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### BSB Industry A/S

Kongsbjerg 33 6640 Lunderskov CVR No. 25631587

### **Annual report 2023**

The Annual General Meeting adopted the annual report on 12.06.2024

### Jesper Knudsen

Chairman of the General Meeting

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# **Entity details**

### **Entity**

BSB Industry A/S Kongsbjerg 33 6640 Lunderskov

Business Registration No.: 25631587

Registered office: Kolding

Financial year: 01.01.2023 - 31.12.2023

URL: www.bsb-industry.dk

### **Board of Directors**

Carsten Bezaleel Raunsbæk Per Lyngaa Jesper Knudsen Benny Elneff

Bjarne Elneff

### **Executive Board**

Morten Krusborg Claus Iwersen

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### **Attorney**

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### **Auditors**

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# **Statement by Management**

The Board of Directors and the Executive Board have today considered and approved the annual report of BSB Industry A/S for the financial year 01.01.2023 - 31.12.2023.

The annual report is presented in accordance with the Danish Financial Statements Act.

In our opinion, the financial statements give a true and fair view of the Entity's financial position at 31.12.2023 and of the results of its operations for the financial year 01.01.2023 - 31.12.2023.

We believe that the management commentary contains a fair review of the affairs and conditions referred to therein.

We recommend the annual report for adoption at the Annual General Meeting.

Lunderskov, 12.06.2024

**Executive Board** 

Morten Krusborg	Claus Iwersen
Board of Directors	
Carsten Bezaleel Raunsbæk	Per Lyngaa
Jesper Knudsen	Benny Elneff
Bjarne Elneff	

# Independent auditor's report

### To the shareholders of BSB Industry A/S

### **Opinion**

We have audited the financial statements of BSB Industry A/S for the financial year 01.01.2023 - 31.12.2023, which comprise the income statement, balance sheet, statement of changes in equity and notes, including a summary of significant accounting policies. The financial statements are prepared in accordance with the Danish Financial Statements Act.

In our opinion, the financial statements give a true and fair view of the Entity's financial position at 31.12.2023 and of the results of its operations for the financial year 01.01.2023 - 31.12.2023 in accordance with the Danish Financial Statements Act.

### **Basis for opinion**

We conducted our audit in accordance with International Standards on Auditing (ISAs) and 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 this auditor's report. We are independent of the Entity in accordance with the International Ethics Standards Board for Accountants' International Code of Ethics for Professional Accountants (IESBA Code) and the additional ethical requirements applicable in Denmark, and we have fulfilled our other ethical responsibilities in accordance with these requirements and the IESBA Code. We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion.

### 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 Entity's ability to continue as a going concern, for disclosing, as applicable, matters related to going concern, and for using the going concern basis of accounting in preparing the financial statements unless Management either intends to liquidate the Entity 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.

As part of an audit conducted in accordance with ISAs and the additional requirements applicable in Denmark, we exercise professional judgement and maintain professional scepticism 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 Entity'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 Entity'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 inadequate, to modify our opinion. Our conclusions are based on the audit evidence obtained up to the date of our auditor's report. However, future events or conditions may cause the Entity to cease to continue as a going concern.
- Evaluate the overall presentation, structure and content of the financial statements, including the disclosures in the notes, 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 commentary

Management is responsible for the management commentary.

Our opinion on the financial statements does not cover the management commentary, 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 commentary and, in doing so, consider whether the management commentary is materially inconsistent with the financial statements or our knowledge obtained in the audit or otherwise appears to be materially misstated.

Moreover, it is our responsibility to consider whether the management commentary provides the information required under the Danish Financial Statements Act.

Based on the work we have performed, we conclude that the management commentary is in accordance with the financial statements and has been prepared in accordance with the requirements in the relevant law and regulations. We did not identify any material misstatement of the management commentary.

Kolding, 12.06.2024

### **Deloitte**

Statsautoriseret Revisionspartnerselskab CVR No. 33963556

### **Morten Almtoft Lund**

State Authorised Public Accountant Identification No (MNE) mne41365

# **Management commentary**

### **Financial highlights**

	2023	2022	2021	2020	2019
	DKK'000	DKK'000	DKK'000	DKK'000	DKK'000
Key figures					
Revenue	651,614	726,126	621,511	540,718	424,592
Gross profit/loss	97,817	110,093	128,115	108,699	85,876
Operating profit/loss	43,136	52,594	62,341	50,458	37,116
Net financials	(859)	4,282	886	(1,697)	(1,032)
Profit/loss for the year	32,854	44,374	49,290	37,967	28,109
Total assets	283,147	371,333	350,191	284,009	261,148
Investments in property, plant and equipment	2,824	1,839	9,853	2,780	426
Equity	189,374	182,752	151,226	127,320	99,357
Ratios					
Gross margin (%)	15.01	15.16	20.61	20.10	20.23
EBIT margin (%)	6.62	7.24	10.03	9.33	8.74
Net margin (%)	5.04	6.11	7.93	7.02	6.62
Return on equity (%)	17.66	26.57	35.39	33.50	32.00
Equity ratio (%)	66.88	49.22	43.18	44.83	38.05

Financial highlights are defined and calculated in accordance with the current version of "Recommendations & Ratios" issued by the CFA Society Denmark.

### Gross margin (%):

Gross profit/loss \* 100

Revenue

### EBIT margin (%):

Operating profit/loss \* 100

Revenue

### Net margin (%):

Profit/loss for the year \* 100

Revenue

### Return on equity (%):

Profit/loss for the year \* 100

Average equity

### Equity ratio (%):

**Equity \* 100** 

Total assets

### **Primary activities**

The Company's primary activity is to provide total solutions in steel, stainless steel and aluminum. The Company provides complete innovative solutions to the global market and has beyond the existing facilities expanded with a distribution center in Hammelev in 2023.

### **Development in activities and finances**

The Company's activity and result for 2023 has not met our expectations, but considering the challenges in the Wind market the financial performance was on an acceptable level.

### Profit/loss for the year in relation to expected developments

The profit after tax for the year amounted to DKK 32,854k. The management is overall satisfied with the result of 2023.

### **Outlook**

The Company operates in a competitive market and a market that expect a high activity in the future. The overall long term outlook for the wind industry is good, but the higher demand that was expected for 2023 and 2024 has been postponed. We expect the activity and earnings to be on same level as 2023 based on current market situation.

### Statutory report on corporate social responsibility

### **Business model**

The Company's primary activity is to provide total solutions in steel, stainless steel and aluminum. The Group provides complete innovative solutions to the global market. The Company has modern machinery and a staff with high expertise. Production takes place in several factories.

Our solutions are distributed worldwide, and our suppliers are a sensible mix of big world-renowned companies and small local suppliers of special items.

### Sustainability

In 2023 The Company extended further the journey working for a more sustainable future among others continuing the work with 5 specific SDG's of the UN 17 sustainable development goals. With external support The Company initiated a deep dive into the requirements of the upcoming mandatory CSRD reporting (Corporate Sustainable Reporting Directive) which is demanded from 2025. In line with the new taxation legislation on carbon intensive goods sourced outside EU, CBAM (Carbon Border Adjustment Mechanism), the Company effectively and efficiently prepared for submission of data in 2024.

The outlook and ESG perspective for 2024 is a short-term strategy for ESG and defining the main prioritized areas within Environment, Social Responsibility and Governance including the specific SBTis (Science Based Target initiative). In scope is also developing and testing the intended data platform which is to be utilised for recording of the data. Further elaboration of the Company's sustainable actions is stated in the following chapters on "Environment", "Working environment - Health and safety" and "Code of Conduct.

### Environment

The most significant environmental impacts is continued to be related to energy consumption as well as the use of steel as our primary raw material.

The Company strives to be an engaged and environmental-friendly business partner. The Company's main impact on the CO2 emissions is a large energy consumption as well as using steel as raw material. The Company

contributes to lowering the CO2 emissions by using only renewable energy sources, responsible waste handling, and committing to environmental responsibility, the business takes ownership over its impact on the environment. Consumption of energy is always being monitored to continuously balancing increased production with decreased consumption.

Throughout 2023 waste handling was improved with implementation of among others a Waste App. This is reducing the number of transports to and from The Company and contributes to decarbonizisation. The Company will continue the work with scope 1, 2 and 3 carbon emissions as a part of the on-going ESG work. Furthermore, The Company intend to achieve a new environmental approval fitting the Company's current size and occupation.

### Working environment - Health and safety

Our biggest resource is our employees, and they are therefore our biggest risk. Retention of our employees to maintain the level of competency and ability to deliver is important.

Our most valuable resource is our employees, and if we fail to maintain a healthy and safe working environment we run a risk of accidents, illness and related absence. Such risk would not only negatively affect the individual, but in turn also our operations and ability to succeed with our business. Therefore, the safety and well-being of our employees is very important to us. We improved our safety procedures and launched a standardised mandatory safety introduction for new employees in 2023. Safety of the employees and visitors have the highest priority. The registration of near misses continues, and incidents and learnings are shared on a global level. BSB Industry will carry on supporting national health initiatives such as "Beat Cancer" and locally support different associations. Our activities within health and safety are anchored solidly in the on-going ESG work.

In 2023, we made another employee satisfaction survey with a high satisfactory result. Outcome is used by the management to address issues concerning wellbeing and how we can strengthen and develop people and the organization. One of the Company values is flexibility, and a high degree of this is acknowledged from both The Company and the workforce, i.e., through opportunities for admin staff to work from home if required and flexible office hours planned on a day to day basis. Driven from the work in The Staff Association also social activities will be offered in 2024.

### **Code of Conduct**

### Introduction

Respect for and compliance with the law takes a high priority for The Company and complying with the various legal and regulatory frameworks that apply in the jurisdictions where it operates, The Company can protect its integrity and reputation.

### **Purpose of the Code of Conduct**

The Code of Conduct is a collection of rules and policy statements intended to assist employees in their daily decision making. It sets forth guidelines for how to behave in relation to customers, suppliers, the authorities and other stakeholders.

The Code of Conduct applies to all entities and employees in the Company, and it is important that every employee understands and complies with the Code of Conduct. To ensure that every employee is familiar with the Code of Conduct, each manager is responsible for seeing that it is known and adhered to within their respective team.

### **Violation of the Code of Conduct**

Failure to comply with the Code of Conduct may expose employees and the Company to reputational damage as well as to legal and regulatory sanctions. Disciplinary proceedings in case of severe compliance misconduct may result in a reprimand, fine or dismissal.

### **Human rights**

The Company strives to adhere to all relevant laws and regulations aimed at the protection and promotion of human rights globally and at work.

The Company sees its employees as its greatest asset. Each employee is valuable and together they form the foundation for The Company's success.

It is important that employees treat everyone with dignity and respect. The Company does not accept discrimination based upon ethnic background, gender, religion, age or sexual orientation. Discriminatory behavior or harassment of any kind is not tolerated.

We train our employees in human rights, respect their right to freedom of association, and recognize the right to be member of a union or other collective bargaining group.

The Company is not aware of any breaches with human rights in our supply chain, but acknowledges that there is a risk that our suppliers are not complying to the human rights. The Company is trying to mitigate this by signing contracts with our suppliers before initiating a cooperation to make sure that the human rights are respected.

We do an annual evaluation of our suppliers according to our categorization. The evaluation consists of performance in terms of delivery and quality, but also in terms of Environment, Health and Safety and Code of Conduct. In 2024 we will continue these evaluations, including human rights requirements...

### **Child labor**

The Company supports all efforts to eliminate child labour in the long term. In the meantime, we will ensure that the UN Convention on the Rights of the Child is respected in all activities we take part in.

The Company requires a minimum age of 15 years for employees, and children aged 15-18 can never do strenuous or potentially hazardous work tasks. Moreover, children aged 15-18 must always be supervised and supported with training and frequent dialogues with their superiors. The best interest of the child is always priority.

### Anti-corruption, bribery and fraud

The Company condemns corruption in all its forms and does not tolerate it in its business or with its business partners. If employees are involved in bribery or corruption, they may find themselves personally criminally liable and subject to disciplinary action.

The three following principles apply:

- The Company and its employees do not accept or solicit bribes in any form.
- The Company does not make, and will not accept, facilitation payments or kickbacks of any kind.
- The Company's employees do not give or receive gifts above token value apart from gifts given or received in specific situations.

The line between right and wrong can sometimes be difficult to draw because of variations in local culture, customs and habits. If in doubt, employees should refer their concerns to their manager.

The Company does not tolerate any form of fraud, including theft, embezzlement, money laundering or misuse of The Company's property.

In 2023 there has not been any kind of corruption in The Company.

We have not identified any significant corruption risks in our operations. However, as we have a global supply chain, there will be some risk for corruption. Therefore, we mitigate this risk through various initiatives. The Company holds the right to audit main suppliers to make sure that they are fulfilling all requirements that has been provided by The Company. We will continue these initiatives in 2024 to decrease potential corruption risks.

### Gifts and entertainment

From time to time in the normal course of business relations, gifts (including entertainment) are offered, given and received. All employees must exercise great care with respect to gifts to and from customers, suppliers or others with whom they come into professional contact.

### **Dealing with confidential information**

All employees have a legal duty to safeguard confidential information, regardless of whether it is obtained from customers, associates, suppliers or sources within the Company. Confidential information must not be disclosed to third parties without the owner's consent.

### **Relations with suppliers**

The Company expects that our suppliers comply with national laws and internationally recognized standards and conventions for ethical, environmental and social conditions.

### **Relations with customers**

The aim is to ensure that customers trust the Company and experience value-creating relations. All communications through all channels to all target groups should be open, truthful and unambiguous.

### **Managing complaints**

The Company must deal with complaints from customers or former customers promptly and fairly and in accordance with applicable laws and regulations. The Company has developed procedures to support this process and the company holds a range of certifications among others; ISO 9001, ISO 14001 and ISO 45001.

### Corporate social responsibility in 2023

In 2023 a whistleblower channel was launched for employees of BSB. The channel can be used to report wrongdoings such as corruption, abuse of power, discrimination and harassment internally before authorities or the media are contacted.

The Company will continue to enforce our code of conduct, and will implement digital insurance of legal compliance, where we are alerted on any change in any relevant legislation in order to ensure continuous compliance.

Supplier Management is one of the primary focus areas also in 2024. This will help The Company to strengthen the partnerships with the suppliers to accommodate the future requirements in all aspects of human rights and sustainability.

### Statutory report on the underrepresented gender

	2023
Supreme management body	
Total number of members	5
Underrepresented gender (%)	0.00
Target figures (%)	30.00
Year of expected achievement of target figures	2027

The company is in the process of expanding the management team with a board of directors consisting of 5 members.

	2023
Other management levels	_
Total number of members	5
Underrepresented gender (%)	20.00
Target figures (%)	35.00
Year of expected achievement of target figures	2027

We strive towards an equal representation of both genders in the other management level. our policy is to focus on any barriers that may prevent the underrepresented gender from being appointed to managerial positions. This applies to all steps of recruitment – from job descriptions and advertisements to job interviews. Whenever it is possible, we strive to ensure that both women and men are considered for interviews for management positions.

Across our organization we predominantly have men employed, approximately 95%, largely due to the nature of our business and the industry we are in.

As we have grown our business in recent years, we have considered available options during recruitment to obtain a greater gender balance, because we believe it is a strength to our business to have a diverse workforce.

The Company wants to give equal conditions for all regardless of religion, ethnic origin or gender. Therefore, gender is considered in the selection process when recruiting or appointing, but the primary criteria for hiring will be competencies and personality. An important consideration is that the Company operates in an industry where management at all levels primarily consists of men, which may be a challenge in a recruitment process when selecting the best competences and still favoring the underrepresented gender. As laid down in the Company's strategy, the Company has a goal that no gender should be represented by less than 25% at all management levels.

In the Company Board of Directors, the gender distribution was 0 women and 5 men. The Company's goal is to increase the number of female board members by 1 and will make an effort to reach this goal by the financial year 2024.

At the Company's other management levels, the gender distribution was 1 woman and 4 men. The Company's goal is to increase the number of female management members by 1 and will make an effort to reach this goal by the financial year 2024.

### Statutory report on data ethics policy

We are conscious and aware of the many opportunities and uncertainties that come with the use of digital tools. As part of our work to ensure best practice in handling data responsibly and in accordance with the General Data Protection Regulation (GDPR), we have articulated our requirements and expectations to our employees around GDPR in a policy. We do not use complex technologies, our data landscape is fairly simple at the moment. Based on the above, we have not found it necessary to develop a specific policy around data ethics. However, we continuously consider ethical matters, in the way we handle and use data in order to ensure the rights and expectations of our employees and our customers.

### **Events after the balance sheet date**

See note 1 regarding events after the balance sheet date.

# **Income statement for 2023**

		2023	2022
	Notes	DKK	DKK
Revenue	2	651,614,411	726,126,440
Other operating income		90,503	0
Costs of raw materials and consumables		(527,742,326)	(590,689,179)
Other external expenses	3	(26,145,459)	(25,343,923)
Gross profit/loss		97,817,129	110,093,338
Staff costs	4	(49,361,416)	(51,478,971)
Depreciation, amortisation and impairment losses	5	(5,319,451)	(5,976,528)
Other operating expenses		0	(43,406)
Operating profit/loss		43,136,262	52,594,433
Other financial income from group enterprises		181,709	191,275
Other financial income	6	1,882,197	5,533,136
Other financial expenses	7	(2,922,939)	(1,442,580)
Profit/loss before tax		42,277,229	56,876,264
Tax on profit/loss for the year	8	(9,422,984)	(12,502,430)
Profit/loss for the year	9	32,854,245	44,373,834

# **Balance sheet at 31.12.2023**

### **Assets**

	Notes	2023 DKK	2022 DKK
Goodwill	Notes	0	0
Intangible assets	10	0	0
Land and buildings		3,305,975	4,265,843
Plant and machinery		3,970,805	6,743,281
Other fixtures and fittings, tools and equipment		3,729,686	2,459,345
Leasehold improvements		9,265	51,750
Property, plant and equipment	11	11,015,731	13,520,219
Receivables from group enterprises		0	7,664,306
Deposits		1,957,350	1,957,350
Financial assets	12	1,957,350	9,621,656
Fixed assets		12,973,081	23,141,875
Raw materials and consumables		24,964,900	31,327,192
Work in progress		3,128,579	4,629,594
Manufactured goods and goods for resale		44,523,696	59,602,394
Inventories		72,617,175	95,559,180
Trade receivables		176,656,302	234,312,913
Receivables from group enterprises		1,913,733	9,447,195
Deferred tax	13	2,503,757	2,001,828
Other receivables		1,810,462	4,772,444
Derivative financial instruments	14	450,002	2,029,461
Receivables		183,334,256	252,563,841
Cash		14,222,792	67,831
Current assets		270,174,223	348,190,852
Assets		283,147,304	371,332,727

### **Equity and liabilities**

	Notes	2023 DKK	2022 DKK
Contributed capital	15	9,000,000	9,000,000
Reserve for fair value adjustments of hedging instruments		531,653	1,763,632
Retained earnings		154,842,761	146,988,516
Proposed dividend		25,000,000	25,000,000
Equity		189,374,414	182,752,148
Other provisions	16	4,500,000	2,500,000
Provisions		4,500,000	2,500,000
Mortgage debt		1,804,427	2,101,654
Bank loans		2,519,990	2,999,990
Lease liabilities		4,152,684	7,159,437
Non-current liabilities other than provisions	17	8,477,101	12,261,081
Current portion of non-current liabilities other than provisions	17	3,830,396	3,834,759
Bank loans		0	51,177,368
Trade payables		50,543,059	91,641,605
Payables to group enterprises		17,579,976	6,518,123
Joint taxation contribution payable		3,169,432	13,148,341
Other payables		5,672,926	7,499,302
Current liabilities other than provisions		80,795,789	173,819,498
Liabilities other than provisions		89,272,890	186,080,579
Equity and liabilities		283,147,304	371,332,727
Events after the balance sheet date	1		
Fair value information	18		
Unrecognised rental and lease commitments	19		
Contingent liabilities	20		
Assets charged and collateral	21		
Related parties with controlling interest	22		
Non-arm's length related party transactions	23		

# Statement of changes in equity for 2023

	Contributed capital DKK	Reserve for fair value adjustments of hedging instruments DKK	Retained earnings DKK	Proposed dividend DKK	Total DKK
Equity beginning of year	9,000,000	1,763,632	146,988,516	25,000,000	182,752,148
Ordinary dividend paid	0	0	0	(25,000,000)	(25,000,000)
Fair value adjustments of hedging instruments	0	(1,579,460)	0	0	(1,579,460)
Tax of entries on equity	0	347,481	0	0	347,481
Profit/loss for the year	0	0	7,854,245	25,000,000	32,854,245
Equity end of year	9,000,000	531,653	154,842,761	25,000,000	189,374,414

### **Notes**

### 1 Events after the balance sheet date

No events have occurred after the balance sheet date which would influence the evaluation of the annual report.

### 2 Revenue

	2023 2022	
	DKK	DKK
Denmark	528,753,499	574,385,240
EU	26,056,345	15,458,985
Other countries	96,804,567	136,282,215
Total revenue by geographical market	651,614,411	726,126,440

### 3 Fees to the auditor appointed by the Annual General Meeting

For an overview of fees to auditor appointed by the Annual General Meeting refer to the annual report for BSB Group A/S

### 4 Staff costs

4 Staff costs		
	2023	2022
	DKK	DKK
Wages and salaries	44,362,055	47,063,371
Pension costs	4,030,837	3,593,696
Other social security costs	968,524	821,904
	49,361,416	51,478,971
Average number of full-time employees	69	71
	Remuneration	Remuneration
	of	of
	Management	Management
	2023	2022
	DKK	DKK
Executive Board	680,004	680,004
Board of Directors	3,514,023	6,059,384
	4,194,027	6,739,388
5 Depreciation, amortisation and impairment losses		
	2023	2022
	DKK	DKK
Depreciation of property, plant and equipment	5,319,451	5,976,528

5,319,451

5,976,528

### **6 Other financial income**

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	2023	2022
	DKK	DKK
Other interest income	2,582	0
Exchange rate adjustments	1,879,615	5,507,171
Other financial income	0	25,965
	1,882,197	5,533,136
7 Other financial expenses		
	2023	2022
	DKK	DKK
Other interest expenses	2,515,654	1,368,510
Exchange rate adjustments	353,019	0
Other financial expenses	54,266	74,070
	2,922,939	1,442,580
8 Tax on profit/loss for the year		
	2023	2022
	DKK	DKK
Current tax	9,924,913	12,541,387
Change in deferred tax	(501,929)	(38,957)
	9,422,984	12,502,430
9 Proposed distribution of profit and loss		
•	2023	2022
	DKK	DKK
Ordinary dividend for the financial year	25,000,000	25,000,000
Retained earnings	7,854,245	19,373,834
	32,854,245	44,373,834

### 10 Intangible assets

	Goodwill	
	DKK	
Cost beginning of year	3,000,000	
Cost end of year	3,000,000	
Amortisation and impairment losses beginning of year	(3,000,000)	
Amortisation and impairment losses end of year	(3,000,000)	
Carrying amount end of year	0	

### 11 Property, plant and equipment

			Other fixtures and fittings,	
	Land and buildings	Plant and machinery	tools and equipment	Leasehold improvements
	DKK	DKK	DKK	DKK
Cost beginning of year	24,283,077	46,224,754	12,457,339	550,518
Additions	206,776	0	2,617,685	0
Disposals	(3,154,585)	0	(878,247)	(15,491)
Cost end of year	21,335,268	46,224,754	14,196,777	535,027
Depreciation and impairment losses beginning of year	(20,017,234)	(39,481,473)	(9,997,994)	(498,768)
Depreciation for the year	(1,166,644)	(2,772,476)	(1,339,010)	(41,321)
Reversal regarding disposals	3,154,585	0	869,913	14,327
Depreciation and impairment losses end of year	(18,029,293)	(42,253,949)	(10,467,091)	(525,762)
Carrying amount end of year	3,305,975	3,970,805	3,729,686	9,265
Recognised assets not owned by entity	0	3,970,805	0	0

### **12 Financial assets**

	Receivables from group	Deposits DKK
	enterprises DKK	
Cost beginning of year	7,664,306	1,957,350
Disposals	(7,664,306)	0
Cost end of year	0	1,957,350
Carrying amount end of year	0	1,957,350

### 13 Deferred tax

	2023	2022 DKK
	DKK	
Property, plant and equipment	1,735,331	(163,409)
Inventories	(255,033)	(255,055)
Provisions	990,000	550,000
Liabilities other than provisions	33,459	1,870,292
Deferred tax	2,503,757	2,001,828

	2023	2022
Changes during the year	DKK	DKK
Beginning of year	2,001,828	1,962,871
Recognised in the income statement	501,929	38,957
End of year	2,503,757	2,001,828

### **Deferred tax assets**

The company expect to make use of the deferred tax asset in future tax profits.

### **14 Derivative financial instruments**

Derivative financial instruments include the fair value of hedging instruments of kDKK 122. The hedging instruments has been entered to secure a fixed interest rate on the company's variable-rate bank loans. The hedging instruments have a principal of DKK 6,2 million and secures a fixed interest rate of 1,15 % for the remaining term of 6 years.

Furthermore, deriative financial instruments include the fair value of foreign exchange forward transactions of kDKK 328. The foreign exchange forward transactions have been entered to secure the company's purchases of goods against unexpected exchange rate adjustment. The foreign exchange forward transactions secure the exchange rate of PLN 2,0 million for the coming three months after year end, which in a total amounts to PLN 6 million.

The financial instruments are entered with the company's bank.

### 15 Share capital

		Nominal value	
	Number	DKK	
Share capital	9,000,000	9,000,000	
	9,000,000	9,000,000	

### **16 Other provisions**

Other provisions consist of provisions for warranty.

### 17 Non-current liabilities other than provisions

			Due after	
	Due within 12 months	Due within 12 months	more than 12 months	Outstanding after 5 years
	2023	2022	2023	2023
	DKK	DKK	DKK	DKK
Mortgage debt	301,910	302,033	1,804,427	466,715
Bank loans	480,000	480,000	2,519,990	599,990
Lease liabilities	3,048,486	3,052,726	4,152,684	0
	3,830,396	3,834,759	8,477,101	1,066,705

#### 18 Fair value information

18 Fair Value information	Fair value adjustments of hedging	Fair value adjustments of foreign exchange forward
	instruments	transactions
	DKK	DKK
Fair value end of year	122,402	327,600
Unrealised fair value	100,155	1,479,304
adjustments recognised in the fair value reserve in equity		
19 Unrecognised rental and lease commitments		
	2023	2022
	DKK	DKK
Liabilities under rental or lease agreements until maturity in total	31,929,257	33,659,972

7,380,000

9,144,000

### **20 Contingent liabilities**

The Entity participates in a Danish joint taxation arrangement where serves as the administration company. According to the joint taxation provisions of the Danish Corporation Tax Act, the Entity is therefore liable for income taxes etc for the jointly taxed entities, and for obligations, if any, relating to the withholding of tax on interest, royalties and dividend for the jointly taxed entities. The jointly taxed entities' total known net liability under the joint taxation arrangement is disclosed in the administration company's financial statements.

Liabilities under rental agreements or leases with group enterprises until expiry

### 21 Assets charged and collateral

Mortgage debt is secured by way of mortgage on properties registered to the mortgagor on properties of DKK 5,000k. The carrying amount of mortgaged properties is DKK 3,306k

Bank loans are secured by way of a deposited mortgage deed registered to the mortgagor on properties of DKK 8,750k. The mortgage deed registered to the mortgagor of DKK 8,750k is provided as security for all bank commitments in BSB Ejendomme ApS.

Certain items of plant and machinery, and other fixtures etc have been financed by means of finance leases. The carrying amount of assets held under finance leases is DKK 3,971k.

Payables to credit institutions are secured on a floating charge of DKK 42,000k on the Company's assets. of which a floating charge of DKK 40,000k is provided as security for bank commitments in BSB Poland Sp. Z.o.o. and a floating charge of DKK 2,000k as security for bank commitments in BSB Ejendomme ApS.

The Company has guaranteed the bank commitments of BSB Ejendomme ApS.

### 22 Related parties with controlling interest

BSB Group A/S CVR nr. 41966262, Industrivej 7, 6640 Lunderskov owns all shares in the Entity, thus exercising control.

There are no other parties with controlling interest

### 23 Non-arm's length related party transactions

Only related party transactions not conducted on an arm's length basis are disclosed in the annual report. No such transactions have been conducted in the financial year.

# **Accounting policies**

### **Reporting class**

This annual report has been presented in accordance with the provisions of the Danish Financial Statements Act governing reporting class C enterprises (large).

The accounting policies applied to these financial statements are consistent with those applied last year.

### **Recognition and measurement**

Assets are recognised in the balance sheet when it is probable as a result of a prior event that future economic benefits will flow to the Entity, and the value of the asset can be measured reliably.

Liabilities are recognised in the balance sheet when the Entity has a legal or constructive obligation as a result of a prior event, and it is probable that future economic benefits will flow out of the Entity, and the value of the liability can be measured reliably.

On initial recognition, assets and liabilities are measured at cost. Measurement subsequent to initial recognition is effected as described below for each financial statement item.

Anticipated risks and losses that arise before the time of presentation of the annual report and that confirm or invalidate affairs and conditions existing at the balance sheet date are considered at recognition and measurement.

Income is recognised in the income statement when earned, whereas costs are recognised by the amounts attributable to this financial year.

### **Derivative financial instruments**

On initial recognition in the balance sheet, derivative financial instruments are measured at cost and subsequently at fair value. Derivative financial instruments are recognised under other receivables or other payables.

Changes in the fair value of derivative financial instruments classified as and complying with the requirements for hedging the fair value of a recognised asset or a recognised liability are recorded in the income statement together with changes in the value of the hedged asset or the hedged liability.

Changes in the fair value of derivative financial instruments classified as and complying with the requirements for hedging future transactions are recognised directly in equity. When the hedged transactions are realised, the accumulated changes are recognised as part of cost of the relevant financial statement items.

For derivative financial instruments that do not comply with the requirements for being treated as hedging instruments, changes in fair value are recognised currently in the income statement as financial income or financial expenses.

### **Income statement**

### Revenue

Revenue from the sale of manufactured goods and goods for resale is recognised in the income statement

when delivery is made and risk has passed to the buyer. Revenue is recognised net of VAT, duties and sales discounts and is measured at fair value of the consideration fixed.

### Other operating income

Other operating income comprises income of a secondary nature as viewed in relation to the Entity's primary activities, including profit from the sale of intangible assets and property, plant and equipment, and salary refunds.

### Costs of raw materials and consumables

Costs of raw materials and consumables comprise the consumption of raw materials and consumables for the financial year after adjustment for changes in inventories of these goods from the beginning to the end of the year. This item includes shrinkage, if any, and normal writedowns of the relevant inventories.

### Other external expenses

Other external expenses include expenses relating to the Entity's ordinary activities, including expenses for premises, stationery and office supplies, marketing costs, etc. This item also includes writedowns of receivables recognised in current assets.

#### Staff costs

Staff costs comprise salaries and wages, and social security contributions, pension contributions, etc for entity staff.

### Depreciation, amortisation and impairment losses

Depreciation, amortisation and impairment losses relating to property, plant and equipment and intangible assets comprise depreciation, amortisation and impairment losses for the financial year, and gains and losses from the sale of intangible assets and property, plant and equipment.

### Other operating expenses

Other operating expenses comprise expenses of a secondary nature as viewed in relation to the Entity's primary activities, including loss from the sale of intangible assets and property, plant and equipment.

### Other financial income from group enterprises

Other financial income from group enterprises comprises interest income etc on receivables from group enterprises.

### Other financial income

Other financial income comprises including interest income on receivables from group enterprises, transactions in foreign currencies, amortisation of financial assets, and tax relief under the Danish Tax Prepayment Scheme etc.

### Other financial expenses

Other financial expenses comprise interest expenses, net capital or exchange losses on securities, payables and transactions in foreign currencies, amortisation of financial liabilities, and tax surcharge under the Danish Tax Prepayment Scheme etc.

### Tax on profit/loss for the year

Tax for the year, which consists of current tax for the year and changes in deferred tax, is recognised in the income statement by the portion attributable to the profit for the year and recognised directly in equity by the portion attributable to entries directly in equity.

The Entity is jointly taxed with all Danish group enterprises. The current Danish income tax is allocated among the jointly taxed entities proportionally to their taxable income (full allocation with a refund concerning tax losses).

### **Balance sheet**

#### Goodwill

Goodwill is the positive difference between cost and fair value of assets and liabilities arising from acquisitions. Goodwill is amortised straight-line over its estimated useful life, which is fixed based on the experience gained by Management for each business area. For other amounts of goodwill, useful life has been determined based on an assessment of whether the enterprises are strategically acquired enterprises with a strong market position and a long-term earnings profile and whether the amount of goodwill includes intangible resources of a temporary nature that cannot be separated and recognised as separate assets. Useful lives are reassessed annually. The amortisation periods used are 5 years.

Goodwill is written down to the lower of recoverable amount and carrying amount.

### Property, plant and equipment

Land and buildings, plant and machinery, and other fixtures and fittings, tools and equipment are measured at cost less accumulated depreciation and impairment losses. Land is not depreciated.

Cost comprises the acquisition price, costs directly attributable to the acquisition and preparation costs of the asset until the time when it is ready to be put into operation. For assets subject to financial lease, cost represents the lowest value of either the fair value of the asset or the present value of future lease payments.

The basis of depreciation is cost less estimated residual value after the end of useful life. Straight-line depreciation is made on the basis of the following estimated useful lives of the assets:

	Useful life
Buildings	10-30 years
Plant and machinery	5-8 years
Other fixtures and fittings, tools and equipment	3-5 years
Leasehold improvements	3-5 years

For leasehold improvements and assets subject to finance leases, the depreciation period cannot exceed the contract period.

Estimated useful lives and residual values are reassessed annually.

Items of property, plant and equipment are written down to the lower of recoverable amount and carrying amount.

### **Receivables**

Receivables are measured at amortised cost, usually equalling nominal value, less writedowns for bad and doubtful debts.

### **Inventories**

Inventories are measured at the lower of cost using the FIFO method and net realisable value.

Cost consists of purchase price plus delivery costs. Cost of manufactured goods and work in progress consists of costs of raw materials, consumables, direct labour costs and indirect production costs.

Indirect production costs comprise indirect materials and labour costs, costs of maintenance of, depreciation of and impairment losses relating to machinery, factory buildings and equipment used in the manufacturing process, and costs of factory administration and management. Finance costs are not included in cost.

The net realisable value of inventories is calculated as the estimated selling price less completion costs and costs incurred to execute sale.

### **Deferred** tax

Deferred tax is recognised on all temporary differences between the carrying amount and the tax-based value of assets and liabilities, for which the tax-based value is calculated based on the planned use of each asset. However, no deferred tax is recognised for amortisation of goodwill disallowed for tax purposes and temporary differences arising at the date of acquisition that do not result from a business combination and that do not have any effect on profit or loss or on taxable income.

Deferred tax assets, including the tax base of tax loss carryforwards, are recognised in the balance sheet at their estimated realisable value, either as a set-off against deferred tax liabilities or as net tax assets.

### Cash

Cash comprises cash in hand and bank deposits.

### **Dividend**

Dividend is recognised as a liability at the time of adoption at the general meeting. Proposed dividend for the financial year is disclosed as a separate item in equity. Extraordinary dividend adopted in the financial year is recognised directly in equity when distributed and disclosed as a separate item in Management's proposal for distribution of profit/loss.

### Other provisions

Other provisions comprise anticipated costs of non-recourse guarantee commitments, returns, loss on contract work in progress, decided and published restructuring, etc.

### Mortgage debt

At the time of borrowing, mortgage debt to mortgage credit institutions is measured at cost which corresponds to the proceeds received less transaction costs incurred. Mortgage debt is subsequently measured at amortised cost. This means that the difference between the proceeds at the time of borrowing and the nominal repayable amount of the loan is recognised in the income statement as a financial expense over the term of the loan applying the effective interest method.

### **Lease liabilities**

Lease liabilities relating to assets held under finance leases are recognised in the balance sheet as liabilities other than provisions, and, at the time of inception of the lease, measured at the present value of future lease payments. Subsequent to initial recognition, lease liabilities are measured at amortised cost. The difference between present value and nominal amount of the lease payments is recognised in the income statement as a financial expense over the term of the leases.

### Other financial liabilities

Other financial liabilities are measured at amortised cost, which usually corresponds to nominal value.

### Joint taxation contributions payable or receivable

Current joint taxation contributions receivable or joint taxation contributions payable are recognised in the balance sheet, calculated as tax computed on the taxable income of the year, which has been adjusted for prepaid tax. For tax losses, joint taxation contributions receivable are only recognised if such losses are expected to be used under the joint taxation arrangement.

### **Cash flow statement**

Referring to section 86(4) of the Danish Financial Statements Act, the Entity has prepared no cash flow statement as such statement is included in the consolidated cash flow statement of BSB Group A/S, Business Reg. No. 41 96 62 62