#### ANNEX IV ANNUAL REPORT

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## QUANG NGAI AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS AND FOODSTUFF JSC

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#### **ANNUAL REPORT 2024**

To: - SSC (State Securities Commission);

- Vietnam Exchange.

#### I. General information

#### 1. Overview information

- Trade name:
- + Vietnamese name: QUANG NGAI AGRICULTURAL AND FOOD JOINT STOCK COMPANY
- + English name: Quang Ngai Agricultural Products and Foodstuff Joint Stock Company.
  - + Abbreviation: APFCO
  - Enterprise Registration Certificate No. 4300321643 issued by the Business Registration Office Department of Planning and Investment of Quang Ngai Province, initially registered on December 26, 2003, and amended for the 29th time on September 19, 2024.
  - Charter Capital: VND 297,705,780,000 (Two hundred ninety-seven billion, seven hundred five million, seven hundred eighty dong)
  - Address: 48 Pham Xuan Hoa Street, Tran Hung Dao Ward, Quang Ngai City, Quang Ngai Province.
  - Telephone: (0255) 33827308; 3822529
  - Email: apfco@apfco.com.vn
  - Website: <u>www.apfco.com.vn</u> and <u>www.apfco.vn</u>
  - Stock Code: APF
  - Formation and Development Process: Quang Ngai Agricultural Products and Foodstuff Joint Stock Company was established based on the equitization of the state-owned enterprise Quang Ngai Agricultural Products and Foodstuff Company, under Decision No. 252/QĐ-UB dated December 25, 2003, issued by the People's Committee of Quang Ngai Province.

2004: Commenced operations of the investment project to build Son Hai tapioca starch factory (currently Quang Ngai Tapioca Starch Factory – Facility 2).

- 2005: Acquired the Dak To Kon Tum tapioca starch factory.
- 2006: Commenced operations of the investment project to build Dong Xuan tapioca starch factory.
- 2008: Acquired the Tan Chau Tay Ninh tapioca starch factory and Quang Ngai Market.
- 2012: Commenced operations of the investment project to build Dak To ethanol factory. Invested in building the Se Pon tapioca starch processing factory in Laos.
- 2013: Acquired and commenced operations of the An Khe tapioca starch factory.
- 2014: Acquired and established a subsidiary: Kontum Tapioca Starch Co., Ltd. Took over and completed the investment in Se Pon Tapioca Processing Co., Ltd (a one-member limited liability company) in Laos; handed over Quang Ngai Market to the Quang Ngai City People's Committee.
- 2015: Established subsidiaries: Khanh Duong Tapioca Starch Co., Ltd. in Dak Lak and Gensun Tapioca Starch Co., Ltd. in Dak Nong.
- 2016: Acquired and established Dak Song Tapioca Starch Factory and Dong Phu Tapioca Starch Factory.
- 2017: Contributed capital to establish Tay Nguyen Agricultural Products Co., Ltd.
- 2019: Contributed capital to establish EaKar Tapioca Starch Joint Stock Company.
- 2021: Acquired 100% ownership of Dak Nong Tapioca Starch Co., Ltd.
- 2022: Established Attapue Tapioca Starch Processing One-Member Co., Ltd.
- 2023: Established Taoy Tapioca Starch Processing One-Member Co., Ltd.
- 2024: Established Pathoumphone Tapioca Starch Processing One-Member Co., Ltd.

#### 2. Business lines and business areas:

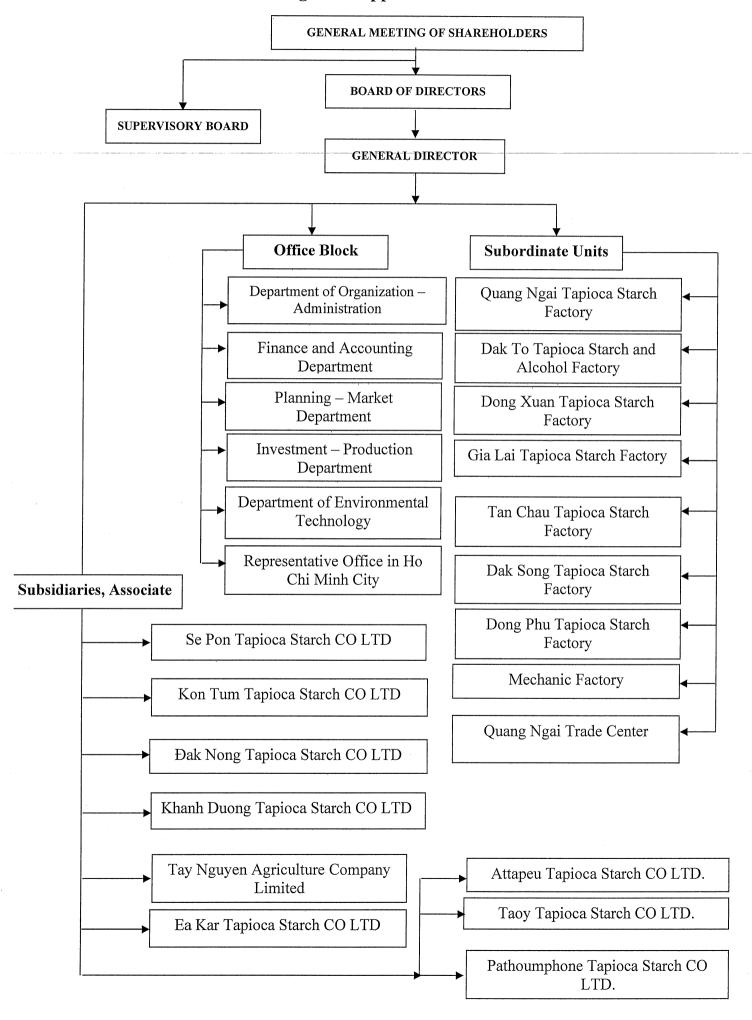
- a. Business scope:
- Production and trading of cassava starch (wheat starch of all kinds);
- Production and trading of post-starch products (modified starch, ethanol alcohol);
  - Production and trading of food alcohol;
  - b. Business area:
  - a) Domestically:
  - Quang Ngai Province:
    - + Quang Ngai Wheat Starch Factory Campus 1;
    - + Quang Ngai Wheat Starch Factory Campus 2;
    - + Mechanical workshops;
    - + Quang Ngai Market Commercial Center;

- Phu Yen province: Dong Xuan cassava starch production plant;
- Gia Lai Province:
  - + Gia Lai Tapioca Starch Factory Campus 1;
  - + Gia Lai Tapioca Starch Factory Campus 2;
- Kon Tum Province:
  - + Dak To Cassava Alcohol and Starch Factory;
  - + Kon Tum Tapioca Starch Co., Ltd.;
- Dak Lak Province:
  - + Khanh Duong Dak Lak Trading Co., Ltd.:
  - + Central Highlands Agricultural Products Co., Ltd.;
  - + Eakar Cassava Starch Joint Stock Company;
- Dak Nong Province:
  - + Dak Song tapioca starch factory;
  - + Dak Nong Tapioca Starch Co., Ltd.;
- Dong Phu Province: Dong Phu Tapioca Starch Factory;
- Tay Ninh Province: Tan Chau Tapioca Starch Production Plant;
- Ho Chi Minh City: Representative Office;
- b) Foreigners of the Lao People's Democratic Republic:
- Savannakhet Province: Sepon Tapioca Starch Processing Company Limited;
- Attapeu Province: Attapeu Tapioca Starch Processing Company Limited;
- Salavan Province: Taoy Tapioca Flour Processing Company Limited;
- Champasack Province: Pathoumphone Tapioca Flour Processing Company Limited.

## 3. Information on the governance model, business organization and management apparatus

- 3.1 Governance model.
  - General Meeting of Shareholders.
  - Board of Directors.
  - Supervisory Board.
  - Board of General Directors.

#### 3.2 Structure of the management apparatus:



3.3 Subsidiaries & Associate Companies:

ТТ	Company Name	Address	Business Scope	Contribution ratio
1	Se Pon Tapioca Starch CO LTD	Oa-Lay amlet, Sepone district, Savannakhet province, Laos	Tapioca Starch Processing	100%
2	Dak Nong Tapioca Starch CO LTD	Hamlet 12, Nhon Co commune, Dak R'Lap district, DakNong province	Tapioca Starch Processing	100%
3	Kontum Tapioca Starch CO LTD	Xa Binh commune, Sa Thay district, Kon Tum province	Tapioca Starch Processing	51%
4	Khanh Duong Tapioca Starch CO LTD	Hamlet 3, Krong Jin commune, M'Drak district, Dak Lak province	Tapioca Starch Processing	70%
5	Tay Nguyen Agriculture Company Limited	Hamlet 2, Ea Kiet commune, Cu M'gar district, DakLak province	Tapioca Starch Processing	20%
6	Ea Kar Tapioca Starch CO LTD	Hamlet 9, Easar commune, Eakar district, DakLak province	Tapioca Starch Processing	51%
7	Attapeu Tapioca Starch CO LTD	Yaihuamuong Hamlet, Samakkhixay district, Attapeu province, Laos	Tapioca Starch Processing	100%
8	Taoy Tapioca Starch CO LTD.	Pangandao Hamlet, Taoy District, Salavan provinces, Laos	Tapioca Starch Processing	100%
9	Pathoumphone Tapioca Starch CO LTD	Paktuay Hamlet, Pathoumphone District, Champasack province, Laos	Tapioca Starch Processing	100%

## 4. Development orientation:

## \* Main objectives of the Company:

- Producing and supplying to domestic and foreign markets cassava starch, physically modified starch, modified starch of all kinds and food alcohol to ensure food safety and hygiene standards and increasing requirements of customers.
- To apply appropriate technology and equipment, continuously train human resources and apply advanced management solutions to reduce product costs, bring efficiency and economic benefits to investors, cassava farmers and laborers, and well implement the State's tax policies.

## \* Medium- and long-term development strategy:

- To continue to promote production and business activities, focus on investing in human and financial resources to expand the market, renovate technology and equipment to improve the quality of cassava starch, modified starch and food alcohol, and strive to become one of the leading producers and suppliers of cassava starch in the region.

- Producing modified starch is the Company's long-term direction to increase efficiency, increase value as well as competitiveness. Based on the market, specific customers invest in developing modified starch products to meet industrial and food needs.
- To increase the proportion of investment in the production and trading of cassava starch of all kinds in Laos.

## \* Environmental, social and community objectives of the Company.

- Determining that investment in environmental treatment is a social responsibility to ensure the sustainable development of the Company. Therefore, in recent years, the Company has invested in upgrading the wastewater treatment system according to advanced technology to treat all the wastewater generated in the production process of factories, ensuring that the wastewater after being treated will meet the requirements of the Regulation before being discharged into the environment; Investing in a pulp drying system in all factories of the whole Company, up to this point, all the residue generated in the production process is dried to supply animal feed production facilities.
- Always update new environmental treatment solutions for the immediate as well as long-term. Invest appropriate funds to solve environmental problems.
- To study and calculate the application of new technologies to save electricity and water in production and save land resources in environmental treatment.
  - Fulfill obligations to the community through contributions to social welfare.

#### 5. Risks:

#### \*World:

- The world situation continues to be complicated, the Russia-Ukraine war is prolonged, the Israel-Hamas conflict is unstable in the Middle East, the US tax policy... causing the world economy to slow down, global trade tends to decrease. The risk of global supply chain disruption, increasing logistics costs. Prices of commodities and agricultural and food products are volatile and difficult to forecast.
- China's economy is growing slowly, production and exports are declining. Besides, the price of corn is at a low level, so the demand and price of cassava starch tend to decrease.

#### \* Domestic:

- Costs: Electricity, wages, and transportation are all increasing.
- Cassava raw material areas in Vietnam, Thailand and Cambodia have all decreased production, increasing domestic competition for raw materials. The raw material area of Southern Laos is likely to increase in area and output in the next season.

## II. Operation situation in the year

#### 1. Production and business activities:

1.1 Main production and business indicators:

Indicator	Unit	Plan for 2024	Current 2024	Ratio %(AC/PL)
1. Total Revenue	Million VND	6.700.000	6.697.020	99,96
2. Profit after tax	Million VND	150.000	94.043	62,70

Indicator	Unit	Plan for 2024	Current 2024	Ratio %(AC/PL)
3. Depreciation	Million VND	100.000	87.027	87,03
4. Profit after tax of the	Million VND			66,48
parent company (CFS)		230.000	152.901	-
5. Consolidated depreciation	Million VND	145.000	139.002	95,86
6. Charter capital	Million VND	297.700	297.705	100,00
7. Dividends	Dong/Share	3.000-4.000		
8. Income (person/month)	1,000 VND	13.000	13.100	100,77
9. Tapioca starch products	MTS	540.000	549.390	101,74
9.1 Manufacturing Parent			287.888	94,39
Company:	MTS	305.000		ĺ
- Regular starch	MTS	220.000	213.382	96,99
- Modified starch	MTS	85.000	74.506	87,65
9.2 Subsidiaries,			261.502	111,28
Associate Company:	MTS	235.000		
10. Food grade Alcohol	m3	12.000	11.335	94,46

### 1.2 Evaluation of the implementation of the main targets:

- Profit of the parent company: reached 62.70% of the plan and 54.75% compared to the previous year; Consolidated profit: reached 66.48% of the plan and 89.58% compared to the previous year. The main reason is slow consumption, rapid decline in flour prices and a deep decline in cassava pulp selling prices, reducing profits in the last 6 months of the year.
- Tapioca starch output: Reaching 101.74% of the plan and reaching 116.14% compared to 2023, in the first 6 months of the year, the output was high, in the last 6 months of the year, factories in Kon Tum and Gia Lai areas had low output, so they did not meet the plan. Factories in Laos have met and exceeded the plan.

## 2. Organization and personnel:

#### 2.1 Board of Directors:

- Mr. Vo Van Danh .Chairm

,Chairman of the Board of Directors

- Mr. Tran Ngoc Hai

,Vice Chairman of the Board of Directors

- Mr. Dong Van Lap

,Member of the Board of Directors

- Mr. Le Ngoc Hinh

,Member

of the Board of Directors

- Mr. Nguyen Duc Thang

Member of the Board of Directors

#### 2.2 Board of Directors and Chief Accountant:

- Mr. Tran Ngoc Hai

General Director

- Mr. Dong Van Lap

Deputy General Director

- Mr. Le Ngoc Hinh

Deputy General Director

- Mr. Tran Duc Thach

Deputy General Director

- Mr. Pham Quoc Tau

,Chief Accountant

## 2.3 Supervisory Board:

- Mr. Pham Van Lam

,Head of the Supervisory Board

- Mr. Nguyen Thanh ,Member- Mr. Nguyen Van Thai ,Member

#### 2.4. List of Executive Board

## \* Mr. Tran Ngoc Hai

Date of birth : 01/01/1973

Permanent address : 180 Truong Quang Trong, Ho Chi Minh City

Qualifications : Bachelor of Economics

CCCD Number : 051073016877

Ethnicity : Sutra

Nationality : Vietnamese Contact Number : 0255 3822542

Current working position: Member of the Board of Directors, General

Director

Shareholding ratio : Owned: 613,399 shares, ratio: 2.06%

\* Mr. Dong Van Lap

Date of birth : 26/02/1976

Permanent address : Alley 581/26 Quang Trung, Ho Chi Minh City.

Qualification : Electrical Engineer

CCCD number : 051076013823

Ethnicity : Sutra

Nationality : Vietnamese Contact Phone : 0255 3819741

Current position : Member of the Board of Directors, Deputy

General Director

Shareholding ratio : Ownership: 263,518.0 shares, ratio: 0.89%

\* Mr. Le Ngoc Hinh

Date of birth : 10/8/1977

Permanent address : Duc Thanh, Mo Duc, Quang Ngai.

Qualification : Bachelor of Chemistry

ID number : 051077012004

Ethnicity : Sutra

Nationality : Vietnamese

Contact Phone : 0255 3722579

Current position : Member of the Board of Directors, Deputy

General Director

Shareholding ratio : Ownership: 500,000.0 shares, ratio: 1.68%

\* Mr. Tran Duc Thach

Date of birth : 20/5/1974

Permanent address : La Ha Town, Tu Nghia, Quang Ngai.

Oualifications : Bachelor of Economics

ID number : 051074007687

Ethnicity : Sutra

Nationality : Vietnamese

Contact Phone : 0255 38226952

Current working position: Deputy General Director

Shareholding ratio : Ownership: 351,601.0 shares, ratio: 1.18%

\* Mr. Pham Quoc Tau

Date of birth : 10/12/1979

Permanent address : Quang Phu Ward, Quang Ngai City, Quang

Ngai

Qualifications : Bachelor of Economics

ID number : 051079015908

Ethnicity : Sutra

Nationality : Vietnamese Contact Phone : 0255 3822529

Current working position: Chief Accountant

Shareholding ratio : Ownership: 119,477.0 shares, ratio: 0.4%

(Note: The number of shares owned is calculated at the time of closing the list on March 21, 2025).

### 2.5. Changes in the executive board in 2024: No changes

## 2.6. Number of employees:

The average number of employees employed by the whole company in 2024 is 1,452 employees, of which the parent company is 831 employees and subsidiaries are 621 employees.

## 2.7. Policies for employees:

- Working mode: Working time: On the basis of the general regime, the company organizes working 8 hours/day, 6 days/week. All employees of the Company are entitled to holidays, Tet and leave in accordance with the provisions of the Labor Law.
- Working conditions: The company is fully equipped with protective tools and equipment, complying with safety standards and requirements during labor and production.
- Training policy: With the goal of aiming for high specialized skills in all working departments, the company always supports and encourages employees to improve their professional capacity to ensure the best completion of tasks.
- Salary and bonus policy: Annually, the Board of Directors of the Company approves the salary unit price and implements the salary distribution policy in accordance with the characteristics of the industry, making maximum efforts to ensure that employees enjoy a salary commensurate with their contribution capacity. professional qualifications of each person.
- Welfare and employee care policies: The Company's leaders pay special attention to the welfare of employees, in addition to paying health insurance and social

insurance, the company also buys occupational accident insurance, the Company's leaders and the Executive Committee of the Trade Union regularly organize visits, encourage, subsidize and give gifts to employees' families when they encounter difficulties, tribulations or joy.

## 3. Investment situation and implementation of projects:

- a) Major investment projects:
- Investment in the Taoy Tapioca Flour Processing Plant Project, completed and put into use on schedule (09/2024) and achieved the project target.
- Take steps to prepare for investment in the Pathoumphone Tapioca Processing Plant Project with a capacity of 300 tons SP/day.
- Investing in upgrading the environmental treatment system at Dak Song Factory and Sepon Company; Invest in expanding finished product warehouses and waste storage warehouses in Sepon Company and Attapeu Company, meeting production requirements.
  - b) Subsidiaries and associated companies:

No.	Explain	Amount	Notes
I	Subsidiaries		
1	Se Pon Tapioca Starch Co., Ltd.		
a	Total assets	378.913.129.498	
	- Short-term assets	173.538.848.344	
	- Long-term assets	205.374.281.154	
b	Total Funding	378.913.129.498	
	- Liabilities	226.192.218.829	
	- Equity	152.720.910.669	
	+ In which: Owner's contributed capital	99.465.980.589	
С	Business indicators		
	- Total revenue	829.651.158.368	
	- Profit before tax	83.938.062.321	
	- Profit after tax	83.938.062.321	
2	Kon Tum Tapioca Starch Co., Ltd.		
a	Total assets	179.496.996.776	
	- Short-term assets	107.871.774.898	
	- Long-term assets	71.625.221.878	
b	Total Funding	179.496.996.776	
	- Liabilities	105.678.030.394	
	- Equity	73.818.966.382	
	+ In which: Investment capital of the owner	47.848.094.338	
С	Business indicators		
	- Total revenue	379.761.190.863	
	- Profit before tax	94.347.184	
	- Profit after tax	94.347.184	NAME OF TAXABLE PARTY.
3	Dak Nong Tapioca Starch Co., Ltd.		
a	Total assets	62.816.725.000	

No.	Explain	Amount	Notes
	- Short-term assets	45.634.754.029	
	- Long-term assets	17.181.970.971	
b	Total Funding	62.816.725.000	
	- Liabilities	34.955.088.549	
	- Equity	27.861.636.451	
	+ In which: Investment capital of the owner	18.577.322.573	
c	Business indicators	CONTRACTOR OF THE STATE OF THE	COMPANY AND DESCRIPTION OF THE PARTY.
	- Total revenue	193.969.627.851	
	- Profit before tax	4.419.643.798	
	- Profit after tax	4.415.098.343	
4	Khanh Duong Tapioca Starch Co., Ltd.		
a	Total assets	165.745.638.576	
	- Short-term assets	100.815.125.918	
	- Long-term assets	64.930.512.658	
b	Total Funding	165.745.638.576	
	- Liabilities	107.109.131.127	
	- Equity	58.636.507.449	
	+ In which: Investment capital of the		
	owner	50.000.000.000	
c	Business indicators		
	- Total revenue	267.701.289.686	
	- Profit before tax	698.966.605	
	- Profit after tax	698.966.605	
5	Eakar Tapioca Starch Co., Ltd.		
a	Total assets	135.218.287.087	
	- Short-term assets	104.952.887.395	
	- Long-term assets	30.265.399.692	
Ъ	Total Funding	135.218.287.087	
	- Liabilities	93.101.902.540	
	- Equity	42.116.384.547	
	+ In which: Investment capital of the		
	owner	33.000.000.000	
С	Business indicators		
	- Total revenue	285.598.381.480	
THE STATE OF THE SAME	- Profit before tax	5.872.464.857	
	- Profit after tax	5.872.464.857	
6	Attapeu Tapioca Starch Co., Ltd.		
a	Total assets	368.552.453.377	
	- Short-term assets	175.873.710.376	
	- Long-term assets	192.678.743.001	
b	Total Funding	368.552.453.377	
	- Liabilities	262.724.787.420	
1.4	- Equity	105.827.665.957	
	+ In which: Investment capital of the		
	owner	78.991.892.590	

No.	Explain	Amount	Notes
c	Business indicators		
	- Total revenue	588.043.060.904	
	- Profit before tax	25.604.931.258	
	- Profit after tax	25.604.931.258	
7	Taoy Tapioca Starch Co., Ltd.		
a	Total assets	383.025.259.106	
	- Short-term assets	139.441.905.794	
	- Long-term assets	243.583.353.312	
b	Total Funding	383.025.259.106	
	- Liabilities	273.613.173.015	
	- Equity	109.412.086.091	
	+ In which: Investment capital of the owner	102.918.976.251	
c	Business indicators		
	- Total revenue	35.648.232.543	
	- Profit before tax	2.650.459.624	
	- Profit after tax	2.650.459.624	
8	Pathoumphone Tapioca Starch Co., Ltd.		
a	Total assets	2.583.468.277	
	- Short-term assets	1.991.723.319	
	- Long-term assets	591.744.958	
b	Total Funding	2.583.468.277	
	- Liabilities	2.583.468.277	
	- Equity		
	+ In which: Investment capital of the owner		
С	Business indicators		
	- Total revenue		
	- Profit before tax		
	- Profit after tax		
II	Associate Companies		
1	Tay Nguyen Agriculture company limited		
a	Total assets	162.487.309.536	
	- Short-term assets	89.063.433.641	
	- Long-term assets	73.423.875.895	
b	Total Funding	162.487.309.536	***************************************
	- Liabilities	81.001.640.400	
	- Equity	81.485.669.136	
	+ In which: Investment capital of the owner	60.000.000.000	
С	Business indicators		
	- Total revenue	285.071.634.504	
	- Profit before tax	7.186.936.097	
	- Profit after tax	7.186.936.097	

## 4. Financial situation

## a) Financial situation: Investment: VND

Quota	Year 2023	In 2024	% increase decrease
Total Asset Value	3.168.130.173.092	3.410.662.128.239	107,7%
Net sales	6.486.204.958.903	6.562.094.461.007	101,2%
Profit from business activities	184.400.169.039	161.892.428.133	87,8%
Other Profits	-968.950.740	-273.766.060	28,3%
Profit before tax	183.431.218.299	161.618.662.073	88,1%
Profit after tax	181.684.745.055	156.034.258.176	85,9%

#### b) Main financial indicators:

Chỉ tiêu/ Benchmarks	<b>Year 2023</b>	In 2024	Notes
1. Solvency norms			
+ Short-term payment ratio:			
Short-term assets/Short-term liabilities	0,98	0,92	
+ Fast payment coefficient:			
(Short-term assets - Inventory)/ Short-term liabilities	0,46	0,28	
2. Indicators of capital structure			
+ Debt/Total Assets Ratio	0,65	0,66	
+ Debt/Equity Ratio	1,86	1,97	
3. Indicators of operational capacity			
+ Inventory turnover:			
Cost of Goods Sold/Average Inventory	7,67	4,79	
Net Revenue/Total Assets	2,05	1,92	
4. Indicators of profitability			
+ Profit after tax/Net revenue ratio	0,03	0,02	
+ Profit after tax/Equity ratio	0,16	0,14	
+ Profit after tax / Total assets ratio	0,06	0,05	
+ Profit Ratio from Business Activities/Net Revenue	0,03	0,02	

## 5. Shareholder structure, change of owner's investment capital:

## a) Shares:

The total number of outstanding shares as of March 21, 2025 is: 29,770,578.0 shares. In which, shares restricted from transfer: 1,673,373.0 shares.

#### Concrete:

- + ESOP 2021 shares: 545,674 shares. The transfer restriction period is from 05/9/2022 to 04/9/2025.
- + ESOP 2022 shares: 1,127,699 shares. The transfer restriction period is from 10/01/2024 to 10/01/2027.
  - b) Shareholder structure: As of March 21, 2025.

No.	Explain	Number of shares owned	Proportio n
1	Structure of large shareholders, small shareholders		
	Major shareholders	5.369.403	18,0%
	Minority Shareholders	24.401.175	82,0%
2	Structure of institutional shareholders and individual shareholders		
	Institutional Shareholders	300.578	1,01%
	Individual Shareholders	29.470.000	98,99%
3	Structure of domestic shareholders, foreign shareholders		
	Domestic shareholders	29.770.578	100,00%
	Foreign shareholders		
4	State shareholders, other shareholders		
	State Shareholders		
	Other shareholders	29.770.578	100,00%

c) Changes in the owner's investment capital:

In 2024, the Company has increased capital 02 times:

- Issue ESOP shares to increase charter capital from VND 259,367,480,000.0 to VND 270,644,470,000.0.
- Issuing shares to pay dividends in 2023, increasing charter capital from VND 270,644,470,000.0 to VND 297,705,780,000.0.
  - d. Trading treasury shares: None.
  - e. Other securities: None.

## III. Reports and evaluations of the Board of General Directors:

## 1. Evaluation of production and business results in 2024:

1.1. Main production and business indicators:

Quota	Residents	Plan for 2024	Implement ation in 2024	TH/KH (%)
	Million			99,96
1. Total revenue	VND	6.700.000	6.697.020	
2. Profit after tax	Million			62,70
	VND	150.000	94.043	
	Million		87.027	87,03
3. Depreciation	VND	100.000		
4. Profit after tax of the parent	Million			66,48
company (HN)	VND	230.000	152.901	
5. Consolidated depreciation	Million			95,86
1	VND	145.000	139.002	

	Million		297.705	100,00
6. Charter capital	VND	297.700		
7. Dividends	VND/share	3.000-4.000		
8. Income (person/month)	1,000 VND	13.000	13.100	100,77
9. Tapioca starch products	Ton	540.000	549.390	101,74
9.1 Manufacturing Parent			287.888	94,39
Company:	Ton	305.000		
- Regular starch	Ton	220.000	213.382	96,99
- Modified starch	Ton	85.000	74.506	87,65
9.2 Subsidiaries and			261.502	111,28
associates:	Ton	235.000		
10. Food alcohol	m3	12.000	11.335	94,46

- 1.2. Evaluation of the implementation of the main indicators:
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#### 2. Financial situation:

a) Asset situation

Quota	Year 2023	In 2024	SS Rate
Short-term assets	1.903.473.848.632	1.959.922.463.082	102,97%
Capital in cash	128.974.297.515	88.415.063.076	68,55%
Accounts receivable	575.409.263.072	406.084.146.340	70,57%
Inventory	1.013.690.526.550	1.357.165.023.848	133,88%
Other short-term assets	185.399.761.495	108.258.229.818	58,39%
Long-term assets	1.264.656.324.460	1.450.739.665.157	114,71%
Long-term receivables	1.450.604.205	1.279.665.737	88,22%
Fixed assets	1.109.232.511.418	1.386.932.999.731	125,04%
Long-term unfinished assets	108.798.583.055	11.627.649.169	10,69%
Long-term financial investment	17.251.235.713	16.803.723.827	97,41%
Other long-term assets	27.923.390.069	34.095.626.693	122,10%
TOTAL ASSETS	3.168.130.173.092	3.410.662.128.239	107,66%
Liabilities	2.059.936.157.508	2.262.383.016.852	109,83%
Short-term debt	1.936.077.381.896	2.140.259.253.642	110,55%
Long-term debt	123.858.775.612	122.123.763.210	98,60%
Owner	1.108.194.015.584	1.148.279.111.387	103,62%
Owner's contributed capital	259.367.480.000	297.705.780.000	114,78%
Equity surplus	107.609.873.380	137.974.546.380	128,22%
Other capital of the owner	400.000.000	400.000.000	100,00%

Exchange rate difference	(73.786.912.240)	(78.984.119.793)	107,04%
Development Investment Fund	280.830.895.361	304.237.070.786	108,33%
Other funds belonging to equity sources	5.250.981.990	11.565.362.132	220,25%
Undistributed profit	444.036.348.655	400.983.314.141	90,30%
Non-controlling shareholder interests	84.485.348.438	74.397.157.741	88,06%
TOTAL FUNDING:	3.168.130.173.092	3.410.662.128.239	107,66%

#### b) Liabilities:

Liabilities as of December 31, 2024 are 9.83% higher than the same period, mainly short-term loans to buy raw materials.

## 3. Assessment report related to the company's environmental and social responsibility:

- Environment: Basically, the environmental treatment of all units is relatively good, the units are invested in wastewater treatment systems by the aeration method, wastewater sludge separation meets the discharge standards before being discharged into the environment, units that have not invested in the sludge separation aeration method, the wastewater norms are not stable;
- Salary: Pay salaries, bonuses, allowances, etc. to employees in a timely manner and in accordance with the Company's regulations.
- Insurance: Fully implement policies for employees such as social insurance, health insurance, and unemployment insurance.
- The work of occupational safety, fire protection and occupational safety has been strengthened and cared for, and the environmental landscape has been increasingly improved.

## IV. Evaluation of the Board of Directors on the Company's operation:

## 1. Evaluation of the Board of Directors on the Company's activities:

In 2024, the world situation will be complicated, the Russia-Ukraine war, the Middle East war, causing disruptions in global supply chains and fluctuations in food and fuel; China's economy has low growth, demand for starch has decreased, corn prices have decreased, cassava starch prices have decreased rapidly, the end of the year has decreased by 30% compared to the beginning of the year due to Thailand's price reduction and competition with starch in Laos... but with the solidarity and efforts from the Board of Directors to the Board of Directors and all employees, it has helped the Company reduce losses, contributing to stabilizing the Company's production and business situation.

## 2. Evaluation of the Board of Directors on the operation of the Board of Directors of the company:

In the conditions of the consumption market facing many difficulties, the price of cassava starch and cassava pulp fell deeply, the main market demand was China; In 2024, the cassava starch industry is very difficult, many cassava starch enterprises in the country and Southeast Asia suffer losses, low revenue and output; The Board of Directors and managers have made efforts to manage production and business activities relatively well, fully implementing the Resolutions and decisions of the Board of Directors, focusing on some points as follows:

#### 2.1. Regarding production and business management:

- Regarding the market: Strengthen marketing transactions, find new customers, so the consumption volume is relatively satisfactory, but due to the rapid decline in demand and prices, consumption is only equal to 2023; In 2024, the Chinese market will consume slowly, so the output is only the same as the previous year. Taiwan, Japan, and South Korea markets grew well; The domestic consumption market reached the growth target, accounting for 19.3% of total output; At the end of 2024, it has contacted a number of customers to expand the Indonesian and Indian markets, starting to consume in these markets.
- Regarding production: Starch production is high thanks to the increase in output in factories in Laos, the output of modified flour has not met the plan due to a decrease in the market; Product quality in the first 6 months of the year is unstable, it has been remedied in the last 6 months of the year, so product quality has increased and become more stable; Although the refining efficiency remains at the same level as in 2023, some factories have not met the set plan; Foreign object control, food safety and hygiene have been raised, but some factories still have foreign objects in products.
- Capital and capital management: Ensuring loan capital, especially timely official time for the Company's production and business activities; Sepon Company, Attapeu Company and Taoy Company have borrowed capital from Lao banks.
- Regarding management and labor: Consolidating key positions in Kon Tum Tapioca Starch Company, Quang Ngai Wheat Starch Factory and Taoy Tapioca Starch Company; Arrange and rotate key cadres and technical workers to basically meet the requirements of the whole system; arrange enough staff for companies in Laos.

## 2.2. Regarding investment and development:

- Investment in the Taoy Tapioca Flour Processing Plant Project, completed and put into use on schedule (09/2024) and achieved the project target.
- Take steps to prepare for investment in the Pathoumphone Tapioca Processing Plant Project with a capacity of 300 tons SP/day.
- Investing in upgrading the environmental treatment system at Dak Song Factory and Sepon Company; Invest in expanding finished product warehouses and waste storage warehouses in Sepon Company and Attapeu Company, meeting production requirements.

#### 3. Plans and orientations of the Board of Directors in 2025:

### 3.1. Targets of the 2025 production and business plan:

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Quota	Residents	Plan 2025
1. Total revenue	Million VND	6.000.000
2. Profit after tax	Million VND	100.000
3. Depreciation	Million VND	90.000
4. Profit after tax of the parent company (HN)	Million VND	180.000
5. Consolidated depreciation	Million VND	160.000
6. Charter capital	Million VND	327.470
7. Dividends	VND/share	2.500-3.000
8. Income (person/month)	1,000 VND	13.000

Quota	Residents	Plan 2025
9. Tapioca starch products	Ton	555.000
9.1 Manufacturing Parent Company:	Ton	278.000
- Regular starch	Ton	200.000
- Modified starch	Ton	78.000
9.2 Subsidiaries and associates:	Ton	277.000
10. Food alcohol	m3	12.000

#### 3.2 Some main orientations.

#### 3.2.1. Regarding production and business management:

- Regarding the market: Selecting and expanding more customers in China; Consolidate and develop the Taiwan market; Promoting the Japanese and Korean markets, through existing customers, strengthening links to form distribution channels and agents to increase types and output; Coordinate with clients to research and promote the Indian market, restore and expand the Malaysian and Indonesian markets; Increase the proportion of the domestic market compared to 2024, focusing on direct sales to production facilities.
- **Regarding production:** Continue to research and improve technology in the direction of improving product quality, increasing processing efficiency, saving water and electricity in accordance with the conditions in each unit;
- **Regarding capital:** Accumulating capital to continue investing in the development and processing of cassava starch in Laos. Continue to use the interests of companies in Laos to invest in new projects to enjoy investment incentives as well as sufficient reciprocal capital to borrow from banks; Working with the Bank in Laos to get a loan for the Pathoumphone factory project.

### 3.2.2. Regarding research and development

Forming an organization specializing in research and development to serve research and development according to the company's orientation; The immediate task is to research and develop modified powders and post-starch products.

## 3.2.3. Regarding investment and development:

- To build production establishments that ensure food hygiene and safety standards according to international standards (HACCP, FSSC 22000), of which: 2 domestic regular flour production establishments and 2 modified flour production establishments, Laos 1 establishment.
- Continue to study the Pathoumphone Laos factory project, with a capacity of 300 tons of SP/day, if conditions are favorable, start construction in 2025, complete and put into production in 2026.
  - Studying opportunities to continue expanding investment in Laos.
- Complete the plan to relocate Tan Chau Factory, deploy a new location to relocate the factory when the land lease expires (31/12/2025).

## 3.2.4. Regarding management and administration:

- Reduce payroll, reduce focal points in factories and subsidiaries in the country and also in Laos;

- Reduce Vietnamese labor and increase Lao labor at production facilities in Laos.
  - Recruiting qualified workers to meet the company's development investment.
  - Apply management software to increase labor productivity;

### V. Corporate governance

#### 1. Board of Directors

a) Members and structure of the Board of Directors:

No.	Full name	Duty	Percentage of Voting Shares (%)
1	Mr. Vo Van Danh	Chairman of the Board of Directors (Non-executive member of the Board of Directors)	5,73%
2	Mr. Tran Ngoc Hai	Vice Chairman of the Board of Directors	2,06%
3	Mr. Dong Van Lap	Member of the Board of Directors	0,89%
4	Mr. Le Ngoc Hinh	Member of the Board of Directors	1,68%
5	Mr. Nguyen Duc Thang	Non-executive members of the Board of Directors	6,94%

- b) Subcommittees of the Board of Directors:
- The Subcommittee on Capital Construction (Investment Board), consisting of the following members:
  - + Mr. Tran Ngoc Hai the Board
- Member of the Board of Directors Head of
- + Mr: Le Ngoc Hinh
- Member of the Board of Directors
- + Mr. Dong Van Lap
- Member of the Board of Directors
- + Mr. Pham Quoc Tau Chief Accountant.
- + Mr. Vo Quang Truc
- Deputy in charge of the Investment -

Production Department.

- -Secretary:
  - + Mr. Le Tuan Toan
  - + Mr. Ton Long Thanh Nam
  - + Ms: Vo Thi Nhi
  - + Mr. Nguyen Mai Hiep
- c) Activities of the Board of Directors:

In 2024, the Board of Directors held 12 meetings at the Company's headquarters. At the meetings, members of the Board of Directors fully attended. All resolutions and decisions of the Board of Directors comply with the Resolution of the 2024 General Meeting of Shareholders, the Company's Charter, the Internal

Regulations on Corporate Governance and relevant provisions of law. The Board of Directors has issued 48 resolutions and 56 decisions related to the fields of production and business, investment, management, and human resources.

#### 2. Control Board:

a) Members and structure of the Control Board:

No.	Full name	Duty	Percentage of Voting Shares
1	Mr. Pham Van Lam	Head of Department	0,40%
2	Mr. Nguyen Thanh	Member	0,51%
3	Mr. Nguyen Van Thai	Member	0,47%

b) Activities of the Control Board:

In 2024, the Supervisory Board has held 03 meetings to implement the resolution of the 2024 General Meeting of Shareholders; deploying and performing regular tasks of the Supervisory Board; participate in and agree on the work of the Board in a number of key fields as follows:

- Supervise the Board of Directors in the implementation of the Resolution of the General Meeting of Shareholders in 2024 and the implementation of resolutions, decisions and production and business plans of the Board of Directors in 2024 of the General Director of the Company.
- Consider the legality and reasonableness of the order and contents of promulgating, amending and supplementing resolutions and decisions of the Board of Directors and decisions of the General Director of the Company.
- To supervise the compliance with the provisions of law; internal regulations on corporate governance and information disclosure of the Company in accordance with the regulations of the State Securities Commission and the Company's Charter.
- Fully participate in meetings of the Board of Directors, directly exchange, give comments, have clear views at the meeting and propose and propose to the General Director in professional work to prevent risk factors and are all recorded.
- Participate in selecting an auditing firm to audit financial statements and audit a number of investment projects of the Company.

## 3. Transactions, remuneration and benefits of the Board of Directors, the Board of Directors and the Control Board:

- a) The Board of Directors and the Board of General Directors:
- Remuneration of members of the Board of Directors in 2024 approved by the General Meeting of Shareholders: from 11 to 19 million VND/person/month;
- Bonus exceeding the plan: In 2024, there will be no bonus because the production and business results in 2024 do not exceed the plan.
- Income of the Board of Directors: 58-80 million VND/person/month.
  - b) The Control Board:

- The remuneration of members of the Supervisory Board in 2024 is as follows:
  - + Head of the Supervisory Board is: 11 million VND/month
  - + Supervisory Board member is: 07 million VND/month
- Bonus exceeding the plan: In 2024, there will be no bonus because the production and business results in 2024 do not exceed the plan.
  - b) Trading of stocks of insiders:

Transactions of insiders and related persons, major shareholders for the company's shares: *There is Appendix No. 01 attached.* 

#### MICRO. Financial Statements:

The financial statements for the year 2024 are posted at the Website: apfco.com.vn/Quan of shareholders/Financial statements for 2024.

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-As above;

- Publication of the Company's website;

- Archive: Secretary.

GENERAL DIRECTOR

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## QUANG NGAI AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS AND FOODSTUFF JSC

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# APPENDIX NO. 01 INSIDER STOCK TRADING AND RELATED PERSONS IN RESPECT OF THE COMPANY'S SHARES

No.	Transaction Executor	Relations with Insiders	Number of shares owned at the beginning of the period (05/02/2025)		Number of shares owned at the end of the period (21/3/2025)		Reasons for increase, decrease
			Number of Shares	Proportion	Number of Shares	Proportion	(buy, sell, convert, bonus)
1	Vo Van Danh		1.705.612	5,73%	1.705.612	5,73%	
1.1	Dang My Ai Hoa	Wife	412.239	1,38%	412.239	1,38%	
1.2	Vo Dang Thuc Khang	Daughter	61.226	0,21%	61.226	0,21%	
1.3	Doan Ngoc Hung	Son-in-law	251.791	0,85%	251.791	0,85%	
2	Tran Ngoc Hai		613.399	2,06%	613.399	2,06%	
2.1	Tran Thuy Duong	Daughter	30.613	0,10%	30.613	0,10%	
3	Dong Van Lap		263.518	0,89%	263.518	0,89%	
3.1	Pham Thi Minh Suong	Wife	600	0,00%	600	0,00%	
4	Le Ngoc Hinh		500.000	1,68%	500.000	1,68%	
5	Nguyen Duc Thang		2.067.375	6,94%	2.067.375	6,94%	
5.1	Nguyen Thi Thuy Tien	Wife	300.520	1,01%	300.520	1,01%	
6	Le Tuan Toan		1.027.809	3,45%	1.022.809	3,44%	Sell

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	Misidels	Number of Shares	Proportion	Number of Shares	Proportion	(buy, sell, convert,	
6.1	Ngo Thi Lac	Wife	21.428	0,07%	21.428	0,07%	bonus)
6.2	Le Ngo Tuan An	Son	1.982	0,01%	1.982	0,01%	
6.3	Pham Thi Hoa	Daughter-in-law	10.616	0,04%	11.316		
7	Tran Duc Thach		351.601	1,18%	351.601	1,18%	Buy
7.1	Nguyen Duy Thiem	Brother-in-law	68.795	0,23%			
8	Pham Quoc Tau		119.077		68.814	0,23%	Buy
9	Pham Van Lam			0,40%	119.477	0,40%	Buy
10		·	119.018	0,40%	119.018	0,40%	
	Nguyen Thanh	·	152.692	0,51%	152.692	0,51%	
10.1	Nguyen Thi Hong Hoa	Wife	103.131	0,35%	103.131	0,35%	
10.2	Nguyen Hong Hien	Daughter	10.520	0,04%			
11	Nguyen Van Thai	Ü	140.284		10.520	0,04%	
11.1	Nguyen Van Thu	Brother	2.777	0,47%	140.284 2.777	0,47%	