

12th February 2024

**Department of Corporate Services** 

**BSE Limited** 

Phiroze Jeejeebhoy Towers

Mumbai – 400 001

Security Code No - 509820

The Listing Department

National Stock Exchange of India Ltd

Exchange Plaza, Bandra Kurla Complex Bandra

(East),

Mumbai 400 051

**Security Code - HUHTAMAKI** 

Sub: Investor Presentation for the quarter and year ended 31st December 2023.

Dear Sir/Madam,

This is further to our letter dated 7<sup>th</sup> February 2024, intimating about an Earnings Conference Call to be hosted by the Company on 12<sup>th</sup> February, 2024 at 3.30 p.m.(IST).

Pursuant to the Regulation 30 of the SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015, we are enclosing herewith a copy of the presentation to Analysts / Investors on Audited Financial Results of the Company for quarter and year ended 31<sup>st</sup> December 2023.

The presentation is also available on Company's website at www.flexbiles.huhtamaki.in

Kindly take the same on your records.

Thanking you,

Yours faithfully,

For Huhtamaki India limited

Jagdish Agarwal
Executive Director & CFO

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## Earnings presentation – Q4 2023

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## Performance during Q4 2023

- Market environment and impact Improved profitability, however continued to be impacted by lower volume. Strategy in place to drive long term sustainable growth
- Financial performance
  - Lower net sales QoQ and YoY
  - EBIT, PBT and EPS improved QoQ and YoY
- Footprint optimization 1 Flexible Packaging plant relocated and consolidated with other sites
- Monetized land parcels in Thane and Ambernath
- Investment in operations and technology for sustainable solutions



## Financial review





# Operational efficiency and mix are driving improved earnings despite lower sales

MINR	Q4 23	Q4 22	Change Q4	2023	2022	Change 2022
Sale of products and services	5,851.9	6,765.2	-13.5 %	24,813.2	29,165.0	-14.9 %
EBITDA	617.9	456.0	35.5 %	2,102	1,742.6	20.6 %
EBITDA %	10.56%	6.74%		8.47%	5.97%	
EBIT	506.1	246.2	105.6 %	1,610.3	882.1	82.6 %
EBIT %	8.6%	3.6%		6.5%	3.0%	
Finance Cost	-62.4	-85.5	27.0 %	-305.2	-322.8	5.5 %
Profit/(Loss) before Tax *	443.7	160.7	176.1 %	1,305.1	559.3	133.3 %
Profit/(Loss) before Tax	4,160.2	160.7	2488.8 %	5,000.4	559.3	794.0 %
Profit/(Loss) for the period	3,274.2	168.4	1844.3 %	4,096.3	496.4	725.2 %
Earnings in Rs. Per share *	5.11	2.23	129.3 %	16.27	6.57	147.5 %
Earnings in Rs. Per share	43.36	2.23	1844.7 %	54.24	6.57	725.2 %

<sup>•</sup> Q4 23 and 2023 Sales growth impacted by lower volumes

- EBIT and PBT improved despite lower sales due to continued focus on operational efficiency and mix
- Depreciation lower by MINR 44.8

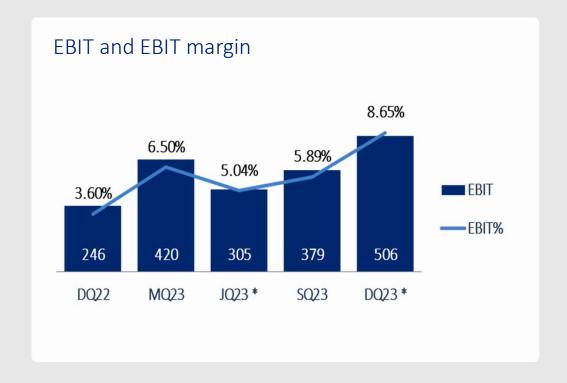
   and MINR 273.3 for Q4 23 and 2023
   respectively, due to changed useful life and method of charging depreciation on certain Property,
   Plant and Equipment (PPE)
- Financing cost decreased due to lower borrowing
- 132 employees opted for Voluntary Retirement involving a pay-out of MINR 341 to the employees
- Aggregate net profit on sales of land and buildings in Thane and Ambernath – MINR 4,086.9



<sup>\*</sup>Excluding exceptional item

# Improved margins, net sales continued to be impacted by lower volume



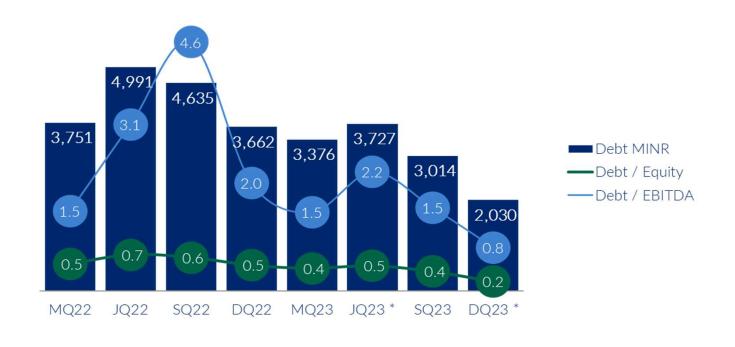


 $\it JQ-June$  quarter,  $\it SQ-Sept$  Quarter,  $\it DQ-Dec$  Quarter and  $\it MQ-Mar$  Quarter



<sup>\*</sup>Excluding exceptional item

### Gross debt to EBITDA decreased



- At the end of Q4 23:
  - Net Debt Nil
  - Cash and cash equivalents MINR 1,445
  - Investment of MINR 2,473 made during the quarter in bank deposits and liquid mutual funds.
  - Unutilized fund-based limits with bank MINR 3,823

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## Financial position improved

MINR
Total assets
Operating working capital
Net debt
Total Equity
Debt - Equity Ratio
Current Ratio

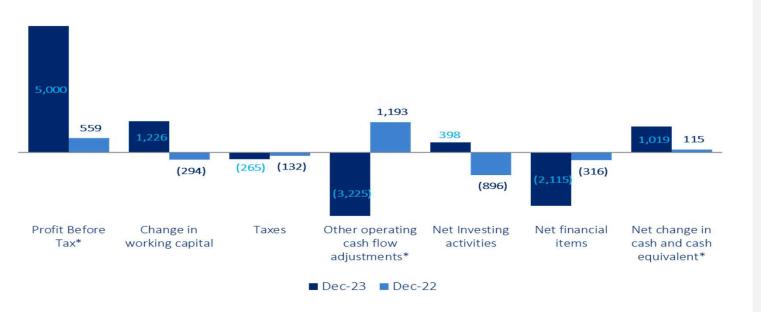
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- Operating working capital decreased mainly due to lower receivables
- Gross debt lower than December 2022. Net Debt - Nil
- Financial position improved, driven by strong cash flow



# Cash flow supported by working capital improvement and sale of fixed assets

Cash flow bridge MINR



#### \*Including exceptional item

#### Cash flow driven by:

- Higher Profit before tax
- Change in working capital mainly following decrease in receivables and inventories partially offset by a decrease in trade payables
- Significant proceed received from sales of fixed assets
- Higher taxes
- Reduction in short term borrowings



In our commitment to sustainability, we are proud to present Huhtamaki blue**loop**™



blueloop™ is our enterprise-wide sustainability brand aligned with our 2030 strategy to become the first choice in sustainable packaging solutions, driven by technology and operational excellence



We are on a transformation journey to become the first choice in sustainable packaging solutions

#### Our core business

Reliable partner supporting our customers' growth globally

Incremental customer-driven innovation

Global manufacturing footprint

#### Our value proposition, today

Sustainable innovation in partnership with customers

Ability to scale up innovative technologies globally

Global operational efficiencies

Packaging tachnology innovation leader

**Packaging Converter** 

#### Our 2030 vision

Game-changing technology & solution innovation

Solution innovation in partnership with value chain ecosystem

World-class efficient manufacturing and supply chain

Sustainable packaging solutions provider

Packaging technology innovation leader

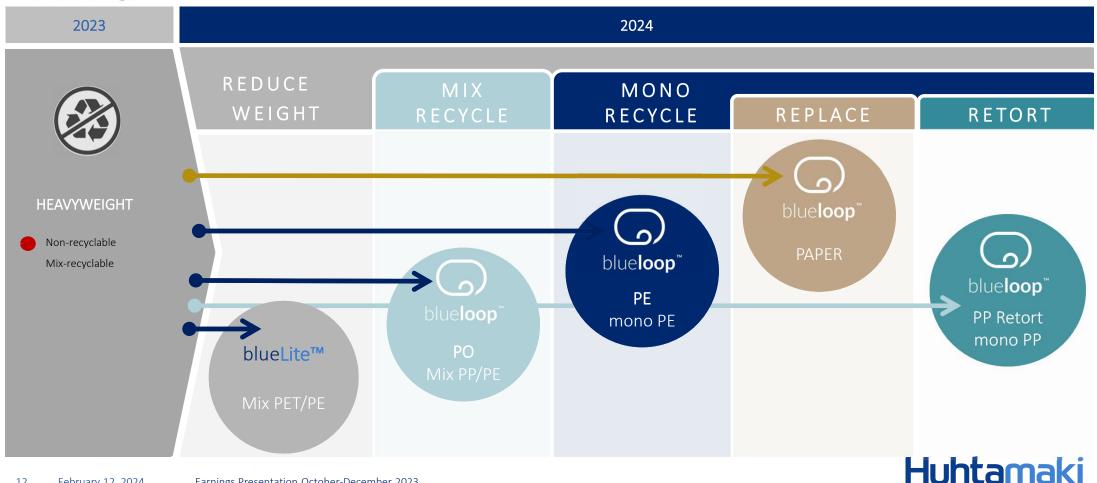
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#### **Packaging Converter**



## The new investments enable us to develop a range of recyclable solutions under the blueloop™ umbrella





# blueloop™ solutions - The power of three Future ready solutions for customers

#### MATERIAL RECYCLABILITY

Highest level of mono-material content

#### CONTENT PROTECTION

Barrier at par or better than current structures



#### SOURCE & TAX REDUCTION

Reduction of weight and layers, reduce impact of plastic tax and EPR fees

### OPERATIONAL EFFICIENCY & "GLOCAL" PRESENCE

State of art new equipment, vertical integration, product harmonization, Lorikeet™ printing, at scale

#### PERFORMANCE

Plug & play solutions, easy to adapt on existing lines

#### CONVENIENCE

Innovative embedded functionalities for consumer convenience

#### DIFFERENTIATION

Differential pack formats with value added aesthetics, engagement, personalisation features



# We have successfully completed the installation of blueloop™ assets at Silvassa

New building



**5 Layer MDO Line** 

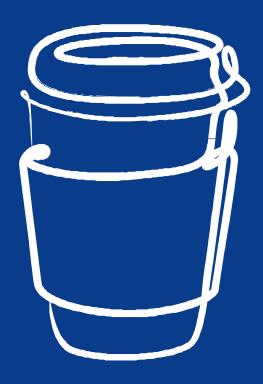


7 Layer Barrier Line





## Transformation





### Footprint Optimization - Capacity consolidation



- Hyderabad Flexible Plant
- Daman Labels Plant
- Hyderabad Labels Plant
- Sikkim Labels Plant
- Mahape Labels Plant

- 5 manufacturing sites were consolidated during the year – footprint of 15 sites to 10 sites
- Production shifted with no material impact to business
- The capacity of the sites shifted to other operating sites to benefit from scale
- Footprint optimization based on
  - Changing market dynamics
  - Customer landscape
  - Cost effectiveness



## Monetized the Company's land parcels, enhanced liquidity

#### Majiwada, Thane



- 11 acres land, sold for a consideration of MINR 4,290
- Consideration received MINR 4,069 and balance MINR 222 is receivable subject to satisfaction of conditions precedent.

### Ambernath, Thane

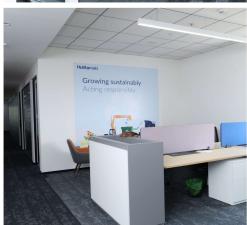


- 7 acres land along with building , sold for a consideration of MINR 300
- Entire consideration received



## Corporate office consolidation in line with one Huhtamaki vision









- Consolidated Airoli and Thane offices and moved to the new office in Hiranandani Estate – Thane
- One office with all modern amenities and well equipped with all the safety feature
- One Huhtamaki Vision, employees working from one place and improved collaborations



## Sustainability





## Continued progress towards our sustainability goals

#### Climate Action

Huhtamaki has committed to Carbon Neutral Production by year 2030. Multiple projects are undertaken to optimize and reduce scope 1 and scope 2 energy consumption, thus reducing associated GHG emissions. Below are a few initiatives -



New Solar Power projects being initiated for Khopoli and Ambernath units, to be commissioned in 2024



Biomass (Renewable) fired heater at SriCity continues operations, mitigating the sites's scope 1 emissions

#### Water Risk Assessment

Water Risk Assessment was completed for 5 sites in India which have exposure to water scarcity. Basis the results of the risk assessment, mitigation plans will be identified in 2024.



Social Initiatives
Huhtamaki's community involvement strategy reflects our commitment to advance the UN Sustainable Development Goals, and our own 2030 Strategy.

Our CSR initiatives are driven by a vision to improve the quality of life by supporting causes that benefit local schools, neighborhoods, healthcare etc.



Baddi site distributed 400 stationary kits and water coolers to a nearby local school



Rudrapur site donated power back up batteries and stationary kits at a local Govt. Primary School

#### **Water Consumption**

Water scarcity is an important topic for India. Huhtamaki has initiated third party water risk assessment program for all its site situated in high water risk areas (7 sites). Company is implementing Zero Liquid discharge projects at feasible locations.





2 of our sites (Taloja and Guwahati) are Zero Liquid Discharge



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## Thank You

