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Sub: <u>Press Release and Presentation on the Financial Results for the Quarter ended</u> December 31, 2023

Dear Sir/Madam,

Pursuant to Regulation 30 of the Securities and Exchange Board of India (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015, please find enclosed herewith Press Release and Presentation on the Financial Results for the Quarter ended December 31, 2023.

This is for your information and records.

Thanking you,

For Eureka Forbes Limited (formerly Forbes Enviro Solutions Limited)

Pragya Kaul Company Secretary & Compliance Officer

Encl: As Above



PRESS RELEASE Mumbai, February 14, 2024

Financial Results for Q3 FY24

Strong Revenue growth of 14.1%, Adj. EBITDA margins expand YoY

Eureka Forbes Limited, one of India's largest health and hygiene companies, today announced its financial results for the quarter ended December 31, 2023.

Highlights of the quarter period ended December 31, 2023 (on a standalone basis) -

- Revenue from operations increased 14.1% YoY to Rs 538.6 Cr. Continuing businesses grew 16.8% YoY.
- Adj. EBITDA increased 28.6% YoY to Rs 52.9Cr from Rs 41.2Cr in Q3 FY23; Adj. EBITDA margin improved 111bps YoY to 9.8%.
- Adj. PBT (before exceptional items and pre-ESOP) increased 45.6% YoY to Rs 40.9Cr from Rs 28.1Cr in Q3 FY23.
- Profit After Tax increased 131.3% YoY to Rs 22.7Cr from Rs 9.8Cr in Q3 FY23.
- Adj. PAT (pre-ESOP) increased 213.5% YoY to Rs 30.7Cr from Rs 9.8Cr in Q3 FY23.

Revenue growth was broad based across categories and channels. Volumes grew for the third consecutive quarter in both water purifiers and vacuum cleaners. The quarter also witnessed several new launches in all categories - Slimtech Glass UV Water Purifiers, Zero Bend Vacuum Cleaners, Forbes Buddy Pet Grooming Kit and Surround 360 Air Purifiers.

Adj. EBITDA margins continued to expand YoY driven by operating leverage and cost optimization programs. The Company remains net cash positive with a surplus of Rs 60Cr vs a net debt of Rs 122Cr in Q3 FY23.

Commenting on the Q3 FY24 performance, Mr. Pratik Pota, MD, and CEO, Eureka Forbes Limited said, "Q3 witnessed a step up in our growth and revenue grew 14.1% with continuing businesses growing at 16.8%. Growth was volume led and was broad-based across product categories and service business.

Within water purifiers, we witnessed strong growth in both Economy segment and Value Added segments while growth in vacuum cleaners was led by the Robotics range.

EBITDA margins improved year on year to 9.8% and we had a cash surplus of Rs 60Cr vs a net debt of Rs 122Cr last year.

Our transformation initiatives continued to gain momentum in the quarter. In Q3, this was most visible in our product innovations and product launches were made in all the 3 categories of water purifiers, vacuum cleaners and air purifiers.

Looking ahead, we are confident that our transformation strategy will deliver results and lead to sustained, profitable growth in the future."

About Eureka Forbes:

Eureka Forbes Limited is India's leading health and hygiene brand. With over four decades of existence, it is today a multi-product and an omni-channel organization. Eureka Forbes' product portfolio encompasses water purification, vacuum cleaning & air purification. It has direct, retail, e-commerce and institutional sales channels, an inventive business partner network and one of the most expansive service networks across India.

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Q3 FY24 Highlights **Key Focus Areas** Eureka Forbes - An introduction



Q3 FY24 Highlights (Standalone Results)





^{*} Adj. EBITDA is defined as PBT + Finance cost + Depreciation + ESOP charge less other non-operating income ** Adj. PBT is defined as PBT (before exceptional items) + ESOP charge

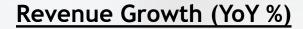
Q3 FY24: Standalone P&L Statement

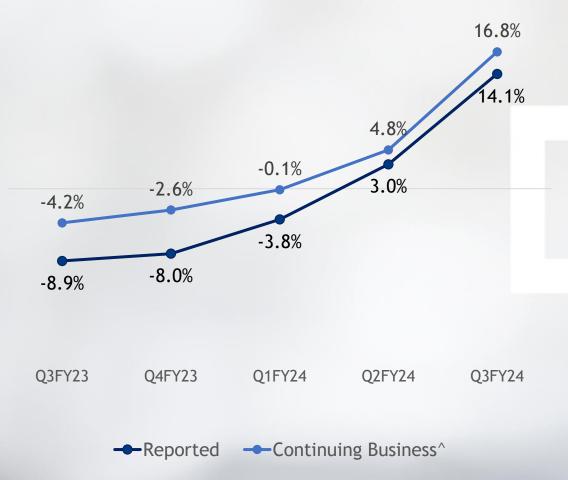
Particulars (Rs. Cr)	Q3FY24	Q3FY23	YoY (%)	Q2FY24	QoQ (%)
Revenue	538.6	472.0	14.1%	592.3	-9.1%
Employee Benefit Expenses	-71.9	-67.6	6.3%	-74.7	-3.7%
Service Charges	-70.2	-69.4	1.1%	-82.0	-14.4%
Other Expenses	-122.3	-100.6	21.7%	-121.2	1.0%
Total Expenses	-264.4	-237.6	11.3%	-277.8	-4.8%
Total Expenses % of Revenue	-49.1%	-50.3%	-124bps	-46.9%	220bps
Adj. EBITDA	52.9	41.2	28.6%	62.0	-14.6%
Adj. EBITDA %	9.8%	8.7%	111bps	10.5%	-64bps
ESOP charge	-10.7	0.0	NM	-10.7	0.0%
EBITDA	42.2	41.2	2.5%	51.2	-17.7%
EBITDA %	7.8%	8.7%	-89bps	8.6%	-82bps
Finance Cost	-1.8	-4.4	-59.4%	-2.9	-38.5%
Depreciation	-13.2	-13.4	-1.6%	-13.0	1.1%
Other Income	2.9	4.7	-38.5%	1.7	68.4%
Adj. PBT Before Exceptional items/ ESOP Charges	40.9	28.1	45.6%	47.8	-14.4%
Exceptional Items	0.0	-15.0	-100.0%	0.0	NM
PBT after Exceptional items/ ESOP Charges	30.1	13.1	130.3%	37.0	-18.6%
Adj. PAT (pre-ESOP Charges)	30.7	9.8	213.5%	32.9	-6.8%
PAT	22.7	9.8	131.3%	25.5	-11.1%

- ➤ Q3 FY24 revenue increased 14.1% YoY to Rs 538.6Cr; Continuing business grows 16.8% YoY led by strong volume growth
- ➤ Adj. EBITDA increased 28.6% YoY to Rs 52.9Cr; Adj. EBITDA margin expanded 111bps YoY owing to operating leverage and cost optimization initiatives
- > Adj. PBT increased 45.6% YoY due to lower finance costs
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Revenue growth: Broad-based across categories and channels

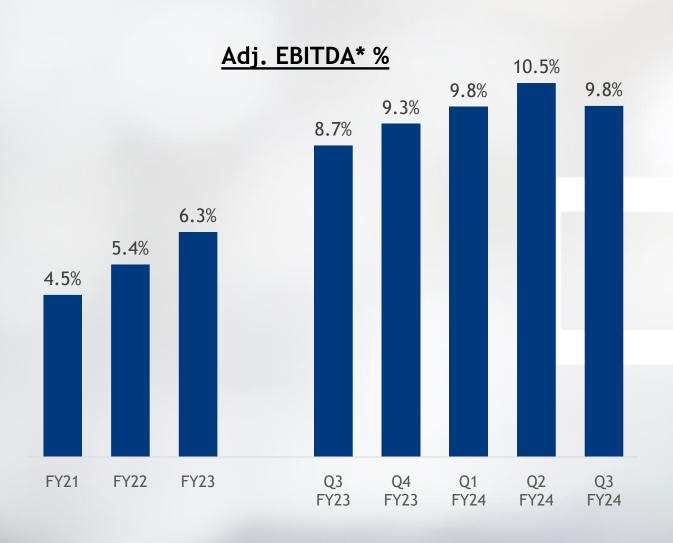




- Continuing business grows 16.8% YoY; Highest growth in 6 quarters
- 3rd successive quarter of volume growth in both Water Purifiers and Vacuum Cleaners
- Strong growth across channels, especially Modern Trade and E-commerce



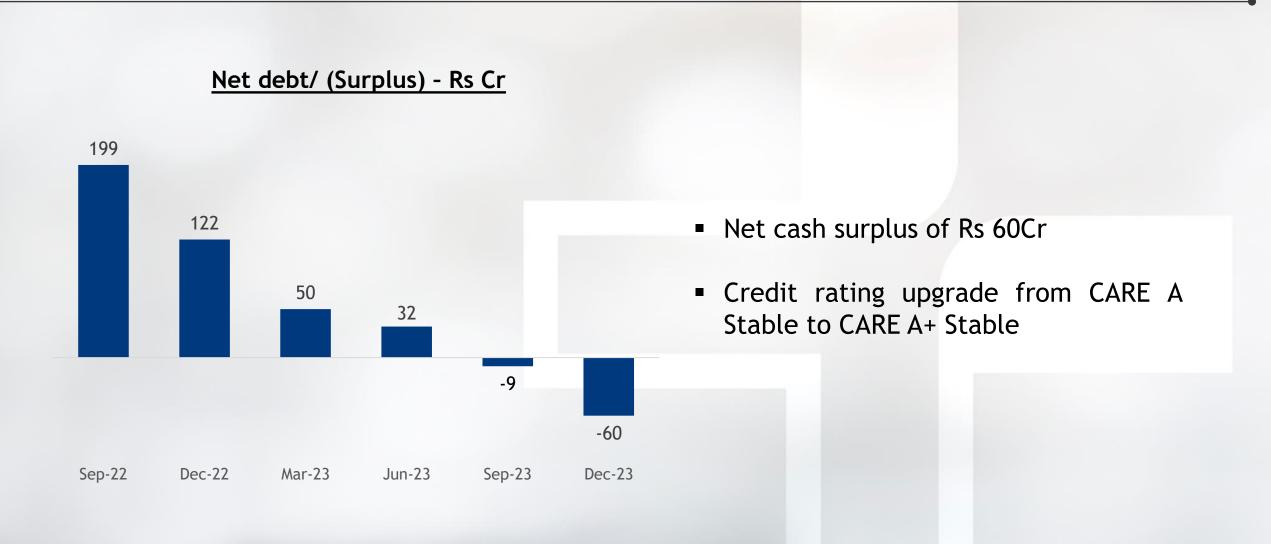
Adj. EBITDA margin continues to expand year on year



- Adj. EBITDA expanded 111bps YoY driven by operating leverage and structured cost optimization program
- Increased spending on advertising to drive innovations and service revenues



Strengthened balance sheet with positive net cash and rating upgrade

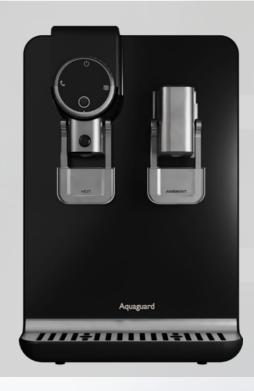




New Product Launches - Water Purifiers

Strengthening presence in all segments through launch of premium SKUs









AG Slimtech Glass UV Storage

5th Gen UV LED for Instant Purification, Water Quality Indication, Goodness of Copper, Glass Finish & up to 3L storage

AG BLAZE INSTA RO UV

Instant Hot Water, Dual Stainless-Steel Tanks, Goodness of Copper

AG Vector RO

Alkaline Boost Cartridge for enhancing the pH of drinking water

AG Marvel Nxt RO UV Alkaline

Mineral Charge Technology & Glossy Finish



New Product Launches - Vacuum Cleaners

Step up in consumer research/insights leading to "Industry-first" Innovations

Convenient & Cordless Cleaning - Uprights



Building a Differentiated Portfolio - Pet Grooming Kit





New Product Launches - Surround 360° Air Purifiers +FORBES FORBES

Aquaguard wins the prestigious Ad Club EFFIE AWARDS INDIA, 2023

SILVER in Home Furnishings and Appliances Category*

'Jab Nal Se Kapda Hatega, Tabhi Sar Ka Kapda Hatega'









*Only award in the category (no Gold or Bronze); EFFIE awards recognize effective marketing campaigns; Read more - https://theadvertisingclub.net/award/effie-india-2023-results/

Management Views



Mr. Pratik Pota Managing Director and CEO

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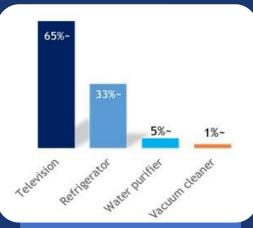
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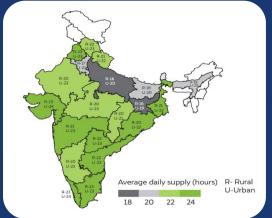
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Macro factors supportive of growth









Growing consciousness on health & hygiene

Especially post Covid

Low Category
Penetration of the
core categories

Amongst the lowest in consumer durables segment

Availability & Access to piped water

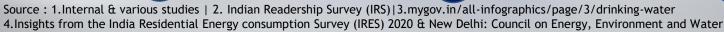
Jal Jeevan Mission now covers over 40 Mn. households

Growth in Electrification

96.7% of Indian households now connected to the grid and receive 20.6 hrs. of power supply









EFL's key strategic priorities for profitable growth

01

Grow the Water Purifiers Business

- Innovation and new product development
- Jump shift in distribution

04

Drive Lean Cost Structures

- Productivity unlocks
- "Zero based" approach to all costs

02

Expand Portfolio

- Nurture and grow cleaning category
- Smart devices

05

Go Digital First

- Give customers control and visibility
- Digital enablement of value chain

03

Transform Customer Experience

- Deliver reimagined service standards
- Leverage insights for customised solutions

06

Build a Future Ready Organisation

- Invest in capabilities of the future
- Agile and customer centric



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Eureka Forbes: Introduction

Electrolux & Tata Group

1982

Joint Venture

Shapoorji Pallonji Group

2002

Subsidiary of a Public Company

Advent International

2022

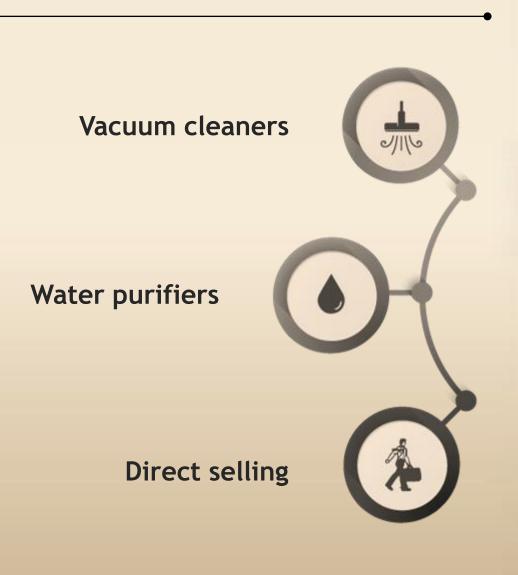
Publicly listed Company

Professionally
managed company
governed by an
Independent Board

Shareholding 72.56 % Advent International



Pioneers & Leaders





Diversified portfolio

Market leaders in water purifiers and vacuum cleaners

Wide range of products with stateof-the-art technology

Product portfolio catering to both B2C and B2B customers

Diversified revenue streams across product and service





Brand strength

Strong association of brand Aquaguard with product category

High brand health scores

Top of mind recall > 65%



Omni channel presence

Direct sales

General trade

Modern retail

Ecommerce

B2B

Canteen Stores (CSD)



Extensive service network and strong customer connect

In home service in over

10500+PIN CODES



Large active database of customers

MILLION CUSTOMERS



EFL Management Team



Pratik Pota MD & CEO

30+ yrs/>1 yr Jubilant FoodWorks, PepsiCo, Airtel, HUL



Ajit Dheer
Chief Operating
Officer

26+ yrs/~1 yr HT Media, Pepsico, Spencers Retail, Reckitt Benckiser, Cargill, Dabur



Anurag Kumar Chief Growth Officer

25+ years/<1 yr Unilever, Tata Play, ICI Paints



Gaurav Khandelwal Chief Financial Officer

21+ yrs/>1 yr HUL, Airtel, Oyo Hotels & Homes



Mahnaz Shaikh Chief Human Resources Officer

19+ yrs/<1 yr Udaan, Godrej Consumer Products Limited, P&G



Shubham Srivastava
Chief Product &
Technology Officer

17+ yrs/>1 yr Makemytrip, iTrust, Aricent



Nithyanand Shankar Chief Digital Business Officer

16+ yrs/~1 yr Amazon, P&G



Suresh Redhu Chief Technical Officer

33+ yrs/11 yrs Bluestar, Aquamall



Satish Satyarthi
Chief Innovation
& R&D Officer

23+ yrs/~1 yr Bajaj Electricals, Philips, Buhler, Applied Materials, Bluestar, Cummins



Anirudha Karnataki Head, Supply Chain & Procurement

26+ yrs/<1 yr CEAT, Asian Paints, Thermax





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