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UNAUDITED FINANCIAL RESULTS FOR FOURTH QUARTER ENDED 31ST MAY 2023

The Board of Directors ("The Board") of PZ Cussons Nigeria Plc hereby announce the Group's unaudited results for the fourth quarter ended 31st May 2023.

	Group				
	4th Qtr Ended, 31 May 2023 ₦'000	Full Year Ended, 31 May 2023 ₦'000	4th Qtr Ended, 31 May 2022 ₦'000	Full Year Ended, 31 May 2022 ₦'000	% Change
Revenue Operating profit/(loss) Profit before taxation Taxation Profit after tax	26,836,978 3,712,797 5,568,973 (1,431,532) 4,137,441	113,834,906 8,709,406 19,867,893 (4,516,600) 15,351,293	25,500,214 2,867,543 3,357,156 (2,598,788) 758,368	100,039,948 3,078,443 9,669,405 (3,269,908) 6,399,496	14 183 105 38 140
Non-controlling interest Profit attributable to equity holders of parent company	637,711 3,499,730 4,137,441	1,633,946 13,717,347 15,351,293	227,426 530,942 758,368	710,991 5,688,505 6,399,496	130 141 140
Share capital Total equity	1,985,238 49,080,942	1,985,238 49,080,942	1,985,238 37,739,831	1,985,238 37,739,831	30
Data per 50k share Based on 3,970,477,045 ordinary shares of 50k each: Basic and diluted earnings per share (Naira)	104	387	19	161	140

The company has delivered revenue growth of 14% for the year led by a strong performance in the Hygiene, Baby & Beauty categories, and complemented by value-driven growth in the Electricals business, as the price optimization and product mix strategies translate into improved performance. Revenue growth in the fourth quarter was 5% when compared to the same period last year, the quarter had a series of political activities which constrained sales.

Strong cost control, and the benefits from a deliberate focus on lower cost energy generation led to a reduction in expenses despite the prevailing inflationary environment. Combined with the growth in revenue this translated into strong operating profit growth for the quarter and full year.

Included in the full year results is profit from the disposal of non-core residential property, being #5.9B (2021: #5.5B), this is in line with the strategy of simplifying the business. This concludes the disposal of non-core residential properties.

It should be noted that the recent floating of the Naira on the $14^{\rm th}$ of June 2023 which has led to a devaluation, does not have an impact on the full-year results for the year ended $31^{\rm st}$ May, 2023.

It is likely that there will be material impact on the financial position of the Company, and this may affect the ability of the Company to pay dividends in the near term.

The full impact of the devaluation is currently being assessed, and it will be disclosed in the notes to the financial statements under events subsequent to the balance sheet date and will be recorded in the financial statements of the proceeding year.

Dated this 27th June 2023 By Order of the Board

Ms. Olubukola Olonade-Agaga

Ag. Company Secretary

