## VINH LONG WATER SUPPLY JOINT STOCK COMPANY

No: 233/CNVL - HDQT

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Vinh Long, August 13, 2025

Regarding the explanation of the reasons for the decrease of more than 10% in profit after tax for the six-month accounting period ending June 30, 2025, compared to the same period of the previous year.

To:

- State Securities Commission of Vietnam

- Hanoi Stock Exchange

Pursuant to Circular No. 96/2020/TT-BTC dated November 16, 2020 of the Ministry of Finance guiding the disclosure of information on the stock market;

Pursuant to the Information Disclosure Regulations of Vinh Long Water Supply Joint Stock Company;

Pursuant to the audited interim financial statements for the six-month accounting period ending June 30, 2025 of Vinh Long Water Supply Joint Stock Company prepared on August 12, 2025.

Vinh Long Water Supply Joint Stock Company provides an explanation for the decrease of more than 10% in profit after corporate income tax in the Business Performance Report for the six-month accounting period ending June 30, 2025, compared to the Business Performance Report for the six-month accounting period ending June 30, 2024, as follows:

- The prices of raw materials for clean water production, such as alum, chlorine, and electricity, increased by an average of 8.2% compared to the same period last year; loan interest expenses were no longer capitalized and were recorded as expenses; costs for water sample testing and personnel expenses also increased, while the clean water price has not yet been adjusted upward, thus affecting the profit after corporate income tax in the sixmonth accounting period.

In the first six months of 2024, the company provisionally calculated corporate income tax with a preferential tax rate of 10%. In the first six months of 2025, the company did not apply the corporate income tax incentive, resulting in a decrease in profit after tax from VND 30,417,939,741 to VND 27,329,162,808 (equivalent to 10.15%).

This information has been published on the company's website: www.capnuocvl.com.vn

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