



NOTICE TO LINKED UNITHOLDERS: Reviewed results of the group for the year ended 31 August 2008

Distribution up by 15.4% to 122,6 cents per linked unit

Increase in net asset value by 5.9% to 1556 cents

Total investments exceed R2,3 billion

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		year to	year to
	. %	31 August	31 August
R'000	Changes	2008	2007
Revenue		272,954	223,035
- earned on contractual basis	19.1%	269,535	226,333
- straight line lease adjustment	l	3,419	(3,298)
Operating costs		(101,634)	(79,792)
Net rental income from properties	44.60/	171,320	143,243
- earned on contractual basis	14.6%	167,901	146,541
- straight line lease adjustment	l	3,419	(3,298)
Administrative expenses		(12,438)	(10,219)
Depreciation	40.5%	(721)	(656)
Income before investment income	19.5%	158,161	132,368
Investment income	[50,768	32,928
- Interest received		1,514	1,204
Investment income - listed investmentsInvestment income - associate		10,486	7,683
share of after tax (loss)/profit		(1,568)	17
fair value adjustment / capital reserves		27,342	18,610
interest and dividends		12,994	5,414
Income before finance costs	26.4%	208,929	165,296
Finance costs	3.3%	(66,624)	(64,499)
Income before debenture interest and capital profits	41.2%	142,305	100,797
Trading profit and other capital items Fair value adjustment of investment properties		-	2,771
- net revaluation		78,481	241,858
- gross revaluation		81,900	238,560
- attributable to straight line lease adjustment		(3,419)	3,298
Amortisation of deemed debenture premium		11,074	4,010
Income before debenture interest	(33.6%)	231,860	349,436
Debenture interest	27.1%	(108,943)	(85,737)
Income before taxation	(53.4%)	122,917	263,699
Taxation charge		(13,072)	(63,535)
- Deferred taxation		(11,522)	(61,988)
- Normal taxation		(1,550)	(1,547)
Income attributable to linked unitholders		109,845	200,164
Linked units in issue - ('000)		89,297	89,297
Weighted linked units in issue - ('000)		89,297	78,975
Earnings per share - (cents)*	(51.5%)	123.0	253.5
Earnings per linked unit - (cents)*	(32.3%)	245.0	362.0
Headline earnings per linked unit - (cents)*	24.6%	142.3	114.2
* Based on the weighted number of unit in issue			
Distribution per linked unit (cents)			
- Dividends		0.60	0.53
- Interest		122.00	105.67
Total	15.4%	122.60	106.20

Abridged consolidated cash flow statement				
R'000	Reviewed year to 31 August 2008	Audited year to 31 August 2007		
CASH FLOW FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES				
Net rental income from properties	154,742	137,863		
Adjustment for :				
- Depreciation	721	656		
- Working capital changes	8,739	(6,283)		
Cash generated from operations	164,202	132,236		
Investment income and interest received	24,994	14,301		
Finance costs	(66,624)	(64,499)		
Taxation paid	(1,658)	(772)		
Distribution to linked unitholders paid	(101,620)	(75,763)		
Net cash inflow from operating activities	19,294	5,503		
CASH FLOW FROM INVESTING ACTIVITIES				
Investing activities	(106,542)	(132,901)		
Increase in investments and loans to associate	(56,459)	(28,476)		
Proceeds from disposal of investment properties	- (4.62.004)	3,573		
Net cash outflow used in investing activities	(163,001)	(157,804)		
CASH FLOW FROM FINANCING ACTIVITIES Issue of linked units		400 202		
	142.207	199,203		
Increase/(decrease) in interest bearing borrowings	142,397	(52,409)		
Net cash generated from financing activities NET DECREASE IN CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS	142,397	146,794		
·	(1,310)	(5,507)		
Cash and cash equivalents at beginning of year Cash and cash equivalents at end of year	(9,327)	(3,820)		
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Distributable earning	S			

The following additional information is provided and is aimed at disclosing to the

ı	users the basis on which the distributions are o	calculated.		
	R'000	% Changes	Reviewed year to 31 August 2008	Audited year to 31 August 2007
	Revenue			
	- earned on contractual basis	19.1%	269,535	226,333
	Operating costs		(101,634)	(79,792)
	Net rental income from properties	14.6%	167,901	146,541
	Administrative expenses		(12,438)	(10,219)
	Depreciation		(721)	(656)
	Income before investment income	14.1%	154,742	135,666
	Investment income			
	- Interest received		1,514	1,204
	- Interest received - prepaid distribution		-	2,738
	- Investment income - associate	110.4%	11,426	5,431
	- Investment income - listed investments	36.5%	10,486	7,683
	Distributable income before finance charges	16.7%	178,168	152,722
	Finance charges	3.3%	(66,624)	(64,499)
	Distributable income before taxation	26.4%	111,544	88,223
	Taxation charge		(1,550)	(1,454)
	Unitholders distributable earnings	26.5%	109,994	86,769
	Trading profit			2,198
	Unitholders distributable earnings	23.6%	109,994	88,967
	Earnings distributed ('000)	23.1%	109,443	88,867
	Linked units in issue - ('000)		89,297	89,297
	Distribution per linked unit (cents)	15.4%	122.60	106.2

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Notes to Financial Statements

The condensed consolidated reviewed financial statements have been prepared in accordance with the requirements of the Companies Act (Act 61 of 1973). The results have been prepared and presented in accordance with International Accounting Standards IAS34, Interim Financial Reporting. The accounting policies adopted and methods of computation are consistent with those applied in the financial statements for the year ended 31 August 2007 except for IAS1 Presentation of financial statements.

In order to comply with International Financial Report Standards, deferred taxation on the fair value adjustment of investment property has been provided at the company income taxation rate which is currently 28% and not at the Capital Gains Tax rate of 14%, which would be payable if

Related party: City Property Administration (Proprietary) Limited is responsible for the property and asset management of the group.

Contingent liability: The company has issued guarantees of R1 690 000 and R582 000 to the Tshwane Metropolitan Municipality and City Power - Johannesburg respectively for the provision of services to its subsidiaries. The company has given surety to Nedbank Property Finance, which at year end amounted to R62 640 000, in favour of its associate company, IPS Investments (Pty)

Independent review by external auditors – These condensed consolidated financial statements have been reviewed by our auditors Deloitte and Touche. A copy of their unmodified opinion is available for inspection at the company's registered office.

COMMENTS

Review of results

Notwithstanding the challenging trading conditions, the directors of Octodec are pleased to report that the company has once again achieved excellent growth in distributions to linked unitholders. Rental income and net rental income increased by 19.1% and 14.6% respectively.

Octodec paid an interim distribution of 61,6 cents per linked unit. The total distribution per linked unit for the year of 122,6 cents (2007: 106,2 cents) represents an increase of 15.4% on that paid in the previous corresponding period.

A substantial saving in finance costs was achieved as a result of the issue of additional units towards the end of the previous financial year. This together with the benefits of the redevelopment of properties, favourable renewal of leases and strict expense control have all contributed to the growth in distributable earnings. The core portfolio, representing those properties held for 12 comparable months, reflects rental income growth of 8,7%. The retail portfolio which comprises five quality shopping centres, continued to enjoy growth in rental income, although at a slower rate than previous years.

Bad debt increased during the period from 1.5% to 1.7% of revenue. Management continues to focus on the policies and procedures relating to the collection of rent.

Octodec continued to unlock the value of its Johannesburg and Pretoria CBD portfolios by the redevelopment and refurbishment thereof. Construction was completed at Fine Art to refurbish this mixed use property at a cost of R10 million. The residential component of the property is close to being fully let. The Tiny Town residential development, which is situated adjacent to the Union Buildings is due to commence shortly.

During the year under review three properties were purchased and transferred for an aggregate cost of R86 million. These purchases are Rentmeester, an office block situated in Val-de-Grace, Pretoria, Union Club, a residential block situated in the Johannesburg CBD and 39 Rudolph Street in Sunderland Ridge

Interest income and dividends received from IPS, increased to R13 million due to the strong performance of the portfolio as well as the advance of additional funds to IPS to fund IPS's growth. IPS's property portfolio is valued in an amount of in excess of R790 million. IPS has a committed residential development pipeline to build 977 units of residential accommodation at a total cost of R339 million. The majority of these units will be built at Kempton City in Kempton Park, Tayob Towers and Corporation Place in the Johannesburg CBD.

Vacancies at 31 August 2008 amounted to 19.4% of total lettable area which is in line with the previous financial year. Further details are set out below:

	31 August 2008	31 August 2007
Offices	9.4%	9.9%
Retail	1.5%	2.0%
Commercial	4.9%	3.0%
Industrial	3.6%	4.2%
TOTAL	19.4%	19.1%

A large percentage of the vacancies are in respect of properties recently acquired or undergoing redevelopment or refurbishment. A number of these properties were acquired with large vacancies and where little or no consideration was paid for the vacant space.

Borrowings

During the period the borrowings increased by R142,4 million, as a result of the advance of further funds to IPS, purchases of investment properties and development costs incurred. Octodec's gearing at the end of the period under review was 28% as against 24% at 31 August 2007. The group remains financially sound with facilities available in excess of R230 million to fund future cash flow requirements.

Interest rates in respect of 81% of borrowings at 31 August 2008 have been fixed at an average interest rate of 11% maturing at various dates ranging from October 2008 to April 2018.

Revaluation of property portfolio

At each financial year end at least one-third of the property portfolio is valued on a rotational basis by an external valuer. The directors' valuation of the portfolio, taking into account prevailing market rentals, occupation levels and capitalisation rates increased by R81,9 million, increasing net asset value by 5.9% after accounting for deferred tax.

Prospects

The difficult retail trading environment is expected to continue and will impact on distribution growth. International markets are depressed and the effects continue to spill over into the domestic economy. Rental growth is expected to slow and higher operating costs and interest are expected to impact on profitability. Despite this, the board believes that distributable earnings will be on a par with, if not better than the previous year.

DECLARATION OF DIVIDEND 37 AND INTEREST PAYMENT ("the distribution")

Notice is hereby given that dividend number 37 of 0.30 cents (2007: 0.26 cents) per ordinary share together with interest of 60,70 cents per debenture (2007: 51.94 cents), for the six months 1 March 2008 to 31 August 2008 has been declared, payable to linked unitholders recorded in the register on Friday, 14 November 2008. The last date to trade "CUM" distribution is Friday, 7 November 2008. The units will commence trading "EX" distribution on Monday, 10 November 2008. Payment date will be Monday, 17 November 2008.

No dematerialisation or rematerialisation of linked unit certificates may take place between Monday, 10 November 2008 and Friday, 14 November 2008, both days inclusive.

By order of the Board.

Total Assets

City Property Administration (Proprietary) Limited 23 October 2008

A WAPNICK (Managing Director) (Chairman)

Segmental information Analysis by property usage - 2008 Com- Resi- Corporate Office Retail mercial dential unallocated Total Revenue Rentals and recoveries 40,693 42,130 122,850 26,7817 55,561 1,717 Straight-line lease adjustment 2,268 3,419 40,957 44,398 123,459 55,887 Net rental income from properties 23,579 24,412 71,184 32,194 3,815 2,976 158,161 Assets Investment Properties 319,198 354,355 908,945 437,180 65.051 2,084,666 Plant and Equipment 65 951 2,075 501 1,189 4.782 Other Assets 328.209 328.209 Total Assets 319,198 355,306 911,022 437,682 66,240 328,209 2,417,657 Analysis by property usage - 2007 Revenue Rentals and recoveries 30,665 22,794 113,333 51,871 6,350 225,013 Management fee 1,320 1,320 Straight-line lease adjustment 312 (1,112) (1,380) (3,298) Total Revenue 29,519 23,105 112,221 50,491 223,035 Net rental income from properties 15,194 17,898 67,729 132,368 Assets Investment Properties 260,087 209,020 963,567 419,080 48.018 1.899.758 Plant and Equipment 14 264 1402 155 134 1969 Other Assets 273.700 273.700

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Abridged consolidated balance sheet					
R'000	Reviewed year to 31 August 2008	Audited year to 31 August 2007			
ASSETS					
Non-current assets	2,397,634	2,152,906			
Investment properties, plant and equipment - Investment properties - Plant and equipment Investment properties - straight line lease adjustment	2,058,559 4,782 26,107	1,877,070 1,969 22,688			
Investment - listed securities	146,663	132,742			
- associate company	161,523	118,437			
Current assets	20,023	22,520			
Total assets	2,417,657	2,175,426			
EQUITY AND LIABILITIES Share capital and Reserves	994,081	906,500			
Share capital and premium	58,295	47,221			
Non-distributable reserve	903,355	829,938			
Retained profit	32,431	29,341			
Non - current liabilities Debentures capital and premium Interest bearing borrowings	1,307,715 395,031 640,105	1,166,166 406,105 495,543			
Deferred tax liability	272,579	264,518			
Current liabilities Interest bearing	115,861 27,943	102,760 28,683			
Non - interest bearing Linked unitholders	33,714 54,204	27,696 46,381			
Total equity and liabilities	2,417,657	2,175,426			
Linked units in issue ('000) Net asset value per linked unit (cents) Net asset value per linked unit (cents) - before	89,297 1,556	89,297 1,470			
deferred tax	1,861	1,766			
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R'000	Share capital and premium	Non- Distributable reserve	Distributable reserve	Total
Balance at 1 September 2006	42,224	599,156	28,046	669,426
Net income attributable to ordinary shareholders Issue of linked units	987		200,164	200,164 987
Reallocation of deemed debenture premium Dividends paid	4,010		(4,010) (392)	(392)
Adjustment to valuation of listed investment, net of deferred Capital Gains Tax		36,315		36,315
Transfer to non- distributable reserve Capital profit on disposal				
of investment property		481	(481)	-
Fair value adjustment of investment properties				
 associate, net of deferred tax 		18,610	(18,610)	-
 investment properties, net of deferred tax 		175,376	(175,376)	-
Balances at 31 August 2007	47,221	829,938	29,341	906,500
Net income attributable to ordinary shareholders			109,845	109,845
Reallocation of deemed debenture premium Dividends paid	11,074		(11,074) (500)	- (500)
Adjustment to valuation of listed investment, net		(21,764)	, ,	(21,764)
of deferred Capital Gains Tax				
Fair value adjustment of investment properties				
 investment properties, net of deferred tax 		67,839	(67,839)	-
- associate, net of deferred tax		27,342	(27,342)	_
Balances at 31 August 2008	58,295	903,355	32,431	994,081

Reconciliation - earnings to distributable earnings				
	Reviewed year to 31 August 2008 R'000	Reviewed year to 31 August 2008 cents	Audited year to 31 August 2007 R'000	Audited year to 31 August 2007 cents
Earnings per share	109,845	123.0	200,164	253.5
Add: debenture interest per linked unit	108,943	122.0	85,737	108.5
Earnings per linked unit	218,788	245.0	285,901	362.0
Trading profits and other capital items Fair value adjustments	-	-	(2,771)	(3.5)
- associate, net of deferred tax	(27,342)	(30.6)	(18,610)	(23.6)
- investment properties, net of deferred tax	(64,420)	(72.1)	(174,328)	(220.7)
Headline earnings per linked unit	127,026	142.3	90,192	114.2
Straight line lease adjustment	(2,463)		2,342	
Deferred taxation adjustments	(3,495)		(4,493)	
Interest received - prepaid distribution	-		2,738	
Amortisation of deemed debenture premium Trading profit	(11,074)		(4,010) 2,198	
Distributable earnings	109,994		88,967	





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