

# Update to Chapter A (Description of Company Operations) of the Periodic Report for 2023



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to the Periodic Report for 2023 (the "Periodic Report")  
Bezeq The Israeli Telecommunications Corporation Ltd. (the "Company")<sup>1</sup>

## 1. General development of the Group's business

### Section 1.1.2 – Control in the Company and section 2.16.3 – the Communications Order

Further to the amendment to the Communication Order of September 19, 2023, according to which, among other things, the Israeli requirement may be replaced with directives of the General Security Service under Section 13 of the Communications Law – in May 2024, the Company received directives that replace the Israeli requirement as set out in section 2.16.3.6 of the Periodic Report for 2023.

### Section 1.3 – Investments in the Company's capital and transactions in its shares; section 1.1.1 – General; and section 1.1.2 – Control in the Company

Below is a breakdown of the acquisition of the Company's shares by B Communications in 2024 in accordance with its reports to the Company:

Date	Number of shares	Total consideration (NIS millions)	Average price per share (NIS)
January 31, 2024	3,120,000	15	4.82
May 30, 2024	990,947	4.4	4.47
June 5, 2024	680,000	3	4.43
June 6, 2024	687,502	3	4.34
June 20, 2024	715,000	3	4.20

Subsequent to the acquisition, as at the publication date of the report, B Communications holds 27.29% (26.65% fully diluted) of the Company's shares.

### Section 1.4.2 – Dividend distribution

For information about a dividend distributed by the Company in May 2024, and the recommendation of the board of directors to the general meeting of the Company's shareholders of August 6, 2024, regarding the distribution of a dividend for profits of the first half of 2024, see Note 7 to the financial statements.

Distributable profits as at the reporting date: NIS 1,170,670,000 (retained earnings accumulated in the last two years after deduction of the distribution in the period).

<sup>1</sup> The update is in accordance with Regulation 39A of the Securities Regulations (Periodic and Immediate Reports), 1970, and includes material changes or developments that have occurred in the Company's business in any matter that must be described in the Periodic Report. The update refers to the Company's Periodic Report for 2023 and refers to the section numbers in Chapter A (Description of Company Operations) in that Periodic Report.

## Section 1.5.4 – Main results and operational data

### Section 1.5.4.1 – Bezeq Fixed-Line (the Company's operations as a domestic carrier)

Financial data (NIS millions)	Q2 2024	Q1 2024	Q4 2023	Q3 2023	Q2 2023	Q1 2023
Revenues	1,075	1,091	1,087	1,084	1,130	1,111
Operating profit	383	397	320	310	418	403
Depreciation and amortization	255	252	260	258	256	245
EBITDA (earnings before interest, taxes, depreciation, and amortization) <sup>(1)</sup>	638	649	580	568	674	648
Share in loss of an investee	3	-	-	-	-	-
Net profit	238	258	199	192	261	249
Cash flow from operating activities	491	748	584	586	602	608
Payments for investments in fixed assets and intangible assets and other investments	266	270	290	239	281	312
Proceeds from the sale of fixed assets and intangible assets	4	2	3	-	1	29
Lease payments	37	31	46	37	35	40
Free cash flow <sup>(2)</sup>	192	449	251	310	287	285
<b>Performance data</b>						
Number of active telephony subscriber lines at the end of the period (thousands) <sup>(3)</sup>	1,409	1,419	1,442	1,454	1,473	1,488
Monthly average revenue per line (ARPL) (NIS) <sup>(4)</sup>	33	33	33	34	39	41
Number of outgoing minutes (in millions)	612	647	652	677	658	705
Number of incoming minutes (in millions)	806	838	829	874	852	918
Telephony churn rate <sup>(5)</sup>	2.1%	3.1%	2.3%	2.8%	2.6%	2.5%
Total number of internet lines at the end of the period (thousands) <sup>(6)</sup>	1,486	1,489	1,495	1,500	1,505	1,505
Of which, the number of subscribers connected to the fiber network at the end of the period (thousands) <sup>(10)</sup>	694	635	565	506	424	351
Of which, the number of internet lines at the end of the period – retail (thousands) <sup>(6)</sup>	1,014	1,019	1,028	1,029	1,028	1,031
Of which, the number of subscribers connected to the fiber network at the end of the period – retail (thousands) <sup>(6)(7)</sup>	442	407	367	335	289	246
The number of internet lines at the end of the period – wholesale (thousands) <sup>(6)</sup>	472	470	467	471	477	474
Of which, the number of subscribers connected to the fiber network at the end of the period – wholesale (thousands) <sup>(7)</sup>	252	228	198	171	135	105
Monthly average revenue per internet subscriber (NIS) – retail (ARPU) <sup>(9)</sup>	129	127	125	124	122	120
Deployment of fiber optic network at the end of the period (thousands of households available for connection) <sup>(10)</sup>	2,312	2,191	2,070	1,970	1,835	1,689
Average package speed per internet subscriber - retail (Mbps) <sup>(8)</sup>	426	382	341	315	278	250
Number of Be routers used by the Company's customers (thousands)	846	837	831	819	801	786
Number of Be Mesh and Be Spot range extenders for home Wi-Fi (thousands)	449	445	442	438	430	425

(1) EBITDA (earnings before interest, taxes, depreciation and amortization) is a financial measure that is not based on generally accepted accounting principles. The Company presents this as an additional measure for assessing its business results since this is a generally accepted measure in the Company's area of operations that offsets aspects

arising from the variance in the capital structure, various tax aspects and methods, and the amortization period for fixed assets and intangible assets. This measure is not a substitute for measures based on GAAP and it is not used as a sole measure for assessing the results of the Company's operations or cash flows. Additionally, the measure presented in this report may be calculated differently from corresponding measures in other companies. The Company's EBITDA is calculated as operating profit before depreciation, amortization, and ongoing losses from the impairment of fixed assets and intangible assets. To present fairly its financial activity, the Company presents continuing losses from the impairment of fixed assets and intangible assets in yes and Bezeq International under depreciation and amortization, and continuing losses from the impairment of broadcasting rights under general and operating expenses (in the statement of income). For further information, see Note 5 to the financial statements and section 7 of the chapter Description of Company Operations for 2023.

- (2) Free cash flow is a financial measure that is not based on GAAP. Free cash flow is defined as cash from operating activities less cash for the acquisition/sale of fixed assets and intangible assets, net, and from 2018, with the application of IFRS 16, lease payments are also deducted. The Company presents free cash flow as a measure for assessing its business results and cash flows, since the Company believes that free cash flow is an important indicator of liquidity that reflects cash resulting from operating activities after cash investments in infrastructure and other fixed assets and intangible assets. For further information, see section 7 of the chapter Description of Company Operations for 2023.
- (3) Inactive subscribers are subscribers whose Bezeq lines have been physically disconnected (not including subscribers who did not pay their debt to the Company on time in (roughly) the first three months of the collection process).
- (4) Calculated according to average number of lines for the period. For further information, see also section 7 of the chapter Description of Company Operations for 2023.
- (5) The number of telephony subscribers (gross) who left Bezeq Fixed-Line during the period divided by the average number of registered telephony subscribers in the period. For further information see also section 7 of the chapter Description of Company Operations for 2023.
- (6) The total number of internet lines includes retail and wholesale lines. Retail – direct internet lines provided directly by the Company. Wholesale – internet lines provided through a wholesale service to other communications providers.
- (7) In the fourth quarter of 2023, the connection rate of retail subscribers to the Company's fiber network declined following a slowdown in contractor activity due to a temporary dispute with the employees' representative and due to the Swords of Iron war.
- (8) For packages with a range of speeds, the maximum speed per package is taken into account.
- (9) Revenue from retail internet services is divided by the average number of retail customers in the period. For further information, see also section 7 of the chapter Description of Company Operations for 2023.
- (10) As at the publication date of the report, 2.36 million households are available for connection to the fiber optic network, of which, 716 thousand subscribers are connected to the fiber network (456 thousand retail and 260 thousand wholesale).

**Section 1.5.4.2 – Pelephone**

Financial data (NIS millions)	Q2 2024	Q1 2024	Q4 2023	Q3 2023	Q2 2023	Q1 2023
<b>Total revenue</b>	561	583	562	585	585	616
<b>Of which: revenue from interconnect fees <sup>(1)</sup></b>	72	81	79	79	102	111
<b>Total revenue less interconnect fees <sup>(1)</sup></b>	489	502	483	506	483	505
<b>Revenue from services</b>	420	416	409	450	452	445
<b>Revenue from services less interconnect fees <sup>(1)</sup></b>	348	335	330	371	350	334
<b>Revenue from the sale of terminal equipment</b>	141	167	153	135	133	171
<b>Operating profit</b>	55	40	37	59	49	51
<b>Depreciation and amortization</b>	134	138	138	143	135	133
<b>EBITDA (earnings before interest, taxes, depreciation, and amortization) <sup>(2)</sup></b>	189	178	175	202	184	184
<b>Net profit</b>	39	30	26	48	41	44
<b>Cash flow from operating activities</b>	161	122	240	242	98	133
<b>Payments for investments in fixed assets, intangible assets, and other investments, net</b>	82	82	90	81	82	57
<b>Lease payments</b>	52	79	94	57	49	70
<b>Free cash flow <sup>(2)</sup></b>	27	(39)	56	104	(33)	6
<b>Performance data</b>						
<b>Number of postpaid subscribers at the end of the period (thousands) <sup>(3)</sup></b>	2,228	2,213	2,202	2,187	2,166	2,159
<b>Number of prepaid subscribers at the end of the period (thousands) <sup>(3)</sup></b>	387	398	416	431	427	426
<b>Number of subscribers at the end of the period (thousands) <sup>(3)</sup></b>	2,615	2,611	2,618	2,618	2,593	2,585
<b>Of which, 5G subscribers (thousands) <sup>(3)</sup></b>	1,152	1,092	1,034	961	898	834
<b>Monthly average revenue per user (ARPU) (NIS) <sup>(4)</sup></b>	54	53	52	57	58	57
<b>Monthly average revenue per user (ARPU) net of interconnect fees (NIS) <sup>(1)</sup></b>	44	43	42	47	45	43
<b>Churn rate <sup>(5)</sup></b>	5.6%	6.5%	5.9%	6.0%	5.9%	6.7%

- (1) ARPU net of interconnect fees – The reform to change the interconnect fees regime, which was applied gradually from June 2023 until June 2025, is expected to result in a decrease in interconnect fees and a decrease in ARPU, therefore Pelephone elected to present ARPU net of the revenue component from interconnect fees, in addition to the full ARPU.
- (2) For the definition of EBITDA (earnings before interest, taxes, depreciation, and amortization) and free cash flow, see comments (1) and (2) in the Bezeq Fixed-Line table.
- (3) Subscriber figures include Pelephone subscribers (excluding subscribers from other carriers hosted on the Pelephone network and excluding IOT subscribers), and do not include inactive subscribers connected to Pelephone's service for six months or more. An inactive subscriber is one who in the past six months has not received one call, has not made one call / sent one SMS, or has performed no browsing activity, or has not paid for Pelephone services. Prepaid subscribers are included in the number of active subscribers from the date on which the subscriber loaded the device, and are removed from the list of active subscribers if the subscriber makes no outgoing use of the device for six months or more. It should be noted that a customer may have more than one subscriber number ("line"). Subscribers include subscribers who use various services (such as data for vehicle media systems), with an average revenue that is significantly lower than for other subscribers. As at the publication date of the report, Pelephone has 1.2 million subscribers to 5G packages.
- (4) Monthly ARPU (postpaid and prepaid). The index is calculated by dividing the average total consolidated monthly revenue, including from cellular services, from Pelephone subscribers and other telecom carriers, including revenues from cellular carriers who use Pelephone's network, repair services and extended warranty in the period, by the average number of active subscribers in the same period. For further information see also section 7 of the chapter Description of Company Operations for 2023.
- (5) The churn rate is calculated at the ratio of subscribers who disconnected from Pelephone's services and subscribers who became inactive in the period, to the average number of active subscribers in the period. For further information see also section 7 of the chapter Description of Company Operations for 2023.

**Section 1.5.4.3 – Bezeq International**

Financial data (NIS millions)	Q2 2024	Q1 2024	Q4 2023	Q3 2023	Q2 2023	Q1 2023
<b>Revenues</b>	261	289	304	303	293	312
<b>Of which: revenue from private customers <sup>(1)</sup></b>	44	48	55	60	66	72
<b>Operating profit (loss)</b>	18	20	(11)	20	16	14
<b>Depreciation and amortization</b>	26	27	45	29	33	30
<b>EBITDA (earnings (loss) before interest, taxes, depreciation, and amortization) <sup>(2)</sup></b>	44	47	34	49	49	44
<b>Net profit (loss)</b>	18	18	(14)	17	13	13
<b>Cash flow from operating activities</b>	19	49	45	36	57	19
<b>Payments for investments in fixed and intangible assets and other investments, net <sup>(3)</sup></b>	19	14	37	26	20	10
<b>Lease payments</b>	10	12	10	9	9	10
<b>Free cash flow <sup>(2)</sup></b>	(10)	23	(2)	1	28	(1)
<b><u>Performance data</u></b>						
<b>Subscriber churn rate <sup>(4)</sup></b>	10.7%	8.0%	9.0%	11.0%	10.0%	14.7%

- (1) From 2023, small office/home office (SOHO) customers are included in revenue from private customers (notwithstanding that set out in footnote 53 of the chapter Description of Company Operations for 2023).
- (2) For the definition of EBITDA (earnings before interest, taxes, depreciation and amortization) and free cash flow, see comments (1) and (2) in the Bezeq Fixed-Line table.
- (3) The line item also includes long-term investments in assets.
- (4) The number of internet subscribers who left Bezeq International in the period, divided by the average number of registered internet subscribers in the period. For further information see also section 7 of the chapter Description of Company Operations for 2023.

### Section 1.5.4.4 – yes

Financial data (NIS millions)	Q2 2024	Q1 2024	Q4 2023	Q3 2023	Q2 2023	Q1 2023
Revenues	316	315	316	328	336	329
Operating profit (loss)	(12)	(18)	33	35	26	0
Depreciation, amortization, and continuing impairment losses	48	58	29	41	46	50
EBITDA (earnings before interest, taxes, depreciation and amortization) <sup>(1)</sup>	36	40	62	76	72	50
Net profit (loss)	(5)	(13)	27	40	30	5
Cash flow from operating activities	46	93	26	66	31	92
Payments for investments in fixed and intangible assets and other investments, net	67	49	30	59	60	30
Lease payments	6	6	6	7	6	6
Free cash flow <sup>(1)</sup>	(27)	38	(10)	0	(35)	56
<b>Performance data</b>						
Number of television subscribers (thousands) <sup>(2) 3</sup>	567	571	574	576	579	580
Of which, IP subscribers <sup>(4)</sup>	431	412	392	377	364	348
Of which, STING+ subscribers	129	124	120	116	111	108
Monthly ARPU (NIS) <sup>(5)</sup>	174	173	175	182	185	185
Subscriber churn rate <sup>(6)</sup>	3.9%	3.9%	3.1%	3.9%	3.3%	3.5%
Number of fiber network subscribers (thousands) <sup>(7)</sup>	55	46	37	29	21	14

- (1) For the definition of EBITDA and free cash flow, see comments (1) and (2) in the Bezeq Fixed-Line table.
- (2) Television subscriber – a single household or small business customer; in the case of a business customer with more than a certain number of decoders (such as a hotel or gym), the number of subscribers is standardized. The number of subscribers listed for business customers that are not small businesses, is calculated by dividing the total payment received from all the business customers that are not small businesses by the average revenue per small business customer, which is determined periodically.
- (3) As at the publication date of the report, 150 thousand subscribers have joined the international streaming services as part of the collaboration of yes with these services (see section 5.1.1.1 of the chapter Description of Company Operations for 2023)
- (4) As at the publication date of the report, 440 thousand television subscribers use yes+ and STING+ streamlining services, representing 78% of all yes television subscribers. The number and rate of IP subscribers include subscribers using satellite services as well.
- (5) Monthly average revenue per television subscriber is calculated by dividing the total revenue of yes (excluding revenue from the sale of content to external broadcasting entities, revenue from end equipment, and revenue from ISP) by the average number of customers in the period. For further information see also section 7 of the chapter Description of Company Operations for 2023.
- (6) Number of television subscribers who left yes in the period, divided by the average number of registered television subscribers in the period. For further information see also section 7 of the chapter Description of Company Operations for 2023.
- (7) As at the publication date of the report, 59 thousand subscribers are connected to the fiber network.

### Section 1.7.3 – Regulatory supervision – the obligation of structural separation

Regarding the structural separation applicable to the Company – on May 15, 2024, the Ministry of Communications published a notice on the work plans, according to which assessment of the need for structural separation in Bezeq is part of the additional requirements in the work plans of the Ministry of Communications for 2024.

### Section 1.9 – Entry into the electricity supply sector

For information about the Company's entry into the electricity supply sector and the MoU signed with Powergen Ltd. ("Powergen") for cooperation in the electricity sector – on April 9, 2024, the Company's board of directors approved the engagement between the Company and Powergen in a detailed shareholder agreement based on the principles set out in the MoU (the "Agreement"). The engagement

in the Agreement was also approved by the board of directors of Powergen and on May 15, 2024, the parties signed the Agreement. It should be noted that the amendment to the section on the objectives in the Company's Memorandum of Association, which was a condition for the Company's entry into the electricity supply sector, has been completed and has come into effect. It should be noted that on April 10, 2024, the Israel Electricity Authority decided to allow the migration of domestic consumers without a smart meter as well (effective from July 2024).

The Company began to market the activity of the project, which is jointly owned by the Company (50%) and Powergen (50%) (BezeqGen Ltd. under the brand "Bezeq Energy"), which was set up for the purpose of operating in the electricity supply market, allowing consumers to shift their electricity supply from the IEC to BezeqGen Ltd. in several discount tracks. On June 27, 2024, the Electricity Authority announced the approval of the transfer of the Company's license for electricity supply without means of production to BezeqGen Ltd.



## **2. Bezeq – domestic fixed-line communications**

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### **Section 2.2.2 – Telephony**

On May 30, 2024, the Ministry of Communications revised the numbering plan for telephony services, related services, and value-added services in Israel, among other things for the purpose of the Numbering Range (1-3XXXXXXXX) for the benefit of IoT and M2M services only. In this context, the Ministry decided to cancel the assignment of the abbreviated number 1344 for use as a national access code to a joint information center, effective from May 30, 2024.

### **Section 2.2.6 – Other services**

Section 2.2.6.4 – regarding the transfer of the Company's license for electricity supply without means of production to BezeqGen Ltd., see the update to section 1.9.

### **Section 2.6.2 – The internet segment**

Regarding the rate of the Company's end-to-end ISP customers out of the Company's retail customers – this rate is 81.7% as at June 30, 2024 and 83.1% as at the publication date of the report.

### **Section 2.7.2 – Infrastructure and domestic fixed-line communications equipment**

Section 2.7.2.3 regarding the decommissioning of the copper networks – on July 22, 2024, the Ministry of Communications published a hearing regarding the policy principles for the gradual decommissioning of the copper networks.

In accordance with the hearing, following the work of the Ministry of Communications, which recommended a process for decommissioning the copper networks of the Company and HOT Telecom ("HOT"), the Ministry of Communications is considering a three-stage plan for the gradual decommissioning of the copper networks and the cancellation of the obligation for universality in the copper network:

#### **1. Stage A – 2024:**

- 1.1 An infrastructure owner will not be required to deploy a copper network in a new building, provided that advanced network infrastructure is deployed (a fiber-based network – "Fiber Network") that can be used to provide Bezeq services in new building.
- 1.2 The Company will be granted an exemption from copper deployment only for new buildings in the Company's fiber deployment areas as set out in its license. In all other areas, the Company will be required to continue providing service on the copper network. If, in the future, the Company deploys a fiber network in these areas, the Company will be able to provide service on the advance network instead of on the copper network.
- 1.3 In areas of new construction, the Company will provide the service on its own fiber network and not through another, noting that the Company is required to complete deployment of a fiber network by March 14, 2027. In view of the above, in the incentive areas, the Company will be required to continue deploying and operating the copper network until its gradual switch-off.
- 1.4 The Company and HOT will be required to provide all types of services provided on the copper network on the fiber network (including telephony services and internet access, also if the speeds are different).
- 1.5 Copper infrastructure in underground piping will be removed in accordance with an application of an authorized supplier, if required, to free space in the piping to deploy the infrastructure of the authorized supplier. The infrastructure owner will perform the retrieval no later than within three months from the application date.
- 1.6 At present, the Ministry is not considering intervening in internet prices for fiber packages, however the Ministry finds that intervention in the prices of the Company's telephony service in fiber infrastructure is justified and that the rate will be as currently set out in the regulations.

- 1.7 The Company and HOT will be required to offer subscribers who wish to do so a solution of energy backup at a reasonable fee in the event of power outages in favor of the telephony service and the internet service.
  - 1.8 In new buildings – the Company and HOT will be required to deploy underground and not overhead fiber for anyone who requires it, including businesses, other than in urban renewal construction (new construction in an existing neighborhood), where fiber infrastructure can also be deployed in overhead infrastructure.
  - 1.9 As a condition for switching off the copper network in a certain area, the Company and HOT will be required to remove all overhead copper infrastructure and all the passive and active components used by the copper network that are not required for the fiber service. Overhead infrastructure will be removed within a year of the copper switch-off in the statistical area. Moreover, the Company and HOT will be required to install the fiber network in coordination with the local authority.
2. Stage B – 2025
- In 2025, there will no longer be a requirement for the Company and HOT to connect new retail and wholesale subscribers to the copper infrastructure, where a fiber network is deployed through which they provide their services. Additionally, in 2025, the requirement to provide universal service on copper infrastructure will be eliminated such that the infrastructure owner may switch off the copper network in a certain statistical area after the number of subscribers (wholesale and retail) connected to its fiber network is no less than 85% of all its subscribers (wholesale and retail) in the statistical area. At that time, the infrastructure owner will be permitted to proactively transfer the customers from copper infrastructure to fiber infrastructure at the expense of the subscribers, or to disconnect them after advance notice (three months in advance for customers and six months in advance for a service provider).
3. Stage C – 2030
- 2030 is the planned target date for when the Company and HOT will be able to switch off the remaining copper networks even if some statistical areas they did not reach 85% of the subscribers who will receive service on fiber infrastructure, provided that there is fiber infrastructure in those areas and advance notice is given to the customers.
4. The proposed amendments will be anchored in the Communications Law or its related regulations, and in the licenses, as the case may be, after publication of hearing procedures or the performance of a public participation procedure as is customary. Reference to the hearing may be submitted until August 18, 2024.
  5. The Company is assessing the hearing documents and how it will be affected by decommissioning the copper networks. The Company supports in principle the decommissioning of the networks, in view of the development of the fiber networks that allow advanced services and eliminate the need for the inferior copper networks, and in view of the duplicate costs for the network operators arising from two parallel networks. The Company believes that decommissioning its copper network is expected to cut some of its operating expenses and investments alongside one-time investments that may be required at a rate that cannot be estimated at this stage.

Some of the information in this section is forward-looking information as defined in the Israel Securities Law, 1968, based on the Company's estimates for the switch-off of the copper networks. Accordingly, the Company's estimates may not materialize or may materialize in part or otherwise depending on the decisions made regarding the switch-off of the copper networks and the timetables in this respect.

#### **Section 2.7.4 – Real estate**

Subsection 2.7.4.4(B) regarding the amount of betterment tax for the property in Sakia – on March 28, 2024, the Company received an advisory assessment according to which the total betterment tax as at the record date will amount to NIS 117 million. Later, the Company was sent a demand for payment that includes arrears interest in the amount of NIS 22.8 million. The Company applied to the appeals committee with a request to reduce the arrears payments so that only CPI linkage differentials will apply to the betterment tax principal. The local committee requested that the appeals committee reject the Company's request to reduce the arrears payments, other than for the period from July 4, 2019 to January 1, 2023, for which it requested charge the Company interest according to the Statutory Interest Rate and Linkage Adjudication Law, 1961 (which is lower than the interest according to the Local

Authorities Law (Interest and Linkage Differences on Compulsory Payments), 1980 which the Company was charged). A ruling on the motion is yet to be handed down. It should be clarified that the values set out in the advisory assessment do not change the Company's estimates for the amount of the capital gain that was recorded in the Company's Periodic Report for 2023, since the Company's estimates were also based on the legal situation in the claim against the ILA, which includes the ILA's obligation in the settlement agreement to bear the betterment tax for the property .

### **Section 2.9.5 – Officers and senior management in the Company**

On April 1, 2024, Nir David entered his position as CEO of the Company. On May 20, 2024, the general meeting of the Company's shareholders approved the terms of office and employment of the Company's CEO. For further information see the Company's immediate report dated May 20, 2024, included in this report by way of reference.

### **Section 2.13.1 – Average and effective interest rates on loans**

As at June 30, 2024, the Company is not financed by any short-term credit (less than one year). The following table shows the distribution of long-term loans (including current maturities):

<b>Loan term</b>	<b>Source of finance</b>	<b>Principal amount (NIS millions)</b>	<b>Currency or linkage</b>	<b>Type of interest and change mechanism</b>	<b>Average interest rate</b>	<b>Effective interest rate</b>	<b>Interest range in 2024</b>
<b>Long-term loans</b>	Banks	819	Unlinked NIS	Fixed	4.02%	4.06%	3.20%-5.33%
	Banks	700	Unlinked NIS	Variable, based on the annual prime interest rate *	6.46%	6.59%	6.11%-6.53%
	Non-bank sources	4,030	Unlinked NIS	Fixed	3.67%	3.84%	2.79%-3.65%
	Non-bank sources	2,552	CPI-linked NIS	Fixed	1.67%	1.71%	0.58%-2.20%

\* Prime interest – 6% (August 2024)

For further information about the Company's loans, see Note 13 to the 2023 Financial Statements.

### **Section 2.13.6 – Credit rating**

On May 2, 2024, Maalot upgraded the rating of the Company, Pelephone, and yes to iIAA with stable outlook due to the improvement in the Company's financial ratios. In addition, on May 19, 2024, Midroog upgraded the rating of the Company's debentures to Aa2.il with stable outlook due to the continued improvement in the Company's financial position together with the improvement in the debt coverage to EBITDA ratio to levels supporting this rating. For further information see the Company's immediate reports dated May 2, 2024 and May 19, 2024, included in this report by way of reference, and section 3 in the Directors Report.

### **Section 2.16.4 – Wholesale market**

Subsection 2.16.4.5 – Pricing of wholesale market services – on March 28, 2024, the Ministry of Communications published a hearing regarding "setting of maximum payments for the use of passive infrastructure in Bezeq's network" (the "Current Hearing"). The Current Hearing does not address the adjustment of rates for the BSA service, for which an economic assessment is planned, including an assessment of the scope of the obligation to supply this service. According to the Current Hearing:

The Minister of Communications will amend the Communications Regulations (Telecommunications and Broadcasts) (Use of a Domestic Carrier's Public Network), 2014, in such a way that four rates that the Company is entitled to demand will be reduced, as follows (NIS per month without VAT):

	<b>Current rate in the regulations</b>	<b>Proposed rate</b>	<b>Measurement unit</b>
Monthly payment for access service to passive infrastructure not in the incentive areas and not in infrastructure in the area beyond the incentive area.	0.446	0.250	Meter
Monthly payment for access service to passive infrastructure in the incentive areas or in infrastructure in the area beyond the incentive area.	0.113	0.107	Meter
Monthly payment for dark fiber service not in the incentive area and not in infrastructure in the area beyond the incentive area.	0.546	0.300	Meter
Monthly payment for dark fiber service in the incentive area and or in infrastructure in the area beyond the incentive area.	0.208	0.197	Meter

The Current Hearing includes rates that are proposed for application immediately after April 1, 2024, further to the Company's consent to collect the low rates as from this date. These rates will be determined as the first step, which will be effective for 15 months, that is, until June 30, 2025, and they will not be linked to the CPI at the beginning of 2025. Subsequently, after completion of the assessment of the revised wholesale rates based on the Axon model, rates will be set that will come into effect after June 30, 2025. The hearing on these rates is expected to be published in 2024. It should be noted that in July 2024, the Ministry of Communications sent some of the license holders (including the Company) a requirement to transfer information (similar to the information required two years earlier) for the construction of an economic model based on a pricing methodology, formulating an updated list of wholesale services, and setting maximum payments for wholesale services based on the model.

To complete the picture, at the hearing, it was clarified that it does not address the adjustment of rates for the BSA service, for which the Ministry believes there should be an economic assessment of the service and its effect on the fixed-communications market, including and assessment of the scope of the obligation to supply this service, before a decision is made on the adjustment of the BSA rates. The reason for this is because, unlike passive access infrastructure, there are competitive disadvantages in their significant and immediate reduction. The economic director at the Ministry is expected to assess this in the coming months. At the same time, the work for adjusting the wholesale market rates will continue based on the work of Axon for the BSA rates.

The Company accepts the outline detailed in the Current Hearing and on April 11, 2024, it submitted its response accordingly.

The Company believes that reduction of the rates for passive infrastructure service and dark fiber as set out in section 1 above is not expected to have a material effect on the business results. The Company also believes that it is expected that the hearing on the BSA service rates will be completed in the middle of 2025, and until then the BSA tariffs will remain unchanged.

Some of the information in this report is forward-looking information as defined in the Israel Securities Law, based on the Company's estimates, among other things, regarding the Ministry's timetables for announcing a hearing for the BSA service rate and the completion of the process. Accordingly, the Company's estimates may not materialize or may materialize in part or otherwise depending on the timetables and the decisions of the Ministry.

### **Section 2.16.5 – Advanced network – fiber**

Section 2.16.5.1 regarding incentive areas – on July 3, 2024, the Ministry of Communications published the Draft Communications Order (Telecommunications and Broadcasting) (Annual Payment Rate to the Incentive Fund) (Temporary Order), 2024, in which it is proposed, by virtue of powers of the Minister of Communications, under Section 14C(a) of the Communications Law, as a temporary order, that in 2024, the payment of obligated entities to the incentive fund will be at a rate of 0.2% instead of 0.5%. The temporary order requires the approval of the Minister of Finance and the approval of the Economic Committee of the Knesset. In its reference to the Draft, the Company explained that, among other things, in view of the developments set out in the update to section 2.16.5.3. below, the payment rate for 2024 should be 0%. Pelephone and yes also expressed their position according to which the payment rate should be 0%. On July 25, 2024, the Ministry of Communications announced that had decided to postpone, for now, publication of the announcement regarding the payment rate in 2024.

Section 2.16.5.3 – regarding the expansion of the Company's deployment areas – on July 7, 2024, the Company received the Ministry of Communications' decision and an appropriate amendment to the Company's license, permitting the Company, at its request, to deploy an advanced network and provide Bezeq service over it in 33 additional statistical areas, in addition to the areas listed in the Company's license, in accordance with Sections 14B(a) and 14E(b)(1) of the Communications Law. These are areas from among the "returned areas" that the interministerial tenders committee allowed two winners of the incentive tenders to cancel their right to deploy an advanced network for various reasons. Accordingly, the updated rate of the Company's deployment obligation is 86.2% of all households in Israel.

### **Section 2.18 – Legal proceedings**

Section 2.18.1, subsections A, C, D (including the proceeding set out in footnote 39), and H – regarding the continuation of the stay of proceedings in these cases due to the investigation by the Israel Securities Authority and the related proceedings – rulings were handed down approving the State's requests to submit update notices regarding the deferral of addressing these cases until August 31, 2024.

Section 2.18.1(B) regarding two motions for certification of class actions alleging that the Company harmed competition – in accordance with the revised notices filed on May 19, 2024 on behalf of the Attorney General, regarding the continued stay in the proceedings in these cases due to the progress in the criminal proceedings in Case 4000, at this stage, there is no need to continue the stay of proceedings.

Section 2.18.1(C) regarding two motions for certification of class actions alleging that the Company's reports contain misleading information about the agreement for the acquisition of the shares of yes and the cash flow of yes – after a motion was filed for certification of a settlement agreement between the applicants and B Communications and Elovitch and the court ruling on the submission of an amended agreement, in March 2024, a motion for certification of the settlement agreement was filed. A draft consolidated motion for certification was also attached to the motion.

Section 2.18.2(B) regarding a motion for discovery and review of documents under Section 198 of the Companies Law for assessment before filing a motion for a derivative claim on behalf of the Company, in the matter of the sale of the Company's shares in 2016 by B Communications and the judgment striking out the motion – in April 2024, the applicant in the procedure filed a motion for certification of a derivative claim on behalf of the Company and/or a double derivative claim on behalf of yes against Shaul Elovitch and B Communications. The claims included in the motion for certification of a derivative claim are similar to those in the motion for disclosure as set out above. It was determined that responses to the motion for certification will be filed by September 8, 2024 and if required, the State's position regarding the need to delay the proceedings will be filed by August 31, 2024.

Further to the Company's immediate report of November 13, 2020, regarding a motion for certification of a class action filed in the Tel Aviv District Court (Economic Department) by a shareholder of the Company against the Company, B Communications Ltd., the Company's CEO, and members of the Company's board of directors at the times relevant to the motion claiming damages due to the Company's alleged reporting and disclosure omissions with respect to a public report on duplicate subscriptions in ISP services – on June 3, 2024, the court ruled to certify the claim as a class action in part. In accordance with the court ruling, the class of plaintiffs was defined as anyone who acquired the Company's shares from October 5, 2020 (instead of from August 17, 2020 as defined in the motion for certification) until October 30, 2020 and held the shares or part of them on October 30, 2020, other than the respondents and/or their representatives and/or parties related to them. The court also ruled against certification of the class action against B Communications and the case against it was dismissed. It should be noted that as at the publication date of the Periodic Report for 2022, the Company no longer classifies this proceeding as a material proceeding, since the damage claimed is below the materiality threshold. At the same time, for the sake of caution and since, when filing the motion for certification, the Company published an immediate report that it had been received, and since at that time, the proceeding was classified as a material proceeding, the Company saw fit to report an update in relation to this proceeding.

### **3. Pelephone – Cellular**

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#### **Section 3.10.1 – Suppliers of terminal equipment**

Regarding the agreement between Pelephone and Apple for the purchase of terminal equipment – in March 2024, the agreement between the parties was extended for another year until March 2025.

#### **Section 3.15 – Material agreements**

Regarding the agreement between Pelephone and the Accountant General at the Ministry of Finance for the provision of cellular services to state employees, which was valid until May 16, 2024 – on May 26, 2024 the extension of the agreement until December 31, 2024 was signed.

### **4. Bezeq International – ISP, international communications, and ICT solutions**

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No updates.

### **5. yes – multichannel television**

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#### **Section 5.12 – Financing**

In August 2024, the Company approved a credit facility or investment in the capital of yes in a total amount of up to NIS 40 million, to be exercised up to August 31, 2025. This approval is instead of similar approval given in May 2024 (and not in addition to it).

#### **Section 5.15 – Material agreements**

Agreement with Partner Communication Ltd.

On July 8, 2024, yes entered into an agreement with Partner Communications Ltd. ("Partner"), according to which Partner will have the right to market to its subscribers an app for viewing audio-visual content, provided and supported by yes, based on the Sting+ service operated by yes (the "Service" and the "Agreement", respectively), with some changes set out in the Agreement. Under the Agreement, yes will be entitled to monthly payment of at least NIS 5.3 million (plus VAT), based on the number of Partner subscribers to the Service, with the addition of linkage differences according to the terms set out in the Agreement.

Under the Agreement, yes and Partner will act to implement the commercial launch of the Service as early as possible and in any case within nine months after the Agreement is signed or six months after the Competition Authority approves the Agreement, whichever is later (the "Commercial Launch Date").

The term of the Agreement is five years after the Commercial Launch Date, and Partner has the right to extend the term of the Agreement for another year. Additionally, Partner has the right to terminate the Agreement prematurely, for any reason, with six months' notice, which will not be given before 36 months have passed from the Commercial Launch Date. At the end of the term of Agreement (including the additional term, if exercised), Partner will have the right to continue providing the Service under the terms and conditions of the Agreement for a transitional period of no more than 18 months. The Company and yes believe that the Agreement is not expected to have a material contribution to the business activity of Bezeq Group.

The completion and implementation of the Agreement are subject to the fulfillment of preconditions, which include the approval of the Competition Authority and approval for obtaining the approvals required for yes to comply with its obligations under the Agreement. As at the publication date the report, it is uncertain whether the Agreement will come into effect, taking into account the requirement for fulfillment of the preconditions.

The information in this section regarding the validity of the Agreement and the commercial launch date is forward-looking information, as this term is defined in the Israel Securities Law, which may not materialize or may materialize in a way that is materially different than anticipated, depending, among other things, on the variables set out above, including due to factors beyond the control of yes, including the requirement for the approval of the Competition Authority and other approvals, and how the Agreement is implemented by the parties.

**Section 5.16.1 – Pending legal proceedings**

Regarding a motion for certification of a derivative claim on behalf of the Company and/or a double derivative claim on behalf of yes against Shaul Elovitch and B Communications filed in April 2024 further to the motion for discovery and review of documents under Section 198 of the Companies Law (which was struck out) regarding the sale of Company shares in 2016 by B Communications – see the update to section 2.18.2(B).

Subsection E – regarding a motion for certification of a class action filed against yes, referring mainly to the claim that yes violates the provisions of the law and its license regarding the waiting time until a representative responds to a call – on June 3, 2024, a judgment was handed down striking out the motion, while maintaining the applicants' right to file a new motion, which will also include the evidentiary basis in the motion, while maintaining all the claims of yes.

August 6, 2024

Date

Bezeq The Israeli Telecommunications Corp. Ltd

Names and titles of signatories:

Tomer Raved, Chairman of the board of directors

Nir David, CEO

## Chapter B

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# Board of Directors Report on the State of the Company's Affairs for the Period Ended June 30, 2024



The information contained in this report constitutes a translation of the financial statements published by the Company. The Hebrew version was submitted by the Company to the relevant authorities pursuant to Israeli law and represents the binding version and the only one having legal effect. This translation was prepared for convenience purposes only.



We hereby present the Board of Directors' Report on the state of affairs of Bezeq The Israeli Telecommunications Corporation Ltd. (the "Company") and the consolidated Group companies (the Company and the consolidated companies, jointly – the "Group"), for the six months ended June 30, 2024 (the "Period") and for the three months then ended (the "Quarter").

The Board of Directors' Report contains a condensed review of its subject matter and was prepared taking into account that the Board of Directors' Report as at December 31, 2023 is also available to the reader.

For information about the investigation by the Israel Securities Authority and Israel Police, see Note 1.2 to the financial statements. The independent auditors have drawn attention to the matter in their opinion on the financial statements..

In its financial statements, the Group reports on the following four main operating segments:

1. Domestic fixed-line communications
2. Cellular communications
3. ISP, international telecommunications and ICT solutions ("Bezeq International Services")
4. Multichannel television

Breakdown of the Group's results:

	1-6.2024	1-6.2023	Change		4-6.2024	4-6.2023	Change	
	NIS million		NIS million	%	NIS million		NIS million	%
<b>Net profit</b>	<b>582</b>	654	(72)	(11.0)	<b>287</b>	343	(56)	(16.3)
<b>Adjusted net profit<sup>1</sup></b>	<b>591</b>	675	(84)	(12.4)	<b>292</b>	354	(62)	(17.5)
<b>EBITDA<sup>1</sup></b>	<b>1,819</b>	1,900	(81)	(4.3)	<b>907</b>	974	(67)	(6.9)
<b>Adjusted EBITDA<sup>1</sup></b>	<b>1,827</b>	1,923	(96)	(5.0)	<b>910</b>	987	(77)	(7.8)
<b>Free cash flow<sup>1</sup></b>	<b>646</b>	583	63	10.8	<b>178</b>	238	(60)	(25.2)

(1) For the non-GAAP financial measures, see below.

The decrease in the net profit is mainly due to a decrease in revenues in all the Group's major segments.

For further information see section 1.2 below.

### Non-GAAP based financial measures

As at the reporting date, the Group's management uses non-GAAP financial performance indexes for assessing and presenting the Group's financial performance. These indexes are not a substitute for the information included in the Company's financial statements.

Breakdown of the indexes:

Index	Calculation and objectives of the index
<b>Adjusted net profit</b>	Net profit less other operating expenses/income, net after tax, and non-recurring losses/gains from impairment/appreciation after tax, and equity compensation plan expenses. The metric allows comparison of performance of various periods by adjusting the effects of irregular non-recurring expenses/income.
<b>EBITDA</b> (Earnings Before Interest, Taxes, Depreciation and Amortization)	Earnings before financing expenses/income, taxes, depreciation and amortization. The EBITDA metric is a generally accepted measure used in the Group's area of operations, which offsets effects arising from the variance in the capital structure, various taxation aspects, and the depreciation method and period for fixed and intangible assets. The Group's EBITDA is calculated as operating profit before depreciation, amortization and impairment (including ongoing losses from impairment of fixed and intangible assets, as described in Note 5 to the financial statements).
<b>Adjusted EBITDA</b>	EBITDA net of other operating expenses/income, one-time losses/gains from impairment/appreciation, and equity compensation plan expenses. The metric allows comparison of operating performance of various periods by adjusting the effects of irregular non-recurring expenses/income.  It should be noted that the EBITDA metric should not be adjusted to metrics similarly designated by other companies due to a possible difference in the way the metric is calculated.
<b>Free cash flow</b>	Cash from operating activities less cash for the purchase/sale of fixed assets and intangible assets, net, and from 2018, with the application of IFRS 16, lease payments are also deducted. Free cash flow serves as a measure for assessing its business results and cash flows, since the Group believes that free cash flow is an important indicator of liquidity that reflects cash resulting from the Group's operating activities after cash investments in infrastructure and other fixed assets and intangible assets.

**Breakdown of the calculation of these indexes:**

	1-6.2024	1-6.2023	4-6.2024	4-6.2023
	NIS million		NIS million	
Net profit	582	654	287	343
Net of other operating expenses, net after tax	(2)	14	(2)	7
Net of expenses for equity-based compensation	11	7	7	4
<b>Adjusted net profit</b>	<b>591</b>	<b>675</b>	<b>292</b>	<b>354</b>

Operating profit	884	974	445	506
Net of depreciation, amortization and impairment	935	926	462	468
<b>EBITDA</b>	<b>1,819</b>	<b>1,900</b>	<b>907</b>	<b>974</b>
Net of other operating expenses (income), net	(3)	16	(4)	9
Net of expenses for equity-based compensation	11	7	7	4
<b>Adjusted EBITDA</b>	<b>1,827</b>	<b>1,923</b>	<b>910</b>	<b>987</b>

Net cash from operating activities	1,710	1,628	709	775
Net of cash for purchase/sale of fixed assets and intangible assets, net	834	822	427	439
Net of lease payments	230	223	104	98
<b>Free cash flow</b>	<b>646</b>	<b>583</b>	<b>178</b>	<b>238</b>

## 1. The Board of Directors' explanations on the state of the Company's affairs, results of operations, equity, cash flows, and additional matters

### 1.1 Financial position - Assets

	June 30, 2024	June 30, 2023	Change		Explanation
	NIS million			%	
<b>Cash and current investments</b>	<b>2,864</b>	2,276	588	25.8	The increase is due to, among other things, the issue of debentures in the current period through the expansion of Series 11 and 13 in the domestic fixed-line communications segment. For further information see sections 1.3 and 3 below.
<b>Current and non-current trade and other receivables</b>	<b>2,131</b>	2,186	(55)	(2.5)	
<b>Inventory</b>	<b>107</b>	125	(18)	(14.4)	The decrease is due to the cellular communications segment, mainly due to stocking up of inventories in the corresponding period.
<b>Right-of-use assets</b>	<b>1,765</b>	1,924	(159)	(8.3)	The decrease is due to the Bezeq International Services segment with respect to an amendment to the server farm lease agreement (Bnei Zion) and due to the cellular communications segment, mainly due to ongoing devaluation expenses.
<b>Fixed assets</b>	<b>6,977</b>	6,725	252	3.7	The increase is mainly due to the domestic fixed line communications segment, among other things, due to the progress made in the fiber network deployment project.
<b>Intangible assets</b>	<b>934</b>	909	25	2.8	
<b>Deferred expenses and non-current investments</b>	<b>324</b>	299	25	8.4	The increase is due to, among other things, the Company's investment in BezeqGen Ltd. With regard to the Company entering the electricity supply sector see Notes 4.3 and 15.4 to the financial statements.
<b>Total assets</b>	<b>15,102</b>	14,444	658	4.6	

## 1.1 Financial position (contd.) - Liabilities and equity

	June 30, 2024	June 30, 2023	Change		Explanation
	NIS million			%	
<b>Debt to financial institutions and debenture holders</b>	<b>7,884</b>	7,691	193	2.5	The increase in debt is mainly due to the issue of debentures in the Period by way of the expansion of Series 11 and 13, and receipt of loans, offsetting repayment of debentures in 2023 and repayment of loans in the domestic fixed-line communications segment.
<b>Lease liabilities</b>	<b>1,943</b>	2,098	(155)	(7.4)	The decrease is due to the Bezeq International Services segment with respect to an amendment to the server farm lease agreement (Bnei Zion) and to the cellular communications segment, mainly due to ongoing payments in the Period.
<b>Trade and other payables</b>	<b>1,909</b>	1,756	153	8.7	The increase is due to an increase in payables in the domestic fixed line communications segment.
<b>Employee benefits</b>	<b>548</b>	514	34	6.6	The increase is due to an increase in severance provisions in 2023 for early retirement and voluntary redundancy in the Group and due to recording of a non-recurring provision for the amount of the special bonus to be paid to the Company's employees under the amendment to the collective agreement, offsetting payments for employee retirement.
<b>Provisions</b>	<b>115</b>	128	(13)	(10.2)	
<b>Deferred tax liabilities</b>	<b>81</b>	70	11	15.7	
<b>Derivatives and other non-current liabilities</b>	<b>203</b>	152	51	33.6	The increase is due to an increase in long-term prepaid revenues in the domestic fixed line communications segment.
<b>Total liabilities</b>	<b>12,683</b>	12,409	274	2.2	
<b>Total equity</b>	<b>2,419</b>	2,035	384	18.9	Equity constitutes 16.0% of the total balance sheet compared to 14.1% of the total balance sheet as at June 30, 2023. The increase in equity is due to accumulated profits offset by the distribution of dividends.
<b>Total liabilities and equity</b>	<b>15,102</b>	14,444	658	4.6	

## 1.2 Operating results

### 1.2.1 Highlights

	1-6.2024	1-6.2023	Change		4-6.2024	4-6.2023	Change		Explanation
	NIS million			%	NIS million			%	
<b>Revenues</b>	<b>4,447</b>	4,607	(160)	(3.5)	<b>2,192</b>	2,299	(107)	(4.7)	There was a decline in revenue in all the Group's key segments. The decrease is due to, among other things, the decrease in telephony and interconnect rates. For further information see section 1.2.2 below.
<b>General operating expenses</b>	<b>1,668</b>	1,727	(59)	(3.4)	<b>812</b>	843	(31)	(3.7)	The decrease in expenses is due, among other things, to lower interconnect fees paid to telecommunications operators due to the reduction of rates in June 2023 and the additional decrease in June 2024, mainly in the cellular communication segment.
<b>Salaries</b>	<b>963</b>	964	(1)	(0.1)	<b>477</b>	473	4	0.8	
<b>Depreciation, amortization, and impairment</b>	<b>935</b>	926	9	1.0	<b>462</b>	468	(6)	(1.3)	
<b>Other operating expenses (income), net</b>	<b>(3)</b>	16	(19)	-	<b>(4)</b>	9	(13)	-	The change is mainly due to the domestic fixed line communications segment. For further information, see Note 10 to the financial statements.
<b>Operating profit</b>	<b>884</b>	974	(90)	(9.2)	<b>445</b>	506	(61)	(12.1)	
<b>Financing expenses, net</b>	<b>117</b>	128	(11)	(8.6)	<b>71</b>	63	8	12.7	For further information, see Note 11 to the financial statements.
<b>Share in losses of investees, net</b>	<b>3</b>	-	3	-	<b>3</b>	-	3	-	As of the second quarter of 2024 the Company records its share in the net operating results of BezeqGen in its financial statements. With regard to the Company entering the electricity supply sector see Notes 4.3 and 15.4 to the financial statements.
<b>Income tax</b>	<b>182</b>	192	(10)	(5.2)	<b>84</b>	100	(16)	(16.0)	
<b>Adjusted net profit</b>	<b>582</b>	654	(72)	(11.0)	<b>287</b>	343	(56)	(16.3)	

## 1.2.2 Operating segments

A. Breakdown of revenue and operating profit by Group operating segments:

	1-6.2024		1-6.2023		4-6.2024		4-6.2023	
	NIS million	% of total revenues	NIS million	% of total revenues	NIS million	% of total revenues	NIS million	% of total revenues
<b>Revenue by operating segment</b>								
<b>Domestic fixed-line communications</b>	<b>2,166</b>	<b>48.7</b>	2,241	48.6	<b>1,075</b>	<b>49.0</b>	1,130	49.2
<b>Cellular communications</b>	<b>1,144</b>	<b>25.7</b>	1,201	26.1	<b>561</b>	<b>25.6</b>	585	25.5
<b>Bezeq International services</b>	<b>550</b>	<b>12.4</b>	605	13.1	<b>261</b>	<b>11.9</b>	293	12.7
<b>Multichannel television</b>	<b>631</b>	<b>14.2</b>	665	14.4	<b>316</b>	<b>14.5</b>	336	14.6
<b>Others and adjustments</b>	<b>(44)</b>	<b>(1.0)</b>	(105)	(2.2)	<b>(21)</b>	<b>(1.0)</b>	(45)	(2.0)
<b>Total</b>	<b>4,447</b>	<b>100</b>	4,607	100	<b>2,192</b>	<b>100</b>	2,299	100

	1-6.2024		1-6.2023		4-6.2024		4-6.2023	
	NIS million	% of segment revenue	NIS million	% of segment revenue	NIS million	% of segment revenue	NIS million	% of segment revenue
<b>Operating profit (loss) by operating segment</b>								
<b>Domestic fixed-line communications</b>	<b>780</b>	<b>36.0</b>	821	36.6	<b>383</b>	<b>35.6</b>	418	37.0
<b>Cellular communications</b>	<b>95</b>	<b>8.3</b>	100	8.3	<b>55</b>	<b>9.8</b>	49	8.4
<b>Bezeq International services</b>	<b>38</b>	<b>6.9</b>	30	5.0	<b>18</b>	<b>6.9</b>	16	5.5
<b>Multichannel television (proforma) <sup>2</sup></b>	<b>(44)</b>	<b>(7.0)</b>	8	1.2	<b>(25)</b>	<b>(7.9)</b>	13	3.9
<b>Others and adjustments</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>-</b>	15	-	<b>14</b>	<b>-</b>	10	-
<b>Consolidated operating profit / % of the Group's revenues</b>	<b>884</b>	<b>19.9</b>	974	21.1	<b>445</b>	<b>20.3</b>	506	22.0

(2) Results of the multichannel television segment are presented net of the total impairment recognized beginning in 2018. This is in accordance with the manner in which the Group's chief operating decision maker evaluates the performance of the segment and makes decisions regarding the allocation of resources to the segment. In addition, see Note 14.3 for selected condensed information from the financial statements of yes.

## 1.2.2 Operating segments (contd.)

### B. Domestic fixed line communications

	1-6.2024	1-6.2023	Change		4-6.2024	4-6.2023	Change		Explanation
	NIS million		%		NIS million		%		
<b>Internet services</b>	<b>995</b>	964	31	3.2	<b>494</b>	485	9	1.9	The increase is due to an increase in the retail ARPU, which is mainly due to an increase in the number of fiber network subscribers and supplementary terminal equipment, offset by a decrease in wholesale market revenues as a result of the decrease in duct access rates as of April 1, 2024, among others.
<b>Fixed line telephony revenue</b>	<b>281</b>	358	(77)	(21.5)	<b>138</b>	176	(38)	(21.6)	The decrease is due to a reduction in ARPL due to the decrease in telephony rates by the Ministry of Communications in July 2023, the decrease in interconnect fees as of June 15, 2023 and a further decrease as of June 15, 2024, and decrease in traffic volume. There has also been a decrease in the number of lines.
<b>Revenue from data and other transmission and communications</b>	<b>716</b>	743	(27)	(3.6)	<b>356</b>	380	(24)	(6.3)	The decrease is mainly due to a decrease in paid for work and in revenue from ISP transmission due to subscriber churn to the Company following the end-to-end ISP reform. The decrease was offset by an increase in transmission and data communications services for businesses.
<b>Revenue from cloud and digital services</b>	<b>174</b>	176	(2)	(1.1)	<b>87</b>	89	(2)	(2.2)	The decrease is mainly due to a decrease in the B144 business directory revenues, offset by an increase in cloud services.
<b>Total revenue</b>	<b>2,166</b>	2,241	(75)	(3.3)	<b>1,075</b>	1,130	(55)	(4.9)	
<b>General operating expenses</b>	<b>370</b>	392	(22)	(5.6)	<b>187</b>	197	(10)	(5.1)	The decrease is mainly due to a decrease in subcontractor expenses for deployment of the fiber network and paid for work, and a decrease in interconnect payments to communications operators, mainly because of a drop in rates since June 15, 2023 and the further drop as of June 15, 2024, offset by an increase in advertising expenses.
<b>Salaries</b>	<b>518</b>	516	2	0.4	<b>258</b>	253	5	2.0	The increase is due to salary increases, hiring of new employees, an increase in actuary provisions and provisions for equity based compensation plans, and in the Period also due to a decrease in capitalization of investment salary. The increase was offset due to employee resignations, reimbursement of reserve duty benefits from the National Insurance Institute due to the effect of the war and in the Period also due to a one-time grant for permanent staff following the public sector wage agreement in the corresponding period.
<b>Depreciation and amortization</b>	<b>507</b>	501	6	1.2	<b>255</b>	256	(1)	(0.4)	



	1-6.2024	1-6.2023	Change		4-6.2024	4-6.2023	Change		Explanation
	NIS million			%	NIS million			%	
<b>Other operating expenses (income), net</b>	<b>(9)</b>	11	(20)	-	<b>(8)</b>	6	(14)	-	The change is due to capital gains from the sale of real estate property and a decrease in expenses for the provision for legal claims.
<b>Operating profit</b>	<b>780</b>	821	(41)	(5.0)	<b>383</b>	418	(35)	(8.4)	
<b>Financing expenses, net</b>	<b>122</b>	147	(25)	(17.0)	<b>70</b>	71	(1)	(1.4)	The decrease in net financing expenses in the period is mainly due to an increase in financing income from investments and a decrease in linkage differentials with respect to debentures, due to a lower index increase in the current period compared to the corresponding period, offset by an increase in interest expenses with respect to the issue of debentures in the Period, see chapter 3 below.
<b>Share in losses of an investee</b>	<b>3</b>	-	3	-	<b>3</b>	-	3	-	As of the second quarter of 2024, the Company records its share in the net operating results of BezeqGen in its financial statements. With regard to the Company entering the electricity supply sector see Notes 4.3 and 15.4 to the financial statements.
<b>Income tax</b>	<b>159</b>	164	(5)	(3.0)	<b>72</b>	86	(14)	(16.3)	
<b>Segment profit</b>	<b>496</b>	510	(14)	(2.7)	<b>238</b>	261	(23)	(8.8)	

## 1.2.2 Operating segments (contd.)

### C. Cellular communications

	1-6.2024	1-6.2023	Change		4-6.2024	4-6.2023	Change		Explanation
	NIS million			%	NIS million			%	
<b>Revenue from services less interconnect fees<sup>3</sup></b>	<b>683</b>	684	(1)	(0.1)	<b>348</b>	350	(2)	(0.6)	The decrease in revenue from roaming services due to the effect of the war is largely offset by the growth in the subscriber base, including subscribers to 5G bundles. In addition, there has been an increase in revenue in view of the acquisition of the subsidiary, Roamability, in the fourth quarter of 2023.
<b>Interconnect revenue<sup>3</sup></b>	<b>153</b>	213	(60)	(28.2)	<b>72</b>	102	(30)	(29.4)	The decrease was mainly due to a reduction in interconnect fees.
<b>Sale of terminal equipment</b>	<b>308</b>	304	4	1.3	<b>141</b>	133	8	6.0	The increase is mainly due to an increase in the selling prices, and in the Quarter also due to an increase in the number of units sold.
<b>Total revenue</b>	<b>1,144</b>	1,201	(57)	(4.7)	<b>561</b>	585	(24)	(4.1)	
<b>General operating expenses</b>	<b>609</b>	670	(61)	(9.1)	<b>293</b>	319	(26)	(8.2)	The decrease is mainly due to a decrease in expenses attributed to interconnect revenue and a decrease in the roaming service costs, parallel to the decrease in attributable revenue. Conversely, there was an increase in expenses due to the acquisition of the subsidiary, Roamability, as set out above. In addition, there was an increase in the cost of terminal equipment in the Quarter, against a decrease in advertising costs.
<b>Salaries</b>	<b>162</b>	164	(2)	(1.2)	<b>79</b>	80	(1)	(1.3)	The decrease is mainly due to an increase in salary capitalization for investment and a decrease in the number of employees. Conversely, there was an increase in expenses due to the effects of the collective agreement.
<b>Depreciation and amortization</b>	<b>272</b>	268	4	1.5	<b>134</b>	135	(1)	(0.7)	
<b>Other operating expenses (income), net</b>	<b>6</b>	(1)	7	-	<b>-</b>	2	(2)	(100)	Net other operating expenses in the Period include mainly employee resignation expenses and expenses for financial sanctions.
<b>Operating profit</b>	<b>95</b>	100	(5)	(5.0)	<b>55</b>	49	6	12.2	
<b>Financing income (expenses), net</b>	<b>(4)</b>	12	(16)	-	<b>(4)</b>	6	(10)	-	The decrease is mainly due to a decrease in interest income from loans provided to the parent company that were repaid in 2023.
<b>Income tax expenses</b>	<b>22</b>	27	(5)	(18.5)	<b>12</b>	14	(2)	(14.3)	
<b>Segment profit</b>	<b>69</b>	85	(16)	(18.8)	<b>39</b>	41	(2)	(4.9)	

(3) Revenue from interconnect fees—under the reform of regulated interconnect rates (the “Reform”), gradually as of June 2023 through June 2025, interconnect revenue from MRT carriers and domestic operators for which the reform applies, will be presented separately.

## 1.2.2 Operating segments (contd.)

### D. Bezeq International services

	1-6.2024	1-6.2023	Change		4-6.2024	4-6.2023	Change		Explanation
	NIS million		%		NIS million		%		
<b>Revenues</b>	<b>550</b>	605	(55)	(9.1)	<b>261</b>	293	(32)	(10.9)	The decrease is due to a decrease in ISP revenue in the private sector as a result of a decrease in the number of subscribers following the end-to-end ISP reform and a decrease in revenue from international calls and internet services in the business sector. This decrease is partially offset by an increase in the operations of the subsidiary CloudEdge and by revenues from the server farms, and in the Period also due to an increase in revenue from equipment, licensing and service agreements.
<b>Operating and general expenses and impairment</b>	<b>359</b>	397	(38)	(9.6)	<b>166</b>	189	(23)	(12.2)	The decrease is mainly due to a decrease in expenses for the use of internet infrastructure in view of the decrease in private operations in this segment, a decrease in expenses from international calls and in internet services in the business sector, as well as a decrease in administrative and general expenses. This decrease is partially offset by an increase in CloudEdge operating expenses, server farm expenses, and in the Period also due to an increase in expenses with respect to equipment, licensing and service agreements.
<b>Salaries</b>	<b>104</b>	109	(5)	(4.6)	<b>51</b>	55	(4)	(7.3)	The decrease is mainly due to the ongoing decrease in the Company's workforce.
<b>Depreciation, amortization, and impairment</b>	<b>53</b>	63	(10)	(15.9)	<b>26</b>	33	(7)	(21.2)	The decrease is mainly due to a decrease in current depreciation for equipment and subscriber acquisition costs as a result of the decrease in consumer ISP operations and a decrease in impairment.
<b>Other operating expenses (income), net</b>	<b>(4)</b>	6	(10)	-	-	-	-	-	The change in the Period is due to recording of revenue with respect to an amendment to the service farm leasing agreement (Bnei Zion) and due to a decline in expenses for the provision for legal claims.
<b>Operating profit</b>	<b>38</b>	30	8	26.7	<b>18</b>	16	2	12.5	
<b>Financing expenses, net</b>	<b>2</b>	4	(2)	(50.0)	-	3	(3)	(100)	The decrease in net financing expenses is mainly due to an increase in interest income and a decrease in exchange rate differential expenses.
<b>Segment profit</b>	<b>36</b>	26	10	38.5	<b>18</b>	13	5	38.5	

## 1.2.2 Operating segments (contd.)

### E. Multichannel television (proforma) <sup>4</sup>

	1-6.2024	1-6.2023	Change		4-6.2024	4-6.2023	Change		Explanation
	NIS million		%		NIS million		%		
<b>Revenues</b>	<b>631</b>	665	(34)	(5.1)	<b>316</b>	336	(20)	(6.0)	The decrease is mainly due to a decrease in ARPU (including the effects of the war in view of the policy not to charge customers in the conflict zone) and a decrease in the sale of content to external entities, which was partially offset by an increase in revenue from combined television and fiber bundles.
<b>General operating expenses</b>	<b>454</b>	445	9	2	<b>229</b>	220	9	4.1	The increase is due to an increase in the costs of fiber operations and an increase in costs with respect to collaborations with international content providers, which was partially offset due to a decrease in content expenses.
<b>Salaries</b>	<b>92</b>	94	(2)	(2.1)	<b>45</b>	44	1	2.3	
<b>Depreciation and amortization</b>	<b>125</b>	119	6	5.0	<b>63</b>	59	4	6.8	The increase is mainly due to an increase in the investment in streamers and the increase in salary capitalization, which was partially offset due to fully-depreciated assets.
<b>Other operating expenses (income)</b>	<b>4</b>	(1)	5	-	<b>4</b>	-	4	-	The increase is due to an increase in provision expenses for legal claims.
<b>Operating profit (loss)</b>	<b>(44)</b>	8	(52)	-	<b>(25)</b>	13	(38)	-	
<b>Financing (income), net</b>	<b>(12)</b>	(9)	(3)	33.3	<b>(7)</b>	(4)	(3)	75.0	The increase is mainly due to an increase in the value of forward transactions as a result of changes in the USD exchange rate.
<b>Segment profit (loss)</b>	<b>(32)</b>	17	(49)	-	<b>(18)</b>	17	(35)	-	

- (4) Results of the multichannel television segment are presented net of the total impairment recognized beginning in 2018. This is in accordance with the manner in which the Group's chief operating decision maker evaluates the performance of the segment and makes decisions regarding the allocation of resources to the segment. For further information, see Notes 5.1 and 13 to the financial statements. In addition, see Note 14.3 to the financial statements for selected condensed information from the financial statements of yes and the table below:

### yes Results - Comparison between Accounting Profit & Loss and Proforma Profit & Loss

	1-6.2024		1-6.2023		4-6.2024		4-6.2023	
	Accounting profit or loss	Proforma profit or loss	Accounting profit or loss	Proforma profit or loss	Accounting profit or loss	Proforma profit or loss	Accounting profit or loss	Proforma profit or loss
<b>NIS million</b>								
<b>Revenues</b>	<b>631</b>	<b>631</b>	665	665	<b>316</b>	<b>316</b>	336	336
<b>General operating expenses</b>	<b>456</b>	<b>454</b>	446	445	<b>229</b>	<b>229</b>	218	220
<b>Salaries</b>	<b>95</b>	<b>92</b>	98	94	<b>47</b>	<b>45</b>	46	44
<b>Depreciation and amortization</b>	<b>106</b>	<b>125</b>	96	119	<b>48</b>	<b>63</b>	46	59
<b>Other operating (income)</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>4</b>	(1)	(1)	<b>4</b>	<b>4</b>	-	-
<b>Operating profit (loss)</b>	<b>(30)</b>	<b>(44)</b>	26	8	<b>(12)</b>	<b>(25)</b>	26	13
<b>Financing (income), net</b>	<b>(12)</b>	<b>(12)</b>	(9)	(9)	<b>(7)</b>	<b>(7)</b>	(4)	(4)
<b>Profit (loss) for the Period</b>	<b>(18)</b>	<b>(32)</b>	35	17	<b>(5)</b>	<b>(18)</b>	30	17

### 1.3 Cash flows

	1-6.2024	1-6.2023	Change		4-6.2024	4-6.2023	Change		Explanation
	NIS million		%		NIS million		%		
<b>Net cash flow from operating activities</b>	<b>1,710</b>	1,628	82	5.0	<b>709</b>	775	(66)	(8.5)	The increase in net cash flows from operating activities in the Period is due to changes in working capital, offset by a decrease in profit. The decrease in net cash flows from operating activities in the Quarter is due to an increase in net income tax paid in the domestic fixed-line communications segment and a decrease in profit, offset by changes in working capital.
<b>Net cash used in investing activities</b>	<b>(1,494)</b>	(1,389)	(105)	7.6	<b>(88)</b>	(584)	496	(84.9)	The increase in net cash flows used for investing activities in the Period is mainly due to an increase in net investment in bank deposits and other financial investments in the domestic fixed-line communications segment. The decrease in net cash flows used for investing activities in the Quarter is mainly due to net proceeds from redemption of bank deposits and other financial investments compared to net investments in the corresponding quarter in the domestic fixed-line communications segment.
<b>Net cash from (used for) financing activities</b>	<b>137</b>	(228)	365	-	<b>(802)</b>	(504)	(298)	59.1	The increase in net cash flows from financing activities in the Period is from the domestic fixed-line communications segment with respect to an increase in the issue of debentures due to the expansion of Debentures (Series 11 and 13) and from receipt of loans, offset by an increase in net cash flows used for financing activities in the current quarter due to an increase in repayment of loans and dividend payments.
<b>Net increase (decrease) in cash</b>	<b>353</b>	11	342	-	<b>(181)</b>	(313)	132	(42.2)	

#### Average volume in the reporting period

Long-term liabilities (including current maturities) to financial institutions and debenture holders: NIS 7,741 million

Supplier credit: NIS 956 million Short-term customer credit NIS 1,485 million long-term customer credit NIS 270 million

### **Working capital**

The Group's surplus working capital as at June 30, 2024, amounted to NIS 886 million, compared with surplus working capital in the amount of NIS 471 million at June 30, 2023.

As at June 30, 2024, the Company (based on the separate financial information) has surplus working capital in the amount of NIS 864 million, compared with surplus working capital in the amount of NIS 469 million as at June 30, 2023.

The increase in surplus working capital in the Group and the Company is mainly due to an increase in investment and cash and cash equivalents balances, offset mainly by an increase in payable balances.

## **1.4 Update of the effects of inflation and the rising interest rate on the results of the Group's operations**

As noted in Note 30.5.1 to the annual financial statements, changes in the rate of inflation affect the Group's profitability and its future cash flows, mainly due to its CPI-linked liabilities. The Group implements a policy for reduction and partial hedging of exposure to the CPI and USD-NIS exchange rate, through the execution of forward transactions. See further information about the hedging transactions in Note 30.6 to the annual report.

In the six months ended June 30, 2024, the CPI increase was reflected in financing expenses with respect to the Group's financial debt in an amount of NIS 48 million (NIS 39 million after hedging), a decrease of NIS 16 million (NIS 13 million after hedging) compared with the corresponding period. It is noted that the effect of the CPI increase on the Group's operating results was immaterial. Furthermore, it should be noted that there has been no change in the Bank of Israel interest rate in this period.

Based on the volume of the Group's CPI linked debt as at June 30, 2024, every 1% increase in the CPI is expected to cause an increase in the Group's financing expenses of NIS 25 million, before weighting the effect of the hedging transactions.

Furthermore, based on the Company's current debt at variable interest, every 1% increment in the Bank of Israel interest rate is expected to increase the Group's annual financing costs by NIS 7 million and accordingly, is not expected to have a material effect on the results of the Group's operations.

## **1.5 Armed conflict – Swords of Iron war**

Since October 7, 2023, the State of Israel has been in a state of war of varying intensity in the Gaza Strip area and along the northern border. This state of war has affected the Group companies in different ways, reflected in the increase in demand for some of the services, such as internet traffic and the use of fixed line telephony on the one hand, and on the other, a decrease in roaming and the cancellation or suspension of business lines within the war zone. Moreover, upon the outbreak of the war, employees were called up to reserve duty and there was a decrease in contractor operations, resulting in a slowdown in deployment and installation of the Company's network, which later went back to its regular level. Several regulatory measures were also legislated as part of the State of Israel's management of the war, including the legislation of a law for deferral of payment dates for eligible persons and relief for telephone call charges, including calls relating to online studies. It should be noted that some of the Group companies initiated lowering of charges for villages in the Gaza Strip and northern border areas.

The Group companies, which provide, among other things, essential communication services to private, commercial, and institutional customers, including state institutions, the security forces, and the health system, have made preparations accordingly and provide solutions for the different needs, including addressing malfunctions, increasing cyber vigilance and preparedness, and assisting the community in many ways. Additionally, the Group companies are constantly reviewing and monitoring developments related to the war.

At this stage, the effects of the war and its consequences as described above have not had a material effect on the Group's activities and business results. The Group's liquidity and financial position also allow it to function well during the war. The intensity and duration of the war and its consequences on the state of the Israeli economy and market and on the Group companies cannot be anticipated and

depend, among other things, on how the war will develop and the possibility of a slowdown in the economy. In this context, attention is also drawn to the relevant risk factors listed in Chapter A (Description of the Company's Operations) to the 2023 Periodic Report (sections 2.20.11, 2.20.15, 3.19.2.9, 4.14.8, 5.18.1.2, and 5.18.1.4).

Some of the information in this section is forward-looking information, as defined in the Israel Securities Law, based on the Company's estimates, assumptions, and forecasts which may not materialize or may materialize in a way that is materially different than anticipated, depending, among other things, on how the war will develop and the state of the economy as a whole.



## 2. Disclosure concerning the Company's financial reporting

### 2.1 Disclosure concerning valuations

Below is a breakdown concerning a very material valuation pursuant to Regulation 8B(9) of the Israel Securities Regulations (Periodic and Immediate Reports), 1970.

**yes Television and Communication Services Ltd. ("yes")<sup>5</sup>**  
**Very material valuation as at June 30, 2024 - attached to the financial statements**

<b>Subject of the valuation</b>	Review of impairment of yes assets as at June 30, 2024
<b>Date of the valuation</b>	June 30, 2024 The valuation was signed on August 4, 2024
<b>Value shortly before the valuation date if reevaluation based on the valuation had not been required under GAAP, including depreciation and amortization</b>	Carrying amount prior to impairment as at June 30, 2024, is zero.
<b>Value based on the valuation</b>	The value in use of yes assets, under the income capitalization approach (value in use) at a negative value of NIS 58 million. It is noted that the fair value net of selling costs of yes assets as at same date amounted to a negative value of NIS 76 million. Consequently, and pursuant to the provisions of IAS36, the recoverable amount of yes assets were fixed at the higher value between the value in use and fair value net of selling costs, i.e. negative value of NIS 58 million. Based on the valuation, in the Quarter the Group recognized an impairment loss in the amount of NIS 58 million, and for the six months a loss of NIS 126 million.
<b>Valuator's identity and profile</b>	The valuation was prepared by Guy Feiwisch, Partner, Valuations and Economic Modeling in the Economic Department at Ernst Young (Israel) Ltd. CPA Feiwisch has a BA in Economics, specializing in Accounting, from Ben Gurion University in Beer Sheva, and is a certified public accountant in Israel. As part of his position, CPA Feiwisch heads projects with leading private and public companies in their fields in Israel and worldwide and provides assistance for transactions in Israel and abroad. He guides complex valuations for diverse purposes, including for financial reporting, taxation, regulatory compliance and raising of capital in various sectors including the real estate, retail, industry, energy and communications sectors. Furthermore, as part of his duties, he assists companies in planning and implementing strategy and business processes. CPA Feiwisch also has experience in providing financial opinions for legal proceedings and/or commercial disputes. The valuator is not dependent on the Company. The Company undertook to indemnify the valuator for any damages in excess of three times his fee, other than if he acted with malicious intent or gross negligence.
<b>Valuation model</b>	Discounted Cash Flow model (DCF)
<b>Assumptions used by the valuator in the valuation</b>	Discount rate – 12% (after tax) Permanent growth rate - 1% Scrap value percentage of total value set in the valuation – N/A

(5) Notwithstanding the negative value of the operations of yes, the Company supports yes by approving credit facilities or investing in the equity of yes (see Note 4.1 to the financial statements).

The Company's support of yes as aforesaid is due, among other things, to the Multichannel Television segment's current and expected contribution to Bezeq Group's overall operations.

**2.2** Due to the materiality of the legal claims filed against the Group and which at this stage cannot be assessed or for which exposure cannot be calculated, the auditors have drawn attention to the matter in their opinion on the financial statements.

**2.3 Material events in the reporting period and subsequent material events**

For further information concerning material events in the reporting period and subsequent to the date of the financial statements, including the Company's entrance into the electricity supply sector, see Note 15 to the financial statements.

### 3. Information about a debenture series

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On January 9, 2024, Maalot announced a rating of iIAA- with positive outlook (see immediate report) and Midroog announced a rating of Aa3.il with positive outlook (see immediate report) for the Company's debentures issued by way of expansion of Series 11 and 13.

On January 11, 2024, the Company completed a public offering of Debentures (Series 11 and 13), by way of expansion of the series traded on the TASE, under the shelf offering report dated January 10, 2024, which was published under the shelf prospectus published on May 9, 2023. As part of this public offering, NIS 567,877,000 par value Debentures (Series 11) were issued for a consideration of NIS 539 million and NIS 432,123,000 par value Debentures (Series 13) were issued for a consideration of NIS 353 million.

On May 2, 2024, Maalot upgraded the Company's rating of iIAA- to iIAA with stable outlook, in view of an improvement in the Company's financial ratios (see immediate report). In addition, on May 19, 2024, Midroog upgraded the rating of the Company's debentures to Aa2.il with stable outlook due to the consistent improvement in the Company's financial position together with improvement in the debt to EBITDA ratio to levels that support this rating (see immediate report).

## 4. Miscellaneous

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For further information concerning the liabilities of the Company and the companies consolidated in its financial statements as at June 30, 2024, see the reporting form posted by the Company on the MAGNA website on August 7, 2024.

We thank the managers, employees and shareholders of the Group's companies.

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Tomer Raved  
Chairman of the board of directors

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Nir David  
CEO

Signed on: August 6, 2024

## Chapter C

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# Condensed Consolidated Interim Financial Statements as at June 30, 2024 (Unaudited)



The information contained in this report constitutes a translation of the financial statements published by the Company. The Hebrew version was submitted by the Company to the relevant authorities pursuant to Israeli law and represents the binding version and the only one having legal effect. This translation was prepared for convenience purposes only.

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The attached notes are an integral part of the condensed consolidated interim financial statements



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**Auditors' Review Report to the Shareholders of  
Bezeq - The Israel Telecommunication Corporation Ltd.**

*Introduction*

We have reviewed the accompanying financial information of Bezeq -The Israel Telecommunication Corporation Ltd. and its subsidiaries (hereinafter – “Group”) comprising the condensed consolidated interim statement of financial position as of June 30, 2024 and the condensed consolidated interim statements of income, comprehensive income, changes in equity and cash flows for the six and three-month periods then ended. The Board of Directors and Management are responsible for the preparation and presentation of the financial information for these interim periods in accordance with IAS 34 “Interim Financial Reporting” and are also responsible for the preparation of the financial information for these interim periods in accordance with Chapter D of the Securities Regulations (Periodic and Immediate Reports), 1970. Our responsibility is to express a conclusion on the financial information for these interim periods based on our review.

*Scope of Review*

We conducted our review in accordance with Standard on Review Engagements (Israel) 2410, “Review of Interim Financial Information Performed by the Independent Auditor of the Entity,” of the Institute of Certified Public Accountants in Israel. A review of interim financial information consists of making inquiries, primarily of persons responsible for financial and accounting matters, and applying analytical and other review procedures. A review is substantially less in scope than an audit conducted in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards in Israel and consequently does not enable us to obtain assurance that we would become aware of all significant matters that might be identified in an audit. Accordingly, we do not express an audit opinion.

*Conclusion*

Based on our review, nothing has come to our attention that causes us to believe that the accompanying financial information was not prepared, in all material respects, in accordance with IAS 34.

In addition to that mentioned in the previous paragraph, based on our review, nothing has come to our attention that causes us to believe that the accompanying interim financial information does not comply, in all material respects, with the disclosure requirements of Chapter D of the Securities Regulations (Periodic and Immediate Reports), 1970.

*Explanatory Paragraph*

Without qualifying our abovementioned conclusion, we draw attention to Note 1.2 of the financial information, which refers to that stated in Note 1.3 to the annual consolidated financial statements, regarding the Israel Securities Authority’s (ISA) and the Israel Police investigation of the suspicion of committing offenses under the Securities Law and Penal Code, with respect inter alia to transactions related to the former controlling shareholder, and as mentioned in that note, regarding the indictment filed against the former controlling shareholder for various offenses, including bribery and misleading information in an immediate report and regarding the filing of an indictment against the former controlling shareholder in the company and former senior executives in the Bezeq Group, which accuses the defendants of receiving anything fraudulently in aggravated circumstances, and reporting offenses under the Securities Law. In addition, subsequent to the investigation opening, a number of civil legal proceedings were initiated against the company, former officers of the company as well as companies from the group that previously controlled the company, including requests for approval of class actions. As stated in the above note, the Company is unable to assess the effects of the investigations, their findings and their results on the Company, and on the financial statements and on the estimates used in the preparation of these financial statements, if any.

In addition, without qualifying our abovementioned conclusion, we draw attention to lawsuits filed against the group which in this stage cannot be assessed or the exposure in respect thereof cannot yet be calculated, as set forth in Note 6.

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Certified Public Accountants (Isr.)

August 6, 2024

**Condensed Consolidated Interim Financial Statements as at June 30, 2024 (Unaudited)**

**Condensed Consolidated Interim Statements of Financial Position**

		<b>June 30, 2024</b>	<b>June 30, 2023</b>	<b>December 31, 2023</b>
		<b>(Unaudited)</b>	<b>(Unaudited)</b>	<b>(Audited)</b>
<b>Assets</b>	<b>Note</b>	<b>NIS million</b>	<b>NIS million</b>	<b>NIS million</b>
Cash and cash equivalents		<b>916</b>	752	563
Investments	12.1	<b>1,948</b>	1,524	1,205
Trade receivables		<b>1,475</b>	1,501	1,477
Other receivables		<b>221</b>	274	162
Inventory		<b>107</b>	125	82
<b>Total current assets</b>		<b>4,667</b>	4,176	3,489
Trade and other receivables		<b>435</b>	411	446
Right-of-use assets		<b>1,765</b>	1,924	1,870
Fixed assets		<b>6,977</b>	6,725	6,828
Intangible assets		<b>934</b>	909	941
Deferred expenses and non-current investments		<b>324</b>	299	304
<b>Total non-current assets</b>		<b>10,435</b>	10,268	10,389
<b>Total assets</b>		<b>15,102</b>	14,444	13,878

The attached notes are an integral part of the condensed consolidated interim financial statements



Condensed Consolidated Interim Financial Statements as at June 30, 2024 (Unaudited)

Condensed Consolidated Interim Statements of Financial Position (Contd.)

		June 30, 2024	June 30, 2023	December 31, 2023
		(Unaudited)	(Unaudited)	(Audited)
Liabilities and equity	Note	NIS million	NIS million	NIS million
Debentures, loans, and borrowings		1,064	1,088	1,074
Current maturities of lease liabilities		426	447	433
Trade and other payables		1,909	1,756	1,750
Employee benefits		294	320	332
Provisions	6	88	94	91
<b>Total current liabilities</b>		<b>3,781</b>	<b>3,705</b>	<b>3,680</b>
Loans and debentures		6,820	6,603	5,889
Lease liabilities		1,517	1,651	1,608
Employee benefits		254	194	251
Derivatives and other liabilities		203	152	160
Deferred tax liabilities		81	70	64
Provisions		27	34	29
<b>Total non-current liabilities</b>		<b>8,902</b>	<b>8,704</b>	<b>8,001</b>
<b>Total liabilities</b>		<b>12,683</b>	<b>12,409</b>	<b>11,681</b>
<b>Equity attributable to shareholders of the Company</b>				
Share capital		3,879	3,879	3,879
Share premium		387	386	387
Reserves		410	396	396
Deficit		(2,258)	(2,627)	(2,466)
<b>Total equity attributable to shareholders of the Company</b>		<b>2,418</b>	<b>2,034</b>	<b>2,196</b>
Noncontrolling interests		1	1	1
<b>Total equity</b>		<b>2,419</b>	<b>2,035</b>	<b>2,197</b>
<b>Total liabilities and equity</b>		<b>15,102</b>	<b>14,444</b>	<b>13,878</b>

**Tomer Raved**  
Chairman of the board of directors

**Nir David**  
CEO

**Tobi Fischbein**  
Bezeq Group CFO

Approval date of the financial statements: August 6, 2024

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**Condensed Consolidated Interim Financial Statements as at June 30, 2024 (Unaudited)**

<b>Condensed Consolidated Interim Statements of Income</b>					
	Six months ended June 30		Three months ended June 30		Year ended December 31
	2024	2023	2024	2023	2023
	(Unaudited)	(Unaudited)	(Unaudited)	(Unaudited)	(Audited)
	NIS million	NIS million	NIS million	NIS million	NIS million
<b>Revenues (Note 8)</b>	<b>4,447</b>	4,607	<b>2,192</b>	2,299	9,103
<b>Operating expenses</b>					
General and operating expenses (Note 9)*	<b>1,668</b>	1,727	<b>812</b>	843	3,374
Salaries	<b>963</b>	964	<b>477</b>	473	1,922
Depreciation, amortization, and impairment losses *	<b>935</b>	926	<b>462</b>	468	1,867
Other operating expenses (income), net (Note 10)	<b>(3)</b>	16	<b>(4)</b>	9	161
<b>Total operating expenses</b>	<b>3,563</b>	3,633	<b>1,747</b>	1,793	7,324
<b>Operating profit</b>	<b>884</b>	974	<b>445</b>	506	1,779
Financing expenses (income) (Note 11)					
Financing expenses	<b>235</b>	212	<b>138</b>	114	408
Financing income	<b>(118)</b>	(84)	<b>(67)</b>	(51)	(164)
<b>Financing expenses, net</b>	<b>117</b>	128	<b>71</b>	63	244
<b>Profit after financing expenses, net</b>	<b>767</b>	846	<b>374</b>	443	1,535
<b>Share in loss of an investee</b>	<b>3</b>	-	<b>3</b>	-	-
<b>Profit before income tax</b>	<b>764</b>	846	<b>371</b>	443	1,535
<b>Income tax</b>	<b>182</b>	192	<b>84</b>	100	346
<b>Net profit for the period attributable to shareholders of the Company</b>	<b>582</b>	654	<b>287</b>	343	1,189
<b>Basic and diluted earnings per share (NIS)</b>	<b>0.21</b>	0.24	<b>0.10</b>	0.12	0.43

\* For information about the impairment loss recognized in the reporting period, see Note 5.

**Condensed Consolidated Interim Financial Statements as at June 30, 2024 (Unaudited)**

**Condensed Consolidated Interim Statements of Comprehensive Income**

	Six months ended June 30		Three months ended June 30		Year ended December 31
	2024	2023	2024	2023	2023
	(Unaudited)	(Unaudited)	(Unaudited)	(Unaudited)	(Audited)
	NIS million	NIS million	NIS million	NIS million	NIS million
Net profit for the period	582	654	287	343	1,189
Remeasurement of a defined benefit plan, net of tax – not to be carried to profit or loss	-	-	-	(1)	18
Additional items of other comprehensive income (loss) for hedging, net of tax – to be carried to	3	(4)	-	(6)	(6)
<b>Total comprehensive income for the period attributable to the Company's shareholders</b>	<b>585</b>	<b>650</b>	<b>287</b>	<b>336</b>	<b>1,201</b>

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Condensed Consolidated Interim Financial Statements as at June 30, 2024 (Unaudited)

Condensed Consolidated Interim Statements of Changes in Equity

	Share capital	Share premium	Capital reserve for transactions between a corporation and a controlling shareholder	Capital reserve for employee options	Other reserves	Deficit	Total	Noncontrolling interests	Total equity
	NIS million	NIS million	NIS million	NIS million	NIS million	NIS million	NIS million	NIS million	NIS million
<b>Attributable to shareholders of the Company</b>									
<b>Six months ended June 30, 2024 (unaudited):</b>									
Balance as at January 1, 2024	3,879	387	390	44	(38)	(2,466)	2,196	1	2,197
Profit for the period	-	-	-	-	-	582	582	-	582
Other comprehensive income for the period, net of tax	-	-	-	-	3	-	3	-	3
<b>Total comprehensive income for the period</b>	-	-	-	-	3	582	585	-	585
<b>Transactions with shareholders recognized directly in equity</b>									
Dividend to the Company's shareholders	-	-	-	-	-	(374)	(374)	-	(374)
Share-based payments	-	-	-	11	-	-	11	-	11
<b>Balance as at June 30, 2024</b>	<b>3,879</b>	<b>387</b>	<b>390</b>	<b>55</b>	<b>(35)</b>	<b>(2,258)</b>	<b>2,418</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>2,419</b>
<b>Six months ended June 30, 2023 (unaudited):</b>									
Balance as at January 1, 2023	3,878	384	390	38	(32)	(3,035)	1,623	1	1,624
Profit for the period	-	-	-	-	-	654	654	-	654
Other comprehensive loss for the period, net of tax	-	-	-	-	(4)	-	(4)	-	(4)
<b>Total comprehensive income for the period</b>	-	-	-	-	(4)	654	650	-	650
<b>Transactions with shareholders recognized directly in equity</b>									
Dividend to the Company's shareholders	-	-	-	-	-	(246)	(246)	-	(246)
Share-based payments	-	-	-	7	-	-	7	-	7
Exercise of options for shares	1	2	-	(3)	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Balance as at June 30, 2023</b>	<b>3,879</b>	<b>386</b>	<b>390</b>	<b>42</b>	<b>(36)</b>	<b>(2,627)</b>	<b>2,034</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>2,035</b>

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**Condensed Consolidated Interim Financial Statements as at June 30, 2024 (Unaudited)**

	Share capital	Share premium	Capital reserve for transactions between a corporation and a controlling shareholder	Capital reserve for employee options	Other reserves	Deficit	Total	Noncontrolling interests	Total equity
	NIS million	NIS million	NIS million	NIS million	NIS million	NIS million	NIS million	NIS million	NIS million
<b>Attributable to shareholders of the Company</b>									
<b>Three months ended June 30, 2024 (unaudited)</b>									
<b>Balance as at April 1, 2024</b>	<b>3,879</b>	<b>387</b>	<b>390</b>	<b>48</b>	<b>(35)</b>	<b>(2,171)</b>	<b>2,498</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>2,499</b>
Profit for the period	-	-	-	-	-	287	287	-	287
<b>Total comprehensive income for the period</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>287</b>	<b>287</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>287</b>
<b>Transactions with shareholders recognized directly in equity</b>									
Dividend to Company shareholders	-	-	-	-	-	(374)	(374)	-	(374)
Share-based payments	-	-	-	7	-	-	7	-	7
<b>Balance as at June 30, 2024</b>	<b>3,879</b>	<b>387</b>	<b>390</b>	<b>55</b>	<b>(35)</b>	<b>(2,258)</b>	<b>2,418</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>2,419</b>
<b>Three months ended June 30, 2023 (unaudited)</b>									
Balance as at April 1, 2023	3,879	386	390	38	(30)	(2,723)	1,940	1	1,941
Profit for the period	-	-	-	-	-	343	343	-	343
Other comprehensive loss for the period, net of tax	-	-	-	-	(6)	(1)	(7)	-	(7)
<b>Total comprehensive income for the period</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>(6)</b>	<b>342</b>	<b>336</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>336</b>
<b>Transactions with shareholders recognized directly in equity</b>									
Dividend to the Company's shareholders	-	-	-	-	-	(246)	(246)	-	(246)
Share-based payments	-	-	-	4	-	-	4	-	4
<b>Balance as at June 30, 2023</b>	<b>3,879</b>	<b>386</b>	<b>390</b>	<b>42</b>	<b>(36)</b>	<b>(2,627)</b>	<b>2,034</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>2,035</b>

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Condensed Consolidated Interim Financial Statements as at June 30, 2024 (Unaudited)

	Share capital	Share premium	Capital reserve for transactions between a corporation and a controlling shareholder	Capital reserve for employee options	Other reserves	Deficit	Total	Noncontrolling interests	Total equity
	NIS million	NIS million	NIS million	NIS million	NIS million	NIS million	NIS million	NIS million	NIS million
<b>Attributable to shareholders of the Company</b>									
<b>Year ended December 31, 2023 (audited)</b>									
Balance as at January 1, 2023	3,878	384	390	38	(32)	(3,035)	1,623	1	1,624
Profit for 2023	-	-	-	-	-	1,189	1,189	-	1,189
Other comprehensive income (loss) for the year, net of tax	-	-	-	-	(6)	18	12	-	12
<b>Total comprehensive income for the period</b>	-	-	-	-	(6)	1,207	1,201	-	1,201
<b>Transactions with shareholders recognized directly in equity</b>									
Dividend to the Company's shareholders	-	-	-	-	-	(638)	(638)	-	(638)
Share-based payment	-	-	-	10	-	-	10	-	10
Exercise of options for shares	1	3	-	(4)	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Balance as at December 31, 2023</b>	<b>3,879</b>	<b>387</b>	<b>390</b>	<b>44</b>	<b>(38)</b>	<b>(2,466)</b>	<b>2,196</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>2,197</b>

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Condensed Consolidated Interim Statements of Cash Flows

	Six months ended June 30		Three months ended June 30		Year ended December 31
	2024	2023	2024	2023	2023
	(Unaudited)	(Unaudited)	(Unaudited)	(Unaudited)	(Audited)
	NIS million	NIS million	NIS million	NIS million	NIS million
<b>Cash flow from operating activities</b>					
Profit for the period	582	654	287	343	1,189
Adjustments:					
Depreciation, amortization, and impairment loss	935	926	462	468	1,867
Financing expenses, net	118	142	69	73	258
Capital gain, net	(12)	(2)	(10)	(1)	(2)
Share-based payment	11	7	7	4	10
Income tax expenses	182	192	84	100	346
Change in trade and other receivables	(29)	(116)	36	(12)	(7)
Change in inventory	(38)	(45)	6	11	(15)
Change in trade and other payables	69	44	(107)	(125)	63
Change in provisions	-	2	2	(2)	(2)
Change in employee benefits	(34)	(87)	(45)	(56)	(3)
Share in loss of an investee	3	-	3	-	-
Miscellaneous	3	4	3	-	20
Net income tax paid	(80)	(93)	(88)	(28)	(269)
<b>Net cash from operating activities</b>	<b>1,710</b>	<b>1,628</b>	<b>709</b>	<b>775</b>	<b>3,455</b>
<b>Cash flow used in investing activities</b>					
Purchase of fixed assets	(645)	(675)	(333)	(340)	(1,333)
Investment in intangible assets and deferred expenses	(196)	(182)	(98)	(101)	(375)
Investment in bank deposits and other financial investments	(1,375)	(1,110)	(153)	(470)	(1,419)
Proceeds from repayment of bank deposits and other financial investments	671	509	471	300	1,134
Proceeds from the sale of fixed assets	7	35	4	2	39
Interest received from bank deposits	41	28	18	21	72
Acquisition of a subsidiary net of cash acquired	-	-	-	-	(14)
Miscellaneous	3	6	3	4	17
<b>Net cash used in investing activities</b>	<b>(1,494)</b>	<b>(1,389)</b>	<b>(88)</b>	<b>(584)</b>	<b>(1,879)</b>

The attached notes are an integral part of the condensed consolidated interim financial statements

Condensed Consolidated Interim Statements of Cash Flows (Contd.)

	Six months ended June 30		Three months ended June 30		Year ended December 31
	2024	2023	2024	2023	2023
	(Unaudited)	(Unaudited)	(Unaudited)	(Unaudited)	(Audited)
	NIS million	NIS million	NIS million	NIS million	NIS million
<b>Cash flow for financing activities</b>					
Issue of debentures and receipt of loans	1,084	415	-	-	515
Repayment of debentures and loans	(220)	(58)	(220)	(58)	(912)
Payments of principal and interest for leases	(230)	(223)	(104)	(98)	(484)
Interest paid	(123)	(116)	(104)	(102)	(236)
Dividend paid	(374)	(246)	(374)	(246)	(638)
Proceeds for expired hedging transactions	-	-	-	-	4
Miscellaneous	-	-	-	-	(3)
<b>Net cash from (used in) financing activity</b>	<b>137</b>	<b>(228)</b>	<b>(802)</b>	<b>(504)</b>	<b>(1,754)</b>
<b>Net increase (decrease) in cash and cash equivalents</b>	<b>353</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>(181)</b>	<b>(313)</b>	<b>(178)</b>
Cash and cash equivalents at	563	741	1,097	1,065	741
<b>Cash and cash equivalents at end of</b>	<b>916</b>	<b>752</b>	<b>916</b>	<b>752</b>	<b>563</b>

The attached notes are an integral part of the condensed consolidated interim financial statements



## **1. General**

### **1.1 Reporting entity**

Bezeq The Israeli Telecommunications Corporation Ltd. (the "Company") is a company registered in Israel whose shares are listed on the Tel Aviv Stock Exchange. The condensed consolidated financial statements of the Company as at June 30, 2024 include those of the Company and its subsidiaries (jointly referred to as "the Group"). The Group is a major provider of communications services in Israel (see also Note 13 – Segment Reporting).

### **1.2 Investigations by the Israel Securities Authority and Israel Police**

For information about the investigations by the Israel Securities Authority and the Israel Police into suspected offenses under the Israel Securities Law and the Penal Law, involving, among other things, transactions related to the former controlling shareholder and the announcement of the Tel Aviv District Attorney's Office (Taxation and Economics Division) that it was considering prosecuting the Company and summoning it to a hearing, see Note 1.3 to the Annual Financial Statements.

As set out in Note 1.3.3 to the Annual Financial Statements, the Company still does not have complete information about the investigations, their content, the material, and the evidence in the possession of the law enforcement authorities. Accordingly, the Company is unable to assess any effects of the investigations, their findings, and their outcome on the Company, on the financial statements, and on the estimates used in the preparation of the financial statements.

## **2. Basis of Preparation**

**2.1** The condensed consolidated interim financial statements have been prepared in accordance with IAS 34 – Interim Financial Reporting, and Chapter D of the Securities Regulations (Periodic and Immediate Reports), 1970.

**2.2** The condensed consolidated interim financial statements do not contain all the information required in full annual financial statements, and they should be read in the context of the annual financial statements of the Company and its subsidiaries as at December 31, 2023 and the year then ended, and their accompanying notes (the "Annual Financial Statements"). The Notes to the condensed consolidated interim financial statements include only the material changes that have occurred from the date of the most recent Annual Financial Statements until the date of these consolidated interim financial statements.

**2.3** The condensed consolidated interim financial statements were approved by the board of directors on August 6, 2024.

### **2.4 Use of estimates and judgments**

The preparation of the condensed consolidated interim financial statements in conformity with IFRS requires management to make judgments and use estimates, assessments 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.

The judgments made by management, when applying the Group's accounting policies and the key assumptions used in assessments that involve uncertainty, are consistent with those applied in the Annual Financial Statements.

## **3. Reporting Principles and Accounting Policy**

**3.1** The Group's accounting policy applied in these condensed consolidated interim financial statements is consistent with the policy applied in the Annual Financial Statements.

### **3.2 New standards not yet adopted**

IFRS 18, Presentation and Disclosure in the Financial Statements:

IFRS 18 replaces IAS 1, Presentation of Financial Statements. The Standard promotes improved structure and content for the financial statements, in particular the statement of income. The Standard includes new requirements for disclosure and presentation as well as requirements

retained from IAS 1, Presentation of Financial Statements, with limited wording changes. As part of the new disclosure requirements, companies are required to present two subtotals in the statement of income: operating profit and profit before financing and taxes. In addition, for most companies, the results in the statement of income will be classified into three categories: operating, investing, and financing. For changes in the structure of the statements of income, the standard also includes a requirement for separate disclosure in the financial statements regarding the use of management-defined performance measures (non-GAAP measures). Additionally, under the amendment, specific provisions were added for the aggregation and disaggregation of line items in the financial statements and the notes. The Standard will encourage companies to avoid classification of items as 'other' (for example, other expenses), and such classification will entail further disclosure requirements. IFRS 18 will apply for annual periods beginning on or after January 1, 2027, with an option for early application. Application of the amendment is expected to have an effect on the presentation and disclosure of information in the Group's financial statements, particularly on the statement of income. The Group is assessing the effects of application of the standard on the financial statements.

#### **4. Group Entities**

A detailed description of the Group entities appears in Note 12 to the Annual Financial Statements. Below is a description of the material changes that occurred in connection with the Group entities since the publication of the Annual Financial Statements.

##### **4.1 yes Television and Communication Services Ltd. (yes)**

**4.1.1** As at June 30, 2024, yes has positive equity amounting to NIS 57 million and a working capital deficit amounting to NIS 186 million. According to the forecasts of yes, it expects to accumulate operating losses in the coming years and therefore it will be unable to meet its obligations and to continue operating as a going concern without the Company's support.

On August 6, 2024, the Company's board of directors approved a credit facility or capital investment for yes in the amount of NIS 40 million, for 14 months starting from July 1, 2024 until August 31, 2025, instead of a similar undertaking from May 2024. It should be noted that to date, in 2024, yes has not made any use of the credit facilities provided by the Company.

The management of yes believes that the financial resources at its disposal, which include the continuation of the existing policy of a working capital deficit and the credit facility and capital investments from the Company, will be adequate for the operational needs of yes for the coming year.

**4.1.2** See Note 5.1 below for information about the impairment of assets recognized by yes in the financial statements as at June 30, 2024.

##### **4.2 Bezeq International Ltd.**

See Note 5.2 below for information about the impairment of assets recognized by Bezeq International in the financial statements as at June 30, 2024.

##### **4.3 BezeqGen Ltd.**

As set out in Note 15.4 below, the Company holds 50% of BezeqGen Ltd. ("BezeqGen"), a jointly-controlled investee that meets the definition of a joint transaction. As from the second quarter of 2024, the Company began to record its share in the net operating results of BezeqGen in its financial statements.

#### **5. Impairment**

##### **5.1 Impairment in the multichannel television segment (yes)**

Further to Note 10.5 to the Annual Financial Statements regarding impairment recognized in 2023, the valuation as at December 31, 2023 presented a value in use that is significantly lower than the carrying amount of yes.

Based on the valuation prepared by an external appraiser on June 30, 2024 and the assessment of the management of yes, it was found that in the six months since the previous valuation, there have

been no changes in the period that could indicate a material change requiring a revision of the forecasts of yes in 2025 and onwards compared with the forecast used in preparing the valuation as at December 31, 2023.

At the same time, in view of the ongoing war, an adjustment was made to the forecasts for 2024 in the calculation of the value in use as at June 30, 2024. An adjustment was also made for an irregular change in working capital due to a non-normative change in trade payables as at the valuation date, which is mainly due to the timing of payments to content and equipment suppliers that will be paid later in 2024 (as at June 30, 2024, this balance was partially closed).

The enterprise value as at June 30, 2024, taking into account the adjustment made in the prior quarter and together with bringing forward the timing and the effect of the discount rate is negative and amounts to a total of NIS 58 million. The nominal capital price used in the valuation is 12% (after tax) and a terminal growth rate of 1% was assumed.

Therefore, in view of the negative value of the operations, yes impaired its assets as at June 30, 2024, up to the higher of: value in use, net fair value or zero, of these assets.

Based on the valuation of the fair value of the assets of yes, carried out by an external appraiser as at June 30, 2024, the carrying amount of the depreciable assets is NIS 58 million higher than the value of its assets. Accordingly, in the three months ended June 30, 2024, the Group recognized an impairment loss of NIS 58 million and in the six months ended June 30, 2024, the Group recognized an impairment loss of NIS 126 million

Below is information about the enterprise value and the net fair value of the assets and liabilities of yes, as determined by an external appraiser, and recognized impairment losses:

	<b>Enterprise value of yes (based on the DCF method)</b>	<b>Net fair value of assets and liabilities of yes</b>	<b>Net carrying amount of assets and liabilities of yes, before impairment recognition</b>	<b>Impairment loss</b>
	<b>NIS million</b>	<b>NIS million</b>	<b>NIS million</b>	<b>NIS million</b>
As at June 30, 2024 and for the three months then ended (unaudited)	<b>(58)</b>	<b>(76)</b>	0	(58)
As at March 31, 2024 and for the three months then ended (unaudited)	<b>(76)</b>	<b>(95)</b>	(8)	(68)
Total impairment recognized in the six months ended June 30, 2024				(126)
As at December 31, 2023 and for the year then ended	<b>(24)</b>	<b>(60)</b>		(204)

It should be noted that the valuation of the value in use is sensitive to the net cash flow in the representative year in general, and to the ARPU and number of users at the end of the range of the forecast in particular. A change of NIS 1 in ARPU throughout the forecast years and in the terminal year results in a change in the enterprise value amounting to NIS 60 million and a change of 5 thousand subscribers throughout the forecast years and in the terminal year) results in a change in the enterprise value amounting to between NIS 70 million and NIS 77 million.

Attribution of impairment loss to Group assets:

	Six months ended June 30		Three months ended June 30		Year ended December 31
	2024	2023	2024	2023	2023
	(Unaudited)	(Unaudited)	(Unaudited)	(Unaudited)	(Audited)
	NIS million	NIS million	NIS million	NIS million	NIS million
Broadcasting rights *	50	63	28	28	103
Fixed assets **	35	42	15	16	62
Intangible assets **	34	20	14	13	37
Other receivables (prepaid expenses) *	7	2	1	1	(1)
Rights of use for leased assets **	-	-	-	-	3
<b>Total impairment recognized</b>	<b>126</b>	<b>127</b>	<b>58</b>	<b>58</b>	<b>204</b>

\* The expense was presented under operating and general expenses

\*\* The expense was presented under depreciation, amortization, and impairment expenses

For information about the method used by us to measure the fair value (Level 3) of the assets, less costs to sell, see Note 10.5 to the Annual Financial Statements.

## **5.2 Impairment in ISP, international communications, and NEP services, and ICT services (Bezeq International)**

Further to Note 10.6 to the Annual Financial Statements regarding impairment recognized in Bezeq International in 2023, the valuation as at December 31, 2023 presented a value-in-use that is significantly lower than the carrying amount of Bezeq International.

As at June 30, 2024, it was found that in the six months since the previous valuation, there were no material changes in the market, or regulatory changes that could have a material effect on the forecasts of Bezeq International in the coming years, and there were no material changes in the discount rate. Therefore, as at June 30, 2024, no further adjustment is required for the change in the enterprise value of Bezeq International and it remains a negative amount of NIS 194 million, as set out in the valuation as at December 31, 2023.

The net fair value of the assets of Bezeq International as at June 30, 2024 is a positive amount of NIS 1 million.

Since the enterprise value is lower than the net fair value of the assets and liabilities, Bezeq International depreciated its assets to the amount of the net fair value of these assets. As at June 30, 2024, the carrying amount of the depreciable assets is NIS 19 million higher than the net fair value. Accordingly, in the six and three months ended June 30, 2024, the Group recognized an impairment loss of NIS 42 million, and NIS 19 million, respectively.

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Below is information about the enterprise value and the net fair value of the assets and liabilities of Bezeq International, as determined by an external appraiser, and recognized impairment losses:

	Enterprise value of Bezeq International (based on the DCF method)	Net fair value of assets and liabilities of Bezeq International	Net carrying amount of assets and liabilities of Bezeq International before impairment recognition		Impairment loss
	NIS million	NIS million	NIS million		NIS million
As at June 30, 2024 and for the three months then ended (unaudited)	(194)	1	20		(19)
As at March 31, 2024 and for the three months then ended (unaudited)	(194)	(26)	(3)		(23)
Total impairment recognized in the six months ended June 30, 2024					(42)
As at December 31, 2023 and for the year then ended (audited)	(194)	(23)			(87)

Attribution of impairment loss to Group assets:

	Six months ended June 30		Three months ended June 30		Year ended December 31
	2024	2023	2024	2023	2023
	(Unaudited)	(Unaudited)	(Unaudited)	(Unaudited)	(Audited)
	NIS million	NIS million	NIS million	NIS million	NIS million
Fixed assets and intangible assets**	23	28	12	14	57
Short-term and long-term prepaid expenses *	11	9	4	3	17
Rights of use of leased vehicle assets **	-	-	-	-	1
Long-term prepaid expenses for capacities**	8	5	3	4	12
<b>Total impairment recognized</b>	<b>42</b>	<b>42</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>87</b>

\* The expense was presented under general and operating expenses

\*\* The expense was presented under depreciation, amortization, and impairment expenses

For information about the method used by Bezeq International to measure the fair value (Level 3) of the assets, less costs to sell, see Note 10.6 to the Annual Financial Statements.

## 6. Contingent Liabilities

6.1 During the normal course of business, legal claims were filed against Group companies or there are various legal proceedings pending against the Group (in this section: "Legal Claims").

In the opinion of the managements of the Group companies, based, among other things, on legal opinions as to the likelihood of success of the Legal Claims, the financial statements include adequate provisions of NIS 82 million, where provisions are required to cover the exposure arising from such Legal Claims.

In the opinion of the managements of the Group companies, the additional exposure (beyond these provisions) as at June 30, 2024 for Legal Claims filed against Group companies on various matters, which are unlikely to be realized, amounts to NIS 2 billion. There is also additional exposure of NIS 2.5 billion for Legal Claims, the chances of which cannot yet be assessed. In addition, motions for certification of class actions have been filed against the Group companies, which do not specify the exact amount of the claim, for which the Group has additional exposure beyond the aforesaid.

The amounts of the exposure in this Note are nominal.

6.2 Below is a description of the Group's contingent liabilities that were valid as at June 30, 2024, classified into groups with similar characteristics:

Claims group	Nature of the claims	Provision	Additional exposure	Exposure for claims the chances of which cannot yet be assessed
		NIS million		
Customer claims	Mainly motions for certification of class actions regarding allegations of unlawful collection of payment and faulty service provided by the Group companies	80	1,868	671
Claims by enterprises and companies	Claims alleging liability of the Group companies in respect of their activities and/or investments	-	68	1,808 <sup>(1)</sup>
Claims by employees and former employees of the Group's companies	Mainly individual legal claims filed by employees and former employees of the Group, regarding various payments.	-	2	-
Miscellaneous	Other legal claims, including claims in tort (excluding claims for which the insurance coverage is not disputed), real estate, infrastructure, and suppliers	2	23	8
<b>Total legal claims against the Company and subsidiaries <sup>(2)</sup></b>		<b>82</b>	<b>1,961</b>	<b>2,487</b>

(1) Includes two motions for certification of a class action amounting to a total of NIS 1.8 billion, filed in June 2017 against the Company, officers of the Group, and companies of the group of the Company's controlling shareholder at the time, with respect to the transaction for the Company's acquisition of yes shares from Eurocom DBS Ltd. In accordance with a court decision, a consolidated motion is expected to be filed instead of these two motions. The proceeding has been stayed in view of the ongoing criminal proceeding following the investigation by the Israel Securities Authority (as described in Note 1.2), and at the request of the Attorney General, until August 31, 2024. It should be noted that the motion for certification of a partial settlement in the consolidated procedure between the applicants, B Communications, and Shaul and Or Elovitch is in the certification process.

(2) See also Note 6.6 to the Annual Financial Statements.

**7. Equity**

**7.1 Share capital**

	<b>June 30, 2024</b>	<b>June 30, 2023</b>	<b>December 31, 2023</b>
	<b>Number of shares</b>	<b>Number of shares</b>	<b>Number of shares</b>
	<b>(Unaudited)</b>	<b>(Unaudited)</b>	<b>(Audited)</b>
Registered share capital	<b>2,849,485,753</b>	2,849,485,753	2,849,485,753
Issued and paid-up share capital	<b>2,766,944,443</b>	2,766,718,568	2,766,839,624

**7.2 Dividends**

**7.2.1** See Note 20.2.1 to the Annual Financial Statements regarding the dividend distribution policy approved by the Company's board of directors on March 12, 2024.

**7.2.2** On April 17, 2024, the general meeting of the Company's shareholders approved (further to the recommendation of the Company's board of directors on March 12, 2024), the distribution of a cash dividend to the Company's shareholders for a total of NIS 374 million (representing NIS 0.1351691 per share at the date of record for the distribution). The dividend was paid on May 9, 2024.

**7.2.3** On August 6, 2024, the Company's board of directors resolved to recommend to the general meeting of the Company's shareholders the distribution of a cash dividend to the Company's shareholders in the amount of NIS 407 million. As at the approval date of the financial statements, the dividend has not yet been approved by the general meeting.

**8. Revenues**

	Six months ended June 30		Three months ended June 30		Year ended December 31
	2024	2023	2024	2023	2023
	(Unaudited)	(Unaudited)	(Unaudited)	(Unaudited)	(Audited)
	NIS million	NIS million	NIS million	NIS million	NIS million
<b>Domestic fixed-line communication (Bezeq Fixed-Line)</b>					
Internet – infrastructure	985	940	489	474	1,907
Transmission and data communication	511	477	254	241	974
Fixed-line telephony	274	348	135	171	632
Cloud and digital services	174	176	87	89	349
Other services	120	164	60	89	295
	<b>2,064</b>	<b>2,105</b>	<b>1,025</b>	<b>1,064</b>	<b>4,157</b>
<b>Cellular telephony– Telephone</b>					
Cellular services and terminal equipment	823	880	413	444	1,724
Sale of terminal equipment	307	299	141	131	585
	<b>1,130</b>	<b>1,179</b>	<b>554</b>	<b>575</b>	<b>2,309</b>
<b>Multichannel television – yes</b>	<b>631</b>	<b>665</b>	<b>316</b>	<b>336</b>	<b>1,308</b>
<b>ISP, international communications, and ICT services – Bezeq International</b>					
	521	568	247	279	1,139
<b>Other</b>	<b>101</b>	<b>90</b>	<b>50</b>	<b>45</b>	<b>190</b>
<b>Total revenues</b>	<b>4,447</b>	<b>4,607</b>	<b>2,192</b>	<b>2,299</b>	<b>9,103</b>



**9. General Operating Expenses**

	Six months ended		Three months ended		Year ended
	June 30		June 30		December 31
	2024	2023	2024	2023	2023
	(Unaudited)	(Unaudited)	(Unaudited)	(Unaudited)	(Audited)
	NIS million	NIS million	NIS million	NIS million	NIS million
Terminal equipment and materials	398	402	182	181	825
Interconnectivity and payments to domestic and international telecommunications operators	347	399	169	197	762
Content costs (including content impairment)	263	278	135	137	530
Marketing and general	244	232	120	123	432
Maintenance of buildings and sites	126	127	64	63	257
Services and maintenance by subcontractors	254	257	122	126	504
Vehicle maintenance	36	32	20	16	64
<b>Total general and operating expenses</b>	<b>1,668</b>	<b>1,727</b>	<b>812</b>	<b>843</b>	<b>3,374</b>

**10. Other Operating Expenses, Net**

	Six months ended		Three months ended		Year ended
	June 30		June 30		December 31
	2024	2023	2024	2023	2023
	(Unaudited)	(Unaudited)	(Unaudited)	(Unaudited)	(Audited)
	NIS million	NIS million	NIS million	NIS million	NIS million
Capital gain (mainly disposal of real estate)	(12)	(2)	(10)	(1)	(2)
Creation of a provision for claims	9	18	4	9	25
Expenses for severance pay in early retirement in the Company	5	4	2	1	57
Expenses for severance pay in early retirement and the efficiency agreement in Pelephone, Bezeq International, and yes.	5	4	1	4	17
One-time provision – amendment to the collective agreement of the employees	-	-	-	-	75
Other income	(10)	(8)	(1)	(4)	(11)
<b>Total other operating expenses, net</b>	<b>(3)</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>(4)</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>161</b>

**11. Financing Expenses, Net**

	Six months ended June 30		Three months ended June 30		Year ended December 31
	2024	2023	2024	2023	2023
	(Unaudited)	(Unaudited)	(Unaudited)	(Unaudited)	(Audited)
	NIS million	NIS million	NIS million	NIS million	NIS million
Interest expenses for financial liabilities	138	117	70	60	236
Financing expenses for lease liabilities	34	28	18	16	63
Linkage and exchange differences	39	52	32	31	78
Exchange rate differences	-	-	-	-	12
Other financing expenses	15	7	13	3	9
Financing expenses for employee benefits	9	8	5	4	10
<b>Total financing expenses</b>	<b>235</b>	<b>212</b>	<b>138</b>	<b>114</b>	<b>408</b>
Change in fair value of financial assets at fair value through profit or loss	40	20	30	12	25
Interest income from investments	43	33	14	19	89
Income for credit in sales	13	11	6	4	22
Other financing income	22	20	17	16	28
<b>Total financing income</b>	<b>118</b>	<b>84</b>	<b>67</b>	<b>51</b>	<b>164</b>
<b>Financing expenses, net</b>	<b>117</b>	<b>128</b>	<b>71</b>	<b>63</b>	<b>244</b>

## 12. Financial Instruments

### 12.1 Composition of investments

	June 30, 2024	June 30, 2023	December 31, 2023
	(Unaudited)	(Unaudited)	(Audited)
	NIS million	NIS million	NIS million
Bank deposits in NIS (1)	913	874	455
Investment in securities at fair value through profit or loss	1,013	627	745
Derivatives	22	23	5
	1,948	1,524	1,205

(1) Bank deposits in NIS are repayable until January 2025.

### 12.2 Fair value

#### A. Financial instruments at fair value for disclosure purposes only

The table below shows the differences between the carrying amount and the fair value of financial liabilities. The methods used to estimate the fair values of financial instruments are described in Note 30.8 to the Annual Financial Statements.

	June 30, 2024		June 30, 2023		December 31, 2023	
	Carrying amount (including accrued interest)	Fair value	Carrying amount (including accrued interest)	Fair value	Carrying amount (including accrued interest)	Fair value
	(Unaudited)		(Unaudited)		(Audited)	
	NIS million		NIS million		NIS million	
Loans from banks and institutions (unlinked)	1,529	1,455	1,471	1,400	1,546	1,500
Debentures issued to the public (CPI-linked)	2,487	2,397	2,703	2,653	2,436	2,387
Debentures issued to the public (unlinked)	3,191	3,043	2,836	2,711	2,298	2,217
Total	7,207	6,895	7,010	6,764	6,280	6,104

#### B. Fair value hierarchy

The table below presents an analysis of the financial instruments measured at fair value, with details of the valuation method. The methods used to estimate the fair value are described in Note 30.7 to the Annual Financial Statements.

	June 30, 2024	June 30, 2023	December 31, 2023
	(Unaudited)	(Unaudited)	(Audited)
	NIS million	NIS million	NIS million
Level 1 – investment in financial reserves at fair value through profit or loss	1,013	627	745
Level 2 – forward contracts	55	55	25

**13. Segment Reporting**

Six months ended June 30, 2024 (unaudited):							
	Domestic fixed-line communications	Cellular communications	Bezeq International services	Multichannel television*	Other	Adjustments	Consolidated
	NIS million	NIS million	NIS million	NIS million	NIS million	NIS million	NIS million
Revenues from external sources	2,064	1,130	521	631	101	-	4,447
Inter-segment revenues	102	14	29	-	-	(145)	-
Total revenues	2,166	1,144	550	631	101	(145)	4,447
Depreciation, amortization, and impairment	507	272	53	125	2	(24)	935
Segment results – operating profit (loss)	780	95	38	(44)	1	14	884
Financing expenses	208	18	8	2	-	(1)	235
Financing income	(86)	(14)	(6)	(14)	-	2	(118)
Total financing expenses (income), net	122	4	2	(12)	-	1	117
Segment profit (loss) after financing expenses, net	658	91	36	(32)	1	13	767
Share in loss of an investee	3**	-	-	-	-	-	3
Income tax	159	22	-	-	1	-	182
Segment results – net profit (loss)	496	69	36	(32)	-	13	582

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<b>Six months ended June 30, 2023 (unaudited):</b>							
	<b>Domestic fixed-line communications</b>	<b>Cellular communications</b>	<b>Bezeq International services</b>	<b>Multichannel television*</b>	<b>Other</b>	<b>Adjustments</b>	<b>Consolidated</b>
	<b>NIS million</b>	<b>NIS million</b>	<b>NIS million</b>	<b>NIS million</b>	<b>NIS million</b>	<b>NIS million</b>	<b>NIS million</b>
Revenues from external sources	2,106	1,179	568	664	90	-	4,607
Inter-segment revenues	135	22	37	1	1	(196)	-
<b>Total revenues</b>	<b>2,241</b>	<b>1,201</b>	<b>605</b>	<b>665</b>	<b>91</b>	<b>(196)</b>	<b>4,607</b>
Depreciation, amortization, and impairment	501	268	63	119	2	(27)	926
Segment results – operating profit (loss)	821	100	30	8	(4)	19	974
Financing expenses	205	17	8	5	-	(23)	212
Financing income	(58)	(29)	(4)	(14)	-	21	(84)
<b>Total financing expenses (income), net</b>	<b>147</b>	<b>(12)</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>(9)</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>(2)</b>	<b>128</b>
Segment profit (loss) after financing expenses, net	674	112	26	17	(4)	21	846
Income tax	164	27	-	-	1	-	192
<b>Segment results – net profit (loss)</b>	<b>510</b>	<b>85</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>(5)</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>654</b>

\* Results of the multichannel television segment are presented net of the total effect of impairment recognized as from 2018. This is in accordance with the way the Group's chief operating decision maker assesses the segment's performance and decides on the allocation of resources for the segment. See also Note 14.3 for condensed selected information from the financial statements of yes.

\*\* As from the second quarter of 2024, Bezeq began to record its share in the losses of BezeqGen. See Note 4.3.

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<b>Three months ended June 30, 2024 (unaudited):</b>							
	<b>Domestic fixed-line communications</b>	<b>Cellular communications</b>	<b>Bezeq International services</b>	<b>Multichannel television*</b>	<b>Other</b>	<b>Adjustments</b>	<b>Consolidated</b>
	<b>NIS million</b>	<b>NIS million</b>	<b>NIS million</b>	<b>NIS million</b>	<b>NIS million</b>	<b>NIS million</b>	<b>NIS million</b>
Revenues from external sources	<b>1,025</b>	<b>554</b>	<b>247</b>	<b>316</b>	<b>50</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>2,192</b>
Inter-segment revenues	<b>50</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>(71)</b>	<b>-</b>
<b>Total revenues</b>	<b>1,075</b>	<b>561</b>	<b>261</b>	<b>316</b>	<b>50</b>	<b>(71)</b>	<b>2,192</b>
Depreciation, amortization, and impairment	<b>255</b>	<b>134</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>63</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>(18)</b>	<b>462</b>
Segment results – operating profit (loss)	<b>383</b>	<b>55</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>(25)</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>445</b>
Financing expenses	<b>119</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>138</b>
Financing income	<b>(49)</b>	<b>(7)</b>	<b>(4)</b>	<b>(7)</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>(67)</b>
<b>Total financing expenses (income), net</b>	<b>70</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>(7)</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>71</b>
Segment profit (loss) after financing expenses, net	<b>313</b>	<b>51</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>(18)</b>	<b>(1)</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>374</b>
Share in loss of an investee	<b>3**</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>3</b>
Income tax	<b>72</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>84</b>
<b>Segment results – net profit (loss)</b>	<b>238</b>	<b>39</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>(18)</b>	<b>(1)</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>287</b>

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<b>Three months ended June 30, 2023 (unaudited):</b>							
	<b>Domestic fixed-line communications</b>	<b>Cellular communications</b>	<b>Bezeq International services</b>	<b>Multichannel television*</b>	<b>Other</b>	<b>Adjustments</b>	<b>Consolidated</b>
	<b>NIS million</b>	<b>NIS million</b>	<b>NIS million</b>	<b>NIS million</b>	<b>NIS million</b>	<b>NIS million</b>	<b>NIS million</b>
Revenues from external sources	1,065	574	280	335	45	-	2,299
Inter-segment revenues	65	11	13	1	1	(91)	-
<b>Total revenues</b>	<b>1,130</b>	<b>585</b>	<b>293</b>	<b>336</b>	<b>46</b>	<b>(91)</b>	<b>2,299</b>
Depreciation, amortization, and impairment	256	135	33	59	-	(15)	468
Segment results – operating profit (loss)	418	49	16	13	(3)	13	506
Financing expenses	107	7	4	3	-	(7)	114
Financing income	(36)	(13)	(1)	(7)	-	6	(51)
<b>Total financing expenses (income), net</b>	<b>71</b>	<b>(6)</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>(4)</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>(1)</b>	<b>63</b>
Segment profit (loss) after financing expenses, net	347	55	13	17	(3)	14	443
Income tax	86	14	-	-	-	-	100
<b>Segment results – net profit (loss)</b>	<b>261</b>	<b>41</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>(3)</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>343</b>

\* Results of the multichannel television segment are presented net of the total effect of impairment recognized as from the fourth quarter of 2018. This is in accordance with the way the Group's chief operating decision maker assesses the segment's performance and decides on the allocation of resources for the segment. See also Note 14.3 for condensed selected information from the financial statements of yes.

\*\* As from the second quarter of 2024, Bezeq began to record its share in the losses of BezeqGen. See Note 4.3.

**Notes to the Condensed Consolidated Interim Financial Statements as at June 30, 2024 (Unaudited)**

<b>Year ended December 31, 2023 (audited)</b>							
	<b>Domestic fixed-line communications</b>	<b>Cellular communications</b>	<b>Bezeq International services</b>	<b>Multichannel television*</b>	<b>Other</b>	<b>Adjustments</b>	<b>Consolidated</b>
	<b>NIS million</b>	<b>NIS million</b>	<b>NIS million</b>	<b>NIS million</b>	<b>NIS million</b>	<b>NIS million</b>	<b>NIS million</b>
Revenues from external sources	4,157	2,309	1,139	1,308	190	-	9,103
Inter-segment revenues	255	39	73	1	2	(370)	-
<b>Total revenues</b>	<b>4,412</b>	<b>2,348</b>	<b>1,212</b>	<b>1,309</b>	<b>192</b>	<b>(370)</b>	<b>9,103</b>
Depreciation, amortization, and impairment	1,019	549	137	244	6	(88)	1,867
Segment results – operating profit (loss)	1,451	196	39	(4)	(1)	98	1,779
Financing expenses	370	35	17	8	-	(22)	408
Financing income	(114)	(48)	(7)	(17)	-	22	(164)
<b>Total financing expenses (income), net</b>	<b>256</b>	<b>(13)</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>(9)</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>244</b>
Segment profit (loss) before income tax	1,195	209	29	5	(1)	98	1,535
Income tax (income) expenses	294	50	-	1	1	-	346
<b>Segment results – net profit (loss)</b>	<b>901</b>	<b>159</b>	<b>29</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>(2)</b>	<b>98</b>	<b>1,189</b>

\* Results of the multichannel television segment are presented net of the total effect of impairment recognized as from the fourth quarter of 2018. This is in accordance with the way the Group's chief operating decision maker assesses the segment's performance and decides on the allocation of resources for the segment. See also Note 14.3 for condensed selected information from the financial statements of yes.



**14. Condensed Financial Statements of Pelephone, Bezeq International, and yes****14.1 Pelephone Communications Ltd.**

Information from the statement of financial position:

	June 30, 2024	June 30, 2023	December 31, 2023
	(Unaudited)	(Unaudited)	(Audited)
	NIS million	NIS million	NIS million
Current assets	785	857	722
Non-current assets	2,119	2,593	2,110
<b>Total assets</b>	<b>2,904</b>	<b>3,450</b>	<b>2,832</b>
Current liabilities	679	713	659
Long-term liabilities	769	833	789
<b>Total liabilities</b>	<b>1,448</b>	<b>1,546</b>	<b>1,448</b>
Equity	1,456	1,904	1,384
<b>Total liabilities and equity</b>	<b>2,904</b>	<b>3,450</b>	<b>2,832</b>

Information from the statement of income:

	Six months ended June 30		Three months ended June 30		Year ended December 31,
	2024	2023	2024	2023	2023
	(Unaudited)	(Unaudited)	(Unaudited)	(Unaudited)	(Audited)
	NIS million	NIS million	NIS million	NIS million	NIS million
Revenue from services	836	897	420	452	1,756
Revenue from the sale of terminal equipment	308	304	141	133	592
<b>Total revenues from services and sales</b>	<b>1,144</b>	<b>1,201</b>	<b>561</b>	<b>585</b>	<b>2,348</b>
<b>Operating expenses</b>					
General operating expenses	609	670	293	319	1,278
Salaries	162	164	79	80	323
Depreciation and amortization	272	268	134	135	549
<b>Total operating expenses</b>	<b>1,043</b>	<b>1,102</b>	<b>506</b>	<b>534</b>	<b>2,150</b>
Other operating expenses (income), net	6	(1)	-	2	2
<b>Operating profit</b>	<b>95</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>55</b>	<b>49</b>	<b>196</b>
<b>Financing expenses (income)</b>					
Financing expenses	18	17	11	7	35
Financing income	(14)	(29)	(7)	(13)	(48)
<b>Financing expenses (income), net</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>(12)</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>(6)</b>	<b>(13)</b>
<b>Profit before income tax</b>	<b>91</b>	<b>112</b>	<b>51</b>	<b>55</b>	<b>209</b>
Income tax expenses	22	27	12	14	50
<b>Profit for the period</b>	<b>69</b>	<b>85</b>	<b>39</b>	<b>41</b>	<b>159</b>

## 14.2 Bezeq International Ltd.

Information from the statement of financial position:

	June 30, 2024	June 30, 2023	December 31, 2023
	(Unaudited)	(Unaudited)	(Audited)
	NIS million	NIS million	NIS million
Current assets	410	399	406
Non-current assets	490	577	594
<b>Total assets</b>	<b>900</b>	<b>976</b>	<b>1,000</b>
Current liabilities	358	393	391
Long-term liabilities	283	366	388
<b>Total liabilities</b>	<b>641</b>	<b>759</b>	<b>779</b>
Equity	259	217	221
<b>Total liabilities and equity</b>	<b>900</b>	<b>976</b>	<b>1,000</b>

Information from the statement of income:

	Six months ended June 30		Three months ended June 30		Year ended December 31,
	2024	2023	2024	2023	2023
	(Unaudited)	(Unaudited)	(Unaudited)	(Unaudited)	(Audited)
	NIS million	NIS million	NIS million	NIS million	NIS million
<b>Revenues</b>	<b>550</b>	605	<b>261</b>	293	1,212
<b>Operating expenses</b>					
Operating expenses, general, and impairment	359	397	166	189	800
Salaries	104	109	51	55	216
Depreciation, amortization, and impairment	53	63	26	33	137
Other (income) expenses, net	(4)	6	-	-	20
<b>Total operating expenses</b>	<b>512</b>	575	<b>243</b>	277	1,173
<b>Operating profit</b>	<b>38</b>	30	<b>18</b>	16	39
Financing expenses (income)					
Financing expenses	8	8	4	4	17
Financing income	(6)	(4)	(4)	(1)	(7)
<b>Financing expenses, net</b>	<b>2</b>	4	-	3	10
<b>Profit before income tax</b>	<b>36</b>	26	<b>18</b>	13	29
Income tax expenses	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Profit for the period</b>	<b>36</b>	26	<b>18</b>	13	29

**14.3 yes Television and Communication Services Ltd. (yes)**

Information from the statement of financial position:

	June 30, 2024	June 30, 2023	December 31, 2023
	(Unaudited)	(Unaudited)	(Audited)
	NIS million	NIS million	NIS million
Current assets	247	236	235
Non-current assets	296	270	283
<b>Total assets</b>	<b>543</b>	<b>506</b>	<b>518</b>
Current liabilities	433	429	385
Long-term liabilities	53	72	60
<b>Total liabilities</b>	<b>486</b>	<b>501</b>	<b>445</b>
Equity (equity deficit)	57	5	73
<b>Total liabilities and equity (equity deficit)</b>	<b>543</b>	<b>506</b>	<b>518</b>

Information from the statement of income:

	Six months ended		Three months ended		Year ended
	June 30		June 30		December 31,
	2024	2023	2024	2023	2023
	(Unaudited)	(Unaudited)	(Unaudited)	(Unaudited)	(Audited)
	NIS million	NIS million	NIS million	NIS million	NIS million
<b>Revenues</b>	<b>631</b>	665	<b>316</b>	336	1,309
<b>Operating expenses</b>					
Operating expenses, general, and impairment	456	446	229	218	861
Depreciation, amortization, and impairment	106	96	48	46	166
Salaries	95	98	47	46	193
Other operating expenses (income), net	4	(1)	4	-	(5)
<b>Total operating expenses</b>	<b>661</b>	639	<b>328</b>	310	1,215
<b>Operating profit (loss)</b>	<b>(30)</b>	26	<b>(12)</b>	26	94
Financing expenses (income)					
Financing expenses	2	5	-	3	8
Financing income	(14)	(14)	(7)	(7)	(17)
<b>Financing income, net</b>	<b>(12)</b>	(9)	<b>(7)</b>	(4)	(9)
<b>Profit (loss) before income tax</b>	<b>(18)</b>	35	<b>(5)</b>	30	103
Income tax expenses	-	-	-	-	1
<b>Profit (loss) for the period</b>	<b>(18)</b>	35	<b>(5)</b>	30	102

**15. Significant Events in and Subsequent to the Date of the Financial Statements**

- 15.1** In January 2024, the Company raised capital by way of expansion of Debentures (Series 11 and 13) for a consideration of NIS 892 million.
- 15.2** See Note 8.5 to the Annual Financial Statements regarding the amendment of the hosting services agreement signed by Bezeq International and Serverfarm.
- 15.3** See Note 7.2.2 for information about the distribution of a cash dividend on May 9, 2024.
- 15.4** For information about the Company's entry into the electricity supply sector and the MoU signed with Powergen Ltd. ("Powergen") for cooperation in the electricity sector – on April 9, 2024, the Company's board of directors approved the engagement between the Company and Powergen in a detailed shareholder agreement based on the principles set out in the MoU (the "Agreement"). The engagement was also approved by Powergen's board of directors and the Agreement was signed on May 15, 2024. The Company began to market the activity of the project, which is jointly owned by the Company (50%) and Powergen (50%) (BezeqGen Ltd. under the brand "Bezeq Energy"), which was set up for the purpose of operating in the electricity supply market, allowing consumers to shift their electricity supply from the IEC to BezeqGen Ltd. in several discount tracks. On June 27, 2024, the Electricity Authority announced the approval of the transfer of a license for electricity supply without means of production of the Company to BezeqGen Ltd.

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# Condensed Separate Interim Financial Information as of June 30, 2024



The information contained in these financial statements constitutes a translation of the financial statements published by the Company. The Hebrew version was submitted by the Company to the relevant authorities pursuant to Israeli law, and represents the binding version and the only one having legal effect. This translation was prepared for convenience purposes only.

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**Subject: Special auditors' report on separate interim financial information according to Regulation 38D of the Securities Regulations (Periodic and Immediate Reports) – 1970**

*Introduction*

We have reviewed the separate interim financial information presented in accordance with Regulation 38D of the Securities Regulations (Periodic and Immediate Reports), 1970 of Bezeq - The Israel Telecommunication Corporation Ltd. (hereinafter - "the Company") as of June 30, 2024 and for the six and three-month periods then ended. The separate interim financial information is the responsibility of the Company's Board of Directors and of its Management. Our responsibility is to express a conclusion on the separate interim financial information based on our review.

*Scope of Review*

We conducted our review in accordance with Standard on Review Engagements (Israel) 2410, "Review of Interim Financial Information Performed by the Independent Auditor of the Entity" of the Institute of Certified Public Accountants in Israel. A review of separate interim financial information consists of making inquiries, primarily of persons responsible for financial and accounting matters, and applying analytical and other review procedures. A review is substantially less in scope than an audit conducted in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards in Israel and consequently does not enable us to obtain assurance that we would become aware of all significant matters that might be identified in an audit. Accordingly, we do not express an audit opinion.

*Conclusion*

Based on our review, nothing has come to our attention that causes us to believe that the accompanying separate interim financial information was not prepared, in all material respects, in accordance with Regulation 38D of the Securities Regulations (Periodic and Immediate Reports) - 1970.

*Explanatory Paragraph*

Without qualifying our abovementioned conclusion, we draw attention to Note 6 of the financial information, which refers to Note 1.3 to the annual consolidated financial statements, regarding the Israel Securities Authority's (ISA) and the Israel Police investigation of the suspicion of committing offenses under the Securities Law and Penal Code, with respect inter alia to transactions related to the former controlling shareholder, and as mentioned in that note, regarding the filing of an indictment against the former controlling shareholder for various offenses, including bribery and misleading information in an immediate report and regarding the filing of an indictment against the former controlling shareholder in the company and former senior executives in the Bezeq Group, which accuses the defendants of receiving anything fraudulently in aggravated circumstances,



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and reporting offenses under the Securities Law. In addition, subsequent to the investigation opening, a number of civil legal proceedings were initiated against the company, former officers of the company as well as companies from the group that previously controlled the company, including requests for approval of class actions. As stated in the above note, the Company is unable to assess the effects of the investigations, their findings and their results on the Company, and on the financial statements and on the estimates used in the preparation of these financial statements, if any.

In addition, without qualifying our abovementioned conclusion, we draw attention to lawsuits filed against the Company which in this stage cannot be assessed or the exposure in respect thereof cannot yet be calculated, as set forth in Note 5.

Somekh Chaikin  
Certified Public Accountants (Isr.)

August 6, 2024



**Condensed Separate Interim Information on Financial Position**

	June 30, 2024	June 30, 2023	December 31, 2023
	(Unaudited)	(Unaudited)	(Audited)
	NIS million	NIS million	NIS million
<b>Assets</b>			
Cash and cash equivalents	466	352	134
Investments	1,939	1,516	1,200
Trade receivables	713	742	738
Other receivables	121	120	83
<b>Total current assets</b>	<b>3,239</b>	<b>2,730</b>	<b>2,155</b>
Trade and other receivables	247	211	255
Fixed assets	5,947	5,768	5,849
Intangible assets	260	251	252
Goodwill	265	265	265
Investment in investees	1,911	2,252	1,805
Right-of-use assets	631	643	626
Noncurrent and other investments	188	177	174
<b>Total noncurrent assets</b>	<b>9,449</b>	<b>9,567</b>	<b>9,226</b>
<b>Total assets</b>	<b>12,688</b>	<b>12,297</b>	<b>11,381</b>

**Condensed Separate Interim Information on Financial Position (cont.)**

	June 30, 2024	June 30, 2023	December 31, 2023
	(Unaudited)	(Unaudited)	(Audited)
	NIS million	NIS million	NIS million
<b>Liabilities</b>			
Debentures, loans and borrowings	1,063	1,087	1,073
Trade and other payables	955	787	845
Employee benefits	205	224	237
Current maturities of lease liabilities	103	110	108
Provisions (Note 5)	49	53	54
<b>Total current liabilities</b>	<b>2,375</b>	<b>2,261</b>	<b>2,317</b>
Loans and debentures	6,819	6,602	5,889
Loans from subsidiaries	90	555	90
Employee benefits	232	165	229
Lease liabilities	580	575	558
Derivatives and other liabilities	135	79	83
Deferred tax liabilities	39	26	19
<b>Total noncurrent liabilities</b>	<b>7,895</b>	<b>8,002</b>	<b>6,868</b>
<b>Total liabilities</b>	<b>10,270</b>	<b>10,263</b>	<b>9,185</b>
<b>Equity</b>			
Share capital	3,879	3,879	3,879
Share premium	387	386	387
Reserves	410	396	396
Equity deficit	(2,258)	(2,627)	(2,466)
<b>Total equity attributable to the Company's shareholders</b>	<b>2,418</b>	<b>2,034</b>	<b>2,196</b>
<b>Total liabilities and equity</b>	<b>12,688</b>	<b>12,297</b>	<b>11,381</b>

**Tomer Raved**  
Chairman of the Board of Directors

**Nir David**  
Chief Executive Officer

**Tobi Fischbein**  
Bezeq Group CFO

Date of approval of the financial statements: August 6, 2024

The accompanying notes are an integral part of the separate financial information

**Condensed Separate Interim Information on Income**

	Six months ended June 30		Three months ended June 30		Year ended December 31
	2024	2023	2024	2023	2023
	(Unaudited)	(Unaudited)	(Unaudited)	(Unaudited)	(Audited)
	NIS million	NIS million	NIS million	NIS million	NIS million
<b>Revenues (Note 2)</b>	<b>2,166</b>	2,241	<b>1,075</b>	1,130	4,412
<b>Operating expenses</b>					
Salaries	518	516	258	253	1,028
Depreciation and amortization	507	501	255	256	1,019
General operating expenses (Note 3)	370	392	187	197	769
Other operating expenses (income), net (Note 4)	(9)	11	(8)	6	145
<b>Total operating expenses</b>	<b>1,386</b>	1,420	<b>692</b>	712	2,961
<b>Operating profit</b>	<b>780</b>	821	<b>383</b>	418	1,451
<b>Financial expenses (income)</b>					
Financial expenses	208	205	119	107	370
Financial income	(86)	(58)	(49)	(36)	(114)
Financial expenses, net	122	147	70	71	256
<b>Profit after financial expenses, net</b>	<b>658</b>	674	<b>313</b>	347	1,195
<b>Share in profits of investees, net</b>	<b>83</b>	144	<b>46</b>	82	288
<b>Profit before income tax</b>	<b>741</b>	818	<b>359</b>	429	1,483
<b>Income tax</b>	<b>159</b>	164	<b>72</b>	86	294
<b>Profit for the period attributable to the Company's shareholders</b>	<b>582</b>	654	<b>287</b>	343	1,189

**Condensed Separate Interim Information on Comprehensive Income**

	Six months ended June 30		Three months ended June 30		Year ended December 31
	2024	2023	2024	2023	2023
	(Unaudited)	(Unaudited)	(Unaudited)	(Unaudited)	(Audited)
	NIS million	NIS million	NIS million	NIS million	NIS million
Profit for the period	582	654	287	343	1,189
Items of other comprehensive income (loss), net of tax	3	(4)	-	(7)	12
<b>Total comprehensive income for the period attributable to the Company's shareholders</b>	<b>585</b>	650	<b>287</b>	336	1,201

The accompanying notes are an integral part of the separate financial information

**Condensed Separate Interim Information on Cash Flows**

	Six months ended June 30		Three months ended June 30		Year ended December 31
	2024	2023	2024	2023	2023
	(Unaudited)	(Unaudited)	(Unaudited)	(Unaudited)	(Audited)
	NIS million	NIS million	NIS million	NIS million	NIS million
<b>Cash flows from operating activities</b>					
Profit for the period	582	654	287	343	1,189
Adjustments:					
Depreciation and amortization	507	501	255	256	1,019
Share in profits of investees, net	(83)	(144)	(46)	(82)	(288)
Financial expenses, net	111	136	66	66	236
Capital gain, net	(12)	-	(10)	-	-
Share-based payment	4	2	3	1	3
Income tax expenses	159	164	72	86	294
Change in trade and other receivables	(5)	(55)	4	13	(74)
Change in trade and other payables	43	28	(49)	(31)	91
Change in provisions	(5)	1	-	-	2
Change in employee benefits	(29)	(49)	(34)	(46)	40
Miscellaneous	-	-	-	-	23
Net cash provided by operating activities due to transactions with subsidiaries	17	36	17	12	53
Income tax paid, net	(50)	(64)	(74)	(16)	(208)
<b>Net cash provided by operating activities</b>	<b>1,239</b>	<b>1,210</b>	<b>491</b>	<b>602</b>	<b>2,380</b>
<b>Cash flows from investing activities</b>					
Investment in intangible assets and other investments	(94)	(97)	(44)	(60)	(179)
Proceeds from the sale of fixed assets	6	30	4	1	33
Investment in bank deposits and other financial investments	(1,375)	(1,110)	(153)	(470)	(1,413)
Proceeds from repayment of bank deposits and other financial investments	668	509	468	300	1,134
Purchase of fixed assets	(442)	(496)	(222)	(221)	(943)
Dividend received	-	115	-	-	247
Interest received from bank deposits	34	23	15	19	56
Miscellaneous	1	-	1	1	1
<b>Net cash provided by(used in) investing activities</b>	<b>(1,202)</b>	<b>(1,026)</b>	<b>69</b>	<b>(430)</b>	<b>(1,064)</b>

The accompanying notes are an integral part of the separate financial information.

**Condensed Separate Interim Information on Cash Flows (cont.)**

	Six months ended June 30		Three months ended June 30		Year ended December 31
	2024	2023	2024	2023	2023
	(Unaudited)	(Unaudited)	(Unaudited)	(Unaudited)	(Audited)
	NIS million	NIS million	NIS million	NIS million	NIS million
<b>Cash flows from financing activities</b>					
Issue of debentures and receipt of loans	1,084	415	-	-	515
Repayment of debentures and loans	(220)	(58)	(220)	(58)	(912)
Interest paid	(123)	(116)	(104)	(102)	(236)
Dividend paid	(374)	(246)	(374)	(246)	(158)
Payment of principal and interest for a lease	(68)	(75)	(37)	(35)	(638)
Payment for expired hedging transactions	-	-	-	-	4
Net cash used in financing activities due to transactions with subsidiaries	(4)	(38)	(4)	(33)	(43)
<b>Net cash provided by (used in) financing activities</b>	<b>295</b>	<b>(118)</b>	<b>(739)</b>	<b>(474)</b>	<b>(1,468)</b>
<b>Net increase (decrease) in cash and cash equivalents</b>	<b>332</b>	<b>66</b>	<b>(179)</b>	<b>(302)</b>	<b>(152)</b>
Cash and cash equivalents at the beginning of the period	134	286	645	654	286
<b>Cash and cash equivalents at the end of the period</b>	<b>466</b>	<b>352</b>	<b>466</b>	<b>352</b>	<b>134</b>

The accompanying notes are an integral part of the separate financial information.

<b>Notes to the Condensed Separate Interim Financial Information</b>
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**1. Manner of Preparing Financial Information****1.1 Definitions**

The "Company" – Bezeq - The Israel Telecommunication Corporation Ltd.

"Associate," the "Group," "Investee": As these terms are defined in the Company's consolidated financial statements for 2023.

**1.2 Principles used for preparing financial information**

The condensed separate interim financial information is presented in accordance with Regulation 38D (the "Regulation") of the Securities Regulations (Periodic and Immediate Reports), 1970 and the Tenth Schedule to those regulations (the "Tenth Schedule"), concerning a corporation's condensed separate interim financial information. This should be read together with the separate financial information as of and for the year ended December 31, 2023 and together with the condensed consolidated interim financial statements as of June 30, 2024 (the "Consolidated Statements").

The accounting policy applied in this condensed separate interim financial information is consistent with the policy set out in the separate financial information as of and for the year ended December 31, 2023.

**2. Revenues**

	Six months ended June 30		Three months ended June 30		Year ended December 31
	2024	2023	2024	2023	2023
	(Unaudited)	(Unaudited)	(Unaudited)	(Unaudited)	(Audited)
	NIS million	NIS million	NIS million	NIS million	NIS million
Internet infrastructure	995	964	494	485	1,947
Transmission and data communications	591	575	293	289	1,163
Fixed-line telephony	281	358	138	176	650
Cloud and digital services	174	176	87	89	349
Other services	125	168	63	91	303
<b>Total revenues</b>	<b>2,166</b>	<b>2,241</b>	<b>1,075</b>	<b>1,130</b>	<b>4,412</b>

**3. General Operating Expenses**

	Six months ended June 30		Three months ended June 30		Year ended December 31
	2024	2023	2024	2023	2023
	(Unaudited)	(Unaudited)	(Unaudited)	(Unaudited)	(Audited)
	NIS million	NIS million	NIS million	NIS million	NIS million
Maintenance of buildings and sites	54	55	28	27	114
Marketing and general	100	88	52	48	168
Interconnectivity and payments to telecom operators	35	46	16	20	82
Services and maintenance by subcontractors	99	119	51	61	230
Vehicle maintenance	22	19	12	10	40
Terminal equipment and materials	60	65	28	31	135
<b>Total general operating expenses</b>	<b>370</b>	<b>392</b>	<b>187</b>	<b>197</b>	<b>769</b>

**4. Other Operating Expenses (Income), Net**

	Six months ended June 30		Three months ended June 30		Year ended December 31
	2024	2023	2024	2023	2023
	(Unaudited)	(Unaudited)	(Unaudited)	(Unaudited)	(Audited)
	NIS million	NIS million	NIS million	NIS million	NIS million
Capital gain from the sale of fixed assets (mainly real estate)	(12)	-	(10)	-	-
Employee termination expenses due to early retirement	5	4	2	1	57
One-time provision – amendment to labor agreement	-	-	-	-	75
Other expenses (mainly reversal of provision for claims)	(2)	7	-	5	13
<b>Total other operating expenses (income), net</b>	<b>(9)</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>(8)</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>145</b>

## 5. Contingent Liabilities

- 5.1 During the normal course of business, legal claims were filed against the Company or there are various legal proceedings pending against it (in this section – “Legal Claims”).

In the opinion of the Company's management, based, *inter alia*, on legal opinions as to the likelihood of success of the Legal Claims, the financial statements include adequate provisions in the amount of NIS 49 million, where provisions are required to cover the exposure arising from such Legal Claims.

Furthermore, motions to certify class actions have been filed against the Company, which do not specify the exact amount of the claim and for which the Group has additional exposure beyond the aforesaid.

Breakdown of the Company's contingent liabilities as of June 30, 2024:

Balance of provision	Additional exposure*	Exposure for claims whose chances cannot yet be assessed*
NIS million		
49	682	2,470 <sup>(1)</sup>

\* The exposure amounts in this note are nominal.

- (1) Includes two motions to certify class actions for a total of NIS 1.8 billion, filed in June 2017 against the Company, officers of the Group and companies of the group of the Company's controlling shareholder at the time, with respect to the transaction for the Company's acquisition of yes shares from Eurocom DBS Ltd. In accordance with a court decision, a consolidated motion is expected to be filed instead of these two motions. For now, the proceeding has been stayed, in view of the criminal proceeding that is being conducted following the investigation by the Israel Securities Authority, as described in Note 1.3 of the Annual Consolidated Statements, and at the request of the Attorney General, until August 31, 2024. It should be noted that an application for approval of a partial settlement in the consolidated proceeding among the petitioners, B-Com and Messrs. Shaul and Or Elovitch is under approval process.

- 5.2 See Note 6.6 to the Annual Consolidated Statements regarding long-term other receivables and authorities for permit fees and betterment tax paid by the Company to the Israel Land Authority and the Or Yehuda local authority for the sale of the Sakia property in 2019.
- 5.3 For further information concerning contingent liabilities, see Note 6 to the Consolidated Statements.

## 6. Material Events During and After the Reporting Period

- 6.1 Regarding the investigation by the Israel Securities Authority and the Israel Police, see Note 1.2 to the Consolidated Statements.
- 6.2 In August 2024, the Company's Board of Directors approved the grant of an irrevocable undertaking of the Company to provide yes with a credit facility or capital investment in the amount of NIS 40 million for 14 months, as of July 1, 2024 until August 31, 2025, in lieu of a similar undertaking from May 2024. See Note 4.1 to the Consolidated Statements.
- 6.3 Regarding an impairment loss in respect of Bezeq International and yes, see Note 5 to the Consolidated Statements.
- 6.4 See Note 7.2 to the Consolidated Statements regarding the distribution of a dividend by the Company after the reported period.
- 6.5 For information about additional significant events after the reported period, see Note 15 to the Consolidated Statements.



# **Chapter E: Quarterly Report on the Effectiveness of Internal Control over Financial Reporting and Disclosure for the Period Ended June 30, 2024**



The information contained in this report constitutes a translation of the report published by the Company. The Hebrew version was submitted by the Company to the relevant authorities pursuant to Israeli law and represents the binding version and the only one having legal effect. This translation was prepared for convenience purposes only.

## 1. Report on internal control over financial reporting and disclosure:

### Quarterly report on the effectiveness of internal control over financial reporting and disclosure, pursuant to Regulation 38C(a) of the Securities Regulations (Periodic and Immediate Reports), 1970:

Management, under the supervision of the Board of Directors of Bezeq - The Israel Telecommunication Corporation Ltd. (the "Company"), is responsible for establishing and maintaining appropriate internal control over financial reporting and disclosure in the Company.

For this matter, the members of Management are:

1. Nir David, CEO
2. Meni Baruch, CTIO/VP Engineering
3. Erez Hasdai, VP Economics and Regulation
4. Amir Nachlieli, Legal Counsel
5. Tali Poleg, VP Marketing
6. Tobi Fischbein, CFO Bezeq Group
7. Moran Kita, VP Human Resources
8. Eyal Kamil, VP Operations and Logistics
9. Nurit Kantor, VP Private Customers Division
10. Daniel Shimoni, VP Business Customers Division
11. Tali Tuval, VP Corporate Communications<sup>1</sup>

In addition to the said members of Management, the following serve in the Company:

1. Lior Segal, Internal Auditor
2. Michal Kuperstein, Group Corporate Secretary and Internal Compliance Officer

Internal control over financial reporting and disclosure includes controls and procedures in the Company, which were planned by the CEO<sup>2</sup> and the most senior financial officer, or under their supervision, or by whoever fulfills those functions in practice, under the supervision of the Board of Directors of the Company, and were designed to provide reasonable assurance as to the reliability of the financial reporting and the preparation of the reports in accordance with the provisions of the law, and to ensure that information that the Company is required to disclose in the reports it publishes in accordance with the provisions of the law is collected, processed, summarized and reported on the date and in the format laid down in law.

Internal control includes, *inter alia*, controls and procedures planned to ensure that the information the Company is required to disclose as aforesaid, is accumulated and forwarded to the Management of the Company, including to the CEO and the most senior financial officer or to whoever fulfills those functions in practice, in order to enable decisions to be made at the appropriate time in relation to the disclosure requirements.

Due to its structural limitations, internal control over financial reporting and disclosure is not intended to provide absolute assurance that misstatement or omission of information from the reports will be prevented or will be detected.

In the quarterly report on the effectiveness of internal control over financial reporting and disclosure, that was attached to the quarterly report for the period ended March 31, 2024 (the "Last Quarterly Report on Internal Control"), internal control was found to be effective.

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<sup>1</sup> Tali Tuval began her term of office on June 17, 2024, replacing Guy Hadass who had announced he would be ending his term of office on May 21, 2024.

<sup>2</sup> Regarding the transfer of the CEO's authority in matters connected with investees of the Company to the Board of Directors – see Section 1.1.3 of the chapter "Description of Company Operations" in the Periodic Report for 2023.

Up to the reporting date, no event or matter was brought to the attention of the Board of Directors and Management that could change the evaluation of the effectiveness of internal control, as found in the Last Quarterly Report on Internal Control.

As of the reporting date, based on the Last Quarterly Report on Internal Control, and based on information that was brought to the attention of the Board of Directors and Management as aforesaid, internal control is effective.

Concerning the investigations of the Israel Securities Authority and the Israel Police, as detailed in section 1.1.5 of the Description of Company Operations chapter in this Report, the Company does not have complete information about the investigations (primarily regarding transactions involving the Company's former controlling shareholder and Chairman of the Board of Directors, Mr. Shaul Elovitch, with respect to the purchase of yes shares and provision of satellite communications services to yes), their content, or the material and evidence in the possession of the law enforcement authorities on this matter (although in January 2021 the Company received the core investigation material in connection with Case 4000, and although on February 1, 2024, the State of Israel and the Company signed a settlement for a conditional stay of proceedings in that case). Accordingly, the Company is unable to assess the full impact of the investigations, their findings and their outcome on the Company and on its financial statements. See in this regard Note 1.3 to the financial statements for 2023.

## 2. Declaration of Executives:

### A. Declaration of the CEO in accordance with Regulation 38C(d)(1) of the Securities Regulations (Periodic and Immediate Reports), 1970:

I, Nir David, declare that:

1. I have reviewed the quarterly report of Bezeq - The Israel Telecommunication Corporation Ltd. (the "Company") for the second quarter of 2024 (the "Reports").
2. To the best of my knowledge, the Reports do not contain any untrue statement of a material fact or omit to state a material fact necessary to make the statements made, in light of the circumstances under which such statements were made, not misleading with respect to the period of the Reports.
3. To the best of my knowledge, the financial statements and other financial information included in the Reports reflect fairly, in all material respects, the financial position, results of operations and cash flows of the Company as of the dates and for the periods presented in the Reports.
4. I have disclosed the following to the Independent Auditor of the Company, to the Company's Board of Directors, and to the Audit and the Financial Statements Review Committees of the Board of Directors of the Company, based on my most recent evaluation of internal control over financial reporting and disclosure:
  - A. All the significant deficiencies and material weaknesses in the design or operation of internal control over financial reporting and disclosure which are reasonably likely to adversely affect the Company's ability to collect, process, summarize or report financial information, in a way that could cast doubt on the reliability of the financial reporting and the preparation of the financial statements in accordance with the provisions of the law;
  - B. Any fraud, whether or not material, that involves the CEO or anyone directly subordinate to the CEO, or which involves other employees who have a significant role in the Company's internal control over financial reporting and disclosure.
5. I, alone or together with others in the Company:
  - A. Established controls and procedures, or ensured the establishment and maintaining of controls and procedures under my supervision, designed to ensure that material information relating to the Company, including its subsidiaries as defined in the Securities Regulations (Annual Financial Statements), 2010, is brought to my attention by others in the Company and in the subsidiaries, particularly during the period of preparation of the Reports;
  - B. Established controls and procedures, or ensured the establishment and maintaining of controls and procedures under my supervision, designed to provide reasonable assurance regarding the reliability of the financial reporting and the preparation of the financial statements in accordance with the provisions of the law, including in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles;
  - C. No event or matter that occurred in the period between the date of the last report (quarterly or periodic, as applicable) and this reporting date was brought to my attention that would change the conclusion of the Board of Directors and Management concerning the effectiveness of internal control over the Company's financial reporting and disclosure.

Nothing in the foregoing shall derogate from my responsibility or that of anyone else in law.

Date: August 6, 2024

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Nir David, CEO

**B. Declaration of the most senior financial officer in accordance with Regulation 38C(d)(2) of the Securities Regulations (Periodic and Immediate Reports), 1970:**

I, Tobi Fischbein, declare that:

1. I have reviewed the interim financial statements and other financial information included in the reports for the interim period of Bezeq - The Israel Telecommunication Corporation Ltd, (the "Company") for the second quarter of 2024 (the "Reports" or the "Reports for the Interim Period").
2. To the best of my knowledge, the interim financial statements and other financial information included in the Reports for the Interim Period do not contain any untrue statement of a material fact or omit to state a material fact necessary to make the statements made, in light of the circumstances under which such statements were made, not misleading with respect to the period of the Reports.
3. To the best of my knowledge, the financial statements and other financial information included in the Reports for the Interim Period reflect fairly, in all material respects, the financial position, results of operations and cash flows of the Company as of the dates and for the periods presented in the Reports:
4. I have disclosed the following to the Independent Auditor of the Company, to the Company's Board of Directors, and to the Audit and the Financial Statements Review Committees of the Board of Directors of the Company, based on my most recent evaluation of internal control over financial reporting and disclosure:
  - A. All significant deficiencies and material weaknesses in the design or operation of internal control over financial reporting and disclosure, insofar as relevant to the interim financial statements and other financial information included in the Reports for the Interim Period, which are reasonably likely to adversely affect the Company's ability to collect, process, summarize or report financial information, in a way that could cast doubt on the reliability of the financial reporting and the preparation of the financial statements in accordance with the provisions of the law;
  - B. Any fraud, whether or not material, that involves the CEO or anyone directly subordinate to the CEO, or which involves other employees who have a significant role in the Company's internal control over financial reporting and disclosure.
5. I, alone or together with others in the Company:
  - A. Established controls and procedures, or ensured the establishment and maintaining of controls and procedures under my supervision, designed to ensure that material information relating to the Company, including its subsidiaries as defined in the Securities Regulations (Annual Financial Statements), 2010, is brought to my attention by others in the Company and in the subsidiaries, particularly during the period of preparation of the Reports;
  - B. Established controls and procedures, or ensured the establishment and maintaining of controls and procedures under my supervision, designed to provide reasonable assurance regarding the reliability of the financial reporting and the preparation of the financial statements in accordance with the provisions of the law, including in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles;
  - C. No event or matter that occurred in the period between the date of the last report (quarterly or periodic, as applicable) and this reporting date was brought to my attention, in respect of the interim financial statements and any other financial information included in the Reports for the Interim Period, that would, in my opinion, change the conclusion of the Board of Directors and Management concerning the effectiveness of internal control over the Company's financial reporting and disclosure.

Nothing in the foregoing shall derogate from my responsibility or that of anyone else in law.

Date: August 6, 2024

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Tobi Fischbein, CFO Bezeq Group