Sembcorp Salalah Power & Water Company SAOC

Financial statements

31 December 2012

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INDEPENDENT AUDITORS REPORT TO THE SHAREHOLDERS OF SEMBCORP SALALAH POWER & WATER COMPANY SAOC

Report on the financial statements

We have audited the financial statements of Sembcorp Salalah Power & Water Company SAOC ("the Company"), set out on pages 2 to 25, which comprise the statement of financial position as at 31 December 2012, and the statements of comprehensive income, changes in equity and cash flows for the year then ended, and notes, comprising a summary of significant accounting policies and other explanatory information.

Management's responsibility for the financial statements

Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of these financial statements in accordance with International Financial Reporting Standards, the disclosure requirements of the Commercial Companies Law of 1974, as amended, and for such internal control as management determines is necessary to enable the preparation of financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

Auditor's responsibility

Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these financial statements based on our audit. We conducted our audit in accordance with International Standards on Auditing. Those standards require that we comply with relevant ethical requirements and plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free from material misstatement.

An audit involves performing procedures to obtain audit evidence about the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. The procedures selected depend on our judgement, including the assessment of the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements, whether due to fraud or error. In making those risk assessments, we consider internal control relevant to the entity's preparation and fair presentation of the financial statements 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 entity's internal control. An audit also includes evaluating the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of accounting estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall presentation of the financial statements.

We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our audit opinion.

Opinion

In our opinion, the financial statements present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of the Company as at 31 December 2012, and its financial performance and its cash flows for the year then ended in accordance with International Financial Reporting Standards.

Report on other legal and regulatory requirements

In our opinion, the financial statements of the Company as at and for the year ended 31 December 2012, in all material respects, comply with the Commercial Companies Law of 1974, as amended.

11 March 2013

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Statement of comprehensive income *for the year ended 31 December*

| | Notes | 2012 RO | 2011 RO |
|---|-------|----------------------------|------------------------------|
| Revenue | 3 | 46,649,938 | 3,048,977 |
| Cost of sales | 4 | (21,959,323) | (2,510,919) |
| Gross profit | | 24,690,615 | 538,058 |
| Administrative and general expenses Profit before interest and tax | 5 | (678,021) 24,012,594 | (95,143) 442,915 |
| Finance cost | 6 | (20,709,372) | (1,108,948) |
| Profit (loss) before tax | | 3,303,222 | (666,033) |
| Income tax expense Profit (loss) after tax for the year | 16 | (2,400,473) | (195,934) (861,967) |
| Other comprehensive loss, net of income tax: | | | |
| Effective portion of change in fair value of cash flow hedge Total comprehensive loss for the year | 10 | (2,030,432) (1,127,683) | (24,528,649) (25,390,616) |

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The report of the Independent Auditors is set forth on page 1.

Statement of financial position

as at 31 December

| | Notes | 2012 | 2011 |
|--|------------|---|--------------|
| Non assurant accept | | RO | RO |
| Non-current assets | ~ | | |
| Property, plant and equipment | 7 | 350,305,973 | 33,063,988 |
| Capital work in progress Intangible assets | 8 | | 270,134,002 |
| Deferred tax asset | 9 | 37,555 | 26,402 |
| | 10 &16 | 5,333,858 | 5,056,981 |
| Total non-current assets | | 355,677,386 | 308,281,373 |
| Current assets | | | |
| Trade and other receivable | 11 | 11,034,297 | 4,587,736 |
| Inventory | 12 | 1,790,617 | 669,660 |
| Cash and cash equivalents | 13 | 38,860,806 | 4,129,004 |
| Total current assets | | 51,685,720 | 9,386,400 |
| Total assets | | 407,363,106 | 317,667,773 |
| Equity | | | |
| Share capital | 14 (a) | 500,000 | 500,000 |
| Accumulated losses | 17 (4) | (75,478) | (887,952) |
| Legal reserve | 14 (b) | 90,275 | (887,932) |
| Shareholders' funds | | 514,797 | (387,952) |
| Hedging reserve | 10 &14 (c) | (39,114,959) | (37,084,527) |
| Total equity | 10 411 (0) | (38,600,162) | (37,472,479) |
| I. W | | (30,000,102) | (37,472,479) |
| Non-current liabilities | | | |
| Shareholders loan | 17 | - | 94,582,792 |
| Term loan | 19 | 258,641,887 | 193,546,448 |
| Asset retirement obligation | 20 | 409,570 | 260,284 |
| Deferred tax liability | 16 | 2,596,407 | 195,934 |
| Derivative instruments | 10 | 44,448,817 | 42,141,508 |
| Total non-current liabilities | | 306,096,681 | 330,726,966 |
| Current liabilities | | | |
| Shareholders loan | 17 | 94,832,393 | _ |
| Current portion of Term loan | 19 | 11,575,124 | 1,748,427 |
| Trade and other payable | 15 | 33,459,070 | 22,664,859 |
| Total current liabilities | | 139,866,587 | 24,413,286 |
| Total liabilities | | 445,963,268 | 355,140,252 |
| Total equity and liabilities | | 407,363,106 | 317,667,773 |
| | | ======================================= | 317,007,773 |

The financial statements were approved and authorised for issue in accordance with a resolution of the Board of Directors on II MACO13.

Deputy Chairman Director

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Statement of cash flows

for the year ended 31 December

| | Notes | 2012 | 2011 |
|--|-------|--------------|---------------|
| Cash flows from operating activities: | | RO | RO |
| Profit (loss) before tax | | 3,303,222 | (666,033) |
| Non cash adjustment: | | 3,303,222 | (000,033) |
| Depreciation and amortisation | 7&9 | 9,235,213 | 495,712 |
| Amortisation of deferred financing cost | 6 | 1,047,068 | 52,476 |
| Finance costs | 6 | 19,662,304 | 1,108,948 |
| Provision for asset retirement obligation | 20 | 16,313 | - |
| Changes in working capital: | | | |
| Increase in inventory | | (1,120,957) | (669,660) |
| Increase in trade receivable, prepayments and other receivable | | (8,084,366) | (2,949,931) |
| Increase in trade and other payable | | 2,223,313 | 856,083 |
| | | 26,282,110 | (1,772,405) |
| Finance cost paid | | (10,739,719) | (1,108,948) |
| Net cash flow from (used in) operating activities | | 15,542,391 | (2,881,353) |
| Cash flows from investing activities: | | | |
| Acquisition of property, plant and equipment | | (54,985,285) | (108,041,164) |
| Acquisition of intangible assets | 9 | (48,383) | (32,098) |
| Net cash used in investing activities | | (55,033,668) | (108,073,262) |
| Cash flows from financing activities: | | | |
| Proceeds from term loan | | 76,622,800 | 111,813,970 |
| Repayment of term loan | | (2,399,721) | |
| Net cash flow from financing activities | | 74,223,079 | 111,813,970 |
| Net change in cash and cash equivalents | | 34,731,802 | 859,355 |
| Cash and cash equivalents at beginning of the year | | 4,129,004 | 3,269,649 |
| Cash and cash equivalents at end of the year | 13 | 38,860,806 | 4,129,004 |

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Statement of changes in equity

for the year ended 31 December

| At 1 January 2011 | Share capital RO | Hedging reserve RO | Legal reserve RO | Accumulated losses RO | Total RO |
|--|------------------------|--------------------------|------------------------|---|--------------|
| Total comprehensive loss for the year | 500,000 | (12,555,878) | 52 | (25,985) | (12,081,863) |
| Loss for the year Changes in fair value of cash flow hedge, | | - | <u> </u> | (861,967) | (861,967) |
| net of income tax | | (24,528,649) | | ======================================= | (24,528,649) |
| Total comprehensive income for the year | _ | (24,528,649) | 1774 | (861,967) | (25,390,616) |
| At 31 December 2011 | 500,000 | (37,084,527) | = | (887,952) | (37,472,479) |
| At 1 January 2012 Total comprehensive loss for the year | 500,000 | (37,084,527) | = | (887,952) | (37,472,479) |
| Profit for the year | .= | = | <u></u> | 902,749 | 902,749 |
| Transfer to legal reserve | 144 | = | 90,275 | (90,275) | 502,749 |
| Changes in fair value of cash flow hedge, net of income tax | | (2,030,432) | - | - | (2,030,432) |
| Total comprehensive loss for the year | - | (2,030,432) | 90,275 | 812,474 | (1,127,683) |
| At 31 December 2012 | 500,000 | (39,114,959) | 90,275 | (75,478) | (38,600,162) |

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Notes

(forming part of the financial statements)

1 Legal status and principal activities

Sembcorp Salalah Power & Water Company SAOC ("the Company") was registered as a closed Omani joint stock company in the Sultanate of Oman on 29 September 2009.

The Company has entered into a Shareholders Agreement ("the Shareholders Agreement") dated 17 November 2009 between Sembcorp Oman First Investment Holding Co Ltd ("SOFIH") 40% shareholder, Sembcorp Oman IPO Holding Co Ltd ("SOIHL") 20% shareholder and Inma Power & Water Company LLC ("IPWC") 40% shareholder.

In December 2011, IPWC transferred a 5% interest in the Company to BDCC Investment Company ("BDCC").

The shareholding as of 31 December 2012 is as follows:

| | 100% |
|-------|-----------|
| BDCC | 5% |
| IPWC | 35% |
| SOIHL | 20% |
| SOFIH | 40% |
| | % holding |

Sembcorp Industries Limited is ultimate parent company of SOFIH and SOIHL. Oman Investment Corporation ("OIC") is ultimate parent company of IPWC.

The Company has been awarded a tender by the Government of the Sultanate of Oman (the "Government") to build, own and operate an electricity generation and seawater desalination plant together with the associated facilities in the Salalah region ("the Plant"). The Company had achieved Commercial Operation Date ("COD") on 25 May 2012.

Significant events

The Company achieved Phase One Power Milestone on 16 July 2011 against the originally scheduled date of 6 July 2011 as per Power and Water Purchase Agreement ("the PWPA") with the Guaranteed Contracted Power Capacity of 61 MWH.

Phase Two Power and Phase Two Water Milestones were also delayed from their original scheduled date of 6 October 2011 due to the wrong termination kit installation in the grid substation by the Grid Operator and the occurrence of Cyclone Keila from 1 to 5 November 2011 that impacted construction progress. The Guaranteed Contracted Power Capacity and Guaranteed Contracted Water Capacity during Phase 2 Milestone are 173 MWH and 2841.25 m³/h respectively.

The Company achieved the Phase Two Power Milestone on 2 January 2012 and Phase Two Water milestone on 12 March 2012 against the originally scheduled date of 6 October 2011.

Final COD was achieved on 25 May 2012 against the originally scheduled date of 4 April 2012. Delay in achievement of milestone was primarily due to the low power grid demand. The plant has been in operation since COD (note 22).

Significant agreements:

The Company has entered into the following major agreements:

- (i) Power and Water Purchase Agreement ("the PWPA") dated 23 November 2009 with Oman Power & Water Procurement Company SAOC ("OPWP") for a period of fifteen years commencing from the date of commercial operations ("Operation period") to procure the power and water produced by the Company;
- (ii) Natural Gas Sales Agreement ("NGSA") dated 23 November 2009 with the Ministry of Oil and Gas ("MOG") of the Government for the supply of natural gas;
- (iii) Usufruct Agreement ("Usufruct Agreement") dated 23 November 2009 with the Ministry of Housing for grant of Usufruct rights over project site;

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1 Legal status and principal activities (continued)

Significant agreements: (continued)

- (iv) Long Term Service Agreement ("LTSA") with General Electric International LLC ("GEIL") for maintenance services on gas turbine and generators;
- (v) EPC Turnkey Engineering, Procurement and Construction ("EPC") Contract dated 20 August 2009 with SEPCOIII Electric Power Construction Corporation ("SEPCOIII") for the construction of the Plant:
- (vi) Government Guarantee Agreement ("Government Guarantee") dated 23 November 2009 with Government represented by Ministry of Finance ("MOF"), whereby the MOF is prepared to guarantee the payment by the OPWP of its financial obligation to the Company's Senior Lenders under the PWPA.
- (vii)Operation and Maintenance ("O& M") agreement with Sembcorp Salalah O&M Services Company LLC ("SSOM") dated 8 February 2010 for a period of 15 years from the scheduled commercial operation date.

2 Basis of preparation and significant accounting policies

Basis of preparation

(a) Statement of compliance

The financial statements are prepared in accordance with International Financial Reporting Standards as issued by the International Accounting Standards Board ("IASB") and applicable requirements of the Oman Commercial Companies Law of 1974 (as amended).

(b) Basis of measurement

These financial statements are prepared on historical cost basis except where otherwise described in the accounting policies below.

(c) Use of estimates and judgements

The preparation of the financial statements in conformity with IFRSs requires Management to make judgements, estimates and assumptions that affect the application of accounting policies and the reported amounts of assets, liabilities, income and expenses. Actual results may differ from these estimates. Estimates and underlying assumptions are reviewed on an ongoing basis. Revisions to accounting estimates are recognised in the period in which the estimates are revised and in any future periods affected.

Information about critical judgements in applying accounting policies that have the most significant effect on the amounts recognised in the financial statements is included in financial valuation of derivatives financial instruments and impairment of trade receivables.

Significant accounting policies

The accounting policies set out below have been applied consistently by the Company and are consistent with those used in the previous year.

(a) Foreign currency

(i) Functional and presentation currency

The financial statements have been presented in Rial Omani ("RO") which is the functional currency of the Company.

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2 Basis of preparation and significant accounting policies (continued)

(a) Foreign currency (continued)

(ii) Foreign currency transactions (continued)

Transactions in foreign currencies are translated to the respective functional currencies of the Company at exchange rates at the dates of the transactions. Monetary assets and liabilities denominated in foreign currencies at the reporting date are translated to the functional currency at the exchange rate at that date. The foreign currency gain or loss on monetary items is the difference between amortised cost in the functional currency at the beginning of the period, adjusted for effective interest and payments during the period, and the amortised cost in foreign currency translated at the exchange rate at the end of the reporting period. Non-monetary assets and liabilities denominated in foreign currencies that are measured at historical cost are translated to the functional currency at the exchange rate at the date of the transaction. Non-monetary assets and liabilities measured at fair value in foreign currencies are translated into the functional currency at foreign exchange rates ruling at the dates the fair value was determined. Foreign currency differences arising on translation of monetary items are recognised in profit or loss, except for differences arising on the retranslation of available-for-sale equity instruments, qualifying cash flow hedges or other non monetary items, which are recognised in other comprehensive income. Non-monetary items that are measured in terms of historical cost in a foreign currency are translated using the exchange rate at the date of the transaction.

(b) Financial instruments

(i) Non derivative financial instrument

Non-derivative financial instruments comprise trade and other receivables, amounts due to related parties, cash and cash equivalents, loans and borrowings, and trade and other payables. Cash and cash equivalents comprise cash balances, demand deposits and fixed deposits and term deposits with original maturity not greater than three months.

Non-derivative financial instruments are recognised initially at fair value plus, for instruments not at fair value through profit or loss, any directly attributable transaction costs.

(ii) Derivative financial instruments, including hedge accounting

The Company holds derivative financial instruments to hedge its foreign currency and interest rate risk exposures. On initial designation of the hedge, the Company formally documents the relationship between the hedging instrument(s) and hedged item(s), including the risk management objectives and strategy in undertaking the hedge transaction, together with the methods that will be used to assess the effectiveness of the hedging relationship.

The Company makes an assessment, both at the inception of the hedge relationship as well as on an ongoing basis, whether the hedging instruments are expected to be "highly effective" in offsetting the changes in the fair value or cash flows of the respective hedged items during the period for which the hedge is designated, and whether the actual results of each hedge are within a range of 80% to 125%. For a cash flow hedge of a forecast transaction, the transaction should be highly probable to occur and should present an exposure to variations in cash flows that could ultimately affect reported net income. Derivatives are recognised initially at fair value; attributable transaction costs are recognised in profit or loss as incurred. Subsequent to initial recognition, derivatives are measured at fair value, and changes therein are accounted for as described below.

(iii) Cash flow hedges

When a derivative is designated as the hedging instrument in a hedge of the variability in cash flows attributable to a particular risk associated with a recognised asset or liability or a highly probable forecast transaction the effective portion of changes in the fair value of the derivative is recognised in other comprehensive income and presented in the hedging reserve in equity. Any ineffective portion of changes in the fair value of the derivative is recognised immediately in profit or loss. If the hedging instrument no longer meets the criteria for hedge accounting, expires or is sold, terminated, exercised, or the designation is revoked, then hedge accounting is discontinued prospectively.

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2 Basis of preparation and significant accounting policies (continued)

(b) Financial instruments (continued)

(iii) Cash flow hedges (continued)

The cumulative gain or loss previously recognised in other comprehensive income and presented in the hedging reserve in equity remains there until the forecast transaction affects profit or loss.

When a hedging instrument expires or is sold, terminated or exercised, or the entity revokes designation of the hedge relationship but the hedged forecast transaction is still expected to occur, then hedge accounting is discontinued prospectively. The cumulative gain or loss at that point remains in equity and is recognised in accordance with the above policy when the transaction occurs. If the hedged transaction is no longer expected to take place, the cumulative unrealised gain or loss recognised in equity is recognised immediately in the profit or loss.

(iv) Separable embedded derivatives

Changes in the fair value of separable embedded derivatives are recognised immediately in profit or loss.

(c) Property, plant and equipment

(i) Recognition and measurement

Items of property, plant and equipment are measured at cost less accumulated depreciation and accumulated impairment losses. Cost includes expenditure that is directly attributable to the acquisition of the asset. The cost of self-constructed assets includes the cost of materials and direct labour, any other costs directly attributable to bringing the assets to a working condition for their intended use, the costs of dismantling and removing the items and restoring the site on which they are located, and capitalised borrowing costs. Cost also may include transfers from other comprehensive income of any gain or loss on qualifying cash flow hedges of foreign currency purchases of property, plant and equipment.

When parts of an item of property, plant and equipment have different useful lives, they are accounted for as separate items (major components) of property, plant and equipment.

Gains and losses on disposal of an item of property, plant and equipment are determined by comparing the proceeds from disposal with the carrying amount of property, plant and equipment, and are recognised net within other income in profit or loss. When revalued assets are sold, the amounts included in the revaluation reserve are transferred to retained earnings.

(ii) Subsequent expenditure

Subsequent expenditure is capitalised only when it increases future economic benefits embodied in the specific asset to which it relates.

Subsequent expenditure relating to property, plant and equipment that has already been recognised is added to the carrying amount of the asset when it is probable that future economic benefits, in excess of the originally assessed standard of performance of the existing asset, will flow to the Company. All other subsequent expenditure is recognised as an expense in the period in which it is incurred.

(iii) Depreciation

Depreciation is calculated using the straight-line method to allocate the cost less its residual value so as to write off items of property, plant and equipment over their estimated useful lives. Each part of an item of property, plant and equipment with a cost that is significant in relation to the total cost of an item is depreciated separately. The estimated useful lives for the years is as follows:

| Plant and machinery | 12 to 30 years |
|---------------------|----------------|
| Roads and pipelines | 10 to 30 years |
| Computer equipment | 3 years |
| Office equipment | 3 to 10 years |
| Motor vehicles | 10 years |

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2 Basis of preparation and significant accounting policies (continued)

(c) Property, plant and equipment (continued)

(iii) Depreciation (continued)

Certain items of property, plant and equipment are subject to overhauls at regular intervals. The inherent components of the initial overhaul are determined based on the estimated costs of the next overhaul and are separately depreciated in order to reflect the estimated intervals between two overhauls. The costs of the overhauls subsequently incurred are capitalised as additions and the carrying amounts of the replaced components are written off to the income statement.

(iv) Capital work in progress

Capital work in progress is measured at cost and is not depreciated until it is transferred into one of the above categories, which occurs when the assets is ready for intended use.

(v) Site restoration

A liability for future site restoration is recognized as the activities giving rise to the obligation of future site restoration take place. The liability is measured at the present value of the estimated future cash outflows to be incurred on the basis of current technology. The liability includes all costs associated with site restoration, including plant closure and monitoring costs.

(d) Impairment

(i) Financial assets

A financial asset is considered to be impaired if objective evidence indicates that one or more events have had a negative effect on the estimated future cash flows of that asset. An impairment loss in respect of a financial asset measured at amortised cost is calculated as the difference between its carrying amount, and the present value of the estimated future cash flows discounted at the original effective interest rate.

Individually significant financial assets are tested for impairment on an individual basis. The remaining financial assets are assessed collectively in Companies that share similar credit risk characteristics. All impairment losses are recognised in profit or loss account.

An impairment loss is reversed if reversal can be related objectively to an event occurring after the impairment loss was recognised. For financial assets measured at amortised cost, the reversal is recognised in profit or loss.

The recoverable amount of the Company's receivables is calculated as the present value of future cash flows, discounted at the original effective interest rate inherent in the asset. Receivables with a short duration are not discounted. Collectively provisions are maintained in respect of losses which are incurred but not yet specifically identified within the portfolio of receivables. The recoverable amount of other assets is the greater of their net selling price and value in use. In assessing value in use, the estimated cash flows are discounted to their present value using a pre-tax discount rate that reflects the current market assessments of the time value of money and the risks specific to the asset.

An impairment loss in respect of a held to maturity security or receivable carried at amortised cost is reversed if the subsequent increase in recoverable amount can be related objectively to an event occurring after the impairment loss was recognised.

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2 Basis of preparation and significant accounting policies (continued)

(d) Impairment (continued)

(ii) Non – financial assets

The carrying amounts of the Company's non-financial assets, other than inventories and deferred tax assets are reviewed at each balance sheet date to determine whether there is any indication of impairment. If any such indication exists, the assets' recoverable amounts are estimated. An impairment loss is recognised whenever the carrying amount of an asset or its cash-generating unit exceeds its recoverable amount. A cash-generating unit is the smallest identifiable asset group that generates cash flows that largely are independent from other assets. Impairment losses are recognised in the income statement unless it reverses a previous revaluation that was credited to equity, in which case it is charged to equity. Impairment losses recognised in respect of cash-generating units are allocated first to reduce the carrying amount of any goodwill allocated to cash-generating units and then, to reduce the carrying amount of the other assets in cash-generating units on a pro rata basis.

The recoverable amount of an asset or cash-generating unit is the greater of its value in use and its fair value less costs to sell. In assessing value in use, the estimated future cash flows are discounted to their present value using a pre-tax discount rate that reflects current market assessments of the time value of money and the risks specific to the asset or cash-generating unit. For an asset that does not generate largely independent cash inflows, the recoverable amount is determined for the cash-generating unit to which the asset belongs.

In respect of other assets, impairment losses recognised in prior periods are assessed at each reporting date for any indications that the loss has decreased or no longer exists.

An impairment loss is reversed if there has been a change in the estimates used to determine the recoverable amount. An impairment loss is reversed only to the extent that the assets' carrying amount does not exceed the carrying amount that would have been determined, net of depreciation or amortisation, if no impairment loss had been recognised.

(e) Financial liabilities

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

Interest-bearing liabilities are recognised initially at fair value less attributable transaction costs. Subsequent to initial recognition, interest-bearing liabilities are stated at amortised cost with any difference between cost and redemption value being recognised in the income statement over the period of the borrowings on an effective interest basis.

(f) Employee terminal benefits

Contributions to a defined contribution retirement benefit plan, for Omani employees in accordance with the Oman Social Insurance Scheme, are recognised as expense in the income statement as incurred.

The Company's obligation in respect of non-Omani terminal benefits, which is an unfunded defined benefit retirement plan, is the amount of future benefit that such employees have earned in return for their service in the current and prior periods. The provision is calculated using the projected unit credit method and is discounted to its present value. The provision is in accordance with the Omani Labour Law.

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2 Basis of preparation and significant accounting policies (continued)

(g) Provisions

A provision is recognised in the balance sheet when the Company has a legal or constructive obligation as a result of a past event, and it is probable that an outflow of economic benefits will be required to settle the obligation. If the effect is material, 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, where appropriate, the risks specific to the liability.

(h) Revenue recognition

Revenue from the sale of electricity and water is measured at the fair value of the consideration received or receivable, net of returns and allowances, trade discounts and volume rebates. Revenue is recognised when electricity and water are delivered at the customers' premise which is taken to be the point of time when the customer has accepted the deliveries and the related risks and rewards of ownership have been transferred to the customer based on contractual terms stipulated in PWPA.

Power capacity charge and water capacity charge revenue is recognised when right to receive is established.

(i) Financing income

Financing income comprises interest received on bank deposits and foreign exchange gains and losses that are recognised in the income statement. Interest income is recognised in the income statement, as it accrues, taking into account the effective yield on the asset.

(j) Borrowing costs

Interest expense and similar charges are expensed in the income statement in the period in which they are incurred, except to the extent that they are capitalised as being directly attributable to the acquisition, construction or production of an asset which necessarily takes a substantial period of time to prepare for its intended use or sale. The interest component of finance lease payments is recognised in the income statement using the effective interest rate method.

(k) Income tax expense

Income tax expense comprises current and deferred tax. Income tax expense is recognised in the statement of comprehensive income except to the extent that it relates to items recognised directly to equity, in which case it is recognised in equity.

Current tax is the expected tax payable on the taxable income for the year, using tax rates enacted or substantially enacted at the reporting date, and any adjustment to tax payable in respect of previous years.

Deferred tax is recognised in respect of temporary differences between the carrying amounts of assets and liabilities for financial reporting purposes and the amounts used for taxation purposes. Deferred tax is not recognised for the following temporary differences: the initial recognition of assets or liabilities in a transaction that is not a business combination and that affects neither accounting nor taxable profit or loss. The measurement of deferred tax reflects the consequences that would follow the manner in which the Company expects, at the end of the reporting period, to recover or settle the carrying amount of its assets and liabilities. Deferred tax is measured at the tax rates that are expected to be applied to the temporary differences when they reverse, based on the laws that have been enacted or substantially enacted by the reporting date. Deferred tax assets and liabilities are offset if there is a legally enforceable right to offset current tax liabilities and assets and they relate to taxes levied by the same tax authority on the same taxable entity.

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2 Basis of preparation and significant accounting policies (continued)

(k) Income Tax Expense (continued)

A deferred tax asset is recognised for unused tax losses, tax credits and deductible temporary differences, to the extent that it is probable that future taxable profits will be available against which they can be utilised. Deferred tax assets are reviewed at each reporting date and are reduced to the extent that it is no longer probable that the related tax benefit will be realised.

(1) New standards and interpretation not yet effective

A number of new standards, amendments to standards and interpretations are not yet effective for the year ended 31 December 2012, and have not been applied in preparing these financial statements. None of these are expected to have any material impact on the financial statements of the Company.

Notes

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| 4 | Revenue |
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| 3 | Revenue | | |
|---|---|------------|-----------|
| | | 2012 | 2011 |
| | | RO | RO |
| | Fixed capacity charge - Power | 25,947,573 | 1,931,733 |
| | Fixed capacity charge - Water | 12,707,141 | =1 |
| | Energy charge | 680,681 | 86,482 |
| | Fuel charge | 7,314,543 | 1,030,762 |
| | | 46,649,938 | 3,048,977 |
| 4 | Cost of sales | | |
| | Fuel cost | 7,278,047 | 1,026,668 |
| | Operation and maintenance cost | 2,814,930 | 719,619 |
| | Contractual services maintenance cost | 1,893,002 | 262,535 |
| | Depreciation | 9,152,636 | 483,626 |
| | Insurance cost | 455,139 | - |
| | Incentive payment | 123,057 | - |
| | Electricity import cost | 99,178 | _ |
| | Spare parts, consumables and supplies | 40,612 | 11,237 |
| | Unwinding of discount | 16,313 | .=: |
| | Licence and permits | 24,136 | H227 |
| | Others | 62,273 | 7,234 |
| | | 21,959,323 | 2,510,919 |
| 5 | Administrative and general expenses | | |
| | Staff costs | 141,663 | 27,787 |
| | Legal and professional charges | 384,881 | 26,776 |
| | Depreciation and amortisation | 82,577 | 12,086 |
| | Others | 68,900 | 28,494 |
| | | 678,021 | 95,143 |
| 6 | Finance costs | | |
| | Interest expense on equity bridge loan | 4,569,295 | 306,564 |
| | Interest expense on project financing | 8,989,896 | 400,351 |
| | Interest expense on interest rate swaps | 5,996,826 | 335,272 |
| | Deferred financing cost | 1,047,068 | 52,476 |
| | Commission and bank charges | 106,287 | 14,285 |
| | | 20,709,372 | 1,108,948 |
| | | | |

7 Property, plant and equipment

| Cost RO R | | Land and | Roads and | Plant and | Office | Motor | Computer | |
|--|-----------------------|----------------|-------------|---------------|-----------|------------------|-----------|-------------|
| At 1 January 2012 - 654,225 32,848,201 600 23,567 24,210 33,550,8 Additions during the year - 116,824 67,522 205,753 12,270 402,3 Transfer during the year 47,998,922 25,344,563 252,570,824 123,768 326,038,0 Disposals during the year (688) (68 At 31 December 2012 47,998,922 25,998,788 285,535,849 68,122 229,320 159,560 359,990,50 Accumulated depreciation | | Buildings | pipelines | machinery | equipment | vehicles | equipment | Total |
| Additions during the year 116,824 67,522 205,753 12,270 402,3 Transfer during the year 47,998,922 25,344,563 252,570,824 123,768 326,038,0 Disposals during the year (688) (68 At 31 December 2012 47,998,922 25,998,788 285,535,849 68,122 229,320 159,560 359,990,50 Accumulated depreciation | | RO | RO | RO | RO | RO | RO | RO |
| Transfer during the year 47,998,922 25,344,563 252,570,824 123,768 326,038,0 Disposals during the year (688) (68 At 31 December 2012 47,998,922 25,998,788 285,535,849 68,122 229,320 159,560 359,990,50 Accumulated depreciation | January 2012 | :- | 654,225 | 32,848,201 | 600 | 23,567 | 24,210 | 33,550,803 |
| Disposals during the year (688) (688) At 31 December 2012 47,998,922 25,998,788 285,535,849 68,122 229,320 159,560 359,990,500 Accumulated depreciation | tions during the year | = | <u> </u> | 116,824 | 67,522 | 205,753 | 12,270 | 402,369 |
| At 31 December 2012 47,998,922 25,998,788 285,535,849 68,122 229,320 159,560 359,990,50 Accumulated depreciation | sfer during the year | 47,998,922 | 25,344,563 | 252,570,824 | - | = | 123,768 | 326,038,077 |
| Accumulated depreciation | osals during the year | - | =0 | <u>-</u> | i-e: | 3 4 1 | (688) | (688) |
| | December 2012 | 47,998,922 | 25,998,788 | 285,535,849 | 68,122 | 229,320 | 159,560 | 359,990,561 |
| A+1 Ionum 2012 10.007 472.224 17 1.189 2.180 486.9 | mulated depreciation | | | | | | | |
| At 1 January 2012 - 10,097 472,324 17 1,188 3,189 480,8 | January 2012 | | 10,097 | 472,324 | 17 | 1,188 | 3,189 | 486,815 |
| Charge for the year 1,200,442 632,039 7,300,170 7,369 17,369 40,594 9,197,9 | ge for the year | 1,200,442 | 632,039 | 7,300,170 | 7,369 | 17,369 | 40,594 | 9,197,983 |
| Disposals during the year (210) | osals during the year | = 1 | | 13 | | | (210) | (210) |
| At 31 December 2012 1,200,442 642,136 7,772,494 7,386 18,557 43,573 9,684,58 | December 2012 | 1,200,442 | 642,136 | 7,772,494 | 7,386 | 18,557 | 43,573 | 9,684,588 |
| Carrying amount | ying amount | | | | | | | |
| At 31 December 2012 46,798,480 25,356,652 277,763,355 60,736 210,763 115,987 350,305,99 | December 2012 | 46,798,480 | 25,356,652 | 277,763,355 | 60,736 | 210,763 | 115,987 | 350,305,973 |
| At 31 December 2011 - 644,128 32,375,877 583 22,379 21,021 33,063,98 | December 2011 | = | 644,128 | 32,375,877 | 583 | 22,379 | 21,021 | 33,063,988 |

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8 Capital work in progress

| O | Capital work in progress | | |
|----|---|---------------------|--------------|
| | | 2012 | 2011 |
| | | RO | RO |
| | Opening balance | 270,134,002 | 195,897,917 |
| | Additions during the year: | | |
| | Construction cost incurred | 43,899,053 | 79,042,166 |
| | Insurance cost | 1,652,307 | 4,923,459 |
| | Financing cost | 6,073,777 | 18,642,141 |
| | Initial spare parts | := | 287,033 |
| | Salaries and wages | 637,221 | 994,899 |
| | Other directly attributable expenses | 3,687,268 | 3,825,512 |
| | | 326,083,628 | 303,613,127 |
| | Transferred to: | | |
| | Land and buildings | (47,998,922) | |
| | Roads and pipelines | (25,344,563) | (654,225) |
| | Plant and machinery | (252,570,824) | (32,824,900) |
| | Computer equipment | (123,768) | * : |
| | Intangible assets | (45,551) | <u> </u> |
| | At 31 December | | 270,134,002 |
| 9 | Capital work in progress represents costs incurred towards constru Intangible assets | ction of the Plant. | |
| | Opening balance | 26,402 | 12 |
| | Transferred from capital work in progress | 45,551 | 35,299 |
| | Purchased during the year | 2,832 | ^ — >= |
| | Amortisation during the year | (37,230) | (8,897) |
| | | 37,555 | 26,402 |
| | An intangible asset represents purchase of ERP software. | | |
| 10 | Hedging reserve | | |
| | Interest rate swaps: | | |
| | SMBC Capital Market Limited | (9,318,935) | (9,019,530) |
| | Standard Chartered Bank | (27,081,333) | (25,542,184) |
| | KfW-IPEX | (8,048,549) | (7,579,794) |
| | Hedging reserve at the end of the year | (44,448,817) | (42,141,508) |
| | Deferred tax asset (note 16) | 5,333,858 | 5,056,981 |
| | Hedging reserve at the end of the year (net of tax) | (39,114,959) | (37,084,527) |
| | Less: Hedging reserve at the beginning of the year | (37,084,527) | (12,555,878) |
| | Effective portion of change in fair value of cash flow hedge | | |
| | for the year | (2,030,432) | (24,528,649) |
| | | | |

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10 Hedging reserve (continued)

On 19 November 2009, the Company entered into a Common Terms Agreement ("CTA"), for credit facilities with a consortium of international and local banks with Standard Chartered Bank as the Dollar Commercial Facility Agent, Bank Muscat SAOG as the Rial Commercial Facility Agent and Bank of China, Shan dong Branch as the Sinosure Facility Agent.

The long term facilities of the Company bear interest at US LIBOR plus applicable margins. In accordance with the CTA, the Company has fixed the rate of interest through an Interest Rate Swap Agreements ("IRS") entered into with SMBC Capital Market Limited, KfW IPEX Bank GmbH and Standard Chartered Bank dated 20 November 2009, 23 March 2010 and 08 April 2010 respectively, for 95.32% of its USD loan facility. The corresponding hedged notional amount outstanding as of 31 December 2012 is approximately USD 455 million and USD118 million at a fixed interest rate of 4.345% and 3.8% per annum respectively.

11 Trade and other receivables

| | Trade and other receivables | 2012 | 2011 |
|----|------------------------------------|------------|-----------|
| | | RO | RO |
| | Trade receivable | 9,058,602 | 1,189,480 |
| | Due from related parties (note 18) | 922 | |
| | Advances to vendors | 1,573,727 | 1,667,730 |
| | Prepayments | 303,181 | 1,637,805 |
| | Retentions | 90,299 | 90,299 |
| | Other receivable | 7,566 | 2,422 |
| | | 11,034,297 | 4,587,736 |
| 12 | Inventory | | |
| | Fuel inventory | 993,568 | 669,379 |
| | Spare parts and consumables | 797,049 | 281 |
| | | 1,790,617 | 669,660 |
| 13 | Cash and cash equivalents | | |
| | Cash in hand | 1,925 | 1,611 |
| | Cash at bank | 38,858,881 | 4,127,393 |
| | | 38,860,806 | 4,129,004 |
| | | | |

14 Equity

(a) Share capital

The Company's registered capital (issued and fully paid) comprises 500,000 shares of RO1 each...

The holders of ordinary shares are entitled to receive dividends as declared from time to time and are entitled to one vote per share at meetings of the Company. All shares rank equally with regard to the Company's residual assets.

(b) Legal reserve

Article 106 of the Commercial Companies Law of 1974 requires that 10% of a company's net profit be transferred to a non-distributable legal reserve until the amount of legal reserve becomes equal to at least one-third of the company's issued share capital.

(c) Hedging reserve

Hedging reserve comprises the effective portion of the cumulative net change in the fair value of cash flow hedging instruments related to hedged transactions that have not yet occurred (note 10).

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15 Trade and other payable

| 2012 | 2011 |
|------------|---|
| RO | RO |
| 5,383,992 | 15,448,100 |
| 661,319 | 282,855 |
| 642,853 | 122,263 |
| 14,783,649 | . : |
| 9,996,020 | 3,815,526 |
| 1,991,237 | 2,996,115 |
| 33,459,070 | 22,664,859 |
| | 5,383,992 661,319 642,853 14,783,649 9,996,020 1,991,237 |

Retentions and deductions mainly include the deductions from EPC contractor on account of Liquidated damages claimed by the Company.

16 Income tax

The Company is liable to income tax, in accordance with the income tax laws of Sultanate of Oman, at the rate of 12% of the taxable income in excess of RO 30,000.

Deferred tax asset has been recognised directly in equity in respect of the changes in fair values of interest rate swap (note 10).

a) Recognised in profit or loss

| Deferred tax expense for the year | 2,400,473 | 195,934 |
|-----------------------------------|-----------|---------|
| | | |

b) Reconciliation

The following is the tax reconciliation of income taxes calculated at the applicable tax rate with the income tax expenses.

| Profit (loss) before tax | 3,303,222 | (666,033) |
|---|-------------|-----------|
| Income tax as per rates mentioned above | (396,387) | 79,924 |
| Losses for which no deferred tax asset recognised | (1,455,771) | (275,858) |
| Expenses not deductible for tax purposes | (548,315) | = |
| Deferred tax expense for the year | (2,400,473) | (195,934) |

c) Deferred tax asset / (liability)

| | | Recognised | |
|-----------------------------------|--------------|-------------|-------------|
| | | during the | At 31 |
| | At 1 January | year | December |
| | RO | RO | RO |
| Charged to profit or loss | | | |
| Property, plant and equipment | (195,934) | (4,297,460) | (4,493,394) |
| Tax losses | <u> </u> | 1,896,987 | 1,896,987 |
| | (195,934) | (2,400,473) | (2,596,407) |
| Deferred tax recognised in equity | | | |
| Derivative instrument (note 10) | 5,056,981 | 276,877 | 5,333,858 |

d) Status of prior year returns

The Company's assessment for the tax year 2009 to 2011 has not yet been finalised with the Secretariat General for Taxation at the Ministry of Finance. The Board of Directors of the Company believe that additional taxes, if any in respect of open tax years would not be significant to the Company's financial position as at 31 December 2012.

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17 Shareholders loan

| | 2012 | 2011 |
|------------------------------------|------------|------------|
| | RO | RO |
| Shareholders loan | 94,957,193 | 94,957,193 |
| Less: Unamortised transaction cost | (124,800) | (374,401) |
| | 94,832,393 | 94,582,792 |

On 20 November 2009 the Company, its shareholders and the lenders under the Common Term Agreement ("CTA"), entered into a Project Support Agreement ("the PSA") under which shareholders are required to provide subordinated advances ("the Shareholders loan") and the actual drawdown amount is described below:

| | Currency | Limit | Draw down amount | 2012 RO | 2011 RO |
|-------|----------|------------|---------------------|------------|------------|
| SOFIH | USD | 98,605,600 | 98,605,600 | 37,982,877 | 37,982,877 |
| SOIHL | USD | 49,302,800 | 49,302,800 | 18,991,438 | 18,991,438 |
| IPWC | RO | 33,235,018 | 33,235,018 | 33,235,018 | 33,235,018 |
| BDCC* | RO | 4,747,860 | 4,747,860 | 4,747,860 | 4,747,860 |
| | | | | 94,957,193 | 94,957,193 |

^{*}On 26 December 2011, IPWC entered into Shareholder Loan Assignment whereby IPWC agreed to sell to BDCC a portion of the loan in the amount of RO 4,747,860 it has given to the Company.

Repayments

As per the PSA, the aggregate amount of Shareholders' loan may be repaid at any time but only from amounts standing to the credit of Distribution Accounts and available for such purposes in accordance with and subject to the terms of the CTA. Such repayment, if any, cannot be made prior to offer for sale or listing.

According to the PSA, the Shareholders and the Company are required to convert the Shareholders loan into equity prior to a Public Offer for sale or listing. In December 2012 the Board of Directors of the Company approved the conversion of the Shareholders loan into equity no later than 30 June 2013.

Interest

Shareholders' loan from SOFIH, SOIHL and BDCC carry interest rate at 5.1%.

Shareholders' loan from IPWC carries interest rate at 8.35%.

Other fees

The Company was required to pay an upfront fee to Shareholders within three business days of the loan being made.

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18 Related party transactions

The Company has a related party relationship with entities over which certain shareholders are able to exercise significant influence. In the ordinary course of business, such related parties provide goods and render services to the Company.

Prices and terms for these transactions, which are entered into in the normal course of business, are on mutually agreed terms and conditions. The Company had the following significant transactions with related parties during the year:

| Totaled parties during the year. | 2012 | 2011 |
|---|-----------|-----------|
| | RO | RO |
| Sembcorp Industries Limited | | |
| - Reimbursement of expenses | 360,291 | 78,767 |
| - Project bonus | 92,448 | = |
| SSOM | | |
| - Mobilisation fee | - | 1,137,354 |
| - Operation and maintenance cost | 2,814,930 | 719,619 |
| - Incentive payment | 123,057 | =: |
| SOFIH | | |
| - Finance cost | 1,969,412 | 1,964,031 |
| SOIHL | | |
| - Finance cost | 984,706 | 982,015 |
| IPWC | | |
| - Finance cost | 2,821,376 | 3,215,620 |
| OIC | | |
| - Reimbursement of expenses | 11,612 | 3,189 |
| - Project bonus | 53,928 | ÷ |
| | | |
| | 9,231,760 | 8,100,595 |
| | | |
| Balances due to related parties (note 15) at the year-end comprised: | | |
| SSOM | 389,650 | 122,263 |
| Sembcorp Industries Ltd | 253,203 | |
| Association and the American and an article and a second | 642,853 | 122,263 |
| | | |

Balance due to related parties in respect of accrued interest on the shareholders loan is RO 4,386,850 and is payable to SOFIH (RO 1,495,892), SOIHL (RO 747,946) and IPWC (RO 2,143,012) (note 15 & 17).

Balance due from related party (note 11) is as follows:

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Key Management benefits

Key Management personnel are those persons having authority and responsibility for planning, directing and controlling the activities of the Company, directly or indirectly, including any director (whether executive or otherwise). RO 133,541 (2011: RO 99,404) were paid to key management personnel during the year.

19 Term loan

| Non-current | Maturity | | |
|------------------------------------|-----------|--------------|--------------|
| Project financing loan (USD) | 2012-2026 | 231,733,480 | 170,547,300 |
| Project financing loan (Rials) | 2012-2026 | 48,186,900 | 35,150,000 |
| | | 279,920,380 | 205,697,300 |
| Less: Unamortised transaction cost | | (9,703,369) | (10,402,425) |
| | | 270,217,011 | 195,294,875 |
| Less: Current portion of term loan | | (11,575,124) | (1,748,427) |
| | | 258,641,887 | 193,546,448 |
| | | | |

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19 Term loan (continued)

On 19 November 2009, the Company entered into a Common Terms Agreement ("CTA"), for credit facilities with a consortium of international and local banks with Standard Chartered Bank as the Dollar Commercial Facility Agent, Bank Muscat SAOG as the Rial Commercial Facility Agent and Bank of China, Shondong Branch as Sinosure Facility Agent, collectively "the Mandated Lead Arranger".

Repayments

The aggregate amount of drawdowns under the above facilities is repayable in full by 29 half yearly instalments commencing from 30 September 2012, with the final instalment being due on 30 September 2026.

Interest

(i) Interest on Dollar Commercial facilities is charged at a floating rate of LIBOR plus margin. The Company has entered into an interest rate swap to cap its obligation against unfavourable interest rate changes.

The margins are indicated below:

| | Margin % (p.a.) |
|---|-----------------|
| Prior to completion date (as defined in the CTA) | 3.00% |
| Thereafter up to the sixth anniversary of completion date | 2.85% |
| Thereafter up to the tenth anniversary of completion date | 3.20% |
| Thereafter up to the tenth anniversary of completion date | 3.55% |
| Thereafter | 3.95% |

- (ii) Interest on Sinosure Covered facilities is charged at a floating rate of LIBOR plus margin (3% p.a.). The Company has entered into an interest rate swap to cap its obligation against unfavourable interest rate changes.
- (iii) Interest on Rial Omani Commercial facilities bear fixed interest rates of 8% p.a.

Other fees

The Company is required to pay a front end fees to the Mandated Lead Arranger. In addition, the Company shall pay commitment fee at 1.3% of undrawn Dollar Commercial facilities and Sinosure Covered facilities and 0.4% of undrawn Rial Omani facilities. As at 31 December 2012, there were no undrawn loans.

Securities

The term loans are secured by a mortgage over the Company's property, plant and equipment and current assets of the Company, including a lien on the balances in the sales collection accounts of the Company.

Covenants

The term loan facilities contain certain covenants pertaining to, amongst other things, liquidation and merger, entering into material new agreements, negative pledge, disposal of asset, granting of loan and guarantee, acquisition of capital assets, debt service coverage ratio, change of business, loan and guarantee, hedging agreement, etc, with which the Company is required to comply.

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20 Asset Retirement Obligation ("ARO")

Under the Usufruct Agreement, the Company has a legal obligation to remove the Plant at the end of its useful life and restore the land. The Company shall at its sole cost and expense dismantle, demobilise, safeguard and transport the assets, eliminate soil and ground water contamination, fill all excavation and return the surface to grade of the designated areas.

The fair value of ARO provision has been calculated using an expected present value technique. This technique reflects assumptions such as costs, plant useful life, inflation and profit margin that third parties would consider to assume the settlement of the obligation. The movement in ARO provision is as follows:

| | 2012 | 2011 |
|--------------------------------|---------|---------|
| | RO | RO |
| At 1 January | 260,284 | 32,098 |
| Provision made during the year | 132,973 | 228,186 |
| Unwinding of discount | 16,313 | |
| At 31 December | 409,570 | 260,284 |

21 Financial risk management

The Company has exposure to the following risks from its use of financial instruments:

- Market risk
- Credit risk
- Liquidity risk

This note presents information about the Company's exposure to each of the above risks, the Company's objectives, policies and processes for measuring and managing risk, and the Company's management of capital. Further quantitative disclosures are included throughout these financial statements.

The Board of Directors has overall responsibility for the establishment and oversight of the Company's risk management framework. The Board has entrusted the Management with the responsibility of developing and monitoring the Company's risk management policies and procedures and its compliance with them.

(a) Market risk

Market risk is the risk that changes in market prices, such as foreign exchange rates, interest rates and equity prices will affect the Company's income or the value of its holdings of financial instruments. The objective of market risk management is to manage and control market risk exposures within acceptable parameters, while optimising the return.

Interest rate risk

At the balance sheet date, the interest rate profile of the Company's interest-bearing financial liabilities was:

| | Interest rate | 2012 RO | 2011 RO |
|---------------------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|
| Financial assets | | | |
| Bank balances | | 38,858,881 | 4,127,393 |
| Financial liabilities | | | : |
| Shareholders loan | | | |
| - USD fixed rate loans | 5.10% | (56,974,315) | (56,974,315) |
| - RO fixed rate loans | 5.10% | (4,747,860) | (4,747,860) |
| - RO fixed rate loans | 8.35% | (33,235,018) | (33,235,018) |
| Term loan | | | |
| - USD variable rate loans | Libor+3% | (231,733,480) | (170,547,300) |
| - RO fixed rate loans | 8% | (48,186,900) | (35,150,000) |
| | | (374,877,573) | (300,654,493) |
| | | | |

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21 Financial risk management (continued)

(a) Market risk (continued)

Interest rate risk (continued)

The Company does not account for any fixed rate financial liabilities at fair value through profit or loss and the Company does not designate hedging instruments under a fair value hedge accounting model. Therefore a change in interest rate at the reporting date would not affect profit or loss.

Cash flow sensitivity analysis for variable rate instruments

A change of 100 basis points in interest rates at the reporting date would have increased (decreased) equity and income statement by the amounts shown below. This analysis assumes that all other variables, in particular foreign currency rates, remain constant.

| | Equity | | | |
|--------------------|------------|--------------|------------|--------------|
| | 100 bps | 100 bps | 100 bps | 100 bps |
| | Increase | Decrease | Increase | Decrease |
| | 2012 | 2012 | 2011 | 2011 |
| | RO | RO | RO | RO |
| Interest rate swap | 17,643,561 | (17,643,561) | 19,297,312 | (19,297,312) |

Currency risk

The majority of the transactions and balances are in either RO or USD. As RO is pegged to the USD, balances in USD are not considered to represent significant currency risk.

The Company is not exposed to significant currency risk as at 31 December 2012.

(b) Credit risk

Credit risk is the risk of financial loss to the Company if a customer or counterparty to a financial instrument fails to meet its contractual obligations, and arises principally from the Company's receivables from customers and cash balances held with banks.

Under the terms of the PWPA, the Company's sales are billed wholly to OPWP. The Company manages its credit risk with OPWP by monitoring its credit rating and obtaining credit enhancements.

The Company limits its credit risk with regard to bank deposits by only dealing with reputable banks and financial institutions with strong credit ratings.

The carrying amount of financial assets represents the maximum credit exposure. The maximum exposure to credit risk at the reporting date was:

| | 2012 | 2011 |
|--|------------|-----------|
| | RO | RO |
| Break down of financial assets (at carrying amount) | | |
| Cash and cash equivalents | 38,860,806 | 4,129,004 |
| Trade receivable | 9,058,602 | 1,189,480 |
| Due to related parties, retention and other receivables | 98,787 | 92,721 |
| | 48,018,195 | 5,411,205 |
| The age analysis of current trade and other receivables is as fo | | |
| Not past due | 4,791,389 | 1,282,201 |
| Past due 0 to 3 months | 3,000,000 | - |
| Past due 3 to 6 months | 1,366,000 | /6 |
| | 9,157,389 | 1,282,201 |

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21 Financial risk management (continued)

(b) Liquidity risk

Liquidity risk is the risk that the Company will not be able to meet its financial obligations as they fall due. The Company's approach to managing liquidity is to ensure, as far as possible, that it will always have sufficient liquidity to meet its liabilities when due, under both normal and stressed conditions, without incurring unacceptable losses or risking damage to the Company's reputation.

The Company limits its liquidity risk by ensuring bank facilities and shareholders' advances are available, where required. Liquidity requirements are monitored on a monthly basis and management ensures that sufficient liquid funds are available to meet any commitments as they arise.

The following are the contractual maturities of financial liabilities, including interest payments and excluding the impact of netting agreements:

| | | | Cash flows | | |
|---------------------------------------|-----------------|-----------------------|---------------------|------------------------|-------------------|
| | Carrying amount | Contractual cash flow | Less than 1 year | More than 1 to 5 years | More than 5 years |
| 31 December 2012 | RO | RO | RO | RO | RO |
| Derivatives | | | | | |
| Interest rate swaps used for hedging | 44,448,817 | (46,144,726) | (6,678,670) | (31,680,445) | (7,785,611) |
| Non-derivatives Financial liabilities | | | | | |
| Shareholders loan | 94,832,393 | (97,810,323) | (97,810,323) | S 5 | 1, 1000 |
| Term loan | 270,217,011 | (380,958,941) | (20,788,411) | (98,043,720) | (262,126,810) |
| Trade and other payables | 33,459,070 | (33,459,070) | (33,459,070) | | |
| | 442,957,291 | (558,373,060) | (158,736,474) | (129,724,165) | (269,912,421) |
| 31 December 2011 | | | | | |
| Derivatives | | | | | |
| Interest rate swaps used for hedging | 42,141,508 | (44,422,945) | (7,541,262) | (24,574,861) | (12,306,822) |
| Non-derivatives Financial liabilities | | | | | |
| Shareholders loan | 94,582,792 | (106, 268, 195) | (5,806,632) | (100,461,563) | 10 <u>0</u> |
| Term loan | 195,294,875 | (282,336,847) | (3,995,104) | (70,305,394) | (208,036,349) |
| Trade and other payables | 22,664,859 | (22,664,859) | (22,664,859) | | 12 |
| | 354,684,034 | (455,692,846) | (40,007,857) | (195,341,818) | (220,343,171) |

It is not expected that the cash flows included in the maturity analysis could occur significantly earlier, or at significantly different amount.

Fair value hierarchy

The table below analyses financial instruments carried at fair value, by valuation method. The different levels have been defined as follows:

- Level 1 Fair values are measured based on quoted prices (unadjusted) from active markets for identical financial instruments.
- Level 2 Fair values are measured using inputs, other than those used for Level 1, that are observable for the financial instruments either directly (prices) or indirectly (derived from prices)
- Level 3 Fair values are measured using inputs which are not based on observable market data (unobservable input).

| | 2012 Level 2 RO | 2011 Level 2 RO |
|----------------------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|
| Derivative financial liabilities | 44,448,817 | 42,141,508 |

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21 Financial risk management (continued)

Embedded derivatives

The following agreements contain embedded derivatives as follows:

- (i) The PWPA between the Company and OPWP contain embedded derivatives in the pricing the investment charge rate and the fixed operation and maintenance charge rate for each of the power facility and the desalination facility. Percentages of the fixed operation and maintenance charge rate for each of power facility and the desalination facility will be adjusted to reflect changes in US price index and the Omani Consumer price index.
- (ii) The O & M agreement between the Company and SSOM contain embedded derivatives in pricing the fixed operator fee. Percentages of the fixed operator fee will be adjusted to reflect changes in fixed inflation rate.
- (iii) The LTSA between the Company and GEIL contain embedded derivatives in the pricing the fixed monthly fee and variable monthly fee for provision of long term maintenance services. Percentages of the fixed monthly fee and variable monthly fee will be adjusted to reflect changes in US price index.

These embedded derivative are not separated from the host contract, the PWPA, and accounted for as a standalone derivative under IAS 39, as the management believes that the economic characteristics and risk associated with the embedded derivative are closely related to those of the host contract.

Capital management

The Company aims to maintain a strong capital base so as to maintain investor, creditor and market confidence and to sustain future development and growth of its businesses, while at the same time maintaining an appropriate dividend policy to reward shareholders.

22 Contingent liabilities and guarantees

Guarantees:

| | 2012 | 2011 |
|------------------------|-----------|------------|
| | RO | RO |
| Performance guarantees | 1,540,800 | 19,040,800 |

During the year the Company has taken bank guarantees from Bank Muscat for the amount of USD 4,000,000 to Dhofar Power Company SAOG under the electrical connection agreement.

Liquidated damages:

The Company achieved Commercial Operation Date ("COD") 1 (the Phase 1 Power Milestone) on 16 July 2011 against the originally scheduled date on 6 July 2011 stated in the Power and Water Purchase Agreement ("the PWPA") with the Guaranteed Contracted Power Capacity of 61 MWH.

COD 2 (the Phase II Power and Phase II Water Milestones) was also delayed from its original scheduled date of 6 October 2011 due to the wrong termination kit installation by the Grid Operator, and procured by the grid substation, and occurrence of Cyclone Keila from 1 to 5 November 2011 that impacted construction progress. The Guaranteed Contracted Power Capacity and Guaranteed Contracted Water Capacity during Phase 2 Milestone were 173 MWH and 2841.25 m3/h respectively.

The Company achieved the Phase II Power Milestone on 2 January 2012 and Phase II Water milestone on 12 March 2012 respectively.

Final COD was achieved on 25 May 2012 against the originally scheduled date on 4 April 2012. Delay in the achievement of the milestone was primarily due to the low power grid demand. The Plant was fully operational after COD.

The Company has claimed liquidated damages from SEPCO III, EPC contractor in relation to the above delays.

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22 Contingent liabilities (continued)

Liquidated damages (continued)

The Company is seeking contractual reliefs from OPWP for liquidated damages and revenue losses primarily as follows:

- "Buyer Risk Relief" (which will allow the Company to back date the achievement of Phase 2 Power Milestone) due to the wrong termination kit. However, this relief claim has been disputed by OPWP. Management of the Company is currently in discussion with OPWP to establish the validity of this relief.
- Claim under Clause 28.1 of the PWPA that extreme weather situation (Cyclone Keila hit the coasts of Oman) constitutes a Force Majeure Event for which Management of the Company will seek relief as provided in the PWPA.
- "Buyer Risk Relief" (which allow the Company to back date the achievement of COD) due to the lower grid demand.

SEPCO III has also filed a claim against the Company entitling it to seek recovery of its reasonable increase in costs due to various events amount to owner delays. The claim was principally rejected by the Company and has requested SEPCO III to substantiate the claim that the alleged events in fact caused the delays in achievement of milestones. SEPCO III has yet to establish its entitlement relief for the alleged delay events.

The Company has engaged an external legal counsel to advise and protect the Company's interests in the disputes and claims under the PWPA and the EPC contracts. These claims and disputes are expected to be settled in 2014.

Management of the Company and external legal counsel believes that the final settlement of its disputes with OPWP and SEPCO III should at least result in a neutral position for the Company.

In addition, the Company has received a bank guarantee amounting to USD 70 million, as performance bond from SEPCOIII.

23 Capital commitments

At 31 December 2012, commitments in respect of contracts placed are as follows:

| | 2012 | 2011 |
|--|----------|------------|
| | RO | RO |
| Commitments in respect of contracts placed | X | 49,174,632 |
| Amounts approved by Directors but not contracted | | 11,182,356 |
| | <u> </u> | 60,356,988 |

Operating lease commitments:

At 31 December, future minimum lease commitments under the Usufruct Agreement are as follows:

| Within one year | 1,000 | 1,000 |
|----------------------------|--------|--------|
| Between two and five years | 4,000 | 4,000 |
| After five years | 17,000 | 18,000 |

24 Comparative figures

Certain comparative information has been reclassified to conform to the presentation adopted in these financial statements.

Shareholders' funds before hedging reserves have been additionally presented in the statement of financial position to disclose the capital contributed by the shareholders, the legal reserve and accumulated losses.