

SRI LANKA CEMENT CORPORATION

ANNUAL REPORT AND ACCOUNTS

2018

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The Secretary,
Ministry of Industry and Commerce, resettlement of protracted displaced persons and Corporative development,
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Dear Sir,

SRI LANKA CEMENT CORPORATION
FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR, 2018

In terms of Section 30 (1) of the State Industrial Corporation Act No.49 of 1957, I have pleasure in submitting the Report of the Board of Directors of the Corporation for the year, 2018 together with the following documents.

- a). Financial Statement for the year, 2018
- b). The Auditor General's Report and
- c). Observations of the Board on (b) above.

Yours faithfully,

For and on behalf of the Board of Directors of the
SRI LANKA CEMENT CORPORATION

Signed,
S.SUBAIRDEEN,
CHAIRMAN.

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SRI LANKA CEMENT CORPORATION

REPORT OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS FOR THE YEAR 2018

1.0 BACKGROUND

The Cement Factory at Kankesanthurai which was established in 1950 under the Department of Industries was converted to a Public Corporation in 1956 under the provisions of the Government Sponsored Corporations Act No.19 of 1955 and named Kankesan Cement Works.

On 1st January 1959 the Corporation was reconstituted as Ceylon Cement Corporation under the Industrial Corporations Act No. 49 of 1957.

In the year 1980 the name was changed to “Sri Lanka Cement Corporation” by a Gazette notification. This Corporation which functioned under the Ministry of Industries and Scientific affairs was brought under the purview of the Ministry of Local Government, Housing & Construction from 1st February 1985. After that, since 19th June 1997 the Corporation was again under the Ministry of Industrial Development and still continuing as same until 2010 and vested under the Ministry of State Resources & Enterprises Development up to February, 2015. Thereafter, Sri Lanka Cement Corporation functioned under the Ministry of Industry and Commerce, resettlement of protracted displaced persons and Corporate development.

2.0 VISION AND MISSION STATEMENT

VISION

To provide Guidance and Leadership to Facilitate the Development of the Cement Industry in Sri Lanka.

MISSION

Ensure and adequate supply of Quality Cement and other cement based products to meet the country needs.

MAIN OBJECTIVES

The main objective of the Corporation is to ensure the recommencement of the Kankesan Cement Factory.

And, to process the development projects for Lands at Kollupitiya, Mannar , Palavi and Aruwakkalu belongings to the corporation and convert those assets as income generating ways.

MAIN FUNCTIONS

The functions and objectives of the Corporation as indicated in the Incorporation order published in Gazette Extraordinary No.11634 of 2nd January, 1959 are as follows;

- To manufacture and sell Cement.
- To manufacture and sell articles made of cement or cement concrete including telephone and telegraph posts, telephone booths, water carriage equipment, Hume pipes and tiling.

- To supply electrical energy in bulk to any person.

By the order published in Gazette Extraordinary No.14033 of 11th May, 1964 order with the approval of the Government amend the order under section 2 of that Act. Published in Gazette Extraordinary No.11634 of 2nd January, 1959 in the first schedule thereto, in paragraph 1, thereof, by substituting for the words “*The manufacture and sale of cement*” of the word “*The manufacture, importation and sale of cement*”.

The Corporation had invested Rs.1,083,618,910/= in the Lanka Cement PLC in 1981 and holds 62.45% of the Share Capital. The par value of the share is Rs.10/=. The market value was Rs.8.20 per share in October, 2015 and Rs.7.90 at the month of December, 2015. The Corporation has not been benefited on this investment up to now. Lanka Cement PLC is control and monitoring by same management from April, 2010 to 25th February, 2016.

Sri Lanka Cement Corporation also owns 320,000 ordinary shares of Rs.10/= each in the Lafarge Mahaweli Cement Company Limited, and benefited by a Bonus issue of one new ordinary share for every two shares held by the Corporation as at 31st December, 1995. The Corporation now owns 480,000 ordinary shares in LMCCCL which is 10% of the total shareholding. The Corporation has been benefited by a very good return (dividend) on this investment up to 1999. In 2015, we received Rs.1,728,000/- as a dividend for the year 2014.

3.0 PRESENT POSITION

With the peoplization of Puttalam Cement Works and Ruhunu Cement Works and transfer of ownership of Paper Bags Unit at Mattakuliya to the General Treasury the Sri Lanka Cement Corporation is only left with the Kankesan Cement Works which is also not in operation since June 1990 due to security situation in the North. The factory premises are under the Sri Lanka Army supervision.

The several efforts have been made over the years to release the land and wherein possibilities to recommence production have been comprehensively studied. Necessary reports have been forwarded to the relevant authorities and found feasible for implementation provided the security clearance is assured.

The organization engaged with the import & distribute of Ordinary Portland Cement from 2008 and produce & sale of concrete base products from 1997.

The Government had introduced a Voluntary Retirement Scheme in 2016 and 36 employees have left their service from 31.07.2016 according to that Scheme.

a) Imports and Sales of Ordinary Portland Cement

In the year 2008, we started importation of cement for supply quality goods with lowest price to customers under the brand name of “Kankesan”. The Corporation has imported 219,559 MT from 2008 to 2012.

In the year 2013 & 2014, the Corporation has imported 20,300 MT & 18,900MT respectively. We have imported 1,540 MT and 3,815MT of Ordinary Portland Cement in 2015 and 2016 respectively.

The Corporation imported 980MT of Ordinary Portland Cement in 2017 and temporary stop with the board decision to importation due to the lake of sales staff & financial arrangements.

Sales of Cement

Year	2017	2016	2015
Qty (MT)	980	4,002	2,780
Value (Rs.)	12.66Mn	60.15Mn	37.87Mn

b) Manufacturing & Selling of Concrete based Products

The Corporation also started a Concrete production Yard at Urumpirai in October 1997. The Unit has been mainly engaged in production of RC Poles for Ceylon Electricity Board and Telegraph poles for Sri Lanka Telecom.

In the year 2009 we produce Concrete blocks, beams, pavement slabs and fence posts were supplied to Building Department, Road Development Authority, University of Jaffna and the General Public in addition to the concrete poles production.

We produced 16,431 Nos Concrete based products during the year 2009 to 2012.

The corporation has produced 2,003 Nos. Concrete Poles in the year 2013 and 1,674 Nos. Concrete based products in 2014. During the year 2015 also produced 191Nos of Concrete Poles, 832 Nos of Panthal Post and 71,771 Nos of concrete blocks. In the year 2016 produced 168 Nos Concrete Poles, 224 Nos of Fence Post, 95 Nos of RC Columns and 30,122 Nos of Concrete blocks.

Sales of Concrete Products

Year	2018	2017	2016	2015
Concrete poles (Qty)	-	-	304	-
Fence poles (Qty)	-	4	253	391
RC columns (Qty)	99	145	169	419
Concrete blocks	-	-	46,907	54,805
Total Value (Rs.)	0.56Mn	1.13Mn	4.07Mn	2.69Mn

According to the circular no.02/2016, all K.C.W.employees except two left their service from 31.07.2016. Two employees were retained for sales of concrete products.

c) Rental income generating from assets of the corporation

The corporation was instructed by the Department of Public Enterprises to find out the persons or institutions that are need of lime stones and find the way to lease out those properties & updating lease agreements for such lands for rentals with a view of earning an income.

d) Medieval Procedures for attain efficiency of the organization

We are expecting to proceed suitable development projects regarding our lands at Kollupitiya, Mannar, Puttalam and Kankasanthurei and generate income from those lands. Then, we can achieve stability and efficiency situation to the organization.

The restructuring program for the organization and amalgamate with Lanka Cement PLC after converting to a company according to the Cabinet decision from 2015. At present, these two entities managed by separate board of directors from February, 2016.

4.0 PROFITABILITY

The Corporation had a surplus of Rs.2.6Mn in 2011. In 2012, 2013 & 2014 the corporation has continuously losses as 75Mn, 424Mn & 13Mn respectively. Subsequently, the Corporation had a surplus of Rs.4.34Mn & Rs.31.70Mn in 2015 & 2016. In 2017, the Corporation reported Rs.15.61Mn as profit after tax.

As per the financial statements for 2018, we earned the accounting profit before income tax of Rs.19.59Mn. It shows 7.78% increase with compared for the previous year figure. In this year we got 8 months interest waiver-of to the bank loan interest and it was Rs.10.07Mn. As a result of that the Corporation reported Rs.15.96Mn as profit after tax.

5.0 FUTURE ROLE OF SRI LANKA CEMENT CORPORATION

The Sri Lanka Cement Corporation is not presently engaged in production of cement due to the temporary closure of the factory at Kankasanturai in June 1990, which is the only factory owned by SLCC. However, prospects for recommencing the production of cement by KCW, in the immediate future are difficult to forecast. Necessary reports have been forwarded to the relevant authorities.

The Corporation has been requested to handover the Kankasanthurei factory premises from Sri Lanka Army, but they're not handover it to us. We can proceed the suitable development project if they handover it to us.

As per the instruction given by the Ministry of Industry and Commerce by the letter reference no. MIC/R/07/06/07, dated on 27.10.2016, as the Minutes of the meeting held on 20.10.2016 regarding the future activities to the organizations who was implementing the Voluntary Retirement Scheme on 31.07.2016. We have given considerable attention to proceed the development projects regarding our lands at Kollupitiya, Mannar, Puttalam and Kankasanthurei.

The discussions held with relevant parties to introduce development projects to our lands and other resources.

And we will manage the income generate from those projects and try to achieve the strong financial strength & continue the stability of the organization.

6.0 APPRECIATIONS

The Board of Directors sincerely thank to the Honorable Minister, Ministry of Industry & Commerce for the directives given to the Sri Lanka Cement Corporation, Officials of the Line Ministry, General Treasury, State Banks and Other Government Institutions for their co-operation given to the SLCC in 2018.

The Board of Directors also wishes to record its appreciation for the services rendered by the employees of the Sri Lanka Cement Corporation.

INFORMATION ABOUT CORPORATION

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BANKERS

People's Bank

Bank of Ceylon.

AUDITORS

National Audit Office,

Baththaramulla.

SRI LANKA CEMENT CORPORATION

The Board of Management for the year 2018, under review consisted of the following Directors.

01. Mr.H. Ahamed Bhaila	Chairman	- Appointed on 10.12.2015 to 25.06.2018
02. Mr.M. Reyyaz S. Salley	Chairman	- Appointed on 25.06.2018 to 10.04.2019
03. Mr.S.Subairdeen	Chairman	- Appointed on 10.04.2019
02. Mr. S.Abdeen Ehiya	Managing Director	-Appointed on 25.02.2016
03. Mr.W.D.Janaka	Director	- Appointed on 25.02.2015 to 24.07.2018
04. Mr.M.S.M.Kabeer	Director	- Appointed on 18.03.2015
05. Mr.N.M.Munawar	Director	- Appointed on 31.03.2015
06. Mr.A.Rafeek	Director	- Appointed on 30.04.2015
07. Mrs.D.S.A.Costa	Treasury rep.	- Appointed on 30.10.2015
08. Mrs.K.N.Fernando	Ministry observer-	Appointed on 26.12.2017 to 25.07.2018
10. Mr.L.G.Nilanga D.Somapala	Ministry observer-	Appointed on 25.07.2018 to 26.04.2019
09. Mr.W.N.R.Wijekoon	Ministry observer-	Appointed on 26.04.2019

SENIOR MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE

01. Mrs.M.G.A.T.RJayathilaka	Accountant	Head Office
02. Mrs.E.S.Chandani	Administrative Officer	Head Office

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HUMAN RESOURCES AS AT 31.12.2018

CATEGORY	Senior	Middle	Junior	Management	Primary Total	
	Mgt.	Mgt.	Mgt.	Assistant	Level	
Head Office	02	01	01	03	07	14
Kankesan Cement	--	--	--	--	01	01
Works						
TOTAL	02	01	01	03	08	15

CHAIRMAN’S MESSAGE - 2018

On behalf of the Board of Directors, I take pleasure in presenting the Annual Report and Financial Statements of the Sri Lanka Cement Corporation for the year ended 31st December, 2018.

During the year, we looked the ability of engagement with development projects to convert the idle assets of the corporation as income generating activities with the government embarked on large infrastructural development policy plan.

The corporation earned Rs.36Mn as turnover in this year and there was a decrease of Rs.13Mn compared with the turnover recorded in the previous year. The discontinuation of the process of import & distribute the Ordinary Portland Cement 50Kg bags mainly affected to this decrease in the turnover.

However, we earned Rs.1.42Mn as a growth in net profit before tax for the year under review compared with the recorded amount in the previous year as a result of diminish in the administrative & financial expenses in this year.

Finally, we stable with the financial operations during this year and hope to achieve a further step in future.

I take this opportunity to extend my sincere thanks to the Honorable Minister of Industry and Commerce, Resettlement of Protracted Displaced Persons and Cooperative Development and I thankful to the Secretary & the staff members of the line ministry for their assistance and guidance given to us.

And also, I thankful to the Board of directors and the all staff of the Sri Lanka Cement Corporation for the support had been given to us during the financial period.

Signed,
M.REYYAZ S. SALLEY
Chairman
Sri Lanka Cement Corporation

SRI LANKA CEMENT CORPORATION
STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION
As at year ended 31 December, 2014-2018

	2018	2017	Restated 2016	2015	2014
	Rs.'000	Rs.'000	Rs.'000	Rs.'000	Rs.'000
ASSETS					
Non-current assets					
Property, plant & equipment	1457	1,590	3,887	4,173	779,317
Investment properties	796,950	796,950	773,700	773,700	-
Long term receivables	-	-	-	757,224	757,224
Investments	624,063	624,063	624,063	862,458	721,589
Financial assets	5,689	5,689	5,162	35,469	33,428
	<u>1,428,633</u>	<u>1,428,292</u>	<u>1,406,812</u>	<u>2,433,024</u>	<u>2,291,558</u>
Current assets					
Inventories	925	1,241	3,099	8,594	18,933
Trade & other receivables	72,999	74,469	89,212	80,551	96,247
Pre-payments	-	-	-	-	-
Cash & cash equivalents	19,867	9,158	13,687	8,743	2,076
	<u>93,793</u>	<u>84,868</u>	<u>105,998</u>	<u>97,838</u>	<u>117,256</u>
TOTAL ASSETS	<u>1,522,426</u>	<u>1,513,160</u>	<u>1,512,810</u>	<u>2,530,863</u>	<u>2,408,814</u>
EQUITY & LIABILITIES					
Equity					
Stated capital	966,971	966,971	966,971	966,971	966,971
General reserves	9,997	9,997	9,997	9,997	9,997
Revaluation reserves	561,203	561,203	536,119	536,119	713,619
Retained earing	(181,899)	(197,585)	(210,289)	515,234	333,315
Available for sales reserves	(465,956)	(465,956)	(465,956)	(227,560)	(368,430)
	<u>890,317</u>	<u>874,630</u>	<u>836,842</u>	<u>1,800,761</u>	<u>1,655,474</u>
Non-current liabilities					
Long term liabilities	586,126	492,426	492,426	500,426	519,303
Retirement benefit obligation	4,013	3,796	3,298	18,697	19,394
	<u>590,139</u>	<u>496,222</u>	<u>495,724</u>	<u>519,123</u>	<u>538,698</u>
Current liabilities					
Trade & other payables	36,824	42,317	46,502	81,305	93,227
Current position of interest bearing liabilities	4,000	97,794	97,793	101,020	68,515
Bank loan interest payable	1,146	2,198	21,768		
Cash & cash equivalents	-	-	14,181	28,653	52,900
	<u>41,970</u>	<u>142,308</u>	<u>180,244</u>	<u>210,978</u>	<u>214,642</u>
TOTAL EQUITY & LIABILITIES	<u>1,522,426</u>	<u>1,513,160</u>	<u>1,512,810</u>	<u>2,530,863</u>	<u>2,408,814</u>

Figures in brackets indicate deductions.

SRI LANKA CEMENT CORPORATION**STATEMENT OF COMPREHENSIVE
INCOME****For the year ended 31 December, 2014-2018**

	2018	2017	Restated 2016	2015	2014
	Rs.'000	Rs.'000	Rs.'000	Rs.'000	Rs.'000
Income	36,065	15,130	64,221	40,571	285,657
Costs of sales	(316)	(16,215)	(66,525)	(50,781)	(280,878)
Gross profit/(loss)	35,748	(1,084)	(2,304)	(10,211)	4,779
Other income	15,375	56,555	91,542	60,043	34,233
Distribution costs	-	(272)	(292)	(1,198)	(2,951)
Administrative costs	(16,883)	(20,524)	(41,172)	(30,461)	(29,211)
Financial costs	(14,652)	(16,501)	(15,704)	(15,334)	(20,642)
Profit/(loss) before taxation	19,589	18,174	32,070	2,839	(13,793)
Taxation	(3,630)	(2,877)	(369)	(255)	-
Other comprehensive income/(expense)	-	586	(995,620)	140,870	43,345
Prior years adjustments	(271)	(3,180)	-	-	-
Profit/(loss) after tax	15,687	12,703	(963,181)	143,454	(29,552)

Figures in brackets indicate deductions.

Sri Lanka Cement Corporation

Audit Committee Report -2018

The Audit Committee of the Corporation consists of three Non-executive Directors, Chief Internal Auditor of the Ministry of Industry and Commerce and a representative from the Auditor General's Department were the observers of the Committee.

Mrs.D.S.A.Costa was the Chairman of the Committee under review of Mr.M.S.M.Kabeer and Mr.N.M.Munawar were the other two Non-executive Directors.

The Main Role and the responsibilities of the Audit Committee includes,

a) Assist the Board in the task of overseeing to ensure that financial reporting is done in compliance with relevant Sri Lanka Accounting Standard and other applicable legal requirements.

b) Assist the board to ensure that all relevant rules and regulations and circulars issued by the government are complied with continuously reviewing and monitoring, making recommendations to the board on noncompliance.

c) Review the Internal / External Audit Reports and the recommendations of COPE. And help the board to take remedial actions.

d) Assist the board to introduce and implement adequate internal control system.

The Audit Committee inter alia engaged in the following activities during the financial year under review.

- Review of the unaudited monthly financial statement.
- Review of the audited financial statement for the year.
- Review of the audit reports issued by the Auditor General and monitoring and follow up action by the Management.
- Reviewing reports on compliance with statutory reporting and payment requirements.

Signed,
D.S.A.Costa,
Chairman,
Audit Committee

The Chairman,
Sri Lanka Cement Corporation

Report of the Auditor General on the Financial Statements of Sri Lanka Cement Corporation for the year ended 31st December 2018 and necessities of other legal requirements & regulations in terms of section 12 of the National Audit Act, No.19 of 2018.

1. Financial Statement

1.1. Opinion

The Audit of the financial statements of the Sri Lanka Cement Corporation for the year ended 31st December 2018 comprising the statement of financial position as at 31st December 2018 and the statement of comprehensive income, statement of changes in equity, statement of cash flow , a summary of significant accounting policies & other explanatory information on the financial statements for the year ended under review was carried out under my direction in pursuance of the provisions in Article 154(1) of constitution of the Democratic Socialist Republic of Sri Lanka read in conjunction with the National Audit Act, No.19 of 2018 and the Financial Act, No 38 of 1971. My report will be tabled in the parliament in accordance with the Article 154 (6) in the Democratic Socialist Republic.

In my opinion, the financial statements reflect a true and fair view of the financial position of Sri Lanka Cement Corporation as at 31st December 2018 and financial performance, cash flow of the Sri Lanka Cement Corporation for the year ended in accordance with Sri Lanka Accounting standards except for the effects of the matters described in the paragraph of basis for qualified opinion in my report.

1.2. Basis for the Qualified Opinion

1.2.1. Accounting Deficiencies

a). The land at Kankasanthurei with the extent of 241.56 acres had been vested to the corporation in terms of the gazette notification no.12156 of 08th July, 1960 under the plan no.2099. According to that plan, we observed that the oil complex with two nos of oil tanks located within the above mentioned land. The corporation had not been valued those assets and brought it to the accounts.

b). The land with lime stone deposit of 5,453 acres located in Aruwakkalu, Puttalam vested to the Sri Lanka Cement Corporation by the gazette notification no.283/2 of 20th September, 1977 but the land extent recorded as 5,352 acres in the financial statements. The whole land had been leased out to the Holcim (Lanka) Limited [presently their name change as Siam City Cement (Lanka) Limited] and that land had not been valued & had not been brought it to the accounts.

c). The land of Attavilluwa with 170A 02R 28P total extent in land block no.9,12 & 14 located at palavi, Puttalam had been valued at Rs.61,200,000/-by the department of valuation and it had been recorded as investment assets in the financial statements but it should be categorized as lands under Non-current assets in the financial statements.

1.2.2. Sri Lanka Accounting and Financial Reporting standard

a). Sri Lanka Accounting Standard (LKAS) 07

The investment income of Rs.4,376,820/- generated from investment assets but it had not been recorded under the investment activities in the statement of cash flow. It had been recorded as income generated from operational activities in the financial statements.

b). Sri Lanka Accounting Standard (LKAS) 40

In accordance with the terms in paragraph no 33 of LKAS 40, the corporation had been selected the fair value method to measure investment assets. But, those assets had been recorded based on the previous values as at 31st December, 2018.

c). Sri Lanka Financial Reporting Standard (SLFRS) 05

In accordance with the paragraph no. 38 & 41 in this standard, the corporation had been recorded non-current assets to be held for sales and stopped of operations with the value of Rs.750,000/- as investment assets in the statement of Financial position.

1.2.3. Lack of evidence for audit

The evidence indicated against with each following items of accounts had not been presented to audit.

<u>Item of Account</u>	<u>Value (Rs.)</u>	<u>Evidence not made to audit</u>
a).Trade & other receivable	72,999,219/-	Balance confirmation letters
b).Trade & other payables	36,823,993/-	Balance confirmation letters

1.2.4. Unbalanced control accounts

According to the financial statements, the balances of 03 nos. of fixed assets accounts of the corporation had been recorded the total value as Rs.9,427,096/-; whilst according to the assets register the balance of those fixed assets accounts had been recorded as Rs.5,827,487/-, thus indicating a difference of Rs.3,599,609/- between the ledger accounts & fixed assets register.

1.2.5. Consolidated financial statements

The corporation invested Rs.1,083,618,910/- in 108,361,891 nos of shares of Lanka Cement PLC with the value of Rs.10/- per share in the year 1981. Then, Sri Lanka Cement Corporation has 62.45% of shares from the state capital of the subsidiary company of M/s. Lanka Cement PLC. The consolidated financial statements had not been prepared for the year under review by the corporation.

The audit carried out according to the provisions in Sri Lanka Auditing Standard (SLAS) by me. My responsibilities under those auditing standards, have been described under the Auditor's responsibility for audit this financial statement in this report. I believe that; I have obtained sufficient and appropriate audit evidence to provide a basis for my qualified opinion.

1.3. Responsibilities of Management and controlling parties for the financial statements

The management is responsible to determine such internal control methods to preparation of financial statement that are free from material misstatements whether due to the frauds or errors and to the preparation of fair presentation of these financial statements in accordance with Sri Lanka Accounting Standards.

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At the time of perpetration of financial statements; the management of the corporation responsible to decide the capability of going concern of the corporation, and further management responsible to continuous accounts base on going concern & disclose facts related to the going concern of the corporation other than the intention of the discontinue the company and discontinue the operations due to the position of non-availability of alternatives.

The controlling parties have been responsible for the process of financial reporting.

The corporation's books and records regarding including income, expenses, assets & liabilities should be maintained properly to prepare the annual & timely financial statements as per the guidelines in sub-paragraph no.16(1) in National Audit Act No.19 of 2018.

1.4. Auditor's responsibilities regarding the audit of financial statements.

My purposes are to issue audit report including my opinion and to give the fair confirmation regarding to that financial statements are free from material misstatements whether to fraud or errors over the financial statements.

The reasonable assurance is a high level assurance but it has not been confirmed to disclose material misstatements in each & every time when the audit has been carried out as per the Sri Lanka Auditing Standards. The material misstatements has been created the effect individually or collectively due to the fraud & errors and it will be effect to the users of economic decision makers based on those financial statements.

The audit carried out according to the Sri Lanka Auditing Standards concerning professional judgements & well-judged. And further,

- My opinion based on to obtain material and appropriate audit evidence through the proper planning of audit procedures including identification of risk of material misstatements of the financial statements, whether due to frauds or errors and assess those risk appropriately. The effect due to fraud highly affected rather than the effect of material misstatements while the frauds will be occurred due to the illegal gathering, forgery, intentionally ignore or ignoring internal controls.
- The understanding of the corporation's internal controls has been considered to plan appropriate audit procedures but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the corporation's internal controls.
- The appropriateness of used accounting policies and the reasonableness of accounting estimates and disclosures of those things by the management has been evaluated.
- To evaluate the pertinently & reasonability of transactions and events based for the structure and content of the financial statements with presented disclosures.

The identified an audit research, main weakness in the internal controls & other facts in my audit had been informed to the controlling parties.

2. The report regarding the other legal & regulatory necessities

The special provisions have been included in the National Audit Act No.19 of 2018 regarding to the following necessities.

According to the requirements in paragraph no.12 (a), National Audit Act No.19 of 2018; except the effects of facts described in the paragraph of basis for the qualified opinion in my report, the all information and descriptions for the audit had been taken by me. It is observed that the financial statements had been maintained properly by the corporation.

- The financial statements of the corporation have been comparable with last year as per the necessities of the paragraph no.6 (I) (d) (iii) of the National Audit Act no.19 of 2018.
- The recommendations issued in last year by me had been included in the financial statements for the year under reviewed as per the necessities of the paragraph no.6 (I) (d) (iv) of the National Audit Act no.19 of 2018.

As per the followed procedures, founded evidences and limitations in the material impacts, there had not been taken my attention to published followings;

- The direct or otherwise relationship regarding the exclusion of general business situation by the contract with the corporation to the members of controlling panel of the corporation while the following observations as per the necessities of the paragraph no.12 (d) of the National Audit Act no.19 of 2018.
- The action had not been taken against with the in-written laws , other general or specific command issued by the controlling panel of the corporation while the following observations as per the necessities of the paragraph no.12 (e) of the National Audit Act no.19 of 2018.

Reference to Laws, Rules / Directives

Description

The financial regulations of the Democratic Socialist Republic of Sri Lanka

(i) Financial regulation no.135

Duties related to the financial control has not been dereliction in written.

(ii) Financial regulation 757(4)

Action has not been taken to present the report of board of survey to the Auditor General.

The action has been taken as per the authorities, duties and functions other than following observations according to the necessities provide by the paragraph no.12 (g) of the National Audit Act no.19 of 2018.

<u>Authorities, duties and functions</u>	<u>Observations</u>
a). The extraordinary gazette no.11,634 dated on 2 nd January, 1959.	1.The main objectives of the corporation is to manufacture & distribute cement, produce cement based productions. The manufacturing of cement at Kankasanthurei cement factory had been discontinued after the war remained during past years. And also, the importation & distribution of cement had been continued during the last period and it had ceased from 30 th September, 2018.

	2.The corporation expect to earn Rs.2,480,000/- from sales of cement based production in 2018. The actual sales procede was Rs.579,569/-. The progress of the sales of cement base product was 23.4% and the concrete based production had been ceased completely in the end of 2018.
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The corporation had not been used their resources parsimoniously, efficiently & effectively during the time line according to the laws & procurement other than following observation made according to the paragraph no. 12 (h) of the National Audit Act No.19 of 2018.

- a. The Sri Lanka Cement Corporation had been paid Rs.1,000,000/- by the payment voucher no.316 dated on 6th July, 2018 to M/s. Lanka Cement PLC. The corporation had not been made any allocation to it in the corporation's budget, 2018. And issued it to settle the company's administrative expenses without any written agreement between the corporation and the company. This amount has not been settled until March, 2019.due to the discontinued of their business.
- b. The land situated at aruwakkalu belongings to the corporation has been given to a private company for the technical studies and it had not been compiling with the procurement provisions in the National Procurement Guild Line No.08 of 25th January, 2006. There has not been any written agreement between the corporation and the company. The corporation had received US\$ 20,000/- equal to Rs.3,596,580/- for this technical study.
- c. Two nos of oil storage tanks located at Kankasanthurei, owned by the corporation had been handed over for the use of Ceylon Petroleum Storage Terminals Ltd since 2010 without entering into a written agreement. The action has not been taken to enter to the written agreement and collect the rentals by the corporation's management.
- d. There was an accounting entry to record loan interest as a debit note in to loan interest account and the credit note to other income as waiver of the loan interest by the amount of Rs.10,065,512/-. The calculations of the payable loan interest had not been confirmed to the audit and there has not any written document to pure this waiver of from the bank.
- e. M/s. Lanka Cement PLC had been started in 1981 and the corporation has 62.45% shares from that company. Though that any benefit had not been given to the corporation within the period of 27 years by the company.
- f. The land which is 89.9 perches in extent located at Kollupitiya had been vested to the corporation by the Gazette extraordinary No.14756/7 dated on 12th July, 1967 and the deed no.288. This land had been valued at Rs.735,000,000/- in the year 2017 . It had been mortgaged to the state bank to get the loan facility and the payable balance is Rs.97,700,000/- as at end of the year under reviewed. This land remains as ideal assets without using any efficient manner.

3. Other Audit observations

There had not been any officer recruit to the internal audit section of the corporation in the year under reviewed since July, 2016 after completing the Voluntary Retirement Scheme. The activities related to the internal audit had not been done during this year.

SRI LANKA CEMENT CORPORATION
Statement of financial position
As at 31st December, 2018

		2018	2017
		SLCC	SLCC
ASSETS	Notes	Rs.	Rs.
Non-current assets			
Property, plant and equipment	03	1,457,296	1,589,512
Investment properties	04	796,950,000	796,950,000
Long term receivables	05	-	-
Investments	06	630,226,056	629,752,312
		<u>1,428,633,352</u>	<u>1,428,291,824</u>
Current assets			
Inventories	07	925,486	1,241,757
Trade and other receivables	08	72,999,219	74,469,339
Cash & cash equivalents	09	19,867,979	9,157,568
		<u>93,792,684</u>	<u>84,868,664</u>
Total assets		<u>1,522,426,036</u>	<u>1,513,160,488</u>
EQUITY AND LIABILITIES			
Equity			
Stated capital		966,971,845	966,971,845
General reserves		9,996,952	9,996,952
Revaluation reserves		561,202,984	561,202,984
Retained earnings		(181,898,802)	(197,585,836)
Available for sales Reserves		(465,956,132)	(465,956,132)
Total equity attributable to equity holders of the SLCC		<u>890,316,847</u>	<u>874,629,812</u>
Non-controlling interest		-	-
Total equity		<u>890,316,847</u>	<u>874,629,812</u>
Non-current liabilities			
Interest bearing liabilities	10	93,700,000	-
Long term payables	12	492,426,190	492,426,190
Retirement benefit obligation	13	4,012,838	3,795,861
		<u>590,139,028</u>	<u>496,222,051</u>
Current liabilities			
Trade & other payables	14	36,823,993	42,317,003
Current portion of Inter. bear. lia.	10	4,000,000	97,793,352
Bank Loan interest payable	11	1,146,168	2,198,270
Cash & cash equivalents	09	-	-
		<u>41,970,161</u>	<u>142,308,625</u>
Total liabilities		<u>632,109,189</u>	<u>638,530,676</u>
Total equity and liabilities		<u>1,522,426,036</u>	<u>1,513,160,488</u>

Figures in brackets indicate deductions.

Signed,
Accountant - M.G.A.T.R.Jayathilaka
Signed,
Managing Director - S.Abdeen Ehiya

The Board of Directors are responsible for the fair preparation & presentation of these Financial Statements.
These Financial statements were approved by the Board of Directors and signed on behalf of the Board,

Signed,
Director
M.Abdul Rafeek
Signed,
Chairman
M. Reyyaz S. Salley
26th February, 2019

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SRI LANKA CEMENT CORPORATION**Statement of comprehensive income and retained earnings
For the year ended 31 December 2018**

	Notes	2018 SLCC Rs.	2017 SLCC Rs.
Revenue	15	36,064,670	49,468,847
Cost of sales	Sta. I	(316,271)	(16,215,007)
Gross profit/(loss)		35,748,399	33,253,841
Other income	16	15,375,443	22,216,609
Distribution expenses	Sta. II	-	(271,560)
Administrative expenses	Sta. III	(16,882,861)	(20,523,572)
Finance costs	17	(14,652,301)	(16,500,602)
Profit/(loss) before tax	18	19,588,680	18,174,716
Income tax expense		(3,630,250)	(2,876,611)
Profit/(loss) for the year		15,958,430	15,298,106
Other comprehensive income/(expenses)	19	-	585,513
Prior years adjustments	20	(271,396)	(3,179,933)
Total comprehensive income/(expenses)		15,687,034	12,703,686
Retained earnings & available held for sales reserves at start of year		(663,541,968)	(676,245,654)
Retained earnings at end of year		(647,854,934)	(663,541,968)

Figures in brackets indicate deductions.

The accounting policies on pages 13 to 16 and Notes on pages 17 to 20 form an integral part of these Financial Statements.

SRI LANKA CEMENT CORPORATION**Statement of changes in equity****For the year ended 31 December 2018**

<u>Sri Lanka Cement Corporation</u>	Balance as at 01.01.2017	The year (2017)	Restated Balance as at 31.12.2017	This year (2018)	Balance as at 31.12.2018
Capital Contributed	966,971,845	-	966,971,845	-	966,971,845
Revaluation Reserves	536,119,419	25,083,565	561,202,984	-	561,202,984
General Reserves	9,996,952	-	9,996,952	-	9,996,952
Retained Profit	(210,289,522)	12,703,686	(197,585,836)	15,687,034	(181,898,802)
Investment variation Reserves(L.C.L.share investment)	(465,956,132)	-	(465,956,132)	-	(465,956,132)
Total	<u>836,842,562</u>	<u>37,787,251</u>	<u>874,629,813</u>	<u>15,687,034</u>	<u>890,316,847</u>

The accounting policies on pages 13 to 16 and notes on pages 17 to 20 form an integral part of these Financial Statements.

SRI LANKA CEMENT CORPORATION
Statement of cash flow
For the year ended 31 December 2018

	Notes	2018 SLCC Rs.	2017 SLCC Rs.
Cash flows from operating activities			
Profit/(loss) before tax for the year		19,588,680	18,174,716
Adjustments for non-cash income and expenses:			
Depreciation	Sta. D	132,216	173,873
Gratuity provision	Sta. D	322,533	331,100
Bank loan interest	Sta. D	14,652,301	16,500,602
Interest on employees loans	16	-	(110,676)
Interest on deposits	16	(1,618,681)	(1,549,315)
Interest on treasury bills	16	(473,744)	(501,660)
Disposal Profit of fixed assets	Sta. D	-	12,297
Housing loan interest paid	16	-	(673,005)
Bank loan interest waiver of	16	(10,065,512)	2,949,113
		<u>22,537,793</u>	<u>(16,144,188)</u>
Cash flow included in investing activities:			<u>16,213,744</u>
Changes in operating assets and liabilities			
Decrease (increase) in inventories		316,271	1,857,921
Decrease (increase) in trade and other receivables		1,444,458	15,151,959
Increase (decrease) in bank loan interest payable		(1,052,102)	(3,425,452)
Increase (decrease) in trade payables		<u>(9,891,731)</u>	<u>(4,703,609)</u>
		13,354,689	25,094,563
Less :			
Gratuity paid		-	(513,522)
Interest paid		(3,842,234)	(18,922,737)
Taxes paid		<u>(247,480)</u>	<u>-</u>
Net cash from operating activities		<u>9,264,975</u>	<u>5,658,304</u>
Cash flows from investing activities			
Invest in short term deposits		(35,000,000)	(30,501,660)
Withdrawals of short term deposits		19,741,164	31,549,315
Purchase of Property, plant & equipment		-	(148,310)
Sales of Property, plant & equipment		-	3,094,010
Invested into deposits/treasury bills		(1,271,367)	-
Withdrawal of deposit/treasury bills interest		<u>1,271,367</u>	<u>-</u>
Net cash used in investing activities		<u>(15,258,836)</u>	<u>3,993,355</u>
Cash flows from financing activities			
Repayments of bank loan		<u>(93,352)</u>	<u>-</u>
Net cash used in financing activities		<u>(93,352)</u>	<u>-</u>
Net increase (decrease) in cash and cash equivalents		(6,087,213)	9,651,659
Cash at bank at beginning of year		9,157,568	(494,091)
Cash at bank at end of year		3,070,355	9,157,568
Add : Short term deposits		<u>16,797,624</u>	<u>-</u>
cash and cash equivalents at end of year		<u><u>19,867,979</u></u>	<u><u>9,157,568</u></u>

The accounting policies on pages 13 to 16 and Notes on pages 17 to 20 form an integral part of these Financial Statements.

SRI LANKA CEMENT CORPORATION

Accounting policies and explanatory notes to the financial statements For the year ended 31 December 2018

1. General information

The Cement Factory at Kankesanthurai which was established in 1950 under the Department of Industries was converted to a Public Corporation in 1956 under the provisions of the Government Sponsored Corporations Act No.19 of 1955 and named Kankesan Cement Works. On 1st January 1959 the Corporation was reconstituted as Ceylon Cement Corporation under the Industrial Corporations Act No. 49 of 1957.

In the year 1980 the name was changed to "Sri Lanka Cement Corporation" by a Gazette notification. The address of its head office of business is No:130, W.A.D. Ramanayaka Mawatha, Colombo 02. In the year 2015 July, the address of head office was change to N0.27, Vauxhall Mansion, Vauxhall street, and Colombo 02.

The Sri Lanka Cement Corporation has ownership of the Lanka Cement PLC as immediate and ultimate holding company.

2. Summary of significant accounting policies

The principal accounting policies applied in the preparation of these financial statements are set out below. These policies have been consistently applied to all the years presented, unless otherwise stated.

2.01 Basis of preparation

These financial statements have been prepared in accordance with the Sri Lanka Accounting Standard issued by the Institute of Chartered Accountants of Sri Lanka. These Financial Statements are presented in Sri Lankan Rupees Rs. and all financial information presented in Sri Lankan Rupees has been rounded to the nearest Rupee.

2.1.1 Going Concern

The directors have made an assessment of the Corporation's ability to continue as a going concern and they do not intend either to liquidate or to cease trading.

2.2 Investments in associates

2.2.1 Subsidiaries

Sri Lanka Cement Corporation had invested Rs.1,083,618,910/= in the Lanka Cement Limited in 1981 and holds 62.45% of the Share Capital. The par value of the share is Rs.10/=. The Investment has not paid and return since its inception.

The market value was Rs.6.20 per share in 2017 and presently these shares not in trade as per the details disclosed by Colombo stock exchange.

2.2.2 Associates

Sri Lanka Cement Corporation also owns 320,000 ordinary shares of Rs.10/= each in the Lafarge Mahaweli Cement Company Limited, and benefited by a Bonus issue of one new ordinary share for every two shares held by the Corporation as at 31st December, 1995. The Corporation now owns 480,000 ordinary shares in LMCCCL which is 10% of the total shareholding.

Investments in associates are accounted as available-for-sale financial assets. Impairment losses on available-for-sale financial assets are recognized by reclassifying the losses accumulated in the fair value reserve in equity to profit or loss.

Dividend income from investments in associates is recognized when the Corporation's right to receive payment has been established. It is included in other income.

2.2.3 Related Party Transactions

According to Sri Lanka Accounting Standard-LKAS 24 (Related Party Disclosures), Key Management Personnel (KMP) is those having authority and responsibility for planning, directing and controlling the activities of the entity. According to the above definition a person cannot be considered as a KMP unless such person has both the authority and responsibility to carry out all of the three activities mentioned in the above definition.

2.03 Revenue recognition

Revenue from carrying on buying & selling of the cement bags and manufacturing & selling of concrete products are recognized to the extent that it is probable that the economic benefits will flow to the Company and the revenue and associated costs incurred or to be incurred can be reliably measured at the end of the reporting period. Revenue is measured at the fair value of the consideration received or receivable net of trade discounts and sales taxes. The following specific criteria are used for the purpose of recognition of revenue.

a) Sale of Goods

Revenue from the sale of goods is recognized when the significant risks and rewards of ownership of the goods have passed to the buyer, usually on dispatch of the goods.

b) Interest

Revenue is recognized on a time proportion basis that takes in to accounts the effective interest rate on asset.

c) Others

Other income is recognized on an accrual basis.

2.04 Borrowing costs

All borrowing costs are recognized in profit or loss in the period in which they are incurred.

2.05 Income tax

Income tax expense represents the sum of the tax currently payable.

The tax currently payable is based on taxable profit for the year.

2.06 Property, plant and equipment

Items of property, plant and equipment are measured at cost less accumulated depreciation and any accumulated impairment losses.

Depreciation is charged so as to allocate the cost of assets less their residual values over their estimated useful lives, using the straight-line method. The following annual rates are used for the depreciation of property, plant and equipment:

Building	6.67	%
Plant & machinery	12.50	%
Earth moving & heavy equipment	25.00	%
Motor vehicles	25.00	%
Loose tools & movable equipment	25.00	%
Fixture fitting & furniture	25.00	%
Rail & roadways	10.00	%

If there is an indication that there has been a significant change in depreciation rate, useful life or residual value of an asset, the depreciation of that asset is revised prospectively to reflect the new expectations.

Tools, fixture & fitting below the value of Rs.10,000/= are not capitalized and instead charged as expense in the year of purchase.

2.07 Investment Property**A. Land at Aruwakkalu**

Sri Lanka Cement Corporation had leased out the limestone deposit at Aruwakkalu for an extent of 5,352 acres to a Holcim (Lanka) Limited in the year 1993 for a period of 50 years for excavation of limestone for the production of cement.

The said land at Aruwakkalu has been requested the Valuation Department to value the same and it will be included in the Financial Statement after the valuation processes is completed.

B. Lands at Colombo 02 and Palavi

Investment property is property held either to earn rental income or for capital appreciation or for both, but not held for sale in the ordinary course of business, use in the production or supply of goods or services or for administrative purposes.

The Organization has chosen the fair value model to measure investment property and consequently investment property is measured at deemed cost less any impairment losses.

C. Railway Engine

Sri Lanka Cement Corporation used this property before war time to the operations. It becomes an investment property that will be recognized at fair value as per the provisions of LKAS 16 and transfer to the category of investment property. Any resulting increases in carrying amount are reverses a previous impairment loss for that property, the increase is recognized in profit or loss. Any remaining part of the increase is recognized in other comprehensive income and increases the revaluation surplus within equity.

2.08 Inventories

Inventories are stated at the lower of cost and selling price less costs to complete and sell. Cost is calculated using the first-in, first-out (FIFO) method.

2.09 Trade and other receivables

Most sales are made on the basis of normal credit terms, and the receivables do not bear interest. Where credit is extended beyond normal credit terms, receivables are measured at amortized cost using the effective interest method. At the end of each reporting period, the carrying amounts of trade and other receivables are reviewed to determine whether there is any objective evidence that the amounts are not recoverable. If so, an impairment loss is recognized immediately in profit or loss.

2.10 Trade payables

Trade payables are obligations on the basis of normal credit terms and do not bear interest. Trade payables denominated in a foreign currency are translated into Sri Lankan Rupees (Rs.) using the exchange rate at the reporting date. Foreign exchange gains or losses are included in other income or other expenses.

2.11 Bank loans and overdrafts

Interest expense is recognized on the basis of the effective interest method and is included in finance costs.

SRI LANKA CEMENT CORPORATION**Accounting policies and explanatory notes to the financial statements****For the year ended 31 December 2018****2.12 Provisions, Contingent Assets and Contingent Liabilities**

Provisions are made for all obligations existing as at the date of Statement of Financial Position when it is probable that such an obligation will result in an outflow of resources and a reliable estimate can be made of the quantum of the outflow.

All contingent liabilities are disclosed as a note to the Financial Statements unless the outflow of resources is remote.

Contingent assets are disclosed in the notes where inflow of economic benefit is probable.
Sri Lanka Cement Corporation filed thirteen nos. of court cases against to the trade receivables.

Case Number	Year of case filed	Respondent	Claim
Business			
47146/MR	2003	U.N.Abeseekara	679,500.00
56783/MR	2003	R.M.P.D.M.Rajapaksha	1,656,000.00
47175/MR	2003	K.A.J.Jayanath Perera	110,500.00
000262/08	2003	New Island Hardware	198,000.00
56780/MR	2003	Vinsara Distributors	195,400.00
56781/MR	2003	Prasanna Construction	92,250.00
000260/08	2003	Mayantha Traders	65,508.00
56782/MR	2003	R.A.S.K.Rajapaksha	810,683.60
IR 324/03/11	2011	Leka Perer	1,112,000.00
90302	2012	A.A.A.Maulana	663,800.00
CID	2003	P.M.K.Senaratne	6,000.00
CID	2003	I.D.T.Chandrasiri	5,000.00
CID	2015	R.C.C.Trading	6,655,795.00
Others			
13365 - Vehicle	2013	B.M.Sugathadasa	
BR 232 - Land	2012	Puttalam Cement land encroachment	
B/312/PC/2014	2014	Jaffna , State assets robbery	

SRI LANKA CEMENT CORPORATION
Accounting policies and explanatory notes to the financial statements
As at 31 December 2018
03. Property, plant & equipment
03.1 Sri Lanka Cement Corporation

	Balance as at 01.01.2018	Prior year adjustments	Additions during the year	Disposals during the year	Balance as at 31.12.2018
Cost					
Land & Building	1,595,981	-	-	-	1,595,981
Motor Vehicles	4,562,891	-	-	-	4,562,891
Furniture, fixture & fit.	4,575,575	-	-	-	4,575,575
Tools & Mobile equip.	288,630	-	-	-	288,630
	11,023,077	-	-	-	11,023,077
	Balance as at 01.01.2018	Prior year adjustments	Charges during the year	Disposals during the year	Balance as at 31.12.2018
Accumulated Depreciation					
Land & Building	395,981	-	-	-	395,981
Motor Vehicles	4,562,891	-	-	-	4,562,891
Furniture, fixture & fit.	4,188,933	-	129,346	-	4,318,279
Tools & Mobile equipme	285,760	-	2,870	-	288,630
	9,433,565	-	132,216	-	9,565,781
Net book value	1,589,512				1,457,296

Sri Lanka Cement Corporation has totally 751 acres land available at Kankesanturai but not recorded in our Financial Statements.

Out of the land mentioned above, there is 241 acres land under the Plan No. A 2099 as state land. It vested by the Government gazette no.12,156 issued on 8th July, 1960. The factory & administrative buildings and oil complex included in that land. The balance land content with the Plan No. A1557, A 1487, A1464, A 1562 & A 2438. The Ceylon Government Gazette No 14,012 in 1964 issued for the Preliminary Plan No. A 2438 under the Land Acquisition Act (Chapter 460) by Government.

The meetings held under the subject of northern provision development projects with the supervision of Presidential task Forces to search the ability to use of said land for those projects. The requested portions from that land and acquired portions by certain institutions , internally displaced persons under correct legal procedures and illegally encroached portions were as follows ;

Name of organization	Extent	Remarks
Sri Lanka Army	50 acres	We informed to the secretary, Ministry of Industry and Commerce regarding the approvals to release the lands subject to the payment of compensation from those institutions on 29th February, 2018.
Sri Lanka Port Authority	50 acres	
Ceylon Petroleum Storage terminals ltd(Lease Agreements)	06 acres	
Internally displaced persons as per the Gazette notification	45 acres	
Acquired by the encroachments	50 acres	
Eco friendly Industrial Estate	330 acres	The cabinet paper presented to the cabinet on 10th September, 2018.

We have the ownership of land situated at Talpe Pattu of Galle District, Southern Province, and Containing in extent of six acres. But, the Divisional Secretary has constructed the T-tsunami houses in this land. We are requested to getting compensation for this land.

SRI LANKA CEMENT CORPORATION

Accounting policies and explanatory notes to the financial statements

As at 31 December 2018

	2018 Rs.	2017 Rs.
04. Investment properties		
Land at Colombo 03	735,000,000	735,000,000
Land at Palavi	61,200,000	61,200,000
Railway Engines	750,000	750,000
	796,950,000	796,950,000
Under the mortgage bond no.2426, the land at 287, Galle Road, Colombo-03 has been mortgage to get series of loan facility of Rs.172,000,000 on 25th Feb. 2008. This Land value include in investment property. We have taken action to revalue this Land in 2013 & 2017 and recorded the values of Rs.712,500,000/- & Rs.735,000,000/- respectively in the Financial Statement. In 2013, the forest land of 221 acres situated Palavi, Puttalam is identified as a land belongs to us and the value only for 170A:3R:28.3P included in the Financial Statement, 2013. Fifty one acres land extent out of that has not valued. The Sri Lanka Cement Corporation lease out the land at palavi to M/s.Siam City Cement Lanka (Pvt) Ltd with extent of 12A:3R:30P according to the agreement no.26 signed on 6th June, 2003. The value of lands at Kollupitiya belonging to SLCC has been classified as investment property and accounted on “Fair Value Model” as required by LKAS 40 – Investment Property. The last valuation report issued on 02nd October, 2013 by the Chief Valuer, Valuation Department, Colombo.		
05. Long term receivables		
Short term & Long term loan for formation of L.C.L	360,311,323	360,311,323
Internal transaction between L.C.L. and SLCC until the closure of the both	396,912,560	396,912,560
Provision for doubtful receivables	(757,223,883)	(757,223,883)
	-	-
06. Investments		
Treasury bills	6,163,277	5,689,533
<u>Investment in subsidiary & others</u>		
Subsidiary - Lanka Cement PLC	617,662,779	617,662,779
Mahaweli Marine Cement (Pvt) Ltd	6,400,000	6,400,000
	630,226,056	629,752,312
Lanka Cement PLC is control and monitoring by separate management and the subsidiary company's board content with three board directors of parent company. The chairman of the Sri Lanka Cement corporation has directorship of Mahaweli Marine Cement (Pvt) Ltd.		
07. Inventories		
Stock of Raw material and WIP for concr. production	238,256	238,256
Stock of finished goods of concrete poles etc.	687,230	1,003,501
	925,486	1,241,757
08. Trade and other receivables		
Trade debtors	49,425,414	51,952,363
Provision for Doubtful Debtors	(977,166)	(977,166)
Rent receivable	2,515,440	2,517,154
Advance payment - local orders	1,131,622	1,131,622
Deposit receivables	1,624,626	1,708,125
Deposit on Purchase of Cement	976,971	976,971
Distress Loan/Motor cycle loan & Sep.Loan	2,519,141	2,061,696
Pre-paid expenses	278,601	313,378
Lanka Cement receivables	1,253,580	253,580
Sundry advance	240,947	240,947
Receivables from treasury bills	48,000	48,000
VAT receivables	10,414,117	10,694,743
ESC receivables	126,758	126,758
Withholding tax receivables	2,748,462	2,748,462
NHDA receivable	672,706	672,706
	72,999,219	74,469,339

SRI LANKA CEMENT CORPORATION**Accounting policies and explanatory notes to the financial statements****As at 31 December 2018**

	2018	2017
	Rs.	Rs.
09. Cash & cash equivalents		
Cash at bank		
- BOC, Lake view branch	1,332,786	2,156,449
- BOC, Corporate branch	19,594	874,820
- People's bank Foreign department	-	252,754
- People's bank Liberty Plaza branch	1,717,975	5,501,747
- People's bank Kannathetti	-	371,798
Short term deposits	16,797,624	-
	19,867,979	9,157,568
10. Interest bearing liabilities - Bank loan		
Loan-BOC bank 74129310	-	24,000,000
Loan-BOC bank - import of cements	-	56,293,352
Loan-BOC bank	-	17,500,000
Loan-BOC 83124176	97,700,000	-
	97,700,000	97,793,352
As per the request made by the Corporation with the letter dated 10.10.2017, all outstanding banking facilities in the Bank of Ceylon reschedule under the loan no.83124176 for the value of Rs.97,7000,000/- with 120 months repayment period.		
11. Bank loan interest payable		
O/D interest payable	-	1,453,715
Bank loan interest payable	1,146,168	744,555
	1,146,168	2,198,270
12. Long term payables		
Treasury advance	492,426,190	492,426,190
	492,426,190	492,426,190
13. Retirement benefit obligation		
Opening Balance of Provision for Retirement Gratuity	3,795,861	3,297,663
Deduction of loan made during the year	(105,556)	-
Payment made during the year	-	(603,540)
Balance provision available as at end of the year	3,690,305	2,694,123
Provision for the year	322,533	331,100
Provision entitlement as at end of the year	4,012,838	3,795,861
14. Trade & other payables		
Trade creditors	3,090,311	3,644,844
Advance for cements	1,079,410	1,079,410
Accrued expenses	3,816,615	4,092,771
Rent payables to B.C.C.	766,150	766,150
Rent payables to S.E.C.	6,322,724	8,322,724
Deposit refundable	1,329,176	1,285,626
ESC payable	126,756	126,756
NBT payable	1,946,818	8,410,618
Payroll control account	140,754	177,656
Unpaid Salaries	51,645	53,070
Retained Coins	468	468
EPF payable	104,484	97,515
ETF payable	14,354	13,404
Director remuneration payable	31,631	8,182
Income tax payable	5,217,349	1,355,144
PAYE tax payables	3,445	27,782
VAT payable	12,773,488	12,854,883
WHT payable	8,415	-
	36,823,993	42,317,003

SRI LANKA CEMENT CORPORATION**Accounting policies and explanatory notes to the financial statements
For the year ended 31 December 2018**

	2018	2017
	Rs.	Rs.
15. Revenue		
Sales of cement	-	14,144,593
Sales of concrete poles	579,569	1,150,847
Lease of lime stone quarry land	31,703,734	30,377,665
Income from Premises	4,503,870	3,960,618
(-) NBT	(722,503)	(164,876)
	36,064,670	49,468,847
16. Other income		
Interest on employees loans	143,481	110,676
Interest on deposits	1,618,681	1,549,315
Interest on treasury bills	473,744	501,660
Profit for the disposed fixed assets	-	673,005
Sundry income	25	177,765
Land access fees	3,074,000	3,060,000
Bank loan interest waiver of (over provision)	10,065,512	16,144,188
	15,375,443	22,216,609
17. Finance costs		
Bank Overdraft interest	6,559	2,267,504
Bank loan interest	14,645,742	14,233,098
	14,652,301	16,500,602
18. Profit before tax		
The following items have been recognized as expenses (income) in determining profit before tax:		
Staff costs	8,860,320	7,555,455
Directors remunerations	3,463,365	3,368,225
Depreciation	132,216	173,873
Audit Fees	520,000	150,000
Gratuity provision	322,533	331,100
19. Other comprehensive income/(expenses)		
Profit for the disposed locomotive engine	-	585,513
	-	585,513
20. Prior years adjustments to Retained earning		Rs.
Retained earnings balance as at 31/12/2017		(663,541,968)
Trade payable - Director remuneration	29,873	
Trade payable - Accrued expenses	(486,949)	
Trade payable - ESC payable	(79,440)	
Trade payable - Income tax payable	(479,435)	
Bank loan interest payable	744,555	
		(271,396)
		(663,813,364)

These financial statements were approved by the board of directors and authorized for issue on 20th February, 2019.

SRI LANKA CEMENT CORPORATION
Statement of detailed comprehensive income
For the year ended 31 December 2018

	Ref.	2018 Rs.	2017 Rs.
Revenue		36,064,670	49,468,847
Cost of sales	A	(316,271)	(16,215,007)
Gross profit		35,748,399	33,253,841
Other income	B	15,375,443	22,216,609
Distribution expenses	C	-	(271,560)
Administrative expenses	D	(16,882,861)	(20,523,572)
Profit before finance costs		34,240,981	34,675,318

SRI LANKA CEMENT CORPORATION**Statements to the detailed comprehensive income****For the year ended 31 December 2018**

	2018	2017
	Rs.	Rs.
A. Cost of sales		
Sales of cement bags		
Opening stock	-	-
Purchase & other direct costs	-	14,325,075
Less : Closing stock	-	-
	<u>-</u>	<u>14,325,075</u>
Sales of concrete products		
Opening stock	1,003,501	3,097,767
Purchase & Direct expenses	-	32,011
Less : Closing stock	(687,230)	(1,239,846)
	<u>316,271</u>	<u>1,889,932</u>
	<u>316,271</u>	<u>16,215,007</u>
B. Other income		
Interest on employees loans	143,481	110,676
Interest on deposits	1,618,681	1,549,315
Interest on treasury bill	473,744	501,660
Disposal Profit of fixed assets	-	673,005
Sundry income	25	177,765
Gate Access fees	3,074,000	3,060,000
Bank loan interest waiver of	10,065,512	16,144,188
	<u>15,375,443</u>	<u>22,216,609</u>
C. Distribution expenses		
Depreciation for Motor Vehicle	-	44,560
Advertising & Exhibitions	-	227,000
	<u>-</u>	<u>271,560</u>
D. Administrative Expenses		
Salary & wages	6,376,038	6,230,565
Overtimes	225,133	193,208
E.P.F.	709,680	623,168
E.T.F	177,420	155,792
Encashment of Medical Leave	362,611	352,722
Directors ruminations	3,463,365	3,368,225
Audit committee meeting fees	196,000	128,000
Annual Bonus	189,900	211,950
Medical Scheme	72,082	43,412
Free Tea	157,838	67,400
	<u>11,930,067</u>	<u>11,374,442</u>

SRI LANKA CEMENT CORPORATION**Statements to the detailed comprehensive income****For the year ended 31 December 2018**

	2018	2018
	Rs.	Rs.
Conti.....	11,930,067	11,374,442
Food Substitute	366,300	354,840
Welfare Expenses	404,233	339,741
Housing Loan Interest	8,985	12,297
Depreciation -Office Furniture &Equipment	129,346	103,743
Depreciation-Tools &Mobile Equipment	2,870	25,570
Rent	1,009,800	1,009,366
Electricity Expenses	176,872	275,152
Postage & Telephone Charges	227,296	349,807
Printing &Stationery	285,882	230,061
Rate & Taxes	7,700	9,533
General Expenses	378,567	319,311
Travelling Expenses	89,979	156,052
Land visit & other expenses	-	1,559,880
Motor Vehicle Expenses	266,686	327,219
Secretarial fees	90,204	87,068
Repair of Office Furniture	80,360	80,748
Periodical &Publications	10,730	31,590
Audit Fees	520,000	150,000
Valuation charges	-	1,736,300
Gratuity provision	322,533	331,100
Water	52,469	88,422
Bank charges	63,298	53,857
Security expenses	-	512,151
Repair & maintenance	-	38,765
Office renovation	39,000	-
Legal & Professional Expenses	5,000	28,000
Temporary Staff Allowances	414,684	938,557
	16,882,861	20,523,572

Computation of Income Tax**Year of Assessment 2018**

	<u>Reference</u>	<u>+Rs.</u>	<u>-Rs.</u>
Profit for the year 2018	P & L	19,588,680	
Interest on deposits	P & L		1,618,681
Interest on treasury bills	P & L		473,744
Capital Allowance	Sch. I		97,000
Depreciation	P & L	132,216	
Gratuity provision	P & L	322,533	
Gratuity payment	P & L		-
		<u>20,043,429</u>	<u>2,189,425</u>
Adjusted loss for the year			17,854,004
Interest income			<u>2,092,425</u>
Total statutory income			19,946,429
Assessable income			19,946,429
Less :			
Loss b/f from 2017		97,032,957	
Loss for this year (2018)		-	
35% of Total Statutory income		<u>(6,981,250)</u>	(6,981,250)
Loss c/f to 2019		<u>90,051,707</u>	
Taxable income			12,965,179
Total Tax Payable		12,965,179	28%
WHT paid	247,480		3,630,250
ESC deduction	-		
ESC expense	-		
	<u>247,480</u>		<u>(247,480)</u>
Balance Tax Payable			3,382,770

Computation of Income Tax**Year of Assessment - 2018****Schedule I - Capital allowance**

		Rate %	Cost	Allowance Claimed 2018 Nil
Current year - 2018				
Prior Years up to 2012				
Buildings		6.67%	395,981	26,412
Motor Vehicles	Leased Veh.	20%	6,650,714	-
Furniture, fixture & fitting		20%	546,564	-
Tools & Mobile equipment		12.5%	47,330	5,916
				<u>32,328</u>
Year - 2017				
Furniture, fixture & fitting		20%	140,561	9,375
Tools & Mobile equipment		12.5%	7,750	517
				<u>9,892</u>
Year - 2016				
Furniture, fixture & fitting		20%	91,497	18,299
Tools & Mobile equipment		12.5%	30,255	3,782
				<u>22,081</u>
Year - 2015				
Tools & Mobile equipment		12.5%	18,180	2,273
				<u>2,273</u>
Year - 2014				
Furniture, fixture & fitting		20%	135,727	27,145
Tools & Mobile equipment		12.5%	26,245	3,281
				<u>30,426</u>
Capital allowance for 2018				<u><u>97,000</u></u>

The comments of the board of directors regarding the Financial statements for the year ended 31st December, 2018 and requirements of other legal & regulatory in paragraph no.12 of the National Audit Act No.19 of 2018 of the Sri Lanka Cement Corporation

1. Financial statements

1.2. Basis for the Qualified Opinion

1.2.1. Accounting Deficiencies

- a. We will be taken the action to value these two nos of oil tanks belongings to the Sri Lanka Cement Corporation and record it in the accounts.
- b. We accept the comment and it will be corrected. The Department of Valuation had been valued this land in 2016 as per the request made by the corporation. They informed us to pay the valuation fee of Rs.22,985,800/- for that land. The corporation had not been taken the valuation report due to the financial limitation.
- c. The proposal had been obtained to proceed development project for the land situated at Palavi, Puttalam then it presented under investment property in the accounts.

1.2.2. Sri Lanka Accounting and financial reporting standards

a. Sri Lanka Accounting standard No.07 (LKAS 07)

We will take action to identify the incomes as per the provisions indicate in the standard.

b. Sri Lanka Accounting Standard No.40 (LKAS 40)

The previous values of the investment properties had been continued in the financial statements due to the lack of the sufficient financial allocations for the assets revaluation.

c. Sri Lanka Financial Reporting Standard No.05 (SLFRs 05)

We accept the comment. We will take action to identify non-current assets correctly as per the provisions given in the standard.

1.2.3. Lack of the evidence for audit

a. Trade & other receivable balances

The balance confirmation letters had been sent to the relevant organizations by registered post and copies of those letters submitted to the audit. We had not received confirmation or remonstrance from those institutions against the balance receivables.

b. Trade & other payable balances

The balance confirmation letters had been sent to the relevant organizations by registered post and copies of those letters submitted to the audit. We had not received confirmation or remonstrance from those institutions against the balance payables.

1.2.4. Unbalanced control accounts

We had been updated the fixed assets register and it prepared in 2016. We had been recorded only the identified costs of those assets.

1.2.5. Preparation of consolidated financial statements

The Sri Lanka Cement Corporation should be presented consolidated financial statements for the audit. But, we had not been presented consolidated financial statements due to the reason of unrepresented situation of financial statements by the subsidiary company of M/s. Lanka Cement PLC for the year 2018.

2. The report of other legal & regulatory requirements

2.1 Laws, Rules / Directions

i. Financial regulation no.135

The action had been taken to assigned duties of the financial control with the approval of the board of directors.

ii. Financial regulation no.757 (4)

The board of survey report for the year 2018 had been prepared and submitted for the approval of the board of directors.

We will take action to complete these report & take the approvals with in the given time.

2.2. Authorities, duties and functions

Paragraph No.12 (g) in the National Audit Act No.19 of 2018.

- i. Sri Lanka Cement Corporation had been stopped importation and sales of cement since 30th August, 2017.
- ii. We had not been sold those stocked concrete based poles at the expected price.

Paragraph No.12 (h) in the National Audit Act No.19 of 2018.

- a. The decision had been taken to liquidate the subsidiary company of M/s. Lanka Cement PLC of the corporation. They informed us to settle this loan amount with the funds receivable from sales of remaining iron and other metals at cement factory, Kankasanthurei belonging to that company.
- b. The action had been taken to give the land at Aruwakkalu only for the technical studies to the private company and they paid US \$20,000/- for it to the corporation.
- c. The action will be continued to take the receivable balance of rental for the oil tanks at Kankasanthurei with the intercession of our line ministry.
- d. We had been taken the balance confirmation letters from the bank including the payable balance of bank loan interest as at 31.12.2018. We paid the loan interest monthly in the year 2018. We identified the waiver of balance of loan interest considering the paid amount of the loan interest during the year and balance payable to the bank.
- e. We accept the comment.
- f. We accept the comment.

3. Other audit observations

We will take the action to establish the internal audit section and recruit the employee to it.