#### **NUVOCO VISTAS CORP. LTD.**



Ref. No.: Sec/60/2023-24

August 10, 2023

BSE Limited
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Scrip Code: **543334**Scrip ID: **NUVOCO**Mumbai – 400 051
Trading Symbol: **NUVOCO** 

Dear Sir/Madam.

Sub: Investor and Analyst Conference Call presentation for the quarter ended June 30, 2023

In furtherance of our letter no. Sec/55/2023-24 dated August 4, 2023 giving intimation of the Investor and Analyst Conference Call, please find enclosed the investor presentation on the performance of the Company for the quarter ended June 30, 2023, to be presented to Investors and Analysts on Friday, August 11, 2023.

The presentation is also being made available on the Company's website at www.nuvoco.com.

We request you to take the above on record.

Thanking you,

Yours faithfully, For **Nuvoco Vistas Corporation Limited** 

Shruta Sanghavi SVP and Company Secretary

Encl: a/a







### **Investor Presentation**

First quarter ended June 30, 2023 August 10, 2023

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Statements in this 'presentation' describing the Company's objectives, estimates, expectations or predictions may be "forward looking statements". Actual results could differ materially from those expressed or implied. Important factors that could make difference to the Company's operations include Indian demand supply conditions, finished goods prices, feed stock availability and prices, cyclical demand and pricing in the Company's principal markets, changes in governmental regulations, tax regimes, economic developments within India and other factors such as litigation and labor negotiations. The Company assumes no responsibility to publicly amend, modify or revise any forward-looking statement, due to any subsequent development, information or events, or otherwise.



# **Company overview**

## Nuvoco – A major player in building materials space





- ✓ 5<sup>th</sup> largest cement group in India and leading player in East India
- ✓ Installed cement capacity of 23.82 MMTPA and 50+ Ready-Mix Concrete plants
- Diverse product portfolio under Modern Building Materials

- Market leading brands with significant market share, reputation and brand recall
- ✓ Focused on retail with major revenue driven by a robust distribution network
- Strategically located production facilities in close proximity to raw materials and key markets



### **Vision**

**Building a Safer, Smarter and Sustainable World** 



### **Mission**

**Leading Building Material Company Delivering Superior Performance** 





# Q1 FY24 performance at a glance



**Financial** 



₹ 2,805 Cr. ▲ 6% YoY

Revenue



₹ 402 Cr.

**▲** 7% YoY

**EBITDA** 



₹ 4,506 Cr. ▼ ₹ 841 Cr. YoY

Net debt

**Operational** 



Share of premium products in trade volumes - cement



**73%** 

**Trade Share** 

▲ 1% YoY

**5 MMT** 

**7% YoY** 

Cement sales volume

**ESG** 



Cement to clinker (c/k ratio)



Alternate fuel rate



462 kg\*

CO<sub>2</sub> emissions per ton of cementitious materials









# **Economy and industry**

### Macro indicators showcasing positive outlook





FY24 GDP is projected at 6.5% led by private consumption, public consumption and investments



Manufacturing PMI increased 6.4% YoY to 57.9 in Q1 FY24 indicating rise in economic activity



Annual consumer inflation eased to below 4.6% in Q1 FY24



Imported pet coke prices declined significantly QoQ in Q1 FY24



Crude oil prices remained stable QoQ in Q1 FY24



INR/ US\$ remained stable QoQ in Q1 FY24





### Robust demand drivers in place



### Infrastructure

- ₹ 8,000 Cr. for the Smart Cities Mission and ₹ 19,518 Cr. for metro projects allocated by the Government for FY24
- Road projects under Bharatmala Pariyojana
  - Phase 1 66% of the total 34,800 km targeted for award by FY24 to FY25\*
  - Phase 2 Tender for 5,000 km costing 3 lakh Cr. expected to begin within FY24

### Housing

- Credit for housing sector is on the rise
- Housing demand remains strong with rapid urbanization, rising per capita income and nuclear families



Strong pre-election spend expected prior to Union & State Assembly elections scheduled in 2024







# **Business update**

## **New product launches**







Extended 'Duraguard F2F' in West Bengal a premium composite cement that
strengthen the construction from
foundation to finish



**RMX** 

**Specialized RMX Concrete** solution meticulously designed for column construction



**RMX** 

**Flooring solution** which offers high abrasion resistance and a variety of color options when used with floor hardener

### **Growth projects on track**



### **Cement expansion at** Haryana

1.2 MMTPA is on schedule for commissioning in Sep' 23, which will take the Company's cement capacity to 25 MMTPA

### **Debottlenecking projects at** Nimbol and Risda

Completed at Risda. Nimbol to go on stream by Sep' 23

### Railway sidings at Odisha and Sonadih

Track laying activity is proceeding as planned; operations to commence from Q4 FY24











## RMX and MBM businesses provide additional lever for growth





#### **Ready-Mix Concrete (RMX)**

- Commissioned 3 RMX plants in Q1 FY24.
   Currently, 54 operational plants across
   India
- ✓ Continuous thrust to improve premiumisation value added product mix at 34% of total sales volume in Q1 FY24 vs 25% in Q1 FY23



#### **Modern Building Materials (MBM)**

✓ Construction chemicals and tile adhesive segments continue to witness sales improvement







### Awards and recognitions showcasing our achievements





Chittor Cement Plant (CCP) won the Golden Peacock Award for "Best Energy Efficient Plant" in the cement sector



RMX team won the award for "Driving End-to-End Demand Supply Planning Transformation with IBP in Ready Mix Concrete Business"











# Sustainability and CSR

## Sustainability – an integral part of Nuvoco's business strategy





One of the lowest carbon footprint in the industry with carbon emission at 462\* kg CO<sub>2</sub> per ton of cementitious materials



**70,000+ ton** of waste utilized as fuel in plants under circular economy initiative



Commissioned AFR fuel feeding system at Nimbol cement plant to raise the consumption of alternate fuel



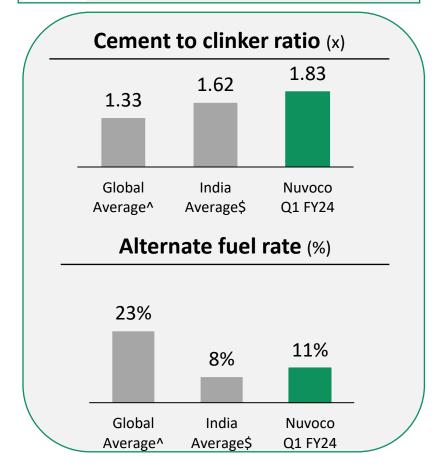
~4% QoQ reduction in freshwater consumption#



Planted 5,000+ saplings in Q1 FY24 through native plantation



#### Sustainability agenda **PROTECT OUR PLANET**





Note: ^ average of top 5 Global peers - FY21 \$ average of top 5 Indian peers - FY23





### Touching lives of communities through CSR activities





**Shikshit Bharat** 

**Samarth scholarship** distribution program for the Class 10<sup>th</sup> passed students



**Swastha Bharat** 

**Mobile medical van** launched with the objective of providing primary health services to the rural population



Saksham Bharat

Stitching training on promotional items made of cotton and jute organized across locations



**Sangrahit Bharat** Pond deepening activities were carried out across various villages, which increased the harvesting capacity by ~194 lakh litres



Sanrachit Bharat

Renovation of anganwadi center near Nimbol & construction of community hall at Sonadih village









# **Key financials**

## Positive outlook on demand to ensure stability in prices



#### Market Prices Cost

- ✓ Cement demand in East and North witnessed strong growth on YoY basis
- ✓ Demand was primarily driven by government initiatives in the infrastructure and housing segments
- ✓ East cement prices were on a decline till the mid of the quarter which eventually started recovering as the quarter progressed
- ✓ Pan-India prices marginally reduced by 0.7% QoQ\*

- ✓ Reduction in Power & fuel cost on account of softening in pet coke and coal prices
- Raw material cost have increased led by rise in slag prices

- Cement demand to moderate in near-term with the onset of monsoon
- Near-term ✓ Expected improvement in construction activities postmonsoon coupled with preelection spending by the government to support demand
- Positive outlook on demand augurs well for stability in prices
- ✓ Near-term margins expected to be favourable due to consumption of low-cost pet coke and coal inventory
- ✓ Volatility in pet coke prices and increasing demand for slag expected to create uncertain outlook for cost



**Q1 FY24** 



# **Key consolidated financial indicators**



	Cement volumes (MMT)	Revenue (₹ Cr.)	EBITDA (₹ Cr.)	\
Q1 FY24	5.0	2,805	402	
Q1 FY23	4.7	2,652	374	





### **Key cement cost elements in Q1 FY24**



#### Raw material cost

Power and fuel cost

Distribution cost

636

(₹/ton)

Increased by 13% YoY

1,219

(₹/ton)

Decreased by 10% YoY and 12% QoQ

1,575

(₹/ton)

Increased by 4% YoY

- Primarily impacted by rising prices of slag
- Softening in coal and pet coke prices coupled with higher usage of linkage coal and improvement in alternate fuel consumption
- ✓ Primarily impacted by busy season surcharge on rail freight

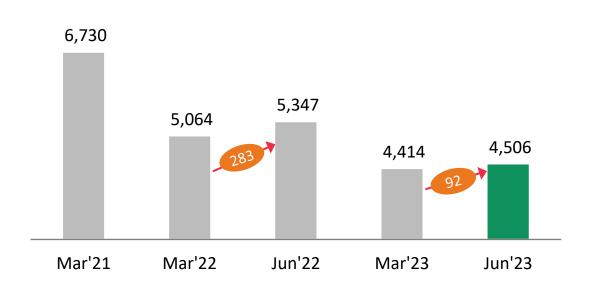




# Net debt reduction remains a top priority

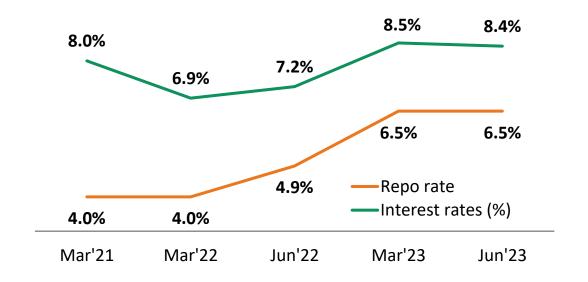


#### Net debt (₹ Cr.)



# ✓ Net debt up QoQ mainly due to working capital requirement and seasonality of the business

#### Nuvoco's interest rate vs. repo rate



Interest rate reduced by 9 bps QoQ despite reporate remaining the same





### **Consolidated income statement**



(₹ Cr.)	Q1 FY23	Q4 FY23	Q1 FY24
Total Income	2,657	2,931	2,815
Cost of materials consumed	436	433	487
Purchase of stock in trade	12	11	11
Changes in inventories	(133)	187	(44)
Power and fuel	710	612	622
Freight and forwarding charges	736	794	819
Employee benefits expense	154	157	174
Other expenses	368	354	344
EBITDA	374	383	402

EBITDA improved by 7% YoY mainly driven by softening in energy prices

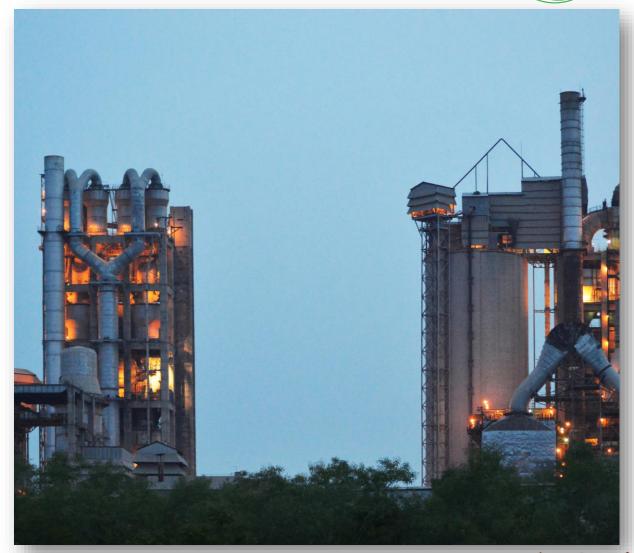


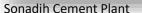


### Summary



- ✓ Cement demand to remain strong in FY24 led by Government continuous thrust on infrastructure
- ✓ The company will remain focused on improving cement to clinker ratio, increasing share of premium products, cost mitigating measures and continuous innovation
- ✓ Timely completion of planned capex
- ✓ Focus on ramping up number of RMX plants with back-to-back commissioning of 3 plants in Q1 FY24









# Thank you

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