## Coca-Cola Nordic Services ApS

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CVR no. 20 89 53 49

# Annual report for the year ended 31 December 2020 Approved at the Company's annual general meeting

Chairman:

Christian Ellegaard Gejel Date: 21st June 2021

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#### **COMPANY DETAILS**

Incorporated on 1.4.1998

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#### **Board of directors**

Tülay Kiyildi Klaus Borello

#### **Executive board**

Klaus Borello

#### **Parent**

Refreshment Product Services Inc. Atlanta, USA

#### **Auditors**

EY Godkendt Revisionspartnerselskab Dirch Passers Allé 36 P.O. Box 250 2000 Frederiksberg Denmark

#### **Bankers**

Danske Bank

Citibank

#### STATEMENT BY MANAGEMENT ON THE ANNUAL REPORT

Today, management has discussed and approved the annual report of Coca-Cola Nordic Services ApS for the financial year 1 January - 31 December 2020.

The annual report has been prepared in accordance with the Danish Financial Statements Act.

In our opinion, the company financial statements give a true and fair view of the company's financial position at 31 December 2020 and of the results of the companys' operations for the financial year 1 January - 31 December 2020.

Further, in our opinion, the Managements' review gives a fair review of the development in the companys' operations and financial matters and the results of the company's operations and financial position.

We recommend that the annual report be approved at the annual general meeting.

Date: 15 June 2021	
Executive Board:	
Llaus Borello	
Klaus Borello	
Board of directors:	
Tülay Kiyildi	blaus Borello
Tülay Kiyildi Chairman	Klaus Borello Director

# Coca-Cola Nordic Services ApS Independent auditors' report To the shareholders of Coca-Cola Nordic Services ApS

#### Opinion

We have audited the financial statements of Coca-Cola Nordic Services ApS for the financial year 1 January - 31 December 2020, which comprise income statement, balance sheet, statement of changes in equity and notes, including accounting policies. The financial statements are prepared under the Danish Financial Statements Act.

In our opinion, the financial statements give a true and fair view of the financial position of the company at 31 December 2020, and of the results of the Company's operations for the financial year 1 January - 31 December 2020 in accordance with the Danish Financial Statements Act.

#### Basis of opinion

We conducted our audit in accordance with International Standards on Auditing (ISAs) and the additional requirements applicable in Denmark. Our responsibilities under those standards and requirements are further described in the "Auditor's responsibilities for the audit of the financial statements" section of our report. We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion.

#### Independence

We are independent of the Company in accordance with the International Ethics Standards Board for Accountants' Code of Ethics for Professional Accountants (IESBA Code) and additional requirements applicable in Denmark, and we have fulfilled our other ethical responsibilities in accordance with these rules and requirements.

#### Management's responsibilities for the financial statements

Management is responsible for the preparation of financial statements that give a true and fair view in accordance with the Danish Financial Statements Act, and for such internal control as Management determines is necessary to enable the preparation of financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

In preparing the financial statements, Management is responsible for assessing the Company's ability to continue as a going concern, disclosing, as applicable, matters related to going concern and using the going concern basis of accounting in preparing the financial statements unless Management either intends to liquidate the Company or to cease operations, or has no realistic alternative but to do so.

#### Auditor's responsibilities for the audit of the financial statements

Our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements as a whole are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error, and to issue an auditor's report that includes our opinion. Reasonable assurance is a high level of assurance, but is not a guarantee that an audit conducted in accordance with ISAs and the additional requirements applicable in Denmark will always detect a material misstatement when it exists. Misstatements can arise from fraud or error and are considered material if, individually or in the aggregate, they could reasonably be expected to influence the economic decisions of users taken on the basis of these financial statements.

#### Auditor's responsibilities for the audit of the financial statements (continued)

As part of an audit conducted in accordance with ISAs and the additional requirements applicable in Denmark, we exercise professional judgment and maintain professional skepticism throughout the audit. We also:

- Identify and assess the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements, whether due to fraud
  or error, design and perform audit procedures responsive to those risks and obtain audit evidence that is
  sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion. The risk of not detecting a material
  misstatement resulting from fraud is higher than for one resulting from error, as fraud may involve
  collusion, forgery, intentional omissions, misrepresentations or the override of internal control.
- Obtain an understanding of internal control relevant to the audit 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.
- Evaluate the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of accounting estimates and related disclosures made by Management.
- Conclude on the appropriateness of Management's use of the going concern basis of accounting in preparing the financial statements and, based on the audit evidence obtained, whether a material uncertainty exists related to events or conditions that may cast significant doubt on the Company's ability to continue as a going concern. If we conclude that a material uncertainty exists, we are required to draw attention in our auditor's report to the related disclosures in the financial statements or, if such disclosures are in-adequate, to modify our opinion. Our conclusion is based on the audit evidence obtained up to the date of our auditor's report. However, future events or conditions may cause the Company to cease to continue as a going concern.
- Evaluate the overall presentation, structure and contents of the financial statements, including the note
  disclosures, and whether the financial statements represent the underlying transactions and events in a
  manner that gives a true and fair view.

We communicate with those charged with governance regarding, among other matters, the planned scope and timing of the audit and significant audit findings, including any significant deficiencies in internal control that we identify during our audit.

#### Statement on the Management's review

Management is responsible for the Management's review.

Our opinion on the financial statements does not cover the Management's review, and we do not express any form of assurance conclusion thereon.

In connection with our audit of the financial statements, our responsibility is to read the Management's review and, in doing so, consider whether the Management's review is materially inconsistent with the financial statements or our knowledge obtained during the audit, or otherwise appears to be materially misstated.

#### Auditor's responsibilities for the audit of the financial statements (continued)

Moreover, it is our responsibility to consider whether the Management's review provides the information required under the Danish Financial Statements Act.

Based on the work we have performed, we conclude that the Management's review is in accordance with the financial statements and has been prepared in accordance with the requirements of the Danish Financial Statements Act. We did not identify any material misstatement of the Management's review.

Date: 15th June 2021

Copenhagen,

EY

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#### MANAGEMENT'S REVIEW

#### Business activities and mission

The company's main activities consist in providing services, including brand marketing advice to S.A. Coca Cola Services N.V. in the Nordic countries.

#### **Business review**

The company's income statement for the year ended 31 December 2020 shows a net profit of DKK 2,036,921, and the balance sheet at 31 December 2020 shows equity of DKK 51,330,185.

The board proposed to pay a dividend in 2021 of DKK 23,000,000.

#### Knowledge resources

The company is staffed with highly trained specialists within the fields of relevance to the company's main activities.

#### Outlook 2021

It is our view, to the best of our current knowledge, that COVID-19 will not have a material adverse impact on the Company's results for 2021.

#### Events after the balance sheet date

There are no events to report after the balance sheet date.

## **INCOME STATEMENT**

	Note	2020 DKK	2019 DKK
Gross margin		33,233,369	32,542,003
Staff costs	2	(29,982,675)	(29,163,324)
Depreciation, amortisation and impairment losses	3	(505,922)	(627,955)
Profit before net financials		2,744,772	2,750,724
Other operating income	4	326,015	315,375
Financial income	5	38,066	109,338
Finance expenses	6	(431,584)	(66,928)
Profit before tax		2,677,269	3,108,509
Tax for the year	7	640,348	664,035
Net profit for the year		2,036,921	2,444,474
Profit to be appropriated:			
Transfer to retained earnings		2,036,921	2,444,474
		2,036,921	2,444,474

## **BALANCE SHEET at 31 December**

	Note	2020 DKK	2019 DKK
ASSETS		Ditit	Ditit
Property, plant and equipment			
Assets under construction		-	53,009
Machinery and equipment		1,209,378	1,643,397
Total property, plant and equipment	8	1,209,378	1,696,406
Deposits		754,350	754,350
Financial assets	10	754,350	754,350
Total fixed assets		1,963,728	2,450,756
Current assets			
Receivables from group enterprises		54,433,815	44,310,282
Other receivables		370,690	1,425,273
Prepayments		900,000	1,986,578
Income tax receivable		542,221	1,847,622
Receivables		56,246,726	49,569,755
Cash	_	9,882,743	16,202,012
Total current assets	_	66,129,469	65,771,767
TOTAL ASSETS	_	68,093,197	68,222,523
EQUITY AND LIABILITIES			
Equity	9	1,000,000	1 000 000
Share capital Retained earnings	9	27,330,185	1,000,000 48,293,265
Dividend proposed for the year		23,000,000	40,293,203
Total equity	_	51,330,185	49,293,265
Non-current liabilities	-		
Provision for deferred tax		236,501	194,453
Other payables	11	2,777,266	844,216
Total provisions	'' -	3,013,767	1,038,669
Current liabilities		4 044 407	4 055 500
Trade payables		1,314,467	4,655,500
Debt to group enterprises Other payables		1,285,019 11,149,759	1,306,527 11,928,563
		13,749,245	17,890,590
Short-term liabilities other than provisions	-	13,749,245	17,890,590
Total liabilities other than provisions	-	13,749,243	17,090,390
Total equity and liabilities	-	68,093,197	68,222,524
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## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN EQUITY

(DKK)

	Share Capital	Retained p	Dividend proposed for the year	Total
	onare capital	carmings	the year	Total
Equity at 1 January 2019	1,000,000	45,848,790	_	46,848,790
Transfer in the year		2,444,474	4	2,444,474
Equity at 1 January 2019	1,000,000	48,293,264		49,293,264
Transfer in the year		2,036,921	-	2,036,921
Proposed final dividend	<u> </u>	(23,000,000)	23,000,000	-
Equity at 31 December 2020	1,000,000	27,330,185	23,000,000	51,330,185

#### 1. Accounting policies

The annual report of Coca-Cola Nordic Services ApS for 2020 has been prepared in accordance with the provisions in the Danish Financial Statements Act applying to reporting class B entities and elective choice of certain provisions applying to reporting class C entities.

Effective from financial year 2020, the Company has implemented amending act. no. 1716 of 27 December 2018 to the Danish Financial Statements Act. The implementation of amending act has not affected the Company's accounting policies on recognition and measurement of assets and liabilities but has solely entailed a requirement for further disclosures.

The accounting policies used in the preparation of the financial statements are consistent with those of last year, with the exception of the change to accounting policy for revenue as noted below in 1.3 (f).

#### 1.1 Reporting currency

The financial statements are presented in Danish kroner.

#### 1.2 Currency retranslation

Transactions in foreign currency are translated into Danish kroner at the exchange rate at the date of the transaction.

Monetary items in foreign currency are translated into Danish kroner at the exchange rates at the balance sheet date. Realised and unrealised exchange gains and losses are recognised in the income statement as financial income/expenses.

#### 1.3 Income statement

#### (a) Revenue

The Company has chosen IAS 18 as interpretation for revenue recognition.

Income comprise of cost plus revenue, Income from services is recognised in revenue at the time of delivery and when the risk passes to the buyer, provided that the income can be made up reliably. VAT, indirect taxes and discounts are excluded from the revenue.

#### (b) Gross margin

With reference to section 32 of the Danish Financial Statements Act, the items 'Revenue', 'Cost of goods sold', 'Raw materials and consumable' and 'Other external expenses' are consolidated into one item designated 'Gross margin'.

#### (c) Other external expenses

Other external expenses include expenses related to advertising, administration, premises, bad debts, lease payments under operating leases, etc.

#### (d) Staff costs

Staff costs comprise salaries and wages as well as social security costs, pension contribution, etc for the Company's staff.

#### (e) Amortisation/depreciation and write-downs

The item includes depreciation and write downs of property, plant and equipment. Depreciation is provided using the straight line method on a fair value basis and the below assessments of the useful lives of the assets.

Property, plant and equipment are depreciated on a straight line basis, based on fair value, measured by reference to the following assessment of the useful lives:

#### 1. Accounting policies (continued)

#### (e) Amortisation/depreciation and write-downs (continued)

useful life

Machinery and equipment 3-10 years Leasehold 8 years

Gains or losses on the sale of fixed assets are recognised in the income statement under 'Amortisation/depreciation'. The residual value is determined at the time of acquisition and are reassessed every year. Where the residual value exceeds the carrying amount of the asset, no further amortisation charges are recognised. In case of changes in the residual value, the effect on the amortisation charges is recognised prospectively as a change in accounting estimates.

#### (f) Other operating income

Other operating income is recognised in the income statement at the amounts that relate to the reporting period. Other operating income relates to income from the sublease of a portion of the office building.

#### (g) Net financials

Financial income and expenses are recognised in the income statement at the amounts that relate to the reporting period. Net financials include interest income and expenses, dividends declared, financial expenses related to finance leases, realised and unrealised capital and exchange gains and losses on securities and foreign currency transactions and surcharges and allowances under the advance payment of tax scheme, etc.

#### (h) Tax

Tax for the year includes current tax on the year's expected taxable income and the year's deferred tax adjustments less the share of the tax for the year that concerns changes in equity.

Current and deferred taxes related to items recognised directly in equity are taken directly to equity.

All Danish group enterprises are jointly taxed. The Danish income tax charge is allocated between profit making and loss making Danish enterprises in proportion to their taxable income (full allocation method). The Company acts as a management company for all the companies encompassed by the joint taxation arrangement, meaning that the Company is responsible for ensuring that taxes, etc. are paid to the Danish tax authorities.

Jointly taxed companies entitled to a tax refund are, as a minimum, reimbursed by the management company according to the current rates applicable to interest allowances, and jointly taxed companies having paid too little tax pay, as a maximum, a surcharge according to the current rates applicable to interest surcharges to the management company.

#### 1.4 Balance sheet

#### (a) Property, plant and equipment

Property, plant and equipment comprise leasehold improvements and machinery and equipment. Property, plant and equipment are measured at fair value.

An impairment test is made for property, plant and equipment if there are indications of decreases in value. The impairment test is made for each individual asset or group of assets, respectively. The assets are written down to the higher of the value in use and the net selling price of the asset or group of assets (recoverable amount) if it is lower than the carrying amount.

#### (b) Other securities and investments

Securities and investments are made up of deposits. These deposits are measured at nominal value.

#### (c) Receivables

The Company has chosen IAS 39 as interpretation for impairment of financial receivables. Receivables are measured at amortised cost, which usually corresponds to the nominal value. Provisions are made for bad debts on the basis of objective evidence that a receivable or a group of receivables are impaired. Provisions are made to the lower of the net realisable value and the carrying amount.

#### 1. Accounting policies (continued)

#### (d) Prepayments

Prepayments recognised under current assets comprise expenses incurred concerning subsequent financial years.

#### (e) Cash and cash equivalents

Cash comprises bank balances.

Balances in the group's cash pool scheme are not, due to the nature of the scheme, considered cash, but are recognised under 'Receivables from group entities'.

#### (f) Income tax

Current tax charges are recognised in the balance sheet as the estimated tax charge in respect of the expected taxable income for the year, adjusted for tax on prior years' taxable income and tax paid in advance.

Provisions for deferred tax are calculated, based on the liability method, of all temporary differences between carrying amounts and tax values, with the exception of temporary differences occurring at the time of acquisition of assets and liabilities neither affecting the results of operations nor the taxable income, as well as temporary differences on non-amortisable goodwill.

Deferred tax is measured according to the taxation rules and taxation rates in the respective countries applicable at the balance sheet date when the deferred tax is expected to crystallise as current tax. Deferred tax assets are recognised at the value at which they are expected to be utilised, either through elimination against tax on future earnings or a set-off against deferred tax liabilities.

#### (g) Liabilities

Financial liabilities are recognised on the raising of the loan at the proceeds received net of transaction costs incurred. Interest-bearing debt is subsequently measured at amortised cost, using the effective interest rate method. Borrowing costs, including capital losses, are recognised as financing costs in the income statement over the term of the loan.

Other liabilities are measured at net realisable value.

#### 2. Staff costs

Average number of employees	21	21
	29,982,675	29,163,324
Other staff costs	206,615	1,134,420
Other social security costs	45,947	48,471
Pensions	2,264,254	1,929,944
Wages and salaries	27,465,859	26,050,489
Analysis of staff costs:	DKK	DKK
	2020	2019

By reference to section 98b(3), (ii), of the Danish Financial Statements Act, remuneration to Management is not disclosed.

### 3. Depreciation of property, plant and equipment

	2020 DKK	2019 DKK
Leasehold improvements	**************************************	95,353
Machinery and equipment	505,922	532,602
	505,922	627,955

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## 4. Other Operating income

	2020	2019
	DKK	DKK
Rent Income	326,015	315,375
	326,015	315,375
5. Other financial income		
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	2020 DKK	2019 DKK
Intercompany interests	10,393	71,197
Other interest receivable, exchange gains and similar income	27,673	38,141
	38,066	109,338
6. Financial expenses		
	2020	2019
	DKK	DKK
Net exchange differences	106,220	22,567
Interest expenses to associates	325,364	44,361
	431,584	66,928
7. Tax for the year		
	2020	2019
	DKK	DKK
Tax for the year		
Tax on taxable income for the year	547,192	723,159
Change in provision for deferred tax	42,048	1,606,412
Deferred tax prior year adjustment	-	(1,638,259)
Income tax prior year adjustment	51,108	(27,277)
	640,348	664,035

## 8. Property, plant and equipment

### In DKK

Cost	Assets under M construction		Leasehold improvements	Total
Balance at 1 January 2019	53,009	8,140,961	3,461,942	11,655,912
Additions in the year		18,894	-	18,894
Transferred	(53,009)	53,009	-	-
Cost at 31 December 2020		8,212,864	3,461,942	11,674,806
Depreciation and write downs				
Balance at 1 January 2019	-	(6,497,564)	(3,461,942)	(9,959,506)
Depreciation in the year	<u>-</u>	(505,922)	-	(505,922)
Depreciation and write-downs at 31 December 2020		(7,003,486)	(3,461,942)	(10,465,428)
Carrying amount at 31 December 2020		1,209,378		1,209,378

#### 8. Property, plant and equipment (continued)

#### 9. Share capital

During the last 5 years, the contributed capital has remained DKK 1.000.000.

#### 10. Financial assets

		Deposits
In DKK		
Cost at 1 January 2020		754,350
Additions		-
Disposals	<u>-</u>	
Cost at 31 December 2020	_	754,350
Carrying amount at 31 December 2020	_	754,350
11. Other Payables - Long term		
	2020	2019
	DKK	DKK
Accrued compensation vacation allowance between 2-5 years	168,472	
Accrued compensation vacation allowance greater than 5 years	2,558,986	794,408
Loans and Notes Payable	49,808	49,808
	2,777,266	844,216

#### 12. Contingent liabilities and other financial obligations

#### 12.1 Contingent liabilities

The company is jointly taxed with its sister company, Refreshment Products Denmark ApS (31427746) and Innocent ApS (29601224). Coca-Cola Nordic Services ApS acts as a Danish tax management company and along with other group entities jointly taxed is liable for payment of income taxes as well as withholding taxes on interest, royalties and dividends.

#### 12.2 Other financial obligations

	2020	2019
	DKK	DKK
Rent payments concerning contract that is interminable until 30/04/2023	12,868,809	5,779,400
Payments under operating lease concerning cars and computer equipment	1,011,470	1,064,544

Rent liabilities include rent obligations totaling DKK 12,868,809 in interminable rent agreements until 1 May 2023.

Lease liabilities include lease obligations totaling DKK 17,503 in interminable lease agreements until 31 Dec 2021, and DKK 598,384 in interminable lease agreements until 31 December 2022, and DKK 395,583 in interminable lease agreements until 1st September 2023.

#### 13. Related parties

The Company is a cost plus company, and costs are covered by Coca Cola Services S.A., Belgium. The Coca-Cola Company located at One Coca-Cola Plaza, Atlanta, USA, incorporated in Delaware, USA, is the ultimate parent company and holds as such a controlling interest of 100%.

The financial statements are available upon request from The Coca-Cola Company, Po Box 1734, Atlanta, Georgia 30301, United States of America.

#### 14. Events after the balance sheet date

There are events to report after the balance sheet date.