

Time: May 29, 2024 (Wednesday) at 14:00 p.m.

Place: No. 10, Gong Er Rd., Liuying Dist., Tainan City 736, Taiwan (R.O.C.)(1F

Meeting Room, Head Office Building)

Type of the meeting: Hybrid Shareholders' Meeting: Physical shareholders meeting supported by video conferencing.

E-Meeting Platform: "Shareholders meeting e-Voting Platform - Hybrid Shareholders' Meeting" by Taiwan Depository & Clearing Corporation (https://www.stockvote.com.tw/evote/index.html)

Attendants: The total outstanding shares is 602,471,197 shares. All shareholders and their proxy holders, representing 445,232, 594 shares (among them, 185,012,409 shares voted via electronic transmission), or 73.90% of the total outstanding shares.

Directors present: Chairman, Chiung-Fen Wang; Director, Cheng-Hsiang Chen; Director, Yi-Ching Wu; Independent Director, Chun-Hsiung Chu (the convener of the audit committee); Independent Director, Yi-Lang Lin; Independent Director, Tzu-Meng Liu.

Chairman: Chiung-Fen Wang Recorder: Yu-Lun Yen

Attendees: CPA, Ming-Hsien Liu; President, Yung-Chang Kang; Financing

Manager, Yu-Chen Lee; Accounting Manager, Yi-Ting Tseng

I. Call Meeting to Order: The aggregate shareholding of the shareholders present in person or by proxy constituted a quorum. The chairman called the meeting to order.

II. Chairman's Address: omitted

#### III. Reporting Items:

1. Discussion of the 2023 Business Report. (No questions raised by the shareholders)

Explanation: The 2023 Business Report, attached in Attachment I.

2. Discussion of the 2023 Final Report of the Audit Committee. (No questions raised by the shareholders)

Explanation: The 2023 Final Report of the Audit Committee, attached in Attachment II.

3. Discussion of the implementation status of investments in China. (No questions raised by the shareholders)

Explanation: Status of implementation of investments in China as of December 31, 2023, attached in Attachment III.

4. Discussion of the compensation for employees and directors in 2023. (No questions raised by the shareholders)

Explanation: 1. In accordance with Article 26 of the Company's Articles of Incorporation, if the Company earns a profit in the current year, the proportion of employee compensation shall not be less than 1%. A resolution shall be made by the Board of Directors whether to issue shares or cash distribution, with the issuance of the object containing a certain condition for the subsidiary employees. The proportion of the directors' compensation shall not be higher than 5%. The distribution of compensation for employees and directors shall be reported to the shareholders meeting.

However, a reserve is allotted to be used to make up for the accumulated losses, and the balance shall be handled according to the proportion in the preceding paragraph for the compensation of employees and directors.

- 2. After approval by the Company's Remuneration Committee and the Board of Directors, the proportion of compensation for employees shall be 1.76% of pre-tax profit in 2023, totaling NT\$50,000,000, and the proportion of compensation for directors shall be 0.88% of pre-tax profit, totaling NT\$25,000,000, both distributed in cash.
- 3. There is no difference between the aforementioned distribution amount and recognized expenses in 2023.

- 5. Discussion of the earnings distribution and cash dividends for 2023. (No questions raised by the shareholders)
  - Explanation: 1. GMTC has not distributed 2023 surplus earnings as cash dividends in Q1-Q3, but plans to distribute cash dividends of NT\$2.5 per share in Q4, totaling NT\$1,506,177,993 by special resolution of the board of directors in accordance with the Articles of Incorporation.
    - 2. When distributing cash dividends, the total dividends to the shareholders are distributed down to the nearest NT dollar, and the amount less than NT\$1 is rounded off. The remainder will be adjusted, and cash dividends are paid out in lump sum amounts.
- 6. Discussion of the 2023 Convertible Bonds Report. (No questions raised by the shareholders)

Explanation: Explanation: For the enrichment. of working capital, the company issued domestic unsecured convertible bonds in 2023.

The issuing details are as follows:

Bond Type	7th issuance of GMTC's domestic unsecured convertible corporate bonds
Date of Approval	July 6, 2023
Issue Date	From July 31, 2023 to July 31, 2026
Face Value	NT\$100,000
Par Value	Bonds are distributed at a price equal to 100.5% of their
rai value	par value
Total	NT\$5 billion
Interest Rate	Coupon rate of 0%
Tenure	3 years
Convertible price	56.4
Trustee	Taishin International Bank Co., Ltd.
Underwriter	KGI Securities Co., Ltd
Doyment Institution	Registrar & Transfer Agency Department Yuanta
Payment Institution	Securities Co., Ltd.
Bond Repayment	Within five business days after the maturity date, the

Method	Company will make bond repayment in one lump sum by cash based on the face value of the convertible bond plus interest compensation (101.51% of face value; real rate of return of 0.5%).
The Status of Implementation of Capital Allocation Plans	Capital allocation has been completed in the first quarter of 2024

7. Review of the 2023 directors' remuneration report. (No questions raised by the shareholders)

Explanation: 2023 The Policy and Details of the Remuneration of

#### Directors:

- I.Please state the policies, systems, standards and structure of remuneration to independent directors, and the relations between the remuneration and the job responsibility, risk and engagement hours borne by the independent directors:
- (1)In accordance with the Company's Articles of Incorporation, the Board of Directors is authorized to determine the amount of compensation to the directors of the Company based on the directors' level of operational participation as well as the value of the contribution. The standard terms in the industry shall also be considered and shall not exceed the standard of the highest salary level stipulated in the Company's pay method.
- (2)The Company's Articles of Incorporation also stipulates that no more than 5% of profits shall be allocated as remuneration for directors. In accordance with the Company's Remuneration Committee Organizational Rules, the remuneration for directors is paid in accordance with the Company's Regulations Governing Remuneration of Directors and Functional Committee Members.
- (3) The remuneration for independent directors is higher than that of directors as they concurrently serve as members of the Audit Committee and Remuneration Committee, they are required to participate in the discussions and resolutions of relevant committee meetings in accordance with the organizational rules of each committee.

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Juristic (corporate ) person director	Taiwan Steel Group United Co., Ltd.	1	t		ı	7,812	7,812	ı	t	7,812	7,812	0.33%	0.33%	1	•	1	1	ı	7,812	7,812	0.33%	0.33%	I
ä	Chiung-Fen Wang	720	720	ı	1	-	1,673	180	220	006	2,613	0.04%	0.11%	20,623	20,623	6,000	- 7,500	- 00	27,523	30,736	1.18%	1.31%	1,200
Director	Shih-Chieh Chao	009	009	ı	ı	I	ı	160	160	760	760	0.03%	0.03%	ı	1	ı	1	1	760	760	0.03%	0.03%	009
Juristic (corporate ) person director	Gloria Investments Limited	1	1	t	1	5,208	5,208	l	ı	5,208	5,208	0.22%	0.22%	ı	ı	•	1	1	5,208	5,208	0.22%	0.22%	ı
Director	Wen-Yuan Lin	009	009	ı		-	ı	160	160	160	160	0.03%	0.03%	ı	1	,	1		760	760	0.03%	0.03%	•
Director	Cheng-Hsiang Chen	009	009	1	-	1	120	160	200							-	- 100	-	760	1,020	0.03%	0.04%	009
Juristic (corporate ) person director	Baijiayuan Investment Co., Ltd.	ı	1	ı	ı	2,604	2,604	1	t	2,604	2,604	0.11%	0.11%	1	-	1	1	ı	2,604	2,704	0.11%	0.11%	I
Director	Yi-Ching Wu	780	780	ŧ	1	ı	,	260	260	1,040	1,040	0.04%	0.04%	ı	•	ı	-	'	1,040	1,040	0.04%	0.04%	1
Independe nt director	Independe Chin-Chen nt director Chien	096	096		ı	2,604	2,604	320	320	3,884	3,884	0.17%	0.17%	1	1	ı	1	-	3,884	3,884	0.17%	0.17%	•
Independe nt director	Chun-Hsiung Chu	096	096	1	1	2,604	2,604	320	320	3,884	3,884	0.17%	0.17%	1	ı	1	-	- 1	3,884	3,884	0.17%	0.17%	-
Independe nt director	Yi-Lang Lin	006	006	1	ı	2,604	2,604	290	290	3,794	3,794	0.16%	0.16%	1	1	1	1	1	3,794	3,794	0.16%	0.16%	1
Independe nt director	Independe Tzu-Meng nt director Liu	420	420	ı	ı	1,563	1,563	110	110	2,093	2,093	0.09%	0.09%	1	'	1			2,093	2,093	%60.0	%60.0	1

1. Except as disclosed in the above table, the remuneration for directors for providing services to all companies in the consolidated financial statement (such as consultants not classified as employees) in the most recent fiscal year are as follows: The Remuneration for Director Cheng-Hsiang Chen is NT\$4,200thousand.

2. For the proposal of 2023 earnings distribution, the proposed allotment of shares for the remuneration of directors and employee compensation has been approved by the Board of Directors before the shareholders' meeting

# IV. Proposals for Acceptance and Approval:

- Proposal 1: 2023 business report and financial statements. For your adoption.

  (Proposed by the Board of Directors)
- Explanation:1. The 2023 business report and financial statements were approved by the Audit Committee and the board of directors. The financial statements were audited by auditors Ming-Hsien Liu and Yung-Hsiang Chao of Deloitte Taiwan.
  - 2. The Company's 2023 Business Report, CPA audit report and financial statements, attached in Attachment I, Attachments IIII and V.

Resolution: No questions raised by the shareholders. Shares represented at the time of voting: 445,232,594

Votin	g Results
Votes in Favor: 4	27,364,164 votes
Votes Against:	301,341 votes
Votes Invalid:	0 vote
Votes Abstained:	17,567,089 votes

The number of votes in favor was accounting for 95.99 % of the total voting rights of the presenting shareholders.

The above proposal be and hereby was approved as proposed.

- Proposal 2: Appropriation of 2023 earnings. For your adoption. (Proposed by the Board of Directors)
- Explanation: 1. The appropriation of 2023 earnings was approved by the 8th meeting of the 11th Board of Directors and submitted to the Audit Committee for review to receive the document review report.

- 2. The Company's 2023 net profit after tax came in at NT\$2,339,562,995, after deducting the statutory surplus reserve of NT\$233,498,502 and the set aside special surplus reserve of NT\$24,378,252 as required by law. In addition, the undistributed surplus earnings at the beginning of the year are NT\$1,651,070,886, deducting the retained earnings under the equity method of NT\$8,307,312 and adding the retained earnings from the remeasurements of the net defined benefit of NT\$3,075,632, while deducting the disposal of an investment in an equity instrument measured at fair value through other comprehensive income, and direct transfer of accumulated profits and losses to retained earnings of NT\$653,700, which bring about 2023 distributable earnings of NT\$3,728,179,147.
- 3. Undistributed surplus in the first, second and third quarters of 2023. In Q4 of 2023, the company distributed NT\$1,506,177,993 cash dividends at NT\$2.50 per share. When distributing cash dividends, the total dividends to the shareholders are distributed down to the nearest NT dollar and the amount less than NT\$1 is rounded off. The remainder will be adjusted by the order of the decimal numbers from large to small and the account numbers from front to back to match the total cash dividend distribution amount.
- 4. Subsequently, for the factors such as issuance of new shares for capital increase or cancellation of shares affecting the number of outstanding shares and dividend payout ratio, the shareholders' meeting shall authorize the Chairman to handle matters related to adjusting the dividend payout ratio.

5. Appropriation of 2023 earnings, attached in Attachment VI.

Resolution: No questions raised by the shareholders. Shares represented at the time of voting: 445,232,594

Voting	g Results
Votes in Favor: 4	28,080,424 votes
Votes Against:	135,766 votes
Votes Invalid:	0 vote
Votes Abstained:	17,016,404 votes

The number of votes in favor was accounting for 96.15 % of the total voting rights of the presenting shareholders.

The above proposal be and hereby was approved as proposed.

#### V. Election Matters:

Proposal 1: Proposal for the by-election of one independent director. Please vote. (Proposed by the Board of Directors)

Explanation: 1.The current independent director, Mr. Chin-Cheng Chien, resigned on January 31, 2024, and intends to elect a by-election as an independent director.

- 2. In accordance with Article 15 of the Company's Articles of Incorporation and Article 192-1 of the Company Act, a candidate nomination system shall be adopted, and that shareholders shall elect independent directors from among the those listed in the independent director candidates list. For the independent director candidates list, please refer to Attachment VII.
- 3. The new independent directors elected by election shall assume office immediately after the shareholders'

meeting, and their term of office shall start from May 29, 2024 and end on May 24, 2026.

4. For the Regulations Governing the Election of Directors and Independent Directors, please refer to meeting agenda.

5.Please vote.

#### Results of the election:

Identity	Shareholder Account No	Name	votes
Independent Director	U12116****	Tien-Lin Chao	396,910,035 votes

#### VI Discussion Items:

Proposal 1: Discussion on the approval of lifting of non-competition restrictions on the newly elected directors and their representatives. (Proposed by the Board of Directors)

Explanation: 1. In accordance with Article 209 of the Company Act, a Director who does anything for oneself or on behalf of another person that is within the scope of the company's business, shall explain to the meeting of shareholders the essential contents of such an act and secure its approval.

- 2. For the directors' contingent investment or operation of other companies with the same or similar business scope as the Company, the proposal is submitted to the shareholders' meeting for the lifting of non-competition restrictions on directors and representatives after approval by the Board of Directors.
- 3. Supplementary explanations for non-competition restrictions before the proposal are discussed at the shareholders' meeting.

Identity	Name	Incumbent Positions
Independent	Tien-Lin	Zhongmao Environmental Protection Technology Co.,
Director	Chao	Ltd. chief consultant
		Carbon-Based Technology Inc. consultant

Resolution: No questions raised by the shareholders. Shares represented at the time of voting: 445,232,594

Voti	ng Results
Votes in Favor:	387,556,202 votes
Votes Against:	33,274,585 votes
Votes Invalid:	0 vote
Votes Abstained	: 24,401,807 votes

The number of votes in favor was accounting for 87.05% of the total voting rights of the presenting shareholders.

The above proposal be and hereby was approved as proposed.

Proposal 2: Discussion on the amendments to the Articles of Incorporation.

(Proposed by the Board of Directors)

- Explanation:1. In view of the Company's future development, it is proposed to increase the total amount of the Company's authorized capital from NT\$8 billion to NT\$10 billion and to amend the Articles of Incorporation accordingly.
  - 2. Comparison Table of Amendments to the Articles of Incorporation, attached in Attachment VIII.

Resolution: No questions raised by the shareholders. Shares represented at the time of voting: 445,232,594

Voti	ng Results
Votes in Favor:	420,552,795 votes
Votes Against:	321,019 votes
Votes Invalid:	0 vote
Votes Abstained	24,358,780 votes

The number of votes in favor was accounting for 94.46 % of the total voting rights of the presenting shareholders.

The above proposal be and hereby was approved as proposed.

Proposal 3: Discussion on the amendments to the Procedures of the Acquisition and Disposal of Assets. (Proposed by the Board of Directors)

Explanation:1. The Procedures are amended to meet the Company's operational needs.

 Comparison Table of Amendments to the Procedures of the Acquisition and Disposal of Assets, attached in Attachment IX.

Resolution: No questions raised by the shareholders. Shares represented at the time of voting: 445,232,594

Voti	ng Results
Votes in Favor:	388,224,594 votes
Votes Against:	32,663,644 votes
Votes Invalid:	0 vote
Votes Abstained:	24,344,356 votes

The number of votes in favor was accounting for 87.20 % of the total voting rights of the presenting shareholders.

The above proposal be and hereby was approved as proposed.

Proposal 4: Discussion on the amendments to the Rules of Procedure for Shareholders' Meetings. (Proposed by the Board of Directors)

Explanation:1. These Rules are amended in accordance with Letter No.

Taiwan-Stock-Governance-1120004167 of the Taiwan

Stock Exchange Corporation dated March 17, 2023.

2. Comparison Table of Amendments to the Rules of Procedure for Shareholders' Meeting, attached in Attachment X.

Resolution: No questions raised by the shareholders. Shares represented at the time of voting: 445,232,594

Voti	ng Results
Votes in Favor:	420,580,547 votes
Votes Against:	313,045 votes
Votes Invalid:	0 vote
Votes Abstained	24,339,002 votes

The number of votes in favor was accounting for 94.46 % of the total voting rights of the presenting shareholders.

The above proposal be and hereby was approved as proposed.

VI. Extemporary Motions: None.

VII. Adjournment: This meeting is closed at 15:09 pm.

(This meeting minutes is a summary of the meeting. Video record may be referenced for details of the event, procedures, and shareholder statements.)



Chairman of the Board of Directors



Recorder

# **Business Report**

# I.Implementation results of the business plan of 2023

Benefitting from the post-COVID-19 boom in aerospace materials and the geo-economic advantages created by the international geopolitical changes such as the Russo-Ukrainian War, which consolidated differential competitive advantages, the aerospace materials with high gross profit margin recovered this year, which helped enhance the Company's profitability. Demand for tool steel products contracts due to the downstream applications being hit hard by the recession and the slow recovery of the Chinese market. However, due to the vigorous development of the aerospace and defense industries, the consolidated turnover of 2023 was \$13,525,251 thousand, a growth of 9.38% compared to 2022, and the net profit before tax of 2023 was \$2,896,244 thousand, an increase of 11.72% compared to 2022.

# Growth of consolidated sales and pre-tax profit

Unit: NT\$ thousand

	Operating revenue	Gross margin	Operating profit	Pre-tax profit
2023	13,525,251	3,644,650	2,374,232	2,896,244
2022	12,365,317	3,955,630	2,414,961	2,592,521
Percentage Growth	9.38%	-7.86%	-1.69%	11.72%

#### (I) Budget implementation

Despite the recovery of demand from the aerospace industry and the defense industry, the orders received by downstream manufacturing industries, such as the automotive industry and the mold industry were not as good as expected due to the economic downturn. As the supply chain was overstocked, tool steel's orders did not grow in the second half of the year and annual revenues and profits lagged slightly behind the budget target. In 2023, the actual parent company only net operating revenue was \$12,439,123 thousand, achieving 95.72% of the budget; the actual parent company only net income after tax was \$2,339,563, with a budget achieving rate of 124.55%.

Unit: NT\$ thousand

Year Item	2023 parent company only budget	Actual 2023 parent company only	Achievement rate %
Net operating revenue	12,995,061	12,439,123	95.72%
Gross margin	3,649,869	3,101,019	84.96%
Operating profit	2,207,677	2,123,583	96.19%
Pre-tax profit	2,279,583	2,766,990	121.38%
Net profit	1,878,400	2,339,563	124.55%

# (II) The capacity of financial revenue and profitability

- 1. The net cash inflow from consolidated operating activities was \$2,018,821 thousand, mainly due to the increase in revenue, decrease in inventories and increase in accounts receivable turnover; the net cash outflow from investment activities of NTD 661,974 thousand was mainly due to the purchase of fixed assets for plant expansion; NTD 2,658,712 thousand net cash inflow from financing activities is due to the issuance of corporate bonds.
- 2. Profitability analysis (consolidated)

Return on assets: 9.20%

Return on shareholders' equity: 18.15%

Operating profit to paid-in capital ratio: 44.00% Income before tax to paid-in capital ratio: 53.68%

Basic EPS (after tax): 4.66

# (III) Description of the research and development review

In response to the development of high-end steel, GMTC has developed new types of steel for hot work tool steels that have both high strength and toughness, which can be effectively used in the die casting and aluminum extrusion industries. A new product launch was held in June of that year.

The main tasks of R&D and quality in 2023 are as follows:

- 1.In response to equipment replacement and regulations/standards revision, the Company will continue to negotiate with end customers to expand the scope of certified products and trial production of First Article Inspection (FAI).
- 2. We continue to comply with the steel type, shape, size, weight, and simplified processes, so as to increase the flexibility of order delivery and achieve effective production.
- 3. We have been improving the steelmaking process, including source management of raw materials, optimized ingredients and adjustment of process parameters to shorten the melting time and improve the internal and external quality standards of ingots.
- 4.Regarding the physical testing of mold materials, we continue to collect data to verify and realize production localization of high-grade tool steel.
- 5.Expand various sizes and steel grades of roll bars.
- 6. We have made preparations for the introduction of the 50T into production to facilitate the subsequent hot commissioning.
- 7. Continuous research and development of new products: mirror steel, cold and hot work steel

# II.2024 Business plan

# (I) Business development

In 2023, due to factors such as high interest rates, high inflation, and China's post-pandemic weaker than expected economic performance, global demand for end products was weak, resulting in a slowdown of manufacturing activities in various countries. In addition, the Russian-Ukrainian war and the Israel-Hamas conflict have not yet ceased, resulting in impacts on global economic development and social stability.

Major international forecasting institutions believe that the global economic growth in 2024 will be slightly lower than that in 2023. However, it is still expected that global merchandise trade will show a recovery trend, which will help Taiwan's foreign trade performance become stable. The business development plans at home and abroad are summarized as follows:

Domestic sales market:

As the inflation gradually eases and the global economy continues to recover, the demand in the domestic machinery/mold/automobile industry will also increase accordingly in 2024.

As a local enterprise, GMTC is committed to continuously refining the production process and expanding the availability of product sizes and formats. Driven by the newly released high-grade tool steel products, general industrial materials are also expected to expand. It is anticipated that the start of mass production of continuous casting machines will increase the cost competitiveness of general commercial steel and will expand the scope of services in the domestic market in the future, providing domestic industries with more choices of self-made/customized materials.

Overseas markets:

In the midst of the gradual easing of inflation, the U.S. infrastructure and other issues will continue to grow in the next few years, coupled with the benefits of order transfer derived from geopolitics and the issue of the international military technology transfer, the steel market will be driven to a feverish sales boom continually. In response to global carbon emissions and other related issues and supporting measures, the Company is actively building up to meet international standards. GMTC not only continues to deepen high-value industries such as the aerospace, energy, and oil and gas industries, but also provided competitive products, actively developing high-end tool steel products to tap into high-end applications in Europe, the U.S., and Japan. After the newly constructed equipment is put into mass production, it is expected to enhance the competitiveness of the general industrial/commercial materials, and will be able to supply the relevant products to the market in a more comprehensive manner.

#### (II) Product development:

New product/ new process development:

In 2024, in addition to the concrete achievements of expanding the applications of high-grade hot work steels in end-users' molds, new products will also be developed and launched in the market this year, which will be mainly used in the precision plastic mold industry and will replace the competing products of foreign steel makers, so as to enhance the

overall domestic independent technological capabilities and cost competitiveness.

The key tasks of 2024 in line with the above product lines are as follows:

#### 1. Production:

The expansion and adjustment of production equipment in the two plants have been completed. Each plant can produce competitive products. Firstly, the new equipment mass production yield increased; the cost is controlled; and a better maintenance capacity is set up; secondly, we focus on the precision of production management and logistics, the scheduling logic and the smoothness of the system interface, so that the new product line can be successfully introduced into the market. The new forging equipment will also eliminate the outlet of steel water to the sea and the actual consistent production of special steel will be completed this year, thereby becoming the most complete bar steel production base in Taiwan.

#### 2. Sales:

- a. In response to the expansion of new production lines, the total sales volume is expanded in all sizes and steel types.
- b. The tool steel market share in each region has been increased.
- c. Americas market: The recovery of aerospace, oil and gas, coupled with the increase in demand for infrastructure, will help stabilize the market.
- d. European market: the aerospace industry will receive stable orders. In response to the issue of carbon tax in Europe. We will change the layout of our sales model and ordering arrangements for the market.
- e. Asian markets: The Indian market was stable due to strong domestic demand.

#### 3. R&D:

As the 50T steelmaking plant is about to enter trial operation and production stage, detailed process planning has been carried out. Related production, testing and adjustment will be carried out in phases from Q2 to Q4, so that the new plant will be able to fulfill the functions, enable the quality and grade to reach the set target and introduce better products to the market through the expansion of the capacity of the equipment.

#### (III) The Company's business policy for 2024

In the face of ever-changing regional market dynamics in the post-pandemic era, in 2024, GMTC's international operations will need to adjust its order portfolio in response to the rapidly changing characteristics of the market in order to maintain its share in the competitive market.

The focus of this year's business policy is as follows:

- 1. Continued expansion of business scale.
- 2. We will Improve the production scheduling system to ensure the smoothness of production and increase the speed of logistics.
- 3. Process design and improvement of new production lines.
- 4. To reduce work-in-progress inventory.
- 5. Sales and purchasing strategies will be aligned to create low cost raw material inventories.

#### III.Future development strategy

GMTC's market is mainly based on export and the proportion of exported products has reached 87%, selling in nearly 50 countries around the world. In the face of global competitors and the ever-changing international situation, sales volume, price, cost, and quality determine the battlefield. Low price and sufficient material purchasing mechanism, as well as process cost control are the most important strategies to expand market share:

- (I) Marketing strategy:
  - 1. Formulating the strategy to achieve leading market share in the Asian tool steel market.
  - 2. We will expand the global market share of 6 series of functional stainless steels and continue to develop in industries that require certification, such as the aerospace, energy,

oil and gas and defense industries.

- 3. We will strengthen market expansion in Northeast and Southeast Asia and India.
- 4. We will plan the domestic sales network and global layout for new products.
- 5.Expand the equipment and market for high purity steel.

# (II) Production strategy:

- 1. Re-design the production process and execute the production positioning in the two factories.
- 2. Strengthen the competitiveness of different product sizes, specialization and division of labor, and scale production to reduce costs.
- 3. We will continue to improve the manufacturing process, increase the production efficiency, increase the competitiveness from large to small and stabilize the manufacturing quality.
- 4. We will expand the high purity steel production equipment.
- 5. We will install green power and design energy-saving and carbon-reducing production processes to minimize the impact on the environment and fulfill our responsibility for green energy and environmental protection.

#### (III) Human resource:

Since employees are the Company's most valuable assets, employee development shall be one of the Company's growth drivers. Therefore, we safeguard the rights and interests of employees by formulating relevant regulations and rules, providing incentives and a salary bonus system, caring for employees, and offering preferential benefits to enable employees to work with peace of mind.

In response to global market trends and new generations, we internally conducted efficient labor deployment and management, and functional and organizational transformation. In addition, with stable profits, the Company has adjusted the salary for three consecutive years. In 2022 and 2023, salaries were adjusted by 5% and 3%. respectively, and in 2024, salaries were adjusted by 4% to share the operating results with employees.

In addition, the company has cooperated with Kao Yuan University to set up master's program for in-service adults, new type of specialized programs and so on. Through the multi-dimensional and multi-win platform of industry-academia cooperation, we are able to cultivate excellent talents and create a multi-win situation for both parties.

# IV. Influences of the external competitive environment, regulatory environment, and the overall business environment

#### (I) Economic environment

In 2023, the world enters a period of turbulence that has not been seen in decades; the U.S. economy is in recession; the Federal Reserve keeps raising interest rates; and OPEC's production cuts have limited stimulus for oil prices. Meanwhile, frequent geopolitical conflicts, the spillover of the Israel-Palestine conflict into the Red Sea, coupled with the Russian-Ukrainian war and the impact of interest rate hikes in various countries, have slowed down the global economic growth, which led to a number of downward revisions to growth rates.

The global economic growth of about 2.9% in 2024 is mainly due to the expected lack of economic growth in the United States and China, which has slowed global economic growth; however, emerging countries with strong domestic demand, such as India and Southeast Asia, have a growth rate of more than 4%.

The iron and steel industry will gradually move out of the 2023 downturn and onto the path of growth, driven by the demand for infrastructure in emerging countries and the recovery from the Russian-Ukrainian war, high inflation and moderating high interest rates.

#### (II) Industry environment analysis:

In 2023, the global economy has experienced post-pandemic turbulence and restructuring. The two major economies, the U.S. and China, have not recovered as well as expected; the Federal Reserve has continued to raise interest rates; and frequent geopolitical conflicts have all had different impact on various industries. The following is a description of the speculative analyses of several important industries related to specialty steel:

#### I. Aviation industry:

The COVID-19 outbreak in 2020 brought the aviation industry through a three-year freeze and in 2023 the industry came out of the darkness. Airbus forecasts that by 2042, the global fleet size will be 46,560 aircraft, of which 23,680 will be new passenger aircraft and 17,170 will be replacements. As travel and commerce return to normal, the aerospace supply chain is gradually adjusting its inventory levels for the demand, resulting in the shipment of materials.

The main market for passenger aircraft is still Asia and Asia continues to lead the vigorous development of the global aviation industry.

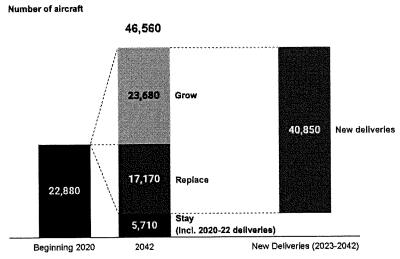


Chart Forecast of New Machine Demand in 2023 - 2042 Data source: Airbus, Global Market Forecast, 2023-2042

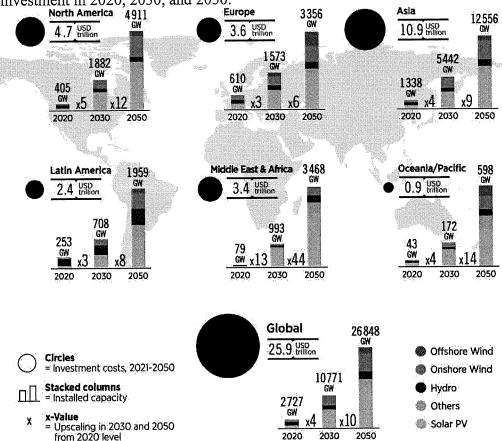
#### II. Power industry

Given the global concern about climate change and the reduction of carbon

emissions, countries around the world are actively developing various green energy, including renewable energy such as wind power and solar power. According to a study by the International Renewable Energy Agency (IRENA), under the 1.5°C simulation scenario, Asia, North America and Europe will account for about 83% of the world's demand for installed renewable energy capacity by 2030. Whereas Asia will need to quadruple its installed renewable energy capacity, North America and Europe will have to increase their installed capacity by about five and three times respectively, and the cumulative investment globally will reach US\$25.9 trillion.

Under the influence of the Russo-Ukrainian war, Russia has restricted the supply of natural gas and oil, resulting in sharp fluctuations in energy prices; however, this has also increased the demand in the energy industry, which is favorable to the demand for electric turbine blade materials in the energy industry. Furthermore, with the climate change and carbon emission reduction issues taking place, the Company is still optimistic about the energy market and have high expectations.

The chart shows the total installed capacity of renewable energy and cumulative investment in 2020, 2030, and 2050.

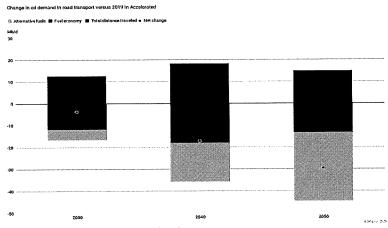


Source: IRENA, World Energy Transitions Outlook 2022

#### III. Crude oil industry

Global oil demand will remain stable for the next 10 years or so and then gradually decline, partly due to the decline in the use of oil in road transportation as vehicles become more efficient and increasingly use alternative energy sources as fuels, such as electricity. Nevertheless, demand for oil in emerging countries is growing modestly due to economic development.

The capacity of wind and solar installations will substantially increase to offset the reduction of electricity from oi and the cost of solar and wind technology and production will decline and eventually stabilize as additional installations are built.



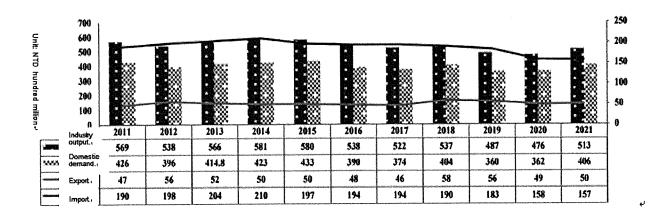
Source: BP, Energy Outlook

#### IV. Mold market

The output value of Taiwan's mold industry is quite stable. The materials are mainly used for plastic molds, die-casting molds and forging molds. Taiwan is also an important production center for 3C products such as notebooks and mobile phones. In recent years, the increased demand has led to a rise in orders for the mold industry; coupled with the growth of the automotive industry, the demand for aluminum extrusion dies has also increased, resulting in a significant increase in the demand for alloy tool steel, plastic film tool steel, and other materials in recent years.

At present, domestic mold materials are still imported to make up for the lack of self-sufficiency, especially in the high-end mold steel materials, which have long been dominated by imported materials. According to the estimates of the metal center, the domestic demand is about 45,000 - 50,000 tons.

R&D of high-end mold materials has been active in recent years and we have successfully launched the hot work tool steel, a double-remelting grade in 2023. This steel is mainly used in die casting and aluminum extrusion molds. Through the specialized alloy preparation technology and advanced production, the toughness, high-temperature strength, and fatigue resistance of the material are well demonstrated, and the service life of the molds is extended, which also improves the competitiveness of the mold industry.



#### V. Automotive industry:

In recent years, due to the pandemic's impact, people's transportation habits have changed. The automotive industry has experienced significant sales growth since 2020. Among them, hot work tool steel is the most used in the automotive industry, accounting for almost half. The demand for molds increases the demand for alloy tool steel.

Secondly, as environmental awareness rises, the appearance and structural parts of vehicles are all developing towards lightweight, energy-saving and electrification. As a result, the materials and structural strength are also changing, and the development of molds and materials must also undergo transformation.

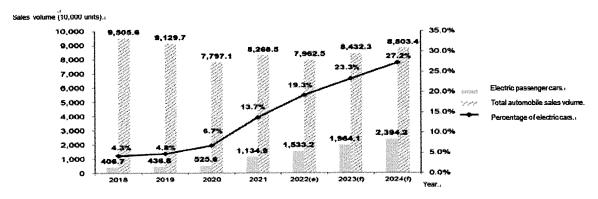


Figure 13 Trends in global auto sales Source: OICA (2022/10); compiled by the Metal Industries Research and Development Centre

#### (III) Iron and steel industry:

World Steel Association forecasts the growth rate of global steel demand to be around 1.9% in 2024. Steel demand is expected to increase by 34.6 million tonnes from 2023, with major growth in Europe, India and Asia.

Taiwan Institute of Economic Research also estimated that Taiwan's economic growth rate will reach 3.15% in 2024, which is revised up by 1.72% compared to the original forecast and nearly twice the expected GDP growth rate in 2023.

In 2024, the global steel market is expected to perform better than last year as investment in the manufacturing industry rebounds significantly; investment demand for emerging technologies and net-zero emissions continues to increase; geopolitical risks decline; and interest rate hikes in Europe and the U.S. slow down.

However, the uncertainty of the impact of the Israel-Hamas conflict, the Russo-Ukrainian war and geopolitical risks in the Middle East, as well as the effective CBAM of the European Union and the global net-zero emission requirements will affect the cost of steel, which will need to be continuously monitored.

Economy	Mi	llion metric t	опѕ	Annual growth rate (%)		
	2022	2023(e)	2024(f)	2022	2023	2024
Western Europe + the U.K.	152.0	144.3	152.7	-7.8	-5.1	5,8
Other parts of Europe	39.2	45.0	47.3	-2.5	14.9	5.1
Russia, Ukraine and the Commonwealth of Independent States	51.6	54.6	55.2	-12.0	5.8	1.3
North America	132.9	134.1	136.1	-3.0	0.9	1.5
Central and South America	44.9	44.2	45.1	-11.5	- 1.6	2.2
Africa	39.5	37.9	39.9	0.8	-4.1	5.4
Middle East	57.1	56.1	57.9	7.7	-1.7	3.2
Asia and the Pacific	1,265.3	1,298.3	1,314.9	-2.7	2.6	1.3

Source: Source: Worldsteel Short Range Outlook, 2023/10

Source: Compiled by Taiwan Institute of Economic Research

# (IV)Regulatory environment and overall business environment

In recent years, global steel protectionism has continued to intensify, and the competition in the global market of alloy tool steel is particularly fierce.

After the pandemic, countries are still imposing a number of steel tariff quota and import strategies or additional import duties on the market to protect the regional markets from the impact. Until 2023, these measures had not been loosened and the global cold war has not yet been resolved, which has led to the shift of market segments.

Taiwan is a mineral resource-deficient country and relies on imported alloy iron raw materials, which is vulnerable to fluctuations in international raw materials prices. As a result, it is not easy to control production costs, which puts additional pressure on the iron and steel industry.

- 1. The global market competition of alloy tool steel is still fierce:
- 2. Obstacles to trade remain in place across countries
  - (1) Trade Barriers from the U.S Section 232: Some steel products have been exempted. However, the measure is still enforced in the United States.
  - (2) European Union: The trade barrier of steel tariff quota continues.
  - (3) Signing RCEP: The steel industry in Southeast Asia is in a price war. Although the impact of tariffs will not happen immediately, it will be a pressure for Taiwan's steel industry in the long run
- 3. In recent years, the global geopolitical frictions have affected the global economy and the steel industry.
- 4. Carbon emission topic:

In light of the global net zero trend, Taiwan has promoted the collection of carbon fees and will further promote the carbon tax and carbon border management mechanism in the future to improve the international carbon competitiveness of the domestic industry, which the steel industry needs to pay more attention to.

Taiwan is also considered an iron and steel exporting country; in the future, it will also realize the establishment of carbon footprints of products by organizing carbon inventories. In addition, the global demand for green iron and steel products will become increasingly high. In the face of the technical aspects, it should focus on low-carbon production processes, equipment development or replacement, in order to address the future effects of the industry as soon as possible.

Green subsidies are also a hidden concern of future trade wars and must be closely monitored.

5. In recent years, the implementation of the green power policy that requires large power users to provide their own green power will gradually come into effect, which will increase the cost of electricity for the iron and steel industry. In addition, adjusting the production schedule and the choice of green power is also one of the issues for the industry.

Looking ahead to 2024, all manufacturing industries, especially the automotive industry, are optimistic about a rebound this year. The slowdown in interest rate hikes in the U.S. is favorable to the construction industry and domestic demand in India and Southeast Asia can drive economic growth and steel demand. With the mitigation of geopolitical conflicts and post-war recovery, the iron and steel industry is expected to recover from the haze of 2023 in 2024.

GMTC makes adjustments to its operation and management at any time in response to changes in the macro environment. We have been implementing internal streamlined management and professional division of responsibilities, establishing a procurement and inventory mechanism, expanding production lines and equipment to make our products more complete, increasing production capacity, enhancing technical capabilities, increasing R&D energy, developing new products, and exploring new market segments. At the same time, we will stabilize our financial position and control costs to strengthen our market competitiveness and expand our market share in Asia. Finally, we would like to thank all shareholders for the support and recognition. Despite the downturn in the global economy in 2023, the Company's management team and employees still strived to create maximum business performance for shareholders and employees. In the future, we will continue to work hard to bring profits and growth to shareholders.

We wish you all good wealth and prosperity!

Chairman: Chiung-Fen Wang

Manager: Yung-Chang Kang

Accounting Manager: Yi-Ting Tseng

# [Attachment II]

# Audit Committees' Review Report

The Board of Directors made the Company's 2023 business report, financial statements and appropriated earnings. The Audit Committee approves the above-mentioned business report, financial statements and appropriation of earnings in accordance with Article 14.4 of the Securities and Exchange Act and Article 219 of the Company Act, and it is considered that there is no disagreement, please review it.

Gloria Material Technology Corp.

Convener of the Auditing Committee:
Chun-Hsiung Chu

February 29, 2024

GLORIA MATERIAL TECHNOLOGY CORP.

INFORMATION ON INVESTMENTS IN MAINLAND CHINA FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2023 (In Thousands of New Taiwan Dollars, Unless Stated Otherwise)

Note					
Accumulated Repatriation of Investment Income as of December 31, 2023	· 69	,	18,007		24,773
Carrying Amount as of December 31, 2023	\$ 197,972	142,625	152,418	124,278	331,398
Investment Gain (Loss) (Note 2)	Note 2 (2)	Note 2 (2) 15,980	Note 2 (2) (4,550)	Note 2 (2) 21,598	Note 2 (2) 29,830
% Ownership of Direct or Indirect Investment	96	96	96	96	100
Net Income (Loss) of the Investee	\$ 82,874	16,675	(1,403)	21,760	29,830
Accumulated Outward Remittance for Investment from Taiwan as of December 31,	US\$ 2,837 HK\$ 700	(Note 4)	US\$ 3,300	. (Note 5)	US\$ 10,000
of Funds Inward	69				US\$ 8,00
Remittance of Funds Outward Inward	·	ı	,		1
Accumulated Outward Remittance for Investment from Taiwan as of December 31,	US\$ 2,837 HK\$ 700	(Note 4)	US\$ 3,300	(Note 5)	US\$ 18,000
Method of Investment (Note 1)	۵.	q	Q	.p	Ф
Paid-in Capital	Registered capital US\$3,000 thousand (paid-in capital of CNY24,856 thousand)	Registered capital US\$3,000 thousand (paid-in capital of CNY22,124 thousand)	Registered capital US\$3,300 thousand (paid-in capital of CNY26,719 thousand)	Registered capital US\$2,000 thousand (paid-in capital of CNY12,660 thousand)	Registered capital US\$10,000 thousand (paid-in capital of CNY63,926 thousand)
Main Businesses and Products	Production and sale of alloy steel	Production and sale of alloy steel			
Investee Company	Guangzhou Goldway Special Material Co., Ltd.	Zhejiang Jiaxing Goldway Special Material Co., Ltd.	Tianjin Goldway Special Material Co., Ltd.	Xian Goldway Special Material Co., Ltd.	Zhejiang Jiaxing Shiang Yang Production and sale of alloy Metal Material Technology steel Co., Ltd.

Upper Limit on the Amount of Investments Stipulated by the Investment Commission, MOEA	\$ 9,156,761 (Note 3)
Accumulated Outward Remittance for Investment Amount Authorized by the Investments in Mainland China as of Investment Commission, MOEA December 31, 2023	\$ 936,503 (US\$ 30,500)
Accumulated Outward Remittance for Investments in Mainland China as of December 31, 2023	US\$ 16,137 HK\$ 700

(Continued)

# Note 1: Methods of investment are classified as below:

Investments through a holding company registered in a third region. Reinvestments through a holding company set up in a third region. Reinvestments through a holding company existing in a third region. Direct investment. Others.

Investment gain or loss was recognized as a percentage of the shares held: Note 2:

a. Companies that are still in the preparatory stage and therefore have no investment gain or loss should be disclosed.

- Investment gain or loss recognized based on the following should be disclosed:

  1) Financial statements which were audited by an international accounting firm with a cooperative relationship with an accounting firm in the ROC.

  2) Financial statements which were audited by the parent company's accounting firm.

  3) Other financial statements which were not audited by the accounting firm.
- The upper limit on investments was 60% of the consolidated net asset value of the Group: \$15,261,269 × 60%=\$9,156,761. Note 3:
- The amount represents the retained earnings received by Faith Easy Enterprises Ltd. from Guangzhou Goldway Special Material Co., Ltd., that was transferred to the share capital of Zhejiang Jiaxing Goldway Special Material Co., Ltd.
- The amount represents the retained earnings of Faith Easy Enterprises Ltd. transferred to the share capital of Xian Goldway Special Material Co., Ltd. Note 5:

#### INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT

The Board of Directors and Shareholders Gloria Material Technology Corp.

#### **Opinion**

We have audited the accompanying financial statements of Gloria Material Technology Corp. (the "Company"), which comprise the balance sheets as of December 31, 2023 and 2022, and the statements of comprehensive income, changes in equity and cash flows for the years then ended, and the notes to the financial statements, including material accounting policy information (collectively referred to as the "financial statements").

In our opinion, the accompanying financial statements present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of the Company as of December 31, 2023 and 2022, and its financial performance and its cash flows for the years then ended in accordance with the Regulations Governing the Preparation of Financial Reports by Securities Issuers.

#### **Basis for Opinion**

We conducted our audits in accordance with the Regulations Governing Financial Statement Audit and Attestation Engagements of by Certified Public Accountants and the Standards on Auditing of the Republic of China. Our responsibilities under those standards are further described in the Auditors' Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Statements section of our report. We are independent of the Company in accordance with The Norm of Professional Ethics for Certified Public Accountant of the Republic of China, and we have fulfilled our other ethical responsibilities in accordance with these requirements. We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion.

#### **Key Audit Matters**

Key audit matters are those matters that, in our professional judgment, were of most significance in our audit of the financial statements for the year ended December 31, 2023. These matters were addressed in the context of our audit of the financial statements as a whole, and in forming our opinion thereon, and we do not provide a separate opinion on these matters.

The key audit matter identified in the Company's financial statements for the year ended December 31, 2023 is as follows:

#### Occurrence of Sales Revenue

The sales revenue of the Company mainly comes from the production and sale of special steel products such as high-functional materials, alloy steel and stainless steel. The products are utilized in various industries such as energy, aerospace, oil and gas, water, biomedicine, machine tools, molds and shipping. The revenue coming from products for specific industries is material to the financial statements as a whole and is significant to the Company's business performance. Since sales to specific industries are the primary risk, we considered the occurrence of revenue as a key audit matter.

The audit procedures we performed included the following:

- 1. We obtained an understanding of and evaluated the accounting policies for the recognition of sales revenue.
- 2. We obtained an understanding of and tested the operating effectiveness of the internal controls in relation to the occurrence of sales revenue.
- 3. We selected samples and performed tests on sales revenue transactions for the year ended December 31, 2023. We checked the relevant internal and external documents and confirmed that the products have been delivered. We also checked for discrepancies between the counterparty of the transaction and the counterparty of payment and for any abnormalities in the amounts collected after the reporting period.

#### Other Matter

We did not audit the financial statements of some investees accounted for using the equity method. The financial statements of the aforementioned investees accounted for using the equity method were audited by other auditors; our opinion, insofar as it relates to the related amounts included herein, is based solely on the reports of other auditors. The total amount of investments in these investees accounted for using the equity method was NT\$ 361,966 thousand and NT\$290,931 thousand, representing 1.3% and 1.2%, of the Company's total assets as of December 31, 2023 and 2022, respectively, and the amount of the Company's total share of comprehensive income of such associates was NT\$57,771 thousand and NT\$40,153 thousand, representing 2.3% and 2.0%, of the Company's total comprehensive income for the year ended December 31, 2023 and 2022, respectively.

# Responsibilities of Management and Those Charged with Governance for the Financial Statements

Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of the financial statements in accordance with the Regulations Governing the Preparation of Financial Reports by Securities Issuers, and for such internal control as management determines is necessary to enable the preparation of financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

In preparing the financial statements, management is responsible for assessing the

Company's ability to continue as a going concern, disclosing, as applicable, matters related to going concern and using the going concern basis of accounting unless management either intends to liquidate the Company or to cease operations, or has no realistic alternative but to do so.

Those charged with governance, including the audit committee, are responsible for overseeing the Company's financial reporting process.

#### Auditors' 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 auditors' 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 the Standards on Auditing of the Republic of China 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 in accordance with the Standards on Auditing of the Republic of China, we exercise professional judgment and maintain professional skepticism throughout the audit. We also:

- 1. 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.
- 2. Obtain an understanding of internal control relevant to the audit in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the Company's internal control.
- 3. Evaluate the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of accounting estimates and related disclosures made by management.
- 4. Conclude on the appropriateness of management's use of the going concern basis of accounting and, based on the audit evidence obtained, whether a material uncertainty exists related to events or conditions that may cast significant doubt on the Company's ability to continue as a going concern. If we conclude that a material uncertainty exists, we are required to draw attention in our auditors' 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 auditors' report. However, future events or conditions may cause the Company to cease to continue as a going concern.
- 5. Evaluate the overall presentation, structure and content of the financial statements, including the disclosures, and whether the financial statements represent the underlying transactions and events in a manner that achieves fair presentation.

6. Obtain sufficient and appropriate audit evidence regarding the financial information of entities or business activities within the Company to express an opinion on the financial statements. We are responsible for the direction, supervision and performance of the audit. We remain solely responsible for our audit opinion.

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.

We also provide those charged with governance with a statement that we have complied with relevant ethical requirements regarding independence, and to communicate with them all relationships and other matters that may reasonably be thought to bear on our independence, and where applicable, related safeguards.

From the matters communicated with those charged with governance, we determine those matters that were of most significance in the audit of the financial statements for the year ended December 31, 2023, and are therefore the key audit matters. We describe these matters in our auditors' report unless law or regulation precludes public disclosure about the matter or when, in extremely rare circumstances, we determine that a matter should not be communicated in our report because the adverse consequences of doing so would reasonably be expected to outweigh the public interest benefits of such communication.

The engagement partners on the audits resulting in this independent auditors' report are Min-Hsien Liu and Yung-Hsiang Chao.

Deloitte & Touche Taipei, Taiwan Republic of China

#### Notice to Readers

The accompanying financial statements are intended only to present the financial position, financial performance and cash flows in accordance with accounting principles and practices generally accepted in the Republic of China and not those of any other jurisdictions. The standards, procedures and practices to audit such financial statements are those generally applied in the Republic of China.

For the convenience of readers, the independent auditors' report and the accompanying financial statements have been translated into English from the original Chinese version prepared and used in the Republic of China. If there is any conflict between the English version and the original Chinese version or any difference in the interpretation of the two versions, the Chinese-language independent auditors' report and financial statements shall prevail.

BALANCE SHEETS DECEMBER 31, 2023 AND 2022 (In Thousands of New Taiwan Dollars)

(In Thousands of New Taiwan Dollars)	2023		2022	
ASSETS	Amount	%	Amount	%
CURRENT ASSETS	7 XIII OUII C	/0	zimount	70
Cash and cash equivalents (Note 6)	\$ 5,374,279	19	\$ 1,949,371	8
Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss - current (Note 7)	17,202	-	52,879	-
Notes receivable (Note 9)	28,997	-	49,546	-
Trade receivables (Notes 9 and 27)	2,066,087	7	1,847,206	8
Other receivables (Note 27)	86,982	-	102,444	1
Inventories (Note 10)	5,395,650	19	5,189,508	22
Other current assets (Notes 15, 27 and 28)	488,431	2	50,645	
Total current assets	13,457,628	<u>47</u>	9,241,599	_39
NON-CURRENT ASSETS				
Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss - non-current (Note 7)  Financial assets at fair value through other comprehensive income - non-current (Note	399,587	1		-
8)	8,151	-	18,571	-
Investments accounted for using the equity method (Note 11)	2,432,826	9	2,303,709	10
Property, plant and equipment (Notes 12 and 28)	8,058,454	28	7,897,662	33
Right-of-use assets (Notes 13 and 27)	37,531	-	30,885	-
Investment properties (Notes 14 and 28)	400,195	1	613,930	3
Deferred tax assets (Note 22)	115,533	- 10	124,481	-
Prepayments for equipment (Note 27)	3,700,552	13	3,318,830	14
Other non-current assets (Notes 15 and 28)	128,152	1	<u>177,528</u>	1
Total non-current assets	15,280,981	_53	14,485,596	<u>61</u>
TOTAL	<u>\$28,738,609</u>	<u>100</u>	<u>\$23,727,195</u>	<u>100</u>
LIABILITIES AND EQUITY				
CURRENT LIABILITIES				
Short-term borrowings (Note 16)	\$ 950,628	3	\$ 1,310,481	5
Short-term bills payable (Note 16)	-	-	20,000	-
Notes payable	283	-	391	-
Trade payables (Note 27)	434,212	2	702,399	3
Other payables (Notes 18 and 27)	697,972	2	662,589	3
Current tax liabilities	465,155	2	425,765	2
Lease liabilities - current (Notes 13 and 27)	4,475	-	1,430	-
Current portion of long-term bank borrowings (Notes 16 and 28)	13,350	-	1,211,877	5
Other current liabilities	223,670	1	133,889	1
Total current liabilities	2,789,745	_10	4,468,821	<u>19</u>
NON-CURRENT LIABILITIES				
Bonds payable (Notes 17 and 28)	6,251,817	22	4,337,043	18
Long-term borrowings (Notes 16 and 28)	4,822,405	17	4,034,901	17
Deferred tax liabilities (Note 22)	142,712	-	137,652	1
Lease liabilities - non-current (Notes 13 and 27)	34,467	-	30,616	-
Net defined benefit liabilities - non-current (Note 19)	20,405	-	121,082	1
Other non-current liabilities	35,101		62,533	
Total non-current liabilities	_11,306,907	<u>39</u>	8,723,827	<u>37</u>
Total liabilities	14,096,652	49	13,192,648	_56
EQUITY (Note 20)				
Share capital				
Ordinary shares	5,395,512	_19	4,571,224	<u>19</u>
Capital surplus	4,438,857	<u>15</u>	2,178,236	9
Retained earnings	1 117 025	4	014 607	
Legal reserve	1,116,835	4	914,627	4
Special reserve	43,415 <u>3,986,056</u>	14	103,107 3,032,679	12
Unappropriated earnings Total retained earnings	5,146,306	$\frac{14}{18}$	4,050,413	<u>13</u> <u>17</u>
Other equity	(67,788)		<u>4,030,413</u> <u>(43,415)</u>	1/
Treasury shares	(270,930)	<u></u>	(221,911)	<u>(1)</u>
Total equity	14,641,957	_51	10,534,547	_44
TOTAL	\$ 28,738,609	$\frac{31}{100}$	\$ 23,727,195	$\frac{100}{100}$
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# STATEMENTS OF COMPREHENSIVE INCOME FOR THE YEARS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2023 AND 2022

(In Thousands of New Taiwan Dollars, Except Earnings Per Share)

	2023		2022	
	Amount	%	Amount	%
OPERATING REVENUE				
Sales (Note 27)	\$ 12,439,123	100	\$ 11,265,158	100
OPERATING COSTS				
Cost of goods sold (Notes 10, 21 and 27)	(9,338,104)	<u>(75</u> )	(7,969,055)	<u>(71</u> )
GROSS PROFIT	3,101,019	25	3,296,103	29
UNREALIZED GROSS PROFIT ON				
TRANSACTIONS WITH SUBSIDIARIES	(57,140)	(1)	(91,031)	(1)
REALIZED GROSS PROFIT ON				
TRANSACTIONS WITH SUBSIDIARIES	91,031	1	<u>78,075</u>	1
REALIZED GROSS PROFIT	3,134,910	25	3,283,147	29
OPERATING EXPENSES (Notes 21 and 27)				
Selling and marketing expenses	(567,127)	(5)	(887,418)	(8)
General and administrative expenses	(419,420)	(3)	(339,388)	(3)
Research and development expenses	(26,296)	_	(39,940)	
Expected credit loss reversed (recognized)	1,516	-	(1,615)	
Total operating expenses	(1,011,327)	<u>(8</u> )	(1,268,361)	<u>(11</u> )
PROFIT FROM OPERATIONS	2,123,583	<u>17</u>	2,014,786	<u>18</u>
NON-OPERATING INCOME AND EXPENSES (Notes 21 and 27)				
Other income	119,066	1	107,941	1
Other gains and losses	341,171	3	152,317	î
Finance costs	(186,399)	(2)	(160,958)	(1)
Interest income	28,711	-	3,743	-
Share of profit of subsidiaries and associates	340,858	3	313,439	3
		_		
Total non-operating income and expenses	643,407	5	<u>416,482</u>	4
PROFIT BEFORE INCOME TAX	2,766,990	22	2,431,268	22
INCOME TAX EXPENSE (Note 22)	(427,427)	(3)	(412,499)	(4)
NET PROFIT FOR THE YEAR	2,339,563	<u>19</u>	2,018,769	<u>18</u>

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# STATEMENTS OF COMPREHENSIVE INCOME FOR THE YEARS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2023 AND 2022

(In Thousands of New Taiwan Dollars, Except Earnings Per Share)

	2023		2022	
	Amount	%	Amount	%
OTHER COMPREHENSIVE INCOME Items that will not be reclassified subsequently to profit or loss:				
Remeasurement of defined benefit plans (Note 19) Unrealized gain/(loss) on investments in equity instruments at fair value through	3,845	-	876	-
other comprehensive income Share of other comprehensive income of subsidiaries and associates accounted for	3,051	-	(2,110)	<del>-</del>
using equity method - unrealized gain/(loss) on investments in equity instruments at fair value through other comprehensive income Share of other comprehensive income of subsidiaries and associates accounted for	11,635	-	(8,063)	-
using equity method - remeasurement of defined benefit plans Income tax related to items that will not be	(41)	-	394	-
reclassified subsequently to profit or loss (Note 22)  Items that may be reclassified subsequently to profit or loss:	(769)	-	(175)	-
Exchange differences on the translation of the financial statements of foreign operations	(36,110)		38,375	
Other comprehensive (loss)/income for the year, net of income tax	(18,389)		29,297	and the state of t
TOTAL COMPREHENSIVE INCOME FOR THE YEAR	\$ 2,321,174	<u>19</u>	<u>\$ 2,048,066</u>	18
EARNINGS PER SHARE (Note 23) Basic Diluted	\$ 4.66 \$ 4.18		\$ 4.52 \$ 4.22	

The accompanying notes are an integral part of the financial statements.

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GLORIA MATERIAL TECHNOLOGY CORP.
STATEMENTS OF CHANGES IN EQUITY
FOR THE YEARS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2023 AND 2022
(In Thousands of New Tairen Dollacy)

												Other	Other Equity Unrailized Valuation Gain (Loss) on Financial		
	Ordinary Shares	Additional Paid-in Canital	Additional Paid-in Capital - Bond Carversian	Treasury Stare Transactions	Capital Surplus Donated Assets	Employee Stare Ontions	Adjustment from Changes in Equity of Subsidiaries and Associates	Changes in Ownership interests in Subsidiaries	Lead Reserve	Retained Earnings Special Reserve	Unappropriated Farmines	Differences on Translation of the Financial Statements of Foreign Operations	Assets at Fair Value Through Other Comprehensive Income	Treatily Shares	Total Foulty
BALANCE AT JANUARY 1, 2022	\$ 4,567,360	\$ 216,649	\$ 1,462,657	\$ 309,842	\$ 3.502	\$ 4,925	s 794	\$ 28,693	\$ 843,957	S 187,212	\$ 1,627.728	\$ (45,932)	\$ (23.463)	\$ (233,925)	\$ 8,949,999
Appropriation of 2021 earnings Legal reserve Special reserve	• 1	• •	1 +	1.1			1 1	1 1	70,670	(84,105)	(70,670) 84,105	f 1			
Cash dividends distributed by the Company Net onofit for the vair ended December 31, 2022			, ,								(630,570)				(630,570)
Other comprehensive income for the year ended December 31,												arc oc	T. C.		10000
2022 Conversion of corporate bonds to ordinary sharts	3,864		9,400			. (501)					cen'i	5/5-86 -	(10,1/3)	, ,	12,763
Purchase of the Company's shares by subsidiaries		٠	•	•		•	•				•	•		(15,000)	(15,000)
Disposal of the Company's shares held by subsidiaries	•	•	•	7,812			•	•	•		•		•	27,014	34,826
Adjustment to capital surplus arising from dividends paid to subsidiaries		•		\$06,9	•	•	•		,		•	,	•	•	6,905
Equity component of convertible bonds issued by the Company	•	r	1	ı	•	114,739	t	•	•	ı	•	ı	٠		114,739
Adjustment from changes in equity of subsidiaries and associates	•	•	•	•	,	•	12,819		•		•	•		•	12,819
Disposal of investments in equity instruments designated as at fair value through other comprehensive income				,	,						2222		(222)		
BALANCE AT DECEMBER 31, 2022	4,571,224	216,649	1,472,057	324,559	3,502	119,163	13,613	28,693	914,627	103,107	3,032,679	(7,557)	(35,858)	(221,911)	10,534,547
Appropriation of 2022 carnings Legal reserve Special reserve		• 1		• •					202,208	. (59,692)	(202,208)		1 1		
Cash dividends distributed by the Company		•		•		•					(1,239,092)	,		,	(1,239,092)
Net profit for the year ended December 31, 2023	•		•	•	•	•	ı	1	•	•	2,339,563	•	•	•	2,339,563
Other comprehensive income for the year ended December 31, 2023	•			•	,		,	,	,		3,035	(36,110)	14,686	٠	(18,389)
Conversion of corporate bonds to ordinary shares	887,578	•	2,152,945	•	•	(114,193)	•	•	•	•	1	r	•	•	2,926,330
Cancellation of treasury shares	(63,290)	(2,731)	(32,378)	(1,336)	•	•	,	•	•	•	•	•	•	99,735	•
Purchase of the Company's shares by subsidiaries	•	•		,	•		•	•	•	•	•		•	(118,721)	(118,721)
Disposal of the Company's shares held by subsidiaries	•	•	•	5,260	,	1	1	r	•	•			•	7,032	12,292
Adjustment to capital surplus arising from dividends paid to subsidiaries	•			13,081	•		•	•	,		•		•	•	13,081
Disposal of investments accounted for using the equity method	1	ŀ	,				(4,074)	ı	•	,	127		(727)	•	(4,074)
Differences between the consideration and the carrying amount of the subsidiaries acquired or disposed	•		•	•	•	•	•	i	•	•	(10,562)		•	,	(10,562)
Changes in percentage of ownership interests in subsidiaries	,	•	•		•	ŧ	ı	(194)	٠			•	•	(37,065)	(37,259)
Equity component of convertible bonds issued by the Company	•	•	i	•	ì	244,241	i	•	•	,	•	1	1	1	244,241
Disposal of investments in equity instruments designated as at fair value through other comprehensive income					1			1		1	2.772		(2.22)	"	"
BALANCE AT DECEMBER 31, 2023	\$ 5,395,512	213,918	3,592,624	\$ 341,564	3,502	112,945 211	9,539	28,499	\$ 1,116,835	\$ 43,415	3,986,056	S(43,667)	(24,121)	\$ (270,930)	2 14,641,957

The accompanying notes are an integral part of the financial statements.

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# STATEMENTS OF CASH FLOWS FOR THE YEARS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2023 AND 2022 (In Thousands of New Taiwan Dollars)

(11 110 110 110 110 110 110 110 110 110	2023	2022
CASH FLOWS FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES	2023	2022
Income before income tax	\$ 2,766,990	\$ 2,431,268
Adjustments for:	,, ,	· -,,
Depreciation expense	435,010	390,555
Amortization expense	925	579
Expected credit loss (reversed) recognized on trade receivables	(1,516)	1,615
Net (gain)/loss on fair value changes of financial assets at fair	( ) ,	,
value through profit or loss	(251,282)	14,556
Finance costs	186,399	160,958
Interest income	(28,711)	(3,743)
Dividend income	(573)	(1,220)
Share of profit of subsidiaries and associates	(340,858)	
Loss/(gain) on disposal of property, plant and equipment	2,985	(5,796)
Expenses arising from property, plant and equipment	131,976	82,617
Gain on disposal of investments accounted for using equity	,	,
method	(139,746)	(160,573)
Write-down of inventories	94,940	23,589
Unrealized gain on transactions with subsidiaries	57,140	91,031
Realized gain on transactions with subsidiaries	(91,031)	(78,075)
Net loss on foreign currency exchange	48,369	84,011
Others	(38)	(719)
Changes in operating assets and liabilities	` '	` ,
Notes receivable	20,716	(8,034)
Trade receivables	(264,444)	(405,232)
Other receivables	15,462	93,446
Inventory	(301,082)	(876,105)
Other current assets	(94,880)	6,890
Notes payable	(108)	204
Trade payables	(266,880)	105,740
Other payables	(24,214)	144,904
Other current liabilities	89,781	79,161
Net defined benefit liabilities	(96,832)	(13,961)
Cash generated from operations	1,948,498	1,844,227
Interest received	28,711	3,743
Dividends received	70,886	110,450
Interest paid	(106,643)	(118,103)
Income tax paid	(374,746)	(51,284)
Net cash generated from operating activities	1,566,706	1,789,033
CASH FLOWS FROM INVESTING ACTIVITIES		
Purchase of financial assets at fair value through other		
comprehensive income	(176)	(3,547)
Proceeds from sale of financial assets at fair value through other		
comprehensive income	13,647	1,486
Purchase of financial assets at amortized cost	(342,906)	-

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# STATEMENTS OF CASH FLOWS FOR THE YEARS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2023 AND 2022 (In Thousands of New Taiwan Dollars)

	2023	
Proceeds from sale of financial assets at amortized cost	-	37,452
Purchase of financial assets at fair value through profit or loss	(184,897)	-
Proceeds from sale of financial assets at fair value through profit		
or loss	72,269	5,063
Acquisition of associates	(97,898)	(51,964)
Proceeds from disposal of associates	251,180	349,427
Proceeds from capital reduction of investments accounted for		
using equity method	248,560	•
Payments for property, plant and equipment	(1,397,203)	(912,355)
Proceeds from disposal of property, plant and equipment	355,110	5,908
Payments for investment properties	(2,095)	-
Proceeds from disposal of investment properties	207,438	-
Decrease in other non-current assets	48,449	<u>155,845</u>
Net cash used in investing activities	(828,522)	(412,685)
CASH FLOWS FROM FINANCING ACTIVITIES		
Proceeds from short-term borrowings	-	23,613
Repayments of short-term borrowings	(362,615)	· -
Repayments of short-term bills payable	(20,000)	(250,000)
Proceeds from issuance of convertible bonds	5,019,630	3,024,680
Repayments of bonds payable	(1,300)	
Proceeds from long-term borrowings	4,750,280	1,153,400
Repayments of long-term borrowings	(5,172,690)	(3,489,816)
Repayments of principal portion of lease liabilities	(3,521)	(6,474)
Decrease in other non-current liabilities	(25,554)	(88)
Dividends paid to owners of the Company	(1,239,092)	(630,570)
Acquisition of additional interests in subsidiaries	(258,414)	(74,182)
Net cash generated from (used in) financing activities	2,686,724	(249,437)
NET INCREASE IN CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS	3,424,908	1,126,911
CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS AT THE BEGINNING OF THE YEAR	1,949,371	822,460
CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS AT THE END OF THE YEAR	<u>\$ 5,374,279</u>	<u>\$1,949,371</u>

# INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT

The Board of Directors and Shareholders Gloria Material Technology Corp.

# **Opinion**

We have audited the accompanying consolidated financial statements of Gloria Material Technology Corp. (the "Company") and its subsidiaries (collectively referred to as the "Group"), which comprise the consolidated balance sheets as of December 31, 2023 and 2022, and the consolidated statements of comprehensive income, changes in equity and cash flows for the years then ended, and the notes to the consolidated financial statements, including material accounting policy information (collectively referred to as the "consolidated financial statements").

In our opinion, based on our audits and the report of other auditors (refer to the Other Matter paragraph), the accompanying consolidated financial statements present fairly, in all material respects, the consolidated financial position of the Group as of December 31, 2023 and 2022, and its consolidated financial performance and its consolidated cash flows for the years then ended in accordance with the Regulations Governing the Preparation of Financial Reports by Securities Issuers and International Financial Reporting Standards (IFRS), International Accounting Standards (IAS), IFRIC Interpretations (IFRIC), and SIC Interpretations (SIC) endorsed and issued into effect by the Financial Supervisory Commission of the Republic of China.

# **Basis for Opinion**

We conducted our audits in accordance with the Regulations Governing Financial Statement Audit and Attestation Engagements of Certified Public Accountants and the Standards on Auditing of the Republic of China. Our responsibilities under those standards are further described in the Auditors' Responsibilities for the Audit of the Consolidated Financial Statements section of our report. We are independent of the Group in accordance with The Norm of Professional Ethics for Certified Public Accountant of the Republic of China, and we have fulfilled our other ethical responsibilities in accordance with these requirements. We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion.

### **Key Audit Matters**

Key audit matters are those matters that, in our professional judgment, were of most significance in our audit of the consolidated financial statements for the year ended December 31, 2023. These matters were addressed in the context of our audit of the consolidated financial statements as a whole, and in forming our opinion thereon, and we do not provide a separate opinion on these matters.

The key audit matter identified in the Group's consolidated financial statements for the year ended December 31, 2023 is as follows:

### Occurrence of Sales Revenue

The sales revenue of the Group mainly comes from the production and sale of special steel products such as high-functional materials, alloy steel and stainless steel. The products are utilized in various industries such as energy, aerospace, oil and gas, water, biomedicine, machine tools, molds and shipping. The revenue coming from products for specific industries is material to the consolidated financial statement as a whole and is significant to the Group's business performance. Since sales to specific industries are the primary risk, we considered the occurrence of revenue as a key audit matter.

The audit procedures we performed included the following:

- 1. We obtained an understanding of and evaluated the accounting policies for the recognition of sales revenue.
- 2. We obtained an understanding of and tested the operating effectiveness of the internal controls in relation to the occurrence of sales revenue.
- 3. We selected samples and performed tests on sales revenue transactions for the year ended December 31, 2023. We checked the relevant internal and external documents and confirmed that the products have been delivered. We also checked for discrepancies between the counterparty of the transaction and the counterparty of the payment and for any abnormalities in the amounts collected after the reporting period.

# Other Matter

We did not audit the financial statements of some investees accounted for using the equity method. The financial statements of the aforementioned investees accounted for using the equity method were audited by other auditors; our opinion, insofar as it relates to the related amounts included herein, is based solely on the reports of other auditors. The total amount of investments in these investees accounted for using the equity method was NT\$361,966 thousand and NT\$290,931 thousand, representing 1.2% and 1.2%, of the Group's total assets as of December 31, 2023 and 2022, respectively, and the amount of the Group's total share of comprehensive income of such associates was NT\$57,771 thousand and NT\$40,153 thousand, representing 2.4% and 1.9%, of the Group's total comprehensive income for the year ended December 31, 2023 and 2022, respectively.

We have also audited the parent company only financial statements of the Company as of and for the years ended December 31, 2023 and 2022 on which we have issued an unmodified opinion with other matter paragraph.

# Responsibilities of Management and Those Charged with Governance for the Consolidated Financial Statements

Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of the consolidated financial statements in accordance with the Regulations Governing the Preparation of Financial Reports by Securities Issuers and International Financial Reporting Standards (IFRS), International Accounting Standards (IAS), IFRIC Interpretations (IFRIC), and SIC Interpretations (SIC) endorsed and issued into effect by the Financial Supervisory Commission of the Republic of China, and for such internal control as management determines is necessary to enable the preparation of consolidated financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

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

Those charged with governance, including the audit committee, are responsible for overseeing the Group's financial reporting process.

# Auditors' Responsibilities for the Audit of the Consolidated Financial Statements

Our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the consolidated financial statements as a whole are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error, and to issue an auditors' 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 the Standards on Auditing of the Republic of China 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 consolidated financial statements.

As part of an audit in accordance with the Standards on Auditing of the Republic of China, we exercise professional judgment and maintain professional skepticism throughout the audit. We also:

- 1. Identify and assess the risks of material misstatement of the consolidated 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.
- 2. 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 Group's internal control.
- 3. Evaluate the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of accounting estimates and related disclosures made by management.

- 4. Conclude on the appropriateness of management's use of the going concern basis of accounting and, based on the audit evidence obtained, whether a material uncertainty exists related to events or conditions that may cast significant doubt on the Group's ability to continue as a going concern. If we conclude that a material uncertainty exists, we are required to draw attention in our auditors' report to the related disclosures in the consolidated 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 auditors' report. However, future events or conditions may cause the Group to cease to continue as a going concern.
- 5. Evaluate the overall presentation, structure and content of the consolidated financial statements, including the disclosures, and whether the consolidated financial statements represent the underlying transactions and events in a manner that achieves fair presentation.
- 6. Obtain sufficient and appropriate audit evidence regarding the financial information of entities or business activities within the Group to express an opinion on the consolidated financial statements. We are responsible for the direction, supervision, and performance of the group audit. We remain solely responsible for our audit opinion.

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.

We also provide those charged with governance with a statement that we have complied with relevant ethical requirements regarding independence, and to communicate with them all relationships and other matters that may reasonably be thought to bear on our independence, and where applicable, related safeguards.

From the matters communicated with those charged with governance, we determine those matters that were of most significance in the audit of the consolidated financial statements for the year ended December 31, 2023, and are therefore the key audit matters. We describe these matters in our auditors' report unless law or regulation precludes public disclosure about the matter or when, in extremely rare circumstances, we determine that a matter should not be communicated in our report because the adverse consequences of doing so would reasonably be expected to outweigh the public interest benefits of such communication.

The engagement partners on the audits resulting in this independent auditors' report are Min-Hsien Liu and Yung-Hsiang Chao.

Deloitte & Touche Taipei, Taiwan Republic of China

February 29, 2024

### Notice to Readers

The accompanying consolidated financial statements are intended only to present the consolidated financial position, financial performance and cash flows in accordance with accounting principles and practices generally accepted in the Republic of China and not those of any other jurisdictions. The standards, procedures and practices to audit such consolidated financial statements are those generally applied in the Republic of China.

For the convenience of readers, the independent auditors' report and the accompanying consolidated financial statements have been translated into English from the original Chinese version prepared and used in the Republic of China. If there is any conflict between the English version and the original Chinese version or any difference in the interpretation of the two versions, the Chinese-language independent auditors' report and consolidated financial statements shall prevail.

CONSOLIDATED BALANCE SHEETS DECEMBER 31, 2023 AND 2022 (In Thousands of New Taiwan Dollars)

	2023		2022	
ASSETS	Amount	%	Amount	%
CURRENT ASSETS				76
Cash and cash equivalents (Note 6) Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss - current (Note 7)	\$ 6,478,921 39,046	21	\$ 2,508,593	10
Notes receivable (Note 9)	166,113	1	52,879 227,332	1
Trade receivables (Notes 9 and 29)	2,411,128	8	2,316,468	9
Other receivables (Note 29)	93,505	-	103,352	1
Inventories (Note 10)	6,514,612	22	6,418,021	25
Other current assets (Notes 16, 29 and 30)	522,524	2	350,692	1
Total current assets	16,225,849	54	11,977,337	_47
NON-CURRENT ASSETS	200 607			
Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss - non-current (Note 7) Financial assets at fair value through other comprehensive income - non-current (Note 8)	399,587 269,873	1 1	230,853	1
Investments accounted for using the equity method (Note 12)	361,966	1	380,361	2
Property, plant and equipment (Notes 13, 29 and 30)	8,420,471	28	8,307,632	33
Right-of-use assets (Note 14)	141,024	1	125,205	-
Investment properties (Notes 15 and 30)	400,195	1	613,930	2
Deferred tax assets (Note 24)	131,518	1	142,243	. 1
Prepayments for equipment (Note 29) Other non-current assets (Notes 16 and 30)	3,700,552	12	3,320,249	13
,	125,470		161,185	1
Total non-current assets	<u>13,950,656</u>	<u>46</u>	13,281,658	53
TOTAL	<u>\$ 30,176,505</u>	<u>100</u>	<u>\$ 25,258,995</u>	100
LIABILITIES AND EQUITY				
CURRENT LIABILITIES				
Short-term borrowings (Notes 17 and 30)	\$ 1,163,941	4	\$ 1,586,969	6
Short-term bills payable (Note 17)	5,000	-	40,000	•
Notes payable	283	-	395	-
Trade payables (Note 29) Other payables (Notes 19 and 29)	487,728 738,652	2 2	746,383	3 3
Current tax liabilities	496,141	2	730,912 465,763	2
Lease liabilities - current (Notes 14 and 29)	16,855	-	6,687	-
Current portion of long-term borrowings (Notes 17 and 30)	13,350	-	1,211,877	5
Other current liabilities	182,675		108,042	
Total current liabilities	3,104,625	10	4,897,028	<u>19</u>
NON-CURRENT LIABILITIES				
Bonds payable (Notes 18 and 30)	6,251,817	21	4,337,043	17
Long-term borrowings (Notes 17 and 30) Deferred tax liabilities (Note 24)	4,822,405	16	4,034,901	16
Lease liabilities - non-current (Notes 14 and 29)	145,884 54,334	-	148,223 39,931	1
Net defined benefit liabilities - non-current (Note 21)	34,021	-	133,870	1
Other non-current liabilities (Note 20)	502,150	2	535,719	2
Total non-current liabilities	11,810,611	39	9,229,687	37
Total liabilities	14,915,236	<u>49</u>	14,126,715	56
EQUITY ATTRIBUTABLE TO OWNERS OF THE COMPANY (Note 22) Share capital				
Ordinary shares	5,395,512	18	4,571,224	18
Capital surplus	<u>4,438,857</u>	15	2,178,236	9
Retained earnings Legal reserve	1 116 027		014.607	
Special reserve	1,116,835 43,415	4	914,627 103,107	4
Unappropriated earnings	3,986,056	13	3,032,679	12
Total retained earnings	5,146,306	<u> 17</u>	4,050,413	16
Other equity	(67,788)		(43,415)	
Treasury shares	(270,930)	(1)	(221,911)	(1)
Total equity attributable to owners of the Company	14,641,957	49	10,534,547	42
NON-CONTROLLING INTERESTS	619,312	2	597,733	2
Total equity	15,261,269	51	11,132,280	44
TOTAL	<u>\$ 30,176,505</u>	100	<u>\$ 25,258,995</u>	_100

The accompanying notes are an integral part of the consolidated financial statements.

(With Deloitte & Touche auditors' report dated February 29, 2024)

# CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF COMPREHENSIVE INCOME FOR THE YEARS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2023 AND 2022

(In Thousands of New Taiwan Dollars, Except Earnings Per Share)

	2023		2022	
	Amount	%	Amount	%
OPERATING REVENUE Sales (Note 29)	\$ 13,525,251	100	\$ 12,365,317	100
OPERATING COSTS Cost of goods sold (Notes 10, 23 and 29)	(9,880,601)	<u>(73</u> )	(8,409,687)	<u>(68</u> )
GROSS PROFIT	3,644,650	_27	3,955,630	_32
OPERATING EXPENSES (Notes 23 and 29) Selling and marketing expenses General and administrative expenses Research and development expenses Expected credit loss (recognized) reversed	(709,759) (529,442) (26,296) (4,921)	(5) (4) 	(1,037,694) (463,947) (39,940) 912	(8) (4) - 
Total operating expenses	(1,270,418)	<u>(9)</u>	(1,540,669)	<u>(12</u> )
PROFIT FROM OPERATIONS	2,374,232	<u>18</u>	2,414,961	_20
NON-OPERATING INCOME AND EXPENSES (Notes 23 and 29) Interest income Other income Other gains and losses Finance costs Share of profit of associates	38,108 127,843 495,525 (194,285) 54,821	1 4 (1)	6,154 148,871 148,852 (171,111) 44,794	1 1 (1)
Total non-operating income and expenses	522,012	4	177,560	1
PROFIT BEFORE INCOME TAX	2,896,244	22	2,592,521	21
INCOME TAX EXPENSE (Note 24)	(500,993)	<u>(4</u> )	(494,506)	_(4)
NET PROFIT FOR THE YEAR	2,395,251	<u>18</u>	2,098,015	<u>17</u>
OTHER COMPREHENSIVE INCOME (LOSS) Items that will not be reclassified subsequently to profit or loss: Remeasurement of defined benefit plans (Note 21)	3,735	-	1,550 (Cor	- ntinued)

# CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF COMPREHENSIVE INCOME FOR THE YEARS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2023 AND 2022

(In Thousands of New Taiwan Dollars, Except Earnings Per Share)

	2023		2022	
	Amount	%	Amount	%
Unrealized gain/(loss) on investments in equity instruments at fair value through other comprehensive income  Share of the other comprehensive income of	30,410	-	(35,487)	-
associates accounted for using the equity method Income tax related to items that will not be	2,950	-	8,998	-
reclassified subsequently to profit or loss  Items that may be reclassified subsequently to profit or loss:	(747)	-	(310)	-
Exchange differences on the translation of the financial statements of foreign operations	(38,599)		42,646	
Other comprehensive (loss)/income for the year, net of income tax	(2,251)		17,397	
TOTAL COMPREHENSIVE INCOME FOR THE YEAR	\$ 2,393,000	<u> 18</u>	\$ 2,115,412	<u>17</u>
NET PROFIT ATTRIBUTABLE TO: Owners of the Company Non-controlling interests	\$ 2,339,563 55,688 \$ 2,395,251	17 1 18	\$ 2,018,769	16 1 _17
TOTAL COMPREHENSIVE INCOME ATTRIBUTABLE TO:				
Owners of the Company Non-controlling interests	\$ 2,321,174 71,826	17 1	\$ 2,048,066 <u>67,346</u>	17 
	\$ 2,393,000	<u>18</u>	\$ 2,115,412	<u>17</u>
EARNINGS PER SHARE (Note 25) Basic Diluted	\$4.66 \$4.18		\$4.52 \$4.22	

The accompanying notes are an integral part of the consolidated financial statements.

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(Concluded)

CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF CHANGES IN EQUITY FOR THE YEARS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2023 AND 2022 (In Thousands of New Taiwin Dollars)

Equity Attributable to Owners of the Company

(2,251) 2,098,015 (199,491) (419) (1,239,092) (4,074) 17,397 6,905 2,395,251 Total Equity \$ 9,511,094 11,132,280 \$ 15,261,269 10,562 597,733 \$ 619,312 (18,389) \$ 14,641,957 10,534,547 Treasury Shares (270,930) (221,911 Other Equity Unrealized Valuation \$ (24,121) Exchange
Differences on
Translation of
the Financial
Statements of
Foreign
Operations (43,667) (202,208) 59,692 (1,239,092) 3,032,679 \$ 1,627,728 3,986,056 Retained Earnings Special Reserve 187,212 \$ 43,415 843,957 Legal Reserve \$ 1,116,835 \$ 28,499 4,925 119,163 \$ 249,211 \$ 341,564 Paid-in Capital -Bond Conversion (32,378) 2,152,945 \$ 1,462,657 \$ 3,592,624 1,472,057 Additional Paid-in Capital \$ 213,918 Ordinary Shares \$ 5,395,512 \$ 4,567,360 4,571,224 Adjustment to capital surplus arising from dividends paid to subsidiaries Disposal of investments in equity instruments designated as at fair value through other comprehensive income Adjustment to capital surplus arising from dividends paid to subsidiaries Disposal of investments in equity instruments designated as at fair value through other comprehensive income Other comprehensive income (loss) for the year ended December 31, 2023 Other comprehensive income (loss) for the year ended December 31, 2022, net of income tax Difference between consideration and earrying amount of subsidiaries acquired or disposed Disposal of investments accounted for using the equity method Changes in capital surplus from investments in associates accousing the equity method Equity component of convertible bonds issued by the Group Equity component of convertible bonds issued by the Group Change in percentage of ownership interest in subsidiaries Disposal of the Company's shares held by subsidiaries Disposal of the Company's shares held by substidiaries Conversion of corporate bonds to ordinary shares Purchase of the Company's shares by subsidiaries Purchase of the Company's shares by subsidiaries Net profit for the year ended December 31, 2022 Net profit for the year ended December 31, 2023 Conversion of corporate bonds to ordinary shares Appropriation of 2022 earnings
Legal reserve
Special reserve
Cash dividends distributed by the Company Appropriation of 2021 earnings Legal reserve Special reserve Cash dividends distributed by the Company BALANCE AT DECEMBER 31, 2022 BALANCE AT DECEMBER 31, 2023 Decrease in non-controlling interests BALANCE AT JANUARY 1, 2022 Cancellation of trensury shares

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# CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF CASH FLOWS FOR THE YEARS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2023 AND 2022

(In Thousands of New Taiwan Dollars)

(IN THORISMAN OF THE THAT DOMEST)	2022	2022
CASH FLOWS FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES	2023	2022
Income before income tax	\$ 2,896,244	\$ 2,592,521
Adjustments for:	Ψ 2,070,244	Ψ 2,372,321
Depreciation expense	477,689	426,836
Amortization expense	971	712
Expected credit loss recognized (reversed)	4,921	(912)
Net (gain)/loss on fair value changes of financial assets at fair	7,721	(712)
value through profit or loss	(252,826)	12,611
Finance costs	194,285	171,111
Interest income	(38,108)	(6,154)
Dividend income	(25,667)	, ,
Share of profit of associates	, , ,	(8,380)
Gain on disposal of property, plant and equipment	(54,821)	(44,794)
	(52,829)	(5,642)
Expenses arising from property, plant and equipment	131,976	82,617
Gain on disposal of right-of-use assets	(53,476)	-
Gain on disposal of investments accounted for using equity	(172 701)	(1 (0, 572)
method	(173,781)	(160,573)
Write-down of inventories	103,391	39,517
Net loss on foreign currency exchange	9,929	83,872
Others	(38)	(36,333)
Changes in operating assets and liabilities		
Notes receivable	61,586	68,460
Trade receivables	(70,993)	(536,899)
Other receivables	9,847	14,297
Inventory	(199,326)	(1,109,229)
Other current assets	(92,934)	1,562
Notes payable	(112)	200
Trade payables	(261,997)	140,301
Other payables	(51,823)	163,606
Other current liabilities	74,633	43,363
Net defined benefit liabilities	(96,055)	(13,336)
Cash generated from (used in) operations	2,540,686	1,919,334
Interest received	38,108	6,154
Dividends received	39,798	17,561
Interest paid	(113,885)	(127,820)
Income tax paid	<u>(485,886)</u>	(118,038)
•		
Net cash generated from operating activities	2,018,821	1,697,191
CASH FLOWS FROM INVESTING ACTIVITIES		
Purchase of financial assets at fair value through other		
comprehensive income	(123,883)	(59,157)
Proceeds from disposal of financial assets at fair value through	,	, , ,
other comprehensive income	115,273	93,054
Purchase of financial assets at amortized cost	(77,467)	(229,112)
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# CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF CASH FLOWS FOR THE YEARS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2023 AND 2022

(In Thousands of New Taiwan Dollars)

(In Thousands of Iven Tarnah Bonats)	2023	2022
Purchase of financial assets at fair value through profit or loss	(224,866)	(12,604)
Proceeds from sale of financial assets at fair value through profit	(221,000)	(12,001)
or loss	91,938	19,612
Acquisition of associates	(97,898)	(51,964)
Proceeds from disposal of associates	326,480	350,599
Payments for property, plant and equipment	(1,403,129)	(921,757)
Proceeds from disposal of property, plant and equipment	434,893	6,922
Proceeds from disposal of right-of-use assets	57,343	0,722
Payments for investment properties	(2,095)	_
Proceeds from disposal of investment properties	207,438	_
Decrease in other non-current assets	33,999	188,169
Decrease in other non-current assets	33,333	188,109
Net cash used in investing activities	(661,974)	(616,238)
CASH FLOWS FROM FINANCING ACTIVITIES		
Repayments of short-term borrowings	(458,694)	(37,694)
Repayments of short-term bills payable	(35,000)	(280,000)
Proceeds from issuance of convertible bonds	5,019,630	3,024,680
Repayments of bonds payable	(1,300)	
Proceeds from long-term borrowings	4,750,280	1,153,400
Repayments of long-term borrowings	(5,172,690)	(3,489,816)
Repayment of principal of lease liabilities	(16,620)	(12,281)
Proceeds from other non-current liabilities	-	460,699
Repayments of other non-current liabilities	(24)	_
Cash dividends paid to owners of the Company	(1,217,164)	(623,665)
Proceeds from disposal of the Company's shares by subsidiary	22,119	75,507
Acquisition of additional interests in subsidiaries	(57,954)	-
Payments for buy-back of the Company's shares as treasury	(-, 3, -, )	
shares by subsidiary	(199,491)	(31,883)
Cash dividends paid by subsidiaries	(66,540)	(71,139)
Proceeds from issuance of ordinary shares for cash by	(00,510)	(71,137)
subsidiaries	92,160	-
Net cash generated from financing activities	2,658,712	167,808
EFFECTS OF EXCHANGE RATE CHANGES ON THE		
BALANCE OF CASH HELD IN FOREIGN CURRENCIES	(45,231)	33,851
NET INCREASE IN CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS	3,970,328	1,282,612
CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS AT THE BEGINNING OF		
THE YEAR	2,508,593	1,225,981
CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS AT THE END OF THE		
YEAR	\$ 6,478,921	\$ 2,508,593
The accompanying notes are an integral part of the consolidated finan		

# Gloria Material Technology Corp. Appropriation of Earnings 2023

Item	Amo	unt
Undistributed Surplus Earnings at the Beginning of the Year		1,651,070,886
Plus: Remeasurements of the net defined benefit	3,075,632	
Plus: Adjusted retained earnings under the equity method	(8,307,312)	
Plus: Disposal of an investment in an equity instrument measured at fair value through other comprehensive income, and direct transfer of accumulated profits and losses to retained earnings	653 <i>,</i> 700	
Undistributed Surplus Earnings After Adjustments		1,646,492,906
Plus: Net Profit	2,339,562,995	
Less: Legal Reserve (10%)		(233,498,502)
Less : Reverse from Special Reserve Arising		(24,378,252)
Distributable Earnings		3,728,179,147
Assign Items:		(1,506,177,993)
Shareholder Dividends - Cash (NT\$2.5per share) Shareholder Dividends - stock (NT\$0)	(1,506,177,993) 0	
Undistributed Surplus Earnings at the End of the Year		2,222,001,154

Note1: Shareholder dividends shall be first allocated from the 2023 surplus earnings

Note2: After the appropriation of earnings, if the number of shares outstanding has been affected by factors such as issuance of new shares or cancellation of shares, which led to changes in the dividend payout ratio, the Chairman shall be fully authorized to handle the situation.

Chairman: Chiung-Fen Wang General Manager: Yung-Chang Kang Accounting Manager: Yi-Ting Tseng

# The Nominated List of Candidates for Independent Directors

Name	Tien-Lin Chao
Shareholding	0 share
Incumbent positions	Associate Professor, Department of Public Policy and Management, Shih Hsin University
Educational Background	Doctoral Program in Industrial Engineering and Management, National Kaohsiung University of Science and Technology Master of Public Policy, National Sun Yat-sen University
Experience	Member of the 8th, 9th and 10th term of the Legislative Council of the Republic of China Director of the Straits Exchange Foundation
Whether the Independent Director serves for more than 3 consecutive terms.	No

# Comparison Table of Amendments to the Articles of Incorporation of Gloria Material Technology Corp.

After amendment	Before amendment	Purpose of amendment
Article 5: The total amount of the Company's capital is NT\$10 billion, which is further divided into 1 billion shares, with the value per share NT\$10. A total of 27 million shares are preserved for issuing employee stock options, and the Board is further authorized to issue them in installments thereof.	Article 5: The total amount of the Company's capital is NT\$8 billion, which is further divided into 800 million shares, with the value per share NT\$10. A total of 27 million shares are preserved for issuing employee stock options, and the Board is further authorized to issue them in installments thereof.	In view of the Company's future development, it is proposed to increase the total amount of the Company's authorized capital
Article 29: Adding "Twenty-seventh Amendment on May 29, 2024" to the existing provision.	Article 29: Omitted.	Adding the date of amendment

# Comparison Table of Amendments to the Procedures of the Acquisition or Disposal of Assets of Gloria Material

# Technology Corp.

After amendment	Before amendment	Purpose of amendment
Article 7: Procedures for	Article 7: Procedures for	In order to meet the
acquisition or disposal of real	acquisition or disposal of real	Company's practical operating needs, the
estate, equipment or its	estate, equipment or its	relevant authorization
right-of-use assets	right-of-use assets	limits for the Chairman in
I. Assessment and operating	I. Assessment and operating	the Procedures for the Acquisition and Disposal
procedures	procedures	of Assets has been
The Company's acquisition or	The Company's acquisition or	amended.
disposal of property, equipment	disposal of property, equipment	
or its right-of-use assets shall	or its right-of-use assets shall	
be handled in accordance with	be handled in accordance with	
the property, plant and	the property, plant and	
equipment cycle procedures of	equipment cycle procedures of	
the Company's internal control	the Company's internal control	
system.	system.	
II. The procedure for determining	II. The procedure for determining	
the terms and conditions of the	the terms and conditions of the	
transaction and the authorized	transaction and the authorized	
amount	amount	
(I) For the acquisition or disposal	(I) For the acquisition or disposal	
of real estate, the transaction	of real estate, the transaction	
conditions and price shall be	conditions and price shall be	
determined based on the	determined based on the	
announced fair value, assessed	announced fair value, assessed	
value, actual transaction prices	value, actual transaction prices	
of adjacent real estate, etc. An	of adjacent real estate, etc. An	
analysis report shall be	analysis report shall be	
prepared and submitted to the	prepared and submitted to the	
Chairman for approval. For	Chairman for approval. For	
transactions involving amounts	transactions involving amounts	
below NTD 50 million,	below NTD 50 million,	
approval from the Chairman	approval from the Chairman	
shall be sought and reported in	shall be sought and reported in	

After amendment	Before amendment	Purpose of amendment
the next board meeting for the	the next board meeting for the	
record. If the amount exceeds	record. If the amount exceeds	
NTD 50 million, it shall also be	NTD 50 million, it shall also be	
submitted to the board of	submitted to the board of	
directors for approval before	directors for approval before	
proceeding.	proceeding.	
(II) For the acquisition or disposal	(II) For the acquisition or disposal	
of equipment, one of the	of equipment, one of the	
following methods shall be	following methods shall be	
used: inquiry, comparison,	used: inquiry, comparison,	
negotiation or bidding. <u>For</u>	negotiation or bidding. For	
transactions involving amounts	transactions involving amounts	
up to (and including) NTD 50	below (and including) NTD 20	
million, it shall be submitted to	million, it shall be submitted to	
the General Manager for	the General Manager for	
approval. For amounts	approval. For amounts	
exceeding NTD 50 million up	exceeding NTD 20 million up	
to (and including) NTD 100	to (and including) NTD 30	
million, it shall be submitted to	million, it shall be submitted to	
the Vice Chairman for	the Vice Chairman for	
approval. For amounts	approval. For amounts	
exceeding NTD 100 million up	exceeding NTD 30 million up	
to (and including) NTD 300	to (and including) NTD 50	
million, it shall be submitted to	million, it shall be submitted to	
the Chairman for approval.	the Chairman for approval.	
Transactions exceeding NTD	Transactions exceeding NTD	
300 million shall require	50 million shall require	
approval from the Chairman	approval from the Chairman	
and submitted to the Board of	and submitted to the Board of	
Directors for approval before	Directors for approval before	
proceeding.	proceeding.	

After amendment Before amendment Purpose of amendment Article 8: Procedures for Article 8: Procedures for In order to meet the acquisition or disposal of acquisition or disposal of Company's practical securities investment securities investment operating needs, the I. Assessment and operating I. Assessment and operating relevant authorization limits for the Chairman in procedures procedures The Company shall handle the The Company shall handle the the Procedures for the purchase and sale of long-term purchase and sale of long-term Acquisition and Disposal and short-term securities in and short-term securities in of Assets has been accordance with the Company's accordance with the Company's amended. internal control system internal control system investment cycle. investment cycle. II. The procedure for determining II. The procedure for determining the terms and conditions of the the terms and conditions of the transaction and the authorized transaction and the authorized amount amount (I) For the trading of securities on (I) For the trading of securities on the centralized trading market the centralized trading market or the OTC market, the or the OTC market, the responsible unit shall responsible unit shall determine determine the amount the amount according to the market conditions. For according to the market conditions. For transactions transactions involving amounts involving amounts up to (and below (and including) NTD 20 including) NTD 50 million, it million, it shall be submitted to shall be submitted to the the General Manager for General Manager for approval. approval. For amounts For amounts exceeding NTD exceeding NTD 20 million up 50 million up to (and to (and including) NTD 30 including) NTD 100 million, it million, it shall be submitted to the Vice Chairman for shall be submitted to the Vice Chairman for approval. For approval. For amounts amounts exceeding NTD 100 exceeding NTD 30 million up million up to (and including) to (and including) NTD 50 NTD 300 million, it shall be million, it shall be submitted to submitted to the Chairman for the Chairman for approval. And approval. And all transactions all transactions shall be shall be reported in the next reported in the next board

After amendment	Before amendment	Purpose of amendment
board meeting for the record,	meeting for the record,	
accompanied by an analysis	accompanied by an analysis	
report of unrealized gains or	report of unrealized gains or	
losses on securities in the short	losses on securities in the short	
and long term. Transactions	and long term. Transactions	
exceeding NTD 300 million	exceeding NTD 50 million	
shall require approval from the	shall require approval from the	
Chairman and submitted to the	Chairman and submitted to the	
Board of Directors for approval	Board of Directors for approval	
before proceeding.	before proceeding.	
(II) For the trading of securities	(II) For the trading of securities	
not on the centralized trading	not on the centralized trading	
market or the OTC market, the	market or the OTC market, the	
Company shall obtain the most	Company shall obtain the most	
recent financial statements	recent financial statements	
audited and certified or	audited and certified or	
reviewed by a CPA of the	reviewed by a CPA of the	
subject company before the	subject company before the	
date of occurrence of the fact	date of occurrence of the fact as	
as a reference for assessing the	a reference for assessing the	
transaction price. Factors to	transaction price. Factors to	
consider include per-share net	consider include per-share net	
worth, profitability, and	worth, profitability, and	
potential for future	potential for future	
development. For transactions	development. For transactions	
involving amounts up to (and	involving amounts below (and	
including) NTD 50 million, it	including) NTD 20 million, it	
shall be submitted to the	shall be submitted to the	
General Manager for approval.	General Manager for approval.	
For amounts exceeding NTD	For amounts exceeding NTD	
50 million up to (and	20 million up to (and including)	
including) NTD 100 million, it	NTD 30 million, it shall be	
shall be submitted to the Vice	submitted to the Vice Chairman	
Chairman for approval. For	for approval. For amounts	
amounts exceeding NTD 100	exceeding NTD 30 million up	
million up to (and including)	to (and including) NTD 50	
NTD 300 million, it shall be	million, it shall be submitted to	

After amendment	Before amendment	Purpose of amendment
submitted to the Chairman for	the Chairman for approval. And	
approval. And all transactions	all transactions shall be	
shall be reported in the next	reported in the next board	
board meeting for the record,	meeting for the record,	
accompanied by an analysis	accompanied by an analysis	
report of unrealized gains or	report of unrealized gains or	
losses on securities in the short	losses on securities in the short	
and long term. Transactions	and long term. Transactions	
exceeding NTD 300 million	exceeding NTD 50 million	
shall require approval from the	shall require approval from the	
Chairman and submitted to the	Chairman and submitted to the	
Board of Directors for approval	Board of Directors for approval	
before proceeding.	before proceeding.	
Article 10: Procedures for	Article 10: Procedures for	In order to meet the
acquisition or disposal of	acquisition or disposal of	Company's practical
membership cards or intangible	membership cards or intangible	operating needs, the
assets	assets	relevant authorization
I. Assessment and operating	I. Assessment and operating	limits for the Chairman in
procedures	procedures	the Procedures for the
The Company's acquisition or	The Company's acquisition or	Acquisition and Disposal
disposal of intangible assets or	disposal of intangible assets or	of Assets has been
its right-of-use assets or	its right-of-use assets or	amended.
membership cards shall be	membership cards shall be	
handled in accordance with the	handled in accordance with the	
property, plant and equipment	property, plant and equipment	
cycle procedures of the	cycle procedures of the	
Company's internal control	Company's internal control	
system.	system.	
II. The procedure for determining	II. The procedure for determining	
the terms and conditions of the	the terms and conditions of the	
transaction and the authorized	transaction and the authorized	
amount	amount	
(I) For the acquisition or disposal	(I) For the acquisition or disposal	
of membership cards, the	of membership cards, the	
transaction conditions and	transaction conditions and	
prices shall be determined with	prices shall be determined with	
reference to the fair market	reference to the fair market	

After amendment	Before amendment	Purpose of amendment
price and an analysis report	price and an analysis report	
shall be prepared. For	shall be prepared. For	
transactions involving amounts	transactions involving amounts	
up to (and including) NTD 50	up to (and including) NTD 2	
million, it shall be submitted to	million, it shall be submitted to	
the General Manager for	the General Manager for	
approval. For amounts	approval. For amounts	
exceeding NTD 50 million up	exceeding NTD 2 million up to	
to (and including) NTD 100	(and including) NTD 3 million,	
million, it shall be submitted to	it shall be submitted to the Vice	
the Vice-Chairman for	Chairman for approval. For	
approval. For amounts	amounts exceeding NTD 3	
exceeding NTD 100 million up	million up to (and including)	
to (and including) NTD 300	NTD 5 million, it shall be	
million, it shall be submitted to	submitted to the Chairman for	
the Chairman for approval. All	approval. All transactions shall	
transactions shall be reported in	be reported in the next board	
the next board meeting for the	meeting for the record.	
record. <u>Transactions exceeding</u>	Transactions exceeding NTD 5	
NTD 300 million shall require	million shall also be submitted	
approval from the Chairman	to the Board of Directors for	
and submitted to the Board of	approval before proceeding.	
Directors for approval before	(II) For the acquisition or disposal	
proceeding.	of intangible assets or the	
(II) For the acquisition or disposal	right-of-use assets thereof, the	
of intangible assets or the	terms and conditions of the	
right-of-use assets thereof, the	transaction and the transaction	
terms and conditions of the	price shall be determined with	
transaction and the transaction	reference to the expert	
price shall be determined with	evaluation report or the fair	
reference to the expert	market price, and an analysis	
evaluation report or the fair	report shall be prepared. For	
market price, and an analysis	transactions involving amounts	
report shall be prepared. For	below (and including) NTD 20	
transactions involving amounts	million, it shall be submitted to	
up to (and including) NTD 50	the General Manager for	
million, it shall be submitted to	approval. For amounts	

After amendment	Before amendment	Purpose of amendment
the General Manager for	exceeding NTD 20 million up	
approval. For amounts	to (and including) NTD 30	
exceeding NTD 50 million up	million, it shall be submitted to	
to (and including) NTD 100	the Vice Chairman for	
million, it shall be submitted to	approval. For amounts	
the Vice-Chairman for	exceeding NTD 30 million up	
approval. For amounts	to (and including) NTD 50	
exceeding NTD 100 million up	million, it shall be submitted to	
to (and including) NTD 300	the Chairman for approval. All	
million, it shall be submitted to	transactions shall be reported at	
	1	
the Chairman for approval.  And all transactions shall be	the next board meeting for the	
	record. Transactions exceeding	
reported in the next board	NTD 50 million shall also be	
meeting for the record.	submitted to the Board of	
Transactions exceeding NTD	Directors for approval before	
300 million shall require	proceeding.	
approval from the Chairman		
and submitted to the Board of		
Directors for approval before		
proceeding.		
Article 12: Procedures for the	Article 12: Procedures for the	The total contract amount
		for hedging transactions
acquisition and disposal of	acquisition and disposal of	is amended to conform to
assets	assets	the Company's practical
Omitted.	Omitted.	needs, and the position generated due to the
(V) Determination of the total contract amount and the	(V) Determination of the total contract amount and the	Company's business is
maximum loss limit	maximum loss limit	used as the risk hedging
1. Total contract amount	1. Total contract amount	amount.
(1) Hedging transaction amount	(1) Hedging transaction amount	
limit	limit	
The financial department shall	The finance department shall	
monitor the Company's overall position to avoid transaction	monitor the Company's overall positions to avoid transaction	
risks. The total contract amount	risks. The amount of hedging	
shall be limited to the net	transactions shall not exceed the	
operating revenue of the month. If	overall net position of the	
it exceeds two-thirds of the	Company. Anything exceeding	
amount, it shall be reported to the	two-thirds of the amount shall be	
General Manager for approval.	reported to the General Manager	

After amendment	Before amendment	Purpose of amendment
	for approval.	
Article 13: Procedures for	Article 13	
mergers and consolidations,	Omitted.	Subparagraphs 1 and 2 of
splits, acquisitions, and	(III) Principles for setting and	Article 13 have already
assignment of shares	changing the share	described the procedure
Omitted.	exchange ratio or	for setting the share
(III) Principles for setting and	acquisition price: The	exchange ratio and
changing the share	company conducting a	acquisition price. In order
exchange ratio or	merger, demerger,	to meet the Company's
acquisition price: <del>The</del>	acquisition, or transfer of	practical operation needs,
company conducting a	shares, prior to convening	it is proposed to amend
merger, demerger,	the board of directors to	Article 13 so that the
acquisition, or transfer of	resolve on the matter, shall	purpose of this
shares, prior to convening	engage a CPA, attorney,	subparagraph is only
the board of directors to	or securities underwriter to	changed in principle.
resolve on the matter,	give an opinion on the	
shall engage a CPA,	reasonableness of the	
attorney, or securities	share exchange ratio,	
underwriter to give an	acquisition price, or	
opinion on the	distribution of cash or	
reasonableness of the	other property to	
share exchange ratio,	shareholders and submit it	
acquisition price, or	to the board of directors	
distribution of cash or	for deliberation and	
other property to	passage. In principle, the	
shareholders, and submit	share exchange ratio or	
it to the board of directors	acquisition price may not	
for deliberation and	be changed at will, except	
<del>passage</del> . In principle, the	when the conditions for	

After amendment	Before amendment	Purpose of amendment
share exchange ratio or acquisition price may not be changed at will, except when the conditions for change have been stipulated in the contract and have been publicly disclosed. Omitted.	change have been stipulated in the contract and have been publicly disclosed. Omitted.	
Article 17: Implementation and amendment  Tenth amendment was effected on May 29, 2024.	Article 17: Omitted.	Adding the date of the amendment

# Comparison Table of Amendments to the Rules of [Attachment X] Procedure for Shareholders' Meeting of Gloria Material Technology Corp.

After amendment	Before amendment	Purpose of amendment
Article 2	Article 2	As the Company
Unless otherwise provided by law	Unless otherwise provided by	convenes the video
or regulation, the Company's	law or regulation, the	conference, the
shareholders' meetings shall be	Company's shareholders'	shareholders are not
convened by the Board of	meetings shall be convened by	allowed to attend the
Directors.	the Board of Directors.	meeting in person, and
Unless otherwise provided in these	Omitted.	can only participate in the
Regulations, a company that will		shareholders' meeting by
convene a shareholders' meeting		video conference, which
with video conferencing shall		imposes more restrictions
expressly provide for such		on the rights and interests
meetings in its Articles of		of shareholders. In order
Incorporation and obtain a		to protect shareholders'
resolution of its board of directors.		rights, the second
Furthermore, convening of a		paragraph is hereby
virtual-only shareholders' meeting		added to stipulate that in
shall require a resolution adopted		addition to the provisions
by a majority vote at a meeting of		of the Regulations of
the board of directors attended by		Governing the
at least two-thirds of the total		Administration of
number of directors.		Shareholder Services of
Omitted.		Public Companies
		otherwise provides, the
		Company convening of a
		virtual-only shareholders'
		meeting shall require a
		resolution adopted by a
		majority vote (special
		resolution) at a meeting
		of the board of directors
		attended by at least
		two-thirds of the total
		number of directors.
Article 6-1	Article 6-1	I. When the company
The Company shall specify	The Company shall specify	convenes a virtual-only
the following in the shareholder	the following in the shareholder	shareholders' meeting,
meeting notice when convening a	meeting notice when convening	it furthermore shall
shareholder meeting via	a shareholder meeting via	specify appropriate
videoconference:	videoconference:	alternative measures
Sub-paragraphs I and II omitted.	Sub-paragraphs I and II omitted.	available to
III. When the Company convenes	III. When the Company	shareholders who have
a virtual-only shareholders'	convenes a virtual-only	

### After amendment

meeting, it furthermore shall specify appropriate alternative measures available to shareholders who have difficulty taking part in a virtual shareholders' meeting. Except in the circumstances set out in Article 44-9, paragraph 6 of the Regulations of Governing the Administration of Shareholder Services of Public Companies, it shall at least provide the shareholders with connection facilities and necessary assistance, and specify the period during which shareholders may apply to the company and other related matters requiring attention.

# Before amendment

shareholders' meeting, it furthermore shall specify appropriate alternative measures available to shareholders who have difficulty taking part in a virtual shareholders' meeting. Purpose of amendment difficulty taking part in a virtual shareholders' meeting. The Company shall at least provide the shareholders with connection facilities and necessary assistance, and specify the period during which shareholders may apply to the company and other related matters requiring attention. 2. If, due to a natural disaster, unforeseen event or other force majeure event described in paragraph 6, Article 44-9 of the Regulations Governing the Administration of Stock Services of Public Companies, the Ministry of Economic Affairs announces that within a certain period of time companies may hold their shareholders' meetings by means of video conferencing, companies may be exempted during that period from the requirement of express provision in their Articles of Incorporation under sub-paragraph 3, which states that in the event described in paragraph 6, Article 44-9 of the Regulations Governing the Administration of Stock Services of Public Companies, the

After amendment	Before amendment	Purpose of amendment
		latter part of sub-paragraph 3 shall
		not apply.
When the shareholders' meeting is held via video-conferencing, the company shall provide proper alternative measures for shareholders who have difficulty attending shareholders' meetings virtually.  Except in the circumstances set out in Article 44-9, paragraph 6 of the Regulations of Governing the Administration of Shareholder  Services of Public Companies, it shall at least provide the shareholders with connection facilities and necessary assistance, and specify the period during which shareholders may apply to	Article 21 When the shareholders' meeting is held via video-conferencing, the company shall provide proper alternative measures for shareholders who have difficulty attending shareholders' meetings virtually.	The purpose of amendment is the same as Article 6-1.
the company and other related matters requiring attention.		
Article 23: Ninth amendment was effected on May 29, 2024.	Article 23: Omitted.	Adding the date of the amendment