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# A Year of Development

INTEGRATED ANNUAL REPORT 2022



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## **About Amanat**

Amanat Holdings (**Amanat** or the **Company**) is the MENA region's largest investment company focusing on healthcare and education and provides investors with access to unique investment opportunities in two of the region's most resilient and fast-growing sectors. Leveraging on its extensive track record and proven holistic, hands-on management approach, the Company is able to drive long-term positive impacts across the societies it operates in while consistently delivering incremental value to its shareholders. Amanat was established and listed on the Dubai Financial Market in November 2014, with paid-up capital of AED 2.5 billion.

Through its investments in hospitals, universities, special needs service providers and real estate across the UAE, Saudi Arabia, and Bahrain, Amanat is building synergistic platforms that deliver a complete roster of services across various underserved segments. In the healthcare sector, the Company will own a majority stake in the GCC's largest post-acute care platform, providing specialized long-term care to patients recovering from surgery, chronic and mental illness, or disability. Amanat also owns a majority stake in a leading multi-disciplinary hospital in Bahrain with a market leading multispecialty hospital. Meanwhile, the Company also owns a market leading higher education platform with influential stakes in two leading providers of graduate and postgraduate education, as well as corporate and vocational training. In 2022, Amanat further strengthened its education platform with the acquisition of Human Development Company (HDC), the leading provider of special education and care (SEC) services in the Kingdom of Saudi Arabia (KSA). Through HDC, the Company is able to capitalize on its existing knowhow in both the healthcare and education sectors to lead the development of these sectors with the goal of enhancing quality and access to this vulnerable segment of the population.

## 2022 Key Highlights

4 Investments in healthcare

**5** Investments in education

**418** Operational beds across five hospitals

**17,000** Students and beneficiaries across four universities, nine schools and 22 day-care and rehabilitation centers

**AED 2.7 bn** Assets under management as at 31 December 2022

**AED 181.8 mn** Total income in FY-2022

AED 174.2 mn
AED 67.2 mn
Total platform income in FY-2022
Total healthcare income in FY-2022
Total education income in FY-2022

**AED 114.2 mn** Reported net profit attributable to equity holders in FY-2022

**AED 117.4 mn** Adjusted net profit in FY-2022

# **Investing and Growing the Region's Healthcare and Education Sectors**

#### A Unique and Diversified Portfolio

Since inception, Amanat has been focused on developing platforms across its two chosen sectors capable of generating shareholder value through scale and synergies while delivering sustainable, long-term positive impacts for the wider community. The Company's platforms provide multi-investment ecosystems that benefit from availability of capital, as well as shared operating partners and potential future add-on acquisitions, thus offering our portfolio companies multiple avenues from which to drive future growth. To grow its portfolio, Amanat adheres to a clear investment strategy focused on identifying high quality, distinctive and competitively sustainable companies offering compelling future growth prospects. As at year-end 2022, Amanat held stakes in nine portfolio companies including industry leaders in their respective markets as well as growing companies, capable of shaping the future of the regional education and healthcare industries over the coming decades.

#### **Healthcare**

Amanat holds four investments in the healthcare sector, comprising post-acute and long-term care, specialist hospitals as well as an investment in real estate. Today, the Company's healthcare assets operate a total of 418 operational beds with 270 beds in development across five specialized hospitals. Amanat's healthcare investments include:

#### **Cambridge Medical and Rehabilitation Center (CMRC)**

As a leading post-acute care and rehabilitation provider in the UAE and KSA with more than 250 beds across three facilities, CMRC provides specialized in-patient and out-patient rehabilitation and long-term care to thousands of patients each year. When combined with Sukoon, this sees Amanat operate the GCC's largest post-acute care platform.

#### **256** Operational Beds

#### **Sukoon International Holding Company (Sukoon)**

Sukoon operates a JCI-accredited facility, International Extended Care Center (IECC), and offers acute extended care, critical care and home care medical services to patients who are no longer suited for care within a traditional hospital setting. Sukoon and CMRC have announced a strategic merger to become the single largest post-acute care platform in the region.

#### **130** Operational Beds

#### Al Malaki Specialist Hospital (Al Malaki Hospital)

Al Malaki Hospital is the sole private sector hospital in Bahrain offering end-to-end holistic care to serve the entire family, including male patients. The hospital is well positioned to drive future growth due to its strategic location in an attractive catchment area, its established relationships with local partners, as well as a favorable long-term lease agreement.

#### 32 Operational Beds

#### Real Estate Property of CMRC's Abu Dhabi Facility

CMRC's Abu Dhabi real estate comprises around 6,000 square meters of land and a built-up area of more than 6,600 square meters encompassing two three-levelled blocks with 106 beds alongside rehabilitation facilities.

#### **Education**

Amanat's education investments span graduate, post-graduate, corporate and vocational training, special education and care, education technology and an investment in real estate. The Company's education investments include:

#### **NEMA Holding (NEMA)**

NEMA is a leading, nationally ranked private higher education provider with a track record of almost 20 years in the UAE market. In 2022, the company completed a strategic acquisition expanding its student capacity and further building its EdTech capabilities.

c. 9,000 Graduate and post-graduate students

#### Middlesex University Dubai (MDX)

MDX is the first overseas campus of the internationally renowned Middlesex University in London. Its two campuses in Dubai are equipping students from 118 countries with exceptional education opportunities.

c. 4,100 Graduate and post-graduate students

#### **Human Development Company (HDC)**

HDC is the leading provider of special education and care services in KSA through a network of nine schools, 22 day-care centers and rehabilitation medical clinics across six provinces. Today, HDC is the leading provider of special education and care services covering educational, medical, and rehabilitation services in the Kingdom.

9 Schools22 Day-care Centers and Rehabilitation Clinicsover 3,000 beneficiaries

#### Real Estate Property of North London Collegiate School Dubai (NLCS)

Amanat owns the real estate assets of NLCS, a premium International Baccalaureate curriculum K-12 school, expanding its portfolio into a stable asset class generating attractive yields and long-term recurring income.

#### **BEGIN**

Amanat holds a stake in the US-based, award-winning education technology company, broadening the Company's holdings in the sector and delivering on its vision of leading digitalization across the education sector as BEGiN's partner of choice in the region.

# Chairman's Message

It is an honor to present to you Amanat's 2022 annual report. On behalf of the Board of Directors, I am pleased to begin by praising and thanking our leaders across the region for their role in providing various forms of support to all members of the local and international community to overcome the COVID-19 pandemic. I am also pleased to express my great pride in the transformation and growth delivered by Amanat and its portfolio companies throughout the year, which saw us make solid progress on our longer-term value creation strategy whilst simultaneously achieving our short-term financial and operational targets.

We did so while navigating a challenging mix of macroeconomic obstacles stemming from the lingering effects of COVID-19, the conflict in Ukraine, inflation and the tightening of monetary conditions around the world. Despite these challenges, throughout 2022 we remained committed to delivering on our corporate strategy which aims to build a resilient, growth-oriented business capable of generating attractive returns to shareholders and sustainable value to our communities.

We closed the year reporting adjusted total income<sup>1</sup> of AED 178.2 million, up 16% from 2021, on the back of strong performance across both our healthcare and education platforms. Meanwhile, adjusted net profit<sup>1</sup> recorded AED 117.4 million, representing a 14% increase from 2021. In light of our 2022 performance and the positive outlook for the business, the Board of Directors recommended a dividend, subject to shareholder approval, of AED 100 million for the financial year ended 31 December 2022. Additionally, the Board of Directors has recommended subject to shareholder approval, a buyback of up to 5% of the Company's share capital.

Since inception, our mission has always gone beyond just delivering short-term returns to investors, with an emphasis placed on generating long-term positive social impacts. When we launched Amanat's revamped corporate vision in 2020, investing to impact was at the heart of our new strategy, and in 2022 we took several tangible steps towards turning this vision into a reality.

Through our acquisition of a majority stake in Human Development Company (HDC), we are taking a frontline role in leading the expansion of the special education and care sector (**SEC**) in the region. With the SEC sector being both underserved and increasingly demanded across the GCC, enhancing quality and access for some of the most vulnerable segments of the population has become a priority for governments and we are proud to be leading the sector's development. On a similar note, in 2022 we announced the merger of Sukoon and Cambridge Medical & Rehabilitation Center (CMRC), which will create the largest post-acute care (PAC) provider in the region. While the merger will drive quality and efficiency enhancements for the two companies and their patients, it will also play a key role in supporting GCC governments as they struggle to cater to the growing demand for PAC services across the region. With a planned capacity of more than 1,000 beds, the newly formed company has the potential to positively impact the infrastructure of the healthcare sector.

Amanat is not only seeking to be impactful to its beneficiaries, but to also operate a responsible and sustainable business in line with global ESG best practices. Over the past year, we have continued to work tirelessly to integrate ESG criteria across all aspects of our business from our holding level activity to the day-to-day decisions of our portfolio companies. As always, a detailed overview of our strategy and efforts will be showcased in our annual Sustainability Report, which will not only outline our vision and frameworks but also provide quantitative indicators to track our progress and improve our accountability.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Adjustments relate to prior year gain on disposal and trading results from divested entities, one-time impairment charges in the prior year and certain one-time non-recurring items.



We enter 2023 with renewed optimism stemming from the strong performance delivered over the last 12 months, the proven effectiveness of our new corporate strategy, and the resilience and future potential of our chosen sectors and investment portfolio over the past year. Over the coming 12 months, we will continue to work to deliver sustainable growth in returns for our shareholders, value-added services to our portfolio companies, and most importantly long-term positive social impacts.

As with every year, I would like to extend a sincere thank you to our shareholders, Board of Directors, management team, and employees for your continued efforts, trust, and support throughout 2022. It is an honor to work with each of you and I look forward to another successful year together delivering on our shared vision.

Hamad Abdullah Alshamsi Chairman

# **2022 Highlights**

2022 was a year of growth and development for Amanat, as the Company continued to deliver on its longer-term strategies while maintaining solid profitability despite challenging operating conditions. Over the past 12 months, the Company further expanded its portfolio through multiple acquisitions, both at a holding company and portfolio company level, which enabled it to expand its footprint in its chosen markets. Amanat's success was recognized by a number of institutions, with the Company receiving awards for its management team and investor relations efforts.

## **Portfolio Expansion**

Over the course of 2022, Amanat and its portfolio companies completed several strategic acquisitions further establishing their market leading positions in their respective markets while effectively penetrating new, fast-growing segments of the regional healthcare and education sectors. Several of Amanat's platform companies also launched ambitious growth plans throughout the year aimed at increasing their capacity to capture the expected rise in demand for high quality healthcare and education services.

#### **Human Development Company – Acquired 60% in October 2022**

- In October 2022, the Company acquired a 60% stake in Human Development Company (HDC) for initial consideration of SAR 220.3 million.
- The transaction includes contingent consideration of up to SAR 47.1 million, payable subject to future earnings growth.
- HDC is the leading provider of special education and care services in KSA through a network of nine school and 22 day-care centers, as well as rehabilitation medical clinics across six provinces.

over 3,000 annual beneficiaries

### NEMA Holding – Further acquisition activity in 2022

- NEMA Holding acquired 100% of Liwa College of Technology in June 2022.
- This follows NEMA Holding's acquisition of the remaining 49% stake in Khawarizmi International College in 2021 taking NEMA Holding's stake to 100%.

#### **Cambridge Medical and Rehabilitation Center – Ongoing Capacity Expansions**

- Ramp up of 60-bed Dhahran KSA facility, positive EBITDA and net profit delivered during 2022
- 20-bed expansion ongoing in Al Ain and Abu Dhabi and due for completion in 2023
- 150-bed expansion launched in Al Khobar, KSA and due for completion in 2024

#### Middlesex University Dubai (MDX)

- MDX expanded its new campus in Dubai Knowledge Park in November 2022
- This came after the opening of MDX's second Dubai campus in Dubai International Academic City and resulting in a combined capacity of over 6,000 students.

## **Portfolio Optimization**

Behind Amanat's continued success has been its ability to effectively identify and capitalize on the synergies between existing portfolio companies. In 2022, Amanat announced the strategic merger of two of its healthcare investments, which will establish the region's largest post-acute care business and setting the foundations for further growth, profitability, and value creation.

# Cambridge Medical and Rehabilitation Center and Sukoon International Holding – Merger announced in December 2022

- In December, Amanat announced the merger of two of its portfolio companies, CMRC and Sukoon. The Company will own c.85% of the post-merger entity and will acquire a majority stake in Sukoon.
- The merger resulted in the largest pan-GCC post-acute care (PAC) business, aiming to operate more than 1,000 beds within three years.
- The new entity will enable Amanat to generate additional value for the region's healthcare sector by reducing the overall cost of post-acute care, improving accessibility and quality, and enhancing the sector's overall efficiency.

#### 386 beds

Operated in the UAE and KSA (CMRC and Sukoon)

**270-bed expansion** (CMRC and Sukoon) In the pipeline

## **Impact Investing**

While Amanat focuses on providing superior returns to its shareholders and portfolio companies, the Company is also committed to generating long-term positive impacts across its communities. Through its investments in two vital sectors, healthcare and education, Amanat is able to positively impact the lives of thousands of patients and students each year. In 2022, the Company further expanded its service offering, penetrating the underprovided special care and education sectors.

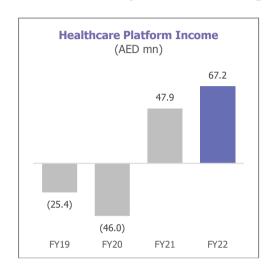
- Amanat's investment in Human Development Company exposes the Company to the growing special education and care market in the GCC.
- Al Malaki Specialist Hospital, which was initially focused on women and children, has now
  opened its doors to male patients and launched seven additional clinics.
- Capacity expansions at its education and healthcare platforms will allow more students and patients to access high-quality, affordable schooling and care in the coming years.

## **Sustained Growth and Profitability**

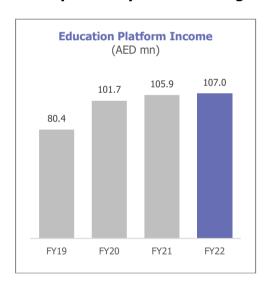
Amanat's education and healthcare platforms continued to record solid growth and profitability in 2022.

- **AED 178.2 million** Adjusted Total Income<sup>2</sup> in FY-2022 (up 16% y-o-y)
- **AED 117.4 million** Adjusted Net Profit in FY-2022 (up 14% y-o-y)

#### Sustained healthcare platform income growth



#### **Education platform positioned for growth**



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## **Giving Back to Shareholders**

Amanat remains committed to delivering consistent value to its shareholders. In light of its strong FY-2022 performance and management's optimistic outlook for the business in the coming year, the Board of Directors is recommending an AED 100 million dividend payout for FY-2022, subject to shareholder approval. Additionally, the Board of Directors has recommended subject to shareholder approval, a buyback of up to 5% of the Company's share capital.

#### **AED 100 million**

Recommended FY-2022 dividend (88% payout)

#### **Up to 5%**

Proposed buyback of share capital, subject to shareholder approval

## Recognition

Amanat received a number of awards and recognitions for its continued commitment to business and operational excellence, including Top CEO, recognising Amanat as the number one listed company in the Financial Services and Investment Category, Top 50 Healthcare Leaders 2022 by Forbes Middle East, and Best Annual Report by the Middle East Investor Relations Association (MEIRA).

# **Acting Chief Executive Officer's Report**

2022 was a year of growth and development for Amanat that saw the Company deliver solid growth and profitability, while taking important strides forward on our sustainable value creation strategy. Our achievements over the last year were the continuation of the transformation we kicked off in 2020 with the roll out of our new corporate strategy, which aims to simultaneously deliver superior returns to our shareholders and value-add to our portfolio companies, while generating long-term positive impact across our communities.

Looking at our results in more detail, during 2022 both our healthcare and education platforms yielded strong results continuing to showcase their underlying strength and future growth potential. Building on the turnaround delivered in 2021, our healthcare platform recorded total income of AED 67.2 million in 2022, up 40% from 2021. The robust year-on-year expansion was supported by the full year inclusion of Cambridge Medical and Rehabilitation Centre (CMRC), positive contributions from Sukoon, and a narrowing of losses at Al Malaki Specialist Hospital (Al Malaki Hospital).

Meanwhile, our education investments continued to display resilience delivering total income of AED 107 million in 2022, slightly above last year's figure. Rising income resulted from robust growth at Middlesex University Dubai's (MDX), and an immediate contribution from our latest addition, the Human Development Company (HDC). This offset lower income at NEMA Holding as the company completed acquisitions and strategic investments aimed at positioning it to capture future growth opportunities in the sector.

Strong results across both platforms translated into consolidated adjusted total income<sup>3</sup> of AED 178.2 million, up 16% on last year. Solid income growth supported a 14% year-on-year expansion in adjusted net profit<sup>1</sup> which recorded AED 117.4 million compared to AED 103.4 million in the previous twelve months.

As always, across both platforms we continued to work with individual management teams to enhance the performance of our assets. On this front, a highlight of the past year was the announcement of the Amanat-led merger of our two post-acute care (PAC) providers, Sukoon and CMRC. The deal, which was announced in December 2022, will see the two companies join together to form the GCC's largest PAC platform with an operational capacity of 386 beds and with a 270-bed expansion in progress. The merger of Sukoon with CMRC embodies our active portfolio management strategy that aims to realize shareholder value, firstly by positioning Amanat in rapidly expanding specialist sectors and, secondly, by creating scale and diversification and delivering significant revenue and cost synergies. Driving the development of this sub-sector will also see Amanat play an active part in relieving public and traditional healthcare providers from having to cater to the fast-rising demand for PAC services in the region, while further enhancing quality and accessibility for patients.

While working closely with our existing investments, over the past 12 months we continued to actively screen the market for new investment opportunities in line with our investment strategy. With these targets in mind, in October 2022 we completed a landmark acquisition of HDC, the leading provider of special education and care services in Saudi Arabia. Through a network of nine schools, 22 daycare centers and rehabilitation medical clinics across six provinces, the company provides access to high-quality special education and care (SEC) services to thousands of beneficiaries each year. The acquisition not only sees us simultaneously strengthen both our education and healthcare platforms but will also enable us to take a frontline role in enhancing the provision of these vital, and currently undersupplied services across the region. The addition of HDC to our portfolio is directly in line with our mission of creating lasting and meaningful value in the communities we operate in, as we continue to invest, grow, and impact. Of course, as with

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all our investments, acquiring a stake in HDC also provides us with access to a strong business with a promising growth trajectory and a sizable addressable market.

#### **Outlook**

The new year presents both new challenges as well as new opportunities for Amanat and its portfolio companies. While the operating environment may remain challenging for the foreseeable future we have multiple exciting developments to look forward to which will generate new growth and value in 2023 and beyond.

At our healthcare platform, a central priority is driving Sukoon and CMRC to deliver on the postmerger growth plans which will see them more than double their bed capacity over the coming three years. With these strategic additions, the newly formed company will be uniquely positioned to take advantage of the estimated 20,000 post-acute care bed gap set to materialize across KSA and the UAE in the next three years. In parallel, we will continue to explore opportunities to further build out our portfolio with a focus on specialized healthcare providers and innovative HealthTech players which can complement our current offering.

On the education front, we are focused on driving growth across our existing assets while adding new investments with a particular focus on EdTech and specialized education solutions. On the ground, this means continuing to support our platform companies as they grow their capacity, expand their service offerings, and enhance their recruitment and retention strategies. We are particularly excited to work with HDC in the realization of its ambitious growth strategy which will not only see the company add additional centers in KSA, but also penetrate new regional markets in the coming years.

At the corporate level, over the last year we have strengthened our team and built the necessary capacity to better serve our portfolio companies and investors. In the coming year, we are committed to continued cost control initiatives and the internalization of a large part of the Company's transactional requirements.

2022 was a year of progress for Amanat, which showcased the Company's resilience, the effectiveness of our new corporate strategy and vision, and the remarkable potential of our investments and chosen sectors. Heading into the new year, I am looking forward to working with our incredible teams to make 2023 an even stronger year for Amanat and all our portfolio companies.

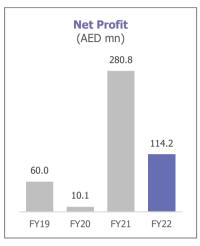
John Ireland Acting Chief Executive Officer and Chief Financial Officer

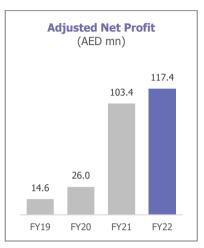
# **Financial Highlights**

Following the record performance delivered in 2021, 2022 was again a year of strong growth, with 14% growth in full year adjusted net profit. Overall adjusted net profit has increased nearly eight-fold since 2019, testament to the effectiveness of our growth and value creation strategies and the attractive market fundamentals of the education and healthcare sectors across the MENA region.

#### **Consolidated Performance**







Adjusted total income<sup>4</sup> was AED 178.2 million, up 16% from AED 153.7 million in the prior year, primarliy driven by 40% growth in earnings at our healthcare platform and stable performance at our education platform. Of note was the acquisition of Human Development Company (HDC) in the final quarter of FY-2022, which positively impacted the Education platform's results and for which the full-year impact will be realized in FY-2023.

Adjusted net profit¹ stood at AED 117.4 million, representing a 14% increase from the AED 103.4 million recorded in 2021 with strong growth in platform income and finance income partly offset by a 19% year-on-year increase on an adjusted basis in head office costs to AED 41.4 million, driven by the full year impact of key hires, resumption of travel and costs associated with communication and rebranding activities. Overall, our head office costs stand at 1.5% of assets under management (AUM) or 1.3% when cash is included, in line with comparable players in the market. Amanat also recorded higher finance costs reflecting higher interest rates and the full year impact of acquisition finance associated with the CMRC acquisition.

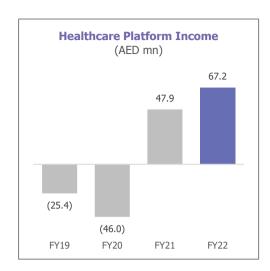
Reported net profit attributable to equity shareholders was AED 114.2 million compared with AED 280.8 million in the previous year, with the previous year including AED 202.9 million of gain on disposal from the exits of Taaleem and IMC, AED 14.5 million of associated trading result and the one-time impairment charge of AED 20.0 million recognized against goodwill from the acquisition of Al-Malaki Specialist Hospital.

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#### **Healthcare Platform Performance**



The healthcare platform continued to build on its 2021 performance, recording total income of AED 67.2 million in 2022, up 40% from AED 47.9 million in 2021. Solid growth was driven by the full-year inclusion of Cambridge Medical and Rehabilitation Centre (CMRC), ramp-up of CMRC's Dharan facility, a positive contribution from Sukoon, and a narrowing of losses at Al Malaki Specialist Hospital.

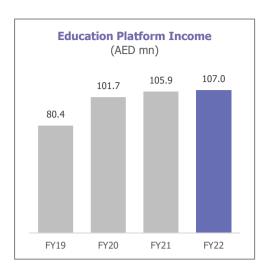
CMRC recorded net income of AED 73.6 million in 2022, up 20% from the AED 61.1 million in income recorded during the 10 months starting March 2021 (since Amanat's acquisition of the company). Improved profitability was supported by the ramp up of CMRC's most recent 60-bed facility in Dhahran, which delivered occupancy of 86% in 2022 versus 56% in 2021 and was EBITDA and net profit positive on a full-year basis.

To capitalize on the significant demand for post-acute care across the GCC and most notably in KSA, CMRC announced the addition of 150 beds in Khobar, KSA, due for completion in 2024. This is in addition to the ongoing 20-bed expansion in the UAE and 100-bed expansion at Sukoon, in Jeddah, KSA and is due for completion in 2023.

At Sukoon, we continued to record improving operational and financial results, recording net income of AED 1.2 million compared to a loss of AED 0.3 million in the prior year and a healthy EBITDA margin of 13%. In the near term, revenue has been impacted by a reduction in capacity due to facility expansion works, however the c.100-bed expansion is progressing well, and work remains on track for completion in the final quarter of 2023.

Finally, Al Malaki Specialist Hospital reduced its losses further from AED 13.3 million in 2021 to AED 11.5 million in 2022, principally on the back of 19% year-on-year growth in revenues. In the second half of 2022, the hospital completed its rebranding whilst concurrently expanding its services offering to also cater to male patients and launching additional outpatient clinics. The impact of these initiatives is expected to be realized in FY-2023 as the business drives towards positive EBITDA.

### **Education Platform Performance**



Meanwhile, our education investments continued to show resilience recording total income of AED 107 million in 2022, higher than the AED 105.9 million recorded in 2021. This was driven by growth at Middlesex University Dubai (MDX), and an AED 7.3 million contribution from our latest acquisition, Human Development Company (HDC). This successfully offset lower income at NEMA Holding from the post-COVID-19 normalization in credit hours sold, the LIWA College of Technology acquisition and timing of Ed-Tech initiatives.

MDX's income rose to AED 37.3 million in 2022, 20% higher than the AED 31.1 million reported in the previous year, driven by a 15% rise in student numbers and supported by international student outreach initiatives, the launch of our second campus in Dubai International Academic City and capacity expansions at our main Dubai Knowledge Park campus. Following a strong September 2022 student intake, student numbers now stand at c. 4,100 with further capacity available to grow to in excess of 6,000 students.

Amanat's most recent acquisition in the education sector, HDC, generated income of AED 7.3 million in the final two months of the year. The company was acquired for an initial consideration of SAR 220.3 million, which could rise by a further SAR 47.1 million dependent on performance. Looking forward, the company has a clear growth plan to extend its services throughout KSA with further expansion potential across the MENA region.

NEMA Holding recorded income of AED 28.6 million, down 31% from the AED 41.3 million recorded in 2021. Lower income at NEMA Holding, reflected a decrease in credit hours sold at both Abu Dhabi University and Khawarizmi International College after the return of in-person learning post-COVID-19, as well as the timing of the LIWA College of Technology acquisition and investment in Ed-Tech initiatives.

Finally, finance lease income generated by North London Collegiate School Dubai (NLCS) real estate stood at AED 33.7 million in 2022 comparable with the prior year.

In 2023, Amanat will continue to work closely with its portfolio companies to enhance their capital, corporate and operational structures and to fund growth activities and generate additional value for stakeholders. Meanwhile, the Company will remain on the lookout for new investment opportunities that can both generate immediate contributions to consolidated results while contributing to the development of our platforms.

### **Balance Sheet**

Consolidated net assets stood at AED 2.7 billion as at 31 December 2022, compared with AED 2.8 billion at 31 December 2021, with an implied book value per share of AED 1.08. AUM stood at AED 2.7 billion with AED 584 million of cash, of which AED 100 million, or AED 4 fils per share, has been proposed for distribution, subject to approval by the shareholders at the forthcoming general assembly.

As at 31 December 2022, leverage was 15% with additional leverage capacity to fund expansion.

# **Environmental, Social and Governance**

#### Introduction

Through this ESG insert, we disclose our annual performance regarding environmental, social and governance issues. All KPI's and metrics included in this insert are in alignment with the Dubai Financial Market (DFM) Guidance on ESG Disclosure, and relate to the period between 1 January and 31 December 2022.

## **Amanat's Sustainability Journey**

We consider sustainability and promoting social change as key priorities of our overall business strategy. We embarked on our sustainability journey in 2021 with our standalone ESG Report and strategy in line with global best practices, aiming to become an exemplary model for companies listed on the DFM and in the UAE in general. Through our focus on healthcare and education investments, we aspire to have a positive contribution to society. Additionally, Amanat aims to integrate sound practices and investments into our operations, while nurturing projects that will create positive social impact.

We established a clear sustainability roadmap for the coming years which will guide our efforts and investment decisions going forward. As the first step, we completed a materiality assessment to identify Amanat's priority issues in environmental, social and governance areas. Following the assessment, we established our sustainability framework, using information gathered through the materiality assessment, literature reviews and global sustainability trends and standards, to clearly define our approach to sustainability. Along with our ESG roadmap, our first standalone Sustainability Report last year, which demonstrates our contributions to the region, helps to achieve Amanat's objectives and vision and to manage and disclose our performance.

## **Our Economic Impact**

Amanat's value creation model is based on ensuring sustainable growth and driving competitive differentiation through establishing strong partnerships with its stakeholders and portfolio companies. We follow a hands-on approach to drive long term strategy and assist the execution of corporate finance transactions and implement optimal capital structures.

At Amanat, we implement the highest standard of corporate governance and cascade this throughout all our business activities, aiming to set best practice in the region and to drive our competitive advantage. Through the corporate governance framework, Amanat protects the interests of all stakeholders, including shareholders, employees, co-investors and investee companies. The Board of Amanat is responsible for overseeing, counselling, and directing senior management and the Board Committees while ensuring effective leadership of the Group in delivering sustainable value for all stakeholders. The Board of Directors holds the responsibility for establishing and overseeing the Group's risk management framework and the senior management is responsible for developing and monitoring risk management policies and regularly reporting to the Board of Directors.

At Amanat, we value diversity and actively work to increase female representation at executive levels. In this context, the board seats occupied by women increased to two out of seven and additionally, committee chair positions held by women are one out of four.

DFM Disclosure	#	Governance performance KPIs	Unit	2019 2020 2021 20			2022
G1. Board	G1.1	Total board seats occupied by men	%	86%	86% 71% 71% 71		
Diversity	G1.1	Total board seats occupied by men	%	14%			
Diversity	G1.2	Committee chairs occupied by men % 75% 71%				71%	75%
	G1.2	Committee chairs occupied by women	%	25%	29%	29%	25%
G2. Board	G2.1	Does company prohibit CEO from	Yes/No			es	
Independenc		serving as board chair?	,				
e	G2.2	Total board seats occupied by	%	100%	100%	100%	100%
		independent board members					
G3. Incentivized	G3.1	Are executives formally incentivized to perform on sustainability?	Yes/No		N	lo	
Pay		perrorm on bustamasmey.					
G4.	G4.1	Total enterprise headcount covered	%		N,	/A	
Collective Bargaining		by collective bargaining agreement(s)					
G5. Supplier	G5.1	Are your vendors or suppliers	Yes/ No	Yes - F	IR Policy	includes	a CoC
Code of	05.1	required to follow a Code of Conduct?	103, 110			supplie	
Conduct	G5.2	If yes, what percentage of your	%			%	
		suppliers have formally certified their					
		compliance with the code?					
G6. Ethics &	G6.1	Does your company follow an Ethics	Yes/No		Y	es	
Prevention	66.3	and/or Anti-Corruption policy?	0/		0.	0./	
of Corruption	G6.2	If yes, what percentage of your workforce has formally certified its	%		O,	%	
Corruption		compliance with the policy?					
G7. Data	G7.1	Does your company follow a Data	Yes/No		Y	es	
Privacy		Privacy policy?					
	G7.2	Has your company taken steps to comply with GDPR rules?	Yes/No		N	lo	
G8. Sustainabilit	G8.1	Does your company publish a sustainability report?	Yes/No		Y	es	
y Reporting	G8.2	Is sustainability data included in your regulatory filings?	Yes/No		Y	es	
G9.	G9.1	Does your company follow reporting	Yes/No	Globa	l Reporti	ng Fram	ework
Disclosure		frameworks?		(GRI)			
Practices	G9.2	Does your company focus on specific UN Sustainable Development Goals	Yes/No	The 2022 ESG Report focuses			
		(SDGs)?		on our impact related to SDGs		J JDGS.	
	G9.3	Does your company set targets and report progress on the UN SDGs?	Yes/No	No			
G10.	G10.1	Are your sustainability disclosures	Yes/No	No			
External		assured or validated by a third party?					
Assurance							

# **Our Social Impact**

As the largest integrated healthcare and education investment company in the region, we believe that a smarter, healthier society is a more successful one and our skilled teams work tirelessly to support and empower like minded business champions. Amanat's approach to investments aligns with national goals and ensures we work with ethically, socially responsible companies who share our goal of establishing happier and more productive communities.

We believe in the numerous benefits of a diverse and inclusive work environment. This is why, starting from executive level, we take action to increase female employment. Currently, 24% of our employees are female.

Amanat considers its human capital a fundamental in delivering its "vision of being your global investment partner of choice in health and education". Amanat aims to provide an inclusive, diverse and healthy work environment to all its employees. With the nature of its work creating smarter children and healthier people, Amanat puts immense importance into attracting and retaining the best talents in the region, providing abundant training opportunities to develop skills and support career advancement and development. We govern with non-discrimination at all aspects of employment, including but not limited to selection, compensation, training and access to benefits. Based on the employee's year-end performance appraisal and goals set for the coming year, employees, line managers and HR department assess the need for training and complete a Training Needs Analysis (TNA).

The Company manages its relationship with its employees through its Human Resources Policy Manual, outlining the rights and obligations of both parties. In addition to the Human Resources Policy, the Code of Conduct outlines the expectation of Amanat of its employees, suppliers and business partners. Holding itself to the highest ethical standards, Amanat places the Code of Conduct at the center of its relationship with all stakeholders, including its shareholders.

Amanat prioritizes health, safety, and welfare of all employees. In this regard, we promote health and safety at work, ensuring that measures are taken by the management and fulfilled at all levels.

Amanat seeks to contribute to a diverse array of corporate social responsibility (CSR) programs to broaden its reach and generate maximum impact for local communities.

DFM Disclosure	#	Social performance KPIs	Unit	2019	2020	2021	2022
S1. CEO Pay Ratio	S1.1	Ratio: CEO total compensation to median FTE total compensation	AED	-	-	6	8
S1.1	S1.2	Does your company report this metric in regulatory filings?	Yes/No	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
S2. Gender Pay Ratio	S2	Ratio: Median male compensation to median female compensation	#	-	-	1.59	2.0
	S3.1	Year-over-year change for full-time employees	#	8	8	3	0
S3. Employee	S3.2	Year-over-year change for part-time employees	#	0	0	0	0
Turnover	S3.3	Year-over-year change for contractors and/or consultants	#	0	0	0	1
	S4.1	Total enterprise headcount held by women	%	28%	29%	32%	24%
S4. Gender Diversity	S4.2	Mid-level positions held by women	%	3%	5%	8%	4%
	S4.3	Senior- and executive- level positions held by women	%	-	-	28%	17%
S5. Temporary	S5.1	Total enterprise headcount held by part-time employees	%	0%	0%	0%	0%
Worker Ratio	S5.2	Total enterprise headcount held by contractors and/or consultants	%	0%	5%	7%	8%

S6. Non- Discriminati on	S6.1	Does your company follow a sexual harassment and/or non- discrimination policy?	Yes/No	Yes, a non-discrimination policy is in place.			
S7. Injury Rate	S7.1	Frequency of injury events relative to total workforce time	%	0% 0% 0% 0%		0%	
S8. Global Health & Safety	S8.1	Does your company follow an occupational health and/or global health & safety policy?	Yes/No	Yes, Amanat's Human Resources Policy includes a health and safety policy.			
S9. Child &	S9.1	Does your company follow a child and/or forced labour policy?	Yes/No	No			
Forced Labour	S9.2	If yes, does your child and/or forced labour policy also cover suppliers and vendors?	Yes/No	No			
S10. Human	S10.1	Does your company follow a human rights policy?	Yes/No		ſ	No	
Rights	S10.2	If yes, does your human rights policy also cover suppliers and vendors?	Yes/No	No			
S11. Nationalisat	S11.1	Percentage of National employees	%	10%	14%	4%	8%
ion	S11.2	Percentage of new hires that are Nationals	%	0% 0% 0%		0%	17%
S12. Community Investment		Amount of community investment as a % of company revenue	%	0%	0%	0%	0%

# **Our Environmental Impact**

As the climate action gains momentum, Amanat and its portfolio companies aim to create a positive environmental impact through its operations. As our impact is limited to waste production, electricity consumption and municipal water use, we plan to act on these environmental issues in medium term. However, Amanat and its portfolio companies, through several projects and initiatives, focus on conserving valuable natural resources by reducing consumption and increasing waste recycling. In addition, the Company invests in new technologies that consume less energy to reduce its electricity consumption and thus, overall carbon footprint.

Name of the Environmental Initiative	Purpose of the Project
Plastic-Free Initiatives, Upcycle-Recycle	Recycling plastic bottle waste into various items
Going Green	Promoting and establishing renewable energy
	capacity
100% Paperless Initiative	Reducing paper waste
Reduced Carbon Footprint	Replacing old technologies with new, less energy
	consuming alternatives

DFM Disclosure	#	Environmental performance KPIs	Unit	2019	2020	2021	2022
	E1.1	Total amount, in CO <sub>2</sub> equivalents, for Scope 1 (if applicable)	tons of CO₂eq	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
E1. GHG Emissions	E1.2	Total amount, in CO <sub>2</sub> equivalents, for Scope 2 (if applicable)	tons of CO₂eq	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
	E1.3	Total amount, in CO <sub>2</sub> equivalents, for Scope 3 (if applicable)	tons of CO₂eq	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
E2. Emissions	E2.1	Total GHG emissions per output scaling factor	tons of CO₂eq	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Intensity	E2.2	Total non-GHG emissions per output scaling factor	tons of CO₂eq	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
E3. Energy	E3.1	Total amount of energy directly consumed	GJ	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Usage	E3.2	Total amount of energy indirectly consumed	GJ	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
E4. Energy Intensity	E4.1	Total direct energy usage per output scaling factor	Total direct energy usage per output GJ N/A N scaling factor			N/A	N/A
E5. Energy Mix	E5.1	Energy usage by generation type	%	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
E6. Water	E6.1	Total amount of water consumed	m³	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Usage	E6.2	Total amount of water reclaimed	m³	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
E7.	E7.1	Does your company follow a formal Environmental Policy?	Yes/No		N	lo	
Environment al Operations	E7.2	Does your company follow specific waste, water, energy, and/or recycling polices?	Yes/No		No		
Operations	E7.3	Does your company use a recognized energy management system?	Yes/No		Ν	lo	
E8. Environment al Oversight	E8.1	Does your Board/Management Team oversee and/or manage climate-related risks?	Yes/No		No		
E9. Environment al Oversight	E9.1	Does your Board/Management Team oversee and/or manage other sustainability issues?	Yes/No	Team	The Board/Management Team oversees waste and energy reduction issues.		
E10. Climate Risk Mitigation	E10. 1	Total amount invested, annually, in climate-related infrastructure, resilience, and product development			N/A	N/A	

# **Corporate Governance**

#### Introduction

At Amanat, corporate governance forms the foundation of our business. Our corporate governance framework allows our business to generate long-term sustainable value for our shareholders and wider stakeholder network, an objective rooted in the Company's strategy and guiding principles. While adhering to all required laws and regulatory obligations, we integrate best-practice international methodologies and have structured our corporate governance framework to best suit our business model and the high-quality outcomes that we aim to deliver to our stakeholders. The framework provides standards and internal controls that protect the interests of all stakeholders.

## **Amanat's Corporate Governance Framework**

Amanat continuously develops and adapts its corporate governance framework and reports it in accordance with the applicable laws and regulations prescribed by the Securities & Commodities Authority of the UAE (SCA). These include the Chairman of SCA's Board of Directors' Decision No. (3RM/2020) and the Chairman of SCA's Board of Directors' Decision No. (6RM/2022) concerning joint-stock companies' governance guide (SCA Corporate Governance Rules) as well as the rules and regulations set by the Dubai Financial Market. Several committees were formed which report directly to Amanat's Board (the Audit, Risk and Compliance Committee, the Nomination and Renumeration Committee, the Strategy and Investments Committee, and the Venture Capital Investment Committee).

Amanat's robust corporate governance framework is realized through its Board of Directors, multiple Committees, Management, Internal Audit and Compliance functions. The framework identifies accountabilities that have been created and translated into practices, responsibilities, and procedures, each of which have been clearly outlined in the Company's Corporate Governance Report.

# **Corporate Governance Highlights from 2022**

In 2022, Amanat continued to proactively engage with its shareholders, dedicating resources to governance issues, stakeholder outreach, and the development of applicable policies, including operational frameworks for Amanat's portfolio companies. In tandem, Amanat's Board and Executive Management continued to uphold high levels of transparency through the disclosure of major events, substantial decisions and clarifications on all matters relating to the Company's operational, financial, and strategic plans or outcomes.

Additionally, the Company broadened its communication channels to share periodic updates across material transactions, strategic objectives of the business, portfolio companies' operational and financial performance, market dynamics, share price performance, and macroeconomic factors impacting the business, as well as industry insights that help navigate the Company's deployment strategy in the short to medium term.

Amanat has continuously strengthened its governance practices and 2022 was no exception. In fact, 2022 was a year of development for Amanat. The Board of Directors proactively and continuously worked with Management to:

- Ensure business continuity through extensive preparation and capabilities, whether
  across health and safety, digitization of workstreams, remote work capabilities, and
  flexibility for working mothers during remote learning periods.
- Appoint qualified non-executive members to its committees to add supplementary value and convey the strategy and the future of the business.

- Engage with shareholders and all stakeholders to facilitate high levels of transparency,
   while maintaining regular updates on the business, both mandatory and voluntary.
- Recognize the transformational impact across the business of the value-driven approach through a carefully curated strategy that is clearly reflected in Amanat's performance and achievements in 2022.
- Provide equal opportunity for all employees at Amanat while increasing the number of female employees as well as having increased participation of females at the Board and committee level.

## **Share Dealings**

Ownership, acquisitions and sales of the Company's shares by Directors, officers and employees during the year 2022 (inclusive of spouses, children, first degree relatives, and wholly owned subsidiaries) are as follows:

Ser.	Name	Position/Kinship	Owned shares as at 31/12/2022	Total sale	Total purchase
1	Mr. Hamad Alshamsi	Chairman	1,000,000	0	0
2	Dr. Ali Saeed Bin Harmal Aldhaheri	Vice Chairman	25,907,697	0	0
3	H.E. Hamad Rashed Nehail Alnuaimi	Board Member	18,650,000	0	0
4	Ms. Latifa Rashed Al Nuaimi	Sister	350,000	650,000	0
5	M/s Al Hosn Al Gharbi	Owned by Mr Hamad Alnuaimi, Board Member	3,111,991	0	0
6	M/s FAA Capital Investment – Sole Proprietorship LLC	Owned by Mr Dhafer Sahmi Al Ahbabi, Board Member	31,179,042	0	0

#### **Board of Directors**

Amanat's Board of Directors is comprised of seven members, a majority of whom are UAE nationals, including the Chairman. The Board comprises only Non-Executive Directors and Independent Directors, in accordance with the rules and regulations relating to the formation of Boards as laid out by SCA. Female representation on Amanat's Board is two out of seven members.

The Board is responsible for overseeing, counselling, and directing senior management and the multiple Committees while ensuring the effective leadership of the Company to deliver sustainable value to stakeholders through the implementation of Amanat's principal business activities and strategies. Among its key duties and responsibilities, the Board adopts Amanat's strategic approaches and objectives; sets the Code of Conduct for the Board and the Company including the rules for insider information and conflicts of interest; establishes and reviews mechanisms to ensure internal compliance and adherence to regulatory frameworks for risk management; ensures the soundness of administrative, financial, and accounting systems; sets the responsibilities, training, and conduct of Board Members; sets a mechanism for receiving shareholders' complaints and proposals; and sets policies that regulate the Company's relationship with its stakeholders as well as disclosure and transparency policies, in addition to policies related to the distribution of Amanat's profits in a manner that serves the best interests of the shareholders and Company alike.

## **Composition of the Board of Directors**

Mr. Hamad Abdulla Alshamsi

**Position:** Chairman of The Board of Directors

**Category:** Non-Executive

**Experience:** Mr. Hamad Abdulla Al Shamsi is a UAE national businessman, he has a wealth of experience that spans more than two decades, overseeing several businesses across multiple disciplines, including financial services and investments.

Mr. Al Shamsi was the CEO of a Private Investment Company specialized in investments and real estate development projects.

He also currently serves as a Board member of Dubai Islamic Bank and Americana. In addition, Mr. Al Shamsi was the Chairman of the Board of Directors at ADX, IHC and Al Qudrah Holdings and Board Member at Etihad Airways, Abu Dhabi Securities Exchange, Finance House and Al Hilal Bank.

**Qualifications:** Mr. Al Shamsi holds a Bachelor's degree in Business Administration from UAE University and an MBA majoring in finance and banking.

**Period served as a Board Member of the Company:** following his election at the General Assembly held on 16 November 2017.

#### Dr. Ali Saeed Bin Harmal Aldhaheri

**Position:** Vice-Chairman of The Board of Directors

**Category:** Non-Executive

**Experience:** Dr. Aldhaheri has over two decades of experience in business and a proven track record of success. Upon completing his MBA with distinction at the American University in Washington DC, Dr. Aldhaheri put his knowledge to work in founding, launching, and managing several successful business entities across a number of different sectors: IT, finance, education, tourism, and real estate. Recently, in keeping with his philosophy of continual learning, Dr. Aldhaheri completed his PhD at Durham University.

Dr. Aldhaheri has been involved at a senior level with government tourism and development strategies, MICE and education management, among others.

Dr. Aldhaheri currently holds a number of key positions, including Chairman and Founder of Abu Dhabi University, CEO of Nema Holding Company, Managing Director of Bin Harmal Group, Chairman of Liwa Education, and Chairman of Magna Investments.

Dr. Aldhaheri serves on various boards and committees, including Al Ramz Corporation, the Economic Cooperation Committee for Government and Private Sectors Abu Dhabi, Mohamed Bin Zayed University for Humanities, and Sandooq al Watan. He also serves as the First Vice Chairman of the Abu Dhabi Chamber of Commerce's Board of Directors.

**Qualifications:** Dr. Aldhaheri holds an MBA with distinction from the American University in Washington DC and a PhD from Durham University.

**Period served as a Board Member of the Company:** following his election at the General Assembly held on 15 November 2020.



#### **H.E. Hamad Rashed Nehail Alnuaimi**

**Position:** Board Director **Category:** Non-Executive

**Experience:** H.E. Hamad Rashed Al Nuaimi is a Non-Executive Board Member at Amanat

Holdings PJSC.

He is truly dedicated to the region's growth with a career spanning over two decades of wideranging experience as a proficient entrepreneur in Managing Investments, Real Estate Development, and Securities.

H.E. Hamad Rashed Al Nuaimi holds several executive positions, among them Managing Director of His Highness Sheikh Nehayan Bin Zayed Al Nehayan's Office, Managing Director of His Highness Sheikh Dheyab Bin Zayed Al Nehayan's Office and Assistant Undersecretary of Financial Affairs at Ministry of Presidential Affairs.

He also serves as a Chairman and Board Member on numerous leading Investment, Real Estate, Private and Public Sector Institutions in various industries. Among them, Vice Chairman of Alramz Corporation and Board Member of Arab International Bank.

**Qualifications:** H.E. Hamad Rashed Al Nuaimi holds a Bachelor's degree from the Faculty of Economics and Administrative Sciences at United Arab Emirates University.

**Period served as a Board Member of the Company:** following his election at the General Assembly held on 16 November 2017.

#### Ms. Sara Khalil Nooruddin

**Position:** Board Director **Category:** Non-Executive

**Experience:** Ms. Sara Khalil Nooruddin is the Head of Private Investments at Osool Asset Management, where she has multiple years of experience in private investing and is responsible for sourcing, evaluating, and monitoring fund managers and investment opportunities globally. Osool is the investment arm of the Social Insurance Organization and the Military Pension Fund in Bahrain. She covers multiple asset classes, namely private equity, real estate, infrastructure and private debt. She has been with Osool since 2013. Prior to joining Osool, Ms. Nooruddin was a private equity analyst at Gulf International Bank (GIB).

Ms. Nooruddin currently serves on the Board of a London-based real estate company, Aegila Capital Management and the Al Malaki Specialist Hospital in Bahrain. She previously served on the Board of the Gulf Medical and Diabetes Center.

**Qualifications:** Ms. Nooruddin holds a BBA with a specialization in finance from George Washington University, USA and is a certified Chartered Financial Analyst (CFA).

**Period served as a Board Member of the Company:** following her election at the General Assembly held on 8 August 2019.

#### Ms. Elham Al Qasim Position: Board Director Category: Non-Executive

**Experience:** Ms. Elham Al Qasim is a senior executive and investment professional based in the UAE.

In her executive capacity, Ms. Elham is currently the Chief Strategy & Technology Officer at Majid Al Futtaim Holding, responsible for developing their long-term strategy and operating model with a focus on driving sustainable value creation and growth.

Previously, Ms. Elham has served as CEO of Digital14, leading over 1,000 staff in delivering cybersecurity and digital solutions.

Ms. Elham also served as CEO of Abu Dhabi Investment Office (ADIO) and Executive Director of the Ghadan 21 programme at the Abu Dhabi Executive Office where she led the strategic planning for the government's three-year, AED 50 billion investment programme aimed at accelerating Abu Dhabi's economy.

Prior to this, Ms. Elham was a Director of Mubadala Investment Company, focusing on Mubadala's Technology and Industry portfolio. Her responsibilities included building investment/entry strategy, business development, value creation, post-acquisition asset management, and monetization. During this time, Ms. Elham also served on the executive leadership team of Emirates Global Aluminium and delivered a two-year post-merger integration program.

Ms. Elham's international career also includes JPMorgan Investment Bank, where she was part of the Global Diversified Industrials Team based in London, handling M&A transactions in chemicals, metals and mining, and infrastructure.

As a Non-executive Director, Ms. Elham has served on a number of international and national public and private boards including Global Foundries, IHC, and Khalifa Fund. She is currently a Board Member of Bayanat, Al Ain Farms, and CMRC, and Vice Chairperson of Apex Holdings and Abu Dhabi University.

Ms. Elham holds an MSc from the School of Social Policy at the London School of Economics, and a Bachelor of Business from the American University in Dubai. In April 2010, Ms. Elham became the first Arab woman to ski to the North Pole.

**Period served as a Board Member of the Company:** following her election at the General Assembly held on 13 February 2020.

#### Mr. Dhafer Sahmi Al Ahbabi

**Position:** Board Director **Category:** Non-Executive

**Experience:** Mr. Dhafer is an accomplished executive, investor, and entrepreneur with over two decades of experience in managing investments. By capitalizing on his sharp business acumen, technical expertise, interpersonal skills, and strategic mindset, among other attributes, Mr. Dhafer was instrumental in penetrating new markets and achieving unprecedented growth for the companies he has previously founded and managed.

Mr. Dhafer is Chairman of Al Ramz Corporation PJSC. His previous appointments include a leadership position at Abu Dhabi Investment Authority; acting as a Board Member at First Gulf Bank, Abu Dhabi Islamic Bank, Invest Bank, and Al Wathba Insurance; and as the founder as well as a Board Member at Aabar Investments and Abu Dhabi University Holding Group.

**Qualifications:** Mr. Dhafer Al Ahbabi holds a bachelor's degree in Economics from Al Ain University in the United Arab Emirates.

**Period served as a Board Member of the Company:** following his election at the General Assembly held on 15 November 2020.

#### Mr. Khalaf Sultan Aldhaheri

**Position:** Board Director **Category:** Non-Executive

Mr. Khalaf Sultan Al Dhaheri brings a wealth of experience to Amanat's Board of Directors having served on numerous boards. Mr. Al Dhaheri is the Chairman of Abu Dhabi National Islamic Finance and of Abu Dhabi National Properties Co. He also sits on the board of Abu Dhabi National Hotels, Al Masraf Arab Bank for Investment & Foreign Trade, Dar Al Takaful PJSC and Islamic Development Bank.

Mr. Al Dhaheri previously served as the Chairman of Massar Solutions PJSC, a Board Member of Emirates Institution for Banking and Financial Studies, and an Audit Committee Member of Abu Dhabi National Oil Company. Mr. Al Dhaheri also held numerous executive roles including Group Chief Operating Officer at National Bank of Abu Dhabi and General Manager & Chief Risk Officer of First Abu Dhabi Bank PJSC.

**Qualifications:** Mr. Al Dhaheri has been a Certified Public Accountant since May 2002 with the California Board of Accountancy, United States of America. He is also certified by the Advanced Management Program of Ashridge, Hertfordshire, United Kingdom, since 2006. Mr. Khalaf has been a Listed Auditor by the UAE Ministry of Economy since March 28, 2001, with Auditor Certificate No. 326. Also, he was awarded a B.Sc. in Accounting from UAE University in 1997 and a Master's in Business Administration from Zayed University in 2005.

**Period served as a Board Member of the Company:** following his appointment on 10 June 2022

#### **Board Remuneration and Allowances for 2022**

#### **Statement of the following:**

1- The total remunerations paid to the Board Members for 2022.

Board of Directors total remuneration of AED 3,610k has been proposed for approval at the General Assembly of the Shareholders, of which AED 660k pertains to Committee Fees.

2- Details of the allowances for attending sessions of the committees emanating from the Board, which were received by the Board Members for the 2022 fiscal year, according to the following schedule.

No allowances were paid to the Board Members for attending committee meetings for 2022.

3- Details of the additional allowances, salaries or fees received by a Board Member other than the allowances for attending the committees.

None.

Number of Board meetings held during the year 2022 with relevant details:

Ser.	Date	Attendees	Proxy	Names of absent members
1	14/Feb/2022	4	2	Ms. Sara Khalil Nooruddin
2	*11/May/2022	5	1	
3	03/Aug/2022	6	1	
4	14/Nov/2022	6	1	
5	12/Dec/2022	5	2	

Note: All Board meetings were disclosed on the DFM electronic portal "Efsah".

# Number of the Board resolutions passed during the 2022 fiscal year, along with meeting dates.

1. Board Resolution number 1 of 2022, dated 10 June 2022.

# Duties and powers exercised by Board Members, or Executive Management members during 2022 based on authorization from the Board:

Ser.	Name of the authorized person	Power of authorization	Duration of authorization
1	Mr. Hamad Alshamsi	Jointly with other members of the Board to the extent permitted by the law, governing rules, and articles of the Company.	From 22 November 2017 till the present.
2	Dr. Mohamad Hamade	In accordance with the internal authority matrix of the Company.	From 1 May 2020 through to resignation

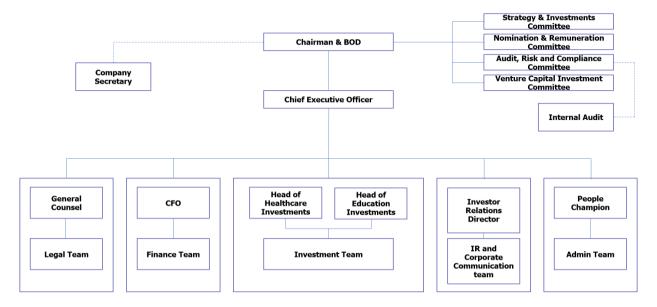
# Statement of the details of transactions made with the related parties (stakeholders) during 2022:

No transactions made with the related parties (stakeholders) during 2022.

Amanat's Board, Sub-Committees and Executive Management continue to carry out their responsibilities on a day-to-day basis in line with governing charters and the internal authority matrix. Below is the current organization structure of Amanat.

<sup>\*</sup> Dr. Shamsheer Vayalil resigned on 11/May/2022.

# **Amanat Holdings Organization Structure**



# **Executive Management Remuneration**

The Amanat Executive Management team consists of senior employees who report to the Chief Executive Officer. The following table lists their titles, appointment dates and total amounts they received as salaries and bonuses.

Name	Designation	Date of Appointment	Date of Departure	Total salary and allowances paid (AED)	Total bonuses paid (AED)	Other benefits for 2022 or in the future
Dr. Mohamad Hamade	Chief Executive Officer	28 November 2017	15 March 2023	2,520,000	n/a	-
John Ireland	Chief Financial Officer	19 September 2021	n/a	1,800,000	981,750	-
Amer Jeambey	Head – Healthcare Investments	22 April 2018	n/a	1,260,000	361,200	361,200
Fadi Habib	Head – Education Investments	06 April 2015	n/a	1,080,000	673,200	-
Abdulrahman Al-Suwaidi	Investor Relations Director	1 November 2022	n/a	150,000	150,000	-
Celine Schreiber	People Champion – Human Resources	12 September 2021	n/a	624,000	100,000	-
Sara Shadid	Investor Relations Director	01 September 2019	30 September 2022	675,000	n/a	-
Tamer Adel Morsi	General* Counsel	29 April 2018	20 May 2022	356,303	n/a	-

<sup>\*</sup>Ahmed Tolba served as General Counsel from 10 October 2022 to 22 November 2022



#### **Emiratization percentage:**

Year	No. of Emiratis	Total Staff	% of Emiratis
2020	3	21	14%
2021	1	25	4%
2022	2	25	8%

#### **Permanent Sub-Committees of the Board of Directors**

The Board of Directors established the Board Committees to assist it in achieving its duties and responsibilities. The Committees report directly to the Board and comprise the Audit, Risk and Compliance Committee, the Nomination and Remuneration Committee, the Strategies and Investments Committee and Venture Capital and Investments Committee.

## **Audit, Risk and Compliance Committee**

The Committee is comprised of the following members:

- 1. Dr. Ali Saeed Sultan Bin Harmal Aldhaheri, Chairman
- 2. Mr. Khalaf Aldhaheri, Member
- 3. Mr. Laith Alfraih, Member

Amanat's Audit Risk and Compliance Committee supports the Board of Directors in overseeing, reviewing, and assessing the effectiveness of the Company's corporate governance, disclosure, internal control, and risk management systems, as well as reviewing the Company's financial and accounting policies and procedures.

The Audit Risk and Compliance Committee submits its recommendations to the Board in regard to the selection, resignation, or discharge of the external auditor. The Committee also ensures the availability of the resources required for the internal control department and reviews and monitors its effectiveness.

The Committee works with the external auditor and regulates the responsibilities, work plan, comments, proposals, concerns, and any substantial inquiries made by the external auditor to management concerning accounting books, financial accounts, control systems, scope of the auditing process and its effectiveness according to the approved auditing standards.

The Committee leads on implementing the policy of engagement with the external auditor and submitting a report to the Board along with the committee's recommendations specifying the procedures they deem necessary to be taken in this regard.

Dr. Ali Bin Harmal Aldhaheri, Audit, Risk and Compliance Committee Chairman, acknowledges his responsibility for the committee system in the Company, the review of its work mechanism and ensuring its overall effectiveness.

The Audit, Risk and Compliance Committee met five times during 2022 as outlined below:

Committee member	Position	10 February 2022	29 April 2022	02 August 2022	07 November 2022	30 November 2022
Dr. Ali Bin Harmal Aldhaheri	Chairman	Attended	Attended	Attended	Attended	Attended
Mr. Dhafer Al Ahbabi (resignation date: 2 August 2022)	Member	Attended	Attended	Attended	N/A	N/A
Mr. Laith Alfraih	Member	Attended	Attended	Attended	Attended	Attended
Khalaf Aldhheri Appointmen t date: 03 August 2022	Member	-	-	Observer	Attended	Attended

#### **External Auditor**

Submit an overview of the company auditor to shareholders.

Ernst & Young (EY) is a multinational professional services firm and one of the largest accounting companies in the world.

EY operates as a network of member firms which are separate legal entities in individual countries. It has 250,000 employees in over 700 offices across 150 countries and global revenue of US\$34.8 billion. EY provides assurance (including financial audit), tax, consulting, and advisory services to companies.

EY has been present in MENA since 1923 and in the UAE specifically since 1966. EY's Dubai office has over 1,400 staff and serves a wide variety of government, private and multinational clients.

#### Details of the fees paid to EY for the financial year 2022 auditing services:

Name of the audit office and partner auditor	Ernst and Young Middle East Partner Name: Ms. Wardah Ibrahim
Number of years served as the company external auditor	4
The number of years that the partner auditor spent auditing the company's accounts	1
Total audit fees for 2022 in (AED)	AED 632,874
Fees and costs of private services other than auditing the financial statements for 2022, if any. In case of absence of any other fees, this must be expressly stated.	AED 119,629
Details and nature of the other services, if any. If there are no other services, this matter shall be stated expressly.	Additional procedures re acquisitions and impairment testing, translation, and support in preparing other unaudited financial statements.
Statement of other services that an external auditor other than the company accounts' auditor provided during 2022, if any. In the absence of another external auditor, this matter must be explicitly stated.	None

No modifications were included in the auditors report on the interim or annual financial statements for 2022.

#### **Nomination and Remuneration Committee**

The Nomination and Remuneration Committee establishes the policies for bonuses, privileges, incentives and salaries for all company personnel, including Board Members. It determines the Company's executive and staff qualification requirements and sets human resources and training policies. The Committee establishes and updates the policy for nominations to the Board and Executive Management, which includes seeking to achieve greater gender balance. It continually assesses and verifies the independence of independent Board Members. The Committee is required to meet at least once during the year.

Among its responsibilities, the Committee verifies periodically the permanency of independence of independent Board Directors.

The Committee comprises the following members:

- 1. Mr. Dhafer Sahmi Jaber Mufreh Al Ahbabi, Chairman
- 2. Ms. Elham Al Qasim, Member
- 3. Ms. Sara Khalil Ebrahim Nooruddin, Member

The Committee Chairman acknowledges his responsibility for the committee system in the Company, his review of its work mechanism and ensuring its overall effectiveness.

The Committee met six times during the year as outlined below:

Committee member	Position	26 January 2022	08 February 2022	13 May 2022	05 Sept 2022	05 October 2022	30 Nov 2022
Mr. Dhafer Al Ahbabi	Committee Chairman	Attended	Attended	Attended	Attended	Attended	Attended
Ms. Elham Al Qasim	Member	Attended	Attended	Attended	Attended	Attended	Attended
Ms. Sara Nooruddin	Member	Attended	Attended	Absence	Attended	Attended	Attended
Mr. Peter Christie (until 30 June 2022)	External Committee Member	Attended	Attended	Attended	N/A	N/A	N/A

## **Strategies and Investments Committee**

The Strategies and Investments Committee is responsible for reviewing and monitoring the implementation of the Company's strategic initiatives and business plans and providing recommendations to the Board.

During the year, the Committee was comprised of:

- 1. Mr. Hamad Abdulla Alshamsi, Chairman
- 2. Dr. Ali Saeed Sultan Bin Harmal Aldhaheri
- 3. Ms. Sara Khalil Nooruddin
- 4. Mr. Dhafer Sahmi Jaber Mufreh Al Ahbabi
- 5. Dr. Mohamad Hamade

The Committee reviews, assesses, and makes recommendations to the Board based on information regarding strategic and investment matters.

The Committee has the authority to take decisions as per the limits indicated in the delegation of authority adopted by the Company and has the mandate to review and recommend to the Board on matters that have been placed before them, even if they are over the delegated level of authority.

The Committee may engage and pay or cause to engage and approve the pay of financial, commercial, legal and other technical advisors to assist the Committee in carrying out its functions. Such advisors may be regular consultants to the Company.

The Committee Chairman acknowledges his responsibility for the committee system in the Company, review of its work mechanism and ensuring its overall effectiveness. The Committee met five times during the 2022 with full quorum.

### **Insiders' Transactions**

Amanat adopts a robust measure to monitor insiders' transactions and periodically updates the market and the Securities and Commodities Authority of the Insider List. The Company's General Counsel and Head of Investor Relation have maintained the Insider List and continue to notify its members of prohibition in dealings periods. They are responsible for:

- Establishing and updating the Insiders' Register.
- Notifying individuals on the list of any blackout periods and set awareness for Company employees of any trading restrictions.
- Establishing and maintaining an Investor Relations Communication and Trading Policy.

In 2022, an Insider List was created, maintained and is updated on a quarterly basis and reported to the Dubai Financial Market. They also cross-checked the Insider List with the Company's shareholder register to identify and monitor any potential transactions by insiders. Finally, they ensured continued compliance with all applicable laws and regulations.

# **Internal Control and Compliance**

The Internal Control and Compliance function is responsible for the ongoing monitoring and reporting to the Audit, Risk and Compliance Committee for all aspects of Amanat's compliance with its policies, procedures, ethics requirements and Code of Conduct, as set out and approved by the Board of Directors and Board Committees. Key responsibilities include reporting on significant risk exposure and control issues, as part of its broader monitoring and evaluation of Company governance and risk management processes. The Internal Control and Compliance function also evaluates risks related to achieving the organization's strategic objectives, checks company systems that are used to ensure compliance with policies, plans, procedures, laws, and regulations and monitors the alignment of results with established objectives and goals. The function also assesses the means used to safeguard company assets, the efficiency and effectiveness with which Company resources are deployed and the reliability and integrity of all types of information used by the Company.

During 2022, Amanat continued to focus its attention on internal controls with the support of Grant Thornton who were assigned to conduct internal audits for the Investments and Investor Relations Departments. Audit reports for these areas have been submitted to the relevant process owners and action plans have been drafted and presented to the Audit Committee.

As a follow-up on the risk assessment performed in 2021, Grant Thornton conducted a status update re the corporate level implementation across all functions.

In 2022 Grant Thornton also carried out a Control Diagnostics Review at the level of the portfolio companies. The entities reviewed were:

- Cambridge Medical and Rehabilitation Center (CMRC), UAE and KSA
- Al Malaki Specialist Hospital, Bahrain
- Middlesex University, Dubai
- Real Estate Asset of North London Collegiate School (NLCS)

The aim of a Control Diagnostics Review was to perform the following:

- understand business, departmental objectives, review in-scope processes;
- review all relevant governance documentation and identify key risks;
- prepare a Control Diagnostic Report which includes identified key risks and gaps;
- prioritize auditable areas based on the identified risks; and
- prepare an Internal Audit Plan for each entity.

Mr. Hashem Albitar (seconded from Grant Thornton) held the position of internal audit manager.

The Board of Directors hereby declares its responsibility for the Internal Control and Compliance function, revisions to its mechanism, and guarantees of its effectiveness by maintaining assets, keeping correct financial details, disclosing errors and breaches, and reviewing the Audit Committee report concerning internal audit activities and reports.

Details of any violations committed during 2022, explaining their causes, how to address them and avoid their recurrence in the future.

None.



Statement of the cash and in-kind contributions made by the Company during 2022 in developing the local community and preserving the environment. (In case of the absence of contributions, it must be mentioned that the Company has not made any.)

None.

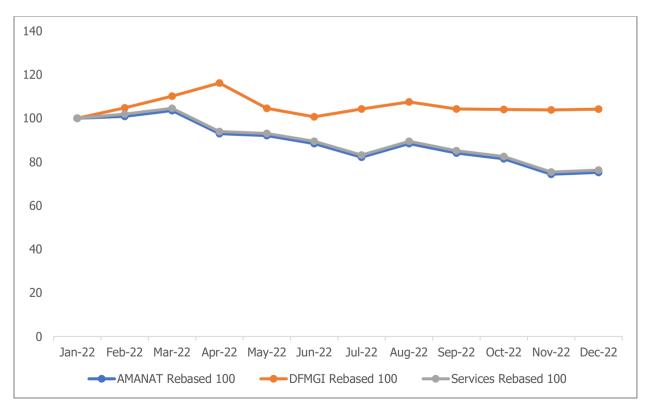
# **General Information**

Statement of the Company's share price in the market (closing price, highest price, and lowest price) at the end of each month during fiscal year 2022 is listed below:

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Month	Highest Price	Lowest Price
January	1.21	1.10

Month	Highest Price	Lowest Price	Closing Price
January	1.21	1.10	1.13
February	1.18	1.12	1.14
March	1.18	1.11	1.17
April	1.12	1.04	1.05
May	1.07	0.97	1.04
June	1.07	0.90	0.999
July	0.97	0.893	0.928
August	1.00	0.915	0.999
September	0.994	0.90	0.95
October	0.97	0.891	0.92
November	0.93	0.81	0.84
December	0.865	0.822	0.85

Statement of the Company comparative performance with the general market index and sector index to which the Company belongs during 2022.



Statement of ownership distribution of shareholders as at 31 December 2022 (individuals, companies, governments) classified as follows: UAE, Gulf, Arab and foreign.

# Shareholder's classification (number of shares)

Ser.	Geography	Individuals	Banks	Companies	Government	Total
1	UAE	472,015,250	600,453,275	962,126,082	15,000	2,034,609,607
2	GCC	1,196,457	0	308,360,127	0	309,556,584
3	Arab	36,395,350	20,000	906,148	0	37,321,498
4	Others	30,466,156	0	88,046,155	0	118,512,311
Total	2,500,000,000					

# Statement of shareholders owning 5% or more of the Company's capital as at 31 December 2022 according to the following schedule:

Ser.	Investor Name	Investor Name (English)	Investor Type	Holdings	% Share
1	بنك الاستثمار ش .م.ع	Invest Bank PJSC	BANK	405,000,000	16.20%
2	شركه اداره الاصول ش .م.ب مقفله	Osool Asset Management Company	Company	250,000,000	10.00%
3	شركه السالم المحدوده ش .ذ.م.م والمجموعات المرتبطة	Al Salem Company Limited LLC and associated groups	Company and Retail	227,219,350	9.09%
4	EMIRATES INVESTMENT BANK	EMIRATES INVESTMENT BANK	BANK	195,203,275	7.81%
5	Chimera Investment LLC	Chimera Investment LLC	Company	151,689,836	6.07%
6	الشيخ ذياب بن زايد بن سلطان ال نهيان	H.H. Sheikh Dheyab Bin Zayed Bin Sultan Al Nahyan	Retail	139,992,635	5.60%

# Statement of how shareholders are distributed according to the size of the equity as at 31 December 2022 based on the following schedule:

Ser	Share (s) ownership	Number of shareholders	Number of owned shares	Percentage of owned shares of the capital
1	Less Than 50,000	1,805	9,504,081	0.38%
2	Between 50,000 and 500,000	288	46,834,428	1.87%
3	Between 500,000 and 5,000,000	97	140,552,002	5.62%
4	Greater than 5,000,000	39	2,303,109,48 9	92.12%

# Statement of measures taken regarding the controls of investor relationships and an indication of the following:

Amanat's Investor Relations function integrates finance, communication, marketing, and securities law compliance to enable the most effective two-way communication between the financial community and other constituencies.

# Amanat Holding's Investor Relations framework is a set of guidelines for the planning and execution of key objectives and mapping of KPIs and yearly targets:



Name of Investor Relations Director: Abdulrahman Al-Suwaidi

In	Investor Relations Contact Information						
1	Title	Investor Relations Director					
2	Name	Abdulrahman Al-Suwaidi					
3	Email	investor.relations@amanat.com					
4	Contact Number	+971 (0) 4 330-9999					
5	Investor Relations Page (Website)	https://amanat.com/for-investors/					

The link to the Investor Relations page is on the Company's website: https://amanat.com/for-investors/

Statement of the special decisions presented in the General Assembly held during 2022 and the procedures taken in their regard.

Approval to amend certain articles of the articles of association of the Company in accordance with the UAE Federal Decree Law No 32 of 2021 in respect of Commercial Companies.

# **Rapporteur Function to the Board meetings**

- Name of the rapporteur of the Board meetings: Ms. Heyam Attaallah
- Appointment date: 14 November 2022

Ms. Heyam holds a Bachelor of Law from University of Sharjah and a LLM in International Business Law from Middlesex University Dubai and has more than eight years of legal experience and worked extensively on legal research and assisting Senior Legal Counsels on corporate, capital market, commercial, compliance and litigation matters. She joined the Amanat Legal Team as a Paralegal in November 2021. Prior to joining Amanat, she worked with the law firm Ibrahim & Partners and several law firms in the UAE while maintaining professional relationships with all relevant governing bodies within the region.

In 2022, she has qualified as a Certified Board Secretary from Hawkamah Institute in collaboration with DFM and been granted with the respective certification.

# **Board Secretary Function**

# Ms. Heyam is also the Board Secretary and had the following duties during the year:

- Documenting Board of Directors (BoD) meetings and preparing its minutes and making sure they are recorded as required by SCA.
- Recording BoD resolution by circulation and voting results with keeping the files in an
  organized record, including the names of attendees and any expressed reservations
  (if any).
- Maintaining a record of all reports submitted to the BoD and reports prepared by the BoD.
- Providing the BoD with the agenda of the meeting and the related materials and any additional information related to the meeting.
- Notifying the BoD members of the meeting date and sending the related material at least 7 days in advance as per SCA regulations.
- Circulating the draft of the minutes to the BoD to express thereon ahead of signing it.
- Informing the Company's executive administration about resolutions of the Board of Directors and its committees and reporting on their implementation and application.
- Coordinating between the BoD members and executive management.

# This document has been signed electronically by the relevant signatories, listed below:

Mr. Hamad Abdulla Alshamsi I Amanat Board Chairman

Dr. Ali Bin Harmal Aldhaheri I Amanat Audit, Risk and Compliance Committee Chairman

Mr. Dhafer Al Ahbabi I Amanat Nomination and Remuneration Committee Chairman

Mr. Hashem Albitar I Grant Thornton Internal Audit Manager

# **Executive Management**

# **Management Team**

### John Ireland

Acting Chief Executive Officer - Chief Financial Officer

John is the Acting Chief Executive Officer and Chief Financial Officer at Amanat Holding PJSC ("Amanat"). Prior to joining Amanat, John held senior finance, strategy, and business development roles across a variety of industries including real estate, media, and entertainment. John previously was the CFO of several listed and private organizations in the region and internationally. John holds a Bachelor of Arts in business management from the University of Exeter and is a Qualified Chartered Accountant.

# **Amer Jeambey**

Head of Healthcare Investments

Amer is the Head of Healthcare Investments of Amanat. He joined the Company from Ithmar Capital Partners where he served as Director of Investments focusing on special situations investing across public and private equity. Prior to that he assumed the role of Vice President at CPC Africa a pan-African infrastructure investment company where he was responsible for business development and investment execution in West Africa. Amer joined CPC Africa from the global strategy consulting firm Booz & Company where he specialized in advising investment companies on strategy formulation, operating model design and portfolio optimization. He started his career working in investment banking for Audi Capital in Riyadh advising regional groups on mergers and acquisitions transactions. Amer holds an MBA from Columbia Business School in the city of New York, MA in Financial Economics and BA in Economics both from the American University of Beirut.

# **Fadi Habib**

Head of Education Investments

Fadi currently holds the position of Head of Education Investments. Since joining Amanat in April 2015, Fadi has been instrumental in executing the Company's mandate through evaluating investment opportunities and leading strategic initiatives at portfolio companies. He joined Amanat from Scotiabank Global Banking & Markets in Toronto, where he served as Senior Associate in Equity Research, covering publicly listed Canadian banks and insurance companies, the largest sector on the Toronto Stock Exchange with well over USD 300 bn in market cap. In the role, Fadi was a key member of one of Canada's top-rated research teams renowned for the publication of actionable and market-moving investment recommendations. Prior to that, Fadi held roles in Corporate Banking and Asset Management at some of Canada's top financial institutions. He is a CFA charter holder and holds a BSc in Engineering with Honours from Queen's University in Canada and an MBA from McMaster University in Canada.

#### **Celine Schreiber**

People Champion

Celine is the People Champion of Amanat. In this capacity, she is responsible for developing the human capital strategy and overlooking the company's operations. Celine brings over 12 years of experience in running multi-stakeholder projects in consulting, research, and special initiatives and has a background in transaction advisory. Prior to joining Amanat, Celine led the Programs and Research Team at the Pearl Initiative, carrying out capacity-building programs on topics including corporate governance, anti-corruption practices, student initiatives, and women in leadership. She started her career as an M&A consultant within Ernst & Young's Transaction Advisory, where she worked for six years, with a focus on sell-side transactions in the retail and healthcare sectors. She holds an MBA from IE Business School in Spain and a Master's Degree from Vienna University of Business Administration in Austria.

# Abdulrahman Al Suwaidi

**Investor Relations Director** 

Abdulrahman is the Investor Relations Director of Amanat. Abdulrahman brings over 10 years of extensive diversified experience in capital markets and formation, investor relations and business development. Until recently he worked with Dubai Holding as a Director of Investment and Portfolio Management where he was leading the capital formation function. Prior to joining Dubai Holding and DXB Entertainments, Abdulrahman was part of the Investment and Business development team of Dubai Financial Market (DFM), where he was involved in creating a stakeholder engagement platform that resulted in various new listings and initial public offerings during 2013-2015. Abdulrahman holds a Bachelor Degree in International Business from the University of Colorado in the United States.

# **Investment Team**

# Wael K. Abdallah

**Investments Director** 

Wael joined Amanat as a Director in the Investment team with the objective of leading buy-side and sell-side transactions, as well as driving value creation through portfolio management of existing assets. He joined Amanat from TVM Capital Healthcare Partners ("TVM") where he served as Principal, supporting on fundraising, sourcing and screening new deals (buy-side), exit strategies (sell-side) as well as assisting the finance functions of TVM's portfolio companies on adhoc financial budgeting and planning exercises. Prior to that Wael spent more than seven years with Ernst & Young ("EY") where he played a key role on multiple M&A transactions for listed companies on DFM and ADX as well as having supported on proposed IPO listings for UAE entities on LSE. He holds a BBA from the American University of Beirut.

# **Nadim Salha**

**Investments Director** 

Nadim is an Investment Director at Amanat, covering Private Equity and Venture Capital Investments. He has overall 18 years of professional experience in the investment scene across the MENA & GCC regions. Before joining Amanat, Nadim was Head of Investment at TAMM Investments, a privately owned investment group with a well-diversified portfolio of holdings across the GCC. Prior to that, Nadim was a Principal at B&Y Venture Partners, a Venture Capital firm investing in technology start-ups on a global level. Nadim has also worked in the Investment Banking department of Audi Capital – Bank Audi Group, where he was involved in the execution of numerous mergers and acquisitions as well as fund-raising transactions in the MENA region. In his early professional years, Nadim worked for PwC and Deloitte. Nadim holds an MBA from INSEAD Business School, France, and a bachelor's degree in Business Administration from the St. Joseph University of Beirut, Lebanon.

# **Simone Rocco**

Investments

Simone is part of the Investment Team, focusing on both new acquisitions as well as management of portfolio companies. Prior to joining Amanat in June 2019, Simone was part of the MENA investment banking team of Barclays in Dubai, working on multiple transactions across M&A, ECM, DCM and Leveraged Finance. Prior to that, he worked for UBS Investment Bank in London and for Vitale&Co., an independent financial advisory boutique firm based in Milan. He holds a MSc in International Finance from HEC Paris and a BSc in Economics and Finance from Bocconi University.

# Jad El Hajj

Investments

Jad is part of the Investment Team, focusing on both new acquisitions as well as management of the current portfolio companies. Prior to joining Amanat in October 2021, Jad was part of the Investment Banking team at Bemo Securitization SAL (the investment banking arm of Banque BEMO), working on multiple transactions across M&A, Private Corporate Debt, Fiduciary Lending and Asset-backed Securitization Funds. He holds a BSc in Physics from the American University of Beirut.



# Majd El Fakih

Investments

Majd is part of the Investment Team, focusing on both new acquisitions as well as management of the Education portfolio. Prior to joining Amanat in November 2021, Majd was a Deals Senior Consultant at PwC in Dubai, working on valuation and deal strategy advisory for mergers, acquisitions and divestitures, and capital markets transactions. Before that, he worked at DigitalBridge (formerly Colony Capital), an investment company focusing on data centers, cell towers, fiber networks, small cells, and edge infrastructure. Majd holds a MSc in Financial Management from Warwick Business School and a BSc in Banking and Finance from the Lebanese American University. He is also a CFA Charterholder.

### **Matthew Siddle**

Investments

Mathew is part of the Investment Team; before joining Amanat, he worked with Mizuho Gulf Capital Partners in private equity in the consumer goods, retail, and logistics sectors and was actively involved in portfolio management. Prior to that, he worked at Citigroup in London as an investment banking associate, where he was involved in deals across the TMT sectors. Matthew started his career working in assurance at EY in London. Matthew is a qualified Chartered Accountant and holds a Bachelor of Science in Accounting and Finance from the University of Bath in the United Kingdom.

# **Grigor Papazyan**

Investments

Grigor is part of the Investment Team; before joining Amanat, he worked at VTB Capital, a leading investment banking group in Eastern Europe, where he worked on valuations, commercial due diligences, and investment strategies on multiple transactions across M&A, ECM, and leveraged finance. Prior to that, he worked for EAC Partners, an independent financial advisory boutique firm based in Sydney, Australia. Grigor holds an MSc in Finance from the University of New South Wales in Sydney, Australia, and a BSc in Business Administration from MGIMO University in Moscow, Russia.

# **Consolidated Financial Statements**

# **Board of Directors' Report**

The Board of Directors of Amanat Holdings PJSC (the "Company") are pleased to submit the consolidated financial statements of the Company and its subsidiaries (collectively the "Group") for the year ended 31 December 2022, which comprise the consolidated statement of financial position as at 31 December 2022, the consolidated statement of profit or loss, consolidated statement of comprehensive income, consolidated statement of changes in equity and consolidated statement of cash flows for the year then ended and the related notes.

# **Principal activities**

The principal activities of the Company are to invest in companies and enterprises in the sectors of education and healthcare and manage, develop, and operate such companies and enterprises.

# **Deployment**

Over the last two years, the Group including its subsidiaries and affiliates, concluded 9 transactions, including most recently, on October 27, 2022, the acquisition of 60% of Human Development Company ("HDC") for initial consideration of AED 216 million, potentially rising to AED 262.8 million, dependent on performance. HDC is the leading provider of special education and care ("SEC") services in the Kingdom of Saudi Arabia ("KSA") covering educational, medical, and rehabilitation services and has a presence across 6 provinces, catering to over 3,000 beneficiaries through a network of 9 schools and 22 day-care and rehabilitation centers.

The acquisition is in line with Amanat's strategy and strengthens both its Healthcare and Education platforms by expanding their reach to cater for people of determination. The SEC sector is underserved regionally with strong underlying growth drivers, and Amanat aims to lead the development of this sector with the goal of enhancing quality and access to this vulnerable segment of the population. HDC's commitment to a high-quality service offering and its proven scalable business model make it well positioned to be a leading driver in the development of the SEC sector in the region.

On 20 December 2022, the Group announced the creation of the largest pan-GCC post-acute care platform following the merger of Sukoon International Holding Company CJSC ("Sukoon") with Cambridge Medical & Rehabilitation Center ("CMRC") via a non-cash share swap, whereby the Sukoon shareholders will receive c.15% of Amanat's shares in CMRC in return for Amanat receiving additional shares in Sukoon and resulting in an effective majority stake of c.70%.

The transaction is part of the Group's strategy to take advantage of the estimated 24k post-acute care bed gap across KSA and the UAE in the next four years and expand to c. 1,000 pan-regional beds within 3 years with c. 400 beds in the UAE and KSA across 4 cities currently and a 300 bed expansion underway, primarily in KSA and further expansion plans in the pipeline. The Company has obtained the General Authority for Competition approval for the transaction in KSA and the transaction is expected to close in Q1 2023.

As of 31 December 2022, Amanat is actively managing deployed capital of AED 2.7 billion across 9 investments, 8 of which are classified as either majority or influential stakes and had over AED 580 million of cash.

# **Financial Results**

The Group recorded profit attributable to equity holders of the Company of AED 114.2 million for the financial year 2022, compared with AED 280.8 million in the prior year, noting that the prior year result was positively impacted by the profitable divestitures of Taaleem and IMC, which generated a gain on disposal of AED 202.9 million with associated trading results of AED 14.5 million and related transaction costs of AED 20.0 million.

The prior year also included a non-cash impairment charge of AED 20.0 million against goodwill arising on the acquisition of Al-Malaki Specialist Hospital ("MSH", formerly the Royal Hospital for Women and Children), recorded due to the delayed ramp-up of the business, mainly attributable to COVID restrictions.

The Group recorded revenue of AED 513.1 million, an increase of AED 100.2 million or 24% when compared to the AED 412.9 million recorded in 2021, mainly driven by a full year contribution from CMRC in 2022, two months of trading result following the acquisition of HDC, and growth at Middlesex University Dubai ("MDX").

Utilizing alternative performance measures, which exclude non-recurring and transaction-related items, 2022 adjusted EBITDA was AED 191.6 million, an increase of AED 38.9 million or 25% versus the AED 152.7 million recorded in the prior year and adjusted profit attributable to equity holders of the Company was AED 117.4 million, a 14% increase when compared to the prior year.

Performance was driven by the healthcare platform which delivered growth of 40%, driven by a full year impact from CMRC, the ramp up of CMRC's Dharan facility, ongoing efficiencies at Sukoon and a reduction in underlying losses at MSH.

At the education platform income was AED 107.0 million, stable year-on-year as a 15% increase in students at Middlesex University Dubai and the two month-impact of the HDC acquisition were offset by a post COVID reduction in credit hours and one time acquisition and project related impacts at NEMA.

Holding level costs were AED 41.4 million, a year-on-year increase of 19% on an adjusted basis, mainly driven by the full year impact of key hires, resumption of travel and costs associated with communication and rebranding activities. Transaction costs reduced year-on-year, mainly driven by acquisitions and divestitures in the prior year.

Finance income in 2022 was AED 13.2 million, a 2.4x year-on-year increase, driven by a combination of higher post-divestiture cash balances and higher interest rates. This was partly offset by higher finance costs, a combination of an additional two-month impact from the CMRC acquisition financing and increasing interest rates.

Total cash and bank balances stood at AED 584 million as of 31 December 2022, with AED 100 million allocated for the proposed dividend distribution, subject to shareholder approval at the forthcoming General Assembly.

Total equity attributable to the owners of the Company on 31 December 2022 amounted to AED 2.7 billion prior to the proposed dividend.

In accordance with the Articles of Association of the Company, 10% of profit for the year is transferred to the statutory reserve. The Company may resolve to discontinue such annual transfers when the reserve equals 50% of the nominal value of the paid-up share capital. Accordingly, an amount of AED 11.4 million has been transferred to the statutory reserve during the year. The statutory reserve is not available for distribution.

The Board of Directors of the Company has approved in the meeting held on 14 February 2023 the audited consolidated financial statements of the Group for the year ended 31 December 2022 and recommends them for approval at the forthcoming General Assembly.

# **Dividends**

The Board of Directors is recommending for approval at the forthcoming General Assembly an AED 100 million cash dividend pay-out (AED 4 fils per share, or 88% of profit attributable to equity holders).

# **Outlook**

Amanat's portfolio comprises market leading platforms across healthcare and education, each of which have clear growth strategies and pathways to monetisation.

At the healthcare platform we are on track to reach 700 beds, a 65% increase in capacity, whilst at the education platform we continue to grow through a combination of bolt-on-acquisitions and organic growth.

At the newly acquired HDC, expansions are in progress that will add additional centers in KSA whilst concurrently exploring regional expansion opportunities.

As we look forward, we will continue to pursue further acquisitions and opportunities and integrate, scale and synergies our platforms as we build value and deliver return to our shareholders.

# **Directors**

Name	Position
Mr. Hamad Abdulla Alshamsi	Chairman
Dr. Ali Saeed Bin Harmal Aldhaheri	Vice Chairman
H.E. Hamad Rashed Nehail Al Nuaimi	Board Director
Ms. Sara Khalil Nooruddin	Board Director
Ms. Elham Al Qasim	Board Director
Mr. Dhafer Al Ahbabi	Board Director
Mr. Khalaf Sultan Al Dhaheri	Board Director (appointed on 9 <sup>th</sup> June 2022)
Dr. Shamsheer Vayalil	Vice Chairman (resigned on 11 <sup>th</sup> May 2022)

# **Auditors**

Ernst & Young were appointed as external auditors for the Company for the year ended 31 December 2022.

This document has been signed electronically by Mr. Hamad Abdulla Alshamsi (Chairman of the Board of Directors).

# **Independent Auditor's Report to the Shareholders of Amanat Holdings PJSC**

# **Report on the Audit of the Consolidated Financial Statements**

# **Opinion**

We have audited the consolidated financial statements of Amanat Holdings PJSC (the "Company") and its subsidiaries (together the "Group"), which comprise the consolidated statement of financial position as at 31 December 2022, and the consolidated statement of profit or loss, consolidated statement of comprehensive income, consolidated statement of cash flows and consolidated statement of changes in equity for the year then ended, and notes to the consolidated financial statements, including a summary of significant accounting policies.

In our opinion, the accompanying consolidated financial statements present fairly, in all material respects, the consolidated financial position of the Group as at 31 December 2022, and its consolidated financial performance and its consolidated cash flows for the year then ended in accordance with International Financial Reporting Standards ("IFRSs").

# **Basis for Opinion**

We conducted our audit in accordance with International Standards on Auditing ("ISAs"). Our responsibilities under those standards are further described in the *Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Consolidated Financial Statements* section of our report.

We are independent of the Group in accordance with the International Ethics Standards Board for Accountants' *International Code of Ethics for Professional Accountants (including International Independence Standards)* (the "IESBA Code") together with the ethical requirements that are relevant to our audit of the consolidated financial statements in the United Arab Emirates, and we have fulfilled our other ethical responsibilities in accordance with these requirements and the IESBA Code. We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion.

# **Key Audit Matters**

Key audit matters are those matters that, in our professional judgment, were of most significance in our audit of the consolidated financial statements for the year ended 31 December 2022. These matters were addressed in the context of the audit of the consolidated financial statements as a whole, and in forming the auditor's opinion thereon, and we do not provide a separate opinion on these matters. For each matter below, our description of how our audit addressed the matter is provided in that context.

We have fulfilled the responsibilities described in the *Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Consolidated Financial Statements* section of our report, including in relation to these matters. Accordingly, our audit included the performance of procedures designed to respond to our assessment of the risks of material misstatement of the consolidated financial statements. The results of our audit procedures, including the procedures performed to address the matters below, provide the basis for our audit opinion on the accompanying consolidated financial statements.

# Report on the Audit of the Consolidated Financial Statements (continued)

# **Key Audit Matters (continued)**

Key audit matters

How our audit addressed the key audit matters

# Impairment of goodwill and other intangible assets with indefinite life

As stated in note 10 to the consolidated financial statements. the Group's consolidated statement of financial position AED 1,274,387 thousand includes goodwill and other intangible assets with indefinite life, representing 35% of total Group assets. In accordance with IFRS, these balances are allocated to Cash Generating Units (CGUs) which are tested annually for impairment, or whenever changes in circumstances or events indicate that the carrying amount of such intangible assets may not be recoverable.

This is a key audit matter as determining whether the carrying values of goodwill and the other intangible assets with an indefinite life are recoverable requires management to make significant estimates concerning the expected future cash flows and associated discount rates and growth rates based on management's view of future business prospects.

We performed the following:

- Checked the mathematical accuracy of the impairment models used for impairment testing, and the extraction of inputs from source documents;
- Reviewed the reasonableness of the key assumptions used in the impairment model, including specifically the operating cash flow projections, discount rates, and terminal growth rates;
- Engaged our internal specialists to assist us in reviewing the methodologies applied including estimates and judgments made by management;
- Considered the sensitivity of the impairment testing model to changes in key assumptions;
- For intangible assets with an indefinite life, other than goodwill, we reviewed up to the date of issuance of these consolidated financial statements that no significant changes have occurred to the basis of recognition of such assets, and
- Assessed the adequacy of the related disclosures in the consolidated financial statements.

# Report on the Audit of the Consolidated Financial Statements (continued)

# **Other Information**

Other information consists of the information included in the Directors' report, other than the consolidated financial statements and our auditor's report thereon. Management is responsible for the other information and Alternative Performance Measures disclosed in the consolidated financial statements.

Our opinion on the consolidated financial statements does not cover the other information and we do not express any form of assurance conclusion thereon.

In connection with our audit of the consolidated financial statements, our responsibility is to read the other information and, in doing so, consider whether the other information is materially inconsistent with the consolidated financial statements or our knowledge obtained in the audit or otherwise appears to be materially misstated. If, based on the work we have performed, we conclude that there is a material misstatement of this other information, we are required to report that fact. We have nothing to report in this regard.

# Responsibilities of the Management and the Audit Committee for the Consolidated Financial Statements

Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of the consolidated financial statements in accordance with IFRSs and in compliance with the applicable provisions of the Company's Articles of Association and the UAE Federal Decree Law No. (32) of 2021, and for such internal control as management determines is necessary to enable the preparation of consolidated financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

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

The Audit Committee is responsible for overseeing the Group's financial reporting process.

# Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Consolidated Financial Statements

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

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

• Identify and assess the risks of material misstatement of the consolidated financial statements, whether due to fraud or error, design and perform audit procedures responsive to those risks, and obtain audit evidence that is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion. The risk of not detecting a material misstatement resulting from fraud is higher than for one resulting from error, as fraud may involve collusion, forgery, intentional omissions, misrepresentations, or the override of internal control.

# Report on the Audit of the Consolidated Financial Statements (continued)

# Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Consolidated Financial Statements (continued)

- Obtain an understanding of internal control relevant to the audit in order to design audit
  procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing
  an opinion on the effectiveness of the Group's internal control.
- Evaluate the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of accounting estimates and related disclosures made by management.
- Conclude on the appropriateness of management's use of the going concern basis of accounting and, based on the audit evidence obtained, whether a material uncertainty exists related to events or conditions that may cast significant doubt on the Company's ability to continue as a going concern. If we conclude that a material uncertainty exists, we are required to draw attention in our auditor's report to the related disclosures in the consolidated financial statements or, if such disclosures are inadequate, to modify our opinion. Our conclusions are based on the audit evidence obtained up to the date of our auditor's report. However, future events or conditions may cause the Company to cease to continue as a going concern.
- Evaluate the overall presentation, structure and content of the consolidated financial statements, including the disclosures, and whether the consolidated financial statements represent the underlying transactions and events in a manner that achieves fair presentation.
- Obtain sufficient appropriate audit evidence regarding the financial information of the entities or business activities within the Group to express an opinion on the consolidated financial statements. We are responsible for the direction, supervision and performance of the group audit. We remain solely responsible for our audit opinion.

We communicate with the Audit Committee regarding, among other matters, the planned scope and timing of the audit and significant audit findings, including any significant deficiencies in internal control that we identify during our audit.

We also provide the Audit Committee with a statement that we have complied with relevant ethical requirements regarding independence, and to communicate with them all relationships and other matters that may reasonably be thought to bear on our independence, and where applicable, related safeguards.

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

# **Report on Other Legal and Regulatory Requirements**

Further, as required by the UAE Federal Decree Law No. (32) of 2021, we report that:

- 1. We have obtained all the information we considered necessary for the purposes of our audit;
- 2. The consolidated financial statements have been prepared and comply, in all material respects, with the applicable provisions of the UAE Federal Decree Law No. (32) of 2021, and the Articles of Association of the Company;
- 3. The Company has maintained proper books of account;
- 4. The financial information included in the Directors' report is consistent with the books of account of the Company;
- 5. The Group's investment in shares and stocks during the year ended 31 December 2022 is disclosed in Notes 10, 11 and 12;
- 6. Notes 11 and 14 reflect material related party transactions and the terms under which they were conducted;
- 7. Based on the information that has been made available to us, nothing has come to our attention which causes us to believe that the Company has contravened during the financial year ended 31 December 2022 any of the applicable provisions of the UAE Federal Decree Law No. (32) of 2021 or of its Articles of Association which would materially affect its activities or its financial position as at 31 December 2022; and
- 8. No social contributions were made by the Company during the year.

# **CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF PROFIT OR LOSS**

For the year ended 31 December 2022

	Notes	2022 AED'000	2021 AED'000
Revenue Direct costs	4 4	513,101 (283,059)	412,872 (228,313)
GROSS PROFIT		230,042	184,559
General, selling and administrative expenses Share of results of associates Gain on disposal of associates Income from finance lease Impairment of goodwill Other operating income	5 11 11 9 10 6	(173,899) 25,076 - 33,693 - 14,086	(170,960) 52,533 202,881 33,448 (19,961) 3,408
OPERATING PROFIT	· ·	128,998	285,908
Finance income Finance costs	7 7	13,152 (29,993)	5,429 (18,197)
PROFIT FOR THE YEAR BEFORE ZAKAT		112,157	273,140
Zakat		(435)	-
PROFIT FOR THE YEAR		111,722	273,140
Attributable to: Equity holders of the Company Non-controlling interests		114,213 (2,491) 111,722	280,831 (7,691) 273,140
Basic and diluted earnings per share (AED)	22	0.0458	0.1124
Alternative Performance Measures		2022	2021
	Note	AED'000	AED'000
Adjusted earnings before interest, tax, depreciation and amortization (Adjusted EBITDA)	30	191,560	152,708
<b>Attributable to the equity holders of the Company</b> Adjusted operating profit Adjusted profit	30 30	131,580 117,402	113,972 103,375

The attached notes 1 to 31 form part of these consolidated financial statements.



# **CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF COMPREHENSIVE INCOME**For the year ended 31 December 2022

	Notes	2022 AED'000	2021 AED′000
PROFIT FOR THE YEAR		111,722	273,140
Other comprehensive income / loss Other comprehensive income / (loss) that may be reclassified to profit or loss in subsequent periods:			
Gain / (loss) on cash flow hedge	25	3,236	(1,646)
Other comprehensive income / (loss) that may be reclassified to profit or loss in subsequent periods		3,236	(1,646)
Other comprehensive income / (loss) that will not be reclassified to profit or loss in subsequent periods:			
Change in fair value of financial assets at FVOCI Remeasurement loss on employee's benefits obligation	12	(2,307)	860
Share of other comprehensive income of associates	11	(129) 343	(17)
Net other comprehensive (loss) / income that will no reclassified to profit or loss in subsequent years	t be	(2,093)	843
Total other comprehensive income / (loss)		1,143	(803)
TOTAL COMPREHENSIVE INCOME FOR THE YEAR		112,865	272,337
Attributable to: Equity holders of the Company Non-controlling interests	27	115,408 (2,543)	280,028 (7,691)
		112,865	272,337

The attached notes 1 to 31 form part of these consolidated financial statements.

# **CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION**As at 31 December 2022

As at 31 December 2022			
		2022	2021
ASSETS	Notes	AED'000	AED'000
Non-current assets			
Property and equipment	8	271,872	250,806
Right-of-use assets	9	175,886	117,828
Goodwill and intangible assets	10	1,420,215	1,210,555
Investments in associates	11	515,726	506,057
Finance lease receivables	9	362,954	382,832
Financial assets at FVOCI	12	31,521	33,828
Other financial assets	25.1	5,158	-
Total non-current assets		2,783,332	2,501,906
Current assets			
Inventories		7,003	6,774
Finance lease receivables	9	51,933	37,986
Trade and other receivables	13	201,999	111,239
Due from related parties	14	2,727	8,079
Cash and bank balances	15	583,939	878,036
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Total current assets		847,601 ————	1,042,114
TOTAL ASSETS		3,630,933	3,544,020
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EQUITY AND LIABILITIES EQUITY			
Share capital	16	2,500,000	2,500,000
Share premium	16	2,300,000	2,300,000
Treasury shares	16	(33,605)	(12,711)
Statutory reserve	17	69,656	58,235
Fair value reserve of financial assets at FVOCI	17	(23,837)	(21,530)
Cash flow hedge reserve	25	(25,657)	(1,646)
Other reserves	11	(18,081)	(18,347)
Retained earnings		216,020	263,228
Total equity attributable to the equity holders of the Company		2,712,226	2,770,106
Non-controlling interests	27	34,098	(1,346)
Total equity		2,746,324	2,768,760
LIABILITIES			
Non-current liabilities			
Financing from banks	18	356,358	391,517
Lease liabilities	9	163,375	107,453
Other long-term payables	19	33,318	3,630
Other financial liability	25	-	1,646
Due to a related party	14	5,780	4,013
Provision for employees' end of service benefits	20	32,900	22,814
Total non-current liabilities		591,731	531,073
Current liabilities			
Bank overdraft	15	11,914	21,072
Financing from banks	18	69,282	51,911
Lease liabilities	9	26,968	16,788
Provisions, accounts and other payables	21	138,084	119,356
Contract liabilities	4	46,630	33,843
Due to related parties	14	-	1,217
Total current liabilities		292,878	244,187
Total liabilities		884,609	775,260
TOTAL EQUITY AND LIABILITIES		3,630,933	3,544,020
These consolidated financial statements were approved by the Board of D	Directors on	2023 and signed by:	
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Mr. Hamad Abdulla Alshamsi		Mr. John Irel	
Chairman		Chief Financia	ai Officer

The attached notes 1 to 31 form part of these consolidated financial statements



# **CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN EQUITY**

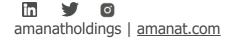
For the year ended 31 December 2022

Attributable to the equity holders of the Company

	Share capital AED'000	Share premium AED'000	Treasury shares AED'000	Statutory reserve AED'000	Fair value reserve of financial assets at FVOCI AED'000	Cash flow hedge reserve AED'000	Other reserves AED'000	Retained earnings AED'000	Total AED'000	Non- controlling interests AED'000	Total AED'000
As at 1 January 2021	2,500,000	523	(6,702)	30,152	(22,390)	-	-	10,497	2,512,080	6,345	2,518,425
Profit/(loss) for the year Other comprehensive income/(loss)	-	-	-	-	- 860	(1,646)	-	280,831 (17)	280,831 (803)	(7,691)	273,140 (803)
Total comprehensive income/(loss)	-	-	-	-	860	(1,646)	-	280,814	280,028	(7,691)	272,337
Treasury shares (Note 16)	-	2,354	(6,009)	-	-	-	-	-	(3,655)	-	(3,655)
Transfer to statutory reserve (Note 17)	-	-	-	28,083	-	-	-	(28,083)	-	-	-
Associate's acquisition of non-controlling interests (Note 11)	-	-	-	-	-	-	(18,347)	-	(18,347)	-	(18,347)
As at 31 December 2021	2,500,000	2,877	(12,711)	58,235	(21,530)	(1,646)	(18,347)	263,228	2,770,106	(1,346)	2,768,760
Profit/(loss) for the year Other comprehensive income/(loss)	-	-	-	-	- (2,307)	- 3,236	- 266	114,213 -	114,213 1,195	(2,491) (52)	111,722 1,143
Total comprehensive income/(loss)	-	-	-	-	(2,307)	3,236	266	114,213	115,408	(2,543)	112,865
Gain on ineffective hedge recycled to profit or loss	-	-	-	-	-	(1,590)	-	-	(1,590)	-	(1,590)
Treasury shares (Note 16)	-	(804)	(20,894)	-	-	-	-	-	(21,698)	-	(21,698)
Dividends (Note 23)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(150,000)	(150,000)	-	(150,000)
Transfer to statutory reserve (Note 17)	-	-	-	11,421	-	-	-	(11,421)	-	-	-
Acquisition of a subsidiary (Note 10)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	27,790	27,790
Contribution by non-controlling interests*	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	10,197	10,197
As at 31 December 2022	2,500,000	2,073	(33,605)	69,656	(23,837)		(18,081)	216,020	2,712,226	34,098	2,746,324

<sup>\*</sup>During the year, subsidiaries of the Group with direct ownership in Al Malaki Specialist Hospital W.L.L, resolved to increase their share capital. As per the terms of the capital increase, non-controlling interests contributed AED 10,197 thousand of capital whilst maintaining their overall percentage ownership in the subsidiary.

The attached notes 1 to 31 form part of these consolidated financial statements.



# **CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS**

# For the year ended 31 December 2022

	Notes	2022 AED'000	2021 AED′000
OPERATING ACTIVITIES Profit before zakat		112,157	273,140
Adjustments: Share of results of associates Gain on disposal of associates Dividend income from financial assets at FVOCI	11 11 6	(25,076) - (1,258)	(52,533) (202,881) (1,179)
Depreciation of property and equipment Depreciation of right-of-use assets Amortization of intangible assets Loss on disposal of property and equipment Gain on derivative instrument	8 9 10 6	28,293 19,537 8,543 368 (3,568)	22,127 11,265 7,864 42
Gain on modification and termination of right-of-use assets Allowance for expected credit losses, net of reversal Provision for employees' end of service benefits Reversal of credit loss on lease receivables	13 20 9	(2,940) 2,541 10,013 (2,660)	6,939 6,594
Hedge ineffectiveness and others Impairment of goodwill Income from finance lease Finance income	7 10 9 7	(1,719) - (33,693) (11,433)	19,961 (33,448) (5,429)
Finance costs	7	29,993 ——————————————————————————————————	18,197 
Working capital changes: Inventories Trade and other receivables Due from related parties Provisions, accounts and other payables and contract liabilities Due to related parties		322 (16,102) (498) (7,005) 551	(166) (18,588) 11,574 31,137 416
Due to related parties  Cash from operations  Employees' end of service benefits paid	20	106,366 (4,672)	95,032 (3,416)
Net cash flows from operating activities		101,694	91,616
INVESTING ACTIVITIES Acquisition of property and equipment Acquisition of a subsidiary, net of cash acquired Settlement of deferred consideration Proceeds from disposal of associates	8 10 11	(19,409) (204,278) (3,983)	(71,326) (854,887) (2,450) 782,686
Investment in finance lease Lease payments received Changes in Sharia compliant term deposits Changes in bank term deposits Interest received on Sharia compliant term deposits	9 9	- 42,284 447,692 79,107 10,207	(302) 15,594 (520,410) (119,107) 2,473
Interest received on bank term deposits Proceeds from associate capital reduction Dividend received from associates Dividend received from financial assets at FVOCI	14 11	159 7,466 15,750 1,258	2,503 - 22,370 1,179
Net cash flows from / (used in) investing activities		376,253	(741,677)
Proceeds from bank financing Repayment of bank financing Movements in revolving bank facilities, net Acquisition of treasury shares, net		4,870 (45,984) 8,160 (21,698)	410,943 (30,375) - (3,655)
Change in cash balances held with a third party and others Payment of lease liabilities Capital contribution by non-controlling interests Dividend paid Finance costs paid	9 27 23	11,893 (24,055) 10,197 (150,000) (17,575)	447 (14,943) - - (10,912)
Net cash flows (used in) / from financing activities		(224,192)	351,505
NET INCREASE / (DECREASE) IN CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS		253,755	(298,556)
Cash and cash equivalents at 1 January		92,560	391,116
CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS AT 31 DECEMBER  Non-cash transaction	15	346,315 ———	92,560
Lease remeasurement	9	<u> 26,578</u>	-

The attached notes 1 to 31 form part of these consolidated financial statements.



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#### 1 CORPORATE INFORMATION

Amanat Holdings PJSC ("the Company") was incorporated on 17 November 2014 and is registered as a Public Joint Stock Company listed on the Dubai Financial Market under the UAE Federal Decree-Law No. 32 of 2021. The registered office of the Company is One Central The Offices 5, Level 1 Unit 107 and 108, Dubai, United Arab Emirates.

Federal Decree Law No 47 of 2022 was issued on 9 December 2022 relating to taxation of Corporations and Businesses in the United Arab Emirates and is effective for tax periods commencing on or after 1 June 2023. Management is in the process of reviewing the Decree Law and will ensure compliance with the requirements of the law from the effective period applicable to the Company. Refer to Note 28.

The principal activities of the Company are to invest in companies and enterprises in the fields of education and healthcare as well as managing, developing and operating such companies and enterprises. The Company may participate or have an interest in any manner in other companies, entities or institutions outside the United Arab Emirates.

These consolidated financial statements include the financial performance and position of the Company and its operating subsidiaries as listed below (collectively the "Group").

Name	Equity interest		Country of incorporation	Principal activities
	2022	2021	meer peracion	
WMCE Company W.L.L. ("WMCE")*	49.69%	49.69%	Kingdom of Bahrain	Investment in companies in the field of healthcare.
Maternity Holding Company Ltd. ("MHC")*	74.13%	74.13%	Cayman Islands	Investment in companies in the field of healthcare.
Al Malaki Specialist Hospital W.L.L ("MSH")*	69.24%	69.24%	Kingdom of Bahrain	Hospital and healthcare facilities in Kingdom of Bahrain
Middlesex Associates FZ-LLC ("Middlesex University")	100%	100%	United Arab Emirates	Leading university providing tertiary education in the United Arab Emirates
CMRC Limited ("CMRC")	100%	100%	Cyprus	Holding company
Cambridge Medical & Rehabilitation Centre LLC** ("CMRC UAE")	100%	100%	United Arab Emirates	Healthcare services
CMRC Saudi Arabia LLC** ("CMRC KSA")	100%	100%	Kingdom of Saudi Arabia	Healthcare services
TVM KSA Acquisition 1 Limited**	100%	100%	Cyprus	Holding company
Human Development Company LLC ("HDC")	60%	-	Kingdom of Saudi Arabia	Special education and care needs
Human Rehabilitation Company LLC***	60%	-	Kingdom of Saudi Arabia	Special education and care needs and rehabilitation services

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## 1 CORPORATE INFORMATION (continued)

\* Investment in MSH is held via MHC and WMCE. During the year, Royal Hospital for Women and Children W.L.L. changed its legal name to Al Malaki Specialist Hospital W.L.L.

The Group holds numerous other subsidiaries that are non-operational, mainly investment vehicles.

The Group has interests in the following associates as disclosed further in Note 11:

Name	Equity interest		Country of incorporation	Principal Activities
	2022	2021		
Sukoon International Holding Company	33.25%	33.25%	Kingdom of Saudi Arabia	Long-term and critical healthcare
NEMA Holding Company LLC*	35%	35%	United Arab Emirates	Leading tertiary education provider
Taaleem Holdings PSC (Previously Madaares PSC)**	-	-	United Arab Emirates	Leading education provider
International Medical Center**	-	-	Kingdom of Saudi Arabia	Hospital and healthcare facilities

<sup>\*</sup> During the year Abu Dhabi University Holding LLC changed its legal name to NEMA Holding Company LLC.

#### 2 SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

## 2.1 BASIS OF PREPARATION

The consolidated financial statements of the Group have been prepared in accordance with International Financial Reporting Standards (IFRS) as issued by the International Accounting Standards Board (IASB).

The consolidated financial statements have been prepared on a historical cost basis, except for financial assets at FVOCI, other financial liability, contingent consideration and other financial assets that have been measured at fair value. The consolidated financial statements are presented in Arab Emirates Dirhams (AED) and all values are rounded to the nearest thousand (AED'000), except when otherwise indicated.

# 2.2 BASIS OF CONSOLIDATION

The consolidated financial statements comprise the financial statements of the Company and its subsidiaries as at 31 December 2022. Control is achieved when the Group is exposed, or has rights, to variable returns from its involvement with the investee and has the ability to affect those returns through its power over the investee. Specifically, the Group controls an investee if, and only if, the Group has:

- Power over the investee (i.e., existing rights that give it the current ability to direct the relevant activities of the investee)
- > Exposure, or rights, to variable returns from its involvement with the investee
- > The ability to use its power over the investee to affect its returns



<sup>\*\*</sup> Investments are held via CMRC Limited.

<sup>\*\*\*</sup> Investment held via Human Development Company LLC.

<sup>\*\*</sup> Taaleem and IMC were disposed of during the second and third quarters of 2021, respectively. Refer to Note 11.

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# 2 SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (continued)

### 2.2 BASIS OF CONSOLIDATION (continued)

Generally, there is a presumption that a majority of voting rights results in control. To support this presumption and when the Group has less than a majority of the voting or similar rights of an investee, the Group considers all relevant facts and circumstances in assessing whether it has power over an investee, including:

- > The contractual arrangement(s) with the other vote holders of the investee
- Rights arising from other contractual arrangements
- The Group's voting rights and potential voting rights

The Group re-assesses whether or not it controls an investee if facts and circumstances indicate that there are changes to one or more of the three elements of control. Consolidation of a subsidiary begins when the Group obtains control over the subsidiary and ceases when the Group loses control of the subsidiary. Assets, liabilities, income and expenses of a subsidiary acquired or disposed of during the year are included in the consolidated financial statements from the date the Group gains control until the date the Group ceases to control the subsidiary.

The consolidated statement of profit or loss and each component of OCI are attributed to the equity holders of the Company and to the non-controlling interests, even if this results in the non-controlling interests having a deficit balance. When necessary, adjustments are made to the financial statements of subsidiaries to bring their accounting policies in line with the Group's accounting policies. All intra-group assets and liabilities, equity, income, expenses and cash flows relating to transactions between members of the Group are eliminated in full on consolidation.

A change in the ownership interest of a subsidiary, without a loss of control, is accounted for as an equity transaction.

If the Group loses control over a subsidiary, it derecognises the related assets (including goodwill), liabilities, non-controlling interest and other components of equity, while any resultant gain or loss is recognised in consolidated statement of profit or loss. Any investment retained is recognised at fair value.

### 2.3 SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

# a) Business combinations and goodwill

Business combinations are accounted for using the acquisition method. The cost of an acquisition is measured as the aggregate of the consideration transferred, which is measured at acquisition date fair value, and the amount of any non-controlling interests in the acquiree. For each business combination, the Group elects whether to measure the non-controlling interests in the acquiree at fair value or at the proportionate share of the acquiree's identifiable net assets. Acquisition-related costs are expensed as incurred and included in administrative expenses.

When the Group acquires a business, it assesses the financial assets and liabilities assumed for appropriate classification and designation in accordance with the contractual terms, economic circumstances and pertinent conditions as at the acquisition date. This includes the separation of embedded derivatives in host contracts by the acquiree.

Any contingent consideration to be transferred by the acquirer will be recognised at fair value at the acquisition date. Contingent consideration classified as equity is not remeasured and its subsequent settlement is accounted for within equity. Contingent consideration classified as an asset or liability that is a financial instrument and within the scope of IFRS 9 Financial Instruments, is measured at fair value with the changes in fair value recognised in the consolidated statement of profit or loss in accordance with IFRS 9. Other contingent consideration that is not within the scope of IFRS 9 is measured at fair value at each reporting date with changes in fair value recognised in consolidated statement of profit or loss.

Goodwill is initially measured at cost (being the excess of the aggregate of the consideration transferred and the amount recognised for non-controlling interests and any previous interest held over the net identifiable assets acquired and liabilities assumed). If the fair value of the net assets acquired is in excess of the aggregate consideration transferred, the Group re-assesses whether it has correctly identified all of the assets acquired and all of the liabilities assumed and reviews the procedures used to measure the amounts to be recognised at the acquisition date. If the reassessment still results in an excess of the fair value of net assets acquired over the aggregate consideration transferred, then the gain is recognised in consolidated statement of profit or loss.



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## 2 SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (continued)

# 2.3 SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (continued)

## a) Business combinations and goodwill (continued)

After initial recognition, goodwill is measured at cost less any accumulated impairment losses. For the purpose of impairment testing, goodwill acquired in a business combination is, from the acquisition date, allocated to each of the Group's cash-generating units that are expected to benefit from the combination, irrespective of whether other assets or liabilities of the acquiree are assigned to those units.

Where goodwill has been allocated to a cash-generating unit (CGU) and part of the operation within that unit is disposed of, the goodwill associated with the disposed operation is included in the carrying amount of the operation when determining the gain or loss on disposal. Goodwill disposed in these circumstances is measured based on the relative values of the disposed operation and the portion of the cash-generating unit retained.

#### b) Investments in associates

An associate is an entity over which the Group has significant influence. Significant influence is the power to participate in the financial and operating policy decisions of the investee, but is not control or joint control over those policies.

The considerations made in determining significant influence are similar to those necessary to determine control over subsidiaries. The Group's investment in its associates are accounted for using the equity method.

Under the equity method, the investment in an associate is initially recognised at cost. The carrying amount of the investment is adjusted to recognise changes in the Group's share of net assets of the associate since the acquisition date. Goodwill relating to the associate is included in the carrying amount of the investment and is not tested for impairment separately.

The consolidated statement of profit or loss reflects the Group's share of the results of operations of the associates. Any change in OCI of those investees is presented as part of the Group's OCI. In addition, when there has been a change recognised directly in the equity of the associate, the Group recognises its share of any changes, when applicable, in the statement of changes in equity. Unrealised gains and losses resulting from transactions between the Group and the associate are eliminated to the extent of the interest in the associate.

The aggregate of the Group's share of profit or loss of an associate is shown on the face of the consolidated statement of profit or loss within operating profit and represents profit or loss after tax and non-controlling interests in the subsidiaries of the associate.

The financial statements of the associates are generally prepared for the same reporting period as the Group, when necessary, adjustments are made to bring the accounting period and policies in line with those of the Group.

After application of the equity method, the Group determines whether it is necessary to recognise an impairment loss on its investment in its associate. At each reporting date, the Group determines whether there is objective evidence that the investment in the associate is impaired. If there is such evidence, the Group calculates the amount of impairment as the difference between the recoverable amount of the associate and its carrying value, and then recognises the loss within 'Share of results of associates' in the consolidated statement of profit or loss. Upon loss of significant influence over the associate, the Group measures and recognises any retained investment at its fair value. Any difference between the carrying amount of the associate upon loss of significant influence and the fair value of the retained investment and proceeds from disposal is recognised in consolidated statement of profit or loss.

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# 2 SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (continued)

# 2.3 SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (continued)

#### c) Current versus non-current classification

The Group presents assets and liabilities in the consolidated statement of financial position based on current/non-current classification. An asset is current when it is:

- > Expected to be realised or intended to be sold or consumed in the normal operating cycle
- Held primarily for the purpose of trading
- Expected to be realised within twelve months after the reporting period
   Or
- Cash or cash equivalent unless restricted from being exchanged or used to settle a liability for at least twelve months after the reporting period

All other assets are classified as non-current.

A liability is current when:

- > It is expected to be settled in the normal operating cycle
- > It is held primarily for the purpose of trading
- > It is due to be settled within twelve months after the reporting period
- There is no unconditional right to defer the settlement of the liability for at least twelve months after the reporting period

The terms of the liability that could, at the option of the counterparty, result in its settlement by the issue of equity instruments do not affect its classification.

The Group classifies all other liabilities as non-current.

### d) Fair value measurement

The Group measures financial instruments such as financial assets at FVOCI, derivative financial instruments and contingent consideration at fair value at each reporting date.

Fair value is the price that would be received to sell an asset or paid to transfer a liability in an orderly transaction between market participants at the measurement date. The fair value measurement is based on the presumption that the transaction to sell the asset or transfer the liability takes place either:

- In the principal market for the asset or liability Or
- > In the absence of a principal market, in the most advantageous market for the asset or liability

The principal or the most advantageous market must be accessible by the Group.

The fair value of an asset or a liability is measured using the assumptions that market participants would use when pricing the asset or liability, assuming that market participants act in their economic best interest.

A fair value measurement of a non-financial asset takes into account a market participant's ability to generate economic benefits by using the asset in its highest and best use or by selling it to another market participant that would use the asset in its highest and best use.

The Group uses valuation techniques that are appropriate in the circumstances and for which sufficient data are available to measure fair value, maximising the use of relevant observable inputs and minimising the use of unobservable inputs.



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## 2 SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (continued)

# 2.3 SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (continued)

#### d) Fair value measurement (continued)

All assets and liabilities for which fair value is measured or disclosed in the consolidated financial statements are categorised within the fair value hierarchy, described as follows, based on the lowest level input that is significant to the fair value measurement as a whole:

- Level 1 Quoted (unadjusted) market prices in active markets for identical assets or liabilities
- ➤ Level 2 Valuation techniques for which the lowest level input that is significant to the fair value measurement is directly or indirectly observable
- Level 3 Valuation techniques for which the lowest level input that is significant to the fair value measurement is unobservable

For assets and liabilities that are recognised in the consolidated financial statements at fair value on a recurring basis, the Group determines whether transfers have occurred between levels in the hierarchy by re-assessing categorisation (based on the lowest level input that is significant to the fair value measurement as a whole) at the end of each reporting period.

For the purpose of fair value disclosures, the Group has determined classes of assets and liabilities on the basis of the nature, characteristics and risks of the asset or liability and the level of the fair value hierarchy, as explained above.

#### e) Revenue

The Group provides healthcare and education services. Revenue is recognised when control of the goods or services are transferred to the customer at an amount that reflects the consideration to which the Group expects to be entitled in exchange for those goods or services. The Group has generally concluded that it is the principal in its revenue arrangements, because it typically controls the goods or services before transferring them to the customer.

#### **Tuition fees**

Revenue from tuition fees is recognised over the period of each academic term and is reduced by scholarships awarded to students during that period.

#### Healthcare services

Revenue from healthcare services related to in-patient care and rehabilitation is recognised over time on a straightline basis, reflective of the fact that the customer simultaneously receives and consumes the benefits from such services provided to them. All other healthcare services are recognised at the point in time when the services are rendered.

#### Joint services agreements (Schools)

Share of revenue from joint services agreements, net of associated costs, is recognized over the period of each academic term.

#### Contract balances

## Contract assets

A contract asset is initially recognised for revenue earned from services because the receipt of consideration is conditional on successful completion of the service. Upon completion of the service and acceptance by the customer, the amount recognised as contract assets is reclassified to trade receivables.

Contract assets are subject to impairment assessment. Refer to the accounting policies on impairment of financial assets in section (I) Financial instruments – initial recognition and subsequent measurement.

#### Trade receivables

A receivable is recognised if an amount of consideration that is unconditional is due from the customer (i.e., only the passage of time is required before payment of the consideration is due). Refer to accounting policies of financial assets in section (I) Financial instruments – initial recognition and subsequent measurement.

#### Contract liabilities

A contract liability is recognised if a payment is received or a payment is due (whichever is earlier) from a customer before the Group transfers the related goods or services. Contract liabilities are recognised as revenue when the Group performs under the contract (i.e., transfers control of the related goods or services to the customer).



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## 2 SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (continued)

# 2.3 SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (continued)

## f) Government grants

Grants are recognised at their fair value where there is reasonable assurance that the grant will be received, and the Group will comply with all related conditions. Grants are recognised in the consolidated statement of profit or loss over the period necessary to match them with the expense that they are intended to compensate.

### g) Value added tax

Expenses and assets are recognised net of the amount of value added tax, except:

- > When the value added tax incurred on a purchase of assets or services is not recoverable from the taxation authority, in which case, the value added tax is recognised as part of the cost of acquisition of the asset or as part of the expense item, as applicable
- When receivables and payables are stated with the amount of value added tax included

The net amount of value added tax recoverable from, or payable to, the taxation authority is included as part of receivables or payables in the consolidated financial statements.

#### h) Foreign currencies

The Group's consolidated financial statements are presented in AED, which is also the Company's functional currency. For each entity, the Group determines the functional currency and items included in the financial statements of each entity are measured using that functional currency. The Group uses the direct method of consolidation and on disposal of a foreign operation, the gain or loss that is reclassified to consolidated statement of profit or loss reflects the amount that arises from using this method.

#### Transactions and balances

Transactions in foreign currencies are initially recorded by the Group's entities at their respective functional currency spot rates at the date the transaction first qualifies for recognition.

Monetary assets and liabilities denominated in foreign currencies are translated at the functional currency spot rates of exchange at the reporting date.

Differences arising on settlement or translation of monetary items are recognised in the consolidated statement of profit or loss with the exception of monetary items that are designated as part of the hedge of the Group's net investment in a foreign operation. These are recognised in OCI until the net investment is disposed of, at which time, the cumulative amount is reclassified to consolidated statement of profit or loss. Tax charges and credits attributable to exchange differences on those monetary items are also recognised in OCI.

Non-monetary items that are measured in terms of historical cost in a foreign currency are translated using the exchange rates at the dates of the initial transactions. Non-monetary items measured at fair value in a foreign currency are translated using the exchange rates at the date when the fair value is determined. The gain or loss arising on translation of non-monetary items measured at fair value is treated in line with the recognition of the gain or loss on the change in fair value of the item (i.e., translation differences on items whose fair value gain or loss is recognised in OCI or profit or loss are also recognised in OCI or profit or loss, respectively).

In determining the spot exchange rate to use on initial recognition of the related asset, expense or income (or part of it) on the derecognition of a non-monetary asset or non-monetary liability relating to advance consideration, the date of the transaction is the date on which the Group initially recognises the non-monetary asset or non-monetary liability arising from the advance consideration. If there are multiple payments or receipts in advance, the Group determines the transaction date for each payment or receipt of advance consideration.



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## 2 SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (continued)

# 2.3 SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (continued)

#### h) Foreign currencies (continued)

### **Group companies**

On consolidation, the assets and liabilities of foreign operations are translated into AED at the rate of exchange prevailing at the reporting date and their consolidated statement of profit or loss are translated at exchange rates prevailing at the dates of the transactions. The exchange differences arising on translation for consolidation are recognised in OCI. On disposal of a foreign operation, the component of OCI relating to that particular foreign operation is reclassified to consolidated statement of profit or loss.

Any goodwill arising on the acquisition of a foreign operation and any fair value adjustments to the carrying amounts of assets and liabilities arising on the acquisition are treated as assets and liabilities of the foreign operation and translated at the spot rate of exchange at the reporting date.

# i) Cash dividend

The Company recognises a liability to pay a dividend when the distribution is authorised and the distribution is no longer at the discretion of the Company. As per the corporate laws of United Arab Emirates, a distribution is authorised when it is approved by the shareholders. A corresponding amount is recognised directly in equity.

## j) Property and equipment

Construction in progress is stated at cost, net of accumulated impairment losses, if any. Property and equipment is stated at cost, net of accumulated depreciation and accumulated impairment losses, if any. Such cost includes the cost of replacing part of the property and equipment and borrowing costs for long-term construction projects if the recognition criteria are met. When significant parts of property and equipment are required to be replaced at intervals, the Group depreciates them separately based on their specific useful lives. Likewise, when a major inspection is performed, its cost is recognised in the carrying amount of the property and equipment as a replacement if the recognition criteria are satisfied. All other repair and maintenance costs are recognised in consolidated statement of profit or loss as incurred.

Depreciation is calculated on a straight-line basis over the estimated useful lives of the assets, as follows:

Leasenoid improvements	Shorter of asset life and lease term
Buildings	10 to 20 years
Medical equipment	5 to 15 years
Academic equipment	3 years
Furniture and Fixtures	7 years
Other assets	3 to 7 years

No depreciation is charged on land and capital work in progress.

An item of property and equipment and any significant part initially recognised is derecognised upon disposal (i.e., at the date the recipient obtains control) or when no future economic benefits are expected from its use or disposal. Any gain or loss arising on derecognition of the asset (calculated as the difference between the net disposal proceeds and the carrying amount of the asset) is included in the consolidated statement of profit or loss when the asset is derecognised.

The residual values, useful lives and methods of depreciation of property and equipment are reviewed at each financial year end and adjusted prospectively, if appropriate.

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## 2 SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (continued)

### 2.3 SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (continued)

#### k) Leases

The Group assesses at contract inception whether a contract is, or contains, a lease. That is, if the contract conveys the right to control the use of an identified asset for a period of time in exchange for consideration.

#### Group as a lessee

The Group applies a single recognition and measurement approach for all leases, except for short-term leases and leases of low-value assets. The Group recognises lease liabilities to make lease payments and right-of-use assets representing the right to use the underlying assets.

#### Right-of-use assets

The Group recognises right-of-use assets at the commencement date of the lease (i.e., the date the underlying asset is available for use). Right-of-use assets are measured at cost, less any accumulated depreciation and impairment losses, and adjusted for any remeasurement of lease liabilities. The cost of right-of-use assets includes the amount of lease liabilities recognised, initial direct costs incurred, and lease payments made at or before the commencement date less any lease incentives received. Right-of-use assets are depreciated on a straight-line basis over the shorter of the lease term and the estimated useful lives of the assets, as follows:

Buildings and offices 3 to 10 years

Leasehold landVehicles45 years3 years

If ownership of the leased asset transfers to the Group at the end of the lease term or the cost reflects the exercise of a purchase option, depreciation is calculated using the estimated useful life of the asset.

The right-of-use assets are also subject to impairment. Refer to the accounting policies in section (m) Impairment of non-financial assets.

### Lease liabilities

At the commencement date of the lease, the Group recognises lease liabilities measured at the present value of lease payments to be made over the lease term. The lease payments include fixed payments (including in-substance fixed payments) less any lease incentives receivable, variable lease payments that depend on an index or a rate, and amounts expected to be paid under residual value guarantees. The lease payments also include the exercise price of a purchase option reasonably certain to be exercised by the Group and payments of penalties for terminating the lease, if the lease term reflects the Group exercising the option to terminate. Variable lease payments that do not depend on an index or a rate are recognised as expenses (unless they are incurred to produce inventories) in the period in which the event or condition that triggers the payment occurs.

In calculating the present value of lease payments, the Group uses its incremental borrowing rate at the lease commencement date because the interest rate implicit in the lease is not readily determinable. After the commencement date, the amount of lease liabilities is increased to reflect the accretion of interest and reduced for the lease payments made. In addition, the carrying amount of lease liabilities is remeasured if there is a modification, a change in the lease term, a change in the lease payments (e.g., changes to future payments resulting from a change in an index or rate used to determine such lease payments) or a change in the assessment of an option to purchase the underlying asset.

#### Short-term leases and leases of low-value assets

The Group applies the short-term lease recognition exemption to its short-term leases (i.e., those leases that have a lease term of 12 months or less from the commencement date and do not contain a purchase option). It also applies the lease of low-value assets recognition exemption to leases of office equipment that are considered to be low value. Lease payments on short-term leases and leases of low-value assets are recognised as expense on a straight-line basis over the lease term.



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## 2 SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (continued)

#### 2.3 SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (continued)

#### k) Leases (continued)

#### Group as a lessor

A lease is classified at the inception date as a finance lease or an operating lease. A lease that transfers substantially all the risks and rewards incidental to ownership to the lessee is classified as a finance lease.

At the commencement of a finance lease term, the Group records a finance lease receivable in the consolidated statement of financial position at an amount equal to the net investment in the lease. The recognition of finance income is based on a pattern reflecting the constant periodic rate of return on the lessor's net investment in the finance lease.

An operating lease is a lease other than a finance lease. Rental income arising is accounted for on a straight-line basis over the lease term and is included in other income in the consolidated statement of profit or loss due to its non-operating nature.

#### I) Borrowing costs

Borrowing costs directly attributable to the acquisition, construction or production of an asset that necessarily takes a substantial period of time to get ready for its intended use or sale are capitalised as part of the cost of the asset. All other borrowing costs are expensed in the period in which they occur. Borrowing costs consist of interest and other costs that an entity incurs in connection with the borrowing of funds.

### m) Financial instruments - initial recognition and subsequent measurement

A financial instrument is any contract that gives rise to a financial asset of one entity and a financial liability or equity instrument of another entity.

#### i) Financial assets

#### Initial recognition and measurement

Financial assets are classified, at initial recognition, as subsequently measured at amortised cost, fair value through other comprehensive income (OCI), and fair value through profit or loss.

The classification of financial assets at initial recognition depends on the financial asset's contractual cash flow characteristics and the Group's business model for managing them. With the exception of trade receivables that do not contain a significant financing component or for which the Group has applied the practical expedient, the Group initially measures a financial asset at its fair value plus, in the case of a financial asset not at fair value through profit or loss, transaction costs. Trade receivables that do not contain a significant financing component or for which the Group has applied the practical expedient are measured at the transaction price as disclosed in section (e) Revenue.

In order for a financial asset to be classified and measured at amortised cost or fair value through OCI, it needs to give rise to cash flows that are 'solely payments of principal and interest (SPPI)' on the principal amount outstanding. This assessment is referred to as the SPPI test and is performed at an instrument level. Financial assets with cash flows that are not SPPI are classified and measured at fair value through profit or loss, irrespective of the business model.

The Group's business model for managing financial assets refers to how it manages its financial assets in order to generate cash flows. The business model determines whether cash flows will result from collecting contractual cash flows, selling the financial assets, or both. Financial assets classified and measured at amortised cost are held within a business model with the objective to hold financial assets in order to collect contractual cash flows while financial assets classified and measured at fair value through OCI are held within a business model with the objective of both holding to collect contractual cash flows and selling.

Purchases or sales of financial assets that require delivery of assets within a time frame established by regulation or convention in the market place (regular way trades) are recognised on the trade date, i.e., the date that the Group commits to purchase or sell the asset.



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## 2 SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (continued)

### 2.3 SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (continued)

#### m) Financial instruments - initial recognition and subsequent measurement (continued)

## i) Financial assets (continued)

#### Subsequent measurement

Financial assets at amortised cost (debt instruments)

Financial assets at amortised cost are subsequently measured using the effective interest (EIR) method and are subject to impairment. Gains and losses are recognised in profit or loss when the asset is derecognised, modified or impaired.

The Group's financial assets at amortised cost includes trade receivables and due from related parties.

Financial assets designated at fair value through OCI (equity instruments)

Upon initial recognition, the Group can elect to classify irrevocably its equity investments as equity instruments designated at fair value through OCI when they meet the definition of equity under IAS 32 Financial Instruments: Presentation and are not held for trading. The classification is determined on an instrument-by-instrument basis.

Gains and losses on these financial assets are never recycled to the consolidated statement of profit or loss. Dividends are recognised as other income in the consolidated statement of profit or loss when the right of payment has been established, except when the Group benefits from such proceeds as a recovery of part of the cost of the financial asset, in which case, such gains are recorded in OCI. Equity instruments designated at fair value through OCI are not subject to impairment assessment.

The Group elected to irrevocably classify its listed and unquoted equity investments under this category.

Financial assets designated at fair value through profit or loss (equity instruments)

The Group, upon vesting of allotted equity warrants, recognizes a derivative asset at fair value through profit or loss in the consolidated statement of financial position with the corresponding impact in the consolidated statement of profit or loss including any subsequent changes in fair value. Upon exercise, the derivative asset is subsequently reclassified to equity instruments at FVOCI.

# Derecognition

A financial asset (or, where applicable, a part of a financial asset or part of a group of similar financial assets) is primarily derecognised (i.e., removed from the Group's consolidated statement of financial position) when:

- The rights to receive cash flows from the asset have expired Or
- > The Group has transferred its rights to receive cash flows from the asset or has assumed an obligation to pay the received cash flows in full without material delay to a third party under a 'pass-through' arrangement; and either (a) the Group has transferred substantially all the risks and rewards of the asset, or (b) the Group has neither transferred nor retained substantially all the risks and rewards of the asset, but has transferred control of the asset

When the Group has transferred its rights to receive cash flows from an asset or has entered into a pass-through arrangement, it evaluates if, and to what extent, it has retained the risks and rewards of ownership. When it has neither transferred nor retained substantially all of the risks and rewards of the asset, nor transferred control of the asset, the Group continues to recognise the transferred asset to the extent of its continuing involvement. In that case, the Group also recognises an associated liability. The transferred asset and the associated liability are measured on a basis that reflects the rights and obligations that the Group has retained.

Continuing involvement that takes the form of a guarantee over the transferred asset is measured at the lower of the original carrying amount of the asset and the maximum amount of consideration that the Group could be required to repay.

#### **Impairment**

The Group recognises an allowance for expected credit losses (ECLs) for all debt instruments not held at fair value through profit or loss. ECLs are based on the difference between the contractual cash flows due in accordance with the contract and all the cash flows that the Group expects to receive, discounted at an approximation of the original effective interest rate. The expected cash flows will include cash flows from the sale of collateral held or other credit enhancements that are integral to the contractual terms.



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## 2 SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (continued)

### 2.3 SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (continued)

#### m) Financial instruments - initial recognition and subsequent measurement (continued)

### i) Financial assets (continued)

#### Impairment (continued)

ECLs are recognised in two stages. For credit exposures for which there has not been a significant increase in credit risk since initial recognition, ECLs are provided for credit losses that result from default events that are possible within the next 12-months (a 12-month ECL). For those credit exposures for which there has been a significant increase in credit risk since initial recognition, a loss allowance is required for credit losses expected over the remaining life of the exposure, irrespective of the timing of the default (a lifetime ECL).

For trade receivables and contract assets, the Group applies a simplified approach in calculating ECLs. Therefore, the Group does not track changes in credit risk, but instead recognises a loss allowance based on lifetime ECLs at each reporting date. The Group has established a provision matrix that is based on its historical credit loss experience, adjusted for forward-looking factors specific to the debtors and the economic environment.

The Group considers a financial asset in default when contractual payments are past due. However, in certain cases, the Group may also consider a financial asset to be in default when internal or external information indicates that the Group is unlikely to receive the outstanding contractual amounts in full before taking into account any credit enhancements held by the Group. A financial asset is written off when there is no reasonable expectation of recovering the contractual cash flows.

#### ii) Financial liabilities

### Initial recognition and measurement

Financial liabilities are classified, at initial recognition, as financial liabilities at fair value through profit or loss, loans and borrowings, payables, or as derivatives designated as hedging instruments in an effective hedge, as appropriate.

All financial liabilities are recognised initially at fair value and, in the case of loans and borrowings and payables, net of directly attributable transaction costs.

The Group's financial liabilities include provisions, accounts and other payables, lease liabilities, due to related parties, loans and borrowings and other long-term liabilities.

#### Subsequent measurement

Financial liabilities at fair value through profit or loss

Financial liabilities at fair value through profit or loss include financial liabilities held for trading and financial liabilities designated upon initial recognition as at fair value through profit or loss.

Gains or losses on liabilities held for trading are recognised in the consolidated statement of profit or loss.

Financial liabilities designated upon initial recognition at fair value through profit or loss are designated at the initial date of recognition, and only if the criteria in IFRS 9 are satisfied. The Group has designated a contingent consideration for the acquisition of a subsidiary as a financial liability as at fair value through profit or loss.

# Financial liabilities at amortised cost (loans and borrowings)

After initial recognition, interest-bearing loans and borrowings are subsequently measured at amortised cost using the EIR method. Gains and losses are recognised in consolidated statement of profit or loss when the liabilities are derecognised as well as through the EIR amortisation process.

Amortised cost is calculated by taking into account any discount or premium on acquisition and fees or costs that are an integral part of the EIR. The EIR amortisation is included as finance costs in the consolidated statement of profit or loss.

This category generally applies to interest-bearing loans and borrowings.



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## 2 SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (continued)

# 2.3 SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (continued)

#### m) Financial instruments – initial recognition and subsequent measurement (continued)

### ii) Financial liabilities (continued)

#### Derecognition

A financial liability is derecognised when the obligation under the liability is discharged or cancelled or expires. When an existing financial liability is replaced by another from the same lender on substantially different terms, or the terms of an existing liability are substantially modified, such an exchange or modification is treated as the derecognition of the original liability and the recognition of a new liability. The difference in the respective carrying amounts is recognised in the consolidated statement of profit or loss.

## iii) Offsetting of financial instruments

Financial assets and financial liabilities are offset and the net amount is reported in the consolidated statement of financial position if there is a currently enforceable legal right to offset the recognised amounts and there is an intention to settle on a net basis, to realise the assets and settle the liabilities simultaneously.

#### n) Impairment of non-financial assets

The Group assesses, at each reporting date, whether there is an indication that an asset may be impaired. If any indication exists, or when annual impairment testing for an asset is required, the Group estimates the asset's recoverable amount. An asset's recoverable amount is the higher of an asset's or CGU's fair value less costs of disposal and its value in use. The recoverable amount is determined for an individual asset, unless the asset does not generate cash inflows that are largely independent of those from other assets or groups of assets. When the carrying amount of an asset or CGU exceeds its recoverable amount, the asset is considered impaired and is written down to its recoverable amount.

In assessing value in use, the estimated future cash flows are discounted to their present value using a pre-tax discount rate that reflects current market assessments of the time value of money and the risks specific to the asset. In determining fair value less costs of disposal, recent market transactions are taken into account. If no such transactions can be identified, an appropriate valuation model is used. These calculations are corroborated by valuation multiples, quoted share prices for publicly traded companies or other available fair value indicators.

The Group bases its impairment calculation on most recent budgets and forecast calculations, which are prepared separately for each of the Group's CGUs to which the individual assets are allocated. These budgets and forecast calculations generally cover a period of five years. A long-term growth rate is calculated and applied to project future cash flows after the fifth year.

Impairment losses of continuing operations are recognised in the consolidated statement of profit or loss in expense categories consistent with the function of the impaired asset, except for properties previously revalued with the revaluation taken to OCI. For such properties, the impairment is recognised in OCI up to the amount of any previous revaluation.

For assets excluding goodwill, an assessment is made at each reporting date to determine whether there is an indication that previously recognised impairment losses no longer exist or have decreased. If such indication exists, the Group estimates the asset's or CGU's recoverable amount. A previously recognised impairment loss is reversed only if there has been a change in the assumptions used to determine the asset's recoverable amount since the last impairment loss was recognised. The reversal is limited so that the carrying amount of the asset does not exceed its recoverable amount, nor exceed the carrying amount that would have been determined, net of depreciation, had no impairment loss been recognised for the asset in prior years. Such reversal is recognised in the consolidated statement of profit or loss unless the asset is carried at a revalued amount, in which case, the reversal is treated as a revaluation increase.

Goodwill is tested for impairment annually as at 31 December and when circumstances indicate that the carrying value may be impaired. Impairment is determined for goodwill by assessing the recoverable amount of each CGU (or group of CGUs) to which the goodwill relates. When the recoverable amount of the CGU is less than its carrying amount, an impairment loss is recognised. Impairment losses relating to goodwill cannot be reversed in future periods.

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## 2 SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (continued)

## 2.3 SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (continued)

#### o) Inventories

Inventories are stated at the lower of cost and net realisable value. Cost of inventories are determined on a weighted average basis. Net realisable value is the estimated selling price for inventories less estimated costs of completion and cost necessary to make the sale. Write-down of inventories to net realisable value is recognised in the consolidated statement of profit or loss and other comprehensive income.

#### p) Cash and term deposits

Cash and term deposits in the consolidated statement of financial position comprise cash at banks and on hand and term deposits.

For the purpose of the consolidated statement of cash flows, cash and cash equivalents consist of cash and short-term deposits, with a maturity of three months or less, net of outstanding bank overdrafts.

#### q) Financing from Banks

Financing from Banks are recognised initially at fair value, net of transaction costs incurred. Borrowings are subsequently stated at amortised cost; any difference between the proceeds (net of transaction costs) and the redemption value is recognised in the consolidated statement of profit or loss over the period of the borrowings using the effective interest method. Fees paid on the inception of loan facilities are recognised as transaction costs of the loan to the extent that it is probable that some or all of the facility will be drawn down and the fee is deferred until the draw-down occurs. To the extent there is no evidence that it is probable that some or all of the facility will be drawn down, the fee is capitalised as a pre-payment and amortised over the period of the facility to which it relates.

#### r) Provisions

Provisions are recognised when the Group has a present obligation (legal or constructive) as a result of a past event, it is probable that an outflow of resources embodying economic benefits will be required to settle the obligation and a reliable estimate can be made of the amount of the obligation. When the Group expects some or all of a provision to be reimbursed, for example, under an insurance contract, the reimbursement is recognised as a separate asset, but only when the reimbursement is virtually certain. The expense relating to a provision is presented in the consolidated statement of profit or loss net of any reimbursement.

If the effect of the time value of money is material, provisions are discounted using a current pre-tax rate that reflects, when appropriate, the risks specific to the liability. When discounting is used, the increase in the provision due to the passage of time is recognised as a finance cost.

## s) Employees' end of service benefits

The Group provides end of service benefits to its employees. The entitlement to these benefits is based upon the employees' salary and length of service, subject to the completion of a minimum service period. The expected costs of these benefits are accrued over the period of employment.

## t) Intangible assets

The cost of intangible assets acquired in a business combination is their fair value at the date of acquisition. Following initial recognition, intangible assets are carried at cost less any accumulated amortisation and accumulated impairment losses.



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## 2 SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (continued)

## 2.3 SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (continued)

#### t) Intangible assets (continued)

Intangible assets with finite lives are amortised over the useful economic life and assessed for impairment whenever there is an indication that the intangible asset may be impaired. The amortisation period and the amortisation method for an intangible asset with a finite useful life are reviewed at least at the end of each reporting period. Changes in the expected useful life or the expected pattern of consumption of future economic benefits embodied in the asset are considered to modify the amortisation period or method, as appropriate, and are treated as changes in accounting estimates. The amortisation expense on intangible assets with finite lives is recognised in the consolidated statement of profit or loss in the expense category that is consistent with the function of the intangible assets.

The Group's intangible assets with finite lives acquired through business combinations relate to an agreement amortised over its useful economic life of 30 years and a brand name amortised over its useful economic life of 10 years (Refer to Note 10 for further details).

Intangible assets with indefinite useful lives are not amortised, but are tested for impairment annually, either individually or at the cash-generating unit level. The assessment of indefinite life is reviewed annually to determine whether the indefinite life continues to be supportable. If not, the change in useful life from indefinite to finite is made on a prospective basis.

An intangible asset is derecognised upon disposal (i.e., at the date the recipient obtains control) or when no future economic benefits are expected from its use or disposal. Any gain or loss arising upon derecognition of the asset (calculated as the difference between the net disposal proceeds and the carrying amount of the asset) is included in the consolidated statement of profit or loss.

## u) Derivative financial instruments and hedge accounting Initial recognition and subsequent measurement

The Group uses derivative financial instruments, such as interest rate swaps, to hedge its interest rate risks. Such derivative financial instruments are initially recognised at fair value on the date on which a derivative contract is entered into and are subsequently remeasured at fair value. Derivatives are carried as financial assets when the fair value is positive and as financial liabilities when the fair value is negative.

For the purpose of hedge accounting, hedges are classified as Cash flow hedges when hedging the exposure to variability in cash flows that is either attributable to a particular risk associated with a recognised asset or liability or a highly probable forecast transaction or the foreign currency risk in an unrecognised firm commitment.

At the inception of a hedge relationship, the Group formally designates and documents the hedge relationship to which it wishes to apply hedge accounting and the risk management objective and strategy for undertaking the hedge.

The documentation includes identification of the hedging instrument, the hedged item, the nature of the risk being hedged and how the Group will assess whether the hedging relationship meets the hedge effectiveness requirements (including the analysis of sources of hedge ineffectiveness and how the hedge ratio is determined). A hedging relationship qualifies for hedge accounting if it meets all of the following effectiveness requirements:

- > There is 'an economic relationship' between the hedged item and the hedging instrument.
- The effect of credit risk does not 'dominate the value changes' that result from that economic relationship.
- > The hedge ratio of the hedging relationship is the same as that resulting from the quantity of the hedged item that the Group actually hedges and the quantity of the hedging instrument that the Group actually uses to hedge that quantity of hedged item.

Hedges that meet all the qualifying criteria for hedge accounting are accounted for, as described below:

#### Cash flow hedges

The effective portion of the gain or loss on the hedging instrument is recognised in OCI in the cash flow hedge reserve, while any ineffective portion is recognised immediately in the consolidated statement of profit or loss. The cash flow hedge reserve is adjusted to the lower of the cumulative gain or loss on the hedging instrument and the cumulative change in fair value of the hedged item.

The Group uses interest rate swap contracts as hedges of its exposure to interest rate risk in relation to its variable interest-bearing financing from banks. The ineffective portion, if any, relating to interest rate swap contracts is recognised as expense.

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## 2 SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (continued)

## 2.3 SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (continued)

#### u) Derivative financial instruments and hedge accounting (continued)

#### Cash flow hedges (continued)

The amounts accumulated in OCI are accounted for, depending on the nature of the underlying hedged transaction. If the hedged transaction subsequently results in the recognition of a non-financial item, the amount accumulated in equity is removed from the separate component of equity and included in the initial cost or other carrying amount of the hedged asset or liability. This is not a reclassification adjustment and will not be recognised in OCI for the period. This also applies where the hedged forecast transaction of a non-financial asset or non-financial liability subsequently becomes a firm commitment for which fair value hedge accounting is applied.

For any other cash flow hedges, the amount accumulated in OCI is reclassified to consolidated statement of profit or loss as a reclassification adjustment in the same period or periods during which the hedged cash flows affect consolidated statement of profit or loss.

If cash flow hedge accounting is discontinued, the amount that has been accumulated in OCI must remain in accumulated OCI if the hedged future cash flows are still expected to occur. Otherwise, the amount will be immediately reclassified to consolidated statement of profit or loss as a reclassification adjustment. After discontinuation, once the hedged cash flow occurs, any amount remaining in accumulated OCI must be accounted for depending on the nature of the underlying transaction as described above.

#### 2.4 CHANGES IN ACCOUNTING POLICIES AND DISCLOSURES

#### New and amended standards and interpretations

The Group applied for the first-time certain standards and amendments, which are effective for annual periods beginning on or after 1 January 2022. The Group has not early adopted any other standard, interpretation or amendment that has been issued but is not yet effective.

## Onerous Contracts - Costs of Fulfilling a Contract - Amendments to IAS 37

An onerous contract is a contract under which the unavoidable of meeting the obligations under the contract costs (i.e., the costs that the Group cannot avoid because it has the contract) exceed the economic benefits expected to be received under it.

The amendments specify that when assessing whether a contract is onerous or loss-making, an entity needs to include costs that relate directly to a contract to provide goods or services including both incremental costs (e.g., the costs of direct labour and materials) and an allocation of costs directly related to contract activities (e.g., depreciation of equipment used to fulfil the contract and costs of contract management and supervision). General and administrative costs do not relate directly to a contract and are excluded unless they are explicitly chargeable to the counterparty under the contract.

These amendments had no impact on the consolidated financial statements of the Group. The Group intends to use the practical expedients in future periods if they become applicable.

## Reference to the Conceptual Framework – Amendments to IFRS 3

The amendments replace a reference to a previous version of the IASB's Conceptual Framework with a reference to the current version issued in March 2018 without significantly changing its requirements.

The amendments add an exception to the recognition principle of IFRS 3 Business Combinations to avoid the issue of potential 'day 2' gains or losses arising for liabilities and contingent liabilities that would be within the scope of IAS 37 Provisions, Contingent Liabilities and Contingent Assets or IFRIC 21 Levies, if incurred separately. The exception requires entities to apply the criteria in IAS 37 or IFRIC 21, respectively, instead of the Conceptual Framework, to determine whether a present obligation exists at the acquisition date.

The amendments also add a new paragraph to IFRS 3 to clarify that contingent assets do not qualify for recognition at the acquisition date.

These amendments had no impact on the consolidated financial statements of the Group as there were no contingent assets, liabilities or contingent liabilities within the scope of these amendments that arose during the period.



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## 2 SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (continued)

#### 2.4 CHANGES IN ACCOUNTING POLICIES AND DISCLOSURES (continued)

#### New and amended standards and interpretations (continued)

# Property, Plant and Equipment: Proceeds before Intended Use – Amendments to IAS 16 Leases

The amendment prohibits entities from deducting from the cost of an item of property, plant and equipment, any proceeds of the sale of items produced while bringing that asset to the location and condition necessary for it to be capable of operating in the manner intended by management. Instead, an entity recognises the proceeds from selling such items, and the costs of producing those items, in consolidated statement of profit or loss.

These amendments had no impact on the consolidated financial statements of the Group as there were no sales of such items produced by property, plant and equipment made available for use on or after the beginning of the earliest period presented.

# IFRS 1 First-time Adoption of International Financial Reporting Standards — Subsidiary as a first-time adopter

The amendment permits a subsidiary that elects to apply paragraph D16(a) of IFRS 1 to measure cumulative translation differences using the amounts reported in the parent's consolidated financial statements, based on the parent's date of transition to IFRS, if no adjustments were made for consolidation procedures and for the effects of the business combination in which the parent acquired the subsidiary. This amendment is also applied to an associate or joint venture that elects to apply paragraph D16(a) of IFRS 1.

These amendments had no impact on the consolidated financial statements of the Group as it's subsidiaries and associates are not first-time adopter.

#### IFRS 9 Financial Instruments – Fees in the '10 per cent' test for derecognition of financial liabilities

The amendment clarifies the fees that an entity includes when assessing whether the terms of a new or modified financial liability are substantially different from the terms of the original financial liability. These fees include only those paid or received between the borrower and the lender, including fees paid or received by either the borrower or lender on the other's behalf. There is no similar amendment proposed for IAS 39 Financial Instruments: Recognition and Measurement.

These amendments had no impact on the consolidated financial statements of the Group as there were no modifications of the Group's financial instruments during the period.

#### IAS 41 Agriculture – Taxation in fair value measurements

The amendment removes the requirement in paragraph 22 of IAS 41 that entities exclude cash flows for taxation when measuring the fair value of assets within the scope of IAS 41.

These amendments had no impact on the consolidated financial statements of the Group as it did not have assets in scope of IAS 41 as at the reporting date.

#### Standards issued but not yet effective

There are several standards and interpretations that are issued, but not yet effective, up to the date of issuance of the Group's consolidated financial statements and are not expected to have any significant impact on the Group's consolidated financial statements when they become effective, and accordingly, have not been listed in these consolidated financial statements.

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#### 3 SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING JUDGEMENTS, ESTIMATES AND ASSUMPTIONS

The preparation of the Group's consolidated financial statements requires management to make judgements, estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of revenues, expenses, assets and liabilities, and the accompanying disclosures, and the disclosure of contingent liabilities. Uncertainty about these assumptions and estimates could result in outcomes that require a material adjustment to the carrying amount of assets or liabilities affected in future periods.

#### Judgements

In the process of applying the Group's accounting policies, management has made the following judgements, which have the most significant effect on the amounts recognised in the consolidated financial statements:

## Property lease classification - Group as lessor

The Group has entered into a finance lease of a school building complex. The Group has determined, based on an evaluation of the terms and conditions of the arrangements, such as the lease term constituting a major part of the economic life of the commercial property and the present value of the minimum lease payments amounting to substantially all of the fair value of the commercial property, that it does not retain substantially all the risks and rewards incidental to ownership of these properties and accounts for the contract as finance lease.

## Determining the lease term of contracts with renewal and termination options - Group as lessee

The Group determines the lease term as the non-cancellable term of the lease, together with any periods covered by an option to extend the lease if it is reasonably certain to be exercised, or any periods covered by an option to terminate the lease, if it is reasonably certain not to be exercised.

The Group's lease contracts include extension and termination options. The Group applies judgement in evaluating whether it is reasonably certain whether or not to exercise the option to renew or terminate the lease. That is, it considers all relevant factors that create an economic incentive for it to exercise either the renewal or termination. After the commencement date, the Group reassesses the lease term if there is a significant event or change in circumstances that is within its control and affects its ability to exercise or not to exercise the option to renew or to terminate (e.g., construction of significant leasehold improvements or significant customisation to the leased asset).

The Group included the renewal periods as part of the lease term for leases of campus building and offices with shorter remaining non-cancellable period (i.e., one year). The Group typically exercises its option to renew these leases because there will be a significant negative effect on the business if a replacement asset is not readily available and with significant costs to be incurred. The renewal periods for leases of land, buildings with longer remaining non-cancellable periods (i.e., 7 to 40 years from the reporting date) are not included part of the lease terms as they are not reasonably certain to be exercised.

#### **Estimates and assumptions**

The key assumptions concerning the future and other key sources of estimation uncertainty at the reporting date, that have a significant risk of causing a material adjustment to the carrying amounts of assets and liabilities within the next financial year, are described on the next page. The Group based its assumptions and estimates on parameters available when the consolidated financial statements were prepared. Existing circumstances and assumptions about future developments, however, may change due to market changes or circumstances arising that are beyond the control of the Group. Such changes are reflected in the assumptions when they occur.

Impairment of non-financial assets (including goodwill and intangible asset with indefinite useful life)

Impairment exists when the carrying value of an asset or cash generating unit exceeds its recoverable amount, which is the higher of its fair value less costs of disposal and its value in use. The fair value less costs of disposal calculation is based on available data from binding sales transactions, conducted at arm's length, for similar assets or observable market prices less incremental costs of disposing of the asset. The value in use calculation is based on a discounted cash flow ("DCF") model. The cash flows are derived from the most recent projections for the next five years and do not include restructuring activities that the Group is not yet committed to or significant future investments that will enhance the performance of the assets of the CGU being tested. The recoverable amount is sensitive to the discount rate used for the DCF model as well as the expected future cash-inflows and the growth rate used for extrapolation purposes. These estimates are most relevant to goodwill and intangible asset with indefinite useful life recognised by the Group. The key assumptions used to determine the recoverable amount for the different CGUs, including a sensitivity analysis, are disclosed and further explained in Note 10.

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## 3 SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING JUDGEMENTS, ESTIMATES AND ASSUMPTIONS (continued)

#### **Estimates and assumptions (continued)**

## Fair value measurement of other long term liabilities

Contingent consideration, resulting from business combinations, is valued at fair value at the acquisition date as part of the business combination. When the contingent consideration meets the definition of a financial liability, it is subsequently remeasured to fair value at each reporting date. The determination of the fair value is based on discounted cash flows. The key assumptions take into consideration the probability of meeting each performance target and the discount factor (refer to Note 10 for details).

#### Leases - Estimating the incremental borrowing rate

The Group cannot readily determine the interest rate implicit in the lease, therefore, it uses its incremental borrowing rate (IBR) to measure lease liabilities. The IBR is the rate of interest that the Group would have to pay to borrow over a similar term, and with a similar security, the funds necessary to obtain an asset of a similar value to the right-of-use asset in a similar economic environment. The IBR therefore reflects what the Group 'would have to pay', which requires estimation when no observable rates are available (such as for subsidiaries that do not enter into financing transactions) or when they need to be adjusted to reflect the terms and conditions of the lease (for example, when leases are not in the subsidiary's functional currency). The Group estimates the IBR using observable inputs (such as market interest rates) when available and is required to make certain entity-specific estimates (such as the subsidiary's stand-alone credit rating).

## Allowance for expected credit losses of fee receivables

The Group uses a provision matrix to calculate ECLs for fee receivables. The provision rates are based on days past due for groupings of various customer segments that have similar loss patterns.

The provision matrix is initially based on the Group's historical observed default rates. The Group will calibrate the matrix to adjust the historical credit loss experience with forward-looking information. For instance, if forecast economic conditions are expected to deteriorate over the next year which can lead to an increased number of defaults, the historical default rates are adjusted. At every reporting date, the historical observed default rates are updated and changes in the forward-looking estimates are analysed.

The assessment of the correlation between historical observed default rates, forecast economic conditions and ECLs is a significant estimate. The amount of ECLs is sensitive to changes in circumstances and of forecast economic conditions. The Group's historical credit loss experience and forecast of economic conditions may also not be representative of customer's actual default in the future. The information about the ECLs on the Group's trade receivables is disclosed in note 25.5.

#### 4 REVENUE & DIRECT COSTS

## 4.1 Disaggregated revenue and cost information

Education revenue is related to services rendered in the United Arab Emirates and the Kingdom of Saudi Arabia and Healthcare revenue is related to services rendered in the United Arab Emirates, Kingdom of Bahrain and the Kingdom of Saudi Arabia.

	For the year ended 31 December 2022			
Segments	Education AED'000	Healthcare AED'000	Total AED'000	
Type of goods or service				
Tuition fees, net of scholarship awarded	144,076	-	144,076	
Special education and care needs services	24,741	-	24,741	
Administrative and other service fees from students	5,950	-	5,950	
Share of revenue from joint services agreements	4,253	-	4,253	
Healthcare and medical services	· <b>-</b>	334,081	334,081	
Total revenue	179,020	334,081	513,101	

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## 4 REVENUE & DIRECT COSTS (continued)

## 4.1 Disaggregated revenue and cost information (continued)

	For the year ended 31 December 2022			
Segments	Education AED'000	Healthcare AED'000	Total AED'000	
<b>Timing of revenue recognition</b> Services transferred over time Services transferred at a point in time	175,807 3,213	273,545 60,536	449,352 63,749	
Total revenue	179,020	334,081	513,101	
Direct costs	(86,329)	(196,730)	(283,059)	
	For the ye	ear ended 31 Dece	mber 2021	
Segments	Education AED'000	Healthcare AED'000	Total AED'000	
Type of goods or service Tuition fees, net of scholarship awarded Administrative and other service fees from students Healthcare and medical services	135,126 1,865 -	- - 275,881	135,126 1,865 275,881	
Total revenue	136,991	275,881	412,872	
Timing of revenue recognition Services transferred over time Services transferred at a point in time	136,514 477	226,643 49,238	363,157 49,715	
Total revenue	136,991	275,881	412,872	
Direct costs	(64,568)	(163,745)	(228,313)	
4.2 Contract balances				
		2022 AED'000	2021 AED′000	
Trade receivables, net (Note 13) Contract liabilities (see below)		151,809 46,630	85,898 33,843	

## Trade receivables

Trade receivables are non-interest bearing and are generally on terms of 0 to 180 days from the date of service. In 2022, AED 4,854 thousand was recognised as allowance for expected credit losses on trade receivables (2021: AED 6,939 thousand).

#### Contract liabilities

Contract liabilities comprise fees collected in advance from students, deferred revenue in relation to educational services and advances received from patients that are short-term in nature.

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## 4 REVENUE & DIRECT COSTS (continued)

## 4.3 Performance obligations

Information about the Group's performance obligations are summarised below:

#### **Education services**

The performance obligation is satisfied over time on a straight-line basis over the academic period of the course that students are enrolled in and payment is generally due between 30 and 180 days of the invoice or based on an agreed payment plan.

## Healthcare services

The performance obligation for in-patient services of CMRC is satisfied over time on a straight-line because the customer simultaneously receives and consumes the benefits provided to them and payment is generally due between 0 and 90 days from invoice date.

The performance obligation of other healthcare services is satisfied at a point in time when the service is rendered and payment is generally due between 0 and 90 days from invoice date.

#### 4.4 Direct costs

	2022 AED'000	2021 AED′000
Salaries and employee related costs Medical consumables, equipment and other related costs Royalty and profit-sharing arrangements for academic services Depreciation of property and equipment (Note 8) Depreciation of right-of-use assets (Note 9) Student related expenses Leases (Note 9) Other direct costs	158,539 43,327 18,431 17,910 16,853 7,686 685 19,628	126,092 39,888 18,100 12,619 10,260 2,118 7,185 12,051

## 5 GENERAL, SELLING AND ADMINISTRATIVE EXPENSES

General, selling and administrative expenses mainly include the following:

	2022 AED'000	2021 AED′000
Employee related expenses	87,660	91,331
Marketing and communications	10,517	10,185
Depreciation of property and equipment (Note 8)	10,383	9,508
Legal and professional fees	9,177	6,133
Amortization of intangible assets (Note 10)	8,543	7,864
Transaction related costs	5,260	2,957
IT expenses	5,168	4,398
Expected credit losses on trade receivables (Note 13)	4,854	6,939
Board remuneration (Note 14)	2,917	6,301
Depreciation of right-of-use assets (Note 9)	2,684	1,005
Leases (Note 9)	1,937	1,711
Portfolio management expenses	1,176	2,948
Other expenses	23,623	19,680
	173,899	170,960

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## **5 GENERAL, SELLING AND ADMINISTRATIVE EXPENSES (continued)**

General, selling and administrative expenses are incurred as follows:

Holding Company expenses	2022 AED'000	2021 AED′000
Head office expenses Amortization of intangible assets (Note 10) Transaction related costs Portfolio management expenses	41,425 8,543 5,260 1,176	51,613 7,864 2,957 2,948
Subsidiary expenses	117,495	105,578
	173,899	170,960
6 OTHER OPERATING INCOME		
	2022 AED'000	2021 AED′000
Dividend income from financial asset at FVOCI	1,258	1,179
Grant income*	1,718	-
Gain on termination of right-of-use assets (Note 9)	1,271	-
Gain on derivative instrument**	3,568	-
Other income	6,271	2,229
	14,086	3,408

<sup>\*</sup> Contribution provided to the Group's subsidiary, Human Development Company LLC, from the Ministry of Human Resources and Social Development of the Kingdom of Saudi Arabia.

#### 7 FINANCE INCOME AND FINANCE COSTS

## 7.1 Finance income

	2022 AED'000	2021 AED′000
Income on term deposits* Gain on hedge ineffectiveness Others	11,433 1,590 129	5,429 - -
	13,152	5,429

<sup>\*</sup> Includes income on Sharia compliant deposits of AED 8,601 thousand and income on non-Sharia compliant deposits of AED 2,832 thousand (2021: AED 3,910 thousand and AED 1,519 thousand, respectively).

2022

2021

## 7.2 Finance costs

AED'000	AED'000
21,389	12,039
555	817
545	485
7,504	4,856
29,993	18,197
	AED'000 21,389 555 545 7,504



<sup>\*\*</sup> During the year the Group recognized 289,320 vested warrants in relation to the minority investment held in BEGiN, which have not been exercised as at 31 December 2022. The Group has recorded the warrants as derivative instruments at fair value and will classify them as equity instruments at FVOCI once exercised.

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# 8 PROPERTY AND EQUIPMENT

Control of the Contro	Land and buildings (1) AED 000	Leasehold improvements AED'000	Medical equipment AED'000	Academic equipment AED'000	Furniture & fixtures AED'000	Other assets AED'000	Capital work in progress AED'000	Total AED'000
Cost: At 1 January 2021	121,601	4,973	9,161	7,737	3,259	9,975	_	156,706
Additions	53,116	8,586	3,949	879	1,682	2,415	699	71,326
Acquisition of a subsidiary (Note 10)	-	72,995	33,149	-	7,264	12,244	213	125,865
Disposals	-	-	(1,692)	-	(458)	(507)	-	(2,657)
Transfers	-	112	207		51	7	(377)	
At 31 December 2021	174,717	86,666	44,774	8,616	11,798	24,134	535	351,240
Additions	458	4,761	4,860	680	1,846	1,373	5,431	19,409
Acquisition of a subsidiary (Note 10)	-	14,578	5,308	-	9,464	12,836	12,673	54,859
Disposals	(409)	- (1.504)	(75)	- (5)	(117)	(11)	-	(612)
Write-offs Transfers	-	(1,584) 139	100	(5)	(333) 81	33	(353)	(1,922)
Transiers	<del></del>						(333)	
At 31 December 2022	174,766	104,560	54,967	9,291	22,739	38,365	18,286	422,974
Accumulated depreciation:								
At 1 January 2021	10,631	3,033	1,499	5,189	1,740	6,312	-	28,404
Acquisition of a subsidiary (Note 10)	-	22,947	18,482	-	4,929	6,160	-	52,518
Charge for the year (2)	6,731	5,408	5,508	879	1,122	2,479	-	22,127
Disposals	<u>-</u>	<del>-</del>	(1,676)	<u>-</u>	(435)	(504)	<u>-</u>	(2,615)
At 31 December 2021	17,362	31,388	23,813	6,068	7,356	14,447	-	100,434
Acquisition of a subsidiary (Note 10)	-	7,253	1,739	-	6,295	9,254	-	24,541
Charge for the year (2)	8,384	7,066	6,873	854	1,728	3,388	-	28,293
Write-offs	- (207)	(1,437)	- (71)	(5)	(227)	- (10)	-	(1,669)
Disposals	(307)	<del>-</del>	(71)		(109)	(10)	<u>-</u>	(497)
At 31 December 2022	25,439	44,270	32,354	6,917	15,043	27,079	-	151,102
Net carrying amounts:								
At 31 December 2022	149,327	60,290	22,613	2,374	7,696	11,286	18,286	271,872
At 31 December 2021	157,355	55,278	20,961	2,548	4,442	9,687	535	250,806



#### 8 PROPERTY AND EQUIPMENT (continued)

- (1) Land and buildings comprise the following:
  - A building constructed on long-term leasehold land in Bahrain with a carrying amount of AED 99,269 thousand (2021: AED 105,003 thousand).
  - In 2021, the Group entered into a sale and purchase agreement to acquire the previously leased Abu Dhabi hospital land and buildings of Cambridge Medical and Rehabilitation Center LLC, a subsidiary of the Group, for a total consideration of AED 53 million. The acquisition value has been allocated to land and buildings in the amount of AED 7.1 million and AED 45.9 million, respectively, in accordance with a valuation performed by a third party certified independent valuer.
- (2) Depreciation charge for the year has been allocated to consolidated statement of profit or loss as follows:

	2022 AED'000	2021 AED′000
Direct costs (Note 4.4) General, selling and administrative expenses (Note 5)	17,910 10,383	12,619 9,508
	28,293	22,127

#### 9 LEASES

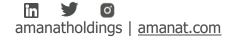
#### 9.1 Group as lessee

The Group has lease contracts for land, buildings, offices and vehicles. The Group's obligations under its leases are secured by the lessor's title to the leased assets. Generally, the Group is restricted from assigning and subleasing the leased assets.

The Group also has certain leases of residential units and offices with lease terms of 12 months or less and leases of office equipment with low value. The Group applies the 'short-term lease' and 'lease of low-value assets' recognition exemptions for these leases.

Set out below are the carrying amounts of right-of-use assets recognised and the movements during the year:

	Leasehold Land AED'000	Buildings and offices AED'000	Vehicles AED'000	Total AED'000
As at 1 January 2021	17,507	4,199	-	21,706
Acquisition of a subsidiary (Note 10)	-	65,478	317	65,795
Additions	-	59,567	100	59,667
Derecognition	-	(18,075)	-	(18,075)
Depreciation	(429)	(10,647)	(189)	(11,265)
As at 31 December 2021	17,078	100,522	228	117,828
Acquisition of a subsidiary (Note 10)	<del>-</del>	38,157	-	38,157
Additions	-	48,749	351	49,100
Termination (1)	-	(34,676)	(26)	(34,702)
Modification (2)	-	25,040	-	25,040
Depreciation	(430)	(18,889)	(218)	(19,537)
As at 31 December 2022	16,648	158,903	335	175,886



#### 9 LEASES (continued)

## 9.1 Group as lessee (continued)

Set out below are the carrying amounts of lease liabilities and the movements during the year:

As at 1 January       124,241       22,631         Acquisition of a subsidiary (Note 10)       39,316       71,250         Addition s       54,668       59,667         Derecognition       - (19,220)         Accretion of interest (Note 7.2)       7,504       4,856         Termination       (36,280)       -         Modification       24,949       -         Payments       (24,055)       (14,943)         As at 31 December       190,343       124,241         Current       26,968       16,788         Non-current       163,375       107,453		2022 AED'000	2021 AED′000
Addition s       54,668       59,667         Derecognition       - (19,220)         Accretion of interest (Note 7.2)       7,504       4,856         Termination       (36,280)       -         Modification       24,949       -         Payments       (24,055)       (14,943)         As at 31 December       190,343       124,241         Current       26,968       16,788	As at 1 January	124,241	22,631
Derecognition       -       (19,220)         Accretion of interest (Note 7.2)       7,504       4,856         Termination       (36,280)       -         Modification       24,949       -         Payments       (24,055)       (14,943)         As at 31 December       190,343       124,241         Current       26,968       16,788	Acquisition of a subsidiary (Note 10)	39,316	71,250
Accretion of interest (Note 7.2)       7,504       4,856         Termination       (36,280)       -         Modification       24,949       -         Payments       (24,055)       (14,943)         As at 31 December       190,343       124,241         Current       26,968       16,788	Addition s	54,668	59,667
Termination       (36,280)       -         Modification       24,949       -         Payments       (24,055)       (14,943)         As at 31 December       190,343       124,241         Current       26,968       16,788	Derecognition	-	(19,220)
Modification       24,949       -         Payments       (24,055)       (14,943)         As at 31 December       190,343       124,241         Current       26,968       16,788	Accretion of interest (Note 7.2)	7,504	4,856
Payments       (24,055)       (14,943)         As at 31 December       190,343       124,241         Current       26,968       16,788	Termination	(36,280)	-
As at 31 December 190,343 124,241 26,968 16,788	Modification	24,949	-
Current <b>26,968</b> 16,788	Payments	(24,055)	(14,943)
,	As at 31 December	190,343	124,241
Non-current <b>163,375</b> 107,453	Current	26,968	16,788
	Non-current	163,375	107,453

- (1) During the year ended 31 December 2022, a subsidiary of the Group, Middlesex Associates FZ-L.L.C, renegotiated its existing lease agreements in relation to the University's campus at Knowledge Village Park, consequently entering into new & amended lease agreements and recognizing the associated right of use assets and lease liabilities, while also terminating certain of the existing agreements and derecognizing the associated right of use assets and lease liabilities. In addition, for a few leases, the Group has adjusted for lease modifications.
- (2) During the year ended 31 December 2022, a subsidiary of the Group, Cambridge Medical and Rehabilitation Center L.L.C, entered into a lease amendment agreement in relation to its healthcare facility in Al Ain whereby the lease period was extended to 30 years from 15 years with revised lease payments. The subsidiary remeasured the lease liability to reflect changes to the lease payments and recognised an amount AED 26.5 million as lease liability with a corresponding adjustment to the right-of-use asset.

The maturity analysis of lease liabilities are disclosed in Note 25.5.

The following are the amounts recognised in consolidated statement of profit or loss:

	2022 AED'000	2021 AED'000
Depreciation expense of right-of-use assets - direct (Note 4.4)	16,853	10,260
Depreciation expense of right-of-use assets - indirect (Note 5) Interest expense on lease liabilities (Note 7.2)	2,684 7,504	1,005 4,856
Expense relating to short-term leases – direct (Note 4.4) Expense relating to short-term leases – indirect (Note 5)	685 1,937	7,185 1,711
Total amount recognised in consolidated statement of profit or loss	29,663	25,017

The Group had total cash outflows for leases of AED 24,055 thousand in 2022 (2021: AED 14,943 thousand). The Group had non-cash additions to right-of-use assets and lease liabilities of AED 49,100 thousand and AED 54,668 thousand respectively (2021: AED 59,667 thousand). There are no leases that have not yet commenced at the reporting date.

The Group does not have lease contracts that contain variable payments.



#### 9 LEASES (continued)

## 9.1 Group as lessee (continued)

The Group's lease contracts contain extension and termination options, which are further discussed in note 3.

## 9.2 Group as lessor

In 2018, the Group entered into a sale purchase agreement to acquire a school building complex from a third party for a total consideration of AED 360 million. Subsequently, the Group (acting as the lessor), entered into another agreement with the same third party to lease the school building for a period of 25 years, renewable for a period of 5 years based on mutual consent of both parties. The Group accounted for this transaction as a finance lease as per IAS 17. Given that lessor accounting under IFRS 16 is substantially unchanged from IAS 17, the Group continues to classify this lease as finance lease using similar principles as in IAS 17.

Transaction costs amounting to AED 15 million are capitalised as part of the net investment in the lease. The net investment in the lease represents the present value of minimum lease payments discounted at the implicit lease rate and is recorded net of any advance lease instalments received by the Group.

The lease agreement contains put and call options for the lessor and lessee, respectively, giving the lessor the option to sell and the lessee the option to buy the underlying property at a pre-determined exercise price within a contractually agreed time frame starting in 2024 for 18 months.

In addition, out of a total contractual additional financing limit of AED 45 million as per the original lease agreement, the lessee has utilised an amount of AED 32.9 million. Management is currently not aware of any intention by the lessee to expand the leased asset.

At 31 December 2022, the Group performed an ECL assessment of its lease receivables and concluded that no allowance for expected credit losses is required to be recognised (2021: AED 2,660 thousand). Therefore, the allowance for expected credit losses recorded previously has been reversed based on management's assessment of expected credit losses as of 31 December 2022 (refer to Note 25).

The following table provides the movement in finance lease receivables:

	2022 AED'000	2021 AED′000
At 1 January	420,818	402,662
Additional financing towards the expansion of the leased asset	-	302
Lease payments received	(42,284)	(15,594)
Finance lease income	33,693	33 <b>,44</b> 8
Reversal of allowance for expected credit loss	2,660	
At 31 December	414,887	420,818
Gross investment in finance lease receivable	2022 AED'000	2021 AED'000
Less than one year	54,894	42,367
Between one and five years	149,812	204,706
More than five years	672,514	672,816
	877,220	919,889
Unearned finance income	(462,333)	(496,411)
Allowance for expected credit loss	-	(2,660)
Net investment in finance lease receivable	414,887	420,818

## 9 **LEASES** (continued)

# 9.2 Group as lessor (continued)

# Net investment in finance lease receivable

	2022 AED'000	2021 AED′000
Less than one year Between one and five years	51,933 115,785	37,986 154,752
More than five years	247,169	228,080
	414,887	420,818
Current Non-current	51,933 362,954	37,986 382,832

## 10 BUSINESS COMBINATIONS

Intangible assets acquired through business combinations are as follows:

	Goodwill AED'000	Agreement with definite useful life (1) AED'000	Agreement with indefinite useful life (3) AED'000	Brand name with definite useful life (3) AED'000	Total AED'000
Cost: At 1 January 2021 Acquisition of a subsidiary (3)	358,782 156,496	133,300	- 560,867	- 39,668	492,082 757,031
At 31 December 2021 Acquisition of a subsidiary (4)	515,278 218,203	133,300	560,867	39,668	1,249,113 218,203
At 31 December 2022	733,481	133,300	560,867	39,668	1,467,316
Amortisation and impairment: At 1 January 2021 Amortisation (Note 5) Impairment (5)	- - 19,961	10,733 4,500 -	- - -	- 3,364 -	10,733 7,864 19,961
At 31 December 2021 Amortisation (Note 5)	19,961	15,233 4,500		3,364 4,043	38,558 8,543
At 31 December 2022	19,961	19,733	-	7,407	47,101
Carrying amounts At 31 December 2022	713,520	113,567	560,867	32,261	1,420,215
At 31 December 2021	495,317	118,067	560,867	36,304	1,210,555



#### 10 BUSINESS COMBINATIONS (continued)

Goodwill arising on business combinations is related to the following cash generating units:

	2022 AED'000	2021 AED′000
Middlesex University (1) Al Malaki Specialist Hospital (2) CMRC Limited (3) Human Development Company (4)	276,770 62,051 156,496 218,203	276,770 62,051 156,496
	713,520	495,317

### (1) Middlesex Associates FZ-LLC

On 2 August 2018, the Group acquired 100% of the shares and voting interests in Middlesex Associates FZ-LLC ("Middlesex University") for a total consideration of AED 418,902 thousand.

#### Fair value measurement

Management had engaged an independent expert to provide valuation support with respect to the determination of the fair values of the assets acquired and liabilities assumed under IFRS 3 whereby a separately identifiable intangible asset was identified in relation to an agreement the subsidiary has entered into with Middlesex UK, which was estimated to have a fair value of AED 133,300 thousand at the acquisition date and a useful life of 30 years from the date of acquisition. Accordingly, AED 133,300 thousand was reduced from the initially recognised amount of goodwill resulting in adjusted goodwill of AED 276,770 thousand at acquisition.

## (2) Al Malaki Specialist Hospital W.L.L

On 16 August 2018, the Group acquired 69.24% of the shares and voting interests in Al Malaki Specialist Hospital W.L.L ("MSH") for a total cash consideration of AED 142,107 thousand.

## Fair value measurement

Management had engaged an independent expert to provide valuation support with respect to the determination of the fair values of the assets acquired and liabilities assumed under IFRS 3 whereby no separately identifiable assets had been identified and the entire difference between the total consideration and identified net assets at the date of acquisition of AED 82,012 thousand was accounted for as goodwill. In 2021, the Group recognized an impairment against goodwill of AED 19,961 thousand.

## (3) CMRC Limited

On 28 February 2021, the Group acquired 100% of the voting shares in CMRC Limited ("CMRC"), an unlisted holding company based in Cyprus with a 100% effective shareholding in two operating subsidiaries: Cambridge Medical & Rehabilitation Centre LLC that provides healthcare services in the United Arab Emirates and CMRC Saudi Arabia LLC that provides healthcare services in the Kingdom of Saudi Arabia for a total cash consideration of AED 863,953 thousand in addition to deferred consideration of AED 7,350 thousand, out of which AED 6,433 thousand has been settled as at 31 December 2022.

#### Fair value measurement

Management had engaged an independent expert to provide valuation support with respect to the determination of the fair values of the assets acquired and liabilities assumed under IFRS 3 whereby separately identifiable intangible assets have been identified in relation to an indefinite agreement with an insurance provider with an acquisition-date estimated fair value of AED 560,867 thousand as well as brand name with an acquisition-date estimated fair value of AED 39,668 thousand and an expected useful life of 10 years. Accordingly, AED 600,535 thousand was reduced from the initially recognised amount of goodwill resulting in adjusted goodwill of AED 156,496 thousand at acquisition including the additional consideration.



#### 10 BUSINESS COMBINATIONS (continued)

## (3) CMRC Limited (continued)

The fair values of the identifiable assets and liabilities of CMRC as at the date of acquisition were as follows:

Accepte	2021 AED′000
Assets Property and equipment	73,347
Right-of-use assets	65,795
Cash and bank balances	10,787
Inventories	4,329
Trade and other receivables	70,302
	224,560
Liabilities	
Accounts and other payables	(27,290)
Lease liabilities	(71,250)
Provision for employees' end of service benefits	(10,027)
	(108,567)
Total identifiable net assets at fair value	115,993
Goodwill and other intangible assets arising on acquisition	757,031
Deferred consideration	(7,350)
Additional consideration paid	(1,721)
Purchase consideration transferred	863,953
Analysis of cash flows on acquisition:	<u></u>
Net cash acquired with the subsidiary (included in cash flows from investing activities)	10,787
Cash paid	(863,953)
Net cash flow on acquisition	(853,166)

## (4) Human Development Company LLC

On 27 October 2022, the Group acquired 60% of the voting shares of Human Development Company LLC ("HDC"), an unlisted holding company based in the Kingdom of Saudi Arabia and its 100% subsidiary, Human Rehabilitation Company LLC, both of whom are engaged in the provision of special education and care needs services. The acquisition has been accounted for using the acquisition method under *IFRS 3 Business Combinations*. The consolidated financial statements include the results of HDC and its subsidiary from 1 November 2022 to 31 December 2022. Transactions between 27 October 2022 and 31 October 2022 are not material to the Group.

From the date of acquisition, HDC has contributed AED 30,956 thousand of revenue, AED 12,241 thousand of profit and AED 7,345 thousand of profit attributable to equity holders of the Company. If the acquisition had taken place at the beginning of the year, the revenue contribution would have been AED 124,653 thousand, the profit contribution for the year would have been AED 47,899 thousand and the profit contribution attributable to equity shareholders of the Company would have been AED 28,739 thousand (excluding transaction related costs).

Transaction costs of AED 3,471 thousand have been expensed in 2022 and are included in general, selling and administrative expenses in the consolidated statement of profit or loss and are part of operating cash flows in the consolidated statement of cash flows.

## 10 BUSINESS COMBINATIONS (continued)

## (4) Human Development Company LLC (continued)

#### Initial consideration transferred and contingent deferred consideration

The Group acquired HDC for initial consideration of AED 215,723 thousand in addition to potential maximum deferred contingent consideration of up to AED 46,602 thousand payable in two tranches of AED 14,499 thousand and AED 32,103 thousand in 2023 and 2024 respectively and dependent on financial performance.

As at the acquisition date, the fair value of the contingent consideration was estimated to be AED 46,002 thousand on an undiscounted basis or AED 44,165 thousand on a discounted basis and was calculated based on a probability assessment utilizing multiple performance scenarios over the performance period.

#### Fair value measurement

The Group has measured the fair value of identifiable assets and liabilities on a provisional basis as permitted under IFRS 3. The Group has engaged an independent expert to perform a purchase price allocation and the determination of the fair values of identifiable assets acquired and liabilities assumed under IFRS 3. If new information obtained within one year from the date of acquisition about facts and circumstances that existed at the date of acquisition identifies adjustments to the above amounts, or any additional provisions at the date of acquisition, then the accounting for the acquisition will be revised.

The provisional fair values of the identifiable assets and liabilities as at the date of acquisition are as follows:

	2022 AED'000
Assets Property and equipment Right-of-use assets	30,318 38,157
Cash and bank	11,445
Inventories	551
Due from related parties	1,616
Trade and other receivables	80,943
	163,030
Liabilities  Descriptions are added to the analysis of the second of the	(24.220)
Provisions, accounts and other payables Lease liabilities	(34,329) (39,316)
Financing from banks	(15,165)
Provision for employees' end of service benefits	(4,745)
	(93,555)
Total identifiable net assets at fair value	69,475
Non-controlling interests at the proportionate share of the identifiable net assets	(27,790)
Goodwill and other intangible assets arising on acquisition	218,203
Contingent consideration	(44,165)
Purchase consideration transferred	215,723

#### 10 BUSINESS COMBINATIONS (continued)

## (4) Human Development Company LLC (continued)

Analysis of cash flows on acquisition:	2022 AED'000
Net cash acquired with the subsidiary (included in cash flows from investing activities)  Cash paid	11,445 (215,723)
Net cash flow on acquisition	(204,278)

## (5) Goodwill impairment assessment

#### Middlesex Associates FZ-LLC

Management has performed an impairment test on goodwill as at 31 December 2022. The recoverable amount of the CGU has been determined at 31 December 2022 based on a value in use calculation using cash flow projections. The cash flows are derived from the most recent projections for the next five years. Cash flows beyond the 5-year period are extrapolated using a growth rate, which management believes approximates the long-term average growth rate for the industry in which the cash-generating unit operates.

The pre-tax discount rate applied to the cash flow projections is 11.4% (2021: 10.3%). As a result of the analysis, there is headroom and accordingly no impairment to goodwill.

#### Al Malaki Specialist Hospital W.L.L

Management has performed an impairment test on goodwill as at 31 December 2022. The recoverable amount of the CGU has been determined at 31 December 2022 based on a value in use calculation using cash flow projections. The cash flows are derived from the most recent projections for the next five years. Cash flows beyond the 5-year period are extrapolated using a growth rate, which management believes approximates the long-term average growth rate for the industry in which the cash-generating unit operates.

The pre-tax discount rate applied to the cash flow projections is 12.3% (2021: 11.2%). As a result of the analysis, there is a headroom and accordingly no further impairment to goodwill (2021: 19,961 thousand).

## CMRC Limited

Management has performed an impairment test on goodwill as at 31 December 2022. The recoverable amount of the CGU has been determined at 31 December 2022 based on a value in use calculation using cash flow projections. The cash flows are derived from the most recent projections for the next five years. Cash flows beyond the 5-year period are extrapolated using a growth rate, which management believes approximates the long-term average growth rate for the industry in which the cash-generating unit operates.

The pre-tax discount rate applied to the cash flow projections ranges from 10.5% - 11.0% (2021: 12%). As a result of the analysis, there is headroom and accordingly no impairment to goodwill.

The calculation of value in use is most sensitive to the following assumptions:

## Revenue

#### Middlesex Associates FZ-LLC

Revenue is mainly determined based on the number of students enrolled at the university. Management took into consideration the growth in the student numbers in the past 3 years and applied estimates for future enrolments based on expected demand for the university's offerings and programs, both locally and internationally. A reasonable decrease of 5% in the expected number of students is not expected to result in any impairment to goodwill.

#### 10 BUSINESS COMBINATIONS (continued)

### (5) Goodwill impairment assessment (continued)

## Revenue (continued)

### Al Malaki Specialist Hospital W.L.L

Revenue is mainly determined based on the number of consultations, deliveries and surgeries at the hospital. Management took into consideration the growth in the number of services it provided from start of operations in April 2019 as well as market research and the future outlook of the industry in Bahrain and applied estimates based on expected demand for the hospital's services, both locally and regionally. A reasonable decrease of 5% to the expected number of consultations, deliveries and surgeries would result in a further impairment to goodwill of AED 10,288 thousand.

#### CMRC Limited

Revenue is mainly determined based on the number of in-patients and out-patients of the hospitals. Management took into consideration estimates for future expected patients and the future outlook of the industry and applied estimates based on expected demand for the hospitals' services, both in the UAE and KSA. A reasonable decrease of 5% in the expected number of patients is not expected to result in any impairment to goodwill.

#### Discount rate

Middlesex Associates FZ-LLC, Al Malaki Specialist Hospital W.L.L and CMRC Limited

The discount rate represents the current market assessment of the risks specific to the CGU, taking into consideration the time value of money and risks of the underlying assets that have not been incorporated in the cash flow estimates. The discount rate calculation is based on the specific circumstances of the Group and its operating segments and is derived from its weighted average cost of capital (WACC). The WACC takes into account both debt and equity. The cost of equity is derived from the expected return on investment from a willing market participant and the cost of debt is based on an estimate of debt available to willing market participants. Segment-specific risk is incorporated by applying individual beta factors.

Any reasonable rise of 0.25% in the discount rate is not expected to result in any impairment to goodwill related to Middlesex Associates FZ-LLC, CMRC Limited or Al Malaki Specialist Hospital W.L.L.

#### **Growth Rate**

Middlesex Associates FZ-LLC, Al Malaki Specialist Hospital W.L.L and CMRC Limited

The growth rate represents managements best estimate of the applicable market growth rate for the industry segments in which it operates. In 2022 and 2021 management utilized growth rates of between 2% and 3%.

Any reasonable decrease in the growth rate by 0.5% is not expected to result in any impairment to goodwill related to Middlesex Associates FZ-LLC and CMRC Limited but in a further impairment of AED 4,190 thousand to goodwill related to Al Malaki Specialist Hospital W.L.L.

## 11 INVESTMENTS IN ASSOCIATES

The Group's carrying value of investments in associates at 31 December are as follows:

	2022 AED'000	AED'000
Sukoon International Holding Company (1) NEMA Holding Company LLC ("NEMA") (2)	130,692 385,034	129,170 376,887
	515,726	506,057

2022

2021



## 11 INVESTMENTS IN ASSOCIATES (continued)

The movement in the investments in associates during the year is as follows:

	Year ended 31 December 2022				
	Sukoon AED'000	Taaleem AED'000	IMC AED'000	NEMA AED'000	Total AED'000
At 1 January 2022	129,170			376,887	506,057
Share of results Amortization of PPA assets	1,179 -	-	-	26,897 (3,000)	28,076 (3,000)
Share of results in profit or loss	1,179	-	-	23,897	25,076
Share of other comprehensive income Dividends received	343	-	-	- (15,750)	343 (15,750)
At 31 December 2022	130,692	-	-	385,034	515,726
	 Sukoon	Year end Taaleem	led 31 Decem ———————————————————————————————————	ber 2021  NEMA	 
	AED'000	AED'000	AED'000	AED'000	AED'000
At 1 January 2021	129,474	184,174	381,700	374,407	1,069,755
Share of results Amortization of PPA assets	(287)	5,473 (500)	10,786 (1,266)	41,327 (3,000)	57,299 (4,766)
Share of results in profit or loss	(287)	4,973	9,520	38,327	52,533
Share of other comprehensive income Dividends received Disposal of associates (refer below) Acquisition of non-controlling interests	(17) - - -	- (189,147)	(4,870) (386,350)	(17,500) - (18,347)	(17) (22,370) (575,497) (18,347)
At 31 December 2021	129,170	-	-	376,887	506,057

# (1) Sukoon International Holding Company ("Sukoon")

The Group has a 33.25% interest in Sukoon International Holding Company, which provides medical and healthcare services in Jeddah, KSA. Sukoon is a private entity that is not listed on any public exchange. The Group's interest in Sukoon is accounted for using the equity method in the consolidated financial statements.

#### 11 INVESTMENTS IN ASSOCIATES (continued)

## (1) Sukoon International Holding Company ("Sukoon") (continued)

The following table illustrates the summarised financial information of the Group's investment in Sukoon:

	2022 AED'000	2021 AED'000
Current assets Non-current liabilities Non-current liabilities	87,946 197,408 (32,347) (9,201)	146,056 156,403 (53,487) (9,743)
Equity	243,806	239,229
Group's share in net assets at 33.25% (2021: 33.25%) Goodwill, intangible and other fair value adjustments Elimination of profit on sale of IMC shares Costs of acquisition capitalised Amortisation of PPA assets Other adjustments	81,067 61,692 (19,851) 5,064 (1,576) 4,296	79,545 61,692 (19,851) 5,064 (1,576) 4,296
Group's carrying amount of the investment	130,692	129,170
	2022 AED'000	2021 AED′000
Revenue Profit / (loss)	80,729 3,546	83,846 (862)
Group's share of profit / (loss) at 33.25% (2021: 33.25%)	1,179	(287)

During 2021 Sukoon's Ministry of Health license expired, and a renewal request has been submitted by Sukoon, which is still under process by the Ministry of Health of the Kingdom of Saudi Arabia as at the date of the issuance of the consolidated financial statements. Management of the Company assessed that based on the history of renewals of the license and the fact that Sukoon has all the required documentation in place, it is not expected that there will be any complications in the license renewal process, which is expected to be renewed during the first quarter of 2023.

## (2) NEMA Holding Company LLC ("NEMA")

The Group has a 35% interest in NEMA Holding Company LLC, acquired on 6 March 2018. NEMA is involved in the provision of tertiary education and vocational services in Abu Dhabi, United Arab Emirates. NEMA is a private entity that is not listed on any public exchange. The Group's interest in NEMA is accounted for using the equity method in the consolidated financial statements.

## 11 INVESTMENTS IN ASSOCIATES (continued)

## (2) NEMA Holding Company LLC ("NEMA") (continued)

The following table illustrates the summarised financial information of the Group's investment in NEMA:

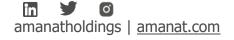
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	AED'000	AED'000
Current assets	213,300	216,550
Non-current assets	1,164,013	924,625
Current liabilities	(172,882)	(191, <del>4</del> 77)
Non-current liabilities	(465,884)	(242,999)
Equity attributable to the owners of NEMA	738,547	706,699
Group's share in net assets at 35% (2021: 35%)	258,492	2 <del>4</del> 7,3 <del>4</del> 5
Goodwill and intangibles at acquisition	131,194	131,194
Costs of acquisition capitalised	9,380	9,380
Amortization of PPA assets	<b>(14,032)</b>	(11,032)
Group's carrying amount of the investment	385,034	376,887
	2022	2021
	AED'000	AED′000
	ALD OUC	ALD 000
Revenue	481,723	533,597
Profit	76,847	118,077
Group's share of profit at 35% (2021: 35%)*	26,897	41,327

<sup>\*</sup> Includes the Group's share of transaction costs amounting to AED 1,697 thousand in relation to the acquisition of a 100% stake in LIWA College of Technology by NEMA Holding during the year.

## (3) Taaleem Holdings PSC ("Taaleem")

In 2021, the Group signed a sale and purchase agreement with Knowledge Fund Establishment for the sale of the Group's entire shareholding in Taaleem Holdings for a total cash consideration of AED 349,402 thousand, which was approved by the Board of Directors in its meeting dated 22 April 2021. The sale and purchase transaction was completed on 28 April 2021 whereby the investment in Taaleem has been disposed of and the difference between the carrying amount of the investment on the date of disposal and the sale consideration has been recorded as gain in consolidated statement of profit or loss as follows:

	2021 AED'000
Consideration received Net carrying value of the investment at the date of disposal	349,402 (189,147)
	160,255



#### 11 INVESTMENTS IN ASSOCIATES (continued)

## (3) Taaleem Holdings PSC ("Taaleem") (continued)

Prior to disposal, the Group had a 21.67% interest in Taaleem Holdings PSC, which is involved in providing educational services in the United Arab Emirates. At the date of disposal, Taaleem was a private entity not listed on any public exchange. The Group's interest in Taaleem was accounted for using the equity method in the consolidated financial statements up to the date of disposal. The following table illustrates the summarised financial information of the Group's investment in Taaleem:

	2021 AED'000
Revenue* Profit*	182,508 25,256
Group's share of profit at 21.67%*	5,473

<sup>\*</sup> from 1 January 2021 up to the date of disposal

## (4) International Medical Center ("IMC")

In 2021, the Group signed a sale and purchase agreement with a private investor for the sale of the Group's entire shareholding in International Medical Center KSA ("IMC") for a total consideration of AED 433,284 thousand. The sale was approved by the Board of Directors on 14 August 2021.

The sale and purchase transaction was completed on 15 September 2021 whereby the investment in IMC has been disposed of and the difference between the carrying amount of the investment on the date of disposal and the sale consideration has been recorded as gain in consolidated statement of profit or loss as follows:

2021

2021

	2021 AED'000
Consideration received Net carrying value of the investment at the date of disposal Other expenses	433,284 (386,350) (4,308)
	42,626

Prior to disposal, the Group had a 13.13% interest in International Medical Center, which is involved in providing healthcare services in Jeddah, KSA. IMC is a closed joint stock entity that is not listed on any public exchange. The Group's interest in IMC was accounted for using the equity method in the consolidated financial statements up to the date of the disposal. The following table illustrates the summarised financial information of the Group's investment in IMC:

	2021 AED'000
Revenue* Profit and other comprehensive income*	936,788 82,168
Group's share of total comprehensive income at 13.13%*	10,786

<sup>\*</sup> from 1 January 2021 up to the date of disposal



#### 12 FINANCIAL ASSETS AT FAIR VALUE THROUGH OCI

	2022 AED'000	2021 AED′000
Emirates NBD REIT Limited – quoted (1) BEGiN – unquoted (2)	12,912 18,609	15,219 18,609
At 31 December	31,521	33,828

- (1) The investment consists of a 3.54% shareholding in a quoted equity investment made by the Group in Emirates NBD REIT Limited, which is listed on the NASDAQ Dubai exchange.
- (2) The investment consists of a shareholding of approximately 1% in a US-based leading education technology company.

The movement in the FVOCI investments during the year was as follows:

The movement in the FVOCI investments during the year was as follows:		
	2022 AED'000	2021 AED′000
At 1 January Net change in fair value	33,828 (2,307)	32,968 860
At 31 December	31,521	33,828
13 TRADE AND OTHER RECEIVABLES		
	2022 AED'000	2021 AED′000
Trade receivables Less: allowance for expected credit losses	181,688 (29,879)	103,020 (17,122)
Prepayments Accrued share of revenue from joint services agreements	151,809 14,706 8,481	85,898 10,927
Refundable deposits Advances to suppliers Amounts due under joint services agreements	5,915 5,193 4,755	1,847 3,072 -
Accrued profit/interest on term deposits Other receivables	3,209 7,931	4,635 4,860
	201,999	111,239
Movement in the allowance for expected credit losses is as follows:		
	2022 AED′000	2021 AED′000
At 1 January Acquired through business combination Charge for the year (Note 5)	17,122 10,349 4,854	8,792 4,011 6,939
Reversal Write-offs	(2,313) (133)	(2,620)
At 31 December	29,879	17,122

Information regarding credit exposures is disclosed in Note 25.



#### 14 RELATED PARTY TRANSACTIONS

Related parties represent the major shareholders, directors and key management personnel of the Group, and entities controlled, jointly controlled or significantly influenced by the Group and such parties. Pricing policies and terms of these transactions are approved by the Group's management.

## Balances with related parties

	2022 AED'000	2021 AED′000
Due from related parties Associates		
Sukoon*	204	7,924
Other related parties	2,523	155
	2,727	8,079
	2022 AED'000	2021 AED′000
<b>Due to related parties</b> Other related party – non-current	5,780	4,013
Other related party – current	-	1,217
	2022 AED′000	2021 AED′000
Transactions with related parties Key management personnel		
Management fee	2,555	4,115

<sup>\*</sup> During the year ended 31 December 2022, the Group received AED 7,466 thousand of proceeds in relation to a 2020 capital reduction at Sukoon.

Management fee expense is included under share of results of an associate for services provided by a key management member of the Company to the associate. The above management fee represents the Group's share of the expense.

There were no other material transactions with related parties during the years ended 31 December 2022 and 2021. Dividend received from associates is disclosed in note 11.

# Key management personnel remunerations

Group key management personnel compensation including board remuneration disclosed in note 5, comprise the following:

	2022 AED'000	2021 AED′000
Short-term benefits	24,153	30,000
Post-employment benefits	1,096	627
Board remuneration (Note 5)	2,917	6,301

The amounts disclosed above are the amounts recognised as expense during the year related to key management personnel.



#### 15 CASH AND BANK BALANCES

Cash and bank balances in the consolidated statement of financial position comprise the following:

	2022 AED'000	2021 AED′000
Cash on hand	544	793
Current accounts with banks	150,785	112,839
Cash balance held with a third party (Note 16.2)	2,506	10,206
Bank financing service reserve account	3,896	8,091
Shariah compliant term deposits	386,208	627,000
Non-Sharia compliant term deposits	40,000	119,107
Cash and bank balances	583,939	878,036

Cash and cash equivalents in the consolidated statement of cash flows comprise the following:

	2022 AED'000	2021 AED′000
Cash and bank balances Less:	583,939	878,036
Cash balance held with a third party (Note 16.2)	(2,506)	(10,206)
Bank financing service reserve account	(3,896)	(8,091)
Shariah compliant term deposits (with initial maturity of more than 3 months)	(179,308)	(627,000)
Non-Sharia compliant term deposits (with initial maturity of more than 3 months)	(40,000)	(119,107)
Bank overdraft (Note 25.2)	(11,914)	(21,072)
Cash and cash equivalents	346,315	92,560

During the year ended 31 December 2022, the Group earned an aggregate profit/interest of AED 11,433 thousand on its deposits (2021: AED 5,429 thousand) (Note 7.1).

## 16 SHARE CAPITAL AND TREASURY SHARES

## 16.1 Share capital

The share capital of the Company is AED 2.5 billion (2021: AED 2.5 billion).

As at 31 December 2022 the Company had 2,500,000,000 ordinary shares in issuance of AED 1 each which were fully paid up. Holders of these ordinary shares are entitled to dividends as declared from time to time and are entitled to one vote per share at general meetings of the Group.

## 16.2 Treasury shares

In 2020, the Company engaged a third-party licensed Market Maker on the Dubai Financial Market that offers liquidity provision services, to place buy and sell orders of the Company's shares with the objective of reducing bid/ask spreads as well as reducing price and volume volatility. At 31 December 2022, the Market Maker held 33,605,357 (2021: 11,036,734) of Amanat's shares on behalf of the Company, which are classified under equity as treasury shares at par value at 31 December 2022. A cumulative gain of AED 2,073 thousand has been recognised at 31 December 2022 as Share Premium under equity out of which a net loss of AED 804 thousand (31 December 2021: net gain of AED 2,354 thousand) is from the net disposal of shares during the current year. At the end of the contract term with the Market Maker, the Company will have the option to either transfer the outstanding shares under its name or dispose of the shares in the market.



#### 17 STATUTORY RESERVE

As required by Article 239 of the UAE Federal Decree-Law No. 32 of 2021, 10% of the profit for the year is required to be transferred to the Statutory reserve. The Company may resolve to discontinue such annual transfers when the reserve equals 50% of the nominal value of the paid-up share capital. During 2022, an amount of AED 11,421 thousand (2021: AED 28,083 thousand) has been transferred to the statutory reserve. The statutory reserve is not available for distribution.

#### 18 FINANCING FROM BANKS

	2022 AED'000	2021 AED′000
Term loan (1)	70,089	71,063
Revolving bank facilities (2)	23,325	-
Musharaka financing facility (3) Less: loan arrangement fees (3)	334,125 (1,899)	374,626 (2,261)
	332,226	372,365
	425,640	443,428
Current Non-current	69,282 356,358	51,911 391,517

- (1) During the year, a subsidiary of the Group, Al Malaki Specialist Hospital W.L.L, signed an amended bank facility offer letter in relation to the subsidiary's bank borrowings and overdraft facility. In accordance with the amended terms, principal repayments for the year 2022 were reduced from AED 15.6 million to AED 5.8 million and the remaining principal repayments were realigned, with the final loan repayment date extended to September 2027 from June 2026. As at 31 December 2022, the bank overdraft was partially settled with AED 8.5 million of unutilized facility available, while the bank borrowings facility has been entirely utilised. In addition, a moratorium on covenant testing was agreed for the financial years 2022 and 2023. This loan incurs interest at competitive market rates.
- (2) As at 31 December 2022, the carrying amount represents revolving bank facilities utilized by the Group's subsidiary, HDC, to finance short term working capital requirements, where required. The loan facilities have a maturity ranging between 6 to 12 months and accrue profit at competitive market rates.
- (3) In 2021, the Group obtained a Musharaka term facility of AED 405,000 thousand to finance the acquisition of CMRC. The facility is repayable in quarterly principal instalments of AED 10,125 thousand each plus profit, with profit accruing at competitive market rates, over a period of 7 years with a 30% balloon payment to be made along with the last instalment. The facility is secured against corporate guarantees from the Company and CMRC Limited and its subsidiaries, 100% pledge over the shares of CMRC Limited and its subsidiaries and an assignment of dividends of CMRC Saudi Arabia LLC.

Arrangement fees of AED 2,746 thousand were paid by the Group, which are being amortised over the facility term of 7 years.

The Group is required to maintain certain financial covenants at the level of CMRC UAE, which are all met at the reporting date.

#### 19 OTHER LONG-TERM PAYABLES

	2022 AED'000	2021 AED′000
Contingent consideration (Note 10) Unamortised rent incentive – non-current portion	29,782 3,536	3,630
Other long-term payables	33,318	3,630
20 PROVISION FOR EMPLOYEES' END OF SERVICE BENEFITS		
	2022 AED'000	2021 AED′000
Balance as at 1 January Acquisition of a subsidiary (Note 10) Charge for the year Payments made during the year	22,814 4,745 10,013 (4,672)	9,609 10,027 6,594 (3,416)
Balance as at 31 December	32,900	22,814
21 PROVISIONS, ACCOUNTS AND OTHER PAYABLES		
	2022 AED'000	2021 AED′000
Accounts payable Staff related accruals Contingent consideration (Note 10) Accrued transaction costs Dispeters' and committee representation payable	24,162 19,758 14,383 2,802	25,674 21,701 - 13,292
Directors' and committee remuneration payable Customer deposits Deferred consideration Provisions, other accruals and payables*	3,698 2,977 917 69,387	8,426 2,043 4,900 43,320
	138,084	119,356

<sup>\*</sup>In the normal course of business the Company and its subsidiaries receive inquiries from governmental and regulatory authorities in the geographies in which they operate. Should the Group assess that it is probable that the outcome of such inquiries may result in a financial outflow, and a reliable estimate can be made of the amount of that obligation, a provision is recognised. The determination of the value of any future outflows and the timing of such outflows, involves the use of estimates and the application of judgement as the outcome is inherently uncertain.

In accordance with the above, a provision has been recorded in the current year for a notice of inquiry received by the Group from a governmental authority. This provision has been recorded based on management's best estimate of the likely outcome of such inquiries and based on expert external advice. Such provisions are included as part of 'Provisions, other accruals and payables' and are not material to the overall consolidated financial statements as assessed by management.

The Company has utilised the exemption available under IAS 37 Provisions, Contingent Liabilities and Contingent Assets and disclosed such provisions within provisions, other accruals and payables in the consolidated statement of financial position.



#### 22 BASIC AND DILUTED EARNINGS PER SHARE

The calculation of basic and diluted earnings per share is based on the profit attributable to the owners of the Company for the year and the weighted average number of ordinary shares outstanding during the year.

	2022	2021
Profit for the year attributable to equity holders of the Company (AED'000)	114,213	280,831
Weighted average number of ordinary shares ('000)*	2,492,052	2,499,091
Basic and diluted earnings per share (AED)	0.0458	0.1124

<sup>\*</sup> The weighted average number of ordinary shares takes into account the weighted average effect of changes in treasury shares during the year.

#### 23 DIVIDENDS

A dividend of AED 150,000 thousand (AED 6 fils per ordinary share) was declared and paid during the year (2021: no dividend declared). Subsequent to the year end, the Board of Directors in its meeting held on 14 February 2023 proposed a cash dividend of AED 100,000 thousand (AED 4 fils per ordinary share), which is subject to the approval of the shareholders at the upcoming Annual General Meeting of the Company.

#### 24 COMMITMENTS AND CONTINGENCIES

#### **Contingencies**

The Company and its subsidiaries do not have any significant contingent liabilities at the reporting date (2021: Nil). Below are the details of the Group's share of its associates' contingent liabilities at the reporting date.

	2022 AED'000	2021 AED′000
Bank guarantees	20,899	18,608
Capital commitments	8,604	-

### 25 FINANCIAL ASSETS AND FINANCIAL LIABILITIES

#### 25.1 Financial assets

	2022 AED'000	2021 AED′000
Equity instruments designated at FVOCI	7.22 000	7.22 000
Listed equity investment	12,912	15,219
Non-listed equity investment	18,609	18,609
	31,521	33,828

## 25 FINANCIAL ASSETS AND FINANCIAL LIABILITIES (continued)

## 25.1 Financial assets (continued)

	2022 AED'000	2021 AED′000
<b>Derivatives not designated as hedging instruments</b> Interest rate swap Warrants*	1,590 3,568	- -
	5,158	-
<b>Debt instruments at amortised cost</b> Trade and other receivables Finance lease receivables Due from related parties	186,443 414,887 2,727	97,240 420,818 8,079
	604,057	526,137
Total financial assets**	640,736	559,965
Total current Total non-current	241,103 399,633	143,305 416,660

<sup>\*</sup> During the year the Group recognized 289,320 vested warrants in relation to the minority investment held in BEGiN, which have not been exercised as at 31 December 2022. The Group has recorded these warrants as derivative instruments at fair value and will classify them as equity instruments at FVOCI once exercised.

#### 25.2 Financial liabilities

	2022 AED'000	2021 AED′000
Interest-bearing loans and borrowings Lease liabilities Bank overdraft Financing from banks (net of arrangement fees)	190,343 11,914 425,640	124,241 21,072 443,428
	627,897	588,741
<b>Derivative designated as hedging instrument</b> Interest rate swap	<u>-</u>	1,646
Financial liabilities at amortised cost Accounts and other payables Due to related parties	123,701 5,780	118,114 5,230
	129,481	123,344

<sup>\*\*</sup> Financial assets, other than cash and bank balances

#### 25 FINANCIAL ASSETS AND FINANCIAL LIABILITIES (continued)

## 25.2 Financial liabilities (continued)

	2022 AED'000	2021 AED′000
Financial liabilities at fair value through profit or loss Contingent consideration (Note 10)	44,165	-
Total financial liabilities	801,543	713,731
Total current Total non-current	246,248 555,295	209,102 504,629

## 25.3 Hedging activities and derivatives

The Group is exposed to certain risks relating to its ongoing business operations. The primary risk managed using derivative instruments is interest rate risk.

The Group's risk management strategy and how it is applied to manage risk are explained in note 25.5 below.

#### Derivative designated as hedging instrument

Cash flow hedge - Interest rate swap

At 31 December 2022, the Group has an interest rate swap agreement in place with a notional amount of USD 50,997,141 (equivalent to AED 187,312,500) (2021: AED 187,312,500) whereby the Group pays an agreed rate of interest fixed on a quarterly basis and receives a capped interest at a variable rate equal to 3-month USD LIBOR on the notional amount. The swap is being used to hedge the exposure to changes in variable interest rates of the bank financing obtained prior year for the acquisition of CMRC (Note 18).

There is an economic relationship between the hedged item and the hedging instrument as the terms of the interest rate swap closely match the terms of the hedged item (i.e., maturity, payment and reset dates). The Group has established a hedge ratio of 1:1 for the hedging relationships as the underlying risk of the interest rate swap is identical to the hedged risk component. To test the hedge effectiveness, the Group uses the hypothetical derivative method and compares the changes in the fair value of the hedging instrument against the changes in fair value of the hedged item attributable to the hedged risk.

The hedge ineffectiveness can arise from:

- Differences in timing of cash flows of the hedged item and hedging instrument
- The counterparties' credit risk differently impacting the fair value movements of the hedging instrument and hedged item

Management assessed effectiveness of the hedge instrument based on above criteria and concluded that the hedge is ineffective as at reporting date, and accordingly, the Group has reclassified the cumulative fair value gain of the derivative instrument of AED 1,590 thousand in consolidated statement of profit or loss from cash flow hedge reserve.

#### 25.4 Fair values

The fair value of the financial assets and liabilities is included at the amount at which the instrument could be exchanged in a current transaction between willing parties, other than in a forced or liquidation sale.

#### 25 FINANCIAL ASSETS AND FINANCIAL LIABILITIES (continued)

#### 25.4 Fair values (continued)

The fair value of the Group's financial assets and liabilities approximate their book values as at 31 December 2022 and 2021 based on management's assessment and as follows:

- Management assessed that the fair values of cash and bank balances, trade and other receivables, provisions, accounts and other payables, due from and to related parties approximate their carrying amounts largely due to the short-term maturities of these instruments.
- The quoted financial asset at FVOCI is carried at fair value using quoted price and there is an active market for it.
- The unquoted financial asset at FVOCI is carried at fair value using the latest transaction price.
- Management assessed that the book value of long-term borrowings as at 31 December 2022 approximates their
  fair values due to the fact that they bear variable interest rates that reflect current market interest rates for similar
  borrowings. As a result, the values of the future discounted cash flows on those borrowings are not significantly
  different from their current book values.
- Management assessed that the book value of the finance lease receivables approximate its fair value as the balances has been discounted using appropriate discount factors.

The Group's quoted financial asset at FVOCI is carried at fair value using level 1 valuation method. The Group's unquoted financial asset at FVOCI is carried at fair value using level 2 valuation method. There have been no reclassifications made between the valuation levels during the current year or the previous year.

#### 25.5 Financial instruments risk management objectives and policies

The Group's principal financial liabilities comprise provisions, accounts and other payables, financing from banks, due to related parties, and lease liabilities. The main purpose of these financial liabilities is to finance the Group's operations. The Group's principal financial assets include trade and other receivables, finance lease receivables, due from related parties and bank balances that derive directly from its operations. The Group also holds investments in financial assets.

The Group is exposed to credit risk, liquidity risk, market risk and operational risk.

The Board of Directors has the overall responsibility for the establishment and oversight of the Group's risk management framework. Group's senior management are responsible for developing and monitoring the Group's risk management policies and report regularly to the Board of Directors on their activities.

The Group's risk management policies are established to identify and analyse the risks faced by the Group, to set appropriate risk limits and controls, and to monitor risks and adherence to limits. Risk management policies and systems are reviewed regularly to reflect changes in market conditions and the Group's activities.

This note presents information relating to the Group's exposure to each of the above risks, the Group's objectives, policies and processes for measuring and managing risk, and the Group's management of capital.

## Credit risk

Credit risk is the risk that a counterparty will not meet its obligations under a financial instrument or customer contract, leading to a financial loss. The Group is exposed to credit risk from its operating activities (primarily trade receivables) and from its financing activities, including deposits with banks and financial institutions, finance lease receivables and other financial instruments.

The Group manages its credit risk exposure through diversification of its investments and deposits to avoid concentration of risk with institutions or group of institutions in specific location or business.

The Group's maximum exposure to credit risk for the components of the consolidated statement of financial position at 31 December 2022 and 2021 is the carrying amounts of the financial assets disclosed in note 25.1 above.



#### 25 FINANCIAL ASSETS AND FINANCIAL LIABILITIES (continued)

## 25.5 Financial instruments risk management objectives and policies (continued)

#### Credit risk (continued)

#### Financial instruments and cash deposits

Credit risk from balances with banks and financial institutions is managed by the treasury department of each business unit in accordance with set policies.

Exposure to credit risk is monitored on an ongoing basis. Cash balances are held with the banks and financial institutions which are rated A+ to BBB- based on Standard and Poor's credit ratings. The significant portion of the credit exposure of the Group is in the UAE.

The Group has investments in a quoted and unquoted equities with low credit risk.

#### Trade receivables

Customer credit risk is managed by each business unit subject to the Group's established policy, procedures and control relating to customer credit risk management. Credit quality of a customer is assessed based on a credit rating scorecard and individual credit limits are defined in accordance with this assessment. Outstanding customer receivables are regularly monitored.

#### Education sector

Trade receivables of the education sector relate to amounts receivable by Middlesex University and HDC from students and government ministries for providing academic and special education services, accordingly.

Middlesex extends a credit period of 30 days to its debtors and no interest is charged on overdue receivables. Outstanding receivables are regularly monitored. At 31 December 2022 and 2021, there was no concentration risk related to the trade receivables of the education sector.

HDC extends a credit period of 45 to 180 days to its debtors and no interest is charged on overdue receivables. Outstanding receivables are regularly monitored. At 31 December 2022, HDC had 3 customers that accounted for approximately 93% of the total HDC receivables outstanding and 41% of all the receivables outstanding.

# Healthcare sector

Trade receivables of the healthcare sector relate to amounts receivable by the subsidiaries CMRC UAE, CMRC KSA and MSH mainly from governmental authorities and reputable insurance companies operating in the respective countries. At 31 December 2022, the Group had 11 customers (2021: 11) that accounted for approximately 94% (2021: 96%) of the total healthcare receivables outstanding and 37% (2021: 70%) of all the receivables outstanding.

## **Impairment**

An impairment analysis is performed at each reporting date using a provision matrix to measure expected credit losses. The calculation reflects the probability-weighted outcome, the time value of money and reasonable and supportable information that is available at the reporting date about past events, current conditions and forecasts of future economic conditions. Generally, trade receivables are written-off when considered unrecoverable. The Group does not hold collateral as security.

Set out below is the information about the credit risk exposure on the Group's trade receivables using a provision matrix:

31 December 2022					Day	s past due
	Total AED'000	Not past due AED'000	0-60 days AED'000	61-120 days AED'000	121-365 days AED'000	>365 days AED'000
Expected credit loss rate Estimated total gross		-	3.3%	4.7%	62.7%	72.0%
carrying amount at default	181,688	999	70,304	74,953	15,797	19,635
Expected credit loss	29,879	-	2,320	3,511	9,910	14,138

#### 25 FINANCIAL ASSETS AND FINANCIAL LIABILITIES (continued)

## 25.5 Financial instruments risk management objectives and policies (continued)

### Credit risk (continued)

#### Trade receivables (continued)

Impairment (continued)

31 December 2021		Days past due				
	Total AED'000	Not past due AED'000	0-60 days AED'000	61-120 days AED'000	121-365 days AED'000	>365 days AED'000
Expected credit loss rate Estimated total gross		-	2.4%	6.7%	48.3%	97.8%
carrying amount at default	103,020	5,632	55,714	23,218	7,754	10,702
Expected credit loss	17,122	-	1,344	1,560	3,749	10, <del>4</del> 69

#### Finance lease receivables

As described in note 9, the Group entered into a finance lease arrangement as a lessor. The Group's maximum exposure to credit risk on its finance lease receivable is best represented by its carrying value at the reporting date. Prior to entering into this contract, the Group performed necessary diligence on the credit worthiness of the counter party (lessee) and the quality and performance of the underlying asset. The Group constantly monitors the credit risk on its finance lease receivable.

The agreement grants protective rights to the Group in an event of default allowing it to terminate the contract and physically repossess the property. Such protective rights, in addition to other guarantees as mentioned in note 9, limit the amount of credit risk on the exposure since it is covered by the fair value of the underlying property.

# Due from related parties

Balances due from related parties are settled on an as requested basis, and accordingly, the Group considers these balances to be fully recoverable.

# Liquidity risk

Liquidity risk is the risk that the Group will encounter difficulty in meeting obligations associated with financial liabilities that are settled by delivering cash or other financial assets. The Group's approach to managing liquidity is to ensure, as far as possible, that it will always have sufficient liquidity to meet its liabilities when due, under both normal and stressed conditions, without incurring unacceptable losses or risking damage to the Group's reputation.

The table below summarises the maturity profile of the Group's financial liabilities based on contractual undiscounted payments:

#### 31 December 2022

	On demand AED'000	Less than 3 months AED'000	3 to 12 months AED'000	1 to 5 years AED'000	After 5 years AED'000	Total AED'000
Accounts and other payables	-	74,445	32,557	-	-	107,002
Lease liabilities	-	5,483	18,066	105,108	229,228	357,885
Financing from banks	-	18,368	79,673	437,854	-	535,895
Other long-term payables	-	-	-	31,854	-	31,854
Bank overdraft	11 <b>,914</b>	-	-	-	-	11,914
Due to related parties				5,780	-	5,780
	11,914	98,296	130,296	580,596	229,228	1,050,330

#### 25 FINANCIAL ASSETS AND FINANCIAL LIABILITIES (continued)

## 25.5 Financial instruments risk management objectives and policies (continued)

### Liquidity risk (continued)

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31 December 2021	On demand AED'000	Less than 3 months AED'000	3 to 12 months AED'000	1 to 5 years AED'000	After 5 years AED'000	Total AED'000
Accounts and other payables Lease liabilities Financing from banks Bank overdraft Due to related parties	- - 21,072 1,217	60,291 3,902 15,117 - -	46,328 16,604 54,180 - -	86,526 303,246 - 4,013	- 75,243 132,499 - -	106,619 182,275 505,042 21,072 5,230
	22,289	79,310	117,112	393,785	207,742	820,238

#### Market risk

The Group is exposed to market risk, which is the risk that the fair value or future cash flows of a financial instrument will fluctuate due to changes in market variables. Market risk arises from foreign currency products, interest bearing products and equity investments, all of which are exposed to general and specific market movements and changes in the level of volatility of market rates or prices such as currency rates, interest rates, equity prices and credit spreads.

#### Currency risk

Currency risk is the risk that the fair value or future cash flows of a financial instrument will change because of changes in foreign exchange rates. The Group's foreign currency exposure arises principally from transactions denominated in Saudi Arabian Riyal ("SAR") and Bahraini Dinar ("BHD"). Since the SAR, BHD and AED are pegged to the United State Dollar ("USD"), the Group has no significant exposure to currency risk.

## Interest rate risk

Interest rate risk is the risk that the value or future cash flows of a financial instrument will fluctuate because of changes in market interest rates. The Group's deposits earn interest/profit at fixed rates, hence any changes in interest/profit rate will not have an impact on the consolidated statement of profit or loss of the Group. The Group's exposure to the risk of changes in market interest rates relates primarily to the Group's long-term debt obligations with floating interest rates.

The interest rate profile of the Group's financial assets and liabilities are shown in the table below:

	2022 AED'000	2021 AED′000
Fixed rate instruments – assets Shariah compliant and non-shariah compliant term deposits with banks	426,208	746,107
Variable rate instruments – liabilities  Term loan facility  Revolving bank facilities  Musharaka financing facility  Bank overdraft	(70,089) (23,325) (334,125) (11,914)	(71,063) - (374,626) (21,072)
	(439,453)	(466,761)

The Group manages its interest rate risk by having a balanced portfolio of fixed and variable rate loans and borrowings. To manage this, the Group enters into interest rate swaps, in which it agrees to exchange, at specified intervals, the difference between fixed and variable rate interest amounts calculated by reference to an agreed-upon notional principal amount.

#### 25 FINANCIAL ASSETS AND FINANCIAL LIABILITIES (continued)

#### 25.5 Financial instruments risk management objectives and policies (continued)

### Market risk (continued)

## Interest rate risk (continued)

Interest rate sensitivity

An increase of 0.5% in interest rates with all other variables held constant would decrease the Group's profit by AED 2,022 (2021: AED 2,209)

## Equity price risk

Equity price risk is the risk that the fair value or future cash flows of a financial instrument will fluctuate because of changes in market prices (other than those arising from interest rate risk or currency risk), whether those changes are caused by factors specific to the individual financial instrument or its issuer, or factors affecting all similar financial instruments traded in the market. Equity price risk arises from the change in fair value of equity instruments. The Group is exposed to equity price risk, which arises from fair value through other comprehensive income securities.

The Group's equity investment in Emirates NBD REIT is listed on the Nasdaq Dubai. A 5% increase in equity indices of the security at the reporting date would have increased other comprehensive income and equity attributable to the owners of the Company by AED 646 thousand (2021: AED 761 thousand) and an equal change in the opposite direction would have decreased other comprehensive income and equity by the same amount.

At the reporting date, the exposure to non-listed equity investments at fair value through OCI was AED 18,609 thousand (2021: AED 18,609 thousand).

#### Operational risk

Operational risk is the risk of a direct or indirect loss arising from a wide variety of causes associated with the Group's processes, personnel, technology and infrastructure, and from external factors other than credit, market and liquidity risks such as those arising from legal and regulatory requirements and generally accepted standards of corporate behaviour. Operational risks arise from all of the Group's operations and are faced by all business entities.

The Group's objective is to manage operational risk so as to balance the avoidance of financial losses and damage, to the Group's reputation with overall cost effectiveness and to avoid control procedures that restrict initiative and creativity.

The Group has established a framework of policies and procedures to identify, assess, control, manage and report risks. The Group's senior management identifies and manages operational risk to reduce the likelihood of any operational losses. Compliance with policies and procedures is supported by periodic reviews undertaken by the management of the business unit to which they relate, with summaries submitted to the Audit Committee and Board of Directors of the Group.

## **Capital management**

The Group's capital management policy is governed by the Board of Directors of the Company. The Company's objectives of managing capital are to ensure the Company's ability to continue as a going concern and increase the net worth of the Company and shareholders' interests so as to maintain the confidence of its investors, creditors and the market and to sustain future development of the business. For the purpose of the Group's capital management, capital includes share capital, share premium, treasury shares and all other equity reserves attributable to the equity holders of the Company.

The Group manages its capital structure and makes adjustments in light of changes in economic conditions and the requirements of the financial covenants. To maintain or adjust the capital structure, the Group may adjust the dividend payment to shareholders, return capital to shareholders or issue new shares. The Group monitors capital using a gearing ratio, which is 'debt' divided by total capital plus debt.

#### 25 FINANCIAL ASSETS AND FINANCIAL LIABILITIES (continued)

## 25.5 Financial instruments risk management objectives and policies (continued)

### **Capital management (continued)**

The Group includes within net (cash) / debt, interest bearing loans and borrowings excluding lease liabilities, less cash and bank balances.

	2022 AED'000	2021 AED′000
Interest-bearing loans and borrowings (exc. lease liabilities) (Note 25.2) Less: cash and bank balances	437,554 (583,939)	464,500 (878,036)
Net cash	(146,385)	(413,536)
Equity	2,746,324	2,768,760
Equity and debt	3,183,878	3,233,260
Gearing ratio	14%	14%

In order to achieve this overall objective, the Group's capital management, among other things, aims to ensure that it meets financial covenants attached to the interest-bearing loans and borrowings that define capital structure requirements. Breaches in meeting the financial covenants would permit the bank to immediately call loans and borrowings. There have been no breaches of the financial covenants of any interest-bearing loans and borrowings in the current year.

No changes were made in the objectives, policies or processes during the years ended 31 December 2022 and 31 December 2021.

## **26 SEGMENT INFORMATION**

The principal activities of the Group are to invest in the fields of education and healthcare and managing, developing and operating such companies and enterprises.

The details of segment revenue, segment result, segment assets and segment liabilities are as follows:

	Investments Consolidated	Education	Healthcare	Total	Eliminations	
	AED'000	AED'000	AED'000	AED'000	AED'000	AED'000
31 December 2022						
Revenue	-	179,020	334,081	513,101	-	513,101
Direct costs	(2,295)	(86,329)	(197,592)	(286,216)	3,157	(283,059)
General, selling and					•	
administrative expenses	(47,861)	(48,913)	(79,482)	(176,256)	2,357	(173,899)
Share of results of associates	-	23,897	1,179	25,076	-	25,076
Income from finance lease	-	33,693	-	33,693	-	33,693
Other operating income	15,345	3,528	4,005	22,878	(8,792)	14,086
Finance income	12,222	340	2,204	14,766	(1,614)	13,152
Finance costs	(16,299)	(2,659)	(15,927)	(34,885)	4,892	(29,993)
Zakat		(435)	-	(435)	-	(435)
Segment results	(38,888)	102,142	48,468	111,722	-	111,722

# 26 SEGMENT INFORMATION (continued)

	Investments AED'000	Education AED'000	Healthcare AED'000	Total AED'000	Eliminations AED'000	Consolidated AED'000
Segment profit/(loss) attri Equity holders of the Company Non-controlling interests		97,246 4,896	55,855 (7,387)	114,213 (2,491)	-	114,213 (2,491)
Total assets	572,745	1,748,826	1,549,745	3,871,316	(240,383)	3,630,933
Total liabilities	(509,155)	(222,528)	(663,077)	(1,394,760)	510,151	(884,609)
Capital expenditure	(1,490)	(6,701)	(11,218)	(19,409)	-	(19,409)
Depreciation and amortizat	tion 4,723	20,932	33,875	59,530 ———	(3,157) ======	56,373 ======
	Investments AED'000	Education AED'000	Healthcare AED'000	Total AED'000	Eliminations AED'000	Consolidated AED'000
31 December 2021 Revenue Direct costs General, selling and	- (648)	136,991 (64,568)	275,881 (163,958)	412,872 (229,174)	- 861	412,872 (228,313)
administrative expenses Share of results of associates Gain on disposal of associates Income from finance lease Impairment of goodwill Other operating income Finance income	(56,369) 3,679 7,023	(46,211) 43,300 160,255 33,448 - 1,172	(70,782) 9,233 42,626 - (19,961) 2,127 8,681	(173,362) 52,533 202,881 33,448 (19,961) 6,978 15,704	2,402 - - - - (3,570) (10,275)	(170,960) 52,533 202,881 33,448 (19,961) 3,408 5,429
Finance costs  Segment results	(8,834) ——— (55,149)	(762) ———— 263,625	(19,183)  64,664	(28,779) ———— 273,140	10,582 	(18,197) ———— 273,140
	Investments AED'000	Education AED'000	Healthcare AED'000	Total AED'000	Eliminations AED'000	Consolidated AED'000
Segment profit/(loss) attributa Equity holders of the Company Non-controlling interests		263,625 -	72,355 (7,691)	280,831 (7,691)	- -	280,831 (7,691)
Total assets	907,900	1,334,591	1,748,558	3,991,049	(447,029)	3,544,020
Total liabilities	(475,787)	(114,063)	(632,498)	(1,222,348)	447,088	(775,260)
Capital expenditure	(59,290)	(4,143)	(7,893)	(71,326)	-	(71,326)
Depreciation and amortization	1,267	11,499	29,350	42,116	(860)	41,256

#### 27 MATERIAL PARTLY-OWNED SUBSIDIARIES

Financial information of the subsidiaries that has material non-controlling interests are provided below:

## (1) Proportion of equity interest held by non-controlling interests:

Subsidiaries	Non-controll 2022	ling interests 2021
Al Malaki Specialist Hospital W.L.L Human Development Company LLC	30.76% 40%	30.76% -
Accumulated balances of non-controlling interests:	2022 AED'000	2021 AED′000
Al Malaki Specialist Hospital W.L.L Human Development Company LLC	1,463 32,635	(1,346) -
Total equity	34,098	(1,346)

# (2) Summarised financial information of the subsidiaries before inter-company eliminations

## (a) Al Malaki Specialist Hospital W.L.L

Summarised statement of profit or loss for the year ended 31 December 2022:

	2022 AED'000	2021 AED′000
Revenue Costs and expenses Other income Finance costs	36,324 (53,104) 1,408 (8,644)	30,308 (48,894) 641 (7,059)
Loss for the year	(24,016)	(25,004)
Attributable to non-controlling interests	(7,388)	(7,691)
Summarised statement of financial position as at 31 December 2022:		
	2022 AED'000	2021 AED′000
Non-current assets Current assets Non-current liabilities Current liabilities	125,947 26,336 (105,221) (42,306)	132,486 12,061 (93,279) (55,644)
Total equity	4,756	(4,376)
Attributable to non-controlling interests	1,463	(1,346)

## 27 MATERIAL PARTLY-OWNED SUBSIDIARIES (continued)

# (2) Summarised financial information of the subsidiaries before inter-company eliminations (continued)

# (a) Al Malaki Specialist Hospital W.L.L (continued)

Summarised cash flow information for the year ended 31 December 2022:

	2022 AED'000	2021 AED′000
Operating Investing Financing	(8,182) (1,945) 18,921	(10,922) (2,002) 3,863
Net increase / (decrease) in cash and cash equivalents	8,794	(9,061)

## (b) Human Development Company LLC

Summarised consolidated statement of profit or loss for the period 1 November 2022 to 31 December 2022:

2022;	
	2022
	AED'000
Revenue	30,956
Costs and expenses	(19,523)
Other income	1,904
Finance costs Zakat	(661)
ZdKdL	(435) ————
Profit for the period	12,241
Total comprehensive income	12,112
Attributable to non-controlling interests	4,845
Summarised consolidated statement of financial position as at 31 December 2022:	
	2022
	AED'000
Non-current assets	69,265
Current assets	108,822
Non-current liabilities	(36,919)
Current liabilities	(59,579)
Total equity	81,589
Attributable to non-controlling interests	32,635

#### 27 MATERIAL PARTLY OWNED SUBSIDIARIES (continued)

# (2) Summarised financial information of the subsidiaries before inter-company eliminations (continued)

# (b) Human Development Company LLC (continued)

Summarised consolidated statement of cash flow information for the period 1 November 2022 to 31 December 2022:

	2022 AED'000
Operating Investing Financing	(3,357) (2,664) 7,973
Net increase in cash and cash equivalents	1,952

## (3) Movements in non-controlling interests

The following table summarises the information about movements in non-controlling interest for the period:

	<b>Non-controlling intere</b> <b>2022</b> 2021 <b>AED'000</b> AED'00		
Balance as at 1 January Acquisition of a subsidiary (Note 10) Shareholder contribution in subsidiary Net loss for the year	(1,346) 27,790 10,197 (2,543)	6,345 - - (7,691)	
Balance as at 31 December	34,098	(1,346)	

#### 28 CORPORATE TAX IN THE UAE

On 9 December 2022, the UAE Ministry of Finance released Federal Decree-Law No. 47 of 2022 on the Taxation of Corporations and Businesses (Corporate Tax Law or the Law) to enact a Federal corporate tax (CT) regime in the UAE. The CT regime will become effective for accounting periods beginning on or after 1 June 2023.

Generally, UAE businesses will be subject to a 9% CT rate. A rate of 0% will apply to taxable income not exceeding a particular threshold to be prescribed by way of a Cabinet Decision (expected to be AED 375,000 based on information released by the Ministry of Finance). In addition, there are several other decisions that are yet to be finalised by way of a Cabinet Decision that are significant in order for entities to determine their tax status and the taxable income. Therefore, pending such important decisions by the Cabinet as at 31 December 2022, the Group has considered that the Law is not substantively enacted from IAS 12 – Income Taxes perspective as at 31 December 2022. The Group shall continue to monitor the timing of the issuance of these critical cabinet decisions to determine their tax status and the application of IAS 12 – Income Taxes.

The Group is currently in the process of assessing the possible impact on the future consolidated financial statements, both from current and deferred tax perspective, once the these critical cabinet decisions are issued.

#### 29 COMPARATIVE FIGURES

During the year ended 31 December 2022, management amended the presentation of the consolidated statement of profit or loss whereby items related to the Company's investing activities previously reported under non-operating profit/(loss) have been reclassified under operating profit/(loss). As per management's assessment and given that the Company's principal activities comprise investments in other enterprises, such reclassification enhances the understanding of the Group's underlying performance by the users of the consolidated financial statements. Accordingly, share of results of associates, gain on disposal of associates, and finance lease income have been reclassified and included under operating profit/(loss). The reclassification did not have any impact on the previously reported results and net assets of the Group.

The table below summarizes the impact of the reclassifications on the comparative figures in the consolidated statement of profit or loss:

	2021 AED'000
Operating Loss – as previously reported	(2,954)
Add: Share of results of associates Gain on disposal of associates Income from finance lease	52,533 202,881 33,448
Operating Profit – as currently reported	285,908

In addition, certain comparative figures in the consolidated statement of profit or loss have been reclassified, where appropriate, to confirm to the current period's presentation. Such reclassifications did not have any impact on the previously reported net assets and results of the Group and are summarised as follows.

Consolidated statement of profit or loss for the year period ended 31 December 2021

	As previously reported AED'000	Reclassification AED'000	As currently reported AED'000
Direct costs	(223,479)	(4,834)	(228,313)
Gross profit	189,393	(4,834)	184,559
General and administrative expenses	(175,794)	4,834	(170,960)

## 30 ALTERNATIVE PERFORMANCE MEASURES

Management considers the use of non-IFRS Alternative Performance Measures (APMs) to be key in understanding the Group's financial performance as well as assisting in forecasting the performance of future periods.

The presentation of APMs has limitations as analytical tools and should not be considered in isolation or as a substitute for related financial measures prepared in accordance with IFRS.

In presenting the APMs management adjusts for certain items that vary between periods and for which the adjustment facilitates comparability between periods.

A reconciliation of the APMs utilised to the most directly reconcilable line items in the consolidated statement of profit or loss is provided below and may differ from similarly titled measures used by other entities.



#### 30 ALTERNATIVE PERFORMANCE MEASURES (continued)

## (a) Adjusted profit attributable to the equity holders of the Company

This APM represents the reported profit attributable to the equity holders of the Company adjusted for income/expense related to:

- disposals of investees;
- transaction related costs;
- · gain on disposal of associates during the previous year;
- share of results of investees disposed of during the previous year;
- gain on derivative instrument;
- other one-off non-recurring item; and
- goodwill impairment loss.

## (b) Adjusted operating profit attributable to the equity holders of the Company

This APM represents the reported adjusted profit attributable to the equity holders of the Company adjusted for finance costs, finance income and zakat.

## (c) Adjusted earnings before interest, tax, depreciation and amortization (Adjusted EBITDA)

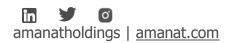
This APM represents the reported adjusted operating profit attributable to the equity holders of the Company adjusted for income/expense related to:

- disposals of investees;
- transaction related costs;
- gain on disposal of associates during the previous year;
- · share of results of investees disposed of during the previous year;
- depreciation and amortization;
- · purchase price amortisation of associates;
- gain on derivative instrument; and
- other one-off non-recurring items.

## (d) Reconciliation

The APMs and their reconciliations to the measures reported in the consolidated statement of profit or loss are as follows:

	2022 AED'000	2021 AED′000
Profit attributable to equity holders of the Company  Adjusted for:	114,213	280,831
Transaction related costs (Note 5 & 11)*	6,957	19,957
Share of results of investees disposed of, net of amortization (Note 11)**	-	(14,493)
Gain on disposal of associates	-	(202,881)
Goodwill impairment (Note 10)	-	19,961
Gain on derivative instrument (Note 6)	<b>(3,568)</b>	-
Other one-off non-recurring items	(200)	
Adjusted profit attributable to equity holders of the Company 103,375		117,402



#### 30 ALTERNATIVE PERFORMANCE MEASURES (continued)

	2022 AED'000	2021 AED'000
Adjusted profit attributable to equity holders of the Company	117,402	103,375
Add/(deduct): Finance costs***	27,070	16,026
Finance income Zakat, net of share of NCI	(13,152) 260	(5,429)
Adjusted operating profit attributable to equity holders of the Company	131,580	113,972
Add/(deduct):	(6 0E7)	(10.057)
Transaction related costs (Note 5 & 11)  Share of results of investees disposed of, net of amortization (Note 11)	(6,957)	(19,957) 14,493
Gain on disposal of associates	_	202,881
Goodwill impairment (Note 10)	_	(19,961)
Finance cost attributable to NCI	2,923	2,171
Non-controlling interests (Note 27)	(2,491)	(7,691)
Gain on derivative instrument (Note 6)	3,568	-
One-off non-recurring items	200	-
Zakat attributable to NCI	175	-
OPERATING PROFIT	128,998	285,908
Add/(deduct):		
Transaction related costs (Note 5 & 11)	6,957	19,957
Share of results of investees disposed of, net of amortization (Note 11)	-	(14,493)
Gain on disposal of associates	-	(202,881)
Goodwill impairment (Note 10)		19,961
Depreciation and amortization	56,373	41,256
Purchase price amortisation of associates	3,000	3,000
Gain on derivative instrument (Note 6) One-off non-recurring items	(3,568) (200)	-
Adjusted earnings before interest, tax, depreciation and amortization	191,560	152,708

<sup>\*</sup> Transaction related costs also include transaction costs of AED 1,697 thousand (2021: Nil) in relation to the acquisition of a 100% stake in LIWA College of Technology by NEMA Holding (Note 11). In the prior year transaction costs include AED 17,000 thousand of employee compensation and other related expenses

## 31 SUBSEQUENT EVENTS

On 20 December 2022, the Company announced the acquisition of a majority stake in Sukoon International Holding Company CJSC ("Sukoon") through a merger with CMRC Limited ("CMRC") via a non-cash share swap, whereby the shareholders of Sukoon will receive c.15% of Amanat's shares in HC Investments 1 Holdings Limited, the immediate parent company of CMRC Limited, in return for the Company receiving additional shares in Sukoon. The Company has received General Authority for Competition in the Kingdom of Saudi Arabia's approval on the transaction. The transaction is expected to complete in Q1 2023 following Ministry of Health license approval

<sup>\*\*</sup> Results of associates disposed of in the year ended 31 December 2021

<sup>\*\*\*</sup> Finance costs exclude share of non-controlling interests of AED 2,923 thousand (2021: AED 2,171 thousand)



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