

TRENCOR LIMITED 2010

(Incorporated in the Republic of South Africa - Registration No 1955/002869/06)

To meet the many requirements of regulatory authorities, annual reports have become lengthy, complex and very technical. To provide a convenient overview of the 2010 annual report of Trencor, this insert contains highlights from that report. It is not in substitution of the report, nor does it form part thereof. For a fully detailed appreciation of the company's activities and results, you are advised to read the annual report.

Group chart

Trencor		Investment holding company listed on the JSE
61,6%*	Textainer	Listed on the New York Stock Exchange, the Textainer group owns, leases, manages and resells marine cargo containers worldwide
100%	Trencor Services	Corporate administration and financing
100%	Trencor Containers	Collection of long-term receivables
44,3%	TAC	Owning of marine cargo containers

^{*} Reduced to 60,9% subsequent to the year-end following the issue of restricted share units

Highlights

Group

- Trading profit from continuing operations after net financing costs (but excluding gains on early extinguishment of debt in Textainer in 2009) increased by 28% from R781 million in 2009 to R1 002 million.
- The net long-term receivable valuation adjustment was reduced by R189 million following the significantly improved outlook for collections as a result of the currently very strong container leasing market. This increased earnings by 72 cents per share.
- Headline earnings per share which includes net unrealised foreign exchange losses and gains were 335,5 cents (2009: 134,8 cents).
- Adjusted headline earnings per share, which excludes net unrealised foreign exchange losses and gains and excludes gains realised in 2009 by Textainer on the repurchase of portion of its own debt, at 369,4 cents (2009: 203,5 cents), were up by 81%.
- Net realised and unrealised foreign exchange losses arising on translation of net dollar receivables and the related valuation adjustments, not included in adjusted headline earnings per share, were R89 million or 34 cents per share (2009: loss R298 million or 115 cents per share).
- The different earnings are better reflected in tabular form:

2010	2009
Cents per share	Cents per share
335,5	134,8
33,9	114,6
369,4	249,4
_	(45,9)
369,4	203,5
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- Consolidated gearing ratio at 31 December 2010 was 98% (2009: 88%). All of the interest-bearing debt is in Textainer.
- Final dividend of 100 cents per share declared, making a total of 140 cents per share for the year (2009: total 120 cents per share), an increase of 17% over the previous year.
- Trencor implemented the specific share repurchase of 10 800 881 shares at R38,61 per share on 14 March 2011.

Textainer

- Profit attributable to shareholders for the year was US\$128,0 million (2009: US\$92,0 million including gains on repurchase of debt amounting to US\$15,3 million); profit in 2010 included a reversal of certain taxation provisions amounting to US\$11,1 million (2009: nil) no longer required under IFRS following the conclusion of an audit by the IRS.
- Current fleet utilisation was 99,0% at the end of March 2011 compared to 91,6% a year ago.
- Purchased a total of 214 000 TEU (twenty foot equivalent units) of new equipment in 2010 representing a total of US\$503,7 million in capital expenditure.
- Increased the owned portion of the total fleet to 51% as at 31 December 2010 from 45% in 2009.

Prospects*

Textainer's fleet utilisation remains in the high nineties. In these conditions the large expenditure on fleet expansion in 2010 should make a meaningful contribution to Textainer's earnings in 2011. Thus the outlook for 2011 for Trencor and Textainer is promising.

* The financial information on which the above forecast is based has not been reviewed and reported on by Trencor's external auditors.



Condensed financial statements

As virtually all of the group's revenue and assets and much of its expenditure are denominated in currencies other than rand (principally US dollars), condensed consolidated income statements and condensed consolidated statements of financial position are also presented in US dollars in order to provide a fuller appreciation of the group's results and financial position. The rand values have been extracted from the audited financial statements. The dollar statements have not been audited.

Condensed income statements for the year ended 31 December 2010

	2010	2009	2010	2009
	Rm	Rm	US\$m	US\$m
Continuing operations:				
Trading profit from continuing operations before items listed below	1 226	885	167	106
Exchange losses	(149)	(442)	(4)	(6)
Net long-term receivable fair value adjustment	250	130	29	(4)
Other	(12)	(9)	(1)	(1)
Profit from operating activities	1 315	564	191	95
Net finance (expenses)/income	(224)	71	(31)	7
Profit before tax	1 091	635	160	102
Profit after tax	1 082	667	155	98
Net profit for the year attributable to equity holders of the company	624	259	93	50
Basic earnings per share (cents) – continuing operations	332,5	134,7	49,5	26,1
Headline earnings per share (cents)	335,5	134,8	49,9	26,0
Adjusted headline earnings per share (cents)	369,4	203,5	51,5	23,2
Year-end rate of exchange: SA rand to US dollar	6,61	7,35	6,61	7,35
Condensed statements of financial position as at 31 December	er 2010			
	2010	2009	2010	2009
	Rm	Rm	US\$m	US\$m
Assets				
Property, plant and equipment	9 604	7 858	1 453	1 069
Long-term receivables	828	838	125	114
Other non-current assets	925	1 366	140	186
Current assets	2 007	1 893	304	258
Total assets	13 364	11 955	2 022	1 627
Equity and liabilities				
	5 951	5 746	900	782
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Profit attributable to equity holders of the company from the various classes of business

for the year ended 31 December 2010

	2010 Rm	2009 Rm
Container operations		
Container finance	17	19
Textainer	581	486
Exchange translation losses	(63)	(215)
Net long-term receivable adjustment	136	(10)
Interest and other corporate items	(47)	(27)
Discontinued operations	-	6
	624	259

Analysis of shareholders at 25 March 2011

(after the unbundling by Mobile of its interest in Trencor and the specific share repurchase by Trencor)

	Number of	
	holders	% holding
Corporates	398	61
Retirement funds	128	26
Individuals	2 381	11
Other	369	2
Total	3 276	100

Share information

Share code: TRE

ISIN: ZAE000007506

Industry Classification Benchmark (ICB): Industrial/Industrial Goods & Services/Industrial Transportation/Transportation/Services

Price (cents)	2010	2009
High	4000	2700
Low	2625	1500
Close	3200	2625

Annual general meeting

The annual general meeting will be held on Thursday, 30 June 2011 at 15:00 at 1313 Main Tower, Standard Bank Centre, Heerengracht, Cape Town.

Directors

Executive: N I Jowell 14 (Chairman) C Jowell 14 J E McQueen 1 H R van der Merwe 1

Non-executive: J E Hoelter ²⁵ (USA)

Independent non-executive: D M Nurek (Lead) 23456 E Oblowitz 25 R J A Sparks 23456 H Wessels

¹ Executive Committee ² Audit Committee ³ Remuneration Committee ⁴ Nomination Committee ⁵ Risk Committee ⁶ Governance Committee

On behalf of the board

N I Jowell Chairman

J E McQueen Financial Director

29 April 2011

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