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4 FINANCIAL INFORMATION 2022

As at December 31, 2022 the Company has a receivable due from SBM Holding Inc. S.A. (the cash pool leader of SBM Offshore group) amounting to US\$100 million (2021: payable amounting to US\$2 million). The lending conditions applied to the outstanding amounts between the cash pool leader and the Company are as follows:

- Fixed fee: The cash pool leader charges a handling fee of 0.075% to the Company; and
- Interest rate: Any receivable and payable balance that is outstanding for more than 90 days is subject to an interest rate of 0.50% (2021: 0.25%). Depending on whether it is a receivable or a payable balance, it will be either in favor of the Company or in favor of the cash pool leader.

Intercompany receivable from group companies outside of the cash pool are free of interest. In respect of repayment, no formal agreements have been made.

4.5.4 CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS

Cash and cash equivalents are at SBM Offshore N.V.'s free disposal.

4.5.5 SHAREHOLDERS' EQUITY

The shareholders' equity in the parent company financial statements equals the equity attributable to common shareholders presented in the consolidated financial statements, except for legal and statutory reserves. The currency translation reserve, cash flow hedging reserve, capitalized development expenditure and investees equity non-distributable reserve are legal reserves that are required by Dutch law. Furthermore on the statutory reserves, pursuant to the Company's Articles of Association, a 'Protective Preference Shares' reserve is required to be maintained by the Company.

Legal reserve

	31 December 2022	31 December 2021
Investees equity non-distributable	1,609	1,511
Capitalized development expenditure	109	75
Translation reserve	(102)	(105)
Cash flow hedges	244	(270)
Total	1,860	1,211

The 'Investees equity non-distributable' legal reserve relates mainly to non-distributable profits generated by the co-owned entities (refer to note 4.3.29 Investment in Associates and Joint Ventures and 4.3.30 Information on Non-controlling Interests). The agreed principle in the applicable shareholders' agreements is that the shareholders shall procure that any available reserves are distributable after paying any expenses due and taking into account co-owned entity and applicable legal requirements. However, as unanimous decision of shareholders agreements in most of the co-owned entities is required to distribute the profits generated, the equity of these entities is classified as a non-distributable reserve under Dutch guidelines for financial reporting. On a regular basis the Company ensures that dividends are approved by the partners and distributed accordingly to the shareholders.

The legal reserve for 'investees equity non-distributable' and 'capitalized development expenditure' are formed by withdrawal from the distributable retained earnings. In the event of depreciation or impairment, the capitalized development expenditure will be reduced by adding it to the retained earnings reserves in the amount of the depreciation or impairment.

If either the currency translation reserve or the cash flow hedging reserve has a negative balance, distributions from the retained earnings cannot be made to the Company's shareholders equivalent to the amount of that negative balance.

Statutory reserve

The Management Board, with the approval of the Supervisory Board, has granted a call option to Stichting Continuïteit SBM Offshore to acquire a number of preference shares. As of October 1, 2022 and with reference to articles 5.5 and 5.6 of the Articles of Association of the Company, a 'Protective Preference Shares' reserve amounting to US\$26 million (2021: US\$0 million) has been created at the expense of the share premium reserve at the level of the Company. If and when Stichting Continuïteit SBM Offshore would exercise the call option to acquire preference shares, these preference shares may also be paid-up from the reserve of the Company. In addition to the legal reserves, distributions to the Company's shareholders are restricted to the amount of the statutory reserves.

Retained earnings

The 'Retained earnings' also includes the 'IFRS 2 share-based payments' amounting to US\$21 million (2021: US\$22 million). The 'IFRS 2 share-based payments' granted but still unvested are non-distributable by nature.

The Company's total equity as at December 31, 2022 is US\$3,397 million, out of which US\$1,860 million relates to legal reserves and US\$26 million relates to the statutory reserves (December 31, 2021: Total equity of US\$2,579 million out of which US\$1,211 million relates to legal reserves and US\$0 million to the statutory reserves). For more information on the dividends on common shares, reference is made to note 4.3.12 Dividends paid and proposed.

For an explanation of the shareholders' equity, reference is made to note 4.2.4 Consolidated Statement of Changes in Equity and note 4.3.22 Equity Attributable to Shareholders.

PROPOSED APPROPRIATION OF RESULT

With the approval of the Supervisory Board, it is proposed that the result shown in SBM Offshore N.V. income statement be appropriated as follows (in US\$):

Appropriation of result

	2022
Profit/(Loss) attributable to shareholders	450
In accordance with note 4.6.1 to be transferred to the 'Retained earnings'	450
At the disposal of the General Meeting of Shareholders	-

It is proposed that US\$1.10 per share out of retained earnings is distributed among the shareholders. Please refer to note 4.3.33 Events After End of Reporting Period.

4.5.6 PROVISIONS

On June 21, 2022 the district court in Rotterdam delivered its decision in the case between the Company and the AFM (Dutch Authority for the Financial Markets) relating to certain public disclosures made by the Company in the period from 2012-2014. The court has honored the position of the Company in relation to two disclosures and reduced the fine to US\$1 million.

On August 1, 2022 the AFM filed an appeal with the Trade and Industry Appeals Tribunal (College van Beroep voor het bedrijfsleven) against the Rotterdam District Court's ruling in respect of alleged violations 1 and 2 (the principal appeal). On January 5, 2023 SBM Offshore filed its response to the AFM's appeal and additionally, filed an appeal with the Trade and Industry Appeals Tribunal against the Rotterdam District Court's ruling in respect of alleged violations 3 and 4 (the incidental appeal).

4.5.7 OTHER CURRENT LIABILITIES

	31 December 2022	31 December 2021
Trade payables	0	1
Amounts owed to Group companies	-	2
Taxation and social security costs	0	0
Other liabilities	7	8
Total current liabilities	7	11

The other current liabilities fall due in less than one year. The fair value of other current liabilities approximates the book value, due to their short-term character.

Intercompany payable from group companies outside of the cash pool balances are free of interest. As at December 31, 2022 the Company has a receivable due from SBM Holding Inc. S.A., reference is made to note 4.5.3 Other Receivables for the applicable lending conditions. In respect of repayment, no formal agreements have been made.