

Interim Consolidated Financial Statements

Consolidated Income Statement

in CHF m	Jan	uary–June	April	–June
	2016	2015	2016	2015
Total revenue	1,596.6	1,415.1	853.3	745.2
Materials and service expenses	(664.0)	(574.3)	(359.9)	(304.2)
Personnel expenses	(603.3)	(600.8)	(312.0)	(317.7)
Other operating income and expenses, net	(261.7)	(245.3)	(131.7)	(136.8)
Impairment charges	_	(2.5)	_	(2.5)
Depreciation and amortization	(33.6)	(29.1)	(17.2)	(14.6)
Other gains and (losses), net	6.1	(0.1)	6.1	_
Total operating expenses, net	(1,556.5)	(1,452.1)	(814.7)	(775.8)
Operating profit/(loss)	40.1	(37.0)	38.6	(30.6)
Finance costs, net	(10.2)	(49.2)	(6.4)	(20.3)
Share of result of associates and joint ventures	2.2	1.8	1.0	1.2
Profit/(loss) before tax	32.1	(84.4)	33.2	(49.7)
Income tax expenses	(12.8)	(3.1)	(7.9)	(0.2)
Profit/(loss) for the period	19.3	(87.5)	25.3	(49.9)
thereof attributable to shareholders of the Company	18.3	(88.3)	24.8	(50.3)
thereof attributable to non-controlling interests	1.0	0.8	0.5	0.4
Earnings per share attributable to shareholders of the Company				
Basic earnings per share in CHF	0.70	(3.39)	0.95	(1.93)
Diluted earnings per share in CHF	0.69	(3.39)	0.94	(1.93)

Consolidated Statement of Comprehensive Income

in CHF m	Janua	ary–June	April-	-June
	2016	2015	2016	2015
Profit/(loss) for the period	19.3	(87.5)	25.3	(49.9)
Items that will not be reclassified to profit or loss				
Actuarial (losses)/gains net, on defined benefit schemes, net of taxes	(43.1)	(1.9)	(17.7)	15.2
recourse (1033e3)/gams net, on defined benefit senemes, net of taxes	(13.1)	(1.7)	(=7.7)	
Items that may be reclassified subsequently to profit or loss	(6.0)	18.8	8.5	
				(13.9) 1.3
Items that may be reclassified subsequently to profit or loss Currency translation differences arising during the period	(6.0)	18.8	8.5	(13.9) 1.3
Items that may be reclassified subsequently to profit or loss Currency translation differences arising during the period Other comprehensive income	(6.0) (49.1)	18.8 16.9	8.5 (9.2)	(13.9)

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Consolidated Balance Sheet

in CHF m	June 30, 2016	December 31, 2015	June 30, 2015
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Cash and cash equivalents	131.2	102.6	134.0
Trade receivables	340.6	284.7	292.1
Other current receivables and prepayments	103.6	94.5	100.7
Inventories	123.7	101.9	94.2
Current income tax assets	13.3	10.4	11.2
Total current assets	712.4	594.1	632.2
Property, plant and equipment	288.4	284.4	274.7
Intangible assets	610.8	412.1	399.7
Investments in associates and joint ventures	13.0	15.0	14.6
Other non-current receivables	34.0	34.8	39.4
Deferred income tax assets	47.3	45.9	46.9
Total non-current assets	993.5	792.2	775.3
Total assets	1,705.9	1,386.3	1,407.5
Short-term debt	257.7	65.3	118.4
Trade and other payables	251.7	217.3	229.9
Current income tax liabilities	16.4	14.7	16.2
Short-term provisions	30.5	36.6	52.6
Other current liabilities	345.9	298.9	284.2
Total current liabilities	902.2	632.8	701.3
Long-term debt	271.5	277.4	263.7
Deferred income tax liabilities	23.7	13.9	12.3
Retirement benefit obligations	233.0	192.4	185.5
Long-term provisions	60.9	33.0	32.2
Other non-current liabilities	3.7	3.5	3.8
Total non-current liabilities	592.8	520.2	497.5
Total liabilities	1,495.0	1,153.0	1,198.8
Equity attributable to shareholders of the Company	195.2	230.3	205.7
Non-controlling interests	15.7	3.0	3.0
Total equity	210.9	233.3	208.7
Total liabilities and equity	1,705.9	1,386.3	

Consolidated Statement of Changes in Equity

	Attributable to shareholders of the Company						
in CHF m	Share capital	Treasury shares	Retained earnings and other reserves	Currency translation	Total	Non- controlling interests	Total equity
At January 1, 2016	134.0	(19.6)	90.4	25.5	230.3	3.0	233.3
Profit for the period	_	_	18.3	_	18.3	1.0	19.3
Other comprehensive income	_	_	(43.1)	(5.9)	(49.0)	(0.1)	(49.1)
Total comprehensive income	_	_	(24.8)	(5.9)	(30.7)	0.9	(29.8)
Equity-settled share-based payments	_	_	3.4	_	3.4	_	3.4
Issue of treasury shares to employees	_	1.3	(1.3)	_	_	_	_
Capital increase non-controlling interests	_	_	_	_	_	0.5	0.5
Change in non-controlling interests	_	_	_	_	_	12.1	12.1
Dividends paid	_	_	(7.8)	_	(7.8)	_	(7.8)
Dividends paid to non-controlling interests	_	_	_	_	_	(0.8)	(0.8)
At June 30, 2016	134.0	(18.3)	59.9	19.6	195.2	15.7	210.9
At January 1, 2015	134.0	(20.4)	167.6	6.5	287.7	3.0	290.7
(Loss)/profit for the period	_	_	(88.3)	_	(88.3)	0.8	(87.5)
Other comprehensive income	_	_	(1.9)	19.0	17.1	(0.2)	16.9
Total comprehensive income	_	_	(90.2)	19.0	(71.2)	0.6	(70.6)
Equity-settled share-based payments	_	_	0.9	_	0.9	_	0.9
Issue of treasury shares to employees	_	0.8	(0.8)	_	_	_	_
Dividends paid	_	_	(11.7)	_	(11.7)	_	(11.7)
Dividends paid to non-controlling interests	_	_	_	_	_	(0.6)	(0.6)
At June 30, 2015	134.0	(19.6)	65.8	25.5	205.7	3.0	208.7

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Consolidated Cash Flow Statement

in CHF m	January–June 2016	January–June 2015
Profit/(loss) before tax	32.1	(84.4)
Adjustments for:	52.1	(04.4)
Finance costs, net	10.2	49.2
Share-based payments	3.4	0.9
Share of result of associates and joint ventures	(2.2)	(1.8)
Depreciation and amortization	33.6	29.1
Impairment charges		2.5
Other (gains) and losses, net	(6.1)	0.1
Net cash flow before working capital and provision changes	71.0	(4.4)
Changes in working capital	(11.1)	(10.0)
Changes in provisions and retirement benefit obligations	(19.1)	33.7
Cash generated from operations	40.8	19.3
Interest paid	(4.1)	(14.8)
Early repayment fee		(5.2)
Interest received	0.5	0.3
Income taxes paid, net	(8.7)	(9.1)
Net cash flow generated from/(used in) operating activities	28.5	(9.5)
Acquisition of subsidiaries, net of cash acquired	(80.2)	(1.5)
Purchase of property, plant and equipment	(26.5)	(16.3)
Purchase of intangible assets	(2.3)	(3.8)
Proceeds from sale of assets	1.7	0.6
Dividends from associates and joint ventures	1.0	0.4
Capital increase in associates	(0.3)	-
Net cash flow used in investing activities	(106.6)	(20.6)
Proceeds from debt	208.8	118.4
Repayments of debt and other financing costs	(93.2)	(111.4)
Dividends paid	(7.8)	(11.7)
Dividends paid to non-controlling interests	(0.8)	(0.6)
Net cash flow generated from/(used in) financing activities	107.0	(5.3)
Increase/(decrease) in cash and cash equivalents	28.9	(35.4)
Movement in cash and cash equivalents		
At start of the year	102.6	183.8
Increase/(decrease) in cash and cash equivalents	28.9	(35.4)
Effects of exchange rate changes	(0.3)	(14.4)
At end of the period	131.2	134.0

1. General Information

gategroup Holding AG (the "Company") and its subsidiaries (together the "Group") are primarily engaged in the operation of airline catering and provisioning services worldwide. The majority of the Group's operations are located in Europe and North America. The Company has its registered office at Balz-Zimmermannstrasse 7, CH-8302 Kloten, Switzerland and its shares are listed on the SIX Swiss Exchange.

These interim consolidated financial statements were authorized for issue by the Board of Directors of the Company (the "Board") on August 31, 2016.

2. Accounting Policies

2.1 Basis of preparation

These interim consolidated financial statements, for the six month period ended June 30, 2016, have been prepared in accordance with IAS 34, "Interim Financial Reporting". The interim consolidated financial statements should be read in conjunction with the annual consolidated financial statements for the year ended December 31, 2015, which have been prepared in accordance with International Financial Reporting Standards ("IFRS") as issued by the International Accounting Standards Board ("IASB").

2.2 Changes in accounting policies

The accounting policies applied in the interim consolidated financial statements are consistent with those used in the 2015 annual consolidated financial statements, except where noted in the following paragraph:

Income tax expense is recognized based upon the best estimate of the average annual income tax rate expected for the full year.

The interim consolidated financial statements contain assumptions and estimates that affect the figures stated in this interim report. The definitive results may differ from these estimates.

The following new standards and amendments to standards are mandatory for the first time for the financial year beginning January 1, 2016, but did not have a material impact on the interim consolidated financial statements:

Standard	Effective date	Relevance for the Group
Annual Improvements to	January 1, 2016	Several standards have been modified on miscellaneous
IFRSs 2012–2014 Cycle		points.
IAS 1 (amendment) – Disclosure Initiative	January 1, 2016	The amendments aim at clarifying IAS 1 to address
		perceived impediments to preparers exercising their
		judgment in presenting their financial reports.

The following new standards and amendments to standards have been issued but are not effective for the financial year beginning January 1, 2016, and have not been early adopted:

Standard	Effective date
IAS 7 (amendment) – Disclosure Initiative*	January 1, 2017
IFRS 2 (amendment) – Classification and Measurement of Share-based Payment Transactions*	January 1, 2018
IFRS 7 (amendment) – Disclosures – Initial application of IFRS 9*	January 1, 2018
IFRS 9 – Financial Instruments*	January 1, 2018
IFRS 15 – Revenue from Contracts with Customers*	January 1, 2018
IFRS 16 – Leases*	January 1, 2019
IAS 28 and IFRS 10 (amendment) – Sale or Contribution of Assets	Deferred
between an Investor and its Associate or Joint Venture*	

^{*} Impact still to be assessed

3. Segment Information

3.1 Reportable segment information

January–June, 2016	EMEA	North	Latin	Asia	Eliminations	Total
in CHF m		America	America	Pacific		reportable
						segments
Catering and retail on board	489.4	259.4	79.6	98.8	_	927.2
Handling	138.2	195.4	20.7	35.6	_	389.9
Equipment	128.1	3.6	_	0.4	_	132.1
Other	59.4	62.1	9.4	16.5	_	147.4
Intersegment	3.3	2.4	_	0.2	(5.9)	_
Total revenue	818.4	522.9	109.7	151.5	(5.9)	1,596.6
Segment EBITDA	50.0	8.7	10.6	6.9	_	76.2
Additions to non-current assets ⁽¹⁾	11.6	13.5	2.2	1.5	_	28.8
January–June, 2015						
in CHF m						
Catering and retail on board	348.6	248.8	78.4	95.4	_	771.2
Handling	143.3	186.0	19.1	29.9	_	378.3
Equipment	121.8	3.9	_	0.2	_	125.9
Other	55.2	52.9	10.1	21.5	_	139.7
Intersegment	2.9	2.4	_	0.3	(5.6)	_
Total revenue	671.8	494.0	107.6	147.3	(5.6)	1,415.1
Segment EBITDA	20.5	(3.2)	8.3	4.2	_	29.8
Additions to non-current assets(1)	5.3	10.9	2.4	1.5	_	20.1

 $^{^{(\}hspace{-.05cm})}$ Relates to property, plant and equipment and intangible assets

Included in the 2015 result of North America is a CHF 10.5m expense related to the labor agreement with the US workforce.

3.2 Reconciliation

Reconciliation of Segment EBITDA to operating profit/(loss)

in CHF m	January-June	January-June
	2016	2015
Segment EBITDA – reportable segments	76.2	29.8
Share-based payments	(3.4)	(0.9)
Restructuring costs	(1.7)	(32.1)
Operating taxes (non-income taxes)	(3.8)	(2.5)
Depreciation	(25.9)	(24.4)
Amortization	(7.7)	(4.7)
Impairment charges	_	(2.5)
Other gains and (losses), net	6.1	(0.1)
Management fees, net	0.3	0.4
Operating profit/(loss)	40.1	(37.0)

4. Finance Costs, Net

in CHF m	Janua	ary–June	April–June	
	2016	2015	2016	2015
Financial income	0.5	0.3	0.2	0.2
Financial expenses	(11.8)	(25.1)	(6.2)	(15.5)
Net interest on defined benefit schemes	(3.1)	(2.9)	(1.5)	(1.5)
Foreign exchange gains/(losses), net	4.2	(21.5)	1.1	(3.5)
Finance costs, net	(10.2)	(49.2)	(6.4)	(20.3)

The net foreign exchange loss of CHF 21.5m as of June 30, 2015, was primarily due to the Swiss National Bank's removal of the currency ceiling against the Euro on January 15, 2015. This resulted in a significant strengthening of the Swiss Franc against most major currencies in which the Group operates.

5. Seasonality

Historically, the Group's revenue has exhibited some seasonality with the strongest revenue performance being in the second and third quarters. Traditionally, cash flow generation has been stronger in the second half of the year.

6. Earnings per Share

Basic earnings per share

Basic earnings per share is calculated by dividing profit or loss attributable to shareholders of the Company by the weighted average number of shares outstanding during the period. Treasury shares are not considered as outstanding shares.

	January-June		April-June	
	2016	2015	2016	2015
Profit/(loss) for the period attributable to shareholders of the Company (in CHF m)	18.3	(88.3)	24.8	(50.3)
Weighted average number of shares outstanding	26,128,858	26,075,877	26,139,569	26,084,855
Basic earnings per share (in CHF)	0.70	(3.39)	0.95	(1.93)

Diluted earnings per share

Diluted earnings per share is calculated by dividing profit or loss attributable to shareholders of the Company by the weighted average number of shares adjusted for all potentially dilutive shares.

	January-June		April–June	
	2016	2015	2016	2015
Profit/(loss) for the period attributable to shareholders of the Company (in CHF m)	18.3	(88.3)	24.8	(50.3)
Weighted average number of shares outstanding	26,128,858	26,075,877	26,139,569	26,084,855
Adjustment for share-based payment arrangements, where dilutive	312,448	_	336,496	_
Adjusted weighted average number of shares outstanding	26,441,306	26,075,877	26,476,065	26,084,855
Diluted earnings per share (in CHF)	0.69	(3.39)	0.94	(1.93)

In the six month period ended June 30, 2015, the Group incurred a loss and therefore the diluted loss per share equals the basic loss per share.

7. Short-term and Long-term Debt

On March 26, 2015, the Group entered into a five-year EUR 240.0m multicurrency Revolving Credit Facility ("RCF"). On March 16, 2016, the RCF was extended by EUR 110.0m to EUR 350.0m. As of June 30, 2016, the Group utilized EUR 80.0m, GBP 12.5m and SEK 1,280m of the RCF (CHF 250.0m).

On April 30, 2015, the Group redeemed EUR 100.0m of its 6.75% coupon bearing EUR 350.0m senior unsecured notes. In conjunction with this EUR 100.0m repayment, an early repayment fee of 5.063% was paid and previously capitalized transaction costs of EUR 2.2m were expensed.

On November 23, 2015, the Group redeemed the remaining EUR 250.0m 6.75% coupon bearing senior notes with the proceeds from a new five-year EUR 250.0m Term Loan.

8. Retirement Benefit Obligations

An actuarial loss, net of taxes, of CHF 43.1m (2015 loss: CHF 1.9m) was recognized through comprehensive income in the six month period ended June 30, 2016. The 2016 actuarial loss arises principally from a decrease in discount rates in all major plans, partially off-set by positive returns on plan assets in the US and UK and a reduction in inflation in the UK. The 2015 loss arose mainly from lower than expected asset returns partially off-set by an increased discount rate in the United States.

9. Equity

Dividend

On April 20, 2016, the Company paid a dividend of CHF 0.30 per share to its shareholders. The total amount of the dividend paid was CHF 7,835,444 (2015: 11,730,060). No dividends were distributed on the 668,190 Treasury Shares held by the Company and its subsidiaries.

10. Contingent Liabilities

The Group has contingent liabilities arising in the ordinary course of business, principally in respect of legal claims, tax risks, guarantees, customer relationships, pledges, letters of credit and treasury relationships and transactions. It is not anticipated that any material liabilities will arise from such contingent liabilities.

11. Business Combinations

Business combinations 2016

The Group:

- purchased 100% of Inflight Service Group ("IFS") on February 1, 2016. IFS is a leading airline retail on board provider in Europe with
 a focus on the Nordic and Baltic region. With the acquisition, the Group became the leader in retail on board services in terms of
 size, number of customers, business intelligence and on board technology.
- increased its share in Gate Gourmet & MAASA Mexico, S.A.P.I. de C.V. and Prestadora de Servicios Gate Gourmet & MAASA Mexico, S.A.P.I. de C.V. ("GG Mexico") by 1% to 51% on June 13, 2016. GG Mexico's lines of business include manufacturing prepared foods and miscellaneous food specialties for the Latin American region, mainly in the airline catering sector.
- purchased 75% of Cambodia Air Catering Services LTD ("CACS") on March 17, 2016. CACS is the main inflight and airport lounge catering service provider in Cambodia. The Group is confident that the addition of CACS will expand its ability to bring innovative approaches to new customers and geographies and will help provide synergies in the Asian Pacific region.
- purchased 60% of Campamentos de Obra Moviles S.L. ("COMO") on May 3, 2016. The corporate purpose of COMO is to provide services, such as catering and auxiliary services, in camps and remote areas in Spain, Middle East and Latin America. With the acquisition of COMO the Group is strengthening its presence and activities in these regions.

Goodwill related to the acquisitions arose because the consideration paid for the combinations effectively included amounts in relation to expected synergies, revenue growth, future market development and the assembled workforce of the businesses acquired. These benefits are not separable from goodwill. None of the goodwill recognized is expected to be deductible for tax purposes.

The initial accounting for all business combinations have only been provisionally determined at the end of the reporting period. The necessary market valuations, other calculations and final determination of the consideration have not been finalized and are therefore based on best estimates. The principal amounts being provisional are receivables and payables, intangible assets, goodwill and long-term provisions.

IFRS 3 allows up to a twelve-month measurement period from acquisition date to complete the initial accounting. Changes in the carrying amounts of the identifiable assets and liabilities will be calculated as if any revised fair values had been recognized from acquisition date.

The accounting for the acquisitions are summarized as follows:

in CHF m	Provisional IFS	Fair value	Provisional	Provisional	Provisional	Provisional
	as previously reported	adjustments	IFS Total	GG Mexico	Other	Total
Trade receivables	5.1	_	5.1	7.2	1.6	13.9
Other current receivables and prepayments	7.1	(0.1)	7.0	3.5	1.7	12.2
Inventories	16.1	(0.2)	15.9	0.9	_	16.8
Current income tax assets	0.9	_	0.9	_	_	0.9
Property, plant and equipment	0.9	_	0.9	3.2	0.6	4.7
Intangible assets	59.0	_	59.0	4.3	2.3	65.6
Deferred income tax assets	0.9	_	0.9	0.6	0.3	1.8
Short-term debt	(77.3)	_	(77.3)	_	(0.9)	(78.2)
Trade and other payables	(18.3)	_	(18.3)	(8.8)	(1.0)	(28.1)
Current income tax liabilities	-	_	_	_	(0.7)	(0.7)
Other current liabilities	(10.8)	(0.2)	(11.0)	(2.6)	(0.6)	(14.2)
Long-term debt	_	-	_	_	(0.4)	(0.4)
Deferred income tax liabilities	(8.3)	_	(8.3)	(1.0)	(0.1)	(9.4)
Long-term provisions	(30.4)	(1.2)	(31.6)	(1.2)	(1.1)	(33.9)
Other non-current liabilities	_	-	_	_	(1.0)	(1.0)
Fair value of net (liabilities)/assets acquired	(47.8)	(1.7)	(49.5)	7.3	1.5	(40.7)
Goodwill on acquisition	124.7	1.7	126.4	14.5	9.8	150.7
Contingent consideration	_	_	_	_	(0.2)	(0.2)
Non-controlling interests	_	_	_	(8.7)	(3.4)	(12.1)
Fair value of previously held interest	_	_	_	(8.8)	_	(8.8)
Total cash consideration transferred	76.9	_	76.9	4.3	7.7	88.9
Less: Cash and cash equivalents	(7.3)	_	(7.3)	(1.2)	(0.8)	(9.3)
Cash outflow on acquisition	69.6	_	69.6	3.1	6.9	79.6

IFS

Receivables acquired are stated at fair value. It is expected that all receivables can be collected. Included in the long-term provisions of IFS are onerous contracts of CHF 11.5m.

The fair value adjustments during the second quarter arose from a further review of inventory and provisions together with the related impact on deferred taxes and goodwill.

The inclusion of IFS in the consolidated financial statements from the beginning of the financial year to the initial consolidation on February 1, 2016, would have generated approximately additional revenues of CHF 17.1m and a net loss of CHF 0.7m. From the initial accounting to June 30, 2016, IFS contributed revenues of CHF 94.8m and a net profit of CHF 5.4m.

Acquisition related costs amount to CHF 1.2m and are not included in the consideration transferred. They have been recognized as an expense in "Other operating income and expenses, net" in the consolidated income statement.

GG Mexico

As control has now been obtained, the investment previously accounted for using the equity method will be fully consolidated from the acquisition date. The re-measurement to fair value of the previously held interest resulted in a gain of CHF 4.4m. This gain was recognised in "Other gains and (losses), net" in the consolidated income statement.

Receivables acquired are stated at fair value. It is expected that all receivables can be collected.

The inclusion of GG Mexico in the consolidated financial statements from the beginning of the financial year to the initial consolidation on June 13, 2016, would have generated approximately additional revenues of CHF 20.9m and a net profit of CHF 1.5m. From the initial accounting to June 30, 2016, GG Mexico contributed revenues of CHF 4.2m and a net profit of CHF 0.5m.

Acquisition related costs amount to CHF 0.3m and are not included in the consideration transferred. They have been recognized as an expense in "Other operating income and expenses, net" in the consolidated income statement.

CACS

Receivables acquired are stated at fair value. It is expected that all receivables can be collected. The Group has agreed to pay an additional contingent consideration of CHF o.1m to a former shareholder of CACS on the third anniversary of the closing date, subject to the shareholder being able to satisfy specific requirements.

The non-controlling interest recognized at the acquisition date was measured at fair value and amounted to CHF 2.om.

The inclusion of CACS in the consolidated financial statements from the beginning of the financial year to the initial consolidation on March 17, 2016, would have generated approximately additional revenues of CHF 1.5m and a net profit of CHF 0.4m. From the initial accounting to June 30, 2016, CACS contributed revenues of CHF 1.9m and a net profit of CHF 0.3m.

Acquisition related costs amount to CHF o.1m and are not included in the consideration transferred. They have been recognized as an expense in "Other operating income and expenses, net" in the consolidated income statement.

COMO

Receivables acquired are stated at fair value. It is expected that all receivables can be collected. The Group has agreed to pay additional contingent considerations up to CHF 2.4m to a former shareholder of COMO by latest July 31, 2017, if certain conditions are satisfied.

The non-controlling interest recognized at the acquisition date was measured at fair value and amounted to CHF 1.4m.

The inclusion of COMO in the consolidated financial statements from the beginning of the financial year to the initial consolidation on May 3, 2016, would have generated approximately additional revenues of CHF o.6m and a net loss of CHF o.4m. From the initial accounting to June 30, 2016, COMO contributed revenues of CHF o.3m and a net loss of CHF o.3m.

Acquisition related costs amount to CHF o.1m and are not included in the consideration transferred. They have been recognized as an expense in "Other operating income and expenses, net" in the consolidated income statement.

HELIOS

A deferred consideration of CHF o.6m was paid in May 2016 in relation to the acquisition of Helios in 2012.

Business combinations 2015

The Group did not make any acquisitions during the six month period ended June 30, 2015.

12. Events Occurring After the End of the Interim Reporting Period

There are no events occuring after the end of the reporting period that warrant disclosure.

