



Further to the Cautionary Announcement dated 03 June 2022, the board of IBL (the "Board") wishes to inform the shareholders and the public in general that, on 23 June 2022, IBL's subsidiary, Mambo Retail Ltd ("Mambo Retail") entered into a share purchase agreement for the acquisition of a stake of 40.0% in Naivas International. IBL subscribed to 65.8% of Mambo Retail's capital (the "Transaction") which represents an effective stake of 26.3% in Naivas International. Naivas International is a private holding company, incorporated in Mauritius, and invests in the retail sector in Kenya through its wholly owned subsidiary Naivas Limited which is the leading Kenyan retail operator with a chain of modern supermarkets in Kenya.

The Board also wishes to confirm that the Transaction is a disclosable transaction pursuant to the requirements of Chapter 13 of the Listing Rules and the Listing Division of the Stock Exchange of Mauritius ("SEM") has, on 19 August 2022, approved the disclosable transaction circular (the "Circular").

The Circular can be consulted on the website of the SEM and that of IBL (https://www.iblgroup.com/investors). Copies of the Circular will also be available at  $4^{\text{th}}$  Floor, IBL House, Caudan Waterfront, Port Louis between 22 August 2022 and 5 September 2022 during business hours.

By order of the Board IBL Management Ltd Company Secretary

22 August 2022

This Communiqué is issued pursuant to Listing Rules 11.3 and 13.15(b), and Rule 5 of the Securities (Disclosure Obligations of Reporting Issuers) Rules 2007. The Board accepts full responsibility for the accuracy of the information contained in this Communiqué.

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