

United Cement Group Plc

Consolidated Financial Statements for the year ended 31 December 2009

UNITED CEMENT GROUP PLC

BOARD OF DIRECTORS AND PROFESSIONAL ADVISORS

Board of Directors

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UNITED CEMENT GROUP PLC AND ITS SUBSIDIARIES **BOARD OF DIRECTORS' REPORT**

The Board of Directors of United Cement Group Plc presents to the members their report together with the audited consolidated financial statements of the Company and its subsidiaries (the "Group") for the year ended 31 December 2009.

PRINCIPAL ACTIVITY

products. Group is primarily involved in the production and sale of cement and cement-related

FINANCIAL RESULTS

thousand). financial statements. The profit for the current year is US\$ 800 thousand (2008: The Group's financial results for the year ended 31 December 2009 are set out on page 5 of the US\$ 63,806

THE ACTIVITIES OF THE GROUP EXAMINATION OF THE DEVELOPMENT, POSITION AND PERFORMANCE OF

since despite the global economic crisis the Group maintained positive results. The Board of Directors anticipates that the Group will overcome the adverse effects of the global economic crisis in the near future. The current financial position as presented in the financial statements is considered satisfactory

GOING CONCERN

continue to adopt the going concern basis in preparing the consolidated financial statements adequate resources to continue in operation for the foreseeable future. 2010, including cash flows and borrowing facilities, the Directors consider that the Group has based on the fact that, after making enquiries and following a review of the Group's budget for Directors have access to all information necessary to exercise their duties. The Directors

DIVIDENDS

The Board of Directors does not recommend the payment of a dividend

MAIN RISKS AND UNCERTAINTIES

are described in Note 29 of the financial statements The main risks and uncertainties faced by the Group and the steps taken to manage these risks

SHARE CAPITAL

authorized share capital increased to 60,000,000 shares with a par value of US\$0.01 each. On 8 The original share capital of the Company was 2,000 shares with a par value of Euro 1 each. In May 2008 this share capital was converted to 3,092 shares with a par value of US\$1 each and further the share capital was split into 309,200 shares with a par value of US\$0.01 each. The All issued shares were purchased at par value by the company's existing owners May 2008 the Company issued 39,690,800 additional shares with a par value of US\$0.01 each.

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BOARD OF DIRECTORS' REPORT (continued)

BOARD OF DIRECTORS

of this report are presented on page 1. All of them were members of the Board throughout the year 2009. The members of the Company's Board of Directors as at 31 December 2009 and at the date

Mrs. Marie Helen Barard Genstein retire and, being eligible, offer themselves for re-In accordance with the Company's Articles of Association Mr. Nicos Mavrokordatos and

of the Board of Directors. There were no significant changes in the assignment of responsibilities and remuneration

EVENTS AFTER THE BALANCE SHEET DATE

Material post balance sheet events, which have a bearing on the understanding of the financial statements, are presented in detail in Note 35 of the financial statements

INDEPENDENT AUDITOR

remuneration will be submitted at the next Annual General Meeting. resolution for their appointment and giving authority to the Board of Directors to fix their PricewaterhouseCoopers Limited has been appointed as auditor on 9 December 2009. A

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Ramman Savinaco Ventures Limited

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Nicosia, 30 April 2010

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Independent Auditor's Report To the Members of United Cement Group Plo

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Report on the Financial Statements

We have audited the accompanying consolidated financial statements of United Cement Group Plc (the "Company") and its subsidiaries (the "Group"), which comprise the consolidated balance sheet as at 31 December 2009, and the consolidated statements of comprehensive income, changes in equity and cash flows for the year then ended, and a report dated 2 November 2009 expressed an unqualified opinion on those statements statements of the Group as at 31 December 2008 were audited by another auditor whose summary of significant accounting policies and other explanatory notes. The financial

Board of Directors' Responsibility for the Financial Statements

accounting policies; and making accounting estimates that from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error; selecting and applying appropriate controls relevant to the preparation and fair presentation of financial statements that are free as adopted by the European Union (EU) and the requirements of the Cyprus Companies Law, Cap. 113. This responsibility includes: designing, implementing and maintaining internal that give a true and fair view in accordance with International Financial Reporting Standards circumstances. The Company's Board of Directors is responsible for the preparation of financial statements are reasonable in the

Auditor's Responsibility

perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance whether the consolidated financial Auditing. Those Standards require that we comply with ethical requirements and plan and on our audit. We conducted our audit in accordance with International Standards on Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these consolidated financial statements based statements are free from material misstatement.

disclosures in the financial statements. The procedures selected depend on the auditor's judgment, including the assessment of the risks of material misstatement of the financial a true and fair view in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in as well as evaluating the overall presentation of the financial statements. circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the considers internal control relevant to the entity's preparation of financial statements that give statements, whether due to fraud or error. In making those risk assessments, the auditor An audit involves performing procedures to obtain audit evidence about the amounts and policies used and the reasonableness of accounting estimates made by the Board of Directors, entity's internal controls. An audit also includes evaluating the appropriateness of accounting

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We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our audit opinion.

Opinion

and its cash flows for the year then ended in accordance with International Financial financial position of the Group as at 31 December 2009, and of its financial performance Law, Cap. 113. In our opinion, the consolidated financial statements give a true and fair view of the Reporting Standards as adopted by the EU and the requirements of the Cyprus Companies

Report on Other Legal and Regulatory Requirements

Pursuant to the requirements of the Cyprus Companies Law, Cap. 113, we report the

- the purposes of our audit. We have obtained all the information and explanations we considered necessary for
- In our opinion, proper books of account have been kept by the Company.
- The Company's financial statements are in agreement with the books of account.
- given to us, the financial statements give the information required by the Cyprus In our opinion and to the best of our information and according to the explanations Companies Law, Cap. 113, in the manner so required.
- In our opinion, the information given in the report of the Board of Directors is consistent with the financial statements.

Other Matter

responsibility for any other purpose or to any other person to whose knowledge this report members as a body in accordance with Section 156 of the Cyprus Companies Law, Cap. 113 and for no other purpose. This report, including the opinion, has been prepared for and only for the Company's We do not, in giving this opinion, accept or assume

PricewaterhouseCoopers Limited Chartered Accountants

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Limassol, 30 April 2010

Discontinued operations Basic and diluted earnings per share (USD)	Earnings per share Basic and diluted earnings per share (USD)	Total comprehensive (loss)/income for the year	Non-controlling interests	Total comprehensive (loss)/income attributable to: Owners of the Company	Profit for the year	Non-controlling interests	Owners of the Company	(Loss)/profit attributable to:	Total comprehensive (loss)/income for the year	Other comprehensive income for the year	Income tax on other comprehensive income	сителсу	Exchange differences on translation to presentation	Other comprehensive income	Profit for the year	Profit from the discontinued operation (net of income tax)	Discontinued operation	Profit from continuing operations	Income tax expense	Profit before income tax	Share of profit of equity accounted investees	Financial expenses	Financial income	Operating profit	Other expenses	Administrative expenses	Distribution expenses	Other income	Gross profit	Cost of sales	Revenue	Continuing operations	
	25	2										14				7			15		19 .	14	14			12	11			10	9	Note	
,	(0.14)	(36,120)	2,885	(39,005)	800	6,285	(5,485)		(36,120)	(36,920)		(36,920)			800	 -		800	(4,620)	5,420	530	(57,133)	2,459	59,564	(384)	(30,295)	(6,457)	2,273	94,427	(205,507)	299,934	'000 USD	2009
0.05	2.05	61,171	10,155	51,016	63,806	10,576	53,230		61,171	(2,635)		(2,635)			63,806	1,447		62,359	(32,023)	94,382	651	(65,978)	4,777	154,932	(2,655)	(49,841)	(5,102)	3,710	208,820	(315,828)	524,648	1000 USD	2008

These consolidated financial statements were approved for issue and signed on behalf of the Board of Directors on 30 April 2010: 2 2

Nicos Mayrekordatos Director

Loizos Shakallis

Director

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561,881	510,209		Total equity and liabilities
452,974	451,814		Total liabilities
164,393	172,268		Total current liabilities
12,745	10,205		Income tax payable
46,749	24,620	200	Trade and other payables
3,249	2,055		Advances received
101,650	135,388	26	Loans and borrowings
			Current liabilities
288,581	279,546		Total non-current liabilities
16,636	9,105	20	Deferred tax liabilities
385	375	27	Provisions
271,560	270,066	26	Loans and borrowings
			Non-current liabilities
108,907	58,395		Total equity
30,298	33,183		Non-controlling interests
78,609	25,212		Total equity attributable to owners of the Company
74,653	54,776		Retained earnings
(752)	(34,272)		Foreign currency translation reserve
4,308	4,308		Additional paid-in capital
400	400		Share capital
		24	Equity
			EQUITY AND LIABILITIES
000 USD	'000 USD	Note	
2008	2009		

72,207	66,092		Cash flows from operating activities
(44,124)	(993)		Interest paid
(49,156)	(11,121)		Income taxes paid
165,487	78,206		interest paid
			Cash flows from operations before income taxes and
11,297	(23,016)		Change in trade and other payables
(7,113)	(1,194)		Change in advances received
14	(20)		Change in provisions
3,119	(3,135)		Change in prepayments for current assets
(6,385)	7,214		Change in trade and other receivables
(9,662)	18,755		Change in inventories
174,217	79,602		Operating cash flows before changes in working capital
32,023	4,620	15	Income tax expense
(1,447)		7	Gain on sale of the discontinued operation, net of income tax
4,326	403		receivables
			Impairment losses on advances paid and trade and other
115	ı		Impairment losses on intangible assets
29	1		Loss on disposal of intangible assets
(3,089)	(338)	17	Net gain on disposal of property, plant and equipment
(651)	(530)	19	Share of profit of equity accounted investees
61,201	54,674	14	Net financial expenses
17,904	19,973	12	Depreciation and amortisation
		10, 11,	
			Adjustments for:
63,806	800		Profit for the year
			Cash flows from operating activities
QSU 000,	1000 USD	Note	
2008	2009		

8,290	34,927	23	Cash and cash equivalents at end of year
67,258	8,290	23	Cash and cash equivalents at beginning of year
(58,968)	26,637		Net increase/(decrease) in cash and cash equivalents
2,804	(4,088)		Effect of exchange rate fluctuations on cash and cash equivalents
(60,851)	(10,344)		Cash flows used in financing activities
(5,343)	(15,344)	26	Repayment of borrowings
148,424	5,000	26	Proceeds from borrowings
(204,330)	1	24,28	Distribution to owners*
398	1	24	Proceeds from the issuance of share capital
			FINANCING ACTIVITIES
(73,128)	(25,023)		Cash flows used in investing activities
(764)		90	Acquisition of non-controlling interests
4,558	•	7	Proceeds from sale of the discontinued operation
257	1		Interest received
90,138	12,141		Loans repaid by related parties
(54,788)	ı		Loans granted to related parties
(339)		œ	Disposal of subsidiaries, net of cash disposed
	13	00	Acquisition of subsidiaries, net of cash acquired
(459)	(241)	18	Acquisition of intangible assets
6,672	4,055	17	Proceeds from disposal of property, plant and equipment
(118,403)	(40,991)	17	Acquisition of property, plant and equipment
			INVESTING ACTIVITIES
2008 1000 USD	2009 1000 USD	Note	

^{*} Non-cash distribution to owners amounted to USD 14,392 thousand during the year ended 31 December 2009 (2008: contribution by owners in the amount of USD 15,845 thousand).

'000 USD			Attributable	e to owners of the C	ompany			
1000 030	Note	Share capital	Additional	Translation reserve	Retained earnings	Total_	Non-controlling interests	Total equity
Balance at 1 January 2008		2	4,308	1,462	211,563	217,335	21,193	238,528
Total comprehensive income for the year						63.030	10,576	63,806
Profit or loss		-	-	-	53,230	53,230	10,376	03,800
Other comprehensive income						(2.214)	(421)	(2,635)
Foreign currency translation differences		-	-	(2,214)	-	(2,214)		61,171
Total comprehensive income for the year				(2,214)	53,230	51,016	10,155	01,171
Transactions with owners, recorded directly in equity								
Contributions by and distributions to owners						200		398
Issue of shares	24	398	•	-	-	398	-	
Distributions to owners as part of Group restructuring	24	-	-	•	(188,485)	(188,485)	(241)	(188,726)
Discounts recognised on interest-free loans granted to	33	_	-	-	(1,700)	(1,700)		(1,700)
and received from related parties, net of income tax	33	200			(190,185)	(189,787)	(241)	(190,028)
Total contributions by and distributions to owners		398			(,)			
Changes in ownership interests in subsidiaries that do not result in a loss of control								
Acquisition of non-controlling interests and total changes in ownership interests in subsidiaries	8				45	45	(809)_	(764)
Total transactions with owners		398	<u> </u>		(190,140)	(189,742)	(1,050)	(190,792)
Balance at 31 December 2008		400_	4,308	(752)	74,653	78,609	30,298	108,907

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'000 USD			Attributab	le to owners of the	Company			
VV	Note	Share capital	Additional paid-in capital	Translation reserve	Retained earnings	Total	Non-controlling interests	Total equity
Balance at 1 January 2009		400	4,308	(752)	74,653	78,609	30,298	108,907
Total comprehensive income for the year Profit or loss		-	-	-	(5,485)	(5,485)	6,285	800
Other comprehensive income Foreign currency translation differences Total comprehensive income for the year Transactions with owners, recorded		<u>-</u>		(33,520)	(5,485)	(33,520) (39,005)	(3,400) 2,885	(36,920)
directly in equity Distributions to owners as part of Group restructuring Balance at 31 December 2009	24	400	4,308	(34,272)	(14,392) 54,776	(14,392) 25,212	33,183	(14,392) 58,395