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To be the preferred provider of cement and cement products in Eastern Africa.

To manufacture and market quality cement and cement products to the satisfaction of our customers.

## **TEAMWORK**

We promote respect, unity and commonness of purpose amongst staff. We also promote and encourage exchange of ideas and openness.

#### INTEGRITY

We embrace a culture that promotes honesty, transparency, accountability and professional ethics.

## **CUSTOMER FOCUS**

We are dedicated to meeting customer expectations.

## **TIMELINESS**

We promote timely delivery of high quality products.

## **INNOVATIVENESS**

We encourage creativity, embrace positive change and reward innovation.

## COMMITMENT

We ensure peak performance, enthusiasm and excitement for work.





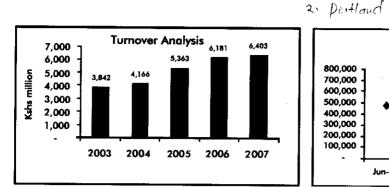
## **Five Year Financial Review**

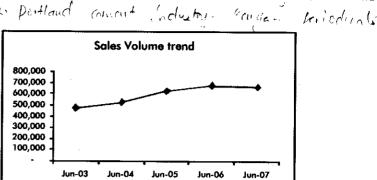
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	2807	2006	2005	2004	2003	2002
	She'000	Shs'000	Shs'000	Shs'000	Shs'000	Shs'000
Turnover	6,402,736	6,180,715	5,363,196	4,166,289	3,842,138	3,207,060
Operating profit	757,337	586,294	915,698	441,076	170,543	436,544
Foreign currency	1.60					
exchange Gain/ (Loss)	307,811	308,242	199,549	(637,632)	298,522	(145,492)
Profit / (Loss) before tax	1,112,625	924,364	1,086,280	(391,594)	382,164	212,934
Taxation credit / (Charge)	(348,461)	(512,571)	(478,408)	199,901	(156,021)	(89,755)
Profit /(Loss) Attributable						
to Members	764/164	411,793	607,872	(191,693)	226,143	123,179
Dividends	234,000	234,000	225,000	157,500	157,500	135,000
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Capital Employed		• • •				
Assets	<b>3</b>				_	
Non current	4.00	5,570,488	4,768,043	5,050,681	5,201,517	5,440,126
Current	3,170,375	3,481,719	2,949,837	2,419,616	2,266,420	1,974,527
Total assets	8,988,572	9,052,207	7,717,880	7,470,297	7,467,937	7,414,653
Equity & Liabilities						
Capital and reserves	3 607 007	3,076,933	2,252,835	1,802,463	2,151,656	1,897,111
Non current liabilities	Semi-fredrika (* 50. 50. 50. 50. 50. 50. 50. 50. 50. 50.	4,577,333	4,570,362	4,589,480	4,378,135	4,730,968
Current liabilities	5.75	1,397,941	894,683	1,078,354	938,146	786,574
- Carrein nabilities						
Total Equity & Liabilities	8,936,572	9,052,207	7,717,880	7,470,297	7,467,937	7,414,653
Profit as % of Turnover						
Operating profit	12%	9%	17%	11%	4%	14%
Net Profit for the Year	12%	7%	11%	-5%	6%	4%
Earnings per Share	8.49	4.58	6.75	(2.13)	2.51	1.37
Lamings per Share		7.00	0.70	(2.10)	2.01	7.0.
Dividends per share (Kshs	γ			•		-
Interim Paid	1.30	1.30	_	-	-	-
Final & proposed	3.5	*4* ***	2.50	1.75	1.75	1.50
	240	0.60	2.50	1.75	1.75	1.50
Total =		2.60	2.50	1.75	1.75	1.00

FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2007

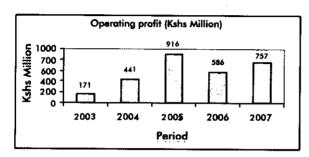
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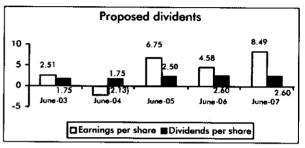


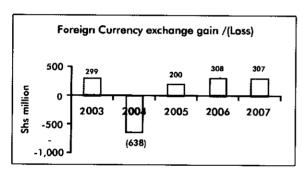


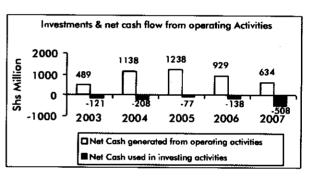
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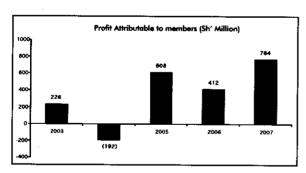
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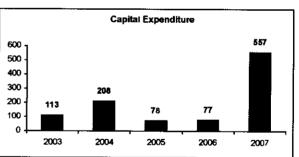


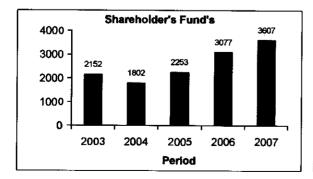


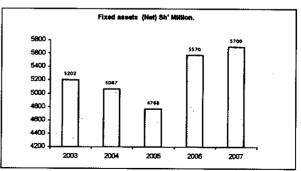






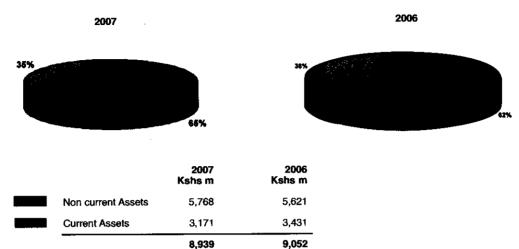




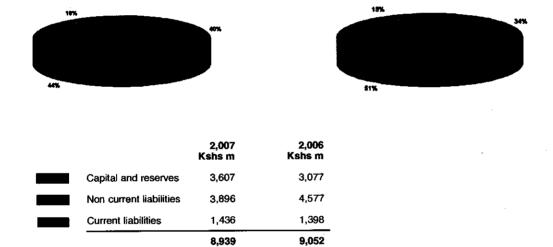


## FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2007

#### **DISTRIBUTION OF ASSETS**



## DISTRIBUTION OF EQUITY AND LIABILITIES



	2007 SN:000	2006 Sh'000
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Revenue	6,402,736	6,180,715
Profit /(Loss) before tax	1,112,625	924,364
Profit/ (Loss) attributable to to the shareholders of the		
East African Portland Cement Company Limited	764,164	411,793
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Dividends	234,000	234,000
Share Capital and Shareholders' funds		
Ordinary Share Capital	450,000	450,000
Shareholders fund	3,157,097	2,626,933
Earnings and Dividend per share		
Earnings per share	8.49	4.58
Dividend Per Share		
Interim Paid	1.30	1.30
Final & proposed	1.30	1.30
Total	260	2.60

Notice is hereby given that the 75th Annual General Meeting of The East African Portland Cement Company Limited will be held at the Company's Club House, Athi River, on Thursday 29 November 2007 at 12.00 Noon to transact the following business:-

- 1. To read the Notice convening the meeting.
- 2. To confirm the minutes of the 74th Annual General Meeting held on 14 December 2006.
- 3. To receive the Chairman's Report.
- 4. To receive, consider and adopt the Financial Statements for the year ended 30 June 2007 together with the reports of the directors and auditors thereon.
- To confirm an Interim dividend of Kshs 1/30 per share paid during the year and to declare a final dividend of Kshs 1/30 per share in respect of the Financial Year ended 30 June 2007 as recommended by the directors.
- 6. To elect directors:-
- (i) In accordance with Article 99 of the company's Articles of Association, the following directors retire by rotation at this meeting and, being eligible, offer themselves for re-election.
  - · Mr Joseph Kinyua
  - Mr David Nalo
- (ii) In accordance with Article 83 of the company's Articles of Association, Mr Titus Naikuni retires at this meeting and, being eligible, offers himself for re-election.
- 7. To approve the remuneration of the Directors as shown in the Financial Statements for the year ended 30 June 2007.
- 8. To note that Messrs Deloitte & Touche, who were appointed by the Controller and Auditor General as authorized auditors, have expressed their willingness to continue in office subject to being re-appointed in accordance with Section 39(1) of the Public Audit Act 2003 and to authorise the directors to fix their remuneration.
- 9. To transact any other business of the company of which due notice has been received in accordance with the Company's Articles of Association.

BY ORDER OF THE BOARD

#### JLG MAONGA

**SECRETARY** 

Date: September 14, 2007

Note: A member entitled to attend and vote at this meeting is entitled to appoint a proxy to attend and vote on his behalf. A proxy need not be a member of the Company.



# BOARD OF DIRECTORS



NDEGWA K KAGIO Ag MANAGING DIRECTOR



BENSON SANDE POETA CHAIRMAN



R ANTHONY HADLEY DIRECTOR\*



JOSEPH K KINYUA DIRECTOR



DAVID IN



TITUS TUKERO NAIKUNI ... DIRECTOR



RACHAEL LUMBASYO DIRECTOR



J L G MAONGA COMPANY SECRETARY



SANKALE ole KANTAI DIRECTOR

# CORPORATE INFORMATION

#### MANAGEMENT EXECUTIVE TEAM

NDEGWA KAGIO Ag MANAGING DIRECTOR

KEPHAR TANDE GM FINANCE
CALEB KAPTEN GM COMMERCIAL
ALEX MUTISYA Ag GM-WORKS
ROSEMARY GITUMA FINANCE MANAGER

HARRIS NJUGUNA Ag HUMAN RESOURCE MANAGER

CHARLES KALOKI IT MANAGER

CHARLES OBOCK PRODUCTION MANAGER

PETER KORIR CORPORATE PLANNING & PERFORMANCE MANAGER

KANANGA M'NCHEBERE CHIEF ELECTRICAL ENGINEER
SALIM DAGHAR CHIEF MECHANICAL ENGINEER
STEPHEN K NTHEI INTERNAL AUDIT MANAGER
TOM OMBASA COMMERCIAL MANAGER

**DIRECTORS** 

B S NDETA CHAIRMAN

N K KAGIO MANAGING DIRECTOR (Ag)

S ole KANTAI T T NAIKUNI

R A HADLEY\* (ALTERNATE – K H W KEITH) \* BRITISH

J K KINYUA (ALTERNATE – J KINYANJUI)
R LUMBASYO (ALTERNATE – J AKOYA)
D NALO (ALTERNATE – E KIMURI)

SECRETARY JLG MAONGA

CERTIFIED PUBLIC SECRETARY (KENYA)

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REGISTRARS Haki Registrars

P O Box 40868 - 00100. Nairobi

BANKERS Kenya Commercial Bank Limited

Standard Chartered Bank Kenya Limited Standard Chartered Bank Uganda Limited The Co-operative Bank of Kenya Limited

Barclays Bank of Kenya Limited Stanbic Bank Kenya Limited

AUDITORS Controller and Auditor General

P O Box 30084 - 00100. Nairobi

# SHAREHOLDING STRUCTURE 30/06/2007

OF SHĂRES HEL % HOL **SHAREHOLDER** 24,300,000 # # # **NSSF** 22,799,505 **GOK** 13,180,442 **CEMENTIA(LAFARGE)** 13,144,442 **BCI** 11,265,068 **BAMBURI(NOMINESS** 5,310,543 **OTHERS** 90,000,000 100 **TOTAL** 

SHARE DISTRIBUTION SCHEDULE

IARES HE **CATEGORY** NO. OF **SHAREHOLDERS** 1 -1,000 495 1,001 - 5400 229 5,001 4000 1.5 10,001 - 50,000 50,001 - 100,000 0.6 6,788,266 96.4 Over 100,000 90,000,000

**TOTAL** 

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The directors present their report together with the audited financial statements of the company for the year ended 30 June 2007.

#### ACTIVITIES

The principal activity of the company is the manufacture and sale of cement.

#### RESULTS

Profit before taxation Taxation charge

Profit for the year



#### DIVIDENDS

An interim dividend of Sh 1.30 per share (2006 – Sh 1.30 per share) totalling to Sh 117,000,000 (2006 – Sh 117,000,000) was paid during the year. The directors propose the payment of a final dividend of Sh 1.30 per share (2006 – Sh 1.30), totalling Sh 117,000,000 (2006 - Sh 117,000,000) in respect of the year ended 30 June 2007.

#### DIRECTORS

The current board of directors is shown on pages 9 and 10. The following changes have taken place since 1 July 2006: Mr G C D Groom resigned on 10 July 2007 and was replaced by Mr T T Naikuni. On 25 July 2007, Mrs M C Rotich was replaced by Mr E Kimuri as an alternate director to Mr D Nalo. Mr A Odero was replaced by Mr J Akoya as alterenate director to Mrs Rachael Lumbasyo on 6 September 2007.

#### **AUDITORS**

The Controller & Auditor General is responsible for the statutory audit of the company's books of account in accordance with section 14 and section 39(i) of the Public Audit Act, 2003 which empowers the Controller & Auditor General to nominate other auditors to carry out the audit on her behalf. Deloitte & Touche, who were nominated by the Controller & Auditor General, carried out the audit of the financial statements for the year ended 30 June 2007.

## BY ORDER OF THE BOARD

SECRETARY Nairobi September 14, 2007 The Companies Act requires the directors to prepare financial statements for each financial year which give a true and fair view of the state of affairs of the company as at the end of the financial year and of the operating results of the company for that year. It also requires the directors to ensure that the company keeps proper accounting records which disclose with reasonable accuracy at any time the financial position of the company. They are also responsible for safeguarding the assets of the company.

The directors are responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of these financial statements in accordance with International Financial Reporting Standards. This responsibility includes: designing, implementing and maintaining internal controls relevant to the preparation and fair presentation of financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error, selecting and applying appropriate accounting policies, and making accounting estimates that are reasonable in the circumstances.

The directors accept responsibility for the annual financial statements, which have been prepared using appropriate accounting policies supported by reasonable and prudent judgements and estimates, in conformity with International Financial Reporting Standards and in the manner required by the Companies Act. The directors are of the opinion that the financial statements give a true and fair view of the state of the financial affairs of the company and of its operating results. The directors further accept responsibility for the maintenance of accounting records which may be relied upon in the preparation of financial statements, as well as adequate systems of internal financial control.

Nothing has come to the attention of the directors to indicate that the company will not remain a going concern for at least twelve months from the date of this statement.

Benson Ndeta Chairman Ndegwa K. Kagio Ag Managing Director

September 14, 2007.





Successful corporate governance is achieved through a system that clearly defines authority and responsibility, resulting in a system of internal controls that is regularly tested to ensure effectiveness.

The company confirms its commitment to the principle of openness, integrity and accountability as embodied by the core tenets of corporate governance. Through this process the shareholders and other stakeholders get the assurance that the company is managed according to prudently determined risk parameters in compliance with the law and generally accepted corporate practice.

The Company is committed to meeting the standards of good corporate governance set out in Capital Markets Authority guidelines on Corporate Governance practices and by public listed Company's in Kenya (CMA guidelines) as well as other internationally recognised standards.

The board places a high premium on maintaining a sound control environment and applying the highest standards of business integrity and professionalism in all areas. The board has adopted the Code for Corporate Governance as its benchmark in developing corporate governance principles. The Board continually reviews compliance with CMA guidelines and international standards and has confirmed that the Company is compliant in most respects.

#### ROLES AND RESPONSIBILITIES

## SHAREHOLDERS

The shareholders' role is to appoint the Board of Directors and external auditors. This role is extended to holding the board accountable and responsible for efficient and effective governance. The board is responsible for governing the company and conducts the business and operations of the company with integrity and in accordance with generally accepted corporate practices based on transparency, accountability and responsibility.

#### EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

The committee is chaired by Benson S. Ndeta (chairman of the board and non-executive director), whose other members are the Managing Director and five non-executive directors. The board meets whenever issues necessitating a meeting arise, but at any rate not less than four times a year.

## **BOARD OF DIRECTORS**

In line with conventional best practice, the Board is chaired by a non-executive chairman and includes a managing director and six other non-executive directors. All non-executive directors are independent of management. Directors are required to disclose all areas of conflict of interest to the board and are excluded from voting on such areas.

The directors bring a wealth of experience and knowledge to the Board's deliberations, which are enhanced by the provision of relevant information on the company's performance.

The board provides overall strategic direction, reviews performance, takes material policy decisions, ensures that the company meets its responsibilities to its shareholders and ensures that the company meets its responsibilities to its shareholders and ensures that adequate controls exist to protect the company's assets against major risks. The board has delegated the authority for implementing strategy and day-to-day management of the company to the Managing Director. It however, retains the overall responsibility for financial and operating decisions and monitoring performance of senior management.

The board meets on a regular basis and has a formal schedule of matters reserved for it and also has access to the internal audit of the company, the company secretary and the legal counsel. The board has appointed a number of sub-committees to which it has delegated certain responsibilities with the chairpersons of the sub-committees reporting to the board.

All new directors undergo a formal induction process to ensure they are fully acquainted with the company's business, its policies and organisation structure.

## COMMITTEES OF THE BOARD

The board has appointed four sub-committees which meet regularly under the terms of reference set by the Board.

#### AUDIT COMMITTEE

The committee is chaired by Mr. Sankale ole Kantai, who is an independent and non-executive director. It comprises five non-executive directors and its meetings are attended by the Head of Finance, Internal Audit Manager and representatives of the external auditors. It meets at least once every quarter and also before every board meeting. The functions of the committee include:

- Evaluation and improvement of management information and internal control systems.
- Review of financial statements of the company, focusing particularly on accounting policies and practices, adjustments arising from and compliance with International Financial Reporting Standards (IFRS) and other legal requirements.
- Meetings with external auditors before audit to review the nature and scope of audit.
- Review of major findings of internal and external audit reports and management's response.
- Discussion of problems and reservations arising from internal and final audits and any other matters the external auditors may wish to discuss.

The committee also reviews bi-annually the authority, resources and scope of internal audit with a view of strengthening the effectiveness of internal and external audit.

# HUMAN RESOURCES AND REMUNERATION COMMITTEE

The committee is chaired by Mrs. Rachael Lumbasyo. It meets quarterly or as required and it is responsible for monitoring and appraising the performance of senior management, including the Managing Director, reviewing of all human resource policies, determining the remuneration of senior management and making recommendations to the board on the remuneration of non-executive directors.

## TECHNICAL COMMITTEE

The committee meets quarterly or as required. It is chaired by the Mr. Titus T. Naikuni. Among

its responsibilities is to consider and recommend the company's capital expenditure plans. It also reviews proposals for capital developments.

The committee also appraises capital budgets for all hardware and software purchases for recommendation to the board and ensures that the company's IT strategy is in line with the company's overall business objectives.

#### TENDER COMMITTEE

The committee is chaired by Mr. Caleb K. Kapten. It meets quarterly or as required and its composition and responsibilities are as per the company's procurement policies and the Public Procurement and Disposals Act 2005 and The Public Procurement and Disposal Regulations, 2006. There is a Disposal Committee also responsible for the disposal of the company's significant non-operating assets.

## DIRECTORS' EMOLUMENTS AND LOANS

The aggregate amount of emoluments paid to directors for services rendered during the Financial Year 2007 are disclosed in notes 3 and 31 to the financial statements. Neither at the end of the financial year nor at any time during the year did there exist any arrangement to which the company is a party, whereby directors might get benefits by means of acquisition of the company's shares.

#### CORPORATE GOALS

## **ENVIRONMENT HEALTH & SAFETY**

The company is committed to protecting the health and safety of all individuals affected by its activities, including employees, contractors and the public. We emphasize environmental protection and stewardship and recognise that pollution prevention, biodiversity and resource conservation are key to a sustainable environment. We effectively integrate these concepts into our business decision-making.

## STAKEHOLDER RELATIONS

We endeavour to engage stakeholders clearly, honestly and respectfully, and are committed to timely and meaningful dialogue with all of them.

#### EMPLOYEE RELATIONS

We ensure that employees are treated fairly and with dignity so as to enable them to achieve their career goals and aspirations. We apply fair labour practices, while respecting national laws, as well as the customs, believes and interests of the communities within which we operate. We offer quality opportunities in all aspects of employment and will not engage in or tolerate unlawful work place conduct, including discrimination, intimidation, or harassment.

#### **HUMAN RIGHTS**

We work with the governments in the countries where we sell our products, as well as non-governmental agencies to advocate respect for human rights. We never tolerate human rights abuses, and do not engage in any activities that would encourage human rights abuse.

The East African Portland Cement Company has as part of its corporate strategy the resolve to do profitable and sustainable business while contributing positively to the communities around us and safeguarding the environment. Our daily activities together with our partners are guided by the spirit of producing high quality cement products while helping to build stronger local communities, minimise our environmental footprint and be responsive to our customers' health and wellness needs.

Giving back to the community is part of our corporate culture and business model. This is outlined in our CSR Policy. Our support is focused on nine key areas, namely:

- Staff health, safety and job satisfaction
- The environment
- Education
- Water
- Health
- Relief aid
- Sports
- Charity donations
- Social marketing.

As a corporate citizen, we have a mandate to integrate and manage social and environmental concerns in our business practice and operations while mutually interacting with its stakeholders.

We always seek to achieve commercial success in ways that honour ethical values and respect people, communities, and the environment. We recognise the fact that good corporate citizenship is not only about putting in place sound business strategies, making impressive profits, paying good salaries and making huge tax returns. It is also about creating partnerships with the community and ensuring both parties benefit from the co-operation.

We therefore have put in place a comprehensive Corporate Social Responsibility programme, through which we share our gains with communities that make our operations possible by being good neighbours and customers. We employ a collaborative approach to facilitate partnership with communities. We conduct surveys to understand their development priorities and then devise solutions.

## **OUR CSR POLICY PILLARS**

- Business ethics.
- Community development and economic advancement.
- Community involvement -- philanthropy, cause-related marketing, volunteerism, etc.
- Corporate governance and accountability.
- The environment
- Human rights
- Workplace issues employee benefits, diversity, HIV/Aids in the workplace, sexual harassment and employee privacy.



The Financial statements on pages 23 to 46 for the year ended June 30, 2007, which have been prepared on the basis of the accounting policies set out on page 27 to 30, have been audited on my behalf by the auditors appointed under section 39 of the public Audit Act, 2003.

The auditors have duly reported to me the results of their audit and, on the basis of their report, I am satisfied that all the information and explanations, which to the best of my knowledge and belief, were necessary for the purpose of the audit were obtained. The financial statements are in agreement with the books of account.

Respective Responsibilties of the Directors and the Controller and Auditor General

As stated on page 13, the directors are responsible for the preparation of financial statements, which give a true and fair view of the state of the affairs of the company and of its operating results. My responsibility is to express an independent opinion of the financial statements based on my audit.

## **BASIS OF OPINION**

The audit was conducted in accordance with the International Standards on Auditing. Those standards require that the audit be planned and performed with a view to obtaining reasonable assurance that the financial statement s are free from material misstatement. An audit includes an examination, on a test basis, of evidence supporting the mount and disclosures in the financial statements. It also includes an assessment of the accounting policies used and significant estimates made by the directors, as well as an evaluation of the overall presentation of the financial statements. I believe the audit provides a reasonable basis of my opinion.

## OPINION

In my opinion, proper books of account have been kept by the company and the financial statements give a true and fair view of the state of the financial affairs of the company as at June 30, 2007 and of its profit and cash flows for the year then ended in accordance with International Financial Reporting Standards and comply with the Companies Act, (Cap 486 of the Laws of Kenya).

P.N. KOMORA
CONTROLLER AND AUDITOR GENERAL
Nairobi
September, 14 2007.

	Note	2006 Sh'000
SALES		6,180,715
COST OF SALES		(4,461,235)
GROSS PROFIT		1,719,480
OTHER OPERATING INCOME		56,230
SELLING EXPENSES	5	(459,574)
ADMINISTRATIVE EXPENSES	6(a)	(442,374)
OTHER OPERATING EXPENSES	6(b)	(273,424)
FARM LOSS		(14,044)
OPERATING PROFIT	3	586,294
NET INTEREST INCOME	7(a)	29,828
FOREIGN CURRENCY EXCHANGE GAIN	7(b)	308,242
PROFIT BEFORE TAXATION		924,364
TAXATION CHARGE	8	(512,571)
PROFIT FOR THE YEAR		411,793
EARNINGS PER SHARE (basic and diluted)	9	Sh 4.58
DIVIDENDS PER SHARE	10	Sh 2.60
- Paid		Sh1.30
- Proposed		Sh 1.30

			2006
	Note		Sh'000
ASSETS			
NON CURRENT ASSETS			
Property, plant and equipment	11	5,676,159	5,523,315
Intangible assets	12	8,540	16,316
Prepaid operating lease rentals	13	13,530	14,225
Investment	14		1
Biological assets	15	6881	6,758
Staff receivables	17	8.742	9,873
Restricted deposits	18	82.57	50,994
		S.FOLIUT	5,621,482
CURRENT ASSETS			<u> </u>
Inventories	16	,600,000	595,127
Trade and other receivables	17	354,018	326,312
Short term deposits	18	2,093,472	2,277,558
Bank and cash balances		114,081	231,728
		\$170,878	3,430,725
TOTAL ASSETS		Line 978	9,052,207
EQUITY AND LIABILITIES			
Capital and reserves			
Share capital	19	450.000	450,000
Share premium		648,000	648,000
Revaluation surplus		1,146,997	1,201,245
Revenue reserve		1.302.100	777,688
Shareholders' funds	<del>-</del>	3,807,607	3,076,933
NON CURRENT LIABILITIES	<del></del> :		<u>,</u> '
Staff gratuity	20	B0232A	400 000
Deferred taxation	21	1,051,221	468,322
Borrowings	22	2,342,605	1,046,312
			3,062,699
CURRENT LIABILITIES	<del>-</del>	3,806,220	4,577,333
Borrowings	00		
Trade and other payables	22	320,775	347,283
Leave pay provision	23 24	872,065	842,609
Corporation tax payable		47,872	46,424
	8	194,543	161,625 
		1,496,255	1,397,941
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The financial statements on pages 23 to 46 were approved by the board of directors on September 14, 2007 and were signed on its behalf by:

Benson Ndeta

Chairman

Ndegwa K. Kagio

Ag Managing Director

	Share Capitai Sh'000	Share Premium Sh'000	Revaluation Surplus Sh'000	Revenue Reserve Sh'000	Total Sh'000
At 1 July 2005	450,000	648,000	472,239	682,596	2,252,835
2005 - dividend declared	-	-	-	(225,000)	(225,000)
Revaluation surplus	-	-	1,065,030	-	1,065,030
Deferred tax on revaluation surplus	_	_	(310,725)	-	(310,725)
Transfer of excess depreciation	-	-	(36,141)	36,141	-
Deferred tax on excess depreciation	-	-	10,842	(10,842)	-
Profit for the year	-	-	-	411,793	411,793
2006 - interim dividend paid		_	<u>-</u>	(117,000)	(117,000)
At 30 June 2006	450,000	648,000	1,201,245	777,688	3,076,933
At 1 July 2006	450,000	648,000	1,201,245	777,688	3,076,933
Transfer of excess depreciation	-	-	(73,471)	73,471	-
Deferred tax on excess depreciation	-	-	22,041	(22,041)	-
Surplus realised on disposal of					
revalued assets	-	-	(4,026)	4,026	-
Deferred tax on disposal of revalued	assets -	-	1,208	(1,208)	-
Profit for the year	_	-	-	764,164	764,164
2006 – final dividend paid	-	-	•	(117,000)	(117,000)
2007 - interim dividend paid	-	-	-	(117,000)	(117,000)
At 30 June 2007	450,000	648,000	1,146,997	1,362,100	3,607,097

The revaluation surplus is not distributable and represents the surplus arising from the revaluation of property, plant and equipment.



OPERATING ACTIVITIES	Note		2006 Sh'000
Cash generated from operations	25(a)	<b>144777</b>	1,116,697
Interest paid	- (/	(0,000	(88,178)
Interest received		11/400	118,006
Taxation paid	8(c)	(\$10,564)	(217,809)
Net cash generated from operating activities		\$84,100	928,716
INVESTING ACTIVITIES			
Additions to property, plant and equipment	11	(867,228)	(77,446)
Purchase of intangible assets	12	•	(17,598)
Proceeds from sale of equipment		3.89	8,171
Proceeds from sale of leasehold land			· -
Movement in restricted deposits		(0.200)	(50,994)
Net cash used in investing activities		1007403+	(137,867)
FINANCING ACTIVITIES			
Dividends paid		The same	(342,000)
Loan repayments	25(b)	· Markey	(231,650)
Net cash used in financing activities		(Carron	(573,650)
(DECREASE) \ INCREASE IN CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS		45.55	217,199
CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS AT 1 JULY			2,292,087
CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS AT 30 JUNE	25(c)		2,509,286

#### 1 ACCOUNTING POLICIES

Statement of compliance

The financial statements are prepared in accordance with International Financial Reporting Standards. The accounting policies adopted in the preparation of these financial statements remain unchanged from the previous years and are set out below:

Adoption of new and revised international financial reporting standards

At the date of authorisation of these financial statements, the following Standards and Interpretations were in issue but not yet effective:

- IFRS 7 on Financial Instruments Disclosures
- IFRS 8 on Operating Segments
- · IFRIC 8 Scope of IFRS 2
- · IFRIC 9 Reassessment of Embedded Derivatives
- · IFRIC 10 Interim Financial Reporting and Impairment

The adoption of these Standards and Interpretations, when effective, will have no material impact on the financial statements of the company.

#### (A) BASIS OF ACCOUNTING

The financial statements are prepared under the historical cost convention as modified to include the revaluation of certain property, plant and equipment, and livestock which are stated at fair value.

#### (B) REVENUE RECOGNITION

Revenue is recognised upon delivery of goods and when title has passed to customers, net of taxes due to the government.

Interest income is recognised as it accrues, unless its collectibility is in doubt.

#### (C) TAXATION

Current taxation is provided on the basis of the results for the year, as shown in the financial statements, adjusted in accordance with tax legislation.

Deferred income tax is provided, using the liability method, for all temporary differences arising between the tax bases of assets and liabilities and their carrying values for financial reporting purposes. Currently enacted tax rates are used to determine deferred income tax.

## (D) PROPERTY, PLANT AND EQUIPMENT

Property, plant and equipment is stated at cost or at professionally revalued amounts less accumulated depreciation and any accumulated impairment losses.

The company's policy is to professionally revalue property, plant and equipment at least once every five years.



# 1. ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

### E) DEPRECIATION

No depreciation is provided on freehold land.

Depreciation on other items of property, plant and equipment is calculated to write off the cost or the revalued amounts in equal annual instalments over their expected useful lives. The annual rates used are:

Buildings 2.5% or period of lease whichever is less

Plant and machinery 5 to 12.5%

Motor vehicles 25%
Office equipment, furniture and fittings 5 to 25%
Computers 33.3%

The excess annual depreciation attributable to revaluation surplus on property, plant and equipment is transferred annually from the revaluation surplus to the revenue reserve.

#### (F) LEASES

Leases are classified as finance leases whenever the terms of the lease transfer substantially all risks and rewards of ownership to the company as the lessee. All other leases are classified as operating leases.

Rentals payable under operating leases are amortised on the straight line basis over the term of the relevant lease.

#### (G) INTANGIBLE ASSETS

Expenditure on acquired computer software programs is capitalised and amortised on the straight-line basis over their expected useful lives, normally not exceeding three years.

#### (H) LEASEHOLD LAND

Payments to acquire interests in leasehold land are treated as prepaid operating lease rentals. They are stated at historical cost and are amortised over the term of the related lease.

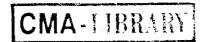
#### (I) IMPAIRMENT

At each balance sheet date, the company reviews the carrying amounts of its tangible and intangible assets to determine whether there is any indication that those assets have suffered an impairment loss. If any such indication exists, the recoverable amount of the asset is estimated in order to determine the extent of the impairment loss. Where its not possible to estimate the recoverable amount of an individual asset, the company estimates the recoverable amount of the cash generating unit to which the asset belongs.

## (J) INVENTORIES

Inventories are stated at the lower of cost and net realisable value. Cost comprises direct materials and, where applicable, direct labour costs and the overheads incurred in bringing the inventories to their present location and condition. Costs of direct materials are determined on

## 1. ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)



the first-in first-out basis, while those of general consumable stores are determined on the weighted average cost basis. Net realisable value represents the estimated selling price less the estimated cost to completion and costs to be incurred in marketing, selling and distribution.

Work in progress, which comprises raw meal and clinker, is stated at the lower of production cost and net realisable value. Production cost comprises expenditure directly incurred in the manufacturing process and allocation of fixed and normal production overheads attributable to the process.

## (K) BIOLOGICAL ASSETS

Livestock is stated at fair value less estimated point of sale costs.

## (L) INVESTMENTS

The unquoted investment is stated at cost less any accumulated impairment losses.

### (m) Firancial instruments

Financial assets and financial liabilities are recognised in the company's balance sheet when the company has become a party to the contractual provisions of the instrument.

#### Trade receivables

Trade receivables are carried at anticipated realisable value. An estimate is made for doubtful receivables based on a review of all outstanding amounts at year-end. Bad debts are written off when all reasonable steps to recover them have failed.

## **Borrowings**

Interest bearing loans are recorded at the proceeds received. Finance charges are recognised on the accruals basis and are added to the carrying amount of the related instrument to the extent that they are not settled in the period they arise.

#### Trade payables

Trade payables are stated at their nominal value.

## (N) CURRENCY TRANSLATIONS

Assets and liabilities that are denominated in foreign currencies are translated into Keriya shillings at the rates of exchange ruling on the balance sheet date. Transactions during the year, which are expressed in foreign currencies, are translated at the rates ruling on the dates of the transactions. Gains and losses on exchange are dealt with in the income statement.

## (O) RETIREMENT BENEFITS OBLIGATIONS

The company operates a defined contribution pension scheme for senior and supervisory staff, as well as an in house gratuity scheme for unionisable employees. It also makes contributions to the statutory pension fund, the National Social Security Fund.



## 1. ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

The company's obligations to all staff retirement benefits schemes are charged to the income statement as they fall due.

#### (P) CASH FLOW STATEMENT

For the purpose of the cash flow statement, cash equivalents include short term liquid investments which are readily convertible to known amounts of cash and which were within three months to maturity when acquired, less advances from banks repayable within three months from date of disbursement or confirmation of the advance.

## (Q) COMPARATIVES

Where necessary, comparative figures have been adjusted to conform with changes in presentation in the current year.

# 2 CRITICAL ACCOUNTING ESTIMATES AND JUDGEMENTS

In the process of applying the company's accounting policies, management has made estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of assets and liabilities within current and future financial years. Estimates and judgements are continually evaluated and are based on historical experience and other factors, including expectations of future events that are believed to be reasonable under the circumstances. The critical areas of accounting estimates and judgements in relation to the preparation of these financial statements are as set out below:

## Impairment of assets

At each balance sheet date, the company reviews the carrying amount of its assets to determine whether there is any indication that these assets have suffered an impairment loss. If any such indication exists, the recoverable amount of the asset is estimated in order to determine the extent of impairment.

#### Property, plant and equipment

Critical estimates are made by directors in determining the useful lives and residual values to property, plant and equipment based on the intended use of the assets and the economic lives of those assets. Subsequent changes in circumstances or prospective utilisation of the assets concerned could result in the actual useful lives or residual values differing from initial estimates.

	2006
	Sh'000
. OPERATING PROFIT	
The operating profit is arrived at after charging:	
Directors' emoluments:	
- Fees	1,260
- Other emoluments	17,688
Auditors' remuneration	2,233
Depreciation	333,573
Amortisation	
- Software	6,158
- Prepaid operating lease rentals	74
Staff costs (Note 4)	984,221
Back taxes, penalties and interest	219,000
Loss on sale of equipment	-
Provision for damages awarded to Baraka Tools	
- a former distributor	-
And after crediting:	
Profit on sale of prepaid lease rentals	4,335
Bad debts recovered	44,082
4 STAFF COSTS	
Wages & salaries and other staff costs	873,548
Provision for staff gratuity	78,925
Pension contributions	48,128
Leave pay provision	911
Social security costs (NSSF)	1,520
Write back of retirement benefit liability	(18,811)
	984,221
5 SELLING EXPENSES	
Bad debts expense	1,730
Cement transport	325,271
Customs and other export levies	39,213
Advertising and sales commissions	73,904
Public relations costs	19,456
	459,574

6(a) ADMINISTRATIVE EXPENSES	
Staff costs	298,733
Depreciation	43,500
Board expenses	18,948
Telephone and postage	16,092
Office rent and rates	18,915
Office supplies	14,010
Printing and stationery	8,373
Computer expenses	4,964
Fuel and motor vehicle expenses	15,713
Trade licenses	1,700
Office equipment and furniture	1,426
	442,374
6(b) OTHER OPERATING EXPENSES	
Legal and professional fees	11,198
Provision for damages awarded to Baraka Tools	,
- a former distributor	_
Bank charges	8,686
Subscription	8,714
Donations	13,947
Back taxes, penalties and interest	219,000
Miscellaneous expenses	9,646
Audit fees	2,233
	273,424
7 (a) NET INTEREST INCOME	
Interest receivable	118,006
Interest on loans	(88,178)
	29,828
(b) FOREIGN CURRENCY EXCHANGE GAIN	
Exchange gain on loan	255,961
Exchange (loss)/gain on other foreign currency	200,801
transactions and balances	52,281
<del>_</del>	

The exchange gain on the loan arises mainly from the translation of the Japanese Yen denominated loan to Kenya shillings at the year end. The gain resulted from the appreciation of the Kenya Shilling by 16.3% (2006 – appreciation of 6.7%) against the Japanese Yen during the year.



8 TAXATION  (a) Tax charge	2006 Sh'000
Current taxation based on the adjusted profit	
for the year at 30%	312,594
Prior year (over)/under provision	76,352
Total current tax charge (note 8(c))	388,946
Deferred toy charge	60,922
Deferred tax charge - current year - prior year under provision	62,703
Total deferred tax charge (Note 21)	123,625
	512,571
(b) Reconciliation of expected tax based on accounting	
profit to the tax charge	<u> </u>
Accounting profit before taxation	924,364
Tax at the applicable rate of 30%	277,309
Tax effect of expenses not deductible for tax purposes	96,207
Prior year (over)/under provision – current tax	76,352
Prior year under provision – deferred tax	 62,703
	512,571
(c) Tax payable	
Balance at 1 July	9,512
Charge for the year (note 8(a))	(388,946)
Paid in the year	217,809
Balance as at 30th June	(161,625)

## 9 EARNINGS PER SHARE

The earnings per share has been calculated on the profit after taxation of Sh 764,164,000 (2006 – profit of Sh 411,793,000) and the 90,000,000 (2006 – 90,000,000) shares in issue during the year.

There were no potentially dilutive ordinary shares outstanding at 30 June 2007 or 30 June 2006. The diluted earnings per share is therefore the same as the basic earnings per share.

# FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2007

## 10 DIVIDENDS

During the year an interim dividend of Sh 1.30 (2006 - Sh 1.30) amounting to a total of Sh 117,000,000 (2006 - 117,000,000) was paid.

At the annual general meeting a final dividend in respect of 2007 of Sh 1.30 per share (2006 - Sh 1.30 per share) amounting to a total of Sh 117,000,000 (2004 - Sh 117,000,000) is to be proposed. The total dividend for the year is therefore, Sh 2.60 per share (2006 - Sh 2.60 per share) amounting to a total of Sh 234,000,000 (2006 - Sh 234,000,000)

## 11 PROPERTY, PLANT AND EQUIPMENT

	Freehold Land	Buildings	Plant and Machinery	Computers, office equipment, Motor Vehicles	Capital furniture and fittings	work in progress	Total
	Sh'000	Sh'000	Sh'000	Sh'000	Sh'000	Sh'000	Sh'000
COST OR VALUATION							
At 1 July 2005	45,320	1,162,248	4,619,019	682,419	219,013	15,988	6,744,007
Additions	-	495	23,694	25,006	16,936	11,315	77,446
Disposals	-	(792)	-	(21,925)	-	-	(22,717)
Revaluation	29,280	30,714	-	<u>-</u>	•	<del>-</del>	59,994 
At 30 June 2006	74,600	1,192,665	4,642,713	685,500	235,949	27,303	6,858,730
COMPRISING: Valuation - 2006 Cost	74,600 -	1,192,665 -	4,642,713 -	685,500	235,949	27,303	6,595,478 263,252
	74,600	1,192,665	4,642,713	685,500	235,949	27,303	6,858,730
At 1 July 2006	74,600	1,192,665	4,642,713	685,500	235,949	27,303	6,858,730
Additions	-	200	18,863	12,149	16,276	509,736	557,224
Disposals	-	-	*	(4,855)	•	-	(4,855)
Transfer	-	18,420	-	-		(18,420) 	*
At 30 June 2007	74,600	1,211,285	4,661,576	692,794	252,225	518,619	7,411,099
COMPRISING:							
Valuation - 2006	74,600	1,192,665	4,642,713	680,645	•	-	6,590,623
Cost	-	18,620	18,863	12,149	252,225	518,619	820,476
	74,600	1,211,285	4,661,576	692,794	252,225	518,619	7,411,099

## 11 PROPERTY, PLANT AND EQUIPMENT

				Computers, office			
				equipment,	Capital		
Freehold			Plant and	Motor	furniture and	work in	
	Land	Buildings	Machinery	Vehicles	fittings	progress	Total
	Sh'000	Sh'000	Sh'000	Sh'000	Sh'000	Sh'000	Sh'000
DEPRECIATION							
At 1 July 2005	-	131,535	1,299,456	441,870	152,898	_	2,025,759
Charge for the year	-	29,047	237,253	47,614	19,659	-	333,573
Eliminated on dispos	al -	-	-	(18,881)	_	-	(18,881)
Revaluation adjustme	ent -	(160,582)	(680,780)	(163,674)	-	-	(1,005,036)
At 30 June 2006		-	855,929	306,929	172,557	-	1,335,415
At 1 July 2006	-	-	855,929	306,929	172,557	-	1,335,415
Charge for the year		29,749	259,678	88,669	19,430	<u>-</u>	397,526
At 30 June 2007		29,749	1,115,607	395,598	191,987	-	1,732,941
NET BOOK VALUE						_	
At 30 June 2007	74,600	1,181,536	3,545,969	297,196	60,238	518,619	5,678,158
At 30 June 2006	74,600	1,192,665	3,786,784	378,571	63,392	27,303	5,523,315

At 30 June 2007, plant and machinery, vehicles and equipment with cost/valuation amounting to Sh 93,717,000 (2006 – Sh 92,204,000) were fully depreciated. The notional depreciation charge on these assets would have been Sh 22,575,000 (2006 – Sh 17,382,000).

Capital work in progress relates to amounts incurred on installation of a new cement mill and equipment to monitor the performance of the plant.

The assets were revalued by Lloyd Masika Limited, registered valuers, as at 30 June 2006. The land was valued on an Open Market Value basis while the other assets were valued on Net Current Replacement Cost basis. The company's policy is to revalue property, plant and equipment at least once every five years.

#### 11 PROPERTY, PLANT AND EQUIPMENT (CONTINUED)

Included in plant and machinery is idle equipment with a cost amounting to Sh 130,671,981 (2006 - Sh 130,671,981) which is fully depreciated, in respect of the old plant which was rendered idle when the new plant was commissioned.

Included in motor vehicles are grounded vehicles that are fully depreciated with a cost amounting to Sh 28,968,369 which are no longer in use.

The company has a bank overdraft facility of Sh 219,600,000 with Kenya Commercial Bank Limited and the amounts drawn against this facility attract interest at market rates. The facility is secured by a legal charge over certain properties owned by the company, Land Reference numbers 337/639, 8649, 9767, 8785 and 8786, and a debenture over the company assets for Sh 219,600,000 respectively. No amounts were drawn against this facility as at 30 June 2007.

If property, plant and equipment and motor vehicles were carried in the financial statements at historical cost, the balances at year end would have been as follows:

		2006 Sh'000
Cost Accumulated depreciation		7,071,413 (3,233,351)
Net book value		3,838,062
12 INTANGIBLE ASSETS - COMP	PUTER SOFTWARE	
		2006 Sh'000
COST At 1 July		25,776
Additions		17,598
At 30 June		43,374
AMORTISATION		
At 1 July		20,900
Charge for the year		6,158
At 30 June		27,058
NET BOOK VALUE		
At 30 June		16,316

## 13 PREPAID OPERATING LEASE RENTALS

#### - LEASEHOLD LAND

	2907	2006
COST	. 8x000	Sh'000
At 1 July	14,597	14,597
Disposal	(629)	14,597
At 30 June	13,968	14,597
AMORTISATION		
At 1 July	372	298
Charge for the year	61	74
Eliminated on disposal	<b>(6)</b>	-
At 30 June	4 - A	372
NET BOOK VALUE		
At 30 June		14,225

Included in prepaid operating lease rentals is land carried in the financial statements at a cost of Sh 4,408,330 for which the title deeds are missing and are being followed up with the Kenya Government Lands Registrar.

14 INVESTMENT	Sh'000
Unquoted investment in an associated	
company at cost	1

The associated company, Portland Mines Company Limited, remains dormant. The company's interest in the associated company is 50%.

#### 15 BIOLOGICAL ASSETS

13 BIOLOGICAL ASSETS		2006 Sh'000
Cattle	-640	6,417
Goats	<b>. 184</b>	341
	- 660	6,758

Biological assets represent the value of livestock which is stated at market value less estimated transport and point of sale costs.

	:	2006 Sh'000
16 INVENTORIES		
Consumables		391,260
Raw materials		127,949
Work in progress		31,426
Finished products		31,731
Goods in transit	:	12,761
		595,127
17 TRADE AND OTHER RECEIVABLES		
Trade receivables		212,429
Staff receivables		16,009
Deposits, prepayments and other receivables		107,747
		336,185
Less: Staff receivables not recoverable within 12 months		(9,873)
		326,312
18 DEPOSITS		
Short term deposits		
The Cooperative Bank of Kenya Limited		965,562
Kenya Commercial Bank Limited		500,681
Standard Chartered Bank Kenya Limited		811,315
		2,277,558
Restricted deposits  Housing Finance Company of Kenya Ltd		50,994

The short term deposits mature within three months and the weighted average interest rate earned on the deposits during the year was 5.05% (2006 - 5.0%).

The deposits with Housing Finance Company of Kenya Ltd have been held as collateral for staff mortgages. The weighted average interest rate earned on the deposits during the year was 2.67% (2006-2.67%).

	2007 Sh'000	2006 Sh'000
19 SHARE CAPITAL		
Authorised:		
126,000,000 shares of Sh 5 each	630,000	630,000
Authorised, issued and fully paid:		
90,000,000 shares of Sh 5 each	450,000	450,000

## 20 STAFF GRATUITY

This represents outstanding obligations in respect of staff gratuity payable under the Collective Bargaining Agreement for unionisable staff. The movement during the year was as follows:

	2007 Sh'000	2006 Sh'000
Balance at 1 July	468,322	424,463
Paid during the year	(31,966)	(35,066)
Provision for the year	65,968	78,925
Balance at 30 June	502,324	468,322
21 DEFERRED TAX		
The net deferred tax liability is	-	
attributable to the following items:		
Accelerated capital allowances on		
property, plant and equipment	710,751	758,832
Unrealised exchange gain/(loss)	43,632	(37,984)
Revaluation surpluses on property,	•	
plant and equipment	461,967	484,008
Provision for staff gratuity	(150,697)	(140,497)
Provision for staff leave pay	(14,362)	(13,925)
Provision for salary increments	-	(4,122)
	1,051,291	1,046,312
The movement on the deferred tax account is as follows:		
At 30 June	1,046,312	611,962
income statement charge for the year (Note 8(a))	4,979	123,625
Debited directly to equity	<b>-</b>	310,725
At 30 June	1,051,291	1,046,312

22 LOANS (UNSECURED)	2006 Sh'000
The Overseas Economic Co-operation Fund of Japan (OECF) loan guaranteed by Kenya Government is denominated in Japanese Yen and is repayable in 41 half yearly instalments by 20 March 2020 with interest at 2.5% per annum - Japanese Yen 4,749,556,749 (2006 - Japanese Yen 5,114,876,749)  Loan from Kenya Government (6th Danish loan) repayable in 50 equal half yearly instalments by 31 December 2020	3,296,793
with interest at 15% per annum	24,048
Accrued interest	89,141
	3,409,982
Less: repayable within one year	(347,283)
	3,062,699

Due to the fact that the loan from the OECF is guaranteed by the Kenya Government, it was included in the Paris Club rescheduling arrangements of the Kenya Government loans in 2004. The company has therefore been remitting the loan repayments to the Kenya Government in two annual instalments of Yen 182,660,000 but these payments have not been transmitted to the OECF, the ultimate lender, due to the rescheduling arrangement. The balance outstanding in the records of OECF is Japanese Yen 6,027,780,000. Any exchange losses arising between the balance in EAPCC records and the lender will be borne by the government.

2006 Sh'000
501,270
261,433
36,340
43,566
842,609

# 24 LEAVE PAY PROVISION

This represents outstanding obligations in respect of leave days accrued as at year end. The movement during the year was as follows:

Service Control of the Control of th
2006
Sh'000
45,513
911
46,424
2006
Sh'000
586,294
333,573
74
6,158
(4,335)
- 
52,281
78,925 911
311
(18,811)
12,862
1,047,932
(75,421)
(197,780)
1,126
375,906
(35,066)
1,116,697
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#### (b) MOVEMENT IN LOANS

Balance at 1 July	3,897,593
Foreign currency exchange gain	(255,961)
Repayments during the year	(231,650)
Write back of Danish loan interest	-
Balance at 30 June	3,409,982
(c) ANALYSIS OF CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS	
Short term deposits	2,277,558
Bank and cash balances	231,728
	2,509,286

#### 26 RETIREMENT BENEFITS OBLIGATIONS

The company, with effect from 1 July 2006, operates a defined contribution pension scheme for senior and supervisory staff. The scheme was previously a non contributory defined benefits pension scheme. The scheme is administered independently by Alexander Forbes Financial Services (E.A) Limited, while its investments are managed by Stanbic Investments Services Limited and Old Mutual Asset Management Limited.

Contributions to this scheme during the year amounted to Sh 36,785,000 (2006 - Sh 48,128,000).

The company also operates an in-house gratuity scheme for unionisable employees. Contributions to this gratuity scheme are governed by a collective bargaining agreement that is reviewed triennially and was last reviewed on 21 December 2005. These contributions are not invested or managed as a separate fund, but are self funded and are fully provided for in the company's financial statements.

The company also contributes to the statutory defined contribution pension scheme, the National Social Security Fund. Contributions to the statutory scheme are determined by local statute and are currently limited to Sh 200 per employee per month. The company's contributions are charged to the income statement in the year to which they relate. Contributions to this scheme during the year amounted to Sh 3,500,881 (2006 – Sh 1,520,710).

27 REVENUE ANALYSIS AND SEGMENTAL REPORTING		2006 Sh'000
The company revenues are derived from sales in the following markets;		
Local market - Kenya		5,784,858
Regional market (East and Central Africa)	447.000	395,857
		6,180,715

The farming activity is carried out locally and is insignificant with respect to the financial statements.

Sales to the regional market are done through depots whose net assets constitute less than 5% of the company's total net assets. Segment reporting with respect to net assets is, therefore, not considered of any real value.

#### 28 FINANCIAL RISKS

The nature of activities and policies with respect to financial risks are:

#### **Exchange Risk**

The company's operations are predominantly in Kenya, where the currency has remained relatively stable against major convertible currencies.

The major portion of the company's loans are denominated in foreign currencies, principally the Japanese Yen which is subject to exchange rate fluctuations. The company has not hedged its foreign currency risk on this borrowing. The company is currently looking at various options available for the management of exchange risk associated with this loan..

#### Credit risk

The credit risk is managed through management's constant monitoring of the status of the credit worthiness of its customers. The company also obtains bank guarantees from its customers for purposes of credit risk management.

	2006
	Sh'000
29 CONTINGENT LIABILITIES	
Pending law suits	119,362
Gurantee of staff mortgages	50,994
	170,356

Pending law suits relate to legal proceedings involving the company for breach of contract and also for loss of business as a result of trucks repossessed. However, in the opinion of the directors, no liability is likely to crystallise.

The deposits with Housing Finance Company of Kenya Ltd have been held as collateral for staff mortgages. The liability would only crystallise if a staff member defaults on their mortgage payments.

	2006 Sh'000
30 CAPITAL COMMITMENTS	
Authorised by the directors but not contracted for	900,000
Authorised by the directors and contracted for	210,000

## 31 RELATED PARTY TRANSACTIONS

The remuneration of directors and other members of key management during the year were as follows:

Purchases from related parties  Purchase of clinker from Bamburi Cement Limited	34,560
Salaries and other benefits	17,890
Key management compensation:	
	18,948
Other emoluments	 17,688
Fees for services as directors	1,260
Directors' remuneration:	<b>G</b> 333
	2006 Sh'000

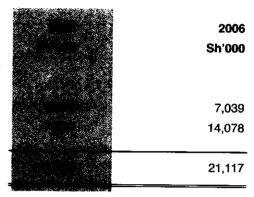
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These balances were fully paid by year end. Bamburi Cement Limited owns 12.5% of the shareholding in The East African Portland Cement Company Limited. All transactions with related parties are at arm's length in the normal course of business, and on terms and conditions similar to those applicable to other customers.

#### 32 OPERATING LEASE RENTALS

Outstanding commitments under operating leases due:

Not later than 1 year Later than 1 year but not later than 2 years



#### 33 COUNTRY OF INCORPORATION

The company is incorporated and domiciled in Kenya under the Companies Act and is listed on the Nairobi Stock Exchange.

#### 34 CURRENCY

These financial statements are presented in Kenya Shillings thousands (Sh '000).

I/WE			
OF			
Being a member(s) of the above Co	ompany, hereby appoin	t:	
OF			
Whom failing			
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or failing him, the Chairman of the behalf at the 75th Annual General I Limited to be held on 29 November	Meeting of The East Afr	ican Portland Cement Comp	
As witness my/our hand this	day of	2007	
Signed			<u>.                                    </u>
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## Note:

- 1. A member entitled to attend and vote is entitled to appoint a proxy to attend and vote in his stead and a proxy need not be a member of the Company.
- 2. In the case of a member being a limited Company this form must be completed under its common seal or under the hand of an officer or attorney duly authorised in writing.
- 3. This proxies must be deposited at the Registered Office of the Company, Namanga Road, Athi River, off Mombasa Road, P O Box 40101, 00100 Nairobi not less than 48 hours before the time of holding the meeting.

# FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2007

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