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Business Performance Review & Outlook

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Performance Review & Operational Highlights of FY2024 vs FY2023

Performance Review – Overall : FY2024 vs FY2023



RM'million	FY2024	FY2023	% Change
Revenue	6,652.1	6,242.6	+6.6%
Profit before tax (PBT)	626.5	480.8	+30.3%
PBT % margin	9.4%	7.7%	
Profit after tax after MI (PATAMI)	437.8	346.8	+26.2%
PATAMI % margin	6.6%	5.5%	

- Another year of uninterrupted Revenue growth, attributable to improved sales across all segments especially CVS & POCE segment.
- Another record year of PBT, RM627 mil which grew by 30.3% YoY, attributable to
 - Margin improvement across all segments to 9.4%
 - Strong profitability growth of more than 20% for ILF, CVS & POCE segment

Performance Review – Segment: Marine Products Manufacturing





RM'million	FY2024	FY2023	% Change
Revenue	1,377.8	1,341.7	+2.7%
Profit before tax (PBT)	275.8	242.2	+13.9%
PBT % margin	20.0%	18.0%	

- Sustained revenue performance with a growth of 2.7%, helped by higher sales volume as well as better export price due to stronger USD.
- PBT increased by 13.9% due to improved margin as a result of better fish landing, lower material input cost for surimi-based products and higher export price.

Operational Highlights - Segment: Marine Products Manufacturing



- New production plant in Kulai, Johor producing gyoza & other ready-to-cook foods (7,000 mt annual capacity) was commissioned in December 2023.
- New Indonesian surimi-based products plant (25,000 mt annual capacity) commissioned and in operation since April 2024
- Land acquisition in Hutan Melintang for the surimi-based product expansion plan has been completed. The process of land partitioning, conversion and development order application are in progress and expected to conclude within FY2025.

Performance Review - Segment: Integrated Livestock Farming





RM'million	FY2024	FY2023	% Change
Revenue	3,510.7	3,439.4	+2.1%
Profit before tax (PBT)	227.4	183.1	+24.2%
PBT % margin	6.5%	5.3%	

- ILF's revenue increased marginally by 2.1%, driven by stable selling prices and sustained volume of farm produce with the contribution of newly acquired layer farm.
- PBT increased by 24.2% attributable to improved margin as a result of lower feed cost & improved farming operations efficiency, supported by the government cost subsidy and ceiling price mechanism.

Operational Highlights - Segment: Integrated Livestock Farming



- Strong performance of Malaysia's farming operations supported by lower feed costs, diversification of sales & distribution channels initiative, higher contribution by branded eggs as well as improved operations efficiency.
- Indonesia & Vietnam farming operations remained challenging towards 2nd half of the year due to lower selling prices as a result of weaker consumer sentiment.
- Newly acquired layer farm in Melaka contributed positively from Q3 of the financial year onwards.
- Adoption of a more comprehensive centralised farm management IT system & IOT installations
 to collect real time farm production data and insights, to pave the way for better data analytics
 and decision making.

Performance Review - Segment: Convenience Store Chain





RM'million	FY2024	FY2023	% Change
Revenue	1,087.2	861.0	+26.2%
Profit before tax (PBT)	59.0	43.7	+34.9%
PBT % margin	5.4%	5.1%	

- CVS's revenue crossed the RM1 billion milestone in FY24 with the increase of 26.2%, mainly
 due to better average store sales coupled with opening of 38 outlets and 32 FM Mini.
- PBT increased by 34.9% which is in line with higher sales achieved as well as improved margin from the store operation efficiency improvement.

Operational Highlights - Segment : Convenience Store Chain









- In FY2024, we opened 38 FamilyMart stores and 32 FM mini.
- As at end of FY2024, we have 395 operating outlets and 102 FM Mini vending machine,
 this includes 97 halal certified FamiCafé.
- For our central kitchen operations, we have embarked on new avenue to supply inflight meals for MAS Awana.

Performance Review - Segment: Palm Oil & Clean Energy





RM'million	FY2024	FY2023	% Change
Revenue	676.3	600.5	+12.6%
Profit before tax (PBT)	64.3	11.7	+448.0%
PBT % margin	9.5%	2.0%	

- POCE's revenue increased by 12.6% mainly due to higher FFB production tonnage and increased CE project recognition for Bio-Energy as well as Solar business.
- PBT increased significantly by 448.0% due to improved margin with better operations efficiency and favourable steel & solar panel material prices, in addition to the one off RM12.8 mil disposal gain of the palm oil mill.

Operational Highlights - Segment : Palm Oil & Clean Energy



Palm Oil Activities (POA)

- Recorded higher FFB production tonnage by 12% in FY2024, however offset by lower CPO prices by 15%YoY.
- One of the Tawau palm oil mill was disposed in Q4 FY2024. We will continue to explore disposal
 opportunity for the remaining mill and estate in Sabah.
- Arbitration proceedings relating to Indonesia plantation business arising from shareholders dispute is still ongoing.

Clean Energy - BM Greentech

- Record revenue attained in all segments (bio-energy, water treatment & solar energy) supported by increased project progress recognition.
- Strong PBT performance due to improved margins attributable to economies of scale & favorable steel & solar panel prices.



Group ESG highlights

Group ESG Performance & Highlights





Inclusion into the FTSE4Good Bursa Malaysia Index FTSE4Good Bursa Malaysia Shariah Index (with effect from 24 June 2024)



MSCI ESG Ratings of **BBB maintained**



- ➤ 45% of energy requirements derived from renewable resources
- ➤ 7% GHG intensity reduction from FY20 baseline
- ➤ 95% waste diverted from landfills and incineration



- ➤ Benefitted over 11,000 individuals via various community initiatives
 - ➤ RM22 million interest-free financial aid contributed via FFAS to 895 fishermen



➤ Zero case reported on Anti-Bribery



1st Quarter FY2025 results summary

Summary of 1st Quarter FY2025 results



RM'million	1QFY25	1QFY24	% Change
Revenue	1,620.3	1,599.4	+1.3%
Operating profit	231.5	216.6	+6.9%
Profit before tax (PBT)	153.2	136.4	+12.3%
PBT % margin	9.5%	8.5%	
Profit after tax after MI (PATAMI)	107.4	92.8	+15.8%
PATAMI % margin	6.6%	5.8%	

- a) Revenue increased marginally due to higher CVS sales which was offset by lower sales in other segments.
- b) PBT increased by 12% due to improved margin across all segments:
 - Surimi-based products has benefited from cheaper material input costs.
 - Improved performance of farming operations in Malaysia & Vietnam helped by lower feed costs.
 - Higher average store sales in CVS helped by pent up demand from EPF Account 3 withdrawal scheme.
 - Higher CPO prices and improved margin in solar business



Overall business outlook FY2025

Outlook by Business Segment





Neutral to Positive outlook on Marine Products Manufacturing (MPM)

- Fish landing expected to remain stable.
- Fishmeal business to face price pressures due to increased fishing quota in Peru, competition from India & Thailand coupled with weaker demand from global aquaculture sector as well as weaker USD against MYR.
- Surimi business to face continued price pressure from Russia competition but this will favor surimibased products business with lower input costs.



Positive outlook on Integrated Livestock Farming (ILF)

- Feed raw material business expected to normalise with stable volume & price.
- Performance of Malaysia operations is expected to sustain with lower feed cost coupled with the current egg ceiling price & cost subsidy mechanism. This mechanism may be lifted in 2nd half of FY25.
- Farm produce prices and margin in Indonesia & Vietnam operations are expected to improve.

Outlook by Business Segment





Neutral to Positive outlook on Convenience Store Chain (CVS)

- We are still on track to achieve target of opening 600 outlets by FY2027. We will continue to
 focus on outlet openings in East Coast region and establishment of a distribution center in
 Kuantan.
- New EPF Account 3 withdrawal scheme may improve consumer sentiment in the short term and normalize subsequently.
- The anticipated salary hike for civil servants in December 2024 may also give rise to improved spending sentiment.
- To continue driving sales via various marketing activities and margin enhancement initiatives.

Outlook by Business Segment





Positive outlook on Palm Oil & Clean Energy (POCE)

Palm Oil Activities

 FFB production and OER are expected to improve which may mitigate downside risk from the fluctuating CPO price.

Clean Energy - BM Greentech

- BM Greentech's business model is strongly aligned with Malaysia's National Energy Transition Roadmap (NETR) and global sustainability goals.
- Proposed acquisition of Plus Xnergy provides synergy to the current operations and expected to enhance the company's capability to capture increasing demand for clean energy solutions.
- Healthy project order book will help to drive revenue growth. Margin is expected to be stable subject to Forex and raw material price fluctuation.

Overall Group Outlook for FY2025



Overall outlook:
Cautiously
positive

Despite uncertain economic outlook caused by prolonged high interest rate environment, potential US recession, ongoing geopolitical tensions and heightened Sino-US trade war, the management is **cautiously positive** on the overall outlook of the Group, given the resilient nature of its food businesses and CVS's expansion plans will continue to be a growth catalyst. In addition, through our subsidiary BM Greentech, we are well positioned to capture the growth opportunities in the renewable energy and ESG solutions segment.

Thank You

