

23 January 2020

#### **RB Patel Group Limited**

## **MARKET ANNOUNCEMENT**

The company today declared an Interim Dividend of 1.4 cents per share, to be paid on 20<sup>th</sup> of February 2020. Shareholders will note that the company's total issued ordinary shares have now increased to 150,000,000 after the 1 to 5 sharesplit in November 2019.

The company also released its half-year financial reports to 31 December 2019.

The company's turnover for the six months saw an increase to \$69,197,765 from \$68,673,430 last year. Profit after income tax expense for the current half year is \$4,228,270 compared to last year's result of \$4,061,500, an increase of just over 4%.

Making the announcement today Board Chairman Mr Yogesh Karan said, "The results for the half year are satisfying considering the economic conditions and competitive nature of our industry".

Mr Karan highlighted that the company's share price has increased by 84% since the share split in November 2019. The current share price is \$3.50 and was \$1.90 at time of the share split.

"Shareholders have seen unprecedented growth of their investments over the last two years" Mr Karan said.

"The company continues to provide its shareholders with solid results which should further boost their confidence in the company and their investment as shareholders," he added.

Director

**Company Secretary** 

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# HALF YEAR REPORT ANNOUNCEMENT RB Patel Group Limited

## STATEMENT OF PROFIT OR LOSS FOR THE SIX-MONTH PERIOD ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2019

	6 Months to		6 Months to
	31-Dec-2019	%	31-Dec-2018
	F\$	Change	F\$
OPERATING REVENUE	(Unaudited)		(Unaudited)
Sales	69,197,765	0.76%	68,673,430
Other income	1,885,860	16.84%	1,613,986
TOTAL OPERATING REVENUE	71,083,625	1.13%	70,287,416
PROFIT BEFORE INCOME TAX EXPENSE	4,860,080	4.11%	4,668,390
Income tax expense	631,810		606,890
PROFIT FOR THE PERIOD	4,228,270	4.11%	4,061,500
PROFIT ATTRIBUTABLE TO MEMBERS	4,228,270		4,061,500
Retained Profit at Beginning of Period	28,517,205		24,137,103
TOTAL AVAILABLE FOR APPROPRIATION	32,745,475		28,198,603
Ordinary dividend paid or provided for			
RETAINED PROFIT AT END OF PERIOD	32,745,475	16.12%	28,198,603
EARNINGS PER SHARE			
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Basic & diluted earnings per share (cents)

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<sup>\*</sup> The earnings per share for last year has been adjusted for the 1 for 5 share split.



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#### STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION AS AT 31 DECEMBER 2019

	As at 31-Dec-2019 F\$	As at 30-Jun-2019 F\$	As at 31-Dec-2018 F\$
CURRENT ASSETS	(Unaudited)	(Audited)	(Unaudited)
Cash assets	270 110	200 674	
Trade receivables	279,119	209,674	224,571
Other receivables	1,086,001	1,137,702	1,382,423
Inventories	2,484,119	2,697,054	2,494,545
Held-to-maturity investment	14,955,722	14,683,811	14,782,440
Current Tax Assets	1,000,000	1,000,000 35,323	1,000,000
TOTAL CURRENT ASSETS	19,804,961	19,763,564	19,883,979
NON-CURRENT ASSETS			
Property, plant and equipment	23,313,947	23,182,047	22 228 070
Investment properties	43,929,045	40,077,490	23,228,970
Other Investments	438,769	438,769	34,054,894
Equity Investments	145,000	145,000	- FF 000
Right-of-use assets	3,988,426	4,419,826	55,000 2,846,206
Deferred tax assets	34,646	34,646	
Advances	585,000	585,000	20,635 585,000
TOTAL NON-CURRENT ASSETS	72,434,833	68,882,778	60,790,705
TOTAL ASSETS	92,239,794	88,646,342	80,674,684
CURRENT LIABILITIES			
Trade and other payables	8,282,001	9,303,492	10,114,424
Lease liability	808,038	791,823	377,542
Current tax liabilities	468,861		316,163
Interest bearing borrowings - secured	12,429,928	10,441,452	8,590,433
Interest bearing borrowings - other	750,000	750,000	3,790,000
Provisions	75,826	75,826	61,719
TOTAL CURRENT LIABILITIES	22,814,654	21,362,593	23,250,281
NON-CURRENT LIABILITIES			
Interest bearing borrowings - loan (secured)	14,983,207	12,785,841	8,662,895
Lease liability	3,349,681	3,769,914	2,570,396
Deposits	303,487	267,500	269,520
Deferred tax liabilities	2,992,059	2,992,059	2,671,759
TOTAL NON CURRENT LIABILITIES	21,628,434	19,815,314	14,174,570
TOTAL LIABILITIES	44,443,088	41,177,907	37,424,851
NET ASSETS	47,796,706	47,468,435	43,249,833
SHAREHOLDERS' EQUITY			
Share capital	15,000,000	15,000,000	15,000,000
Retained earnings	32,745,475	28,517,205	28,198,603
Investment revaluation reserve	51,231	51,230	51,230
Proposed dividends		3,900,000	
TOTAL SHAREHOLDERS' EQUITY	47,796,706	47,468,435	43,249,833

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### STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS FOR THE SIX-MONTH PERIOD ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2019

	6 Months to	6 Months to
	31-Dec-19	31-Dec-18
	F\$	F\$
	(Unaudited)	(Unaudited)
Cash flows from operating activities		
Receipts form customers	71 100 654	70 455 405
Payments to suppliers and employees	71,190,654 (65,117,902)	70,155,487 (66,115,446)
Cash generated from operations	6,072,752	4,040,041
Interest and other finance costs paid	(735,711)	(422,337)
Insurance proceeds	21,789	(422,337)
Income tax paid	(267,213)	(277,092)
Net cash provided by operating activities	5,091,617	3,340,612
Cash flows from investing activities		
Payment for property, plant and equipment	(4,522,807)	(2,097,184)
Dividends received	2,850	6,000
Payment for held-to-maturity investment	-	(1,008,855)
Net cash used in investing activities	(4,519,957)	(3,100,039)
Cash flows from financing activities		
Payment for lease liability	(404,058)	(200 706)
Advance to related party	(300,000)	(209,706)
Proceeds from borrowings	3,361,366	252,725
Repayment of borrowings	(1,080,000)	429,060
Dividend paid	(3,900,000)	(369,140) (3,600,000)
Net cash provided by financing activities	(2,322,692)	(3,497,061)
Net increase / (decrease) in cash and cash equivalents	(1,751,032)	(3,256,488)
Cash and cash equivalents at the beginning of the financial period	(8,407,778)	(3,885,374)
Cash and cash equivalents at the end of the financial period	(10,158,810)	(7,141,862)

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