deposits	7 8	111,441,847 7,166,083 225,601 30,379,965 119,243 149,332,739	113,482,291 7,233,120 225,601 20,025,219 115,882 141,082,113
Current assets			
Stores, spare parts and loose tools Stock in trade Trade debts		10,256,649 7,289,410 1,786,570	12,515,986 5,647,036 1,970,886
Advances Deposits and prepayments Short term Investments	9	530,286 145,374 34,528,600	883,314 81,078 -
Other receivables Advance tax - net Cash and bank balances	-	45,546 4,011,858 1,380,250	61,900 4,106,063 1,561,072
		59,974,543	26,827,335
Total assets		209,307,282	167,909,448

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CONDENSED INTERIM STATEMENT OF PROFIT OR LOSS (UN-AUDITED) FOR THE SIX MONTH PERIOD ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2024

	Six month p	eriod ended	Three month	n period ended
	31 December 2024	31 December 2023	31 December 2024	31 December 2023
	(Rupe	es '000)	(Rup	ees '000)
Gross turnover	85,625,742	76,815,363	47,469,410	40,589,558
Less: rebates and discounts	(2,668,302)	(1,794,302)	(1,393,289)	(960,365)
Less: sales tax and excise duty	(27,353,037)	(20,156,614)	(15,271,549)	(10,625,229)
Net turnover	55,604,403	54,864,447	30,804,572	29,003,964
Cost of sales	(35,195,133)	(39,113,974)	(18,510,967)	(20,424,667)
Gross profit	20,409,270			
Gross profit	20,409,270	15,750,473	12,293,605	8,579,297
Selling and distribution expenses	(812,034)	(609,643)	(438,301)	(322,556)
Administrative expenses	(914,860)	(757,826)	(413,298)	(408,979)
Other operating expenses	(959,023)	(565,795)	(633,138)	(344,034)
Operating profit	17,723,353	13,817,209	10,808,868	7,503,728
Other income - net	718,627	458,413	564,555	236,281
Finance cost	(4,597,569)	(5,696,683)	(2,150,636)	(2,679,913)
Share of profit of equity-accounted investees, net of tax	3,947,508			
		2,210,175	2,416,077	1,069,481
Profit before tax	17,791,919	10,789,114	11,638,864	6,129,577
Income tax expense	(6,324,224)	(4,006,104)	(4,231,817)	(2,421,895)
Profit for the period	11,467,695	6,783,010	7,407,047	3,707,682
Earnings per share - basic and diluted (Rupees)	19.23	11.38	12.42	6.22

The annexed notes 1 to 15 form an integral part of these condensed interim financial statements.

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CONDENSED INTERIM STATEMENT OF PROFIT OR LOSS AND OTHER COMPREHENSIVE INCOME (UN-AUDITED) FOR THE SIX MONTH PERIOD ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2024

	Six month perio	od ended	Three month p	eriod ended
	31 December 2024	31 December 2023	31 December 2024	31 December 2023
		(Rupee	s '000)	
Profit for the period	11,467,695	6,783,010	7,407,047	3,707,682
Other comprehensive income/(loss) (OCI):				
Items that will not be reclassified to profit or loss				
Company's share of equity-accounted investees' OCI		76.000		54.666
Re-measurement of defined benefit liability	349,656	76,802	349,656	54,666
Related tax	(87,414) 262,242	(19,200) 57,602	(87,414)	(13,666) 41,000
Surplus on revaluation of equity investments	333,891	57,002	275,341	
Related tax	(83,473)	-	(68,835)	-
	250,418	-	206,506	-
	512,660	57,602	468,748	41,000
Items that may be reclassified subsequently to profit or loss				
Company's share of equity-accounted investees' OCI				
Effect of translation of net investment in foreign branches and subsidiaries	(704,538)	(461,396)	33,929	(456,656)
Gain from Window Takaful Operations	667	70	604	42
Surplus / (deficit) on revaluation of debt investments through FVOCI	2,686,865	2,670,906	(1,410,745)	2,599,797
Related tax	(495,748)	(552,395)	344,053	
	(495,740)	(332,393)	344,033	(535,796)
Other comprehensive income/(loss) - net of tax	1,487,246	1,657,185	(1,032,159)	1,607,387
	1,999,906	1,714,787	(563,411)	1,648,387
Total comprehensive income for the period	13,467,601	8,497,797	6,843,636	5,356,069

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	Share capital		Capita	Capital reserves			Revenue reserves		Total equity
	Issued, subscribed and paid up share capital	Share premium	Exchange translation reserve	Revaluation reserve	Total Capital reserves	Statutory reserve	Unappropriated profit	Total revenue reserves	
					- (Rupees '000)				
Balance at 01 July 2023 (Audited)	5,962,528	5,381,821	4,874,483	(1,799,120)	8,457,184	3,180,571	44,245,333	47,425,904	61,845,616
Total comprehensive income Profit for the period Other comprehensive (loss) / income			- (346,047)	- 2,003,232	- 1,657,185		6,783,010 57,602	6,783,010 57,602	6,783,010 1,714,787
Total comprehensive (loss) / income	.].	(3 46,047)	2,003,232	1,657,185		6,840,612	6,840,612	8,497,797
Transfer to statutory reserve by equity-accounted investee						207,329	(207,329)	'	
Transactions with owners of the Company									
Dividend - Final 2023 @ Rs. 6 per share Dividend - Interim 2024 @ Ds. 6 per share							(3,577,517) (3,577,517)	(3,577,517) (3,577,517)	(3,577,517) (3,577,517)
Total transactions with owners of the Company].].	(7,155,034)	(7,155,034)	(7,155,034)
Balance at 31 December 2023 (Un-audited)	5,962,528	5,381,821	4,528,436	204,112	10,114,369	3,387,900	43,723,582	47,111,482	63,188,379
Balance at 01 July 2024 (Audited) Total commrehensive income	5,962,528	5,381,821	4,699,860	90,286	10,171,967	3,635,836	43,289,647	46,925,483	63,059,978
Profit for the period Other comprehensive (loss) / income			- (528,403)	- 2,266,067	- 1,737,664		11,467,695 262,242	11,467,695 262,242	11,467,695 1,999,906
Total comprehensive (loss) / income		.	(528,403)	2,266,067	1,737,664	.	11,729,937	11,729,937	13,467,601
Transfer to statutory reserve by equity-accounted investee						421,363	(421,363)		
Effect of adoption of IFRS 09-ECL - net of tax							16,902	16,902	16,902
Transactions with owners of the Company Distributions									
Dividend - Final 2024 @ Rs. 8 per share Dividend - Interim 2035 @ Rs. 8 ner chare							(4,770,022) (4,770,022)	(4,770,022) (4,770,022)	(4,770,022) (4,770,022)
Total transactions with owners of the Company].			(9,540,044)	(9,540,044)	(9,540,044)
Balance at 31 December 2024 (Un-audited)	5,962,528	5,381,821	4,171,457	2,356,353	11,909,631	4,057,199	45,075,079	49,132,278	67,004,437
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BESTWAY CEMENT LIMITED CONDENSED INTERIM STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS (UN-AUDITED) FOR THE SIX MONTH PERIOD ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2024

FOR THE SIX MOINTH FERIOD ENDED ST DEC	EMDER 2024	Six month peri 31 Decen	
	Note	2024	2023
	Note	(Rupees '	000)
CASH FLOWS FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES		-	
Profit before tax Adjustments for:		17,791,919	10,789,114
Gain on disposal of property, plant and equipment		(18,446)	(127,746)
Depreciation		2,969,257	2,831,917
Amortisation		67,037	63,434
Provision for obsolete / slow moving stores Provision/(reversal)		144,716	(975)
Write off of fixed assets		33,662	9,874
Rental income from investment property		(18,321)	(17,803)
Profit on deposit accounts		(11,986)	(2,137)
Interest on investments		(434,960)	(51,565)
Share of profit of equity-accounted investees - net of tax		(3,947,508)	(2,210,175)
Compensation against court order		7,173	7,073
Finance cost		4,597,569	5,696,683
Provision for employee retirement benefits		100,805	91,407
		3,488,998 21,280,917	6,289,987 17,079,101
Changes in working capital:		21,200,917	17,079,101
Stores, spare parts and loose tools		2,114,033	(721,755)
Stock in trade		(1,641,789)	(77,055)
Trade debts		184,317	(69,849)
Advances		353,028	1,401,098
Deposits and prepayments		(64,296)	(71,960)
Other receivables		16,355	784,523
Trade and other payables		8,061,776	5,177,569
Cash generated from operating activities		9,023,424	6,422,571
cash generated nom operating activities		30,304,341	23,501,672
Long term deposits		(3,361)	-
Finance cost paid		(5,232,928)	(5,717,298)
Employee retirement benefits		-	7
Payment to gratuity fund		(330,000)	-
Income tax paid		(3,991,765)	(2,798,279)
		(9,558,054)	(8,515,570)
Net cash generated from operating activities		20,746,287	14,986,102
CASH FLOWS FROM INVESTING ACTIVITIES		(* *** ***	(2.2.4.4.4.4.2)
Acquisition of property, plant and equipment		(1,000,217)	(3,268,148)
Acquisition of intangible assets		- 50,490	(48,040)
Proceeds from sale of property, plant and equipment			378,062
Rent received from investment property		28,038	1,490 4,885,660
Short term investment		- 12,311	4,885,660
Profit received on investment / deposit accounts		2,287,588	2,060,294
Dividend received		(5,998,653)	(725,053)
Increase in longterm investments		(5,998,053)	
Net cash (used in) / generated from investing activities		(4,620,443)	3,337,967
CASH FLOWS FROM FINANCING ACTIVITIES			
Proceeds from financing		3,677,000	
Repayments of financing		(6,848,173)	(6,827,880)
Dividend paid		(8,227,544)	(1,284,690)
Net cash used in financing activities		(11,398,717)	(1,284,690) (8,112,570)
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Net increase in cash and cash equivalents		4,727,127	10,211,499
·		7,727,127	10,211,399
Cash and cash equivalents at beginning of the period		(8,197,528)	(16,891,169)
cash and cash equivalents at beginning of the period		(0,157,520)	(10,031,109)
Cash and cash equivalents at end of the period	10	(3,470,401)	(6,679,670)
cash and cash equivalents at end of the period		(3,470,401)	(0,079,070)

The annexed notes 1 to 15 form an integral part of these condensed interim financial statements.

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CHIEF FINANCIAL OFFICER

DIRECTOF



FOR THE SIX-MONTH PERIOD ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2024

1. THE COMPANY AND ITS OPERATIONS

1.1 Bestway Cement Limited ("the Company") is a public limited company incorporated in Pakistan on 22 December 1993 under the Companies Ordinance, 1984 (repealed with the enactment of the Companies Act, 2017 on 30 May 2017) and its shares are quoted on the Pakistan Stock Exchange Limited since 09 April 2001. The Company is principally engaged in production and sale of cement.

The Company is a subsidiary of Bestway International Holdings Limited (BIHL), which holds 56.43% shares in the Company. BIHL is a wholly owned subsidiary of Bestway Group Limited (BGL), ("the ultimate parent company"). Both BIHL and BGL are incorporated in Guernsey.

Registered office of the Company is situated at Bestway Building, 19-A, College Road, F-7 Markaz, Islamabad, Pakistan. The Company's cement manufacturing plants are located at Hattar, Farooqia, Chakwal, Kallar Kahar and Mianwali. Its sales head office is located at House 276, near Riphah University, Peshawar Road, Rawalpindi, Pakistan, with its other regional sales offices located in Lahore, Peshawar and Multan. The Company's procurement office is located at UBL Building, Jinnah Avenue, Islamabad, Pakistan.

2. BASIS OF PREPARATION

2.1 Statement of compliance

These condensed interim financial statements have been prepared in accordance with the accounting and reporting standards as applicable in Pakistan for interim financial reporting. The accounting and reporting standards as applicable in Pakistan for interim financial reporting comprise of:

- International Accounting Standard (IAS) 34, Interim Financial Reporting, issued by the International Accounting Standards Board (IASB) as notified under the Companies Act, 2017; and
- Provisions of and directives issued under the Companies Act, 2017.

Where the provisions of and directives issued under the Companies Act, 2017 differ with the requirements of IAS 34, the provisions of and directives issued under the Companies Act, 2017 have been followed. The applicable financial reporting framework for equity-accounted investees also includes Banking Companies Ordinance, 1962, Insurance Ordinance, 2001 Islamic Financial Accounting Standards (IFAS) and underlying Rules and Directives issued by the Securities and Exchange Commission of Pakistan and State Bank of Pakistan.

- 2.2 These condensed interim financial statements should be read in conjunction with the Company's last annual financial statements as at and for the year ended 30 June 2024 ('last annual financial statements'). These condensed interim financial statements do not include all of the information required for a complete set of financial statements prepared in accordance with the approved accounting standards as applicable in Pakistan. However, selected explanatory notes are included to explain events and transactions that are significant to an understanding of the changes in the Company's financial position and performance since the last annual financial statements.
- **2.3** The condensed interim financial statements are un-audited and are prepared for submission to the members and the Pakistan Stock Exchange as required under section 237 of the Companies Act, 2017.

2.4 Use of judgments and estimates

In preparing these condensed interim financial statements, management has made judgments, estimates and assumptions that affect the application of Company's accounting policies and the reported amounts of assets, liabilities, income and expense. Actual results may differ from these estimates.

The significant judgments made by management in applying the Company's accounting policies and the key source of estimation uncertainty were the same as those that applied to the financial statements as at and for the year ended 30 June 2024. Estimates and underlying assumptions are reviewed on an ongoing basis. Revisions to estimates are recognised prospectively.

Measurement of fair values

A number of the Company's accounting policies and disclosures require the measurement of fair value, both for financial and non-financial assets and liabilities.

The Company has an established control framework with respect to the measurement of fair values. Management has overall responsibility for overseeing all significant fair value measurements, including Level 3 fair values.

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Management regularly reviews significant unobservable inputs and valuation adjustments. If third party information, such as broker quotes or pricing services, is used to measure fair values, then the valuation team assesses the evidence obtained from the third parties to support the conclusion that these valuations meet the requirements of the approved accounting standards as applicable in Pakistan, including the level in the fair value hierarchy in which the valuations should be classified.

When measuring the fair value of an asset or a liability, the Company uses market observable data as far as possible. Fair values are categorized into different levels in a fair value hierarchy based on the inputs used in the valuation techniques as follows:

Level 1: quoted prices (unadjusted) in active markets for identical assets or liabilities.

Level 2: inputs other than quoted prices included in Level 1 that are observable for the asset or liability, either directly (i.e. as prices) or indirectly (i.e. derived from prices).

Level 3: inputs for the asset or liability that are not based on observable market data (unobservable inputs).

If the inputs used to measure the fair value of an asset or a liability might be categorized in different levels of the fair value hierarchy, then the fair value measurement is categorized in its entirety in the same level of the fair value hierarchy as the lowest level input that is significant to the entire measurement. The Company recognizes transfers between levels of the fair value hierarchy at the end of the reporting period during which the change has occurred.

3. CHANGES IN ACCOUNTING STANDARDS, INTERPRETATIONS AND AMENDMENTS TO APPROVED ACCOUNTING STANDARDS

Certain amendments to the standards and interpretations are effective for the annual periods beginning on or after 01 July 2024. Management believes that adoption of these new standards and amendments do not have any material impact on the Company's condensed interim financial statements.

4. MATERIAL ACCOUNTING POLICY INFORMATION & OTHER ACCOUNTING POLICIES

The material and other accounting policies and the methods of computation adopted in the preparation of these condensed interim financial statements are the same as those applied in the preparation of annual financial statements of the Company for the year ended 30 June 2024.

5. UNPAID DIVIDEND

б. 6. This comprises of dividend payable to the holding company and other foreign shareholders awaiting remittance by the authorised bank due to pending regulatory formalities.

		31 December 2024 (Rupees	30 June 2024 '000)
		(Un-audited)	(Audited)
	CONTINGENCIES AND COMMITMENTS		
.1	Contingencies		
	Guarantees and claims		
	Letters of guarantee issued by banks on behalf of the Company	3,706,451	2,231,205
	Company's share of guarantees and claims of equity-accounted investees:		
	- Guarantees	34,186,284	26,138,924
	- Other contingent liabilities	3,366,036	2,772,973

As at 31 December 2024, facilities of letters of guarantee amounting to Rs. 6.53 billion (30 June 2024; Rs. 3.88 billion) were available to the Company out of which Rs. 2.83 billion (30 June 2024; Rs. 1.65 billion) remained unavailed as at period end. Facilities of letters of guarantee are secured by first pari passu charge on present and future current and fixed assets of the Company (excluding land, building and long term investments).

Litigations

There are no significant changes in the status of contingencies as reported in note 16 to the annual audited financial statements of the Company for the year ended 30 June 2024.

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	31 December 2024 (Rupee	30 June 2024 s '000)
6.2 Commitments	(Un-audited)	(Audited)
Outstanding letters of credit including capital expenditure	249,550	598,875
Capital expenditure	176,397	224,406
Rentals for use of land	115,979	116,824
Company's share of commitments of equity-accounted investees:		
- Letters of credit	34,392,485	21,701,789
- Forward foreign exchange contracts	56,476,670	36,530,710
- Forward government securities transactions	30,958,037	4,448,365
- Forward lending	16,307,496	12,170,550
- Capital expenditure	795,439	658,527
- Operating leases	16,720	14,715

As at 31 December 2024, facilities of letters of credit amounting to Rs. 12.42 billion (30 June 2024: Rs. 13.91 billion) are available to the Company, out of which Rs. 12.17 billion (30 June 2024: Rs. 13.31 billion) remained unavailed as at period end.

7. PROPERTY, PLANT AND EQUIPMENT

During the six month period ended 31 December 2024, the Company made additions to property, plant and equipment amounting to Rs. 1.00 billion (31 December 2023: Rs. 3.27 billion) including additions to capital work in progress amounting to Rs. 0.62 billion (31 December 2023: Rs. 2.81 billion). Property, plant and equipment with carrying amounts of Rs. 64.32 million were disposed off during the six month period ended 31 December 2024 (31 December 2023: Rs. 250.3 million) resulting in a gain on disposal of Rs. 18.45 million (31 December 2023: Rs. 127.75 million).

Depreciation amounting to Rs. 2.97 billion was charged for the six month period ended 31 December 2024 (31 December 2023: Rs. 2.83 billion).

8. Long Term Investments

	Note	31 December	30 June
		2024	2024
		(Rupees	; '000)
Investment in Associates		(Un-audited)	(Audited)
United Bank Limited	8.1	29,912,019	19,720,190
United Insurers Limited		353,260	305,029
Investment measured at amortized cost			
Pakistan Investment Bonds		114,686	-

8.1 In accordance with the resolution approved in the Annual General Meeting (AGM) of the Company on 1 September 2023, the Company was authorized to purchase a further 50 million shares (4%) of United Bank Limited (UBL) over a span of five years at the quoted price of such shares on the Stock Exchange on the date of purchase. During the six month period ended 31 December 2024, the Company has further purchased 18.7 million shares in UBL at a cost of Rs 5,890 million (30 June 2024: Rs 1,246 million), thereby increasing its equity interest by 1.529% in the associate to 9.696% (30 June 2024: 8.167%). With the increase in this interest, the Company continues to have signifcant influence on the associate and has accounted for the increase using a cost accumulation approach. The cost of acquiring the additional stake is added to the carrying value of the associate. The fair value for the additional stake is calculated using fair value information at the date when the additional interest is acquired. The Company has conducted its initial assessment for identification and fair valuation of assets and liabilities of the associate and has identified additional goodwill of Rs. 1,513 million (30 June 2024: Rs. 62 million). The Company can adjust the fair values for identified assets and liabilities determined in its initial assessment within the measurement period which should not exceed 12 months from the acquisition date.

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9. SHORT TERM INVESTMENTS

During the period, the Company acquired 340.26 million units in United Bank Limited Fixed Return - III(U) Mutual Fund for a total cost of Rs. 34.1 billion (31 Decemeber 2023: Nil) from short term facilities from various banks obtained during the period. This balance includes an amount of Rs. 11 billion marked as lien / pledged against a short term facility.

		31 December	31 December
		2024	2023
		(Rupee:	s '000)
10.	CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS	(Un-audited)	(Un-audited)
	Cash and bank balances	1,380,250	1,188,162
	Short term borrowings	(38,950,651)	(7,867,832)
	Short term investments	34,100,000	-
	Cash and cash equivalents for the purpose of statement of cash flows	(3,470,401)	(6,679,670)

11. FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS

The following table shows the carrying amounts of financial assets and financial liabilities by categories:

	31 December 2024			30 June 2024		
	Financial assets at amortised cost	Financial liabilities at amortised cost	Total	Financial assets at amortised cost	Financial liabilities at amortised cost	Total
		(Un-Audited)			(Audited)	
Financial assets			Rupee	s '000		
Long term investments	114,686	-	114,686	-	-	-
Deposits	125,404	-	125,404	121,493	-	121,493
Trade debts	1,786,570	-	1,786,570	1,970,886	-	1,970,886
Advances	11,668	-	11,668	10,768	-	10,768
Short term investments	34,528,600	-	34,528,600	-	-	-
Other receivables	45,546	-	45,546	61,900	-	61,900
Cash and bank balances	1,380,250	-	1,380,250	1,561,072		1,561,072
	37,992,724	-	37,992,724	3,726,119		3,726,119
Financial liabilities						
Long term financing	-	34,133,155	34,133,155	-	40,682,768	40,682,768
Current portion of long term financing	-	11,185,854	11,185,854	-	8,770,992	8,770,992
Trade and other payables	-	16,987,120	16,987,120	-	11,406,535	11,406,535
Unclaimed dividend	-	72,202	72,202	-	35,491	35,491
Unpaid dividend	-	1,715,934	1,715,934	-	440,144	440,144
Short-term borrowings	-	42,726,606	42,726,606	-	12,885,088	12,885,088
		106,820,871	106,820,871	-	74,221,018	74,221,018

12. FAIR VALUES

12.1 Fair value versus carrying amounts

The carrying amounts of financial assets and financials liabilities are reasonable approximation of their fair values.

12.2 Determination of fair values

A number of the Company's accounting policies and disclosures require determination of fair values, for both financial and non-financial assets and liabilities. Fair values have been determined for measurement and / or disclosure purposes based on the following methods:

Financial assets

Fair values of non-derivative financial assets are estimated as the present value of future cash flows, discounted at the market rate of interest at the reporting date. These fair values are determined for disclosure purposes.

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Financial liabilities

Fair values which are determined for disclosure purposes, are calculated based on the present value of future principal and interest cash flows, discounted at the market rate of interest at the reporting date.

Long term investment

Fair value (as determined for disclosure purposes) of investment in associate (i.e. United Bank Limited) as at 31 December 2024 is Rs. 45.37 billion (30 June 2024: Rs. 25.62 billion). The fair value is placed in level 1 of the fair value hierarchy as defined in note 2.

13. TRANSACTIONS WITH RELATED PARTIES

The Company is a subsidiary of Bestway International Holdings Limited, Guernsey ("the holding company"). The holding company, is a wholly owned subsidiary of Bestway Group Limited, Guernsey ("the ultimate parent company") therefore, all subsidiaries and associated undertakings of the ultimate parent company are related parties of the Company. Other related parties comprise of directors, key management personnel, entities with common directorships, entities over which the directors are able to exercise influence and employee retirement funds. Significant transactions and balances with related parties during and at the six month period ended 31 December 2024 are as follows:

	Six month period ended	
	31 December 2024	31 December 2023
Transactions with Holding Company	(Rupee	es '000)
Divident paid during the period	4,209,773	-
Royalty payable for the period	141,815	170,109
Transactions with associated undertakings under common directorship ("undertakings")		
Dividend received	2,287,588	2,060,294
Dividend paid	373,175	279,881
Interest earned	2,369	1,923
Service / bank charges paid	9,550	13,054
Insurance premium paid	51,505	53,260
Insurance claims received	18,206	785
Rent paid	45,108	27,940
Maintenance fee paid	8,025	6,796
Donation expense	114,677	67,825
Sale of cement - gross	26,004	25,775
Purchases of packing & other material	2,699,429	3,217,521
Sale of solar equipment	-	233,182
Purchase of solar equipment	11,732	478,482
Payments on behalf of associated undertakings	47,817	21,181
Payments on behalf of Company by associated undertakings	26,126	-
Management fee income	-	15,000
Services received	108,700	258,000
Short term investment	34,100,000	-
Interest Income on short term investment	428,600	-
Investment made during the year	5,890,393	725,053
Transactions with key management personnel		
Remuneration, allowances and benefits	63,264	56,283
Dividend paid	1,290,437	399,587

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31 December 2024 -----(Rupees '000)------(Un-audited) **Balances with related parties**

Unpaid dividend	1,715,934	440,144
Royalty payable to holding Company	1,082,917	941,103
Donation payable to Bestway Foundation	1,257,774	1,134,902
Payable to employees' gratuity fund	308,548	533,098
Trade payables	20,225	58,300
Prepayments	32,369	-
Trade debts	488	-
Advances	293,699	668,480
Short term Investments	34,528,600	-
Bank balances	1,315,992	1,126,230

14. **PROPOSED DIVIDEND**

The Board of Directors in its meeting held on 19 February 2025 has declared an interim dividend of Rs. 08 per share.

15. DATE OF AUTHORISATION

These condensed interim financial statements were authorised for issue by the Board of Directors of the Company in the meeting held on 19 February 2025.

M'1 6 CHIEF FINANCIAL OFFICER

DIRECT

CHIEF EXECUTIVE

30 June

2024

(Audited)

شیئر ہولڈرز کے لیے **منافع** آپ کی کمپنی اپنے حصص یافتگان کو اعلی منافع فراہم کرنے کے بارے میں متقد رہتی ہے. اس لیے ڈائریکٹرز 80 فیصد کے دوسرے عبوری نفذ منافع کا اعلان کرتے ہوئے بہت خوشی محسوس کرتے ہیں جو کہ سال کے اب تک کے منافع کو 160 فی صد تک لے جاتا ہے۔

مستقتبل کی **توقعات** پاکستان اہم اقتصادی اور سایی چیلنجز سے نبرد آزما ہے۔ سال کے آغاز میں، بلند افراط زر، بہت زیادہ شرح سود اور کم ہوتے زر مبادلہ کے ذخائر نے اقتصادی نمو کو نمایاں طور پر متاثر کیا۔ دوست ممالک کے ساتھ قرضوں کی تنظیم نو کے ساتھ آئی ایم ایف کے ساتھ نئے معاہدے سے مہنگائی اور شرح سود میں کمی سمیت میکرو اکنامک بہتری آئی ہے۔ تاہم، طویل مدتی پائیداری کو یقینی بنانے کے لیے، معیشت کو دوبارہ پٹری پر لانے کے لیے مالیاتی نظم و ضبط، ساختی اصلاحات اور موثر اقتصادی انتظام کی ضرورت ہے

غیر معقول حد تک زیادہ ٹیکن لگانے اور اقتصادی اور سای غیر یقینی صور تحال سینٹ کی صنعت پر اثر انداز ہوتی رہے گی اور سینٹ مینوفیکچررز کو لاگت میں کسی بھی طرح کے اضافے سے گزرنا مشکل ہو رہا ہے جو کہ آنے والے دنوں میں منافع کے مارجن کو متاثر کر سکتا ہے۔

بیسٹ وے ملک کے اندر سب سے کم لاگت والی سیمنٹ ساز کمپنیوں میں سے ایک ہے جس کا مطلب ہے کہ اسے اپنے بیشتر حریفوں کے مقابلے میں کسی نبھی پریثانی کا سامنا کرنا آسان ہے. آپ کی انتظامیہ ہمیشہ ان چیلنجوں سے باخبر رہتی ہے جو آگ ہو سکتے ہیں اور آپ کی کمپنی کی طرف سے زیادہ سے زیادہ کارکردگی اور اس کے شیئر ہولڈرز کے لیے اعلیٰ منافع کو کیفینی بنانے کے لیے فعال طور پر موافقت کرتے رہیں گے۔

اعترافات ڈائر یکٹرز کمپنی میں اس کے شیئر ہولڈرز، عملے کے ارکان، صارفین، سپلائرز، بینکرز اور مختلف سرکاری ایجنسیوں کی جانب سے اس پورے عرصے کے دوران مسلسل تعادن، شرائت اور اعتماد کے اظہار کے لیے ان کی تمام تر کو ششوں کا اعتراف کرتے ہوئے اظہار تشکر کرتے ہیں۔

> مستحمیر چو مدری چیف ایگزیکٹو

> > اسلام آباد 19 فروری 2025ء



برائے و منجانب بورڈ

پلانٹس کی کار کردگی زیر جائزہ مدت کے دوران، ہمارے تمام سیمنٹ پلانٹس تسلی بخش طریقے سے کام کرتے رہے۔

متبادل توانائى

سیمنٹ مینوفیکچر تگ ایک توانائی سے بھرپور عمل ہے۔ بجلی پیداوار کی سب سے بڑی لاگت میں سے ایک کی نمائندگی کرتی ہے۔ ملک میں بجلی کے مسلسل بحران اور سبز اور قابل تجدید توانائی کی طرف منتقل ہونے کی خواہش نے روایتی جیواشم ایند ھن س متبادل توانائی کے حل کی طرف تبدیلی کی ضرورت پیش کی۔ آپ کی کمپنی اپنی توانائی کی ضرورت کا ایک اہم حصہ سبز اور قابل تجدید ذرائع سے پورا کرتی ہے جس سے وہ پاکستان کے صنعتی شعبے میں سبز اور قابل تجدید توانائی کو اپنانے میں سرفہرست ہے۔

ماحولیات اور پائی کا تحفظ بیٹ وے سینٹ خود کو ایک ذمہ دار کارپوریٹ شہری کے طور پر شار کرتی ہے اور نہ صرف اپنے ملازمین ہی کے لیے صحت مند ماحول کے تحفظ و تشکیل کو اولین ترجیع دیتی ہے بلکہ ان معاشروں میں بھی اس کو ترجیعہ دیتی ہے جہاں اس کی قیکٹریاں قائم ہیں۔بیٹ وے جہاں کام کرتی ہے وہاں ساجی ماحول کی فلاح و بہود کمپنی کی کامیابی کا ایک لازمی جزو شمجھا جاتا ہے۔ ہمارے پلانٹس آئی ایس او 2004:14001 ماحولیاتی انتظام کے نظام (ای ایم ایس) سے مصدقہ ہیں۔

ببیٹ وے سیمنٹ WWF پاکستان کو جوش انداز سے مدد فراہم کرتی ہے۔ اکبی کمپنی کے ماحول کے تحفظ کے لیے کام کرنے کے دوران کاربن فٹ پرنٹ کو کم کرنے کی کو ششوں کی تعریف اور تائید کی گئی ہے۔ بیٹ وے پاکستان کے اندر چند ہی اداروں میں شامل ہے جنہیں WWF پاکستان کی جانب سے سنر دفتر کے طور پر سند سے نوازا گیا ہے۔

پانی سے ٹھنڈا کرنے کے روایتی طریقے کی بجائے ہوا سے ٹھنڈا کرنے کے نظام کی تنصیب کے بعد آ کچی شمپنی پانی کے تحفظ میں سر فہرست ہے جس نے پانی کی صنعتی ضروریات کو80 فیصد تک کم کرنے کے قابل بنایا ہے۔ بارش کے پانی کوذخیرہ کرنا توجہ کا ایک اہم شعبہ رہا ہے اور آپ کی شمپنی نے نہ صرف بارش کے پانی کو ذخیرہ کرنے کے موجودہ تالابوں کو نمایاں طور پر بہتر بنانے بلکہ نے تالابوں کو قائم کرنے میں بھی بڑی پیش رفت کی ہے. آپ کو یہ جان کر خوشی ہوگی کہ ہمارے چکوال اور کلر کہار پلانٹس میں صنعتی پانی کی 100 فیصد ضرورت بارش کے پانی کے ذریعے پوری ہو رہی ہے۔

ادارایایی ساجی ذمہ داری بیٹ وے اپنے کاموں میں طویل المدت سرمایہ کاری کرتی ہے، اور اس بات کو سراہتی ہے کہ مقامی برادریوں اور ساج کی جانب کمپنی صحت کی خدمات، تعلیم، پیشہ ورانہ تربیت، ماحولیاتی تحفظ کے پرو گراموں تک رسائی کو بہتر بنانے، اور ملاز میں اور مقامی روزگار پیدا کرنے میں مدد جیسی سر گرمیوں کے ذریعے پسماندہ افراد کی اپنی فعال ترتی اور فلاح و بہود پر فخر محسوس کرتی ہے. آپ کی ضمینی اپنی کارپوریٹ سابی ذمہ داری کی سر گرمیاں بنیادی طور پر اپنے خیراتی ادارے، بیٹ وے فاؤنڈیش کے ذریعے کرتی ڈائر یکٹرز کی رپورٹ بورڈ آف ڈائر یکٹرز 31 دسمبر 2024 کو ختم شدہ ششائی کے لیے کو غیر آڈٹ شدہ مالیاتی گوشواروں کے ہمراہ اپنی ریپورٹ کرتے ہوئے پیش کرنے خوشی محسوس کرتے ہیں۔

صنعت کا جائزہ

يبداداري جھلکياں

سیمنٹ کی مقامی تر سیل گزشتہ سال کی اس مدت میں 20.2 ملین ٹن سے 10 فیصد کم ہو کر 18.1 ملین ٹن تک ہو گئی۔ برآمدات کا حجم 32 فیصد اضافے کے ساتھ 3.7 ملین ٹن سے بڑھ کر 4.8 ملین ٹن ہو گیا. مجموعی طور پر، زیر جائزہ مدت کے لیے صنعت کی ترسیلات 4 فیصد کمی کے ساتھ 23.9 ملین ٹن سے کم ہوکر 22.9 ملین ٹن ہو گئی۔ زیادہ نیکس اور زیادہ لاگت سے تعمیراتی سر گرمیوں میں کمی ملکی فروخت کے حجم میں کمی کا باعث بنی۔ برآمدات میں اضافہ عالمی منڈیوں میں مثا بقتی قیمتوں کی وجہ سے ممکن ہوا۔

فيصد	اضافہ/(کمی)	31 دسمبر 2023 کو ختم شدہ ششماہی	ہ 31 دسمبر 2024 کو ختم شدہ ششماہی	پیداوار اور فروخت کا جائز ۱
%	<i>م</i> خز	<i>ش</i> ز	<u>شرز</u>	
(9%)	(301,806)	3,384,100	3,082,294	کلنکر کی پیدادار
(9%)	(315,602)	3,693,977	3,378,375	سیمنٹ کی پیداوار سیمنٹ کی پیداوار
(9%)	(347,755)	3,713,682	3,365,927	سیمنٹ اور ایکسٹریم بونڈ کی فروخت

آپ کی کمپنی کی مجموعی سیمنٹ کی تر سیلات میں 9 فیصد کمی ہوئی ہے، جو صنعت کی 10 فیصد کی تنزلی سے کم ہے. اس کی بنیادی وجہ زیر جائزہ مدت کے دوران مارکیٹ میں کم مانگ اور شدید مثابقت ہے۔ سخت مقابلے کے باوجود، بیسٹ وے نے کامیابی کے ساتھ ملک میں سب سے بڑے سیمنٹ پروڈیوسر اور مارکیٹ لیڈر کے طور پر اپنی پوزیشن بر قرار رکھی۔

کمپنی نے 31 دسمبر 2024 کو ختم ہونے والی ششماہی میں 85.6 ارب روپے کا مجموعی کاروبار ریکارڈ کیا جو گزرشتہ سال کے اسی مدّت کے 76.8 ارب روپے کے مقابلے میں 11 فیصد زیادہ ہے۔ محصولات، ٹیکسوں اور تقسیم کےافراجات میں بے تحاشہ اضافے سے اسی عرصے کے دوران خالص کاروبار 1 فیصد کے معمولی اضافے کے ساتھ 54.9 ارب روپے سے 55.6 ارب روپے ہوگیا۔

اس مدت کے لیے مجموعی منافع گزشتہ سال کے اس مدّت کے 15.8 ارب روپے کے مقابلے میں 20.4 ارب روپے رہا۔ مالیاتی اخراجات گزشتہ سال کی اسی مدت کے 5.7 ارب روپے کے مقابلے میں 4.6 ارب روپے ہے۔ جس کی وجہ شرح سود اور قرضوں کے حصول میں کمی ہے۔

قبل از نیکس منافع 31 دسمبر 2023 کو ختم شدہ نصف سال کے 10.8 ارب روپے کے مقابلے میں 17.8 ارب روپے رہا۔ بعد از نیکس منافع پچھلے سال کی اسی مدّت کے 6.8 ارب روپے کے مقابلے میں 11.5 ارب روپے رہا۔

اس مدّت کے دوران کمپنی کی فی حصص آمدنی گزشتہ سال کی اسی مدت کی 11.38 روپے کے مقابلے میں 19.23 روپے رہی۔ 1 Half Yearly Report | 2024



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