FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2024

NGHE AN WATER SUPPLY JOINT STOCK COMPANY

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STATEMENT OF THE BOARD OF MANAGEMENT

The Board of Management of Nghe An Water Supply Joint Stock Company (hereinafter referred to as "the Company") presents this statement together with the Financial Statements for the fiscal year ended 31 December 2024.

Business highlights

The Company is an enterprise equitized from the State-owned company of Nghe An Water Supply One Member Co., Ltd. in accordance with the Decision No. 5333/QD-UBND dated 12 November 2015 of the People's Committee of Nghe An Province.

The Company operates in accordance with the 1st Business Registration Certificate No. 2900324240 dated 9 June 2006 granted by the Department of Planning and Investment of Nghe An Province.

During the course of operation, the Company has been additionally 07 times granted by the Department of Planning and Investment of Nghe An Province with the amended Business Registration Certificates, in which, the 7th amended Certificate dated 7 June 2024 was due to the change in information related to the legal representative.

Head office

- Address

: No. 32, Phan Dang Luu Road, Vinh City, Nghe An Province

- Tel.

: 02383.739.739

The Company has the following affiliates:

Name	Address
Head Office	No. 32, Phan Dang Luu Road, Vinh City, Nghe An Province
Water Loss Reduction Construction Enterprise	No. 32, Phan Dang Luu Road, Vinh City, Nghe An Province
Vinh City Water Supply Service Enterprise	No. 32, Phan Dang Luu Road, Vinh City, Nghe An Province
Vinh City Water Production Enterprise	No. 115, Nguyen Sinh Sac Road, Vinh City, Nghe An Province
Nam Dan Water Supply Station	Tay Ho Group, Nam Dan Town, Nam Dan District, Nghe An Province
Do Luong Water Supply Station	Hamlet 7, Dong Son Commune, Do Luong District, Nghe An Province
Anh Son Water Supply Station	Group 5, Anh Son Town, Anh Son District, Nghe An Province
Con Cuong Water Supply Station	Group 4, Con Cuong Town, Con Cuong District, Nghe An Province
Tan Ky Water Supply Station	Hamlet 1, Thanh Tan, Ky Tan Commune, Tan Ky District, Nghe An Province
Thanh Chuong Water Supply Station	Group 6, Thanh Chuong Town, Thanh Chuong District, Nghe An Province
Quy Chau Water Supply Station	Group 2A, Tan Lac Town, Quy Chau District, Nghe An Province
Quy Hop Water Supply Station	Group 13, Quy Hop Town, Quy Hop District, Nghe An Province
Tuong Duong Water Supply Station	Hoa Binh Town, Tuong Duong District, Nghe An Province
Ky Son Water Supply Station	Muong Xen Town, Ky Son District, Nghe An Province
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Principal business activities of the Company are: Exploitation, treatment and supply of water (Raw water exploitation; production and supply of clean water for daily life, production, and other needs; production and trading of bottled water).

Board of Directors and Executive Officers

The members of the Board of Directors, the Board of Supervisors, the Board of Management and the Chief Accountant of the Company during the year and as of the date of this statement include:

Board of Directors

Full name	Position	Re-appointing date
Mr. Nguyen Ba Quy	Chairman	29 April 2022
Mr. Le Dinh Hoan	Member	29 April 2022
Mr. Trinh Van Thang	Member	16 July 2022
Board of Supervisors ("BOS")		
Full name	Position	Re-appointing date/appointing date/resigning date
Full name Ms. Vo Thi Thin	Position Head of BOS	Re-appointing date/appointing date/resigning date Re-appointed on 16 July 2022
Ms. Vo Thi Thin	Head of BOS	Re-appointed on 16 July 2022

STATEMENT OF THE BOARD OF MANAGEMENT (cont.)

Board of Management and Chief Accountant

Full name	Position	Appointing date
Mr. Hoang Van Hai	General Director	9 May 2021
Mr. Nguyen Van Ha Deputy General Director		2 January 2017
Ms. Tran Thi Lan Anh	Chief Accountant	23 April 2019

Legal representative

The legal representative of the Company during the year and as of the date of this statement is Mr. Hoang Van Hai – General Director (appointed on 9 May 2021).

Auditor

A&C Auditing and Consulting Co., Ltd. has been appointed to perform the audit on the Financial Statements for the fiscal year ended 31 December 2024 of the Company.

Responsibilities of the Board of Management

The Board of Management is responsible for the preparation of the Financial Statements to give a true and fair view on the financial position, the financial performance and the cash flows of the Company during the year. In order to prepare these Financial Statements, the Board of Management must:

- select appropriate accounting policies and apply them consistently;
- make judgments and estimates reasonably and prudently;
- state clearly whether the accounting standards applied to the Company are followed or not, and all the material differences from these standards are disclosed and explained in the Financial Statements;
- prepare the Financial Statements of the Company on the going-concern basis, except for the cases that the going-concern assumption is considered inappropriate; and
- design and implement effectively the internal control system to minimize the risks of material misstatements due to frauds or errors in the preparation and presentation of the Financial Statements.

The Board of Management hereby ensures that all the proper accounting books of the Company have been fully recorded and can fairly reflect the financial position of the Company at any time, and that all the accounting books have been prepared in compliance with the applicable Accounting System. The Board of Management is also responsible for managing the Company's assets and consequently has taken appropriate measures to prevent and detect frauds and other irregularities.

The Board of Management hereby commits to the compliance with the aforementioned requirements in preparation of the Financial Statements.

Approval on the Financial Statements

The Board of Management hereby approves the accompanying Financial Statements, which give a true and fair view of the financial position as at 31 December 2024, the financial performance and the cash flows for the fiscal year then ended of the Company in conformity with the Vietnamese Accounting Standards, the Vietnamese Enterprise Accounting System and relevant statutory requirements on the preparation and presentation of Financial Statements.

For and on behalf of the Board of Management,

Hoang Van Hai 31 March 2025

General Director

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THE SHAREHOLDERS, THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS AND THE BOARD OF MANAGEMENT NGHE AN WATER SUPPLY JOINT STOCK COMPANY

We have audited the accompanying Financial Statements of Nghe An Water Supply Joint Stock Company (hereinafter referred to as "the Company"), which were prepared 31 March 2025, from page 06 to page 32, including the Balance Sheet as at 31 December 2024, the Income Statement, the Cash Flow Statement for the fiscal year then ended and the Notes to the Financial Statements.

Responsibility of the Board of Management

The Company's Board of Management is responsible for the preparation, true and fair presentation of the Company's Financial Statements in accordance with the Vietnamese Accounting Standards, the Vietnamese Enterprise Accounting System and relevant statutory requirements on the preparation and presentation of Financial Statements; and responsible for the internal control as the Board of Management determines necessary to enable the preparation and presentation of the Financial Statements to be free from material misstatement due to fraud or error.

Responsibility of Auditors

Our responsibility is to express an opinion on the Financial Statements based on our audit. We conducted our audit in accordance with the Vietnamese Standards on Auditing. Those standards require that we comply with ethical standards and requirements and plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the Company's Financial Statements are free from material misstatement.

An audit involves performing procedures to obtain audit evidence about the amounts and disclosures in the Financial Statements. The procedures selected depend on the auditor's judgment, including the assessment of the risks of material misstatement of the Financial Statements, whether due to fraud or error. In making those risk assessments, the auditor considers internal control relevant to the Company's preparation and true and fair presentation of the Financial Statements 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 Company's internal control. An audit also includes evaluating the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of accounting estimates made by the Board of Management, as well as evaluating the overall presentation of the Financial Statements.

We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our qualified audit opinion.

Basis for Qualified Audit Opinion

Limitation on Audit Scope

The item "Other receivables" as at 31 December 2024 includes a VND 5,690,610,000 receivable related to the value of 1,218.4 m² land use right in Truong Thi Ward, Vinh City, Nghe An Province, which was used by the Company to develop a social housing project. This land use right was revoked in 2021 in accordance with the Decision No. 297/QD-UBND dated 27 July 2021 of the People's Committee of Nghe An Province (Note V.5a). Up to now, the Company has not received any decision from the People's Committee of Nghe An Province regarding the compensated amount. Therefore, we do not have a basis to assess the reasonableness or the recoverability of this receivable, nor the amount of any provision for impairment to be made, if applicable.

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• As at 31 December 2024, the Company was recording a payable for raw water charges under the item "Short-term provisions", the amount of which had not been agreed upon with the supplier, totaling VND 120,901,582,998 (Note V.18). Therefore, we are unable to obtain sufficient appropriate evidence to assess the reasonableness of this provision, and the raw water charges recorded by the Company in the business results during the year, totaling VND 13,830,186,700 (the previous year: VND 21,352,500,000).

Errors and Disagreements Regarding the Company's Accounting Treatments

- The Company has recorded additional salary and bonus expenses of 2023 in the business results of 2024, amounting to VND 3,523,440,000. In our opinion, these additional salary and bonus expenses should have been recorded in the business results of 2023. If these expenses had been recorded in the correct period, the item "General and administration expenses" for the current year would have decreased by VND 3,523,440,000.
- During the year, the Company changed the depreciation period for certain fixed assets (Notes IV.8 and VIII.3) and applied accelerated depreciation to others, resulting in an increase of VND 20,063,085,788 and VND 20,402,839,693 in depreciation expenses for the current year, respectively. We are unable to obtain sufficient appropriate evidence to assess the reasonableness of this change. Had the Company consistently applied the same depreciation period as in previous years, the iem "Costs of sales" for the current year would have decreased by VND 40,465,925,481, and the ending balance of the item "Accumulated depreciation of tangible fixed assets" would have decreased by VND 40,465,925,481.

Qualified Opinion of Auditors

In our opinion, except for the effects of the matters described in the "Basis for Qualified Audit Opinion" paragraph, the Financial Statements give a true and fair view, in all material respects, of the financial position as at 31 December 2024 of Nghe An Water Supply Joint Stock Company, its financial performance and its cash flows for the fiscal year then ended in conformity with the Vietnamese Accounting Standards, the Vietnamese Enterprise Accounting System and relevant statutory requirements on the preparation and presentation of Financial Statements.

Other matter

The Auditor's Report on the Company's Financial Statements for the fiscal year ended 31 December 2024 is prepared in Vietnamese and English. Should there be any conflict between the Vietnamese and English versions, the Vietnamese version shall take precedence.

For and on behalf of

A&C Auditing and Consulting Co., Ltd.

Hanoi Branch

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TRÁCH NHIỆM HỮU HẠN

KIỂM TOÁN VÀ TƯ VẪN

TẠI HÀ NỘI

Vu Minh Khoi - Partner

Audit Practice Registration Certificate: No. 2897-2025-008-1 Authorized signatory

Hanoi, 31 March 2025

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Vu Tuan Nghia - Auditor *Audit Practice Registration Certificate: No. 4028-2022-008-1*

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BALANCE SHEET

As at 31 December 2024

Unit: VND

	ASSETS	Code	Note	Ending balance	Beginning balance
A -	CURRENT ASSETS	100		238.817.617.074	271.178.093.612
I.	Cash and cash equivalents	110	V.1	111.185.050.301	55.725.234.985
1.	Cash	111		94.994.431.639	39.683.675.653
2.	Cash equivalents	112		16.190.618.662	16.041.559.332
II.	Short-term financial investments	120		25.915.925.187	75.290.061.450
1.	Trading securities	121		-	-
2.	Provisions for diminution in value of trading securities	122		-	-
3.	Held-to-maturity investments	123	V.2a	25.915.925.187	75.290.061.450
III.	Short-term receivables	130		24.488.718.590	27.397.097.446
1.	Short-term trade receivables	131	V.3	19.895.447.935	20.382.701.183
2.	Short-term prepayments to suppliers	132	V.4	7.049.212.810	8.490.278.622
3.	Short-term inter-company receivables	133		-	<u>.</u>
4.	Receivables based on the progress of construction contracts	134		-	-
5.	Receivables for short-term loans	135		-	-
6.	Other short-term receivables	136	V.5a	15.276.886.449	15.955.130.415
7.	Allowance for short-term doubtful debts	137	V.6	(17.732.828.604)	(17.431.012.774)
8.	Deficit assets for treatment	139		-	-
IV.	Inventories	140		72.780.624.978	99.099.652.189
1.	Inventories	141	V.7	72.780.624.978	99.099.652.189
2.	Allowance for devaluation of inventories	149		-	-
V.	Other current assets	150		4.447.298.018	13.666.047.542
1.	Short-term prepaid expenses	151		-	-
2.	Deductible VAT	152		4.443.900.640	13.224.895.406
3.	Taxes and other receivables from the State	153	V.14	3.397.378	441.152.136
4.	Trading Government bonds	154		-	-
5	Other current assets	155		-	



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Balance Sheet (cont.)

	ASSETS	Code	Note	Ending balance	Beginning balance
В-	NON-CURRENT ASSETS	200		503.883.714.101	585.956.266.427
I.	Long-term receivables	210		500.000.000	500.000.000
1.	Long-term trade receivables	211		-	
2.	Long-term prepayments to suppliers	212			-
3.	Working capital in affiliates	213		-	-
4.	Long-term inter-company receivables	214		-	-
5.	Receivables for long-term loans	215		-	-
6.	Other long-term receivables	216	V.5b	500.000.000	500.000.000
7.	Allowance for long-term doubtful debts	219		-	-
II.	Fixed assets	220		478.295.142.953	537.874.857.672
1.	Tangible fixed assets	221	V.9	478.231.174.811	537.786.895.480
	Historical costs	222		1.338.676.591.755	1.287.535.576.735
	Accumulated depreciation	223		(860.445.416.944)	(749.748.681.255)
2.	Financial leased assets	224		-	-
	Historical costs	225		-	-
	Accumulated depreciation	226		-	-
3.	Intangible fixed assets	227	V.10	63.968.142	87.962.192
	Historical costs	228		518.800.000	518.800.000
	Accumulated depreciation	229		(454.831.858)	(430.837.808)
III.	Investment properties	230		-	-
	Historical costs	231		-	-
	Accumulated depreciation	232		-	-
IV.	Long-term assets in progress	240	V.11	6.290.598.177	25.894.143.083
1.	Long-term work in progress	241		-	-
2.	Construction-in-progress	242		6.290.598.177	25.894.143.083
v.	Long-term financial investments	250	V.2b	13.406.873.080	13.512.440.826
1.	Investments in subsidiaries	251		-	-
2.	Investments in joint ventures and associates	252		-	-
3.	Investments in other entities	253		13.790.916.000	13.790.916.000
4.	Provisions for diminution in value of long-term financial investments	254		(384.042.920)	(278.475.174)
5.	Held-to-maturity investments	255		-	-
VI.	Other non-current assets	260		5.391.099.891	8.174.824.846
1.	Long-term prepaid expenses	261	V.8	5.391.099.891	8.174.824.846
2.	Deferred income tax assets	262		-	-
3.	Long-term components and spare parts	263		-	=
4.	Other non-current assets	268		-	-
	TOTAL ASSETS	270	:	742.701.331.175	857.134.360.039

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Balance Sheet (cont.)

	RESOURCES	Code	Note	Ending balance	Beginning balance
C -	LIABILITIES	300		361.430.217.157	477.557.949.760
I.	Current liabilities	310		235.404.780.521	324.865.369.607
1.	Short-term trade payables	311	V.12	54.049.617.491	58.351.237.755
2.	Short-term advances from customers	312	V.13	4.041.924.227	5.802.999.251
3.	Taxes and other obligations to the State Budget	313	V.14	828.889.663	415.513.536
4.	Payables to employees	314		15.058.300.000	16.158.898.400
5.	Short-term accrued expenses	315	V.15	3.335.881.344	3.257.676.501
6.	Short-term inter-company payables	316		=	=
7.	Payables based on the progress of	317		-	-
	construction contracts				
8.	Short-term unearned revenue	318			-
9.	Other short-term payables	319	V.16	7.390.872.454	105.248.959.392
10.	Short-term borrowings and financial leases	320	V.17a	26.661.588.643	26.666.904.073
11.	Short-term provisions	321	V.18	120.901.582.998	107.071.396.298
12.	Bonus and welfare funds	322	V.19	3.136.123.701	1.891.784.401
13.	Price stabilization fund	323		=	-
14.	Trading Government bonds	324		-	-
II.	Non-current liabilities	330		126.025.436.636	152.692.580.153
1.	Long-term trade payables	331		=	-
2.	Long-term advances from customers	332		-	-
3.	Long-term accrued expenses	333		_	-
4.	Inter-company payables for working capital	334		-	-
5.	Long-term inter-company payables	335		-	-
6.	Long-term unearned revenue	336		_	-
7.	Other long-term payables	337			
8.	Long-term borrowings and financial leases	338	V.17b	126.025.436.636	152.692.580.153
9.	Convertible bonds	339		-	-
10.	Preferred shares	340		-	-
11.	Deferred income tax liabilities	341		-	-
12.	Long-term provisions	342		-	
13.	Science and technology development fund	343		-	-

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Balance Sheet (cont.)

	RESOURCES	Code	Note _	Ending balance	Beginning balance
D -	OWNER'S EQUITY	400		381.271.114.018	379.576.410.279
I.	Owner's equity	410	V.20	381.271.114.018	379.576.410.279
1.	Owner's contribution capital	411		373.859.830.000	373.859.830.000
-	Ordinary shares carrying voting right	411a		373.859.830.000	373.859.830.000
-	Preferred shares	411b		-	-
2.	Share premiums	412		-	-
3.	Bond conversion options	413		-	·
4.	Other sources of capital	414		-	-
5.	Treasury shares	415		-	-
6.	Differences on asset revaluation	416		=	=
7.	Foreign exchange differences	417		-	-
8.	Investment and development fund	418		4.472.240.979	2.951.381.835
9.	Business arrangement supporting fund	419		-	-
10.	Other funds	420		-	-
11.	Retained earnings	421		2.939.043.039	2.765.198.444
-	Retained earnings accumulated	421a		-	2.765.198.444
	to the end of the previous period				
-	Retained earnings of the current period	421b		2.939.043.039	-
12.	Construction investment fund	422		-	-
II.	Other sources and funds	430		-	-
1.	Sources of expenditure	431		-	-
2.	Fund to form fixed assets	432		-	-
	TOTAL RESOURCES	440	- -	742.701.331.175	857.134.360.039

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Chief Accountant

Tran Thi Lan Anh

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900324 General Director

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INCOME STATEMENT

For the fiscal year ended 31 December 2024

Unit: VND

	ITEMS	Code	Note	Current year	Previous year
1.	Revenue from sales of merchandise and rendering of services	01	VI.1	329.743.487.240	306.120.718.230
2.	Revenue deductions	02		592.667	162.191
3.	Net revenue from sales of merchandise and rendering of services	10		329.742.894.573	306.120.556.039
4.	Costs of sales	11	VI.2	248.818.118.319	233.605.309.092
5.	Gross profit/ (loss) from sales of merchandise and rendering of services	20		80.924.776.254	72.515.246.947
6.	Financial income	21	VI.3	1.946.997.244	6.498.382.706
7.	Financial expenses In which: Interest expenses	22 23	VI.4	8.401.080.286 8.295.512.540	11.353.700.030 10.313.566.842
8.	Selling expenses	25	VI.5	16.853.203.379	19.161.320.989
9.	General and administration expenses	26	VI.6	54.109.505.726	47.826.130.108
10.	Net operating profit/ (loss)	30		3.507.984.107	672.478.526
11.	Other income	31	VI.7	462.251.923	4.023.801.507
12.	Other expenses	32	VI.8	292.060.613	381.860.448
13.	Other profit/ (loss)	40		170.191.310	3.641.941.059
14.	Total accounting profit/ (loss) before tax	50		3.678.175.417	4.314.419.585
15.	Current income tax	51	V.14	739.132.378	1.549.221.141
16.	Deferred income tax	52		-	
17.	Profit/ (loss) after tax	60		2.939.043.039	2.765.198.444
18.	Basic earnings per share	70	VI.9	67	41
19.	Diluted earnings per share	71	VI.9	67	41

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Chief Accountant

Tran Thi Lan Anh

Prepared on 31 March 2025

General Director

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CASH FLOW STATEMENT

(Direct method)

For the fiscal year ended 31 December 2024

Unit: VND

	ITEMS	Code	Note	Current year	Previous year
I.	Cash flows from operating activities				
1.	Cash inflows from sale of merchandise,				
	rendering of services and other income	01		373.338.265.209	347.553.093.506
2.	Cash outflows for suppliers	02		(225.135.204.760)	(192.213.506.737)
3.	Cash outflows for employees	03		(74.222.100.959)	(74.342.798.690)
4.	Interests paid	04		(8.660.382.548)	(9.794.541.365)
5.	Corporate income tax paid	05	V.14	-	(2.231.997.537)
6.	Other cash inflows from operating activities	06		10.166.596.264	14.311.166.640
7.	Other cash outflows from operating activities	07		(18.341.199.723)	(38.380.789.131)
	Net cash flows from operating activities	20		57.145.973.483	44.900.626.686
II.	Cash flows from investing activities				
1.	Purchases and construction of fixed assets				
	and other non-current assets	21		(27.151.999.553)	(75.603.917.664)
2.	Proceeds from disposals of fixed assets				
	and other non-current assets	22		-	
3.	Cash outflows for lending, buying debt instruments				
	of other entities	23		-	
4.	Cash recovered from lending, selling debt instruments				
	of other entities	24		51.423.761.551	45.483.792.141
5.	Investments into other entities	25		-	
6.	Withdrawals of investments in other entities	26		-	
7.	Interests earned, dividends and profits received	27		714.538.782	477.232.876
	Net cash flows from investing activities	30		24.986.300.780	(29.642.892.647)

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Cash Flow Statement (cont.)

	ITEMS	Code	Note	Current year	Previous year
Ш	. Cash flows from financing activities				
1.	Proceeds from issuing stocks and capital contributions				
	from owners	31		_	-
2.	Repayment for capital contributions and re-purchases				
	of stocks already issued	32		-	
3.	Proceeds from borrowings	33		-	
4.	Repayment for loan principal	34	V.17	(26.672.458.947)	(26.670.433.406)
5.	Payments for financial leased assets	35		-	
6.	Dividends and profits paid to the owners	36		-	-
	Net cash flows from financing activitites	40		(26.672.458.947)	(26.670.433.406)
	Net cash flows during the year	50		55.459.815.316	(11.412.699.367)
	Beginning cash and cash equivalents	60	V.1	55.725.234.985	67.137.934.352
	Effects of fluctuations in foreign exchange rates	61		-	· _
	Ending cash and cash equivalents	70	V.1	111.185.050.301	55.725.234.985

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I. GENERAL INFORMATION

1. Ownership form

Nghe An Water Supply Joint Stock Company (hereinafter referred to as "the Company") is a joint stock company.

2. Operating fields

The Company operates in the field of supplying clean water.

3. Principal business activities

The principal business activities of the Company are exploitation, treatment and supply of water (Raw water exploitation; production and supply of clean water for daily life, production, and other needs; production and trading of bottled water).

4. Normal operating cycle

The normal operating cycle of the Company is within 12 months.

5. Structure of the Company

Affiliates that are not legal entities and use centralized accounting

Name	Address
Head Office	No. 32, Phan Dang Luu Road, Vinh City, Nghe An Province
Water Loss Reduction Construction Enterprise	No. 32, Phan Dang Luu Road, Vinh City, Nghe An Province
Vinh City Water Supply Service Enterprise	No. 32, Phan Dang Luu Road, Vinh City, Nghe An Province
Vinh City Water Production Enterprise	No. 115, Nguyen Sinh Sac Road, Vinh City, Nghe An Province
Nam Dan Water Supply Station	Tay Ho Group, Nam Dan Town, Nam Dan District, Nghe An Province
Do Luong Water Supply Station	Hamlet 7, Dong Son Commune, Do Luong District, Nghe An Province
Anh Son Water Supply Station	Group 5, Anh Son Town, Anh Son District, Nghe An Province
Con Cuong Water Supply Station	Group 4, Con Cuong Town, Con Cuong District, Nghe An Province
Tan Ky Water Supply Station	Hamlet 1, Thanh Tan, Ky Tan Commune, Tan Ky District, Nghe An Province
Thanh Chuong Water Supply Station	Group 6, Thanh Chuong Town, Thanh Chuong District, Nghe An Province
Quy Chau Water Supply Station	Group 2A, Tan Lac Town, Quy Chau District, Nghe An Province
Quy Hop Water Supply Station	Group 13, Quy Hop Town, Quy Hop District, Nghe An Province
Tuong Duong Water Supply Station	Hoa Binh Town, Tuong Duong District, Nghe An Province
Ky Son Water Supply Station	Muong Xen Town, Ky Son District, Nghe An Province

6. Statement on information comparability in the Financial Statements

The corresponding figures of the previous year are comparable to those of the current year.

7. Employees

As of the balance sheet date, there were 475 employees working for the Company (at the beginning of the year: 485 employees).

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II. FISCAL YEAR AND ACCOUNTING CURRENCY

1. Fiscal year

The fiscal year of the Company is from 1 January to 31 December annually.

2. Accounting currency unit

The accounting currency unit is Vietnam Dong (VND) because payments and receipts of the Company are primarily made in VND.

III. ACCOUNTING STANDARDS AND SYSTEM

1. Accounting System

The Company applies the Vietnamese Accounting Standards, the Vietnamese Enterprise Accounting System, which were issued together with the Circular No. 200/2014/TT-BTC dated 22 December 2014, the Circular No. 53/2016/TT-BTC dated 21 March 2016 as well as other Circulars guiding the implementation of the Vietnamese Accounting Standards of the Ministry of Finance in the preparation and presentation of Financial Statements.

2. Statement on the compliance with the Accounting Standards and System

The Board of Management ensures the compliance with all the requirements of the Vietnamese Accounting Standards, the Vietnamese Enterprise Accounting System, which were issued together with the Circular No. 200/2014/TT-BTC dated 22 December 2014, the Circular No. 53/2016/TT-BTC dated 21 March 2016 as well as other Circulars guiding the implementation of the Vietnamese Accounting Standards of the Ministry of Finance in the preparation and presentation of Financial Statements.

IV. ACCOUNTING POLICIES

1. Basis of preparation of the Financial Statements

All the Financial Statements are prepared on the accrual basis (except for the information related to cash flows).

The Financial Statements are prepared in Vietnamese and English, in which the Financial Statements in Vietnamese are the official statutory financial statements of the Company. The Financial Statements in English have been translated from the Vietnamese version. Should there be any conflict between the Vietnamese and English versions, the Vietnamese version shall take precedence.

2. Foreign currency transactions

Transactions in foreign currencies are translated at the actual exchange rates ruling as of the transaction dates. The ending balances of monetary items in foreign currencies are translated at the actual exchange rates ruling as of the balance sheet date.

Foreign exchange differences arising from foreign currency transactions during the period shall be included into financial income or financial expenses. Foreign exchange differences due to the revaluation of ending balances of the monetary items in foreign currencies after offsetting their positive differences against negative differences shall be included into financial income or financial expenses.

The exchange rate used to translate foreign currency transactions is the actual exchange rate ruling as of the time of these transactions. The actual exchange rate applied to payables in foreign currencies is determined by the selling rate ruling as of the time of transaction of the commercial bank where the Company supposes to make payments.

The exchange rate used to revaluate ending balances of loans in foreign currencies as of the balance sheet date is determined by the selling rate of the Bank where the loans are held.

3. Cash and cash equivalents

Cash includes cash on hand and demand deposits. Cash equivalents are short-term investments of which the due dates do not exceed 3 months from the dates of the investments that are readily convertible into known amounts of cash and that are subject to an insignificant risk of change in value as of the balance sheet date.

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4. Financial investments

Held-to-maturity investments

Investments are classified as held-to-maturity investments that the Company intends and is able to hold to maturity. Held-to-maturity investments only include term deposits in banks.

When there are reliable evidences proving that a part of or the whole investment cannot be recovered and the loss is reliably determined, the loss is recognized as financial expenses during the year and deducted from costs of investments.

Investments in equity instruments of other entities

Investments in equity instruments of other entities include such investments in equity instruments that do not enable the Company to have the control, joint control or significant influence on these entities.

Investments in equity instruments of other entities are initially recognized at costs, including cost of purchase or capital contributions plus other directly attributable transaction costs. Dividend and profit of the periods prior to the acquisition of investments are deducted from the cost of such investments. Dividend and profit of the periods after the acquisition of such investments are recorded in the Company's financial income. Particularly, stock dividends received are not recorded as an increase in value, but the increasing quantity of shares is followed up.

Provisions for impairment of investments in equity instruments of other entities

For investments of which the fair value cannot be measured at the time of reporting, provisions are made based on the losses suffered by investees, with the provision amount determined by the difference between owners' actual contributed capital and total owners' equity as of the balance sheet date multiplied (x) by the Company's rate of charter capital owning in these investees.

Increases/ (decreases) in provisions for impairment of investments in equity instruments of other entities to be recognized as of the balance sheet date are recorded into "Financial expenses.

5. Receivables

Receivables are recognized at the carrying amount less allowance for doubtful debts.

The classification of receivables as trade receivables and other receivables is made according to the following principles:

- Trade receivables reflect receivables concerning the commercial nature arising from purchase and sale transactions between the Company and customers who are independent to the Company.
- Other receivables reflect receivables not concerning the commercial nature and irrelevant to purchase and sale transactions.

Allowance is made for each doubtful debt after being offset against liabilities (if any). The allowance rate is based on the debts' overdue period or the estimated loss as follows:

- As for overdue debts:
 - 30% of the value of debts with the overdue period from 6 months to under 1 year.
 - 50% of the value of debts with the overdue period from 1 year to under 2 years.
 - 70% of the value of debts with the overdue period from 2 years to under 3 years.
 - 100% of the value of debts with the overdue period from or over 3 years.
- As for the debts that are not overdue, but considered as doubtful debts: Allowance is made on the basis of the estimated loss.

Increases/ (decreases) in allowance for doubtful debts to be recognized as of the balance sheet date are recorded into "General and administration expenses".

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6. Inventories

Inventories are recognized at the lower of cost and net realizable value.

Costs of inventories are determined as follows:

- For materials and tools: Costs comprise costs of purchases and other directly attributable costs incurred in bringing the inventories to their present location and conditions.
- For work in progress: Costs comprise main materials, labor and other directly attributable costs.

The cost of inventories is determined using the weighted average method and recorded in accordance with the perpetual inventory system.

Net realizable value is the estimated selling prices of inventories in an ordinary course of business less the estimated expenses on product completion and other necessary expenses to make the sale.

Allowance for inventories is recognized for each type of inventories when their costs are higher than their net realizable value. Increases/ (decreases) in allowance for inventories to be recognized as of the balance sheet date are recorded into "Costs of sales".

7. Prepaid expenses

Prepaid expenses comprise actual expenses arising and relevant to financial performance in several accounting periods. These prepaid expenses are allocated over the prepayment period or the period in which corresponding economic benefits are generated from these expenses.

Prepaid expenses of the Company primarily include:

Expenses for fixed asset repairs

Expenses for fixed asset repairs arising once with high value are allocated to expenses using the straight-line method in 3 years.

Tools

Expenses for tools in use are allocated to expenses using the straight-line method for the maximum period of 3 years.

8. Tangible fixed assets

Tangible fixed assets are determined by their historical costs less accumulated depreciation. Historical costs of tangible fixed assets include all the expenses paid by the Company to bring the asset to its working condition for its intended use. Other expenses arising subsequent to initial recognition are included into historical costs of fixed assets only if it can be clearly demonstrated that the expenditure has resulted in future economic benefits expected to be obtained from the use of these assets. Those which do not meet the above conditions will be recorded into operating expenses during the year.

When a tangible fixed asset is sold or disposed, its historical cost and accumulated depreciation are written off, then any gain or loss arising from such disposal is included in the income or the expenses during the year.

Tangible fixed assets are depreciated in accordance with the straight-line method over their estimated useful lives. The depreciation years applied are as follows:

Class of fixed assets	<u>Current year</u>	Previous year
Buildings and structures	4 - 39	10 - 39
Machinery and equipment	5 - 15	5 - 15
Vehicles	3 - 24	6 - 24
Office equipment	5 – 6	5 - 6
Other fixed assets	13	13



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9. Intangible fixed assets

Intangible fixed assets are determined by their historical costs less accumulated amortization.

Historical costs of intangible fixed assets include all the costs paid by the Company to bring the asset to its working condition for its intended use. Other costs relevant to intangible fixed assets arising subsequent to initial recognition are included into operating costs during the period, otherwise, these costs are included into historical costs of fixed assets only if they are associated with a specific intangible fixed asset and result in future economic benefits expected to be obtained from the use of the asset.

When an intangible fixed asset is sold or disposed, its historical costs and accumulated amortization are written off, then any gain or loss arising from such disposal is included in the income or the expenses during the year.

Intangible fixed asset of the Company is computer software. Costs to obtain computer software, which is not a part associated with the relevant hardware, will be capitalized. Costs of computer software include all the expenses paid by the Company until the date the software is put into use. Computer software is amortized in accordance with the straight-line method in 12 years.

10. Construction-in-progress

Construction-in-progress reflects the expenses (including relevant borrowing interest expenses following the accounting policies of the Company) directly attributable to the construction of plants and the installation of machinery and equipment to serve for production, leasing, and management as well as the repair of fixed assets, which have not been completed yet. Assets in the progress of construction and installation are recorded at historical costs and not depreciated.

11. Payables and accrued expenses

Payables and accrued expenses are recorded based on the amounts payable for merchandise and services already used. Accrued expenses are recorded based on reasonable estimates for the amounts payable.

The classification of payables as trade payables, accrued expenses, and other payables is made on the basis of following principles:

- Trade payables reflect payables of commercial nature arising from the purchase of merchandise, services, or assets and the seller is an independent entity with the Company.
- Accrued expenses reflect expenses for merchandise, services received from suppliers or supplied to customers but have not been paid, invoiced or lack of accounting records and supporting documents; pay on leave payable to employees; and accrual of operating expenses.
- Other payables reflect payables of non-commercial nature and irrelevant to purchase, sales of merchandise or rendering of services.

Payables and accrued expenses are classified into short-term and long-term ones in the Balance Sheet based on the remaining terms as of the balance sheet date.

12. Owner's equity

Owner's contribution capital

Owner's contribution capital is recorded according to the actual amounts invested by the shareholders.

13. Profit distribution

Profit after tax is distributed to the shareholders after appropriation for funds under the Charter of the Company as well as legal regulations and approved by the General Meeting of Shareholders.



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The distribution of profits to the shareholders is made in consideration of non-cash items in retained earnings that may affect cash flows and the ability to pay dividends such as gains from revaluation of assets invested in other entities, gains from revaluation of monetary items, financial instruments and other non-cash items.

Dividends are recorded as payables upon approval of the General Meeting of Shareholders.

14. Recognition of revenue and income

Revenue from sales of clean water

Revenue from sales of clean water is recognized based on the volume of water consumed, as measured by customer's water meter readings, and the price list issued by the Company at various times, which has been approved by the Provincial People's Committee.

Revenue from rendering of services

Revenue from rendering of services shall be recognized when all of the following conditions are satisfied:

- The amount of revenue can be measured reliably. When the contract stipulates that the buyer is entitled to return the services rendered under specific conditions, revenue is recognized only when those specific conditions no longer exist and the buyer is not entitled to return the services rendered.
- The Company received or shall probably receive the economic benefits associated with the rendering of services.
- The stage of completion of the transaction at the end of reporting period can be measured reliably.
- The costs incurred for the transaction and the costs to complete the transaction can be measured reliably.

In the case that the services are rendered in several accounting periods, revenue is recognized on the basis of the stage of completion as of the balance sheet date.

Interest

Interest is recorded, based on the term and the actual interest rate applied in each particular period.

15. Borrowing costs

Borrowing costs are interest expenses and other costs that the Company directly incurs in connection with the borrowings. Borrowing costs are recorded as expenses when incurred.

16. Expenses

Expenses are those that result in outflows of the Company's economic benefits and are recorded at the time of transactions or when incurrence of the transaction is reliable regardless of whether payment for expenses is made or not.

Expenses and their corresponding revenue are simultaneously recognized in accordance with matching principle. In the event that matching principle conflicts with prudence principle, expenses are recognized based on the nature and regulations of accounting standards in order to guarantee that transactions can be fairly and truly reflected.

17. Corporate income tax

Corporate income tax only includes current income tax, which is the tax amount computed based on the taxable income. Taxable income is different from accounting profit due to the adjustments of temporary differences between tax and accounting figures, non-deductible expenses as well as those of non-taxable income and losses brought forward.

18. Related parties

Parties are considered to be related parties in case that one party is able to control the other party or has significant influence on the financial and operating decisions of the other party. Parties are also considered to be related parties in case that they are under the common control or under the common significant influence.

In considering each possible related party relationship, attention is directed to the substance of the relationship and not merely the legal form.

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19. Segment reporting

A business segment is a distinguishable component of the Company that is engaged in manufacturing or providing products or services and that is subject to risks and returns that are different from those of other business segments.

A geographical segment is a distinguishable component of the Company that is engaged in manufacturing or providing products or services within a particular economic environment and that is subject to risks and returns that are different from those of components operating in other economic environments.

The segment information is prepared and presented in conformity with the accounting policy applied for the preparation and presentation of the Company's Financial Statements.

V. ADDITIONAL INFORMATION ON THE ITEMS OF THE BALANCE SHEET

1. Cash and cash equivalents

·	Ending balance	Beginning balance
Cash on hand	229,034,226	363,212,296
Demand deposits in banks	94,765,397,413	39,320,463,357
Cash equivalents (Bank term deposits of which the principal maturity is from or under 3 months)	16,190,618,662	16,041,559,332
Total	111,185,050,301	55,725,234,985

2. Financial investments

2a. Held-to-maturity investments

These are term deposits in banks with the principal maturity from 6 to 12 months, the interest rates ranging from 1.9% to 5.5% per year, of which the carrying value is equal to their original costs.

2b. Investments in other entities

	Ending balance		Beginning	balance
	Original cost	Provision	Original cost	Provision
Nghe An Tea Corporation JSC. ("Nghe An Tea")	13,790,916,000	(384,042,920)	13,790,916,000	(278,475,174)

As at 31 December 2024, the Company owned 345,181 shares, with a face value of VND 10,000 per share, equivalent to 10.1% of Nghe An Tea's charter capital.

Fair value

Shares of Nghe An Tea (ticker symbol: CNA, listed on UPCOM) have no transactions within 30 days prior to the balance sheet date; therefore, the Company has no information on fair value of this investment.

Provisions for long-term financial investments

The provision amount is calculated based on the audited Financial Statements for the fiscal year ended 31 December 2023 of Nghe An Tea.

	Current year	Previous year
Beginning balance	278,475,174	-
Additional provision	105,567,746	278,475,174
Ending balance	384,042,920	278,475,174



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3. Short-term trade receivables

Ending balance	Beginning balance
4,528,116,191	5,512,048,813
15,367,331,744	14,870,652,370
19,895,447,935	20,382,701,183
	15,367,331,744

4. Short-term prepayments to suppliers

	Ending balance	Beginning balance
Loc Toan Construction Co., Ltd.	86,435,500	865,653,755
CDT Consulting and Technology Transfer Co., Ltd.	1,343,419,000	, -
Other suppliers	5,619,358,310	7,624,624,867
Total	7,049,212,810	8,490,278,622

5. Other receivables

5a. Other short-term receivables

	Ending balance		Beginning	g balance
	Value	Allowance	Value	Allowance
Accrued interest income of term deposits	510,173,876	_	1,408,707,897	-
Advances	7,357,717,533	(616,038,012)	7,242,414,874	(616,038,012)
Land use right revoked as per Decision No. 297/QD-UBND (i)	5,690,610,000	-	5,690,610,000	-
Other short-term receivables	1,718,385,040	(765,299,128)	1,613,397,644	(765,299,128)
Total	15,276,886,449	(1,384,361,240)	15,955,130,415	(1,384,361,240)

Land use right of the 1,218.4 m² area in Truong Thi Ward, Vinh City, Nghe An Province used for developing the social housing project, was revoked under Decision No. 297/QD-UBND dated 27 July 2021 by the People's Committee of Nghe An Province. Currently, the Company has been working with the People's Committee of Nghe An Province to reach an agreement on a compensation plan.

5b. Other long-term receivables

These are long-term deposits.

6. Doubtful debts

	Ending balance		Beginniı	ng balance
	Value	Allowance	Value	Allowance
Trade receivables	15,367,331,744	(15,172,468,200)	14,870,652,370	(14,870,652,370)
People's Committee of Thanh Tuong Commune	1,309,272,998	(1,309,272,998)	1,309,272,998	(1,309,272,998)
Ba Ha Lake Project	2,197,138,000	(2,197,138,000)	2,197,138,000	(2,197,138,000)
Rural Water Supply System of Don Phuc Commune, Con Cuong District	704,000,000	(704,000,000)	704,000,000	(704,000,000)
Program 134 Project Management Unit of Con Cuong District	1,004,529,000	(1,004,529,000)	1,004,529,000	(1,004,529,000)

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	Ending balance		Beginni	ng balance
	Value	Allowance	Value	Allowance
Construction Investment Project Management Unit of Que Phong District	3,069,641,000	(3,069,641,000)	3,069,641,000	(3,069,641,000)
People's Committee of Quan Hanh Town	768,819,000	(768,819,000)	768,819,000	(768,819,000)
People's Committee of Nghi Kim Commune, Nghi Loc District	1,554,035,000	(1,554,035,000)	1,554,035,000	(1,554,035,000)
Other organizations and individuals	4,759,896,746	(4,565,033,202)	4,528,283,935	(4,263,217,372)
Other receivables	1,384,361,240	(1,384,361,240)	1,384,361,240	(1,384,361,240)
Ms. Ho Thi Lien	302,237,000	(302,237,000)	302,237,000	(302,237,000)
Other organizations and individuals	1,082,124,240	(1,082,124,240)	1,082,124,240	(1,082,124,240)
Prepayments to suppliers	1,175,999,164	(1,175,999,164)	1,175,999,164	(1,175,999,164)
Dai Hung Construction and Trading JSC.	311,700,000	(311,700,000)	311,700,000	(311,700,000)
Vinh City Suburban Water Supply Project Management Unit	214,239,329	(214,239,329)	214,239,329	(214,239,329)
Nghe An Department of Finance	309,668,000	(309,668,000)	309,668,000	(309,668,000)
Other long-term receivables	340,391,835	(340,391,835)	340,391,835	(340,391,835)
Total	17,927,692,148	(17,732,828,604)	17,431,012,774	(17,431,012,774)

Fluctuations in allowance for doubtful debts during the year are as follows:

	Current year_	Previous year
Beginning balance	17,431,012,774	16,565,739,816
Additional allowance	311,132,780	865,604,758
Reversal of allowance	(9,316,950)	(331,800)
Ending balance	17,732,828,604	17,431,012,774

7. Inventories

	Ending bal	lance	Beginning l	balance
	Original cost	Allowance	Original cost	Allowance
Materials and supplies	63,695,186,093	-	91,725,870,455	-
Tools	9,059,223,655	-	7,347,566,504	-
Work in progress	26,215,230		26,215,230	_
Total	72,780,624,978	· -	99,099,652,189	-

8. Long-term prepaid expenses

	Ending balance	Beginning balance
Expenses for tools	2,823,421,992	5,075,679,201
Expenses for fixed asset repairs	2,280,404,584	2,362,779,098
Other long-term prepaid expenses	287,273,315	736,366,547
Total	5,391,099,891	8,174,824,846

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9. Tangible fixed assets

	Buildings and structures	Machinery and equipment	Vehicles	Office equipment	Other fixed assets	Total
Historical costs						
Beginning balance	619,852,557,277	110,378,807,451	552,491,567,923	572,975,000	4,239,669,084	1,287,535,576,735
Completed construction	6,747,998,396		44,393,016,624		-	51,141,015,020
Ending balance	626,600,555,673	110,378,807,451	596,884,584,547	572,975,000	4,239,669,084	1,338,676,591,755
In which: Assets fully						
depreciated but still in use	54,828,482,184	104,434,744,527	48,011,700,114	572,975,000	4,239,669,084	212,087,570,909
Assets waiting for liquidation	85,383,184,281	30,792,641,373	87,046,513,226	-	-	203,222,338,880
Depreciation						
Beginning balance	288,644,632,325	108,219,442,143	348,383,271,491	572,975,000	3,928,360,296	749,748,681,255
Depreciation during the year	50,665,682,524	927,114,512	58,792,629,865		311,308,788	110,696,735,689
Ending balance	339,310,314,849	109,146,556,655	407,175,901,356	572,975,000	4,239,669,084	860,445,416,944
Net book value						
Beginning balance	331,207,924,952	2,159,365,308	204,108,296,432	_	311,308,788	537,786,895,480
Ending balance	287,290,240,824	1,232,250,796	189,708,683,191	_	_	478,231,174,811
In which:						
Assets temporarily r	ot in use -	-	-	-	-	-
Assets waiting for liquidation (*)	18,976,498,145	319,106,209	4,520,512,637	-	-	23,816,116,991

^(*) Pursuant to Decision No. 05/QD-HDQT dated 2 July 2024, the Company publicly announced to investors the sale of assets through competitive bidding for 10 water supply stations (Anh Son, Con Cuong, Do Luong, Ky Son, Nam Dan, Quy Chau, Quy Hop, Tan Ky, Thanh Chuong, and Tung Duong), along with the rights of exploitation, operation, and water supply areas. The deadline for interested investors to submit their bids was 6 September 2024. The Company made the second announcement as per Decision No. 55/TB-CNNA dated 21 February 2025, extending the bid submission deadline to 3:00 PM on 2 April 2025.

Some tangible fixed assets with the net book value of VND 236,774,018,041 have been pledged as collateral for the Company's bank loans (Note V.17).

10. Intangible fixed assets

This is the Company's management software. Details are as follows:

	Historical cost	Accumulated amortization	Net book value
Beginning balance	518,800,000	(430,837,808)	87,962,192
Amortization during the year	-	(23,994,050)	(23,994,050)
Ending balance	518,800,000	(454,831,858)	63,968,142
In which:			
Assets temporarily not in use	280,800,000	-	=
Assets waiting for liquidation	-	-	-

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11. Construction-in-progress

	Beginning balance	Expenses incurred during the year	Transferred to fixed assets during the year	Transferred to prepaid expenses/ expenses	Ending balance
Installation of DN500/DN300 cast-iron pipeline along the transportation route connecting Vinh and Cua Lo	2,731,489,614	22,780,679,1541	(25,512,168,768)	-	-
Repair and renovation of Anh Son Water Plant	4,387,677,947	1,843,695,085	(6,231,373,032)	-	-
Installation of D400 cast-iron pipeline connecting Quan Hanh pumping station, Nghi Loc District	4,045,141,939		(4,045,141,939)	-	-
Additional installation of D300 cast-iron pipeline to supply water to the people of Hung Hoa Commune	6,317,617,978	1,619,935,064	(7,937,553,042)	-	-
Installation of DN300 cast-iron pipeline along the east side of Phong Dinh Cang Road		2,607,291,767	-	-	2,607,291,767
Other projects	8,412,215,605	14,043,264,678	(7,414,778,239)	(11,357,395,634)	3,683,306,410
Total	25,894,143,083	42,894,865,748	(51,141,015,020)	(11,357,395,634)	6,290,598,177

12. Short-term trade payables

	Ending balance	Beginning balance
The South Nghe An Water Resources Limited Company	13,006,980,000	9,829,890,000
Vinh Urban Management and Development JSC.	13,994,375,149	12,017,629,641
Other suppliers	27,048,262,342	36,503,718,114
Total	54,049,617,491	58,351,237,755
The Company has no overdue trade payables.		

13. Short-term advances from customers

Ending balance	Beginning balance
618,455,000	-
3,423,469,227	5,802,999,251
4,041,924,227	5,802,999,251
	618,455,000 3,423,469,227

14. Taxes and other obligations to the State Budget

_	Beginning balance		Incurred during the year		Ending balance	
	Payable	Receivable	Amount payable	Amount already paid	Payable	Receivable
Corporate income tax	-	441,152,136	739,132,378	-	297,980,242	-
Personal income tax	105,300,230	-	285,052,275	(190,652,505)	199,700,000	-
Natural resource tax	9,976,730	-	128,460,449	(130,739,560)	7,697,619	-
Environmental protection tax	300,236,576	-	4,090,874,681	(4,067,599,455)	323,511,802	-
Land rental, non- agricultural land tax	-	-	170,513,270	(173,910,648)	-	3,397,378
Fee for acquiring water exploitation right	-	. .	51,259,697	(51,259,697)	-	. •
License duty			16,000,000	(16,000,000)		
Total	415,513,536	441,152,136	5,481,292,750	(4,630,161,865)	828,889,663	3,397,378

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Value added tax ("VAT")

The Company has to pay VAT in accordance with the deduction method. The VAT rates applied are as follows:

- Clean water supply

5%

- Other services

8% and 10%

Corporate income tax ("CIT")

The Company has to pay CIT for taxable income at the rate of 20%.

Estimated CIT payable during the year is as follows:

	Current year	Previous year
Total accounting profit before tax	3,678,175,417	4,314,419,585
Increases/ (decreases) of accounting profit to determine income subject to tax:	17,486,471	120,527,675
- Increases (non-deductible expenses)	17,486,471	120,527,675
- Decreases		
Taxable income	3,695,661,888	4,434,947,260
CIT rate	20%	20%
CIT payable	739,132,378	886,989,452
Adjustments of CIT of the previous years	-	662,231,689
CIT to be paid	739,132,378	1,549,221,141

The determination of the Company's CIT liability is based on the prevailing regulations on taxes. However, these regulations may change from time to time and regulations applicable to variety of transactions can be interpreted differently. Therefore, the tax amount presented in the Financial Statements could change when being inspected by the Tax Office.

Natural resource tax

The Company has to pay natural resource tax imposed on its mineral exploitation activities as follows:

Minerals	<u>Taxable price per unit</u> <u>of natural resources</u>	Tax rate
- Surface water	VND 2,000/m ³	1%
- Groundwater	VND 5,000/m ³	5%

Environmental protection tax

The Company has to pay environmental protection tax imposed on its domestic wastewater and gas emission, at a rate of 10% of the selling price per 1m³ of clean water, excluding VAT.

Other taxes

The Company declares and pays these taxes according to prevailing regulations.

15. Short-term accrued expenses

	Ending balance	Beginning balance
Accrued loan interest expenses	1,358,849,959	1,723,719,967
Payments for forest environmental services (PFES)	426,227,568	393,514,732
Other short-term accrued expenses	1,550,803,817	1,140,441,802
Total	3,335,881,344	3,257,676,501



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16. Other short-term payables

Ending balance	Beginning balance
211,384,042	210,867,142
18,523,415	51,891,398
14,300,000	14,300,000
816,410,447	603,759,635
238,428,348	266,756,727
156,964,577	231,237,538
-	99,239,825,685
5,934,861,625	4,630,321,267
7,390,872,454	105,248,959,392
	18,523,415 14,300,000 816,410,447 238,428,348 156,964,577 - 5,934,861,625

17. Borrowings

17a. Short-term borrowings

These are the current portions of long-term loans (Note V.17b), including:

	Ending balance	Beginning balance
Ministry of Finance - Vinh Project	9,552,093,004	9,552,093,004
Vietnam Development Bank ("VDB") – Nghe An Branch - Vinh City Suburban Water Supply Project	17,033,174,552	17,033,174,552
Vietnam Development Bank ("VDB") – Nghe An Branch - Water Loss Reduction Project	76,321,087	81,636,517
Total	26,661,588,643	26,666,904,073

The Company has solvency to repay current portions of long-term loans.

Details of increases/ (decreases) in current portions of long-term loans during the year are as follows:

	Current year	Previous year
Beginning balance	26,666,904,073	26,666,035,235
Transfer from long-term loans	26,667,143,517	26,671,302,244
Amount of loans repaid in the year	(26,672,458,947)	(26,670,433,406)
Total	26,661,588,643	26,666,904,073

17b. Long-term borrowings

	Ending balance	Beginning balance
Ministry of Finance - Vinh Project (i)	14,178,736,991	23,730,829,995
Vietnam Development Bank ("VDB") – Nghe An		
Branch - Vinh City Suburban Water Supply	110,715,634,604	127,748,809,156
Project (ii)		
Vietnam Development Bank ("VDB") – Nghe An Branch - Water Loss Reduction Project (iii)	1,131,065,041	1,212,941,002
Total	126,025,436,636	152,692,580,153

The Company has solvency to repay long-term borrowings.

This is the unsecured loan under Subsidiary Loan Agreement dated 28 August 1997 between the Ministry of Finance and Nghe An Province Water Supply and Drainage Company (now known as Nghe An Water Supply Joint Stock Company); and Amendment Annex to Subsidiary Loan Agreement dated 28 April 2008. The loan is repaid within 25 years, with a 5-year grace period starting from the first disbursement date (20 March 2002). The interest rate under the amended Agreement is 5% per year.



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- (ii) The ODA Loan Agreement dated 27 September 2011 between VDB Nghe An Branch and Nghe An Water Supply One-Member Co., Ltd. (now known as Nghe An Water Supply Joint Stock Company) is to finance the Vinh City Suburban Water Supply Project. Loan principal and interest are repaid in two installments annually on 15 June and 15 December. Total loan amount under the agreement is EUR 10,272,000; and the loan and debt are denominated in Vietnamese Dong. Annual foreign exchange differences are recorded by the Company as additions to the loan principal. The re-lending interest rates applied to the outstanding loan balance are as follow: 3.2% per year for 70% of the total loan amount, and 5.3% per year for the remaining 30% of loan amount. Collateral is all assets financed by the loan from the Finnish Government.
- This is the loan under Subsidiary Loan Agreement dated 9 July 2013 between the Ministry of Finance and Nghe An Water Supply One-Member Co., Ltd. (now known as Nghe An Water Supply Joint Stock Company) regarding the utilization of Loan No. 2691 VIE and OCR Loan No. 3251 from the Asian Development Bank ("ADB"). The outstanding balance as of the balance sheet date is the loan commitment fee payable of USD 50,822.97. Up to now, the loan has not been disbursed, and the Company has been currently submitting a request to the Ministry of Finance to cancel this loan.

Repayment schedule of long-term borrowings is as follows:

	Ending balance	Beginning balance
From or under 1 year	26,661,588,643	26,666,904,073
Over 1 year to 5 years	83,442,500,240	93,076,469,205
Over 5 years	42,582,936,396	59,616,110,948
Total	152,687,025,279	179,359,484,226

Details of increases/ (decreases) in long-term borrowings are as follows:

	Current year	Previous year
Beginning balance	152,692,580,153	179,345,706,355
Foreign exchange differences	-	18,176,042
Transfer to current portions of long-term loans	(26,667,143,517)	(26,671,302,244)
Ending balance	126,025,436,636	152,692,580,153

The Company has no overdue borrowings.

18. Short-term provisions

	Ending balance	Beginning balance
Provision for raw water charges	120,901,582,998	107,071,396,298

The payable for raw water charges from 1 February 2021 to 31 December 2024 is presented in the item "Short-term provisions", determined based on the amount of raw water supplied for production and the provisional unit price.

19. Bonus and welfare funds

	Beginning	Increase due to	To Produce to the
	<u>balance</u>	appropriation from profit	Ending balance
Bonus fund	1,852,963,843	1,244,339,300	3,097,303,143
Welfare fund	38,536,231	-	38,536,231
Executive Officers' bonus fund	284,327		284,327
Total	1,891,784,401	1,244,339,300	3,136,123,701

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20. Owner's equity

20a. Statement of changes in owner's equity

, ,	Owner's contribution capital	Investment and development fund	Retained earnings	Total
Beginning balance of the previous year	373,859,830,000	1,193,463,427	4,834,947,602	379,888,241,029
Profit of the previous year	-	-	2,765,198,444	2,765,198,444
Appropriation for funds	-	1,692,231,661	(2,417,473,801)	(725,242,140)
Dividends declared	-	-	(2,417,473,801)	(2,417,473,801)
Other sources of capital	-	65,686,747		65,686,747
Ending balance of the previous year	373,859,830,000	2,951,381,835	2,765,198,444	379,576,410,279
Beginning balance of the current year	373,859,830,000	2,951,381,835	2,765,198,444	379,576,410,279
Profit of the current year	-	-	2,939,043,039	2,939,043,039
Appropriation for funds		1,520,859,144	(2,765,198,444)	(1,244,339,300)
Ending balance of the current year	373,859,830,000	4,472,240,979	2,939,043,039	381,271,114,018

20b. Details of owner's contribution capital

	Ending balance	Beginning balance
People's Committee of Nghe An Province	142,278,360,000	142,278,360,000
Song Con Sugar JSC.	103,419,400,000	103,419,400,000
Other shareholders	128,162,070,000	128,162,070,000
Total	373,859,830,000	373,859,830,000

20c. Shares

<u> </u>	Ending balance	Beginning balance
Number of ordinary shares registered to be issued	37,385,983	37,385,983
Number of ordinary shares already issued	37,385,983	37,385,983
Number of outstanding ordinary shares	37,385,983	37,385,983

Face value per outstanding share: VND 10,000.

20d. Profit distribution

During the year, the Company distributed its profit in accordance with the Resolution of 2024 Annual General Meeting of Shareholders No. 01/NQ-DHDCD dated 20 April 2024 as follows:

VND

Appropriation for investment and development fund
 Appropriation for bonus and welfare funds
 1,520,859,144
 1,244,339,300

VI. ADDITIONAL INFORMATION ON THE ITEMS OF THE INCOME STATEMENT

1. Revenue from sales of merchandise and rendering of services

1a. Gross revenue

	Current year	Previous year
Revenue from sales of clean water	319,342,981,739	298,632,642,497
Revenue from construction and installation	8,919,116,723	6,072,642,701
Other revenue	1,481,388,778	1,415,433,032
Total	329,743,487,240	306,120,718,230

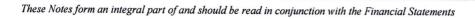
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2.	Costs of sales		
	_	Current year	Previous year
	Costs of sales of clean water	246,164,364,748	230,397,173,990
	Costs of construction and installation	2,653,753,571	3,208,135,102
	Total =	248,818,118,319	233,605,309,092
3.	Financial income		
	_	Current year	Previous year
	Interests from demand deposits in banks	81,367,195	63,542,186
	Interests from term deposits in banks	1,865,630,049	5,858,654,145
	Exchange gain arising from transactions in foreign currencies	-	576,186,375
	Total	1,946,997,244	6,498,382,706
4.	Financial expenses		
	_	Current year	Previous year
•	Interest expenses	8,295,512,540	10,313,566,842
	Exchange loss arising from transactions in foreign currencies	-	743,452,634
	Exchange loss due to revaluation of monetary items in foreign currencies	-	18,176,042
	Provision of diminution in value of trading securities and impairment of investments	105,567,746	278,475,174
	Other financial expenses		29,338
	Total =	8,401,080,286	11,353,700,030
5.	Selling expenses		
	_	Current year	Previous year
	Labor costs	14,792,310,600	17,577,743,800
	Expenses for tools	173,941,516	138,218,155
	Other expenses	1,886,951,263	1,445,359,034
•	Total =	16,853,203,379	19,161,320,989
í.	General and administration expenses		
		Current year	Previous year
	Labor costs (*)	38,166,887,274	30,216,180,990
	Materials and supplies	179,856,204	24,142,771
	Office supplies	3,083,352,218	5,470,531,151
	Depreciation/amortization of fixed assets	2,588,147,064	1,994,558,350
	Taxes, fees and legal fees	21,622,409	171,963,891
	Allowance for doubtful debts	301,815,830	865,272,958
	Expenses for external services	3,577,120,935	5,354,088,949
		6,190,703,792	3,729,391,048
	Other expenses Total	54,109,505,726	47,826,130,108



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7. Other income

	Current year	Previous year
Compensation for site clearance	_	3,382,279,727
Income from compensation for site clearance	-	7,946,637,000
Expenses incurred	-	(4,564,357,273)
Compensation received	268,795,999	152,997,847
Proceeds from sales of scraps	-	171,990,000
Other income	193,455,924	316,533,933
Total	462,251,923	4,023,801,507

8. Other expenses

	Current year	Previous year
Compensation expenses	156,297,800	
Tax fines and tax collected in arrears	17,486,471	70,904,076
Fines for administrative violations	16,976,822	50,000,000
Other expenses	101,299,520	260,956,372
Total	292,060,613	381,860,448

9. Earnings per share ("EPS")

9a. Basic/diluted EPS

	Current year	Previous year
Accounting profit after corporate income tax	2,939,043,039	2,765,198,444
Increases/ (decreases) in accounting profit used to		
determine profit distributed to ordinary equity	(440,856,456)	(1,244,339,300)
holders		
Appropriation for bonus and welfare funds (i)	(440,856,456)	(1,244,339,300)
Profit used to calculate basic/diluted EPS	2,498,186,583	1,520,859,144
Weighted average number of ordinary shares outstanding during the year	37,385,983	37,385,983
Basic/diluted EPS	67	41
-		

⁽i) For the purpose of determining the "Basic EPS" item of the current year, the bonus and welfare funds were calculated at a rate of 15% of profit after tax for the current year. This rate was determined based on the rate of 2023.

The basic EPS of the previous year was recalculated due to the deduction of the appropriation for bonus and welfare funds according to the Resolution of 2024 Annual Meetings of General Shareholders. This recalculation made the basic EPS of the previous year decrease from VND 63 to VND 41.

9b. Other information

There have not been any transactions of ordinary shares or potential transactions of ordinary shares from the balance sheet date to the disclosure date of these Financial Statements.

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10. Operating costs by factors

	Current year	Previous year
Materials and supplies	64,932,588,389	75,921,739,206
Labor costs	84,740,289,199	75,289,263,450
Depreciation/amortization of fixed assets	110,720,729,739	51,898,154,221
Expenses for external services	49,430,563,647	56,691,287,349
Other expenses	9,956,656,450	9,361,160,109
Total	319,780,827,424	269,161,604,335

VII. ADDITIONAL INFORMATION ON THE ITEMS OF THE CASH FLOW STATEMENT

Non-cash transactions

_	Current year	Previous year
Interests from term deposits added to principal	2,049,625,288	5,874,514,303

VII. OTHER DISCLOSURES

1. Transactions and balances with the related parties

The related parties of the Company include the key managers, their related individuals and other related parties.

1a. Transactions and balances with the key managers and their related individuals

The key managers include the Board of Directors ("BOD"), the Board of Supervisors ("BOS"), the Board of Management ("BOM") and the Chief Accountant. The key managers' related individuals are their close family members.

The Company has no transactions or balances with the key managers and their related individuals.

Compensation of the key managers

	Position	Salary	Allowance	Bonus	Total compensation
Current year					compensation
Mr. Nguyen Ba Quy	BOD Chairman		180,000,000	50,000,000	230,000,000
Mr. Trinh Van Thang	BOD Member	-	90,000,000	50,000,000	140,000,000
Mr. Le Dinh Hoan	Assistant of General Director cum BOD Member	299,692,000	60,000,000	107,825,000	467,517,000
Ms. Vo Thi Thin	Head of BOS	218,868,000	-	59,018,000	277,886,000
Ms. Le Thi Kim Oanh	BOS Member	-	36,000,000	10,000,000	46,000,000
Ms. Nguyen Thi Ngan	BOS Member (resigned on 20 April 2024)	-	15,000,000	10,000,000	25,000,000
Ms. Nguyen Thi Thanh Chau	BOS Member (appointed on 20 April 2024)	, -	21,000,000	-	21,000,000
Mr. Hoang Van Hai	General Director	454,658,000	-	128,012,000	582,670,000
Mr. Nguyen Van Ha	Deputy General Director	436,416,000	-	126,315,000	562,731,000
Ms. Tran Thi Lan Anh	Chief Accountant	222,878,000		59,615,000	282,493,000
Total		1,632,512,000	402,000,000	600,785,000	2,635,297,000

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	Position	Salary	Allowance	Bonus	Total compensation
Previous year					
Mr. Nguyen Ba Quy	BOD Chairman	=	175,000,000	71,600,000	246,600,000
Mr. Trinh Van Thang	BOD Member		87,500,000	50,000,000	137,500,000
Mr. Le Dinh Hoan	Assistant of General Director cum BOD Member	314,407,000	57,500,000	109,843,000	481,750,000
Ms. Vo Thi Thin	Head of BOS	214,680,000	-	53,608,000	268,288,000
Ms. Le Thi Kim Oanh	BOS Member	-	35,000,000	10,000,000	45,000,000
Ms. Nguyen Thi Ngar	BOS Member	-	35,000,000	10,000,000	45,000,000
Mr. Hoang Van Hai	General Director	429,900,000		125,842,000	555,742,000
Mr. Nguyen Van Ha	Deputy General Director	422,687,000		120,765,000	543,452,000
Ms. Tran Thi Lan Anh	Chief Accountant	216,691,000		53,827,000	270,518,000
Total		1,598,365,000	390,000,000	605,485,000	2,593,850,000

1b. Transactions and balances with other related parties

Other related parties of the Company include:

Name	Relationship		
People's Committee of Nghe An Province	Major shareholder		
Song Con Sugar JSC.	Major shareholder		

The Company has no transactions or balances with other related parties during the year (in the previous year, the Company only had the transactions related to dividends declared to the People's Committee of Nghe An Province and Song Con Sugar JSC., amounting to VND 910,581,504 and VND 661,884,160, respectively).

2. Segment information

The Company does not present segment reporting, as it primarily operates in a single business segment of supplying clean water and in a single geographical area of the Vietnamese territory.

3. Changes in accounting estimates

During the year, the Company's Board of Management changed the depreciation period of tangible fixed assets (Note IV.8). The Board of Management believes that the new depreciation period more accurately reflected the efficiency of the Company's use of fixed assets. Had the previous depreciation period been applied, the depreciation expenses for the current year would have decreased by VND 40,465,925,481.

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4. Subsequent events

There have been no material events after the balance sheet date, which require to make adjustments on the figures or to be disclosed in the Financial Statements.

Prepared on 31 March 2025

Prepared by

Chief Accountant

General Director

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