

# **Audited Abridged** Consolidated **Financial Statements**

for the year ended 30 September 2019



## **CHAIRMAN'S STATEMENT**

### Overview

The Group performed commendably during the year under review, given the difficult operating environment in Zimbabwe, and despite increased competition. The numbers we are reporting suggest that we have been able to further increase our market share

We maintained the focus on building the Electrosales Hardware brand to be the biggest and best supplier of hardware and home improvement products throughout Zimbabwe. Although year on year growth was slower than we planned, we still recorded an increase in total volumes.

The environment has been characterised by increasing regulation, fast deteriorating infrastructure, acute shortages of power, water, fuel, foreign and local currencies; increased taxation, harsher borrowing conditions, escalating costs, reduced disposable incomes and hyperinflation. All of these factors are working against formal business, and diminish the 'ease of doing business'. In the past year, we saw significant growth in both the numbers of, and volumes traded by informal traders. This informalisation, resulting from the actions and inactions of Government, does not augur well for national growth and development.

The re-introduction of a local currency has muddled both the operational and financial accounting waters. Individual and corporate citizens have shown no enthusiasm for the ZWL/RTGS\$. This attitude has been strengthened by the continued unavailability of the local currency, and its un-relenting weakening against the currencies of our main economic partner nations. All this, in spite of assurances by authorities, that the new currency would be readily available, and would be

Uncertainty and instability in public services, highlighted by the on-going job action by health personnel, and corruption throughout society, accentuate the hostile environment for business

#### **Financial Review**

As in previous years, our key strategy was to grow sales volumes. We have had to increase inventories, to mitigate against the impact of erratic supplies. These improved levels of product availability, have led to increase sales, as well as profitability. However, the shift in product range towards building materials, has put our margins under pressure.

Turnover for the year rose by 224.8%, to \$267.9m, while gross margins rose 181.5%, from \$22.1m to \$62.1m.

As a result of inflationary pressures, operating expenses increased by 221.3%, from \$15.4m to \$49.5m. This resulted in an increase in EBIT of 229.4%, from \$6.8m to \$22.4m.

Finance costs for the year rose marginally, from \$1.12m to \$1.39m, resulting in a profit before tax of \$21.0m, compared to \$5.7 m, for the previous year. Income attributable to shareholders came in at \$17.6m, significantly up from \$4.2m, for the last financial year. Earnings per share came in at 4.66c as opposed to 1.12c for the previous year.

Inventory values rose very significantly from \$19.6m to \$267.4m, largely driven by high purchasing activity. However, we have also intentionally increased our physical inventory to drive the increased throughput. Although borrowings rose from \$8.6m to \$15.8m, this is obviously substantially reduced in real terms.

We have chosen not to apply IAS 21 and 29, in this report, because there have been too many distortions from both the fiscal and monetary measures implemented during the year under review. The Directors do consider the effect of high rate of inflation in Zimbabwe, but the cost of preparing inflation adjusted financial statements far outweighs the benefits to the shareholders particularly where inflation indices remain opaque. We have put emphasis on strengthening the balance sheet, building real assets, as well as reducing liabilities, in an effort to, at least preserve, if not enhance stakeholder values.

#### **Operational Review**

Only one new branch was added during the year, bringing our total number of branches to 19 countrywide. In addition, we carried out some extensions and renovations to a number of branches, raising our total retail space to 13 405 square

The main focus this past year, has been on maximising our utilisation of the existing branch network, by broadening the range of products on offer, thereby increasing the customer choice; and by optimising stock models, to minimise stock outs. Erratic supply of both local and imported products continued to be the greatest challenge, we faced during the past 12 months. Imports were hampered by various trade barriers, notably Bureau Veritas, import licenses, punitive duties, payable in foreign currency, disorder and corruption at the ports of entry, and a dysfunctional interbank foreign currency market. Many local manufacturers, operating in the same environment as us, were unable to meet our demand

Earlier in the year, electrical power, which had been reliably supplied, suddenly became unavailable, and power cuts of up to 18 hours a day became the norm. This triggered massive demand for alternative power products, such as generators, invertors, batteries, solar panels, solar geysers, et. cetera. Although we have been struggling to meet the demand, we have been able to take advantage of this, and dramatically increased our throughput of these products.

We continued to invest substantially in our people, through training in management, supervision, product knowledge, sales and customer service. We are encouraged by the numerous positive comments from customers, on our service levels; showing that this investment is achieving the desired result.

We are not able to accurately measure our market share. But, given the number of players in our sector, we believe that there is still potential for significant growth in our business. Our strategy going forward, will remain focused on the on-going expansion of both product ranges and footprint, in order to increase our market share, and with it, profitability and asset value.

Our Engineering Division continued to run smoothly, and as a result, had another reasonable year. We had prepared ourselves for the projected growth, and therefore, anticipated higher demand from the mining and agricultural sectors. However, this did not materialise. Fortunately, significant demand for locally made products, particularly aimed at domestic construction, generated appreciable throughput.

Once again. although the profit from this part of the business was modest, it is positive, and the return on capital employed in the operation, is good. The other positive is the fact that we are keeping the skills in this business on hand, for when we return to new investments and growth in the economy

We commend Management for continuing to deliver product, despite many days without power

#### Prospects

It is difficult to tell where our country is going. Statements of, and actions by our leaders do not seem to reflect the reality of everyday experiences of citizens. The country yearns for a coherent, credible, macro-economic policy framework, and regulatory regime, within which economic agents can operate and plan for the future.

Notwithstanding the uncertainties and instability in the market, we have found the hardware sector to be remarkably resilient. Understanding that financial/monetary savings rapidly waste away, the people opt to put any spare disposable ncomes into their homes. We, in turn, will strive to support the people's value preservation instincts, offering a broad range of value for money products, and providing our customers with excellent service.

Lastly, we have worked extremely hard to consolidate our buying power, and to channel this into procuring product from the global best sources. In this way, we have been able to push costs down, and we believe that this will be key to remaining ahead of both formal and informal competitors, who cannot access these sources.

## AUDITORS' STATEMENT

These abridged consolidated financial statements should be read in conjunction with the complete set of the audited consolidated financial statements of Powerspeed Electrical Limited for the year ended 30 September 2019, which have been audited by Messrs Grant Thornton Chartered Accountants (Zimbabwe). An adverse opinion was issued thereon in respect of non-compliance with the requirements of IAS 21 - The Effects of Changes in Foreign Exchange Rates and IAS 29 - Financial Reporting in Hyperinflationary Economies. There is an emphasis of matter regarding the fair value determination of property, plant and equipment and investment property. The auditors' report includes a section on key audit matters in respect of expected credit risk allowance and revenue recognition. The auditors' report on the consolidated financial statements is available for inspection at the company's registered office

Grant Thornton 20 December 2019

Grant Thornton Chartered Accountants (Zimbabwe) Registered Public Auditors

COMPANY

Harare

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#### Abridged Consolidated Statement of Profit or Loss and Other **Comprehensive Income** HISTORICAL COST

for the year ended 30 September 2019

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	Notes	2019 ZWL\$'000	2018 ZWL\$'000	2019 ZWL\$'000	2018 ZWL\$'000
Revenue Cost of sales		267 929 (205 748)	82 496 (60 407)	267 929 (205 748)	82 496 (60 407)
Gross profit Investment property income Fair value adjustment Other income Operating expenses		62 181 30 8 775 849 (49 450)	22 089 35 (217) 279 (15 390)	62 181 - 674 (49 171)	22 089  279 (15 321)
Profit from operations Finance costs	3	22 385 (1 389)	6 796 (1 120)	13 684 (1 389)	7 047 (1 120)
Profit before taxation Income tax expense	4	20 996 (3 435)	5 676 (1 474)	12 295 (3 454)	5 927 (1 539)
Profit for the year		17 561	4 202	8 841	4 388
Other comprehensive income					
Gain on property revaluation Deferred taxation on		127 231	11	127 082	-
revaluation surplus		(32 762)	(3)	(32 724)	-
Other comprehensive income for the year, net of tax		94 469	8	94 358	-
TOTAL COMPREHENSIVE INCOME FOR THE YEAR		112 030	4 210	103 199	4 388
Earnings per share 5 Basic earnings per share					
(in cents) Diluted earnings per share		4.66	1.12	2.35	1.17
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Headline earnings per share Basic earnings per share (in cents)		4.66	1.12	2.36	1.17
Diluted earnings per share (in cents)		4.66	1.12	2.36	1.17
Net asset value per share (in cents)		97.3	3.87	94.15	3.59

#### Abridged Consolidated Statement of Financial Position

as at 30 September 2019									
		HISTORICAL COST							
		G	ROUP	co	MPANY				
ASSETS	Notes	2019 ZWL\$'000	2018 ZWL\$'000	2019 ZWL\$'000	2018 ZWL\$'000				
Non-current assets Property, plant and equipment Investment property	6 7	170 066 11 400	11 126 750	169 155 -	3 898				
Investment in subsidiaries		-	-	350	1 734				
		181 466	11 876	169 505	5 632				
Current assets Inventories Related party receivables Trade and other receivables	8 9	267 420 25 730	19 635 - 3 647	267 420 135 25 730	19 635 5 444 3 647				
Cash and cash equivalents Tax refund	10	14 247	1 288 318	14 247 -	1 287 197				
		307 397	24 888	307 532	30 210				
Total assets		488 863	36 764	477 037	35 842				
EQUITY AND LIABILITIES Capital and reserves Share capital Share premium Revaluation reserve Non-distributable reserves Functional currency change reserve Retained earnings	11	38 1 099 94 477 6 306 243 754 23 466	37 175 8 6 777 7 497	38 1 099 94 358 5 170 241 756 14 849	37 175 5 641 7 600				
		369 140	14 494	357 270	13 453				
Non-current liabilities Deferred taxation Long-term borrowings	12 13	33 945 2 765	761 2 054	33 918 2 765	299 2 054				
		36 710	2 815	36 683	2 353				
Current liabilities Trade and other payables Provisions Related party payables Short term borrowings	14 15 13	58 993 10 083 - 13 053	11 324 1 560 - 6 571	58 993 10 083 1 13 053	11 324 1 560 581 6 571				
Taxation	10	884	-	954	-				
		83 013	19 455	83 084	20 036				
Total equity and liabilities		488 863	36 764	477 037	35 842				

The good performance of the business over the past year, has put us in a position to share the rewards with our shareholders. Accordingly, the Board has resolved to declare a dividend of 1 cent per share, for the 12 months ended 30 September 2019, to shareholders on the register on 3 January 2020. Shares will trade cum dividend on 31 December 2019 and ex dividend on 2 January 2020.

Given the volatility of the RTGS Dollar, the Board also resolved to offer shareholders a scrip option. A detailed calendar pertaining to the dividend will be published separately in due course

#### Appreciation

The Board commends and thanks Management and all employees, for their dedicated efforts during very difficult circumstances. We are also grateful to all our partners, especially the customers, suppliers, bankers and other service providers, for supporting us in ways that enabled us to achieve what we have.

I am deeply indebted to my fellow directors for leading and guiding our Management diligently, zealously and effectively, over the past year

We remain committed to our growth strategy, despite the economic headwinds facing the formal economy, and we will be doing everything that we can to achieve our objectives

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Dr S.H. Makoni Chairman

20 December 2019

DIRECTORS: Dr. S.H. Makoni, H.N. Macklin, M.S. Gurira, M.S. Kretzmann, C.C.M. Tambo, N.H. Kretzmer, V.R. Gapare





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## Abridged Consolidated Statement of Cash Flows

for the year ended 30 September 2019

		HISTORIC	AL COST	
		GROUP	COM	PANY
Notes	2019 ZWL\$'000	2018 ZWL\$'000	2019 ZWL\$'000	2018 ZWL\$'000
CASH GENERATED FROM OPERATIONS Profit before income tax Adjustment for non-cash items	20 996 215 647	5 676 2 058	12 295 237 631	5 927 1 729
Operating cash flow before changes in working capital Changes in working capital: Adjustment from the adoption of IFRS 9 Increase in inventory Decrease/(Increase) in related	236 643 (95) (247 785)	7 734 (5 030)	249 926 (95) (247 785)	7 656 (5 030)
party receivables (Increase)/Decrease in trade and other receivables Decrease in related party payables Increase in trade and other payables	- (22 083) - 56 192	- 202 (118) 5 710	5 309 (22 083) (580) 56 192	(2 702) 199 (128) 5 715
Cash generated from operating activities Finance costs Tax paid	22 872 (1 389) (1 811)	8 498 (1 120) (1 663)	40 884 (1 389) (1 811)	5 710 (1 120) (1 662)
Cash generated from operating activities	19 672	5 715	37 684	2 928
CASH FLOWS FROM INVESTING ACTIVITIES Acquisition of property, plant and equipment 6 Transfer of fixed assets Increase in investment in subsidiaries Proceeds from the disposal of property, plant and equipment	(12 863) - - -	(5 136) - - 5	(12 863) (18 011) - -	(2 348) (2) 5
Cash utilised in investing activities	(12 863)	(5 131)	(30 874)	(2 345)
CASH FLOWS FROM FINANCING ACTIVITIES Share buy back Proceeds from issue of shares Dividend paid Net proceeds from loans raised	(471) 925 (1 497) 7 193	- - (856)	(471) 925 (1 497) 7 193	(856)
Cash generated from/(utilised in) financing activities Net increase/(decrease) in cash and cash equivalents	6 150 12 959	(856) (272)	6 150 12 960	(856) (273)
Cash and cash equivalents at beginning of the year	1 288	1 560	1 287	1 560
Cash and cash equivalents at end of year 10	14 247	1 288	14 247	1 287

## Abridged Consolidated Statement of Changes in Equity

tor	the	year	ended	30	September	2019	

GROUP	HISTORICAL COST									
Ľ	Share capital ZWL\$'000	Share premium ZWL\$'000	Revaluation reserve ZWL\$'000	Non- distributable reserves ZWL\$'000	Functional currency change reserve ZWL\$'000	Retained earnings ZWL\$'000	Total ZWL\$'000			
At 1 October 2017 Total comprehensive	37	175	-	6 777	-	3 295	10 284			
income for the year	-	-	8	-	-	4 202	4 210			
At 30 September 2018	37	175	8	6 777	-	7 497	14 494			
Balance as at 1 October 20 Adjustment from the	)18 37	175	8	6 777	-	7 497	14 494			
adoption of IFRS 9	-	-	-	-	-	(95)	(95)			
Adjusted balance as at										
1 October 2018	37	175	8	6 777	-	7 402	14 399			
Shares issued	1	924	-	-	-	-	925			
Share buy back	-	-	-	(471)	-	-	(471)			
Dividend paid	-	-	-	-	-	(1 497)	(1 497)			
Functional currency change Total comprehensive	9 -	-	-	-	243 754	-	243 754			
income for the year	-	-	94 469	-	-	17 561	112 030			
At 30 September 2019	38	1 099	94 477	6 306	243 754	23 466	369 140			

## Notes to the abridged consolidated financial statements for the year ended 30 September 2019

#### 1 **GENERAL INFORMATION**

Powerspeed Electrical Limited, the Group's parent company, is a public limited liability company incorporated and domiciled in Zimbabwe. The Company's registered office and principal place of business is Stand 17568, Corner Cripps Road/Kelvin North, Graniteside, Harare, Zimbabwe. Powerspeed Electrical Limited 's shares are listed on the Zimbabwe Stock Exchange.

#### 2 **BASIS OF PREPARATION**

The abridged consolidated financial statements have been prepared using accounting policies consistent with International Financial Reporting Standards (IFRSs) and International Accounting Standards (IASs) except for IAS 21 The Effects of Changes in Foreign Exchange Rates and IAS 29 Financial Reporting in Hyperinflationary Economies, and in the manner required by the Companies Act (Chapter 24:03). The principal accounting policies of the Group have been applied consistently in all material respects with those of the previous year unless otherwise stated. IFRS 9 Financial Instruments and IFRS 15 Revenue from contracts with customers are effective in the  $\operatorname{current} \operatorname{period} \operatorname{and} \operatorname{have} \operatorname{been} \operatorname{adopted} \operatorname{by} \operatorname{the} \operatorname{Group}.$ 

3	PROFIT FROM OPERATIONS		HISTORIC	AL COST	
			Group	Co	mpany
		2019 ZWL\$'000	2018 ZWL\$'000	2019 ZWL\$'000	2018 ZWL\$'000
	The following items have been charged in arriving at profit from operations:				
	Depreciation on property, plant and equipment (Loss)/Profit on disposal of property, plant and		724	2 324	613
	equipment Impairment of investment in subsidiaries	(118)	4	(118) 1 384	4
	Repair and maintenance expenditure Operating lease rentals	1 380 2 866	437 2 114	1 380 2 866	405 2 114
	Staff costs Audit fees	20 689 840	8219 148	20 689 840	8 2 1 9 1 4 8
	Directors' emoluments Fair value adjustment on investment property	275 8775	167 (217)	275	167
4	INCOME TAX EXPENSE Current taxation	3013	1 370	3015	1 4 3 9
	Deferred taxation	422	104	439	100
		3 4 3 5	1 474	3 4 5 4	1 539
5	EARNINGS PER SHARE The basic and diluted earnings per share have been calculated using profit attributable to shareholders of the Group/Company as the numerator, i.e. no adjustments to profit were necessary in 2018 and 2019. The weighted average number of outstanding shares used for basic and diluted earnings per share amount to 376 851 964.				
	Basic earnings per share (cents)	4.66	1.12	2.35	1.17
	Diluted earnings per share (cents)	4.66	1.12	2.35	1.17
	Headline earnings per share Headline earnings per share excludes all items of a capital nature and represents an after tax amount. It is calculated by dividing headline earnings by the number of shares in issue during the year:				
	Basic earnings per share (cents)	4.66	1.12	2.36	1.17
	Diluted earnings per share (cents)	4.66	1.12	2.36	1.17
6	PROPERTY, PLANT AND EQUIPMENT Carrying amount at beginning of year Additions Revaluation surplus Functional currency change Transfers of assets from subsidiary	11 126 12 863 127 231 21 291	6 704 5 136 11 -	3 898 12 863 127 082 9 743 18 011	2 163 2 348 - - -
	Disposals Depreciation for year	(118) (2327)	(725)	(118) (2 324)	(613)
	Carrying amount at end of year	170 066	11 126	169 155	3 898
7	INVESTMENT PROPERTY Carrying amount at the beginning	750	967	-	-
	Functional currency change of investment property	1875	-	-	-
	Fair value adjustment	8775	(217)	-	-
	Carrying amount at the end	11 400	750	-	-
8	INVENTORIES	405 405	45 400	405 405	45 400
	Finished goods Raw materials	185 195 1 290	15 406 429	185 195 1 290	15406 429
	Work in progress Goods in transit	138 116 886	77 5483	138 116 886	77 5483
	Allowance for obsolete inventory	(36 089)	(1760)	(36 089)	(1760)
		207 420	19635	267 420	19635
9	TRADE AND OTHER RECEIVABLES Trade Allowance for credit losses	24 816 (637)	2 174 (328)	24 816 (637)	2 174 (328)
		24 179	1 846	24 179	1 846
	Other	1 551	1 801	1 551	1 801
		25730	3 6 4 7	25730	3 6 4 7
10	CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS For the purposes of statement of cash flows, cash and cash equivalents consists of:				
	Cash on hand Bank balances	6 058 8 189	254 1 034	6 058 8 189	254 1 033
		14 247	1 288	14 247	1 287

COMPANY	Share capital ZWL\$'000	Share premium ZWL\$'000	Revaluation reserve ZWL\$'000	Non- distributable reserves ZWL\$'000	Functional currency change reserve ZWL\$'000	Retained earnings ZWL\$'000	Total ZWL\$'000
At 1 October 2017 Total comprehensive	37	175	-	5 641	-	3 212	9 065
income for the year	-	-	-	-	-	4 388	4 388
At 30 September 2018	37	175	-	5 641	-	7 600	13 453
Balance as at 1 October 2 Adjustment from the	018 37	175	-	5 641	-	7 600	13 453
adoption of IFRS 9	-	-	-	-	-	(95)	(95)
Adjusted balance as at 1 October 2018	37	175	-	5 641	-	7 505	13 358
Total comprehensive income for the year	-	-	94 358	-	-	8 841	103 199
Shares Issued	1	924	-	-	-	-	925
Share buy back	-	-	-	(471)	-	-	(471)
Dividend paid Functional currency chang	je -	-	-	-	- 241 756	(1 497)	(1 497) 241 756
At 30 September 2019	38	1 099	94 358	5 170	241 756	14 849	357 270

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HISTORICAL COST Group Co							
		2019	Group 2018	Cor 2019	npany 2018		
1	SHARE CAPITAL	ZWL\$'000	ZWL\$'000	ZWL\$'000	ZWL\$'000		
	Authorised share capital 500 000 000 ordinary shares at ZWL\$0.0001 per share	50	50	50	50		
	Issued and fully paid The movement in ordinary share capital is shown below:						
	Ordinary share capital 1 October Share buyback Shares Issued	37 - 1	37	37 - 1	37		
		38	37	38	37		
	Reconciliation of the movement in issued		01		01		
	Number of issued ordinary shares is as follows Number of issued ordinary shares at 1 October Shares Issued Share buyback	374 241 6 604 (1 382)	374 241 - -	374 241 6 604 (1 382)	374 241		
	Number of issued ordinary shares at 30 September	379463	374 241	379463	374 241		
	Percentage bought back	0.4%	-	0.4%			
	379 463 063 (2018: 374 240 865) shares were in issue at a par value of ZWL\$0.0001 per share.						
	DEFERRED TAXATION Opening balance Recognised in profit or loss Deferred tax arising on transfer of subsidiary Recognised in other comprehensive income	761 422 - 32 762	654 104 - 3	299 439 456 32 724	199 100		
	Closing balance	33 945	761	33 9 18	299		
	Attributable as follows: Accelerated depreciation for tax purposes Recognised in other comprehensive income	1 183 32 762	758 3	1 194 32 724	299		
	Carrying amount	33 945	761	33 918	299		
	BORROWINGS						
	Long term borrowings	2765	2054	2765	2 054		
	Short term borrowings Bankers' acceptances Bank overdraft Other Short term borrowings	3 000 5 259 4 794	2 438 1 949 2 184	3 000 5 259 4 794	2 438 1 949 2 184		
	Average cost of borrowing is 21%.	13 053	6571	13 053	6 57 1		
	TRADE AND OTHER PAYABLES Trade Payables						
	Local Foreign	17 414 34 996	3 662 4 617	17 414 34 996	3 662 4 617		
	Other	52 410 6 583	8 279 3 045	52 410 6 583	8 279 3 045		
		58 993	11 324	58 993	11 324		
	PROVISIONS Leave pay Bonus Gratuity	2 307 3 491 4 285	370 570 620	2 307 3 491 4 285	370 570 620		
		10 083	1 560	10 083	1 560		

## 16 SEGMENT REPORTING

Management currently identifies the Groups' three service lines as its operating segments. These operating segments are monitored by the Group's Board of Directors and strategic decisions are made on the basis of adjusted segment operating results.

Segment information for the reporting periods are as follows:

[		HISTORICA	AL COST		
	Properties ZWL\$'000	Engineering ZWL\$'000	Retail ZWL\$'000	Total ZWL\$'000	

GROUPProperties ZWL\$'000Engineering ZWL\$'0002018 Revenue From external customers From other segments-2713Segment revenues-2713Other income (Includes Investment Income)356Operating expenses Fair value adjustment Costs of material Employee benefits expense Depreciation and amortisation of non-financial assets Intergroup Finance costs Other expenses(217) - (1076) - (765) Other expenses (111)(66) (69) - Other expenses (118)(368)-Segment Expenses (118)(446)(2344)Segment profit/(loss)(411)375		
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Other income (Includes Investment Income)356Operating expenses Fair value adjustment Costs of material(217) - (1076)- (1076)Employee benefits expense 	79 784 53 523	82 497 53 523
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	(113 975) (7 455) (547) 69 (1 120) (4 840)	(217) (115 051) (8 220) (724) (1 120) (5 326)
Segment profit/(loss) (411) 375	(127 868)	(130 658)
	5712	5676
Segment assets7 978712Segment liabilities341847	28 072 21 081	36 764 22 270

ectrical Limit

#### 17 The Company's revenues from external customers are divided into the following geographical areas:

	2019	2018
	ZWL\$'000	ZWL\$'000
Sales within Zimbabwe	317 449	136 020
Total sales	317 449	136 020
The totals presented for the Company's operating segments reconcile to the key financial figures as presented in its financial statements as follows:		
Revenue Total reportable segment revenue Elimination of inter-segment revenue	317 449 (49 520)	136 020 (53 524)
	267 929	82 496

#### 18 SENSITIVITY ANALYSIS FOR EVENTS AFTER THE REPORTING PERIOD

Element as per accounts	Group USD\$'000	Group ZWL\$'000	Total '000 @1:1	Total ZWL\$'000 15.2	Total ZWL\$'000 20	Total ZWL\$'000 30
Property and Plant and Equipment	12 119	-	12 119	184 209	242 380	363 570
Investment Property	750	-	750	11 400	15 000	22 500
Inventory	25 920	1 690	27 610	395 674	520 090	779 290
Trade and other receivables	-	25 730	25 730	25 730	25730	25 7 30
Bank and Cash	473	7 057	7 530	14 247	16517	21 247
Long - Term Borrowings	-	(2765)	(2765)	(2765)	(2765)	(2 765)
Short - Term Borrowings	(207)	(9 905)	(10 114)	(13 053)	(14 047)	(16 117)
Trade and other payables	(2 302)	(24 003)	(26 305)	(58 993)	(70 043)	(93 063)

### 19 FINANCIAL RISK MANAGEMENT OBJECTIVES AND POLICIES

The Group's principal financial liabilities comprise loans payable, bank overdrafts and trade payables. The main purpose of these financial liabilities is to raise finance for the Group's operations. The Group has various financial assets such as trade receivables and cash and short term deposits, which arise directly from its operations. Exposure to credit, interest rate and currency risk arises in the normal course of Group's business and these are main risks arising from the Group's financial instruments.

The Board of Directors reviews and agrees policies for managing each of these risks which are summarised below:

### **Credit risk**

nement has a credit policy in place and the exposure to credit risk is monitored on an oppoing basis. The

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GROUP

Revenue From external customers From other segments	-	5719 -	262 210 49 520	267 929 49 520
Segment revenues		5719	311 730	317 449
Other income (Includes Investment Income)	205	-	674	879
Operating expenses Fair value adjustment Costs of material Employee benefits expense Depreciation and amortisation of non-financial assets Intergroup Finance costs Finance costs Other expenses	8775 - (3) - (257)	(2 893) (869) (60) (118) (267)	(252 375) (19 820) (2 264) 118 (1 389) (25 910)	8 775 (255 268) (20 689) (2 327) - (1 389) (26 434)
Segment Expenses	8 5 1 5	(4 207)	(301 640)	(297 332)
Segment profit	8720	1512	10764	20 996
Segment assets Segment liabilities	11 825 54	7 914 3 965	469 123 115 705	488 863 119 723

forup assumes foreign credit risk only on customers approved by the Board and follows credit review procedures for local credit customers.

#### Interest rate risk

The Group's exposure to the risk of changes in market interest rates relates primarily to the Group's long and short term debt obligations and bank overdrafts. The Group's policy is to manage its interest cost using a mix of fixed and variable rate debts.

#### **Currency risk**

The Group is exposed to foreign currency risk on transactions that are denominated in a currency other than the Zimbabwe Dollar.

In respect of all monetary assets and liabilities held in currencies other than the Zimbabwe Dollar, the Group ensures that the net exposure is kept to an acceptable level.

#### Dividend

A dividend of 1 cent per share has been proposed and will be payable to shareholders of the company in respect of the financial year ended 30 September 2019.

#### By Order of the Board

MS Gurira Group Company Secretary

DIRECTORS: Dr. S.H. Makoni, H.N. Macklin, M.S. Gurira, M.S. Kretzmann, C.C.M. Tambo, N.H. Kretzmer, V.R. Gapare





Powerspeed Electrical Limited and its subsidiaries Consolidated Annual Financial Statements 30 September 2019 Powerspeed Electrical Limited and its subsidiaries

## NATURE OF BUSINESS:

Manufacturing and trading of electrical products.

## **DIRECTORS:**

Makoni S. H. (Dr.) Macklin H. N. Gapare V.R Gurira M. S. Kretzmann M. S. Kretzmer N. Tambo C. C. (Chairman) (Managing Director) (Non-executive) (Executive) (Non-executive) (Non-executive) (Non-executive)

## SECRETARY:

Gurira M. S.

## **REGISTERED OFFICE:**

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## AUDITORS:

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These consolidated financial statements are expressed in Zimbabwe Dollars (ZW\$)

## Responsibilities of Management and Those Charged with Governance for the Consolidated Financial Statements for the year ended 30 September 2019

It is the Directors' responsibility to ensure that the consolidated financial statements fairly present the state of affairs of the Group. The external auditors are responsible for independently reviewing and reporting on the consolidated financial statements.

The Directors have assessed the ability of the Group to continue as a going concern and believe that the preparation of these consolidated financial statements on a going concern basis is still appropriate. However, the Directors believe that under the current economic environment a continuous assessment of the ability of the Group to continue to operate as a going concern will need to be performed to determine the continued appropriateness of the going concern assumption that has been applied in the preparation of these consolidated financial statements.

The consolidated financial statements set out in this report have not been prepared by management in accordance with International Financial Reporting Standards (IFRSs). As described in complete set of financials available for review. The Group had to be guided by SI 41/2019 which states that in the case of any inconsistency between a local pronouncement and any international standard, the local pronouncement shall take precedence to the extent of the inconsistency. In compliance with SI 33/2019, the Group maintained its functional currency as the USD for the first five months to 22 February 2019 using an exchange rate of 1:1 between the RTGS FCA and Nostro FCA and changed to ZW\$ as has been presented in the consolidated financial statements. This constitutes a departure from the requirements of IAS 21 - *The Effects of Changes in Foreign Exchange Rates*.

On the 11<sup>th</sup> of October 2019, the Public Accountants and Auditors Board (PAAB) issued a pronouncement relating to the application of IAS 29- *Financial Reporting in Hyperinflationary Economies*, in Zimbabwe. The PAAB advised that there is broad market consensus within the accounting and auditing professions that the factors and characteristics to apply the Financial Reporting in Hyperinflationary Economies Standard (IAS 29), in Zimbabwe had been met. The Group has not applied the IAS 29- *Financial Reporting in Hyperinflationary Economies* to the consolidated financial statements, this constitutes a departure from the requirements of IAS 29- *Financial Reporting in Hyperinflationary Economies*.

The Group's accounting and internal control systems are designed to provide reasonable assurance as to the integrity and reliability of the consolidated financial statements and to adequately safeguard, verify and maintain accountability of its assets. Such controls are based on established written policies and procedures and all employees are required to maintain the highest ethical standards in ensuring that the Group's business practices are conducted in a manner which in all reasonable circumstances is above reproach. Issues Powerspeed Electrical Limited and its subsidiaries

that come to the attention of the Directors have been addressed and the Directors confirm that the system of accounting and internal control is operating in a satisfactory manner.

Makoni S. H. (Dr.) Chairman

Macklin H. N. Managing Director

These consolidated financial statements were prepared under the supervision of:

Tapiwa Zingwe, ACCA Chief Finance Officer Registered Public Accountant (PAAB No: 2917)



## INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT

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## To the members of Powerspeed Electrical Limited and its subsidiaries

Report on the Audit of the Consolidated Financial Statements

Adverse Opinion

We have audited the consolidated financial statements of Powerspeed Electrical Limited and its subsidiaries set out on pages 11 to 37, which comprise the consolidated statement of financial position as at 30 September 2019, and the consolidated statement of profit or loss and other comprehensive income, the consolidated statement of changes in equity and the consolidated statement of cash flows for the year then ended, and the notes to the consolidated financial statements, including a summary of significant Group accounting policies.

In our opinion, because of the significance of the matters discussed in the Basis for Adverse Opinion section of our report, the consolidated financial statements do not present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of Powerspeed Electrical Limited and its subsidiaries as at 30 September 2019, and its financial performance and its cash flows for the year then ended in accordance with International Financial Reporting Standards (IFRSs) and in the manner required by the Companies Act (Chapter 24.03) and the relevant Statutory Instruments (SI) SI33/99 and SI62/96.

## **Basis for Adverse Opinion**

## Non-compliance with International Accounting Standard (IAS) 21 - The Effect of Changes in Foreign Exchange Rates

On 1 October 2018, the Reserve Bank of Zimbabwe (RBZ) issued a Monetary Policy Statement which directed banks to separate bank accounts into Real Time Gross Settlement

Foreign Currency Accounts (RTGS FCAs) and Nostro FCAs. As described in the notes to the consolidated financial statements, the economic environment during the year ended 30 September 2019 was characterised by 'multi-tiered' pricing, and the Group transacted predominantly in RTGS FCA (electronic payments), including mobile money, bond notes and coins.

On 20 February 2019, a Monetary Policy Statement was issued, denominating the existing RTGS balances, bond notes and coins in circulation as RTGS dollars in order to establish an exchange rate between the existing monetary balances and foreign currency. The RTGS dollars became part of the multi-currency system in Zimbabwe through the issuance of SI 33/2019, with an effective date of 22 February 2019. The SI provided that for accounting and other purposes, all assets and liabilities that were immediately before the effective date, valued and expressed in United States dollars shall on and after the effective date be deemed to be values in RTGS dollars at a rate of 1:1 to the United States dollar. This was not consistent with IAS 21-*The Effects of Changes in Foreign Exchange Rates* which requires that an assessment be made of the change in functional currency and that financial statements be presented at a rate that approximates the market rate. The Group had to be guided by SI 41/2019 which states that in the case of any inconsistency between a local pronouncement issued by the Board through a notice in the Government Gazette and any international standard, the local pronouncement shall take precedence to the extent of the inconsistency.

In compliance with SI 33/2019, the Group maintained its functional currency as the USD in the first five months to 22 February 2019 using an exchange rate of 1:1 between the RTGS FCA and Nostro FCA and changed to ZW\$ as has been presented in the consolidated financial statements. This constitutes a departure from the requirements of IAS 21-*The Effects of Changes in Foreign Exchange Rates.* Had the consolidated financial statements been prepared in accordance with the requirements of IAS 21, many elements would have been materially affected. As a result, the impact of the Group's inability to comply with IAS 21 has been determined as significant. The effects on the consolidated financial statements of the non-compliance with IAS 21 are considered material and pervasive to the consolidated financial statements, taken as a whole.

## Non-compliance with IAS 29- Financial Reporting in Hyperinflationary Economies

The Group was operating in a hyperinflationary economy for the year ended 30 September 2019. All information on the consolidated financial statements for the year then ended, and the notes to the consolidated financial statements has not been prepared in accordance with International Financial Reporting Standards in that the requirements of IAS 29 - *Financial Reporting in Hyperinflationary Economies* have not been complied with in converting the financial information for the year ended into an applicable measurement base at the date of reporting.

The non-compliance by the Group constitutes a departure from the *IAS 29- Financial Reporting in Hyperinflationary Economies.* Had the consolidated financial statements been prepared in accordance with the requirements of IAS 29, multiple elements would have been materially adjusted. As a result, the impact of the Group's inability to comply with IAS 29 has been determined as significant. The effects on the consolidated financial statements of the non-compliance with IAS 29 are considered material and pervasive to the consolidated financial statements, taken as a whole.

## **Emphasis of Matter**

## Fair value determination for property, plant and equipment and investment property.

The determination of fair values for property, plant and equipment and investment property presented in the consolidated financial statements is affected by the prevailing economic environment and may therefore be distorted. This may result in significant variations in fair values, depending on factors and assumptions used in the determination of the fair values.

We conducted our audit in accordance with International Standards on Auditing (ISAs). Our responsibilities under those standards are further described in the Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Consolidated Financial Statements section of our report. We are independent of the Group in accordance with the International Ethics Standards Board for Accountants' Code of Ethics for Professional Accountants (IESBA Code), and we have fulfilled our other ethical responsibilities in accordance with the IESBA Code. We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our adverse opinion.

## Key Audit Matters

Key audit matters are those matters that, in our professional judgement, were of most significance in our audit of the consolidated financial statements of the current year. These matters were addressed in the context of our audit of the consolidated financial statements as a whole, and in forming our opinion thereon, and we do not provide a separate opinion on these matters. The key audit matters noted below relate to the consolidated financial statements.

Key Audit Matter	How our audit addressed the Key Audit Matter		
<ul> <li>IFRS 9 Expected credit risk allowance</li> <li>The Group has trade receivables amounting to ZW\$ 24 815 621 (Refer to note 9 to the consolidated financial statements). This was considered an area of focus as IFRS 9 is a new and complex accounting standard which requires management to exercise significant judgement using subjective assumptions when determining both timing and amounts of the impairment provision for trade receivables.</li> <li>Key areas of judgement included:</li> <li>The interpretation of the requirements to determine impairment under application of IFRS 9, which is reflected in the Group's expected credit loss model;</li> <li>Assumptions used in the expected credit loss model such as the financial condition of the counterparty, expected future cash flows and forward looking macroeconomic factors (e.g. exchange rates, interest rates, gross domestic product growth, inflation); and</li> <li>The need to apply additional overlays to reflect current or future external factors that are not appropriately captured by the expected credit loss model. The estimation of the recoverable amount of debtors requires significant judgement and is accordingly a key audit matter.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Assessed management's allowance for credit losses, which included the following: <ul> <li>We performed an assessment of the modelling techniques and methodology used against the requirements of IFRS 9;</li> <li>We assessed and tested the material modelling assumptions with a focus on the: <ul> <li>Key modelling assumptions with a focus on the:</li> <li>Key modelling assumptions adopted by the Group; and</li> <li>Reliability of the historical data collected.</li> </ul> </li> <li>We examined a sample of exposures and performed procedures to evaluate the: <ul> <li>Timely identification of exposures with a significant deterioration in credit quality; and</li> <li>Expected loss calculation for exposures assessed on an individual basis.</li> </ul> </li> <li>We assessed the accuracy of the disclosures in the consolidated financial statements.</li> </ul></li></ul>		
<ul> <li>Revenue recognition</li> <li>There is a presumed risk of inappropriate revenue recognition specifically identified in ISA 240 (R), 'The auditors' responsibility to consider fraud in the audit of financial statements'. This is a significant risk and accordingly a key audit matter.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Reviewed that revenue recognition criteria is appropriate and in line with the requirements of IFRS 15.</li> <li>Perform cut-off tests on year end balances to ensure revenue is recognised in the correct period.</li> <li>Our audit procedures include testing of</li> </ul>		

design, existence and operating effectiveness of internal controls
implemented as well as test of details to
ensure accurate processing of revenue
transactions.
• We identified key controls and tested
these controls to obtain satisfaction that
they were operating effectively for the
year under review.
• The results of our controls testing have
been the basis for the nature and scoping
of the additional test of details, which
mainly consisted of testing individual
transactions by reconciling them to
external sources (supporting
documentation).
• Furthermore, we performed analytical
procedures and assessed the
reasonableness of explanations provided
by management.
• We satisfied ourselves that the Group's
revenue is adequate and appropriate.

## Other information

The Directors are responsible for the other information. The other information comprises the Directors' Report, Chairman's Statement and Company Secretary's Certificate, as required by the Companies Act (Chapter 24:03), which we obtained prior to the date of this auditors' report. The other information does not include the consolidated financial statements and our auditor's report thereon.

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

In connection with our audit of the consolidated financial statements, our responsibility is to read the other information and, in doing so, consider whether the other information is materially inconsistent with the consolidated financial statements or our knowledge obtained in the audit, or otherwise appears to be materially misstated. If, based on the work we have performed on the other information that we obtained prior to the date of this auditor's report, we conclude that there is a material misstatement of this other information, we are required to report that fact. We have nothing to report in this regard.

# Responsibilities of Management and Those Charged with Governance for the Consolidated Financial Statements

Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of the consolidated financial statements in accordance with International Financial Reporting Standards (IFRSs), and for such internal control as management determines is necessary to enable the preparation of consolidated financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

In preparing the consolidated financial statements, management is responsible for assessing the Group's ability to continue as a going concern, disclosing, as applicable, matters related to going concern and using the going concern basis of accounting unless management either intends to liquidate the Group or to cease operations, or has no realistic alternative but to do so.

Those charged with governance are responsible for overseeing the Group's financial reporting process.

## Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Consolidated Financial Statements

Our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the consolidated financial statements as a whole are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error, and to issue an auditor's report that includes our opinion. Reasonable assurance is a high level of assurance, but is not a guarantee that an audit conducted in accordance with ISAs will always detect a material misstatement when it exists. Misstatements can arise from fraud or error and are considered material if, individually or in the aggregate, they could reasonably be expected to influence the economic decisions of users taken on the basis of these consolidated financial statements.

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

- Identify and assess the risks of material misstatement of the consolidated financial statements, whether due to fraud or error, design and perform audit procedures responsive to those risks, and obtain audit evidence that is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion. The risk of not detecting a material misstatement resulting from fraud is higher than for one resulting from error, as fraud may involve collusion, forgery, intentional omissions, misrepresentations, or the override of internal control.
- Obtain an understanding of internal control relevant to the audit in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the Group's internal control.

- Evaluate the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of accounting estimates and related disclosures made by management.
- Conclude on the appropriateness of management's use of the going concern basis of accounting and, based on the audit evidence obtained, whether a material uncertainty exists related to events or conditions that may cast significant doubt on the Group's ability to continue as a going concern. If we conclude that a material uncertainty exists, we are required to draw attention in our auditor's report to the related disclosures in the consolidated financial statements or, if such disclosures are inadequate, to modify our opinion. Our conclusions are based on the audit evidence obtained up to the date of our auditor's report. However, future events or conditions may cause the Group to cease to continue as a going concern.
- Evaluate the overall presentation, structure and content of the consolidated financial statements, including the disclosures, and whether the consolidated financial statements represent the underlying transactions and events in a manner that achieves fair presentation.
- Obtain sufficient appropriate audit evidence regarding the financial information of the entities or business activities within the Group to express an opinion on the consolidated financial statements. We are responsible for the direction, supervision and performance of the group audit. We remain solely responsible for our audit opinion.

We communicate with those charged with governance regarding, among other matters, the planned scope and timing of the audit and significant audit findings, including any significant deficiencies in internal control that we identify during our audit.

We also provide those charged with governance with a statement that we have complied with relevant ethical requirements regarding independence, and to communicate with them all relationships and other matters that may reasonably be thought to bear on our independence, and where applicable, related safeguards.

From the matters communicated with those charged with governance, we determine those matters that were of most significance in the audit of the consolidated financial statements of the current period and are therefore the key audit matters. We describe these matters in our auditor's report unless law or regulation precludes public disclosure about the matter or when, in extremely rare circumstances, we determine that a matter should not be communicated in our report because the adverse consequences of doing so would reasonably be expected to outweigh the public interest benefits of such communication.

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The engagement partner on the audit resulting in this independent auditor's report is Edmore Chimhowa.

Grant Thorrton

Edmore Chimhowa Partner

Registered Public Auditor (PAAB No: 0470)

**Grant Thornton** Chartered Accountants (Zimbabwe) Registered Public Auditors 18 December 2019

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