Separate financial statements

Quarter IV 2019



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GENERAL INFORMATION

THE COMPANY

Vincom Retail Joint Stock Company ("the Company"), previously known as Vincom Retail Company Limited, is established in accordance with the Business Registration Certificate No. 0105850244 issued by the Hanoi Department of Planning and Investment on 11 April 2012. In accordance with the 2nd amended Business Registration Certificate dated 14 May 2013, the Company changed its legal form to a joint stock company and also changed its name to Vincom Retail Joint Stock Company. Subsequently, the Company obtained amended Enterprise Registration Certificates with the latest is the 20th amended Enterprise Registration Certificate being granted on 02 January 2019.

The Company's shares were officially listed on the Ho Chi Minh Stock Exchange (HOSE) on 6 November 2017.

The current principal activities of the Company are to invest in and develop shopping centers for lease and inventory properties for sale.

The Company's head office is located at No. 7, Bang Lang 1 Street, Vinhomes Riverside, Viet Hung ward, Long Bien district, Hanoi, Vietnam.

Vingroup JSC is the Company's ultimate parent company. Vingroup JSC and its subsidiaries are hereby referred as the Group.

BOARD OF DIRECTORS

Members of the Board of Directors during the year and at the date of this report are:

Ms. Thai Thi Thanh Hai Chairwoman

Ms. Mai Thu Thuy Member (resigned on 01 August 2019)

Ms. Tran Mai Hoa Member
Ms. Nguyen Thi Diu Member
Ms. Le Mai Lan Member

Mr. Brett Krause Independent member Mr. Timothy J. Daly Independent member

Mr. Jeffrey David Perlman Member (resigned on 08 July 2019)

Mr. Phan Thanh Son Independent member (resigned on 01 August 2019)

MANAGEMENT

Members of the management during the year and at the date of this report are:

Ms. Tran Mai Hoa General Director

Mr. Nguyen Anh Dung Deputy General Director

Security, Safety & Fire Prevention

Ms. Tran Thu Hien Deputy General Director

Sales & Marketing

Ms. Pham Ngoc Thoa Chief Finance Officer

BOARD OF SUPERVISION

Members of the Board of Supervision during the year and at the date of this report are:

Ms. Do Thi Quynh Trang Head
Ms. Nguyen Thu Phuong Member
Ms. Tran Thanh Tam Member

LEGAL REPRESENTATIVE

The legal representatives of the Company during the year and up to the date of this report are Ms. Thai Thi Thanh Hai, Ms. Tran Mai Hoa and Mr. Nguyen Anh Dung.

Ms. Pham Ngoc Thoa is authorised by the legal representative of the Company to sign the Company's financial statements in accordance with the Authorisation Letter dated 28 March 2019.

REPORT OF MANAGEMENT

Management of Vincom Retail Joint Stock Company ("the Company") presents this report and the separate financial statements of the Company for Quarter IV 2019.

MANAGEMENT'S RESPONSIBILITY IN RESPECT OF THE SEPARATE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

Management is responsible for the separate financial statements of each financial year which give a true and fair view of the separate financial position of the Company, and of the separate results of its operations and its separate cash flows for the year. In preparing those separate financial statements, management is required to:

- select suitable accounting policies and then apply them consistently;
- make judgements and estimates that are reasonable and prudent;
- ▶ state whether applicable accounting standards have been followed, subject to any material departures disclosed and explained in the separate financial statements; and
- prepare the separate financial statements on the going concern basis unless it is inappropriate to presume that the Company will continue its business.

Management is responsible for ensuring that proper accounting records are kept which disclose, with reasonable accuracy at any time, the financial position of the Company and to ensure that the accounting records comply with the applied accounting system. It is also responsible for safeguarding the assets of the Company and hence for taking reasonable steps for the prevention and detection of fraud and other irregularities.

Management confirmed that it has complied with the above requirements in preparing the accompanying Separate financial statements.

STATEMENT BY MANAGEMENT

Management does hereby state that, in its opinion, the accompanying separate financial statements give a true and fair view of the separate financial position of the Company as at 31 December 2019, and the separate results of its operations and its separate cash flows for the period then ended in accordance with Vietnamese Accounting Standards, Vietnamese Enterprise Accounting System and the statutory requirements relevant to the preparation and presentation of separate financial statements.

The Company has subsidiaries as disclosed in the separate financial statements. The Company prepared these separate financial statements to meet the prevailing requirements in relation to disclosure of information, specifically the Circular 155/2015/TT-BTC on disclosure of information on the securities market. In addition, as required by these regulations, the Company has also prepared the consolidated financial statements of the Company and its subsidiaries for Quarter IV 2019 ("the consolidated financial statement") dated 30 January 2020.

Users of the accompanying separate financial statements should read these separate financial statements together with the consolidated financial statements of the Company and its subsidiaries in an amount of the consolidated financial position, consolidated results of operations and consolidated cash flows of the Company and its subsidiaries.

For and ph behalf of management:

Pham Ngoc Thoa Chief Finance Officer

Hanoi, Vietnam

30 January 2020

SEPARATE BALANCE SHEET as at 31 December 2019

| Code | ASSETS | Notes | As at 31/12/2019 | As at 31/12/2018 |
|--|---|---------------|--|---|
| 100 | A CURRENT ASSETS | | 4,664,417 | 6,838,572 |
| 110 | I. Cash and cash equivalents | 4 | 1,197,520 | 2,051,375 |
| 111 | I 1. Cash | | 1,197,520 | 401,375 |
| 112 | 2. Cash equivalents | | - | 1,650,000 |
| 120 123 | II. Short-term investments 1. Held-to-maturity investments | 5 | - | <i>600,000</i> 600,000 |
| 130 | III. Current accounts receivable | | 1,398,011 | 1,520,935 |
| 131 | Short-term trade receivables | 6 | 279,822 | |
| 132 | 2. Short-term advances to suppliers | ŀ | 54,606 | 1 |
| 135 | 3. Short-term loan receivables | 27 | - | 792,293 |
| 136 137 | Other short-term receivables Provision for doubtful short-term receivables | 7 6 | 1,064,460 | |
| 137 | 5. Provision for doubtrul short-term receivables | В | (877) | (45) |
| 140 | N. Inventories | 8 | 952,143 | 772,330 |
| 141 | 1. Inventories | | 952,143 | 772,330 |
| 150 | V. Other current assets | | 1,116,743 | 1,893,932 |
| 151 | 1. Short-term prepaid expenses | 9 | 50,860 | |
| 152 | 2. Value-added tax deductible | | 650 | |
| 153 | Tax and other receivables from the State | | 233 | - |
| 155 | 2. Other current assets | 10 | 1,065,000 | 1,783,000 |
| 200 | B. NON-CURRENT ASSETS | | 24,366,725 | 22,716,754 |
| 210 | I. Long-term receivables | | 1,403,223 | 1,401,849 |
| 215 | Long-term loan receivables | 27 | 1,400,000 | 1,400,000 |
| 216 | 2. Other long-term receivables | | 3,223 | 1,849 |
| 220 | II. Fixed assets | | 31,862 | 27,850 |
| 221 | Tangible fixed assets | 11 | 10,264 | |
| 222 | Cost | | 13,054 | 5,088 |
| 223 | Accumulated depreciation | | (2,790) | (1,402) |
| 227 228 | 2. Intangible assets Cost | 12 | 21,598 | |
| 229 | Accumulated amortisation | | 44,222 (22,624) | 40,170 (16,006) |
| | | 13 | | • |
| 230 231 | III. Investment properties 1. Cost | 13 | 4,268,587 4,692,049 | 2,858,866 3,145,230 |
| 232 | Accumulated depreciation | | (423,462) | |
| 240 | IV. Long-term assets in progress | | 373,197 | 371,762 |
| 242 | Construction in progress | 14 | 373,197 373,197 | 371,762 371,762 |
| | . • | | | |
| | _ | 15 | | 17,469,885 12,199,789 |
| | | | | |
| 255 | Held-to-maturity investments | 5 | 700,000 | 1,700,000 |
| 260 | VI. Other long-term assets | | 647 247 | 586,542 |
| | _ | 9 | | 30,542 |
| 268 | Other long-term assets | 10 | 597,000 | 556,000 |
| 270 | TOTAL ASSETS | | 20 031 1/2 | 29,555,326 |
| 250 251 253 255 260 261 | V. Long-term investments 1. Investments in subsidiaries 2. Investments in other entities 3. Held-to-maturity investments VI. Other long-term assets 1. Long-term prepaid expenses | 15 16 5 | 17,642,609 12,579,789 4,362,820 700,000 647,247 50,247 | 17,4 12,1 3,5 1,7 5 |

SEPARATE BALANCE SHEET (continued) as at 31 December 2019

Currency: VND million

| Code | EQUITY | Notes | As at 31/12/2019 | As at 31/12/2019 |
|------|---|-------|------------------|------------------|
| 300 | C. LIABILITIES | | 5,024,774 | 5,252,580 |
| 310 | I. Current liabilities | | 2,031,641 | 2,275,745 |
| 311 | Short-term trade payables | 17.1 | 214,731 | 419,861 |
| 312 | 2. Short-term advances from customers | 17.2 | 436,259 | 778,647 |
| 313 | 3. Statutory obligations | 18 | 78,986 | 95,614 |
| 314 | 4. Payables to employees | | 469 | 655 |
| 315 | 5. Short-term accrued expenses | 19 | 562,236 | 370,205 |
| 318 | 6. Short-term unearned revenue | | 7,332 | 4,208 |
| 319 | 7. Other short-term payables | 20 | 721,783 | 598,923 |
| 321 | 8. Short-term provisions | | 9,845 | 7,632 |
| 330 | . Non-current liabilities | | 2,993,133 | 2,976,835 |
| 336 | Long-term unearned revenue | | 120.204 | 107,774 |
| 337 | 2. Other long-term liabilities | 20 | 274,834 | 271,846 |
| 338 | 3. Long-term loans and debts | 21 | 2,598,095 | 2,597,215 |
| 400 | D. OWNERS' EQUITY | | 24,006,368 | 24,302,746 |
| 410 | I. Capital | 22 | 24,006,368 | 24,302,746 |
| 411 | 1. Issued share capital | | 23,288,184 | 23,288,184 |
| 411a | - Shares with voting rights | | 23,288,184 | 23,288,184 |
| 412 | 2. Share premium | | 46,983 | 46,983 |
| 415 | 3. Treasury shares | | (1,954,258) | · - |
| 420 | 4. Other funds belonging to owners' equity | | 5,000 | - |
| 421 | 5. Undistributed earnings | | 2,620,459 | 967,579 |
| 421a | - Accumulated losses by the end of prior year | | - | (260,011) |
| 421b | - Undistributed earnings of current period | | 2,620,459 | 1,227,590 |
| 440 | TOTAL FOURTY | | 00 004 440 | 00.000.000 |
| 440 | TOTAL EQUITY | 1 | 29,031,142 | 29,555,326 |

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SEPARATE INCOME STATEMENT Quarter IV 2019

| Code | ITEMS | Notes | Quarter IV 2019 | Quarter IV 2018 | Current year | Previous year |
|-----------------|--|-------|--|--|---------------------------------|--|
| 01 | Revenue from sale of goods and rendering of services | 23.1 | 1,332,408 | 450,789 | 3,808,486 | 1,526,303 |
| 02 | 2. Deductions | 23.1 | ٠ | • | • | |
| 10 | 3. Net revenue from sale of goods and rendering of services | 23.1 | 1,332,408 | 450,789 | 3,808,486 | 1,526,303 |
| 11 | 4. Cost of goods sold and services rendered | 24 | (771,937) | (309,762) | (2,343,655) | (1,017,675) |
| 20 | 5. Gross profit from sale of goods and rendering of services | | 560,471 | 141,027 | 1,464,831 | 508,628 |
| 21 | 6. Finance income | 23.2 | 1,285,442 | 141,849 | 3,433,674 | 1,337,762 |
| 22 23 | 7. Finance expenses In which: Interest expenses | 25 | (72,800) (72,800) | (65,548) (<i>65,548</i>) | (275,249) (274,908) | (351,290) (<i>351,230</i>) |
| 25 | 8. Selling expenses | 26 | (80,082) | (17,876) | (156,695) | (59,787) |
| 26 | 9. General and administrative expenses | 26 | (15,581) | (21,038) | (96,375) | (40,959) |
| 30 | 10. Operating profit | | 1,677,450 | 178,414 | 4,370,186 | 1,394,354 |

SEPARATE INCOME STATEMENT (continued)
Quarter IV 2019

Currency: VND million

| Code | ITEMS | Notes | Quarter IV 2019 | Quarter IV 2018 | Current year | Previous year |
|------|---|-------|-----------------|-----------------|--------------|---------------|
| 31 | 11. Other income | | 5,456 | 555 | 12,930 | 1,488 |
| 32 | 12. Other expenses | | (822) | (375) | (1,186) | (7,080) |
| 40 | 13. Other profit/(loss) | | 4,634 | 180 | 11,744 | (5,592) |
| 50 | 14. Accounting profit before tax | | 1,682,084 | 178,594 | 4,381,930 | 1,388,762 |
| 51 | 15. Current corporate income tax expenses | 27 | (96,787) | (37,890) | (278,791) | (161,172) |
| 60 | 16. Net profit after tax | | 1,585,297 | 140,704 | 4,103,139 | 1,227,590 |

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SEPARATE CASH FLOW STATEMENT Quarter IV 2019

| Code | ITEMS | Current year | Previous year |
|------|---|--------------|-----------------|
| | | | |
| | II. CASH FLOWS FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES | | |
| 01 | Profit before tax | 4,381,930 | 1,388,762 |
| | Adjustments for: | | |
| 02 | Depreciation of tangible fixed assets and investment properties and amortisation of intangible assets | 145,109 | 124,715 |
| 03 | Provisions | 3,045 | 213 |
| 05 | Profits from investing activities | (3,433,674) | (1,337,538) |
| 06 | Interest expenses and bond issue costs | 274,908 | 1 ' ' ' |
| 08 | Operating profit before changes in working capital | 1,371,318 | 527,382 |
| 09 | Changes in receivables | 176,122 | (121,104) |
| 10 | Changes in inventories | (179,813) | |
| 11 | Changes in payables (other than interests, | (548,094) | |
| '' | corporate income tax) | (540,054) | 1,233,333 |
| 12 | Changes in prepaid expenses | 40,401 | (77,909) |
| 14 | Interests paid | (257,653) | |
| 15 | Corporate income tax paid | (156,235) | |
| 20 | Net cash flows from operating activities | 446,046 | 659,457 |
| | II. CASH FLOWS FROM INVESTING ACTIVITIES | | |
| 21 | Purchase, construction of fixed assets and other long-term assets | (3,844,785) | (1,160,329) |
| 21 | Collection on investment deposits | 1,596,000 | |
| | Proceeds from disposals of fixed assets | - | 1,530 |
| 23 | Loans to other entities and payments for purchase of debt instruments of other entities | (305,000) | (50,000) |
| 24 | Collections from borrowers and proceeds from sale of debt instruments of other entities | 2,697,293 | 2,936,385 |
| 25 | Payments for investments in other entities | (380,000) | (1,000) |
| 26 | Proceeds from sale of investments in other entities | 1,000 | , , , , |
| 27 | Interests and dividends received | 3,335,094 | 1,420,256 |
| 30 | Net cash flows from investing activities | 3,099,602 | 3,831,842 |

SEPARATE CASH FLOW STATEMENT (continued) Quarter IV 2019

Currency: VND million

| Code | ITEMS | Current year | Previous year |
|------|---|--------------|---------------|
| | III. CASH FLOWS FROM FINANCING ACTIVITIES | 17-24 | 35363 (4.) |
| 32 | Capital redemption | (1,954,258) | _ |
| 34 | Repayment of borrowings and bonds | - | (3,200,000) |
| 36 | Dividends paid | (2,445,245) | - |
| 40 | Net cash flows (used in) financing activities | (4,399,503) | (3,200,000) |
| 50 | Net (decrease)/increase in cash and cash equivalents for the year | (853,855) | 1,291,299 |
| 60 | Cash and cash equivalents at the beginning of the year | 2,051,375 | 760,077 |
| 70 | Cash and cash equivalents at the end of the year | 1,197,520 | 2,051,376 |

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Pham Ngoc Thoa Chief Finance Officer

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1. CORPORATE INFORMATION

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The Company's shares were officially listed on Ho Chi Minh Stock Exchange (HOSE) since 6 November 2017.

The current principal activities of the Company are to invest in and develop shopping centers for lease and inventory properties for sale.

The Company's normal course of business cycle of real estate business starts at the time of application for investment certificate, commencement of site clearance, construction, and ends at the time of completion, thus, the normal course of real estate business is from 12 months to 36 months. The Company's normal course of business cycle of other business activities is 12 months.

The Company's head office is located at No. 7, Bang Lang 1 street, Vinhomes Riverside, Viet Hung ward, Long Bien district, Hanoi, Vietnam.

The number of the Company's employees as at 31 December 2019 is 1,076 (31 Demceber 2018: 981).

Vingroup JSC is the Company's ultimate parent company. Vingroup JSC and its subsidiaries are hereby referred as the Group.

Corporate structure

The Company has 04 subsidiaries as at 31 December 2019, as follows:

| No. | Name | Voting right (%) | Equity interest (%) | Registered office's address | Principal activities |
|-----|--|---------------------|---------------------|--|--|
| 1 | North Vincom Retail LLC | 100.00 | 100.00 | No. 72A, Nguyen Trai street, Thuong Dinh ward, Thanh Xuan district, Hanoi | Leasing and trading real estate property |
| 2 | South Vincom Retail LLC | 100,00 | 100.00 | No. 72, Le Thanh Ton street and No. 45A Ly Tu Trong street, Ben Nghe ward, District 1, Ho Chi Minh city | Leasing and trading real estate property |
| 3 | Suoi Hoa Urban Development and Investment JSC | 97.27 | 97.27 | Km1 + 200, Tran Hung Dao street, Suoi Hoa ward, Bac Ninh city, Bac Ninh province | Leasing and trading real estate property |
| 4 | Ha Thanh Real Estate Development and Investment Company Limited | 100.00 | 100.00 | No. 7, Bang Lang 1 street, Vinhomes Riverside, Viet Hung ward, Long Bien district, Hanoi | Leasing and trading real estate property |

2. BASIS OF PREPARATION

2.1 Purpose of preparing the separate financial statements

The Company has subsidiaries as disclosed in Note 1 and Note 15. The Company prepared these separate financial statements to meet the prevailing requirements in relation to disclosure of information, specifically the Circular 155/2015/TT-BTC on disclosure of information on the securities market. In addition, as required by these regulations, the Company has also prepared the consolidated financial statements of the Company and its subsidiaries for Quarter IV 2019 ("the consolidated financial statements") dated 30 January 2020.

Users of the accompanying separate financial statements should read these separate financial statements together with the consolidated financial statements of the Company and its subsidiaries in order to obtain full information on the consolidated financial position, consolidated results of operations and consolidated cash flows of the Company and its subsidiaries.

2.2 Accounting standards and system

The separate financial statements of the Company, which are expressed in million Vietnam dong ("VND million"), are prepared in accordance with Vietnamese Enterprise Accounting System and Vietnamese Accounting Standards issued by the Ministry of Finance as per:

- ▶ Decision No. 149/2001/QD-BTC dated 31 December 2001 on the Issuance and Promulgation of Four Vietnamese Accounting Standards (Series 1);
- ▶ Decision No. 165/2002/QD-BTC dated 31 December 2002 on the Issuance and Promulgation of Six Vietnamese Accounting Standards (Series 2);
- ▶ Decision No. 234/2003/QD-BTC dated 30 December 2003 on the Issuance and Promulgation of Six Vietnamese Accounting Standards (Series 3);
- ▶ Decision No. 12/2005/QD-BTC dated 15 February 2005 on the Issuance and Promulgation of Six Vietnamese Accounting Standards (Series 4); and
- Decision No. 100/2005/QD-BTC dated 28 December 2005 on the Issuance and Promulgation of Four Vietnamese Accounting Standards (Series 5).

Accordingly, the accompanying separate financial statements, including their utilisation are not designed for those who are not informed about Vietnam's accounting principles, procedures and practices and furthermore are not intended to present the separate financial position and separate results of operations and separate cash flows in accordance with accounting principles and practices generally accepted in countries other than Vietnam.

2.3 Applied accounting documentation system

The Company's applied accounting documentation system is the General Journal.

2.4 Fiscal year

The Company's fiscal year applicable for the preparation of its separate financial statements starts on 01 January and ends on 31 December.

2.5 Accounting currency

The Company's accounting currency is VND.

The curency used when preparing and presenting the separate financial statements is million VND.

3. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

3.1 Cash and cash equivalents

Cash and cash equivalents comprise cash in banks, cash in transit and short-term, highly liquid investments with an original maturity of less than three months that are readily convertible into known amounts of cash and that are subject to an insignificant risk of change in value.

3.2 Inventories

Inventory properties

Properties being constructed for sale in the ordinary course of business, rather than to be held for rental or capital appreciation, is held as inventory properties and is measured at the lower of cost incurred in bringing the inventories to their present location and condition, and net realisable value.

Cost includes:

- Freehold, leasehold rights for land and land developement costs;
- Construction costs payable to contractors; and
- Borrowing costs, consultancy and design costs, costs of site preparation, professional fees for legal services, properties transfer taxes, construction overheads and other related costs.

Net realisable value is the estimated selling price in the ordinary course of the business, based on market prices at the reporting date, less estimated costs to completion and the estimated costs of sale.

The cost of inventory properties recognised in the separate income statement on disposal is determined with reference to the specific costs incurred on the properties sold and an allocation of any non-specific costs based on an appropriate basis.

3.3 Receivables

Receivables are presented in the separate financial statements at the carrying amounts due from customers and other debtors, after provision for doubtful debts.

The provision for doubtful debts represents amounts of outstanding receivables at the balance sheet date which are doubtful of being recovered.

3.4 Tangible fixed assets

Tangible fixed assets are stated at cost less accumulated depreciation.

The cost of a tangible fixed asset comprises its purchase price and any directly attributable costs of bringing the tangible fixed asset to working condition for its intended use.

Expenditures for additions, improvements and renewals are added to the carrying amount of the assets and expenditures for maintenance and repairs are charged to the separate income statement as incurred.

When tangible fixed assets are sold or retired, any gain or loss resulting from their disposal (the difference between the net disposal proceeds and the carrying amount) is included in the separate income statement.

3. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (continued)

3.5 Leased assets

The determination of whether an arrangement is, or contains a lease is based on the substance of the arrangement at inception date and requires an assessment of whether the fulfilment of the arrangement is dependent on the use of a specific asset and the arrangement conveys a right to use the asset.

A lease is classified as a finance lease whenever the terms of the lease transfer substantially all the risks and rewards of ownership of the asset to the lessee. All other leases are classified as operating leases.

Where the Company is the lessee

Rentals under operating leases are charged to the separate income statement on a straightline basis over the lease term.

Where the Company is the lessor

Assets subject to operating leases are included as the Company's investment properties in the separate balance sheet.

Lease income is recognised in the separate income statement on a straight-line basis over the lease term.

3.6 Intangible assets

Intangible assets are stated at cost less accumulated amortisation.

The cost of an intangible assets comprises of its purchase price and any directly attributable costs of preparing the intangible fixed asset for its intended use. Expenditures for additions, improvements are added to the carrying amount of the assets and other expenditures are charged to the separate income statement as incurred.

When intangible assets are sold or retired, any gain or loss resulting from their disposal (the difference between the net disposal proceeds and the carrying amount) is included in the separate income statement.

3.7 Depreciation and amortisation

Depreciation of tangible fixed assets and amortisation of intangible assets are calculated on a straight-line basis over the estimated useful life of each asset as follows:

Office equipment

3 - 5 years

Computer software

3 - 8 years

3.8 Investment properties

Investment properties are stated at cost including transaction costs less accumulated depreciation.

Subsequent expenditure relating to an investment properties that has already been recognised is added to the net book value of the investment properties when it is probable that future economic benefits, in excess of the originally assessed standard of performance of the existing investment properties, will flow to the Company.

3. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (continued)

3.8 Investment properties (continued)

Land use rights presented as investment properties include definite land use rights granted to the Company for the development of its investment properties, and this land use rights are depreciated during authorised period.

Depreciation of investment properties are calculated on a straight-line basis over the estimated useful life of each asset as follows:

Land use rights with definite terms

46 - 47 years

Buildings and structures

5 - 50 years

Machinery, equipment

5 - 25 years

Investment properties are derecognised when either they have been disposed of or when the investment properties are permanently withdrawn from use and no future economic benefit is expected from its disposal. The difference between the net disposal proceeds and the carrying amount of the assets is recognised in the separate income statement in the year of retirement or disposal.

Transfers are made to investment properties when, and only when, there is a change in use, evidenced by ending of owner-occupation, commencement of an operating lease to another party or ending of construction or development. Transfers are made from investment properties when, and only when, there is change in use, evidenced by commencement of owner-occupation or commencement of development with a view to sale. The transfer from investment properties to owner-occupied properties or inventories does not change the cost or the carrying value of the properties for subsequent accounting at the date of change in use.

3.9 Borrowing costs

Borrowing costs consist of interests and other costs that an entity incurs in connection with the borrowing of funds.

Borrowing costs are recorded as expense during the year in which they are incurred, except to the borrowing costs that are directly attributable to the acquisition, construction or production of an asset that necessarily takes a substantial period of time to get ready for its intended use or sale are capitalised as part of the cost of the respective asset.

3.10 Prepaid expenses

Prepaid expenses are reported as short-term or long-term prepaid expenses on the separate balance sheet and amortised over the year for which the amounts are paid or the year in which economic benefits are generated in relation to these expenses.

Long-term prepaid expenses include long-term prepaid land rental in accordance with Circular No. 45/2013/TT-BTC and other long-term prepaid expenses that bring future economic benefits for more than one year period.

3.11 Investments

Investments in subsidiaries

Investments in subsidiaries over which the Company has control are accounted for under the cost method of accounting in the separate balance sheet.

Distributions from accumulated net profits of the subsidiaries arising subsequent to the date of acquisition are recognised in the separate income statement. Distributions from sources other than from such profits are considered a recovery of investment and are deducted to the cost of the investment.

3. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (continued)

3.11 Investments (continued)

Investments in other entities

The Company has made capital contribution under business cooperation contracts for shopping malls in which the Company has the right to control, manage and operate the shopping malls when these malls are ready for commercial operations, and to share a portion of profit before tax from the operations of the shopping malls to the counterparties (who are the developers of real estate projects comprising the mall components). In this case, the capital contribution by the Company is recognised as the investment in other entities in the separate balance sheet at the date when the these shopping malls are handed over to the Company for commercial operations until such time as all legal procedures to transfer the malls are completed.

Provision for diminution in value of investments in capital of other entities

Provision is made for any diminution in value of the investments in capital of other entities at the balance sheet date in accordance with the guidance under Circular No. 228/2009/TT-BTC dated 7 December 2009 and Circular No. 89/2013/TT-BTC dated 28 June 2013 issued by the Ministry of Finance. Increases or decreases to the provision balance are recorded as finance expense in the separate income statement.

Held-to-maturity investments

Held-to-maturity investments are stated at their acquisition costs. After initial recognition, these investments are measured at recoverable amount. Any impairment loss incurred is recognised as finance expense in the separate financial statements and deducted against the value of such investments.

3.12 Payables and accruals

Payables and accruals are recognised for amounts to be paid in the future for goods and services received, whether or not billed to the Company.

Payables to contractors are recorded based on interim work certificates between two parties, regardless of whether or not billed to the Company.

3.13 Provisions

Provisions are recognised when the Company has a present obligation (legal or constructive) as a result of a past event, it is probable that an outflow of resources embodying economic benefits will be required to settle the obligation and a reliable estimate can be made of the amount of the obligation. If the effect of the time value of money is material, provisions are discounted using a current pre tax rate that reflects, where appropriate, the risks specific to the liability. Where discounting is used, the increase in the provision due to the passage of time is recognised as a finance expense.

Expenses relating to provisions are recognised in the separate income statement.

Provision for warranty expenses for apartments and shop-houses

The Company estimates this warranty provision based on revenue and currently available information about repairing expenses of apartments and shop-houses sold in the past.

3. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (continued)

3.14 Foreign currency transactions

Transactions in currencies other than the Company's reporting currency (VND) are recorded at the actual transaction exchange rates at transaction dates which are determined as follows:

- Transactions resulting in liabilities are recorded at the selling exchange rates of the commercial banks designated for payment; and
- Capital contributions or capital received are recorded at the buying exchange rates of the commercial banks designated for capital contribution.

At the end of the financial year, monetary balances denominated in foreign currencies are translated at the actual exchange rates at the balance sheet dates which are determined as follows:

- Monetary assets are translated at buying exchange rate of the commercial bank where the Company conducts transactions regularly; and
- Monetary liabilities are translated at selling exchange rate of the commercial bank where the Company conducts transactions regularly.

All foreign exchange differences incurred during the year and arising from the revaluation of monetary accounts denominated in foreign currency at year-end are taken to the separate income statement.

3.15 Advances from customers

Payments received from customers as deposits for the purchase of residential properties in the future that do not meet the conditions for revenue recognition, are recognised and presented as "Advances from customers" in the separate balance sheet.

3.16 Appropriation of net profits

Net profit after tax (excluding negative goodwill arising from a bargain purchase) is available for appropriation to shareholders after approval in the annual general meeting, and after making appropriation to reserve funds in accordance with the Company's Charter and Vietnam's regulatory requirements.

3.17 Revenue recognition

Revenue is recognised to the extent that it is probable that the economic benefits will flow to the Company and the revenue can be reliably measured. Revenue is measured at the fair value of the consideration received or receivable, excluding trade discount, rebate and sales return. The following specific recognition criteria must also be met before revenue is recognised.

Revenue from sale of inventory properties

Revenue from sale of inventory properties is recognised when the significant risks and rewards of ownership of the properties have passed to the buyer.

Revenue from sale of inventory properties also includes long-term lease of real estate properties qualified for recognition of outright sales. If the lease-term is greater than 90% of the asset's useful life, the Company will recognise the revenue for the entire prepaid lease payment if all of the following conditions are met:

3. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (continued)

3.17 Revenue recognition (continued)

Revenue from sale of inventory properties (continued)

- Lessee is not allowed to cancel the lease contract during the lease term, and the lessor is not responsible for reimbursing the prepaid lease payments under any circumstances;
- The prepaid lease payment is not less than 90% of the total estimated lease payment collected under contract over the lease period and lessee must pay all rental within 12 months from the commencement of the lease:
- Almost all risks and rewards associated with the ownership of leased assets are transferred to the lessee; and
- Lessor must estimate the full cost of leasing activity.

Revenue from leasing of investment properties

Rental income arising from operating lease of properties is recognised in the separate income statement on a straight line basis over the lease terms.

Rendering of services

Revenue from rendering of services is recorded when the services are rendered.

Gains from securities trading, capital transfer

Gains from securities and capital transfer are determined as the excess of selling prices against the cost of investments sold. Such gains are recognised on the date of completion.

Interests

Revenue is recognised as the interests accrued (taking into account the effective yield on the asset) unless collectability is in doubt.

Dividends

Income is recognised when the Company's entitlement as investors to receive the dividend is established.

3.18 Taxation

Current income tax

Current income tax assets and liabilities for the current and prior years are measured at the amount expected to be recovered from or paid to the taxation authorities. The tax rates and tax laws used to compute the amount are those that are enacted as at the balance sheet date.

Current income tax is charged or credited to the separate income statement, except when it relates to items recognised directly to equity, in which case the current income tax is also dealt with in equity.

Current income tax assets and liabilities are offset when there is a legally enforceable right for the Company to set off current tax assets against current tax liabilities and when the Company intends to settle its current tax assets and liabilities on a net basis.

3. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (continued)

3.18 Taxation (continued)

Deferred tax

Deferred tax is provided using the liability method on temporary differences at the balance sheet date between the tax base of assets and liabilities and their carrying amount for separate financial reporting purposes.

Deferred tax liabilities are recognised for all taxable temporary differences, except for:

- where the deferred tax liability arises from the initial recognition of an asset or liability in a transaction which at the time of the related transaction affects neither the accounting profit nor taxable profit or loss; and
- in respect of taxable temporarily differences associated with investments in subsidiaries and associates, and interests in joint ventures where timing of the reversal of the temporary difference can be controlled and it is probable that the temporary difference will not reverse in the foreseeable future.

Deferred tax assets are recognised for all deductible temporary differences, carried forward unused tax credit and unused tax losses, to the extent that it is probable that taxable profit will be available against which deductible temporary differences, carried forward unused tax credit and unused tax losses can be utilised, except:

- where the deferred tax asset in respect of deductible temporary difference which arises from the initial recognition of an asset or liability which at the time of the related transaction, affects neither the accounting profit nor taxable profit or loss; and
- in respect of deductible temporarily differences associated with investments in subsidiaries, associates, and interests in joint ventures, deferred tax assets are recognised only to the extent that it is probable that the temporary differences will reverse in the foreseeable future and taxable profit will be available against which the temporary differences can be utilised.

The carrying amount of deferred tax assets is reviewed at each balance sheet date and reduced to the extent that it is no longer probable that sufficient taxable profit will be available to allow all or part of the deferred tax asset to be utilised. Previously unrecognised deferred tax assets are re-assessed at the balance sheet date and are recognised to the extent that it has become probable that future taxable profit will allow the deferred tax assets to be recovered.

Deferred tax assets and liabilities are measured at the tax rates that are expected to apply in the year when the asset is realised or the liability is settled based on tax rates and tax laws that have been enacted at the balance sheet date.

Deferred tax is charged or credited to the separate income statement, except when it relates to items recognised directly to equity, in which case the deferred tax is also dealt with in the equity account.

3. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (continued)

3.18 Taxation (continued)

Deferred tax (continued)

Deferred tax assets and liabilities are offset when there is a legally enforceable right for the Company to off-set current tax assets against current tax liabilities and when they relate to income taxes levied by the same taxation authority on:

- either the same taxable entity; or
- when the Company intends either settle current tax liabilities and assets on a net basis or to realise the assets and settle the liabilities simultaneously, in each future year in which significant amounts of deferred tax liabilities or assets are expected to be settled or recovered.

3.19 Related parties

Parties are considered to be related parties of the group if one party has the ability to control the other party or exercise significant influence over the other party in making financial and operating decisions, or when the group and other party are under common control or under common significant influence. Related parties can be enterprise or individual, including close members of the family of any such individual.

4. CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS

Currency: VND million

| | As at 31/12/2019 | As at 31/12/2018 |
|------------------|------------------|------------------|
| Cash in banks | 1,197,500 | 401,316 |
| Cash in transit | 20 | 59 |
| Cash equivalents | | 1,650,000 |
| TOTAL | 1,197,520 | 2,051,375 |

5. HELD-TO-MATURITY INVESTMENTS

Currency: VND million

| | As at 31/12/2019 | As at 31/12/2018 |
|--|------------------|------------------|
| Short-term held-to-maturity investments | - | 600,000 |
| Long-term held-to-maturity investments (i) | 700,000 | 1,700,000 |
| TOTAL | 700,000 | 2,300,000 |

(i) Ending balance of long-term held-to-maturity investments comprise long-term bank deposits at Vietnam Technological and Commercial Joint Stock Bank with terms of 36 months and earning interest at the rate of 7.1% per annum (31 Demceber 2018: terms of 36 months and earning interest at the rate of 7.1% per annum).

6. SHORT-TERM TRADE RECEIVABLES

| | | Currency: VND million |
|---|------------------------|-----------------------|
| | As at 31/12/2019 | As at 31/12/2018 |
| Receivables from leasing activities and rendering related services | 86,346 | 128,894 |
| Receivables from sale of inventory | 107,513 | 32,777 |
| Receivables from rendering management services | 85,963 | 101,005 |
| TOTAL In which: | 279,822 | 262,676 |
| Trade receivables from customers | 166,820 | 138,585 |
| Trade receivables from related parties (Note 28) | 113,002 | 124,091 |
| Provision for doubtful short-term receivables | (877) | (45) |
| Details of receivables which account for more | than 10% of total bala | ince: |
| Receivable from rendering services to South Vincom Retail LLC | 32,713 | 28,954 |
| Receivable from rendering services to North Vincom Retail LLC | 64,938 | 40,827 |
| Receivable from rendering services to Suoi Hoa Urban Development and Investment JSC | 1,252 | 31,918 |
| Receivable from a long-term leasing contract and related services fee to a corporate counterparty | - | 76,904 |
| OTHER SHORT-TERM RECEIVABLES | | |

7. OTHER SHORT-TERM RECEIVABLES

| | As at 31/12/2019 | As at 31/12/2018 |
|--|------------------|------------------|
| Interests on bank deposits, deposits and loans | 51,270 | 172,690 |
| Receivable for payment on behalf | 13,945 | 56,001 |
| Dividends receivable | 220,000 | - |
| Deposits for land bidding | 14,565 | 39,000 |
| Deposits for mall acquisition | 750,000 | - |
| Receivable for deposit of inventory properties | - | 2,372 |
| Others | 14,680 | 31,604 |
| TOTAL | 1,064,460 | 301,667 |
| In which: | | |
| Other receivables | 23,458 | 100,956 |
| Other receivables from related parties (Note 28) | 1,041,002 | 200,711 |

8. INVENTORIES

Currency: VND million

| | As at 31/12/2019 | As at 31/12/2018 |
|---|------------------|------------------|
| Materials | 9,373 | 1,099 |
| Inventory properties under construction (i) | 812,345 | 769,200 |
| Completed inventory properties | 130,405 | 2,026 |
| Others | 20 | 5 |
| TOTAL | 952,143 | 772,330 |

⁽i) The balance mainly comprises of construction and development costs of shop-houses for sale which are parts of the Company's real estate projects.

9. PREPAID EXPENSES

Currency: VND million

| | As at 31/12/2019 | As at 31/12/2018 |
|--|------------------|------------------|
| Short-term: | | |
| Selling expenses related to sale of inventory properties not yet handed over | 24,541 | 54,766 |
| Project prepayment costs | - | 21,879 |
| Prepaid land rental | 13,236 | 17,197 |
| Provisional corporate income tax | 4,332 | 7,750 |
| Others | 8,751 | 9,340 |
| TOTAL | 50,860 | 110,932 |
| Long-term: | | |
| Commission expense | 17,218 | 9,817 |
| Tools and supplies | 20,694 | 8,978 |
| Overhaul expenditures | 11,142 | 11,070 |
| Others | 1,193 | 676 |
| TOTAL | 50,247 | 30,541 |

10. OTHER ASSETS

| | As at 31/12/2019 | As at 31/12/2018 |
|--|---------------------------|---------------------------|
| Short-term: | | |
| Deposits to related parties for investment purposes (Note 28) (i) | 1,065,000 | 1,783,000 |
| TOTAL | 1,065,000 | 1,783,000 |
| Long-term: Deposits to related parties for investment purposes (Note 28) (i) TOTAL | 597,000 597,000 | 556,000 556,000 |

10. OTHER ASSETS (continued)

i) Ending balance are deposits to Vingroup JSC, parent company, and some companies within the Group (hereby referred to as "the counterparties") for the investment and operations of shopping mall component of a number of real estate projects under business cooperation contracts. These deposits require no collaterals. In accordance with these contracts, the counterparties have committed to transferring shopping mall component, or to granting the Company with right to purchase the shopping malls, at the price sufficient to cover all relevant capital expenditures incurred. In case the counterparties have not completed all procedures to hand over the shopping malls to the Company when the assets are completed and ready for commercial operations, two parties will sign business cooperation contracts, giving the Company the right to control, manage and operate the shopping malls, and a portion of profit before tax from the operations of the shopping malls will be shared to the counterparties.

11. TANGIBLE FIXED ASSETS

Currency: VND million

| | Definite land | Building and | Machineries and | |
|--|---------------|--------------|-----------------|--------|
| _ | use rights | structures | equipment | Total |
| Cost: | | | | |
| Beginning balance | 226 | 4,036 | 826 | 5,088 |
| Newly constructed | - | 6,085 | 1,919 | 8,004 |
| Reclassification to tools and supplies | ~ | (38) | - | (38) |
| Ending balance | 226 | 10,083 | 2,745 | 13,054 |
| Accumulated depreciat | ion: | | | |
| Beginning balance | 139 | 933 | 329 | 1,401 |
| Depreciation for the year | 45 | 1,157 | 191 | 1,393 |
| Reclassification to tools and supplies | - | (4) | - | (4) |
| Ending balance | 184 | 2,086 | 520 | 2,790 |
| Net carrying amount: | | | | |
| Beginning balance | 87 | 3,103 | 497 | 3,687 |
| Ending balance | 42 | 7,997 | 2,225 | 10,264 |

12. INTANGIBLE ASSETS

| | Computer software |
|-----------------------------|-------------------|
| Cost: | |
| Beginning balance | 40,170 |
| - Newly purchased | 4,052 |
| Ending balance | 44,222 |
| Accumulated amortisation: | |
| Beginning balance | 16,006 |
| - Amortisation for the year | 6,618 |
| Ending balance | 22,624 |
| Net carrying amount: | |
| Beginning balance | 24,164 |
| Ending balance | 21,598 |
| | |

13. INVESTMENT PROPERTIES

Currency: VND million

| | Definite land use rights | Building and structures | Machineries and equipment | Total |
|---------------------------|-----------------------------|----------------------------|---------------------------|-----------|
| Cost: | | | · · · · · | |
| Beginning balance | 191,249 | 2,369,536 | 584,445 | 3,145,230 |
| Transferred from | | | | |
| completed | 136,463 | 970,436 | 439,920 | 1,546,819 |
| construction in | 130,403 | 570,430 | 435,520 | 1,540,619 |
| progress | | | | |
| Ending balance | 327,712 | 3,339,972 | 1,024,365 | 4,692,049 |
| Accumulated depre | eciation: | | | |
| Beginning balance | 12,460 | 171,401 | 102,503 | 286,364 |
| Depreciation for the year | 4,471 | 77,707 | 54,920 | 137,098 |
| Ending balance | 16,931 | 249,108 | 157,423 | 423,462 |
| 81.4 | | | | |
| Net carrying amou | | | | |
| Beginning balance | 178,789 | 2,198,135 | 481,942 | 2,858,866 |
| Ending balance | 310,781 | 3,090,864 | 866,942 | 4,268,587 |

Investment properties mainly include the shopping malls of the Company.

Revenue and operating expenses related to investment properties are disclosed in Note 23.3.

14. CONSTRUCTION IN PROGRESS

| | As at 31/12/2019 | As at 31/12/2018 |
|--------------------------------|------------------|------------------|
| | | |
| Vincom+ Thai Nguyen | 108,973 | • |
| Vincom Plaza My Tho | 103,448 | - |
| Vincom Plaza Bac Lieu | 92,312 | • |
| Vincom Plaza Mong Cai | del | 88,581 |
| Vincom Plaza Di An, Binh Duong | - | 79,358 |
| Vincom Plaza Bac Kan | - | 66,430 |
| Vincom Plaza Hoa Binh | - | 62,624 |
| Other projects | 68,464 | 74,769 |
| TOTAL | 373,197 | 371,762 |

15. INVESTMENTS IN SUBSIDIARIES

| | | | As at 31/12/2019 | | | As at 31/12/2018 | |
|-----|---|------------|------------------|-----------|------------|------------------|-----------|
| No. | Company | Number of | Carrying value | Ownership | Number of | Carrying value | Ownership |
| | | shares | (VND million) | (%) | shares | (VND million) | (%) |
| 1 | North Vincom Retail LLC | (*) | 5,858,780 | 100.00 | (*) | 5,858,780 | 100.00 |
| 2 | South Vincom Retail LLC | (*) | 5,779,000 | 100.00 | (*) | 5,779,000 | 100.00 |
| 3 | Ha Thanh Real Estate Investment and Development Company Limited | (*) | 380,000 | 100.00 | | - | |
| 4 | Suoi Hoa Urban Development and Investment JSC | 34,240,000 | 562,009 | 97.27 | 34,240,000 | 562,009 | 97.27 |
| | TOTAL | - | 12,579,789 | | | 12,199,789 | |

^(*) These are limited liability companies, hence there is no share issued.

16. INVESTMENTS IN OTHER ENTITIES

| | | | As at 31/12/2019 | | | As at 31/12/2018 | |
|-----|---|---------------------|---------------------------------|------------------|---------------------|---------------------------------|------------------|
| No. | Investment | Number of shares | Carrying value (VND million) | Ownership (%) | Number of shares | Carrying value (VND million) | Ownership (%) |
| 1 | Investment in business co-operation contracts (i) | | 4,362,820 | | | 3,569,096 | |
| 2 | Investment in Ha Thanh Real Estate Investment and Development Company Limited | | - | | 100,000 | 1,000 | 5 |
| | TOTAL | _ | 4,362,820 | | - | 3,570,096 | |

⁽i) Ending balance comprises deposits to Vingroup JSC, the ultimate parent company, and some companies within and outside the Group, for the co-investment and operation of shopping mall component of a number of real estate projects under business co-investment and operation contracts (the "BCC"). These shopping malls had been completed and ready for commercial operations. As a result, the parties signed the BCC giving the Company the right to control, manage and operate the shopping malls, and a portion of profit before tax from the operation of the shopping malls will be shared to the counterparty.

17. TRADE PAYABLES AND ADVANCES FROM CUSTOMERS

17.1 Short-term trade payables

| | As at 31/12/2019 | As at 31/12/2018 |
|---|------------------|------------------|
| Trade payables to suppliers | 159,441 | 70,687 |
| Trade payables to related parties (Note 28) | 55,290 | 349,174 |
| TOTAL | 214,731 | 419,861 |
| Details of trade payables which account for more than 10% of total balance: | | |
| Payables to Vinhomes JSC | 32,933 | 233,894 |
| Payables to Vingroup JSC | 3,944 | 103,973 |

17.2 Short-term advances from customers

Currency: VND million

| | As at 31/12/2019 | As at 31/12/2018 |
|--|------------------|------------------|
| Downpayment from customers under sale and purchase of real estate agreements | 433,041 | 775,031 |
| Others | 3,218 | 3,616 |
| TOTAL | 436,259 | 778,647 |
| In which: | | |
| Advances from other parties | 436, 259 | 778,647 |
| Advances from related parties | Ξ. | - |

18. STATUTORY OBLIGATIONS

| | As at 31/12/2019 _ | As at 31/12/2018 |
|----------------------|--------------------|------------------|
| Payables | | |
| Value added tax | - | 5,614 |
| Corporate income tax | 75,303 | 26,049 |
| Personal income tax | 3,683 | 1,953 |
| Others | | 61,998 |
| TOTAL | 78,986 | 95,614 |

19. SHORT-TERM ACCRUED EXPENSES

Currency: VND million

| | As at 31/12/2019 | As at 31/12/2018 |
|---|------------------|------------------|
| Accrued loans and bond interests | 103,993 | 85,199 |
| Accrued construction costs | 344,272 | 178,420 |
| Accrued labour costs | 18,878 | 9,820 |
| Accrued commission and brokerage fee | 22,809 | 49,602 |
| Others | 72,284 | 47,164 |
| TOTAL | 562,236 | 370,205 |
| In which: | | |
| Accrued expenses due to others | 560,843 | 368,418 |
| Accrued expenses due to related parties (Note 28) | 1,393 | 1,787 |

20. OTHER PAYABLES

| | As at 31/12/2019 | As at 31/12/2018 |
|--|------------------|------------------|
| Short-term: | | |
| Deposits received under deposit and loan contracts | 274,198 | 318,243 |
| Centralised cash management in master account payable to subsidiaries | 308,888 | 236,820 |
| Dividend payable | 14 | - |
| Deposits from tenants to be refunded within the next 12 months | 106,401 | 19,282 |
| Deposits for site construction | 16,341 | 12,967 |
| Other payables | 15,941 | 11,611 |
| TOTAL | 721,783 | 598,923 |
| In which: | | |
| Other payables | 407,148 | 357,499 |
| Other payables to related parties (Note 28) | 314,635 | 241,424 |
| Long-term: | | |
| Deposits from tenants | 381,235 | 291,128 |
| Less: Deposits from tenants to be refunded within the next 12 months (Presented in Short-term) | (106,401) | (19, 282) |
| TOTAL | 274,834 | 271,846 |
| In which: | | |
| Other payables | 267,968 | 261,810 |
| Other payables to related parties (Note 28) | 6,866 | 10,036 |

21. LONG TERM LOANS AND DEBTS

Currency: VND million

| _ | As at 31/1. | 2/2019 | As at 31/1 | 2/2018 |
|---------------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|
| | Carrying value | Payable amount | Carrying value | Payable amount |
| Corporate bonds (i) | 2,598,095 | 2,598,095 | 2,597,215 | 2,597,215 |
| TOTAL | 2,598,095 | 2,598,095 | 2,597,215 | 2,597,215 |

(i) These bonds have par value of VND 3,000 billion comprising of 3,000 bonds with duration of 5 years and were arranged for issuance on 8 March 2017 by Vietnam Bank for Industry and Trade Securities Joint Stock Company. Interest rate applied for the first period is 8.1% per annum, and for the subsequent periods is floating and adjusted once per six months which is determined by 12-month interest paid-in-arrears VND saving rates listed by Vietnam Joint Stock Commercial Bank for Industry and Trade — Hanoi Branch in each determined interest date plus (+) 3%. The balance is presented net of bond issue costs. In 2018, the Company repurchased 400 bonds prior to maturity date.

These bonds are secured by land use rights and assets attached to land of Vincom Mega Mall Thao Dien and Vincom Plaza Ngo Quyen – Da Nang and assets attached to land of Vincom Center Pham Ngoc Thach, Vincom Plaza Thu Duc, and Vincom Plaza Ha Long. These shopping malls are owned by North Vincom Retail LLC and South Vincom Retail LLC, the subsidiaries.

22. OWNERS' EQUITY

22.1 Increase and decrease in owners' equity

| | Shares with voting right | Share premium | Treasury shares | Other funds belonging to owners' equity | (Accumulated losses)/ Undistributed earnings | Total |
|--|--------------------------|---------------|-----------------|---|---|-------------|
| For the financial year ended 31 D | December 2018 | | | | | |
| Beginning balance | 19,010,787 | 4,324,380 | _ | | (260,011) | 23,075,156 |
| - Net profit for the year | | - | | | 1,227,590 | 1,227,590 |
| Capital increase in year | 4,277,397 | (4,277,397) | 12 | _ | - | _ |
| Ending balance | 23,288,184 | 46,983 | | - | 967,579 | 24,302,746 |
| For the financial year ended 31 D | Pecember 2019 | | | | | |
| Beginning balance | 23,288,184 | 46,983 | 12 | _ | 967,579 | 24,302,746 |
| Net profit for the year | • | - | - | - | 4,103,139 | 4,103,139 |
| Increase in reserve fund to supplement charter capital | - | - | - | 5,000 | (5,000) | • |
| - Dividend declared (i) | - | | • | - | (2,445,259) | (2,445,259) |
| - Treasury shares buy-back (ii) | | | (1,954,258) | - | _ | (1,954,258) |
| Ending balance | 23,288,184 | 46,983 | (1,954,258) | 5,000 | 2,620,459 | 24,006,368 |

⁽i) According to Resolution No.01/2019/NQ-DHDCD-VINCOM RETAIL dated 11 April 2019, the Company's Annual General Meeting of Shareholders approved the payment of cash dividends for existing shareholders at the ratio of 10.5% (each eligible shareholder who holds 01 share is entitled to receive VND 1,050 as dividends). Dividend payment was made in Quarter II 2019.

⁽ii) According to Resolution No.06/2019/NQ-HDQT-VCR dated 30 October 2019, the Company's Board of Management approved the treasury shares buy-back transaction using retained earnings. In year, the Company bought-back 56,500,000 shares.

22. OWNERS' EQUITY (continued)

22.2 Shares

| | As at 31/12/2019 | | As at 31/1 | 2/2018 |
|-----------------------|------------------|-------------|---------------|-------------|
| | | Amount | | Amount |
| | Quantity | VND million | Quantity | VND million |
| Registered and issued | d shares | | | |
| Ordinary shares | 2,328,818,410 | 23,288,184 | 2,328,818,410 | 23,288,184 |
| Preference shares | • | - | - | - |
| Total | 2,328,818,410 | 23,288,184 | 2,328,818,410 | 23,288,184 |
| Outstanding shares | | | | |
| Ordinary shares | 2,272,318,410 | 22,723,184 | 2,328,818,410 | 23,288,184 |
| Preference shares | - | | • | - |
| Total | 2,272,318,410 | 22,723,184 | 2,328,818,410 | 23,288,184 |

Par value of each outstanding share is VND10,000 per share (31 Demceber 2018: 10,000VND per share).

23. REVENUE

Gross revenue

services

Sale of inventory properties

In which:

23.1 Revenue from sale of goods and rendering of services

Leasing activities and rendering of related

| Quarter IV 2019 | Quarter IV 2018 |
|-----------------|-----------------|
| 1,332,408 | 450,789 |
| 770,438 | 68,461 |
| 461,817 | 268,132 |

Currency: VND million

| Rendering management services | 97,252 | 110,258 |
|-------------------------------|-----------|---------|
| Others | 2,901 | 3,938 |
| Deduction | - | - |
| Net revenue | 1,332,408 | 450,789 |

In which:

Revenue from sale to others

Revenue from sale to related parties

1,091,995

284,890

240,413

165,899

23.2 Finance income

| | Quarter IV 2019 | Quarter IV 2018 |
|--|-----------------|-----------------|
| Dividend receivable from subsidiaries | 1,200,000 | - |
| Interest income from bank deposits, loans and deposits | 85,442 | 141,849 |
| TOTAL | 1,285,442 | 141,849 |

23.3 Revenue and cost related to investment properties

Currency: VND million

| _ | Quarter IV 2019 | Quarter IV 2018 |
|---|-----------------|-----------------|
| Revenue from leasing of investment properties and rendering of related services (Note 23.1) | 461,817 | 268,132 |
| Direct operating costs related to investment properties generating income in the year (Note 24) | 233,051 | 152,001 |

24. COST OF GOODS SOLD AND SERVICES RENDERED

Currency: VND million

| | Quarter IV 2019 | Quarter IV 2018 |
|--|-----------------|-----------------|
| Cost of inventory properties sold | 446,007 | 47,127 |
| Cost of leasing activities and rendering of related services | 233,051 | 152,001 |
| Cost of rendering management services | 90,738 | 108,928 |
| Others | 2,141 | 1,706 |
| TOTAL | 771,937 | 309,762 |

25. FINANCE EXPENSES

Currency: VND million

| | Quarter IV 2019 | Quarter IV 2018 |
|----------------------------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| Interests on loans and bond | 72,580 | 65,328 |
| Amortisation of bond issue costs | 220 | 220 |
| TOTAL | 72,800 | 65,548 |

26. SELLING EXPENSES AND GENERAL AND ADMINISTRATIVE EXPENSES

| _ | Quarter IV 2019 | Quarter IV 2018 |
|---|-----------------|-----------------|
| Selling expenses | 80,082 | 17,876 |
| Consulting, commission and brokerage fees | 34,943 | 3,729 |
| Brand and marketing fee | 28,878 | 8,939 |
| Others | 16,261 | 5,208 |
| General and administrative expenses | 15,581 | 21,038 |
| Management services fee | 15,891 | 13,419 |
| Others | (310) | 7,619 |
| TOTAL | 95,663 | 38,914 |

27. CORPORATE INCOME TAX

The statutory corporate income tax ("CIT") applicable to the Company for Quarter IV 2019 is 20% on taxable profits (for Quarter IV 2018: 20%).

The tax returns filed by the Company is subject to examination by the tax authorities. As the application of tax laws and regulations is susceptible to varying interpretations, the amounts reported in the separate financial statements could change at a later date upon final determination by the tax authorities.

Currency: VND million

| | Quarter IV 2019 | Quarter IV 2018 |
|---|-----------------|-----------------|
| Current tax expenses | 96,787 | 35,501 |
| Adjustment for under accrual of CIT from previous years | - | - |
| TOTAL | 96,787 | 35,501 |

28. TRANSACTIONS AND BALANCES WITH RELATED PARTIES

List of related parties that the Company had significant transactions and balances in current year and previous year:

| Related parties | Relationship |
|---|---|
| Vingroup JSC North Vincom Retail LLC South Vincom Retail LLC Suoi Hoa Urban Development and Investment JSC Vinhomes JSC Vincom Construction and Consultant LLC (Merged into Vinhomes JSC since 01 October 2018) | Parent company Subsidiary Subsidiary Subsidiary Under common control Under common control |
| Vincommerce General Commerce Services JSC (*) | Under common control (To 31 December 2019) |
| Vinpro Business and Trading Services JSC Vinpearl JSC West Hanoi Urban Development and Trading Investment Limited Company (Merged into Thai Son Investment Construction Corporation since 28 May 2019) | Under common control Under common control Under common control |
| Green City Development Joint Stock Company | Under common control (Since 01 July 2019) |
| Gia Lam Urban Development and Investment Limited Company Central Park Development LLC Vietnam Investment and Consulting Investment JSC Can Gio Tourist City Corporation | Under common control Under common control Under common control Under common control |
| Hanoi Southern City Development and Trading LLC Saidong Urban Development and Investment JSC | Share holder Share holder |

28. TRANSACTIONS AND BALANCES WITH RELATED PARTIES (continued)

(*) As at 31 December 2019, Vincommerce General Commerce Services JSC (Vincommerce) is no longer a related party of the Company. Therefore, the Company does not present the balances with Vincommerce as at 31 December 2019 as the balance with related parties. Transactions arising during the year between the Company and Vincommerce are still presented as related party transactions.

Significant transactions with related parties during the year:

| _ | Current year | Previous year | | | |
|--|--|---------------|--|--|--|
| Receivables from leasing and rendering of re | lated services | | | | |
| North Vincom Retail LLC | 206,603 | 143,464 | | | |
| South Vincom Retail LLC | 197,413 | 152,690 | | | |
| Vincommerce General Commerce Services JSC | 64,836 | 84,808 | | | |
| Vinhomes JSC | 6,602 | 38,945 | | | |
| Vinpro Business and Trading Services JSC | 4,501 | 20,533 | | | |
| Payables for purchase of goods and services | 5 | | | | |
| Vingroup JSC | 323,040 | 217,435 | | | |
| Vincom Construction and Consultant LLC | - | 274,837 | | | |
| Vinpearl JSC | 37,126 | 11,636 | | | |
| Vincommerce General Commerce Services JSC | 12,388 | 13,469 | | | |
| Vinhomes JSC | 314,179 | 226,534 | | | |
| Capital contribution to subsidiaries/other inv | Capital contribution to subsidiaries/other investments | | | | |
| Vingroup JSC | 289,495 | - | | | |
| Vinhomes JSC | 273,485 | - | | | |
| Central Park Development LLC | 20,814 | - | | | |
| Vinpearl JSC | 108,931 | - | | | |
| Deposit for investment purpose | | | | | |
| Vingroup JSC | - | 589,487 | | | |
| West Hanoi Urban Development and Trading Investment Limited Company | 81,000 | - | | | |
| Gia Lam Urban Development and Investment Limited Company | 98,000 | - | | | |
| Green City Development Joint Stock Company | 220,000 | - | | | |
| Vinpearl JSC | - | 178,425 | | | |
| Collection from deposit for investment | | | | | |
| Vingroup JSC | 796,000 | 585,000 | | | |
| Receivables from disposal of investment | | | | | |
| North Vincom Retail LLC | 380,000 | • | | | |

28. TRANSACTIONS AND BALANCES WITH RELATED PARTIES (continued)

Significant transactions with related parties during the year (continued):

| | Current year | Previous year |
|--|--------------|---------------|
| Cash inflow from subsidiaries to Master account | | |
| North Vincom Retail LLC | 201,965 | 841,841 |
| South Vincom Retail LLC | 2,100,561 | 2,097,273 |
| Suoi Hoa Urban Development and Investment | 535,382 | |
| JSC | | |
| Cash outflow from Master account to subsidiaries | | |
| North Vincom Retail LLC | 244,289 | 815,772 |
| South Vincom Retail LLC | 2,174,782 | 1,951,518 |
| Suoi Hoa Urban Development and Investment | 346,769 | 1,301,310 |
| JSC | 340,709 | - |
| Lending | | |
| South Vincom Retail LLC | 305,000 | 50,000 |
| South Vincom Retail ELC | 303,000 | 50,000 |
| Collection of loan principal | | |
| Vingroup JSC | - | 2,613,600 |
| North Vincom Retail LLC | - | 900,000 |
| South Vincom Retail LLC | 1,037,293 | 202,300 |
| Interests receivable | | |
| Vingroup JSC | 7,200 | 169,080 |
| North Vincom Retail LLC | 88,699 | 711,769 |
| South Vincom Retail LLC | 100,250 | 132,858 |
| Green City Development Joint Stock Company | 90,989 | 8,403 |
| Vinhomes JSC | - | 84,791 |
| Interests received | | |
| | 04 027 | 400.004 |
| Vingroup JSC North Vincom Retail LLC | 91,627 | 192,261 |
| | 89,272 | 116,854 |
| South Vincom Retail LLC | 106,847 | 223,057 |
| Green City Development Joint Stock Company | 96,318 | - |
| Vinhomes JSC | - | 96,966 |
| Dividend receivable | | |
| North Vincom Retail LLC | 1,900,000 | 600,000 |
| North Vincom Retail LLC | 800,000 | - |
| Suoi Hoa Urban Development and Investment | 291,810 | |
| JSC | | |
| Dividend received | | |
| North Vincom Retail LLC | 1,680,000 | 600,000 |
| North Vincom Retail LLC | 800,000 | 000,000 |
| Suoi Hoa Urban Development and Investment | 291,810 | ~ |
| JSC | 231,010 | - |

28. TRANSACTIONS AND BALANCES WITH RELATED PARTIES (continued)

Significant transactions with related parties during the year (continued):

Currency: VND million

| | Current year | Previous year |
|---|--------------|---------------|
| Dividend payable | | |
| Vingroup JSC | 449,101 | - |
| Hanoi Southern City Development and | 201,798 | - |
| Trading LLC | | |
| Saidong Urban Development and Investment JSC | 788,582 | - |
| Dividend paid | | |
| Vingroup JSC | 449,101 | - |
| Hanoi Southern City Development and Trading LLC | 201,798 | - |
| Saidong Urban Development and Investment JSC | 788,582 | - |

Amounts due to and due from related parties are as follows:

| Related parties | Transactions | As at 31/12/2019 | As at 31/12/2018 |
|---|--|------------------|------------------|
| Short-term trade re | ceivable (Note 6) | | |
| South Vincom Retail LLC | Receivables from rendering of services | 32,713 | 28,954 |
| North Vincom Retail LLC | Receivables from rendering of services | 64,938 | 40,827 |
| Suoi Hoa Urban Development and Investment JSC | Receivables from rendering of services | 1,252 | 31,918 |
| Vincommerce General Commerce Services JSC | Receivables from rendering of services | - | 11,497 |
| Other companies in the Group | Other receivables | 14,099 | 10,895 |
| • | | 113,002 | 124,091 |

28. TRANSACTIONS AND BALANCES WITH RELATED PARTIES (continued)

Amounts due to and due from related parties as follows: (continued)

| Related parties | Transactions | As at 31/12/2019 | As at 31/12/2018 |
|--|---|------------------|------------------|
| Other short-term re | aceivables (Note 7) | | |
| Vingroup JSC | Interests receivable | 4,144 | 88,571 |
| | Other receivables | 147 | 13 |
| South Vincom | Interests receivable | 4,294 | 10,891 |
| Retail LLC | Deposit for mall acquisition | 750,000 | |
| | Other receivables | 3,888 | 441 |
| North Vincom Retail | Interests receivable | 7,644 | 8,216 |
| LLC | Dividends receivable | 220,000 | - |
| | Other receivables | 14,935 | 51,731 |
| Vietnam Investment | Interests receivable | 19,381 | 19,381 |
| and Consulting | Other receivables | 78 | - |
| Other companies in the Group | Other receivables | 16,491 | 21,467 |
| · | | 1,041,002 | 200,711 |
| Other current asse | ts (Note 10) | | |
| Vingroup JSC | Deposit for business cooperation | 886,000 | 1,682,000 |
| West Hanoi Construction and Commercial Development Company Limited | Deposit for business cooperation | 81,000 | • |
| Gia Lam Urban Investment and Development Company Limited | Deposit for business cooperation | 98,000 | - |
| Central Park Development LLC | Deposit for business cooperation | - | 101,000 |
| | | 1,065,000 | 1,783,000 |
| Other long-term ass Vingroup JSC | sets (Note 10) Deposit for business cooperation | 72,000 | 251,000 |
| Green City Development JSC | Deposit for business cooperation | 362,000 | 142,000 |
| Can Gio Tourist City Corporation | Deposit for business cooperation | 163,000 | 163,000 |
| - | | 597,000 | 556,000 |
| | | | |

28. TRANSACTIONS AND BALANCES WITH RELATED PARTIES (continued)

Amounts due to and due from related parties as follows: (continued)

| Related parties | Transactions | As at 31/12/2019 | As at 31/12/2018 |
|--|--|------------------|------------------|
| Short-term trade pa | avables (Note 17.1) | | |
| Vinhomes JSC | Construction cost payable | 7,635 | 207,821 |
| | Other payables | 25,298 | 26,073 |
| Vingroup JSC | Management fee and other service fee | 3,944 | 103,973 |
| Vietnam Investment and Consulting Investment JSC | Sharing profit and other payables | 9,083 | • |
| Other companies in the Group | Other payables | 9,330 | 11,307 |
| | | 55,290 | 349,174 |
| Short-term accrued Companies in the Group | d expenses (Note 19) Other payables | 1,393 | 1,787 |
| Огоар | | 1,393 | 1,787 |
| Other short-term pa | avahles (Note 20) | | |
| South Vincom Retail LLC | Payables relating to Master account | 117,551 | 191,772 |
| | Other payables | 1,718 | 1,581 |
| North Vincom Retail LLC | Payables relating to Master account | 2,724 | 45,048 |
| | Other payables | 3,240 | 2,485 |
| Suoi Hoa Urban Development and | Payables relating to Master account | 188,613 | - |
| _ | Other payables | 648 | 243 |
| Other companies in the Group | Other payables | 141 | 295 |
| | | 314,635 | 241,424 |
| Other long-term lial | bilities (Note 20) | | |
| Companies in the Group | Other payables | 6,866 | 10,036 |
| F | | 6,866 | 10,036 |

28. TRANSACTIONS AND BALANCES WITH RELATED PARTIES (continued)

Loan receivables from related parties

The Company has no short-term loan receivables as at 31 December 2019

Details of unsecured short-term loans to related parties as at 31 December 2018:

| Related parties | As at 31/12/2018 | Interest rate | Maturity date |
|-------------------------|------------------|---------------|---------------|
| | VND million | per annum | |
| South Vincom Retail LLC | 792,293 | 10.0% | March 2019 |
| | | | |
| | 792.293 | | |

Details of unsecured long-term loans to related parties as at 31 December 2019:

| Related parties | As at 31/12/2019 | Interest rate | Maturity date |
|-------------------------|------------------|---------------|---------------|
| | VND million | per annum | |
| North Vincom Retail LLC | 900,000 | 9.8% | March 2022 |
| | | | |
| South Vincom Retail LLC | 500,000 | 9.8% | March 2022 |
| | · | | |
| | 1,400,000 | | |
| | | | |

Details of unsecured long-term loan to related parties as at 31 Demceber 2018:

| Related parties | As at 31/12/2018 | Interest rate | Maturity date |
|-------------------------|------------------------|-------------------|---------------|
| North Vincom Retail LLC | VND million 900,000 | per annum 9.8% | March 2022 |
| | | | |
| South Vincom Retail LLC | 500,000 | 9.8% | March 2022 |
| - | 1,400,000 | | |

29. EVENTS AFTER THE BALANCE SHEET DATE

There is no matter or circumstance that has risen since the balance date that requires adjustment or disclosure in the separate financial statement of the Company.

Phung Thi Thanh Preparer Nguyen Thi Xuan Nghia Chief Accountant Pham Ngoc Thoa Chief Finance Officer

30 January 2020

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APPENDIX 1 - CORPORATE STRUCTURE AS AT 31 DECEMBER 2019

| No. | Name | Voting right (%) | Equity interest (%) | Registered office's address | Principal activities |
|-----|--|---------------------|---------------------|---|--|
| 1 | North Vincom Retail LLC | 100.00 | 100.00 | No. 72A, Nguyen Trai street, Thuong Dinh ward, Thanh Xuan district, Hanoi | Leasing and trading real estate property |
| 2 | South Vincom Retail LLC | 100.00 | 100.00 | No. 72, Le Thanh Ton street and No. 45A Ly Tu Trong street, Ben Nghe ward, District 1, Ho Chi Minh city | Leasing and trading real estate property |
| 3 | Suoi Hoa Urban Development and Investment JSC | 97.27 | 97.27 | Km1 + 200, Tran Hung Dao street, Suoi Hoa ward, Bac Ninh city, Bac Ninh province | Leasing and trading real estate property |
| 4 | Ha Thanh Real Estate Development and Investment Company Limited | 100.00 | 100.00 | No. 7, Bang Lang 1 street, Vinhomes Riverside, Viet Hung ward, Long Bien district, Hanoi | Leasing and trading real estate property |

APPENDIX (continued)
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APPENDIX 2 - EXPLANATION FOR THE VARIANCES IN INCOME STATEMENT BETWEEN THE TWO PERIODS

(Under guidance of Circular No. 155/2015/TT-BTC dated 06 October 2015)

Currency: VND million

| Code | Item | Quarter IV 2019 | Quarter IV 2018 | Variance | % |
|------|---|-----------------|-----------------|-----------|-------|
| 10 | Net revenue from sale of goods and rendering of | 1,332,408 | 450,789 | 881,619 | 196% |
| 11 | Cost of goods sold and services rendered | 771,937 | 309,762 | 462,175 | 149% |
| 21 | Finance income | 1,285,442 | 141,849 | 1,143,593 | 806% |
| 25 | Selling expenses | 80,082 | 17,876 | 62,206 | 348% |
| 26 | General and administrative expenses | 15,581 | 21,038 | (5,457) | -26% |
| 60 | Net profit after tax | 1,585,297 | 143,093 | 1,442,204 | 1008% |

Explanation for variances in income statements between the two period which were over 10%:

- Net revenue from sale of goods and rendering of services increased VND 882 billion because of an increase amounted to VND 702 billion in revenue
 from leasing activities and rendering of related services which came from newly openning shopping malls in 2018 are now stable operating; an increase
 amounted to VND 194 billion from sale of inventory properties. Cost of goods sold and services rendered increases corresponding to the revenue from
 sale of goods and rendering of services.
- Finance income increased VND 1,144 billion in comparision with the previous period because: (i) the dividend receivable from subsidiaries amounted to VND 1,200 billion; (ii) the decrease of interest from loans and investment activities amounted to VND 56 billion.
- Selling and general and administrative expenses increased in line with the growth of revenue.
- Net profit after tax increased by VND 1,442 billion in comparision with the previous period because of above mentioned reasons.