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## **Financial Statements & Notes**



## Condensed Consolidated Interim Statements of Financial Position

(unaudited)

|                                              | September 30, 2023 | December 31, 2022 |
|----------------------------------------------|--------------------|-------------------|
| <b>ASSETS</b>                                |                    |                   |
| Current assets:                              |                    |                   |
| Cash and cash equivalents                    | \$ 14,845,393      | \$ 18,247,376     |
| Trade and other receivables                  | 128,588,190        | 125,836,273       |
| Inventories                                  | 63,569,528         | 63,119,489        |
| Prepaid expenses                             | 2,989,717          | 3,024,166         |
| Total current assets                         | 209,992,828        | 210,227,304       |
| Non-current assets:                          |                    |                   |
| Drilling and other long-term assets (Note 6) | 127,753,169        | 115,945,060       |
| Right-of-use assets                          | 27,978,171         | 29,336,163        |
| Intangible assets                            | 14,111,652         | 15,668,180        |
| Investments                                  | 3,000,500          | 3,000,500         |
| Other long-term assets                       | 1,645,473          | 993,112           |
| Deferred tax assets                          | 53,869             | 53,869            |
| Total non-current assets                     | 174,542,834        | 164,996,884       |
| Total assets                                 | \$ 384,535,662     | \$ 375,224,188    |
| <b>LIABILITIES AND SHAREHOLDERS' EQUITY</b>  |                    |                   |
| Current liabilities:                         |                    |                   |
| Trade and other payables                     | \$ 92,021,042      | \$ 104,688,901    |
| Dividends payable (Note 8d)                  | 7,276,760          | 7,636,085         |
| Lease liability                              | 3,229,737          | 2,906,708         |
| Current tax liabilities                      | 6,194,933          | 656,499           |
| Total current liabilities                    | 108,722,472        | 115,888,193       |
| Non-current liabilities:                     |                    |                   |
| Lease liability                              | 34,909,196         | 36,768,003        |
| Loans and borrowings (Note 7)                | 18,302,454         | 22,731,389        |
| Deferred tax liability                       | 18,719,720         | 18,496,619        |
| Other (Note 8c)                              | 2,838,630          | 4,461,531         |
| Total non-current liabilities                | 74,770,000         | 82,457,542        |
| Equity:                                      |                    |                   |
| Share capital (Note 8a)                      | 233,646,892        | 251,344,809       |
| Contributed surplus                          | 7,178,466          | 7,044,317         |
| Deficit                                      | (69,376,356)       | (112,120,484)     |
| Accumulated other comprehensive income       | 29,594,188         | 30,609,811        |
| Total equity                                 | 201,043,190        | 176,878,453       |
| Total liabilities and equity                 | \$ 384,535,662     | \$ 375,224,188    |

See accompanying notes to unaudited condensed consolidated interim financial statements.

Commitments (Note 6b)

## Condensed Consolidated Interim Statements of Comprehensive Earnings

(unaudited)

|                                                                                | Three-month periods ended September 30, |                | Nine-month periods ended September 30, |                |
|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------|----------------|----------------------------------------|----------------|
|                                                                                | 2023                                    | 2022           | 2023                                   | 2022           |
| Revenue (Note 4)                                                               | \$ 169,367,911                          | \$ 142,418,326 | \$ 491,008,431                         | \$ 377,986,582 |
| Direct costs                                                                   | 125,137,605                             | 111,734,015    | 376,995,672                            | 304,200,177    |
| Gross profit                                                                   | 44,230,306                              | 30,684,311     | 114,012,759                            | 73,786,405     |
| Expenses:                                                                      |                                         |                |                                        |                |
| Selling, general and administrative expenses                                   | 19,832,791                              | 15,589,015     | 50,911,033                             | 49,536,435     |
| Research and development expenses                                              | 1,245,826                               | 909,169        | 3,816,601                              | 2,538,935      |
| Finance expense                                                                | 597,898                                 | 499,461        | 1,974,058                              | 873,445        |
| Finance expense lease liability                                                | 554,405                                 | 498,239        | 1,694,550                              | 1,506,640      |
| Other income (Note 9)                                                          | (9,113,282)                             | (3,953,620)    | (24,359,774)                           | (11,031,501)   |
|                                                                                | 13,117,638                              | 13,542,264     | 34,036,468                             | 43,423,954     |
| Earnings from continuing operations before income taxes                        | 31,112,668                              | 17,142,047     | 79,976,291                             | 30,362,451     |
| Provision for income taxes                                                     |                                         |                |                                        |                |
| Current                                                                        | 5,616,371                               | 625,922        | 13,591,604                             | 396,650        |
| Deferred                                                                       | 575,118                                 | 3,041,401      | 937,818                                | 5,987,492      |
|                                                                                | 6,191,489                               | 3,667,323      | 14,529,422                             | 6,384,142      |
| Earnings from continuing operations                                            | 24,921,179                              | 13,474,724     | 65,446,869                             | 23,978,309     |
| Discontinued operations                                                        |                                         |                |                                        |                |
| Net loss from discontinued operations, net of taxes (Note 11)                  | -                                       | -              | -                                      | (14,558,032)   |
| Net earnings                                                                   | 24,921,179                              | 13,474,724     | 65,446,869                             | 9,420,277      |
| Other comprehensive income                                                     |                                         |                |                                        |                |
| Foreign currency translation                                                   | 3,613,465                               | 8,739,048      | (1,015,623)                            | 10,563,631     |
| Reclassification of foreign currency translation loss on disposition (Note 11) | -                                       | -              | -                                      | 10,560,954     |
| Total comprehensive earnings for the period                                    | \$ 28,534,644                           | \$ 22,213,772  | \$ 64,431,246                          | \$ 30,544,862  |
| Earnings (loss) per share – basic                                              |                                         |                |                                        |                |
| Continuing operations                                                          | \$ 0.50                                 | \$ 0.27        | \$ 1.29                                | \$ 0.48        |
| Discontinued operations                                                        | \$ -                                    | \$ -           | \$ -                                   | \$ (0.29)      |
| Net earnings                                                                   | \$ 0.50                                 | \$ 0.27        | \$ 1.29                                | \$ 0.19        |
| Earnings (loss) per share – diluted                                            |                                         |                |                                        |                |
| Continuing operations                                                          | \$ 0.50                                 | \$ 0.27        | \$ 1.28                                | \$ 0.48        |
| Discontinued operations                                                        | \$ -                                    | \$ -           | \$ -                                   | \$ (0.29)      |
| Net earnings                                                                   | \$ 0.50                                 | \$ 0.27        | \$ 1.28                                | \$ 0.19        |

See accompanying notes to unaudited condensed consolidated interim financial statements.

## Condensed Consolidated Interim Statements of Changes in Equity

(unaudited)

| Nine-month period ended<br>September 30, 2023                          | Share Capital |                | Contributed Surplus | Accumulated Other<br>Comprehensive<br>Income | Deficit          | Total Equity   |
|------------------------------------------------------------------------|---------------|----------------|---------------------|----------------------------------------------|------------------|----------------|
|                                                                        | Number        | Amount (\$)    |                     |                                              |                  |                |
| Balance, December 31, 2022                                             | 50,896,175    | \$ 251,344,809 | \$ 7,044,317        | \$ 30,609,811                                | \$ (112,120,484) | \$ 176,878,453 |
| Issuance of share capital on exercise of options                       | 315,000       | 763,950        | -                   | -                                            | -                | 763,950        |
| Issuance of share capital from trust on settlement of retention awards | 121,763       | 955,066        | -                   | -                                            | -                | 955,066        |
| Common Shares repurchased and cancelled                                | (2,710,500)   | (19,101,893)   | -                   | -                                            | -                | (19,101,893)   |
| Common shares purchased and held in trust                              | (114,000)     | (612,000)      | -                   | -                                            | -                | (612,000)      |
| Share-based payments                                                   | -             | -              | 431,109             | -                                            | -                | 431,109        |
| Fair value of options exercised                                        | -             | 296,960        | (296,960)           | -                                            | -                | -              |
| Net earnings                                                           | -             | -              | -                   | -                                            | 65,446,869       | 65,446,869     |
| Foreign currency translation, net of tax                               | -             | -              | -                   | (1,015,623)                                  | -                | (1,015,623)    |
| Dividends                                                              | -             | -              | -                   | -                                            | (22,702,741)     | (22,702,741)   |
| Balance, September 30, 2023                                            | 48,508,438    | \$ 233,646,892 | \$ 7,178,466        | \$ 29,594,188                                | \$ (69,376,356)  | \$ 201,043,190 |

  

| Nine-month period ended<br>September 30, 2022                                  | Share Capital |                | Contributed Surplus | Accumulated Other<br>Comprehensive<br>Income | Deficit          | Total Equity   |
|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------|---------------|----------------|---------------------|----------------------------------------------|------------------|----------------|
|                                                                                | Number        | Amount (\$)    |                     |                                              |                  |                |
| Balance, December 31, 2021                                                     | 47,978,662    | \$ 235,463,414 | \$ 9,462,091        | \$ 11,228,529                                | \$ (121,721,790) | \$ 134,432,244 |
| Issuance of share capital on exercise of options                               | 1,140,138     | 2,170,885      | -                   | -                                            | -                | 2,170,885      |
| Issuance of share capital from trust on settlement of retention awards         | 2,144,795     | 13,491,993     | -                   | -                                            | -                | 13,491,993     |
| Common shares purchased and held in trust                                      | (555,300)     | (3,500,000)    | -                   | -                                            | -                | (3,500,000)    |
| Share-based payments                                                           | -             | -              | 393,042             | -                                            | -                | 393,042        |
| Fair value of options exercised                                                | -             | 2,744,647      | (2,744,647)         | -                                            | -                | -              |
| Net earnings                                                                   | -             | -              | -                   | -                                            | 9,420,277        | 9,420,277      |
| Foreign currency translation, net of tax                                       | -             | -              | -                   | 10,563,631                                   | -                | 10,563,631     |
| Reclassification of foreign currency translation loss on disposition (Note 11) | -             | -              | -                   | 10,560,954                                   | -                | 10,560,954     |
| Dividends                                                                      | -             | -              | -                   | -                                            | (12,515,968)     | (12,515,968)   |
| Balance, September 30, 2022                                                    | 50,708,295    | \$ 250,370,939 | \$ 7,110,486        | \$ 32,353,114                                | \$ (124,817,481) | \$ 165,017,058 |

See accompanying notes to unaudited condensed consolidated interim financial statements.



## Condensed Consolidated Interim Statements of Cash Flows

(unaudited)

|                                                        | Three-month periods ended September 30, |               | Nine-month periods ended September 30, |               |
|--------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------|---------------|----------------------------------------|---------------|
|                                                        | 2023                                    | 2022          | 2023                                   | 2022          |
| Cash flows from operating activities:                  |                                         |               |                                        |               |
| Earnings from continuing operations                    | \$ 24,921,179                           | \$ 13,474,724 | \$ 65,446,869                          | \$ 23,978,309 |
| Adjustments for:                                       |                                         |               |                                        |               |
| Depreciation and amortization                          | 9,866,881                               | 8,143,257     | 28,804,904                             | 23,242,730    |
| Depreciation and amortization right-of-use asset       | 822,190                                 | 744,876       | 2,057,025                              | 2,429,603     |
| Provision for income taxes                             | 6,191,489                               | 3,667,323     | 14,529,422                             | 6,384,142     |
| Unrealized foreign exchange gain                       | 427,482                                 | 155,128       | 391,554                                | 36,602        |
| Net gain on disposition of drilling equipment (Note 9) | (8,353,639)                             | (4,157,247)   | (23,903,064)                           | (10,798,870)  |
| Equity-settled share-based payments                    | 144,193                                 | 133,034       | 431,109                                | 393,042       |
| Finance expense                                        | 597,898                                 | 499,461       | 1,974,058                              | 873,445       |
| Finance expense lease liability                        | 554,405                                 | 498,239       | 1,694,550                              | 1,506,640     |
| Provision for (recovery of) bad debts                  | (1,106,245)                             | (1,501)       | 116,519                                | (1,501)       |
| Provision for inventory obsolescence                   | 653,716                                 | 51,868        | 1,301,822                              | 876,524       |
| Interest paid on lease liability                       | (554,405)                               | (498,239)     | (1,694,550)                            | (1,506,640)   |
| Interest paid                                          | (472,654)                               | (413,530)     | (1,506,251)                            | (591,701)     |
| Income taxes received (paid)                           | (7,075,749)                             | 9,461         | (8,533,759)                            | 228,591       |
| Change in non-cash working capital                     | 7,011,213                               | (679,450)     | (21,140,830)                           | (17,683,437)  |
| Continuing operations                                  | 33,627,954                              | 21,627,404    | 59,969,378                             | 29,367,479    |
| Discontinued operations (Note 11)                      | -                                       | -             | -                                      | (1,254,859)   |
| Net cash from operating activities                     | 33,627,954                              | 21,627,404    | 59,969,378                             | 28,112,620    |
| Cash flows from investing activities:                  |                                         |               |                                        |               |
| Proceeds on disposition of drilling equipment          | 11,682,392                              | 6,274,079     | 32,689,018                             | 15,453,628    |
| Acquisition of drilling and other equipment            | (18,803,529)                            | (18,631,230)  | (49,457,974)                           | (52,051,148)  |
| Acquisition of intangible assets                       | -                                       | (74,189)      | -                                      | (692,394)     |
| Change in non-cash working capital                     | 3,203,370                               | (370,923)     | 2,150,701                              | 339,967       |
| Continuing operations                                  | (3,917,767)                             | (12,802,263)  | (14,618,255)                           | (36,949,947)  |
| Discontinued operations (Note 11)                      | -                                       | -             | -                                      | (68,068)      |
| Net cash used in investing activities                  | (3,917,767)                             | (12,802,263)  | (14,618,255)                           | (37,018,015)  |
| Cash flows from financing activities:                  |                                         |               |                                        |               |
| Dividends paid to shareholders                         | (7,620,665)                             | (3,796,793)   | (22,912,561)                           | (10,069,396)  |
| Repurchase of shares under the NCIB                    | (17,523,151)                            | -             | (19,101,893)                           | -             |
| Proceeds from (repayment of) loans and borrowings      | (9,399,518)                             | 3,892,008     | (4,231,389)                            | 24,000,000    |
| Payments of Lease Liability                            | (765,891)                               | (734,273)     | (2,221,166)                            | (2,466,184)   |
| Purchase of shares held in trust                       | -                                       | -             | (612,000)                              | (3,500,000)   |
| Proceeds from exercise of options                      | 414,500                                 | 359,032       | 763,950                                | 2,170,885     |
| Change in non-cash working capital                     | (414,500)                               | -             | (414,500)                              | -             |
| Continuing operations                                  | (35,309,225)                            | (280,026)     | (48,729,559)                           | 10,135,305    |
| Net cash from (used in) financing activities           | (35,309,225)                            | (280,026)     | (48,729,559)                           | 10,135,305    |
| Net increase (decrease) in cash and cash equivalents   | (5,599,038)                             | 8,545,115     | (3,378,436)                            | 1,229,910     |
| Cash and cash equivalents, beginning of period         | 20,079,623                              | 17,971,334    | 18,247,376                             | 24,828,830    |
| Effect of movements in exchange rates on cash held     | 364,808                                 | 507,210       | (23,547)                               | 964,919       |
| Cash and cash equivalents, end of period               | \$ 14,845,393                           | \$ 27,023,659 | \$ 14,845,393                          | \$ 27,023,659 |

See accompanying notes to unaudited condensed consolidated interim financial statements.

## **Notes to the Condensed Consolidated Interim Financial Statements**

**For the three and nine-month periods ended September 30, 2023 and 2022**

*In Canadian dollars (unaudited)*

### **1. Reporting Entity**

PHX Energy Services Corp. ("PHX Energy" or the "Corporation") is a publicly-traded Corporation listed on the Toronto Stock Exchange ("TSX") under the symbol "PHX". The Corporation's registered office is at Suite 1600, 215 – 9<sup>th</sup> Avenue SW Calgary, Alberta, Canada.

The Corporation, through its subsidiaries, provides horizontal and directional drilling services and technologies to oil and natural gas exploration and development companies in Canada, United States, Albania, and the Middle East regions. The Corporation also develops and manufactures technologies that are made available for internal operational use.

The condensed consolidated interim financial statements include the accounts of the Corporation and its wholly owned subsidiaries.

### **2. Basis of Preparation**

#### **a) Statement of Compliance**

These condensed consolidated interim financial statements have been prepared in accordance with IAS 34 Interim Financial Reporting. The condensed consolidated interim financial statements do not include all of the information required for full annual financial statements and should be read in conjunction with the consolidated financial statements of the Corporation as at and for the year ended December 31, 2022.

These condensed consolidated interim financial statements were authorized by the Board of Directors on November 7, 2023.

#### **b) Basis of Measurement**

The condensed consolidated interim financial statements have been prepared on a going concern basis using the historical cost basis except for liabilities for cash-settled share-based payment arrangements and investments, which are measured at fair value. Liabilities for cash-settled share-based payment arrangements are included in trade and other payables and other non-current liabilities in the statement of financial position.

### **c) Functional and Presentation Currency**

These condensed consolidated interim financial statements are presented in Canadian dollars ("CAD"), which is the Corporation's functional currency.

### **d) Use of Estimates and Judgments**

The preparation of the condensed consolidated interim financial statements in conformity with International Financial Reporting Standards ("IFRS") requires Management to make judgments, estimates and assumptions that affect the application of accounting policies and the reported amounts of assets, liabilities, income and expenses. Actual results may differ from these estimates.

In preparing these condensed consolidated interim financial statements, the significant judgments made by Management in applying the Corporation's accounting policies and the key sources of estimation uncertainty have not changed significantly since December 31, 2022.

### **e) Future Accounting Pronouncements**

#### **i) Standards and Interpretations not yet Applied**

A number of new standards, amendments to standards and interpretations of standards have been issued by the IASB and the International Financial Reporting Interpretations Committee, the application of which are effective for periods beginning on or after January 1, 2024. The Corporation does not expect the implementation of these new accounting pronouncements to have a material impact on its accounting policies.

## **3. Significant Accounting Policies**

These condensed consolidated interim financial statements have been prepared utilizing the same accounting policies and methods as the consolidated financial statements of the Corporation for the year ended December 31, 2022. The revenue policy has been updated, as noted hereafter, due to the growth in the Corporation's other revenue streams during the periods and the expectation that the growth in these revenue streams will continue in future periods.

### **a) Revenue**

Revenue is recognized when a client obtains control of the goods or services. Revenue is measured based on the consideration specified in the contract with a client and excludes amounts collected on behalf of third parties. The Corporation recognizes revenue when it transfers control over a product or service to a customer or client. The

Corporation's services are sold based upon bid acceptance or contracts with clients that includes fixed or determinable prices based upon daily, hourly, or job rates.

The Corporation primarily generates directional drilling services revenue whereby the client is charged a flat day rate for each day the rig requires directional drilling services. The day rate includes personnel assistance as well as use of equipment. The Corporation recognizes revenue daily based on the daily drilling rate. The Corporation's performance obligation is the bundling of its services relating to directional drilling activities, which distinctly benefit the client each day of active drilling. The Corporation recognizes this benefit to revenue daily, over a period of time, as services have been provided. An invoice is sent to the client upon completion of the well, also revenues are accrued based on daily services provided at period end.

Instances where there are equipment failures or delays, a sales credit will be issued upon review with the client. The Corporation will accrue a sales credit when it is highly probable that a sales credit will be issued.

Motor rental revenue is based on the number of hours the motor was used in drilling operations, and the rate for that equipment. The Corporation's performance obligation is providing the use of equipment which distinctly benefits the client during the rental period. The Corporation recognizes this benefit to revenue based on each hour of utilization. An invoice is sent to the client upon completion of the rental period, also revenue is accrued based on the number of hours the motor was used at period end.

The Corporation also sells various motor parts and motor equipment from inventory. The Corporation's performance obligation is satisfied upon delivery of such inventory to the customer, at which time the benefits of ownership and control of the asset has been transferred and revenue is recognized. An invoice is sent to the customer upon shipment of goods.



## 4. Revenue

The Corporation generates revenue primarily from providing directional drilling services to clients. Other sources of revenue include rental of performance drilling motors and sale of motor equipment and parts.

| <i>(Stated in thousands of dollars)</i> | Canada |        | United States |         | International |       | Total   |         |
|-----------------------------------------|--------|--------|---------------|---------|---------------|-------|---------|---------|
| Three-month periods ended September 30, | 2023   | 2022   | 2023          | 2022    | 2023          | 2022  | 2023    | 2022    |
| Directional drilling services           | 44,145 | 30,725 | 105,980       | 102,806 | 1,116         | 1,194 | 151,241 | 134,725 |
| Motor rental                            | 283    | 271    | 11,636        | 7,422   | -             | -     | 11,919  | 7,693   |
| Sale of motor equipment and parts       | -      | -      | 6,208         | -       | -             | -     | 6,208   | -       |
| Total revenue                           | 44,428 | 30,996 | 123,824       | 110,228 | 1,116         | 1,194 | 169,368 | 142,418 |

| <i>(Stated in thousands of dollars)</i> | Canada  |        | United States |         | International |       | Total   |         |
|-----------------------------------------|---------|--------|---------------|---------|---------------|-------|---------|---------|
| Nine-month periods ended September 30,  | 2023    | 2022   | 2023          | 2022    | 2023          | 2022  | 2023    | 2022    |
| Directional drilling services           | 111,716 | 77,046 | 333,123       | 278,440 | 3,463         | 2,758 | 448,302 | 358,244 |
| Motor rental                            | 1,384   | 793    | 31,204        | 18,950  | -             | -     | 32,588  | 19,743  |
| Sale of motor equipment and parts       | -       | -      | 10,118        | -       | -             | -     | 10,118  | -       |
| Total revenue                           | 113,100 | 77,839 | 374,445       | 297,390 | 3,463         | 2,758 | 491,008 | 377,987 |

## 5. Operating Segments

The Corporation provides directional and horizontal oil and natural gas well drilling services and technologies. PHX Energy's reportable segments have been aligned as follows:

### Information about reportable segments

| <i>(Stated in thousands of dollars)</i>       | Canada |        | United States |         | International |       | Total   |         |
|-----------------------------------------------|--------|--------|---------------|---------|---------------|-------|---------|---------|
| Three-month periods ended September 30,       | 2023   | 2022   | 2023          | 2022    | 2023          | 2022  | 2023    | 2022    |
| Total revenue                                 | 44,428 | 30,996 | 123,824       | 110,228 | 1,116         | 1,194 | 169,368 | 142,418 |
| Reportable segment profit before income taxes | 8,263  | 4,479  | 25,494        | 17,056  | 351           | 420   | 34,108  | 21,955  |

| <i>(Stated in thousands of dollars)</i>       | Canada  |        | United States |         | International |       | Total   |         |
|-----------------------------------------------|---------|--------|---------------|---------|---------------|-------|---------|---------|
| Nine-month periods ended September 30,        | 2023    | 2022   | 2023          | 2022    | 2023          | 2022  | 2023    | 2022    |
| Total revenue                                 | 113,100 | 77,839 | 374,445       | 297,390 | 3,463         | 2,758 | 491,008 | 377,987 |
| Reportable segment profit before income taxes | 17,828  | 7,930  | 65,453        | 40,387  | 1,248         | 781   | 84,529  | 49,098  |

| <i>(Stated in thousands of dollars)</i> | Canada  |         | United States |         | International |       | Total   |         |
|-----------------------------------------|---------|---------|---------------|---------|---------------|-------|---------|---------|
| As at September 30,                     | 2023    | 2022    | 2023          | 2022    | 2023          | 2022  | 2023    | 2022    |
| Total Assets                            | 134,831 | 122,363 | 247,110       | 228,739 | 2,595         | 2,051 | 384,536 | 353,153 |

#### Reconciliation of reportable segment profit and other material items

*(Stated in thousands of dollars)*

|                                                         | Three-month periods ended September 30, |         | Nine-month periods ended September 30, |          |
|---------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------|---------|----------------------------------------|----------|
|                                                         | 2023                                    | 2022    | 2023                                   | 2022     |
| Reportable segment profit before income taxes           | 34,108                                  | 21,955  | 84,529                                 | 49,098   |
| Corporate:                                              |                                         |         |                                        |          |
| Selling, general and administrative expenses            | 9,710                                   | 6,861   | 21,427                                 | 24,849   |
| Research and development expenses                       | 1,246                                   | 909     | 3,817                                  | 2,539    |
| Finance expense                                         | 598                                     | 499     | 1,974                                  | 873      |
| Finance expense lease liability                         | 554                                     | 498     | 1,695                                  | 1,507    |
| Other income                                            | (9,113)                                 | (3,954) | (24,360)                               | (11,032) |
| Earnings from continuing operations before income taxes | 31,113                                  | 17,142  | 79,976                                 | 30,362   |

## 6. Drilling and Other Long Term Assets

### a) Acquisitions and Disposals

During the nine-month period ended September 30, 2023, the Corporation acquired assets with a cost of \$49.5 million (2022 - \$52.1 million).

Assets with a carrying amount of \$8.8 million (2022 - \$4.7 million) were disposed of as a result of tools lost down hole and scrapped assets, resulting in a net gain on disposition of \$23.9 million (2022 - \$10.8 million), which is included in other income (see Note 9) in the condensed consolidated interim statement of comprehensive income.

## b) Capital Commitments

As at September 30, 2023, the Corporation has commitments to purchase drilling and other equipment for \$33.8 million with delivery expected to occur throughout the rest of the 2023-year and into the first quarter of 2024.

## 7. Loans and Borrowings

(Stated in thousands of dollars)

|                       | Currency | Amount of Facility | Date of Maturity  | Currency | Carrying Amount at September 30, 2023 | Currency | Carrying Amount at December 31, 2022 |
|-----------------------|----------|--------------------|-------------------|----------|---------------------------------------|----------|--------------------------------------|
| Operating facility    | CAD      | 15,000             | December 12, 2025 | CAD      | -                                     | CAD      | 731                                  |
| Syndicated facility   | CAD      | 50,000             | December 12, 2025 | CAD      | 18,302                                | CAD      | 22,000                               |
| Total CAD facility    |          | 65,000             |                   |          | 18,302                                |          | 22,731                               |
| US Operating facility | USD      | 15,000             | December 12, 2025 | USD      | -                                     | USD      | -                                    |

The carrying amount of loans and borrowings is presented net of borrowing costs amounting to \$0.2 million at September 30, 2023. Under the syndicated loan agreement, the Corporation is required to maintain certain financial covenants. As at September 30, 2023 the Corporation was in compliance with all of its financial covenants as follows:

| Ratio                   | Covenant | September 30, 2023 |
|-------------------------|----------|--------------------|
| Debt to covenant EBITDA | < 3.0x   | 0.13               |
| Interest coverage ratio | > 3.0x   | 58.49              |

The facilities bear interest based primarily on the Corporation's debt to earnings before interest, taxes, depreciation and amortization ("EBITDA") ratio, as defined in the credit agreement. Interest on the operating facility is at the bank's prime rate plus 0.5 percent. Interest on the syndicated facility is at the Secured Overnight Financing Rate ("SOFR") plus 1.5 percent.

As at September 30, 2023 the Corporation has approximately CAD \$46.5 million and USD \$15 million available to be drawn from its credit facilities. The credit facilities are secured by substantially all of the Corporation's assets.

In November 2023, the Corporation increased the borrowing amounts in the syndicated facility from CAD \$50 million to CAD \$80 million and in the US operating facility from USD \$15 million to USD \$20 million. The Corporation also extended the maturity date of the syndicated loan agreement to December 12, 2026. With the increased borrowing amounts, the Corporation has approximately CAD \$76.5 million and USD \$20 million available to be drawn from its credit facilities. Interest on the operating facility will be at the bank's prime rate plus one percent. Interest on the syndicated facility would be at the Canadian Overnight Repo Rate Average ("CORRA") plus two percent.

## 8. Share Capital

### a) Authorized and Issued Shares

The Corporation is authorized to issue an unlimited number of shares.

|                                                 | Number      |    | Amount       |
|-------------------------------------------------|-------------|----|--------------|
| Balance as at January 1, 2022                   | 47,978,662  | \$ | 235,463,414  |
| Common shares repurchased and held in trust     | (626,400)   |    | (4,110,000)  |
| Issued shares pursuant to retention awards plan | 2,277,875   |    | 14,618,748   |
| Issued shares pursuant to share option plan     | 1,266,038   |    | 5,372,647    |
| Balance as at December 31, 2022                 | 50,896,175  | \$ | 251,344,809  |
| Common shares repurchased and cancelled         | (2,710,500) |    | (19,101,893) |
| Common shares repurchased and held in trust     | (114,000)   |    | (612,000)    |
| Issued shares pursuant to retention awards plan | 121,763     |    | 955,066      |
| Issued shares pursuant to share option plan     | 315,000     |    | 1,060,910    |
| Balance as at September 30, 2023                | 48,508,438  | \$ | 233,646,892  |

### b) Share Option Program (Equity-Settled)

PHX Energy has a share option program that entitles key management personnel and other employees to purchase common shares in the Corporation. Grants under the plan vest as to one-third 6 months from the grant date, one-third 18 months from grant date and one-third 30 months from grant date. In accordance with these programs, options are exercisable using the five-day weighted-average trading price of the common shares ending immediately prior to the date of grant, or in the case of a US option holder, the trading price of the common shares ending immediately prior to the date of grant. The options have a term of five years.

#### Summary of option grants in 2023

| Number  | Exercise Price | Expiration Date | Fair Value |
|---------|----------------|-----------------|------------|
| 150,000 | \$ 7.96        | March 9, 2028   | \$ 1.99    |
| 100,000 | 7.83           | March 9, 2028   | 2.02       |
| 250,000 |                |                 |            |

The Corporation values all of its share options using the Black-Scholes model. The Corporation's determination of fair value of options on the date of grant is affected by the Corporation's share price as well as assumptions regarding a number of variables. For the options granted during 2023 these variables include, but are not limited to, the Corporation's expected share price volatility over the term of the options of 54 percent, forfeiture rate of nil, dividend yield of 7.87 percent and a risk-free interest rate of 4.03 percent. The amounts computed according to the Black-Scholes model method may not be indicative of the actual values realized upon the exercise of these options by the holders.

Total compensation expense related to stock options recognized for the three and nine-month periods ended September 30, 2023 were \$0.1 million and \$0.4 million, respectively (2022 - \$0.1 million recovery and \$0.4 million, respectively).

A summary of the status of the plan as at September 30, 2023 is presented below:

|                                    | September 30, 2023 |                                 | December 31, 2022 |                                 |
|------------------------------------|--------------------|---------------------------------|-------------------|---------------------------------|
|                                    | Options            | Weighted-Average Exercise Price | Options           | Weighted-Average Exercise Price |
| Outstanding, beginning of period   | 1,133,334          | \$ 3.31                         | 2,854,200         | \$ 3.15                         |
| Granted                            | 250,000            | 7.91                            | 250,000           | 6.11                            |
| Exercised                          | (315,000)          | 2.43                            | (1,970,866)       | 3.44                            |
| Outstanding, end of period         | 1,068,334          | 4.65                            | 1,133,334         | 3.31                            |
| Options exercisable, end of period | 818,329            | 3.84                            | 799,994           | 2.86                            |

The weighted-average share price at the date of exercise for share options exercised for the nine-month period ended September 30, 2023 was \$7.61 (2022 - \$6.16).

The range of exercise prices for options outstanding at September 30, 2023 are as follows:

| Options Outstanding |                                             |                                 | Options Exercisable |                                 |
|---------------------|---------------------------------------------|---------------------------------|---------------------|---------------------------------|
| Number              | Weighted-Average Remaining Contractual Life | Weighted-Average Exercise Price | Number              | Weighted-Average Exercise Price |
| 50,000              | 0.44 yrs                                    | 2.81                            | 50,000              | 2.81                            |
| 35,000              | 0.44 yrs                                    | 2.83                            | 35,000              | 2.83                            |
| 100,000             | 1.43 yrs                                    | 2.19                            | 100,000             | 2.19                            |
| 50,000              | 1.43 yrs                                    | 2.09                            | 50,000              | 2.09                            |
| 200,000             | 2.43 yrs                                    | 2.74                            | 200,000             | 2.74                            |
| 133,334             | 2.43 yrs                                    | 2.64                            | 133,334             | 2.64                            |
| 150,000             | 3.43 yrs                                    | 6.08                            | 99,999              | 6.08                            |
| 100,000             | 3.43 yrs                                    | 6.16                            | 66,666              | 6.16                            |
| 150,000             | 4.44 yrs                                    | 7.96                            | 49,998              | 7.96                            |
| 100,000             | 4.44 yrs                                    | 7.83                            | 33,332              | 7.83                            |
| 1,068,334           | 2.84 yrs                                    | \$ 4.65                         | 818,329             | \$ 3.84                         |

### c) Retention Award Plan

The retention award plan has two types of awards: Restricted Awards ("RAs") and Performance Awards ("PAs") and results in eligible participants, as approved by the Board, receiving cash or common shares in relation to the value of a specified number of underlying notional retention awards. Under the previous RAP, if common shares are used to settle awards, an additional multiplier to the award value of 1.25 times is applied. Effective February 28, 2023, the

Board approved an amendment to the RAP whereby if the Corporation elects to settle awards in common shares, the additional multiplier will no longer be applied. This amended plan applies to grants after February 28, 2023. Common shares acquired by an independent trustee in the open market are held in trust for the potential settlement of RA and PA award values and are netted out of share capital, including the cumulative purchase cost, until they are distributed for future settlements. For the nine-month period ended September 30, 2023, the independent trustee purchased 114,000 common shares (2022 – 555,300) for a total cost of \$0.6 million (2022 - \$3.5 million) and released 121,763 common shares (2022 – 2,144,795) to settle retention award obligations of \$1 million (2022 - \$13.5 million). As at September 30, 2023, the Corporation held 3,301 common shares in trust (2022 – 73,044). The Corporation continues to account for its retention award plan as cash-settled share-based compensation.

RAs vest evenly over a period of three years. Upon vesting and subsequent exercise, the holder is entitled to receive a cash payment or common shares based on the fair value of the underlying shares determined using the five-day weighted-average trading price of the shares ending immediately prior to the exercise date plus accrued re-invested dividends.

PAs vesting and subsequent exercise is similar to RAs, except a payout multiplier is applied to the final payout. The payout multiplier is linked solely to total shareholder return on the Corporation's common shares relative to returns on securities of members of the Corporation's peer comparison group over the applicable vesting period and can range from a payout of zero percent to 200 percent. For the nine-month period ended September 30, 2023, 268,825 PAs were granted (2022 – 750,000 granted, of which 375,000 were subsequently forfeited), 1,159,523 PAs settled at a weighted-average payout multiplier of 185 percent (2022 – 774,152), no PAs were forfeited (2022 - nil). As at September 30, 2023, 846,756 PAs were outstanding (2022 – 1,565,276).

The Corporation recorded a total of \$8.9 million compensation expense relating to these plans for the nine-month period ended September 30, 2023 (2022 – \$17.6 million). The expense is included in selling, general and administrative expense and has a corresponding liability of \$8.9 million in trade and other payables for the current portion and \$2.8 million included in other liabilities for the long-term portion. There were 2,135,283 RAs and PAs outstanding as at September 30, 2023 (2022 – 3,293,538).

A summary of the status of the plan as at September 30, 2023 is presented below:

|                                              | September 30, 2023 | December 31, 2022 |
|----------------------------------------------|--------------------|-------------------|
| RAs and PAs outstanding, beginning of period | 2,845,191          | 3,267,579         |
| Granted                                      | 743,593            | 1,613,555         |
| Settled                                      | (1,453,501)        | (1,644,012)       |
| Forfeited / cancelled                        | -                  | (391,931)         |
| RAs and PAs outstanding, end of period       | 2,135,283          | 2,845,191         |

## d) Dividends

On September 15, 2023, the Corporation declared a dividend of \$0.15 per share or \$7.3 million payable on October 16, 2023.

## e) Normal Course Issuer Bid

During the third quarter of 2023, the TSX approved the renewal of PHX Energy's Normal Course Issuer Bid ("NCIB") to purchase for cancellation, from time-to-time, up to a maximum of 3,552,810 common shares, representing 10 percent of the Corporation's public float of Common Shares as at August 2, 2023. The NCIB commenced on August 16, 2023 and will terminate on August 15, 2024. Purchases of common shares are to be made on the open market through the facilities of the TSX and through alternative trading systems. The price which PHX Energy is to pay for any common shares purchased is to be at the prevailing market price on the TSX or alternate trading systems at the time of such purchase. Pursuant to the previous and current NCIB, 2,710,500 common shares were purchased by the Corporation for \$19.1 million and cancelled in the nine-month period ended September 30, 2023.

## 9. Other Income

|                                               | Three-month periods ended September 30, |       | Nine-month periods ended September 30, |        |
|-----------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------|-------|----------------------------------------|--------|
| (Stated in thousands of dollars)              | 2023                                    | 2022  | 2023                                   | 2022   |
| Net gain on disposition of drilling equipment | 8,354                                   | 4,157 | 23,903                                 | 10,799 |
| Foreign exchange gains (losses)               | (347)                                   | (205) | 574                                    | (281)  |
| Recovery of (provision for) bad debts         | 1,106                                   | 2     | (117)                                  | 2      |
| Other                                         | -                                       | -     | -                                      | 512    |
| Other income                                  | 9,113                                   | 3,954 | 24,360                                 | 11,032 |

## 10. Fair Values of Financial Instruments

The Corporation has designated its trade and other payables, dividends payable, and loans and borrowings as non-derivative financial liabilities carried at amortized cost. Cash and cash equivalents and trade and other receivables are designated as non-derivative financial assets measured at amortized cost. The Corporation's carrying values of these items, excluding loans and borrowings, approximate their fair value due to the relatively short periods to maturity of the instruments. Loans and borrowings bears interest at a floating market rate indicative of current spreads and accordingly the fair value approximate the carrying value.

Equity investments in a company are designated as non-derivative financial assets measured at Fair Value Through Other Comprehensive Income ("FVOCI") as the investment is not held-for-trading and fair value changes are not reflective of the Corporation's operations. The investment asset is carried at fair value on the consolidated statement of financial position. Fair value is considered level three under the fair value hierarchy and requires management to assess information available, which may include private placements, available financial statement information and other available market data.

## 11. Discontinued Operations

On June 30, 2022, the Corporation completed the sale of its Russian division. The transaction involved the sale of all shares of Phoenix TSR, a legally wholly-owned subsidiary of PHX Energy that held the entire Russian drilling operations. The operations were previously classified under the Russia operating segment for reporting purposes. A loss on disposition of \$3.5 million was recognized on the date the sale was completed.

The results of the divested Phoenix TSR operations are as follows:

|                                                                                        | Three-month period ended<br>September 30, 2022 | Nine-month period ended<br>September 30, 2022 |
|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------|
| Revenue                                                                                | \$ -                                           | \$ 7,443                                      |
| Expenses                                                                               | -                                              | (5,781)                                       |
|                                                                                        | -                                              | 1,662                                         |
| Reclassification of foreign currency translation loss<br>on disposition of Phoenix TSR | -                                              | (10,561)                                      |
| Loss on disposition of Phoenix TSR                                                     | -                                              | (3,496)                                       |
| Impairment and other write-offs                                                        | -                                              | (1,967)                                       |
| Loss from discontinued operations                                                      | -                                              | (14,362)                                      |
| Income tax from discontinued operations                                                | -                                              | 196                                           |
| Loss from discontinued operations, net of taxes                                        | \$ -                                           | \$ (14,558)                                   |



Included in the Corporation's other comprehensive income for the nine-month period ended September 30, 2022 is \$0.2 million of foreign currency translations loss relating to Russia's operations.

Reconciliation of net loss from discontinued operations, net of taxes to cash used in discontinued operations is as follows:

|                                                                                        | Three-month period ended<br>September 30, 2022 | Nine-month period ended<br>September 30, 2022 |
|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------|
| Net loss from discontinued operations, net of taxes                                    | \$ -                                           | \$ (14,558)                                   |
| Addback (deduct):                                                                      |                                                |                                               |
| Depreciation and amortization                                                          | -                                              | 136                                           |
| Provision for income taxes                                                             | -                                              | 196                                           |
| Unrealized foreign exchange gain                                                       | -                                              | (56)                                          |
| Interest and taxes paid, net                                                           | -                                              | (3)                                           |
| Loss on disposition of drilling equipment                                              | -                                              | 68                                            |
| Finance expense                                                                        | -                                              | 3                                             |
| Reclassification of foreign currency translation loss<br>on disposition of Phoenix TSR | -                                              | 10,561                                        |
| Impairment and other write-offs                                                        | -                                              | 1,967                                         |
| Loss on disposition of Phoenix TSR                                                     | -                                              | 3,496                                         |
| Change in non-cash working capital                                                     | -                                              | (3,065)                                       |
| Cash used in operating activities                                                      | \$ -                                           | \$ (1,255)                                    |

Cash from (used in) investing activities of discontinued operations are due to proceeds from disposition and a reversal of previously accrued proceeds.

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