Beta Glass Plc

Lagos, Nigeria

Report of the Directors and

Audited Financial statements

For the year ended 31 December 2017

#### BETA GLASS PLC ANNUAL REPORT AND FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2017

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#### BETA GLASS PLC DIRECTORS' REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2017

The Directors present to the members of Beta Glass Plc ("the Company") their report together with the audited financial statements for the year ended 31 December 2017.

#### **Principal activities**

The principal activity of the Company is the manufacture and sale of glassware.

#### Results for the year

	2017 N'000	2016 N'000
Revenue	22,186,258	19,091,192
		======
Profit before taxation Income tax expense	5,854,740 (1,739,598)	5,215,253 (1,415,860) 
Profit after taxation	4,115,142	3,799,393 ======

#### Appropriation of profit after taxation

The Directors recommend to the shareholders, the payment of a gross dividend of N1.07 per 50 kobo ordinary share to all shareholders on the Company's Register of Members as at the close of business on June 15, 2018. If the Directors' recommendation is approved by the shareholders, the profit after taxation of N 4,115,142 will be appropriated as follows:

	N'000
Proposed dividend (Gross)	534,970
	=====
Transfer to general reserve	3,580,172

#### Directors

Messrs. George Papachristou, Chief Chris Avielele and Olaolu Akerele resigned after the last Annual General Meeting.

Dr. Zulikat Wuraola Abiola, Ms. Oluwaseun Abimisola Oni and Ms. Olufunmilola Adefope were appointed Directors after the last Annual General Meeting. They will retire at this Annual General Meeting and being eligible will seek election.

The Directors retiring by rotation in accordance with the Articles of Association are Mr. Haralambos (Harry) G. David and Chief Chris Avielele. While Chief Chris Avielele will not seek re-election and has opted to retire from the Board, Mr. Haralambos (Harry) G. David being eligible, offers himself for re-election.

#### **Record of Directors attendance at meetings**

Pursuant to Section 258 (2) of the Companies and Allied Matters Act, the records of Directors' attendance at Board meetings during the year under review will be available for inspection at the Annual General Meeting.

#### Directors' interests in the Shares of the Company

As at 1 January 2017 and 31 December 2017 the interests of the Directors (and those who served on the Board during the year under review) in the issued share capital of the Company as recorded in the register of members in compliance to Section 275 of the Companies and Allied Matters Act, were as follows:

Number of shares as at	31-Dec-17	31-Dec-16
Mr. Abimbola Ogunbanjo		-
Mr. Darren Bennett-Voci (British)	-	-
Dr. Zulikat Wuraola Abiola (appointed w.e.f. 6/7/17)	-	-
Ms. Olufunmilola Adefope (appointed w.e.f. $22/3/18$ )	-	-
Mr. Olaolu Akerele (resigned w.e.f. 22/3/18)	-	-
Chief Chris Avielele	27,474	27,474
Mr. Haralambos (Harry) G. David (Cypriot)	25,437	25,437
Mr. Nikolaos Mamoulis (Greek)	-	-
Mr. John Mastoroudes (British)	-	-
Ms. Oluwaseun Abimisola Oni (appointed w.e.f. 21/9/17)	-	-
Mr. George Papachristou (Greek) (resigned w.e.f. 31/10/17	-	-

\*Mr. Abimbola Ogunbanjo has beneficial interest in 52,700 shares held by Turnbull Investments Limited.

#### BETA GLASS PLC DIRECTORS' REPORT - continued FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2017

Save as disclosed above, the Company is not aware of any other interests of the Directors in the share capital of the Company or of its Holding Company - Frigoglass Industries (Nigeria) Limited as at 31 December 2017 or at the date of this report.

#### **Directors' interests in contracts**

Mr. Abimbola Ogunbanjo is the Managing Partner of Chris Ogunbanjo LP., one of the providers of legal services to the Company. In accordance with Section 277 of the Companies and Allied Matters Act, Mr. Abimbola Ogunbanjo has notified the Board of his position.

None of the other Directors has notified the Company for the purpose of Section 277 of the Companies and Allied Matters Act, of any disclosable interests in contracts involving the Company either as at 31 December 2017 or at the date of this report.

#### Acquisition of own shares

The company did not acquire its own shares during the year under review (2016: Nil).

#### **Charitable gifts**

In compliance with Section 38(2) of the Companies and Allied Matters Act, the Company did not make any donations or gifts to any political party, political association or for any political purpose during the year under review.

#### **Corporate governance**

The Directors have striven to maintain its corporate governance ethics and rules and regulations of the regulatory authorities during the year under review.

#### **Corporate social responsibility**

It is the policy of the Company to try and consistently improve on some amenities within its host communities. Thus during the year under review, the Company accomplished the following:

Total cost	10,738	
Provision of Ward Bed with Table and Drip Stand and provision of Ceiling Fan at the Agbara Primary Health Centre	888	
Construction of Concrete Drainage - 150m x 2 x 3m deep with wall thickness of 2" both sides for Eruemukohwarien Community Construction of 6 Lockup Stores at the Ekakpamre Community Market of Delta State2,900	2,950	
Provision of two (2) Semi-Detached Self Contained House for Ekrerhavwe Community NYSC Lodge	4,000	
	N 000	

#### Significant changes in Property, Plant and Equipment

Movements in property, plant and equipment during the year were as shown in Note 14 to the financial statements. In the opinion of the Directors, the market value of the Company's property, plant and equipment is not less than as shown in the Statement of financial position.

#### **Employment policies and training**

The Company's employment policy ensures that opportunities are also given to disabled persons. Disabled applicants are therefore given special consideration for employment having regard to the aptitudes and capabilities of each applicant.

The Company also has training programmes designed to ensure that employees who became disabled during their employment are not, for the sake of their disabilities, disadvantaged in their career development in the Company. The Company provides overseas and on-the-job technical training for employees' knowledge in glass production technology.

#### Health, safety and welfare of employees

The Company has standard in-plants clinics run by competent and qualified medical personnel where free medical services are provided for all staff. There are also stand-by ambulances for transfer of serious cases of illness to designated hospitals retained by the Company.

The Company provides free meals to its employees at the staff canteens.

There are contributory retirement benefit schemes for both management and junior employees of the Company. The schemes are in compliance with the provisions of the Pensions Reform Act 2014.

#### **BETA GLASS PLC DIRECTORS' REPORT - continued** FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2017

#### **Employees' involvement**

The Company consults with representatives of the workers union on important issues that affect the career of employees and the fortunes of the Company.

Employees' individual suggestions are entertained through the use of suggestion boxes strategically located in the Company's premises.

#### **Employment of Disabled Persons**

It is the Company's policy to give special consideration to disabled persons having regard to the individual applicant's aptitudes and abilities. There were no disabled persons in the Company as at year end (2016: nil).

#### **Employment Equity, Gender Policies and Practices**

Our employment and promotion policy ensures equity, and is free from discriminatory bias of gender, ethnic origin, age, marital status, sexual orientation, disability, religion and other diversity issues. This is role modelled throughout our end to end employee life cycle process.

#### Events after the reporting date

A dividend in respect of the year ended 31 December 2017 of N1.07 per share, amounting to a total dividend of N534,970,000 was proposed at the board meeting held on 22 March 2018 and subject to approval at the Annual General Meeting.

There were no other event after reporting date which could have had a material effect on the state of affairs of the Company as at 31 December 2017 and on the profit for the year ended on that date which have not been adequately provided for or recognized.

#### Auditors

Messrs. Ernst & Young was appointed on 6 July 2017 and having indicated their willingness, will continue in office as Auditors of the Company in accordance with Section 357 (2) of the Companies and Allied Matters Act.

#### BY ORDER OF THE BOARD

**BOLA ADEBISI (MS) Deputy Company Secretary** FRC/2013/NBA/0000002344

IDDO HOUSE, IDDO, LAGOS 22 March, 2018

#### **Beta Glass Plc**

#### Compliance Certificate on the Company's Audited Financial Statements For the year ended 31 December 2017

We hereby certify that:

- a) We the undersigned have reviewed the annual report and audited financial statements of Beta Glass Plc ("the Company) for the year ended 31 December 2017.
- b) Based on our knowledge as officers of the Company, the annual report and audited financial statements do not contain:
  - i any untrue statement of a material fact, or
  - ii omit to state a material fact, which would make the statement misleading in the light of the circumstances under which the statement was made;
- c) Based on our knowledge, the financial statements and other financial information included in the annual report fairly represent in all material respect, the financial conditions and results of operations of the Company as of, and for the period presented in the report.
- d) We, the undersigned:
  - i are responsible for establishing and maintaining controls
  - ii have designed such internal controls to ensure that material information relating to the Company is made known to us by others within those entities particularly during the period in which the periodic reports are being prepared.
  - iii
    - have evaluated the effectiveness of the Company's internal controls as of date within 90 days prior to the report.
  - iv have presented in the report our conclusions about the effectiveness of the internal controls based on the evaluation as of that date.
- e) We have disclosed to the external auditors of the Company and the audit committee:
  - i all significant deficiencies in the design or operation of the internal controls which would adversely affect the Company's ability to record, process, summarize and report financial data and have identified for the Company's Auditors any material weakness in internal controls, and
  - any fraud, whether or not material, that involves management or other employees who have significant role in the ii Company's internal controls.
- f)
- We have identified in the report whether or not there were significant changes in internal controls subsequent to the date of their evaluation, including any corrective actions with regard to significant deficiencies and material weakness.

Mr. Darren Bennett-Voci Managing Director 22 March 2018 FRC/2016/IODN/00000015783

Mr. Shanker Dhanikonda Chief Financial Officer 22 March 2018 FRC/2013/ANAN/00000002336



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# **BETA GLASS PLC**

#### Audit Committee's Report

For the year ended December 31, 2017

In accordance with Section 359(6) of the Companies and Allied Matters Act Cap C20 LFN 2004 and the Financial Reporting Council of Nigeria Act No 6, 2011, we have reviewed:

- 1) the scope and planning of the audit requirement;
- 2) the External Auditors' Management letter for the year ended December 31, 2017 as well as the Management responses thereon and;
- 3) ascertained that the accounting and reporting policies of the Company for the year ended December 31, 2017 are in accordance with legal requirements and agreed ethical practices.

In our opinion, the scope and planning of the audit for the year ended December 31, 2017 together with the audited accounts were satisfactory. We were satisfied with Management responses to the Auditors findings



Ms. Oluwaseun Abimisola Oni Chairman of the Audit Committee FRC/2018/1CAA/0000018088

Dated this 20th day of March, 2018

# **Members of the Audit Committee**

Ms. Oluwaseun Abimisola Oni Chief Chris Avielele Mr. Olaolu Akerele Mr John Mastoroudes Prof. C. A. Osuntogun Chief Simeon A. Odubiyi Mr. Peter K. Okoh

- Chairman (appointed w.e.f November 11, 2017)
- Member
- Member
- Member (resigned w.e.f November 11, 2017)
- Member
- Member
- Member (*deceased 10/03/18*)

Directors: Abimbola O. Ogunbanjo (Chairman), Darren Bennett-Voci (British) (Managing Director), Z. Wuraola Abiola, Olaolu Akerele, Chief Chris Avielele, Haralambos (Harry) G. David (Cypriot), Nikolaos Mamoulis (Greek) John Mastoroudes (British), Oluwaseun A. Oni

#### **Beta Glass Plc**

#### Statement of Directors' responsibilities For the year ended 31 December 2017

The Companies and Allied Matters Act, CAP C20, Laws of the Federation of Nigeria 2004, requires the Directors to prepare financial statements for each financial year that give a true and fair view of the state of financial affairs of the Company at the end of the year and of its profit or loss. The responsibilities include ensuring that the Company:

a)

keeps proper accounting records that disclose, with reasonable accuracy, the financial position of the Company and comply with the requirements of the Companies and Allied Matters Act, CAP C20, Laws of the Federation of Nigeria 2004;

- b) establishes adequate internal controls to safeguard its assets and to prevent and detect fraud and other irregularities; and
- c) prepares its financial statements using suitable accounting policies supported by reasonable and prudent judgments and estimates, and are consistently applied.

The directors accept responsibility for the annual financial statements, which have been prepared using appropriate accounting policies supported by reasonable and prudent judgments and estimates, in conformity with International Financial Reporting Standards issued by the International Accounting Standards Board, Financial Reporting Council of Nigeria Act No 6, 2011 and the provisions of the Companies and Allied Matters Act, CAP C20, Laws of the Federation of Nigeria 2004.

The directors are of the opinion that the financial statements give a true and fair view of the state of the financial affairs of the Company and of its profit for the year ended 31 December 2017. The directors further accept responsibility for the maintenance of accounting records that may be relied upon in the preparation of financial statements, as well as adequate systems of internal financial control.

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

Mr. Abimbola Ogunbanjo Chairman 22 March 2018 FRC/2013/NBA/00000004358

Mr. Darren Bennett-Voci Managing Director 22 March 2018 FRC/2016/IODN/00000015783



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#### INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT TO THE MEMBERS OF BETA GLASS PLC REPORT ON THE AUDIT OF THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

#### Opinion

We have audited the financial statements of Beta Glass Plc which comprise the statement of financial position as at 31 December 2017, statement of profit or loss and other comprehensive income, statement of changes in equity and statement of cash flows for the year then ended, and notes to the financial statements, including a summary of significant accounting policies and other explanatory information.

In our opinion, the financial statements give a true and fair view of the financial position of Beta Glass Plc as at 31 December 2017, and its financial performance and cash flows for the year then ended in accordance with the International Financial Reporting Standards (IFRS) issued by International Accounting Standards Board, the provisions of the Companies and Allied Matters Act, CAP C20, Laws of the Federation of Nigeria 2004 and in compliance with the Financial Reporting Council of Nigeria Act No.6, 2011.

#### **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 Auditors' Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Statements section of our report. We are independent of the Company in accordance with International Ethics Standards Board for Accountants' Code of Ethics for Professional Accountants (IESBA Code) and other independence requirements applicable to performing the audit of Beta Glass Plc. We have fulfilled our other ethical responsibilities in accordance with the IESBA Code, and in accordance with other ethical requirements applicable to performing the audit of Beta Glass Plc. 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 judgement, were of most significance in our audit of the financial statements of the current year. These matters were addressed in the context of our audit of the financial statements as a whole, and in forming our 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 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 financial statements. The results of our audit procedures, including the procedures performed to address the matters below, provide the basis of our audit opinion on the accompanying financial statements.

Key Audit Matter	How the matter was addressed in the audit
Defined Benefit Obligation	Our audit procedures on the defined benefit obligation include:
The company's post-retirement benefit provision relates to defined benefit plan - gratuity schemes which amount to a total of $N2.67$ billion net liability which is significant in the context of the overall Company's statement of financial position as it represents 66% of the Company's non-current liabilities and 20% of the Company's total liabilities. The cost of the defined benefit plan and the present value of the obligation are determined using actuarial valuations.	<ul> <li>We involved internal actuarial specialists to assist us in performing the audit procedures in this area, which included among others:         <ul> <li>Determination of appropriateness of assumptions used in the valuation of the define benefit plan liabilities including salary increases and mortality rate assumptions, by reference to market and entity specific data, both individually and when combined with other assumptions.</li> </ul> </li> </ul>



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Key Audit Matter	How the matter was addressed in the audit
An actuarial valuation involves making various assumptions that may differ from actual developments in the future. There are complexities involved in the valuation and it has a long-term nature. A defined benefit obligation is highly sensitive to changes in the assumptions made. We considered this to be a key audit matter due to the significance of the amount and the fact that the actuarial assumptions used in the estimate of defined benefit plan are judgmental, particularly with respect to the determination of the discount rates, future salary increases, inflation rates, mortality rates and future pension increases. Small changes in a number of these key assumptions used to value the Company's retirement benefit obligation could have a material impact on the calculation of the liability. The disclosures of the estimates on defined benefit obligation is set out on Note 20 to the financial statements.	<ul> <li>Assessment of the assumption for salary increases against the Company's historical trend and expected future outlook.</li> <li>Consideration of the discount rate and inflation rate assumptions used, which in our view, have significant impact on the scheme valuation and require significant level of management judgement.</li> <li>We assessed the competence, independence and objectivity of the actuarial specialists engaged by the Company.</li> <li>We tested the accuracy and completeness of the underlying data used in the actuarial valuations by checking to the financial bases and demographic assumptions and other data.</li> <li>We verified the correctness of journal entries in connection with post-employment benefit expenses, current payments and for changes in post-employment benefit reserves.</li> </ul>
<ul> <li>Export Expansion Grant Receivables (EEG Receivables) and Untilised Negotiable Duty Credit Certificates (Unutilised NDDC)</li> <li>The Company has Export Expansion Grant Receivable (EEG) receivable of №1.58billion and unutilised Negotiable Duty Credit Certificates (NDCC) of №1.02 billion as at 31 December 2017.</li> <li>EEG receivable is recognised based on export sales as soon as the related export proceeds are repatriated into the country within 180 days of the sales. Unutilised NDCC is recognised when certificates are issued to the Company by the Nigerian Export Promotion (NEPC) for settlement of EEG receivable.</li> <li>EEG receivable and unutilised NDCC are key due to the judgement applied by management in the application of the Scheme and the significance of the amount involved. The significant judgment by Management was further evidence by the inability of the beneficiaries to either receive fresh NDCC or use the NDCC at hand for the settlement of import duties and levies in lieu of cash.</li> <li>Management is convinced that both the EEG receivable and the Unutilised NDCC are recoverable because they are sovereign debt. This is further buttressed by NEPC circular of 20 March 2017, requesting the exporter to submit EEG baseline data and subsequent to the approval of the baseline data, exporter to submit outstanding EEG claims for which the Company has complied.</li> </ul>	We obtained an understanding of the Company's accounting policy for recognition of the EEG receivables and unutilised NDCC and evaluate for consistency with the requirements of International Accounting Standard (IAS 20) - Government grant and the Nigerian Export Promotion Council (NEPC) Act. We tested the recognition of the EEG receivables and unutilised NDCC for compliance with the Company's accounting policy. In particular, we tested all EEG receivables recognised by assessing documentation that supports the repatriation of export proceeds within 180 days of sale. We obtained confirmation from the bank in respect of the existence of the unutilised NDCC. We reviewed the baseline data submitted by the Company in compliance with the NEPC circular issued on 20 March 2017 requesting exporters to submit their baseline data for EEG claims and subsequent to the approval of the baseline data, We also, reviewed the basis of adjustments made to write down the value of EEG receivables.



#### Independent Auditors' Report To the Members of Beta Glass Plc Report on the Audit of the Financial Statements- Continued

#### **Other Information**

The directors are responsible for the other information. The other information comprises the Directors' Report, Compliance Certificate, Audit Committee's Report, Statement of Director's Responsibilities and Other National Disclosures (Value Added statement and Five-Year Financial Summary) as required by the Companies and Allied Matters Act, CAP C20, Laws of the Federation of Nigeria 2004 and Corporate Governance Report as required by Security and Exchange Commission. The other information does not include the financial statements and our auditors' report thereon.

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

In connection with our audit of the financial statements, our responsibility is to read the other information and, in doing so, consider whether the other information is materially inconsistent with the financial statements or our knowledge obtained in the audit, or otherwise appears to be materially misstated.

#### Responsibilities of the Directors for the Financial Statements

The directors are responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of these financial statements in accordance with International Financial Reporting Standards, the provisions of the Companies and Allied Matters Act, CAP C20, Laws of the Federation of Nigeria 2004 and in compliance with the Financial Reporting Council of Nigeria Act, No 6, 2011, and for such internal control as the directors determine is necessary to enable the preparation of financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

In preparing the financial statements, the directors are 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 the directors either intend to liquidate the company or to cease operations, or have no realistic alternative but to do so.

#### Auditors' Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Statements

Our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements as a whole are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error, and to issue an auditors' 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 financial statements.

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

- Identify and assess the risks of material misstatement of the 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.
- 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 company's internal control.
- Evaluate the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of accounting estimates and related disclosures made by the directors.
- Conclude on the appropriateness of the directors' 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



#### Independent Auditors' Report To the Members of Beta Glass Plc Report on the Audit of the Financial Statements- Continued

draw attention in our auditors' report to the related disclosures in the 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 auditors' 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 financial statements, including the disclosures, and whether the 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 entity or business activities within the Company to express an opinion on the financial statements. We are responsible for the direction, supervision and performance of the Company's audit. We remain solely responsible for our audit opinion.
- We communicate with the directors 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 directors 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 directors, we determine those matters that were of most significance in the audit of the 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**

In accordance with the requirement of Schedule 6 of the Companies and Allied Matters Act, CAP C20, Laws of the Federation of Nigeria 2004, we confirm that:

i) we have obtained all the information and explanations which to the best of our knowledge and belief were necessary for the purposes of our audit;

ii) in our opinion proper books of account have been kept by the Company, so far as appears from our examination of those books; and

iii) the Company's statement of financial position and statement of profit or loss and other comprehensive income are in agreement with the books of account.

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Omolola Alebiosu FRC/2012/ICAN/00000000145 For: Ernst & Young Chartered Accountants Lagos, Nigeria

2-7 March 2018



# Beta Glass Plc Statement of profit or loss and other comprehensive income For the year ended 31 December 2017

		31 December 2017	31 December 2016
Revenue Cost of sales	Notes 6 7.1	N'000 22,186,258 (16,938,395)	<b>N'000</b> 19,091,192 (15,145,377)
Gross profit		5,247,863	3,945,815
Selling and distribution expenses Administrative expenses Other income	7.3 7.2 8	(97,792) (1,393,130) 617,896	(113,254) (1,504,997) 629,968
Operating profit		4,374,837	2,957,532
Foreign exchange gain	9	344,119	1,913,258
		4,718,956	4,870,790
Finance income Finance cost	10 10	1,262,045 (126,261)	364,271 (19,808)
Finance income - net	10	1,135,784	344,463
Profit before taxation		5,854,740	5,215,253
Income tax expense	11	(1,739,598)	(1,415,860)
Profit for the year		4,115,142	3,799,393
Other comprehensive income Items that will not be reclassified to profit or loss: Remeasurement gain on employee benefit obligation Deferred tax expenses on remeasurement gain on employee benefit obligation	20.2 21	64,259 (19,278)	419,983 (123,745)
Other comprehensive income for the year-net of tax		44,981	296,238
Total comprehensive income for the year – net of tax		4,160,123 === <b>=</b> ====	4,095,631 =======
Earnings per share (EPS)			
Basic and diluted EPS (Naira)	12	8.23	7.60

The notes on pages 16 to 51 are an integral part of these financial statements.

#### Beta Glass Plc

#### Statement of financial position

As at 31 December 2017

	ι. Έ	31 December	31 December
	Notes	2017 N'000	2016 N'000
Assets	Hotes		
Non-current assets			
Property, plant and equipment	14	11,867,361	10,518,406
Intangible assets	15	10,086	14,868
		11,877,447	10,533,274
Current assets			1 212 669
Inventories	16	5,025,216	4,210,668
Trade and other receivables	17	14,377,983	10,392,071
Cash in hand and at bank	18	6,930,967	8,054,658
		26,334,166	22,657,398
Total assets		38,211,613	33,190,672
Liabilities			
Non-current liabilities	20	2,674,723	2,401,301
Employee benefit obligation	20	1,348,823	2,317,408
Deferred taxation liabilities	21	1,340,023	
		4,023,546	4,718,709
Current liabilities			
Borrowings	19	762,862	181,018
Trade and other payables	22	5,282,427	5,348,226
Current income tax liabilities	23	2,940,618	1,422,569
Dividend payable	24	57,043	45,186
		9,042,950	6,996,999
Total liabilities		13,066,496	11,715,708
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Equity Jacuad abara conital	25	249,986	249,986
Issued share capital	25	312,847	312,847
Share premium	25 26	2,429,942	2,429,942
Other reserves	20	22,152,339	18,482,189
Retained earnings	2/	22,102,009	
Total equity		25,145,114	21,474,964
Total equity and liabilities		38,211,613	33,190,672

The notes on pages 16 to 37 are an integral part of these financial statements

The financial statements on pages 12 to 37 were approved and authorised for issue by the board of directors on 22 March 2018 and were signed on its behalf by:

Mr. Abimbola Ogunhanjo Chairman FRC/2013/NBA/0000004358

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Mr. Darren Bennett-Voci

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# BETA GLASS PLC STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN EQUITY FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2017

	lssued share capital N'000	Share premium N'000	Other reserves N'000	Retained earnings N'000	Total N'000
At 1 January 2016	249,986	312,847	2,429,942	14,585,350	17,578,125
Profit for the year Other comprehensive income for the year - net of tax		1	1 1 1	3,799,393 296,238	3,799,393 296,238
Total comprehensive income for the year - net of tax				4,095,631	4,095,631
Transaction with owners: Dividend paid (Note 24) Statute barred dividend returned (Note 27)			, I   	(199,989) 1,197	(199,989) 1,197
Total transaction with owners		-	-	(198,792)	(198,792)
At 31 December 2016	249,986 ======	312,847 ======	2,429,942 ========	18,482,189 ========	21,474,964 =======
At 1 January 2017	249,986	312,847	2,429,942	18,482,189	21,474,964
Profit for the year Other comprehensive income for the year - net of tax	6 6   		9 1 1	4,115,142 44,981	4,115,142 44,981
Total comprehensive income for the year - net of tax	L 3 1 1 2 8 8	1		4,160,123	4,160,123
Transaction with owners: Dividend paid (Note 24) Statute barred dividend returned		1 1 1	• 1 6	(489,973) -	(489,973) -
Total transaction with owners	•	r		(489,973)	(489,973)
At 31 December 2017	249,986	312,847 ======	2,429,942 ======	22,152,339 =======	25,145,114 =======

The notes on pages 16 to 51 are an integral part of these financial statements.

# BETA GLASS PLC STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2017

	Notes	31 December 2017 N'000	31 December 2016 N'000
<b>Cash flows from operating activities</b> Cash generated from operations Tax paid Employee benefits paid	28 23 20.1	2,445,382 (1,198,212) (170,626)	3,527,581 (226,645) (218,954)
Net cash generated from operating activities		1,076,544	3,081,982
Cash flows from investing activities Purchase of property, plant and equipment Proceeds from disposal of property, plant and	14	(3,569,876) 91,245	(1,034,048) 2,480
equipment Interest received	10.1	1,262,045	364,271
Net cash used in investing activities		(2,216,586)	(667,297)
Cash flows from financing activities Proceeds from short term borrowings Repayment of term borrowing Interest paid Dividend paid Statute barred dividend returned Non-statute barred dividend returned/ (paid)	19 19 10.2 24 27 24	762,862 (181,018) (126,261) (489,973) - - 11,857	181,018 (151,539) (19,808) (199,989) 1,197 (3,271)
Net cash used in financing activities		(22,532)	(192,392)
Net (decrease)/ increase in cash and cash equivalents Effect of exchange rate changes on cash and cash		(1,162,574)	2,222,293
equivalents Cash and cash equivalents at 1 January	18	38,883 8,054,658	4,001,802
Cash and cash equivalents at 31 December	18	6,930,967 =======	8,054,658 =======

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#### NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

#### 1. General information

Beta Glass Plc (the Company) manufactures, distributes and sells glass bottles and containers for the leading soft drinks, breweries, wine and spirit, pharmaceutical and cosmetics companies. The Company has manufacturing plants in Agbara Ogun state and in Ughelli Delta state. Beta Glass Plc exports to three countries namely: Cameroun, Ghana and Liberia.

The Company is a public limited company, which is listed on the Nigerian Stock Exchange and incorporated and domiciled in Nigeria. The address of its registered office is Iddo House, Iddo, Lagos State, Nigeria. P.O. Box 159.

Beta Glass PIc is a subsidiary of Frigoglass Industries Nigeria Limited (the parent company) which holds 61.9% of the ordinary shares of the company. The ultimate controlling party is Frigoglass S.A.I.C. Athens.

#### 2 Summary of significant accounting policies

#### 2.1 Basis of preparation

These financial statements is the stand alone financial statements of the Company.

The financial statements have been prepared in accordance with International Financial Reporting Standards (IFRSs), including International Accounting Standards (IAS) and interpretations issued by the International Financial Reporting Interpretations Committee (IFRIC). Further standards may be issued by the International Accounting Standards Board (IASB) and may be subject to interpretations issued by the IFRIC.

The preparation of financial statements in conformity with IFRS requires the use of certain critical accounting estimates. It also requires the Directors to exercise judgement in the process of applying the Company's accounting policies. Changes in assumptions may have a significant impact on the financial statements in the period the assumptions changed. The Directors believes that the underlying assumptions are appropriate and that the Company's financial statements therefore present the financial position and results fairly. The areas involving a higher degree of judgement or complexity, or areas where assumptions and estimates are significant to the financial statements, are disclosed in Note 4.

The financial statements comprise the statement of financial position, statement of Profit or Loss and other comprehensive income, statement of changes in equity, statement of cash flows and notes to the financial statements.

The financial statements were authorised for issue by the Board of Directors on 22 March 2018.

The financial statements have been prepared using a rounding level of N1000.

#### NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS - Continued

#### 2.1.1 Going concern

The company's management has made an assessment of its ability to continue as a going concern and is satisfied that it has the resources to continue in business for the foreseeable future. Furthermore, management is not aware of any material uncertainties that may cast significant doubt upon the Company's ability to continue as a going concern. Therefore, the financial statements is continue to be prepared on the going concern basis.

#### 2.1.2 Changes in accounting policy and disclosure

(a) New standards, amendments and interpretations adopted by the Company The following standards have been adopted by the Company for the first time for the financial year beginning on or after 1 January 2017:

(i) Amendments to IAS 7 Statements of Cash Flows: "Disclosure Initiative". The amendments require an entity to provide disclosures that enable users of financial statement to evaluate changes in liabilities arising from financing activities, including both changes arising from cash flows and non-cash changes. The amendments are effective from 1 January 2017.

(ii) Amendments to IAS 12 Income Taxes: "Recognition of Deferred Tax Assets for Unrealised Losses". The amendments clarify the accounting for deferred tax assets for unrealised losses on debt instruments measured at fair value (e.g. investment in bonds classified as available-for-sale financial assets or measured at fair value through OCI (FVTOC) under IFRS 9). In this regard, deferred tax asset should be computed for unrealised losses on such debt instruments regardless of how the debt instrument is realised (held to collect cash flows or sale). Also, the amendments clarify that an entity needs to consider whether tax law restricts the sources of taxable profits against which it may make deductions on the reversal of that deductible temporary difference. Furthermore, the amendments provide guidance on how an entity should determine future taxable profits and explain the circumstances in which taxable profit may include the recovery of some assets for more than their carrying amount. The amendments are effective from 1 January 2017.

(iii) Annual Improvements Cycle - 2014 - 2016 Amendments to IFRS 12 Disclosure of Interests in Other Entities: Clarification of the scope of disclosure requirements in IFRS 12. These amendments clarify the scope of the disclosure requirements in IFRS 12. The amendments require that the disclosure requirements in IFRS 12 (other than those in paragraphs B10 -B16 relating to the presentation of summarised financial information) apply to interest in a subsidiary, a joint venture or an associate that is classified (or included in a disposal group that is classified) as held for sale.

The adoption of these amendments did not have any impact on the amounts recognised in prior periods. The amendments will also not affect the current periods.

# (b) New standards, amendments and interpretations not yet adopted

A number of new standards, amendments to standards and interpretations are effective for annual periods beginning after 1 January 2018 and beyond, and have not been applied in preparing these financial statements. None of these is expected to have a significant effect on the financial statements of the Company, except the following set out below:

# NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS - Continued

2.1.2 Changes in accounting policy and disclosure (continued)

#### (i) IFRS 9

The Company plans to adopt the new standard on the required effective date and will not restate comparative information. During 2017, the company has performed a detailed impact assessment of all three aspects of IFRS 9. This assessment is based on currently available information and may be subject to changes arising from further reasonable and supportable information being made available to the company in 2018 when the company will adopt IFRS 9. Overall, the company expects no impact on its statement of financial position and equity except for the effect of applying the impairment requirements of IFRS 9. The company expects an increase in the loss allowance but with no significant impact on equity as discussed below. In addition, the Company will implement changes in classification of certain financial instruments.

#### (a) Classification and measurement

The Company does not expect a significant impact on its statement of financial position or equity on applying the classification and measurement requirements of IFRS 9. It expects to continue measuring at fair value all financial assets currently held at fair value. The company will apply the option to present fair value changes in OCI, and, therefore, the application of IFRS 9 will not have a significant impact Loans as well as trade receivables are held to collect contractual cash flows and are expected to give rise to cash flows representing solely payments of principal and interest (SPPI). The Company analysed the contractual cash flow characteristics of those instruments and concluded that they meet the criteria for amortised cost measurement under IFRS 9. Therefore, reclassification for these instruments is not required.

#### (b) Impairment

IFRS 9 requires the company to record expected credit losses on all of its debt securities, loans and trade receivables, either on a 12-month or lifetime basis. The company will apply the simplified approach and record lifetime expected losses on all trade receivables. The company has determined that, due to the unsecured nature of its receivables, the loss allowance will increase by N2,115,000 with impact of 0.02% on profit or loss and 0.003% on Retained earnings respectively.

#### (ii) IFRS 15

The Company is in the business of manufacture and sale of glassware. The sale of bottles is based on Ex-works prices only agreed with the customers. Haulage services are provided to the Customers through third party service providers to customers as an option. The sale of bottles and haulage services for delivery of bottles are distinct and have no bearing on each other, and are negotiated separately. Further the consideration to be paid in one contract does not depend on the price or performance of other contract. Goods or services promised in the separate contracts are not a single performance obligation.

#### Sale of goods

Glass bottles is a distinct performance obligation because (a) the customer can benefit from the goods on their own or together with other resources readily available (b) the goods are not highly dependent on, or highly interrelated with, other promised goods or services in the contract and adoption of IFRS 15 is not expected to have any significant impact on the Company's revenue and profit or loss.

#### Variable consideration

Rebates constitute variable consideration and are allocated to the single performance obligation affected (i.e. sale of Glass Bottles).

Rebates are granted to few customers for glass bottles sales on agreed basis according to the level of purchases of glass bottles. In every reporting period the entity accrues for the variable consideration based on the level of actual purchases. Thus, (a) there is relevant experience as the specific rebate is granted to customers every year, (b) no reversal in the future is expected as the rebate is based on actual purchases by customers.

#### **NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS - Continued**

#### 2.1.2 Changes in accounting policy and disclosure (continued)

Determination of transaction price

Under IAS 18, the Company records an accrual (IS: reducing revenue, SFP: Other creditors) in respect of rebates at every qualified customers purchases. Under IFRS 15, Revenue recognized / transaction price should be reduced by the rebate amount for the period (i.e. reducing the transaction price to be allocated in the separate performance obligations). There is no impact of IFRS 15 adoption as the company's current practice is in line with IFRS 15.

#### Revenue Recognition

Revenue from the sale of Glass bottles is recognized at a point in time i.e. at the time that customers receives the goods at a point in time, based on the following indicators:

(a) The company has the right to payment, at a point in time

- (b) transferred the legal title,
- (c) transferred physical possession,
- (d) transferred risks and rewards of ownership, EXW

No significant instances of loss or damage in transit.

Revenue is recognized by the Company upon transfer of possession of goods but not necessarily acceptance by customers. IFRS 15 requires transfer of control and acceptance by customer as one of the conditions for revenue recognition. Impact of IFRS 15 adoption on 2017 financials is 0.5% of total annual revenue and 0.09% on Retained Earnings

IFRS 16 'Leases' was issued in January 2016. It will result in almost all leases being recognised on the statement of financial position, as the distinction between operating and finance leases is removed. Under the new standard, an asset (the right to use the leased item) and a financial liability to pay rentals are recognised. The only exceptions are short-term and low-value leases. The accounting for lessors will not significantly change. The standard is effective for accounting periods beginning on or after 1 January 2019. The company is yet to assess the impact of IFRS 16.

There are no other IFRSs or IFRIC interpretations that are not yet effective that would be expected to have a material impact on the Company in the current or future reporting period and on foreseeable future transactions.

#### 2.2 Segment reporting

Operating segment is reported in a manner consistent with the internal reporting provided to the chief operating decision maker. The chief operating decision maker, who is responsible for allocating resources and assessing performance of the operating segment, has been identified as the Board of Directors of Beta Glass Plc. The Company's reportable segment has been identified on a product basis as glass bottles. Beta Glass Plc is a one segment business.

# NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS - Continued

#### 2.3 Foreign currency translation

#### (a) Functional and presentation currency

Items included in the financial statements of the company are measured using the currency of the primary economic environment in which the entity operates ('the functional currency'). The functional currency and presentation currency of Beta Glass PLC is the Nigerian naira (N).

#### (b) Transactions and balances

Foreign currency transactions are translated into the functional currency using the exchange rates prevailing at the dates of the transactions. Foreign exchange gains and losses resulting from the settlement of foreign currency transactions and from the translation at the reporting date at exchange rates of monetary assets and liabilities denominated in currencies other than the company's functional currency are recognized in the foreign exchange gain or loss in the profit or loss.

#### 2.4 Property, plant and equipment

All property, plant and equipment are stated at historical cost less depreciation and impairment. Historical cost includes expenditure that is directly attributable to the acquisition of the items.

Subsequent costs are included in the asset's carrying amount or recognised as a separate asset, as appropriate, only when it is probable that future economic benefits associated with the item will flow to the company and the cost can be measured reliably. All other repairs and maintenance costs including costs of property, plant and equipment below N50,000 are charged to profit or loss during the financial period in which they are incurred.

Land and assets under construction are not depreciated. Depreciation on other assets is calculated using the straight line method to allocate their cost or revalued amounts to their residual values over their estimated useful lives, as follows:

Building	3%
Plant and machinery:	
- Factory equipment and tools	10%
- Quarry equipment and machinery	20%
- Glass moulds	50%
- Other plant and machinery	10%
Furnaces	14%
Motor vehicles	20%
Furniture, fittings and equipment:	
- Office and house equipment	15%
- Household furniture and fittings	20%
- Computer equipment	25%

The assets' residual values and useful lives are reviewed and adjusted if appropriate, at the end of each reporting date.

In the case where an asset's carrying amount is greater than its estimated recoverable amount, it is written down immediately to its recoverable amount and the difference (impairment loss) is recorded as expense in profit or loss.

Gains and losses on disposal of property, plant and equipment are determined by the difference between the sales proceeds and the carrying amount of the asset. These gains and losses are included in profit or loss.

# NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS - Continued

2.4 Property, plant and equipment - Continued

Interest costs on borrowings specifically used to finance the acquisition of property, plant and equipment are capitalized during the period of time required to prepare and complete the asset for its intended use. Other borrowing costs are recorded in the profit or loss as expenses. There have been no qualifying assets in both periods presented in the financial statements.

#### 2.5 Intangible assets

#### Computer software

Capitalized software licenses are acquired and carried at acquisition cost less accumulated amortization, less any accumulated impairment. They are amortized using the straight-line method over five (5) years. Computer software maintenance costs are recognized as expenses in the profit or loss as incurred.

Costs associated with maintaining computer software programmes are recognised as an expense as incurred.

2.6 Impairment of non-financial assets

Assets that have an indefinite useful life not subject to amortisation are tested annually for impairment. Assets that are subject to amortisation are reviewed for impairment whenever events or changes in circumstances indicate that the carrying amount may not be recoverable. An impairment loss is recognised for the amount by which the asset's carrying amount exceeds its recoverable amount. The recoverable amount is the higher of an asset's fair value less costs to sell and value in use. For the purposes of assessing impairment, assets are grouped at the lowest levels for which there are separately identifiable cash flows (cash-generating units).

#### 2.7 Financial assets

Financial assets are recognized when the company becomes a party to the contractual provisions of the instrument.

#### 2.7.1 Classification

Management determines the classification of its financial assets at initial recognition.

The Company classifies its financial assets in the following categories: fair value through profit or loss, loans and receivables, and available for sale financial assets. The classification depends on the purpose for which the financial assets were acquired. Management determines the classification of its financial assets at initial recognition and re-evaluates this designation at every reporting date.

The Company did not own any financial assets that can be classified as fair value through profit or loss or available-for-sale financial assets during the periods presented in these financial statements.

#### Loans and receivables

Loans and receivables are non-derivative financial assets with fixed or determinable payments that are not quoted in an active market. They are included in current assets, except for maturities greater than 12 months after the reporting date, which are classified as non-current assets. Loans and receivables comprise trade and other receivables and cash in hand and at bank in the statement of financial position.

# NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS - Continued

# 2.7.2 Recognition and measurement

Loans and receivables are initially recognised at fair value and subsequently they are carried at amortised cost using the effective interest method.

#### 2.7.3 Impairment of financial assets

The Company assesses at each reporting date whether there is objective evidence that a financial asset or a group of financial assets is impaired. A financial asset or a group of financial assets is impaired and impairment losses are incurred only if there is objective evidence of impairment as a result of an event that occurred after the initial recognition of the asset and that loss event has an impact on the estimated future cash flows of the financial asset or group of financial assets that can be reliably estimated.

Evidence of impairment may include indications that the debtor is experiencing financial difficulty, default in interest or principal payments, or the probability that they will enter bankruptcy and where there is an indication of a decrease in the estimated future cash flows.

For loans and receivables, the amount of the loss is measured as the difference between the carrying amount and the present value of the estimated future cash flows. The carrying amount is reduced and the loss is recognised in profit or loss.

If in a subsequent period, the amount of the impairment loss decreases and the decrease can be related objectively to an event occurring after the impairment was recognised (such as an improvement in the debtor's credit rating), the reversal of the previously recognised impairment loss is recognised in profit or loss.

2.8 Financial liabilities

Financial liabilities are at amortized cost. This include trade and other payables and borrowings.

#### Recognition and measurement

Trade payables are initially recognized at the amount required to be paid, less, when material, a discount to reduce the payables to fair value. Subsequently, trade payables are measured at amortized cost using the effective interest method.

Bank debts are recognized initially at fair value, net of any transaction costs incurred, and subsequently at amortized cost using the effective interest method. These are classified as current liabilities if payment is due within twelve months. Otherwise, they are presented as non-current liabilities.

# 2.9 Derecognition of financial instruments

Financial assets and liabilities are derecognised when the rights to receive cash flows from the investments or settle obligations have expired or have been transferred and the Company has transferred substantially all risks and rewards of ownership.

# 2.9.1 Offsetting financial instruments

Financial assets and liabilities are offset and the net amount reported in the statement of financial position when there is a legally enforceable right to offset the recognised amounts and there is an intention to settle on a net basis or realise the asset and settle the liability simultaneously. The legally enforceable right must not be contingent on future events and must be enforceable in the normal course of business and in the event of default, insolvency or bankruptcy of the company or the counterparty.

#### NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS - Continued

#### 2.10 Inventories

Inventories are recorded at the lower of cost and net realisable value. Net realizable value is the estimated selling price in the ordinary course of business, less any applicable selling expenses.

The cost of finished goods and work in progress is determined using the first-in, first-out (FIFO) method and comprises raw materials, direct labour, other direct costs and related production overheads (based on normal operating capacity), incurred in bringing inventory to its present location and condition.

The cost of engineering spares and raw materials is determined using the weighted average method.

Allowance is made for excessive, obsolete and slow moving items. Write-downs to net realizable value and inventory losses are expensed in the period in which the write-downs or losses occur.

#### 2.11 Trade receivables

Trade receivables are recognized initially at fair value and subsequently measured at amortised cost using the effective interest method less provision for impairment. A provision for impairment for trade receivables is established when there is objective evidence that the Company will not be able to collect all the amounts due according to the original terms of the receivables. Significant financial difficulties of the debtor, probability that the debtor will enter bankruptcy or financial reorganization, and default or delinquency in payments are considered indicators that the trade receivable is impaired.

The amount of the provision is the difference between the assets' carrying amount and the recoverable amount. The recoverable amount, if the receivable is more than one year is equal to the present value of expected cash flows, discounted at the market rate of interest applicable to similar borrowers. The amount of the provision is recognized as an expense in profit or loss.

Subsequent recoveries of amounts previously written off are credited against administrative expenses in profit or loss.

#### 2.12 Cash and cash equivalents

Cash in hand and at bank on the statement of financial position include cash at hand and at bank and deposits held at call with banks. Bank overdrafts are included within borrowings in current liabilities on the statement of financial position while Bank overdraft is included in Cash and Cash equivalent on the statement of Cash flow.

#### 2.13 Borrowings

Borrowings are recognized initially at fair value, as the proceeds received, net of any transaction cost incurred. Borrowings are subsequently recorded at amortized cost. Finance charges, including premiums payable on settlement or redemption and direct issue costs, are accounted in profit or loss using the effective interest method and are added to the carrying amount of the instrument to the extent they are not settled in the period in which they arise.

#### NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS - Continued

#### 2.13 Borrowings - Continued

#### (a) Borrowing cost

General and specific borrowing costs directly attributable to the acquisition, construction, or production of qualifying assets, which are assets that necessarily take a substantial period of time to get ready for their intended use or sale are added to the cost of those assets, until such a time as the assets are substantially ready for their intended use or sale.

All other borrowing costs are recognised in profit or loss in the period in which they are incurred.

No borrowing costs were capitalised in 2017 (2016: Nil) as there were no qualifying assets.

#### 2.14 Trade payables

Trade payables are obligations to pay for goods or services that have been acquired in the ordinary course of business from suppliers. Trade payables are classified as current liabilities if payment is within one year or less. Otherwise, they are classified as non-current liabilities.

Trade payables are recognised initially at fair value and subsequently measured at amortised cost using the effective interest method.

#### 2.15.1 Current income tax

The tax for the period comprises current, education and deferred tax. Tax is recognised in profit or loss, except to the extent that it relates to items recognised in other comprehensive income or directly in equity. In this case the tax is recognised in other comprehensive income or directly in equity, respectively.

The tax currently payable is based on taxable profit for the year. Taxable profit differs from net profit as reported in profit or loss because it excludes items of income or expense that are taxable or deductible in other years and it further excludes items that are never taxable or deductible. The Company's liability for current tax is calculated using tax rates that have been enacted or substantively enacted at the reporting date.

#### 2.15.2 Deferred tax

Deferred tax is the tax expected to be payable or recoverable on differences between the carrying amounts of assets and liabilities in the financial statements and the corresponding tax bases used in the computation of taxable profit, and is accounted for using the liability method. Deferred tax liabilities are generally recognised for all taxable temporary differences and deferred tax assets are recognised to the extent that it is probable that taxable profits will be available against which deductible temporary differences can be utilised. Such assets and liabilities are not recognised if the temporary difference arises from goodwill or from the initial recognition (other than in a business combination) of other assets and liabilities in a transaction that affects neither the tax profit nor the accounting profit.

The carrying amount of deferred tax assets is reviewed at each reporting date and reduced to the extent that it is no longer probable that sufficient taxable profits will be available to allow all or part of the asset to be recovered. Deferred tax is calculated at the tax rates that are expected to apply in the period when the liability is settled or the asset is realised. Deferred tax is charged or credited to profit or loss, except when it relates to items charged or credited to other comprehensive income or equity, in which case the deferred tax is also dealt with in other comprehensive income or equity.

Deferred tax assets and liabilities are offset when there is a legally enforceable right to set off current tax assets against current tax liabilities and when they relate to income taxes levied by the same taxation authority and the Company intends to settle its current tax liabilities on a net basis. Deferred tax assets and liabilities are presented as non-current in the statement of financial position.

# NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS - Continued

2.16 Employee benefit obligation

The Company operates both the defined benefit (gratuity) and defined contribution pension plans for its employees.

A defined contribution plan is a pension plan under which the company pays fixed contributions into a separate entity. The company has no legal or constructive obligations to pay further contributions if the fund does not hold sufficient assets to pay all employees the benefits relating to employee service in the current and prior periods.

Typically defined benefit plans define an amount of pension benefit that an employee will receive on retirement, usually dependent on one or more factors such as age, years of service and compensation.

The liability recognised in the statement of financial position in respect of defined benefit gratuity plan is the present value of the defined benefit obligation at the end of the reporting period less the fair value of plan assets. The defined benefit obligation is calculated annually by independent actuaries using the projected unit credit method. The present value of the defined benefit obligation is determined by discounting the estimated future cash outflows using interest rates of Federal Government of Nigeria bonds.

The current service cost of the defined benefit gratuity plan is recognised in the statement of comprehensive income in employee benefit expense, except where included in the cost of an asset, reflects the increase in the defined benefit obligation resulting from employee service in the current year, benefit changes curtailments and settlements.

Past-service costs are recognised immediately in income.

The net interest cost is calculated by applying the discount rate to the net balance of the defined benefit obligation and the fair value of plan assets. This cost is included in employee benefit expense in the statement of comprehensive income.

Actuarial gains and losses arising from experience adjustments and changes in actuarial assumptions are charged or credited to equity in other comprehensive income in the period in which they arise.

For defined contribution plans, the company pays contributions to publicly or privately administered pension insurance plans on a mandatory, contractual or voluntary basis. The company has no further payment obligations once the contributions have been paid. The contributions are recognised as employee benefit expense when they are due. Prepaid contributions are recognised as an asset to the extent that a cash refund or a reduction in the future payments is available.

#### 2.17 Export expansion grant

Export expansion grants (EEG) from the government are recognized at fair value when there is a reasonable assurance that the grant will be received and the Company has complied with all attached conditions.

# NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS - Continued

# 2.17 Export expansion grant - Continued

The following conditions must be met by the Company in order to receive the EEG:

- The Company must be registered with the Nigerian Export promotion Council (NEPC)

- The Company must have a minimum annual export turnover of N5 million and evidence of repatriation of proceeds of exports.

- The Company shall submit its baseline data which includes audited Financial Statements and information on operational capacity to NEPC.

- An eligible company shall be a manufacturer, producer or merchant of products of Nigerian origin for the export market (i.e. the products must be made in Nigeria).

- Qualifying export transaction must have the proceeds fully repatriated within 300 days, calculated from the date of export and as approved by the EEG Implementation Committee.

#### 2.18 Revenue recognition

Revenue comprises the fair value for the sale of goods and services net of value-added tax, rebates and discounts.

Revenue is measured at the fair value of the consideration received or receivable and represents amounts receivable for goods supplied stated net of discounts, returns and value added taxes.

#### Sales of goods

Sales of glass bottles arises from both domestic and foreign sales to third parties. Revenue from the sale of goods is recognized when the significant risks and rewards of owning the goods are transferred to the buyer. Where goods are picked up by customers, risk is transferred immediately. Where goods are delivered, Beta Glass bears the risk in transit and the risk transfers when the goods are delivered. For export sales, risk and rewards transfer when goods are loaded on the vessel.

#### 2.19 Provisions

A provision is recognised if, as a result of a past event, the Company has a present legal or constructive obligation that can be estimated reliably, and it is probable that an outflow of economic benefits will be required to settle the obligation. Provisions are determined by discounting the expected future cash flows at a pre-tax rate that reflects current market assessments of the time value of money and the risks specific to the liability. The unwinding of the discount is recognised as finance cost.

#### 2.20 Dividend distribution

Dividend distribution to the Company's shareholders is recognised as a liability in the financial statements in the period in which the dividends are approved by the Company's shareholders.

#### 3.1 Financial risk factors

The Company's business activities expose it to a variety of financial risks: market risk (including foreign exchange, interest rate and price), credit risk and liquidity risk. The objective of the Company's risk management programme is to minimise potential adverse impacts on the Company's financial performance.

Risk management is carried out in line with policies approved by the board of directors. The board provides written principles for overall risk management, as well as set the overall risk appetite for the Company. Specific risk management approaches are defined for respective risks such as foreign exchange risk, interest rate risk, credit risk, and investment of excess liquidity. The Company's overall risk management program seeks to minimize potential adverse effects on the Company's financial performance.

# NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS - Continued

#### 3.1 Financial risk factors - Continued

Risk management is the responsibility of the Treasury manager, which aims to effectively manage the financial risk of Beta Glass Plc, according to the policies approved by the Board of Directors. The treasury manager identifies and monitors financial risk. The Board provides principles for overall risk management, as well as policies covering specific areas such as foreign exchange, interest rates and credit risks, use of financial instruments and investment of excess liquidity.

The Company's financial instruments consist of trade and other receivables and trade and other payables, borrowings, cash in hand and at bank.

#### (a) Market risk

#### (i) Foreign exchange risk

The Company is exposed to foreign exchange risks from some of its commercial transactions and recognised assets. The Company buys and imports some of the raw materials used for production, the payments for which are made in US Dollars. Receipts for sales of finished goods in Nigeria are in Naira whilst receipts for sales of finished goods to countries such as Cameroon, Ghana and Liberia are in US dollars. The Company makes payments and collects receipts primarily in Nigerian Naira. Periodically however, receipts and payments are made in other currencies, mostly in the US dollar.

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2017

Management's approach to managing foreign exchange risk is to hold foreign currency bank accounts which act as a natural hedge for these transactions.

The Company's exposure to US Dollar (USD) is as follows:

	2017	2016
	USD'000	USD'000
Financial assets Cash in hand and at bank Trada raceivables	9,364 827	18,523 2,125
Trade receivables		
	10,191	20,648
Financial liabilities	2,498	593
Borrowings Trade payables	4,874	2,487
Related parties payable	-	53
	7,372	3,133
	2 010	17,514
Net amount	2,819	17,514 =====
For the blairs of the Componiels roculty		
Effects in Naira on the Company's result:	2017 N'000	2016 N'000
15 percent strengthening of the Naira to USD	(128,973)	(801,278)
		=======
15 percent weakening of the Naira to USD	128,973	801,278
		=======
	2017	2016
Reporting date spot rate of 1USD to Naira (N)	305	305
	====	====

# NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS - Continued

#### 3.1 Financial risk factors - Continued

The above analysis is based on foreign currency exchange rate variances that the Company considered to be reasonably possible at the end of the reporting period but it has no impact on equity. The analysis assumes that all other variables remain constant.

#### (ii) Price risk

The Company is not exposed to price risk as it does not hold any equity instruments.

#### (iii) Interest rate risk

The Company's interest rate risk arises from borrowings. Borrowings are issued at floating rates exposing the Company to cash flow interest rate risk which is partially offset by cash held at variable rates. The Company's policy on managing interest rate risk is to negotiate favourable terms with the banks to reduce the impact of exposure to this risk and to obtain competitive rates for loans and for deposits. The Company had short term borrowing as at 31 December 2017 and 2016 which have fixed interest rate.

	Increase/decrease	Effect on profit
Interest rate sensitivity	in basis point	before tax
2017		N'000
US Dollar	+1	319
Euro	+1	261
US Dollar	-1	(319)
Euro	-1	(261)
2016		
US Dollar	+1	130
US Dollar	-1	(130)

#### (b) Credit risk

Credit risk is the risk that a counterparty will default on its contractual obligations resulting in financial loss to the Company. The Company is exposed to credit risk from cash and cash equivalents as well as credit exposures to customers, including outstanding receivables and committed transactions.

The Company uses policies to ensure that sales of products are to customers with appropriate credit history. The granting of credit is controlled by credit limits and the application of certain terms of sale. The continuous credit worthiness of the existing customers is monitored periodically based on history of performance of the obligations and settlement of their debt. Appropriate provision for impairment losses is made for specific credit risks. At the year end, Beta Glass Plc considered that there were no material credit risks that had not been covered by doubtful debt provisions.

No credit limits on cash amounts were exceeded during the reporting period and management does not expect any losses from non-performance by these counterparties. None of the counterparties renegotiated their terms in the reporting period.

The maximum exposure to credit risk for trade receivables approximates the amount recognized on the statement of financial position. The Company does not hold any collateral as security.

# NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS - Continued

# 3.1 Financial risk factors - Continued

The table below analyses the Company's financial assets into relevant maturity groupings as at the reporting date.

31 December 2017	Neither past due nor	Up to 90	91 - 150	Over	
Financial assets:	impaired N'000	days N'000	days N'000	150 days N'000	Total N'000
Cash in hand and at bank (Note 18)	6,930,967	-	-	-	6,930,967
Trade receivables (Note 17) Receivables from related	3,243,344	1,516,543	90,456	8,149	4,858,492
parties (Note 17) Staff advances (Note 17)	6,298,055 138,281	107,353	2,318	-	6,407,726 138,281
	16,610,647	1,623,896	92,774 ======	8,149	18,335,466 ======
31 December 2016					
Financial assets:	Neither past due nor impaired N'000	Up to 90 days N'000	91 - 150 days N'000	Over 150 days N'000	Total N'000
Cash in hand and at bank (Note 18)	8,054,658	-	-	-	8,054,658
Trade receivables (Note 17)	2,195,976	921,055	45,814	-	3,162,845
Receivables from related parties (Note 17) Staff advances (Note 17)	4,089,873 119,189	56,818 -	-	-	4,146,691 119,189
					15,483,383

Receivables from related parties and Staff advances are from counterparties with no risk of default.

An analysis of the international long term credit ratings of counterparties where cash and shortterm deposits are held is as follows:

	2017	2016
Credit rating	N'000	N'000
B+	23,804	20,948
ĀĀĀ	6,907,153	8,033,698
AA+	10	12
	6,930,967	8,054,658
	=======	

# NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS - Continued

#### 3.1 Financial risk factors - Continued

The credit ratings is by Fitch and below are the interpretations of the ratings

B+: Financial condition of the bank is weak but obligations still met as and when due. The bank has more than one major weakness and may require external support which may not be assured. Adverse changes in the environment (macro-economic, political and regulatory) will increase risk significantly. The plus sign indicates that the rating may be raised.

AAA: A financial institution of very good condition and strong capacity to meet its obligations as and when due. Adverse changes in the environment (macro-economic, political and regulatory) will result in a slight increase the risk attributable to an exposure to this financial institution. However, financial condition and ability to meet obligations as at when due remain strong.

AA+: A financial institution of good condition and strong capacity to meet its obligations with expectations of very low default risk. It indicates very strong capacity for payment of financial commitments. This capacity is not significantly vulnerable to foreseeable events. The plus sign indicates that the rating may be raised.

#### (c) Liquidity risk

Liquidity risk is the risk that the Company will not be able to meet its financial obligations as they fall due. Liquidity risk is managed by maintaining sufficient cash reserves to meet operational needs at all times so that the Company does not breach borrowing limit. The Company manages liquidity risk by effective working capital and cash flow management.

Beta Glass PIc invests its surplus cash in interest bearing current accounts. At the reporting date the Company had N3.7 billion in interest bearing current accounts.

The table below analyses the Company's financial liabilities into relevant maturity based on the remaining period at the reporting date to the contractual maturity date. The amounts disclosed in the table are the contractual undiscounted cash flows.

	Less than	Between 1 and 2	Between 2	
At 31 December 2017	1 year N'000	years N'000	and 5 years N'000	Total N'000
Financial liabilities: Trade and other payables excluding				
transaction taxes (Note 22) Borrowings (Note 19)	5,039,710 762,862	-	-	5,039,710 762,862
Borrowings (Note 19)				
	5,802,572 =======	-	-====	5,802,572 ======
	Less than	Between 1 and 2	Between 2	
At 31 December 2016 Financial liabilities:	1 year	years	and 5 years	Total
Trade and other payables excluding				
transaction taxes (Note 22)	5,106,449	-	-	5,106,449
Borrowings (Note 19)	181,018	-	-	181,018
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	5,287,467	-		5,287,467
	=======	=====	=====	

# NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS - Continued

#### 3.2 Capital risk management

The objective in managing capital is to safeguard the Company's ability to continue as a going concern in order to maximise returns for shareholders and benefits for other stakeholders as well as maintaining the optimal capital structure to reduce the cost of capital.

In order to maintain or adjust the capital structure, the Company may adjust the amount of dividends paid to shareholders, capital returned to shareholders, new shares issued, or debt raised.

Consistent with others in the industry, the Company monitors capital on a monthly basis using the gearing ratio. This ratio is calculated as net debt divided by total capital. Net debt is calculated as total borrowings. Total capital is calculated as the sum of all equity components on the statement of financial position.

The gearing ratios at 31 December 2017 and 31 December 2016 are as follows:

	2017 N'000	2016 N'000
Borrowings Trade and other payables Less: Cash in hand and at bank	762,862 5,282,427 (6,930,967)	181,018 5,348,226 (8,054,658)
Net debt	(885,678)	(2,525,414)
Total equity	25,145,114	21,474,964
Capital and net debt	24,259,436 ======	18,949,550 =======
Gearing ratio	(4%)	(13%)

# 3.3 Financial instruments which are carried at other than fair value

The carrying value of all financial assets and financial liabilities is a reasonable approximation of fair value. No further disclosure is required.

# 4 Critical accounting estimates and judgements

# Critical accounting policies and key sources of estimation uncertainty

The preparation of financial statements requires the Directors to use judgment in applying its accounting policies and estimates and assumptions about the future. Estimates and other judgments are continuously evaluated and are based on Directors experience and other factors, including expectations about future events that are believed to be reasonable under the circumstances. Significant accounting judgments and estimates made in the preparation of the financial statements is shown below.

#### Property, plant and machinery

Property, plant and machinery is depreciated over its useful life. Beta Glass PIc estimates the useful lives of plant and machinery based on the period over which the assets are expected to be available for use. The estimation of the useful lives of property, plant and machinery are based on technical evaluations carried out by those staff with knowledge of the machines and experience with similar assets. Estimates could change if expectations differ due to physical wear and tear and technical or commercial obsolescence. It is possible however, that future results of operations could be materially affected by changes in the estimates brought about by changes in factors mentioned above. The amounts and timing of expenses for any period would be affected by changes in these factors and circumstances. A reduction in the estimated useful lives of the property, plant and machinery would increase expenses and decrease the value of non-current assets.

#### NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS - Continued

# 4 Critical accounting estimates and judgements - Continued

# Export expansion grant and Negotiable duty credit certificate

Export Expansion Grant (EEG) is a very vital incentive of the Federal Government of Nigeria required for the stimulation of export oriented activities that will lead to significant growth of the non-oil export sector. Having met the eligibility criteria and registered under the scheme by the Nigerian Export Promotion Council (NEPC), the Company is entitled to a rebate on export sales in as much as it can demonstrate that the proceeds of the related sales have been repatriated to the Country within 300 (formerly 180) days of such export sales.

The rebate is recognised as a credit to cost of sales and as a receivable from the Federal Government of Nigeria (i.e. EEG receivable). As at 31 December 2017, EEG receivable stood at N1.58 billion (2016: N1.55 billion) as disclosed in Note 17.

Negotiable Duty Credit Certificate (NDCC) is the instrument of the Federal Government of Nigeria (FGN) for settlement of EEG receivable. The NDCC is used for the payment of Import and Excise duties in lieu of cash. In the last four years, the Company and other industry players have not been able to use the NDCC for settlement of customs duties. No NDCC was received by the Company in 2017 (2016: Nil). Meanwhile, Our NDCCs have been returned to FGN for proposed replacement with promissory notes as requested by NEPC. As at 31 December 2017, Unutilized NDCC stood at N1.03 billion (2016: N1.07 billion) as disclosed in Note 17.

Though, a significant component of the EEG receivable and unutilized NDCC have been outstanding for more than 1 year, no impairment charge have been recognised because they are regarded as sovereign debts. Moreover, Government have not communicated or indicated unwillingness to honour the obligations. Thus, the outstanding balances are classified as current assets accordingly.

#### Deferred tax

Deferred tax is the tax expected to be payable on differences between the carrying amounts of assets and liabilities in the financial statements and the corresponding tax bases used in the computation of taxable profit, and is accounted for using the liability method. Deferred tax liabilities are generally recognised for all taxable temporary differences. Such liabilities are not recognised if the temporary difference arises from goodwill or from the initial recognition (other than in a business combination) of other liabilities in a transaction that affects neither the tax profit nor the accounting profit. Management has calculated the deferred tax liability and deferred tax asset based on estimated amounts of underlying transactions. Actual amounts may differ from estimated balances.

#### NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS - Continued

#### 5 Segment information

IFRS 8 'Operating segments requires operating segments to be determined based on the Company's internal reporting to the Chief Operating Decision Maker ("CODM"). The CODM has been determined to be the Board of Directors which includes the Executive Directors and other key management. It is the Board of Directors that has responsibility for planning and controlling the activities of the Company.

The Company's reportable segment has been identified on a product basis as glass bottles. Beta Glass Plc is a one segment business.

Customer sales greater than 10% of sales of Beta Glass Plc:

	2017		2016	
	N'000	%	N'000	%
Customer 1	4,826,837	22%	3,181,742	17%
Customer 2	4,400,136	20%	3,947,450	21%
Customer 3	2,242,939	10%	3,165,895	17%

Revenue is generated from local and international sales. An analysis based on customer location is set out below:

	2017	2016
	N'000	N'000
Local sales	20,755,263	16,660,177
Export sales	1,430,995	2,431,015
		************
Total revenue	22,186,258	19,091,192
		=========

The Board of Directors assesses the performance of the operating segment based on profit from operations.

	2017	2016
	N'000	N'000
Operating profit	4,374,837	2,957,532
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# NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS - Continued

Revenue	31 December 2017 N'000	31 December 2016 N'000
Sales of glassware and bottles in Nigeria Export sales	20,755,263 1,430,995	16,660,177 2,431,015
	22,186,258	19,091,192 =======

Included in sales of glassware and bottles are sales to related parties of N4.4bn (2016: N3.95bn). See Note 29 for further details.

7	Expenses by nature	31 December 2017 N'000	31 December 2016 N'000
7.1	Cost of sales Material consumed Depreciation (Note 14) Technical assistance fees (Note 29) Factory salaries and wages (Note 13) Fuel, gas and electricity Other factory overheads	5,962,360 2,033,570 698,867 1,626,069 4,683,050 1,934,478	4,986,131 2,070,090 601,373 1,632,267 4,234,784 1,620,732
		16,938,395	15,145,377
7.2	Administrative expenses Depreciation and amortisation charges (Note 14 & 15) Auditors remuneration Legal and professional fees Salaries and wages (Note 13) Pension costs - defined contribution plans (Note 13) Interest on employee benefit obligation (Note 13) Current service cost of employee benefit obligation (Note 13) Directors' remuneration (Note 13) Head office administrative charge - Frigoglass Jebel Ali (Note 29) Travel and transportation Other administrative expenses	113,727 22,272 61,093 445,814 26,122 365,970 142,338 21,949 	106,024 22,272 82,159 633,063 25,701 264,864 197,656 13,611 5,351 105,385 48,914 
7.3	Selling and distribution expenses Distribution costs	97,792  97,792	113,254  113,254
	Total cost of sales, administrative expenses and distribution costs	18,429,316	16,763,628
7.4	Wages and salaries included in: Cost of sales (Note 7.1) Administrative expenses (Note 7.2)	1,626,069 445,814	633,063
		2,071,883 ==== <b>=</b> ==	2,265,330 == <b>==</b> ====

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# NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS - Continued

Other income	31 December 2017 N'000	31 December 2016 N'000
Profit on disposal of property plant and equipment Surplus on transport charges recovered from customers,	12,839	2,452
insurance claims and others	590,598	469,741
Proceed from sale of scraps	14,458	18,408
Provision no longer required	-	139,368
	617,896	629,968
	======	

Provision no longer required represents prior year provision for management service fees no longer required.

		31 December 2017 N'000	31 December 2016 N'000
9	Foreign exchange gain		
	Foreign exchange gain	344,119	1,913,258
		344,119	1,913,258 =======
10	Finance income and expenses		
10.1	Finance income Interest income	1,262,045	364,271
10.2	Finance cost Interest expense	(126,261)	(19,808)
	Net finance income	1,135,784 =======	344,463 ======
11	Income tax expense		
	Income tax Education tax Prior year over provision*	2,535,103 192,359 -	
	Net income tax for the year (Note 23)	2,727,462	710,416
	Deferred tax (credit)/ charged Prior year under provision*	(987,863)	183,032 522,412
	Net deferred tax (credit)/ charged for the year (Note 21)	(987,863)	705,444
	Income tax expense	1,739,598 === <b>=</b> ====	1,415,860

\*Prior year over/ under provision of N522,412,000 represents additional deferred tax liability in 2015 as a result of application of accelerated capital allowance of 95% on plant and machinery in the tax computation submitted to the tax authority for self -assessment filing for 2016 Year of Assessment (YOA).

### **NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS - Continued**

### 11 Income tax expense - Continued

The current tax charge has been computed at the applicable rate of 30% (2016: 30%) plus education levy of 2% (2016:2%) on the profit for the year after adjusting for certain items of expenditure and income which are not deductible or chargeable for tax purposes. Non-deductible expenses include items such as donations and certain provisions which are not allowed as a deduction by the tax authorities. Tax exempt income include income such as export profits and gain on disposal of property, plant and equipment which are not taxable.

The tax on the Company's profit before tax differs from the theoretical amount that would arise using the basic tax rate of the Company as follows:

### 11.1 Effective tax reconciliation

	31 December 2017 N'000	31 December 2016 N'000
Profit before taxation	5,854,740 =======	5,215,253 =======
Tax at the Nigeria Corporation Tax rate of 30% (2016:30%) Tax effects of:	1,756,422	1,564,576
Non chargeable income	(144,326)	(119,159)
Non deductible expenses	6,571	30,130
Effect of education tax	192,359	109,849
Effect of tax incentive	(71,428)	(169,536)
Tax charge for the year	1,739,597 =======	1,415,861 ===== <b>=</b>

### 12 Earnings per share

Basic earnings per share (EPS) is calculated by dividing the profit attributable to equity holders of the Company by the weighted average number of ordinary shares outstanding at the end of the reporting period.

	31 December 2017	31 December 2016
Profit attributable to shareholders of the Company (N'000)	4,115,142	3,799,393
Weighted average number of ordinary shares in issue ('thousand)	499,972	499,972
Basic earnings per share (Naira)	8.23	7.60

Diluted EPS is the same as the Basic EPS as there are no potential securities convertible to ordinary shares.

### NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS - Continued

### 13 Particulars of the directors and staff

a The average number of persons, excluding the Directors, employed by the Company during the year were as follows:

	31 December 2017 Number	31 December 2016 Number
Management	289	292
Factory	332	323
Sales and Administration	8	8
	629	623
	====	

b The number of the employees in Nigeria with gross emoluments excluding retirement benefits within the bands stated below were:

	31 December 2017 Number	31 December 2016 Number
N600,001 - N800,000		
N800,001 - N1,000,000	12	16
N1,000,001 - N1,200,000	33	69
N1,200,001 - N1,400,000	69	44
N1,400,001 - N1,600,000	37	41
N1,600,001 - N1,800,000	37	39
N1,800,001 - N2,000,000	· 32	60
N2,000,001 - N2,500,000	123	152
N2,500,001 - N3,000,000	124	82
Over N3,000,000	162	120
0761 113,000,000		
	629	623
		===

c Staff costs for the above persons (excluding the Executive Directors):

	31 December 2017 N'000	31 December 2016 N'000
Wages and salaries Pension costs - defined contribution plans (Note 7.4) Interest on employee benefit obligation (Note 20) Current service cost of employee benefit obligation (Note 20)	2,071,883 26,122 365,970 142,338	2,265,330 25,701 264,864 197,656
	2,606,314 ==== <b>=</b> ==	2,753,551 =======

### NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS - Continued

d Directors' emoluments

The remuneration paid to the Directors of the Company was:

The remuneration paid to the Directors of the Company was.	31 December 2017 N'000	31 December 2016 N'000
Fees for services as Directors Other emolument as management	21,949 -	13,611
	21,949 == <b>=</b> ===	13,611 ======

Fees for services as Directors include fees, sitting allowance and travel expenses. The Managing Director is the only member of management team on the Board and he earns no salary from the Company. His salary is paid by Frigoglass Industries Nigeria Limited - Beta Glass Plc's parent company.

	31 December 2017 N'000	31 December 2016 N'000
Amount paid to the Chairman	5,190 =====	4,145 =====
Amount paid to the highest paid Director	5,190 =====	4,145 =====

This includes fees, sitting allowance and travel expenses.

The number of the Directors of the Company (including the highest paid Director) whose remuneration, excluding pension contributions in respect of services to the Company fell within the following ranges:

	31 December 2017 Number	31 December 2016 Number
N150,000 - N500,000 N500,001 - N6,000,000	- 7	- 6 
	7	6
		3 2
Directors with no emoluments	2	3
Directors with no emolomento	==	==

Directors with no emoluments waived their right to receive remuneration from the Company.

## NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS - Continued

# 14 Property, plant and equipment - 31 December 2017

Furniture

Total N' 000	28,895,484 3,569,876 (197,135) -	32,268,225	18,377,078 2,142,514 (118,728) 20,400,864	11,867,361
Assets under Construction N' 000	69,666 2,514,299 - (58,241)	2,525,724		2,525,724 ======
Furnaces N <sup>1</sup> 000	6,556,723 65,711 -	6,622,434	4,070,184 462,170 4,532,354	2,090,081 ======
Motor Vehicles N' 000	621,833 72,842 (87,331) 2,410	609,755	475,812 87,050 (87,331) 475,531	134,224 ======
fittings and equipment N' 000	399,062 18,747 913	418,723	350,251 21,894 372,145	46,578 =====
Plant and Machinery N' 000	19,321,100 867,638 (109,803) 52,398	20,131,333	12,923,364 1,518,733 (31,397) (31,397) 14,410,698	5,720,634 ======
Building N'000	1,758,556 30,642 - 2,520	1,791,717	557,467 52,667 610,134	1,181,584 ======
Land N'000	168,540 - -	168,540		168,540 ======
	<b>Cost or valuation:</b> At 1 January 2017 Additions Disposals Reclassifications	At 31 December 2017	Depreciation: At 1 January 2017 Charge for the year Disposals At 31 December 2017	Net book value: At 31 December 2017

Assets under construction represents value of property, plant and machinery in progress. On completion, the assets will be capitalized and subsequently depreciated.

Depreciation expenses of N2.034 billion (2016: N2.070 billion) was charged to Cost of sales and N108.95 million (2016: N102.73 million) was charged to Administrative expenses.

## NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS - Continued

# 14 Property, plant and equipment - 31 December 2016

Furniture

	Land		Plant and Machinery	fittings and equipment	Motor Vehicles	Furnaces	Assets under Construction	
	000'N	Building N'000	N' 000	N' 000	N' 000	N' 000	N' 000	Total N' 000
Cost or valuation:								
At 1 January 2016	168,540	1,721,777	17,962,196	374,288	563,569	6,517,105	766,247	28,073,722
Additions	1	36,779	858,937	30,335	68,379	39,618	1	1,034,048
Disposals	£	ŀ	(196,613)	(5,559)	(10,114)	F	ı	(212,286)
Reclassifications	1		696,581	ı	•	I	(696,581)	t
At 31 December 2016	168,540	1,758,556	19,321,100	399,062	621,833	6,556,723	69,666	28,895,484
Depreciation:								
At 1 January 2016	I	505,629	11,556,376	334,179	404,886	3,615,533	I	16,416,603
Charge for the year	I	51,838	1,563,601	21,603	81,040	454,651	F	2,172,733
Disposaís	I	1	(196,613)	(5,531)	(10, 114)	I		(212,258)
	****							
At 31 December 2016		557,467	12,923,364	350,251	475,812	4,070,184	•	18,377,078
Net book value:								
At 31 December 2016	168,540	1,201,088	6,397,736	48,811	146,021	2,486,539	69,666	10,518,406
Assets under construction represents value of property plant and machinery in progress. On completion, the assets will be capitalized	enresents vali	te of property	/ nlant and macl	hinerv in progres	ss. On romn	letion the as	sets will he cani	talized

Assets under construction represents value of property, plant and machinery in progress. On completion, the assets will be capitalized and subsequently depreciated.

Depreciation expenses of N2.070 billion (2015: N2.010 billion) has been charged to Cost of sales and N102.73 million (2015: N92.94 million) was charged to Administrative expenses.

### NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS - Continued

### 15 Intangible Assets

Intangible Assets	Computer 31 December 2017 N'000	software 31 December 2016 N'000
Cost At 1 January Additions	37,082	37,082
As at 31 December	37,082 ======	37,082 ======
Accumulated amortisation: At 1 January Charge for the year	(22,214) (4,782)	(18,833) (3,381)
As at 31 December	(26,996) =======	(22,214) ======
Net book vaue As at 31 December	10,086 ======	14,868 ==== <b>=</b>

The remaining amortization period of the intangible asset is between 2 and 3 years. Amortization charge of N4.8 million (2016: N3.4 million) has been charged to Administrative expenses.

### 16 Inventories

niventories	31 December 2017 N'000	31 December 2016 N'000
Raw materials - cost Work in progress - cost Finished goods - cost Spare parts and consumables - cost	809,465 27,324 1,695,103 1,511,488	837,841 31,512 1,745,640 1,253,017
Goods in transit - cost	4,043,379 981,836	3,868,011 342,658
	5,025,216	4,210,668

Write-downs of inventories to net realisable value amounted to N443,765,000 (2016: N415,539,000). The write-down is recognised as an expense in the period it occured and included in 'cost of sales' in profit or loss.

Analysis of value of inventories charged to profit or loss is as follows:

	31 December 2017 N'000	31 December 2016 N'000
Cost of inventories included in cost of sales	5,962,360 ======	========

The amount represents cost of materials consumed and included in cost of sales per Note 7.1

### NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS - Continued

17	Trade and other receivables	31 December 2017 N'000	31 December 2016 N'000
	Trade receivables Unutilised Negotiable Duty Credit Certificates (Note 4) EEG receivable (Note 4) Prepayments (Note 17.1) Other receivables Staff advances Receivables from related parties (Note 29)	4,858,492 1,024,894 1,581,874 295,033 71,684 138,281 6,407,726	3,162,845 1,067,598 1,552,562 252,884 90,303 119,189 4,146,691
	Total	14,377,983	10,392,071

17.1 Prepayment includes prepaid insurance, prepaid rent and others. The prepaid rent is for short term period.

, There is no impairment charge against trade receivables in 2017 (2016: Nil). All trade receivables are current.

### 18 Cash and cash equivalents

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Cash and cash equivalents	31 December 2017 N'000	31 December 2016 N'000
Cash in hand Cash at bank	344 6.930.623	442 8,054,216
Cash in hand and at bank	6,930,967 == <b>=</b> ====	
For the purpose of the cash flow statement, cash and cash equivalents comprise of:		
Cash in hand and at bank (as defined above) Bank overdraft	6,930,967	8,054,658
Cash and cash equivalents	6,930,967 =======	8,054,658 ======
Borrowings		
Short term borrowings	762,862	181,018
	762,862 === <b>=</b> ==	181,018 =======
Reconciliation of Short term Borrowings: At 1 January Repayment of borrowings during the year Additional borrowings during the year	181,018 (181,018) 762,862	181,018
At 31 December	762,862 ==== <b>=</b> =	181,018 =======

Short term borrowings represents Banker Acceptance from Stanbic IBTC Bank for the importation of raw materials at a variable interest rate of Libor+5.5% payable within 30 to 60 days.

### NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS - Continued

### 20 Employee benefit obligations

The table below outlines where the company's post-employment amounts and activity are included in the financial statements: 31 December 31 December

	2017 N'000	2016 N'000
Statement of financial position obligations for: Post-employment benefit	2,674,723	2,401,301
Liability in the statement of financial position	2,674,723 =======	2,401,301 =======
Charge to statement of profit or loss and comprehensive income included in employee benefits expense for: Interest on employee benefit obligation Current service cost of employee benefit obligation	365,970 142,338	264,864 197,656
	508,308 == <b>==</b> ===	462,520 ======
Remeasurements for:		
Post-employment benefit	(64,259)	(419,983)
	(64,259) ======	(419,983) === <b>==</b> ===

The provision for gratuity was based on independent actuarial valuation performed by independent actuaries using the projected unit credit method. The company does not maintain any assets for the gratuity plan but ensures that it has sufficient funds for the obligations as they crystallize.

20.1 The amounts recognised in the statement of financial position are determined as follows:

	31 December 2017 N'000	31 December 2016 N'000
Present value of obligations (unfunded)	2,674,723	2,401,301
-	=======	========

20.2 The movement in the defined benefit obligation over the year is as follows:

	31 December 2017 N'000	31 December 2016 N'000
At 1 January	2,401,301	2,577,718
Charge during the year: Current service cost Interest expense	142,338 365,970 	197,656 264,864 
Total	2,909,610 ==== <b>=</b> ==	3,040,238 ==== <b>=</b> ==

### **NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS - Continued**

### 20 Employee benefit obligations - Continued

20.2	The movement in the defined benefit obligation over the year - C	Continued 31 December 2017 N'000	31 December 2016 N'000
	Remeasurements: Actuarial losses - change in financial assumption Actuarial losses - experience adjustment	63,199 (127,458)	(30,798) (389,185)
		(64,259)	(419,983)
	Payments from plans: Benefits paid by the employer	(170,626)	(218,954)
	At 31 December	2,674,723 =======	2,401,301 =======
20.3	Maturity Profile of Defined Benefit Obligation		
	Within the next 12 months (next Annual Reporting Date) Between 2 and 5 years Between 5 and 10 years Beyond 10 years	218,972 1,123,355 3,435,041 17,687,579	1,154,937 3,388,431
	Total	22,464,947 ========	27,062,257 =======
	The significant actuarial assumptions were as follows:		
	Discount rate (p.a.) Future average pay increase (p.a.) Average rate of inflation (p.a.)	14.0% 14.0% 12.0%	15.8% 14.0% 12.0%

The next valuation date is due as at 31 December 2018.

20.4 The sensitivity analysis on the accrued liability as at 31 December 2017 is as follows:

	Accrued liability N'000	Sensitivity Impact N'000
Discount rate Discount rate Salary increase Salary decrease Mortality experience Mortality experience	2,655,906 2,694,607 2,702,590 2,647,932 2,673,527 2,675,803	(18,817) 19,885 27,868 (26,791) (1,196) 1,081

### Risk exposure

Through its defined benefit scheme, the Company is exposed to a number of risks, the most significant of which are detailed below:

Changes in discount rate: an increase in the discount rate will increase plan liabilities.

Inflation risks: the Company's obligations are linked to salary inflation, and higher inflation will lead to higher liabilities.

Life expectancy: the obligation is to provide benefits for the life of members, so increases in life expectancy will result in an increase in the employee benefits obligations.

### NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS - Continued

### 21 Deferred tax liabilities

1	Deferred tax liabilities	31 December 2017 N'000	31 December 2016 N'000
	The analysis of deferred tax liabilities is as follows:		
	Deferred tax liability to be recovered after more than 12 months Deferred tax liability to be recovered within 12 months	1,348,823	2,317,408
		1,348,823 	2,317,408 =======
	The movement in deferred tax is as follows:		
	At 1 January	2,317,408	1,488,219
	Changes during the year: - Debit to other comprehensive income - (Credit) / debit to profit or loss (Note 11)	19,278 (987,863)	123,745 705,444
	At 31 December	1,348,823 ======	2,317,408
	Deferred Tax Assets Deferred Tax Liabilities	(1,040,348) 2,389,171	(814,009) 3,131,417
	Net Deferred Tax Liabilities	1,348,823 ======	2,317,408

	Property plant and equipment N'000	Unrealised exchange difference N'000	Provisions N'000	Total N'000
At 1 January 2017	2,534,807	596,610	(814,009)	2,317,408
Net credit to profit or loss and other comprehensive income	(215,918)	(526,328)	(226,339)	(968,585)
At 31 December 2017	2,318,889	70,282 ======	(1,040,348) ========	1,348,823 ======

	Property plant and equipment N'000	Unrealised exchange difference N'000	Provisions N'000	Total N'000
At 1 January 2016	2,234,240	(1,177)	(744,844)	1,488,219
Net charged/ (credit) to profit or loss and other comprehensive income	300,567	597,787	(69,165)	829,189
At 31 December 2016	2,534,807	596,610	(814,009)	2,317,408

### NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS - Continued

### 22 Trade and other payables

	31 December 2017 N'000	31 December 2016 N'000
Trade payables Social security and transaction taxes Accrued expenses and other payables Amounts due to related parties (Note 29)	3,128,104 242,717 1,687,394 224,213	2,167,069 241,777 1,849,991 1,089,389
	5,282,427 =======	5,348,226

An amount of N6,542,000 was reclassified in the comparative amount from "Trade payable" to Amount due from Related Parties" in Note 17.

All trade payables are due within twelve (12) months.

### 23 Current income tax liabilities

	31 December 2017 N'000	31 December 2016 N'000
The movement in current income tax liabilities is as follows: At 1 January Provision for the year (Note 11) Payment during the year Withholding Tax Credit Utilised	1,422,569 2,727,462 (1,198,212) (11,201)	940,642 710,416 (226,645) (1,844)
At 31 December	2,940,618	1,422,569 =======
Dividend payable		
At 1 January Dividend declared during the year Dividend paid during the year relating to prior year (Note 27) Non-statute barred unclaimed dividend returned/ (paid)	45,186 489,973 (489,973) 11,857	48,457 199,989 (199,989) (3,271)
At 31 December	57,043	45,186
Dividend per share (Naira)	0.98	0.40
and the second	====	====

Non-statute barred dividend returned/ (paid) relates to dividend declared but not claimed for a period of 15 months and above. This has not become statute barred and still claimable by the beneficiaries hence, the non-recognition in retained earnings.

### 25 Share capital

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	31 December	31 December
	2017	2016
	N'000	N'000
Authorised:		
600,000,000 ordinary shares of 50kobo each	300,000	300,000
	======	==== <b>=</b> =
Allotted, called up and fully paid:		
499,972,000 ordinary shares of 50k each	249,986	249,986
	=====	======

### NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS - Continued

### 25.1 Summary of shareholding

	31 December	2017	31 December 3	2016
	Number of shares	%	Number of shares	%
Frigoglass Industries Nigeria Limited	309,391,133	61.88	309,391,133	61.88
Friogoinvest Holdings B.V	40,833,131	8.17	40,833,131	8.17
Stanbic IBTC Nominees Nigeria Limited	39,467,716	7.89	39,788,149	7.96
Delta State Ministry of Finance Incorporated	22,258,117	4.45	28,008,549	5.60
Others	88,021,903	17.61	81,951,038	16.39
	499,972,000	100.00	499,972,000	100.00
	=========	====		=====

### 25.2 Share premium

31 December 2017 N'000	31 December 2016 N'000
312,847 =====	312,847
	2017 N'000 312,847 =====

Share premium arose from right issue at a rate above the nominal value of ordinary shares.

### Other reserves 26

At 31 December 2016	2,429,942
At 31 December 2017	2,429,942 =====

N'000

Other reserves represents furnace rebuilt reserve set aside from retained earnings in previous years and the amount is not available for distribution to the equity holders of the Company.

### 27 Retained earnings

Retained earnings	31 December 2017 N'000	31 December 2016 N'000
At 1 January Dividend declared and paid during the year relating to prior	18,482,189	14,585,350
year (Note 24)	(489,973)	(199,989)
Profit for the year	4,160,123	4,095,631
Statute barred dividend returned	-	1,197
At 31 December	22,152,339	18,482,189
		========

Statute barred dividend is no longer available for collection by the beneficiaries hence, the recognition in retained earnings.

### **NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS - Continued**

28	Cash generated from operations	31 December 2017 N'000	31 December 2016 N'000
	Profit before taxation	5,854,740	5,215,253
	Adjustment for: Depreciation of property, plant and equipment (Note 14) Amortisation of intangible assets (Note 15) Profit on disposal of property, plant and equipment (Note 8) Interest on employee benefit obligation (Note 20.2) Current service cost of employee benefit obligation (Note 20.2) Interest income (Note 10.1) Interest expense (Note 10.2) Withholding Tax Credit Note Utilised (Note 23) Net Exchange Difference	2,142,514 4,782 (12,839) 365,970 142,338 (1,262,045) 126,261 (11,201) (38,883)	264,864 197,656
	Changes in working capital: Increase in trade and other receivables Increase in inventories (Decrease)/ Increase in trade and other payables	(3,985,911) (814,548) (65,799)	(2,371,509) (730,790) 955,315
	Net cash generated from operations	2,445,382 == <b>===</b> ==	3,527,581 =======

### 29 Related parties

The Company is a member of the Frigoglass group and is thus related to other subsidiaries of the Company through common shareholdings or common directorships. Transactions arising from dealings with related parties are as detailed below.

The Company is controlled by Frigoglass Industries Nigeria Limited which holds 61.9% (2016: 61.9%) of the Company's issued ordinary shares. The remaining 38.1% of the shares are widely held. The ultimate holding company is Frigoglass S.A.I.C (incorporated in Greece).

The following companies are related parties of Beta Glass PIc:

- > Frigoglass S.A.I.C Ultimate parent and ultimate controlling party
- > Frigoglass Industries (Nigeria) Limited Parent company
- > Frigoinvest Holdings BV Intermediate parent company
- > Frigoglass Global Limited
- ≻ Frigoglass Jebel Ali FZE
- > Frigoglass West Africa Limited- Common Shareholders
- > A.G. Leventis Plc A common Director
- Nigerian Bottling Company Shareholder with power to participate in the operating and financial decisions of the parent company of Beta Glass Plc

### NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS - Continued

### 29 Related parties - Continued

### Remuneration of key management personnel а

Key management personnel includes the Board of Directors (executive and non-executive) and members of the Executive Committee. The compensation paid or payable to key management for employee services is shown below:

	31 December	31 December
	2017	2016
	N'000	N'000
Short term benefits (Note 13)	21,949	13,611
	=====	=====
Amount paid to the highest paid Director	5,190	4,145
	====	
Amount paid to Chairman	5,190	4,145
		====

The number of the Directors of the Company based on range emolument is as below: b

	31 December 2017 Number	31 December 2016 Number
N150,000 - N500,000	-	-
N500,001 - N5,000,000	7	6
11300,001 113,000,000	•	
	7	6
		==
Directors with no emoluments	2	3
	==	==

Transactions with related parties С The following transactions took place between the Company and its related parties during the year:

### c(i) Sales of goods and services

	31 December 2017 N'000	31 December 2016 N'000
Sales of goods: Nigerian Bottling Company	4,400,136	3,947,450
	4,400,136 ========	3,947,450 ======

Goods are sold based on the price list in force and credit period ranges from 30 to 60 days. Accordingly, they are at arm's length.

c(ii) Purchases of goods and services

)	Purchases of goods and services	31 December 2017 N'000	31 December 2016 N'000
	Purchase of services: Frigoglass Global Limited Frigoglass Jebel Ali A.G. Leventis PLC	698,867 - 248,253	601,373 5,351 168,813
		947,120 ======	775,537 === <b>=</b> ===

### **NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS - Continued**

### 29 Related parties - Continued

The transaction with Frigoglass Global Limited was for the supply of technical expertise to Beta Glass Plc. The technical service fee represents 3% of net sales as approved by the National Office for Technology Acquisition and Promotion (NOTAP) certificate number 005961 with maturity profile of three (3) years from 1 January 2016 to 31 December 2018. Also included in the technical service charge for the year is Value Added Tax (VAT) at 5% paid on the technical service fee. The transaction with A.G. Leventis was for supply of haulage services and secretariat services.

Purchases of goods and services are at prices comparable to those obtainable from third parties.

### d Due to related companies

This represents the balance due to related parties stated below as at year end:

	Description	31 December 2017 N'000	31 December 2016 N'000
Frigoglass Industries (Nigeria) Limited Frigoglass Cyprus Limited Frigoglass Jebel Ali (Plant & SO) Frigoglass Global Limited A.G. Leventis Nig Plc	Payments made on behalf of Beta Glass Plc Purchase of services Purchase of services Purchase of services Purchase of services	- - 198,747 25,466	694,890 285,084 11,918 97,497
		224,213	1,089,389 ======

### e Due from related companies

This represents the balance due to related parties stated below as at year end:

	Description	31 December 2017 N'000	31 December 2016 N'000
Frigoglass Industries (Nigeria) Limited	igoglass IndustriesPayments made by Beta Glassigoglass IndustriesPlc on behalf of Frigoglassligeria) LimitedInd.(Nig.) Limitedigoglass West AfricaPlc on behalf of FrigoglassmtedWest Africa Limitedgerian Bottling CompanySales of Bottles and purchasemitedof culletigoglass IndustriesIntercompany treasurybigeria) Limitedbalances	367,919	-
Frigoglass West Africa Limted Nigerian Bottling Company Limited Frigoglass Industries (Nigeria) Limited A.G. Leventis Nig Plc		-	1,336,205
		625,031	980,905
		5,414,776	1,823,039 6,542
		6,407,726	4,146,691 === <b>=</b> ====

The receivables from related parties arise mainly from sale transactions, intercompany treasury balances and payments on behalf of other related companies with short term settlement period. The receivables are unsecured in nature and bear no interest except for treasury balances. There are no provisions required against receivables from any related parties.

The payables to related parties arise mainly on purchases and services from related parties with short term settlement period/ or payable on demand. The payables bear no interest.

### **NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS - Continued**

### 30 Contingent liabilities

### Legal proceedings

The Company is presently involved in four (4) litigation suits as at 31 December 2017. The claims against the Company from the suits amount to N2.33 billion (2016: N1.8 billion) as of reporting date. No provision has been made for these claims because based on legal advice, the Company believes that no significant loss will eventuate.

### Guarantee on behalf of Frigoglass Finance B.V.

In the year 2017 the Company guarantees first lien indebtedness (comprised of loans and notes) incurred by other members of the Frigoglass Group of approximately €120.0 million, which matures on 31 December 2021 and second lien indebtedness (comprised of loans and notes) of approximately €141 million, which matures on 31 March 2022.

### 31 Capital commitments

The Company had no capital commitments as at 31 December 2017 (2016: Nil).

### 32 Subsequent events

A dividend in respect of the year ended 31 Dec 2017 of N1.07 per share, amounting to a total dividend of N534,970,000 was proposed at the Board meeting held on 22 March 2018 and subject to approval at the Annual General Meeting. These financial statements do not reflect this dividend payable.

In 2018, the Company obtained approval for EEG rate for 2014-2016. NEPC has also requested for submission of application for EEG claims through a circular dated 6 February 2018.

There were no other event after reporting date which could have had a material effect on the state of affairs of the Company as at 31 December 2017 and on the profit for the year ended on that date which have not been adequately provided for or recognised.

### 33 Compliance with regulatory bodies

There was no penalty for non-compliance matters with respect to regulatory bodies for the year ended 31 December 2017 (2016: Nil).

### BETA GLASS PLC VALUE ADDED STATEMENT FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2017

	2017 N'000		2016 N'000	%
Revenue Finance income Other income Foreign exchange gain	22,186,258 1,262,045 617,896 344,119		19,091,192 364,271 629,968 1,913,258	
Bought in materials and services - Imported - Local	24,410,319 (3,105,335) (10,570,374)		21,998,688 (1,098,310) (10,735,653)	
	10,734,610 =======	100 ===	10,164,726	100 ===
Applied as follows:		%		%
To pay employees: - Wages, salaries and other benefits	2,606,314	24.28	2,753,551	27.09
To pay providers of capital: - Finance cost	126,261	1.18	19,808	0.19
To pay government: - Income tax expense	2,727,462	25.41	710,416	6.99
To provide for enhancement of assets and growth:				
<ul> <li>Depreciation of plant, property and equipment</li> <li>Amortisation of intangible assets</li> <li>Deferred tax (credit)/ charge</li> <li>Profit retained for the year</li> </ul>	2,142,514 4,782 (987,863) 4,115,142	19.96 0.04 (9.20) 38.34	2,172,733 3,381 705,444 3,799,393	21.38 0.03 6.94 37.38
	10,734,610 ========	100 ===	10,164,726 ========	100 ===

The value added represents the wealth created through the use of the Company's assets by its own and its employees' efforts. This statement shows the allocation of wealth amongst employees, provider of capital, government and that retained for future creation of wealth.

Note: Value added statement is not a required disclosure under IFRS

### BETA GLASS PLC FIVE YEAR FINANCIAL SUMMARY FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2017

	2017 N'000	2016 N'000	2015 N'000	2014 N'000	2013 N'000
Assets employed Non-current assets Current assets Non-current liabilities Current liabilities	11,877,447 26,334,166 (4,023,546) (9,042,950)	10,533,274 22,657,398 (4,718,709) (6,996,999)	11,675,368 15,495,701 (4,065,937) (5,527,007)	9,602,728 17,325,659 (3,301,449) (7,673,957)	9,693,742 17,472,739 (3,990,011) (9,423,313)
Net assets	25,145,114	21,474,964	17,578,125	15,952,982	13,753,157
<b>Capital employed</b> Issued share capital Share Premium Other reserves Retained earnings	249,986 312,847 2,429,942 22,152,339	249,986 312,847 2,429,942 18,482,189	249,986 312,847 2,429,942 14,585,350	249,986 312,847 2,429,942 12,960,206	249,986 312,847 2,429,942 10,760,382
Total equity	25,145,114 =======	21,474,964 ======	17,578,125 =======	15,952,982 ======	13,753,157
	2017 N'000	2016 N'000	2015 N'000	2014 N'000	2013 N'000
Revenue	22,186,258 ==== <b>===</b> =	19,091,192	15,953,224	16,632,879	14,096,123 =======
Profit before taxation Income tax expense	5,854,740 (1,739,598)	5,215,253 (1,415,860)	3,114,795 (1,123,668)	3,340,660 (950,437)	2,052,193 (578,619)
Profit for the year Other comprehensive income	4,115,142	3,799,393	1,991,127	2,390,223	1,473,574
- net of tax	44,981	296,238	(56,000)	(4,125)	(6,230)
Total comprehensive income	4,160,123	4,095,631	1,935,127	2,386,098	1,467,344
Per share data			<b></b>		
Basic and diluted earnings per share (Naira)	8.23	7.60	3.98	4.78	2.95
Net asset per share (Naira)	50.29	42.95	35.16	31.91	27.51

Earnings per share (EPS) is calculated by dividing the profit attributable to equity holders of the Company by the weighted average number of ordinary shares outstanding at the end of the reporting period.

Net assets per share is calculated by dividing net assets of the Company by the weighted average number of ordinary shares outstanding at the end of the reporting period.

Note: Five year financial summary is not a required disclosure under IFRS