Condensed consolidated interim financial information and independent auditor's review report for the nine month period ended 30 September 2017

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Independent auditor's report on review of condensed consolidated interim financial information

The Board of Directors Shuaiba Industrial Company K.P.S.C State of Kuwait

Introduction

We have reviewed the accompanying 30 September 2017 condensed consolidated interim financial information of Shuaiba Industrial Company K.P.S.C. ("the Company") and its subsidiary (together "the Group"), which comprises the condensed consolidated statement of financial position as at 30 September 2017, the condensed consolidated statements of profit or loss and comprehensive income for the three and nine month periods ended 30 September 2017, the condensed consolidated statements of changes in equity and cash flows for the nine month period then ended, and notes to the condensed consolidated interim financial information. Management is responsible for the preparation and presentation of this condensed consolidated interim financial information in accordance with IAS 34, *Interim Financial Reporting*. Our responsibility is to express a conclusion on this condensed consolidated interim financial information based on our review.

Scope of Review

We conducted our review in accordance with the 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.

Other Matter

The consolidated financial statements of the Group for the year ended 31 December 2016 and the condensed consolidated interim financial information for the nine month period ended 30 September 2016 were audited and reviewed, respectively, by another auditor who expressed unmodified opinion and conclusion on those statements on 12 February 2017 and 26 October 2016, respectively.

Conclusion

Based on our review, nothing has come to our attention that causes us to believe that the accompanying 30 September 2017 condensed consolidated interim financial information is not prepared, in all material respects, in accordance with IAS 34, *Interim Financial Reporting*.



Report on review of other legal and regulatory requirements

Furthermore, based on our review, the condensed consolidated interim financial information is in agreement with the books of account of the Company. We further report that, nothing has come to our attention that causes us to believe that there were any violations of the provisions of the Companies Law No. 1 of 2016, as amended, and its Executive Regulations, or of the Company's Memorandum and Articles of Association during the nine month period ended 30 September 2017 that might have had material effect on the business of the Group or on its consolidated financial position.

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Kuwait: 13 November 2017

Condensed consolidated statement of financial position

as at 30 September 2017

	3 7	30 September 2017	(Audited) 31 December 2016	30 September 2016
100040	Note	KD	KD	KD
Assets	2	10.057.047	10 210 022	0.015.750
Property, plant and equipment	3 4	10,057,047	10,319,933	9,015,759
Investment in an associate	4	2,481,039	2,561,086	2,474,944
Total non-current assets	29	12,538,086	12,881,019	11,490,703
Inventories		3,920,878	2,782,405	3,126,733
Trade and other receivables		4,054,958	2,601,270	3,330,533
Financial asset at fair value through profit or		1,051,750	2,001,270	3,330,333
loss		83,247	102,457	219,016
Term deposit		500,000	1,650,000	650,000
Cash and cash equivalents	5	2,069,661	3,736,731	2,731,780
Total current assets		10,628,744	10,872,863	10,058,062
Total assets	ì	23,166,830	23,753,882	21,548,765
Equity and liabilities				
Equity				
Share capital	6	10,069,180	8,055,343	8,055,343
Share premium		2,294,444	2,294,444	2,294,444
Statutory reserve		2,185,527	2,185,527	1,985,638
Voluntary reserve		1,827,831	2,094,519	1,894,630
Treasury shares	7	(164,740)	(164,740)	(164,740)
Treasury shares reserve		471,283	471,283	471,283
Foreign currency translation reserve		462,975	566,221	439,225
Retained earnings	_	1,482,432	3,334,954	3,526,283
Total equity	_	18,628,932	18,837,551	18,502,106
Liabilities				
Employees' end of service benefits		731,952	679 163	(50.700
Non-current portion of term loans	8	1,492,468	678,162 1,685,644	659,708
Total non-current liabilities	0 -	2,224,420	2,363,806	684,667
Total non current numinities	-	2,224,420	2,303,800	1,344,375
Current portion of term loans	8	285,176	184,000	184,000
Trade and other payables		2,028,302	2,368,525	1,518,284
Total current liabilities	-	2,313,478	2,552,525	1,702,284
Total liabilities	_	4,537,898	4,916,331	3,046,659
Total equity and liabilities	-	23,166,830	23,753,882	21,548,765
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The notes on pages 8 to 16 form an integral part of this condensed consolidated interim financial information.

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Condensed consolidated statement of profit or loss for the three and nine month periods ended 30 September 2017

			n period ended otember	Nine month period ended 30 September		
	Note	2017 KD	2016 KD	2017 KD	2016 KD	
Sales		3,928,492	3,398,587	11,715,656	11,626,324	
Cost of sales Gross profit		(3,109,960) 818,532	(2,532,573) 866,014	<u>(8,955,724)</u> 2,759,932	<u>(8,543,692)</u> 3,082,632	
Unrealised (loss) / gain on financial asset						
at fair value through profit or loss		(14,407)	-	(19,210)	42,944	
Share of results of an associate	4	3,682	1,421	48,143	24,919	
Foreign exchange (loss) / gain		(4,553)	5,616	(10,835)	(8,173)	
Other income		32,135	9,552	144,420	57,274	
General and administrative expenses	9	(181,401)	(219,219)	(605,489)	(669,700)	
Selling and distribution expenses		(244,889)	(245,295)	(697,437)	(757,726)	
Finance costs		(21,543)	(11,600)	(67,441)	(30,341)	
Profit before contribution to Kuwait						
Foundation for the Advancement of						
Sciences ("KFAS"), National Labour						
Support Tax ("NLST") and Zakat		387,556	406,489	1,552,083	1,741,829	
KFAS		(3,488)	(3,658)	(13,969)	(15,676)	
NLST		(10,016)	(11,069)	(39,771)	(45,281)	
Zakat		(4,007)	(4,427)	(15,909)	(18,112)	
Profit for the period		370,045	387,335	1,482,434	1,662,760	
Basic and diluted earnings per share						
(fils)	10	3.729	3.903	14.938	16.755	

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Condensed consolidated statement of comprehensive income for the three and nine month periods ended 30 September 2017

		period ended tember	Nine month period ended 30 September		
	2017 KD	2016 KD	2017 KD	2016 KD	
Profit for the period	370,045	387,335	1,482,434	1,662,760	
Other comprehensive loss items: Items that may be reclassified subsequently to the consolidated statement of profit or loss:					
Foreign currency translation differences	(34,535)	(16,053)	(103,246)	(53,319)	
Other comprehensive loss for the period	(34,535)	(16,053)	(103,246)	(53,319)	
Total comprehensive income for the period	335,510	371,282	1,379,188	1,609,441	

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Shuaiba Industrial Company K.P.S.C. and its subsidiary State of Kuwait

Condensed consolidated statement of changes in equity for the nine month period ended 30 September 2017

Total	E G	18,162,911	1,662,760	(53,319)	1,609,441	(1.270.246)	18,502,106	18,837,551	1,482,434	(103,246)	1,379,188	- (1,587,807)	18,628,932
Retained	ξ Ω	4,744,837	1,662,760	•	1,662,760	(1,611,068)	3,526,283	3,334,954	1,482,434	1	1,482,434	(1,747,149) (1,587,807)	1,482,432
Foreign currency translation	Q	492,544	1	(53,319)	(53,319)		439,225	566,221	•	(103,246)	(103,246)		462,975
Treasury shares	ξĐ	471,283	1	1			471,283	471,283	ı	•	•	1 1	471,283
Treasury	2	(164,740)	•	•			(164,740)	(164,740)	1	•	1		(164,740)
Voluntary	K	1,894,630	•	•	•		1,894,630	2,094,519	. 1	•	•	(266,688)	1,827,831
Statutory	Ø	1,985,638	•	1	4	, ,	1,985,638	2,185,527		•	•	• •	2,185,527
Share	KD	2,294,444	1	•	1		2,294,444	2,294,444	•	•	•	• •	2,294,444
Share	ΚĐ	6,444,275	•	1	•	1,611,068	8,055,343	8,055,343	•	•	•	2,013,837	10,069,180
		Balance at 1 January 2016 Total comprehensive income /(loss) for the period	Profit for the period Other comprehensive loss for	the period Total comprehensive income/	(loss) for the period Transactions with the	Issue of bonus shares (note 6) Dividends (note 15)	Balance at 30 September 2016	Balance at 1 January 2017 Total comprehensive income / (loss) for the period	Profit for the period Other comprehensive loss for	the period Total comprehensive income /	(loss) for the period Transactions with the shareholders of the Company	Issue of bonus shares (note 6) Dividends (note 15)	Balance at 30 September 2017

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Condensed consolidated statement of cash flows

for the nine month period ended 30 September 2017

		Nine month j 30 Sept	
	•	2017	2016
	Note	KD	KD
Cash flows from operating activities			
Profit for the period		1,482,434	1,662,760
Adjustments for:			
Depreciation	3	369,227	352,475
Gain on disposal of property, plant and equipment	3	(2,101)	(199)
Share of results of an associate	4	(48,143)	(24,919)
Unrealised loss / (gain) on financial asset at fair value through			
profit or loss		19,210	(42,944)
Provision for employees' end of service benefits		63,186	78,052
Finance costs		67,441	30,341
Effect of foreign currency translation		(25,989)	(9,787)
	•	1,925,265	2,045,779
Changes in			
- Inventories		(1,138,473)	1,567,474
- Trade and other receivables		(1,453,688)	(90,778)
- Due to a related party		-	(24,927)
- Trade and other payables		(296,526)	(1,234,102)
Employees' end of service benefits paid		(9,396)	(8,341)
Net cash (used in) / generated from operating activities		(972,818)	2,255,105
Cash flows from investing activities			
Purchase of property, plant and equipment	3	(153,133)	(751,174)
Proceeds on sale of property, plant and equipment		2,239	200
Term deposit		1,150,000	(550,000)
Dividend received from an associate	4	97,588	97,080
Net cash generated from / (used in) investing activities		1,096,694	(1,203,894)
Cash flows from financing activities			
Net movement in term loans		(92,000)	412,667
Dividend paid		(1,657,534)	(1,272,048)
Finance costs paid		(41,412)	(30,341)
Net cash used in financing activities	•	(1,790,946)	(889,722)
Net change in cash and cash equivalents	•	(1,667,070)	161,489
Cash and cash equivalents at beginning of the period		3,736,731	2,570,291
Cash and cash equivalents at end of the period	5	2,069,661	2,731,780
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Notes to the condensed consolidated interim financial information

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1. Reporting entity

Shuaiba Industrial Company K.P.S.C. ("the Company"), is a Public Shareholding Company incorporated in 1978 under the Laws of the State of Kuwait and is listed on the Boursa Kuwait. The Company's commercial registration number is 26799 dated 19 March 2017.

The Group comprises of the Company, its branch established in Free Trade Zone, Dubai, U.A.E. and its wholly owned subsidiary - Advance Technologies International Agencies Company W.L.L. together ("the Group").

The address of the Company's registered office is P.O. Box, 10088, Shuaiba 65451, State of Kuwait.

The Company's objectives are as follows:

- Manufacture of paper cement bags for packing of cement and similar products.
- Import and export material required for the Company's objectives.

The Company may have interests or participate in any suitable way with entities that engage in similar business activities or that may help the Company achieve its objectives inside Kuwait and abroad. The Company may also purchase such entities.

At the Annual General Assembly held on 29 March 2010, the shareholders approved the Group to conduct its activities in accordance with Islamic Sharia Principles.

The interim condensed consolidated financial information of the Group for the nine month period ended 30 September 2017 were authorised for issue in accordance with a resolution of the Board of Directors of the Company on 13 November 2017.

2. Basis of preparation

a) Statement of compliance

These condensed consolidated interim financial information has been prepared in accordance with International Accounting Standard No. 34, *Interim Financial Reporting*.

Selected explanatory notes are included to explain events and transactions that are significant to an understanding of the changes in the condensed consolidated interim financial information of the Group, since the last annual consolidated financial statements as at and for the year ended 31 December 2016. This condensed consolidated interim financial information does not include all of the information required for full annual audited consolidated financial statements of the Group prepared in accordance with International Financial Reporting Standards (IFRS).

b) Basis of preparation

The condensed consolidated interim financial information have been prepared on the historical cost basis except for investments at fair value through profit or loss which is measured at fair value.

The operating results for the nine month period ended 30 September 2017 are not necessarily indicative of the results that may be expected for the year ending 31 December 2017.

The condensed consolidated interim financial information has been presented in Kuwaiti Dinars ("KD") which is the functional and presentation currency of the Company.

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c) Significant accounting policies

The condensed consolidated interim financial information have been prepared using the same accounting policies and methods of computation as compared with the Group's most recent consolidated financial statements for the year ended 31 December 2016, except for the adoption of the amendments and annual improvements to IFRS, relevant to the Group which are effective for annual reporting period starting from 1 January 2017. These changes did not result in any material impact on the accounting policies, financial position or performance of the Group.

d) Basis of consolidation

The financial information of the subsidiary have been consolidated based on management accounts as at and for the nine month period ended 30 September 2017.

e) Judgements and estimates

In preparing this condensed consolidated interim financial information, management makes judgments, estimates and assumptions that affect the application of 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 Group's accounting policies and key sources of estimation uncertainty were the same as those that applied to the consolidated financial statements as at and for the year ended 31 December 2016.

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3. Property, plant and equipment

During the nine month period ended 30 September 2017, the Group acquired assets with a cost of KD 153,133 (nine month period ended 30 September 2016: KD 751,174).

Certain property, plant and equipment have been assigned as security against term loans. Buildings are constructed on leasehold lands from the government of Kuwait and the government of UAE for a period of 5 year renewable for similar periods.

Depreciation charges are included in the condensed consolidated statement of profit or loss under the following categories:

	Three month po		Nine month period ended 30 September		
	2017 KD	2016 KD	2017 KD	2016 KD	
Cost of sales General and administrative	123,170	111,393	359,729	331,969	
expenses (Note 9)	1,660	5,902	8,772	17,602	
Selling and distribution expenses	242	968	726	2,904	
	125,072	118,263	369,227	352,475	

4. Investment in an associate

		Voting rights and equity interest (%) 30 September			Carrying value 30 (Audited)			
Name of associate	Country of incorporation	2017 %	2016 %	Activity	September 2017 KD	31 December 2016 KD	September 2016 KD	
Yanbu Saudi Kuwaiti Paper Products Company L.t.d. ("YSKPPC")	Kingdom of Saudi Arabia	40	40	Paper products	2,481,039	2,561,086	2,474,944	

Summarised financial information in respect of the Group's associate is set out below:

	30 September 2017	(Audited) 31 December 2016	30 September 2016
	KD	KD	KD
Associate's financial position:			
Total assets	6,948,601	7,017,800	6,743,555
Total liabilities	(746,003)	(615,086)	(556,196)
Net assets	6,202,598	6,402,714	6,187,359
Group's share of net assets (40%)	2,481,039	2,561,086	2,474,944

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			Nine month period ended 30 September		
			2017	2016	
			KD	KD	
	Associate's revenue and results:				
	Revenue		4,596,436	4,883,196	
	Profit and total comprehensive income		120,357	62,299	
	Group's share of profit and total comprehensive in	48,143	24,919		
	Dividend received	·	97,588	97,080	
5.	Cash and cash equivalents				
			(Audited)		
		30 September	31 December	30 September	
		2017	2016	2016	
		KD	KD	KD	
	Bank balances	2,065,771	3,730,803	2,730,811	
	Cash on hand	3,890	5,928	969	
		2,069,661	3,736,731	2,731,780	

6. Share capital

The authorized, issued and paid up share capital is KD 10,069,180 (31 December 2016: KD 8,055,343 and 30 September 2016: KD 8,055,343) comprising of 100,691,795 shares of 100 fils each (31 December 2016: 80,553,436 and 30 September 2016: 80,553,436 shares of 100 fils each) and all shares are paid in cash.

The Ministry of Commerce and Industry as per their letter dated 17 April 2017, approved the increase in Company's share capital from KD 8,055,343 to KD 10,069,180, by KD 2,013,837 on account of the issuance of bonus shares amounting to 20,138,359 shares as recommended by the Board of Directors and approved by the shareholders at the annual general assembly meeting held on 4 April 2017. (2016: Increase in share capital from KD 6,444,275 to KD 8,055,343, by KD 1,611,068 on account of the issuance of bonus shares amounting to 16,110,686 shares) (note 15).

The Company has utilized the retained earnings and voluntary reserve by KD 1,747,149 and KD 266,688 respectively for the increase in share capital through bonus issue as per the provisions of Article 159 of the Companies Law No. 1 of 2016, as amended.

7. Treasury shares

	30 September 2017	(Audited) 31 December 2016	30 September 2016
Number of shares	1,453,942	1,163,078	1,163,078
Percentage to issued shares (%)	1.44%	1.44%	1.44%
Market value (KD)	378,025	343,108	302,400
Cost (KD)	164,740	164,740	164,740

The Company is committed to retain reserves, share premium and retained earnings equivalent to the cost of treasury shares throughout the period, in which they are held by the Company, pursuant to instructions of the relevant regulatory authorities.

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8. Term loans

	30 September 2017 KD	(Audited) 31 December 2016 KD	30 September 2016 KD
Non-current portion	1,492,468	1,685,644	684,667
Current portion	285,176	184,000	184,000
•	1,777,644	1,869,644	868,667

Term loans represent credit refinance facilities ("the facilities") obtained from a local bank ("the bank"). The facilities are used to finance purchases of equipment and machinery to expand the Group's plant. The facilities carry a profit rate of 3.5% per annum (31 December 2016 and 30 September 2016: 3.5% per annum) and repayable as shown below.

	Facility	Payable	Current	Non-current	Maturity
Facility	Amount	Amount	Portion	Portion	Date
•	KD	KD	KD	KD	
Term loan 1	700,000	70,000	70,000	•	October 2017
Term loan 2	220,000	110,000	44,000	66,000	December 2019
Term loan 3	2,800,000	1,597,644	171,176	1,426,468	November 2022
		1,777,644	285,176	1,492,468	

The facilities are secured by certain property, plant and equipment (note 3) in favour of the bank. It also requires, among other things, certain restrictions on the payment of dividends and a requirement to maintain a minimum leverage ratio (current assets to current liabilities) of 1.5:1.

9. General and administrative expenses

	Three month period ended 30 September		Nine month po 30 Septe	
	2017	2016	2017	2016
	KD	KD	KD	KD
Staff costs	126,895	165,250	434,064	513,415
Depreciation	1,660	5,902	8,772	17,602
Communication expenses	7,757	7,987	22,730	22,734
Travel expenses	8,486	7,136	24,890	24,585
Rental	8,213	6,831	23,388	18,932
Stationery expenses and maintenance	9,342	4,809	21,712	15,589
Professional fees	8,838	12,452	31,641	20,105
Employees food and refreshment	1,840	1,613	5,136	5,856
Miscellaneous expenses	8,370	7,239	33,156	30,882
	181,401	219,219	605,489	669,700

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10. Basic and diluted earnings per share

Earnings per share is computed by dividing the profit for the period by the weighted average number of shares outstanding during the period, excluding treasury shares.

	Three month period ended 30 September		Nine month period ended 30 September	
	2017	2016	2017	2016
Profit for the period (KD)	370,045	387,335	1,482,434	1,662,760
Weighted average number of shares outstanding:				
Number of issued shares Less: Weighted average number of treasury	100,691,795	100,691,795	100,691,795	100,691,795
shares	(1,453,942)	(1,453,942)	(1,453,942)	(1,453,942)
Weighted average number of shares outstanding	99,237,853	99,237,853	99,237,853	99,237,853
Basic and diluted earnings per share (fils)	3.729	3.903	14.938	16.755

The basic and diluted earnings per share for the comparative period presented has been restated to reflect the effect of bonus shares issued on 4 April 2017.

11. Related party transactions

Related parties represent major shareholders, directors and key management personnel of the Group, and entities controlled or significantly influenced by such parties. Pricing policies and terms of these transactions are approved by the Group's management. Transactions with related parties are as follows:

	Three month period ended 30 September		Nine month period ender 30 September	
	2017	2016	2017	2016
	KD	KD	KD	KD
Key management compensation				
• Salaries and other short-term benefits	50,896	50,541	218,987	211,424
• Termination benefits	5,633	5,633	16,897	16,897

12. Segment information

The Group identifies its operating segments based on internal management reporting information that is regularly reviewed by the chief operating decision maker in order to allocate resources to the segment and to assess its performance. The Company's Chief Executive Officer is the Group's chief operating decision maker and has grouped the Group's products into the following operating segments.

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• Industrial Packaging Division:	Produces and supplies multi-wall paper sacks for industrial use.
• Consumer Packaging Division:	Produces and supplies various types of superior value and high quality bags and wrapping sheets to major regional and international chains.
• Flexible Packaging Division:	Produces and supplies multi-ply printed and laminated films, including aluminum foil lamination.
• Trading Division:	Importing and trading in various types of paper related products such as photo copier paper, offset paper, NCR, coated paper and ink.

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The following is an analysis of the Group's sales and results by operating segments for the period:

	Three month period ended 30 September			
	2017	2016	2017	2016
	KD	KD	KD	KD
	Sa	les	Segmen	t results
Industrial Packaging Division	2,474,316	2,129,946	406,996	498,715
Consumer Packaging Division	1,123,287	1,018,847	334,746	320,498
Flexible Packaging Division	328,293	246,934	77,347	46,694
Trading Division	2,596	2,860	(557)	107
-	3,928,492	3,398,587	818,532	866,014
Other income			32,135	9,552
Foreign exchange (loss) / gain			(4,553)	5,616
Share of results of an associate			3,682	1,421
Unrealised loss on financial asset at fair			•	
value through profit or loss			(14,408)	-
General and administrative expenses			(181,401)	(219,219)
Selling and distribution expenses			(244,888)	(245,295)
Finance costs			(21,543)	(11,600)
KFAS			(3,488)	(3,658)
NLST			(10,016)	(11,069)
Zakat			(4,007)	(4,427)
Profit for the period			370,045	387,335
	Nine	e month period	ended 30 Sept	ember

	Nine month period ended 30 September			
	2017	2016	2017	2016
	KD	KD	KD	KD
	Sa	ales	Segment	t results
Industrial Packaging Division	7,319,455	7,646,340	1,418,755	1,873,219
Consumer Packaging Division	3,443,020	3,143,357	1,123,371	1,047,285
Flexible Packaging Division	940,438	809,682	223,578	160,750
Trading Division	12,743	26,945	(5,772)	1,378
	11,715,656	11,626,324	2,759,932	3,082,632
Other income			144,420	57,274
Foreign exchange loss			(10,835)	(8,173)
Share of results of an associate			48,143	24,919
Unrealised (loss) / gain on financial asset at				
fair value through profit or loss			(19,211)	42,944
General and administrative expenses			(605,489)	(669,700)
Selling and distribution expenses			(697,436)	(757,726)
Finance costs			(67,441)	(30,341)
KFAS			(13,969)	(15,676)
NLST			(39,771)	(45,281)
Zakat			(15,909)	(18,112)
Profit for the period			1,482,434	1,662,760

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The following is an analysis of the Group's sales by geographical area for the period:

	•	Three month period ended 30 September		Nine month period ended 30 September	
	2017 KD	2016 KD	2017 KD	2016 KD	
Kuwait	1,206,684	1,102,897	3,984,068	3,977,232	
GCC	2,059,970	1,821,524	5,584,717	6,089,701	
Asia	492,153	330,915	1,840,503	965,691	
USA	•	•	9,388	-	
Africa	169,685	143,251	296,980	593,700	
	3,928,492	3,398,587	11,715,656	11,626,324	

For the purpose of monitoring segment performance, the Group does not allocate its assets and liabilities between segments.

13. Financial instruments - fair value measurement and risk management

Fair value measurement

Fair value represents the price that would be received to sell an asset or paid to transfer a liability in an orderly transaction between market participants at the measurement date.

The following table provides an analysis of financial instruments that are measured subsequent to initial recognition at fair value, grouped into Levels 1 to 3 based on the degree to which the fair value is observable.

- Level 1: inputs are quoted prices (unadjusted) in active markets for identical assets or liabilities that the entity can access at the measurement date.
- Level 2: inputs are inputs other than quoted prices included within level 1 that are observable for the asset or liability, either directly or indirectly.
- Level 3: inputs are unobservable inputs for the asset or liability.

30 September 2017 Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss Local quoted securities	Level 1 KD 83,247
31 December 2016	Level 1 KD
Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss Local quoted securities	102,457
30 September 2016	Level 1 KD
Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss Local quoted securities	219,016

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Financial risk management

All aspects of the Group's financial risk management objectives and policies are consistent with those disclosed in the consolidated financial statements for the year ended 31 December 2016.

14. Contingent liabilities and commitments

	30 September 2017 KD	31 December 2016 KD	30 September 2016 KD
Capital commitments			
For the purchase of property, plant and equipment			
	•	•	404,612
Operating lease commitments			
Not later than one year	74,377	69,667	68,588
Later than one year but not later than five years	297,508	233,668	274,352
•	371,885	303,335	342,940
Contingent liabilities			
Letters of credit	187,661	106,111	6,341
Letters of guarantee	80,463	190,703	129,769
•	268,124	296,814	136,110

15. The annual general assembly meeting of the shareholders held on 4 April 2017, approved the annual audited consolidated financial statements of the Group for the year ended 31 December 2016 and approved the payment of cash dividend of 20% of the nominal value of shares equivalent to 20 fils per share on outstanding shares excluding treasury shares amounting to KD 1,587,807 (31 December 2015: 20% of the nominal value of shares equivalent to 20 fils per share amounting to KD 1,270,246) and bonus share of 25% of the share capital equivalent to 25 shares for each 100 shares (31 December 2015: 25% of the share capital equivalent to 25 shares for each 100 shares) to the shareholders of the Company's record as of the date of the Annual General Assembly Meeting.