2020 UNAUDITED INTERIM RESULTS FOR THE SIX MONTHS ENDED 31 AUGUST 2020



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BALWIN PROPERTIES LIMITED INCORPORATED IN THE REPUBLIC OF SOUTH AFRICA REGISTRATION NUMBER 2003/028851/06 SHARE CODE: BWN ISIN: ZAE000209532 ("BALWIN" OR "THE GROUP" OR "THE COMPANY")

HIGHLIGHTS



COMMENTARY

CORPORATE OVERVIEW

Balwin is a specialist, national residential property developer of large-scale, sectional title estates for South Africa's growing low-to-middle income population, with a focus on high quality, affordable apartments with an innovative lifestyle offering for clients.

Balwin operates a build-to-sell model, developing and selling between 2 000 and 3 500 sectional-title residential apartments per year. The Company's current capacity is approximately 5 000 sectional-title residential apartments per annum. Owing to the operating model of the Company whereby the development process is managed in-house whilst the majority of the construction activities are outsourced to external parties, the Company has the ability to seamlessly upscale its development capacity.

The Balwin brand is synonymous with secure, affordable, high quality and environmentally-friendly developments. Apartments are designed to appeal to a wide range of home buyers, catering for first-time, young professional, young family, older family, retirees as well as buy-to-let investors.

Estates typically consist of between 1 000 and 2 000 sectional title residential apartments, however, larger estates are developed where market demand and infrastructure requirements allow. Estates are located in high-density, high-growth nodes across key metropolitan areas in Johannesburg, Tshwane, the Western Cape and KwaZulu-Natal. The group has a secure pipeline of 55 094 apartments across 23 developments in key target nodes with an approximate 10-year development horizon.

Balwin apartments are developed based on three distinct brands, namely the Classic Collection with apartments ranging in size from 39m² to 124m², and priced from R699 900 to R1 999 900, the Signature Collection developments which are built to higher specifications and achieve selling prices from R1999 900 to R2 999 900 and the Green Collection which attracts a lower LSM clientele when compared to the Classic collection target market, with the apartments priced from R499 900 to R999 900.

Apartments include modern fitted kitchens, prepaid water and solar-assisted electricity, eco-friendly fittings and appliances, and are all fibre enabled. Lifestyle centres are an integral part of the larger estate developments with facilities offered as all-inclusive value-added services. These lifestyle centres typically include free Wi-Fi, a wellness spa, restaurant, gym, squash court, running track, action sports field, games room, cinema room, swimming pools, playgrounds, laundromat and a concierge.

BUSINESS MODEL

Balwin's business model comprises four key elements:

Classic Collection

The Classic Collection focuses on providing a high quality, affordable build-to-sell product to the middle income population. Balwin benefits from economies of scale and in-house construction management while retaining flexibility throughout individual phases of large developments. Estates are developed on a phase-by-phase basis and the dynamic nature of the product enables Balwin to change the block design configuration in response to changing market conditions and customer demands.

Green Collection

The Green Collection apartments have a distinctive architecture that is different to Balwin's Classic Collection, yet remain synonymous with Balwin's quality and provides residents access to the lifestyle features associated with the Balwin brand, including the lifestyle centre (through the Green Barn), gym, restaurants and concierge.

Signature Collection

Balwin's portfolio incorporates two Signature Collection developments, being The Polofields (Waterfall) and Paardevlei Lifestyle Estate (Somerset West). The Signature Collection developments follow the standard phase-byphase approach used in all Balwin developments, however, the apartments are built to higher specifications. Considering prevailing macro-economic conditions, the Group does not intend to introduce new Signature Collection developments in the foreseeable future.

COMMENTARY (continued)

Annuity income

Balwin produces annuity income by leveraging its asset base and expanding its service offering to home owners. Partnerships have been established to provide high-speed fibre connectivity in Balwin estates as well as solar installations which generate renewable energy. The annuity business is complementary to Balwin's business model and enhances the lifestyle offering to customers, with limited additional construction costs required to generate annuity returns.

OPFRATIONAL REVIEW

Balwin's results for the six-month period ended 31 August 2020 reflect the unprecedented and evolving market conditions brought about by the coronavirus pandemic. As a result of the outbreak and the response implemented by the South African government to best contain the Covid-19 virus, no construction activity took place from the enforcement of the national lockdown on 26 March 2020 until the easing of the restrictions to alert level 3 on 1 June 2020 ("lockdown" or "lockdown period"). The start-up of construction was conducted on a phased basis in line with national regulations and accordingly it is estimated that, in total, construction activity was adversely impacted for approximately three months.

In response to the national lockdown, an online sales platform was launched and 350 sales were concluded during the nine-week lockdown period. This concurrent sales strategy will be continued into the 'new normal' business operations. Despite the welcome interest rate relief through the 275 basis point reduction in lending rates since the commencement of the financial year. market conditions remain challenging for the consumer. In response, Balwin has continued its marketing campaigns to clients to continue to drive sales where necessary with the reduced selling prices enabled by the healthy margins generated by the business. The Group used the lockdown period to engage in a "Lateral Thinking" initiative across all facets of operations in order to refine and entrench a culture of continuous improvement within the organisation to achieve the desired mantle of the best sectional title developer with respect to

construction guality, customer experience and affordability. Significant focus was further placed on effective cash management and improving internal efficiencies.

Balwin handed over 896 apartments (H12020: 1 309 apartments) during the reporting period, representing a 32% decrease from the prior period. The decrease in the apartments handed over was due to the inability of the business to complete construction as a direct result of the national lockdown. Demand for one- and two-bedroom apartments remained strong and comprised approximately 74% (H12020: 71%) of the total apartments sold. Accordingly, the Group has continued to ensure that the appropriate supply of these apartment types is included in its block configuration. The Group actively monitors the sales trends and retains the ability to proactively adapt its apartment mix and block configuration to satisfy the changing market demand to its benefit.

In total, 2 466 sales were recorded during the six-month period which has resulted in a healthy pre-sales position at interim period end. 1 667 apartments have been pre-sold beyond the reporting period and have accordingly not been recorded in revenue in the current financial period. This represents an increase of 685 apartments forward-sold when compared to the prior corresponding reporting period and underscores the sustained demand for the Balwin product. The Group is pleased with its strong pre-sales position and has implemented several measures for the remainder of the financial year that will increase its construction rate to match existing sales and continued strong demand for its product.

Balwin continues to be adversely affected by council related delays which prevents the timeous registration of apartments, a common occurrence in the industry. These delays have been heightened as a result of the Covid-19 pandemic with closure of council and deeds offices being a frequent event. As a result of these delays, the Group was unable to register 487 apartments by period end. By early October 2020, only 96 apartments had not been lodged and are expected to lodge and register imminently.

While the Company's immediate focus remains on the execution of its existing pipeline, it has remained alert to strategic opportunities in identified nodes.

During the interim period, Balwin successfully contracted land at Mooikloof Eco Estate in Mooikloof in order to expand its footprint in the Tshwane node. In order to optimally manage cash resources, the land was contracted for an initial deposit of R94 million (funded 60% by Investec Bank Limited) with the remainder of the purchase price being paid out of realised profits on registration of the apartments over the next seven years.

Additionally, Mooikloof Mega Residential City was recently designated as a Strategic Integrated Project (SIP) whereby the Department of Public Works and Infrastructure will fund the external bulk services installations in an effort by government to boost the economy post-Covid-19 and to create employment through infrastructure development.

Balwin intends to undertake the project for an initial 16 000 apartments with the potential to expand the development to approximately 50 000 apartments. In addition to Mooikloof Mega Residential City, Greencreek, Tshwane East which comprises approximately 3 800 apartments, was also announced as a SIP in the Gazette with the potential for the introduction of additional SIPs in other nodes in the future. Refer to the SENS announcement released on 31 August 2020 with respect to the project.

ENVIRONMENTAL MANAGEMENT

Environmental management remains a focus area for Balwin. The Group has continued its innovative approach to minimising its environmental impact and is committed to combating climate change by achieving green building ratings at its developments, including "6 Star" Green ratings from the Green Building Council of South Africa (GBCSA) for its lifestyle centres and net zero certification. Additionally, all apartments will be registered as Excellence in Design for Greater Efficiency (EDGE) certified with the GBCSA, a ground-breaking initiative by the Group which benefits both the environment as well as our customers through minimised utility consumption and reduced bond repayment from the lower interest rates offered by Green Bonds.

In the period, Balwin expanded the Green Bonds offering by partnering with First National Bank to offer Green home loans to its customers. The Green Bond provides the customer with a reduction in their qualifying interest rate due to Balwin's environmentally friendly development and green infrastructure technologies and services. The FNB Green Bond adds to the previously launched Absa Eco Home loan and the Group continues its plans to expand on the Green Bond concept with additional banks.

ANNUITY INCOME

The Group remains committed to delivering annuity income through relationships that enhance the lifestyle offering to Balwin's customers. Contributions from annuity income initiatives currently constitute a small portion of the total profits of the Group, with the most significant contributor being Balwin Fibre (Pty) Limited which has experienced pleasing growth during the period as a result of the increase in the apartments connected during lockdown.



COMMENTARY (continued)

ACHIEVEMENTS

The exceptional quality of the developments and the creative design of the Balwin product was recognised at the recent Africa and Arabia Property Awards where Balwin was presented with six awards in the following categories, adding to the 16 international property awards previously won by the Group:

- Leisure Development for South Africa Munyaka, Waterfall C
- Apartment/condominium for South Africa Munyaka, Waterfall
- Development Marketing Munyaka, Waterfall
- Leisure Architecture Munyaka, Waterfall
- Social Housing Greenlee, Linbro Park
- Sustainable Residential Development Greenlee, Linbro Park

During the interim period, the Group successfully launched its Munyaka (Waterfall, Johannesburg), Greencreek (Tshwane East), Greenbay (Gordons Bay, Western Cape) and Izinga Eco Estate (Umhlanga, KwaZulu-Natal) developments with strong sales recorded at all projects.

BALWIN FOUNDATION

Living its commitment as an invested corporate citizen of South Africa, the Balwin Foundation NPC supports and empowers the younger generation and previously disadvantaged individuals to gain greater knowledge and skills through technical vocational education and training. Students, employees, contractors and unemployed community members are trained in building industry-related trades which include tiling, painting, plastering and bricklaying as well as SME management including entrepreneurship, managing construction resources and preparing for tenders; all skills which are key to the success of the business. In addition, the Foundation offers courses in computer operations, financial management and time management.

The Balwin Foundation adjusted the targeted spend in response to the coronavirus pandemic in order to allocate more funds specifically to Covid-19 relief efforts in our local communities. The pandemic has made a significant impact on the Balwin Foundation's mission to improve lives through education and the upliftment of the local communities that it supports. During this time,

the Foundation is providing funding to various local community organisations in order for them to provide relief to their community members as well as issuing digital vouchers directly to those in need. The Foundation is also receiving donations specifically for Covid-19 relief efforts from staff and the Board of Directors who donated a portion of their salaries and director fees towards Covid Socio-economic development efforts.

Balwin Properties donates funds from the sale of each apartment to the Foundation which has successfully trained 672 previously disadvantaged individuals and has funded 25 tertiary students and 10 scholars (of which six are disabled) through its bursary programme.

FINANCIAL PERFORMANCE

REVENUE

The inability to complete construction on apartments as a result of the national lockdown contributed to a decline in revenue of 35% when compared to the prior interim period and is reflective of the approximate three-month delay in construction activities

The Group continued its focused marketing campaigns in order to drive sales in the challenging macro-economic conditions by offering clients price support through discounts and cost incentive initiatives. As previously communicated to shareholders, the contribution of the Green Collection apartments which return a lower selling price than the Classic and Signature Collections increased when compared to the prior interim period. Additionally, the Group experienced continued strong demand for one- and two-bedroom apartments which grew to 74% (H12020: 71%) of total apartments sold. These factors contributed to an approximate 5% reduction in the average selling price of apartments when compared to the prior interim period with the average selling price reducing to R1 033 046 (H12020; R1 075 412) per apartment.

The Classic Collection apartments continue to provide the majority of the Group's revenue from the sale of apartments at 76% (H12020: 80%) of total apartments sold while the contribution of the Green Collection developments increased to 15% (H12020: 8%) of the total apartments sold. The balance of 9% (H12020: 12%) of sales was generated by the Signature Collection apartments.

The Group expects the contribution of the Green Collection projects to continue to increase in the forthcoming financial year as it increases the roll out of these apartments in response to the current economic market.

GROSS PROFIT MARGIN

The Group recorded a 25% gross profit margin for the period (H12020: 25%). The stable margin returned was below the Group's initial forecast and largely resulted from the marketing campaigns offered to clients. Although margin dilutive, the marketing campaigns have proven to be highly successful in driving sales and yielded the desired results in ensuring the generation of cash flow to the business. Whilst incentive campaigns through the covering of sales associated professional costs and levy support will remain a continuous marketing tool, the Group does not intend to continue to discount selling prices should market conditions allow.

The Signature Collection developments continue to derive a lower gross margin when compared to both the Green Collection and Classic Collection apartments. This is largely as a result of the lower margins recorded at Paardevlei Lifestyle Estate located in the sought-after Paardevlei precinct in Somerset West, Western Cape. This picturesque estate with modern features has been designed with an underground basement and lifts, items not associated with the normal Balwin development model. Excluding the Signature collection developments, the business recorded a 29% margin for the six-month period (H12020: 32%).

The business targets a gross profit margin of approximately 35% through the lifecycle of its developments. The improvement in the gross margin of these developments is as a result of their maturation which is in line with the proven formulae of the Group whereby the phase-by-phase increase in the selling price outstrips the escalation in the development costs.

OPERATING EXPENSES AND OTHER INCOME

As communicated in the trading update, operating expenses of the Company recorded an inflationary-based increase when compared to the prior corresponding period, however, the Group operating costs increased by approximately 13% as a result of the improved activity in Balwin Fibre. The Company has continued to grow its management team during the period in an ongoing effort to strengthen the leadership team. Focused cost containment in other areas of the business has, however, largely offset these costs.

A significant decrease is expected in "other income" when compared to the prior corresponding period as a result of the loss of rental income that the Company earned in the prior period on the Greenpark apartments. Rental income was derived during the lease-up period prior to the sale of the apartments to Balwin Rentals Proprietary Limited in the previous year. In response to the continued delays in the ability to timeously register apartments, the Company is considering re-introducing occupational rent, although at a significantly discounted rate.

Cost management remains a priority area, with overhead costs being carefully monitored and aggressively managed.

EARNINGS PER SHARE AND HEADLINE EARNINGS PER SHARE

Earnings per share and headline earnings per share decreased by 56% to 17.33 cents (H12020: 39.50 cents) and 17.33 cents (H12020: 39.68 cents) respectively which is in line with the Group's trading update issued on 10 September 2020.

DEVELOPMENTS UNDER CONSTRUCTION

Developments under construction, including the value of land, land contribution costs and development costs, increased by R117.8 million from financial year-end to R3.49 billion. Land costs account for 28.7% of the value of work in progress.

During the interim period, Balwin successfully contracted land at Mooikloof Eco Estate in Mooikloof in order to expand its footprint in the Tshwane node, however, certain conditions precedent remain outstanding and accordingly the Group has not taken registration of the land. No parcels of land were registered to the Group during the period, however, ownership of the land at Izinga Eco Estate (Umhlanga, KwaZulu-Natal), Greenbay (Gordon's Bay, Western Cape) and Mooikloof Eco Estate is expected to register in the second half of the financial year.

Balwin will continue to review its development pipeline to ensure that it is complementary to its existing business model. The Company's immediate focus remains on the execution of its existing pipeline, however, the Board remain alert to strategic opportunities in desired nodes while giving due consideration to the cash resources of the business and its allocation of capital.

The Group continues to actively monitor the land reform policy to ensure that its secured pipeline of property developments is not negatively impacted.

COMMENTARY (continued)

CASH RESOURCES AND FUNDING STRUCTURE

The Group continued its focus on capital allocation and is pleased to report that cash on hand for the Group improved to R427.7 million at interim period end, an increase of R153.8 million from the prior corresponding period. It is noted that the deferral of the final dividend for the year ended 29 February 2020 (dividend of R68.5 million paid for year ended 28 February 2019) contributed to the increased cash on hand at period end.

Cash management and cash utilisation will continue to remain a priority focus area for the Group and Balwin continues to actively engage with its funding partners to ensure that appropriate facilities and financial support remain in place.

Development finance is obtained on a phase-by-phase basis and is secured against the pre-sales of the specific phase being financed. Development finance is obtained at an approximate loan to cost of 70% to 80% with the remainder of the construction costs financed through equity. Land funding is obtained from major financial institutions at a range of 50% to 70% of the cost of the land. Where land is contracted, the Group endeavours to do so in a manner that is not onerous on the cash resources of the Group through a balance of appropriate upfront gearing and the ability to settle the obligation through the cash realised from the registration of apartments.

The Group continues to hold discussions with various funding institutions with a view to explore new relationships. In the current period, Balwin has engaged the National Housing Finance Corporation Limited (NHFC) as its funding partner at Greenbay (Gordons Bay, Western Cape). The Group is currently undertaking a review of its funding structures with its funding partners to ensure that its projects are optimally funded.

The Group's long-term debt-to-equity ratio at the end of the reporting period was 25% compared to 23% in the prior corresponding period, well within the Board threshold of 50%. The Group measures long-term debt as all land and infrastructure debt. The Board believes that this is an appropriate metric as development finance is specific to a development, short-term in nature and secured by existing pre-sales.

DIVIDEND

Notice is hereby given that the Board has declared an interim gross dividend of 19.6 cents per ordinary share (H12020: 11.7 cents). This includes the dividend pertaining to the final results for the year ended 29 February 2020 which was previously deferred. The dividend is payable out of income reserves for the period ended 31 August 2020 to ordinary shareholders in accordance with the time table below:

Declared	Monday, 12 October 2020
Last day to trade (cum dividend)	Tuesday, 8 December 2020
Ex dividend	Wednesday, 9 December 2020
Record date	Friday, 11 December 2020
Payment date	Monday, 14 December 2020

Dividend tax amounting to 3.92 cents per ordinary share will be withheld in terms of the Income Tax Act. Ordinary shareholders who are not exempt from dividends tax will therefore receive a dividend of 15.68 cents net of dividends tax

The company has 472 192 592 ordinary shares in issue. Balwin's income tax reference number is 9058216848. Share certificates may not be dematerialised or rematerialised between Wednesday, 9 December 2020 and Friday. 11 December 2020, both days inclusive.

CHANGES TO THE BOARD COMPOSITION

The Board wishes to advise shareholders of the following changes to the composition of the below committees of the Board with effect from 18 June 2020:

- Mr Steve Brookes appointed as a member to the Social, Ethics and Transformation Committee
- Mr Jonathan Weltman appointed as a member to the Social, Ethics and Transformation Committee
- Ms Thoko Mokgosi-Mwantembe appointed as a member to the Remuneration and Nominations Committee

COVID-19: IMPACT ON OPERATIONS AND CASH FLOWS

Whilst the impact of the coronavirus pandemic on our customers remains uncertain, the strength and resilience of the Balwin brand continues to be evident with strong and sustained sales experienced. To date, the Company has not recorded a significant change in the fall-off of sales post the commencement of the pandemic with the cancellation rate remaining on par with the corresponding period.

Management continues to proactively engage with its suppliers and carefully manage its supply chain. To date, no major disruptions to the supply chain have been identified, however, management are putting in place contingency measures to consider alternatives for key stakeholders within the business.

The Group is well positioned from a liquidity and solvency perspective with healthy cash resources forecasted for the foreseeable future. In preparing the cash flow forecasts, the terms of existing debt covenants have been reviewed and are expected to be complied with in full with debt levels remaining comfortably within the gearing thresholds as set by the Board.

PROSPECTS

Whilst remaining apprehensive over the prevailing macro-economic climate and fiscal policy uncertainty, the Board remains positive on the resilience of the Balwin product as demonstrated by the sustained demand by its customers. This is evidenced through continued strong sales, enhanced by the highly successful recent launch of the online sales platform.

The Board is optimistic with respect to the opportunities presented through the recently gazetted SIPs. The Company is engaging with government to best position the business to roll out these projects to the benefit of Balwin's shareholders, prospective customers and the South African economy. In this regard, the required capital outlay and funding of the project is being given priority consideration. As consistently advised in recent communication to the shareholders, the Board continues to place an emphasis on appropriate cash management and cost containment. The growth in the Company's cash resources enables the Board to remain alert to prospects that could enhance its development pipeline in strategic nodes.

The Board continues to closely and carefully monitor the continued implications of the coronavirus on the business and management continues to prioritise the well-being of its people in this regard. The Board would like to compliment management on its exceptional response to the pandemic with no site disruptions noted to date outside of the national lockdown period.

Balwin remains committed to its unique lifestyle offering and the opportunity to expand on its partnership with Crystal Lagoon to bring the beach life to clients.



PIPELINE

	Expected commencement date of	Expected date of completion of	Status	Total apartments in	Total apartments	Total apartments	Total apartments recognised	Total apartments sold but not recognised in	Total unsold	Balwin
Development	construction	construction	(*)	development	sold	registered	in revenue		apartments	pipeline
Johannesburg Waterfall										
Kikuyu The Polofields Munyaka	Commenced Commenced Commenced	Aug 2021 Oct 2024 May 2028	A A A	1 270 1 512 5 106	1 001 730 623	938 651 –	960 702 -	41 28 623	269 782 4 483	310 810 5 106
Total				7 888	2 354	1 589	1 662	692	5 534	6 226
Johannesburg East The Reid Greenlee Greenpark Westlake 2	Commenced Commenced Commenced TBC	May 2022 Oct 2024 Aug 2024 TBC	A A A I	1 294 1 906 1 324 324	573 300 442 –	528 386 	545 167 405 –	28 133 37 –	721 1 606 882 324	749 1 739 919 324
Total				4 848	1 315	914	1 117	198	3 533	3 731
Johannesburg North Amsterdam The Whisken	Commenced Commenced	Complete Jun 2025	C A	1 040 1 490	1 038 422	992 422	1 021 422	17	2 1 068	19 1 068
Total				2 530	1 460	1 414	1 443	17	1 070	1 087
Johannesburg South Majella Park	TBC	TBC	I	280	-	_	_	_	280	280
Total				280	-	-	-	-	280	280
KwaZulu-Natal Ballito Hills Izinga Ballito Creek Greenlake	Commenced Commenced TBC TBC	Feb 2024 Nov 2028 TBC TBC	A A I	1 320 3 000 2 985 5 076	477 104 -	304 	331 - - -	146 104 -	843 2 896 2 985 5 076	989 3 000 2 985 5 076
Total				12 381	581	304	331	250	11 800	12 050

Development	Expected commencement date of construction	Expected date of completion of construction	Status (*)	Total apartments in development	Total apartments sold	Total apartments registered	Total apartments recognised in revenue	Total apartments sold but not recognised in revenue	Total unsold apartments	Balwin pipeline
Tshwane										
The Blyde	Commenced	Feb 2028	A	3 489	883	766	833	50	2 606	2 656
Greencreek	Commenced	Jun 2024	А	3 762	-	-	_	-	3 762	3 762
Mooikloof Eco Estate [#] Mooikloof Mega City [#]	Nov 2020 TBC	Nov 2030 TBC	I I	4 468 16 052	-	-	-	-	4 468 16 052	4 468 16 052
Total				27 771	883	766	833	50	26 888	26 938
Western Cape										
De Zicht	Commenced	Oct 2020	А	876	871	739	808	63	5	68
Paardevlei Lifestyle Estate	Commenced	Nov 2021	А	388	223	185	200	23	165	188
The Jade	Commenced	Complete	С	432	432	432	432	-	-	-
The Huntsman	Commenced	Feb 2024	А	1 044	183	120	158	25	861	886
Fynbos	Commenced	Feb 2024	A	1 116	248	106	154	94	868	962
Greenbay	Commenced	Aug 2026	A	1 824	54	-	-	54	1 770	1 824
Zevenwacht	TBC	TBC	1	854	-	-	-	-	854	854
Total				6 534	2 011	1 582	1 752	259	4 523	4 782
Grand total				62 232	8 604	6 569	7 138	1 466	53 628	55 094

* A – active; I – inactive; C – complete

* The Balwin pipeline comprises all current and future developments on land contracted by the Group. Certain parcels of contracted land remain subject to the fulfillment of conditions precedent.

Reconciliation of **HEADLINE EARNINGS** FOR THE SIX MONTHS ENDED 31 AUGUST 2020

		Unaudited Six months ended 31 August 2020	Unaudited Six months ended 31 August 2019	Audited 12 months ended 29 February 2020
Basic and headline earnings per share				
Basic	(cents)	17.33	39.50	88.02
Headline	(cents)	17.33	39.68	87.83
Diluted earnings	(cents)	17.19	39.12	87.17
Diluted headline earnings	(cents)	17.19	39.30	86.98
Tangible net asset value per share	(cents)	648.61	593.28	631.13
Net asset value per share	(cents)	648.61	593.28	631.13
Weighted average number of shares in issue	('000)	468 231	467 632	467 632
Net asset value	(R'000)	3 036 810	2 774 371	2 951 390
Reconciliation of profit for the period to basic and headline earnings Profit for the period/year attributable to equity holders Adjusted for:	(R'000)	81 158	185 368	411 610
– Dividends received from treasury shares	(R'000)	-	(662)	_
– Profit on disposal of property, plant and equipment	(R'000)	-	853	(907)
Headline earnings	(R'000)	81 158	185 559	410 703
Weighted average number of shares				
Weighted average number of shares in issue	('000)	468 231	467 632	467 632
Potential dilutive impact of share options	(′000)	3 962	4 561	4 561
		472 193	472 193	472 193

Condensed Consolidated Statement of **COMPREHENSIVE INCOME** FOR THE SIX MONTHS ENDED 31 AUGUST 2020

	Unaudited	Unaudited	Audited
	Six months ended	Six months ended	12 months ended
	31 August	31 August	29 February
	2020	2019	2020
	R'000	R'000	R'000
Revenue	929 578	1 419 353	2 914 453
Cost of sales	(701 826)	(1 071 202)	(2 124 703)
Gross profit	227 752	348 151	789 750
Other income	2 811	11 059	19 847
Operating expenses	(121 014)	(107 134)	(235 613)
Operating profit	109 549	252 076	573 984
Interest income	7 329	7 093	13 673
Finance costs	(4 062)	(2 613)	(12 643)
Share of profit of associate	75	-	322
Profit before taxation	112 891	256 556	575 336
Taxation	(31 653)	(71 188)	(163 976)
Profit for the period/year Other comprehensive income: Items that may be reclassified to profit or loss: Exchange differences on translating foreign operations	81 238	185 368	411 360
Total comprehensive income for the period/year	81 238	185 363	411 396
Profit attributable to: Owners of the parent Non-controlling interest	81 158 80	185 368	411 610 (250)
Total comprehensive income attributable to: Owners of the parent Non-controlling interest	81 238 81 158 80 81 238	185 368 185 363 	411 360 411 646 (250) 411 396
Basic and diluted earnings per share Basic (cents) Diluted (cents)	17.33	39.50	88.02
	17.19	39.26	87.17

Condensed Consolidated Statement of **FINANCIAL POSITION** AS AT 31 AUGUST 2020

	Unaudited As at 31 August 2020 R'000	Unaudited As at 31 August 2019 R'000	Audited As at 29 February 2020 R'000
ASSETS Non-current assets Property, plant and equipment Intangible assets Investment in associate Deferred taxation	95 026 13 259 398 –	94 302 6 851 1 380	90 654 9 049 323
Current assets Developments under construction Loans to related parties Trade and other receivables Development loans receivable Current tax receivable Cash and cash equivalents	108 683 3 487 816 14 112 666 476 46 551 46 333 427 726	102 534 3 221 589 15 839 455 314 	100 026 3 369 972 14 112 597 208 34 078 15 812 476 532
Total assets Equity and liabilities	4 689 024 4 797 707	3 979 825 4 082 359	4 507 714 4 607 740
Equity Share capital Foreign currency translation reserve Share-based payment reserve Retained income	663 079 	652 978 (482) 3 667 2 118 208	652 978 9 900 2 288 762
Non-controlling interest Total equity	3 036 980 (170) 3 036 810	2 774 371 2 774 371	2 951 640 (250) 2 951 390
Non-current liabilities Development loans and facilities Lease liabilities Deferred tax	153 357 2 274 131 534	257 369 	252 639 2 923 99 882
Current liabilities Development loans and facilities Trade and other payables Lease liabilities Contract liability Provisions	287 165 1 320 986 120 705 972 31 069	324 532 846 229 98 928 - 11 027 27 272	355 444 1 167 057 111 253 621 21 975
Total liabilities Total equity and liabilities	1 473 732 1 760 897 4 797 707	983 456 <u>1 307 988</u> 4 082 359	1 300 906 1 656 350 4 607 740

Condensed Consolidated Statement of CASH FLOWS FOR THE SIX MONTHS ENDED 31 AUGUST 2020

	Unaudited Six months ended 31 August 2020 R'000	Unaudited Six months ended 31 August 2019 R'000	Audited 12 months ended 29 February 2020 R'000
Cash flows from operating activities Cash (used in)/generated from operations Interest received Finance costs paid Taxation paid	(39 262) 7 329 (25 671) (30 521)	546 890 7 093 (60 575) (43 180)	581 724 12 680 (95 258) (104 514)
Net cash (used in)/generated from operating activities	(88 125)	450 228	394 632
Cash flows from investing activities Purchase of property, plant and equipment Proceeds on disposal of property, plant and equipment Purchase of intangible assets Loans advanced to related parties Increase in investment in associate Dividends received	(11 663) 1 102 (4 692) - (75) -	(12 234) 1 289 (954) (5 858) - 661	(24 816) 13 002 (3 468) (4 131) (322)
Net cash used in investing activities	(15 328)	(17 096)	(19 735)
Cash flows from financing activities Development loans repaid Development loans raised and utilised Investment loan and general banking facilities repaid Investment loan and general banking facilities raised and utilised Dividends paid	(508 802) 472 284 (158 280) 249 445 –	(1 000 924) 581 901 (126 100) 125 040 (68 515)	(1 216 242) 1 080 077 (126 100) 158 280 (123 762)
Net cash generated from/(used in) financial activities	54 647	(488 598)	(227 747)
Total cash and cash equivalents movement for the period/year	(48 806)	(55 466)	147 150
Cash and cash equivalents at the beginning of the period/year	476 532	329 382	329 382
Total cash and cash equivalents at the end of the period/year	427 726	273 916	476 532

Condensed Consolidated Statement of **CHANGES IN EQUITY** FOR THE SIX MONTHS ENDED 31 AUGUST 2020

	Share capital R'000	Foreign currency translation reserve R'000	Share-based payment reserve R'000	Retained income R'000	Total attributable to equity holders of the Group R'000	Non- controlling interest R'000	Total equity R'000
Balance at 28 February 2019 (Audited)	652 978	(477)	*	2 001 355	2 653 856	_	2 653 856
Total comprehensive income	_	(5)	_	185 368	185 363	-	185 363
Profit for the period	-	_	-	185 368	185 368	-	185 368
Other comprehensive income	-	(5)	_	_	(5)	-	(5)
Recognition of share-based payment reserve	-	-	3 667	-	3 667	-	3 667
Dividends paid	_	_	_	(68 515)	(68 515)	_	(68 515)
Balance at 31 August 2019 (Unaudited)	652 978	(482)	3 667	2 118 208	2 774 371	-	2 774 371
Total comprehensive income	_	41	_	226 242	226 283	(250)	226 033
Profit for the period	-		-	226 242	226 242	(250)	225 992
Other comprehensive income	-	41	_		41	_	41
Transfers between reserves	-	441		(441)	-	-	-
Share-based payment	_	_	6 233	-	6 233	_	6 233
Dividends paid	_	_	_	(55 247)	(55 247)	_	(55 247)
Balance at 29 February 2020 (Audited)	652 978	-	9 900	2 288 762	2 951 640	(250)	2 951 390
Profit for the period	-	-	-	81 158	81 158	80	81 238
Recognition of share-based payment reserve	-	-	4 182	-	4 182	-	4 182
Issue of long-term incentive shares	10 101	-	(10 101)	-	-	-	-
Balance at 31 August 2020 (Unaudited)	663 079	-	3 981	2 369 920	3 036 980	(170)	3 036 810

* Denotes a value of less than R1 000.

Notes to the **CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS** FOR THE SIX MONTHS ENDED 31 AUGUST 2020

1. Basis of preparation

The interim unaudited condensed consolidated financial statements have been prepared in accordance with and containing the information required by IAS 34: Interim Financial Reporting as well as the SAICA Financial Reporting Guides as issued by the Accounting Practices Committee, Financial Pronouncements as issued by Financial Reporting Standards Council, the JSE Listings Requirements and the Companies Act, 2008 (No. 71 of 2008) as amended. They have been prepared on the historical cost basis, except for certain financial instruments which are measured at fair value, and are presented in South African Rand, which is the Group's functional and presentation currency.

The accounting policies and methods of computation are in terms of International Financial Reporting Standards ("IFRS") and are consistent with those of the consolidated financial statements for the year ended 29 February 2020. These interim unaudited condensed consolidated financial statements do not include all the information required for a complete set of financial statements. However, selected explanatory notes have been included to explain events and transactions that are significant to an understanding of the changes in the Group's financial position and performance from the year ended 29 February 2020.

The interim unaudited condensed consolidated financial statements have been internally prepared under the supervision of J Weltman, in his capacity as Chief Financial Officer.

The interim unaudited condensed consolidated financial Statements have not been reviewed or audited by BDO South Africa Inc., the Group's external auditors.

	Unaudited Six months ended 31 August 2020 R'000	Unaudited Six months ended 31 August 2019 R'000	Audited 12 months ended 29 February 2020 R'000
2. Revenue			
Revenue from the sale of apartments	912 593	1 407 735	2 842 856
Revenue from the sale of land	-	-	45 000
Donations	605	547	3 174
Bond commission	6 212	5 317	10 993
Rental of electronic communication	10 168	5 754	12 430
	929 578	1 419 353	2 914 453

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		Unaudited As at 31 August 2020 R'000	Unaudited As at 31 August 2019 R'000	Audited As at 29 February 2020 R'000
3.	Developments under construction Developments under construction	3 487 816	3 221 589	3 369 972
	Developments under construction include the following:			
	Costs of construction	1 403 189	1 285 613	1 307 511
	Land and land contribution costs	1 580 905	1 408 694	1 560 221
	Development rights	503 722	527 282*	502 240
		3 487 816	3 221 589	3 369 972

Development rights pertains to the rights assigned to Balwin Properties including all the rights to use The Polofields and The Waterfall Fields properties for the purpose of undertaking the developments.

The cost of developments under construction recognised as an expense during the current period was R700.6 million (H12020: R1 054.8 million).

No costs that were previously capitalised to developments under construction were written off in the current period (H12020: Rnil).

*Certain costs were incorrectly classified to development rights in the prior period. This included certain construction and land contribution costs incurred to the property to which the development rights pertain. The classification has been amended to better reflect the value of the development right. The note for the corresponding period has been reclassified to reflect the appropriate comparative on a consistent method of classification. The reclassification did not have any impact on the total value of the developments under construction as reported in the prior period. A mortgage bond is in place over certain portions of land which acts as security for the development loans advanced. At period-end, the following mortgage bonds were registered:

Land	Unaudited As at 31 August 2020 R'000	Unaudited As at 31 August 2019 R'000	Audited As at 29 February 2020 R'000
Remaining Extent of Portion 14 Farm 197 Olivedale	200 000	200 000	200 000
Erf 20252 Somerset West	-	200 000	200 000
Retention of a first covering notarial deed of lease over Portion 822 (a portion of portion 62) of the Farm Waterval 5	400 000	400 000	-
Remaining Extent of Portion 6 and Portion 241 of Farm Zwartkoppies No. 364 JR	300 000	300 000	300 000
Portion 837 (a portion of portion 1) of the Farm Waterval 5 IR	200 000	200 000	200 000
Erf 2 Richmond Park; Remaining Extent of Erf 36555 Milnerton and Erf 38435 Milnerton	200 000	200 000	200 000
Holdings 92, 102, 103, 104, 105 and 106 Crowthorne Agricultural Holdings, City of Johannesburg	-	187 256	-
Remaining extent of Holding 20, Holdings 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 35, 36, 37 and 38 Linbro Park Agricultural Holdings	183 536	183 536	183 536
Erven 19311, 19312, 19314, 19468 and Erf 19533 Somerset West	-	200 000	-
Portion 1 of Holding 20, Holdings 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27; Holding 34, Linbro Park Agricultural Holdings	224 385	224 385	224 385
Portion 1 of Erf 4484 Ballitoville, Kwadukuza	190 579	190 579	190 579
Sections 26 to 36, 60 to 64, 66 to 67, 74 to 78 Paardevlei Square, Somerset West, City of Cape Town, Division Stellenbosch, Western Cape Province	-	35 788	-
Erf 10087 Macassar	220 000	220 000	220 000
Remaining Extent of Erf 1 Sandown	300 000	300 000	300 000
The lease area over Portion 865 (a portion of Portion 1) of farm WatervaL 5, Registration Division I.R., Province of Gauteng measuring 29.7991 (twenty-nine comma seven nine nine one) hectares	500 000	500 000	500 000
Holding 17, 103, 104 and 105, Linbro Park Agriculture Holdings	300 000	300 000	300 000
Remainder of Erf 4484, Ballitoville, Registration Division FU, KwaZulu-Natal	500 000	500 000	500 000
Portion 537 (a portion of 378) of the Farm Driefontein Number 85 (now known as Lilianton	240 000	240 000	240 000
Extension 9 Township, Erven 585 and 586 Lilianton Extension 9)			
Portion 21 of Erf 27, Cornubia, Registration Division FU, KwaZulu-Natal	300 000	300 000	300 000
	4 258 500	4 881 544	4 058 500

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4. Share capital

	Unaudited As at 31 August 2020	Unaudited As at 31 August 2019	Audited As at 29 February 2020
Authorised Ordinary shares (Number of shares) Issued and fully paid up	1 000 000	1 000 000	1 000 000
Ordinary shares (R'000)	663 079	652 978	652 978

The unissued shares are under the control of the Directors until the next annual general meeting.

	Unaudited As at 31 August 2020	Unaudited As at 31 August 2019	Audited As at 29 February 2020
Reconciliation of shares in issue			
Opening balance	467 632	467 632	467 632
Treasury shares converted	599	-	-
Closing balance	468 231	467 632	467 632

5. Development loans and facilities

	Unaudited As at 31 August 2020 R'000	Unaudited As at 31 August 2019 R'000	Audited As at 29 February 2020 R'000
Non-current liabilities At amortised cost	153 357	257 369	252 639
Current liabilities At amortised cost	1 320 986	846 229	1 167 057
	1 474 343	1 103 598	1 419 696
Fair value of the financial liabilities carried at amortised cost Development loans General banking facility Investment loan facility	1 224 898 160 000 89 445	978 558 75 040 50 000	1 261 416 68 280 90 000
	1 474 343	1 103 598	1 419 696

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5. Development loans and facilities (continued)

Development loans	Average nominal interest rate %	Maturity date	Unaudited As at 31 August 2020 R'000
Non-current loans Portimix Proprietary Limited	8%	Between June 2022 and June 2025	153 357
Current loans Absa Bank Limited Nedbank Limited Investec Bank Limited Portimix Proprietary Limited	Prime Prime Prime less 0.25% 8%	Between September 2020 and August 2021 Between September 2020 and August 2021 Between September 2020 and August 2021 June 2021	469 892 157 964 344 361 99 324
			1 071 541 1 224 898
Investment loan and general banking facilities			
Current loans Nedbank Limited Absa Bank Limited	Prime Prime	September 2020 September 2020	160 000 89 445
			249 445

5. Development loans and facilities (continued)

Development loans	Average nominal interest rate %	Maturity date	Unaudited As at 31 August 2019 R'000
Non-current loans Portimix Proprietary Limited	8%	Between June 2020 and June 2025	257 369
Current loans Absa Bank Limited Nedbank Limited Investec Bank Limited Portimix Proprietary Limited	Prime Prime Prime less 0.25% 8%	Between September 2019 and August 2020 Between September 2019 and August 2020 Between September 2019 and August 2020 June 2020	136 113 193 495 283 708 107 873
			721 189 978 558
Investment loan and general	l banking facilities		
Current loans Nedbank Limited	Prime	September 2019	75 040
Absa Bank Limited	Prime	September 2019	50 000
			125 040

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5. Development loans and facilities (continued)

Development loans	Average nominal interest rate %	Maturity date	Audited As at 29 February 2020 R'000
Non-current loans Portimix Proprietary Limited	8%	Between June 2020 and June 2025	252 639
Current loans Absa Bank Limited Nedbank Limited Investec Bank Limited Portimix Proprietary Limited	Prime Prime Prime less 0.25% 8%	Between March 2020 and February 2021 Between March 2020 and February 2021 Between March 2020 and February 2021 June 2020	336 682 168 145 427 364 76 586 1 008 777 1 261 416
Investment loan and general banking facilities			
Current loans Nedbank Limited Absa Bank Limited	Prime Prime	March 2020 March 2020	68 280 90 000 158 280

6. Related party disclosure

	Unaudited As at 31 August 2020 R'000	Unaudited As at 31 August 2019 R'000	Audited As at 29 February 2020 R'000
Related party balances			
Loan accounts and trade receivables owing by related parties Balwin Rentals Proprietary Limited Legaro Property Development Proprietary Limited**	14 112 43 348	15 839 _	14 112 46 575
Related party transactions			
Sale of apartments and land to related parties			
Directors and companies Legaro Property Development Proprietary Limited**	-	-	45 000
Associate Balwin Rentals Proprietary Limited	-	49 686	49 686
Property rental management fee received			
Directors and prescribed officers RN Gray J Weltman U Gschnaidtner SV Brookes	141 5 16 257	164 7 22 298	245 9 33 447
Rental paid to related parties			
Directors, prescribed officers and companies SV Brookes Volker Properties Proprietary Limited* RN Gray U Gschnaidtner	653 24 173 -	581 - - -	867 106
Compensation to Directors and other key management			
Directors' emoluments	15 644	17 159	38 318

* The entity is controlled by SV Brookes. ** Spouse of SV Brookes has significant influence over the entity and is a member of the key management personnel.

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7. Financial instruments

	Unaudited As at 31 August 2020 R'000	Unaudited As at 31 August 2019 R'000	Audited As at 29 February 2020 R'000
Financial assets at amortised cost			
Trade and other receivables	665 862	455 314	598 007
Cash and cash equivalents	427 726	273 916	476 532
Development loans receivable	46 561	-	34 078
Loans to related parties	14 112	15 839	14 112
Financial liabilities at amortised cost			
Development loans	(1 474 343)	(1 103 598)	(1 419 696)
Trade and other payables	(99 418)	(93 509)	(67 563)
Contract liability	-	(11 027)	_

8. Fair value information

The different levels are defined as follows:

Level 1: Quoted unadjusted prices in active markets for identical assets or liabilities that the Group can access at measurement date.

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: Unobservable inputs for the asset or liability.

No changes have been made to the valuation techniques.

The fair values of financial instruments that are not traded in an active market are determined using standard valuation techniques.

These valuation techniques maximise the use of observable market data where available and rely as little as possible on Company-specific estimates.

The Group does not hold any financial instruments that are classified as Level 3. There were no transfers between Levels 1, 2 and 3 during the period.

9. Events after reporting period

The directors are not aware of any material event which occurred after the reporting date and up to the date of this report.

Corporate information

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Incorporated in the Republic of South Africa Registration number 2003/028851/06 Share code: BWN ISIN: ZAE000209532 ("Balwin" or "the Group" or "the Company")

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