Media Times Limited

23 November 2022

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The General Manager, Pakistan Stock Exchange Limited, Stock Exchange Building, Stock Exchange Road, Karachi, Pakistan.

Subject: - CORPORATE BRIEFING SESSION (CBS)

Dear Sir,

This is to inform you that a Corporate Briefing Session of Media Times Limited ("The Company") will be held on Wednesday, 30 November 2022 at 02:00 p.m. to brief the Shareholders / Analysts / Investors about the Company's Audited Financial Statements for the year ended 30 June 2022 to fulfill the requirements of Pakistan Stock Exchange as per notice PSX/N-1110 dated November 18, 2022.

Therefore, the Shareholders / Analysts / Investors are advised to please attend the session through the Zoom Link / Video Link or in physical. Accordingly, those Shareholders / Analysts / Investors who desire to attend the session are requested to register themselves by sending an email to the Company Secretary at jawahar@pacepakistan.com subject of e-mail will be "Registration for Corporate Briefing Session". Please include following detail in email:

| Name | CNIC | Folio No. / CDC A/C (if any) | Organization Name / Profession | Cell Phone No. |
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Zoom Link / Video Link and login credentials to join the session will be shared with those Shareholders / Analysts / Investors whose email containing the aforementioned particulars are received at the above mentioned email address before 11:00 a.m. on Tuesday 29 November, 2022.

Presentation along with notice for invitation to the analyst / shareholders of the Company are also uploaded on the website of the Company: www.pacepakistan.com.

You may please inform the Certificate holders of the Exchange accordingly.

Yours faithfully,

For Media Times Limited

Shahzad Jawahar Company Secretary

MEDIA TIMES LIMITED











Corporate Briefing

Date: 28 November 2022

For the year Ended June 30, 2022

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Media Times Limited (MTL) is operating in Print, Electronic and Digital media. Core business units of the Company include Daily Times Newspaper, Sunday Magazine, TGIF Magazine, Daily AajKal Newspaper, Business Plus TV and Zaiqa TFC. In addition, the digital wing of the Company is also operating online/ social media of each of the above mentioned business units.

Print Media

Daily Times, a nationwide English daily newspaper printed from Lahore, Karachi and Islamabad caters to the needs of the general public and is considered to be amongst the leading English newspapers in the country in terms of circulation and enjoys a high level of respect & credibility.

Sunday Times is a leading fashion magazine of Pakistan celebrating almost 17 years of excellence for honoring fashion, lifestyle, arts, entertainment, culture and national style icons. The magazine is given as a complimentary copy each Sunday along with Daily Times Newspaper.

"Aajkal" an Urdu daily newspaper, is successfully maintaining its market position since its launch and continuously striving to improve circulation as well as advertising share across Pakistan.

Company brief

The Company _is operating its Electronic Media Segment through two subsidiaries, running two Satellite Channels **Business plus TV**, the only business channel and **Zaiqa TFC** cooking Chanel.

Online/ Digital Media

The management of the Company is devoting its full attention over digital wing of the Company. The digital wing of the Company aims to be one-stop ahead solution to advertisers. Owing to the fact of more attraction of social media to advertisers, the Company is maintaining separate websites, Facebook pages, Instagram accounts, Twitter accounts, blog writing forum and snap chats for the following products:

Daily Times Newspaper
Sunday Times Magazine
Thank Goodness Its Friday, TGIF magazine
Business Plus TV
Zaiqa TFC

Company's Performance

Company's Performance - Revenue

FY 2021-22 in comparison to previous year

| | 2022 | 2021 |
|---------------|-------------|-------------|
| | Ruյ | oees |
| Revenue - net | | |
| | | |
| Advertisement | 152,138,118 | 117,685,417 |
| Newspaper | 14,763,536 | 25,389,677 |
| | 166,901,654 | 143,075,094 |
| Less: | | |
| Sales tax | - | - |
| Commission | 16,107,703 | 22,431,914 |
| | 16,107,703 | 22,431,914 |
| | 150,793,951 | 120,643,180 |

Company's Performance – Gross Profit/ (Loss)

FY 2021-22 in comparison to previous year

| | 2022 | 2021 |
|----------------------|-------------|-------------|
| | Rupees | |
| Revenue – net | 150,793,791 | 120,643,180 |
| Cost of Production | 108,402,597 | 113,287,811 |
| Gross Profit/ (Loss) | 42,391,354 | 7,355,369 |

Company's Performance – Net Profit/ (Loss)

FY 2021-22 in comparison to previous year

| | 2022 | 2021 |
|----------------------|-------------|---------------|
| | Rupees | |
| Revenue – net | 150,793,791 | 120,643,180 |
| Gross Profit/ (Loss) | 42,391,354 | 7,355,369 |
| Net Profit/ (Loss) | 17,066,391 | (114,476,289) |

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Balance Sheet
Profit and Loss

Accounts June 30, 2022

| Bal | lan | ice | Sl | ne | et |
|-----|-----|-----|----------|--------|---------------|
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| | Rupees | Rupees |
|---|-------------|-------------|
| ASSETS | | |
| Non-current assets | | |
| Property, plant and equipment | 157,280,344 | 182,719,877 |
| Right of use assets | 98,171,390 | 105,440,252 |
| Investment in Subsidiaries | 100,000,000 | - |
| Long term deposits | 6,868,807 | 6,868,807 |
| Deferred taxation | - | - |
| | 362,320,541 | 295,028,936 |
| <u>Current assets</u> | | |
| Trade debts | 46,532,932 | 30,798,923 |
| Advances, prepayments and other receivable | 4,254,204 | 2,665,153 |
| Advance income tax | 714,168 | 3,494,376 |
| Cash and bank balances | 4,174,491 | 5,665,791 |
| | 55,675,795 | 42,624,243 |
| Non-current asset classified as held for sale | - | 509,322 |
| | 417,996,336 | 338,162,501 |

Accounts June 30, 2022

| Balance Sheet | 2022 | 2024 |
|---|-----------------|-----------------|
| EQUITY AND LIABILITIES | 2022 | 2021 |
| Share capital and reserves | Rupees | Rupees |
| Authorized share capital | | |
| 210,000,000 (2021: 210,000,000) ordinary shares | | |
| of Rs. 10 each | 2,100,000,000 | 2,100,000,000 |
| Share capital | 1,788,510,100 | 1,788,510,100 |
| Share premium reserve | 76,223,440 | 76,223,440 |
| Accumulated loss | (2,808,392,474) | (2,822,982,800) |
| | (943,658,934) | (958,249,260) |
| Non-current liabilities | | |
| Long term finance | 408,404,307 | 391,776,307 |
| Deferred liability | 19,846,576 | 23,251,396 |
| Lease liability | 106,962,931 | 99,026,132 |
| | 535,213,814 | 514,053,835 |
| <u>Current liabilities</u> | | |
| Trade and other payables | 442,970,963 | 434,584,814 |
| Contract liability | 5,939,193 | 5,181,766 |
| Accrued mark-up | 318,714,164 | 260,627,129 |
| Short term borrowings | 48,000,000 | 48,000,000 |
| Lease liability | 10,817,136 | 33,964,217 |
| | 826,441,456 | 782,357,926 |

338,162,501

417,996,336

Accounts June 30, 2022

Profit and Loss

| | Rupees | Rupees |
|---|---------------|---------------|
| Revenue - net | 150,793,951 | 120,643,180 |
| Cost of production | (108,402,597) | (113,287,811) |
| Gross profit | 42,391,354 | 7,355,369 |
| Administrative and selling expenses | (77,719,604) | (94,491,407) |
| Other income | 127,945,920 | 27,103,090 |
| Finance cost | (72,055,753) | (51,204,348) |
| Other expenses | - | (163,342) |
| Profit/ (Loss) before taxation | 20,561,917 | (111,400,638) |
| Taxation | (3,495,526) | (3,075,651) |
| Profit/(Loss) after taxation | 17,066,391 | (114,476,289) |
| Profit/(Loss) per share - basic and diluted | 0.10 | (0.64) |

2022

2021

Strategic/ Operational Developments

Sr. No. Description

- The Company has transferred its Satellite TV Channels to its wholly owned subsidiaries after approval by PEMRA for transfer of licenses to subsidiaries.
- The Company has relaunched its Urdu Newspaper "Daily Aaj Kal" under the editorship of renowned journalist Choudhary Ghulam Hussain. The paper is making a vibe in newspaper market.
- Owing to the fact of shifting of print media viewership to digital media, the management of the company is planning to launch 2 digital magazines covering business and sports sectors. This would help in attracting advertisers in corporate and sports sectors.
- The management of the company is prioritizing digital advertisement as one of the main revenue stream. To get the maximum revenue out of this sector, the Company is maintaining separate websites, Face book pages, Instagram accounts, Twitter accounts, blog writing forum and snap chats for each business unit.
- 5 The Company's sponsors are negotiating with Faysal Bank Limited for settlement of short term borrowings from their own sources.
- Further, the Company is planning to launch a Web TV with the brand name of Daily Times and to re launch "Zaiqa" channel with improved content and distribution all over Pakistan.

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- The Management is also planning to use its state of the art printing machines to work as production houses for other newspapers in Lahore, Karachi and Islamabad.
- 8 Electronic media satellite technology is being upgraded to MPEG 4. This will materially reduce the up-linking cost and will result in reduced bandwidth that is required to uplink the channels.
- The management is paying special attention to advertisement revenue through supplements. The major supplement categories that were covered in this financial year include but not limited to national days of other countries, fashion industry, sports, government sector and economic sector.
- The Company intends to sell shareholding of both Subsidiary companies, subject to PEMRA approvals and to put this money to pay its liabilities and to develop its alternate business plans.

Questions and Answers