

1st QUARTER REPORT

September 30, 2023



DANDOT CEMENT COMPANY LIMITED

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COMPANY INFORMATION

Board of Directors (BOD)

Muhammad Farooq Naseem Chairman
Taha Muhammad Naseem Chief Executive

Mrs. Roohi Farooq Naseem Zaka Muhammad Naseem

Jehanzeb Choudry

Murtaza Yousuf Mandviwala

Shafqaat Ahmed

Audit Committee

Shafqaat Ahmed Member / Chairman / Secretary

Muhammad Farooq Naseem Member Zaka Muhammad Naseem Member

Human Resouces & Remuneration Committee

Murtaza Yousuf Mandviwala Member / Chairman

Muhammad Farooq Naseem Member
Taha Muhammad Naseem Member

Chief Financial Officer

Muhammad Kamran

Statutory Auditors

Parker Russel -A.J.S.

Chartered Accountants, Faisalabad.

Company Secretary

Muhammad Kamran

Legal Advisor

International Legal Services

Bankers

The Bank of Punjab

Askari Bank Limited

Bank Alfalah Limited

Bank Al-Habib Limited

BankIslami Pakistan Limited

Habib Bank Limited

IS Bank Limited

National Bank of Pakistan

United Bank Limited

Meezan Bank Limited

Registered Office

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Factory

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Share Registrar

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DIRECTORS' REPORT TO THE SHAREHOLDERS

The Board of Directors presents the un-audited condensed financial statements of the company for the quarter ended September 30, 2023.

Principal Activity and Operational Performance

Dandot Cement Company Limited (the Company) is a Public Listed Company. The principal activity of the Company is production and sale of cement. During the period under review, cement production & related sales volume remained suspended due to closure of plant operations for BMR activity since September 2019. Net loss for the period is PKR 69.47 million (Sep 2022: Rs. 68.73 million) and loss per share is PKR 1.12 (Sep 2022: PKR 1.11). Due to closure of operations and financial losses, dividend has not been recommended by the board of directors for the current period.

Future Prospects

Industry:

This current period brought upon new challenges for the industry as Pakistan experienced an economic downturn in its macro conditions. The onslaught on the Pakistani Rupee brought upon by the rising current account deficit led to severe implications for the economy and set out a chain reaction of fiscal control measures.

High inflation and severe devaluation led to a drastic increase in commodity prices, while rising interest rates added to the rising costs. The austerity measures implemented by the Government of Pakistan imposed focused heavily on reducing imports and readjusting fuel and electricity tariffs, lead to short term difficulties but eventually is resulting in stabilization. For the coming year, as the economic conditions settle down and we foresee a robust cement industry in 23/24.

The industry performance was in line with the country's economic situation. Dispatches fell as government spending declined and cost of financing increased. However, as your company expects to come into production later in the year conditions will ease due to stable conditions.

Principal Risks and Uncertainties

- Devaluation of Pak Rupee against the dollar.
- Higher Interest rates.
- Increasing fuel and electricity prices.
- Lack of Government spending.

Company's Plan

Your company plans to come into production before end of the calendar year 2023 with the emphasis of the BMR on improving the thermal efficiency and achieving the desired environment control standards. The civil works have been completed and mechanical erection works as well as PLC works are being completed. The company has also installed a 5 MW solar plant on a power purchase deal to mitigate the rising electricity costs. This will be operational at the time of production. We are exploring options to increase the solar capacity to 10 MW. At the completion of the BMR your company will achieve consistent production with optimized costs and a reliable and durable product. All plans for the company are designed at bringing your company to a financially healthy and sustainable corporate entity.

Subsequent Events

All subsequent events have been properly disclosed in the relevant notes of these un-audited condensed financial statements.

Acknowledgement

The board of directors is thankful to all stakeholders including but not limited to bankers, employees, suppliers, distributors as well as regulators and shareholders for their continued support, cooperation and trust especially in crises tenure faced by the company in the current period.

MUHAMMAD FAROOQ NASEEM

Chairman

Lahore: November 07, 2023.

TAHA MUHAMMAD NASEEM Chief Executive

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	Note	(Un-Audited) Sep 30, 2023 (Rupees in the	(Audited) June 30, 2023 housand)
EQUITY AND LIABILITIES			
SHARE CAPITAL AND RESERVES Authorized capital		5,000,000	5,000,000
Issued, subscribed and paid up share capital Share premium reserve Accumulated loss Revaluation surplus on property, plant and equipment Long term loan from associated companies	6	2,481,733 787,988 (5,825,399) 2,201,860 2,849,303 2,495,485	2,481,733 787,988 (5,755,932) 2,201,860 2,539,303 2,254,952
NON CURRENT LIABILITIES Long term financing from banking companies Long term financing from related parties Government Grant Payable to Provident fund trust Other loans and liabilities Deferred liabilities Long term advances and deposits		2,859,083 1,185,963 591,913 140,394 - 862,188 13,746 5,653,287	2,905,746 1,125,697 579,765 140,391 - 862,188 3,660 5,617,447
CURRENT LIABILITIES Trade and other payables Deposits, accrued liabilities and advances Unclaimed dividend Payable to provident fund trust Mark up accrued Current portion of non-current liabilities Current portion of non-current Government Grant Provision for taxation		936,550 175,107 1,082 8,925 147,135 243,075 114,194 - 1,626,068	945,089 172,042 1,082 7,509 140,940 210,855 109,229 - 1,586,746
CONTINGENCIES AND COMMITMENTS	7	9,774,840	9,459,144

The annexed notes from 1 to 12 form integral part of these condensed interim financial statements.

TAHA MUHAMMAD NASEEM

Chief Executive

MUHAMMAD KAMRAN
Chief Financial Officer

ASSETS	Note	(Un-Audited) Sep 30, 2023 (Rupees in th	(Audited) June 30, 2023 nousand)
NON CURRENT ASSETS			
Property, plant and equipment			
Operating fixed assets	8	4,015,701	4,016,153
Capital work in progress	9	5,235,221	4,938,998
Intangible assets		1,071	1,108
Long term deposits and prepayments		59,190	59,190
		9,311,183	9,015,449
CURRENT ASSETS			
Stores, spares and loose tools		153,475	156,106
Stock in trade		5,041	5,041
Trade debts		_	_
Loans and advances		12,422	12,422
Trade deposits, short term prepayments and			,
current account balances with statutory authorities		273,030	258,856
Cash and bank balances		19,689	11,270
		463,657	443,695

9,774,840	9,459,144

MUHAMMAD FAROOQ NASEEM
Director

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CONDENSED INTERIM STATEMENT OF PROFIT OR LOSS (UN-AUDITED)

For the Quarter ended September 30, 2023

	Quarter Ended	
	Sep 30, 2023	Sep 30, 2022
	(Rupees in	thousand)
Sales – Net	-	-
Cost of sales	-	-
Gross loss	-	
Administrative expenses	(9,462)	(11,343)
Operating loss for the period	(9,462)	(11,343)
Finance cost	(60,281)	(57,602)
Other income	280	223
Loss before taxation	(69,463)	(68,722)
Taxation	(4)	(12)
Net loss for the period	(69,467)	(68,734)
Earnings per share - Basic & Diluted	(1.12)	(1.11)

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TAHA MUHAMMAD NASEEM

Chief Executive

MUHAMMAD KAMRAN

Chief Financial Officer

MUHAMMAD FAROOQ NASEEM

Director

CONDENSED INTERIM STATEMENT OF COMPREHENSIVE INCOME (UN-AUDITED)

For the Quarter ended September 30, 2023

	Quarter Ended		
	Note	Sep 30, 2023	Sep 30, 2022
		(Rupees in	thousand)
Net loss for the period		(69,467)	(68,734)
Other comprehensive income - net of taxation		-	-
Total comprehensive loss for the period - net of tax		(69,467)	(68,734)

The annexed notes from 1 to 12 form an integral part of these condensed interim financial statements.

TAHA MUHAMMAD NASEEM

Chief Executive

Chief Financial Officer

MUHAMMAD KAMRAN MUHAMMAD FAROOQ NASEEM

Director

CONDENSED INTERIM STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS (UN-AUDITED)

For the Quarter ended September	30, 2023		
	Quarter	Ended	
	Sep 30, 2023 Sep 30, 2022		
	(Rupees in t	thousand)	
CASH FLOWS FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES			
Loss before taxation	(69,463)	(68,734)	
Adjustment of items not involving movement of cash:			
Depreciation	452	829	
Amortization	38	38	
Short term lease payment	-	1,123	
Unwinding of long term finances	3,003	1,088	
Unwinding of long term finances	32,994	31,689	
Finance cost	24,239	24,808	
	60,726	59,575	
Net cash used before working capital changes	(8,737)	(9,147)	
(Increase)/Decrease in operating assets:			
Stores, spares and loose tools	2,631	13,151	
Loans and advances	-	(1,322)	
Trade deposits, short term prepayments and			
current account balances with statutory authorities	(12,918)	(1,929)	
Increase / (decrease) in current liabilities			
Trade and other payables	(8,540)	(15,725)	
Deposits, accrued liabilities and advances	3,065	(111)	
Payable to Provident fund trust	(1,584)	(3,000)	
	(17,346)	(5,936)	
Cash used in operations	(26,083)	(15,083)	
Long term deposits and prepayments	10,086	-	
Finance cost paid	(40,191)	(23,776)	
Short term lease payment	-	(1,123)	
Income tax paid	(1,260)	$\underline{\hspace{1.5cm}}(44)$	
Net Cash Used In Operating Activities	(57,448)	(40,026)	
CASH FLOWS FROM INVESTING ACTIVITIES			
Fixed capital expenditure	-	(15,653)	
Un-allocated capital expenditure	(213,809)	(1,059,493)	
Long term deposits and prepayments	-	(4,769)	
Net Cash Used Investing activities	(213,809)	(1,079,915)	
CASH FLOWS FROM FINANCING ACTIVITIES		1	
Long term loan received from associated companies	310,000	215,000	
Long term loan repaid to banking companies	(30,324)	(6,324)	
Long term loan received from banking companies	-	936,616	
Net Cash Inflows From Financing Activities	279,676	1,145,292	
Net Increase in Cash and Cash Equivalents	8,419	25,351	
Cash and cash equivalents at beginning of the period	11,270	68,555	
Cash and cash equivalents at end of the period	19,689	93,906	

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TAHA MUHAMMAD NASEEM

MUHAMMAD KAMRAN

MUHAMMAD FAROOQ NASEEM

Chief Executive Chief Financial Officer

Director

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN EQUITY

For the Quarter ended September 30, 2023

		Capital Reserve	Revenue	Capital Reserve		
			Reserves		Loan from	
	Share	Share		Revaluation surplus		Total
	Capital	premium	Loss	1 1 7.1	Companies	
		reserve		and equipment		
Balance as at June 30, 2022 - Audited	2,481,733	787,988	(5,457,470)	2,270,834	1,344,303	1,427,388
Total comprehensive loss for the period	-	-	(68,734)	-	-	(68,734)
Loan received during the period	-	-	-	-	215,000	215,000
Balance as at September 30,						
2022 - Unaudited	2,481,733	787,061	(5,526,204)	2,270,584	1,559,303	1,573,654
Balance as at June 30, 2023 - Audited	2,481,733	787,988	(5,755,932)	2,201,860	2,539,303	2,254,952
Total comprehensive loss for the period	-	-	(69,467)	-	-	(69,467)
Loan received during the period	-	-	-	-	310,000	310,000
Balance as at September 30, 2023 - Unaudited	2,481,733	787,988	(5,825,399)	2,201,860	2,849,303	2,495,485

The annexed notes from 1 to 12 form an integral part of these condensed interim financial statements.

TAHA MUHAMMAD NASEEM Chief Executive MUHAMMAD KAMRAN Chief Financial Officer

MUHAMMAD FAROOQ NASEEM
Director

NOTES TO THE CONDENSED INTERIM FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (UN-AUDITED)

For the Quarter ended September 30, 2023

1. THE COMPANY AND ITS OPERATIONS

- 1.1 The The Company is a public limited Company incorporated in Pakistan and is listed on Pakistan Stock Exchange. The Company started its production on 1983 and has been engaged in production and marketing of cement. Since 2019, the company is a subsidiary of Calicom Industries (Pvt.) Limited (Holding Company) and acquired under the Listed Companies (Substantial Acquisition of Voting Shares and Takeovers) Regulations, 2017. The registered office of the company is situated at 5-Zafar Ali Road, Gulberg V, Lahore. The factory is situated at Dandot Railway Station, District Jhelum, Pakistan.
- 1.2 After the acquisition, sponsors arranged significant funds to bridge the deficits of cash flows of the company. Despite comprehensive annual maintenance, the company could not achieve feasible production levels which could control financial losses and more importantly plant's emission levels as prescribed by relevant environmental standards. Earlier, the Provincial Cabinet of the Government of Punjab also directed the company to upgrade the plant on both economical viable scale and on modern technology to mitigate the environmental risks.

In order to meet the legal standards and to avoid any adverse action from Environmental Department, the company decided to close down the operations during the financial year 2019-20 and move towards upgrading it through Balancing, Modernization and Replacement (BMR). For the purpose, the Company signed a Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) with a renowned cement contractor namely Tianjin Cement Industry Design and Research Institute Company Limited (TCDRI) from China for BMR. The revised total financial outlay of the BMR is estimated at PKR 6.74 billion including \$14.45 million for import of new machinery and equipment. Up to signing of these Condensed Interim financial statements, an amount of PKR 1.69 billion has been disbursed by the financial institutions under the DF / TERF scheme of State Bank of Pakistan (SBP) and an aggregated amount of PKR 3.85 billion has been arranged by the sponsors of the Company. Hopefully, the Company will complete BMR activities within its time lines and will resume its commercial operations in 2nd Quarter of financial year 2023-24. Hence, the management of the company is fully confident that the company will continue its operations as a going concern. Hence these Condensed Interim financial statements have been prepared on a going concern basis.

2. SIGNIFICANT TRANSACTIONS AND EVENTS AFFECTING THE COMPANY'S FINANCIAL POSITION AND PERFORMANCE

All significant transactions and events that have affected the Company's statement of financial position and performance during the period have been adequately disclosed in the notes to these condensed interim financial statements.

3. STATEMENT OF COMPLIANCE

These condensed interim financial statements are un-audited and have been prepared in accordance with International Financial Reporting Standard 'IAS -34-interm Financial Reporting and should be read in compliance with the Annual Financial Report for the year ended June 30, 2023. These are being submitted to the shareholders as required by Section 237 of the Companies Act 2017.

4. STATEMENT OF CONSISTENCY IN ACCOUNTING POLICIES

The accounting policies and methods of computation adopted for the preparation of these condensed interim financial statements are the same as those adopted in preparation of financial statements for the year ended June 30, 2023.

5. JUDGEMENTS, ESTIMATES AND ASSUMPTIONS

The preparation of condensed interim financial statements in conformity with approved accounting standards requires the use of certain critical accounting estimates. It also requires management to exercise its judgment in the process of applying the company's accounting policies. Estimates and judgment are continuously evaluated and are based on historical experience, including expectations of future events that are believed to be reasonable under the circumstances.

The estimates and underlying assumptions are reviewed on an ongoing basis. Revision to accounting estimates are recognized in the period in which the estimate is revised if the revision affects only that period, or in the period of revision and future periods if the revision affects both current and future periods.

The areas involving a higher degree of judgment or complexity or areas where assumptions and estimates are significant to the condensed interim financial statements are as follows:

- Staff retirement benefits;
- Taxation
- Useful life of depreciable assets and provision for impairment there against.

6. LONG TERM LOAN FROM HOLDING COMPANY

In Extra-ordinary General Meeting held on November 01, 2023, Shareholders approved the allotment of ordinary shares through other than right shares under section 83 of the Companies Act, 2017 by conversion of loans of Mr. Zahid Rafiq, Mr. Jahanzaib Zahid and Calicom Industries (Pvt.) Limited amounting to Rs. 1,500,000,000 to the issue of up to 68,181,818 ordinary shares of Rs. 10/- each at a price of Rs. 22 per share (par value Rs. 10.00 plus premium Rs. 12.00).

7. CONTIGENCIES AND COMMITMENTS

There has been no significant change in contingencies and commitments since the date of preceding published annual financial statements.

NOTES TO THE CONDENSED INTERIM FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (UN-AUDITED)

	Sep 30, 2023	June 30, 2023
	(Rupees in thousand)	
	(Un-Audited)	(Audited)
8. OPERATING FIXED ASSETS		
Opening fixed assets at WDV	4,016,153	4,124,450
Additions	-	17,730
	4,016,153	4,142,180
Less: depreciation:	(452)	(126,027)
	4,015,701	4,016,153

5.1 For the period under review, depreciation pertaining to cost of sale and distribution expenses has not been charged due to the fact of closure of plant operations for BMR activity.

9. CAPITAL WORK IN PROGRESS

Plant and machinery	3,241,297	3,238,471
Building	1,097,533	1,014,817
Un-allocated capital expenditure-BMR	896,391	685,709
	5,235,221	4,938,998

10. TRANSACTIONS WITH RELATED PARTIES

All transactions with related parties have been properly disclosed in the relevant notes of these un-audited condensed financial statements.

11. CORRESPONDING FIGURES

Figures have been rounded off the nearest thousands of Pakistan Rupee (PKR / Rupees).

12. DATE OF AUTHORIZATION FOR ISSUE

These un-audited condensed interim financial statements were authorized for issue by the board of directors of the company on November 07, 2023.

TAHA MUHAMMAD NASEEM Chief Executive MUHAMMAD KAMRAN Chief Financial Officer MUHAMMAD FAROOQ NASEEM

پیمیل کے بعد آپ کی ممینی معقول لاگت پرمستقل پیداوار حاصل کرے گی اور بااعتباداور پائیدار پروڈ کٹس تیار کرے گی۔ ممینی کے تمام منصوبے آپ کی ممبئی کو مالیاتی طور پر توانااور پائیدار کاروباری ادارہ بنانے کے لئے وضع کئے گئے ہیں۔

مابعدواقعات

تمینی کی پڑتال شدہ مالیاتی الٹیمنٹس کے متعلقہ نوٹس میں تمام مابعد واقعات کا با قاعد گی ہے ذکر کیا گیا ہے۔

اعتراف

بورڈ آف ڈائر یکٹرزاپنے بینکرز،ملازمین،سپلائرز،ڈسٹری بیوٹرز،ریگولیٹرزاور حصص داران کی مسلسل حمایت،تعاون، بھروسہاوررواں سال بحرانی کیفیت میں خصوصی ساتھ بران کا تہددل سے شکر بیادا کرتا ہے۔

Lafre

طرفحنسيم چيف ايگزيکڻو**آ** فيسر ر میسین محمه فاروق نسیم

ڈ ائر یکٹر

لا بور: 07 نومبر 2023

حصص داران کوڈ ائر بکٹرز کی رپورٹ

بورڈ آف ڈائر کیٹرز کی جانب سے بغیر پڑتال کئے گوشوارہ جات مالی بیانات برائے کمپنی بابت سال کے چوتھائی عرصہ کے دوران ہونے والے کاروبار کے اختیام 30 ستمبر 2023ءکوپیش کیا گیا۔

بنیادی کاروباری سرگرمی اورآ پریشنل کارکردگی

ڈنڈوت سیمنٹ کمپنی لمیٹڈ (کمپنی) ایک پبلک لٹٹ کمپنی ہے۔ کمپنی کی بنیادی سرگری سیمنٹ کی پیداواراور فروخت ہے۔ زیر جائزہ مدت کے دوران دسمبر 2019ء سے BMR سرگری کے لئے پلانٹ کے آپریشنز بند ہونے کی وجہ سے سیمنٹ کی پیداواراور متعلقہ فروخت کا جم معطل رہا۔ اس مدت کے لئے خالص نقصان 69.47 ملین روپے ہے (ستمبر 2022ء 1.11 روپے)۔ آپریشنز کی بندش اور مالی نقصانات کی وجہ سے بورڈ آف ڈائر کیٹرز نے موجودہ مدت کے لئے ڈیویڈنڈ کی سفارش نہیں کی ہے۔

مستقبل کے امکانات

رواں چوتھائی عرصہ انڈسٹری نے چیلنجز سے دوحپار رہی کیونکہ پاکستان نے اپنے کلی اقتصادی حالات میں معیشت کی ست روی کا سامنا کیا۔ بڑھتے ہوئے کرنٹ اکاؤنٹ خسارے کے باعث پاکستانی رویے کی بےقدری نے معیشت پرمنفی اثر ات مرتب کئے جس کے منتیج میں مالیاتی کنٹرول کے اقدامات کا سلسلہ شروع ہوا۔

افراط زر کی بلندشرح اور شدید بے قدری نے اشیائے ضرور یہ کی قیمتوں میں ہوشر بااضافہ کیا جب کہ بڑھتی ہوئی شرح سود نے لاگت کو بڑھا دیا۔ حکومت پاکستان کی جانب سے سادگی کے اقدامات میں درآمدات میں کی اورایندھن اور بجلی کی قیمتوں میں ردوبدل شامل ہے جس سے قلیل مدتی مشکلات پیدا ہوئیں اس کے باوجود عدم استحکام جاری رہا۔ آئندہ برس کے لئے جونہی معاشی حالات بہتر ہوں گے اور ہم ایک مضبوط سیمنٹ انڈسٹری کی پیش گوئی کررہے ہیں۔

انڈسٹری کی کارکرد گی بھی ملک کےمعاشی حالات کی مرہون منت ہے۔حکومت اخراجات میں کی کے باعث ڈسپتنج کی شرح کم ہوئی اور قرضوں پرلاگت میں اضافہ ہوا۔ چونکہ آپ کی کمپنی سال کے اختیام پراپنی پیداوار کا آغاز کردے گی لہٰذا حالات استحکام کی جانب گامزن ہوجا کیں گے۔

بنيادي خطرات اوربيقيني كي صورت حال

- ڈالر کے مقابلے میں روپے کی قدر میں کمی
 - بلندشرح سود
 - ایندهن اور بجل کی قیمتوں میں اضافہ
 - حکومتی اخراجات میں کمی

تمينى كامنصوبه

آپ کی ممپنی تھرمل کارکردگی کو بہتر اور مطلوبہ انوائر نمنٹ کنٹر ول معیارات کو حاصل کر کے BMR پر بھر پور توجہ دے کرسال 2023 کے اختتام پراپنی پیداوار کا آغاز کرنے کا ارادہ رکھتی ہے۔ سول ورک مکمل ہو چکا ہے جب کہ میکانی تنصیب اور PLC ورک بھی مکمل ہو چکا ہے۔ بجلی کی بڑھتی ہوئی قیمتوں سے نبرد آزما ہونے کے لئے کمپنی نے پاور پر چیز ڈیل کے تحت 5 میگا واٹ کا سولر پلانٹ بھی نصب کیا ہے جو پیداوار کے وقت فعال ہوگا۔ہم استعداد کو 10 میگا واٹ تک بڑھانے کے لئے نئی راہیں تلاش کررہے ہیں۔ BMR کی