# HOLDINGS PLC.

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# **Financial Highlights**

(Consolidated Financial Statements)

(Million Baht)

(W)				
As at or for the years ended 31 December	2023	2022	2021	
Operating Performance				
Total Income	2,594.99	388.57	265.95	
EBITDA	1,307.51	165.93	43.43	
Profit (loss) attributable to Owners of the parent	685.42	104.92	(42.19)	
Earnings (Loss) per Share (Baht)	1.66	0.30	(0.12)	
Return on Average Total Assets (%)	4.97%	2.83%	(1.03)%	
Return on Average Shareholders' Equity (%)	19.68%	4.04%	(1.56)%	
Number of Employees	970	27	65	
Total Income per Employee	2.68	14.39	4.09	
Net Profit (Loss) per Employee	0.71	3.89	(0.65)	
Financial Position				
Total Assets	24,273.11	3,291.41	4,128.48	
Total Liabilities	17,042.84	721.06	1,511.21	
Total Shareholders' Equity	7,230.27	2,570.35	2,617.27	
Number of Shares in Issued (share)	500,651,065	345,855,440	345,855,440	
Book Value per Share (Baht)	8.78	7.43	7.57	

#### **Revenue Structure**

	% of share	e 2023		2022		2021		
Type of Revenue	Operated by	held by FNS Group	Revenue (Baht million)	%	Revenue (Baht million)	%	Revenue (Baht million)	%
Investment, advisory and management business	FNS, FFM	100	203.22	7.80	88.57	22.80	43.72	16.40
Investment banking and securities business*	FSL	-	-	-	-	-	213.35	80.20
Real eatate business	FNS, MK	49.50	924.02	35.60	-	-	-	-
Others		-	1,467.76	56.60	300.00	77.20	8.88	3.30
Total Revenue			2,595.00	100.00	388.57	100.00	265.95	100.00
	FSS&FSSIA	-	-	-	-	-	87.96	
Share of gain (loss) from investment in associates and joint venture	MK, PROSPECT REIT, BFTZ WN, Kanom, Frasers Property BFTZ , BFTZ Bang Pakong, RakXa Venture		6.69		6.24		(37.10)	
Total			6.69		6.24		50.86	

<sup>\*</sup> FNS disposed all of its investment in FSL in May 2022

#### **FNS HOLDINGS PUBLIC COMPANY LIMITED**

#### M.K. REAL ESTATE DEVELOPMENT PLC.

**M.K. Real Estate Development** is a property development, construction and property rental company. Listed on the SET in 1990, MK initially focused on low-rise residential projects under the brand name "Chuan Chuen" and "Serene House". Over the past seven years, MK's business has transitioned into developing income producing real estate assets including warehouses construction and leasing under subsidiary, Prospect Development Co., Ltd. Major developments are the launch of the RAKxa Health and Wellness Retreat on the Chao Phraya River and RXV Wellness Village Sampran.

# PROSPECT LOGISTICS AND INDUSTRIAL FREEHOLD AND LEASEHOLD REAL ESTATE INVESTMENT TRUST

**Prospect Logistics and Industrial Freehold and Leasehold Real Estate Investment Trust** invests in the sub-leasehold rights of parts of land and buildings, principally in the Bangkok Free Trade Zone with assets valued at c. THB 5,300 million.

#### **BFTZ WANGNOI COMPANY LIMITED**

**BFTZ Wangnoi Company Limited** is a 50:50 joint venture formed in 2021 with Prospect Development Co., Ltd., a 100% - owned subsidiary of MK Real Estate Development Pcl. The company signed a MOU to lease land and develop a Distribution Centre with leaseable area of 88,423 sqm.for CP Axtra Pcl.

#### KANOM CAFÉ COMPANY LIMITED

**Kanom Café** is a Bangkok-based café and bakery chain founded in 1999 and most famous for its signature egg tarts.

#### FINANSA FUND MANAGEMENT LTD.

**Finansa Fund Management** has over 25 years experience in investing in Private Equity in Thailand, Vietnam and Cambodia.

# FNS HOLDINGS PUBLIC COMPANY LIMITED

#### **BOARD OF DIRECTORS**



Mr. Akarat Na Ranong

Chairman / Independent Director / Member of the Audit Committee and Member of the Nomination, Compensation and Corporate Governance Committee



Mr. Vorasit Pokachaiyapat

Managing Director / Executive Director and Member of Nomination, Compensation and Corporate Governance Committee



Mr. Chanmanu Sumawong

Independent Director / Chairman of the Audit Committee and Chairman of the Nomination, Compensation and Corporate Governance Committee



Mr. Nuttawut Phowborom

Independent Director and Member of the Audit Committee



Mr. James Marshall

Director and Executive Director



Mr. Akarat Na Ranong
Chairman

# CHAIRMAN'S STATEMENT

The key development for the Company in 2023 was the increase in the % shareholding in M.K. Real Estate Development Plc. ("MK") from 31.51% at end 2022 to 49.5%, completed in August. The additional investment established MK as the core investment within FNS Holdings Plc.("FNS"). The decision to increase the stake in MK was based on the potential to create value in MK's two principal businesses, the warehouse development business for lease under Prospect Development Co., Ltd. ("Prospect Development") and the wellness business under RX Wellness Co., Ltd.("RX Wellness")

To finance the purchase of the additional stake in MK, FNS undertook a 1:1 Rights issue at par (THB 5) in July, which raised THB 772.1 million.

Increasing the stake in MK resulted in a material change in the presentation of the financial statements of FNS. From Q3 2023, FNS' consolidated accounts included a full consolidation of the MK financials. This required the FNS consolidated Balance Sheet to reflect the consolidated equity value of MK and as this was higher than the total investment cost in MK, FNS recorded a one-off gain on consolidation of THB 674 million.

Other significant developments within the group in 2023 were (i) the sale of completed assets by Prospect Development worth THB 1.77 billion to the Prospect Logistics and Industrial Freehold and Leasehold REIT in Q1 (ii) the soft opening of a second wellness retreat, RXV Sampran in Q2 and (iii) the filing in Q3 2023 by NEO Corporate Plc. to list on the Stock Exchange of Thailand.

In terms of overall financial performance 2023, FNS recorded a consolidated net profit of THB 685 million for 2023 which compared with a net profit of THB 105 million recorded in 2022. As indicated earlier, the net profit in 2023 includes a one off gain of THB 674 million on the consolidation of MK. MK reported a Net Loss of THB 672 million for 2023 due primarily to the losses incurred by the wellness business within MK. The wellness losses reflected the opening of the second wellness retreat at Suan Sampran and the still early stage of development of this business.

Going forward, 2024 is expected to see significant developments at both the operating levels of the group companies and in the overall group structure, as management seeks to optimize asset allocation and capital utilisation across the group.

A key challenge for MK through 2023 and going into 2024 was the pressure on the credit rating of MK from the losses at RX Wellness and the prospect that these losses will continue through 2024 and 2025. This impacted Prospect Development to the extent that warehouse development is capital intensive and Prospect Development needs and benefits from optimal access to external loan financing. A proposal addressing this dilemma was presented to the shareholders of FNS and MK in February 2024 and passed.

Under the Restructuring Plan, FNS will acquire the operating business of RX Wellness and lease the associated wellness assets from MK. As part of the transaction, FNS will transfer all its warehouse-related interests to MK, comprising the investment in the units is PROSPECT REIT and the 50% interest in BFTZ Wangnoi. The Wellness business is early stage and FNS is better positioned to withstand the early stage losses of this business given the strength of its' balance sheet in the light of the NEO listing. MK becomes an asset-based,

income yielding, investment business with significant real estate assets. MK's financial position will improve, as should its' credit rating. This will benefit FNS given its' 49.5% shareholding, and MK will no longer be dependent on FNS for financial support. FNS acquires a business with challenges in terms of losses in the short term, but significant long term potential.

In terms of operations, day to day, RX Wellness will become the focus of FNS management going forward. RX Wellness will be an asset light business, with limited capital expenditure, however there will need to be a significant growth in sales revenue to curtail losses. Losses are expected to be significant, but on a declining trend through 2024 and 2025. The key focus within RX Wellness in 2024 will be on sales and marketing and on increasing customers at both RAKxa Bangkrachao and RXV Sampran. FNS' management believes that the wellness business has significant potential longer term and, for RAKxa, the potential to become an internationally recognized wellness brand with considerable value.

A key event for MK in 2024 is the planned sale of c.140,000 sqm. of completed warehousing by Prospect Development to the PROSPECT REIT in Q4 2024. MK management is also seeking further land sales as it continues its transition away from residential housing development towards business with higher quality and more sustainable earnings.

The IPO of NEO is now scheduled for late March 2024 and FNS will sell close to one third of its' share-holding as part of the IPO. The balance will be sold in the secondary market, based on prevailing market conditions. This investment has been very successful and is expected to generate over THB 1.0 billion in cash for the Company.

With the group restructuring proposal now approved and being put into effect, management believes

that the allocation of capital and operational focus of group companies are now clearer and more efficient, positioning the group well for long term, sustainable growth and creation of value.

I would also like to take this opportunity to thank our shareholders for their support in moving forward the restructuring proposal presented to them by the board of directors, and for their support in general.

(Mr. Akarat Na Ranong)

Chairman

## 2023 Operational Review and 2024 Outlook by Business Activity

#### 1) Direct Investment: 2023 Review and 2024 Outlook

(As at 31 December 2023, FNS held a 12.78% stake NEO Corporate Plc., a 30% stake in Kanom Café Co., Ltd., a 6% stake in FB Food Services (2017) Co., Ltd., a 7.5% stake in HUGS Insurance Broker Ltd. and a 22.19% stake in Prospect Logistics and Industrial Freehold and Leasehold REIT.)

#### **Direct Investment**

• Finansa Fund Management Ltd.

As at or for the years ended 31 December	2023	2022
Statements of Financial position	Baht Million	
Assets		
Cash and cash equivalents	15.6	3.5
Investments	501.4	322.6
Other assets	244.1	0.1
Total assets	761.1	326.2
Liabilities and Equity		
Total liabilities	2.9	3.0
Equity	758.23	323.2
Total liabilities and equity	761.1	326.2
Statements of Profit or Loss		
Service income	157.9	-
Other operating income	-	-
Total income	157.9	-
Operating expenses	(17.4)	(25.2)
Operating gain (loss)	140.5	(25.2)
Gains from investments & Forex	-	13.90
Interest expense		-
Net gain (loss)	140.5	(11.3)
Return on Average Assets	25.8%	(2.9%)
Return on Average Equity	26.0%	(2.9%)

#### FFM returns to profit in 2023

For 2023, FFM reported a profit of THB 140.5 million against a loss of THB 25.2 million in 2022. The improvement in earnings reflected both a sharp increase in dividend Income for NEO Corporate Plc. (see below) and gains in the portfolio of international (mainly US) equities, following the decline in 2022.

#### **Direct Investment: Private Equity**

#### • NEO Corporate Plc. (NEO)

#### NEO prepares for SET listing in late Q1 2024

FFM undertook a significant, Private Equity investment in NEO Corporate Co. Ltd. in late 2016. NEO is a leading local manufacturer of branded household and personal care products. Brands include D-Nee, Fineline and B-Nice. FFM's investment was to help fund the Company's new manufacturing facility at Lamlukka. NEO is expected to report a c.14% rise in Revenues in 2023 driven by growth in liquid detergents, fabric softener and liquid soaps, and a c.45-50% rise in Net Profit. The strong 2023 performance is timely as the company intends to undertake an IPO in late March 2024. As at 31 December 2023, FNS Group held a 12.8% equity stake in NEO. 33.5% of the holding will be sold as part of the IPO with the balance sold in the secondary market with timing reflecting overall stock market conditions. Assuming market conditions do not deteriorate, we anticipate that the market's valuation of NEO will lead to FNS generating a significant gain. The potential gain could be c.THB 1,000 million.

# FB Food Services (2017) Co., Ltd.(FBF) FBF investment to be sold in Q1 2024

A second, much smaller Private Equity investment was made in 2017 in FB Foodservice (2017) Co. Ltd (FBF), a leading Bangkok-based food service company. FFM invested in FBF along-side the large Japanese trading company, Sojitz Corporation, which took a significant minority stake. The funds raised were invested in a central kitchen to provide value added food services. In the event, the central kitchen was completed in 2018, however the subsequent operating performance of the business has disappointed in terms of both sales and margins. In late 2023, Sojitz offered to buy out the major Thai shareholder and FNS' 6% stake. Due to the still sluggish performance of this business, FNS has accepted the offer and the sales transaction is expected to close in H1 2024. The sale consideration is below the original cost, however FNS had made a provision against the investment. As a result, FNS should report a gain of c.THB 5 million as and when the transaction closes.

#### • Kanom Café Co., Ltd. (Kanom)

#### Closure of airport outlets impacts Kanom's YoY sales growth

In late 2018, FNS committed to a Private Equity investment in Kanom, the operator of the Kanom café, bakery and restaurant chain. FNS currently holds a 30% equity stake and is providing loan financing. The investment from FNS is being used to refurbish existing outlets and open new outlets. FNS is also actively involved in the financial and strategic management of this business. During 2022 and into 2023, Kanom experienced rapid sales growth, post-Covid, spurred in part by opening two outlets at Suvannabhumi Airport. While the two airport outlets performed well in terms of revenues and were profitable under the original lease terms, the lease terms were revised significantly in 2023 and the decision was taken to close both outlets as they were no longer economic. As a result, Kanom is expected to report full year sales of c.THB 206 million in, down c.1% YOY. With the closure of the airport outlets, Kanom has increased exposure to "pop up" stores in prime locations. These have relatively low fit-out costs and can be upgraded at a later date at the better performing locations. 2024 will see a factory relocation, menu upgrades and the launch of new concepts to accelerate sales growth.

# HUGS Insurance Broker Ltd. (HUGS) HUGS is expected to report a small loss for 2023

In 2020, FNS took a 7.5% stake in HUGS Insurance Broker Ltd, a start-up insurance brokerage that has focused, initially, on Health and Accident Insurance within Personal Insurance Lines. A General Insurance License and Life and Reinsurance Licenses have been awarded. A small team is in place. Initial lead generation has been primarily from other shareholders in HUGS, which include a major property developer and a leading auto distributor. Progress in 2023 was limited as the company is still seeking to fill key management positons. HUGS is expected to report a small loss for 2023.

# The ongoing sales of NEO and new initiatives at Kanom will be the focus for Private Equity in 2024

Based on NEO completing its IPO successfully at end Q1 2024, FNS will aim to sell down its position in NEO through 2024 subject to market conditions and valuation. No new Private Equity investments are planned for 2024 and management focus will be on supporting new initiative at Kanom.

#### **Direct Investment: Real Estate Investment Trust**

 PROSPECT Logistics and Industrial Freehold and Leasehold Real Estate Investment Trust (PROSPECT REIT)

#### PROSPECT REIT acquires additional assets in Q1 2023

In August 2020, FNS acquired a 22.99% stake in the Prospect Logistics and Industrial Free-

hold and Leasehold REIT ("the REIT"), following the sale of the company's leasehold rights on warehousing at the Bangkok Free Trade Zone on Bangna-Trad Km .23, to the REIT. The PROSPECT REIT is invested primarily in the sub-leasehold rights on land and building at the Bangkok Free Trade Zone. In Q1 2023 PROSPECT REIT acquired additional assets valued at THB 1.77 billion through a combination of the issue of 130.000.000 new units and borrowings. The new units were offered both through a Rights Issue (117,000,000 units) and a Public Offering (13,000,000 units). FNS took up its Rights allocation through the additional investment of c.THB 270 million. As at end 2023, FNS held 83.2 million units of the REIT (22.19%). A key consideration is that the assets being acquired are expected to enhance the earnings and dividend paying potential of the REIT. The assets being acquired are both leasehold and freehold and (a) lifted the total area available for lease from c.222,000 sqm. to c.292,000 sqm. and (b) increased the asset value of the REIT from THB 3.5 billion to THB 5.3 billion

#### BFTZ maintained high occupancy and rental rates throughout 2023

Due to its prime location and facilities and diversified customer base, the REIT assets at the Bangkok Free Trade Zone have enjoyed and have maintained a high rate of occupancy and rental rates have been resilient. As at end 2023, the occupancy was 87.3% (against 95.5% at end 2022) and the average rental rate was THB 173.8/sqm/month which compares with THB 174.9 in 2022.

#### Strong cash flows support high dividend pay-outs.

The PROSPECT REIT's strong cash flows are reflected in the (quarterly) dividend payments. For 2023, the REIT declared dividends amounting to THB 0.7895, representing a dividend yield of 9.29 % on the closing price of the units at 31 December 2023.

#### PROSPECT REIT to acquire additional assets in Q4 2024

The PROSPECT REIT has announced its plans to acquire additional assets which will provisionally increase the value of the REIT from THB 5.3 billion to around THB 10 billion within Q4 of 2024. The increase in the total size of the REIT is expected to broaden the potential investor base for the REIT and attract larger, institutional investors.

#### FNS to sell REIT holding to MK

As part of the recently approved group restructuring, FNS will sell its 83.2 million units in the REIT at Net Asset Value to MK. This transaction is expected to close in Q2 2024.

#### 2) Real Estate Development and Investment: 2023 Review and 2024 Outlook

(As at 31 December 2023, FNS held a 49.5% stake in listed real estate developer, M.K. Real Estate Development Plc. and a 50% stake in an unlisted Joint Venture, BFTZ Wangnoi Co.,Ltd.)

#### • M.K. Real Estate Development Plc.

M.K. Real Estate Development Pcl	2023	2022
Statements of Financial Position	(Baht N	Million)
Assets		
Cash and cash equivalents	231.74	415.70
Trade and other current receivables	689.02	1,048.50
Short-term loans	1,052.00	889.70
Real estate development for sale	1,983.77	3,224.10
Investment properties	6,217.89	6,441.50
Investment in associates and joint venture	813.04	784.00
Property, plant and equipment	6,327.4	5,746.70
Other assets	2,044.66	1,314.50
Total assets	19,359.52	19,864.70
Liabilities and equity		
Borrowing and debentures	9,469.74	11,427.80
Trade and other current payables	766.33	296.30
Other liabilities	3,451.77	1,677.70
Total liabilities	13,687.84	13,401.80
Equity attributable to owners of the parent	5,637.72	6,431.40
Non-controlling interests	33.96	31.50
Total liabilities and equity	19,359.52	19,864.70
Statement of comprehensive income	(Baht N	Million)
Revenue from sale of real estate	1,553.38	1,790.50
Revenue from rental and rendering of services	402.14	340.10
Revenue from management of real estate	173.34	118.30
Revenue from health and wellness	132.7	57.30
Gain on disposal of investments and investments income	272.07	-
Gain on sale of investment property	261.59	-

M.K. Real Estate Development Pcl	2023	2022
Other income	140.64	256.20
Total revenues	2,935.86	2,562.40
Total cost of businesses	(1,641.09)	(1,447.40)
Finance costs	(735.66)	(598.90)
Administrative expenses and other expenses	(1,120.27)	(1,012.70)
Total expenses	(3,497.02)	(3,059.00)
Share of profit of joint ventures and associates accounted for using equity method	2.87	4.80
Tax income (expense)	(120.91)	(20.70)
Profit for the year from discontinued operation, net of tax	-	469.90
Profit (loss) attributable to: Non-controlling interests	7.24	6.80
Profit (loss) attributable to:Owners of the parent	(671.95)	(35.8)
Return on Assets : ROA (%)	0.9%	(0.2)%
Return on Equity : ROE (%)	(11.14)%	(0.6)%

#### MK reports a larger loss in 2023

M.K. Real Estate Development Plc. ("MK") reported a 14.6% increase in consolidated revenues in 2023 to THB 2,936 million and a Net Loss in 2023 of THB 672 million against a Net Loss of THB 36 million in 2022. The significant increase in losses was primarily due to the losses in the wellness business, which increased following the opening of a second wellness property, RXV Sampran at Suan Sampran in Nakhon Pathom.

#### Residential housing sales slow with no new projects and still sluggish demand

Around 22% of MK's 2023 revenues derived from the sale of residential housing (excluding land sales). Demand for residential housing, generally, was relatively sluggish through 2023 with rising borrowing costs constraining demand. Moreover, since 2022, major property developers have shifted focus to the low rise, middle income housing market, resulting in increasing competition for MK. MK did not launch new projects in 2023 and this contributed to the decline in MK's residential property sales for the year. MK's Gross Margin in residential development drop slightly in 2023 to 23.9% from 25.4%.

#### Land and asset sales boost liquidity and earnings

Given challenging conditions in the residential housing market and the commitment to open a second wellness property, MK's management continued to policy of selling undeveloped to boost liquidity. Land sales in 2023, comprising 5 plots, totaled around THB 1,100 million. These disposals generated a combined gross profit of close to THB 530 million.

#### Residential sales (including land) accounted for c.60% of 2023 revenues.

Overall residential sales (including land) represented c.60% of MK's total 2023 revenues. The overall Gross Margin of this segment improved to 39.1% in 2023 from 37.3% in 2022.

#### Solid progress in 2023 by Prospect Development

MK's subsidiary Prospect Development Co., Ltd. ("Prospect Development") continues to make solid progress, completing 190,000 sqm. of new warehousing in 2023, up from 118,000 sqm. in 2022. Most of the new warehousing was at at BFTZ 2, 3, 4, 5 and 7 (located on Theparak Road, Bangna Trad Km19, Bangpakong, Wangnoi and Bangna Trd Km10). In terms of financial performance, Industrial Real Estate Development generated Total Revenues of THB 555 million (+27% YoY) and a Gross Profit of THB 340 million (+16% YoY), excluding sales to the PROSPECT REIT (see below). Demand for warehousing has been resilient in part due to the strong growth in logistics demand and rental rates and occupancy at Prospect Development's projects have been encouraging. As at the end 2023, Prospect Development held around 350,000 sqm. of completed space available for lease with projects in progress scheduled to add a further 250,000 sqm within 2025.

A key achievement of Prospect Development in 2023 was the sale of completed warehousing to the Prospect Logistics and Industrial Leasehold and Freehold REIT in Q1 2023. PROSPECT REIT acquired 70,000 sqm. from Prospect Development for c. THB 1,770 million, generating a profit of THB 288.4 million for Prospect Development.

#### RX Wellness reports ongoing losses as operations are expanded.

As indicated above, a key element in the 2023 performance was the losses incurred in the wellness business. MK's wellness business, under subsidiary RX Wellness, incurred a loss of THB 522 million in 2023, compared to a loss of THB 332 million in 2022. The increased loss was primarily due to the opening of a second wellness property RXV Sampran at Suan Sampran, Nakhon Pathom. The first project of RX Wellness was the RAKxa Wellness Retreat, a luxury medical spa located on the Chao Phraya river at Bangkrachao, offering personalized, high-end services. Its' target market is affluent, international wellness travelers. RXV Sampran will initially target the domestic market and later the international market, differentiating itself from RAKxa Bangkrachao by offering a high quality, "affordable" wellness experience. Losses in wellness are expected to continue through 2024 and 2025, but at a reducing rate.

#### Proposed transfer of assets between FNS and MK

While MK's management has been confident in the underlying potential of the health and wellness business in Thailand over the medium and long term, the significant losses incurred have proved to be a constraint on MK's Credit Rating and ability to grow and fund Prospect Development. In response to this challenge, FNS management proposed a restructuring within the FNS group of companies that will see FNS acquire 100% of the wellness operating business from MK (to be grouped under RX Wellness Co. Ltd.). In turn, FNS twill transfer its interests in the PROSPECT REIT and in BFTZ Wangnoi to MK.

#### The restructuring will solidify MK's financial performance and outlook.

The restructuring will solidify MK's financial performance and outlook. It will also more clearly define MK as an asset-based, income yielding, investment business with significant real estate assets. This benefits FNS as a 49.5% shareholder in MK. While FNS will be faced with the losses from wellness operations through 2024 and 2025, FNS has both the management and necessary financial resources (from the planned sales of NEO shares) to support the wellness business through the early phase of its development. Further details are provided in 1.1.1(Restructuring Plan) of the 56-1 Report. The restructuring proposal was put to FNS shareholders and approved at the Extraordinary General Meeting held on 28 February 2024. A proposal was to transfer assets was also put to MK shareholders and approved at their Extraordinary General Meeting held on 1 March 2024

#### RX Wellness will be the focus of FNS' management, day to day.

Post-restructuring, the wellness business will be the key focus of FNS' day to day management. The initial objective will be improving the sales performances of the two wellness properties as this will drive down the overall level of losses.

# MK's focus in 2024 will be growth at Prospect Development and further asset monetisations

The focus in 2024 for MK will be maintaining growth momentum at Prospect Development. Prospect Development aims to complete a further 198,000 sqm of warehousing in 2024, bringing the total under Prospect Development to 670,000sqm. Prospect Development plans to sell c 140,000 sqm. of completed space to the PROSPECT REIT in Q4 2024 for a consideration of c.THB 3,000 million. This transaction, if completed successfully is estimated to generate a profit for Prospect Development of c.THB 540 million.

#### BFTZ Wangnoi Co., Ltd. (BFTZ WN)

#### Transfer of Phase 1 and Phase 2 completed

In June 2021, FNS established a 50:50 joint venture, BFTZ WN, with Prospect Development, a wholly owned subsidiary of MK. The JV won the bid to provide a new 88,423 sqm. Distribution Centre for CP Axtra Plc.(formerly Siam Makro Plc.) located on Km 67 of Phaholyotin Road. CP Axtra Plc. signed a 28-year lease. Construction is underway and the handover is being handed over 3 phases. The first Phase was handed over in Q3 2023. The second phase was handed over in Q4 2023 and the third phase is expected to be handed over in Q2 2024. The site also has a separate Ready Built Warehouse component (20,932 sqm). Bank financing for the bulk of the project is in place.

#### Sale of 50% of BFTZ WN to MK

Under the approved group restructuring plan, FNS' 50% stake in BFTZ WN will be sold to MK resulting in all the group's warehouse related investments and activities being under MK. The transaction is expected to be completed in Q2 2024. (See 1.1.1'Restructuring Plan' in the 56-1 Report)

### **Business Operations and Operating Performance**

#### 1. Structure and Business Operations of the Group

#### **Background of the Company**

FNS Holdings Public Company Limited (FNS), formerly Finansa Public Company Limited, was incorporated in 1989 under the name "Red Bluff Advisors Limited". The Company's name was changed to Finansa Thai Ltd. in 1991 and again to Finansa Ltd. in 1996. On 19 June 2002, the Company converted into a public limited company and increased its registered capital from Baht 320 million to Baht 500 million by issuing 36 million new ordinary shares with a par value of Baht 5 through an offer to the public. FNS was listed in the Stock Exchange of Thailand on 25 September 2002. In 2003 and 2004, FNS increased its registered capital to Baht 1,100 million and Baht 1,500 million, respectively. In 2009 FNS decreased its registered capital to Baht 1,492.5 million by a write-off of treasury stock and in 2012 the registered capital was decreased to Baht 1,235.2 million by a write-off of unpaid-up share capital. Finally, in 2018 FNS increased its registered capital again to Baht 1,729.3 million. The fully paid-up capital was also increased to the same amount through an offering of additional ordinary shares to the existing shareholders. The name of the Company was changed to FNS Holdings Public Company Limited in May 2022. In July 2023, the Company undertook a Rights Offering of 1 New Share for 1 Old Share at Baht 5. As a result of the Rights Offering, the issued share capital of the Company increased to Baht 2,503.26 million,

With their backgrounds and experiences in fund management and investment banking, Mr. Eugene S. Davis and Mr. Vorasit Pokachaiyapat, the co-founders, together with a team of professional personnel established FNS' reputation as a leading, independent Bangkok based merchant banking firm focusing primarily on corporate finance and fund management in Thailand and the Southeast Asia Region. The Company provided a full range of financial and investment advisory services including investment banking services, debt and equity fund raising, and securities brokerage services, as well as being active in Private Equity investment.

Since 2014, FNS has made significant investments in Real Estate Development and Private Equity, while gradually reducing its exposure to Financial Services. In May 2022, FNS disposed of its 100% owned subsidiary, Finansa Securities Limited, completing the group's exit from financial services.

FNS is currently positioned as an investment holding company operating its businesses through subsidiary and associated companies. The Company's major investments today are categorized as (i) Real estate development and Investment and (ii) Direct Investment. They include a 49.5% equity interest in SET-listed real estate developer, M.K. Real Estate Development Plc, a 22.19% interest in the units of the Prospect Logistics and Industrial Freehold and Leasehold REIT, a 12.8% interest in NEO Corporate Plc. and a 50% interest in BFTZ Wangnoi Co., Ltd.

#### 1.1 Policy and overview of business operations

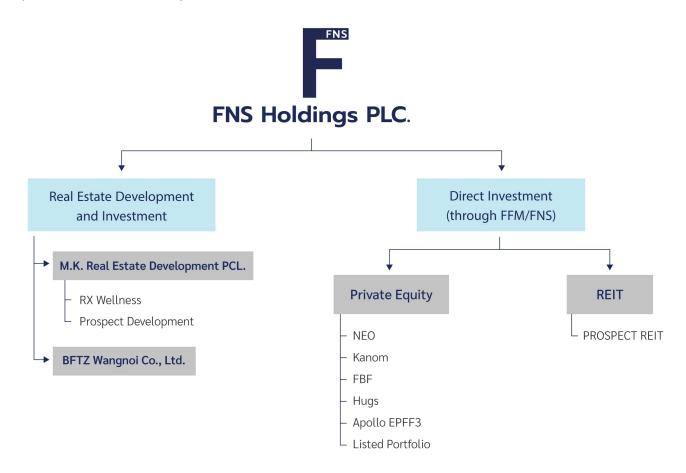
FNS is, as at December 2023, an investment holding company with a portfolio of interests that can be categorized under two main headings:-

- (i) Real Estate Development and Investment
- (ii) Direct Investment

In addition to being an investor, FNS provides support to its affiliates and subsidiaries in areas such as strategic planning and organizational administration (including Human Resources, IT support and Accounting).

#### **Business Overview**

(As at 31 December 2023)



#### In summary

#### (1) Real Estate Development and Investment:

FNS' subsidiary, M.K. Real Estate Development Plc. (MK), is a long-established developer of low-rise middle income housing in the Bangkok area. The company is listed on the Stock Exchange of Thailand. In recent years, and under FNS guidance, MK has been building a portfolio of income producing real estate assets with a view to improving the quality and predictability of MK's earnings.

In mid-2021, FNS established a 50:50 joint venture with Prospect Development Co., Ltd.(Prospect Development) called BFTZ Wangnoi Co.,Ltd. (BFTZ WN). BFTZ WN subsequently signed a MOU with CP Axtra Plc. to lease a new 88,423 sqm. distribution centre located on Km 67 of Phaholyothin Road. Prospect is a wholly owned subsidiary of MK. The project is in three phases. The first phase was handed over in Q3 2023, the second phase in Q4 2023 with the third phase due to be handed over in Q2 2024. CP Axtra Plc. has signed a 28 year lease. The site also has 20,932 sqm. of ready built warehousing that has been completed and leased.

#### (2) Direct Investment

FNS started making Private Equity investments in Thailand on its own balance sheet from 2016. The first significant investment was a minority stake in NEO Corporation Co., Ltd.(NEO), a leading Thai household and personal care products company with well-known brands which include Fineline and D'nee. NEO is scheduled to undertake an IPO and list on the Stock Exchange of Thailand in late Q1 2024. FNS subsequently took a minority stake in Kanom Café Co., Ltd.(Kanom), the operator of the Bangkok chain of Kanom cafes and restaurants. FNS is also the single largest investor in the SET-listed Prospect Logistics and Industrial Freehold and Leasehold Real Estate Investment Trust (PROSPECT REIT). The REIT is managed by Prospect REIT Management Co., Ltd, a wholly owned subsidiary of MK. Private Equity investments are made on a three to five years' investment horizon.

#### 1.1.1 Vision, objectives, targets or business strategy Vision and Objectives

To deliver returns to shareholders in the form of dividends and capital appreciation through deploying the Company's assets productively into strategic investments that have upside potential both in terms of value recognition and in terms of improved performance across a range of metrics that include financial performance, corporate governance, employee training, development and compensation and overall business sustainability.

#### **Business Strategy**

As indicated in the "Overview of Business Operations" above, FNS is currently positioning itself as an investment holding company with strategic investments in (i) Real Estate Development and Investment and (ii) Direct Investment.

FNS's strategic objectives over the next three years can be summarized as follows :

- 1) Support the management of each of FNS's strategic holdings in planning and meeting their respective strategic goals. To this end we would highlight:
  - M.K.Real Estate Development Plc. MK has made significant progress over the past seven years shifting emphasis to income producing real estate assets, to improve its overall quality of earnings. The additional assets have been funded in large part by the disposal of land and assets and reduced funding for the housing development business, which is being gradually wound down. MK has had particular success with its wholly owned subsidiary, Prospect Development Co., Ltd.(Prospect Development),

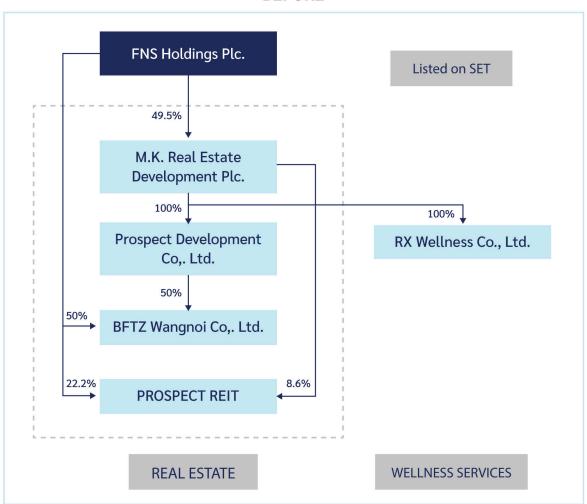
a developer of industrial estate projects which include the 1,000 rais Bangkok Free Trade Zone on Bangna Trad. Prospect Development is on track to complete and lease c.1,000,000 sqm. of space within 2025. Its' business model includes selling completed assets to the Prospect Logistics and Industrial Freehold and Leasehold REIT, managed by Prospect REIT Management Co., Ltd, a wholly-owned subsidiary of MK. A second major initiative has been the development and launch of the RAKxa Health and Wellness Retreat on Chao Phraya River. A second retreat, RXV Sampran, was opened in May 2023 at Suan Sampran which will be more focused on the domestic market. As a start-up business launching in a particularly challenging environment, mid-Covid, the wellness business has been incurring losses and is expected to continue to incur losses through 2024 and 2025. While management remains confident in the underlying potential of the health and wellness business in Thailand, the significant losses incurred have proved to be a constraint on MK's Credit Rating and ability to grow and fund Prospect Development. In response to this challenge, FNS management proposed a restructuring within the FNS group of companies that will see FNS transfer its interests in the PROSPECT REIT and in BFTZ Wangnoi to MK and FNS, in turn, acquire 100% of the wellness operating business from MK (to be grouped under RX Wellness Co. Ltd.). The restructuring will solidify MK's financial performance and outlook. It will also more clearly define MK as an asset-based, income yielding, investment business with significant real estate assets. This benefits FNS as a 49.5% shareholder in MK. While FNS will be faced with the losses from wellness through 2024 and 2025, FNS has both the management and necessary financial resources (from the planned sales of NEO shares) to support the wellness business through the early phase of its development. Going forward, the wellness business will be the key focus of FNS' day to day management. The restructuring proposal was put to FNS shareholders and approved at the Extraordinary General Meeting held on 28 February 2024. A proposal was to transfer assets was also put to MK shareholders and approved at their Extraordinary General Meeting held on 1 March 2024

- 2) Monetizing the Private Equity investments by steering them towards a liquidity event, such as a listing on the Stock Exchange of Thailand. FNS is planning to sell 9.5 million shares of NEO (out of a total holding of 28 million shares) in the IPO scheduled for late March 2024. Further sales of NEO shares in the secondary market will be considered, based on prevailing market conditions.
- 3) As indicated in 1) above, following the restructuring, RX Wellness Co., Ltd. will become the key focus of FNS' management on a day to day basis, going forward.

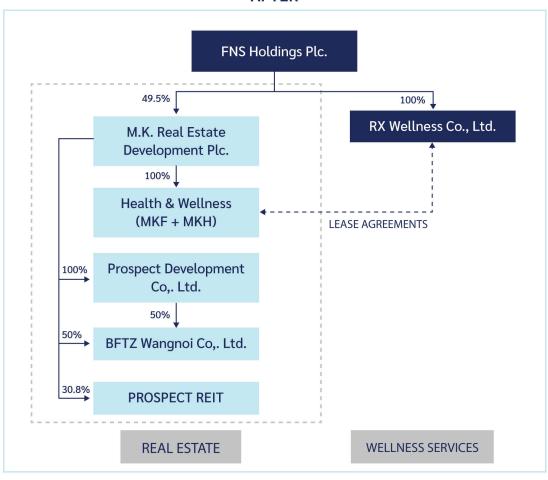
#### **Restructuring Plan**

As indicated in 'Business Strategy' above, shareholders of FNS and of MK approved a restructuring proposal at their respective Extraordinary General Meetings in February and March 2024 respectively that will involve an effective transfer of assets between the two companies. FNS will sell its real estate—related investments to MK and MK will sell 100% of its wellness operating company, RX Wellness, to FNS. MK will retain ownership of the wellness assets at Bang Krachao through a subsidiary company and lease them to RX Wellness. The restructuring will create a clearer business focus for both FNS and MK and will, in the view of FNS management, benefit both companies. The following chart shows the overall impact of the restructuring.

#### **BEFORE**



#### **AFTER**



#### 1.1.2 Major changes and developments

Major changes and developments in the past 3 years

#### 2021 <u>Establishing a joint venture company, BFTZ WN.</u>

In May, FNS invested Baht 2.5 million in BFTZ Wangnoi Co.,Ltd. which is a 50:50 joint venture company with Prospect Development.

#### **Investing in Kanom**

In June, FNS exercised the rights to convert the convertible loan into ordinary shares of Kanom resulting in the Company holding 30% of Kanom's shares, equivalent to Bt. 60 million.

#### **Disposal of investment in FSS**

In December 2021, FNS sold its 29.29% stake in Finansia Syrus Securities Plc.

#### 2022 <u>Sale of Finansa Securities Limited</u>

In May, FNS completed the sale of its 100% stake in Finansa Securities Limited.

#### Change of name

In May, the company's name was changed from Finansa Plc. to FNS Holdings Plc.

#### 2023 Sale of assets to the PROSPECT REIT

In February, Prospect Development sold completed assets worth Baht 1.77 billion to the Prospect Logistics and Industrial Freehold and Leasehold REIT.

#### Capital increase through Rights Offering.

In July, FNS undertook a Rights Offering of 1 new share for 1 old share at Baht 5 per share. As a result, the paid-up capital of FNS was increased from Baht 1,729.28 million to Baht 2,503.26 million.

# Increase in shareholding stake in M.K. Real Estate Development Plc. to 49.5%

In August 2023, FNS purchased additional shares in MK resulting in a holding of 49.5% of shares in MK.

#### 1.1.3 Fund raising and fund using progress

In July, FNS undertook a 1:1 Rights Issue at Baht 5 to fund the purchase of additional shares in MK through a secondary purchase. This purchase increased FNS' stake in MK to 49.5% (31.51% at end 2022). The Rights Issue raised a total of Baht 772.1 million. The increase in the stake in MK resulted in MK being fully consolidated in FNS' financial statements from Q3 2023.

#### 1.1.4 Obligation to securities offering

None

#### 1.1.5 General information about the Company

Company Name FNS Holdings Public Company Limited

Head Office Location 345 Surawong Raod, 345 Surawong Building, 6th Floor,

Suriyawong, Bangrak, Bangkok 10500, Thailand

Type of Business The Company and its affiliates currently provide services

as listed below

1) Real Estate Development and Investment

2) Direct Investment

Registration Number 0107545000080
Telephone (66) 0-2697-3700
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Home Page www.fnsplc.com
Registered Capital Baht 3,458.55 million

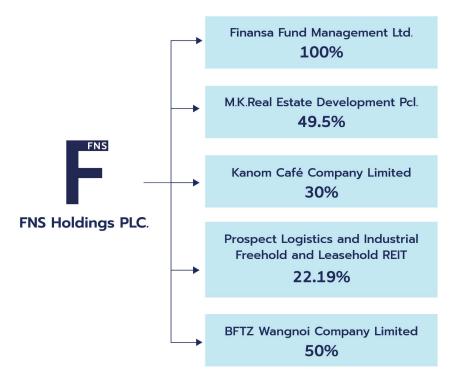
Paid-up Capital Baht 2,503.26 million

**Registered Paid-Up Stock** 500.65 million ordinary shares

Par value Baht 5 per share

#### 1.2 Nature of Business

(As at 31 December 2023)



#### 1.2.1 Revenue structure

For the year 2023, the principal activities of FNS can be categorized under two main headings:-

- 1.Real Estate Development and Investment
- 2.Direct Investment

This following table indicates the revenue breakdown by business activity in 2023.

Revenue by Bussiness Activity	(Baht : million)	%
Revenue from investment, advisory and management business	203.22	7.83%
Revenue from sale of real estate	566.75	21.84%
Revenue from rental and rendering of services	230.10	8.87%
Revenue from management of real estate	56.70	2.18%
Revenue from health and wellness	70.47	2.72%
Gain on disposal of investment in a subsidiary	207.01	7.98%
Gain on measurement of investment in associate before business acquisition	245.58	9.46%
Gain on bargain purchase	673.97	25.97%
Gain on disposal of investment properties	12.27	0.47%
Other income	328.93	12.68%
Total Revenue	2,595.00	

Going forward, the revenue structure will change to reflect the disposal of (i) 83.2 million PROSPECT REIT units and (ii) the 50% interest in BFTZ Wangnoi Co., Ltd, and the acquisition of 100% of RX Wellness Co., Ltd. under the Restructuring Proposal presented to shareholders, and approved, at the EGM held on 28 February 2024. The sales and purchases were also approved by the shareholders of MK at their EGM held on 1 March 2024.

#### 1.2.2 Business Characteristics

As at 30 December 2023, most of the investments held by FNS are minority stakes. In the cases of the key, strategic investments that are categorized as Subsidiary and Associated Companies, MK (FNS holds a 49.5% interest) is classified as a subsidiary while PROSPECT REIT (22.19%) and Kanom (30%) are significant minority stakes with FNS as the largest single investor. The exceptions, in relation to ownership, are Finansa Fund Management Ltd. (FFM), the offshore investment holding vehicle, which is a wholly owned subsidiary, and BFTZ WN which is a 50:50 Joint Venture.

In terms of management of the subsidiary company, FFM is a holding vehicle under the responsibility of its Board of Directors appointed by FNS.

In the cases of MK and PROSPECT REIT, these are both independent businesses. FNS provides strategic input and support to MK and is represented on its Board of Directors. In the case of MK, Mr. Vorasit Pokachaiyapat, the Managing Director of FNS, is also the Managing Director of MK. In the case of PROSPECT REIT, the REIT manager is a wholly owned subsidiary of MK. In the case of BFTZ WN, day to day management is with Prospect Development, while FNS has two representatives on the Board of Directors.

In terms of "Business Characteristics", each of the investments under the FNS umbrella has a distinct profile, market position and strategy and is at a varying stage of development. The following is a summary of the business characteristics of each of the principal holdings within FNS, categorized by their principal activity:-

#### Real Estate Development and Investment

#### • M.K. Real Estate Development Co., Ltd. (MK)

Established in 1956, MK is a leading property development and construction company. The original focus of the business was the development low-rise residential projects for sale (under the "Chuan Chuen" and "Serene House" brands). Over the past seven years, under new ownership and management, it has shifted its business away from developing housing for sale towards developing income producing real estate assets to improve both the sustainability and quality of its earnings. A key success to date has been the development of the Bangkok Free Trade Zone on the outskirts of Bangkok. This project was carried out by Prospect Development Co., Ltd. (Prospect Development), a 100% owned subsidiary of MK. Prospect Development currently has a pipeline of six projects and has now completed over 400,000sqm of warehousing for lease. MK

also initiated the launch of the PROSPECT REIT in August 2020. The REIT, which is managed by a wholly owned subsidiary of MK, acquired assets developed by Prospect Development. The REIT acquired additional assets in February 2023, bringing the total assets of the REIT to c.Baht 5.3 billion. A second major initiative has been the development and launch of the RAKxa Health and Wellness Retreat on Chao Phraya River. A second retreat was opened in May 2023 at Suan Sampran which will be more focused on the domestic market. As a start-up business launching in a particularly challenging environment, mid-Covid, the wellness business has been incurring losses and is expected to continue to incur losses through 2024 and 2025. While management remains confident in the underlying potential of the health and wellness business in Thailand and sees this business becoming a significant growth driver on a three to five year view, the significant losses incurred have proved to be a constraint on MK's Credit Rating and ability to grow and fund Prospect Development. In response, FNS management proposed a restructuring within the FNS group of companies that will see FNS transfer its interests in the Prospect REIT and in BFTZ WN to MK and in turn acquire 100% of the wellness operating business from MK (to be grouped under RX Wellness Co. Ltd.). The restructuring (see 1.1.1 "Restructuring Plan") will solidify MK's financial performance and outlook. It will also more clearly define MK as an asset-based, income yielding, investment business with significant real estate assets. This benefits FNS as a 49.5% shareholder in MK. While FNS will be faced with the losses from wellness through 2024 and 2025, FNS has both the management and necessary financial resources (from the planned sales of NEO shares) to support the wellness business.

As at 31 December 2023, FNS held 49.50% of the shares of MK (up from 31.51% at 31 December 2022). (for further information go to https://www.mk.co.th/)

#### • BFTZ Wangnoi Co., Ltd.(BFTZ WN)

In mid-2021, FNS established a 50:50 joint venture with Prospect Development Co., Ltd. (Prospect Development) called BFTZ Wangnoi Co., Ltd. BFTZ WN, which subsequently signed a MOU with CP Axtra Plc. to lease a new 88,423 sqm. distribution centre located on Km.67 of Phaholyothin Road. Prospect Development is a wholly owned subsidiary of MK. The project is in three phases. The first phase was handed over in Q3 2023, the second phase in Q4 2023 with the third phase due to be handed over in Q2 2024. CP Axtra Plc. has signed a 28 year lease. The site also has 20,932 sqm.of ready built warehousing that has been completed and leased. Under the Restructuring Plan, FNS' interest in BFTZ WN will be acquired by MK.

#### **Direct Investment**

#### Finansa Fund Management Ltd.(FFM)

FFM is a company incorporated in the Cayman Islands and a wholly owned

subsidiary of FNS. In the past, FFM managed and sponsored Private Equity funds investing in Thailand, Vietnam and Cambodia on behalf of international institutional investors, however since 2016 it has been focused on investing its own capital in Private Equity opportunities in Thailand.

# Prospect Logistics and Industrial Freehold and Leasehold Real Estate Investment Trust (PROSPECT REIT)

PROSPECT REIT is a trust listed on the Stock Exchange of Thailand that invests in the sub-leasehold rights of parts of land and buildings, principally located in the Bangkok Free Trade Zone ("BFTZ") on Km. 23 of the Bangna Trad highway. The BFTZ covers approximately 1,000 rais, it is the nearest Free Trade Zone to Bangkok and offers warehousing suitable for both logistics operations and light industrial purposes. The REIT initially invested in c.82,600 sqm. of warehousing and c.51,700 sqm. of factory space within BFTZ. The REIT's assets were valued at c.Baht 3,500 million (on acquisition date). FNS invested THB 563 million in PROSPECT REIT, representing a 22.99% shareholding. In February 2023, the REIT acquired addition assets from Prospect Development valued at Baht 1.77 billion. As at 31 December 2023, FNS held a 22.19% stake in the REIT. For further information, go to https://www.prospectreit.com/th/home

#### **Private Equity**

#### • NEO Corporate PCL. (NEO)

In 2016 FFM invested a total of Baht 242.8 million in an Exchangeable Loan in NEO. This was later converted into equity. NEO is an established and successful manufacturer and distributor in Thailand of household and personal care products. Its brands, which are typically Top 3 in their respective segments, include Fineline, BeNice and D-nee. FFM's investment was to help fund the company's new manufacturing facility at Lamlukka. This new facility was opened in 2018 and its impact on the company's performance from both the increased capacity and improvements in overall productivity has been material. NEO had an especially strong year in 2020 as demand for the company's cleaning products was boosted by the impact of the Covid pandemic. While earnings dipped through 2021 and 2022 on supply chain constraints, rising material costs and higher logistics costs, strong growth resumed in 2023. In October 2023, NEO filed to list on the Stock Exchange of Thailand and an IPO is scheduled for late Q1 2024. FNS will sell 9.5 million NEO shares (out of a total holding of 28 million shares) as part of the IPO. The remaining shares will be sold in the secondary market with timing dependent on market conditions.

#### • FB Food Service (2017) Co., Ltd. (FBF)

In 2017 FNS invested THB 21 million in an equity stake in FBF. FBF is a leading

Bangkok-based food service company. FNS invested in FBF alongside the large Japanese trading company, Sojitz Corporation, which took a significant minority stake. The funds raised were invested in a central kitchen to provide value added food services. In the event, the central kitchen was completed in 2018, however the subsequent operating performance of the business has disappointed. The decision was taken in late 2023 to accept an offer for the FBF shares from Sojitz and the transaction is expected to complete in H1 2024. Though the offer price is below the original purchase price, FNS had made a provision against the investments and the sale will result in a small profit being recorded.

#### • Kanom Café Co., Ltd. (Kanom)

In 2018, FNS committed to investing THB120 million in Kanom, the operator of the Kanom café, bakery and restaurant chain. This investment was initially in the form of a Convertible Loan, however is now in the form of equity (a 30% stake) and straight debt and the combined commitment was increased to THB 180 million. The investment from FNS has been used to expand the number of outlets, refurbish existing outlets and establish a new central kitchen. Kanom's sales were impacted dramatically by lockdowns in 2020 and 2021, however there was a steady recovery in same store sales through 2022 and with opening of two outlets at Suvannabhumi, sales were on track to grow substantially in both 2022 and 2023. In the event, revised lease terms at Suvannabhumi resulted in both the airport outlets being closed in 2023. As a result, sales in 2023 were flat year on year. Going forward, new initiatives at Kanom are expected to lift sales to new highs in 2024.

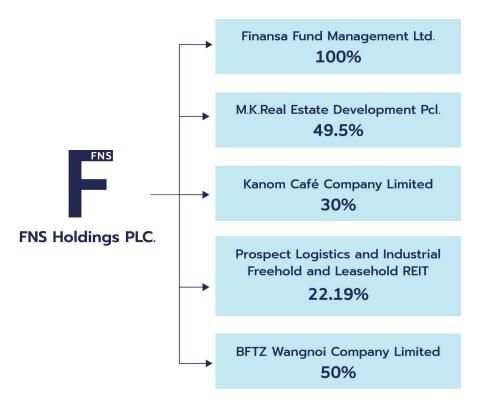
#### • HUGS Insurance Broker Ltd. (HUGS)

In 2020, FNS invested in a 7.5% stake in HUGS, a start-up insurance brokerage that will initially focus on Health and Accident Insurance within Personal Insurance Lines. HUGS holds General Insurance, Life and Reinsurance Licenses. A small team is in place and the aim is to expand through both E-sales and Tele-sales. Business is being generated through the networks of the core, initial shareholders which include a major real estate developer and auto distributor.

#### 1.3 Shareholding structure of the Group of Companies

#### 1.3.1 Shareholding structure of the Group of Companies

The FNS Holdings Plc performs its business activities through the parent company and five operating subsidiaries and associated entities of which four are local companies, including the parent company, one is an overseas company and one is a locally registered real estate investment trust. As the holding company and regional headquarters of the group, FNS determines management and investment policies and supports, controls, supervises and advises companies in the group in relation to business planning and management. The aim is to create overall coherence for the group's various operations.



#### Subsidiaries and associates companies

Company	Type of Business	Type of Share	No. of Shares Issued	% of Share- holding
1. Finansa Fund Management Ltd. P.O. Box 309, Ugland House, KY1-1104 Grand Cayman,	Investment	Ordinary  Preferred	20,000 108,369	100
Cayman Islands		Freierred	100,507	100
2. M.K. Real Estate Development Plc. 6th - 8th Floor, 345 Surawong Building No. 345, Surawong Road, Suriyawong, BangRak Bangkok 10500 Tel. (662) 234 8888 Fax (662) 234 8880	Real estate and wellness	Ordinary	1,117,211,195	49.50
3. Prospect Logistics and Industrial Freehold and Leasehold Real Estate Investment Trust 5th Floor, 345 Surawong Building No. 345, Surawong Road, Suriyawong, BangRak, Bangkok 10500 Tel. (662) 697 3788 Fax (662) 697 3794	Real estate investment trust	Ordinary	375,000,000	22.19

Company	Type of Business	Type of Share	No. of Shares Issued	% of Share- holding
4. Kanom Café Company Limited No.362 Rama 9 Road, Soi 17 Bangkrapi, Huaykhwang Bangkok 10310 Tel. (662) 138 5890	Bakery, food and beverage	Ordinary	12,786,000	30
5. BFTZ Wangnoi Company Limited 5th Floor, 345 Surawong Building, No. 345, Surawong Road, Suri- yawong, BangRak Bangkok 10500 Tel. (662) 697 3860 Fax (662) 697 3869	Factory and warehouses developer for lease	Ordinary	50,000	50

#### 1.3.2 Shareholding in subsidiaries or associates of persons who may have conflicts

-None-

#### 1.3.3 Relationship with business group of major shareholders

-None-

#### 1.3.4 Shareholders

As of January 12, 2023, the major shareholders of FNS were the followings:

Name	Number of Shares	% of Paid-up Capital
Mr. Vorasit Pokachaiyapat M.L.Suddhiman Pokachaiyapat	289,587,922	57.842
Mr. Wachira Tayanaraporn	16,111,100	3.218
Mr. Vichien Srimuninnimit	13,603,100	2.717
The Viriyah Insurance Plc.	10,000,000	1.997
Miss Yasinee Apitanothai	8,527,200	1.703
Mr. Wuthakarn Jira-Alongkorn	6,605,700	1.319
Mrs. Prakaikam Baikaew	6,302,000	1.259
Mr. Suchart Wangsawankul	4,106,800	0.82

Name	Number of Shares	% of Paid-up Capital
Mr. Ratien Srimongkol	3,500,000	0.699
Others	142,307,243	28.424
Total	500,651,065	100.000

Shareholding in subsidiaries which operates core business.

List of subsidiaries	Shareholder	% of shareholding
Finansa Fund Management Ltd.	FNS	100
M.K. Real Estate Development Plc.	FNS	49.50

#### 1.4 Number of registered and paid-up capital

As of 31 December 2023, the registered capital of the Company was Baht 3,458.55 million and the paid-up capital was Baht 2,503.26 million, divided into 500.65 million paid-up stocks with par value of Baht 5 per share.

#### 1.5 Other securities

#### 1.5.1 Convertible Debenture

- None -

#### 1.5.2 Debenture

FNS has issued short-term with maturities of less than 270 days and long-term, unsecured and unsubordinated debenture entered in name without debenture representative to institutional investors and/or high net worth investors. As at 31 December 2023 there were 366,800 outstanding units of long-term debenture valued at Baht 366,800,000. The par value and offering price per unit was Baht 1,000. Interest rate offered depends on the market rate at the time of the offering.

#### The outstanding balance of long-term debentures as at 31 December 2023 is as follow:

Tranche	Face Value (Baht)	Maturity Date	
FNS250A	366,800,000	31-Oct-2025	
Total	366,800,000		

#### 1.6 Dividend policy

#### **Policy of the Company**

FNS has a policy to pay dividends of 30% of the net profit after taxes, or as it may deem appro-

priate, except in cases where there are other necessities and such payments would significantly affect the normal operations of the Company.

#### Dividend paid in the past 3 years

Operation period	2022	Payment date	2021	Payment date	2020	Payment date
Net profit (loss) - consolidated state- ments (THB mn.)	104.92		(42.19)		223.26	
Net profit (loss) - stand alone state- ments (THB mn.)	337.81		73.43		236.45	
Number of shares (share)	345,855,440		345,855,440		345,855,440	
Dividend per share (Baht) - Total Dividend per share (Baht) Dividend per share (Baht) Dividend per share (Baht)	0.20 0.20 -	24 May 23	0.50 0.50 - -	27 May 23	0.65 0.15 0.35 0.15	14 Oct 20 22 Mar 21 27 May 21
Total dividend payment (THB mn.)	69.20		172.93		224.81	
Dividend payout ratio (%)	20.48%		235.50%		95.08%	

#### Policy of the subsidiaries company

As for the subsidiaries of FNS, the dividend payments of the subsidiaries are subject to the respective policies and resolutions of the Board of Directors of each subsidiary.

#### 2. Risk Management

FNS Holdings Plc.(FNS) and its subsidiaries adopt a collective risk management strategy to reach the goal of long-term business growth and sustainable returns. Realizing that potential risks may lead to investors' partial or complete loss, and unsatisfactory returns, the Group focuses on managing the risks to be at an acceptable level approved by the Group Risk Management Committee.

The Group's guidelines and policies on risk management are set by the Risk Management Committee and a risk management report is presented to the Board of Directors every quarter. An annual evaluation and review of the internal control system is carried out to improve and enhance the operating performance.

#### 2.1 Risk management policy and plan

The Company places importance on risk management, which is a part of business operation to achieve desired objectives, goals, and operational strategies.

Risk means the possibility of an event that affects the Group's objectives, goals, or operational strategies may occur.

#### **Objectives**

Determine the operational framework for risk management operations that is consistent with the Company's goals to be used by the entire organization.

#### Scope

This risk management policy applies to all operations as well as all executives and employees.

#### **Risk Management Policy**

- 1. Assess the risks that may affect the Group's vision, objectives, goals, or operational strategies.
- 2. Determine business risk factors that cause significant risks to the business operations, financial status, and operating results of the Group. This includes environmental, social, and corporate governance risks, such as climate risk, hygiene and safety risk, fraud and corruption risk etc.
- 3. Determine emerging risks that might affect business operations in the next 3-5 years.
- 4. Determine the risks from shareholders' investments, where they may not receive returns or entitlements, or lose parts of or their entire investments.
- 5. Determine the risks from foreign investments as well as restrictions on foreign investments such as legal prosecutions, investor rights on corporate matters, restrictions on international transfer of money etc.
- 6. All executives and employees of the company are risk owners, being responsible for identifying and assessing the risks of the sectors they are in charge of, as well as implementing appropriate measures to manage such risks.
- 7. All risks that affect the objectives of the entire company must be addressed, for example, by timely identification of the risks, the assessment of the risks and their impacts, and the management of the risks. If such risks greatly affect the Company's business plans, a report to the Audit Committee and the Board of Directors must be submitted.

#### Responsibilities

- The Board of Directors is responsible for overseeing the overall risk management within the Company.
- 2. The Audit Committee helps support the Board of Directors in such duties.
- 3. The Managing Director is responsible for implementing the risk management policy and ensuring continual commitment.
- 4. Internal Audit is responsible for reviewing the effectiveness of internal controls through annual audits.
- 5. The management and all employees have the responsibility to identify, analyze, assess, and prioritize risks of the sectors they are in charge of, as well as implementing appropriate measures to manage such risks.

#### Policy reviews

The risk management policy must be reviewed regularly, and any change shall be proposed to the Audit Committee and the Board of Directors for approval.

#### 2.2 Risks Factors for the Group Operations

#### 1. Market Risk

Market risk refers to change in value of financial instruments resulting from change in market conditions such as interest rates, foreign exchange, and economic conditions, which may positively or negatively affect the Group's revenue.

#### 1.1 Risks to the Group's Revenues from Economic, Financial and Capital Markets Conditions

Prior to 2022, the FNS Group's businesses and revenues were closely related to domestic and global economic, financial, and capital market conditions, which are not under the Group's control. Any severe deterioration in these factors could have resulted in a negative environment in the Stock Exchange of Thailand in terms of levels of trading volume, share prices, capital raising transactions and public offering transactions, which in turn would have directly affected the Group's revenues from its investment banking business and direct investment business. With the exit from the investment banking business, the exposure to financial market risk is now primarily through the direct investment business and the market values that will be attributed to PROSPECT REIT and to Neo Corporate Plc. after its upcoming listing. The exposure to economic risk and interest risk is through the FNS' subsidiary, M.K. Real Estate Development Plc. (in terms of demand in for warehousing), while Kanom Café is exposed to economic risk and the potential for a downturn in consumer expenditure. The wellness operating business under RX Wellness, which is in the process of being acquired by FNS from MK is exposed to economic risk.

#### 1.2 Risk on Investment in Subsidiaries and Associated Companies

FNS engages in direct investments in subsidiaries and associated companies and in return, expects revenue from these investments. Risks on investment arise when these subsidiaries and associated companies incur operational losses, thus directly affect the Company's financial performance. Investments in associated companies in the consolidated financial statements are accounted for under the equity method while investments in subsidiaries and associated companies in the separate financial statements are accounted for under cost method less allowance for impairment loss (if any).

		% of share	2023		2022		2021	
Type of Revenue	Operated by	held by FNS Group	Revenue (Baht million)	%	Revenue (Baht million)	%	Revenue (Baht million)	%
Investment, advisory and management business	FNS, FFM	100	203.22	7.80	88.57	22.80	43.72	16.40
Investment banking and securities business*	FSL	-	-	-	-	-	213.35	80.20
Real estate business	FNS,MK	49.50	924.02	35.60	-	-	-	-
Others		-	1,467.76	56.60	300.00	77.20	8.88	3.30
Total Revenue			2,595.00	100.00	388.57	100.00	265.95	100.00

<sup>\*</sup> FNS disposed all of its investment in FSL in May 2022.

	Operated by	% of share held by FNS Group	2023		2022		2021	
Type of Revenue			Revenue (Baht million)	%	Revenue (Baht million)	%	Revenue (Baht million)	%
Share of gain (loss) from investment in associates	FSS&FSSIA				-	-	87.96	-
and joint venture	MK, PROSPECT REIT, BFTZ WN, Kanom, Frasers Property BFTZ, BFTZ Bang Pakong, Rak Xa Venture		6.69		6.24		(37.10)	
Total			6.69		6.24	-	50.86	-

#### 1.3 Risk on Investment in Securities and Return Risk

Risk of below-expected return from securities investment arises with domestic and global economic fluctuation.

As at 31 December 2023, the Company and its subsidiaries had financial assets of THB 1,604.39 million, accounting for 6.61% of total assets of the Group, an increase of THB 870.22 million or 118.53 % comparing with THB 734.17 million at the end of 2022. The increase came from the addition of financial assets through the exercising of Sansiri Plc. warrants by subsidiary, MK. and the investment of the proceeds from dividends and partial disposal of a debenture to invest in the equity market.

As at 31 December 2023, the other current financial assets comprised of domestic money market funds, which were highly liquid and posed low investment risk and in marketable equity securities and government bonds. The other non-current financial assets were in investment in debt instrument, other companies, government bonds, foreign marketable equity instruments and foreign funds.

6			Change		
(in Million Baht)	31-Dec-23	31-Dec-22	Amount	%	
Other current financial assets					
Investment in debt instruments measured at FVTPL	154.96	350.48	(195.52)	(55.79%)	
Investment in debt instruments measured at FVOCI	10.06	-	10.06	100%	
Investment in equity instruments measured at FVTPL	338.45	10.52	327.93	3,117.21%	
	503.47	361.00	142.47	39.47%	
Other non-current financial assets					
Investment in debt instruments measured at FVTPL	-	47.82	(47.82)	(100%)	
Investment in debt instruments measured at FVOCI	-	10.38	(10.38)	(100%)	
Investment in equity instruments measured at FVTPL	-	-	-	-	
Investment in equity instruments designated at FVOCI	1,100.92	314.97	785.95	249.53%	
	1,100.92	373.17	727.75	195.02%	
Total Financial Asset	1,604.39	734.17	870.22	118.53%	

The Group Investment Committee were assigned to set business policies in asset allocation, investment approval limit, and risk management so as to limit the extent of negative return that may arise from volatile economic and market conditions.

#### 1.4 Foreign Exchange Risk

The FNS Group consists of 1 operating overseas-subsidiary and therefore has foreign currency denominated assets and liabilities. Foreign currency denominated assets and liabilities of the Company and its subsidiaries as at 31 December 2023 are shown in the table below. Most of the assets were in cash and investments.

	Asset (In thousand unit)	% Total Assets	Liabilities (In thousand unit)	% Total Liabilities
US Dollars	2,116.20	9.75	-	-

#### 1.5 Interest Rate Risk

Interest rate fluctuations affect interest income and interest expense of FNS. The Group had low interest rate risk as its interest income was from short-term lending while interest expenses were from both short-term and long-term debentures. The Company had a total outstanding balance of a long-term debenture of THB 5,528 million at year-end 2023 of which the amount due within 1 year totaled THB 1,731 million. As the Company had more long-term liability with a fixed interest rate than short-term liability, an increase in interest rate would have a relatively less negative impact on the Company due to overall interest expenses lagging the increase in market rates.

#### 2. Liquidity Risk

Liquidity risk is the risk that the Company is unable to meet financial obligations when they become due, as a result of the failure to obtain sufficient funds at reasonable cost within the deadline.

The Company has a policy to keep a balance between the source of funds and the use of capital in order to lower liquidity risk.

As at 31 December 2023, the Company reported current liabilities of THB 6,500.71 million, increasing by THB 6,176.16 million or 1,903% from the end of 2022. The liquidity ratio, calculated by dividing current asset by current liabilities was 0.75, decreasing from 2.96 in 2022, indicating a decrease in short-term liquidity status due to an increase in current liabilities more than an increase in liquid assets (408.15%) Long-term liabilities totaled THB10,542.14 million, most of which were: 1) long-term borrowings from financial institutions by subsidiary and associates amounting to THB 4,677.59 million, increasing from zero at year end 2022, 2) long-term debentures of THB 3,796.14 million, increasing by THB 3,129.61 million or 935% from the year end 2022, and 3) lease liabilities-net due within 1 year of THB 1,383.44 million, increasing by THB 1,380.50 million or 48,070.06% from the year end 2022. The capital structure of the Group comprised liabilities of THB 17,042.84 million and equity attributable

to owners of the parent of THB 4,393.94 million, resulting in a debt to equity ratio of 3.88 reflecting primarily the consolidation of MK into the FNS Balance Sheet, however the Company should maintain sufficient liquidity as a result of the rights offering issuance.

The Board of Directors assigned the Managing Director to set an internal policy to control the short-term debt securities issuance and to report the issued amount and outstanding amount to the Board of Director in a quarterly meeting. In this regard, investors can check the Company's bills of exchange and short-term debentures outstanding amount from the "Selling Report - Debentures" of the Company at www.sec.or.th.

The Group has adopted a collective liquidity management policy with intercompany loans and borrowings and liquidity gap calculation to assess its capital and liquidity adequacy.

### 3. Credit Risk

Credit risk arises when counterparties of the Company are not capable of meeting obligations and fail to make payments when they become due, which may damage the Group.

The FNS Group had a considerably low level of credit risk as the Group had no third party lending business and no policy on additional lending, except for lending to subsidiary and related parties in the FNS Group. The risks that remain were credit risks from investments in convertible loan and debt instruments, and the settlement risks. To control credit risk, the Group Risk Management Committee limited investment in bonds to investment grade, or BBB- or higher rating bonds.

### 4. Operational Risk

Operational risk refers to the risk of loss from lack of appropriate internal control or good corporate governance which may result from internal operational processes, people, workflows, or external events.

The FNS Group has strictly practiced good corporate governance as stipulated by the Office of the Securities and Exchange Commission (SEC) and the Stock Exchange of Thailand (SET). Compliance with good corporate governance principles is reviewed annually by the Board of Directors.

As for the procedures against insider information exploitation, FNS has set a policy to prohibit the directors and executives from using information related to the financial and operational performance of the Company which has not yet been disclosed to the public for their personal benefit, including but not limited to securities trading. Each director and executive's securities holding and holding of securities by one's spouse and minor children is required to be reported to the Office of the Securities and Exchange Commission, in compliance with Section 59 and the penal provision in Section 275 of the Securities and Exchange Act B.E. 2535.

The Group has set up the Business Contingency Plan to cope with the risks from unexpected external events such as natural disasters and sabotage, in order for the Group to be able to get back to business within an appropriate time period.

Operational risk management has been overseen by the Group's Compliance Office and outsourced internal auditors, who present their reports to the Audit Committee on a quarterly basis.

### 5. Risk related to Personnel Resources

The FNS Group's business operations rely primarily on its people. Executive management requires expert and experienced personnel. In a highly competitive business environment, personnel with experience and expertise in the areas in which the Group operates are in short supply and are fiercely sought after. FNS's management has pursued a policy of recruiting high-level executives, training and promoting junior executives, as well as hiring experienced personnel across the Group. This policy has proved successful and has contributed to the Group's continuous growth. It allows the Group to allocate substitutes in the event that current executives or team members are absent, lower the impact on the Group's operations. Human Resources are highly valued and provided with training and on-the-job learning support, to encourage employees from executive to operational level to constantly improve themselves in a common direction. Additionally, compensation relevant to ability and performance is set at a motivating level, in accordance with market standards. This approach in turn helps reduce the risk of personnel turnover.

### 6. Strategy Risk

Strategy risk arises when the Group is exposed to changes in business conditions, strategy decision failure, failures in implementation, or a sluggish response to industry, economic, or technological change, leading to negative effects on the Group's financial performance such as revenue, profit, capital, as well as reputation. The Company manages strategic risk by monitoring changes in key assumptions used for strategic formulation in order to review the Company's business strategies in a timely and orderly manner. In addition, financial performance is regularly reported to management to closely monitor consistency of the performance and the strategies.

### 7. Risk from a change in the Company's Credit Rating

In December 2023, Fitch Ratings (Thailand) Limited downgraded FNS Holdings Plc.'s National Long-Term Rating and placed the rating on Rating Watch Negative, reflecting their view of liquidity and refinancing risk. Fitch added that they expect to resolve the Rating Watch Negative once asset sales were concluded. Additional information is available on www.fitchratings.com.

## 3. Business Sustainability Development

### 3.1 Policy and objectives of sustainable management

The Company conducts investment business by adhering to fair operating principles. It administers its affairs with transparency and responsibility for stakeholders, the society, and the environment. To comply with the principles of good business governance, and for the development and fulfillment of the community, for the balance between the economy, the society, and the environment, as well as for sustainability, a governance framework is determined as follows:

- 1. Focus on developing the business with sustainable growth that is consistent with the Company's objectives, goals, or operational strategies.
- 2. Focus on mitigating the effects on the stakeholders in the business value chain.

- 3. Focus on the management of environmental sustainability, including setting environmental policy and guidelines and conducting environmental performance reviews.
- 4. Focus on the management of social sustainability, including respect for human rights, fair treatment of employees, responsible service to customers, participation in community and social development, as well as conducting social performance reviews.
- 5. Review sustainability policies regularly and propose any changes to the Nomination, Compensation and Corporate Governance Committee and the Board of Directors for approval.

### 3.2 Management of impacts on stakeholders in the business value chain

### 3.2.1 Business value chain

Such as shareholders, employees, customers, business partners, lenders, competitors, society and environment and public sector etc.

### 3.2.2 Analysis of stakeholders in the business value chain

**Shareholders**: The Company is determined to achieve a good operating performance to create shareholders satisfaction, with due consideration to the growth of the Company's value over the long term. The Company discloses all information in a transparent and trustworthy manner. In addition, every shareholder has an equal right to vote except for shareholders who have conflicts of interest in which they will have the right to vote only for the election of directors, but not on that particular matter.

**Employees** 

: The Company treats all employees with care and fairness and provides reasonable remuneration and benefits such as provident funds, including welfare as required by the Labor Law. The Company also supports the enhancement of its employees' capabilities and promotes a decent business culture, teamwork and a favorable and secure working atmosphere.

Customers

The Company focuses on providing high quality services, treating customers' information as confidential and ensuring that the process and procedure for handling customers' complaints is clearly and fairly stated, and that responsible persons are assigned to deal with any such complaints

### **Business Partners:**

The Company focuses on selecting appropriate business partners, dealing with fair treatment and providing opportunity to those business partners of the same products type to compete in the Company's purchasing procedure in both prices and quality of products.

Moreover, the Company also attaches great importance to the integrity of fulfilling the terms and conditions made with business partners and commits to no exploitation under the agreed conditions; the Company has a procedure in selecting reliable, professional vendors with good performance and providing quality products and services; the Company also organizes a list of regular vendors who provide good services, and updates the list every year by means of assessment of prices, quality of products, delivery and after-sales services in order to maintain business vendors' quality of products and services.

Lenders

: The Company attaches great importance to the integrity of fulfilling the obligations made with trading lenders and commits to no exploitation under the conditions that are mutually agreed and discloses information with accuracy, adequacy and in a timely manners via appropriate channels which lenders can review.

**Competitors**: The Company follows the rule of fairness in competing with others and avoids any wrongdoing toward its competitors.

### Society and Environment:

The company takes a responsible attitude towards society. Business operation not only strictly adheres to the relevant laws, but also creates the advantages for society and public sector in the area of economy, culture, tradition and environment; the Company also supports activities relating to the environment, including a campaign to turn off the lights and the computer screen during the lunch break, to adjust the temperature to suit the workplace, and a campaign to print only necessary documents. The senior management of the Group plays an important role in promoting the principles of social responsibility.

Public Sector:

The Company conducts its business in adherence to laws, rules and regulations of the authorities as well as provides effective cooperation according to government policies. Moreover, the Company will not involve or operate business with any illegal organizations or individuals.

## 3.3 Management of environmental sustainability

### 3.3.1 Environmental Policy and guidelines

The Company is committed to providing a comprehensive range of services to its corporate, and retail customers. The Company adheres to fair business principles, management with transparency and accountability to stakeholders, along with social and environmental responsibilities in compliance with overall, good corporate governance. We aim to create, develop, and fulfill our corporate goal while creating a sustainable balance between the economy, society and the environment. As a services company, the Company has minimal climate impact. The main environmental issues for the Company relate to the working environment, notably the safety and occupational health, and conducting business with knowledge of accepted environmental standards and in line with these standards. The Company reviews environmental issues and standards regularly.

### 3.3.2 Environmental operating results

### 1. Safety, occupational health and the working environment in 2023

- (1) Safety, occupational health, and the working environment are considered the responsibility of every employee.
- (2) The Company supported the issuance of appropriate notifications, rules, regulations and guidelines on occupational safety, health and the work environment in accordance with relevant standards and legislation.
- (3) The Company assigned every employee to attend a safety officer course according to Ministerial Regulations, which set standards in management and administration for safety, occupational health and the work environment.
- (4) The Company regularly monitored, evaluated, and improved the workplace environment for the safety and health of employees and its other stakeholders.
- (5) Knowledge and awareness of safety, occupational health and the work environment were shared with executives and employees continuously.
- (6) All employees cooperated in implementing the project regarding safety, occupational health and the work environment program with the goal of improving the work environment and safe work practices.
- (7) Managed outsourced work and contractors to comply with safety regulations of the Company and building management.
- (8) Ensured safety at work that would raise employee morale, which in turn affected employee performance.
- (9) The Company has installed particle counters and ceiling air purifiers in all working areas to detect particulate matter and to ensure air quality. All devices are examined regularly. This should reduce incidence of employees' sickness.

The Company is a less risky business establishment compared with industrial plants, and it occupies a building that a corporate entity is managing to take care of safety, occupational health and the building environment to a specified level. However, the Company does not neglect to comply with safety laws and records accident statistics as follows.

Accident statistics		2023			2022			
from work	Men (No.)	Women (No.)	Total	Men (No.)	Women (No.)	Total		
Not absent	-	-	-	-	-	-		
Absent	-	-	-	-	-	-		
Disabled	-	-	-	-	-	-		
Deceased	-	-	-	_	-	-		
Total	-	-	-	-	-	-		

### 2. Conducting business under environmental standards

The Company is located in an office building that is managed by a legal entity appointed by the building's owner. The legal entity maintains the environment to meet a legal standard, strictly follow safety rules, and provide maintenance services on a regular, year-round basis for equipment in the building to avoid odor pollution and noise pollution. The building has also installed a waste water treatment system. For indoor areas under the Company's supervision, the following environmental policy has been established for management and staff at all levels:

- (1) Provide knowledge of laws concerning the environment in an office building and comply with related rules and laws to promote a high-quality environment in the Company.
- (2) Encourage the most efficient use of energy, water, and other resources of the Company.
- (3) Make continued efforts to improve the environment by supporting procurement from environmentally friendly suppliers of items such as photocopiers, printer ink, and paper.
- (4) Raise awareness on reducing/preventing waste and toxic substances caused by work activities with efforts such as creating a campaign to reduce plastic, foam, and paper in toilet bowls.
- (5) Communicate an environmental policy with staff on the Company's efforts to protect the environment in the workplace.
- (6) Promoting the effective use of resources.

The Company has guidelines to promote the effective use of resources to reduce environmental pollution in the workplace as follows:

### On power usage

The Company uses 16W LED light bulbs instead of 36W Fluorescent light to save the energy and reduce heat in the office.

### On lighting

The Company provides appropriate lighting for the staff to avoid stress and accidents.

## On water quality

The Company has placed importance on drinking water by purchasing a high-quality Reverse Osmosis System (RO) water purifier for staff to drink good water and maintain good health, which helps improve productivity.

### Providing knowledge and training on the environment

The Company considers the workplace environment to be an important issue. The most important problem facing this issue comes from misunderstanding among staff. The Company has brought up awareness in direct and indirect ways, including a series of staff training and

seminars on environment management, such as a seminar on procurement of environmentally friendly goods and services, for example.

## 3.4 Social sustainability management

### 3.4.1 Social policy and guidelines

The Company places importance on social sustainability as follows:

- 1. All business activities must comply with social laws, rules, and regulations.
  - Respect for human rights and fair treatment of labour according to applicable laws.
  - Responsible customer and shareholder services that focus on benefits and fairness.
  - Participation in community and social development.
- 2. All employees must take part in maintaining social sustainability.
- 3. The compliance of section 1 must be reviewed and improved regularly.

## 3.4.2 Social operating results

- 1. Conducting business with fairness
  - (1) Code of Conduct
    - A code of conduct has been prepared as an operations manual for members of the Board of Directors, the executives, and employees of the Company to ensure they treat themselves, their co-workers, their supervisors, their subordinates, and all related parties with fairness and accountability.
  - (2) Working with corporate governance-oriented business counterparts
    - A clear principle in selecting business counterparts has been established under which the Company will not support those who lack good corporate governance such as violating human rights by exploiting child labour or those that are involved in unethical and unlawful business practices.
- 2. Respecting human rights and fair treatment of workers
  - (1) Employment
    - Strictly comply with Labour Protection Act B.E. 2541 and Labour Relation Act B.E. 2518 as well as other related laws.
    - Set clear guidelines and criteria for selecting and recruiting employees, and ensure that employment conditions are transparent and verifiable.
    - Establish a system to recruit qualified personnel.
  - (2) Compensation and welfare.
    - Compensation is based on fairness primarily by taking into account the cost of living and staff performance.
    - Set clear rules, regulations, and employee manuals for employees by focusing on non-discrimination.
    - Set employee benefits to be higher than required by law to meet the cost of living and promote the well-being of employees as follows:

- (1) Welfare grants, including grants to employees, spouses, children or parents of employees who pass away.
- (2) Health and life insurance including annual health checks, membership of a Sports Club, Medical treatment and Dental group health insurance, and group accident insurance.
- (3) Funds including provident funds, compensation funds, and social security funds.
- (4) Loan benefits including special interest loans with counter-parties from the Company.
- (5) Free lunch meals and uniforms for employees.
- (3) Non-infringement of intellectual property or copyrights.

The Company respects and complies with intellectual property laws and has a policy to withhold support of any action that is likely to violate intellectual property rights in every category. The guidelines are as follows:

- (1) All employees are responsible for protecting and securing the Company's intellectual property from unauthorized use. They must not use the Company's intellectual property in different categories for personal gain or for the benefit of others without permission.
- (2) All employees must respect and honor the intellectual property of others and must not take the work of the intellectual property of others, whether all or part of the work, without its owner's permission.
- (3) The Company has established a process of implementing software asset management to ensure the proper maintenance and utilization of software within the organization.
- (4) Developing and promoting the capacity of employees
  - (1) Focus on building a learning organization by promoting the development of employees' capacity at all levels in an appropriate and continuous manner.
  - (2) Develop a performance evaluation system that is effective, transparent, fair, and verifiable.
  - (3) Establish coaching, knowledge sharing, and training sessions by external institutions.
- (5) Promoting participation
  - (1) Encourage employees to participate in social activities in both the planning and implementation processes.
  - (2) Provide opportunities for comments and suggestions via various channels appropriately and thoroughly.
- 3. Corporate social responsibility (CSR) projects

The Company aims to participate in social and environmental development by encouraging staff's involvement and integrating social responsibility into corporate culture as follows:

### 1. FNS- sharing kindness to students in up-country

On September 15, 2023, the executives and employees of FNS participated in donating sports equipment to 2 schools in upcountry in order to support their students in learning and recreational activities for a better health. The schools were:

(1) Nong Ya Sai Kindergarten (Wat Nhong Luang), Nong Ya Sai District, Suphan Buri Province





(2) Wat Nong Kakha School, Phan Thong District, Chon Buri Province





### 2. FNS - making merits on Asahna Bucha Day

On 24 July 2023, the executives and employees of the Company participated in making merits by offering alms to 9 monks at the office building.









### 3. FNS – making merits on Songkran Occasion

On 11 April 2023, the executives and employees of the Company participated in making merits by offering alms to 9 monks at the office building.







## 4. Management's Discussion & Analysis (MD&A)

## 4.1 Operating Performance and Financial Position Analysis

### Overview of business operations and major changes

Prior to 2022, the FNS Group's businesses and revenues were closely related to domestic and global economic, financial, and capital market conditions, which are not under the Group's control. Any severe deterioration in these factors could have resulted in a negative environment in the Stock Exchange of Thailand in terms of levels of trading volume, share prices, capital raising transactions and public offering transactions, which in turn would have directly affected the Group's revenues from its investment banking business and direct investment business. However, in May 2022, FNS exited from the investment banking business by disposing of its 100% shareholding in Finansa Securities Ltd. After that, FNS has focused mainly on investing in real estate development, industrial property development and management, the hospitality and wellness related business and the food & beverage business, through its subsidiary and associated companies. In August, 2023 the Company acquired 196,311,160 shares of MK worth Baht 883.4 million resulting in an increasing of the shareholding in MK from 31.5% to 49.5% of the paid-up capital; thus, MK became a subsidiary of FNS. In 2023, FNS reported a net operating profit of THB 685.42 million or a profit of THB 1.66 per share compared to a net operating profit of THB 104.92 million or a net profit of THB 0.30 in 2022, representing an increase in profit of THB 580.5 million.

The current liquidity ratio (current assets/current liabilities) of FNS as of 31 December 2023 was 0.75, decreasing from 2.96 at the year-end 2022, indicating that the Company's had less short-term liquidity than the

past year as the increase in current assets (408%) was proportionally less than the increase in current liabilities (1903%). The significant cahnges reflect the impact of consolidating MK in the FNS consolidated Balance Sheet. The Group Capital Structure comprised of THB 17,042.84 million in Total Liabilities and THB 4,393.94 million in equity attributable to owners of the parent, representing a Total Liabilities to Equity ratio of 3.88, compared to 0.28 at the year-end 2022. The significant increase in the major capital of the group came from issuing new FNS shares and the consolidation of MK in the consolidated Balance Sheet.

At 31 December 2023, FNS had an interest coverage ratio of 3.43 and a debt service coverage ratio of 0.35 and earnings before interest expense, income tax, depreciation and amortization (EBITDA) of THB 1,307.82 million, compared to 2022, which were 3.39, 0.55 and THB 165.93 million respectively.

An overview of the business operations and major changes was provided in the 2023 Operational Review and 2024 Outlook section.

### **Operating Performance**

For the year ended December 31, 2023, the consolidated financial results of the Company and its subsidiaries showed a net profit attributable to owners of the parent of THB 685.42 million or a net profit of THB 1.66 per share, compared to a net operating profit of THB 104.92 million or a net loss of THB 0.30 in 2022, representing an increase in profit of THB 580.5 million.

The Company and its subsidiaries had an operating revenue of THB 2,594.99 million compared to THB 89.77 million in 2022, representing an increase in revenue of THB 2,505.3 million or an increase of 2,790.8%. The increasing in revenue came from the followings: 1) Investment, Advisory and Management business of THB 203.22 million, an increase of THB 120.57 million or 145.88% from an increase in interest income and dividend, 2) sales of real estate, an increase of THB 566.75 million, against zero in 2022,3) rental and rendering of services, an increase of THB 230.09 million against zero in 2022,4) management of real estate of THB 56.70 million against zero in 2022. In addition, the Company also realized a gain on disposal of investment in a subsidiary totaling THB 207.01 million, a gain on measurement of investment in associate before business acquisition totaling THB 245.58 million and a gain on bargain purchase (the effect of consolidating MK) totaling THB 673.97 million.

Total costs and expenses were THB 2,154.69 million, an increase of THB 1,990.36 million or 1,211.42 % compared to THB 164.30 million in 2022. Again, this reflected to the consolidation of MK. The major changes in costs and expenses were 1) Finance costs of THB 380.79 million, an increase of THB 331.80 million or 677.28% from the increasing of outstanding balance of borrowings, 2) Total expenses of THB 1,773.87, an increase of THB 1,658.56 or 1,483.34%. Cost of sale of real estate increased by THB 585.3 million, cost of rental and rendering of services increased by THB 113.1 million, cost of management of real estate increased by THB 17.4 million, cost of health and wellness increased by THB 160.8 million from the consolidation of MK and servicing and administrtive expenses increased by THB 707.2 million.

The Company and its subsidiaries also recognized a share of profit of associates and joint venture accounted for using equity method of THB 6.69 million, an increase of THB 0.45 million or 7.2% compared to THB 6.24 million of share of profit in 2023 following the performance of associates and joint venture.

The operational performance of the Company and its subsidiaries classified by main business types could be summarized as follows:

1. Investment, advisory and management business

FNS recorded total revenues of THB 203.22 million or 7.8% of the total revenue of the Group, increasing by THB 120.57 million or 145.88% from 2022 due to an increase in dividend and interest income. The costs and expense were THB 42.44 million, decreasing by THB 31.42 million or 42.54% from 2022. As a result, FNS Group had a gross profit from investment, advisory and management business of THB 160.78 million, compared to gross profit of THB 14.70 million in 2022.

### 2. Real Estate business

On August 9, 2023, FNS acquired a total of 196,311,160 shares in MK worth THB 883.4 million resulting in a holding of 49.5% of paid up capital shares in MK increasing from 31.5%. As a result, MK became a subsidiary of FNS. FNS had revenue from real estate business of THB 924.02 million against zero in 2022 and had operating cost of real estate business of THB 941.18 against zero in 2022, resulting in the Company and its subsidiary's recognition of THB 17.16 million gross profit (loss) from the real estate business.

(THB million)	Investment, advisory and management business	Real eatate bussiness	Total
Income	203.22	924.02	1,127.24
Expenses	(42.44)	(941.18)	(983.62)
Gross Profit	160.78	(17.16)	143.62
Other income			1,467.76
Finance costs			(380.79)
Servicing and administrative expenses			(737.95)
Loss on disposal of investment in an associate			(52.31)
Impairment loss on investments			(34.98)
Share of profit of associates and joint venture accounted for using equity method			6.69
Income tax expense			(51.05)
Profit for the year			360.99

The Company received THB 6.69 million of the profit sharing from investment in associates in 2023 compared to THB 6.24 million in 2022, recognizing an increasing of profit sharing of THB 0.45 million of 7.21% following the operating performance of the associated companies.

### **Profitability Ratios**

In 2023, FNS recorded a net profit attributable to owners of the parent in the consolidated financial statements of THB 685.4 million or a basic profit per share of THB 1.66, compared to a net profit of THB 104.9 million or a basic profit per share of THB 0.30 in 2022, representing an increasing of profit of THB 580.5 million.

In 2023, the net profit to total income of the Company was 26.41%, compared to 116.88% in 2022. The return on average assets was 4.97% and return on average equity was 19.68% compared to those of 2022 which were 2.83% and 4.04%, respectively.

### **Financial Position**

(Baht million)	31-Dec-2023	31-Dec-2022	Change		
(bant mittion)	31-Dec-2023	31-Dec-2022	Amount	%	
Total Assets	24,273.11	3,291.41	20,981.70	637.50	
Total Liabilities and Shareholders' Equity					
Total Liabilities	17,042.84	721.06	16,321.78	2,263.60	
Total equity					
- Equity Attributable to owners of parent	4,393.94	2,570.35	1,823.59	70.95	
- Non- controlling interest	2,836.33	-	2,836.33	100.00	

As of 31 December 2023, the Company and its subsidiaries had total assets of THB 24,273.11 million, an increase of THB 20,981.70 million or 637.5% from year-end 2022. The main components of these assets were THB 4,877.61 million of current assets and THB 19,395.50 million of non-current assets representing 20.09% and 79.91% of total assets, respectively. The main items and/or items showing significant changes from those of year-end 2022 were as follows.

- Cash and cash equivalents stood at THB 261.2 million (1.08% of total assets), an increase of THB 248.13 million or 1,898.18% from 2022.
- Trade account and other current receivables stood at THB 739.99 million, against zero in 2022 due to the accounts receivable from the Company's subsidiaries.
- Contract assets-current stood at THB 155.94 million, against zero from the year end 2022 caused by contract assets-current from subsidiaries.
- Short-term loans to related parties amounted to THB 757.00 million or 3.12% of total assets. The total amount increased THB 289.52 million or 61.9% following loans to related parties.
- Short term loans to others stood at THB 130.00 million, an increase of THB 56.20 million or 76.15% from loan to subsidiaries.
- Real estate development for sale amounted to THB1,983.77 million, against zero from the year end 2022 from the business of a subsidiary.
- Other current financial asset amounted to THB 503.47 million, or 2.07% of the total assets. The increasing of 39.47% was the investment in the domestic money market fund which had high liquidity and low risk.
- Other non-current financial assets stood at THB 1,100.92 million or 4.54 % of the total assets, increasing by THB 727.75 or 195.02%. The other non-current financial assets comprised investment in debentures and equity instrument funds.

(Baht million)	31-Dec-2023	31-Dec-2022	Change		
(Darit Hilthorn)	31-Dec-2023	31-Dec-2022	Amount	%	
Other current financial assets					
Investment in debt instruments measured at FVTPL	154.96	350.48	(195.52)	(55.79%)	
Investment in debt instruments measured at FVOCI	10.06	-	10.06	100.00%	
Investment in equity instruments measured at FVTPL	338.45	10.52	327.93	3,117.21%	
	503.47	361.00	142.47	39.47%	
Other non-current financial assets					
Investment in debt instruments measured at FVTPL	-	47.82	(47.82)	(100%)	
Investment in debt instruments measured at FVOCI	-	10.38	(10.38)	(100%)	
Investment in equity instruments measured at FVTPL	-	-	-	-	
Investment in equity instruments designated at FVOCI	1,100.92	314.97	785.95	249.53%	
	1,100.92	373.17	727.75	195.02%	
Total financial assets	1,604.39	734.17	870.22	118.53%	

- Investments in subsidiaries and joint venture stood at THB 1,519.92 million of the total assets, a decrease of THB 376.33 million or 19.8%. The change was caused by the share of profit/loss and dividends received from associates and a joint venture.
- Real estate for investments amounted at THB 9,377.67 million, or 38.63% of the total assets, against zero at year end 2022 from consolidation of a subsidiary.
- Land, Building and Equipment stood at THB 6,334.92 million or 26.10% of the total assets, increasing by THB 6,320.07 or 42,536% mainly from a subsidiary's business.
- Deferred tax assets stood at THB 136.57 million or 0.56% of the total assets, increasing by 100% from a subsidiary's business.
- Deposits stood at THB 30 million or 0.12% of the total assets, against zero in 2022.
- Other non-current assets stood at THB 195.56 million or 0.81% of the total assets, an increase of THB 194.89 million or 25,677% mainly from a subsidiary's business.

### Liquidity

Cash and cash equivalents of the Company and its subsidiaries as at year-end 2023 totaled THB 261.20 million, an increase of THB 248.13 million or 1,898.18% from year-end 2022 with the following movements.

- Net cash receivable from operating activities totaled THB 2,440.27 million, reflecting a profit from operating activities after adjustments of THB 876.03 million and changes in key operating assets and liabilities, i.e. trade account and other current liabilities (-THB 171.93 million), short-term loans and advances to related parties (- THB 289.52 million), short-term loans to others (+ THB 250.00

million), real estate development for sale (+ THB 312.70 million), financial assets (+THB 204.09 million), other current assets (+THB 140.91 million), trade account and other current payables (+ THB 544.90 million), Payable from a transfer of right agreement to receive cash inflow (+ THB 963.77 million), other non-current liabilities (+THB 157.50 million), interest paid (- THB 444.41 million) and income tax paid (-THB 34.74 million).

- Net cash used in investing activities totaled THB 2,011.73 million, comprising mainly cash received and paid as follows: cash paid for investment in other non-current, financial assets (-THB 256.50 million), proceeds from disposal of investment in other non-current, financial assets (+THB 116.13 million), Deposit pledged as collateral (+THB 47.36 million), cash paid for investment in a subsidiary (-THB 343.5 million), cash paid for investment in an associated company (- THB 242.03 million), cash paid to invest in real estate for investments (- THB 973.38 million), cash paid for a purchase of equipment and intangible asset (- THB 463.17 million) and cash received from dividends (+THB 198.00 million).
- Net cash used in financing activities totaled THB 180.26 million comprised as follows: cash received from the right offering (+ THB 772.68 million), cash received from a short-term borrowing from a financial institution (+ THB 2.49 million), cash paid for a long-term loan repayment to a financial institution (- THB 381.06 million), cash received from a long-term borrowings from a financial institution (+ THB 2,312.00 million), cash paid for other party's short-term debentures (-THB 800 million), cash paid for a short-term debentures (- THB 426.70 million), cash paid for a long-term debentures (- THB 1,865 million), cash received from a long-term debentures (+ THB 300 million), cash paid for contractual liabilities (- THB 25.51 million) and cash paid for dividends (-THB 69.17 million).

The current liquidity ratio (current assets/current liabilities) of FNS as of 31 December 2023 was 0.75, decreasing from 2.96 at the year-end 2022 indicating that the Company had less short-term liquidity than the past year. This came from the increase in current assets (by 408.15%) is proportionally less than the increase in current liabilities (by1,903%). The significant changes reflect the consolidation of MK in the consolidated Balance Sheet of FNS

As of 31 December 2023, FNS had an interest coverage ratio of 3.43 and a debt service coverage ratio (cash basis) of 0.35 and earnings before interest expenses, income tax, depreciation and amortization (EBITDA) of THB 1,307.82 million compared to 3.39 and 0.55, and THB 165.93 million, respectively in 2022. The interest coverage ratio and the debt service coverage ratio went up from the year 2022 because EBITDA in this period was increased by 688.18% from in 2022.

The Group had applied a collective liquidity management policy with regard to intercompany loans and borrowings. Under the management of the Group Risk Management Committee, the liquidity gap was calculated to assess its capital and liquidity adequacy. In addition, the Company had a credit line reserved for maintaining adequacy liquidity in the case that issuing a short-term debenture was not possible due to an unfavorable market condition, and when the market condition was improved, the Company could also issue a long-term debenture to support its liquidity.

The Board of Directors assigned the Managing Director to set an internal policy to control debt securities issuance and to report the issued amount and outstanding amount to the Board of Directors in the quarterly meeting.

### Sources of Funds

### Liabilities

As of 31 December 2023, the total liabilities of the Group were THB 17,042.84 million, an increase of THB 16,321.79 million or 2,263.6% from the year-end 2022, of which 38.14% were current liabilities and 61.86% were non-current liabilities. Again, these significant changes reflect the consolidation of MK. Significant liabilities and/or significant changes from the end of 2022 were as follows:

- Trade account and other current payables increased by THB 1,291.25 million during the year.
- Long-term loan from financial institution with due payment within 1 year increased by THB 1,089 million.
- Long-term loan from other party with due payment within 1 year increased by THB 80 million.
- Long-term debentures with due payment within 1 year increased by THB 1,431.28 million.
- Short –term loan from other party increased by THB 800 million.
- Accrued corporate income tax increased by THB 29.49 million
- Deposits and advances from customers increased by THB 56.10 million
- Payable from a transfer of right agreement to receive cash inflow increased by THB 1,014.27 million
- Long-term loan from financial institution increased by THB 4,677.59 million
- Long-term debentures increased by THB 3,429.61 million
- Contractual liabilities increased by THB 1,380.57 million

For long-term debentures, the interest will be paid on a quarterly basis. The Company always complies with the terms and conditions of these debentures.

### Shareholders' Equity

As of 31 December 2023, the equity attributable to owners of the parent in the consolidated financial statements was THB 4,393.34 million, an increase of THB 1,823.59 million or 70.94% from 2022. Changes in equity came from the Company's increasing of capital of THB 773.98 million, and the payment of dividend of THB 69.17 million, the net profit operating result of the year of THB 685.42 million which included the impact of the consolidation of MK. Other components of shareholders' equity increased by THB 434.66 million. The book value was THB 8.87 per share, compared to THB 7.43 per share at the year-end 2022.

Registered capital and paid-up capital of the Company as of 31 December 2023 stood at THB 2,503.26 million while legal reserve was THB 82.9 million or 2.40% of its registered capital.

### Capital Structure

As of 31 December 2023, the Group's capital structure comprised THB 17,042.84 million in liabilities and THB 4,393.94 million in equity attributable to owners of the parent, resulting in a

debt-to-equity ratio of 3.88 compared to a ratio of 0.28 at the end of 2022. FNS currently positions itself as an investment holding company operating its 2 major business that are 1) Real estate development and investment and 2) Direct investment, especially private equity investment, through its subsidiary and associated company; among those MK is one of subsidiary in which FNS holds 540,145,362 ordinary shares. As MK operates in the real estate development business and in warehouse and factory development for rent, which requires a large amount of funding for business operations, and as FNS and MK have invested in several businesses, therefore, the Company needs to seek sufficient funds from several financial sources such as borrowings and rights offering issuance.

## Adoption of new and revised Thai Reporting Standards

The Company and its subsidiaries have a policy to adopt the new and revised Thai Financial Reporting Standards ("TFRSs") in the preparation of the Group's financial statements when it becomes effective. For 2023, there are no material changes to the Group's financial statements.

# **4.2** Factors that may significantly affect financial status or operation in the future.

Factors that may significantly affect financial status or operation in the future were mentioned in section 2.2 "Risks factors for the Group Operations".

## 4.3 Key financial statement and financial ratio

Statements of Financial Position and Statement of Comprehensive Income FNS Holdings Public Company Limited and its Subsidiaries

## Statement of financial position

(in thousand Baht)

STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION	CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS			SEPARATE	FINANCIAL STA	ATEMENTS
STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION	31-Dec-23	31-Dec-22	31-Dec-21	31-Dec-23	31-Dec-22	31-Dec-21
ASSETS						
CURRENT ASSETS						
Cash and cash equivalents	261,202	13,072	197,259	6,115	9,545	8,476
Service income receivables						
Related parties	-	220	1,503	1,670	220	264
Other parties	-	-	6,515	-	-	664
Total service income receivables	-	220	8,018	1,670	220	928
Trade and other current receivables	739,986	-	32,184	36,021	-	32,180
Contract assets - current	155,939	-	-	-	-	-
Current portion of lease receivables	241	-	-	-	-	-
Short-term loans to related parties	757,000	467,485	395,028	525,000	467,485	395,895

STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION	CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS SEPARATE FINANCIAL STATEMENT			ATEMENTS		
STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION	31-Dec-23	31-Dec-22	31-Dec-21	31-Dec-23	31-Dec-22	31-Dec-21
Short-term loans to other parties	130,000	73,800	100,000	70,000	73,800	100,000
Real estate development for sale	1,983,771	-	-	-	-	-
Inventories	8,756	-	-	-	-	-
Other current financial assets	503,472	361,006	363,226	165,022	361,006	237,803
Digital tokens	-	-	475,000	-	-	475,000
Deposits from investment agreement	-	-	-	430,000	-	-
Other current assets	337,244	44,284	33,676	20,980	44,210	25,302
TOTAL CURRENT ASSETS	4,877,611	959,867	1,604,391	1,254,808	956,266	1,275,584
NON-CURRENT ASSETS						
Deposits pledged as collateral	96,869	-	-	-	-	-
Other non-current financial assets	1,100,917	373,167	316,328	237,698	72,416	23,204
Investment in subsidiaries	-	-	-	2,865,374	605,457	1,459,697
Investment in associates and joint venture	1,519,924	1,896,250	1,943,642	777,862	1,972,345	1,983,468
Lease receivables	53,927	-	-	-	-	-
Land held for development	456,015	-	-	-	-	-
Investment properties	9,377,667	-	-	-	-	-
Property, plant and equipment	6,334,923	14,858	95,519	14,113	14,858	79,042
Goodwill	45,356	45,356	156,920	-	-	-
Other intangible assets other than goodwill	47,679	1,148	2,134	1,583	1,148	1,887
Deferred tax assets	136,570	-	7,886	-	-	-
Deposits	30,000	-	-	-	-	-
Other non-current assets	195,651	759	1,658	757	759	1,025
TOTAL NON-CURRENT ASSETS	19,395,498	2,331,538	2,524,087	3,897,387	2,666,983	3,548,323
TOTAL ASSETS	24,273,109	3,291,405	4,128,478	5,152,195	3,623,249	4,823,907

CTATEMENT OF FINANCIAL DOCITION	CONSOLIDAT	ED FINANCIAL S	STATEMENTS	SEPARATE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS			
STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION	31-Dec-23	31-Dec-22	31-Dec-21	31-Dec-23	31-Dec-22	31-Dec-21	
LIABILITIES AND EQUITY							
CURRENT LIABILITIES							
Short-term borrowings from financial institutions	53,025	-	-	-	-	-	
Trade and other current payables	1,291,252	-	-	-	-	-	
Current portion of long-term borrow- ings from financial institutions	1,089,006	-	-	58,040	-	-	
Current portion of long-term borrow- ings from other parties	80,000	-	-	-	-	-	
Current portion of long-term deben- tures	1,731,279	300,000	340,000	-	300,000	340,000	
Current portion of lease liabilities	15,565	2,941	4,310	2,839	2,941	459	
Short-term debentures	-	-	300,000	-	-	300,000	
Short-term borrowings from other parties	800,000	-	-	450,000	-	-	
Advance from related parties	-	-	-	244,277	21,105	690,200	
Corporate income tax payable	29,486	-	7	-	-	-	
Deposits and advances from customers	56,102	-	-	-	-	-	
Payable from a transfer of right agreement to receive cash inflow	1,014,272	-	-	-	-	-	
Current portion of provisions for guarantee of lease agreement	527	-	-	-	-	-	
Other current liabilities	340,193	21,607	126,580	16,798	19,512	78,981	
Total current liabilities	6,500,707	324,548	770,897	771,954	343,558	1,409,640	
NON-CURRENT LIABILITIES							
Non-current payables	61,084	-	-	-	_	-	
Long-term borrowings from financial institutions	4,677,594	-	-	233,962	-	-	
Long-term debentures	3,796,407	366,800	666,800	366,800	366,800	666,800	
Lease liabilities	1,383,444	2,872	4,759	3,953	2,872	589	
Non-current provisions for employee benefits	99,148	26,835	68,755	28,743	26,835	29,383	
Other non-current liabilities	524,459	-	-	-	-	-	
Total non-current liabilities	10,542,136	396,507	740,314	633,458	396,507	696,772	
TOTAL LIABILITIES	17,042,843	721,055	1,511,211	1,405,412	740,065	2,106,412	

STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION	CONSOLIDAT	ED FINANCIAL :	STATEMENTS	SEPARATE	FINANCIAL STA	ATEMENTS
STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION	31-Dec-23	31-Dec-22	31-Dec-21	31-Dec-23	31-Dec-22	31-Dec-21
EQUITY						
Share capital						
Authorized share capital						
(691,710,880 ordinary shares, par value at Baht 5 per share)	3,458,554			3,458,554		
(345,855,440 ordinary shares, par value at Baht 5 per share)		1,729,277	1,729,277		1,729,277	1,729,277
Issued and paid-up share capital						
(500,651,065 ordinary shares, par value at Baht 5 per share)	2,503,255			2,503,255		
(345,855,440 ordinary shares, par value at Baht 5 per share)		1,729,277	1,729,277		1,729,277	1,729,277
Share Premium on ordinary shares	207,161	208,455	208,455	207,161	208,455	208,455
Retained earnings						
Appropriated						
Legal reserve	82,900	82,000	65,000	82,900	82,000	65,000
Unappropriated	1,453,834	838,486	936,011	818,440	870,593	722,712
Other components of equity	146,789	(287,868)	(321,476)	135,027	(7,141)	(7,949)
Equity attributable to owners of the parent	4,393,939	2,570,350	2,617,267	3,746,783	2,883,184	2,717,495
Non-controlling interests	2,836,327	-	-	-	-	-
TOTAL EQUITY	7,230,266	2,570,350	2,617,267	3,746,783	2,883,184	2,717,495
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND EQUITY	24,273,109	3,291,405	4,128,478	5,152,195	3,623,249	4,823,907

# • Statement of comprehensive income

(in thousand Baht)

Statement of comprehensive income	Consolidated financial statements				arate finan statements	cial
Statement of comprehensive income	31 DEC 2023	31 DEC 2022	31 DEC 2021	31 DEC 2023	31 DEC 2022	31 DEC 2021
Income						
Revenue from investment, advisory and management business	203,218	82,646	43,271	213,361	107,121	187,989
Revenue from sale of real estate	566,753	-	-	-	-	-
Revenue from rental and rendering of services	230,096	-	-	-	-	-
Revenue from management of real estate	56,702	-	-	-	-	-
Revenue from health and wellness	70,467	-	-	-	-	-
Net gain on invesments measured at fair value through profit or loss	-	5,917	-	244	5,385	445
Gain on disposal of investment in a subsidiary	207,005	-	-	-	55,479	-
Gain on measurement of investment in associate before business acquisition	245,584	-	-	-	-	-
Gain on bargain purchase	673,969	-	-	-	-	-
Gain on disposal of investment properties	12,273	-	-	-	-	-
Other income	328,929	1,205	8,388	1,272	1,694	13,439
Total income	2,594,996	89,768	52,104	214,877	169,679	201,873
Expenses						
Investment, advisory and management business expenses	42,439	73,859	63,454	42,438	48,571	44,463
Cost of sale of real estate	585,268	-	-	-	-	-
Cost of rental and rendering of services	113,080	-	-	-	-	-
Cost of management of real estate	17,445	-	-	-	-	-
Cost of health and wellness	160,831	-	-	-	-	-
Distribution costs	64,552	-	-	-	-	-
Servicing and administrative expenses	737,948	30,692	43,653	35,920	29,238	45,088
Loss on disposal of investment in an associate	-	-	56,056	-	-	-
Loss on changes in fair value of investment measured at FVTPL	52,306	-		-	-	-
Loss on exchange rate	-	10,762	14,432	-	-	-
Total expenses	1,773,869	115,313	177,595	78,358	77,809	89,551
Profit (loss) from operating activities	821,127	(25,545)	(125,491)	136,519	91,870	112,322
Finance costs	(380,787)	(48,991)	(58,535)	(58,602)	(52,869)	(71,798)
Allowance for expected credit loss (reversal)	-	-	32,896	-	-	32,896
Impairment loss on investments	(34,980)	-	-	(60,000)	-	-
Share of profit of associates and joint venture accounted for using equity method	6,688	6,237	50,864	-	-	-
Gain on disposal of building and equipment	-	298,806	11	-	298,806	11
Profit loss before income tax expense	412,048	230,507	(100,255)	17,917	337,807	73,431

Statement of comprehensive income	Consolidated financial Separate fina statements statement			parate finan statements		
	31 DEC 2023	31 DEC 2022	31 DEC 2021	31 DEC 2023	31 DEC 2022	31 DEC 2021
Income tax expense	(51,057)	-	-	-	-	-
Profit (loss) for the year from continuing operations	360,991	230,507	(100,255)	17,917	337,807	73,431
Loss for the year from discontinued operation, net of tax	-	(125,590)	58,066	-	-	-
Profit for the year	360,991	104,917	(42,189)	17,917	337,807	73,431
Other comprehensive income						
Items that will be reclassified subsequently to profit or loss						
Gain (loss) on measurement of financial assets	-	(12,089)	(11,006)	(11)	(177)	454
Gain on dilution of investment in an associate	-	-	2,831	-	-	-
Exchange differences on translating financial statements	(146)	13,919	31,545	-	-	-
Total items that will be reclassified subsequently to profit or loss	(146)	1,830	23,370	(11)	(177)	454
Items that will not be reclassified to profit or loss						
Gain on measurement of financial assets	429,323	-		142,179	-	-
Share of other comprehensive income of associates and joint venture accounted for using equity method	1,210	(547)	(1,690)	-	-	-
Actuarial gain on defined benefit plan	_	985	3,963	-	985	-
Total items that will be reclassified subsequently to profit or loss	430,533	438	2,273	142,179	985	-
Other comprehensive income for the year, net of tax	430,387	2,268	25,643	142,168	808	454
Other comprehensive income from discontinued operation for the year, net of tax	-	18,824	349	-	-	-
Total comprehensive income for the year	791,378	126,009	(16,197)	160,085	338,615	73,885
Profit attributable to:						
Owners of the parent	685,418	104,917	(42,189)	17,917	337,807	73,431
Non-controlling interests	(324,427)	-	-	-	-	-
	360,991	104,917	(42,189)	17,917	337,807	73,431
Total comprehensive income attributable to:						
Owners of the parent	1,120,075	126,009	(16,197)	160,085	338,615	73,885
Non-controlling interests	(328,697)	-	-	-	-	-
	791,378	126,009	(16,197)	160,085	338,615	73,885
Basic earnings per share (in Baht)						
Continuing operation	1.66	0.66	(0.29)	0.04	0.98	0.21
Discontinued operation	-	(0.36)	0.17	-	-	-
Weighted average number of ordinary shares	412,862,861	345,855,440	345,855,440	345,855,440	345,855,440	345,855,440

## • Selected Financial Ratios

	CONSOLIDAT	ED FINANCIAL S	STATEMENTS
	31-Dec-23	31-Dec-22	31-Dec-21
Liquidity Ratio			
Current Ratio (times)	0.75	2.96	2.08
Quick Ratio (times)	0.23	2.59	1.87
Profitability Ratio			
Gross Profit Margin (%)	5.53%	17.72%	26.35%
Net Profit Margin (%)	26.41%	116.88%	(15.86%
Return on Equity: ROE (%)	19.68%	4.04%	(1.56%
Efficiency Ratio			
Return on Assets : ROA (%)	4.97%	2.83%	(1.03%
Total Assets Turnover (times)	0.19	0.02	0.0
Financial Policy Ratio			
Debt to Equity Ratio (times)	3.88	0.28	0.5
Inerest Coverage Ratio (times)	3.43	3.39	0.7
Interest bearing debt to EBITDA ratio	10.42	4.05	30.3
Commitment Coverage Ratio (times)	0.35	0.55	0.0
Dividend Payout (%)	20.48%	235.49%	73.139

## 5. General information and other significant information

## 5.1 General information, other references

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### 5.2 Other significant information

- None -

### 5.3 Legal dispute

In 2023, the Company and its subsidiaries had no legal dispute that made negative impact on the Group's assets with the value exceeding 5% of the shareholder's equity. As at 31 December 2023 the shareholder's equity of the Company and its subsidiaries were Baht 4,394 million.

### 5.4 Secondary market

- None -

### 5.5 Financial institution regularly used (only for debenture)

In issuing of debt instrument, the Company usually assigns Bank of Ayudhaya Public Company Limited to provide services to the Company.

# **Corporate Governance**

## 6. Corporate governance policy

## 6.1 Overview of the Policy and Guidelines

### Corporate Governance Code for Listed Companies

The Company reviewed the Corporate Governance Policy, developed from the 2012 Good Corporate Governance Principles for Listed Companies set by the Stock Exchange of Thailand, and the 2017 Corporate Governance Code for Listed Companies as prescribed by the Office of Securities and Exchange Commission. After consideration, the Company adopted most principles and proposed to the Board of Directors' Meeting No.1/2019 on February 26, 2019 in order to keep it up to date with the rapid development of the corporate governance area. The 8 principles for the Board of Directors are formulated as follows:

Principle 1	Establish Clear Leadership Role and Responsibilities of the Board
Principle 2	Define Objectives that Promote Sustainable Value Creation
Principle 3	Strengthen Board Effectiveness
Principle 4	Ensure Effective CEO and People Management
Principle 5	Nurture Innovation and Responsible Business
Principle 6	Strengthen Effective Risk Management and Internal Control
Principle 7	Ensure Disclosure and Financial Integrity
Principle 8	Ensure Engagement and Communication with Shareholders

### 6.1.1 Policy and guideline related to the Board of Directors

The Company's Board of Directors is comprised of qualified persons who possess knowledge and abilities and plays an important role in establishing the Company's policies and overall image. In addition, the Board's responsibilities extend to independently supervising, auditing, and monitoring the Company's performance toward designated policies.

The Board of Directors currently consists of 5 directors. The Chairman of the board is an independent director and is not the Managing Director. The Company clearly determines the scope of duties and responsibilities of the Board of Directors, Chairman of the Board of Directors, Company Secretary, and Managing Director.

The Company achieves a balance of power and proper checking of management by having 3 non-executive directors, currently representing more than half of the total number of directors in the Board.Non-executive directors are not authorized to sign on behalf of the Company or any of its subsidiaries. Furthermore, the Audit Committee comprises 3 independent directors, representing 1/3 of all members of the Board of Directors. This Board composition can assure that the directors will perform

their duties as representatives of the shareholders fairly and independently with proper checks and balances. In this regard, the Company's independent directors' qualifications meet all the requirements of the Capital Market Supervisory Board's Notification.

The Company establishes the term of office for directors in its Articles of Association. At each General Meeting of shareholders, one-third of the directors - or if their number is not a multiple of three, then the number nearest to one-third – must retire from office. In the first and second years following the registration of the Company, the directors who retire are decided by drawing lots; after that, directors who have been in office the longest shall retire first. The retiring directors may also be re-elected.

The Company has appointed a Company Secretary to support and assist the Board in its activities including providing advice pertaining to laws and regulations and communicating and monitoring compliance with the resolutions of the Board of Directors.

In terms of the selection process of independent directors, when the independent directors are due to retire from their term of office or when there is a need to nominate more independent directors, the Nomination, Compensation and Corporate Governance Committee will consider selecting qualified persons who have experiences, knowledge and expertise suitable and beneficial to the Company and also meet the minimum qualifications set forth below. Nominees will be proposed to the Board of Directors' Meeting or the Shareholders' Meeting for consideration pursuant to the Company's Articles of Association.

The Company's independent directors' qualifications meet all requirements of the Capital Market Supervisory Board. The qualifications are as follows:

- 1) Holding not more than 0.5% of the Company's shares with voting rights, or those of any subsidiary company, associated company, or juristic person with conflict of interest, which shall be inclusive of the shares held by related persons.
- 2) Not being a director who is involved in the Company management, an employee, a staff member, an advisor who receives a regular salary from the Company, or a controlling person of the Company, subsidiary company, associated company, subsidiary company with the same level or of juristic person with a conflict of interest within the last 2 years.
- 3) Not being a connected person, by virtue of a blood relationship or legal marriage being father, mother, spouse, sibling, child, including spouse of a child, of the executives, major shareholders, controlling persons or persons who are about to be nominated as executives or controlling persons of the Company or subsidiary company.
- 4) Not holding a business relationship with the Company, subsidiary company, associated company or with a juristic person with a conflict of interest in a way that may interrupt the exercise of independent discretion. Not being a major shareholder, a non-independent director, or an executive of a business holding a relationship with

- the Company, subsidiary company associated company or of a juristic person with a conflict of interest within the last 2 years.
- 5) Not being an auditor of the Company, subsidiary company, associated company or of a juristic person with a conflict of interest, and not being a major shareholder, non-independent director, executive or managing partner of the audit firm providing the auditors of the Company, subsidiary company, associated company or of a juristic person with a conflict of interest within the last 2 years.
- 6) Not being a professional service provider including legal or financial adviser receiving service fee of more than Baht 2 million a year from the Company, subsidiary company, associated company or from a juristic person with a conflict of interest within the last 2 years. In the case that the professional service provider is a juristic person, it shall include the major shareholder, non-independent director, executive or managing partner of such service provider.
- 7) Not being a representative director appointed by the Company's directors, major share-holders or shareholders related to major shareholders.
- 8) Not operating a business with the same nature and in competition with the Company and its subsidiaries or not being a partner in a partnership or a director involved in administration or an employee, officer, routine consultant or holding share more than one percent of all shares with voting rights of other company with the same nature and in competition with the Company and its subsidiaries.
- 9) Not holding other characteristics that prohibit the expression of independent opinion on the Company's operations.

Every Independent Director can express his or her opinions independently, free from any benefit in terms of assets or work position, without pressure from any person or group of people as well as in circumstances that might otherwise affect their ability to express their opinion.

A particular meeting for Non-executive Directors (including Independent Directors) will be arranged at least once a year for them to express and discuss freely any issues in regard to the Board of Directors' meetings and duty without the presence of Executive Directors. This meeting was held one time in 2023 at the meeting on 20 November 2023.

As at 31 December 2023, the Company organized several committees, including the Executive Committee, the Audit Committee, the Nomination, Compensation and Corporate Governance Committee, the Group Investment Committee and the Group Risk Management Committee in order to administer specific issues in detail. Each committee is composed of members with duties and responsibilities as follows:

(1) The Executive Committee consisted of the following 2 members:

1. Mr. Vorasit Pokachaiyapat Managing Director and Executive Director

2. Mr. James Marshall Director and Executive Director

### Scope of Duties of the Executive Committee:

 To consider and approve any loan or credit application in the ordinary course of business of the Company, e.g., expenses for investments or for any activity with a value not exceeding Baht 300 million or in an equivalent amount or in an amount authorized by the Board of Directors;

- 2) To establish organizational, management, and executive committee structures, which include all the details of the recruitment, training, employment and termination of the employees in the Company whose position is not higher than the managing director;
- 3) To appoint or remove any officers of the Company;
- 4) To prepare, recommend, and prescribe business policies and strategies to the Board of Directors for consideration and approval;
- 5) To formulate business plans, prescribe management authority, approve annual expenditure budgets and conduct the business pursuant to the business plan and strategy which are to be in line with the policies and directions approved by the Board of Directors; and
- 6) To perform any other duties as assigned by the Board of Directors from time to time.

In this regard, the delegation of authority set forth above must be in accordance with laws and the Company's regulations and the Articles of Association. In the case that there is a conflict of interest with the Company or subsidiaries, the executive directors involved shall not have voting rights on such conflicting matters.

### (2) The Audit Committee consisted of the following 3 members:

- 1 Mr. Chanmanu Sumawong Independent Director and Audit Committee Chairman
- 2. Mr. Akarat Na Ranong Independent Director and Audit Committee Member
- 3. Mr. Nuttawut Phowborom Independent Director and Audit Committee Member

Mr. Nuttawut Phowborom has adequate expertise and experience to audit the credibility of financial statements.

### Scope of Duties of the Audit Committee:

The Audit Committee has the following duties and responsibilities which are in accordance with the rules and regulations of the Securities and Exchange Commission and the Stock Exchange of Thailand. The Audit Committee shall report directly to the Board of Directors:

- 1) To review the Company's financial reporting process to ensure that it is accurate and adequate.
- 2) To review the Company's internal control system and internal audit system to ensure that they are suitable and efficient, to determine an internal audit unit's independence, as well as to approve the appointment, transfer and dismissal of the chief of an internal audit unit or any other unit in charge of an internal audit.
- 3) To revise the Anti-corruption Policy, reconsider the appropriateness of any change in Anti-corruption Policy, verify the report of the internal control system, carry out risk assessment, receive reports about staff violating the Anti-corruption Policy and investigate the report.
- 4) To review the Company's compliance with the law on securities and exchange, the Exchange's regulations, and the laws relating to the Company's business.
- 5) To consider, select and nominate an independent person to be the Company's auditor including terminating his employment, and to propose such person's remuneration, as well as to attend a non-management meeting with an auditor at least once a year.
- 6) To review connected transactions or transactions that may lead to conflicts of interests, to ensure that they are in compliance with the laws and the Exchange's regulations, and are reasonable and for the highest benefit of the Company.
- 7) To prepare, and to disclose in the Company's annual report, an Audit Committee's report which must be signed by the Audit Committee's chairman and consist of at least the following information:
  - (a) an opinion on the accuracy, completeness and credibility of the Company's financial report,
  - (b) an opinion on the adequacy of the Company's internal control system,
  - (c) an opinion on the compliance with the law on securities and exchange, the Exchange's regulations, or the laws relating to the Company's business,
  - (d) an opinion on the suitability of the auditor,
  - (e) an opinion on transactions that may lead to conflicts of interests,
  - (f) the number of Audit Committee meetings, and the attendance at such meetings by each committee member,
  - (g) an opinion or overview comment received by the Audit Committee from its performance of duties in accordance with the charter, and
  - (h) other transactions which, according to the Audit Committee's opinion, should be known to the shareholders and general investors, subject to the scope of duties and responsibilities assigned by the Company's board of directors; and
- 8) To perform any other act as assigned by the Company's Board of Directors, with the approval of the Audit Committee.

## (3) The Nomination, Compensation and Corporate Governance Committee

comprised two independent directors and one executive director as follows:

- Mr. Chanmanu Sumawong
   Independent Director and Chairman of the Nomination, Compensation and Corporate Governance Committee
- Mr. Akarat Na Ranong
   Independent Director and Member of the Nomination, Compensation and Corporate Governance Committee
- Mr. Vorasit Pokachaiyapat
   Executive Director and Member of the Nomination, Compensation and Corporate Governance Committee

Roles, Duties, and Responsibilities in Policy Making and Guideline in Nominating Director and Authorized Person:

- To review the suitability of the overall structure and composition of the Company to ensure its strength and achieve a balanced foundation for the Company. The Committee shall seek and select candidates with knowledge and capability that match with the Company's businesses in order to further propose to the Company's Board of Directors or the Shareholders' Meeting as required by each circumstance.
- 2) To seek and select candidates from the following
  - (2.1) Selecting candidates from the Company's personnel by identifying persons with knowledge, competence, and skills suitable for the position by ways of promoting personnel who have knowledge, competence, and direct experiences suitable for that particular position.
  - (2.2) Selecting candidates from outside the Company, focusing on persons from financial institutions or financial fields with experience appropriate for the position.
- 3) To Consider the following qualifications in selecting suitable candidates:
  - (3.1) Selecting and nominating persons with appropriate qualifications who are not restricted by any laws or official regulations.
  - (3.2) Selecting and nominating persons who have appropriate knowledge, competency, and experience in accordance with the Company's target and vision for those positions.
  - (3.3) Selecting and nominating persons who do not have a conflict of interest with the Company.
  - (3.4) Selecting and nominating persons with integrity, good morality, and honesty.

- (3.5) Selecting and nominating persons who can dedicate time and effort for such roles and responsibilities.
- 4) To approach qualified persons as mentioned and to ensure their interest and disposition in assuming directorship if they were to be appointed by the shareholders.
- 5) To consider the independence of each Independent Director to assess the qualification of an Independent Director. Also, to consider whether nominating a new Independent Director is required in the case of insufficiency in Independent Directors in accordance with the policies set by the Company's Board of Directors.
- 6) To consider an annual performance evaluation of Directors and authorized persons.

Roles, Duties, and Responsibilities in Policy Making and Guideline in Setting Remuneration for Directors and Authorized Persons :

- To establish an appropriate structure of remuneration packages, taking into account the duties and responsibilities of Directors and authorized persons in order to retain and incentivize appropriately while fairly reflecting the performance results.
- 2) The remuneration package must go through a process and procedure that is transparent, in compliance with corporate governance, and open to examination.
- 3) To determine regulations for the remuneration by considering the following:
  - (3.1) Comparing with companies in peer or similar industry.
  - (3.2) Suitable with the Company performance, appointed duties and responsibilities, and at an appropriate level to retain and incentivize as well as annual performance evaluation.
  - (3.3) Being at a level that is fair to shareholders.
  - (3.4) Being under framework, criteria, and regulation of the authority concerned. Being transparent, in compliance with good corporate governance and fair with all related parties.
- 4) In the evaluation of Directors and authorized persons, responsibilities and associated risks must be considered as well as an importance to add value to shareholders in the long term.

### <u>Duties</u>, and <u>Responsibilities on Policy and Guidelines of Corporate Governance</u>

- To study and prepare the drafted corporate governance policy subject to law, criteria, regulations and rules currently stipulated by the organizations that govern corporate governance such as the Stock Exchange of Thailand, the Securities and Exchange Commission and other related entities as well as international corporate governance standards.
- 2) To propose to the Board of Directors the drafted corporate governance policy for

- consideration and approval before implementing it as the principle of best practices by the Company's directors and management in the form of a written Corporate Governance Policy Statement.
- 3) To govern, supervise and give advice to directors and management of the Company on their performance of duties and responsibilities in accordance with frameworks and criteria of corporate governance policy so that the directors' duties of governing and the executives' administration have been performed efficiently and perfectly, nicely and implemented constantly, and consistent with the shareholders and stakeholders' expectations.
- 4) To consider, review and revise the corporate governance policy continually at least once a year to keep the Company's corporate governance policy updated and in line with international standards, laws, criteria, rules and regulations as well as recommendations from internal units that have duties in corporate governance matters.
- 5) To follow up and assess the performance of the Directors and executives of the Company in compliance with best practices as specified in the corporate governance policy.
- 6) To propose the guideline for best practices in relation to morality and code of conduct for business operations to be performed by Directors, executives and employees of the Company.
- 7) To study and plan the policy and guidelines of Corporate Social Responsibility.
- 8) To perform any other duties assigned by the Board of Directors.
- **(4) The Group Investment Committee** is comprised of directors and executives from each company in the group responsible for setting business policies and supervising investment of the Company and its affiliates.
- **(5)** The Group Risk Management Committee is comprised of directors and executives from each company in the group responsible for setting risk management guidelines and policies of the Company and its affiliates.

### **Selection of Directors and Executives**

In 2023, the Board of Directors selected the directors of the Company in accordance with the qualifications specified in Section 68 of the Public Company Act, B.E. 2535 and in related notifications of the SEC. In addition, experience, knowledge and ability were also taken into consideration. The selected candidates were then nominated in a shareholders' meeting for appointment. As of 31 December 2023, from the total number of 5 directors, the Company had 1 director from the group of major shareholders, namely. Mr. Vorasit Pokachaiyapat.

The election of the members of the Board of Directors is made at shareholders' meetings pursuant to the following procedures:

- Each shareholder has one vote for each share held.
- Each shareholder may cast all of his/her votes to select one or more candidates, but if selecting more than one candidate the number of votes given to each candidate cannot be greater nor lesser than the number of votes given to the other(s).
- The persons successively receiving the highest number of votes will be elected as directors until the permissible number of directors in the particular election is reached. In the case of an equal number of votes given to more than one candidate, which causes the number of directors to be greater than the permissible number, the chairman shall cast the deciding vote.

## 6.1.2 Policy and guidelines related to shareholders and stakeholders

### 1. The Equitable Treatment of Shareholders

The Company recognizes the importance of equitable treatment of all share-holders including executive shareholders, non-executive shareholders as well as foreign shareholders. Therefore, the Company has undertaken the following tasks to ensure such equal and fair treatment. Moreover, the Board of Directors also provides opportunities to minority shareholders so they can nominate a candidate for a director position and/or propose additional items for meeting agenda prior to the meeting. A proxy is made possible as an alternative for shareholders who are unable to attend the meeting to exercise their rights:

### 1. Voting Rights in the Shareholders' Meeting

Every shareholder has the right to vote in the meeting with one vote for each share held. In the event that there is a conflict of interest on any agenda item, the shareholder involved shall not have voting rights on that item (except for the election of directors). For the 2023 Annual General Meeting of Shareholders, there were no conflicts of interest issues on any agenda item.

Shareholders unable to participate in the meeting have the option to appoint proxies who could be independent directors or any other person instructed to attend the meeting. The Company will provide the name of an independent director who will act as a proxy in the proxy forms, as per the Ministry of Commerce's designation, to attend and vote in the meeting.

### 2. Meeting Agenda and Proposal for Additional Agenda Item

Meetings will be carried out in line with the Company's Articles of Association and according to the announced agenda. Detailed information on each agenda item is presented to the meeting for shareholders consideration. The Company will avoid adding other agenda items besides the ones already presented to

shareholders, especially important agenda items that shareholders need time to review prior to making any decision.

Shareholders holding an aggregate number of shares not less than one-third of the total number of shares sold can request to add other agenda items besides the ones already presented in the meeting notice. However, for the 2023 Annual General Meeting of Shareholders, there were no such additional agenda items requested.

### 3. Suggestions, Comments or Complaints

The Company has 3 independent directors of the Board of Directors, to ensure fair treatment of minority shareholders. Minority shareholders can express their opinions and give suggestions or complaints to independent directors who will inspect these opinions or complaints and arrange further measures, as appropriate.

### 4. Voting

Voting procedures are transparently carried out according to the scheduled agenda. Each shareholder has the right to vote for the election of each director. The Company provides voting cards for important agenda items and keeps the voting cards for shareholders' review should there be any dispute.

### 2. The Role of Stakeholders

The Company realizes the importance of protecting the rights of all stakeholders following the requirements of the law and the Company code of conduct as follows:

Shareholders: The Company is determined to achieve a good operating performance to create shareholders satisfaction, with due consideration to the growth of the Company's value over the long term. The Company discloses all information in a transparent and trustworthy manner. In addition, every shareholder has an equal right to vote except for shareholders who have conflicts of interest in which they will have the right to vote only for the election of directors, but not on that particular matter.

**Employees:** The Company treats all employees with care and fairness and provides reasonable remuneration and benefits such as provident funds, including welfare as required by the Labor Law. The Company also supports the enhancement of its employees' capabilities and promotes a decent business culture, teamwork and a favorable and secure working atmosphere.

**Customers:** The Company focuses on providing high quality services, treating customers' information as confidential and ensuring that the process and procedure for

handling customers' complaints is clearly and fairly stated, and that responsible persons are assigned to deal with any such complaints.

### **Business Partners:**

The Company focuses on selecting appropriate business partners, dealing with fair treatment and providing opportunities to those business partners of the same product type to compete in the Company's purchasing procedure in both prices and quality of products.

Moreover, the Company also attaches great importance to the integrity of fulfilling the terms and conditions made with business partners and commits to no exploitation under the agreed conditions; the Company has a procedure in selecting reliable, professional vendors with good performance and providing quality products and services; the Company also organizes a list of regular vendors who provide good services, and updates the list every year by means of assessment of prices, quality of products, delivery and after-sales services in order to maintain business vendors' quality of products and services.

### Lenders:

The Company attaches great importance to the integrity of fulfilling the obligations made with trading lenders and commits to no exploitation under the conditions that are mutually agreed and discloses information with accuracy, adequacy and in a timely manner via appropriate channels which lenders can review.

**Competitors:** The Company follows the rule of fairness in competing with others and avoids any wrongdoing toward its competitors.

### Society and Environment:

The company takes a responsible attitude towards society. Business operation not only strictly adheres to the relevant laws, but also creates the advantages for society and public sector in the area of economy, culture, tradition and environment; the Company also supports activities relating to the environment, including a campaign to turn off the lights and the computer screen during the lunch break, to adjust the temperature to suit the workplace, and a campaign to print only necessary documents. The senior management of the Group plays an important role in promoting the principles of social responsibility.

**Public Sector:** The Company conducts its business in adherence to laws, rules and regulations of the authorities as well as provides effective cooperation according to government policies. Moreover, the Company will not involve or operate business with any illegal organizations or individuals.

In summary, the Company abides by all relevant laws and regulations in order to

ensure the rights of all stakeholders are well protected. The Company also supports useful activities and treats any complaints as important in order to improve its operations.

The Company established an Investor Relations Department to take care of the Company's information dissemination to investors as well as receive suggestions or complaints unrelated to corruption issues from investors or stakeholders. Investor Relations can be reached at

Tel : 02-697-3700

Website : www.fnsplc.com

E-mail : ir@fnsplc.com

Investors or stakeholders can communicate with directors through the following channel:

**Registered mail**: The Office of Directors

FNS Holdings Plc.

No.345, Surawong Road, 6th Floor 345 Surawong Building

Suriyawong, Bangrak ,Bangkok 10500

Investors or stakeholders who witness any corruption can inform or send a complaint of such corruption issues through the following channels:

**Registered mail**: The Independent Director Office

FNS Holdings Plc.

No.345, Surawong Road, 6th Floor 345 Surawong Building

Suriyawong, Bangrak ,Bangkok 10500

Website : www.fnsplc.com

E-mail : id@fnsplc.com

The Company has a policy and measures to protect a complainant by treating the complaint or the report about corruption confidentially and forwarding it to the Compliance Unit to conclude, after which it will be sent to the Audit Committee. In 2023 there was no formal complaint from investors and stakeholders.

### 3. Disclosure and Transparency

The Board of Directors realizes the importance of information disclosure and has set up policies to ensure that all information disclosed is accurate, complete and transparent. Such information includes financial and non-financial information about the Company that is in line with the Office of the Securities and Exchange Commission and the Stock Exchange of Thailand that may affect the share price as well as the decisions of the Company's investors and stakeholders. Therefore, the Company has disseminated important and adequate information including Annual Registration Statement (Form 56-1) to shareholders, investors and the general public via the SET Community Portal. In addition, the annual reports, operational performance and credit rating are posted

on the Company's website. The Company also prepares a good corporate governance report annually in both Thai and English versions and discloses them in its annual report.

The Board of Directors takes responsibility for the consolidated financial statements of the Company and its subsidiaries as well as financial information disclosed in its annual report. The Report on the Board of Directors' responsibility towards the Company's financial statements is disclosed in the annual report together with the report of the independent auditor. Financial statements are prepared in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles in Thailand, by utilizing appropriate accounting policies and applied consistently. Moreover, sufficient important information is disclosed in the notes to the financial statements. The Audit Committee reviews the quality of financial reporting and the adequacy of the internal control system and ensures that sufficient significant information is disclosed in the notes to the financial statements. The views of the Audit Committee on such matters are presented to the Board and to the shareholders' meeting, respectively

The Company also discloses information on the Board of Directors and sub committees i.e. their roles and responsibilities, number of meetings, attendance of each director, opinions in line with the committee's duties, remuneration for directors and management policy, type and amount of remuneration paid to directors of the Company and where those directors also sit on subsidiaries' Boards.

#### 6.2 Business Ethics

The Company has prepared a code of conduct and operational manual and disseminated these to the Directors, executives and employees of the Company and its affiliates. This is to ensure the accuracy, transparency and fairness of business conduct to related parties and customers, which is in accordance with good corporate governance. The practice of such code of conduct and manual has been followed up consistently and disciplinary penalties have been stated. The topics covered are as follows: (Details provided in attachment 5)

Section 1 : General Business Ethics, Laws and Compliance

Section 2 : Confidentiality

Section 3 : External Business Activities and Conflicts of Interest

Section 4 : Gifts and Entertainment Section 5 : Investing in Securities

Section 6: Money Laundering

Section 7 : Protecting Group Property

Section 8 : Anti Corruption Policy

Section 9 : Discrimination and Harassment

# 6.3 Material changes and developments regarding policy, guidelines and corporate governance system in the preceding year

# **6.3.1** The information on material changes and developments related to good corporate governance

The Company and the Board of Directors emphasize the importance of practicing good corporate governance as stipulated by the Office of the Securities and Exchange Commission ("SEC") and the Stock Exchange of Thailand ("SET"). Compliance with good corporate governance principles is reviewed annually. The Board also reviews the Company's corporate governance policy and report of compliance at least once a year.

The Company discloses its Policies and business ethics on the Company's website (www.fnsplc. com.) making it accessible to staff of the FNS Group at all levels. The major objective is to communicate with staff of the FNS Group, shareholders, and all stakeholders in regards to the commitment of the Board of Directors to good corporate governance practices and principles.

In 2023, the Company completed the following activities in supporting good corporate governance:

- The Company's Good Corporate Governance policy was reviewed based on the 2012
  Corporate Governance Code of the SET and the 2017 Corporate Governance Code of
  the SEC and presented to the Board of Directors meeting no. 1/2024 on February 29,
  2024 for consideration and acknowledgement and to be applied in the Company's business context.
- 2. Assessed corruption risks, reviewed the anti-corruption policy and guidelines for the year 2023, reviewed the Company's code of conduct and guideline for prevention of conflict of interest.
- 3. Granted the renewal of membership of the Private Sector Collective Action Coalition Against Corruption Project for 3 years from June 2023 – June 2026
- 4. The Company received a score of 93% for its 2023 shareholders' meeting based on the performance assessment program co-organized by the Thai Investor Association, Thai Listed Companies Association and the Securities and Exchange Commission.
- 5. The independent directors acknowledged the opinion of the Independent Financial Advisor on the disposition of investments in NEO Corporate Plc.
- 6. The independent directors acknowledged the opinion of the Independent Financial Advisor on the acquisition of asset of investment in Siri Plc. by M.K. Real Estate Plc., a subsidiary.

#### Enhance effectiveness of the Board of Directors

- 1. Scheduling the Board of Directors' meeting in advance for each year.
  - 1.1 The Board of Directors shall meet at least 4 times a year, considered suitable for the Company.
  - 1.2 The Audit Committee shall meet at least 4 times a year.

- 1.3 The Nomination, Compensation and Corporate Governance Committee shall meet at least 2 times a year.
- 1.4 For other Committees, frequency of meetings shall be left to the discretion of each Committee's Chairperson.
- 2. Each Director is required to attend at least 75% of the Board of Directors meetings held each year.
  - In 2023, the Board of Directors held 10 meetings. and all members attended at least 75% of all board meetings.
- 3. The Board of Directors shall hold a meeting at least once a year without the participation of an Executive Director and any members of the management.
  - The Board of Directors held 1 meeting without the participation of an Executive Director and any members of the management on November 20, 2023.
- 4. Upon voting in each Board meeting, there shall be not less than two-thirds of all its members attending which constitutes a quorum.
  - In 2023, at 10 board meetings, two-third of all members attended each meeting which constituted a quorum.
- 5. Directors shall not hold positions of directors in more than 5 other listed companies.
  - In 2023, each director did not hold positions in more than 5 other listed companies.
- 6. In the case that the Managing Director will take up a directorship in another company (except the company which is owned by his/her immediate family member), this must be approved by the Board of Directors before taking up the directorship.
  - In 2023, the Managing Director did not take up a new directorship in any company.
- 7. Directors and Executives shall report a conflict of interest.
  - As at December 31, 2023, conflict of interest reports were made by directors and executives and kept by the Company's secretary / the Board of Directors' secretary.

#### 6.3.2 Other Practices in Accordance with Good Corporate Governance Principles

Good corporate governance principles in 2023 include:

#### The Rights of Shareholders

There are several basic rights of shareholders as stated in the Company's Articles of Association and other relevant laws and regulations. Such basic rights include the right to purchase, sell or transfer shares, the right to share in the profits of the Company, the right to receive sufficient information, the right to participate in shareholders' meetings, the right to give opinions and the right to participate in major decision making of the Company such as dividend payment, appointment or removal of directors, appointment of independent auditors, approval on important transactions which effects the Company's business direction and adjustments to the Company's Memorandum of Association and Articles of Association.

The Company recognizes and emphasizes the importance of the basic rights of shareholders. Relevant matters are undertaken with efficiency in accordance with the good corporate governance principles to protect such shareholders' rights including:

#### 1. Shareholders' Meeting

An annual shareholders' meeting is held within four months from the end of the previous year's accounting period. An extraordinary general meeting will be held if there is an urgent or special agenda that has to be proposed to shareholders i.e. matters that affect shareholders' interests or matters requiring shareholders' approval under relevant laws or regulations.

In 2023, the Company held 1 annual general shareholders' meeting: a 2023 Annual General Meeting of Shareholders on April 25, 2023 at 2.30 pm. at Crowne Plaza Bangkok Lumpini Hotel, Crowne Room 1-3, 21st Floor, No.952 Rama 4 Road, Bangkok, Thailand. 5 out of 5 directors (or 100 %) including the Chairman, the Managing Director, the Chairman of the Audit Committee, the Audit Committee Member, the Chairman of the Nomination, Compensation and Corporate Governance Committee, the Nomination, Compensation and Corporate Governance Committee Member and Directors were present at the meeting. In addition, there were 2 extraordinary general meetings of shareholders held in 2023: 1) the extraordinary general meeting of shareholders No.1/2023 held on 23 June 2023 at 14.30 hrs., in which 4 directors out of 5 participated (equivalent to 80%), and 2) the extraordinary general meeting of shareholders No.2/2023 held on 20 November 2023 at 10.00 hrs., in which 5 directors out of 5 participated (equivalent to 100%).

In each shareholders' meeting, the Chairman carried out the meeting as required by law and encouraged all shareholders to vote, ask questions, express opinions and give suggestions on all business matters of the Company. The Chairman and directors clearly explained and answered every important inquiry from shareholders, and welcomed shareholders' suggestions for business operations. In addition, representatives of the Company's auditor who audited the 2023 financial statements were present at the meeting to answer shareholders' questions on financial statements. Voting procedures were transparently carried out according to the scheduled agenda.

The Company set up a guideline for the shareholders' meeting to ensure that shareholders' rights would not be compromised. At any point in the meeting, shareholders could register and enter the meeting to honor their voting rights on agenda items on which vote casting had not been made. The Company did not adjust or distribute additional documents which contained important information during the meeting without prior notice.

The Company undertook steps to facilitate the 2023 annual general shareholders' meetings. Greeters and registration staff were arranged to assist shareholders with the registration at least two hours before the meeting (except for the Extraordinary General Meeting No.2/2023 that the registration was open one and a half hours prior to the meeting). The IT system with barcode was applied to the registration process for acceleration, accuracy and simplicity of the process. Besides, shareholders who attended the meetings were appropriately received.

As for the venue of all shareholders' meetings, The Crowne Plaza Bangkok Lumpini Hotel, was located in the business area and were convenient to all transportation. Moreover, the meetings were held on a business working day and at an appropriate time of the day.

#### 2. Prior to the Shareholders' Meeting and Delivery of the Meeting Notice

The Company had published the Notice of Shareholders' Meeting in both Thai and English, and all complete documentation for the meeting were attached including a detailed agenda, Board of Directors' opinion, minutes of the last shareholders' meeting, the Company's Articles of Association (Shareholders' Meeting part only), background of independent directors who would be appointed as proxy, other information necessary for making voting decisions and Proxy Form as well as a map of the meeting venue. The aforementioned information was made available via various channels as follows:

## News through the system of the SET:

The resolutions of the Board of Directors' Meeting, The 2023 Annual General Meeting of Shareholders which indicated the schedule of the Meeting, the agendas, and dividend payment were published on 30 March 2023.

#### The Company's Website:

- The Invitation to the Annual General Shareholders' meeting and documentation for the meeting were published on the website on 30 March 2023, 30 days prior to the meeting, and the same documents were mailed to each shareholder prior the meeting. In addition, an Annual Report was provided to shareholders before the meeting day.
- The Invitation to the Extraordinary General Shareholders' meeting No.1/2023 and documentation for the meeting were published on the website on 7 June 2023, 16 days prior to the meeting,
- The Invitation to the Extraordinary General Shareholders' meeting No.2/2023 and documentation for the meeting were published on the website on 27 October 2023, 25 days prior to the meeting,

#### <u>Mailing:</u>

The Company assigned Thailand Securities Depository Company Limited, the Company's Share Registrar, to send a notice and relevant document to all shareholders at least 14 days prior to the Annual General Meeting date.

Newspaper Advertisement: The Company also published the Invitation to Shareholders' Annual General Meeting, and the invitation to the Extraordinary Shareholders' Meeting No.1/2023 and No.2/2023 in a daily newspaper for three consecutive days, and 7 days prior to the meeting date.

As for the 2023 Annual General Meeting of Shareholders, the Company provided the following opportunities to the Company's shareholders to raise issues via the Company's website (www.fnsplc.com):

- 1. Issues for consideration as additional items of meeting agenda, two months prior to the meeting day, from 11 Novermber 2022 to 31 January 2023.
- 2. Nominating the candidate for Director was provided two months prior to the meeting day, from 11 Novermber 2022 to 31 January 2023.

#### 3. Meeting Procedure

Before each shareholders' meeting commenced (the 2023 annual general meeting, the extraordinary general meeting No.1/2023 and No.2/2023), the MC clearly informed the meeting of all relevant rules including vote-counting procedures for each agenda item as required by the Company's Articles and voting rights for each agenda item. After information on each agenda item was presented, the Chairman offered all shareholders an equal opportunity to ask questions and give suggestions within appropriate time. Directors and management were present to answer all shareholders' queries.

#### 4. Process after the Meeting

The Company disclosed the voting results for each agenda via News through the SET System within the meeting day.

The minutes of the meeting were recorded accurately and comprehensively, including significant details, e.g., the name of attending Directors, voting procedure, questions and answers for each agenda item, as well as the numbers of votes for approval, disapproval, abstention or void. The minutes of the 2023 Annual General Meeting of Shareholders and the minutes of the Extraordinary General Meeting No.1/2023 and No.2/2023 were submitted to the SET and made available on the Company's website (www.fnsplc.com) within 14 days after the meeting day.

#### The Equitable Treatment of Shareholders

The Company recognizes the importance of equitable treatment of all shareholders including executive shareholders, non-executive shareholders as well as foreign shareholders. Therefore, the Company has undertaken the following tasks to ensure such equal and fair treatment. Moreover, the Board of Directors also provides opportunities to minority shareholders so they can nominate a candidate for a director position and/or propose additional items for meeting agenda prior to

the meeting. A proxy is made possible as an alternative for shareholders who are unable to attend the meeting to exercise their rights:

#### 1. Voting Rights in the Shareholders' Meeting

Every shareholder has the right to vote in the meeting with one vote for each share held. In the event that there is a conflict of interest on any agenda item, the shareholder involved shall not have voting rights on that item (except for the election of directors). For the 2023 Annual General Meeting of Shareholders and the Extraordinary General Meeting No.1/2023 and No.2/2023, there were no conflicts of interest issues on any agenda item.

Shareholders unable to participate in the meeting have the option to appoint proxies who could be independent directors or any other person instructed to attend the meeting. The Company will provide the name of an independent director who will act as a proxy in the proxy forms, as per the Ministry of Commerce's designation, to attend and vote in the meeting.

#### 2. Meeting Agenda and Proposal for Additional Agenda Item

Meetings will be carried out in line with the Company's Articles of Association and according to the announced agenda. Detailed information on each agenda item is presented to the meeting for shareholders consideration. The Company will avoid adding other agenda items besides the ones already presented to shareholders, especially important agenda items that shareholders need time to review prior to making any decision.

Shareholders holding an aggregate number of shares not less than one-third of the total number of shares sold can request to add other agenda items besides the ones already presented in the meeting notice. However, for the 2023 Annual General Meeting of Shareholders and the Extraordinary General Meeting No.1/2023 and No.2/2023, there were no such additional agenda items requested.

#### 3. Suggestions, Comments or Complaints

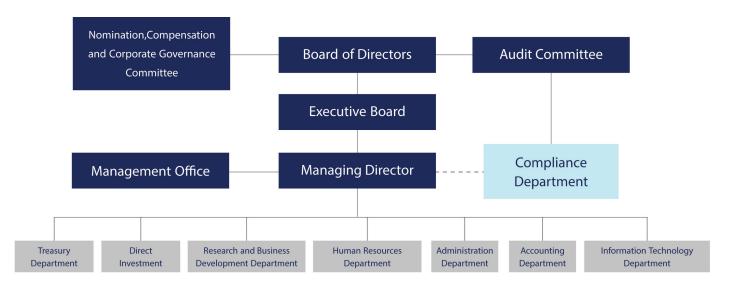
The Company has 3 independent directors of the Board of Directors, to ensure fair treatment of minority shareholders. Minority shareholders can express their opinions and give suggestions or complaints to independent directors who will inspect these opinions or complaints and arrange further measures, as appropriate.

#### 4. Voting

Voting procedures are transparently carried out according to the scheduled agenda. Each shareholder has the right to vote for the election of each director. The Company provides voting cards for important agenda items and keeps the voting cards for shareholders' review should there be any dispute.

# 7. Corporate governance structure and significant information related to the Board of Directors, sub-committees, executives, employees and others

#### 7.1 Board of director structure



Note: This organization chart was approved at the Board of Directors' meeting 5/2022 held on 11 August 2022.

#### 7.2 Information on the Board of Directors

#### 7.2.1 The composition of the Board of Directors

At present the Board of Directors consists of 5 directors of which 3 are independent directors.

#### 7.2.2 The information on each director and controlling person

The Company's Board of Directors consistes of the following members:

1.	Mr. Akarat Na Ranong	Chairman, Member of the Audit Committee and
		Independent Director
2.	Mr. Vorasit Pokachaiyapat	Managing Director
3.	Mr. Chanmanu Sumawong	Independent Director and Chairman of the Audit Committee
4.	Mr. Nuttawut Phowborom	Independent Director and Member of the Audit Committee
5.	Mr. James Marshall	Director and Executive Director

Two directors signing jointly and affixed with the Company Seal may bind the Company, namely: Mr. Vorasit Pokachaiyapat and Mr. James Marshall.

#### 7.2.3 The roles and duties of the Board of Directors

#### Scope of Duties of the Board of Directors

The Board of Directors has the responsibility of managing the Company in compliance with relevant laws, the Company's business objectives, its Articles of Association and the resolutions of shareholders' meetings. Responsibilities also include the formulation of policies and operating directions,

financial management, risk management, and providing guidance and supervision to the management to operate efficiently and effectively and in accordance with the relevant policies. The interests of the shareholders will be taken into account in managing the Company. The Board of Directors also has the power to appoint a certain number of directors to be members of the executive committee and to perform specific tasks.

The Board of Directors has empowered the directors authorized to sign for and bind the Company to independently conduct various matters. However, the matters set forth below require a prior resolution from the meeting of the shareholders. In the case that there is a conflict of interest between the Company or subsidiaries and one or more of its directors, the directors involved may not vote.

- 1) when resolution of the meeting of shareholders is required by law; and
- 2) on matters in which directors may have an interest and a resolution of the meeting of shareholders is required by law or by the regulations of the Stock Exchange of Thailand.

The matters specified below require a resolution of the Board of Directors and of the meeting of shareholders passed by a vote of not less than three-fourths of the total number of shareholders present at the meeting and entitled to vote. Treasury stocks held by the Company carry no voting rights.

- 1) the sale or transfer of whole or important parts of a business of the Company to other persons;
- 2) the purchase or acceptance of transfer of businesses of other companies or private companies to the Company;
- 3) the making, amending or canceling of contracts relating to the leasing out of the business of the Company, whole or certain important parts, the assignment to any other persons to manage the business of the Company or the amalgamation of the business with other persons with an objective towards profit and loss sharing;
- 4) the amendment of the Memorandum of Association or the Articles of Association of the Company;
- 5) the increase or decrease in registered capital of the Company;
- 6) the merger or liquidation of the Company; and
- 7) other matters specified by law.

#### Chairman of the Board of Directors: Scope of Duties

- 1. Setting Board meeting agendas in consultation with the Managing Director and overseeing the process to ensure the Board members receive accurate, complete and clear information prior to the meeting to assist them in the decision making process.
- 2. Providing leadership and direction to the Board of Directors and being chair of the Board meetings.
  - 2.1 Conducting a Board meeting according to the agenda, the Company's Articles of Association, and applicable laws.

- 2.2 Allocating sufficient time to each Board member to discuss and express his/her opinion freely and use his/her discretion in making decisions by taking all stake-holders into consideration.
- 2.3 Summarizing the Board meeting resolutions clearly.
- 3. Being Chairperson in a meeting of shareholders and conducting the meeting according to the agenda, the Company's Articles of Association and relevant laws by allocating appropriate time along with providing opportunities for shareholders to express their opinions equitably and ensuring that shareholders' inquiries are responded to appropriately.
- 4. Supporting management according to the principles of good corporate governance and the Company's Code of Conduct.
- 5. Ensuring that the Board of Directors has an appropriate structure and composition.
- 6. Ensuring that there is a performance assessment of the Board of Directors as a whole and self-assessment of directors including Sub-committee members and that the assessment results are reviewed for performance improvement.

#### 7.3 Information on subcommittees

#### 7.3.1 Subcommittees

As at 31 December 2023, the Company organized several committees, including the Executive Committee, the Audit Committee, the Nomination, Compensation and Corporate Governance Committee, the Group Investment Committee and the Group Risk Management Committee to conduct the Company business according to the assignment by the Board of Directors.

#### 7.3.2 Information on subcommittees (As at 31 December 2023)

(1) <u>The Executive Committee</u> consisted of the following 2 members:

Mr. Vorasit Pokachaiyapat Managing Director and Executive Director
 Mr. James Marshall Director and Executive Director

(2) The Audit Committee consisted of the following 3 members:

Mr. Chanmanu Sumawong
 Independent Director and Audit Committee Chairman
 Mr. Akarat Na Ranong
 Independent Director and Audit Committee Member
 Mr. Nuttawut Phowborom
 Independent Director and Audit Committee Member

Mr. Nuttawut Phowborom has adequate expertise and experience to audit the credibility of financial statements.

(3) <u>The Nomination, Compensation and Corporate Governance Committee</u> comprised two independent directors and one executive director as follows:

1. Mr. Chanmanu Sumawong Independent Director and Chairman of the Nomination, Compensation and Corporate Governance Committee

2. Mr. Akarat Na Ranong Independent Director and Member of the Nomi-

nation, Compensation and Corporate Governance

Committee

3. Mr. Vorasit Pokachaiyapat Executive Director and Member of the Nomination,

Compensation and Corporate Governance Committee

(4) <u>The Group Investment Committee</u> is comprised of directors and executives from each company in the group responsible for setting business policies and supervising investment of the Company and its affiliates.

(5) <u>The Group Risk Management Committee</u> is comprised of directors and executives from each company in the group responsible for setting risk management guidelines and policies of the Company and its affiliates.

Name	The Board of Directors	The Executive Committee	The Audit Committee	The Nomination, Compensation and Corporate Governance Committee	The Group Investment Committee	The Group Risk Management Committee
1. Mr. Akarat Na Ranong	<b>V</b>		<b>V</b>	<b>V</b>		
2. Mr. Vorasit Pokachaiyapat	<b>V</b>	<b>V</b>		<b>V</b>	<b>V</b>	<b>V</b>
3. Mr. Nuttawut Phowborom	<b>V</b>		<b>V</b>			
4. Mr. Chanmanu Sumawong	<b>V</b>		<b>V</b>	V		
5. Mr. James Marshall	<b>V</b>	<b>V</b>			<b>V</b>	<b>V</b>
6. Mrs. Snitha Asawachinda						<b>V</b>

#### 7.4 Information on management

#### 7.4.1 Structure of management

Management Team : The management team of FNS Holdings Plc. as at 31 December 2023 consisted of the following 9 executives:

1. Mr. Vorasit Pokachaiyapat Managing Director

2. Mr. James Marshall Director / Head of Research and Business Development

3. Ms. Rachanee Mahatdetkul Senior Vice President of Direct Investment

4. Mrs. Snitha Asawachinda Treasurer

5. Mr. Chakhrit Suphepre Group Head of IT & SVP

6. Ms. Wipa Nilsophon Assistant Managing Director, Compliance Department

7. Mr. Chankit Assawarotjanamitre Head of Administration

8. Mrs. Nuchalee Junkhun Head of Human Resources

9. Ms.Papatsamon Chuntavee Vice President, Accounting Department/

Chief Financial Officer

Note: All are Management according to the SEC's notification.

#### Scope of Duties of the Managing Director

The Managing Director has power and responsibilities to manage and monitor the normal business transactions of the Company including other authority as assigned by the Company's Board of Director or the Executive Committee. The Managing Director also has the power to delegate his authority to other individual as appropriate to manage and perform duties as necessary but subject to the law and the Company's regulations and the Articles of Association.

In this regard, the delegation of authority set forth above must not grant the Managing Director or the assignee power to approve any transaction with a conflict of interest with the Company or its subsidiaries.

Scope of duties of the Managing Director is as follows.

- 1) Manage and undertake the Company's normal business transactions,
- 2) Prepare the Company's business policy and strategy together with the Executive Committee prior to submitting to the Board of Directors for approval,
- 3) Monitor to ensure that the Company's business transactions are in accordance with the established business plans and strategy approved by the Board and in accordance with relevant laws and regulations,
- 4) Establish the organization and management structure relating to human resources including recruitment, training, employment and termination of employment as well as approve the appointment, transfer and dismissal of employees,
- 5) Oversee and monitor business activity and operational performance and report to the board of directors,
- 6) Approve the procurement of the Company's office supply and sign on behalf of the Company for purchase agreements, procurement agreements, rental agreements, service agreements, maintenance agreements and other relevant documents.
- 7) Perform any other act as assigned by the Company's Board of Directors.

#### 7.4.2 Remuneration

#### Remuneration to Executives

The Company has determined the remuneration provided to executives in accordance with the principles and policies set by the Board, which is also consistent with the performance of the Company and each of the executives.

#### 1. Remuneration in money

In 2023, the Company paid compensation including salary, bonus, social security contribution, to 9 executives totaling Baht 25.62 million.

#### 2. Other remuneration

The Company has provided a provident fund for the management, where the Com-

pany contributes 5 -7 percent of their salaries. In the year 2023, the Company has made contributions to the provident fund for 9 executives totaling Baht 1.59 million.

## 7.5 Information on employees

Personnel as at 31 December 2023, the Company and its subsidiaries had totally 25 employees as follows:

	Group	FNS				
1.	Management	2				
2.	Direct Investment, Investment / Research & BD	4				
3.	Treasury	3				
4.	Operations, Administration, Accounting, Information Technology, Human Resources, Product Origination	14				
5.						
Tota	Total (person)					

In 2023, the Company and its subsidiaries paid compensation, including salary, bonus, provident fund and social security contribution, to their employees totaling Baht 41.94 million.

## 7.6 Other significant information

# 7.6.1 List of persons assigned in the bookkeeping, Company secretary, Head of internal audit or external auditor, Head of compliance

- 1. Those who are assigned to be directly responsible for the control of the company's accounting.
  - (1) Ms. Papatsamon Chuntavee, Vice President of Accounting Department, is assigned as Chief Financial Officer (CFO). Qualifications of a person holding a position as CFO is in attachment 1.
  - (2) Ms. Pornpen Putthikullawut, Assistant Vice President of Accounting Department, assigned person to take responsibility of accounting supervision.

#### 2. Company Secretary

The Board of Directors' Meeting No. 5/2022 held on August 11, 2022 has appointed Mr. Vorasit Pokachaiyapat as Company Secretary. Qualifications of a person holding a position as company secretary is in attachment 1.

### Company Secretary: Scope of Duties

The Board has appointed Mr. Vorasit Pokachaiyapat as Company Secretary with duties and responsibilities pertaining to Section 89/15 and 89/16 of the Securities and

Exchange Act (No.4) B.E.2551 as follows:

- 1. Overseeing the various activities of the Board of Directors.
- 2. Providing Directors with preliminary advice on legal provisions, rules and Articles of Association of the Company, as well as good corporate governance principles and the code of conduct to which the Directors should adhere, and ensuring that they are always properly compiled with, by the Directors and including informing Directors when there are significant changes in these.
- 3. Preparing detailed documentation and information which are useful for new Directors and advising them on the direction of the Company's business operations.
- 4. Organizing meetings of shareholders and meetings of the Board of Directors, ensuring that both meetings are in compliance with the laws, the Company's Articles of Association, and other requirements.
- 5. Taking minutes of the meetings of shareholders and of the Board of Directors, monitoring and ensuring the implementation of the resolutions adopted at both meetings.
- 6. Preparing and keeping a registration book of Directors, notifications of meetings of the Board of Directors, minutes of meetings of the Board of Directors, reports on conflicts of interest of the Directors and executives, annual reports of the Company, notifications of meetings of shareholders, and minutes of meetings of shareholders.
- 7. Disclosing information and forwarding corporate news or reports to the relevant regulatory agencies, in compliance with its statutory requirements.
- 8. Taking other actions as required by the Capital Market Supervisory Board.

#### 3. The outsourced internal auditor

The Audit Committee Meeting no. 1/2023 on 22 February 2023 appointed Accounting Revolution Company Limited to act as an out-sourced independent internal auditor of the Company for the year 2023 with Mrs. Sasivimon Suksai, Managing Director to be the main responsible internal auditor. The Audit Committee was of the opinion that Accounting Revolution Company Limited and Mrs. Sasivimon Suksai were considered to be qualified and appropriate as they had true independence and long-term experience in internal audit and internal control review. The Audit Committee was responsible for the appointment or removal of the internal auditor of the Company. The Company had assigned Ms. Wipa Nilsophon, Head of Compliance Department to coordinate with the out-sourced independent internal audit company. (Details on the main responsible person for the internal audit of the Company are provided in attachment 3)

#### 4. Compliance

The Company had assigned Ms. Wipa Nilsophon, Head of Compliance Department to supervise the conduct of the Company in order to comply with regulatory requirements and to provide suggestions and advice on relevant laws and regulations to every business unit of the FNS Group. The Compliance Department reported to the Audit Committee and Board of Directors and also reported to the Managing Director. The qualification of the Head of Compliance was disclosed in the Biographies of Directors and Management section (See Attachment 1). The role and responsibility of the Compliance Department was written in the Code of Conduct of the FNS Group.

#### 7.6.2 Head of investor relations and contact information

Ms. Papatsamon Chuntavee

Tel : 02-697-3700 ext. 3737

Website : www.fnsplc.com

E-mail : ir@fnsplc.com

#### 7.6.3 the Auditor Fees

#### Appointment of the External Auditors and Considering the Auditor Fees

The Audit Committee is responsible for selecting an independent person to be the Company's external auditor and considering the audit fees to propose to the Annual General Meeting of Shareholders for approval. The Audit Committee is also responsible for proposing to the Board of Directors for consideration a dismissal of employment of the external auditor when necessary.

On April 25, 2023, the shareholders considered and approved an appointment of KPMG Phoomchai Audit Ltd. as the Company's external auditor. The Company's auditors were the followings:

1)	Ms. Sureerat	Thongarunsang,	CPA Registration	No.4409
2)	Ms. Orawan	Chunhakitpaisan,	CPA Registration	No.6105
3)	Ms. Orawan	Chotiwiriyakul,	CPA Registration	No.10566
4)	Ms. Thitima	Pongchaiyong,	<b>CPA</b> Registration	No.10728

The SEC considered the qualification of the four aforementioned auditors and granted their approval for the appointment of auditors.

In 2023, the Company and its subsidiaries paid the audit fee to KPMG Phoomchai Audit Ltd. with details as follows:

#### 1. Audit Fee

- 1.1. The Company paid an audit fee totaling Baht 2,000,000.
- 1.2 One subsidiary paid audit fees totaling Baht 350,000.

#### 2. Non-audit Fee

No non-audit fee was paid to the auditor including individuals or business entities related to the auditor.

#### 7.6.4 Shareholding in FNS by directors and management

	As of 31 December 2023			As of			
Name	No. of shares held by			No. of shar	es held by		Change Increase
	Directors/ Management	Related persons	Total	Directors/ Management	Related persons	Total	(Decrease)
1. Mr. Vorasit Pokachaiyapat	247,587,922	42,000,000	289,587,922	133,793,961	21,000,000	154,793,961	134,793,961
2. Mr. Akarat Na Ranong	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3. Mr. Nuttawut Phowborom	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4. Mr. Chanmanu Sumawong	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
5. Mr. James Marshall	1,150,200	-	1,150,200	1,150,200	-	1,150,200	-
6. Ms. Rachanee Mahatdetkul	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
7. Mr. Chakhrit Suphepre	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
8. Ms. Wipa Nilsophon	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9. Mr. Chankit Assawarotjanamitre	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
10. Mrs. Nuchalee Junkhun	300	-	300	300	-	300	-
11. Mrs. Snitha Asawachinda	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

### 8. Report on key operating results on corporate governance

# 8.1 Summary of duty performance of the Board of Directors in the past year Directors' Reporting

The Audit Committee has a responsibility to review the Company's financial reports which are submitted quarterly by the Accounting Department. The Audit Committee reviews and approves these financial reports and proposes them to the Board of Directors for further approval.

The Board of Directors is responsible for supervising the preparation and timely disclosure of the financial statements of the Company and its subsidiaries. Such financial reports must be accurate, transparent and comprehensive and must be disclosed within the applicable statutory reporting deadline. The financial reports of the Company and its subsidiaries are prepared in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles in Thailand, by utilizing appropriate accounting policies which are applied consistently. Moreover, sufficient important information is disclosed in the notes to the financial statements.

The Board of Directors has empowered the Audit Committee, the Certified Public Accountants and Internal Audit to freely review the internal control and the accuracy of the financial reporting. The opinion of the Audit Committee on these matters is contained in Form 56-1 One Report.

A particular meeting for Non-executive Directors (including Independent Directors) will be arranged at least once a year for them to express and discuss freely any issues in regards to the Board of Directors' meetings and duty without the presence of Executive Directors. This meeting was held one time on November 20, 2023

## 8.1.1 Selection, development and evaluation of duty performance of the Board of Directors.

The Board of Directors appoints various committees to monitor and oversee the Company's operations. As of 31 December 2023, the Company has various sub-committees managing in detail particular tasks of the Company as assigned by the Committee. The Committees' scope of authority and duties are clearly defined.

#### Training for Directors and Executives

The Company has a policy to encourage its directors to attend courses held by the Thai Institute of Directors Association and other relevant courses held by other institutions. Visiting other companies or organizations also is useful for managing the Company business. At present, all of the Company's directors have attended courses held by the Thai Institute of Directors Association.

#### · Assessment by the Board of Directors

The Board of Directors assesses the Managing Director's performance by taking into consideration the Company's operating performance, business undertaking according to established policies as well as the overall business and economic environment.

#### Evaluation of the Company's Board of Directors, Sub-Committee and Managing Director

Based on the criteria used for assessing each item, there are 5 scoring levels of assessment as follows:

- 0 = Strongly disagree or never conducted
- 1 = Disagree or seldom conducted
- 2 = Fair or moderately conducted
- 3 = Agree or well conducted
- 4 = Strongly agree or excellently conducted.

#### 1. Assessment of Board of Directors as a whole

There will be a performance assessment of the Company's Board of Directors as a whole every year. The performance assessment form for the Board of Directors for the year 2023 was modified according to the form prepared and disclosed by the SET in 2015 to suit the company requirement and the following issues will be covered: 1) the structure and qualifications of the Board of Directors are adequate to perform tasks efficiently 2) Meeting's procedure of the Board of Directors to be considered to ensure the efficient performance 3) Roles, duties and responsibilities of Board of Directors to be performed efficiently 4) The relationship between the Board of Directors and the Management including self-improvement of directors.

#### In the assessing process,

Each of the Board of Directors was required to assess the performance based on

such assessment form, taking into account the performance of the Board of Directors as a whole. The Corporate Secretary Office was responsible for collecting the completed forms and preparing a summary to be submitted to the Board of Directors.

In 2023, the average score of the assessment summary was 3.86 out of 4 scores or 96.38 percent.

#### 2. Individual performance assessment for each Member of the Board of Directors

There will be an individual performance assessment of each member of the Board of Directors every year. An individual performance assessment form for the year 2023 which was modified from the one disclosed by the SET in 2015 was prepared and utilized in the assessment process in order to ensure that the roles and responsibilities of the Board of Directors in all areas were covered in the assessment; these include

- (1) the structure and qualifications of the Board of Directors,
- (2) meeting's procedure of the Board of Directors, and
- (3) roles, duties, and responsibilities of the Board of Directors.

#### In the assessment process,

Each member of the Board was required to assess his own performance, taking into account the performance of his duties in line with the assigned roles and responsibilities. The Corporate Secretary Office was responsible for collecting the complete forms and preparing a summary to be submitted to the Board of Directors.

In 2023, the average score of the assessment summary was 3.89 out of 4 scores or 97.27 percent.

#### 3. Evaluation of the Audit Committee

There will be a performance assessment of the Audit Committee as a whole every year. The Performance Assessment Form for the Audit Committee is modified from the assessment form of the SET of the year 2015. The assessment covers the duties and responsibilities of the Audit Committee as follows:

- 1) the structure and qualifications of the Committee are suitable to perform tasks efficiently
- 2) Sub-committee meetings to be conducted with effectiveness
- 3) Roles, duties and responsibility of the Sub-committee to be performed with effectiveness.

#### In the assessment process,

Each of the Audit Committee members is required to assess the performance based on such assessment form, taking into account the performance of the Audit Committee as a whole. The Corporate Secretary Office was responsible for collecting the completed forms and preparing a summary to be submitted to the Board of Directors.

In 2023, the average score of the assessment summary was 3.88 out of 4 scores or 97.08 percent.

### 4. Evaluation of the Nomination, Compensation and Corporate Governance Committee

The Performance Assessment Form for the Nomination, Compensation and Corporate Governance Committee is modified from the assessment form of the SET of the year 2015. The assessment covers the duties and responsibilities of the Committee as follows:

- 1) the structure and qualifications of the Committee are suitable to perform tasks efficiently
- 2) Sub-committee meetings are conducted with effectiveness
- 3) Roles, duties and responsibility of the Sub-committee are performed with effectiveness.

#### In the assessment process,

The Nomination, Compensation and Corporate Governance Committee was required to assess the performance, taking into account the performance of the Committee as a whole. The Corporate Secretary Office was responsible for collecting the completed forms and preparing a summary to be submitted to the Board of Directors.

In 2023, the average score of the assessment summary was 3.89 out of 4 scores or 97.22 percent.

#### 5. Evaluation of the Managing Director

The Performance Assessment Form for the Managing Director is modified from the assessment form of the SET of the year 2011. The assessment covers the duties and responsibilities as follows:

- 1) Leadership
- 2) Planning strategy
- 3) Following through the strategy
- 4) Financial planning

- 6) Communication with outside world
- 7) Personnel management and relationship
- 8) Succession
- 9) Product and service knowledge
- 5) Relationship with the Board of Directors 10) Character

#### In the assessment process,

Non-executive directors (Independent directors) were required to assess the performance of the Managing Director, taking into account the performance of his duties in line with the assigned roles and responsibilities. The Corporate Secretary Office was responsible for collecting the completed forms and preparing a summary to be submitted to the Board of Directors.

In 2023, the average score of the assessment summary was 3.93 out of 4 scores or 98.33 percent.

#### (1) Independent director

In terms of the selection process of independent directors, when the independent directors are due to retire from their term of office or when there is a need to nominate more independent directors, the Nomination, Compensation and Corporate

Governance Committee will consider to select qualified persons who have experiences, knowledge and expertise suitable and beneficial to the Company and also meet the minimum qualifications set forth below. Nominees will be proposed to the Board of Directors' Meeting or the Shareholders' Meeting for consideration pursuant to the Company's Articles of Association. The recruited persons must possess the qualifications of independent directors. (Details in 6.1.1 Policy and guidelines related to the Board of Directors.)

#### (2) Selection of Directors and Executives

In 2023, The Board of Directors selected the directors of the Company in accordance with the qualifications specified in Section 68 of the Public Company Act, B.E. 2535 and in related notifications of the SEC. In addition, experience, knowledge and ability were also taken into consideration. The selected candidates were then nominated in a shareholders' meeting for appointment. As of 31 December 2023, from the total number of 5 directors, the Company had 1 director from the group of major shareholders, namely Mr. Vorasit Pokachaiyapat.

The election of the members of the Board of Directors is made at shareholders' meetings pursuant to the following procedures:

- Each shareholder has one vote for each share held.
- Each shareholder may cast all of his/her votes to select one or more candidates, but if selecting more than one candidate the number of votes given to each candidate cannot be greater or lesser than the number of votes given to the other(s).

The persons successively receiving the highest number of votes will be elected as directors until the permissible number of directors in the particular election is reached. In the case of an equal number of votes given to more than one candidate, which causes the number of directors to be greater than the permissible number, the chairman shall cast the deciding vote.

#### Succession Plan

Assigned by the Board of Directors, the Nomination and Remuneration Committee is responsible for ensuring that there is a succession plan for the Managing Director position and executives (as defined by the SEC) of the Company for the continuity in the Company's management by recruiting based on performance, capability and readiness of personnel. In the event, the Company has prepared employees' readiness by developing their knowledge, ability and skill necessary for significant positions.

For the executives at all levels, especially key positions, of whom the recruitment will be within the organization, the Nomination and Remuneration Committee is responsible for preparing a strategy and succession plan for executives prior to their completion of term of office or their retirement and is authorized to approve the

replacement of executive positions. However, the appointment of director positions of the Company and its subsidiaries will be approved by the Board of the Directors.

#### The Orientation for Newly Appointed Directors and Executives

When the composition of the Directors is changed or there is a newly appointed executive, the Compliance Unit has a responsibility to prepare necessary documents for a new Director, which include:

- 1. The Company's annual report, which contains visions, strategies, and goals of the Company.
- 2. The schedule of the Company's Board of Directors meetings and sub-committees' meetings as well as the monthly meeting agendas and special meeting agendas.
- 3. The manual of position of directors and executives including qualifications and profile prohibited by laws related to financial institutions, key policies of FNS Group such as Good Corporate Governance Policies, Anti-corruption Policies, risk management policies, policies in using outsourcing services, etc. as well as the relevant acts and notifications.

#### 8.1.2 Meeting attendance and remuneration payment to each Board member

#### **Board of Directors' Meetings**

The Company sets out meeting schedules for the Audit Committee and the Board of Directors to consider financial statements of each quarter for the year in advance. In 2023, there were 10 meetings of the Board of Directors, 5 meetings of the Audit Committee and 2 meetings of the Nomination, Compensation and Corporate Governance Committee. Attendance records of each director are as follows.

	Attendance (Attendance/Total Meetings)						
Name	The 2023 Annual General Meeting of Shareholders  Meeting of Board of Directors		Meetings of Audit Committee	Meeting of Nomina- tion, Compensation and Corporate Govern- ance Committee			
1. Mr. Akarat Na Ranong	attended	10/10	5/5	2/2			
2. Mr. Chanmanu Sumawong	attended	10/10	5/5	2/2			
3. Mr. Nuttawut Phowborom	attended	8/10	5/5	-			
4. Mr. Vorasit Pokachaiyapat	attended	10/10	-	2/2			
5. Mr. James Marshall	attended	10/10	-	-			

#### Remuneration to Directors

The Company has clearly and transparently determined the remuneration provided to the directors, which is similar to that paid to other company directors in the same industry. Such remuneration has to obtain prior approval from the shareholders' meeting. The Executive Directors waived

the rights to the meeting fee and annual fee. In 2023, director's annual fee and meeting fee were the same as in 2022 and no other Remunerations apply, details are as follows:

	Annual F	ee (Baht)	Meeting Fee (Baht)		
	Year 2023	Year 2022	Year 2023	Year 2022	
Chairman	900,000	900,000	50,000	50,000	
Director	350,000	350,000	25,000	25,000	
Audit Committee Chairman	150,000	150,000	25,000	25,000	
Audit Committee Member	100,000	100,000	25,000	25,000	
Nomination, Compensation and Corporate Governance Committee Chairman	-	-	25,000	25,000	
Nomination, Compensation and Corporate Governance Committee Member	-	-	20,000	20,000	

In 2023, the Company provided remuneration including meeting fees and annual fee to the board of directors as shown below.

	Annua	l Fee (Baht)	Meeting Fee (Baht)			
Name	Board of Directors	Audit Committee		Audit Committee	Nomination, Compensation and Corporate Governance Committee	
1. Mr. Akarat Na Ranong	900,000	100,000	500,000	125,000	40,000	
2. Mr. Chanmanu Sumawong	350,000	150,000	250,000	125,000	50,000	
3. Mr. Nuttawut Phowborom	350,000	100,000	200,000	125,000	-	
4. Mr. Vorasit Pokachaiyapat	-	-	-	-	-	
5. Mr. James Marshall	-	-	-	-	-	

#### The remunerations of the directors of the subsidiary

-None -

## 8.1.3 Supervision of subsidiaries and associated companies

## Monitoring of subsidiaries and associated companies

The Company appoints some of its directors and/or executives to sit on its subsidiaries' board of directors. The Company also requires subsidiaries to report on relevant risks incurred to the Company's board of directors quarterly.

### An oversight mechanism

1. The Company appoints directors and/or executives as directors in its subsidiaries and

- associated companies to allow close supervision and monitoring of the subsidiaries and associated companies.
- 2. The Company requires an operating results overview of the subsidiaries and associated companies to be submitted every quarter to the Board of Director.

#### 8.1.4 Monitoring of compliance with the corporate governance policy and guidelines

#### (1) Prevention of conflicts of interest

#### Conflict of Interest

The Board of Directors places importance on the consideration of transactions with possible conflicts of interest, connected transactions, related parties' transactions as well as administration of insider information.

In 2008, the Board approved in principle a basis for related party transactions which are conducted in the normal course of business between the Company and its subsidiaries with related parties. Related party transactions can be carried out under commercial terms, agreed upon in the ordinary course of business and without interference from any of such related parties. The related party transaction policy was signed by the Chairman of the Board and disseminated to all related parties for acknowledgement. However, a significant related party's transaction must be considered and approved by the Board of Director and has to be conducted according to the relevant regulations.

The Board of Directors and the Audit Committee have a stated policy relating to transactions that may cause conflicts of interest and connected transactions. All such transactions have to be informed to the Board and prudently considered to evaluate the reasonableness of entering into such transactions. The regulations of the Stock Exchange of Thailand must also be followed. Prices and conditions have to be set on an arm's length basis. In addition, should any directors have conflicts of interest, the conflicted directors have to disclose relevant information to the meeting and do not have the right to vote on that particular matter. The details of transactions, transaction value, related parties, reason and necessity are disclosed in form 56-1 One report.

#### (2) Use of inside information to seek benefits

#### Protection and administration of Insider Information

The Company has prepared a code of conduct placing high significance on the protection of the Company and its subsidiaries' confidential information. Disciplinary penalties have been prescribed for executives and employees who use inside information for their personal benefit or use inside information in ways that may expose the Company to damage. Such actions include verbal warnings, written warnings, probation, dismissal and termination of employment. Employees are prohibited from buying, selling, transferring or accepting the transfer of the Company shares or entering into any other transaction by using confidential and/or inside information as this may incur harm, either directly or indirectly, to the Company.

The Company has set up measures to prevent insider trading by directors, executives and employees (including their spouses and minor children) who have access to significant inside information. A silent period policy for securities trading by these personnel is stipulated for a period of one month prior to the Company's disclosure of quarterly and annual financial statements. In addition, the Company has informed its directors and executives of their responsibility to report their ownership of securities issued by the Company and will enforce punishment pursuant to Section 59 of Securities and Exchange Act B.E. 2535 and the regulations of the Stock Exchange of Thailand for non-compliance. Moreover, whenever they purchase or sell securities issued by the Company, these personnel have to report their ownership of the Company shares including those under the possession of their spouses and minor children to the Office of the Securities and Exchange Commission within three days pursuant to Section 59 of Securities and Exchange Act B.E. 2535.

#### (3) Anti corruption action

#### **Anti-Fraud and Anti-Corruption measures**

The Company is aware of the importance of guarding against corruption. Therefore, the Company has collaborated with both the public and private sectors by signing the declaration under The "Private Sector Collective Action Coalition Against Corruption (CAC)" Project.

In 2023 the Company applied for an extension of membership of CAC Project and were granted certificates which are valid for 3 years from 30 June 2023 – 30 June 2026.

The Company developed "Anti-Corruption Policy and Guidelines" and measures, procedural steps, and related operational processes for all employees as follows:

#### 1.1 Definition of corruption.

Corruption means any types of bribery and/or using information received from or provided by the Company's operation by offering, agreeing to give, promising, demanding or accepting money, assets, or other inappropriate benefits from the government officers, private sectors, or responsible person either in direct or indirect action so that person, his/her friends, and/or others could achieve either directly or indirectly an improper benefit in business or any improper benefit, as well as any act that is against the Company's business ethic.

#### 1.2 Corruption Risk Assessment

The Company has set an anti-corruption working group to cooperate in determining potential corruption risk every year by assessing the potential for corruption as a separate issue from other risks. The working group also assesses internal audit controls and other risk management issues that involve key operating systems to monitor risk and prevent corruption from occurring, as well as to establish a proper internal control system. The working group is required to suggest solutions. In addition, all risks will be reported to the Audit Committee and the Board of Directors.

#### 1.3 Training and Communication

The Board of Directors has acknowledged and approved the Anti-Corruption Policy and Guidelines. Management has communicated these policies to all managers and staff through electronic mail and training. In addition, employees can access anti-corruption policies and practices and other related policies, such as the Code of Conduct and work regulations, from the Company's website. Notably, the Company has communicated its anti-corruption policy to its customers, business counterparts, and other stakeholders via registered mail, which will help third parties be informed about the Company's intention to prevent corruption. The Company publishes its anti-corruption policy to third parties through its website (www.fnsplc.com).

#### 1.4 Anti-corruption practices

The Company takes all forms of corruption seriously, especially the receiving or giving of gifts, entertainment, and other benefits that could easily lead to corrupt practices. The Company sets straightforward anti-corruption directives, such as a limit for a single gift at more than Bt.3,000, otherwise a form is required to identify the giver, his or her objectives, and the value of the gift, which will be later presented to the Managing Director or Executive Directors for consideration. Other gratuities, for example, a reception, the taking of financial sponsorship, or a donation for charity, also require a relevant form to be completed and proposed to the Managing Director or Executive Directors for approval.

#### 1.5 Auditing operation and internal control to prevent risk

- Assign an internal audit unit to monitor the operation as required to comply with anti-corruption policies and practices on a yearly basis, which is consistent with prior assessed risks. In addition, the unit also monitors internal control systems such as revenue and receivables collection, purchasing and debt payments, and investment and lending, and reports the audit results to the Audit Committee and the Board of Directors.
- Provide a channel for reporting specific evidence or complaints about corruption and set secure channels for outsiders, with internal staff set to report on suspected corruption. The evidence and complaints can be reported through the following channels:

Registered mail : Independent Committee, FNS Holdings Public Company Ltd.,

6th Floor, 345 Surawong Building, No.345 Surawong Road Suriyawong Sub-district, Bangrak District, Bangkok 10500

Email : id@fnsplc.com
Website : www.fnsplc.com

The information from the informant will be sent to the Audit Committee and kept confidential. It will be presented to the Board of Directors as well. In addition, the Company provides fairness and protection to employees who refuse to commit corruption even if the action by the Company will cause the Company to lose a business opportunity.

# (4) Internal control policy to prevent bribery of government officials, foreign state officials and staff of international public organizations

Recognizing the importance of preventing bribery of government officials, foreign state officials and staff of international public organizations, the Company has established internal control measures to prevent bribe offerings to officials of government, foreign state and international public organizations with a clear operational guideline in alignment with Section 123/5 of The Organic Act on Counter Corruption, B.E. 2542 (1999) (as amended by (No. 3), B.E. 2558 (2015)) includes:

#### **Definition of bribery**

Bribery means granting, offering to grant, or promising to grant any property or other benefits to a government official, a foreign state official or a staff of an international public organization in order to persuade such person to wrongfully perform, not perform or delay the performance of any duty in his or her office

#### Scope

- 1. This policy applies to Directors, Management Team, and staff of the Company and its subsidiaries.
- 2. A subsidiary means a company in which the Company owns more than 50% of its capital stock having ordinary voting rights.
- 3. The Company expects its representatives and/or intermediaries who are related to or are acting on behalf of the Company to follow this policy

#### <u>The Internal control policy</u> includes the following:

- 1. Prescribing risk assessment to effectively identify and evaluate exposure to bribery
- 2. Prescribing enhanced and detailed measures for high-risk and vulnerable areas
- 3. Prescribing application of anti-bribery measures to business partners
- 4. Prescribing accurate books and accounting records
- 5. Prescribing human resource management policies complementary to anti-bribery measures
- 6. Prescribing procedures that encourage reporting of suspicion of bribery
- 7. Prescribing periodic review and evaluation of anti-bribery prevention measures and their effectiveness

# 8.2 Report on the results of duty performance of the Audit Committee in the past year

## **8.2.1** The total number of the Audit Committee's meetings and the attendance of each member:

	Position	Attendance (Attendance/Total Meetings)						
Name		No. 1/5	No. 2/5	No. 3/5	No. 4/5	No.5/5	Total	
1. Mr. Chanmanu Sumawong	Chairman of the Audit Committee	V	V	V	V	<b>V</b>	5/5	
2. Mr. Akarat Na Ranong	Member of the Audit Committee	<b>V</b>	<b>V</b>	<b>V</b>	<b>V</b>	<b>V</b>	5/5	
3. Mr. Nuttawut Phowborom	Member of the Audit Committee	<b>V</b>	<b>V</b>	<b>V</b>	<b>V</b>	<b>V</b>	5/5	

#### 8.2.2 The results of duty performance of the Audit Committee.

The Audit Committee of FNS Holdings Public Company Limited comprised 3 independent non-executive directors, namely,

- 1. Mr. Chanmanu Sumawong Chairman of the Audit Committee (Independent Director)
- 2. Mr. Akarat Na Ranong Member of the Audit Committee (Independent Director)
- 3. Mr. Nuttawut Phowborom Member of the Audit Committee (Independent Director)

The Committee appointed Ms. Wipa Nilsophon, Assistant Managing Director Compliance Department, to act as the Secretary of the Audit Committee

The performance evaluation of the Audit Committee can be found in the Audit Report of 2023 in attachment 6.

- 8.3 Summary of the results of duty performance of subcommittees in the past year (the Nomination, Compensation and Corporate Governance Committee).
- 8.3.1 The total number of the Nomination, Compensation and Corporate Governance Committee' meetings and the attendance of each subcommittee member;

Name	Position	Attendance (Attendance/Total Meetings)			
		No. 1/2	No.2/2	Total	
1. Mr. Chanmanu Sumawong	Chairman of the Nomination, Compensation and Corporate Governance Committee (Independent Director)	<b>V</b>	<b>V</b>	2/2	
2. Mr. Akarat Na Ranong	Member of the Nomination, Compensation and Corporate Governance Committee (Independent Director)	<b>V</b>	<b>V</b>	2/2	
3. Mr. Vorasit Pokachaiyapat	Member of the Nomination, Compensation and Corporate Governance Committee (Executive Director/Managing Director)	<b>V</b>	<b>V</b>	2/2	

## 8.3.2 The results of duty performance of the Nomination, Compensation and Corporate Gevernance Committee

The Nomination, Compensation and Corporate Governance Committee of FNS Holdings Public Company Limited comprised 2 independent directors and 1 executive director as follows:

Mr. Chanmanu Sumawong Chairman (Independent director)
 Mr. Akarat Na Ranong Member (Independent director)

3. Mr. Vorasit Pokachaiyapat Member (Executive director/Managing Director)

The Committee appointed Ms. Wipa Nilsophon, Assistant Managing Director Compliance Department, acting as the Secretary of the Nomination, Compensation and Corporate Governance Committee

The 2023 Performance Report of the Nomination, Compensation and Corporate Governance Committee can be found in attachment 6.

## 9. Internal control and related party transactions

#### 9.1 Internal control

In addition, an annual evaluation and review of the internal control systems has been carried out in order to make improvements and enhance their operating performance.

Five audit committee meetings were held in 2023; all members of the audit committee attended all meetings. The Audit Committee and the Board of Directors evaluated the Company's internal control systems, reviewed the internal audit report and the report of the auditor and concluded that there were no significant areas of concern, and the Company had an internal control system which was sufficient to safeguard against any use of the Company's assets by the executives and employees for personal interest.

The Board of Directors is aware the importance of the internal control system, which is a crucial mechanism to reduce business risks, protect properties, increase credibility to financial reports. It also safeguards the investment of shareholders. Therefore, the Audit Committee is assigned to develop an effective internal control system and manage risks to an acceptable level.

## 9.1.1 Adequacy and appropriateness of the Company's internal control system Internal Control

The Company maintains internal control through the following procedures:

- (1) The Company has consistently evaluated significant business risks affecting the Company and has pursued a follow-up and risk mitigation process.
- (2) In controlling working operations of executives, the Company has stated, in a written document, the scope of duties and budget approval authority for each level of those executives and has allocated responsibility for cross-auditing.
- (3) The Company has stated and pursued an accounting policy which is consistent with the Thai accounting standards and considered most appropriate for the business. All docu-

- ments accompanying accounting records are categorized and maintained.
- (4) The Company has set out a policy and guidelines of internal control to prevent corruption
- (5) The Company has set out a policy and guidelines of internal control to prevent bribery of government officials, foreign state officials and staff of International public organizations.
- (6) Accounting Revolution Company Limited, an out-sourced independent internal auditor, has true independence in its work in reviewing that all main business and financial operations are in compliance with relevant laws and regulations and performed with efficiency. The independent internal auditor is under the supervision of, and reports to, the Audit Committee in considering the adequacy of the internal control system and supervising business operations to comply with relevant laws and regulations. In addition, KPMG Phoomchai Audit Co.,Ltd. (KPMG), the Company's Auditor, also reviews the internal control system in accordance with the audit of the financial statements. KPMG reports the audit results directly to the Audit Committee every quarter.

#### **Risk Management**

Realizing the importance of managing risks that may affect operational performance, the Company regularly reviews and assesses important risk factors as well as monitors and establishes measures to lessen these risks. In this regard, the Company has established the Group Risk Management Committee which is comprised of directors and management personnel from each company in the group responsible for setting risk management guidelines and policies of the Company and its affiliates. The Group risk management report is presented to the Board of Directors every quarter.

# 9.1.2 What are the issues of the internal control system? Have they been resolved? And why?

In the Board Meeting No. 1/2024 held on 29 February 2024, with 3 members of the Audit Committee (Independent Director) attending, the Board assessed the adequacy of the internal control of the Company and subsidiaries for the year 2023 by considering five main factors as follows:

- Factor 1 Organizational Control and Environment Measures
- Factor 2 Risk Management Measures
- Factor 3 Management Control Activities
- Factor 4 Information and Communication Measures
- Factor 5 Monitoring

The Meeting reached an opinion that the Company's internal control was sufficient to operate its business according to its goals and objectives, and in accordance with applicable laws. The Company appointed Accounting Revolution Co., Ltd. as the internal auditor of the Company for the year 2023 to assess the efficiency of internal controls, as well as reviewing the performance according to the procedure in the Audit Plan of 2023. The overall audit results showed no significant issues. The following were audited in 2023:

- 1) Payment of salary and compensation
- 2) Income and billing
- 3) Information system

The Audit Committee receives internal audit reports from the Internal Auditors on a quarterly basis and reports to the Board of Directors to consider and discuss improvements of internal control guidelines. In the overview of the follow-up report, it is stated that the related party has already resolved the issues.

## 9.1.3 The opinion of the Audit Committee in case of differences in opinion with the Board of Directors.

In the Audit Committee Meeting no. 1/2024 on 29 February 2024, the adequacy of the internal control system of the Company and subsidiaries for the year 2023 was evaluated. The Audit Committee agreed with the Board of Directors that the Company had an efficient internal control system that was sufficient to protect its properties from misuse by the management and employees.

## 9.1.4 The opinion of the Audit Committee whether and how the head of the internal audit unit has educational qualifications, experiences and training suitable and sufficient for such duty performance;

The Audit Committee Meeting no. 1/2023 on 22 February 2023 appointed Accounting Revolution Company Limited to act as an out-sourced independent internal auditor of the Company for the year 2023 with Mrs. Sasivimon Suksai, Managing Director to be the main responsible internal auditor. The Audit Committee was of the opinion that Accounting Revolution Company Limited and Mrs. Sasivimon Suksai were considered to be qualified and appropriate as they had true independence and long-term experience in internal audit and internal control review. The Audit Committee was responsible for the appointment or removal of the internal auditor of the Company. The Company had assigned Ms. Wipa Nilsophon, Head of Compliance Department to coordinate with the out-sourced independent internal audit company.

The Company had also assigned Ms. Wipa Nilsophon, Head of Compliance Department to supervise the conduct of the Company in order to comply with regulatory requirements and to provide suggestions and advice on relevant laws and regulations to every business unit of the FNS Group. The Compliance Department reported to the Audit Committee and Board of Directors and also reported to the Managing Director. The qualification of the Head of Compliance was disclosed in the Biographies of Directors and Management section (See Attachment 1). The role and responsibility of the Compliance Department was written in the Code of Conduct of the FNS Group.

#### 9.1.5 The appointment, discharge and transfer of the head of the internal audit

The consideration and approval of the appointment, removal, transfer of the head of the Company's internal audit department must be approved (or have been consented) from the audit committee.

## 9.2 Related Party Transactions

# 9.2.1 The related party transaction occurred in 2023 as shown in the financial statements for the year ended 31 December 2023 were as follows:

(The outstanding as at 31 December 2022 and 2021 and the transaction value for 2022 and 2021 were shown for a comparison.)

(Additional information were shown in the Note to Financial Statements No.5 and 12)

Transaction / Related Parties (Relationship with the	Types of Transaction		y Value as at 31 tion value for 1 (THB million)	the year	Rationale
Company)	"	31 July 2023	2022	2021	
1. M.K. Real Estate Devel-	Investments in an associate.				(After 31 July 2023 FNS Hold 49.51%)
opment PCL. (MK) (Associate)	1. % of share holdings	31.51%	31.51%	31.51%	
( Jan –July 2023 )	Investment value under cost     method	1,376.52	1,376.52	1,376.52	
	3. Investment value under equity method	1,301.66	1,348.41	1,360.21	Investment in MK was accounted for under equity method.
	Outstanding transactions				
	1. Service income receivable	0.36	0.21	1.50	FNS had accrued information technology service income/ Human service.
	Short-term loans and advance     to related parties	473.59	116.99	200	FNS invested in MK's short term debt instruments with fixed interest as agreed.
	3. Other receivable	2.94	5.81	0.17	FNS had accrued interest income from investment in MK's short term debt instruments.
	4. Deposit	0.73	0.74	0.14	Deposit for FNS office rental at MK building
	Income				
	Information Technology     services / Human service	2.38	2.40	2.40	FNS signed a service agreement with MK to provide information technology services for MK and its subsidiaries with service fees as agreed.
	2. Interest income	17.70	15.37	0.23	FNS invested in MK's short term debenture with fixed interest as agreed.
	3. Selling agent fees	-	5.48	8.59	FSL provided selling agent services and received fees.
	Expenses				
	1. Rental and other services	2.59	1.25	0.83	FNS rented a part of the office space in MK's building at market rate.

Transaction / Related Parties (Relationship with the	Types of Transaction	Outstanding Transac	Value as at 31 tion value for ( (THB million)	the year	Rationale
Company)		31 July 2023	2022	2021	
2. BFTZ Wangnoi Co., Ltd. (BFTZ WN) (Associate) (Jan - July 2023)	Investments in an associate.  1. % of share holdings	50%	50%	50%	In May 2021 FNS established BFTZ WN, a joint venture with PD to oper- ate business in developing ware- houses and factory for lease.
	Investment value under cost     method	2.50	2.50	2.50	Trouses and factory for lease.
	3. Investment value under equity method	7.20	3.93	2.09	Investment in BFTZ WN was accounted for under equity method.
	Outstanding transactions  1. Short-term loans and advance to related parties	277.50	250.50	128.00	FNS provided financial support to BFTZ WN in accordance with its shareholding proportion as stated in the shareholders' agreement with a fixed interest rate as mutually agreed.
	2. Other receivable	24.77	14.84	1.46	Accrued interest income from loans to BFTZ WN.
	Income				
	1. Interest income	9.93	13.50	3.23	FNS received interest income from loan as agreed under the shareholders' agreement.

Transaction / Related Parties (Relationship with the	Types of Transaction	Outstanding Value as at 31 December/ Transaction value for the year (THB million)			Rationale
Company)		2023	2022	2021	
3. Prospect Logistics and Industrial Freehold and Leasehold Real Estate Investment Trust (PROSPECT REIT)	Investments in an associate.  1. % of share holdings	22.19%	22.99%	22.99%	FNS invested in PROSPECT REIT, representing a 22.19% shareholding in March 2023.
(Associate)	Investment value under cost method	775.36	533.33	544.45	
	3. Investment value under equity method	706.22	498.70	527.17	Investment in PROSPECT REIT was accounted for under equity method.
4. Kanom Café Co., Ltd. (Kanom) (Associate)	Investments in an associate.  1. % of share holdings	30%	30%	30%	In June, FNS converted loan into a 30 percent share investment in Kanom.

Transaction / Related Parties (Relationship with the	Types of Transaction		y Value as at 31 tion value for (THB million)	the year	Rationale
Company)		2023	2022	2021	
4. Kanom Café Co., Ltd. (Kanom) (Associate)	Investment value under cost method	-	60.00	60.00	
(Associate)	Investment value under equity method	-	44.56	53.46	Investment in Kanom was accounted for under equity method.
	Outstanding transactions				
	Short-term loans and advance to related parties	100	100	67.03	FNS lent money to Kanom under the loan agreement with fixed interest rate as mutually agreed.
	2. Other receivable	1.29	5.6	1.51	Accrued interest income from loans to Kanom.
	Income				
	1. Interest income	5.14	4.13	1.51	FNS received interest income from lending to Kanom.
5. Prospect Development	Outstanding transactions				
Co., Ltd. (PD) (Common director)	Receivable service income	1.31	0.005	0.003	FNS had accrued phone system service fees.
	2. Other current liabilities	-	-	0.01	FNS had accrued property management service fee (calculated from the rent collected on a cash basis).
	Income				
	1. Fee and other service income	3.36	3.00	3.00	FNS provided human resources management service to PD with service fees, calculated from actual incurred cost, as agreed by both parties.
	2. Selling agent and other fees	-	-	4.08	FSL received selling agent fees.
6. Prospect REIT Manage-	Outstanding transaction				
ment Co., Ltd. (PRM) (Common director)	1. Receivable service income	-	0.001	0.002	FNS had accrued phone system service income.
	Income				
	Other income	0.01	0.01	0.01	FNS received phone system service income.
7. MKH Assets Co., Ltd.	Income				
(MKH) (Common director)	1. Advisory service income	-	1.75	-	FNS received advisory service income.

Transaction / Related Parties (Relationship with the	Types of Transaction	Outstanding Value as at 31 December/ Transaction value for the year (THB million)			Rationale
Company)		2023 2022		2021	
8. Directors and management	Directors' and management's remuneration/ Advisory cost	79.29	39.30	34.27	FNS paid meeting fees and annual remuneration to directors and paid remuneration to management.  FFM pays advisory fee to management.

After FNS purchases additional MK ordinary shares on August 8, 2023, there will be transactions between the MK Group and associated companies that FNS must recognize in the consolidated financial statements as follows:

## Transactions between MK Group and associated companies

## 1) Frasers Property BFTZ Co.,Ltd.

No	Transaction / Related Parties (Relationship with the Company)	Types of Transaction	Outstanding Value (THB million) as at	Transaction value for the year (THB million)  31-Dec-23	Rationale
1	MK	Guarantee fee	1.51	0.9	MK Company receives a guaranteed fee according to the contract.
2	PD	Dividend	-	-	The company receives dividends as announced to be paid to shareholders.

## 2) Prospect Logistics and Industrial Freehold and Leasehold Real Estate Investment Trust

No	Transaction / Related Parties (Relationship with the Company)	Types of Transaction	Outstanding Value (THB million) as at	Transaction value for the year (THB million)  31-Dec-23	Rationale
1	МК	Dividend income	14.20	-	The Company receives dividends as announced by the Trust to be paid to shareholders.
2	PD	Revenue from management of real estate/ Other income	28.52	12.88	PD receives property management fees
3	PD	Revenue from man- agement of real es- tate/Interest income and Other income	26.18	2.83	Pros RM receives property management fees

No	Transaction / Related Parties (Relationship with the Company)	Types of Transaction	Outstanding Value (THB million) as at	Transaction value for the year (THB million)	Rationale
	11.22		Aug - Dec 2023	31-Dec-23	
4	PD	Compensation/ default and Cancel contract	-	11.87	Compensation expenses according to the agreement
5	PD	Provisions for other long-term liabilities	-	12.66	Provisions for debt from rental guarantees
6	PD	Leasehold assets	1.70	54.17	Leasehold assets according to lease agreements

## 3) BFTZ Bangpakong Co., Ltd.

No	Transaction / Related Parties (Relationship with the Company)	Types of Transaction	Outstanding Value (THB million) as at	Transaction value for the year (THB million)  31-Dec-23	Rationale
1	PD	Loan	-	657	PD provides financial assistance in proportion to its shareholding to BFTZ according to the agreement between shareholders. The interest rate is fixed as agreed upon
		Interest receivable	14.61	64.83	PD received interest income from loans based on agreements between shareholders.
2	PD	Advance payments	-	1.36	Advance payments to related parties
3	PD	Trade receivables	-	8.46	Property management fees / Construction management and control costs and Commission fee
4	PD	Revenue from management of real estate/ Other income	16.30	2.89	PD receives property management fees

## Transactions between MK Group and indirect associates

## 1) Bangpakong Terminal and Services Co., Ltd.

No	Transaction / Related Parties (Relationship with	Types of Transaction	Outstanding Value (THB million) as at	Transaction value for the year (THB million)	Rationale
	the Company)		Aug - Dec 2023	31-Dec-23	
1	PD	Advance payments	-	-	Advance payments Transation

#### 2) Bangpakong Industrial Land Co., Ltd.

No	Transaction / Related Parties (Relationship with	ated Parties Types of	Outstanding Value (THB million) as at	Transaction value for the year (THB million)	Rationale
	the Company)		Aug - Dec 2023	31-Dec-23	
1	PD	Advance payments	-	-	Advance payments Transation

#### 9.2.2 Necessity and reasonability of the related transactions

The Company has set the policies on related transactions based on the rules and regulations set forth by the Stock Exchange of Thailand concerning related transactions of listed companies and transfers of assets by listed companies. In the case that there is a conflict of interest with the Company or subsidiaries, the directors involved shall not have voting rights on such conflict matters. The principles on doing related party transactions and acquisition or disposition of assets are stated in the Company's Articles of Association.

The related party transactions are necessary and reasonably conducted in the best interest of the Company. The board of directors and audit committee of the Company were of the opinion that:

- 1. transactions between the Company and its wholly owned subsidiaries (more than 99% holding) were done in the ordinary course of business and at arm's length prices.
- 2. transactions between the Company, its subsidiaries (less than 99% holding) and its related parties were done in the ordinary course of business and at arm's length prices.

The Audit Committee's opinion is that the related party transactions as shown above are transactions that occurred in the ordinary course of business.

#### 9.2.3 Related Transaction Policy and Future Related Transactions

In 2008, the Board approved in principle related party transactions which are conducted in the normal course of business between the Company and its subsidiaries with related parties. Related party transactions can be carried out under commercial terms, agreed upon in the ordinary course of business and without interference from any of such related parties. The related party transaction policy was signed by the Chairman of the Board and disseminated to all related parties for acknowledgement.

It is the Audit Committee's duty to consider and ensure the accuracy and completeness of information disclosure on related transactions or transactions which may cause conflicts of interest. Additional responsibilities are to review and ensure the Company adopts proper and effective internal control and internal audit systems, and complies with the laws on securities exchange, the SET's regulations, or other laws relating to its business.

The future related party transactions are transactions that occurred in the ordinary course of business.

# **Financial Statements**

# FNS Holdings Public Company Limited and its Subsidiaries

Financial statements for the year ended 31 December 2023 and Independent Auditor's Report

# **Independent Auditor's Report**

# To the Shareholders of FNS Holdings Public Company Limited

#### Opinion

I have audited the consolidated and separate financial statements of FNS Holdings Public Company Limited and its Subsidiaries (the "Group") and of FNS Holdings Public Company Limited (the "Company"), respectively, which comprise the consolidated and separate statements of financial position as at 31 December 2023, the consolidated and separate statements of comprehensive income, changes in equity and cash flows for the year then ended, and notes, comprising a summary of significant accounting policies and other explanatory information.

In my opinion, the accompanying consolidated and separate financial statements present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of the Group and the Company, respectively, as at 31 December 2023 and their financial performance and cash flows for the year then ended in accordance with Thai Financial Reporting Standards (TFRSs).

#### Basis for Opinion

I conducted my audit in accordance with Thai Standards on Auditing (TSAs). My responsibilities under those standards are further described in the *Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Consolidated and Separate Financial Statements* section of my report. I am independent of the Group and the Company in accordance with the *Code of Ethics for Professional Accountants including Independence Standards* issued by the Federation of Accounting Professions (Code of Ethics for Professional Accountants) that is relevant to my audit of the consolidated and separate financial statements, and I have fulfilled my other ethical responsibilities in accordance with the Code of Ethics for Professional Accountants. I believe that the audit evidence I have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for my opinion.

# Material Uncertainty Related to Going Concern

I draw attention to Note 2 in the financial statements, which indicates that the Group incurred a net loss from normal operation of Baht 558.6 million (excluding gain on bargain purchase of Baht 674.0 million and gain on measurement of investment in associate before business acquisition of Baht 245.6 million in the consolidated statement of comprehensive income) for the year ended 31 December 2023 and, as of that date, the Group's current liabilities exceeded its current assets by Baht 1,623.1 million. However, the Group is in the process of seeking the subsidiary' shareholder approval and undertaking other actions to implement plans to improve liquidity issues. These events or conditions, along with other matters as set forth in Note 2, indicate that a material uncertainty exists that may cast significant doubt on the Group's ability to continue as a going concern. My opinion is not modified in respect of this matter.

#### Key Audit Matters

Key audit matters are those matters that, in my professional judgment, were of most significance in my audit of the consolidated and separate financial statements of the current period. These matters were addressed in the context of my audit of the consolidated and separate financial statements as a whole, and in forming my opinion thereon, and I do not provide a separate opinion on these matters.

# Valuation of investment in non-listed equity instruments

Refer to Notes 3 (d), 3 (q), 10 and 31

# The key audit matter

As at 31 December 2023, investment in non-listed equity instruments measured at fair value in the consolidated financial statements amounted to Baht 690.1 million. The fair value measurement of investment in equity instruments are using several unobservable inputs since these inputs are not based on objective external prices, in which they are categorised as level 3.

In determining the fair value of these investment in equity instruments requires management to make judgments to select the valuation models including various assumptions and unobservable inputs. The use of different valuation models and assumptions could produce significantly different estimates of fair value.

The valuation of investment in equity instruments in statement of financial position is considered a key audit matter due to the degree of complexity involved in valuing level 3 instruments and the significance of management judgments and estimates relating to the selection of valuation techniques, assumptions and unobservable inputs used in fair valuation of this investment. I considered this to be a key audit matter.

#### How the matter was addressed in the audit

My audit procedures in this area included:

- Inquiring of management and understanding method and process of valuation of investment in non-listed equity instruments by considering the factors which could affect the fair value.
- Evaluating the valuation techniques by considering the nature of the investee's business, comparing with the techniques applied in the industry and challenging the key assumptions used in their valuation by comparing these to externally published industry data and considering whether these assumptions are consistent with the current market environment.
- Testing reasonableness of key unobservable inputs used in the fair valuation model by comparing key assumptions and unobservable inputs used in the same industry. Furthermore, I tested the fair value calculation of investment in equity instruments prepared by the management.
- Evaluating the adequacy of the financial statement disclosures in accordance with Thai Financial Reporting Standards.

# Valuation of real estate development for sale

Refer to Notes 3 (g) and 8

# The key audit matter

The Group's real estate development for sale are measured at the lower of cost and net realisable value. The determination of the net realisable value of these real estate development for sale is dependent upon the Group's estimations of future selling prices and estimated cost to complete.

Future trends in real estate business markets may be different from the past experiences. There is therefore a risk that the net realisable value is less than cost, due to changes in selling prices. Also, the estimate costs to complete are subject to a number of variables including market conditions in respect of materials and sub-contractor cost and construction issues.

These inherent uncertainties require judgments which would result in the carrying amount of real estate development for sale or gross profit, which my audit focused on.

#### How the matter was addressed in the audit

My audit procedures in this area included:

- Inquiring of management and understanding the process of the estimation of net realisable value of real estate development for sale and performing testing effectiveness of key controls over the process of approvals relating to the setting and updating selling price, setting budgets and reviewing cost forecasts.
- Evaluating the appropriateness of the estimated selling prices by comparing sales estimates to sales made to date and real estate price trend information.
- Evaluating the appropriateness of the estimated cost to complete by comparing the cost estimates to the actual costs and supporting documents, including checking that they were allocated to the appropriate site and development phase, and met the definition of development costs.
- Evaluating the adequacy of the financial statement disclosures in accordance with Thai Financial Reporting Standards.

# Significant business acquisition

Refer to Notes 3 (a) and 4

# The key audit matter

On 9 August 2023, the Group obtained control of M.K. Real Estate Development Public Company Limited ("MK") resulting in that MK changed its status from an associate to a subsidiary of the Group. In addition, the Group has gained control over BFTZ Wangnoi Co., Ltd. ("BFTZ") and BFTZ changed its status from a joint venture to a subsidiary of the Group.

The accounting for business acquisition in accordance with the acquisition method is complex and involves judgment. The Group is required to measure the fair value of identifiable assets acquired and liabilities assumed with which any resulting differences shall be recognised as a gain from a bargain purchase. As at the reporting date, the fair value measurement was not finalised. As a result, the Group accounted for the transaction using the provisional fair value.

Due to the materiality of the transaction and the involvement of significant judgment in identifying and estimating the fair value of identifiable assets acquired and liabilities assumed, I considered this to be a key audit matter.

# How the matter was addressed in the audit

My audit procedures in this area included:

- Reading the business acquisition agreement and analysis report prepared by the Group to obtain an understanding of significant terms and conditions.
- Evaluating the appropriateness of the identification of identifiable assets acquired and liabilities assumed prepared by management.
- Evaluating knowledge, competency and independence of the independent valuer.
- Evaluating the reasonableness of the method used in estimating the fair value of identifiable assets acquired and liabilities assumed.
- Evaluating the reasonableness of significant assumptions used in estimating the fair value by referencing to internal and external information and testing the calculation.
- Evaluating the adequacy of the financial statement disclosures in accordance with Thai Financial Reporting Standards.

#### Emphasis of Matter

I draw attention to Note 4, during the year 2023, the Group acquired a business and hired an independent appraiser to determine the fair value of the identifiable assets acquired and liabilities assumed from the business acquisition. As at the reporting date, the reviews have not yet been completed therefore the determination of the fair value and the allocation of the purchase price was determined provisionally and is subject to potential amendment. My opinion is not modified in respect of this matter.

# Other Information

Management is responsible for the other information. The other information comprises the information included in the annual report, but does not include the consolidated and separate financial statements and my auditor's report thereon. The annual report is expected to be made available to me after the date of this auditor's report.

My opinion on the consolidated and separate financial statements does not cover the other information and I will not express any form of assurance conclusion thereon.

In connection with my audit of the consolidated and separate financial statements, my responsibility is to read the other information identified above when it becomes available and, in doing so, consider whether the other information is materially inconsistent with the consolidated and separate financial statements or my knowledge obtained in the audit, or otherwise appears to be materially misstated.

When I read the annual report, if I conclude that there is a material misstatement therein, I am required to communicate the matter to those charged with governance and request that the correction be made.

Responsibilities of Management and Those Charged with Governance for the Consolidated and Separate Financial Statements

Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of the consolidated and separate financial statements in accordance with TFRSs, and for such internal control as management determines is necessary to enable the preparation of consolidated and separate financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

In preparing the consolidated and separate financial statements, management is responsible for assessing the Group's and the Company's ability to continue as a going concern, disclosing, as applicable, matters related to going concern and using the going concern basis of accounting unless management either intends to liquidate the Group and the Company or to cease operations, or has no realistic alternative but to do so.

Those charged with governance are responsible for overseeing the Group's and the Company's financial reporting process.

Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Consolidated and Separate Financial Statements

My objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the consolidated and separate financial statements as a whole are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error, and to issue an auditor's report that includes my opinion. Reasonable assurance is a high level of assurance, but is not a guarantee that an audit conducted in accordance with TSAs will always detect a material misstatement when it exists. Misstatements can arise from fraud or error and are considered material if, individually or in the aggregate, they could reasonably be expected to influence the economic decisions of users of the financial statements taken on the basis of these consolidated and separate financial statements.

As part of an audit in accordance with TSAs, I exercise professional judgment and maintain professional skepticism throughout the audit. I also:

- Identify and assess the risks of material misstatement of the consolidated and separate financial statements, whether due to fraud or error, design and perform audit procedures responsive to those risks, and obtain audit evidence that is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for my opinion. The risk of not detecting a material misstatement resulting from fraud is higher than for one resulting from error, as fraud may involve collusion, forgery, intentional omissions, misrepresentations, or the override of internal control.
- Obtain an understanding of internal control relevant to the audit in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the Group's and the Company's internal control.
- Evaluate the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of accounting estimates and related disclosures made by management.
- Conclude on the appropriateness of management's use of the going concern basis of accounting and, based on the audit evidence obtained, whether a material uncertainty exists related to events or conditions that may cast significant doubt on the Group's and the Company's ability to continue as a going concern. If I conclude that a material uncertainty exists, I am required to draw attention in my auditor's report to the related disclosures in the consolidated and separate financial statements or, if such disclosures are inadequate, to modify my opinion. My conclusions are based on the audit evidence obtained up to the date of my auditor's report. However, future events or conditions may cause the Group and the Company to cease to continue as a going concern.
- Evaluate the overall presentation, structure and content of the consolidated and separate financial statements, including the disclosures, and whether the consolidated and separate financial statements represent the underlying transactions and events in a manner that achieves fair presentation.
- Obtain sufficient appropriate audit evidence regarding the financial information of the entities or business activities within the Group to express an opinion on the consolidated financial statements. I am responsible for the direction, supervision and performance of the group audit. I remain solely responsible for my audit opinion.

I communicate with those charged with governance regarding, among other matters, the planned scope and timing of the audit and significant audit findings, including any significant deficiencies in internal control that I identify during my audit.

I also provide those charged with governance with a statement that I have complied with relevant ethical requirements regarding independence, and to communicate with them all relationships and other matters that may reasonably be thought to bear on my independence, and where applicable, actions taken to eliminate threats or safeguards applied.

From the matters communicated with those charged with governance, I determine those matters that were of most significance in the audit of the consolidated and separate financial statements of the current period and are therefore the key audit matters. I describe these matters in my auditor's report unless law or regulation precludes public disclosure about the matter or when, in extremely rare circumstances, I determine that a matter should not be communicated in my report because the adverse consequences of doing so would reasonably be expected to outweigh the public interest benefits of such communication.

(Thitima Pongchaiyong) Certified Public Accountant Registration No. 10728

KPMG Phoomchai Audit Ltd. Bangkok 29 February 2024

# FNS Holdings Public Company Limited and its Subsidiaries Statement of financial position

		Consoli	dated	Sepa	rate
		financial st	atements	financial st	atements
		31 Dece	ember	31 Dec	ember
Assets	Note	2023	2022	2023	2022
			(in thousa	nd Baht)	
Current assets					
Cash and cash equivalents	6, 9	261,202	13,072	6,115	9,545
Service income receivables from related parties	5	-	220	1,670	220
Trade and other current receivables	5	739,986	-	36,021	-
Contract assets - current		155,939	-	-	-
Current portion of lease receivables	5	241	-	-	-
Short-term loans to related parties	5	757,000	467,485	525,000	467,485
Short-term loans to other parties	7	130,000	73,800	70,000	73,800
Real estate development for sale	8, 9	1,983,771	-	-	-
Inventories		8,756	-	-	-
Other current financial assets	10	503,472	361,006	165,022	361,006
Deposits from investment agreement	5	-	-	430,000	-
Other current assets	5	337,244	44,284	20,980	44,210
Total current assets		4,877,611	959,867	1,254,808	956,266
Non-current assets					
Deposits pledged as collateral	9	96,869	-	-	-
Other non-current financial assets	10	1,100,917	373,167	237,698	72,416
Investment in subsidiaries	4, 9, 11	-	-	2,865,374	605,457
Investment in associates and joint venture	9, 12	1,519,924	1,896,250	777,862	1,972,345
Lease receivables	5	53,927	-	-	-
Land held for development	9	456,015	-	-	-
Investment properties	9, 13	9,377,667	-	-	-
Property, plant and equipment	9, 14	6,334,923	14,858	14,113	14,858
Goodwill	16	45,356	45,356	-	-
Other intangible assets other than goodwill		47,679	1,148	1,583	1,148
Deferred tax assets		136,570	-	-	-
Deposits		30,000	-	-	-
Other non-current assets	5	195,651	759	757	759
Total non-current assets		19,395,498	2,331,538	3,897,387	2,666,983
Total assets		24,273,109	3,291,405	5,152,195	3,623,249

# FNS Holdings Public Company Limited and its Subsidiaries Statement of financial position

		Consolio	dated	Separ	ate
		financial sta	atements	financial sta	atements
		31 Dece	mber	31 Dece	mber
Liabilities and equity	Note	2023	2022	2023	2022
			(in thousa	nd Baht)	
Current liabilities					
Short-term borrowings from financial institutions	17	53,025	-	-	-
Trade and other current payables	5	1,291,252	-	-	-
Current portion of long-term borrowings from financial institutions	17	1,089,006	-	58,040	-
Current portion of long-term borrowings from other parties	17	80,000	-	-	-
Current portion of long-term debentures	17	1,731,279	300,000	-	300,000
Current portion of lease liabilities		15,565	2,941	2,839	2,941
Short-term debentures	17	-	-	-	-
Short-term borrowings from other parties	17	800,000	-	450,000	-
Advance from related parties	5, 17	-	-	244,277	21,105
Corporate income tax payable		29,486	-	-	-
Deposits and advances from customers		56,102	-	-	-
Payable from a transfer of right agreement to receive cash inflow	17	1,014,272	-	-	-
Current portion of provisions for guarantee of lease agreement	5	527	-	-	-
Other current liabilities	18	340,193	21,607	16,798	19,512
Total current liabilities		6,500,707	324,548	771,954	343,558
Non-current liabilities					
Non-current payables		61,084	_	_	_
Long-term borrowings from financial institutions	17	4,677,594	_	233,962	_
Long-term debentures	17	3,796,407	366,800	366,800	366,800
Lease liabilities	17	1,383,444	2,872	3,953	2,872
Non-current provisions for employee benefits	19	99,148	26,835	28,743	26,835
Other non-current liabilities	5, 20	524,459	_	_	_
Total non-current liabilities	,	10,542,136	396,507	633,458	396,507
Total liabilities		17,042,843	721,055	1,405,412	740,065

Statement of financial position

		Consoli		Separ	
		31 Dec		31 Dec	
	Note	2023	2022	2023	2022
	Ivote	2023	(in thousa		2022
Equity			(in inousai	па Бат)	
• •	21				
Share capital	21				
Authorised share capital					
(691,710,880 ordinary shares, par value at Baht 5 per share)		3,458,554		3,458,554	
(345,855,440 ordinary shares, par value at Baht 5 per share)			1,729,277	,	1,729,277
Issued and paid-up share capital					
(500,651,065 ordinary shares, par value at Baht 5 per share)		2,503,255	-	2,503,255	-
(345,855,440 ordinary shares, par value at Baht 5 per share)		-	1,729,277	-	1,729,277
Share premium on ordinary shares	21	207,161	208,455	207,161	208,455
Retained earnings					
Appropriated					
Legal reserve	22	82,900	82,000	82,900	82,000
Unappropriated		1,453,834	838,486	818,440	870,593
Other components of equity		146,789	(287,868)	135,027	(7,141)
Equity attributable to owners of the parent		4,393,939	2,570,350	3,746,783	2,883,184
Non-controlling interests		2,836,327	_	_	-
Total equity		7,230,266	2,570,350	3,746,783	2,883,184
Total liabilities and equity		24,273,109	3,291,405	5,152,195	3,623,249

# Statement of comprehensive income

		Consolie	dated	Separ	ate
		financial sta	atements	financial sta	atemetns
		Year ended 31	December	Year ended 31	December
	Note	2023	2022	2023	2022
			(in thousa	nd Baht)	
Income					
Revenue from investment, advisory and management business	5	203,218	82,646	213,361	107,121
Revenue from sale of real estate		566,753	-	-	-
Revenue from rental and rendering of services	5	230,096	-	-	-
Revenue from management of real estate	5	56,702	-	-	-
Revenue from health and wellness		70,467	-	-	-
Net gain on invesments measured at fair value through profit or loss	25	-	5,917	244	5,385
Gain on disposal of investment in a subsidiary	24	207,005	-	-	55,479
Gain on measurement of investment in associate before business acquisitic	4	245,584	-	-	-
Gain on bargain purchase	4	673,969	-	-	-
Gain on disposal of investment properties	5	12,273	-	-	-
Other income	5	328,929	1,205	1,272	1,694
Total income		2,594,996	89,768	214,877	169,679
Expenses					
Investment, advisory and management business expenses	5	42,439	73,859	42,438	48,571
Cost of sale of real estate		585,268	-	-	-
Cost of rental and rendering of services		113,080	-	-	-
Cost of management of real estate		17,445	-	-	-
Cost of health and wellness		160,831	-	-	-
Distribution costs		64,552	-	-	-
Servicing and administrative expenses	5, 14	737,948	30,692	35,920	29,238
Loss on disposal of investment in an associate	25	52,306	-	-	-
Loss on exchange rate			10,762		-
Total expenses		1,773,869	115,313	78,358	77,809
Profit (loss) from operating activities		821,127	(25,545)	136,519	91,870
Finance costs	5, 27	(380,787)	(48,991)	(58,602)	(52,869)
Impairment loss on investments	12	(34,980)	-	(60,000)	-
Share of profit of associates and joint venture accounted for					
using equity method		6,688	6,237	_	_
Gain on disposal of building and equipment	5, 14	-	298,806	_	298,806
Profit before income tax expense		412,048	230,507	17,917	337,807
Income tax expense	28	(51,057)	-		-
Profit for the year from continuing operations		360,991	230,507	17,917	337,807
Loss for the year from discontinued operation, net of tax	24	-	(125,590)	-	-
Profit for the year		360,991	104,917	17,917	337,807

Statement of comprehensive income

Final part   Fi			Consolid	lated	Separa	ate
Note   2023   2023   2023   2026   2026   2026   2026   2028   2027   2028			financial sta	tements	financial sta	atemetns
Continuing operation   Continuing operation			Year ended 31	December	Year ended 31	December
Description of the reclassified subsequently to profit or loss   12,089   11   (177)   (176)		Note	2023	2022	2023	2022
Lens that will be reclassified subsequently to profit or loss   Cl2,089   Cl1   Cl77     Exchange differences on translating financial statements   Cl46   Cl3,019   Cl77     Exchange differences on translating financial statements   Cl46   Cl3,019   Cl77     Total items that will be reclassified subsequently to profit or loss   Cl46   Cl48   Cl47   Cl47     Items that will not be reclassified to profit or loss     Gain on measurement of financial assets   429,323   Cl4,179   Cl47     Share of other comprehensive income of associates and joint venture accounted for using equity method   Cl210   Cl547   Cl547   Cl547     Actuarial gain on defined benefit plan   Cl547   Cl547   Cl547   Cl547     Cl41 items that will not be reclassified to profit or loss   430,833   438   142,179   Cl548     Cl48				(in thousa	nd Baht)	
Continuing operation   Continuing operation	Other comprehensive income					
Exchange differences on translating financial statements (146) 13,919 Total items that will be reclassified subsequently to profit or loss (146) 1,830 (11) (177)    Items that will not be reclassified to profit or loss	Items that will be reclassified subsequently to profit or loss					
Total items that will be reclassified subsequently to profit or loss	Loss on measurement of financial assets		-	(12,089)	(11)	(177)
State   Stat	Exchange differences on translating financial statements		(146)	13,919		-
Gain on measurement of financial assets         429,323         - 142,179         - 2           Share of other comprehensive income of associates and joint venture accounted for using equity method         1,210         (547)	Total items that will be reclassified subsequently to profit or loss		(146)	1,830	(11)	(177)
Share of other comprehensive income of associates and joint venture accounted for using equity method   1,210   (547)	Items that will not be reclassified to profit or loss					
Section   Sect	Gain on measurement of financial assets		429,323	-	142,179	-
Actuarial gain on defined benefit plan         -         985         -         985           Total items that will not be reclassified to profit or loss         430,533         438         142,179         985           Other comprehensive income for the year, net of tax         430,387         2,268         142,168         808           Other comprehensive income from discontinued operation for the year, net of tax         -         18,824         -         -           Total comprehensive income for the year         791,378         126,009         160,085         338,615           Profit attributable to:         Section of the parent         685,418         104,917         17,917         337,807           Non-controlling interests         (324,427)         -<	Share of other comprehensive income of associates and					
Total items that will not be reclassified to profit or loss         430,533         438         142,179         985           Other comprehensive income for the year, net of tax         430,387         2,268         142,168         808           Other comprehensive income from discontinued operation for the year, net of tax         -         18,824         -         -           Total comprehensive income for the year         791,378         126,009         160,085         338,615           Profit attributable to:           Owners of the parent         685,418         104,917         17,917         337,807           Non-controlling interests         (324,427)         -	joint venture accounted for using equity method		1,210	(547)	-	-
Other comprehensive income for the year, net of tax         430,387         2,268         142,168         808           Other comprehensive income from discontinued operation for the year, net of tax         -         18,824         -         -           Total comprehensive income for the year         791,378         126,009         160,085         338,615           Profit attributable to:           Owners of the parent         685,418         104,917         17,917         337,807           Non-controlling interests         (324,427)         -         -         -         -           Total comprehensive income attributable to:         0         104,917         17,917         337,807           Total comprehensive income attributable to:         0         104,917         17,917         337,807           Owners of the parent         1,120,075         126,009         160,085         338,615           Non-controlling interests         (328,697)         -         -         -         -           Basic earnings per share (in Baht)         29           Continuing operation         1.66         0.66         0.04         0.98	Actuarial gain on defined benefit plan			985		985
Other comprehensive income from discontinued operation for the year, net of tax         18,824         -         -           Total comprehensive income for the year         791,378         126,009         160,085         338,615           Profit attributable to:           Owners of the parent         685,418         104,917         17,917         337,807           Non-controlling interests         (324,427)         -         -         -         -           Total comprehensive income attributable to:         360,991         104,917         17,917         337,807           Owners of the parent         1,120,075         126,009         160,085         338,615           Non-controlling interests         (328,697)         -         -         -         -           Basic earnings per share (in Baht)         29           Continuing operation         1.66         0.66         0.04         0.98	Total items that will not be reclassified to profit or loss		430,533	438	142,179	985
for the year, net of tax         -         18,824         -         -           Total comprehensive income for the year         791,378         126,009         160,085         338,615           Profit attributable to:           Owners of the parent         685,418         104,917         17,917         337,807           Non-controlling interests         (324,427)         -         -         -         -           Owners of the parent         1,120,075         126,009         160,085         338,615           Non-controlling interests         (328,697)         -         -         -         -           Non-controlling interests         (328,697)         -	Other comprehensive income for the year, net of tax		430,387	2,268	142,168	808
Profit attributable to:         791,378         126,009         160,085         338,615           Owners of the parent         685,418         104,917         17,917         337,807           Non-controlling interests         (324,427)         -         -         -         -           Non-controlling interests         360,991         104,917         17,917         337,807           Total comprehensive income attributable to:	Other comprehensive income from discontinued operation					
Profit attributable to:           Owners of the parent         685,418         104,917         17,917         337,807           Non-controlling interests         (324,427)         -         -         -         -           Total comprehensive income attributable to:           Owners of the parent         1,120,075         126,009         160,085         338,615           Non-controlling interests         (328,697)         -         -         -         -           Total comprehensive income attributable to:         (328,697)         - <td>for the year, net of tax</td> <td></td> <td></td> <td>18,824</td> <td></td> <td>-</td>	for the year, net of tax			18,824		-
Owners of the parent         685,418         104,917         17,917         337,807           Non-controlling interests         (324,427)         -	Total comprehensive income for the year		791,378	126,009	160,085	338,615
Non-controlling interests         (324,427)         -	Profit attributable to:					
Total comprehensive income attributable to:         360,991         104,917         17,917         337,807           Owners of the parent Non-controlling interests         1,120,075         126,009         160,085         338,615           Non-controlling interests         (328,697)         -         -         -         -           791,378         126,009         160,085         338,615           Basic earnings per share (in Baht)         29         -	Owners of the parent		685,418	104,917	17,917	337,807
Total comprehensive income attributable to:           Owners of the parent         1,120,075         126,009         160,085         338,615           Non-controlling interests         (328,697)         -	Non-controlling interests		(324,427)	-		-
Owners of the parent         1,120,075         126,009         160,085         338,615           Non-controlling interests         (328,697)         -			360,991	104,917	17,917	337,807
Non-controlling interests         (328,697)         -	Total comprehensive income attributable to:					
Basic earnings per share (in Baht)         29           Continuing operation         1.66         0.66         0.04         0.98	Owners of the parent		1,120,075	126,009	160,085	338,615
Basic earnings per share (in Baht)         29           Continuing operation         1.66         0.66         0.04         0.98	Non-controlling interests		(328,697)	-		-
Continuing operation         1.66         0.66         0.04         0.98			791,378	126,009	160,085	338,615
	Basic earnings per share (in Baht)	29				
Discontinued operation - (0.36)	Continuing operation		1.66	0.66	0.04	0.98
	Discontinued operation			(0.36)		-

FNS Holdings Public Company Limited and its Subsidiaries Statement of changes in equity

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			,	Retained earnings	earnings		O	Other components of equity	iity				
									Share of other				
								Exchange	comprehensive		Equity		
		Issued and				(Loss) gain on	Gain on dilution	differences	income of associates	Actuarial (loss)	attributable to	Non-	
		paid-up	Share premium			measurement of	of investment	on translating	and joint venture	gain on defined	owners of	controlling	Total
	Note	share capital	on ordinary shares	Legal reserve	Unappropriated	financial assets	in an associate	financial statements	financial statements using equity method	benefit plan	the parent	interests	equity
						(in thouse	(in thousand Baht)						
Year ended 31 December 2022													
Balance at 1 January 2022		1,729,277	208,455	65,000	936,011	(16,805)	6,340	(275,079)	(5,939)	(29,993)	2,617,267		2,617,267
Transactions with owners, recorded directly in equity													
Dividends	30			-	(172,926)	-					(172,926)		(172,926)
Total transactions with owners, recorded directly in equity					(172,926)						(172,926)		(172,926)
Comprehensive income for the year													
Profit for the year		ı	1	1	104,917		1	1			104,917		104,917
Other comprehensive income		,		,	(12,516)	427	,	13,919	(547)	985	2,268	,	2,268
Effect of discontinued operation	24	1		1		(2,395)	1	,		21,219	18,824	'	18,824
Total comprehensive income for the year					92,401	(1,968)		13,919	(547)	22,204	126,009		126,009
Transfer to legal reserve	22	1		17,000	(17,000)			,		,			
Balance at 31 December 2022		7729.27.1	208.455	82,000	838.486	(18.773)	6.340	(261.160)	(6.486)	(27.89)	2.570.350		2.570.350
		L			2016	(2.162)		(2016)	(anda)	(20.41)			

FNS Holdings Public Company Limited and its Subsidiaries Statement of changes in equity

Consolidated financial statements

			ļ	Retained	Retained earnings		Of	Other components of equity	uty				
									Share of other				
								Exchange	comprehensive		Equity		
		Issued and				(Loss) gain on	Gain on dilution	differences	income of associates	Actuarial (loss)	attributable to	Non-	
		paid-up	Share premium			measurement of	of investment	on translating	and joint venture	gain on defined	owners of	controlling	Total
	Note	share capital	on ordinary shares	Legal reserve	Unappropriated	financial assets	in an associate	financial statements	financial statements using equity method	benefit plan	the parent	interests	equity
						(in thous	(in thousand Baht)						
Year ended 31 December 2023													
Balance at 1 January 2023		1,729,277	208,455	82,000	838,486	(18,773)	6,340	(261,160)	(6,486)	(7,789)	2,570,350		2,570,350
Transactions with owners, recorded directly in equity													
Contributions by and distributions to owners of the parent													
Issue of new shares	21	773,978	(1,294)	,	,	,	,	,	,	,	772,684	,	772,684
Dividends	30			,	(69,170)						(69,170)		(69,170)
Total contributions by and distributions to owners of the parent	arent	773,978	(1,294)		(69,170)		•	•		•	703,514	i	703,514
Changes in ownership interests in subsidiaries Acquisition of non-controlling interests with a chance in control			,									3.165.024	3.165.024
Total chances in ownership interests in subsidiaries	•											3.165.024	3.165.024
													- 1-4
Total transactions with owners, recorded directly in equity		773,978	(1,294)		(69,170)						703,514	3,165,024	3,868,538
Comprehensive income for the year													
Profit (loss) for the year					685,418						685,418	(324,427)	360,991
Other comprehensive income	ļ	1		,		429,323	1	4,124	1,210	,	434,657	(4,270)	430,387
Total comprehensive income for the year	ļ				685,418	429,323		4,124	1,210		1,120,075	(328,697)	791,378
Tronnefar in land researes	6			000	000								
A TOST INS	1			3	(00.0)								
Balance at 31 December 2023	11	2,503,255	207,161	82,900	1,453,834	410,550	6,340	(257,036)	(5,276)	(7,789)	4,393,939	2,836,327	7,230,266

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The accompanying notes form an integral part of the financial statements.

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Statement of changes in equity

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The accompanying notes form an integral part of the financial statements.

# FNS Holdings Public Company Limited and its Subsidiaries Statement of cash flows

		Consolida financial state Year ended 31 E	ements	Separa financial star Year ended 31	tements
	Note	2023	2022 (in thousand	2023	2022
Cash flows from investing activities			(in inousand	и Биш)	
Proceeds from disposal of digital tokens		-	482,323	-	482,323
Acquisition of investment in other non-current financial assets		(256,503)	(107,870)	-	(1,875)
Proceeds from disposal of investment in other non-current financial assets		116,134	23,911	50,000	-
Proceeds from share capital reduction of a subsidiary		-	-	-	300,000
Proceeds from distribution of investment		-	11,123	-	11,123
Increase in deposits pledged as collateral		(47,361)	-	-	-
Acquisition of subsidiaries, net of cash acquired	4	(343,500)	-	(883,400)	-
Acquisition of investment in associates		(242,033)	-	(242,033)	-
Proceeds from disposal of discontinued operation, net of cash disposed of	24	-	455,273	-	490,188
Acquisition of investment properties		(973,377)	-	-	-
Proceeds from disposal of building and equipment		77	3,299	21	369,914
Acquisition of equipment and intangible assets		(463,171)	(37,525)	(2,734)	(12,582)
Dividend received	_	198,001	73,840	136,496	41,958
Net cash (used in) from investing activities	_	(2,011,733)	904,374	(941,650)	1,681,049
Cash flows from financing activities					
Proceeds from issue of ordinary shares		772,684	-	772,684	-
Proceeds from short-term loan from a financial institution		2,486	-	350,043	-
Repayment of long-term loan from a financial institution		(381,055)	-	(58,040)	-
Proceeds from long-term loan from a financial institution		2,312,002	-	-	-
Repayment of short-term loans from related parties		-	-	-	(687,655)
Proceeds from short-term loans and advance from related parties		-	-	141,875	138,090
Proceeds of short-term loans from others		-	-	450,000	-
Repayment of short-term loans from others		(800,000)	-	-	-
Repayment of short-term debentures		(426,700)	(300,000)	-	(300,000)
Proceeds from short-term debentures		-	-	-	-
Repayment of long-term debentures		(1,865,000)	(340,000)	(300,000)	(340,000)
Proceeds from long-term debentures		300,000	-	-	-
Payment of lease liabilities		(25,506)	(2,015)	(3,067)	(2,015)
Dividend paid	30	(69,170)	(172,926)	(69,170)	(172,926)
Net cash from (used in) financing activities	-	(180,259)	(814,941)	1,284,325	(1,364,506)
New Committee of the Land of t					
Net (decrease) increase in cash and cash equivalents, before effect of		249.276	(100 106)	(2.420)	1.000
exchange rate changes		248,276	(198,106)	(3,430)	1,069
Exchange differences on translating financial statements	-	(146)	13,919	(2.420)	1.060
Net (decrease) increase in cash and cash equivalents		248,130	(184,187)	(3,430)	1,069
Cash and cash equivalents at 1 January	-	13,072	197,259	9,545	8,476
Cash and cash equivalents at 31 December	=	261,202	13,072	6,115	9,545
Non-cash transactions					
Payable for acquisition of equipment and intangible assets		-	-	-	(60)
Reclassification of other non-current financial assets to other current					
financial assets		10,055	-	10,055	-
Increase in discounts on bills of exchange		-	416	-	416

# FNS Holdings Public Company Limited and its Subsidiaries Statement of cash flows

		Consolid	ated	Separ	ate
		financial sta	tements	financial sta	atements
		Year ended 31	December	Year ended 31	December
	Note	2023	2022	2023	2022
			(in thousand	d Baht)	
Cash flows from investing activities					
Proceeds from disposal of digital tokens		-	482,323	-	482,323
Acquisition of investment in other non-current financial assets		(256,503)	(107,870)	-	(1,875)
Proceeds from disposal of investment in other non-current financial assets		116,134	23,911	50,000	-
Proceeds from share capital reduction of a subsidiary		-	-	-	300,000
Proceeds from distribution of investment		-	11,123	-	11,123
Increase in deposits pledged as collateral		(47,361)	-	-	-
Acquisition of subsidiaries, net of cash acquired	4	(343,500)	-	(883,400)	-
Acquisition of investment in associates		(242,033)	-	(242,033)	-
Proceeds from disposal of discontinued operation, net of cash disposed of	24	-	455,273	-	490,188
Acquisition of investment properties		(973,377)	-	-	-
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Acquisition of equipment and intangible assets		(463,171)	(37,525)	(2,734)	(12,582)
Dividend received		198,001	73,840	136,496	41,958
Net cash (used in) from investing activities		(2,011,733)	904,374	(941,650)	1,681,049
Cash flows from financing activities					
Proceeds from issue of ordinary shares		772684	-	772,684	-
Proceeds from short-term loan from a financial institution		2486	-	350,043	-
Repayment of long-term loan from a financial institution		(381,055)	-	(58,040)	-
Proceeds from long-term loan from a financial institution		2,312,002	-	-	-
Repayment of short-term loans from related parties		-	-	-	(687,655)
Proceeds from short-term loans and advance from related parties		-	-	141,875	138,090
Proceeds of short-term loans from others		-	-	450,000	-
Repayment of short-term loans from others		(800,000)	-	-	-
Repayment of short-term debentures		(426,700)	(300,000)	-	(300,000)
Proceeds from short-term debentures		-	-	-	-
Repayment of long-term debentures		(1,865,000)	(340,000)	(300,000)	(340,000)
Proceeds from long-term debentures		300,000	-	-	-
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exchange rate changes		248,276	(198,106)	(3,430)	1,069
Exchange differences on translating financial statements		(146)	13,919		-
Net (decrease) increase in cash and cash equivalents		248,130	(184,187)	(3,430)	1,069
Cash and cash equivalents at 1 January		13,072	197,259	9,545	8,476
Cash and cash equivalents at 31 December		261,202	13,072	6,115	9,545
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Non-cash transactions					((0)
Payable for acquisition of equipment and intangible assets		-	-	-	(60)
Reclassification of other non-current financial assets to other current		10.055		10.055	
Tinancial assets Tinancial statements.		10,055	- A16	10,055	- 416
Increase in discounts on bills of exchange	19	-	416	-	416

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These notes form an integral part of the financial statements.

The financial statements issued for Thai statutory and regulatory reporting purposes are prepared in the Thai language. These English language financial statements have been prepared from the Thai language statutory financial statements, and were approved and authorised for issue by the Board of Directors on 29 February 2024.

#### 1 General information

FNS Holdings Public Company Limited the "Company", is incorporated in Thailand. The Company's registered office at 345, 345 Surawong Building, 6<sup>th</sup> floor, Surawong Road, Suriyawong, Bangrak, Bangkok.

The Company's major shareholders during the financial year was Pokachaiyapat family, holding 57.8% of the shares (2022: 43.1%).

The principal activities of the Group are to invest in and provide finance and management advisory services to its affiliated and related parties, property development for sale including land, land and house, construction for the Group's own projects, building and parking rental, and health and wellness center. Details of the Company's subsidiaries as at 31 December 2023 and 2022 are given in Note 11.

# 2 Basis of preparation of the financial statements

The financial statements are prepared in accordance with Thai Financial Reporting Standards ("TFRS"), guidelines promulgated by the Federation of Accounting Professions and applicable rules and regulations of the Thai Securities and Exchange Commission. The financial statements are presented in Thai Baht, which is the Company's functional currency. The accounting policies, described in Note 3, have been applied consistently to all periods presented in these financial statements.

The preparation of financial statements in conformity with TFRS requires management to make judgments, estimates and assumptions that affect the application of the Group's accounting policies. Actual results may differ from these estimates. Estimates and underlying assumptions that are described in each note are reviewed on an ongoing basis. Revisions to accounting estimates are recognised prospectively.

Use of going concern basis of accounting

The Group incurred a net loss from normal operation of Baht 558.6 million (excluding gain on bargain purchase of Baht 674.0 million and gain on measurement of investment in associate before business acquisition of Baht 245.6 million in the consolidated statement of comprehensive income), for the year ended 31 December 2023, and of that date, the Group's current liabilities exceeded its current assets by Baht 1,623.1 million. The operations of the Group have been impacted and may continue to be impacted in the future due to the uncertainty in the economic situation. This situation indicates significant uncertainties that may raise significant doubts about the ability of the Group to continue its operations on going concern basis.

However, the management of the Group believes that the Group will improve its performance and liquidity. The Group has plans to implement policies and methods to manage liquidity risks. These include requesting credit lines from commercial banks and obtaining waiver for breaches of the terms of the loan agreement with financial institution and issuing additional debentures in 2024. Additionally, the Group plans to adjust its business operations structure by conducting transactions involving assets and related items with M.K. Real Estate Development Public Company Limited ("MK"). Furthermore, the Group is considering the sale of several real estate development projects, which is in line with the normal business operations of the Group. The ability to repay debts depends on the successful implementation of these policies and methods.

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Management of the Group believe that success of the aforementioned actions will enable the Group to have sufficient liquidity to continue its business and repay debts when due. These financial statements have been prepared by the management of the Group based on a going concern basis, assuming that the operations have sufficient working capital and credit facilities for the desired business operations. Therefore, the financial statements do not include adjustments to asset amounts and the reclassification of assets and liabilities.

#### Breach of loan agreement

In addition, the MK Group must comply with the terms of the loan agreement and maintain financial ratios and other conditions as specified in the agreement, such as maintaining the debt service coverage ratio. During the year ended 31 December 2023, a subsidiary breached the financial ratio maintenance condition stipulated in the loan agreement. Breach of this agreement may cause the bank to demand repayment of the outstanding loan amount under the aforementioned agreement. As a result, outstanding loan of the subsidiary of Baht 557 million has been reclassified as current liabilities. However, during 2024, the subsidiary received a waiver of the financial ratio maintenance condition from the relevant financial institution.

# 3 Significant accounting policies

# (a) Basis of consolidation

The consolidated financial statements relate to the Company and its subsidiaries (together referred to as the "Group") and the Group's interests in associates and joint venture.

Subsidiaries are entities controlled by the Group. The Group controls an entity when it is exposed to, or has rights to, variable returns from its involvement with the entity and has the ability to affect those returns through its power over the entity. The financial statements of subsidiaries are included in the consolidated financial statements from the date on which control commences until the date on which control ceases.

At the acquisition date, the Group measures any non-controlling interest at its proportionate interest in the identifiable net assets of the acquiree. In addition, when there is a change in the Group's interest in a subsidiary that does not result in a loss of control, any difference between the amount by which the non-controlling interests are adjusted and the fair value of the consideration paid from the acquisition of the non-controlling interests with no change in control is accounted for as other surplus/deficit in shareholders' equity.

When the Group loses control over a subsidiary, it derecognises the assets and liabilities, any related non-controlling interests and other components of equity of the subsidiary. Any resulting gain or loss is recognised in profit or loss. Any interest retained in the former subsidiary is measured at fair value when control is lost.

Associates are those entities in which the Group has significant influence, but not control or joint control, over the financial and operating policies. A joint venture is an arrangement in which the Group has joint control, whereby the Group has rights to the net assets of the arrangement, rather than rights to its assets and obligations for its liabilities.

The Group recognised investments in associates and joint venture using the equity method in the consolidated financial statements. They are initially recognised at cost, which includes transaction costs. Subsequent to initial recognition, the consolidated financial statements include the Group's dividend income and share of the profit or loss and other comprehensive income of equity-accounted investees, until the date on which significant influence or joint control ceases.

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Intra-group balances and transactions, and any unrealised income or expenses arising from intra-group transactions, are eliminated on consolidation. Unrealised losses are eliminated in the same way as unrealised gains, but only to the extent that there is no evidence of impairment.

#### Business combinations

The Group applies the acquisition method when the Group assess that the acquired set of activities and assets include, at a minimum, an input and a substantive process that together significantly contribute to the ability to create output. The acquisition date is the date on which control is transferred to the Group except in case of business combination under common control. Expenses in connection with a business combination are recognised as incurred.

The Group elect to apply a 'concentration test' that permits a simplified assessment of whether an acquired set of activities and assets is an asset rather than a business acquisition when substantially all of the fair value of the gross assets acquired is concentrated in a single identifiable asset or group of similar identifiable assets.

Goodwill is measured as the fair value of the consideration transferred including the recognised amount of any non-controlling interest in the acquiree, less net fair value of the identifiable assets acquired and liabilities assumed. Any gain on bargain purchase is recognised in profit or loss immediately.

Consideration transferred includes assets transferred comprise of cash, liabilities incurred by the Group to the previous owners of the acquiree, any contingent consideration and equity interests issued by the Group.

A contingent liability of the acquiree is assumed in a business combination only if such a liability represents a present obligation and arises from a past event, and its fair value can be measured reliably.

If the initial accounting for a business combination is incomplete by the end of the reporting period in which the combination occurs, the Group estimates provisional amounts for the items for which the accounting is incomplete. Those provisional amounts are adjusted during the measurement period, or additional assets or liabilities are recognised, to reflect new information obtained about facts and circumstances that existed at the acquisition date that, if known, would have affected the amounts recognised at that date.

When a business combination is achieved in stages, the Group's previously held equity interest in the acquiree is remeasured to its acquisition-date fair value and the resulting gain or loss, if any, is recognised in profit or loss or related other comprehensive income. Amounts arising from interests in the acquiree prior to the acquisition date that have previously been recognised in other comprehensive income are recognised as would be required if that interest were disposed of.

Business combination under common control are accounted for using a method similar to the pooling of interest method, by recognising assets and liabilities of the acquired businesses at their carrying amounts in the consolidated financial statements of the ultimate parent company at the transaction date. The difference between the carrying amount of the acquired net assets and the consideration transferred is recognised as surplus or deficit from business combinations under common control in shareholder's equity. The surplus or deficit will be written off upon divestment of the businesses acquired. The results from operations of the acquired businesses will be included in the consolidated financial statements of the acquirer from the beginning of the comparative period or the moment the businesses came under common control, whichever date is later, until control ceases.

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# (b) Investments in subsidiaries, associates and joint venture

Investments in subsidiaries, associates and joint venture in the separate financial statements are measured at cost less allowance for impairment losses. Dividend income is recognised in profit or loss on the date on which the Group's right to receive payment is established. If the Company disposes of part of its investment, the deemed cost of the part sold is determined using the FIFO method. Gains or losses on disposal of the investments are recognised in profit or loss.

# (c) Foreign currencies

Transactions in foreign currencies including non-monetary assets and liabilities denominated in foreign currencies are translated to the respective functional currencies of each entity in the Group at exchange rates at the dates of the transactions. Monetary assets and liabilities denominated in foreign currencies are translated at the exchange rate at the reporting date. Non-monetary assets and liabilities measured at fair value in foreign currencies are translated at the exchange rates at the dates that fair value was determined.

Foreign currency differences are generally recognised in profit or loss. However, foreign currency differences arising from the translation of an investment in equity instruments designated as at FVOCI are recognised in other comprehensive income except on impairment, in which case foreign currency differences that have been recognised in other comprehensive income are reclassified to profit or loss.

# Foreign operations

The assets and liabilities of foreign operations, including goodwill and fair value adjustments arising on acquisition, are translated to Thai Baht at the exchange rates at the reporting date. The revenues and expenses of foreign operations are translated to Thai Baht at rates approximating the exchange rates at the dates of the transactions.

Foreign exchange differences are recognised in other comprehensive income and accumulated in the translation reserve until disposal of the investment.

When a foreign operation is disposed of in its entirety or partially such that control is lost, the cumulative amount in the translation reserve related to that foreign operation is reclassified to profit or loss as part of the gain or loss on disposal.

When the settlement of a monetary item receivable from or payable to a foreign operation is neither planned nor likely in the foreseeable future, exchange gains and losses arising from such a monetary item are considered to form part of a net investment in a foreign operation and are recognised in other comprehensive income, and presented in the translation reserve in equity until disposal of the investment.

# (d) Financial instruments

#### (1) Classification and measurement

Debt instruments issued by the Group are initially recognised when they are originated. Other financial assets and financial liabilities (except trade receivables (see note 3(f))) are initially recognised when the Group becomes a party to the contractual provisions of the instrument, and measured at fair value plus or minus, for an item not at fair value through profit or loss (FVTPL), transaction costs that are directly attributable to its acquisition or issue.

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On initial recognition, a financial asset is classified as measured at: amortised cost; fair value through other comprehensive income (FVOCI); or FVTPL. Financial assets are not reclassified subsequent to their initial recognition unless the Group changes its business model for managing financial assets, in which case all affected financial assets are reclassified prospectively from the reclassification date.

On initial recognition, financial liabilities are classified as measured at amortised cost using the effective interest method or FVTPL. Interest expense, foreign exchange gains and losses and any gain or loss on derecognition are recognised in profit or loss.

Financial assets measured at amortised costs are subsequently measured at amortised cost using the effective interest method. The amortised cost is reduced by expected credit losses. Interest income, foreign exchange gains and losses, expected credit loss and any gain or loss on derecognition are recognised in profit or loss.

Investment in debt instruments measured at FVOCI are subsequently measured at fair value. Interest income, calculated using the effective interest method, foreign exchange gains and losses and expected credit loss are recognised in profit or loss. Other net gains and losses are recognised in OCI. On derecognition, gains and losses accumulated in OCI are reclassified to profit or loss.

Investment in equity instruments measured at FVOCI are subsequently measured at fair value. Dividend income is recognised as income in profit or loss on the date on which the Group's right to receive payment is established, unless the dividend clearly represents a recovery of part of the cost of the investment. Other net gains and losses are recognised in OCI and are never reclassified to profit or loss.

#### (2) Derecognition and offset

The Group derecognises a financial asset when the contractual rights to receive the cash flows from the financial asset expire, or it transfers the rights to receive the contractual cash flows in a transaction in which substantially all of the risks and rewards of ownership of the financial asset are transferred or in which the Group neither transfers nor retains substantially all of the risks and rewards of ownership and it does not retain control of the financial asset.

The Group derecognises a financial liability when its contractual obligations are discharged or cancelled, or expired. The Group also derecognises a financial liability when its terms are modified and the cash flows of the modified liability are substantially different, in which case a new financial liability based on the modified terms is recognised at fair value.

The difference between the carrying amount extinguished and the consideration received or paid is recognised in profit or loss.

Financial assets and financial liabilities are offset and the net amount presented in the statement of financial position when, and only when, the Group currently has a legally enforceable right to set off the amounts and the Group intends either to settle them on a net basis or to realise the asset and settle the liability simultaneously.

# (3) Impairment of financial assets

The Group recognises allowances for expected credit losses (ECLs) on financial assets measured at amortised cost, investment in debt instruments measured at FVOCI and loan commitments issued which are not measured at FVTPL.

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The Group recognises ECLs equal to 12-month ECLs unless there has been a significant increase in credit risk of the financial instrument since initial recognition or credit-impaired financial assets, in which case the loss allowance is measured at an amount equal to lifetime ECLs.

ECLs are a probability-weighted estimate of credit losses based on forward-looking and historical experience. Credit losses are measured as the present value of all cash shortfalls discounted by the effective interest rate of the financial asset.

The Group considers a financial asset to have low credit risk when its credit rating is equivalent to the globally understood definition of 'investment grade'. The Group recognises ECLs for low credit risk financial asset as 12-month ECLs.

The Group assumes that the credit risk on a financial asset has increased significantly if it is more than 30 days past due, significant deterioration in credit rating, significant deterioration in the operating results of the debtor and existing or forecast changes in the technological, market, economic or legal environment that have a significant adverse effect on the debtor's ability to meet its obligation to the Group.

The Group considers a financial asset to be in default when:

- the debtor is unlikely to pay its credit obligations to the Group in full, without recourse by the Group takes action such as realising security (if any is held); or
- the financial asset is more than 90 days past due.

# (4) Write offs

The gross carrying amount of a financial asset is written off when the Group has no reasonable expectations of recovering. Subsequent recoveries of an asset that was previously written off, are recognised as a reversal of impairment in profit or loss in the year in which the recovery occurs.

# (5) Interest

Interest income and expense is recognised in profit or loss using the effective interest method. In calculating interest income and expense, the effective interest rate is applied to the gross carrying amount of the asset (when the asset is not credit-impaired) or to the amortised cost of the liability. However, for financial assets that have become credit-impaired subsequent to initial recognition, interest income is calculated by applying the effective interest rate to the amortised cost of the financial asset. If the asset is no longer credit-impaired, then the calculation of interest income reverts to the gross basis.

#### (e) Cash and cash equivalents

Cash and cash equivalents comprise cash balances, call deposits and highly liquid short-term investments which have maturities of three months or less from the date of acquisition.

# (f) Trade receivables

A trade receivable is recognised when the Group has an unconditional right to receive consideration. A trade receivable is measured at transaction price less allowance for expected credit loss. Bad debts are written off when incurred.

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The Group estimates lifetime expected credit losses (ECLs), using a provision matrix to find the ECLs rates. This method groups the debtors based on shared credit risk characteristics and past due status, taking into account historical credit loss data, adjusted for factors that are specific to the debtors and an assessment of both current economic conditions and forward-looking general economic conditions at the reporting date.

# (g) Real estate development for sale

Real estate development for sale is real estate that is held with the intention to sell in the ordinary course of business. This real estate is measured at the lower of cost and net realisable value.

The cost of real estate development for sale comprises the cost of land, including acquisition costs, development expenditure, borrowing costs and other related expenditure. Borrowing costs payable on loans funding real estate development for sale are capitalised as part of the cost of the property until the completion of development. Cost of real estate development for sale includes an allocation of common area property development expenditure based on saleable area.

Net realisable value is the estimated selling price in the ordinary course of business less the estimated costs to complete and to make the sale.

When real estate development for sale are sold, the cost of that real estate is recognised as an expense in the period in which the related revenue is recognised.

# (h) Investment propertiest

Investment properties are measured at cost less accumulated depreciation and impairment losses. Cost includes expenditure that is directly attributable to the acquisition of the investment property. The cost of self-constructed assets includes capitalised borrowing costs.

Depreciation is calculated on a straight-line basis over the estimated useful lives of each property and recognised in profit or loss. No depreciation is charged on freehold land and assets under construction.

The estimated useful lives are as follows:

Warehouse / factory buildings term of the lease, 23 - 30 Years
Buildings on leased land term of the lease, 22 - 35.5 Years
Rental buildings and facility systems 10 - 20 Years
Facility on leased land 10 Years
Furniture and fixtures for lease 5 Years

Differences between the proceeds from disposal and the carrying amount of investment property are recognised in profit or loss.

#### (i) Property, plant and equipment

Property plant and equipment are measured at cost less accumulated depreciation and impairment losses.

Cost includes expenditure that is directly attributable to the acquisition of the asset The cost of self-constructed assets includes capitalised borrowing costs, and the costs of dismantling, removing the items and restoring the site on which they are located. Purchased software that is integral to the functionality of the related equipment is capitalised as part of that equipment.

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Differences between the proceeds from disposal and the carrying amount of property, plant and equipment are recognised in profit or loss.

#### Subsequent costs

The cost of replacing a part of an item of property, plant and equipment is recognised in the carrying amount of the item when the future economic benefits embodied within the part will flow to the Group, and its cost can be measured reliably. The carrying amount of the replaced part is derecognised. The costs of the day-to-day servicing of property, plant and equipment are recognised in profit or loss as incurred.

#### Depreciation

Depreciation is calculated on a straight-line basis over the estimated useful lives of each component of an asset and recognised in profit or loss. No depreciation is provided on freehold land and assets under construction.

The estimated useful lives are as follows:

Buildings and constructions	15 - 35.5	Years
Buildings improvement	5	Years
Machinery and equipment	5	Years
Furniture, fixtures and office equipment	3 and 5	Years
Vehicles	4 - 8	Years

#### (j) Leases

At inception of a contract, the Group assesses that a contract is, or contains, a lease when it conveys the right to control the use of an identified asset for a period of time in exchange for consideration.

#### As a lessee

At commencement or on modification of a contract, the Group allocates the consideration in the contract to each lease component on the basis of its relative stand-alone prices of each component. For the leases of property, the Group has elected not to separate non-lease components and accounted for the lease and non-lease components wholly as a single lease component.

The Group recognises a right-of-use asset and a lease liability at the lease commencement date, except for lease of low-value assets and short-term leases which are recognised as expenses on a straight-line basis over the respective lease terms.

Right-of-use asset is measured at cost, less any accumulated depreciation and impairment loss, and adjusted for any remeasurements of lease liability. The cost of right-of-use asset includes the initial amount of the lease liability adjusted for any prepaid lease payments, plus any initial direct costs incurred and an estimate of restoration costs, less any lease incentives received. Depreciation is charged to profit or loss on a straight-line method from the commencement date to the end of the lease term, unless the lease transfers ownership of the underlying asset to the Group by the end of the lease term or the Group will exercise a purchase option. In that case the right-of-use asset will be depreciated over the useful life of the underlying asset, which is determined on the same basis as those of property and equipment.

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The lease liability is initially measured at the present value of all lease payments that shall be paid under the lease. The Group uses the Group's incremental borrowing rate to discount the lease payments to the present value. The Group determines its incremental borrowing rate by obtaining interest rates from various external financing sources and makes certain adjustments to reflect the terms of the lease and type of the asset leased.

The lease liability is measured at amortised cost using the effective interest method. It is remeasured when there is a lease modification. When the lease liability is remeasured, a corresponding adjustment is made to the carrying amount of the right-of-use asset or is recorded in profit or loss if the carrying amount of the right-of-use asset has been reduced to zero.

As a lessor

At inception or on modification of a contract, the Group allocates the consideration in the contract to each component on the basis of their relative standalone selling prices.

At lease inception, the Group considers to classify a lease that transfers substantially all of the risks and rewards incidental to ownership of the underlying asset to lessees as a finance lease. A lease that does not meet this criteria is classified as an operating lease.

When the Group is an intermediate lessor, the Group classifies the sub-lease either as a finance lease or an operating lease with reference to the right-of-use asset arising from the head lease. In case of a head lease is a short-term lease, the sub-lease is classified as an operating lease. Those right-of-use assets are presented as investment properties.

The Group recognises lease payments received under operating leases in profit or loss on a straight-line basis over the lease term as part of rental income. Initial direct costs incurred in arranging an operating lease are added to the carrying amount of the leased asset and recognised over the lease term on the same basis as rental income. Contingent rents are recognised as rental income in the accounting period in which they are earned.

# (k) Goodwill

Goodwill is measured at cost less accumulated impairment losses. In respect of equity-accounted investee, the carrying amount of goodwill is included in the carrying amount of the investment.

# (1) Other intangible assets

Other intangible assets are measured at cost less accumulated amortisation and impairment losses. Subsequent expenditure is capitalised only when it will generate future economic benefits. Amortisation is calculated on a straight-line basis over the estimated useful lives of intangible assets and recognised in profit or loss.

The estimated useful lives are as follows:

Software 1 - 10 years

# (m) Impairment of non-financial assets

The carrying amounts of the Group's assets are reviewed at each reporting date to determine whether there is any indication of impairment. If any such indication exists, the assets' recoverable amounts are estimated. For goodwill, the recoverable amount is estimated each year at the same time.

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An impairment loss is recognised in profit or loss if the carrying amount of an asset or its cash-generating units exceeds its recoverable amount, unless it reverses a previous revaluation credited to equity, in which case it is charged to equity.

The recoverable amount is the greater of the asset's value in use and fair value less costs to sell. In assessing value in use, the estimated future cash flows are discounted to their present value using a pre-tax discount rate that reflects current market assessments of the time value of money and the risks specific to the asset. For an asset that does not generate cash inflows largely independent of those from other assets, the recoverable amount is determined for the cash-generating unit to which the asset belongs.

An impairment loss of asset recognised in prior years is reversed if there has been a change in the estimates used to determine the recoverable amount. An impairment loss in respect of goodwill is not reversed. An impairment loss is reversed only to the extent that the asset's carrying amount does not exceed the carrying amount that would have been determined, net of depreciation or amortisation, if no impairment loss had been recognised.

# (n) Employee benefits

Defined contribution plans

Obligations for contributions to the Group's provident funds are expensed as the related service is provided.

Defined benefit plans

The Group's net obligation in respect of defined benefit plans is calculated by estimating the amount of future benefit that employees have earned in the current and prior years. The defined benefit obligations is discounted to the present value, which performed regularly by a qualified actuary using the projected unit credit method.

Remeasurements of the net defined benefit liability, actuarial gain or loss are recognised immediately in OCI. The Group determines the interest expense on the net defined benefit liability for the year by applying the discount rate used to measure the defined benefit obligation at the beginning of the year, taking into account any changes in the net defined benefit liability during the year as a result of contributions and benefit payments. Net interest expense and other expenses related to defined benefit plans are recognised in profit or loss.

When the benefits of a plan are changed or when a plan is curtailed, the resulting change in benefit that relates to past service or the gain or loss on curtailment is recognised immediately in profit or loss. The Group recognises gains and losses on the settlement of a defined benefit plan when the settlement occurs.

The Group's net obligation in respect of long-term employee benefits is the amount of future benefit that employees have earned in return for their service in the current and prior years. That benefit is discounted to determine its present value. Remeasurements are recognised in profit or loss in the year in which they arise.

Termination benefits are expensed at the earlier of when the Group can no longer withdraw the offer of those benefits and when the Group recognises costs for a restructuring. If benefits are not expected to be settled wholly within 12 months of the end of the reporting period, then they are discounted.

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Short-term employee benefits are expensed as the related service is provided. A liability is recognised for the amount expected to be paid if the Group has a present legal or constructive obligation to pay this amount as a result of past service provided by the employee and the obligation can be estimated reliably.

# (o) Share-based payments

The grant-date fair value of equity-settled share-based payment awards granted to employees is generally recognised as an expense, with a corresponding increase in equity, over the vesting period of the awards. The amount recognised as an expense is adjusted to reflect the number of awards for which the related service and non-market performance conditions are expected to be met, such that the amount ultimately recognised is based on the number of awards that meet the related service and non-market performance conditions at the vesting date. For share-based payment awards with non-vesting conditions, the grant-date fair value of the share-based payment is measured to reflect such conditions and there is no true-up for differences between expected and actual outcomes.

# (p) Provisions

A provision is recognised if, as a result of a past event, the Group has a present legal or constructive obligation that can be estimated reliably, and it is probable that an outflow of economic benefits will be required to settle the obligation. Provisions are determined by discounting the expected future cash flows at a pre-tax rate that reflects current market assessments of the time value of money and the risks specific to the liability. The unwinding of the discount is recognised as a finance cost.

#### (q) Fair value measurement

Fair value is 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 in the principal or, in its absence, the most advantageous market to which the Group has access at that date. The fair value of a liability reflects its non-performance risk.

When measuring the fair value of an asset or a liability, the Group uses observable market data as far as possible. Fair values are categorised into different levels in a fair value hierarchy based on the inputs used in the valuation techniques as follows:

- Level 1: quoted prices in active markets for identical assets or liabilities.
- Level 2: inputs other than quoted prices included in Level 1 that are observable for the asset or liability, either directly or indirectly.
- Level 3: inputs for the asset or liability that are based on unobservable input.

The Group recognises transfers between levels of the fair value hierarchy at the end of the reporting period during which the change has occurred.

If an asset or a liability measured at fair value has a bid price and an ask price, then the Group measures assets and asset positions at a bid price and liabilities and liability positions at an ask price.

The best evidence of the fair value of a financial instrument on initial recognition is normally the transaction price - i.e. the fair value of the consideration given or received. If the Group determines that the fair value on initial recognition differs from the transaction price, the financial instrument is initially measured at fair value adjusted for the difference between the fair value on initial recognition and the transaction price and the difference is recognised in profit or loss immediately. However, for the fair value categorised as level 3, such difference is deferred and will be recognised in profit or loss on an appropriate basis over the life of the instrument or until the fair value level is transferred or the transaction is closed out.

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# (r) Revenue from contracts with customers

#### (1) Revenue recognition

Revenue is recognised when a customer obtains control of the goods and services in an amount that reflects the consideration to which the Group expects to be entitled, excluding those amounts collected on behalf of third parties, value added tax and specific business tax and is after deduction of any discounts and consideration payable to the customer.

Fees and service income

Fees and service income comprise financial advisory income and underwriting income which are recognised at a point of time when transactions are completed. Retainer fee income is recognised over time as the services are provided based on contractual rate.

Revenue from sale of real estate

Revenue from sale of real estate is recognised when a customer obtains control of the real estate.

For bundled packages, the Group accounts for individual real estate and other products separately if they are distinct and a customer can benefit from it separately. The consideration received is allocated based on their relative stand-alone selling prices.

Deposits and instalments received from customers on real estate sold prior to the date of revenue recognition are presented as contract liabilities in the statement of financial position. Deposits and instalments received from customers are recognised as revenue when the Group transfers control over the real estate to the customers. For advances that contain a significant financing component interest expense. Interest expense is recognised using the effective interest method.

Sale of goods and rendering of services

Revenue from sale of goods is recognised when a customer obtains control of the goods, generally on delivery of the goods to the customers. For contracts that permit the customers to return the goods, revenue is recognised to the extent that it is highly probable that a significant reversal in the amount of cumulative revenue recognised will not occur. Therefore, the amount of revenue recognised is adjusted for estimated returns, which are estimated based on the historical data. Revenue from rendering of services is recognised over time when the services are provided.

#### (2) Contract balance

Contract assets are recognised when the Group has recognised revenue before it has an unconditional right to receive consideration. The contract assets are measured at the amount of consideration that the Group is entitled to, less allowance for expected credit loss. The contract assets are classified as trade receivables when the Group has an unconditional right to receive consideration.

Contract liabilities are the obligation to transfer goods or services to the customer. The contract liabilities are recognised when the Group receives or has an unconditional right to receive non-refundable consideration from the customer before the Group recognises the related revenue

#### (s) Other income

Other income comprises dividend, interest income and others.

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#### (t) Income tax

Income tax expense for the year comprises current and deferred tax, which is recognised in profit or loss except to the extent that it relates to items recognised directly in equity or in other comprehensive income.

Current tax is recognised in respect of the taxable income or loss for the year, using tax rates enacted or substantively enacted at the reporting date, and any adjustment to tax payable in respect of previous years.

Deferred tax is recognised in respect of temporary differences between the carrying amounts of assets and liabilities for financial reporting purposes and the amounts used for taxation purposes. Deferred tax is not recognised for the temporary differences: the initial recognition of goodwill; the initial recognition of assets or liabilities in a transaction that is not a business combination and that affects neither accounting nor taxable profit or loss; and differences relating to investments in subsidiaries and joint venture to the extent that it is probable that they will not reverse in the foreseeable future.

The measurement of deferred tax reflects the tax consequences that would follow the manner in which the Group expects, at the end of the reporting period, to recover or settle the carrying amount of its assets and liabilities, using tax rates enacted or substantively enacted at the reporting date. Current deferred tax assets and liabilities are offset in the separate financial statements.

A deferred tax asset is recognised to the extent that it is probable that future taxable profits will be available against which the temporary differences can be utilised. Deferred tax assets are reviewed at each reporting date and reduced to the extent that it is no longer probable that the related tax benefit will be realised.

# (u) Discontinued operations

A discontinued operation is a component of the Group's business that represents a separate major line of business that has been disposed of or is held for sale. Classification as a discontinued operation occurs upon disposal or when the operation meets the criteria to be classified as held for sale, if earlier. When an operation is classified as a discontinued operation, the comparative statement of comprehensive income is restated as if the operation had been discontinued from the start of the comparative period.

# (v) Earnings (loss) per share

Basic earnings (loss) per share is calculated by dividing the profit or loss attributable to ordinary shareholders of the Company by the number of ordinary shares outstanding.

# (w) Segment reporting

Segment results that are reported to the Group's the CEO (chief operating decision maker) include items directly attributable to a segment as well as those that can be allocated on a reasonable basis.

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# 4 Acquisitions of a subsidiary

On 9 August 2023, the Group obtained control of M.K. Real Estate Development Public Company Limited ("MK"), a property development for sale by acquiring 18.0% of the shares and voting interests in the company. As a result, the shareholding proportion in MK has increased from 31.5% to 49.5% of issued and paid-up share capital. The management concluded that the Group has a control over MK due to its power over the voting rights in comparison with minority shareholders and no indicator signals a joint exercising of rights from the minority shareholders. Therefore, the Group has gained a control over MK which changes from an associate to a subsidiary. The consideration consisted of a cash payment of Baht 883.4 million. The Group incurred acquisition-related costs of Baht 0.2 million which have been included in servicing and administrative expenses. In addition, the Group obtained a 50% interest in BFTZ Wangnoi Co., Ltd. ("BFTZ"); a joint venture in which MK was a joint venture through its wholly-owned subsidiary. As a result, the Group has gained a control in BFTZ which converted from an associate into a subsidiary.

During the year from acquisition date to 31 December 2023, MK and BFTZ contributed revenue of Baht 1,355.0 million and net loss of Baht 633.8 million to the Group's results. If the acquisition had occurred on 1 January 2023, management estimates that consolidated revenue would have increased by Baht 1,913.6 million and consolidated loss for the year ended 31 December 2023 would have increased by Baht 29.9 million. In determining these amounts, management has assumed that the fair value adjustments, determined provisionally, that arose on the date of acquisition would have been the same if the acquisition had occurred on 1 January 2023.

Identifiable assets acquired and liabilities assumed	Fair value
	(in thousand Baht)
Cash and cash equivalents	539,900
Trade and other current receivables	724,714
Short-term loans	949,500
Real estate development for sale	3,062,261
Investment in associates and joint venture	836,523
Land held for development	467,837
Investment properties	8,828,070
Property, plant and equipment	6,122,305
Other non-current assets	1,474,712
Trade and other current payables	(1,006,310)
Interest-bearing liabilities	(13,817,214)
Other current liabilities	(1,910,465)
Total identifiable net assets	6,271,833
Less non-controlling interests	(3,160,007)
Less fair value of the Group's existing interest in the acquiree	(1,554,457)
Total identifiable net assets received	1,557,369
Gain on bargain purchase	(673,969)
Purchase consideration transferred	883,400
Net cash acquired with the subsidiary	539,900
Cash paid	(883,400)
Net cash outflows	(343,500)

Management has hired an independent appraiser to determine the fair value of the business acquisition. However, the reviews have not yet been completed therefore the determination of the fair value of the identifiable assets acquired and liabilities assumed from the business acquisition was estimated at acquisition date.

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The Group is continuing its review of these matters during the measurement period. If new information obtained within one year from the acquisition date about facts and circumstances that existed at the acquisition date identifies adjustments to the above provisional fair values, or any additional assets or liabilities that existed at the acquisition date, then the acquisition accounting will be revised.

The trade receivables comprise gross contractual amounts due of Baht 31.8 million, of which Baht 0.2 million was expected to be uncollectible at the acquisition date.

The remeasurement to fair value of the Group's existing interest in the acquiree comprised of investment in an associate at 31.5% and investment in joint venture at 50%, resulted in a gain of Baht 245.6 million (Baht 1,554.4 million less Baht 1,308.8 million carrying amount of equity-accounted investee at acquisition date), which has been recognised in gain on measurement of investment in associate before business acquisition in the statement of comprehensive income.

# 5 Related parties

A related party is a person or entity that has direct or indirect control or joint control, or has significant influence over the financial and managerial decision-making of the Group; a person or entity that is under common control or under the same significant influence as the Group; or a person or entity over which the Group has direct or indirect control or joint control or has significant influence over the financial and managerial decision-making. The pricing policies for transactions with related parties are determined on an arm's length basis or based on contractual agreed price.

Relationships with subsidiaries, associates and joint venture are described in notes 11 and 12. Other related parties which the Group had significant transactions with during the year were as follows:

	Country of	
	incorporation/	
Name of entities/personnel	nationality	
Key management personnel	Thai	

#### Nature of relationship

Persons having authority and responsibility for planning, directly and controlling the activities of the entity, directly or indirectly, including any director (whether executive or otherwise) of the Company

	Consolidated financial statements		Separate financial statements	
Significant transactions with related parties				
Year ended 31 December	2023	2022	2023	2022
		(in thousand Baht)		
Continuing operation		,	ŕ	
Subsidiaries				
Revenue from investment, advisory				
and management business	-	-	10,700	8,000
Interest income	-	-	9,445	-
Rental and service expenses	-	-	660	-
Finance costs	-	-	191	2,976
Associates				
Revenue from investment, advisory				
and management business	4,340	2,550	2,380	2,550
Interest income	23,970	19,499	22,844	19,499
Dividend income	-	-	97,810	41,958
Management fee income	7,078	-	-	-

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Significant transactions with related parties Year ended 31 December	Consoli financial st 2023	atements 2022	financial s 2023	arate statements 2022
	21.200	(in thousa	ind Baht)	
Property management income	31,290	-	-	-
Other income	169	-	-	-
Rental and service expenses	2,591	1,252	934	1,252
Distribution costs and administrative				
expenses	967	-	-	-
Finance costs	206	195	206	195
Joint venture				
Service fee income	1,507	-	-	-
Interest income	24,540	13,497	18,463	13,497
Property management income	36,195	-	-	-
Distribution costs and administrative				
expenses	21,642	-	-	-
Other related parties				
Revenue from investment, advisory				
and management business	_	4,750	3,360	4,750
Rental and service income	_	62	76	62
Other income	-	-	376	-
Key management personnel				
Short-term benefits	48,708	38,132	30,575	38,132
Post-employment benefits	2,139	1,169	1,351	1,169
* *	2,139	1,109	1,331	1,109
Share-based payments	19	-	-	-
Discontinued operation				
Subsidiary				
Revenue from investment, advisory				
and management business	-	-	-	5,867
Gain on disposal of building and equipment	-	298,806	-	298,806
Rental and service income	-	-	-	428
Rental and service expenses	-	-	-	613
Finance costs	-	-	-	902
Associates				
Revenue from securities business	-	5,484	-	5,484
Key management personnel				
Short-term benefits	_	4,946	_	_
Post-employment benefits	_	187	-	_
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Consolidated Separate Balances with related parties financial statements financial statements At 31 December 2023 2022 2023 2022 (in thousand Baht) **Subsidiaries** Service income receivables 364 Trade and other current receivables 48 Short-term loans and advance to related parties 90,000 Guarantee deposits 430,000 Other current assets 733 Short-term loans and advance from related parties 244,277 21.105 Accrued expenses 12 **Associates** Service income receivables 214 214 Trade and other current receivables 16,992 11,446 11.446 1,288 54.168 Lease receivables 216,985 Short-term loans to related parties 100,000 216,985 100,000 **Deposits** 735 735 Trade and other current payables 11,078 Accrued expenses 789 Joint venture

Short-term loans to related parties - unsecured

As at 31 December 2023, the Company entered into short-term loan agreement with M.K. Real Estate Development Public Company Limited ("MK") which is a subsidiary for working capital for loan repayments and business expansion amounted to Baht 90.0 million, interest rate at 6.5% per annum which will be matured on 28 June 2024.

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#### Deposits for investment agreement

Trade and other current payables

Short-term loans to related parties

Interest receivables

Income receivables

Other related parties
Service income receivables

At the Board of Directors' meeting of the Company held on 27 December 2023, the Board of Directors approved the Company's proposal to the Extraordinary General Meeting to consider the operation restructure of the Group to acquire subsidiaries' shares in RX Wellness Co., Ltd. ("RXW") and assets related to the health service business with a subsidiary, and to have RXW enter into rental and service agreements with an indirect subsidiary to operate the health service business and enter into a memorandum of understanding (MOU) to determine important guidelines and conditions to acquire subsidiaries' shares. Furthermore, the Company paid a deposit to the subsidiary amounting to Baht 430 million at the MOU date.

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Guarantee obligations with a related party

A subsidiary has joint - guaranteed of long-term borrowings from a local financial institution of Frasers Property BFTZ Co., Ltd, a joint venture, amounting to Baht 1,281.0 million (2022: Baht 1,281.0 million). Under guarantee obligations, the subsidiary entered into letter of undertaking agreements with the joint venture and the joint venture agreed to pay service fee at the rate as specified in the agreements. As at 31 December 2023, the joint venture utilised the credit facilities totalling Baht 1,231.6 million (2022: Baht 1,231.6 million).

Obligation for guarantee of lease agreement

In March 2023, Prospect Development Co., Ltd. ("the indirect subsidiary") entered into undertaking agreement with Prospect Logistics and Industrial Freehold and Leasehold Real Estate Investment Trust ("the Trust"), which is an associate, to provide rental guarantee from sale of the assets for rent which are recognised as investment properties to the Trust. The subsidiary has obligation to provide guarantee to compensate unoccupied areas of said investment properties with the rate as specified in the agreement for the maximum of 2 years from the disposal date.

Significant agreements with related parties

The Company has entered into service agreements with its subsidiaries and a related party of which the Company will provide services including management, marketing and other business operation support to the subsidiaries and a related party. The Company charged service fees as agreed by both parties based on estimated time spent and cost incurred plus margin. Service fees for each company for the years ended 31 December 2023 and 2022 were as follows:

	2023		2022				
Company name	Period of agreement	Annual fee	Period of agreement	Annual fee			
		(in thousand		(in thousand			
		Baht)		Baht)			
Finansa Securities Limited (1)	-	-	1 January - 31 August 2022	8,121			
Finansa Fund Management Ltd.	1 January - 31 December 2023	9,000	1 January - 31 December 2022	8,000			
M.K. Real Estate Development Plc.	1 January - 31 December 2023	4,080	1 January - 31 December 2022	2,400			
Prospect Development Co., Ltd.	1 January - 31 December 2023	3,360	1 January - 31 December 2022	3,000			

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>(1)</sup> Finansa Securities Limited is the Company's subsidiary until 4 May 2022.

Management and supervisory construction agreement and property management

On 1 August 2021, an indirect subsidiary entered into agreement with a joint venture for management and supervisory construction and property management starting from 1 August 2021 to 31 December 2026. The subsidiary will receive remuneration for management and supervisory construction, property management and compensation for referring tenants as specified in the agreements.

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#### Property Management Appointment Agreement

An indirect subsidiary entered into an agreement with Prospect Logistics and Industrial Freehold and Leasehold Real Estate Investment Trust (the "Trust"), an associate, to manage the Trust's properties. In accordance with property management appointment agreement, the subsidiary will receive monthly remuneration from the Trust which are summarised as follows;

- 1. Property management fee at 4.0% of rental and service income for the amount not exceeding Baht 500 million. At 3.0% of rental and service income for the amount that exceeding Baht 500 million but not exceeding Baht 750 million. At 2.0% of rental and service income for the amount that exceeding Baht 750 million.
- 2. Incentive fee at 6.0% of performance on operation for the amount not exceeding Baht 400 million. At 5.0% of performance on operation for the amount that exceeding Baht 400 million but not exceeding Baht 600 million. At 4.0% of performance on operation for the amount that exceeding Baht 600 million.
- 3. Commission fee at 0.5 month of rental and service rate for extend contract lessee and 1.0 month of rental and service rate for new lessee.

#### REIT Manager Appointment Agreement

An indirect subsidiary entered into the REIT Management Appointment Agreement with the trustee of the Trust to be appointed as REIT manager, which will receive a monthly management fee from the Trust at 0.30% of cost of main assets of the Trust including book value of investments in other assets which is not lower than Baht 10 million per annum.

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## 6 Cash and cash equivalents

	Consoli	dated	Separate			
	financial st	atements	financial statements			
	2023	2022	2023	2022		
		(in thousa	nd Baht)			
Cash on hand	1,571	10	5	5		
Cash at banks	259,218	13,062	6,110	9,540		
Highly liquid short-term investments	413	-	-	-		
Total	261,202	13,072	6,115	9,545		

#### 7 Short-term loans to other parties

	Consoli financial st		Separ financial st		
	2023	2022	2023	2022	
		(in thousa	nd Baht)		
Short-term loans to other parties	143,000	86,800	83,000	86,800	
Less allowance for expected credit loss	(13,000)	(13,000)	(13,000)	(13,000)	
Net	130,000	73,800	70,000	73,800	

## 7.1 Classified by type of loans

	Consoli financial st		Separ financial st		
	2023	2022	2023	2022	
		(in thousa	nd Baht)		
Bill of exchange	13,000	13,000	13,000	13,000	
Short-term loans	130,000	73,800	70,000	73,800	
Total short-term loans to other parties	143,000	86,800	83,000	86,800	
Less allowance for expected credit loss	(13,000)	(13,000)	(13,000)	(13,000)	
Net	130,000	73,800	70,000	73,800	

## 7.2 Classified by remaining period of the contract

	Consoli	dated	Separ	ate		
	financial st	atements	financial statements			
	2023	2022	2023	2022		
		(in thousa	nd Baht)			
At call (including defaulted contracts)	13,000	13,000	13,000	13,000		
Within 1 year	130,000	73,800	70,000	73,800		
Total	143,000	86,800	83,000	86,800		

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#### Allowance for expected credit loss

	Consoli	Sepai	rate		
	financial st	financial statements			
	2023	2022	2023	2022	
		(in thousa	ınd Baht)		
At 1 January	13,000	13,000	13,000	13,000	
Addition	-	-	-	-	
At 31 December	13,000	13,000	13,000	13,000	

#### 8 Real estate development for sale

	Consolidated financial statements 2023
	(in thousand Baht)
Land and construction developing for sales	1,585,296
Houses and sample houses	398,457
Construction materials	18
Total	1,983,771
Less allowance for devaluation	-
Net	1,983,771
Finance costs capitalised in real estate development for sale	(4.140)
during the year	(1,148)
Capitalisation rate (%per annum)	4.65 - 5.68

During the year 2023, the subsidiary disposed land to a non-related party amounting to Baht 340.5 million which partially received cash in amount of Baht 33.3 million and the remaining in amount of Baht 307.2 million was received as promissory notes which aval were provided by local financial institutions and will be matured on 27 August 2026. Subsequently, the subsidiary entered into factoring agreements to factor such promissory notes with local financial institutions at a discount rate at 4% per annum. The Group received payment from land disposal totaling Baht 303.6 million.

At 31 December 2023, land and construction developing for sales of the Group which are expected to complete over the next year as of report date are in amount of Baht 981.9 million

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#### 9 Assets used as collateral

Credit facilities of the Group were secured on the following assets at carrying amount.

	Consolic	dated	Sepai	rate	
	financial sta	atements	financial st	atements	
	2023	2022	2023	2022	
		(in thousan	nd Baht)		
Savings accounts	77,170	-	-	-	
Fixed deposit accounts - 12 months	19,699	-	-	-	
Real estate development for sale	1,210,960	-	-	-	
Government bonds	10,055	10,378	10,055	10,378	
Investment in subsidiary	-	-	781,544	-	
Investment in an associate and joint venture	1,022,157	535,829	777,862	756,017	
Land held for development	259,314	-	-	-	
Investment properties	6,536,947	-	-	-	
Land and buildings	3,666,995	-	-	-	
Total	12,803,297	546,207	1,569,461	766,395	

Assets used as collateral are pledged as collateral in respect of letters of guarantee and liabilities from financial institutions and other party. The issuing bank's letters of guarantee to a government agency are used to guarantee infrastructure for the developing projects of the Group.

As at 31 December 2023, the Company had pledged investment in government bond amounting to Baht 10.1 million to secure bank overdrafts limit with a bank (2022: Baht 10.4 million).

As at 31 December 2023, the Company had partially pledged its investment in a subsidiary with carrying amount of Baht 781.5 million to secure a borrowing from a non-related individual of Baht 250.0 million in which a management also provided a collateral over the borrowing.

As at 31 December 2023, the Company had pledged its investment in a joint venture with carrying amount of Baht 2.5 million to secure a loan from a local financial institution (2022: Baht 2.5 million).

As at 31 December 2023, the Company had pledged its investment in an associate with carrying amount of Baht 775.4 million (2022: 533.3 million) to secure working capital credit facility of Baht 400.0 million from local financial institutions. The Company had to maintain required ratios between outstanding debt and collateral amount as specified in the agreement.

As at 31 December 2022, the Company had pledged a portion of its investment in an associate with carrying amount of Baht 220.2 million to secure working capital credit facility of Baht 100.0 million from local financial institutions. The Company had to maintain required ratios between outstanding debt and collateral amount as specified in the agreement. In 2023, the Company terminated such pledge already.

As at 31 December 2023, a subsidiary mortgaged its Trust units in Prospect Logistics and Industrial Freehold and Leasehold Real Estate Investment Trust of 32,279,090 units at cost amounting to Baht 300.4 million in the subsidiary's financial statement to pledge as collateral with a financial institution in respect of credit facility.

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As at 31 December 2023, the Company pledged 18,760,000 share certificates of a subsidiary, which has amount at cost in the subsidiary financial statements amounting to Baht 1,585.60 million, as collateral in respect of payment of all debts and liabilities which the Company is liable according to the agreement with non-related company.

As at 31 December 2023, the Company pledged 225,999,998 share certificates of a subsidiary, which has amount at cost in the subsidiary financial statements amounting to Baht 2,045.45 million, as collateral in respect of debt repayment to a financial institution.

#### 10 Financial assets

#### 10.1 Other current financial assets

	Consol	idated	Separate			
	financial s	tatements	financial s	statements		
	2023	2022	2023	2022		
		(in thouse	and Baht)			
Investment in debt instruments measured at FVTPL		,	,			
Domestic marketable debt instruments -						
unit trusts	154,967	350,481	154,967	350,481		
Investment in debt instruments measured at FVOCI						
Government bond	10,055	-	10,055	-		
Investment in equity instruments measured at FVTPL						
Domestic marketable equity instruments	338,450	10,525		10,525		
Total	503,472	361,006	165,022	361,006		

#### 10.2 Other non-current financial assets

	Consol	idated	Sepa	rate
	financial s	tatements	financial s	tatements
	2023	2022	2023	2022
		(in thouse	and Baht)	
Investment in debt instruments measured at FVTPL				
Domestic non-marketable debt instruments	-	47,816	-	47,816
Investment in debt instruments measured at FVOCI				
Government bond	-	10,378	-	10,378
Investment in equity instruments designated at FVOCI				
Domestic marketable equity instruments	354,000	-	-	-
Domestic non-marketable equity instruments	690,123	257,011	237,698	14,222
Unit trusts in foreign funds	11,017	12,551	-	-
Foreign marketable equity instruments	45,777	45,411	-	-
Total	1,100,917	373,167	237,698	72,416
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# 11 Investment in subsidiaries

	Dividend income		2022			1								•								ı		ı	
	Divide	SILVIC	2023	nd Baht)		ı	1	1			1			1	1									1	
			2022	(in thousand Baht)		1		151,790			453,667			204	605,111	(204)		605,457				ı		1	
Separate financial statements	Coet	1600	2023			2,259,917	ı	151,790			453,667			204	2,865,578	(204)		2,865,374				ı		1	
Separate final	dina	ging	2022			1	ı	100.0			100.0			100.0										ı	
	Shareholding	SHALCHO!	2023	(%)		49.5	ı	100.0			100.0			100.0								ı		ı	
	are capital		2022	nd Baht)		1	•	069	(ordinary	shares)	4,311	(preference shares)	`	192								ı		ı	
	Paid-up share capital	I I	2023	(in thousand Baht)		1,091,205	` ı	069	(ordinary	shares)	4,311	(preference shares)	`	192								20,000		1,380,000	
	Country	Country				Thailand	Thailand	Cayman	Islands					Cambodia							:	Thailand		Thailand	
	Nature of	Odomoo			Real estate	Development	Securities	Investment					Investment	advisory							Property	development	Property development	and health and wellness	
					Direct subsidiaries MK. Real Estate Development	Public Company Limited (1)	Finansa Securities Limited (2)	Finansa Fund Management Ltd.					Finansa (Cambodia) Ltd.	,	Total	Less allowance for impairment	Investments in subsidiaries,	net	Indirect subsidiaries  Mancon Company Limited	(100% shareholding through	M.K. Real Estate Development	PCL)(3) RX Wellness Co. 14d	(100% shareholding through	M.K. Keal Estate Development $PCL$ ) <sup>(3)</sup>	

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Separate financial statements

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	l income	2022												
	Dividend income	2023	nd Baht)											
		2022	(in thousand Baht)											
ial statements	Cost	2023					1				•			
Separate financial statements	lding	2022	~								ı			
	Shareholding	2023	(%)				1				•			
	re capital	2022	ıd Baht)											
	Paid-up share capital	2023	(in thousand Baht)				238,794				241,041			
	Country				United	States of	America		United	States of	America			
	Nature of business				Medical and	health and	wellness		Medical and	health and	wellness			
				RAKxa Wellness US, LLC.	(80% shareholding through	$r_{res}(3)$	Inc.)	RC Ownership, LLC.	(100% shareholding through	RAKxa Wellness US,	LLC.) (3)	Total	I Otal	

<sup>(1)</sup> On 9 August 2023, the Company acquired a stake in M.K. Real Estate Development Public Company Limited ("MK"), resulting in 49.5% shareholding. The management concluded that the Group had gained a control over MK,

and thus converting MK from an associate into a subsidiary.

(2) On 5 May 2022, the Group entirely disposed an investment in Finansa Securities Limited to FSS International Company Limited.

<sup>(3)</sup> Indirect subsidiaries from a business combination on 9 August 2023.

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Material movement	Separate
For the year ended 31 December 2023	financial statements
	(in thousand Baht)
At 1 January 2023	605,457
Acquire investment in M.K. Real Estate Development Public Company Limited	2,259,917
At 31 December 2023	2,865,374

The Group has investment in M.K. Real Estate Development Public Company Limited and Prospect Logistics and Industrial Leasehold Real Estate Investment Trust which are listed on the Stock Exchange of Thailand. As at 31 December 2023, the closing price were at Baht 2.14 per share and Baht 8.50 per share, respectively. The market value of investments of the Group which were calculated from the mentioned closing price were amounted to Baht 1,155.9 million and Baht 981.7 million, respectively.

#### 12 Investment in associates and joint venture

				(	Consolidated	financial staten	nents	
	Type of							
	business	Country	Shareho	lding	Co	ost	Equity	method
			2023	2022	2023	2022	2023	2022
			(%)			(in thousa	nd Baht)	
Associates								
M.K. Real Estate Development	Land and building							
Plc. <sup>(1)</sup>	development	Thailand	-	31.5	-	1,376,516	-	1,348,405
Prospect Logistics and Industrial								
Freehold and Leasehold	Property Fund and							
Real Estate Investment Trust (2)	REITs	Thailand	22.2	23.0	775,362	533,329	706,222	498,690
Kanom Café Co., Ltd.	Cafe, bakery							
	and restaurant							
	business	Thailand	30.0	30.0	60,000	60,000	34,980	44,562
Joint venture								
BFTZ Wangnoi Co., Ltd. (3)	Developing							
	factory building							
	and warehouse							
	for rent	Thailand	-	50.0	-	2,500	-	3,933
Subsidiaries <sup>,</sup> associate								
Siam Investment Partners, L.P. (4)	General partner	Cayman						
	of a fund	Islands	50.0	50.0	3,786	3,786	660	660
Prospect Logistics and Industrial								
Freehold and Leasehold	Property Fund							
Real Estate Investment Trust (5)	and REITs	Thailand	8.6	-	300,420	-	246,795	-
Samakkee Cement (5)	Cement producer	Thailand	40.6	-	154,079	-	-	-
Subnorasing (5)	Sand supplier	Thailand	36.1	-	6,493	-	-	-
Subsidiaries Joint venture								
BFTZ Bangpakong (5)	Property							
	development							
	for lease	Thailand	50.0	-	250,000	-	200,299	-
Frasers Property BFTZ <sup>(5)</sup>	Property							
	development							
	for lease	Thailand	40.0	-	314,773	-	365,718	-

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Investment in associates and joint venture, net

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					Consolidated 1	financial stater	ments	
	Type of							
	business	Country	Shareh	olding	Co	st	Equity r	nethod
			2023	2022	2023	2022	2023	2022
			(%)	)		(in thousa	and Baht)	
Rakxa Venture (5)	Health and							
	wellness clinic,							
	and rehabilitation							
	center	Thailand	50.0	-	2,000		230	
Total					1,866,913	1,976,131	1,554,904	1,896,250
Less allowance for impairment					(63,126)	(3,126)	(34,980)	

<sup>(1)</sup> On 9 August 2023, the Company acquired a stake in M. K. Real Estate Development Public Company Limited ("MK"), resulting in 49.5% shareholding. The management concluded that the Group had gained a control over MK, and thus converting MK from an associate into a subsidiary.

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1,519,924

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>(2)</sup> On 10 March 2023, the Board of Directors of the associate passed a resolution to increase the associate s authorised share capital. The Company has paid Baht 242.0 million on 14 March 2023, resulting in its new unitholding proportion equivalent to 22.2%.

<sup>(3)</sup> On 9 August 2023, the Company purchased ordinary shares of M.K. Real Estate Development Public Company Limited ("MK"). As a result, the direct and indirect shareholding in BFTZ Wangnoi Co., Ltd in the consolidated financial statements has increased to 74.8%.

<sup>(4)</sup> Siam Investment Partners, L.P. is under liquidation process.

<sup>(5)</sup> Acquired from business acquisition on 9 August 2023.

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						Separate fina	Separate financial statements			
	Nature of business	Country	Paid-up share capital	e capital	Shareholding	lding	ŭ	Cost	Dividend income	income
			2023	2022	2023	2022	2023	2022	2023	2022
			(in thousand Baht)	d Baht)	(%)			(in thousand Baht)	l Baht)	
Associates										
M.K. Real Estate Development Plc. (1)	Land and building									
	development	Thailand	1,091,205	1,091,205	1	31.5	1	1,376,516	37,822	ı
Prospect Logistics and Industrial										
Freehold and Leasehold	Property Fund									
Real Estate Investment Trust (2)	and REITs	Thailand	3,551,138	2,320,077	22.2	23.0	775,362	533,329	886'65	41,958
Kanom Café Co., Ltd.	Café, bakery and									
	restaurant	Thailand	127.860	127,860	30.0	30.0	000.09	000.09	1	1
							0.0060	000600		
							835,362	1,969,845	97,810	41,958
Joint venture										
BFTZ Wangnoi Co., Ltd.	Developing factory									
	warehouse for rent	Thailand	5,000	5,000	50.0	50.0	2,500	2,500		
							2,500	2,500		1
Total							837,862	1,972,345	97,810	41,958
Less allowance for impairment							(60,000)	•		
Investment in associates and										
joint venture, net							777,862	1,972,345		

<sup>(1)</sup> On 9 August 2023, the Company acquired a stake in M.K. Real Estate Development Public Company Limited ("MK"), resulting in 49.5% shareholding. The management concluded that the Group had gained a control over MK, and thus converting MK from an associate into a subsidiary.

<sup>(2)</sup> On 10 March 2023, the Board of Directors of the associate passed a resolution to increase the associaters authorised share capital. The Company has paid Baht 2420 million on 14 March 2023, resulting in its new unitholding proportion equivalent to 22.2%

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Material associates and joint ventures

The following table summarises the financial information of the material associates and joint ventures as included in their own financial statements, adjusted for fair value adjustments at acquisition and differences in accounting policies. The table also reconciles the summarised financial information to the carrying amount of the Group's interest in these companies.

	Prospect Logistics			
	and Industrial	Freehold and		
	Leasehold Real E	state Investment		
	Tru	st		
	2023	2022		
	(in thousa	nd Baht)		
Revenue	567,586	445,212		
Profit (loss) from operations	241,868	208,575		
Other comprehensive income	-	-		
Total comprehensive income (100%)	241,868	208,575		
Current assets	299,427	191,529		
Non-current assets	5,119,630	3,348,722		
Current liabilities	(261,444)	(261,447)		
Non-current liabilities	(1,671,777)	(905,690)		
Net assets (100%)	3,485,836	2,373,114		
Ownership interest (%)	30.8	23.0		
Group's interest in net assets of investee (Group's interest)	1,073,637	545,816		
Adjustment accounting policy of the Group and				
downstream transaction	(120,620)	(47,126)		
Carrying amount of interest in associates/joint ventures	953,017	498,690		

## 13 Investment properties

		Consoli	dated
		financial st	atements
	Note	2023	2022
		(in thous	and Baht)
Cost			
At 1 January		-	-
Additions		1,018,940	-
Addition from acquisition of a subsidiary		8,828,070	_
Transfer to property, plant and equipment	14	(394,221)	-
At 31 December	•	9,452,787	-
Accumulated depreciation and impairment losses			
At 1 January		-	-
Depreciation charge for the year		(78,456)	-
Transfer to property, plant and equipment	14	3,336	-
At 31 December	•	(75,120)	-
Not book value			
Net book value At 31 December		9,377,667	

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Capitalised borrowing costs relating to the acquisition of the land and the construction of the new buildings for the Group are amounted to Baht 49.1 million with a capitalisation rate of 4.25% - 5.87%.

Information relating to leases are disclosed in note 15.

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2023 2022 *(in thousand Baht)* 

(in thousana Bant)

162,122

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Amounts recognised in profit or loss
Rental income

As at 31 December 2023, investment properties which have carrying amount of Baht 4,922.9 million were revalued by the management, at projected discounted cash flows. The appraised value was Baht 6,070.0 million. In addition, another portion of investment properties amounting to Baht 1,295.0 million were in the process of construction. Management considered that the fair value was approximate to carrying amount. The fair value of investment property has been catagorised as a Level 3 fair value.

#### Valuation technique

Discounted cash flows; The valuation model considers the present value of net cash flows to be generated from the property, taking into account expected rental growth rate, void periods and occupancy rate. The expected net cash flows are discounted using discount rate.

#### Significant unobservable inputs

- Expected rental growth rate (2.5% every 1 years)
- Occupancy rate (between 95% 100%)
- Discount rate (between 9% 9.5%)
- Warehouse rental rates (100 380 Baht/square meter/month)
- Office rental rates (700 800 Baht/square meter/month)
- Land and office rental for services rates (100,000 500,000 Baht/month)

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# 14 Property, plant and equipment

				Conso	Consolidated financial statements	nents		
			Buildings and	Machinery	Furniture,		Assets under	
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	Note	Land	constructions	eduipment	office equipment (in thousand Baht)	Vehicles	construction	Total
Cost								
At 1 January 2022		1	145,089	62,203	33,564	12,066	147	253,069
Additions			1	1,065	827	7,217	526	9,635
Transfers			•		673	. 1	(673)	. 1
Disposals / Write-off	!	-	(145,089)	(53,832)	(32,306)	(15,986)	, 1	(247,213)
At 31 December 2022		Ī						
and 1 January 2023				9,436	2,758	3,297		15,491
Additions		•	15,855	8,691	1,193	4,068	19,630	49,436
Received from business combination	4	2,874,586	2,653,115	90,620	40,658	44,707	418,620	6,122,306
Transfers from real estate								
development for sale	8	1	24,735	1	64	15,661	(40,460)	ı
Transfers to investment properties	13	127,051	208,320			1	58,850	394,221
Transfers from inventories		1		583		6,145	1	6,728
Disposals / Write-off		1		(329)	(531)	(2,090)	1	(2,950)
Effect of movements in exchange rate	!	(4,901)	(8,299)	•	•	(260)	(18,184)	(31,644)
At 31 December 2023		2,996,736	2,893,726	109,001	44,142	71,528	438,456	6,553,588
Accumulated depreciation								
At 1 January 2022		1	79,811	1	80,169	7,580	ı	167,560
Depreciation charge for the year			1,804		2,693	656	1	5,456
Disposals / Write-off	!	1	(79,978)	•	(77,060)	(6,414)	1	(163,452)
At 31 December 2022	ı							
and 1 January 2023		•	1,637	•	5,802	2,125	•	9,564
Depreciation charge for the year		ı	75,123	11,102	6,657	13,008	2,066	107,956
Transfers to investment properties	14	1	3,336			1	•	3,336
Impairment loss		1	96,517		•	4,191	•	100,708
Disposals / transfers		ı	ı	(203)	(382)	(534)	,	(1,119)
Write-off		1		(40)	(127)	(1,516)	•	(1,683)
Effect of movements in exchange rate	l	•	•	7		(104)	•	(62)
At 31 December 2023	1	•	176,613	10,866	11,950	17,170	2,066	218,665

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Total	9,200 5,658 <b>14,858</b>	6,328,336 6,587 <b>6,334,923</b>
Assets under construction		436,304 85 436,389
<b>ments</b> Vehicles	2,808 515 3,323	47,856 6,502 <b>54,358</b>
Consolidated financial statements  Furniture, fixtures and office equipment (in thousand Baht)	6,392	32,192 - 32,192
Conso Machinery and equipment		98,135
Buildings and constructions	5,143	2,717,113
Note Land	1 1 1	2,996,736
	Net book value At 31 December 2022 Owned assets Right-of-use assets	At 31 December 2023 Owned assets Right-of-use assets

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#### Separate financial statements

		Furniture,			
	Buildings and	Fixtures and			
	buildings	office		Assets under	
	improvement	equipment	Vehicles	installation	Total
	1		thousand Bahi		
Cost		`		,	
At 1 January 2022	145,089	69,876	2,551	147	217,663
Additions	6,780	1,212	2,897	526	11,415
Transfers in (out)	-	673	-	(673)	-
Disposals/ write-off	(145,089)	(59,567)	-	-	(204,656)
At 31 December 2022					
and 1 January 2023	6,780	12,194	5,448	-	24,422
Additions	8,487	368	_	-	8,855
Disposals/ write-off	(6,780)	(105)	_	-	(6,885)
At 31 December 2023	8,487	12,457	5,448		26,392
Accumulated depreciation					
At 1 January 2022	79,811	57,215	1,595		138,621
Depreciation charge	79,011	37,213	1,393	-	130,021
for the year	1,637	2,094	530	_	4,261
Disposals/ write-off	(79,811)	(53,507)	-	_	(133,318)
At 31 December 2022	(79,011)	(33,307)			(133,318)
and 1 January 2023	1,637	5,802	2,125		9,564
Depreciation charge	1,037	3,002	2,123	-	2,304
for the year	2,723	1,900	658	_	5,281
Disposals/ write-off	(2,461)	(105)	-	_	(2,566)
At 31 December 2023	1,899	7,597	2,783		12,279
At 31 Detember 2023	1,077	1,371	2,763		12,217
Net book value					
At 31 December 2022					
Owned assets	-	6,392	2,808	-	9,200
Right-of-use assets	5,143		515		5,658
	5,143	6,392	3,323	_	14,858
At 31 December 2023					
Owned assets	_	4,860	2,580	_	7,440
Right-of-use assets	6,588	-	2,380	_	6,673
regnt of use assets	6,588	4,860	2,665		14,113
	0,500	1,000	2,000		1 1,110

On 19 January 2022, the Board of Directors' Meeting of the Company passed a resolution to approve the selling of its building and equipment to Finansa Securities Limited at the appraised value by an independent property appraiser at Baht 370.3 million. The purchasing-selling transaction was completed on 1 February 2022. The Company recognised gain on disposal of building and equipment in the consolidated and separate financial statements at Baht 298.8 million.

Information relating to leases are disclosed in note 15.

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#### 15 Leases

As a lessee

The Company

15.1 The Company entered into a building agreement with a subsidiary ("subsidiary") for a period of 3 years, and 2 years, 7 months, 15 days, respectively, from 1 February 2022 to 31 January 2025 and from 16 June 2022 to 31 January 2025, respectively. The Company agreed to pay building compensation for the whole period to the lessor, totaling Baht 2.4 million and Baht 4.9 million, respectively. During the years 2022 and 2023, the Company paid the building compensation amounting to Baht 1.7 million and Baht 0.9 million, respectively. Subsequently, on 12 June 2023, the Company amended the building agreement with the subsidiary for a period of 3 years, from 1 May 2023 to 30 April 2026. The Company paid compensation for the amendment of the building agreement amounting to Baht 9.3 million.

Subsidiary

15.2 A subsidiary entered into a land lease agreement with a company for a period of 30 years from 1 November 2018 to 31 October 2048. The subsidiary agreed to pay land sublease compensation for the whole period to the lessor totaling Baht 420.8 million. During the years 2018 and 2019, the subsidiary paid the land sublease compensation amounting to Baht 125.4 million. Under the land sublease agreement, the ownership of building will be transferred to the lessor at the maturity date. Subsequently, at the Board of Directors' meeting of the subsidiary, held on 20 August 2019, the Board of Directors' meeting of the subsidiary approved to amend the land lease agreement with the lessor by extension a period of 30 years to 35 years 6 months from 1 November 2018 to 30 April 2054. The subsidiary paid compensation for the amendment of land lease agreement amounting to Baht 30 million and recorded as part of right-of-use assets.

Indirect subsidiaries

15.3 On 18 August 2010, a company ("lessor") entered into a land sublease agreement with an indirect subsidiary to lease land from 18 August 2010 to 31 December 2038. The indirect subsidiary agreed to pay a total of land sublease compensation to the lessor on the land sublease registered date. The Group recognised the leasehold right at fair value on the acquisition date in 2015 amounting to Baht 602.7 million.

On that date, the lessor entered into another 2 land sublease agreements with an indirect subsidiary to lease land from 18 August 2010 to 8 January 2040, and from 18 August 2010 to 25 December 2039. The indirect subsidiary agreed to pay a total of land sublease compensation to the lessor on the land sublease registered date. The Group recognised the leasehold right at fair value on the acquisition date in 2015 amounting to Baht 534.1 million. Under the sublease agreements, ownership of building on leasehold land will be transferred to land owner after the completion of construction and the Group records construction costs as part of leasehold right of Baht 1,393.3 million.

On 18 August 2020, the sublessor entered into an amendment of land sublease agreement with an indirect subsidiary. The indirect subsidiary agreed to return partially land sublease of Bangkok Free Trade Zone project which is included in investment properties to the sublessor with the carrying amount of Baht 1,689.8 million. The sublessor agreed to pay compensation to the indirect subsidiary as a result of the amendment of land sublease agreement to terminate sublease area. The indirect subsidiary received compensation amounting to Baht 1,953.0 million.

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- 15.4 On 1 August 2018, a company ("lessor") entered into a land sublease agreement with an indirect subsidiary to lease land from 1 August 2018 to 31 July 2041. The indirect subsidiary agreed to pay land sublease compensation for the whole period totaling Baht 3.9 million. Under the land sublease agreement, the ownership of building will be transferred to the lessor at the maturity date.
- 15.5 On 19 December 2018, a temple ("lessor") entered into a right of use land agreement to develop car park building with an indirect subsidiary for a period of 30 years after the date of completion of building. The indirect subsidiary agreed to pay for the building construction to compensate the right of use the land. Under right of use agreement, the ownership of building will be transferred to the lessor at the maturity date.
- 15.6 On 16 May 2020, the MK Group entered into land lease agreement for 30 years to develop warehouse and factory for lease by paying annual rental fee as specified in the agreement. The agreement will be ended on 15 May 2050. The MK Group paid the land lease compensation at the agreement date of Baht 52.7 million and recognised right-of-use assets in investment properties.
- 15.7 On 15 August 2021, an indirect subsidiary entered into a land and construction lease agreement with a non-related party ("a lessor") to operate hotel and health center, Subsequently, on 28 October 2021, the indirect subsidiary entered into an amendment of land and construction lease agreement with the lessor. The lease agreement has the period of 21 years from 1 November 2021 to 31 October 2042, and the indirect subsidiary agreed to pay compensation as specified in the agreement. The indirect subsidiary made a guarantee deposit of Baht 30 million at the registered date of land and construction lease. At the maturity date of lease agreement, the lessor promises to give an option to the lessee to extend the lease for period of 21 years from 1 November 2042 to 31 October 2063 with rental fee as specified in the agreement. At the end of lease agreement, the subsidiary has to move assets and attachments out of land and construction and return the land and construction under the lease as normal condition to the lessor. The Group recorded right-of-use assets under property, plant and equipment of Baht 365.1 million.

	Consoli	dated	Separate	e financial
	financial st	atements	state	ments
Year ended 31 December	2023	2022	2023	2022
		(in thous	and Baht)	
Amount recognised in profit or loss				
Repair and maintenance expense:				
- Property that generate rental income	3,029	-	-	-
Expenses relating to leases of low-value assets				
and short-term leases	655	-	-	-

In 2023, total cash outflow for leases of the Group and the Company were Baht 25.5 million and Baht 3.1 million, respectively (2022:Nil).

As a lessor

- 15.8 The Group entered into lease agreements to lease office rental and warehouse to other parties ("lessees") for periods starting from 1 to 15 years ending in December 2038. The lessees agreed to pay monthly compensation as specified in the agreement.
- 15.9 On 7 May 2020, the Group entered into land and constructions lease agreement with a company ("lessee") for a period of 8 years after the date of grand opening starting from 1 December 2020 to 30 November 2028. The lessee agreed to pay monthly compensation as specified in the agreement and additional compensation at percentage of incremental of gross profit from the lessee's operations as specified in the agreement.
- 15.10 The group entered into medical and rehabilitation center lease and service agreement for a period of 3 years starting from 1 June 2023 to 31 May 2026 with an extension period for 3 years and lease and service fee as specified in the agreement.

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#### 16 Goodwill

		Consolidated financial statements			
	Note	2023	2022		
		(in thousa	nd Baht)		
Cost		·	,		
At 1 January		45,356	156,920		
Disposals	24	-	(111,564)		
At 31 December		45,356	45,356		
Impairment losses					
At 31 December	_				
Net book value					
At 31 December		45,356	45,356		

Impairment testing for CGUs containing goodwill

For the purposes of impairment testing, goodwill has been allocated to the Group's CGUs (operating divisions) as follows.

	Consolidated			
	financial statements			
	2023	2022		
	(in thousand Baht)			
Investment, advisory and management business	45,356	45,356		
Total	45,356	45,356		

The recoverable amount of investment, advisory and management business was based on estimated using discounted cash flows. The fair value measurement was categorised as a Level 3 fair value.

As at 31 December 2023 and 2022, the key assumptions used in the estimation of the recoverable amount are discount rates between 5% to 10%. The values assigned to the key assumptions represent management's assessment of future trends in the relevant industries and have been based on historical data from both external and internal sources in which the recoverable amount of cash generating units is higher than the book value.

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#### 17 Interest-bearing liabilities

				onsolidated fin	ancial statem		
	Note	Secured	2023 Unsecured	Total	Secured	2022 Unsecured	Total
	TVOIC	Secured	Onsecured		and Baht)	Offsecured	Total
Short-term				,	,		
borrowings from							
financial institutions		53,025	-	53,025	-	-	-
Short-term loans from		(00,000	200,000	900 000			
other parties Long-term		600,000	200,000	800,000	-	-	-
borrowings from							
financial institutions		5,766,600	-	5,766,600	_	_	_
Long-term		, ,		, ,			
borrowings from							
other parties		-	80,000	80,000	-	<del>-</del>	<del>-</del>
Long-term debentures		-	5,527,686	5,527,686	-	666,800	666,800
Lease liabilities		4,505	1,394,504	1,399,009		5,813	5,813
Total interest-		( 424 120	7 202 100	12 (2( 220		(72 (12	(72 (12
bearing liabilities		6,424,130	7,202,190	13,626,320		672,613	672,613
				Separate financ	ial statement		
	<b>N</b> T	C 1	2023	T-4-1	C 1	2022	T-4-1
	Note	Secured	Unsecured	Total (in thousa	Secured nd Raht)	Unsecured	Total
Short-term borrowings				(in inousu	на Бані)		
from related parties		250,000	200,000	450,000	_	-	-
Long-term			Ź	Ź			
borrowings from							
financial institutions		292,002	-	292,002	-	-	-
Long-term debentures		-	366,800	366,800	-	666,800	666,800
Leases liabilities			6,792	6,792		5,813	5,813
Total interest- bearing liabilities		542,002	573,592	1,115,594		672,613	672,613
bearing nabindes		344,002	313,392	1,113,394		0/2,013	0/2,013

As at 31 December 2023, the Group and the Company had unutilised credit facilities from local financial institutions totaling Baht 1,689.6 million and Baht 36.9 million, respectively (2022: Baht 400.0 million and Baht 400.0 million, respectively).

#### **Borrowings**

	Consolidated financial statements		Separa financial sta	
	2023	2022	2023	2022
		(in thousa	nd Baht)	
Short-term borrowings from financial institutions	53,025	-	-	-
Short-term borrowings from other parties	800,000	-	450,000	-
Long-term borrowings from financial institutions	5,766,600	-	292,002	-
Long-term borrowings from other parties	80,000	-	-	-
Total interest-bearing liabilities	6,699,625	_	742,002	-

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Short-term borrowings from other parties - secured

As at 31 December 2023, the Company entered into loan agreements with other parties amounting to Baht 250.0 million, interest rate at 6.75% per annum. The loans will be matured on 30 April 2024. The Company mortgaged an investment in MK Real Estate Development Public Company Limited of 150 million shares as the loan collateral.

Short-term borrowings from other parties - unsecured

As at 31 December 2023, the Company entered into loan agreements with other parties amounting to Baht 200.0 million, interest rate at 6.5% per annum. The loans will be matured on 30 April 2024.

Short-term borrowings from other parties - secured

At the Board of Directors' meeting held on 9 October 2023, the Board of Directors approved the Company to enter into a loan agreement with another party amounting to Baht 350 million with 12.5% interest rate per annum. The loan will be matured on 17 April 2024. The company used the shares of an indirect subsidiary of the Company as the loan collateral to secure the debt repayment and any liabilities of all kinds that the Company is responsible for according to the loan agreement.

Long-term borrowings from financial institutions - secured

The Company

As at 31 December 2023, the Company entered into loan agreements with local financial institutions with credit facilities totaling Baht 400.0 million, interest rate at MLR - 0.50% per annum and had partially repaid the long-term borrowings from financial institutions amounting to Baht 58.0 million. The Company mortgaged investment in Prospect Logistics and Industrial Freehold and Leasehold Real Estate Investment Trust as the loan collateral.

Subsidiaries

As at 31 December 2023, a subsidiary entered into loan agreements with local financial institutions with credit facilities totaling Baht 3,255.9 million, interest rate at MLR - 0.50% to MLR - 2.50% per annum. The subsidiary pledged an investment in an associate and a part of construction on land as the loan collateral.

Indirect subsidiaries

As at 31 December 2023, indirect subsidiaries entered into loan agreements with local financial institutions with credit facilities totaling Baht 3,950.7 million, interest rate at MLR - 1.00% to MLR - 1.50% and MLR + 0.20% per annum. The indirect subsidiaries mortgaged land and construction, and land leasehold right and a part of construction on land lease agreement as the loan collateral.

As at 31 December 2023, an indirect subsidiary in USA entered into a loan agreement with an oversea financial institution amounting to USD 7.7 million, interest rate at 4.75% per annum. The indirect subsidiary mortgaged land and construction and saving deposit with bank as loan collateral. The loan will be matured on 22 March 2025.

The subsidiary and indirect subsidiaries have to comply with certain conditions under right and duty of borrower such as the maintenance of Debt to Equity ratio and Debt Service Coverage ratio (DSCR).

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Long-term borrowings from other parties - unsecured

As at 31 December 2023, a subsidiary entered into loan agreements with other parties with credit facilities totaling Baht 80.0 million, interest rate at 5.60% per annum. The loans will be matured on 23 February 2024.

#### Debentures

Unsecured debentures	Number (thousand units)	Par value per unit (in Baht)	Total value (in million Baht)	Issue date	Term	Maturity date	Coupon rate (% per annum)
Short-term debentures The Company No. 1/2021 Set.2 (repayment interest on maturity date) Total	366,800	1.00	367 367	2 Aug 2021	4.25 year	31 Oct 2025	5.00%
Subsidiary			307				
No. 2/2021 (repayment interest every 3 months)	636	1,000	636	28 May 2022	2.10 year	28 Mar 2024	5.60%
No. 1/2022 (repayment interest every 3 months)	500	1,000	500	18 Mar 2022	2.6 year	18 Sep 2024	5.60%
No. 2/2022 (repayment interest every 3 months)	700	1,000	700	16 Jun 2022	3 year	16 Jun 2025	6.00%
No. 3/2022 (repayment interest every 3 months)	1,189	1,000	1,189	15 Sep 2022	2.6 year	15 Mar 2025	5.85%
No. 1/2023 (repayment interest every 3 months)	544	1,000	544	11 May 2023	2.10 year	11 Mar 2026	6.80%
No. 2/2023 (repayment interest every 3 months) <b>Total</b>	300	1,000	300	10 Nov 2023	1.3 year	10 Feb 2025	6.50%
			3,869				
Indirect subsidiary No. 1/2022 (repayment interest every	600	1 000	600	10 0 - 2022	2	10.0~4.2024	5 (00/
3 months) No. 1/2023 (repayment interest every		1,000	600	19 Oct 2022	2 year	19 Oct 2024	5.60%
3 months) No. 2/2023 (repayment interest every	223	1,000	223	23 Feb 2023	2 year	23 Feb 2025	5.60%
3 months) <b>Total</b>	503	1,000	503 1,326	29 Jun 2023	2 year	29 Jun 2025	6.70%
Total debentures			5,562				

Movements of debentures for the year ended 31 December were as follows:

	Consolidated financial statements		Separ	ate
			financial st	atements
	2023	2022	2023	2022
		(in thousar	nd Baht)	
Short-term debentures			-	-
As at 1 January	-	300,000	-	-
Changes resulting from the acquisition of				
the subsidiary company	426,150	-		
Issued	226,700	-	-	-
Repayment	(652,850)	(300,000)		
As at 31 December	-	-	-	-

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	Consoli	dated	Separate financial statements	
	financial st	atements		
	2023	2022	2023	2022
		(in thousan	ed Baht)	
Long-term debentures				
As at 1 January	666,800	666,800	666,800	666,800
Changes resulting from the acquisition of	000,000	000,000	000,000	000,000
the subsidiary company	6,405,625	_	_	_
Issued	1,544,872	_	_	_
Repayment	(3,089,611)	_	(300,000)	_
As at 31 December	5,527,686	666,800	366,800	666,800
As at 31 December	3,327,000		300,000	000,000
	Consoli	dated	Separ	ate
	financial st		financial statements	
	2023	2022	2023	2022
		(in thousan		
Long-term debentures	5,561,800	666,800	366,800	666,800
Less deferred expenses	(34,114)	-	-	-
1	5,527,686	666,800	366,800	666,800
Less current portion of long-term	3,327,000	000,000	300,000	000,000
debentures	(1,731,279)	(300,000)	-	(300,000)
Unsecured long-term debentures				(===,===)
- net of current portion	3,796,407	366,800	366,800	366,800

The Company and its subsidiaries have to comply with certain conditions under right and duty of debenture's issuer such as the maintenance of Debt to Equity ratios and dividend payment.

#### Finance lease liabilities

The Group has hire-purchase agreements to purchase motor vehicles from local leasing companies with a term of repayment in 4-5 years, and repaid in monthly installments, with certain conditions and restrictions as specified in the hire-purchase agreements.

Payables from a transfer of right agreement to receive cash inflow

On 30 August 2023, the Board of Directors' meeting of a subsidiary approved the subsidiary to enter into an agreement to transfer the right of cash inflow from sales of low-rise housing projects consisted of single house, twin house and townhome, totaling 7 projects to a non-related party. The subsidiary will receive totaling Baht 3,082.5 million in return for rights transferring and will develop and complete the projects for sale and manage to achieve the revenue not less than Baht 3,607.8 million. During the year, the subsidiary received cash from the aforesaid non-related party totaling Baht 1,014.3 million which is presented as payable from a transfer of right agreement to receive cash inflow that classified as a financial liabilities measured at amortised cost in the statement of financial position as at 31 December 2023. Therefore, total cash inflow from selling of the aforesaid projects which were received from buyers for the year ended 31 December 2023 in amount of Baht 240.50 million has to be transferred to the aforesaid entity.

On 27 December 2023, the Company cancelled a transfer of right agreement to receive cash inflow and enter into a new transferred of right agreement to receive cash inflow with a subsidiary of non-related party and postpone receiving the payment from the contracting party for Baht 545 million by 22 December 2023 to 31 March 2024

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On initial recognition, the subsidiary determines that the fair value of payable from a transfer of right agreement to receive cash inflow differs from the transaction price, the financial instrument is therefore initially measured at fair value adjusted for the difference between the fair value on initial recognition and the transaction price which the fair value are categorised as level 3 such difference is recognised as deferred loss amounting to Baht 155.5 million and will be recognised in profit or loss on an appropriate basis over the life of the instrument or until the fair value level is transferred or the transaction is closed out. During the year, the subsidiary recognised such loss amounted to Baht 11.93 million which is presented as other expenses in the statement of comprehensive income. Due to the slowdown economic situation, the loan from financial institutions are more difficult to grant which affected property development sector and the subsidiary's Board of Director therefore considered that such deal could bring cash inflow to the subsidiary to develop the real estate for sale within the timeframe specified in the operation plan of the subsidiary.

#### 18 Other current liabilities

	Consoli	Separate			
	financial statements		financial st	atements	
	2023	2022	2023	2022	
	(in thousand Baht)				
Retentions	42,513	-	-	_	
Accrued expenses	93,727	1,294	8,712	7,939	
Others	203,953	20,313	8,086	11,573	
Total	340,193	21,607	16,798	19,512	

#### 19 Non-current provisions for employee benefits

#### Defined benefit plans

The Group and the Company operate a defined benefit plan based on the requirement of Thai Labour Protection Act B.E. 2541 (1998) to provide retirement benefits to employees based on pensionable remuneration and length of service. The defined benefit plans expose the Group to actuarial risks, such as longevity risk, interest rate risk and market (investment) risk.

		Consol	lidated	Separate	
Present value of the defined benefit		financial s	tatements	financial statements	
obligations	Note	2023	2022	2023	2022
			(in thousa	nd Baht)	
At 1 January		26,835	68,755	26,835	29,383
Effects of acquiring control in a subsidiary		66,863	-	-	-
Recognised in profit or loss:					
Current service cost		4,407	2,507	1,432	1,460
Interest on obligation		1,043	334	476	180
Curtailment gain			-	-	-
Recognised in other comprehensive					
income:					
Actuarial (gain) loss					
- Demographic assumptions		-	(12)	-	(12)
- Financial assumptions		-	(3,304)	-	(3,304)
- Experience adjustment		-	2,331	-	2,331
Derecognition of discontinued operation	24	-	(40,573)	-	-
Benefit paid	_		(3,203)		(3,203)
At 31 December	=	99,148	26,835	28,743	26,835

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	Consol	Separate				
Principal actuarial assumptions	financial s	tatements	financial statements			
	2023	2022	2023	2022		
	(%)					
Discount rate	1.37 - 5.29	1.37 - 4.07	1.37 - 4.07	1.37 - 4.07		
Future salary growth	4.00 - 6.00	4.00	4.00	4.00		
Employee turnover	0 - 25.00	0 - 11.00	0 - 11.00	0 - 11.00		

Assumptions regarding future mortality have been based on published statistics and mortality tables.

At 31 December 2023, the weighted-average duration of the defined benefit obligation was 3.5 - 9.7 years (2022: 3.5 years).

#### Sensitivity analysis

Reasonably possible changes at the reporting date to one of the relevant actuarial assumptions, holding other assumptions constant.

	Consolidated financial statements				
Effect to the defined benefit obligation	Increase in a	assumption	Decrease in assumption		
At 31 December	2023	2022	2023	2022	
	(in thousand Baht)				
Discount rate (1% movement)	(4,678)	(889)	5,188	944	
Future salary growth (1% movement)	5,931	917	(5,433)	(880)	
Employee turnover (20% movement)	(3,344)	(62)	4,001	73	
	Se	eparate finan	cial statements	S .	
Effect to the defined benefit obligation	Increase in	accumption	Decrease in	accumption	

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Effect to the defined benefit obligation	Increase in a	ssumption	Decrease in assumption		
At 31 December	2023	2022	2023	2022	
	(in thousand Baht)				
Discount rate (1% movement)	(681)	(889)	723	944	
Future salary growth (1% movement)	936	917	(896)	(880)	
Employee turnover (20% movement)	(73)	(62)	86	73	

#### 20 Other non-current liabilities

	Consoli financial st	
	2023	2022
	(in thousa	nd Baht)
Contractual deposits from customers	166,103	-
Accrued for public utilities for establishing legal entities	40,672	-
Others	311,784	_
Total	524,459	_

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#### 21 Share capital

	Par value	2	2023	202	22
	per share	Number	Amount	Number	Amount
	(in Baht)		(thousand shares /	in thousand Bah	ut)
Authorised shares					
At the beginning of the year					
- ordinary shares	5	345,855	1,729,277	345,855	1,729,277
Increase of new shares	5	345,856	1,729,277		
At the end of the year					
- ordinary shares	5	691,711	3,458,554	345,855	1,729,277
Issued and paid-up shares					
At the beginning of the year					
- ordinary shares	5	345,855	1,729,277	345,855	1,729,277
Increase of new shares -					
paid-up 45%	5	154,796	773,978		
At the end of the year			·	·	
- ordinary shares	5	500,651	2,503,255	345,855	1,729,277

On 23 June 2023, the extraordinary general meeting of shareholders approved the issuing of 345.9 million ordinary shares, par value at Baht 5 per share which was registered with the Ministry of Commerce on 26 June 2023. The Company already received the payment of 154.8 million shares at Baht 5 per share which was registered with the Ministry of Commerce on 27 July 2023.

The Company has incurred transaction cost from issuance of ordinary shares in a step acquisition of MK's shares of Baht 1.3 million, which was deducted from share premium on ordinary shares in equity.

#### Share premium

Section 51 of the Public Limited Companies Act B.E. 2535 (1992) requires companies to set aside share subscription monies received in excess of the par value of the shares issued to a reserve account ("share premium"). Share premium is not available for dividend distribution.

#### 22 Legal reserve

Section 116 of the Public Limited Companies Act B.E. 2535 (1992) requires that a public company shall allocate not less than 5% of its annual net profit, less any accumulated losses brought forward, to a reserve account ("legal reserve"), until this account reaches an amount not less than 10% of the registered authorised capital. The legal reserve is not available for dividend distribution.

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#### 23 Segment information and disaggregation of revenue

Management determined that the Group has five reportable segments which are the Group's strategic divisions for different products and services, and are managed separately because they require different marketing strategies. The following summary describes the operations in each of the Group's reportable segments.

- Segment 1 Advisory and management business
- Segment 2 Real estate
- Segment 3 Rental warehouse, factory and others
- Segment 4 Property management
- Segment 5 Health and wellness center

Each segment's performance is measured based on segment profit before tax, as included in the internal management reports that are reviewed by the Group's chief operating decision maker (CODM). Segment profit before tax is used to measure performance as management believes that such information is the most relevant in evaluating the results of certain segments relative to other entities that operate within these industries.

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								Consolidated fi	Consolidated financial statements	ants						
For the year ended 31 December	Advisory and management business 2023	ry and nt business 2022	Real estate development 2023 20	state ment 2022	Rental warehouse, factory and others 2023 2023	ehouse, others 2022	Property management 2023	)22	Health and wellness center 2023 (in thousand Baht)	and center 2022	Others 2023	<b>s</b> 2022	Elimination 2023	tion 2022	<b>Total</b> 2023	2022
Reportable segments Revenue from external customers Inter-segment revenue	203,462 135,029	82,646 58,801	566,753		230,096 28,017	1 1	56,702 1,016,838		70,467				(1,191,553)	(43,235)	1,127,480	77,070
Total income	338,491	141,447	566,753		258,113		1,073,540		82,136				(1,191,553)	(43,235)	1,127,480	77,070
Timing of revenue Recognition At a point in time Over time Total income	203,218 16,647 <b>219,865</b>	41,570 41,076 <b>82,646</b>	566,753		230,096		56,702 <b>56,702</b>		70,467						840,438 303,445 1,143,883	68,349 8,721 77,070
Segment profit (loss) before income tax	844,691	205,159	(567,971)		424,094		77,152	1	(372,606)			,			405,360	205,159
Share of profit (loss) of associates and joint ventures accounted for using equity method Profit before income tax															6,688 412,048	(28,075)
Segment assets as at 31 December Segment liabilities as at 31 December	1,815,789	3,291,405	3,821,397		12,248,881 9,211,532		40,959		5,595,664		750,419				24,273,109	3,291,405

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#### (a) Geographical segments

The Group is mainly managed and operates principally in Thailand. There are no revenues derived from foreign countries. Non-current assets located in foreign countries i.e. USA amounting to Baht 425.5 million (2022: Nil).

#### (b) Major customer

Income for the year 2023 from the sale of land in development project from a customer of the Group's segment 2 represents approximately Baht 806.1 million (2022: Nil) of the Group's total income.

#### (c) Contract balances

The contract assets primarily relate to the Group's rights to consideration for construction agreement which the Group has rendered the services but not yet billed the customers at the reporting date. The Group's and the Company's contract assets amounted to Baht 156.0 million are expected to be billed after 12 months from the reporting date.

#### (d) Revenue expected to be recognised in the future related to performance obligations that are unsatisfied

At 31 December 2023, the Group has revenue expected to be recognised in the future arising from performance obligations that are unsatisfied amounting to Baht 33.8 million (2022: Nil). The Group will recognise this revenue when a customer obtains control of the real estate development for sale, which is expected to occur within 12 months.

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#### 24 Discontinued operation

On 5 May 2022, the Group disposed all investment in ordinary shares held directly and indirectly by the Company of Finansa Securities Limited in the amount of 39,999,995 shares with a par value at Baht 10 per share, representing approximately 100 percent of all issued shares of Finansa Securities Limited, at the sale price of Baht 12.25 per share, totaling Baht 490.19 million, to FSS International Investment Advisory Securities Company Limited. The Group recognised loss from loss of control in the subsidiary in the consolidated statement of comprehensive income of Baht 140.5 million and gain in the separate statement of comprehensive income of Baht 55.5 million. The comparative statement of comprehensive income has been re-presented to show the discontinued operation separately from continuing operation.

	Consolidated financial statements
Operating results of discontinued operation	Securities business
Year ended 31 December	2022
	(in thousand Baht)
Income	
Securities business income	73,565
Expenses	
Securities business expenses	49,976
Servicing and administrative expenses	3,091
Profit before income tax expense of discontinued operation	20,498
Income tax expense	(5,610)
Profit for the year from operating activities of	
discontinued operation, net of tax	14,888
Loss on disposal of discontinued operation	(140,478)
Loss for the year of discontinued operation, net of tax	(125,590)

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Net cash from discontinued operation for the year ended 31 December 2022 was as follows:

Year ended 31 December	Consolidated financial statements Securities business 2022
Tear ended 31 December	(in thousand Baht)
Net cash from operating activities	64,439
Net cash from investing activities	455,273
Net cash from discontinued operation	519,712
Effect of disposal on the financial position	Consolidated financial statements (in thousand Baht)
Current assets	(
Cash and cash equivalents	34,915
Service income receivables	2,138
Other receivables	1,743
Other current financial assets	108,498
Other current assets	954
Total current assets	148,248
Non-current assets	
Other non-current financial assets	11,130
Building and equipment	394,382
Right-of-use assets	1,506
Goodwill	111,564
Deferred tax assets	7,989
Other non-current assets	610
Total non-current assets	527,181
Total assets	675,429
Current liabilities Current portion of lease liabilities	727
Income tax payable	4,896
Other current liabilities	16,574
Total current liabilities	22,197
Non-current liabilities	
Lease liabilities	817
Non-current provisions for employee benefits	40,573
Total non-current liabilities	41,390
Total liabilities	63,587
Net assets and liabilities	611,842

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Effect of disposal on the financial position	Consolidated financial statements (in thousand Baht)
Amount included in accumulated other comprehensive income	
Actuarial loss on defined benefit plan, net of tax	21,219
Gain on investments measured at FVOCI	(2,395)
Net assets and liabilities at disposal date	630,666
Consideration received, satisfied in cash	490,188
Cash and cash equivalents disposed of	(34,915)
Net cash inflows	455,273

#### 25 Net gain (loss) on investments measured at fair value through profit or loss

	Consolid financial sta		Separa financial sta	
	2023	2022	2023	2022
	(in thousand	d Baht)	(in thousand Baht)	
Debt instruments measured at FVTPL	3,170	6,694	3,170	6,162
Equity instruments measured at FVTPL	(55,476)	(777)	(2,926)	(777)
Total	(52,306)	5,385	244	5,385

#### **26** Expenses by nature

	Consoli	dated	Separate	
	financial st	atements	financial st	atements
	2023	2022	2023	2022
		(in thousa	nd Baht)	
Loss from impairment on investments	34,980	-	60,000	-
Finance costs	380,787	48,991	58,602	52,869
Loss on exchange rate	5,446	10,762	-	-
Employee benefit expenses	157,632	16,487	13,877	16,093
Loss on disposal of investments	-	10,144	-	-
Other premises and equipment expenses	4,914	6,158	4,914	7,283
Depreciation and amortisation	190,247	6,107	7,211	6,107
Taxes and duties	51,057	1,386	89	1,217
Promotion and public relation expenses	30,346	-	-	1,049
Specific business tax	20,074	-	377	169
Transfer expenses	5,326	-	-	-
Cleaning and security expenses	14,106	-	526	536

During 2023, the Group and the Company have contributed provident funds for its employees amounting to Baht 18.6 million and Baht 2.23 million, respectively (2022: Baht 4.2 million and Baht 2.5 million, respectively), which included in employee benefit expenses.

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#### 27 **Finance costs**

		Consoli financial st		Separate financial statements	
	Note	2023	2022	2023	2022
			(in thousa	nd Baht)	
Interest expense:					
Related parties	5	989	195	397	4,073
Financial institutions and other loans	_	415,858	48,796	58,205	48,796
<b>Total interest expense</b>		416,874	48,991	58,602	52,869
Other finance costs		14,166	-	_	-
	_	431,013	48,991	58,602	52,869
Less: amounts included in the cost of qualifying assets: - Real estate development					_
for sale	8	1,148	_	_	_
- Investment properties	13	49,078	-	_	-
• •	_	50,226		_	_
Net	_	380,787	48,991	58,602	52,869

#### 28 **Income tax**

Income tax recognised in profit or lossNotefinancial statements 20232022 (in thousand Baht)Current tax expense- $5,713$ Current year- $5,713$ Other $(3,518)$ -Deferred tax expense $(3,518)$ $5,713$ Movements in temporary differences $54,575$ $(103)$ Income tax expense excluding tax on gain on sale of discontinued operation- $5,610$ Attributable to: $54,575$ $5,610$ Income tax from discontinued operation (excluding gain on sale) $24$ - $(5,610)$ Total income tax $51,057$ -			Consolidated		
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Current tax expense           Current year         -         5,713           Other         (3,518)         -           Current year         (3,518)         -           Current year         (3,518)         -           Current year         -         5,713           Deferred tax expense         54,575         (103)           Substitution of tax expense excluding tax on gain on sale of discontinued operation         -         5,610           Attributable to:         Income tax from discontinued operation         -         5,610           Income tax from discontinued operation         -         (5,610)			2023	2022	
Current year       - 5,713         Other       (3,518)       - (3,518)         Deferred tax expense         Movements in temporary differences       54,575       (103)         Income tax expense excluding tax on gain on sale of discontinued operation       - 5,610         Attributable to:       - 5,610         Income tax from discontinued operation (excluding gain on sale)       24       - (5,610)			(in thousa	nd Baht)	
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Income tax expense excluding tax on gain on sale of discontinued operation - 5,610  Attributable to: Income tax from discontinued operation (excluding gain on sale)  24 - (5,610)	Movements in temporary differences		54,575	(103)	
sale of discontinued operation - 5,610  Attributable to: Income tax from discontinued operation (excluding gain on sale) 24 - (5,610)	•		54,575	(103)	
Attributable to: Income tax from discontinued operation (excluding gain on sale)  24 - (5,610)	Income tax expense excluding tax on gain on				
Income tax from discontinued operation (excluding gain on sale)  24 (5,610)	sale of discontinued operation		-	5,610	
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	Income tax from discontinued operation				
	(excluding gain on sale)	24	-	(5,610)	
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Reconciliation of effective tax rate	Consolidated financial statements				
from continuing operations	_	2023	_	2022	
	Rate	(in thousand	Rate	(in thousand	
	(%)	Baht)	(%)	Baht)	
Profit (loss) before income tax expense		412,048		230,507	
Income tax using the Thai corporation tax rate	20.0	82,410	20.0	46,101	
Effect of different tax rates in foreign					
jurisdictions		(28,113)		1,249	
Share of profit (loss) of associates and joint		, , ,		,	
venture accounted for using equity method		6,688		(1,247)	
Income not subject to tax		(16,873)		(1,475)	
Expenses with additional deduction		, , ,		( ) /	
for tax purposes		13,333		-	
Expenses not deductible for tax purposes		6,958		25,680	
Recognition of previously unrecognised tax		,		,	
losses		-		(72,163)	
Current year losses for which no deferred tax				( , , ,	
assets was recognised		323,595		_	
Elimination in consolidation		(335,239)			
Under (over) provided in prior years		(1,702)			
Others		-		1,855	
Total	12.4	51,057		-	
Deconciliation of offseting tan nate	,	Consolidated fine	naial state	am am ta	
Reconciliation of effective tax rate from discontinued operation	,	Consolidated final 2023	nciai state	2022	
from aiscontinuea operation	Doto	(in thousand	Data		

Reconciliation of effective tax rate from discontinued operation		Consolidated final 2023	ncial state	ements 2022
Profit before income tax expense	Rate (%)	(in thousand Baht) -	Rate (%)	(in thousand Baht) 20,498
Income tax using the Thai corporation tax rate Tax effect of income and expenses that are not taxable income or not deductible in determining taxable income, net	20.0	-	20.0	4,100
Total			27.4	- 1,510 <b>5.610</b>

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				idated financial stand / (charged) to	atements
1.	At January 2023	Acquisitio of subsidiary	n Profit or	Other	At 31 December 2023
				(in thousand Baht	*)
Deferred tax assets					
Lease liabilities	-	4,743	(1,818	-	2,925
Non-current provisions for employee	-	12.220	4.5	-	12.502
benefits		13,328			13,783
Loss carried forward	-	187,614		,	120,300
Others		16,768			17,816
Total		222,453	(67,629	<u> </u>	154,824
Deferred tax liabilities					
Investment properties	-	(7,594)	) 174	4 -	(7,420)
Warrants	-	(10,608)	10,608	-	-
Right-of-use assets	-	(13,106)	2,272	2	(10,834)
Total	-	(31,308)	13,054	<u> </u>	(18,254)
Net	-	191,145	(54,575	<u> </u>	136,570
		Co	nsolidated fin	ancial statements	
		Co	iisonaatea iii	Derecognition	
	A	t	Credited	of discontinued	At
	1 Jan		harged) to	operation	31 December
	202		ofit or loss	(Note 24)	2022
			(in thous	and Baht)	
Deferred tax assets					
Lease liabilities		110	103	(213)	-
Non-current provisions for employee benefit		7,875	-	(7,875)	
Total		7,985	103	(8,088)	
Deferred tax liabilities					
Gain on measurement of financial assets		(99)	_	99	_
Total		(99)	-	99	_
Net	,	7,886	103	(7,989)	-
		,,,,,,,,,	100	(,,,,,,)	

The tax losses expire in 2028. The deductible temporary difference do not expire under current tax legislation of Baht 885.1 million. The Group had not recognised these items as deferred tax assets because it is not probable that the Group will have future taxable profit which the Group can utilise the benefits therefrom.

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### 29 Earnings (loss) per share

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Annual dividend

		Consolidation of Consolidation	tements	Separate financial statements				
		2023	2022	2023	2022			
Profit (loss) attribut	abla ta andinany	(in ir	iousana Bani / inc	/ thousand shares)				
Profit (loss) attribut shareholders (basi		685,419	104,917	17,917	337,807			
Ordinary shares outs								
Number of ordinary s outstanding at 1 Jar	nuary	345,855	345,855	345,855	345,855			
Effect of shares issue 27 July 2023	d on	67,008	-	67,008	_			
Weighted average n				<u> </u>				
shares outstanding 31 December	g (basic) at	412,863	345,855	412,863	345,855			
Earnings per share (	(basic) (in Baht)	1.66	0.30	0.04	0.98			
Attributable to:	) 1 6							
<ul> <li>Basic earnings (loss continuing operation)</li> </ul>		1.66	0.66	0.04	0.98			
<ul> <li>Basic (loss) earning discontinued operat</li> </ul>	*	_	(0.36)	-	_			
Dividends								
	Approval date	Payment schedule	Dividend rat per share (in Baht)	An	nount ion Baht)			
<b>2023</b> Annual dividend	25 April 2023	24 May 2023	0.20	,	69.2			
2022								
	20 4 11 2022	0.5.1.6.0000	0.70		1 = 0 0			

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# 31 Financial instruments

# (a) Carrying amounts and fair values

not include fair value information for financial assets and financial liabilities measured at amortised cost if the carrying amount is a reasonable approximation of The following table shows the carrying amounts and fair values of financial assets and financial liabilities, including their levels in the fair value hierarchy, but does fair value.

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	ne		Level 3 Total				- 354,000			- 154,967	338,450 338,450	- 10,055		690,123 690,123	- 11,017		- 45,777			- 5,766,600	- 5,473,835
	Fair value		Level 2				•			154,967	,	10,055		•	11,017		1			5,766,600	5,473,835
			Level 1	tht)			354,000			1	1	ı		ı	ı		45,777			1	ı
2023			Total	(in thousand Baht)			354,000			154,967	338,450	10,055		690,123	11,017		45,777			5,766,600	5,527,686
	ınt Financial	instruments	designated at FVOCI	<i>u</i>			354,000			1				690,123	11,017		45,777				ı
	Carrying amount Financial		at measured at FVOCI				1			1	1	10,055		ı	1		1			1	ı
	( Financial	instruments instruments instruments	measured at FVTPL				1			154,967	338,450	,		ı	ı		1			1	ı
	Financial	instruments	measured at measured AMC FVTPL				ı			1	ı	ı		ı	ı		1			5,766,600	5,527,686
					Financial assets	Domestic marketable equity	instruments	Domestic marketable debt	instruments	- unit trusts	Warrants	Government bond	Domestic non-marketable	equity instruments	Unit trust in foreign funds	Foreign marketable equity	instruments	Financial liabilities	Long-term borrowings from	financial institutions	Long-term debentures

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					Total				10,525		350,481		47,816	10,378		257,011	12,551		45,411			644,010
	alue				Level 3				ı		1		47,816	ı		257,011	ı		1			ı
	Fair value				Level 2				ı		350,481		ı	10,378		ı	12,551		1		0	644,010
					Level 1	t)			10,525		1		ı	ı		ı	1		45,411			ı
2022					Total	(in thousand Baht)			10,525		350,481		47,816	10,378		257,011	12,551		45,411			008,999
	nt 	Financial	instruments	designated at	FVOCI	(in			1		1		ı	ı		257,011	12,551		45,411			ı
	Carrying amount		instruments		FVOCI				ı		ı		ı			1	ı		ı			ı
		Financial	nstruments ii	neasured at n	FVTPL				10,525		350,481		47,816	1		1	ı		1			ı
		Financial	instruments instruments	measured at measured at measured at	AMC				1		1		ı	ı		1	1		1			008'999
							Financial assets	Domestic marketable equity	instruments	Domestic marketable debt	instruments - unit trusts	Domestic non-marketable debt	instruments	Government bond	Domestic non-marketable	equity instruments	Unit trust in foreign funds	Foreign marketable equity	instruments	;	Financial liabilities	Long-term debentures

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					Total				154,967	10,055		237,698			292,003	345,689
	alue				Level 3				1	ı		237,698			1	ı
	Fair value				Level 2				154,967	10,055					292,003	345,689
					Level 1	ht)			1	1					ı	ı
2023					Total	(in thousand Baht)			154,967	10,055		237,698			292,002	366,800
	nt	Financial	instruments	lesignated at	FVOCI	(ir			ı	ı		237,698			ı	ı
	Carrying amount	Financial	instruments	measured at designated at	FVOCI				ı			1			ı	1
	Ü				FVTPL				154,967	ı		,			1	
		Financial	instruments instruments	measured at measured at	AMC				1	1		•			292,002	366,800
							Financial assets	Domestic marketable debt	instruments - unit trusts	Government bond	Domestic non-marketable equity	instruments	Financial liabilities	Long-term borrowings from	financial institutions	Long-term debentures

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					Total				10,525		350,481		47,816	10,378		14,222		644,010
	alue				Level 3				ı		ı		47,816	ı		14,222		1
	Fair value				Level 2				ı		350,481		ı	10,378		1		644,010
					Level 1	ht)			10,525		ı		ı	ı		ı		ı
2022					Total Level 1	(in thousand Baht)			10,525		350,481		47,816	10,378		14,222		008'999
	nt	Financial	instruments	designated at	FVOCI	(i)			ı		ı		ı	ı		14,222		ı
	Carrying amount	Financial	instruments	measured at	FVOCI				ı		ı		ı	10,378		1		1
	0	Financial Financial			FVTPL				10,525		350,481		47,816	ı		ı		ı
		Financial	instruments instruments	measured at measured at	AMC				1		ı		ı	ı		1		9999
							Financial assets	Domestic marketable equity	instruments	Domestic marketable debt	instruments - unit trusts	Domestic non-marketable	debt instruments	Government bond	Domestic non-marketable	equity instruments	Financial liabilities	Long-term debentures

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The following methods and assumptions are used in estimating fair values of financial instruments are disclosed herein:

The fair values of current financial assets and current financial liabilities measured at amortised cost are approximated based on the carrying amounts since these financial instruments are short-term in nature.

The fair values of unit trust in domestic and foreign funds are estimated using net asset value at the reporting date.

The fair values of warrants using techniques and models.

The fair values of debt instruments with no active market price are estimated using market yield curve of debt instruments plus a risk premium.

The fair values of investment in government bonds are estimated using market yield of debt instruments published by the Thai Bond Market Association.

The fair values of domestic non-marketable equity instruments are estimated using different measurement approach that is most appropriate to the investee's business such as adjusted book value and discounted cash flows method

The fair values of domestic and foreign marketable equity instruments are estimated using market price at the reporting date.

The fair values of long-term investments in others using adjusted net asset.

The fair values of borrowings from a financial institution and long-term debentures are estimated using the discounted cash flows method based on current borrowing rates for similar types of borrowing arrangements.

The following tables present valuation technique of financial instruments measured at fair value in the statements of financial position:

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Other long-term investments The Company's debentures and subsidiary's debentures

Long-term borrowings from financial institutions Discounted cash flows and subsidiary's debentures

Warrants

### Valuation technique

Adjusted net asset and closed price Determined based on quoted prices in the debentures market from the Thai Bond Market Association by using the closing price at the end of the reporting period

Techniques and models according to the theory of valuation

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**Type** Equity securities

Valuation technique Discounted cash flows **Significant unobservable**inputs
Discount rate: 7% - 11%

Inter-relationship between significant unobservable inputs and fair value measurement The estimated fair value would increase (decrease) if the discount rate was lower (higher)

### Reconciliation of Level 3 fair values

	Consolio financial sta		Separa financial sta			
	2023	2022	2023	2022		
		(in thousar	usand Baht)			
Equity instruments						
At 1 January	257,011	264,874	14,222	12,348		
Acquisitions	-	1,874	81,297	1,874		
Received from step acquisition	599,014	-	-	-		
Converted to shares Net change in fair value (including	(150,000)	-	-	-		
unrealised transactions)  Derecognition of discontinued	322,548	-	142,179	-		
operation	-	(9,737)	-	-		
At 31 December	1,028,573	257,011	237,698	14,222		
Debt instruments						
At 1 January	47,816	-	47,816	-		
Acquisitions	-	50,000	-	50,000		
Disposals	(50,000)	-	(50,000)	-		
Net change in fair value (including	( , , ,		, , ,			
unrealised transactions)	2,184	(2,184)	(2,184)	(2,184)		
At 31 December	-	47,816	-	47,816		

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Sensitivity analysis

For the fair values of financial assets measured at fair value Level 3, reasonably possible changes at the reporting date to one of the significant unobservable inputs, holding other inputs constant, would have the following effects.

	financial s	lidated statements	Separate financial statements				
Effect to profit or loss	1% increase in assumption	1% decrease in assumption (in thous	1% increase in assumption and Baht)	1% decrease in assumption			
2023		(* * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * *					
Domestic non-marketable debt instruments							
Risk-adjusted discount rate	-	-	-	-			
2022							
Domestic non-marketable debt instruments							
Risk-adjusted discount rate	(4,769)	4,817	(4,769)	4,817			
	Conso	lidated	Sepa	arate			
	financial s	statements	financial s	statements			
Effect to other comprehensive income,	1% increase	1% decrease	1% increase	1% decrease			
net of tax	in assumption	in assumption (in thous	in assumption and Baht)	in assumption			
2023							
Domestic non-marketable equity instruments							
Risk-adjusted discount rate	(146,165)	218,933	(49,912)	74,577			
2022							
<b>Domestic non-marketable equity instruments</b> Risk-adjusted discount rate	(65,884)	61,418	(1,696)	2,319			

### (b) Financial risk management policies

Risk management framework

The Group's board of directors has overall responsibility for the establishment and oversight of the Group's risk management framework. The Board of Directors is responsible for developing and monitoring the Group's risk management policies. The committee reports regularly to the board of directors on its activities.

The Group's risk management policies are established to identify and analyse the risks faced by the Group, to set appropriate risk limits and controls and to monitor risks and adherence to limits. Risk management policies and systems are reviewed regularly to reflect changes in market conditions and the Group's activities. The Group, through its training and management standards and procedures, aims to maintain a disciplined and constructive control environment in which all employees understand their roles and responsibilities.

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The Group audit committee oversees how management monitors compliance with the Group's risk management policies and procedures, and reviews the adequacy of the risk management framework in relation to the risks faced by the Group. The Group's audit committee is assisted in its oversight role by internal audit. Internal audit undertakes both regular and ad hoc reviews of risk management controls and procedures, the results of which are reported to the audit committee.

### 31.1 Credit risk

Credit risk is the risk of financial loss to the Group if a customer or counterparty to a financial instrument fails to meet its contractual obligations, and arises principally from receivables from customers, loans and investments in debt instruments. Therefore, the Group manages and controls the risk by having in place lending and investment policies, credit control procedures and credit term policies. The Group therefore expects such risk to be at a manageable level.

The maximum exposure to credit risk is limited to the carrying amounts of the outstanding balances of those transactions as stated in the statement of financial position.

### 31.1.1 Trade receivables

The Group's exposure to credit risk is influenced mainly by the individual characteristics of each customer. However, management also considers the factors that may influence the credit risk of its customer base, including the default risk associated with the industry and country in which customers operate. Detail of concentration of revenue are included in note 23.

The management has established a credit policy under which each new customer is analysed individually for creditworthiness before the Group's commercial terms and conditions are offered.

The Group limits its exposure to credit risk from trade accounts receivables by establishing a maximum payment period of 3 months. Outstanding trade receivables are regularly monitored by the Group. An impairment analysis is performed by the Group at each reporting date. The provision rates of expected credit loss are based on days past due for individual trade receivables to reflect differences between economic conditions in the past, current conditions and the Group's view of economic conditions over the expected lives of the receivables.

	Consoli	dated	Separ	ate
	financial statements		financial statements	
	2023	2022	2023	2022
	(in thousand Baht)			
Within credit terms	714,694	28,261	36,021	28,196
Overdue:				
Less than 3 months	19,066	-	-	-
3 - 6 months	1,145	-	-	-
6 - 12 months	2,196	-	-	-
Over 12 months	2,885	-	-	-
Total	739,986	28,261	36,021	28,196
Less allowance for expected				
credit loss	-	-	-	-
Net	739,986	28,261	36,021	28,196

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During the year ended 31 December 2023, the subsidiary received cash payment from a promissory note from the cancellation of an agreement to buy and sell units of commercial buildings from non-related party amounting Baht 90 million. The remaining amount of promissory notes will be matured within one year totaling Baht 60 million, and was presented in trade and other current receivables.

The normal credit term granted by the Group ranges from 5 days to 30 days.

### 31.1.2 Investment in debt securities

The Group considers that all debt investments measured at amortised cost and FVOCI have low credit risk. Then the credit loss allowance assessed during the year was therefore limited to 12 months expected losses or 'low credit risk'. Marketable bonds are considered to be an investment grade credit rating published by external credit rating agencies. The credit risk of other instruments are considered to be low when the risk of default is low and the issuer has a strong capacity to meet its contractual cash flow obligations.

### 31.1.3 Cash and cash equivalent

The Group's exposure to credit risk arising from cash and cash equivalents is limited because the counterparties are banks and financial institutions which the Group considers to have low credit risk

### 31.2 Liquidity risk

The Group monitors its liquidity risk and maintains a level of cash and cash equivalents deemed adequate by management to finance the Group's operations and to mitigate the effects of fluctuations in cash flows.

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The following table shows the remaining contractual maturities of financial liabilities at the reporting date. The amounts are gross and undiscounted and include contractual interest payments and exclude the impact of netting agreements.

		C	onsolidated financ Contractual ca			
		1	More than 1 year but less	More than 2 years but	Nr. d	
	Carrying	1 year or less	than	less than	More than	Total
At 31 December 2023	amount	or less	2 years (in thousand	5 years	5 years	Total
Financial liabilities			(in inousana	· Duni)		
Trade and other current payables	766,332	766,332	_	_	_	766,332
Short-term borrowings from		,				,
financial institutions	53,025	53,025	-	-	-	53,025
Payables from a transfer of a righ	nt					
agreement to receive cash flow	1,014,272	1,014,272	-	-	-	1,014,272
Long-term loans from						
financial institutions	5,766,600	478,036	753,423	1,747,836	3,073,459	6,052,755
Short-term borrowings from		04.7.000				04.5.0.00
other parties	800,000	815,369	-	-	-	815,369
Long-term borrowings from	00.000	00.662				00.662
other parties Long-term debentures	80,000 5,527,686	80,663 1,821,342	3,546,160	- 629,784	-	80,663 5,997,286
Lease liabilities	1,399,009	75,934	75,837	241,073	2,018,883	2,411,727
At 31 December 2022	, ,	,	,	,	, ,	, ,
Financial liabilities	666,000	210.015	10.240	202.075		710 220
Long-term debentures	666,800	318,815	18,340	382,075	-	719,230
Lease liabilities	5,813	3,179	-	-	-	6,134
		S	<b>Separate financia</b> Contractual ca  More than  1 year but		More	
	Carrying	1 year	less than	less than	than	
	amount	or less	2 years	5 years	5 years	Total
			(in thousand	l Baht)		
At 31 December 2023 Financial liabilities Short-term loans and advance from	om.					
related parties	244,277	244,277	_	_	_	244,277
Loans from other parties	450,000	459,616	_	_	_	459,616
Long-term debentures	366,800	18,340	382,075	_	_	400,415
Lease liabilities	6,792	3,189	3,100	1,033	_	7,322
Lease naomities	0,772	3,107	3,100	1,033	_	7,322
At 31 December 2022 Financial liabilities Short-term loans and advance from	om					
related parties	21,105	21,105	_	_	_	21,105
Long-term debentures	666,800	318,815	18,340	382,075	_	719,230
Lease liabilities	5,813	3,179	2,735	220	_	6,134
Lease Havillies	3,013	3,179	4,133	220	-	0,134

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### 31.3 Market risk

The Group is exposed to the risk that the fair value or future cash flows of a financial instrument will fluctuate because of changes in market prices. Market risk is as follows:

### 31.3.1 Foreign exchange risk

The Group is exposed to foreign currency risk relating to cash at bank and borrowings which are denominated in foreign currencies which may result in changes in the value of financial instruments, fluctuations in revenues or value of financial assets and financial liabilities.

As at 31 December 2023 and 2022, the Group had foreign currency-denominated financial assets and financial liabilities, which had not been hedged against foreign exchange risk, as follows:

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	financial stat	ements	
Exposure to foreign currency	2023	2022	
	US dol	lar	
	(in thousand	d Baht)	
Financial assets	107,346	61,489	
Financial liabilities	(264,717)		
Net statement of financial position exposure	(157,371)	61,489	

Sensitivity analysis

A reasonably possible strengthening (weakening) of Thai Baht against all other foreign currencies at the reporting date would have affected the measurement of financial instruments denominated in a foreign currency. This analysis assumes that all other variables, in particular interest rates, remain constant.

Impact to profit or loss	Movement %	Strengthening	weakening and Baht)
2023 US Dollar	1	1,574	(1,574)
2022 US Dollar	1	(615)	615

### 31.3.2 Interest rate risk

Interest rate risk is the risk that future movements in market interest rates will affect the results of the Group's operations and its cash flows.

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	Consoli financial st		Separ financial st	
Exposure to interest rate risk At 31 December	2023	2022	2023	2022
11 31 December	2023		and Baht)	2022
Financial instruments with fixed interest rates	S	,	,	
Short-term loans to related parties	757,000	467,485	525,000	467,485
Short-term loans to other parties	130,000	73,800	70,000	73,800
Other current financial assets	10,055	-	10,055	-
Other non-current financial assets	-	58,194	-	58,194
	897,055	599,479	605,055	599,479
Financial liabilities Short-term loans from financial institutions Short-term loans from other parties Long-term loans from other parties Long-term debentures Lease liabilities	53,025 800,000 80,000 5,527,686 1,399,009 <b>7,859,720</b>	- - 666,800 5,813 <b>672,613</b>	450,000 - 366,800 6,792 823,592	666,800 5,813 672,613
Financial instruments with variable interest rates Financial liabilities Long-term loans from financial institutions		-	292,002	-

Fair value sensitivity analysis for fixed-rate instruments

The Group does not account for any fixed-rate financial assets or financial liabilities, at FVTPL, and the Group does not designate derivatives (interest rate swaps) as hedging instruments under a fair value hedge accounting model. Therefore, a change in interest rates at the reporting date would not affect profit or loss.

Cash flow sensitivity analysis for variable-rate instruments

A reasonable possible change of 1% in interest rates at the reporting date; this analysis assumes that all other variables, in particular foreign currency exchange rates, remain constant.

		ed financial ments	•	financial ments
Impact to profit or loss 2023	1% increase in interest rate	1% decrease in interest rate (in thousa	1% increase in interest rate and Baht)	1% decrease in interest rate
Financial instruments with variable interest rate	(57,269)	(57,269)	(2,441)	2,441
2022 Financial instruments with variable interest rate	-	-	-	-

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### 31.3.3 Equity price risk

Equity position risk is the risk arising from changes in the market prices of equity instruments which may result in changes in the value of investments, fluctuations in revenues and/or the value of investment in equity instruments. The Group has equity position risk, occurring from their investment in domestic and foreign marketable equity instruments. (Further details of investment in equity instruments are provided under Note 10 and further details on fair value of investment in equity instruments are provided under Note 30 (a)).

### 32 Capital management

The Board of Directors' policy is to maintain a strong capital base so as to maintain investor, creditor and market confidence and to sustain future development of the business. The Board regularly monitors the return on capital, by evaluating result from operating activities divided by total equity, excluding non-controlling interests and also monitors the level of dividends to ordinary shareholders.

### 33 Commitments with non-related parties

	Consolidated financial statements 2023
	(in thousand Baht)
Capital commitments	
Acquisitions of property, plant and equipment	4,325
Total	4,325
Other commitments	
Project development and construction agreements	205,152
Leased building development and construction agreements	1,006,698
Low-value assets and short-term lease commitments	4,430
Utilities service agreements	78,838
Management agreement	12,000
Bank guarantees	294,658
Total	1,601,776

On 1 June 2023, Health and Wellness Village Co., Ltd., an indirect subsidiary of the Company, has entered into a management agreement with another party to receive management service for Wellness Center and Anti-Aging project for 3 years with an option to renew for another 3 years. The subsidiary agreed to pay monthly service fees at the amounts as specified in the agreement.

On 31 May 2023, Munkong Life Co., Ltd. and Health and Wellness Village Co., Ltd., which are indirect subsidiaries of the Company, entered into an agreement with another party to provide lease and service for operating Wellness Center with the period of 3 years starting from 1 June 2023 to 31 May 2026 and renewable for another 3 years with lease and service fees at the amounts as specified in the agreement.

In 2023, the Group entered into agreements with another party to provide land lease to construct building and warehouse and factory for rental. The rental payment is on annual installments with the period of 30 years starting from 1 July 2024 to 30 June 2054 and for the period starting from 1 October 2024 to 30 September 2054. The Group made the rental payment totalling Baht 60.8 million and recorded as other non-current asset, renewable for another 3 years with lease and service fees at the amounts as specified in the agreement.

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### 34 Events after the reporting period

1. M.K. Real Estate Development Public Company Limited ("the subsidiary"), the debenture issuer, held a meeting of the Debenture holders' Meeting No. 1/2024 on 14 February 2024, via electronic meeting. This meeting had 5 tranches of the subsidiary's debentures, with separate counting of attendees and voting. The register had closed for transfers since 31 January 2024.

The agenda for the Debenture holders' Meeting No. 1/2024 for each tranche of debentures were as follows:

- 1.1 Agenda for Long-term Debentures, MK249A (No.1/2022), MK256A (No.2/2022) and MK253A (No.3/2022)
  - Agenda 1 Review and approval of adjustment of the financial ratio that the debenture issuer must maintain according to the terms and conditions.
  - Agenda 2 Review and approval of amendment to the definition of "Liabilities" for calculating the financial ratio that the debenture issuer must maintain according to the terms and conditions.
- 1.2 Agenda for Long-term Debentures, MK263A (No. 1/2023) and MK252A (No. 2/2023)
  - Agenda 1 Review and approval of adjustment of the financial ratio that the debenture issuer must maintain according to the terms and conditions.

In this regard, the Debenture holders' Meeting No. 1/2024 of all 5 tranches of the subsidiary to approve the amendment of the terms and conditions. According to the details that the subsidiary has presented above in all respects.

- 2. The subsidiary's Board of Directors Meeting No.11/2023 held on 27 December2023 has resolved to propose to the Shareholders' Meeting to consider restructuring of the Company's business by proceeding the acquisition and disposition of assets and entering into connected transaction, as follows:
  - 2.1 The Disposal of Common Shares of RX Wellness Company Limited and the Granting of Leasehold Rights to Land and Buildings by disposing the common shares of RX Wellness Company Limited ("RXW") and the Granting of Leasehold Rights to Land and Buildings with the following details:
    - 2.1.1 Common shares of RXW, which operates in the health services and accommodation business with the total shares of 13,799,998 shares, with a par value of THB 100.0 per share, representing 100.00 percent of the total paid-up shares of RXW, to the company, a major shareholder of the subsidiary, holding 540,145,362 shares, or representing 49.50 percent of the total paid-up shares of the Company, with a total value of approximately THB 275.8 million and dispose assets related to the health services business, including equipment and tools for using in the health services and accommodation business, together with vehicles, computers, and other related equipment, to RXW on the same day of disposing the common shares of RXW to FNS, with a total value of approximately THB 83.6 million. The total value of this transaction is approximately THB 359.4 million.
    - 2.1.2 The Company's indirect subsidiaries, namely Munkong Life Company Limited ("MKF") and MKH Asset Company Limited ("MKH"), in which the Company holds approximately 100.0 percent of the total paid-up shares, will grant leasing rights to land and buildings used in the health services and accommodation business for a total period of 10 years, with a total value over the 10-year period is approximately THB 1,770 million. Due to RXW not owning real estate assets used in its business operations, it has leased land and buildings from two subsidiaries, namely MKF and MKH.

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- 2.2 The Acquisition of Common Shares of BFTZ Wangnoi Company Limited and Prospect Logistics and Industrial Freehold and Leasehold Real Estate Investment Trust by acquiring common shares and units of trust from the Company with the following details:
  - 2.2.1 Common shares of BFTZ Wangnoi Company Limited ("BFTZWN") totaling 24,999 shares, with a par value of THB 100.0 per share, at a price of THB 2,000.1 per share and a total value of THB 50.0 million, representing 50.0% of the total paid-up shares of BFTZWN.
  - 2.2.2 Prospect Logistics and Industrial Freehold and Leasehold Real Estate Investment Trust ("PROSPECT REIT"), totaling 83,212,061 units, with a par value of THB 9.4697 per unit, at a price of THB 9.3885 per unit and a total value of THB 781.2 million, representing 22.2% of the total paid-up units of PROSPECT REIT.

The restructuring of the Company's business by proceeding the acquisition and disposition of assets and entering into connected transaction with FNS requires the meeting of shareholders' approval by the votes of at least three-fourths of the total votes of shareholders attending the meeting and having voting right, excluding the portion of shareholders with conflicts of interest which is the company that is a major shareholder of the Company, holding 540,145,362 shares, or representing 49.5 percent of the total paid-up shares of the Company.

The Extraordinary General Meeting of Shareholders No. 1/2024 held on February 28, 2024, the meeting considered approving the Business Restructuring plan by way of acquired and disposed of assets and entering into transactions related to the M.K. Real Estate Development Public Company Limited as no. 2.1 and 2.2 above.

In this regard, the transactions must be approved by the subsidiary's shareholders' meeting to be held on 1 March 2024.

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### 35 Reclassification of accounts

Certain accounts in the statement of financial position as at 31 December 2022, which are included in the 2022 financial statements have been reclassified to conform with Thai Financial Reporting Standards, guidelines promulgated by the Federation of Accounting Professions and applicable rules and regulations of the Thai Securities and Exchange Commission.

### **Consolidated financial statements**

	Before reclassification (i	Reclassification n thousand Baht)	Reclassificati on
Statements of financial position			
At 31 December 2022			
Trade and other current receivables	28,261	(28,261)	-
Other current assets	16,023	28,261	44,284
Right-of use assets, net	5,658	(5,658)	-
Property, plant and equipment	9,200	5,658	14,858
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### **Separate financial statements**

Statements of financial position At 31 December 2022	Before reclassification (i	Reclassification in thousand Baht)	Reclassificati on
Trade and other current receivables	28,196	(28,196)	-
Other current assets	16,014	28,196	44,210
Right-of use assets, net	5,658	(5,658)	-
Property, plant and equipment	9,200	5,658	14,858
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# **Attachment 1**

Details of Directors, Executives, Controlling Person, the Person taking the highest responsibility in finance and accounting, the Person supervising accounting, and Company Secretary

# Mr. Akarat Na Ranong

### Age

### 70 Years

Position / Date of Appointment of Director Chairman (9 December 2021) / Member of the Audit Committee / Member of the Nomination Compensation and Corporate Governance Committee (1 March 2022)/ Independent Director (13 January 2011)

### **Education and Training Program**

- Master's Degree, Business Administration (Management), Marshall University, USA
- Bachelor's Degree, Economics, Chulalongkorn University, Thailand

### **Training Program**

- Certificate, Thai Institute of Directors Association
  - Audit Committee Program (2004)
  - Director Accreditation Program (2007)
  - Role of the Compensation Committee (2007)
  - Director Certification Program (2013)
  - Role of the Chairman Program (2017)
  - Ethical Leadership Program (2019)
  - Advanced Audit Committee Program (AACP Online) (2022)
- Certificate, Capital Market Academy Leadership Program (2008)
- Role of Audit Committee of listed company (2021)

### % Holding in FNS

As at 31 December 2023

**Experience Over Past 5 Years** 

0%

### Family Relationship

### **Listed Company** 2017 - Present

- Independent Director / Chairman of Audit Committee / Member of Nomination Compensation and Corporate Governance Committee
  - Symphony Communication Pcl.

### 2010 - Present

- Independent Director / Chairman of Audit Committee
  - Matching Maximize Solution Pcl.

### **Other Companies**

### 1 Mar 2022 - Present

- Independent Director and Member of Audit Committee
  - Finansa Securities Ltd.

### 2017 - Present

- Director / Member of Compensation and Remuneration Committee and Investment Committee
  - Krungthai AXA Life Insurance Pcl.

### 2015 - Present

- Independent Director / Chairman of the Board of Director / Chairman of the Audit Committee
  - KPN Academy Company Limited

### 2011 - 28 Feb 2022

- Independent Director and Chairman of Audit Committee
  - Finansa Securities Ltd.

Age

# Mr. Vorasit Pokachaiyapat

### 60 Years

Position / Date of Appointment of Director Managing Director / Authorized Director / Member of the Nomination, Compensation and Corporate Governance Committee (19 June 2002) / Company Secretary (11 August 2022)

### **Education and Training Program**

- M.S. Computer Information Systems, Bentley College, USA
- B.S. Managerial Economics and Industrial Management Carnegie-Mellon University, USA

### **Training Program**

- Certificate, Thai Institute of Directors Association
  - Directors Certification Program (2002)

### % Holding in FNS

As at 31 December 2023

57.84%

### Family Relationship

### **Experience Over Past 5 Years**

### **Listed Company**

### 2015 - Present

- Director and Chief Executive Officer
  - M.K.Real Estate Development Plc.

### **Other Companies**

### Apr 2021 - Present

- Director
  - BFTZ Bangpakong Co., Ltd.

### Nov 2019 - Present

- Director
  - PROSPECT REIT MANAGEMENT CO.,LTD

### 2018 - Present

- Director
  - Frasers Property BFTZ Co., Ltd.

### 2016 - Present

- Director
  - NEO Corporate Public Co., Ltd.

### 2005 - Present

- **Executive Director** 
  - Prospect Development Co., Ltd.

### 1994 - Present

- Director
  - Finansa Fund Management Ltd.

# Mr. Chanmanu Sumawong

### Age

### 67 Years

Position / Date of Appointment of Director Chairman of Audit Committee / Chairman of Nomination, Compensation and Corporate Governance Committee (1 March 2022) / Independent Director (1 February 2018)

### **Education and Training Program**

- Master of Comparative Law (A.P.), George Washington University, USA
- Master of Law, George Washington University, USA
- Bachelor of Laws, Second Class Honors, Thammasat University, Thailand
- Thai Barrister-at-Law

### **Training Program**

- Certificate, Thai Institute of Directors Association
  - Director Accreditation Program (2013)
- Seminar: Role of Audit Committee of listed company (2021)
- Online seminar by SEC. Final Call: PDPA Onboarding (2022)

### % Holding in FNS

As at 31 December 2023

0%

### Family Relationship

### **Experience Over Past 5 Years**

### **Listed Company**

### 2023 - Present

- **Executive Vice President** 
  - Pruksa Holding PCL.

### 2019 - 2023

- **Executive Vice President** 
  - Pruksa Real Estate PCL.

- Independent Director, Member of Audit Committee and Member of Nomination and Remuneration Committee
  - CIMB Thai Bank Public Company Limited

### 2017 - 2019

- Director of Legal Affairs
  - Thonburi Healthcare Group Pcl.

### Other Companies

### Jan 2024 - Present

- Independent Director / Member of Audit Committee and Chairman of Nomination and Remuneration Committee
  - Monix Co., Ltd.

### 1 Mar 2022 - Present

- Independent Director and Chairman of the Audit Committee
  - Finansa Securities Ltd.

### 2018 - 28 Feb 2022

- Independent Director, Member of the Audit Committee
  - Finansa Securities Ltd.

### **Mr. Nuttawut Phowborom**

### Age

### 59 Years

Position / Date of Appointment of Director M	Member of Audit Committee /	Independent Director	/ 25 April 2013
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### **Education and Training Program**

- MB A, City University, Seattle, USA
- Bachelor's Degree, Economics, University of the Thai Chamber of Commerce, Thailand

### **Training Program**

- Certificate, Thai Institute of Directors Association
  - Director Accreditation Program (2004)
  - Audit Committee Program (2005)
  - Role of the Compensation Committee (2008)

### % Holding in FNS

As at 31 December 2023

0%

### Family Relationship

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### **Experience Over Past 5 Years**

### **Listed Company**

### 2019 - 2023

- Director
  - Prime Road Power Pcl.(formerly known as Food Capitals Plc.)

### 2011 - Present

- Independent Director, Audit Committee Member and Chairman of Nomination and Remuneration Committee
  - Asia Aviation Plc.

### Other Companies

### 2015 - 2023

- Director
  - Navavej International Pcl.(formerly known as KPN Healthcare Plc.)
- Director
  - KPN Energy Holding Co., Ltd.

### 2013 - Present

- Director and Chief Executive Officer
  - KPN Academy Co., Ltd.

### 2011 - Present

- Independent Director, Audit Committee Member and Chairman of Nomination and Remuneration Committee
  - Thai Air Asia Co., Ltd.

# Mr. James Marshall

# Age

### 69 Years

Position / Date of Appointment of Director	Authorized director (24 February 2022) / Head of Research and Business Development
Education and Training Program	<ul> <li>Certificate, Member of the Chartered Institute of Securities &amp; Investment, United Kingdom (1993)</li> <li>Certificate, CISI (2020-2021), United Kingdom         <ul> <li>Achievement of 35 hours of CDP Scheme</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Training Program</li> <li>Certificate, Thai Institute of Directors Association</li> <li>Director Accreditation Program (DAP 211/2023)</li> </ul>
% Holding in FNS As at 31 December 2023	0.33%
Family Relationship	-
Experience Over Past 5 Years	Listed Company Jan 2019 - Present  Head of Research and Business Development Department - FNS Holdings Plc.  1999 - Jan 2019  Chief Investment Officer - Finansa Plc.
	Other Companies  May 2021 – Present  Director  BFTZ Wangnoi Co.,Ltd.  2002 – Present  Director

- Finansa Fund Management Ltd.

# Ms. Rachanee Mahatdetkul

### Age

### **57 Years**

Position / Date of Appointment of Director	Senior Vice President of Direct Investment Department
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### **Education and Training Program**

- MBA, Santa Clara University, USA
- B.A. in Business Administration Assumption University, Thailand

### **Training Program**

- Certificate, The Stock Exchange of Thailand
  - Strategic CFO in Capital Markets Program (2017)
- Certificate, Thai Institute of Directors Association
  - Director Accreditation Program (2005)
  - Director Certification Program (2018)

### % Holding in FNS

As at 31 December 2023

0%

### **Family Relationship**

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### **Experience Over Past 5 Years**

### **Listed Company**

### 2015 - Present

- Executive Director
  - M.K.Real Estate Development Plc.

### 2007 - Present

- Senior Vice President Direct Investment
  - FNS Holdings Plc.

### 1994 - 2006

- Vice President Direct Investment
  - Finansa Plc.

### Other Companies

### May 2021 - Present

- Director
  - BFTZ Wangnoi Co.,Ltd.

### Apr 2021 – Present

- Director
  - BFTZ Bangpakong Co., Ltd.

### Nov 2019 - Present

- Director
  - PROSPECT REIT MANAGEMENT CO.,LTD.

### Nov 2018 - Present

- Managing Director
  - Prospect Development Co., Ltd.

### 2017 - Present

- Director
  - FB Foodservice (2017) Ltd.

### 2016 - Present

- Director
  - Frasers Property BFTZ Co., Ltd.

### 2009 – 2018

- Executive Director
  - Prospect Development Co., Ltd.

## Mrs. Snitha Asawachinda

Age

52 Years

Position / Date of Appointment of Director	Head of Treasury Department
Education and Training Program	<ul> <li>MBA, SASIN Graduate Institute of Business Administration, Chulalongkorn University, Thaliand</li> <li>Bachelor's Degree, Economics, Chulalongkorn University, Thailand</li> </ul>
	Training Program
	Thai Institute of Directors Association (IOD) (2016)
	- Corporate Governance for Capital Market Intermediaries (CGI)
% Holding in FNS	
As at 31 December 2023	0%
Family Relationship	-
Experience Over Past 5 Years	Listed Company
	1 June 2022 - Present
	Treasurer, Treasury Department
	- FNS Holdings Plc.
	Other Companies
	6 January 2023 – Present
	• Director
	- BFTZ Wangnoi Co.,Ltd.
	31 July 2020 – Present
	Executive Director
	- Kanom Café Co., Ltd.
	1 Dec 2012 – 31 May 2022
	Managing Director, Treasury and Wealth Management Department
	- Finansa Securities Ltd.

### **Name-Last Name**

# Mr. Chakhrit Suphepre

Age

59 Years

Position / Date of Appointment of Director	Group Head of Information Technology and Senior Vice President
Education and Training Program	<ul> <li>Master of Science (Computer Science &amp; Information Technology) NIDA, Thailand</li> <li>Bachelor of Science (Computer Science)</li> <li>King Mongkut's Institute Technology Ladkrabang, Thailand</li> </ul>
% Holding in FNS As at 31 December 2023	0%
Family Relationship	-
Experience Over Past 5 Years	Listed Company

### 2012 - Present

- Group Head Of Information Technology and Senior Vice President
  - FNS Holdings Plc.

# Ms. Wipa Nilsophon

### Age

59 Years

Position / Date of Appointment of Director	Assistant Managing Director-Compliance Department

**Education and Training Program** 

- MBA, City University, Seattle, USA
- Bachelor's Degree, Accounting, Bangkok University, Thailand

### Training Program (2022)

- บริษัทจดทะเบียนติวเข้มให้เต็ม100
- Road To Certify with THAI CAC
- Investor Right Guideline: Shareholders' rights

% Holding in FNS

As at 31 December 2023

0%

Family Relationship

### **Experience Over Past 5 Years**

### **Listed Company**

### 2011 - Present

- Assistant Managing Director, Compliance Department
  - FNS Holdings Plc.

### **Name-Last Name**

# Mr. Chankit Assawarotjanamitre

### Age

61 Years

Position / Date of Appointment of Director	Head	of	Administration
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### **Education and Training Program**

Bachelor of Business Administration (General Management), Sukhothai
 Thammathirat Open University, Thailand

### % Holding in FNS

As at 31 December 2023

0%

Family Relationship

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### **Experience Over Past 5 Years**

### **Listed Company**

### 2004 - Present

- Head of Administration
  - FNS Holdings Plc.

### Mrs. Nuchalee Junkhun

### Age

54 Years

Position / Date of Appointment of Director	Head of Human Resources
Education and Training Program	Bachelor of Economics, Chiangmai University, Thailand
% Holding in FNS As at 31 December 2023	0.00087%
Family Relationship	-
Experience Over Past 5 Years	Listed Company 1995 -Present  Head of Human Resources

- FNS Holdings Plc.

### Name-Last Name

# **Miss Papatsamon Chuntavee**

### Age

52 Years

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Position / Date of Appointment of Director	Uniet Financiai	Utticer ( L. January	ノロノスコ

### **Education and Training Program**

MBA, Master of Management (Finance), College of Management Mahidol University

### **Training Program**

### 2022

- Certificate, Federal of Accounting Professions
- Tax Auditor Association of Thailand

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- Update Tax and Thai Financial Reporting Stand

### 2023

- Thai Listed Companies Association
  - TLCA CFO Professional Development Program 6/2566
- SET Training Institution
  - CFO Orientation Course

### % Holding in FNS

As at 31 December 2023 0%

### Family Relationship

### **Experience Over Past 5 Years**

### **Listed Company**

### 14 November 2023 - Present

• Vice President, Accounting Department

### 1 February 2023 – Present

- Assistant Vice President, Accounting Department
  - FNS Holdings Plc.

### 2008 - 31 January 2023

- Senior Accounting Manager
  - FNS Holdings Plc.

# **Attachment 2**

Information of Directors in Subsidiaries and Associated Companies

# Information of Directors in Subsidiaries and Associated Companies

		ENIC	Subsidiary	Affiliates		
No	Name	FNS	FFM	МК	Kanom Cafe	BFTZ Wangnoi
1	Mr. Akarat Na Ranong	1, 4, 5	-	-	-	-
2	Mr. Vorasit Pokachaiyapat	3	3	3	-	-
3	Mr. Chanmanu Sumawong	2, 4	-	-	-	-
4	Mr. Nuttawut Phowborom	4, 5	-	-	-	-
5	Mr. James Marshall	3	3	-	-	3
6	Miss Rachanee Mahatdetkul	-	-	3	-	3
7	Mrs. Snitha Asawachinda	-	-	-	3	3

### Note:

- 1 = Chairman of the Board of Director
- 2 = Chairman of the Audit Committee
- 3 = Executive Director
- 4 = Independent Director
- 5 = Member of the Audt Committee

# **Attachment 3**

Information of Head of Internal Audit and Head of Compliance

### **Internal Auditor**

At the Audit Committee Meeting no.1/2023 on 22 February 2023, the Accounting Revolution Company Limited was appointed to act as an out-sourced independent internal auditor of the Company for the year 2023 with Mrs. Sasivimon Suksai, Managing Director, to be the main responsible internal auditor. The Audit Committee was of the opinion that Accounting Revolution Company Limited and Mrs. Sasivimon Suksai were qualified and appropriate as they had true independence and long-term experience in internal audit and internal control review. The Audit Committee is responsible for the appointment or removal of the internal auditor of the Company. The Company had assigned Ms. Wipa Nilsophon, Head of Compliance Department to coordinate with the out-sourced independent internal audit company.

Mrs. Sasivimon Suksai has over 20 years of experience in the field of accounting system and internal auditing.

### Qualification and Education background

- Master of Business Administration, Chulalongkorn University, Thailand
- Bachelor of Accounting, Thammasart University, Thailand
- Certified Public Account (Thailand)
- Lecturer, Dhurakij Pundit University, Thailand
- Lecturer, Eastern Asia University, Thailand

### **Work Experiences**

-	2006 – present	Managing Director, Accounting Revolution Company Limited
-	2002 – 2006	Executive Director, Thana Ake Advisory Co., Ltd.
-	1996 – 2002	Executive Director, CAS Co., Ltd.
-	1991 – 1996	Executive Director, VSP Consultant Co.,Ltd.
-	1988 – 1991	Audit Assistant, SGV-Na Thalang Co., Ltd.

### Training attendance

- 1. Self-Study CPD No 2/2565 on Non-Publicly Accountable Entities (NPAEs)
- 2. Code of Ethics for Professional Accountants
- 3. IT Audit
- 4. Public hearing regarding draft amendment to anti-money laundering law
- 5. Training course: Techinque for witness preparation in civil case
- 6. Soft Skill Series People Transformation
- 7. Block chain Exploring
- 8. System design for positive reinforcement EP4

### **Head of Compliance**

The Company assigned Ms. Wipa Nilsophon, Head of Compliance Department to supervise the conduct of the Company in order to comply with regulatory requirements and to provide suggestions and advice on relevant laws and regulations to every business unit of the FNS Group. The Compliance Department reported to the Audit Committee and Board of Directors and also reported to the Managing Director. The qualification of the Head of Compliance was disclosed in the Biographies of Directors and Management section (Attachment I). The role and responsibility of the Compliance Department was written in the Code of Conduct of the FNS Group.

# **Attachment 4**

Information on Operating Assets

# **Information on Operating Assets**

### Building and Equipment

FNS office is located on the 6th Floor of 345 Surawong Building, Surawong Road, Suriyawong, Bangrak, Bangkok. The Company has rented space from an associated company. As of 31 December 2023 and 2022, the building and equipment were as follows:

(Million Baht)	31 Dec 2023	31 Dec 2022
Property, plant and equipment		
(Million Baht)	31 Dec 2023	31 Dec 2022
Land	2,996.74	-
Buildings and constructions	2,717.11	-
Machinery and equipment	98.15	4.76
Furniture, fixtures and office equipment	32.20	1.64
Vehicles	47.88	2.80
Assets under construction	436.32	-
Total	6,328.40	9.20

### • Right-of use assets

As of 31 December 2023, the right-of use asset came mainly from the office rental agreement.

(Million Baht)	31 Dec 2023	31 Dec 2022
Right-of use assets	6.50	5.66

### • Intangible Assets

(Million Baht)	31 Dec 2023	31 Dec 2022
Computer Software	47.68	1.15
Total	47.68	1.15

Details on intangible assets and policy on amortization and depreciation were shown in the Note to Financial Statement no. 3 no .9.and 14.

### · Loans to others

The Company and its subsidiaries had loans to others as shown below:

(Million Baht)	31 Dec 2023	31 Dec 2022
Short-term loans	143.00	73.80
Bill of exchange	13.00	13.00
Total	156.00	86.80

(Million Baht)	31 Dec 2023	31 Dec 2022
Less Allownce for Doubtful	(13.00)	(13.00)
Short-term loans to other parties	143.00	73.80

### • Short-term loans and advance to related parties

The Company and its subsidiaries had Short-term loans and advance to related parties as follows:

(Million Baht)	31 Dec 2023	31 Dec 2022
Short-term loans and advance to related parties	757.00	467.49

Details and policy on receivables and loans to others, and short-term loans and allowance were shown in the Note to Financial Statement No.5 and 7.

### Goodwill

The Company's goodwill is stated at cost less impairment of which is tested on an annual basis.

As at 31 December 2023, the goodwill which resulted from an investment in FFM over its net book value was Baht 45.4 million. More information is shown in the Note to Financial Statement No. 16.

## **Attachment 5**

Policy and guideline of Good Corporate Governance /
Code of Conduct prepared by the Company /
Anti-Corruption Policy



## **Corporate Governance Policy**

**FNS Holdings Public Company Limited** 

(Revised 2023)

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### **Corporate Governance Policy**

FNS Holdings Public Company Limited and its subsidiaries are committed to conducting their business affairs in line with the principles of good corporate governance, and attach importance to ethics in the conduct of business affairs. They serve as a behavior framework which reflects the organization's values. The main objectives are self-development of the Company's personnel at all levels and recognition of their responsibilities towards the performance of duties in a moral and ethical manner. All Company's Directors, Executives, and employees are obliged to apply such guidelines in an appropriate and adequate manner, adhering to the morality and honesty principles while complying with all the related laws. The Company believes that management processes influenced by good corporate governance and ethics are an important factor in helping the Company achieve its business goals and earning trust from the society, as well as supporting the positive images of the Company.

#### **Corporate Governance Code**

#### Principle 1: Establish Clear Leadership Role and Responsibilities of the Board

#### Principle 1.1 Understand and recognize responsibilities as leaders

Members of the Company's Board of Directors independently make their decisions. Each Director enjoys rights and equality in making decisions on various matters. The duties of the Board of Directors, the Audit Committee, other Committees, the Chief Executive Officer and the management are clearly segregated. In this connection, the Board of Directors is responsible for the duties as specified by the laws and are responsible for attending meetings to consider the Company's business management in line with the established agenda or others as deemed appropriate by the Chairperson. These include, among others, the following:

- 1. Determine or approve missions, strategies, goals, policies, and budgets.
- 2. Oversee and monitor the management's performance regularly, ensuring that they are in line with the established goals.
- 3. Ensure that good internal control systems and appropriate risk management measures are put in place and implemented.

#### Principle 1.2 Create sustainable values to the Company

The Board of Directors is confident that an effective and transparent management process on par with international standards will enhance the Company's competitiveness and make it more acceptable. This acceptance will be an important factor not only in helping the Company achieve its business goals and enhance its economic values, but also in building the confidence of shareholders, investors, and all

groups of stakeholders, as all of them will be treated in an equitable manner. The Company has thus established the principles of corporate governance under the guidelines from the Stock Exchange of Thailand and the Securities and Exchange Commission, along with the Handbook of the Code of Ethics for Directors, Executives, and employees to adhere to.

#### Principle 1.3 Role of the Company's Board of Directors

The Company's Board of Directors performs various roles including governing, overseeing and monitoring the Company's business operations, ensuring that they are in line with the strategies, objectives, goals, rules and regulations, resolutions adopted at shareholders' meetings and the Good Corporate Governance Policies. The roles must be performed in a responsible, honest, careful manner in the best interests of the Company. The Board also ensures reasonable implementation, paying attention to the events that affect the Company and its business affairs. Members of the Board must employ their abilities and dedicate themselves to the performance of their duties. Importantly, they must take full responsibility and work independently.

The Board of Directors also puts in place control systems relating to operations, financial reporting as well as compliance with the regulations and policies. In this connection, the Board appoints persons or work units responsible for monitoring the implementation of such control systems, the information of which must be disclosed in Annual Reports. The persons or work units must be independent in the performance of their duties.

#### Principle 1.4 Scope of duties and responsibilities

Determine the duties of the Board of Directors, the Audit Committee, the Nomination, Compensation and Corporate Governance Committee, and other sub-committees, as well as clearly segregate the duties and responsibilities of the Chairman and the Managing Directors.

Directors must understand the scope of their responsibilities. The delegation of the authority to manage the organization to the Executive Officer and the management must be made in writing.

#### Principle 2 : Define main objectives and goals of the business, which foster sustainability

#### Principle 2.1 Main objectives and goals concerned with looking after stakeholders

The Company realizes the importance of protecting the rights of all stakeholders following the requirements of the law and the Company code of conduct as follows:

- 1. Shareholders: The Company is determined to achieve a good operating performance to create shareholders satisfaction, with due consideration to the growth of the Company's value over the long term. The Company discloses all information in a transparent and trustworthy manner. In addition, every shareholder has an equal right to vote except for shareholders who have conflicts of interest in which they will have the right to vote only for the election of directors, but not on that particular matter.
- **2. Employees**: The Company treats all employees with care and fairness and provides reasonable remuneration and benefits such as provident funds, including welfare as required by the Labor Law. The Company also supports the enhancement of its employees' capabilities and promotes a decent business culture, teamwork, and a favorable and secure working atmosphere.
- **3. Customers**: The Company focuses on providing high quality services, treating customers' information as confidential and ensuring that the process and procedure for handling customers' complaints is clearly and fairly stated, and that responsible persons are assigned to deal with any such complaints.
- **4. Business Partners**: The Company focuses on selecting appropriate business partners, dealing with fair treatment and providing opportunity to those business partners of the same product types to compete in the Company's purchasing procedure in both prices and quality of products.

Moreover, the Company also attaches great importance to the integrity of fulfilling the terms and conditions made with business partners and commits to no exploitation under the agreed conditions; the Company has a procedure in selecting reliable, professional vendors with good performance and providing quality products and services; the Company also organizes a list of regular vendors who provide good services, and updates the list every year by means of assessment of prices, quality of products, delivery and after-sales services in order to maintain business vendors' quality of products and services.

- **5. Lenders**: The Company attaches great importance to the integrity of fulfilling the obligations made with trading lenders and commits to no exploitation under the conditions that are mutually agreed and discloses information with accuracy, adequacy and in a timely manner via appropriate channels which lenders can review.
- **6. Competitors**: The Company follows the rule of fairness in competing with others and avoids any wrongdoing toward its competitors.
- **7. Society and Environment**: The company takes a responsible attitude towards society. Business operations not only strictly adhere to the relevant laws, but also create the benefits for society and public sector in the areas of economy, culture, tradition

and environment. The Company also supports activities relating to the environment, including a campaign to turn off the lights and computer screens during the lunch break, to adjust the temperature to suit the workplace, and a campaign to print only necessary documents. The senior management of the Group plays an important role in promoting the principles of social responsibility.

**8. Public Sector**: The Company conducts its business in adherence to laws, rules and regulations of the authorities as well as provides effective cooperation according to government policies. Moreover, the Company will not involve or operate business with any illegal organizations or individuals.

In summary, the Company abides by all relevant laws and regulations in order to ensure the rights of all stakeholders are well protected. The Company also supports useful activities and treats any complaints as important in order to improve its operations.

# Principle 2.2 Define main objectives and goals of the business, which foster sustainability

FNS Holdings Plc. is an investment holding company with strategic investments in Real Estate Development and Prospect Logistics and Industrial Freehold and Leasehold Real Estate Investment Trust. The Company also makes Private Equity and other investments.

FNS's strategic objectives over the next three years can be summarized as follows:

- 1. Support the management of each of FNS's strategic investments in planning and meeting their respective strategic goals.
- Monetizing the Private Equity investments by steering them towards a liquidity event, such as a listing on the Stock Exchange of Thailand, that will enable FNS to generate capital gains.
- 3. Identify additional Private Equity investment opportunities.

#### **Vision**

To deliver returns to shareholders in the form of dividends and capital appreciation through deploying the Company's assets productively into strategic investments that have upside potential both in terms of value recognition and in terms of improved performance across a range of metrics that include financial performance, corporate governance, employee training, development and compensation and overall business sustainability.

#### Principle 3: Enhance effectiveness of the Board of Directors

#### Principle 3.1 Specify and review the structures of the Board of Directors

The Company's Board of Directors is responsible for specifying and reviewing the structures of the Board of Directors in terms of size, composition, and appropriate proportion of Independent Directors. The Board is also responsible for ensuring that it is composed of Directors with diverse qualifications in terms of skills, experiences, abilities, and specific characteristics, as well as gender and age, which are necessary for achieving the organization's key objectives and goals. In this connection, the purpose is to ensure that the Board of Directors as a whole has the right mix of appropriate qualifications.

#### Number of Directors and proportion

The number of the Company's Directors shall be in line with the legal requirements and the principles of good corporate governance, comprising at least 5 directors and should not be more than 12 directors. Checks and balances of management shall be exercised by non-executive, non-employee directors. Said non-executive, non-employee directors may not authorize decisions or sign binding documents on behalf of the company and must have no interest in the management of the Company or its subsidiaries.

In addition, the Board of Directors includes the Audit Committee, comprising at least 3 independent directors, constituting more than one-third of the total number of Directors and thus considered adequate checks and balances of business operations by non-executive directors. All the Company's independent directors must have required qualifications promulgated by the Securities and Exchange Commission and Stock Exchange of Thailand.

The Board should explicitly disclose in the company's annual report and on the website its diversity policies and details relating to directors, including directors' age, gender, qualifications, experience, shareholding percentage, years of service as director, and director position in other listed companies.

The Company establishes the term of office for directors in its Articles of Association. At each General Meeting of shareholders, one-third of the directors or if their number is not a multiple of three, then the number nearest to one-third must retire from office. In the first and second years following a registration of the Company, the directors who retire are decided by drawing lots; after that, directors who have been in office the longest shall retire first. The retiring directors may also be re-elected.

The Company has appointed a Company Secretary to support and assist the Board in its activities including providing advice pertaining to laws and regulations

and communicating and monitoring compliance with the resolutions of the Board of Directors.

In terms of the selection process of independent directors, when the independent directors are due to retire from their term of office or when there is a need to nominate more independent directors, the Nomination, Compensation and Corporate Governance Committee will consider selecting qualified persons who have experience, knowledge and expertise suitable and beneficial to the Company and also meet the minimum qualifications set forth below and set the remuneration to be proposed to the Board of Directors' Meeting or the Shareholders' Meeting for consideration pursuant to the Company's Articles of Association.

The Company's independent directors' qualifications meet all requirements of the Capital Market Supervisory Board. The qualifications are as follows:

- Holding not more than 0.5% of the Company's shares with voting rights, or those of any subsidiary company, associated company or juristic person with conflict of interest, which shall be inclusive of the shares held by related persons.
- 2) Not being a director who is involved in the Company management, an employee, a staff member, an advisor who receives a regular salary from the Company, or a controlling person of the Company, subsidiary company, associated company, subsidiary company with the same level or of juristic person with a conflict of interest within the last 2 years.
- 3) Not being a connected person, by virtue of a blood relationship or legal marriage, being father, mother, spouse, sibling, child, including spouse of a child, of the executives, major shareholders, controlling persons or persons who are about to be nominated as executives or controlling persons of the Company or subsidiary company.
- 4) Not holding a business relationship with the Company, subsidiary company, associated company or with a juristic person with a conflict of interest in a way that may interrupt the exercise of independent discretion. Not being a major shareholder, a non-independent director, or an executive of a business holding a relationship with the Company, subsidiary company, associated company or of a juristic person with a conflict of interest within the last 2 years.
- 5) Not being an auditor of the Company, subsidiary company, associated company or of juristic person with a conflict of interest, and not being a major shareholder, non-independent director, executive or managing partner of the audit firm providing the auditors of the Company, subsidiary company, associ-

- ated company or of juristic person with a conflict of interest within the last 2 years.
- 6) Not being a professional service provider including legal or financial adviser receiving service fee of more than Baht 2 million a year from the Company, subsidiary company, associated company or from a juristic person with a conflict of interest within the last 2 years. In the case that the professional service provider is a juristic person, it shall include the major shareholder, non-independent director, executive or managing partner of such service provider.
- Not being a representative director appointed by the Company's directors, major shareholders or shareholders related to major shareholders.
- 8) Not operating a business with the same nature and in competition with the Company and its subsidiaries or not being a partner in a partnership or a director involved in administration or an employee, officer, routine consultant or holding share more than one percent of all shares with voting rights of other company with the same nature and in competition with the Company and its subsidiaries.
- 9) Not holding other characteristics that prohibit the expression of independent opinion on the Company's operations.

The Company has organized several committees, including the Executive Committee, the Audit Committee, the Nomination, Compensation and Corporate Governance Committee, the Group Investment Committee and the Group Risk Management Committee in order to administer specific issues in detail. Each committee is composed of members with duties and responsibilities as follows:

#### 1. The Executive Committee

Consisting of 2 executive members, the Executive Committee is authorized to control and oversee the Company's businesses in line with the assignments given by the Board of Directors. As well, the Committee is required to directly report its performance to the Board of Directors.

#### 2. The Audit Committee

Comprises 3 members whose qualifications are in line with the requirements imposed by the regulatory agencies. Performing its duties in a fully independent manner and reporting directly to the Board of Directors, the Committee serves as the Board of Directors' key tool for overseeing and ensuring that the business operations management not only has appropriate standards and transparency, but also complies with the regulations of the state agencies as well as those of the Company. The objectives are to put in place effective internal control as well as reliable reporting systems, which are of benefit to all the parties concerned and shareholders.

#### 3. The Nomination, Compensation and Corporate Governance Committee

Comprises 2 independent directors and 1 executive director. the chairperson of the Committee shall be an independent director with power and duties as specified by the Company's Board of Directors. The roles and responsibilities of the Committee which reports directly to the Board of Directors are specified in the Charter of The Nomination, Compensation and Corporate Governance Committee

#### 4. The Group Investment Committee

Is composed of directors from each company in the group responsible for setting business policies and supervising investment of the Company and its affiliates.

#### 5. The Group Risk Management Committee

Is composed of directors from each company in the group responsible for setting risk management guidelines and policies of the Company and its affiliates.

#### Principle 3.2 Selection of the Chairperson of the Board of Directors

The Chairperson of the Board of Directors should be an independent director and not the same person as the chief executive officer. The Company has clearly defined the scope of authority and duties of the Chairperson of the Board.

#### Chairman of the Board of Directors: Scope of Duties

- Setting Board meeting agendas in consultation with the Managing Director and overseeing the process to ensure the Board members receive accurate, complete and clear information prior to the meeting to assist them in the decision making process.
- 2. Providing leadership and direction to the Board of Directors and being chair of the Board meetings.
  - 2.1 Conducting a Board meeting according to the agenda, the Company's Articles of Association, and applicable laws.
  - 2.2 Allocating sufficient time to each Board member to discuss and express his/her opinion freely and use his/her discretion in making decisions by taking all stakeholders into consideration.
  - 2.3 Summarizing the Board meeting resolutions clearly.
- 3. Being Chairperson in a meeting of shareholders and conducting the meeting according to the agenda, the Company's Articles of Association and relevant laws by allocating appropriate time along with providing opportunities for shareholders to express their opinions equitably and ensuring that shareholders' inquiries are responded to appropriately.

- 4. Supporting management according to the principles of good corporate governance and the Company's Code of Conduct.
- 5. Ensuring that the Board of Directors has an appropriate structure and composition.
- 6. Ensuring that there is a performance assessment of the Board of Directors as a whole and self-assessment of directors including Sub-committee members and that the assessment results are reviewed for performance improvement.

#### Principle 3.3 Nomination and selection of Directors

The Nomination, Compensation and Corporate Governance Committee comprises two independent directors and one executive director. It has Roles, Duties, and Responsibilities in Policy Making and Guidelines in Nominating Directors and Authorized Persons:

- To review the suitability of the overall structure and composition of the Company in order to ensure its strength and achieve a balanced foundation for the Company. The Committee shall seek and select candidates with knowledge and capability that match with the Company's businesses in order to further propose to the Company's Board of Directors or the Shareholders' Meeting as required by each circumstance.
- 2) To seek and select candidates from the following:
  - (2.1) Selecting candidates from the Company's personnel by identifying persons with knowledge, competence, and skills suitable for the position by ways of promoting personnel with knowledge, competence, and direct experiences suitable for that certain position.
  - (2.2) Selecting candidates from outside the Company, focusing on persons from financial institutions or financial fields with experience appropriate for the position.
- 3) To Consider the following qualifications in selecting suitable candidates:
  - (3.1) Selecting and nominating persons with appropriate qualifications who are not restricted by any laws or official regulations.
  - (3.2) Selecting and nominating persons who have appropriate knowledge, competency, and experience in accordance with the Company's target and vision for those positions.
  - (3.3) Selecting and nominating persons who do not have a conflict of interest with the Company.
  - (3.4) Selecting and nominating persons with integrity, good morality, and honesty.
  - (3.5) Selecting and nominating persons who can dedicate time and effort for such roles and responsibilities.

- 4) To approach qualified persons as mentioned and to ensure their interest and disposition in assuming directorship if they were to be appointed by the shareholders.
- 5) To consider the independence of each Independent Director to assess the qualification of an Independent Director. Also, to consider whether nominating a new Independent Director is required in the case of insufficiency in Independent Directors in accordance with the policies set by the Company's Board of Directors.
- 6) To consider an annual performance evaluation of Directors and authorized persons.

The election of the members of the Board of Directors is made at shareholders' meetings pursuant to the following procedures:

- 1. Each shareholder has one vote for each share held.
- 2. Each shareholder may cast all of his/her votes to select one or more candidates, but if selecting more than one candidate the number of votes given to each candidate cannot be greater or lesser than the number of votes given to the other(s).
- 3. The persons successively receiving the highest number of votes will be elected as directors until the permissible number of directors in the particular election is reached. In the case of an equal number of votes given to more than one candidate, which causes the number of directors to be greater than the permissible number, the chairman shall cast the deciding vote.

#### Principle 3.4 Remuneration of Directors

The Nomination, Compensation and Corporate Governance Committee is responsible for setting the policy and criteria for the remuneration of directors and managing authorities. The remuneration of the Board of Directors must be approved by the Board of Directors and by the Meeting of Shareholders of the company. The Nomination, Compensation and Corporate Governance Committee uses the following criteria to determine the remuneration of directors:

- To establish an appropriate structure of remuneration packages, taking into account the duties and responsibilities of Directors and authorized persons in order to retain and incentivize appropriately while fairly reflecting the performance results.
- 2) The remuneration package must go through a process and procedure that is transparent, in compliance with corporate governance, and open to examination.
- 3) To determine regulations for the remuneration by considering the following:
  - (3.1) Comparing with companies in peer or similar industries.

- (3.2) Suitable with the Company performance, appointed duties and responsibilities, and at an appropriate level to retain and incentivize as well as annual performance evaluation.
- (3.3) Being at a level that is fair to shareholders.
- (3.4) Being under framework, criteria, and regulation of the authority concerned. Being transparent, in compliance with good corporate governance and fair with all related parties.
- 4) In the evaluation of Directors and authorized persons, responsibilities and associated risks must be considered as well as an importance to add value to shareholders in the long term.

The Board should disclose the roles and responsibilities of the Board and the Committees, the number of meetings and the number of Directors participating in meetings in the previous year, along with board and committee performance in the annual report.

#### Principle 3.5 Performance of duties and time allocation

All Directors should ensure that they have responsibility for carrying out duties and allotting adequate time as follows:

- 1. Scheduling the Board of Directors' meeting in advance for each year to ensure attendance of directors.
  - 1.1 The Board of Directors shall meet at least 4 times a year, considered suitable for the Company.
  - 1.2 The Audit Committee shall meet at least 4 times a year.
  - 1.3 The Nomination, Compensation and Corporate Governance Committee shall meet at least 2 times a year.
  - 1.4 For other Committees, frequency of meetings shall be left to the discretion of each Committee's chairperson.
- 2. Directors are responsible for participating in all meetings of the Board of Directors, except when necessary. In this connection, the Director who will be absent at a meeting is required to inform the chairperson of the Board of Directors or the corporate secretary of the absence in advance. Each Director is required to attend at least 75% of all Board meetings held each year.
- 3. The Board of Directors shall hold a meeting at least once a year without the participation of an Executive Director.
- 4. Upon voting in each Board meeting, there shall be not less than two-thirds of all its members attending which constitutes a quorum. The number of Directors attending Committee meetings, which constitutes a quorum, shall be in line with

- the charter issued by each Committee, and no less than two-thirds of the total number of directors shall constitute a quorum.
- 5. Directors shall not hold positions of directors in more than 5 other listed companies.
- 6. In the case that the Managing Director will take up a directorship in another company (except the company which is owned by his/her immediate family member), this must be approved by the Board of Directors before taking up the directorship. The Board of Directors will consider the type of directorial position and number of companies that a director can take up the directorship. In this connection, holding of a position in any other companies must not violate the requirements or regulations of the other regulatory agencies concerned.

#### Principle 3.6 Governance of subsidiaries and other invested companies

The Company shall appoint a CEO as a director to oversee business operations of businesses that the Company or its subsidiary company hold as an investment, and reports on their investment status are required at the Board Meeting at least quarterly.

The Board of Directors has determined the subsidiary governance policy as follows:

- (1) Assign the Managing Director to appoint in writing subsidiary directors, executives, or others with controlling power.
- (2) The duties and responsibilities of the Company's appointed representative as mentioned in (1) are to oversee the subsidiaries' operations to ensure compliance with applicable law and standards, and the subsidiaries' policies. If the company's subsidiary has investors other than the Company, the Company's appointed representative is required to perform his/her role in the subsidiary's best interest and consistent with the governance framework and policies of the company.
- (3) The appointed representative shall ensure that the subsidiary's internal control systems are effective and that all transactions comply with relevant law and standards.
- (4) In the case of businesses in which the company has or plans to hold a significant investment (such as between 20 percent and 50 percent of shares with voting rights), other than subsidiaries, the board should ensure that shareholder agreements or other agreements are in place to enable the company's performance monitoring and participation in the businesses' management, including approval of significant transactions and decisions. This is to ensure that the company has sufficient, accurate, and timely information for the preparation of its financial statements that conform with relevant standards.

#### Principle 3.7 Performance appraisal

The board should conduct a formal annual performance evaluation of the board, its committees, and each individual director. The evaluation results should be disclosed in the annual report.

- (1) The board's, committee's and individual directors' performance evaluation should be conducted at least once a year to facilitate consideration and improvement of the board's performance and effectiveness and resolution of any problems. Assessment criteria and process for the board's, committees' and directors' performance should be systematically set in advance.
- (2) The annual assessment of the performance of the board and committees should be carried out as a whole and on an individual director level. The criteria, process, and results of the evaluation should be disclosed in the annual report.

#### Principle 3.8 Skills and knowledge enhancement for directors' duties

The Company's Board of Directors oversees the directors, ensuring that each of them has knowledge and understanding about their roles and responsibilities, nature of business operations, and the laws related to the business operations. The Board of Directors also encourages all directors to regularly enhance their skills and knowledge useful for the performance of their duties as Directors. In this connection, the directors are required to attend training courses or seminars in order to broaden their knowledge in the performance of their duties. The information of which has to be disclosed in the Annual Report.

The board should ensure that newly appointed directors receive a formal and proper induction and all information relevant to their responsibilities and performing their duties, including details about the company's objectives, the nature of the business, and the company's operations. When a director is replaced, the company secretary or Secretary of the Board of Directors shall prepare the following documents for the newly appointed directors:

- The Company's annual report, which contains visions, strategies, and goals of the Company.
- 2. The schedule of the Company's Board of Directors meetings and sub-committees meetings as well as the monthly meeting agendas and special meeting agendas.
- 3. The manual of position of directors and executives including qualifications and profile prohibited by laws related to financial institutions, key policies of FNS Group such as Good Corporate Governance Policies, Anti-corruption Policies, Risk management policies, policies in using outsourcing services, etc. as well as the relevant acts and notifications.

#### Principle 3.9 Board of Directors' performance of duties

The Company's Board of Directors ensures orderly performance of its duties and ability to access necessary information. As well, the Board of Directors is supported by the Company's secretary who has knowledge and experience necessary and appropriate for supporting the Board of Directors' performance of duties.

- 1. The Company establishes the schedules and agenda of various committees' meetings for each year in advance. In this connection, the Company shall notify each Director of the schedules so that they will be able to allocate time for attending the meetings as follows:
  - 1.1 The Board of Directors shall meet at least 4 times a year, considered suitable for the Company, as the Company is a holding business.
  - 1.2 The Audit Committee shall meet at least 4 times a year.
  - 1.3 The Nomination, Compensation and Corporate Governance Committee shall meet at least 2 times a year.
  - 1.4 For other Committees, frequency of meetings shall be left to the discretion of each Committee's Chairperson.
- 2. Meeting documents should be sent to each director at least 7 business days before the meeting.
- 3. The board should encourage the chief executive officer to invite key executives to attend board meetings to present details on the agenda items related to matters that they are directly responsible for, and to allow the board to gain familiarity with key executives and assist succession planning.
- 4. The board should have access to accurate, relevant, timely and clear information required for their respective roles from the chief executive officer, company secretary, or designated executive. If necessary to discharge their responsibilities, the board may seek independent professional advice at the company's expense.
- 5. Non-executive directors should be able to meet, as necessary, among themselves without the management team to debate their concerns at least once a year and report the outcome of their meeting to the company's managing director.
- 6. Appoint a company secretary with the necessary qualifications, knowledge, skills, and experience for performing his/her duties, including providing advice on corporate governance, legal, regulatory and administrative requirements, preparing board meetings and other important documents, supporting board meetings, and coordinating the implementation of board resolutions. The board should disclose the qualifications and experience of the company secretary in its annual report and on the company's website.

7. The company secretary should receive ongoing training and education relevant to performing his/her duties. The company secretary is also encouraged to enroll on a company secretary certified program.

#### Principle 4: Ensure Effective CEO and People Management

#### Principle 4.1 Ensure Effective CEO and People Management

The board should ensure that a proper mechanism is in place for the nomination and development of the chief executive officer and key executives to ensure that they possess the knowledge, skills, experience, and characteristics necessary for the company to achieve its objectives as follows:

- The board should establish, or assign the Nomination, Compensation and Corporate Governance Committee to establish, the criteria and procedures for nomination and appointment of the managing director.
- The board should ensure that the managing director appoints knowledgeable, skilled, and experienced key executives. The board or the Nomination, Compensation and Corporate Governance Committee together with the managing director should establish the criteria and procedures for nomination and appointment of key executives.
- 3. To ensure business continuity, the board should ensure that development and succession plans for the managing director and key executives are in place.
- 4. The board should promote continuous development and education of the managing director and key executives that is relevant to their roles.

# <u>Principle 4.2 The establishment of an appropriate compensation structure and performance evaluation are in place.</u>

The board should ensure that an appropriate compensation structure and performance evaluation are in place as follows:

- 1. In the remuneration structure for Executives at the levels of Vice President and above, the Managing Director will be responsible for submitting a proposal to the Nomination, Compensation and Corporate Governance Committee.
- 2. Ensure that the individual total compensation takes into account industry standards and company performance.
- 3. The Nomination, Compensation and Corporate Governance Committee is responsible for establishing guidelines for appraising the annual performance of key executives as well as chief executive officers in support of the company's objectives, values, and long-term sustainable value creation, taking into account the benchmarks that have been agreed upon in advance with the Chief Executive Officer.

- 4. The Board of Directors may assign the Chairperson to consider and communicate the outcomes to the Managing Director.
- 5. The Company's Board of Directors oversees and ensures the establishment of the guidelines and factors to be used for performance appraisal across the organization.

#### Principle 4.3 Shareholder structure and relationship

The board should consider its responsibilities in the context of the Company's shareholder structure and relationships, which may impact the management and operation of the company.

The Company's Board of Directors conducts a study aiming to understand the shareholder structure and relationship. In case there are agreements involving family shareholders, whether in writing or not, agreements amongst shareholders, or policies of the holding company, which have impacts on the power in management of the business operations, the Board of Directors ensures that the information about the various agreements which have impacts on the control of the business is disclosed to the public.

#### Principle 4.4 Human resources management and development

The board should ensure the company has effective human resources management and development programs to ensure that the company has adequate staffing and appropriately knowledgeable, skilled, and experienced employees and staff.

- Ensure that the company is properly staffed, and that human resources management aligns with the company's objectives and furthers sustainable value creation. All employees and staff must receive fair treatment.
- Ensure that the company establishes a provident fund or other retirement plan, and require management to implement a training and development programmer for employees and staff that promotes financial literacy, including on retirement savings, and educates employees and staff on life path investments that are suitable for their age.

#### Principle 5: Nurture Innovation and Responsible Business

#### Principle 5.1 Innovation that creates value for the Company

The Company's Board of Directors pays attention to and supports creativity and innovation which not only adds value to businesses but also is of benefit to customers or the parties concerned. The Board of Directors also has responsibility towards society and the environment. The related details are as follows:

- The Board of Director places emphasis on cultivating a culture of innovation and encourages the management to take into consideration the innovation culture cultivation when they review strategies, develop plans for streamlining business operations and monitoring performance.
- The Board of Directors fosters creativity with an aim to add value to businesses, taking into account constant changes in the environment which encompasses adoption of business models, designing perspectives, development of products and services, research and work processes as well as cooperation with trading partners.

#### Principle 5.2 Responsibility towards society and environment

The board should encourage management to adopt responsible operations, and incorporate them into the company's operations plan. This is to ensure that every department and function in the company adopts the company's objectives, goals, and strategies, applying high ethical, environmental and social standards, and contributes to the sustainable growth of the company as follows:

- (1) Responsibilities to employees, staff, and workers at least by adhering to applicable law and standards and providing fair treatment and respect for human rights, including a fair level of remuneration and other benefits, a level of welfare that is not less than the legal limit (but can be over the legal limit where appropriate), health care, non-discrimination and safety in the workplace, access to relevant training, potential skills development and advancement.
- (2) Responsibilities to customers at least by adhering to applicable law and standards, considering impact on health, safety of products and services, customer information security, sales conduct, after-sales service throughout the lifespan of products and services, and following up on customer satisfaction measurements to improve the quality of products and services. In addition, advertising and public relations should promote responsible consumption and must be done responsibly, avoiding taking advantage of or misleading customers, or causing misunderstanding about the products and services offered by the company.
- (3) Responsibilities to business partners by engaging in and expecting fair procurement and contracting, including fair contract or agreement conditions, providing access to training, developing potential and enhancing production and service standards in line with applicable law and standards, and expecting and supervising business partners to respect human rights, social and environmental responsibilities, and treat their employees, staff, and workers fairly including ensuring that business partners have implemented sustainable and values-based business policies and procedures.

- (4) Responsibilities to the community by applying business knowledge and experience to develop and follow up on the success of projects that can concretely add value to the community while respecting community interests.
- (5) Responsibilities to the environment by preventing, reducing and managing negative impact on the environment from all aspects of the company's operations, including in the context of raw material use, energy use, water use, renewable resources use, rehabilitating the diversity of biology, waste management, and greenhouse gas emissions.
- (6) <u>Fair competition</u> by promoting ethical business conduct and not using anti-competitive practices to gain or protect a market position.
- (7) Anti-fraud and corruption by ensuring that the company complies with applicable anti-fraud and corruption law and standards, and implements, announces and reports on anti-fraud and corruption policies and practices to the public, including on its participation in private sector anti-corruption initiatives and certification programmes. The board should encourage the company to collaborate with other companies and business partners to establish and implement anti-fraud and corruption measures.

#### Principle 5.3 Efficient allocation and management of resources

The board should ensure that management allocates and manages resources efficiently and effectively throughout all aspects of the value chain to enable the company to meet its objectives as follows:

- 1. The board should have a thorough understanding of the company's resource needs to support its business model, and how available resources correlate.
- 2. The board should have a thorough understanding of how the business model affects resource optimisation in support of ethical, responsible, and overall sustainable value creation.
- 3. The board should ensure that management continuously reviews, adapts, and develops the company's use and optimisation of resources, considering internal and external factors to meet the company's objectives.

#### Principle 5.4 Governance of enterprise IT

The board should ensure that management continuously reviews, adapts, and develops the company's use and optimisation of resources, considering internal and external factors to meet the company's objectives as follows:

1. The board should ensure that the company has an IT resource allocation policy that ensures adequate and optimal investment in and allocation of IT resources.

- 2. The board should ensure that the company's risk management includes IT risk management.
- 3. The board should ensure that IT security policies and procedures are in place.

#### Principle 6: Strengthen Effective Risk Management and Internal Control

#### Principle 6.1 Risk management and internal control

The Board should ensure that the company has effective and appropriate risk management and internal control systems that are aligned with the company's objectives, goals and strategies and comply with applicable law and standards as follows:

- 1. The board should be aware of and understand the nature and scope of the company's principal and substantial risks and should approve the risk appetite of the company.
- 2. The board should ensure the establishment and implementation of risk management policies that are consistent with the company's goals, objectives, strategies and risk appetite. The risk management policies should support identification and prioritisation of early warning signals of material risks. The risk management policies should be reviewed regularly.
- 3. The board should ensure that the company's principal and substantial risks are identified through consideration of internal and external factors.
- 4. The board should ensure that the impact and likelihood of identified risks are assessed and prioritised, and that suitable risk mitigation strategies and plans are in place.
- 5. Considering the size and nature of the company, the board may establish a risk management committee or assign responsibility to the audit committee to assist the board in its oversight functions related to guidelines nos. 1-4
- 6. The board should regularly monitor the effectiveness of the company's risk management.
- 7. The board has to ensure and monitor that the company complies with relevant and applicable law and standards, whether domestic, international or foreign.
- 8. In assessing the effectiveness of the company's internal controls and risk management, the board should consider the results of internal controls and risk management at its subsidiaries and businesses in which it has a significant investment (between 20 percent to 50 percent of shares with voting rights).

#### Principle 6.2 Audit Committee

The board shall establish an audit committee that can act effectively and independently.

- The board shall establish an audit committee that comprises at least three
  directors, all of whom must be independent directors, with required qualifications,
  and comply with applicable legal requirements, including those promulgated by
  the Securities and Exchange Commission and Stock Exchange of Thailand.
- 2. The board should clearly set out in writing the audit committee's duties and responsibilities, and include at least the following:
  - 1) To review the Company's financial reporting process to ensure that it is accurate and adequate.
  - 2) To review the Company's internal control system and internal audit system to ensure that they are suitable and efficient, to determine an internal audit unit's independence, as well as to approve the appointment, transfer and dismissal of the chief of an internal audit unit or any other unit in charge of an internal audit.
  - 3) To maintain the Anti-Corruption Policy, reconsider the appropriateness of any change in Anti-corruption Policy, verify the report of the internal control system, carry out risk assessment, receive reports about staff violating the Anti-corruption Policy and investigate the report.
  - 4) To review the Company's compliance with the law on securities and exchange, the Exchange's regulations, and the laws relating to the Company's business.
  - 5) To consider, select and nominate an independent person to be the Company's auditor including terminating his employment, and to propose such person's remuneration, as well as to attend a non-management meeting with an auditor at least once a year.
  - 6) To review connected transactions or transactions that may lead to conflicts of interests, to ensure that they are in compliance with the laws and the Exchange's regulations and are reasonable and for the highest benefit of the Company.
  - 7) To prepare, and to disclose in the Company's annual report, an Audit Committee's report which must be signed by the Audit Committee's chairman and consist of at least the following information:

- (a) an opinion on the accuracy, completeness, and credibility of the Company's financial report,
- (b) an opinion on the adequacy of the Company's internal control system,
- (c) an opinion on the compliance with the law on securities and exchange, the Exchange's regulations, or the laws relating to the Company's business,
- (d) an opinion on the suitability of the auditor,
- (e) an opinion on transactions that may lead to conflicts of interests,
- (f) the number of Audit Committee meetings, and the attendance at such meetings by each committee member,
- (g) an opinion or overview comment received by the Audit Committee from its performance of duties in accordance with the charter, and
- (h) other transactions which, according to the Audit Committee's opinion, should be known to the shareholders and general investors, subject to the scope of duties and responsibilities assigned by the Company's board of directors; and
- 8) To perform any other act as assigned by the Company's Board of Directors, with the approval of the Audit Committee.

#### Principle 6.3 Managing conflicts of interest

The board should manage and monitor conflicts of interest that might occur between the company, management, directors, and shareholders. The board should also prevent the inappropriate use of corporate assets, information, and opportunities, including preventing inappropriate transactions with related parties.

- The board should establish an information security system, including appropriate
  policies and procedures, to protect confidentiality, integrity, and availability of
  business information, including market-sensitive information. The board should
  monitor the implementation of the information security policies and procedures
  and the adherence to confidentiality requirements by insiders, including directors, executives, employees and staff, and professional advisers, such as legal or
  financial advisers.
- The board should ensure management and monitoring of conflict of interest situations and transactions. The board should adopt an ethics and conflicts of interest policy consistent with applicable law and standards (including fiduciary duties), and establish clear guidelines and procedures for disclosure and deci-

sion-making in conflict of interest situations. For example, any party who has a vested interest in a particular transaction, should disclose that interest, and not be involved in the decision-making.

- 3. The board should set requirements for all directors to report conflicts of interest in relation to any meeting agenda item at least before consideration of the matter at the meeting and record the reported conflict of interest in the meeting minutes. The board should also ensure that all directors that have a conflict of interest in relation to an agenda item abstain from being present for discussion of or voting on that agenda item.
- 4. The directors and executives are required to inform the board of directors about their acquisition/disposal of the Company's stock at least 1 day before trading.
- 5. The board should ensure that all directors, executives and employees are informed about the guideline for prevention of use of insider information and prevention of conflict of interest.

#### Principle 6.4 Anti-fraud and anti-corruption

In the conduct of business affairs, the Company adopts the important principle of not supporting businesses, groups of people or persons participating in or supporting direct or indirect pursuit of undue advantages by abusing one's authority. In this connection, the Company has put in place clear guidelines for supporting and cooperating with both the public and private sectors. In addition, the Company and the Group have approved anti-corruption policies and anti-corruption measures. The Company has also established guidelines for whistleblowers, the information of which is made available on the Company's website. Importantly, the Company has established guidelines for checking and assessing the progress achieved in the implementation of the anti-corruption policy, as well as urged the Company and the FNS Group to become members of Thailand's Private Sector Collective Action Coalition against Corruption (CAC).

#### Principle 6.5 Handling of complaints

The Company established an Investor Relations Department to take care of the Company's information dissemination to investors as well as receive suggestions or complaints unrelated to corruption issues from investors or stakeholders. Investor Relations can be reached at

Tel. : 02-697-3700

Website : www.fnsplc.com

E-mail : id@fnsplc.com

Investors or stakeholders can communicate with directors through the following

#### channel:

Registered mail : The Office of Directors

FNS Holdings Plc., 345 Surawong Raod

6th Floor, 345 Surawong Building, Suriyawongse

Bangrak Bangkok 10500

Investors or stakeholders who witness any corruption can inform or send a complaint of such corruption issues through the following channels:

Registered mail : The Independent Director Office

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The Company has a policy and measures to protect a complainant by treating the complaint or the report about corruption confidentially.

#### Principle 7: Maintain financial credibility and information disclosure

#### Principle 7.1 Financial reporting system and disclosure of material information

The board must ensure the integrity of the company's financial reporting system and that timely and accurate disclosure of all material information regarding the company is made consistent with applicable requirements as following:

- They should ensure that any person (including chief financial officer, accountant, internal auditor, company secretary, Investors Relation officer) involved in the preparation and disclosure of any information of the company has relevant knowledge, skills and experience, and that sufficient resources, including staffing, are allocated.
- 2. When approving information disclosures, the board should consider all relevant factors, including for periodic financial disclosures:
  - (1) The evaluation results of the adequacy of the internal control system.
  - (2) The external auditor's opinions on financial reporting, observations on the internal control system, and any other observations through other channels.
  - (3) The audit committee's opinions.
  - (4) Consistency with objectives, strategies and policies.
- They should ensure that information disclosures (including financial statements, annual reports, and Form 56-1) reflect the company's financial status and performance accurately and fairly. The board should promote the inclusion of the

- Management Discussion and Analysis (MD&A) in quarterly financial reports in order to provide to investors more complete and accurate information about the company's true financial status, performance and circumstances.
- 4. For disclosures related to any individual director, that director should ensure the accuracy and completeness of the information disclosed by the company, including shareholders' information and any shareholders' agreement.

#### Principle 7.2 Financial liquidity and solvency

The board should monitor the company's financial liquidity and solvency as following:

- The board should ensure that management regularly monitors, evaluates and reports on the company's financial status. The board and management should ensure that any threats to the company's financial liquidity and solvency are promptly addressed and remedied.
- 2. They should ensure that it does not consciously approve any transactions or propose any transactions for shareholder approval which could negatively affect business continuity, financial liquidity, and solvency.

#### Principle 7.3 Guidelines for addressing financial problems

The board should monitor the company's financial liquidity and solvency as following:

- In the event of financial risk or difficulties, the board should enhance monitoring
  of the affairs of the company, and duly consider the company's financial position
  and disclosure obligations.
- 2. They should ensure that the company has sound financial mitigation plans that consider stakeholder rights including creditor rights. The board should monitor management's handling of financial risk or difficulties and seek regular reports.
- 3. They should ensure that any actions to improve the company's financial position are reasonable and made for a proper purpose.

#### Principle 7.4 Sustainability reports

The board should ensure sustainability reporting, as appropriate as following:

 Consider and report data on the company's compliance and ethical performance (including anti-corruption performance), its treatment of employees and other stakeholders (including fair treatment and respect for human rights), and social and environmental responsibilities, using a report framework that is proportionate to the company's size and complexity and meets domestic and international

- standards. The company can disclose this information in the annual report and in separate reports, as appropriate.
- 2. They should ensure that the company's sustainability reporting reflects material corporate practices that support sustainable value creation.

#### Principle 7.5 Investor Relations

The Company shall establish a dedicated Investor Relations function responsible for regular, effective and fair communication with shareholders and other stakeholders (such as analysts and potential investors) as follows:

- The board should establish a communication and disclosure policy to assist the
  company in meeting its disclosure obligations and to ensure that all information
  relevant and material to the company's shareholders, the market and third parties is disclosed in an appropriate, equal, and timely manner, using appropriate
  channels, while protecting the company's sensitive and confidential information.
  The board should ensure company-wide communication and implementation of
  the company's communication and disclosure policy.
- 2. The board should ensure the creation of an Investor Relations function responsible for regular, effective and fair communication with shareholders and external parties. The company's designated Investor Relations contact should be suitable for the role and have a thorough understanding of the nature of the company's business, and its objectives and values.
- 3. Establish a code of conduct for information sharing and market-sensitive information policy, as well as clearly define the roles and responsibilities of the Investor Relations function, so as to ensure effective communication between the company, the financial community and other stakeholders

# Principle 7.6 Ensure the effective use by the company of information technology in disseminating information

The board should ensure the effective use by the company of information technology in disseminating information.

#### The Rights of Shareholders

There are several basic rights of shareholders as stated in the Company's Articles of Association and other relevant laws and regulations. Such basic rights include the right to purchase, sell or transfer shares, the right to share in the profits of the Company, the right to receive sufficient information, the right to participate in shareholders' meetings, the right to give opinions and the right to participate in major decision making of the Company such as dividend payment, appointment or

- removal of directors, appointment of independent auditors, approval on important transactions which effects the Company's business direction and adjustments to the Company's Memorandum of Association and Articles of Association.
- 2. The Company recognizes and emphasizes the importance of the basic rights of shareholders. Relevant matters are undertaken with efficiency in accordance with the good corporate governance principles to protect such shareholders' rights.

#### Shareholders' Meeting

- An annual shareholders' meeting is held within four months from the end of the
  previous year's accounting period. An extra-ordinary general meeting shall be held
  if there is an urgent or special agenda that has to be proposed to shareholders
  i.e. matters that affect shareholders' interests or matters requiring shareholders'
  approval under relevant laws or regulations.
- 2. The Company shall carry out the meeting as required by law and encourage all shareholders to vote, ask questions, express opinions and give suggestions on all business matters of the Company. The Chairman and directors shall clearly explain and answer every important inquiry from shareholders, and welcome shareholders' suggestions for business operations. In addition, representatives of the Company's auditor shall present at the meeting to answer shareholders' questions on financial statements. Voting procedures shall be transparently carry out according to the scheduled agenda.
- 3. The Company sets up a guideline for the shareholders' meeting to ensure that shareholders' rights would not be compromised. At any point in the meeting, shareholders can register and enter the meeting to honor their voting rights on agenda items on which vote casting has not been made. The Company shall not adjust or distribute additional documents which contain important information during the meeting without prior notice.
- 4. The Company shall undertake steps to facilitate the shareholders' meetings. Greeters and registration staff are arranged to assist shareholders with the registration at least two hours before the meeting. The IT system with barcode is applied to the registration process for acceleration, accuracy and simplicity of the process. Besides, shareholders who attend the meetings are appropriately received.

#### Prior to the Shareholders' Meeting and Delivery of the Meeting Notice

1. The Company shall publish the Notice of Shareholders' Meeting in both Thai and English, and all complete documentation for the meeting to be attached including a detailed agenda, Board of Directors' opinion, minutes of the last shareholders'

meeting, the Company's Articles of Association (Shareholders' Meeting part only), background of independent directors who will be appointed as proxy, other information necessary for making voting decisions and Proxy Form as well as a map of the meeting venue .The aforementioned information will be made available via various channels:

- 1.1 News through the system of the SET : The resolutions of the Board of Directors' Meeting
- 1.2 <u>The Company's Website (www.fnsplc.com)</u>: The Company shall make available a notice of the annual general meeting at least 30 days before the meeting date.
- 1.3 <u>Mailing</u>: The Company assigns Thailand Securities Depository Company Limited, the Company's Share Registrar, to send a notice and relevant document to all shareholders prior to the date of the shareholders' meeting at least for a duration required by law.
- 1.4 <u>Newspaper Advertisement</u>: Publish the meeting invitation via newspaper advertisement daily for at least 5 days before the meeting date.
- 2. The Company's shareholders shall be allowed to propose additional agenda before the date of the shareholders' meeting, as well as to nominate persons for consideration as directors of the company, for a period of more than 2 months via the Company's website (www.fnsplc.com).

#### Meeting Procedure

Before the meeting commences, the MC shall clearly inform the meeting of all relevant rules including vote-counting procedures for each agenda item as required by the Company's Articles and voting rights for each agenda item. After information on each agenda item are presented, the Chairman shall offer all shareholders an equal opportunity to ask questions and give suggestions within appropriate time. Directors and management are present to answer all shareholders' queries.

#### Process after the Meeting

- 1. The Company discloses the voting results for each agenda via News through the SET System within the meeting day before 9:00 a.m. of the next business day.
- 2. The minutes of the meeting are recorded accurately and comprehensively, including significant details, e.g., the name of attending Directors, voting procedure, questions and answers for each agenda item, as well as the numbers of votes for approval, disapproval, abstention or void. The minutes of the meeting shall be submitted to the SET and also made available on the Company's website (www. fnsplc.com) within 14 days after the meeting day.

#### The Equitable Treatment of Shareholders

The Company recognizes the importance of equitable treatment of all shareholders including executive shareholders, non-executive shareholders as well as foreign shareholders. Therefore, the Company has undertaken the following tasks to ensure such equal and fair treatment. Moreover, the Board of Directors also provides opportunities to minority shareholders so they can nominate a candidate for a director position and/or propose additional items for meeting agenda prior to the meeting. A proxy is made possible as an alternative for shareholders who are unable to attend the meeting to exercise their rights:

#### Voting Rights in the Shareholders' Meeting

- Every shareholder has the right to vote in the meeting with one vote for each share held. In the event that there is a conflict of interest on any agenda item, the shareholder involved shall not have voting rights on that item (except for the election of directors).
- 2. Shareholders unable to participate in the meeting have the option to appoint proxies who could be independent directors or any other person instructed to attend the meeting. The Company will provide the name of an independent director who will act as a proxy in the proxy forms, as per the Ministry of Commerce's designation, to attend and vote in the meeting.

#### Meeting Agenda and Proposal for Additional Agenda Item

- Meetings will be carried out in line with the Company's Articles of Association and according to the announced agenda. Detailed information on each agenda item is presented to the meeting for shareholders' consideration.
   The Company will avoid adding other agenda items besides the ones already presented to shareholders, especially important agenda items that shareholders need time to review prior to making any decision.
- 2. Shareholders holding an aggregate number of shares not less than one-third of the total number of shares sold can request to add other agenda items besides the ones already presented in the meeting notice.

#### Suggestions, Comments or Complaints

Independent Directors shall make up of no less than one-third of the total number of Directors and at least 3 Directors. The Company has 3 independent directors to ensure fair treatment of minority shareholders. Minority shareholders can express their opinions and give suggestions or complaints to independent directors who will inspect these opinions or complaints and arrange further measures, as appropriate.

#### **Voting**

Voting procedures are transparently carried out according to the scheduled agenda. Each shareholder has the right to vote for the election of each director. The Company provides voting cards for important agenda items and keeps the voting cards for shareholders' review should there be any dispute.

#### Principle 8: Promote participation of and communication with shareholders

<u>Principle 8.1 Encourage shareholders to participate in decision making on important matters</u>

- The board should ensure that significant corporate decisions are considered and/ or approved by the shareholders pursuant to applicable legal requirements. Matters that require shareholder approval should be included in the agenda for the shareholders' meeting and shareholders should be provided sufficient notice thereof.
- 2. The board should support participation of all shareholders through reasonable measures, including:
  - (1) Establishing criteria that allow minority shareholders to propose agenda items for shareholders' meetings. The board should consider shareholders' proposals to be included in the agenda, and if the board rejects a proposal, the reasons should be given at the meeting.
  - (2) Establishing criteria for minority shareholders to nominate persons to serve as directors of the company. The board should ensure that measures and criteria are established and promptly disclosed to ensure shareholder engagement and participation.
- 3. The board should ensure that the notice of the shareholders' meeting (including the Annual General Meeting (AGM)) is accurate, complete, and provided sufficiently in advance for the shareholders to exercise their rights.
- 4. The board should ensure that the company arranges for the notice of the share-holders' meeting and related papers to be sent to shareholders and posted on the company's website at least 28 days before the meeting.
- Shareholders should be allowed to submit questions prior to the meeting. The
  board should therefore ensure that there are clear criteria and a process for
  shareholders to submit questions. The criteria should be posted on the company's
  website.
- 6. The notice of the shareholders' meeting and related papers should be fully translated into English and published at the same time as the Thai version.

#### Principle 8.2 Meetings of shareholders

The board of directors should ensure that the shareholders' meetings are held as scheduled and conducted properly, with transparency and efficiency, and ensure inclusive and equitable treatment of all shareholders and their ability to exercise their rights as following:

- The board should set the date, time, and place of the meeting by considering the interests of shareholders, such as allocating sufficient time for debate, and choosing a convenient location.
- 2. The board should ensure that the company provide a convenient way for share-holders to attend the meeting and does not place an undue burden on shareholders through its meeting attendance requirements or prerequisites that exceed applicable legal and regulatory requirements.
- 3. In the interest of transparency and accountability, the board should promote the use of information technology to facilitate the shareholders' meetings, including for registration and vote counting.
- 4. The chairman of the board is the chairman of the shareholders' meeting with responsibility for compliance with applicable legal requirements and the company's articles of association, allocating sufficient time for consideration and debate of agenda items, and providing opportunity to all shareholders who wish to share their opinions or ask questions related to the company.
- 5. To ensure the right of shareholders to participate in the company's decision-making process in relation to significant corporate matters by participating and voting at shareholder's meetings on the basis of sufficient notice and information, directors who are shareholders should not be allowed to add items to the meeting agenda that have not been duly notified in advance.
- 6. All directors and relevant executives should attend the meeting to answer questions from shareholders on company-related matters.
- 7. The attending shareholders should be informed of the number and the proportion of shareholders and shares represented at the meeting in person and through proxies, the meeting method, and the voting and vote counting methods before the start of the meeting.
- 8. There should not be any bundling of several items into the same resolution. For example, the appointment of each director should be voted on and recorded as a separate resolution.
- 9. The board should promote the use of ballots for voting on resolutions proposed

at the shareholders' meeting and designate an independent party to count or to audit the voting results for each resolution in the meeting, and to disclose such voting results at the meeting by identifying the number of "for", "against" and "abstain" votes. The voting results for each proposed resolution should be included in the minutes of the meeting.

# <u>Principle 8.3 Accurate and complete disclosure of shareholder resolutions and preparation of the minutes of the shareholders' meetings</u>

- The board should ensure that the company discloses the results of voting on proposed resolutions at the shareholders' meeting through the designated Stock Exchange of Thailand channels and through the company's website by the next business day.
- 2. The board should ensure that minutes of the shareholders' meeting are submitted to the Stock Exchange of Thailand within 14 days from the shareholders' meeting date.
- 3. The board should ensure that the company promptly prepares the minutes of the shareholders' meeting, including the following information:
  - (1) attendance of directors, executives, and the proportion of attending directors;
  - (2) voting and vote counting methods, meeting resolutions, and voting results ("for", "against", and "abstain") for each proposed resolution; and
  - (3) questions asked and answers provided during the meeting, including the identity of the persons asking and answering the questions.

#### Implementation of the 2017 Corporate Governance Code for Listed Companies (CG Code)

The Company reviewed the Corporate Governance Policy, developed from the 2012 Good Corporate Governance Principles for Listed Companies in aligning with the guideline set by the Stock Exchange of Thailand, and the 2017 Corporate Governance Code for Listed Companies as prescribed by the Office of Securities and Exchange Commission.

After consideration, the Company adopted most principles and proposed to the Board of Directors' Meeting No.6/2018 on November 12, 2018 and would make improvements to suit the business of the Company and to be more in line with the corporate governance policy.



## **Code of Conduct**

# FNS Holdings Public Company Limited and its affiliated

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## Introduction

This Code of Conduct is intended to provide guidance for the conduct and supervision of employees of FNS Holdings PCL (FNS) and its subsidiaries (the Group). The issues addressed and policies described here are primarily of a compliance, supervisory or regulatory nature. This Code of Conduct is neither a summary of, nor a substitute for, the laws and regulations governing the activities of the Group. Some policies are imposed by law or regulatory requirements while others have been internally developed for the protection of the Group, its clients and personnel. These internally developed policies, reflecting good business practices and ethical considerations, may go beyond legal or regulatory requirements. Some subsidiaries may require additional compliance protocols in some or all of the areas covered.

All employees are required to read this Code of Conduct carefully and adhere to its principles. Of course, no Code of Conduct can anticipate or cover all possible situations, and particular circumstances may warrant an exception from our policies. Therefore, when an issue arises that cannot be resolved by reference to the Code of Conduct or when there is a situation that might warrant a policy exception, employees should seek the advice of their Compliance Unit prior to taking any action.

# 1. General Business Ethics, Laws and Compliance

#### 1.1 Ethical Standards

"Employees of FNS Holdings PCL and its subsidiaries (the Group)" means Directors, Management Team and Employees

FNS is proud of its reputation for integrity and fair dealing. Our reputation for commitment to our client's best interests and integrity in all business activities is the most valuable asset of the Group, and maintaining it is the Group's paramount goal. To maintain this reputation, the Group is committed to conducting its business in accordance with applicable laws, industry regulations and high ethical standards.

The financial services industry is one of the most heavily regulated businesses in the world. Adherence to all laws, rules and regulations applicable to the business is essential. However, FNS's clients, potential clients, competitors and shareholders have come to expect much more than simple obedience to the law. Employees must demonstrate sound ethics, honesty and fairness in all their dealings as if their personal reputation were at stake.

This Code of Conduct sets forth basic standards for your behavior as an employee of the Group. The Group also expects you to assume a sense of personal responsibility for ensuring that all of your colleagues respect these standards.

Protecting the Group's reputation is everyone's obligation. Employees have an obligation to ques-

tion situations that may violate the Group's ethical standards of business conduct. Any impropriety should be promptly reported to the appropriate level of management for resolution.

## 1.2 Compliance Units

Each of FNS's subsidiaries operating regulated businesses has its own compliance unit to provide advice on regulations and correct business practice. The compliance units render advice and counsel to business units on subjects as diverse as corporate affairs, Group interpretations of statutes and regulations and reviewing and commenting on proposed laws or regulations. The compliance units report to the Audit Committee and Board of Directors of their companies and in parallel report to the Managing Director In rendering advice and in determining when issues should be brought to the attention of the Head of the Business Unit, the compliance staff must act in the best interests of the Group, as opposed to the individual interests of any business entity or employee.

## 1.3 Exercising Sound Judgment

It is impossible for any code of conduct to formulate standards that anticipate every aspect of a business as diverse as ours. The Group depends upon you to exercise your best judgment in performing the variety of tasks that comprise FNS's business. For this reason the code of conduct is not precise but is intended as a set of general guidelines.

Where this code articulates a specific standard of conduct, you are expected to conform to it.

In the areas that are not specifically addressed however, you should conduct yourself in the spirit of the Code of Conduct. You should consider whether there is any doubt about the legality of the proposed action and whether it may embarrass rather than enhance the Group's (or your) reputation. Your own experience and common sense will usually tell you if you are acting correctly or if you are entering a grey area where your motives and actions could be called into question.

Assuming, as you must, that any actions you or the Group takes could ultimately be publicized, you should consider how the Group (and you) would be perceived in the harsh glare of publicity. As a final guiding principle, when in doubt, stop, reflect and ask. Should you feel you need guidance, please contact or call upon your compliance unit

## 1.4 Applicable Laws

FNS conducts its business in conformity with all laws in jurisdictions in which it transacts business. As a representative of the Group, you are expected to be familiar with and to abide by the laws and rules that apply to your activities.

However the Group is subject to a multitude of securities, banking, finance laws and other relevant regulations and rules, including corporate law, etc. which may affect your business. If you are uncertain about the laws of a particular jurisdiction or whether certain acts or practices comply with the law, contact your compliance unit.

#### 1.5 Misconduct

FNS's employees are the Group's first line of support for the Group's reputation for integrity and its first line of defense against civil and criminal liability, as well as unethical business practice. If you believe that something you have done may violate the law or the Group's code of conduct, you should report your action to your compliance unit, the Managing Director or Executive Directors of your company. Equally, if you become aware of illegal or improper conduct by another Group employee, or if you see signs of impropriety, it is your obligation to report your observations to your compliance unit. Until the Group's management learns of a problem, the Group cannot deal with it appropriately. Concealing improper conduct compounds a harm, and may prevent prompt countermeasures that could prevent or mitigate any actual damage.

Concerns about illegal or improper behavior that you believe may be significant must be reported to your compliance unit. You should ordinarily communicate your concerns about relatively minor improprieties to the head of your business unit. If you believe that this course would not be productive or appropriate however, you may report to your compliance unit in order to assure that the situation will be addressed.

The Compliance Unit must report any employee who violates or breaches laws, rules, regulations or the standard of conduct to the Managing Director of the company for evaluation and determination of the appropriate penalty, if any. The Compliance unit will later inform the Board of Directors about such misconduct and result of consideration and disciplinary action of the Managing Director. In the case of violent misconduct or executive misconduct, Compliance Unit must immediately report to the Board of Directors for evaluation and determination of the appropriate disciplinary action, if any.

### 1.6 Penalties for Noncompliance

It is a condition of employment that any employee who violates or breaches the standard of conduct may be subject to disciplinary action that includes, without limitation, warnings, reprimands, suspensions, probation, dismissal and termination of employment for cause by the Managing Director or the Board of Directors (as the case may be). Civil and criminal penalties could also result, including imprisonment, fines, and the loss or suspension of the Group's license to engage in certain lines of business. In addition, the Group may be required to report certain types of disciplinary actions to regulators and law enforcement officials.

# 2. Confidentiality

## 2.1 Proprietary Information

While employed by the Group, you may develop or become aware of information that may have intrinsic value to the Group, its clients or other parties with which the Group has a relationship or that may provide the Group with a competitive advantage. All such information is regarded as proprietary and since it is generally not known to the public, it is also regarded as confidential. As an employee of the Group, you are obligated to safeguard and prevent the disclosure and/or misuse of all such information.

You may not use proprietary or confidential information for their own benefit or for the benefit of any party other than the Group. You must also not disclose proprietary or confidential information to anyone either inside or outside the Group, except in connection with the business of the Group and in a manner consistent with the Group's interests.

#### 2.2 Inside Information

Thai Securities Law prohibits persons in possession of material non-public ("inside information") from taking advantage of such information in connection with the purchase or sale of securities, the recommendation of the purchase or sale of such securities to others, or the disclosure of the information to others who may take advantage of it in the purchase or sale of securities. Information is non-public until it has been communicated to the marketplace. See section 5 on "Investing in Securities" for more details on this matter.

## 2.3 Client Confidentiality

Confidentiality between the Group and its clients is a fundamental business principle. In the conduct of our business, we receive a great deal of non-public information. Much of this information may be sensitive with a potential impact on market conditions, negotiations, strategic positioning, or relationships with clients. All information concerning a client's transactions, accounts and affairs must be considered confidential and must not be disclosed except with the client's permission or by order of the proper authority. It is essential therefore, that you maintain confidentiality and ensure that such information is used only for the specific purpose or transaction for which it was given. Non-public information must not be discussed internally unless required during the normal routine of our work and must not be passed on to employees who are not directly involved in a project or to family members (including spouses), friends, and other persons outside of the Group.

In all circumstances, the client's interest must be the first consideration. Successful relationships with our clients are based on their faith in the Group's ability to maintain the confidentiality of information entrusted to the Group. You must exercise care in handling confidential information concerning the Group's activities. All employees share in the responsibility for safeguarding confidential information obtained in any manner.

## 2.4 Proprietary or Confidential Information Security

Caution must always be exercised in discussing client information outside the Group, especially in the presence of anyone not connected with the Group or not authorized by the client to have access to the information. You should avoid placing confidential documents in office areas, including fax and photocopy machines, where they may be read by persons not authorized to read them. These and all other data outputs containing proprietary or confidential information must be properly filed or stored and kept in locked file cabinets or a secure place at all times. All such material should be restricted from public view, including fax and photocopy machines, removed from desks and work areas and properly secured at the end of the day. You should not remove proprietary or confidential information from the Group's premises unless absolutely

necessary. If you take proprietary or confidential information out of the office for business purposes, you must keep it on your person or in a secure place at all times and return it promptly to the Group's premises.

You should take special care in public places such as elevators, restaurants, airplanes, and other public places, including when using speakerphones, mobile phones, fax and photocopy machines or message services to ensure that casual conversations or inadvertent displays of proprietary or confidential information do not lead to the release of such information.

Code names should be used for sensitive projects and solicitations. Where code names have been assigned to a project, all documents and information generated internally by the Group with respect to that project should, as appropriate, refer to the relevant companies only by their code names.

Access to the Group network will be granted only to authorized network users on a "need to know" basis and only for official and authorized Group business. Confidential databases and other confidential information accessible by computer should be maintained in computer files that are password-protected or otherwise secure against access by unauthorized persons. You should not disclose their computer passwords to anyone at the Group or outside the Group. Please see 'FNS Group - IT Handbook' for more details.

#### 2.5 Chinese Walls

To control and prevent the flow of confidential and proprietary information including the dissemination and misuse of material non-public information, the Group has created "Chinese Walls" to separate employees who receive non-public information in the routine course of their employment from other employees. Chinese Walls involve physical separation and organizational segregation of functions within the Group (i.e. Investment Banking, Research, etc.) to provide separate control and management over each of the functions. Employees within such Chinese Walls must take extra care to maintain the confidentiality of pending non-public matters or projects and therefore, may not discuss such matters with anyone other than persons who have a specific "need to know" for business purposes.

## 3. External Business Activities and Conflicts of Interest

### 3.1 External Business Activities/ Outside Employment

No employee will be permitted to engage in private business activities or interests outside the Group that may give rise to conflicts of interest with the Group's integrity or reputation. A conflict may exist if an employee's activity or interest is, or may reasonably give the appearance of being, inconsistent with the best interests of the Group and/or its clients.

Full-time employees of the Group are expected to devote their undivided professional attention to their position at Group. Therefore, employees may not be employed outside of the Group, either full-time or part-time, with or without compensation, unless permission is granted by the Managing Director.

## 3.2 Directorships

Employees may not serve as a director or other officer of company outside the Group unless permission is given by their Managing Director in advance. Permission will routinely be granted to the employee to serve as a non-executive director or other officer of a family firm so long as it is not a company quoted on the stock exchange, that you are required to give it only minor attention, and the firm's activity is not competitive with the Group's activities.

#### 3.3 Conflicts of Interest

Conflicts of interest arise when an individual's position or responsibilities with the Group present an opportunity for personal gain apart from the normal rewards of employment. Employees must make objective business decisions based on the best interests of the Group and its clients without any consideration of personal gain. The Group expects you to avoid any activity, interest or association that could potentially interfere with your responsibilities or judgment on behalf of the Group or its clients.

Performance of day-to-day job responsibilities may expose you to potential conflicts of interest. You should be particularly mindful not to use Group knowledge or influence to further your personal interests. You are prohibited from causing the Group to purchase services or products from your family members or businesses in which you or your family has a significant or controlling interest, unless otherwise authorized to do so after disclosure of the pertinent facts to your Managing Director. In addition, the Group prohibits illegal or improper acquisition of market or competitive information for personal use or gain.

## 3.4 Requests from Client for Legal or Tax Advice

Clients may ask you, from time to time, to give them legal and tax advice with regard to the complex rules relating to securities, or other issues about which they assume you have knowledge. Group policy prohibits you from giving legal and tax advice to a client unless it lies within the scope of specific areas of the Group's expertise.

When a client asks you to provide legal assistance or general background on a legal question, you should encourage him or her to consult independent counsel. Similarly, clients requiring detailed tax guidance or strategic advice should be referred to their tax advisor.

## 4. Gifts and Entertainment

Business entertainment and exchanging of gifts is a normal part of business, but if the value of such entertainment is excessive the exchange could be perceived as bribery or corruption. These guidelines try to distinguish between "normal" and "excessive" situations and are very subjective. Common sense will be your best guide to what is appropriate.

Employees should not request gifts or entertainment from customers, potential customers, business partners or regulations

Employees should neither receive gifts/entertainment from nor present gifts/entertainment to cus-

tomers, potential customers, business partners and regulators of the Group or to government authorities which may be regarded as bribery, corruption, which give rise to a debt of gratitude beyond the ability of the individual to reciprocate in the normal course of business, or which would be considered excessive or inappropriate by the normal standards of the Group.

Employees should normally receive or present gifts or entertainment only in events of charity, customary festivals and special occasions such as New Year, Chinese New Year and birthdays, or when the entertainment extended is considered to be in the normal course of business. Such gifts should be of nominal value, and should not result in putting the recipient under a sense of obligation or in a position of being unable to reciprocate appropriately.

In the event that an employee is offered entertainment or gifts which are not acceptable under clauses above, he should attempt to decline the gifts or entertainment in a gracious fashion, explaining the Group's policy on such matters. Please note that accepting gifts / entertainment or giving gifts/ entertainment must conform with Anti-Corruption Policy and Anti-Corruption Guidelines

#### **Notes**

"Gifts" mean cash, securities, gift vouchers, goods, loans, business or investment opportunities, discounts of products or services, commissions, compensating benefits, etc. Exceptions are training courses, organized by customers, business partners of the Group, and government agencies, to provide knowledge to employees of the Group; or goods provided for charity.

"Entertainment" mean party or entertainment / recreation outside the Group's premises (such as sporting events, shows, cinemas, and concerts) and domestic and overseas travel not undertaken on behalf of the Group. Exceptions are entertainment organized to promote business relationship or for charity.

# 5. Investing in Securities

Employees of the Group have privileged access to information on customers and their financial affairs. This information should only be used for conducting business between the Group and the customer concerned. It should not be shared with third parties or used for personal benefit. In particular, employees may have advanced knowledge of actions which the Group or its customers will take and which may have an impact on prices of listed securities. Using this information for personal benefit is usually referred to as "insider trading" and is a clear breach of business ethics. These guidelines are intended to prevent any misunder-standings or conflicts of interest arising between the Group, its employees and its customers.

- 5.1 Employees should not disclose or use insider information concerning the Group or its customers for their personal interests or for the interests of related persons.
- 5.2 Employees should not conduct any investment activities which may be regarded as an offence against the Securities and Exchange Act.
- 5.3 Employees who have insider information should not invest, nor should they instruct or suggest to related persons that they invest in securities concerning which they have insider information which may have an impact on the prices of such securities.

- 5.4 Employees should exercise caution when conducting margin trading, or when incurring indebtedness to conduct investments in listed securities. Employees should ensure that their total liability remains within their ability to repay.
- 5.5 Employees should avoid all forms of borrowing from unlicensed money lenders.
- 5.6 Employees must report the possession of securities according to the provisions contained in the Securities and Exchange Act 1992, and in accordance with the requirements of law.

#### **Notes**

- a) "Related Persons" includes :
  - Employees' spouses
  - Employees' spouses or children
  - Any juristic person in which employees or persons under (1) or (2) holds at least 20% of the total shares.
- b) "Securities" mean shares, debentures, derivatives, options, or warrants of the Group, listed affiliates of the Group, or of listed companies that are customers of the Group.
- c) "Investment" means buying and selling of securities, agreement to buy and to sell securities (including options) which are listed in the Stock Exchange of Thailand.

# 6. Money Laundering

Money laundering is the conversion of illegally obtained money or assets into money or assets that have legal status, and it is criminal offence under the Anti-Money Laundering Act of 1999 and/or amended. You should be aware that any employee who violates the provisions under the Anti-Money Laundering Act may be regarded as committing a criminal offences and may be punished according to the Anti-Money Laundering Act. There are many types of illegal activities which give rise to money laundering.

- Drug trafficking
- Trade in women and children
- Deception and fraud of the public
- Criminal misappropriation of funds by managing director or persons, who are responsible or involved in the operation of financial institutions
- Malfeasance in office
- Extortion or blackmail
- Smuggling

These guidelines are intended to make employees aware of actions which could violate the terms of the Anti-Money Laundering Act.

6.1 Employees should not violate Thai government or internal regulations governing money laundering.

- 6.2 Employees should not conspire, provide assistance, or get involved with customers or others to commit offences within the scope of money laundering.
- 6.3 Employees should not conceal customers' money laundering offences.
- 6.4 Employees should not suggest to customers or persons who have business transaction with the Group how to avoid reporting business transactions as required by law.
- 6.5 Employees should not disclose the reports of business transactions under clause to third parties.
- 6.6 In case employees notice any suspicious behavior which may involve money laundering, such employees should report such behavior to their unit management and should submit the report of suspicious transactions in accordance with the prescribed regulations immediately.

# 7. Protecting Group Property

The Group's property includes its funds, premises and technology, as well as proprietary information or intellectual property. You must use all such property for the Group's benefit and not for your own personal benefit. Additionally, proper safeguarding of these properties is required of every employee. Your awareness of, and adherence to the Group's security policies and procedures are critical. The Group expects you to be alert to any incidents that could lead to the loss, misuse or theft of Group property and to immediately report all such occurrences to your Compliance Unit.

Access to the Group's electronic facilities and systems are provided to you for use in connection with the Group's business. Any other uses (whether or not for personal profit), except for reasonable and occasional use, is prohibited. All information stored in the Group's facilities, including electronic systems, is regarded as the Group's property. Please see 'FNS Group - IT Handbook' for further details.

# 8. Anti-corruption Policy

FNS Holdings Plc.(FNS) realizes the importance of preventing corruption, conducting business with fairness, transparency and with responsibility towards the stakeholders, society and environment. In order to attain good corporate governance, the Company has set up an Anti-Corruption Policy with an intention to prevent all types of corruption, focusing on the education of all of the Company's staff including business partners to understand the purpose of the policy and intention of the Company.

Corruption means any types of bribery and/or using information received from or provided by the Company's operation by offering, agreeing to give, promising, demanding or accepting money, assets, or other inappropriate benefits from the government officers, private sectors, or responsible person either directly or indirectly action so that person, his/her friends, and/or others could achieve either directly or indirectly an improper benefit in business or any improper benefit, as well as any act that is against the Company's business ethic except the cases that law, regulation, rule, custom, tradition or business traditions allow.

The guideline for practicing and rules about anti-corruption are provided in the Anti-Corruption Policy.

## 9. Discrimination and Harassment

The Group is committed to equal employment opportunity. The Group will not refuse to hire, nor will it discharge or discriminate against any person because of the person's race, color, creed, religion, sex, sexual orientation, marital status, or national origin.

In support of this policy, the Group expressly prohibits sexual or any other form of employment harassment. Harassment or derision of any nature is not tolerable, and will not be tolerated at the Group.

Any employee who believes that he or she has been the subject of discrimination or harassment should report the alleged improper conduct immediately to the compliance unit.

(Mr. Vorasit Pokachaiyapat and Mr. James Marshall) FNS Holdings Public Company Limited

Approved at the Board of Directors' meeting no.6/2022 on 11 November 2022



**Anti-corruption Policy** 

**FNS Holdings Public Company Limited** 

# Anti-corruption Policy FNS Holdings Plc.

**FNS Holdings Plc.(FNS)** is aware of the great importance of its anti-corruption policy moreover, the company place great emphasis on adhering to the principles of fair business operations, operational transparency on responsibility towards the stakeholders, society and the environment. In accordance with good corporate governance policy, the company has published an Anti-Corruption Guidance with an intention to prevent all forms of corruption as well as to provide knowledge and awareness under the same prescribed policy to all employees within the organization including business partners.

#### **Definition**

Corruption means any activities of bribery and/or using information received from or provided by the company's operations by offering, promising to give, promising, demanding or accepting money, assets, or other inappropriate benefits from the government officers, private sectors, or responsible person either directly or indirectly, such action allowing that person, his/her friends, and/or others that could lead either directly or indirectly to an improper benefit in business or any improper benefit. It also relates to any act that is against the company's business ethic except the cases that law, regulation, rule, announcement, tradition or culture allow.

**Bribery** means assets or other benefits that are induced or offered, promised or gives in order to obtain business advantages for consent of contracts, rules and regulations, legal or personal

Giving or Receiving gifts Entertainment and Hospitality services refers to gifts, expenditure for hospitality, giving, accepting gifts, privileges facilitating and other expenditure or other benefits that may be linked to bribery that may cause a risk of corruption.

**Sponsorship** means offering financial support, products or services where the objectives are for society's public interest, or promotion of business and the good image of the company

**Donation** refers to giving money or products in all forms to juristic persons, various organizations, whether governmental organizations, private sectors, state enterprises or various foundations without expecting a return.

**Political Aid** means financial assistance or any other form to support political activities such as giving goods or services advertising to support political parties, permitting employees to take leave or be representatives to participate in political campaigns, etc.

Conflict of interest means a situation in which a person performs two activities with different objectives or benefits and conflicts may arise because of personal interests that do not match the interests of the company, this puts the person in a predicament and may lead to corruption and misconduct.

Facilitation Payments means an unofficially minor payment made to government officials in return for services by the government officials to assure or expedite the performance of a routine or necessary action. The process does not require the discretion from government officials as it is a legitimate operation which the juristic person is legally entitled to receive, such as the issue of a permit or certificate and the providing of public

service etc.

Hire Government Officials means to hire government officials, sub-committees members, employees of government agencies, state enterprises or government agencies and individuals or group of person who exercise authority or assign to exercise government's administrative authority to take a legal action whose duties involved corporate governance and business operations.

## Scope and Objective

- 1. This anti-corruption policy applies to Directors, Executives, and employees of the company and its subsidiaries.
- 2. The company expects its representatives and/or intermediaries who are related to or are acting on behalf of the company to follow this policy.
- 3. The company has established an organizational culture for directors, executives and employees to perform their duties with honesty, integrity, transparency and fairness.
- 4. Directors, executives and employees must not solicit, act or accept any form of corruption directly or indirectly for the benefit of the organization, business, self, family, friends and acquaintances which must strictly adhere to this anti-corruption policy. In order to cause corruption, the company will give punishment according the company's regulations.
- 5. Directors and executives at all levels of the company must show honesty and set good example in compliance with the anti-corruption policy.
- 6. The Anti-Corruption Policy covers the Human Resources process from the recruitment or selection, promotion, training, evaluation, reward.
- 7. The company constantly reviews the policy of this anti-corruption as well as reviewing guidelines and rules and regulations in according with changes in business, rules, regulations and laws.

## **Roles and Responsibilities**

- The Board of Directors is responsible for approving and supporting anti-corruption practices in the
  company to create understanding and raise awareness of the consequences of corruption. In the
  case that the Audit Committee has reported a corruption case that affects the company, the Board
  of Directors is responsible for providing the Managing Director with counsel and advise, assessing
  penalty, and seeking ways to solve the problem.
- 2. The roles and responsibilities of the Audit Committee includes:
  - 2.1 Revising the Anti-corruption Policy given by the Managing Director in order to best adjust with the company's business, environment, and culture, and proposing the Policy to the Board of Directors for approval;
  - 2.2 Reconsidering the appropriateness of any change in Anti-corruption Policy given by the Man-

- aging Director and proposing to the Board of Directors for approval;
- 2.3 Verifying the report of internal control system and carrying out risk assessment according to the proposal from the Internal Auditor to ensure that the system allows lowest risk of corruption that affects the company's financial status and achievement and conforms to the company's business;
- 2.4 Receiving reports about staff violating the Anti-corruption Policy, investigating the report, and submitting the case to the Board of Directors to assess penalty or seek solution;
- 3. The roles and responsibilities of the Managing Director includes :
  - 3.1 Determining Anti-corruption Policy to propose to the Audit Committee;
  - 3.2 Conveying Anti-corruption Policy to staff and related parties;
  - 3.3 Reconsidering the Anti-corruption Policy in order to best adjust with business changes or regulations and laws, and proposing the Policy to the Audit Committee;
  - 3.4 Assisting the Audit Committee in seeking the truth in reported corruption practices or in tasks relating to a corruption investigation assigned by the Audit Committee. The task can be assigned to Directors who are considered capable of seeking the truth;
- 4. Executives at all levels in various departments have duties and responsibilities in setting up management systems to promote and support the implementation of this policy including communicating with employees at all departments of the company to understand and to comply with the policy.
- 5. All employees of the company must pay attention and are bound to comply with this strict policy.
- 6. Compliance Department is responsible for giving advice on the implementation of this policy and coordinating with internal audit to ensure compliance with policies, regulations and guidelines including related laws.
- 7. Directors, executives and all employees are obliged to comply with this policy by not involving in corruption whether directly or indirectly. They should participate in providing useful information for monitoring and investigating such matters to reduce the risk or chance of fraud or corruption both inside and outside the organization.
- 8. The roles and responsibilities of the Internal Auditor includes :
  - 8.1 Performing duties according to the prescribed internal audit plan and presenting the report and assessment of corruption risk to the Audit Committee;
  - 8.2 Performing duties assigned by the Audit Committee in examining corruption activities relating to the company other than those prescribed in internal audit plan;

## **Anti-corruption Guidelines**

Employees of FNS Holdings Plc. and its subsidiaries at all levels, as well as contractors and related subcontractors, must follow the Anti-corruption Policy strictly by not getting involved with any course of corruption whether in a direct or indirect manner by:

#### 1. Offering or Accepting Bribes

Not conducting any behavior that can be seen as accepting or offering bribes to interested persons either in direct or indirect action in order to achieve any improper benefit by:

- 1.1 Not accepting or giving gifts or souvenirs in the form of cash, checks, bond, stock, gold, jewel or other equivalent from person in contact in government sectors or private sectors;
- 1.2 Not accepting assets, gifts, presents or other benefits that will lead to neglect of duty.

  Please note that before accepting souvenirs, one should make sure that it conforms to laws and company's regulations and the gift received as business courtesy should not be high in value and suitable for the occasion;
- 1.3 Not giving assets, gifts, presents or other benefits in order to influence the decision or in exchange for refraining from following standard business practices used with other business agents. <u>Please note that</u> the value of gifts or benefits given in any occasion must not be unusually high;
- 1.4 Not acting as intermediary in offering cash, assets, or other benefits to anyone who is involved with government sectors or any organizations, in exchange for special treatment or refraining from following rules, regulations, and laws.

#### 2. The procurement

The procurement process must follow the Company's regulations, and uphold transparency and accountability principles including an evaluation to select vendors, service providers according to the procurement procedure and reserves the right to terminate the procurement if there is bribery or historical of bribery or corruption.

#### 3. Entertainment

Reception and business meeting expenses and other expenses relating to business contract should be reasonable and accountable.

## 4. Charitable contributions must follow the following guidelines:

- 4.1 Any charitable contribution made with the Company's cash or assets must be made on behalf of the Company and must only be given to certified or trustworthy foundations, public charity organizations, temples, hospitals, clinics or public benefit organizations. The transaction must be accountable and in accordance with rules, regulations, and stipulated laws;
- 4.2 Making personal charitable contribution is allowed under the condition that such transaction must not be related to or called into question as corruption or a bribery act.

## 5. Financial Sponsorships

Financial sponsorships that use the Company's cash or assets must be made only on behalf of the Company with the objectives of promoting the Company's business, image, and reputation.

The disbursement must clearly state its purpose. It must be accountable and in accordance with rules, regulations, and stipulated laws.

#### 6. Political Aid

Not getting involved in any domestic politics and not using any of the Company's resources to make contribution to the said activities. FNS Holdings Plc believes in political neutrality, and legality. It is not our policy to make contributions to any political party either directly or indirectly manner.

#### 7. Conflict of Interest

The company has a policy/code of conduct to prevent and manage conflicts of interest for all directors, executives and employees to comply with.

#### 8. Facilitation Payment

The company has a policy of prohibiting payments for services to expedite the performance of a routine or necessary action except for facilitating payments according to service providers' regulations, including the prohibition of accepting bribes from government officials, private sector officers by offering money, gift cards, checks, shares, gifts or valuable items both directly and indirectly to obtain or maintain a business or competitive advantage.

#### 9. Fairness and Protection

The Company shall provide fairness and safeguards to staff who deny or inform of corruption cases relating to the Company by applying protection measures for appellants or persons who co-operate with Anti-corruption information as stated in the Protection and Confidentiality Policy. The company will not demote, punish or cause negative effects on executives or employees who deny corruption even though the activities may cause the company to lose a business opportunity.

#### 10. Anti-Corruption Policy Communication

The company has established a communication policy against corruption including reporting channels or filing complaints by the public, subsidiaries, affiliates, business agents, partners through the company's website and annual report. Internally, the company circulate the policy to directors, executives and employees through several channels such as intranet, training and orientation, to understand and perform accordingly.

#### 11. Approval Authority and Disbursement

The company has established a disbursement regulation by specifying the approval authority and credit limits and requirements to provide explicit supporting documents.

## 12. Internal Control System and Auditing

The company has established a system for internal control and continuous audit over the procurement, finance, accounting, information technology, data storage and other processes related to this policy, with timely reports of the audit results to the Audit Committee.

13. Staff must not be negligent in recognizing corruption or indicating corruption activities that involve the company. All staff must notify such acts to supervisors or a responsible person and collaborate

- with any investigation. Should there be any queries or questions, they must consult with the supervisor or the responsible person who monitors the Code of Conduct through provided channels.
- 14. A person who commits corruption is guilty of misconduct in terms of the Company's Code of Conduct and disciplinary proceedings will take place. Follow-up actions may be applied in cases that laws may have been violated.
- 15. The Board of Directors and the Management Team recognize the importance of knowledge sharing, counseling, and communicating with staff and related parties about anti-corruption so the staff and those parties shall conform to this Anti-corruption Policy and set a good example of business honesty, morality, and ethics.
- 16. The Company strives to create and sustain the organization's culture representing that fraud, corruption and/or bribery is unacceptable at all level of personnel including any activities involving the Public sectors or Private sectors.
- 17. This Anti-corruption Policy covers the process of Human Resource Management starting from recruitment, promotion, training, evaluation and benefits provided to staff. Every supervisor at all levels must communicate with staff about enforcement of the policy in business transaction under their responsibility and must monitor such implementation to be the most effective.

#### **Risk Assessment**

Risk assessment process has been implemented to prevent operational risk of corruption. The Risk protection measure will be assessed at least once a year and the Risk assessment measures will be reviewed to ensure compliance with the current Anti-corruption policy as appropriate and acceptable level.

#### **Human Resource**

- Recruitment and Selection Process of personnel for the job. Working history must show no omission
  of duty or misuse of power or position or seek unlawful benefits by accepting or offering bribes or
  corruption in any forms.
- 2. The company has a policy to prohibit the hiring of government officials for jobs related to business operation in the position of director or advisor, with the exception of the appointment as company's director of a public servant as defined by the Public Limited Companies Act., and Securities and Exchange Law, including announcements from the Office of the SEC on Futures, and related announcements, rules and/or related regulations.
- 3. In the Evaluation of staff performance such as salary increase, bonus and promotion etc. FNS takes into account information about Anti-corruption and giving or accepting bribes. For example, in the event that the executive or employees is involved in such violation, they will be punished, for example, not receiving a salary increase, no bonus, no job promotion or termination of the employment etc., while employees who file a report or provide information on such violation will be protected and praised etc.

4. Orientation is given to new employees to educate them about the Anti-corruption policy as well as training and regularly provision information to directors, executives and employees to be aware of the importance of this issue in order to create an organizational culture.

## **Internal Control and Reporting**

- 1. The company has set up an internal control system to ensure that the business operations run appropriately and effectively in accordance with relevant regulations to reduce the risk of anti-corruption. In order to assure the existing internal control system is efficient and accomplish, an internal audit has been settled.
- 2. The company has appointed the Compliance Department to responsible for consulting on various regulations and the Internal Auditor (an independent external auditor firm) is responsible for inspecting various operational systems. The risk assessment report will be prepared and proposed for approval by the audit committee at least once a year. The Board of Directors then acknowledge and will taking into consideration the risks that may cause corruption.
- 3. Procedure for reporting audit result
  - 3.1 Internal Audit (Independent Audit firm) will report to the Audit Committee and the Board of Directors on a quarterly basis or as according to the audit plan and at the same time the report will also be presented to the Managing Director.
  - 3.2 In case of urgent issues, the Head of the Compliance and internal auditors will immediately inform the Audit Committee as well as to the Managing Director to consider and instruct for the guidelines on controlling improving on the specific issues.

#### Data Management

- 1. The Company has data management procedures and maintains records of disbursements, complying with International Financial Reporting Standards including applicable laws and regulations.
- 2. All types of expenses must have supporting documents for disbursement and be approved by the authorized person. The Data management procedure of the company's documents to comply with relevant laws and regulations.
- 3. The company does not allow disclosure or record of falsified, unethical inaccurate or fraudulent accounts including not applicable payment transactions.

## **Penalties**

1. In the case of a director violating or failing to comply with this policy, the company will immediately appoint the Audit Committee which consists of all independent directors of the Company to investigate the facts. If the investigation finding the director has violated or failed to comply with this policy, then the audit committee to prepare and propose to the Board of Directors for consideration a punishment based on the disciplinary penalties provisions (The directors attending the meeting will exclude those who violate or fail to comply with anti-corruption measures.)

- 2. If executives or employees of the company violate or fail to comply with this policy, the Company will appoint the Investigation Committee to proceed to find out the facts and punishment base on disciplinary penalties which may include termination of employment. This will also be reported to the Audit Committee and the Board of Directors for acknowledgment. However, the Company has no policy to demote, punish or cause negative effects on executives and employees who deny corruption where the activities may cause the company to lost a business opportunity.
- 3. The details are in accordance with the investigation procedures and penalties.

## Procedures for whistleblowing or filing complaints

## Topics that can be reported or filed as corruption complaints

- 1. Knowing of any corruption activity that is directly or indirectly related to the Company such as witnessing any person in the organization receiving or providing bribery from/to the government or private sector officers;
- 2. Knowing of activities that violate the Company's procedure or affect the internal control system that could be seen as an effort to corrupt.
- 3. Knowing of any activity that may cause a loss of the Company's benefit or the Company's reputational risk.
- 4. Knowing of any activity that is illegal, immoral, and against the business code of conduct.

## Channels for reporting or filing corruption complaints

The Company has set up channels for receiving reports and providing guidance about the Anti-corruption Policy to staffs as follows:

**Registered letter** Independent Director, FNS Holdings Plc.

6th Floor, 345 Surawong Building, 345 Surawong Road

Suriyawong, Bangrak, Bangkok 10500

Email id@fnsplc.com

The Complainant must specify details of the matter or issue of the complaints along with evidence or sufficient information for investigation.

## **Protection and Confidentiality Policy**

To protect the right of the appellants and informants who raise genuine concerns, the Company will conceal the name, address, or any information that can identify the persons and keep the information provided by appellants and informants confidential by limiting the access to information to those responsible for investigating the complaints.

In the case that the complainant is filed against the directors, the Audit Committee will protect the appellants, witnesses, and those who collaborate with investigation from troubles, harms, or injustices originated from giving oral evidence or information and requests for the appellants to file complaints directly to the Chairman of the Audit Committee.

The Chairman of the Audit Committee is responsible for giving discretionary orders as appropriate to protect the appellants, witnesses, and informants from troubles, harms, or injustices originated from reporting, filing complaints, giving oral evidence or information.

The Chairman of the Audit Committee has a power to assign other directors to act as him/herself in giving discretionary orders as appropriate to protect the appellants, witnesses, and informants. The designated directors must not be involved with the act that is reported or filed complaint directly or indirectly (for instance, the accused is his/her direct subordinate)

The persons in charge of the complaints have to keep the information, accusations, and documents of the appellants and informants confidential by not providing information to irrelevant persons unless prescribed by laws.

## **Investigation Procedures and Penalty**

- 1. Upon receiving reports of policy violation, the Chairman of the Audit Committee will assess and investigate the facts.
- 2. During the investigation process the Chairman of the Audit Committee or proxy (the designated director) will keep the informants or appellants updated.
- 3. If the information or evidence gathered in the course of investigations finds the corruption complaints well-grounded, the Company will inform the accused of an allegation and give them the rights to defend themselves by providing information or evidences to prove that they are not involved with the alleged corruption activities.
- 4. If the accused had committed corruption and the acts are equivalent to misconduct in the Company's Code of Conduct, disciplinary proceedings will take place. Conviction on laws may be applied in case such acts violate the laws. In term of disciplinary action, the decision of the Chairman of the Audit Committee is considered final.
- 5. If the complaints are untruthful or the process of filing complaints, reporting, giving oral evidence or any information are found to be untruthful or made through wrong channels, employees or staffs of the Company that are involved will be subjected to disciplinary action. If the persons involved are outsiders and the Company was damaged by the acts, the Company will take legal action against the persons.

In case of complaints, the Audit Committee is responsible for receiving information, gathering data, and investigating the truth and reporting to the Board of Directors for assessing and making appropriate decision on disciplinary actions.

## **Publishing the Anti-corruption Policy**

To inform people in the organization about the Anti-corruption Policy, the Company will

- 1. Post a notice of the Anti-corruption Policy in the appropriate places for easy access of everyone in the organization.
- 2. Publish the Anti-corruption Policy through the Company's communication channels such as website, email, and the next annual report (56-1).
- 3. Organize staff training on the Anti-corruption Policy for all new recruits.
- 4. Reconsider the appropriateness of the Anti-corruption policy on a yearly basis.

## **Monitoring and Review of Anti-Corruption Policy**

The company monitors and reviews the suitability, adequacy and efficiency of the policy. and related regulations from time to time and will improve them to make them more appropriate and effective. The Audit Committee and the Board of Directors will independently consider the risk sufficiency of the measures and reveal the audit results in the annual report for shareholders to know. And regularly review this policy on an annual basis. or when there are significant changes

## **Recommendations on Anti-Corruption Policy**

In the event that directors, executives and employees have suspicions that their actions may be in the scope of corruption or violates this policy, please consider the following before taking action or making a decision on that matter as follows:

- 1. Is it a legal act or in keeping with the regulations of the government and the company?
- 2. Does society accept that action? Can it be disclosed to society or not?
- 3. Is it an act that is against ethics. and may bring disgrace to the offender or others or to the reputation of the company now or in the future?

If unsure, provide the information or facts to your supervisor for consideration or you can ask the Compliance Department to participate in the consideration in order to proceed properly.

#### **Enforcement**

This policy is effective from 11 November 2022 onwards.

(Mr. Vorasit Pokachaiyapat)

Managing Director

Approved by the resolution of the Board of Directors Meeting No. 6/2022 held on November 11, 2022 (The Second review 2022).

# **Attachment 6**

Audit Committee Report / Report on the Board of Directors Responsibility towards the Financial Statements / Report of the Nomination,

Compensation and Corporate Governance Committee

# **Audit Committee's Report for the year 2023**

The Audit Committee of FNS Holdings Public Company Limited comprised 3 independent non-executive directors, namely,

- 1. Mr. Chanmanu Sumawong Chairman of the Audit Committee
- 2. Mr. Akarat Na Ranong Member of the Audit Committee
- 3. Mr. Nuttawut Phowborom Member of the Audit Committee

The Committee appointed Ms. Wipa Nilsophon, Assistant Managing Director-Compliance Department, to act as the Secretary of the Audit Committee

In the year 2023, the Audit Committee held 5 meetings and all members attended the meetings. The following, major actions were taken in accordance with the scope of duties and responsibilities assigned by the Board of Directors. The Audit Committee:

- Reviewed the quarterly financial statements as well as the annual financial statements and consolidated financial statements of the Company and its subsidiaries including the accuracy and completeness of information disclosed in the notes to financial statements. In 2023, the audit committee had 5 non-management meetings with the auditors in order to confer about the independence in giving opinions of the auditors. In addition, the auditors reported all examined issues to the Audit Committee for consideration.
- 2. Reviewed the internal control systems and the auditing reports for the year 2023 performed by the independent Internal Auditor in accordance with the approved annual audit plan.
- 3. Reviewed the Company's operations in order to ensure compliance with the securities law, rules and regulations of the Stock Exchange of Thailand or any law concerning the Company's business.
- 4. Considered the Company's information disclosure about the transactions stipulated by law, connected transactions, related party transactions, including the transactions which may cause conflict of interest.

Recommended to the Board of Directors for shareholders' meeting approval in regard to an appointment of the independent auditors of the Company and subsidiaries for the year 2023. The Audit Committee proposed to appoint:

- (1) Miss Sureerat Thongarunsang CPA No. 4409 or
- (2) Miss Orawan Chunhakitpaisan CPA No. 6105 c
- (3) Miss Orawan Chotiwiriyakul CPA No. 10566 or
- (4) Miss Thitima Phongchaiyong CPA No. 10728
- 5. Appointed Accounting Revolution Co., Ltd. as an independent internal auditor and approved the 2023 Internal Audit Plan.

- 6. Evaluated the performance of the Audit Committee as a whole to comply with good corporate governance practice.
- 7. Reviewed the report of the Audit Committee for the year 2023.
- 8. Acknowledged the related transactions report for the year 2023.
- 9. Acknowledged the opinion report of the Independent Financial Advisor on the disposition of investment in NEO Corporate Plc.
- 10. Acknowledged the opinion report of the Independent Financial Advisor on the acquisition of asset of investment in Siri Plc.by M.K. Real Estate Plc., a subsidiary of FNS Holdings Plc.
- 11. Acknowledged the renewal of the Company's membership of the Private Sector Collective Action Coalition Against Corruption Project for 3 years from June 2023 June 2026.

The Audit Committee was of the opinion that the Company had an internal control system which was satisfactory, that the Company's operation was in compliance with relevant laws and regulations and that the financial statements of the Company were prepared and presented with accurate and sufficient material information in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles. The financial statements of the Company were reviewed and audited by certified auditors whom the Audit Committee considered to be qualified and appropriate auditors for the Company.

On behalf of the Audit Committee

(Mr. Chanmanu Sumawong)

Chairman of the Audit Committee

# Report on the Board of Directors' Responsibility towards the Financial Statements 2023

The Board of Directors is responsible for the supervision of financial statements preparation of the Company and its subsidiaries to be disclosed to the investors in a timely manner and the accounting data are presenting with accuracy and transparency. The financial reports of the Company and its subsidiaries are prepared in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles in Thailand by applying appropriate accounting policies consistently. Moreover, sufficient important information is disclosed in the notes to the financial statements.

The Board of Directors has empowered Audit Committee and the Certified Public Accountants to freely review the internal control system and the accuracy of the financial reporting. The opinion of the Audit Committee on such matters is presented in the Report of the Audit Committee in the annual report.

Based on the Company's internal control system supervised by the Audit Committee and the external auditor's reports, the Board of Directors believes that the consolidated financial statements of the Company and its subsidiaries present accurately, in all material aspects, the financial position, the results of operations and cash flows for the year ended 2023 and are also in conformity with generally accepted accounting principles and were sufficiently disclosed.

(Mr. Akarat Na Ranong) Chairman

(Mr. Vorasit Pokachaiyapat)

Managing Director

# Nomination, Compensation and Corporate Governance Committee's Report for the year 2023

The Nomination, Compensation and Corporate Governance Committee of FNS Holdings Public Company Limited comprised 2 independent directors and 1 executive director as follows:

Mr. Chanmanu Sumawong Chairman (Independent director)
 Mr. Akarat Na Ranong Member (Independent director)

3. Mr. Vorasit Pokachaiyapat Member (Executive director/Managing Director)

The Committee appointed Ms. Wipa Nilsophon, Assistant Managing Director-Compliance Department, acting as the Secretary of the Nomination, Compensation and Corporate Governance Committee

The Nomination, Compensation and Corporate Governance Committee performed its duties granted by the Board of Directors with responsibility and due care under the policy and charter of the Nomination, Compensation and Corporate Governance Committee in the best interest of the Company as follows:

- Nominating suitable personnel qualified in terms of knowledge, capability and experience and without prohibited characteristics according to the law and relevant regulations of the Company. Ensuring that the Board of Directors has appropriate composition and structure for the Company's good corporate governance.
- 2. Determining that remuneration is in line with the duties and responsibilities and at an adequate level to attract and retain directors and executives as well as reflecting the comparable remuneration paid by other companies in the same industry consistent with the performance of the Company and each of the directors and executives.
- 3. Conducting corporate governance matters by reviewing, making recommendations and ensuring the Company's operations adhere to its Corporate Governance Policy, ethics, regulations and procedures; reviewing the evaluation of the Company's corporate governance conducted by an external organization; recommending appropriate procedures or code of conduct to the Board of Directors and Sub-Committees; following up to ensure an adequate disclosure of information of the Company concerning corporate governance and sustainable development as well as promoting and propagating the culture of good corporate governance and employee's participation in the sustainable development of the Company.

In 2023, there were 2 meetings of the Nomination, Compensation and Corporate Governance Committee and all members attended the meetings. The following major actions were taken in accordance with the scope of duties and responsibilities assigned by the Board of Directors:

- 1. Reviewed the report of the Nomination, Compensation Committee and Corporate Governance Committee for the year 2023.
- 2. Review the Corporate Governance Policy for the year 2023.

- 3. Acknowledged the report of the Corporate Governance assessment for the year 2023.
- 4. Considered the proposed nomination for director in place of directors who retired by rotation at the 2023 Annual General Meeting of Shareholders.
- 5. Considered an appointment of Head of Accounting Department.
- 6. Considered an extension of employment contract of the Executives who were due to retire.
- 7. Considered employees' remuneration for the year 2023.
- 8. Considered the guideline for proposing agendas and nominating persons to be directors for the 2024 annual general meeting of shareholders.

Roles and responsibilities in policy making and guidelines in nominating, setting remuneration for directors and authorized person, as well as in ensuring good corporate governance are disclosed in this annual report.

On behalf of the Nomination, Compensation and Corporate Governance Committee

(Mr.Chanmanu Sumawong)

Chairman of the Nomination, Compensation and Corporate Governance Committee



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