

# HALF YEAR FINANCIAL REPORT END OF JUNE 2009



#### Somfy S.A.

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# CONDENSED INTERIM CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

# I. CONSOLIDATED INCOME STATEMENT

€ thousands	Notes	30/06/09 six months	30/06/08 six months	31/12/08 <sup>3</sup> one year
SALES		391,387	390,700	749,353
Other operating income		4,054	2,117	8,618
Cost of sales		-126,635	-128,766	-251,166
Employee expenses		-119,134	-110,829	-225,480
External expenses		-63,887	-64,622	-130,003
EBITDA		85,785	88,599	151,322
Amortisation		-15,277	-11,442	-27,076
Charges / reversals to current provisions		-1,071	288	-50
CURRENT OPERATING RESULT		69,437	77,445	124,196
Other operating income and expenses	(1)	-505	58	-2,715
Goodwill impairment and writedown of allocated intangible assets	(6) (7)	-4,649	-169	-1,004
OPERATING RESULT		64,283	77,334	120,477
Financial income from investments		3,813	3,099	5,586
Debt related financial charges		-4,028	-2,707	-11,228
Net debt servicing cost		-215	392	-5,642
Other financial income and expenses		7,517	-755	-6,869
FINANCIAL RESULT	(2)	7,302	-363	-12,511
RESULT BEFORE TAX		71,585	76,971	107,966
Income tax	(3)	-14,737	-18,068	-23,869
Share of profit of equity accounted companies	(9)	-865	1,055	1,909
NET RESULT		55,983	59,957	86,006
Net profit - group share		56,899	59,512	85,299
Minority interests		-916	445	707
Earnings per share (€)	(4)	7.50	7.85	11.25
Diluted earnings per share ( $\in$ )	(4)	7.45	7.79	11.14

\* The goodwill of Zurflüh-Feller Group had been provisionally allocated in the 2008 annual financial statements. Additional allocation work was carried out within the allocation deadline, which led to a restatement of data at December 31<sup>st</sup>, 2008.

### **II. STATEMENT OF PERFORMANCE**

€ thousands	30/06/09	30/06/08
NET RESULT FOR THE PERIOD <sup>(1)</sup>	56,905	59,513
Movement in gains and losses on translation of foreign currency	1,710	-1,738
Movement in fair value of available-for-sale assets	1,507	1,516
Movement in fair value of interest rate hedges	-814	-
Movement in tax on income and expenses recognised directly in reserves	-423	-1,986
Other items of comprehensive income directly recognised to equity	1,980	-2,208
Net result recorded during the period	58,885	57,305
Group share	58,903	57,304
Attributable to minority interests	-18	1

(1) The net profit variance between the balance sheet and the income statement represents the recognition of put options granted to minority shareholders:  $\in$  922 thousand at June 30<sup>th</sup>, 2009 and  $\in$  444 thousand at June 30<sup>th</sup>, 2008.

## **III. CONSOLIDATED BALANCE SHEET**

ASSETS			€ thousands
NON-CURRENT ASSETS	Notes	30/06/09 Net	31/12/08* Net
Goodwill	(6)	141,880	136,161
Intangible assets	(7)	46,455	45,939
Property, plant and equipment	(8)	214,810	213,515
Equity accounted subsidiaries	(9)	59,890	59,228
Financial assets	(10)	264,913	261,949
Other receivables		4,161	3,619
Deferred tax assets		26,207	26,032
Employee benefits		32	34
TOTAL		758,348	746,477
CURRENT ASSETS			
Inventory	(11)	101,179	107,688
Trade receivables		170,814	141,264
Other receivables		21,857	12,636
Current tax assets		5,699	21,523
Financial assets	(10)	825	27,887
Derivative instruments		150	523
Cash and cash equivalents		51,866	54,168
TOTAL		352,390	365,688
TOTAL ASSETS		1,110,738	1,112,165

EQUITY AND LIABILITIES			€ thousands
SHAREHOLDERS' EQUITY	Notes	30/06/09	31/12/08*
Share capital Share premium Other reserves Profit for the year <i>Group share</i> Minority interests	(5)	7,837 1,866 627,596 56,899 <b>694,198</b> -884	7,837 1,866 575,989 85,299 <b>670,991</b> -812
TOTAL		693,314	670,179
NON-CURRENT LIABILITIES			
Non current provisions Other Financial liabilities Other liabilities Employee benefits Deferred tax liabilities Derivative instruments	(12) (13)	9,406 134,281 10,491 17,334 47,191 2,906	7,436 132,957 8,888 16,919 46,568 2,653
TOTAL		221,609	215,421
CURRENT LIABILITIES			
Current provisions Other Financial liabilities Trade payables Other liabilities Tax liabilities Derivative instruments	(12) (13)	4,866 41,861 73,597 66,375 8,224 892	6,449 81,206 76,546 56,957 3,395 2,011
TOTAL LIABILITIES		195,815	226,564
TOTAL EQUITY AND LIABILITIES		1,110,738	1,112,165

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# IV. CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN EQUITY

€ thousands												
	Capital <sup>(1)</sup>	Share premium		Capital gain / Fair value of assets held for disposal	Actuarial gains and losses	Interest rate hedges	Deferred tax	Exchange rate movement	Consolidated reserves and net profit	Total shareholders' equity	Minority	Total shareholders' equity (Group share)
AT DECEMBER 31 <sup>st</sup> , 2008	7,837	1,866	-41,637	27,555	-3,522	0	3,819	-6,088	680,349	670,179	-812	670,991
Income and expenses recorded during the year	-	-	-	1,507	-	-814	-423	1,710	56,905	58,885	-18	58,903
Treasury share transactions	-	-	216	-	-	-	-	-	265	481	0	481
Dividends	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-36,403	-36,403	-12	-36,391
Other movements (2)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	172	172	-42	214
AT JUNE 30 <sup>th</sup> , 2009	7,837	1,866	-41,421	29,062	-3,522	-814	3,396	-4,378	701,288	693,314	-884	694,198

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(2) Changes in group structure, translation adjustment on capital transactions.

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AT DECEMBER 31 <sup>st</sup> , 2007	7,837	1,866	-36,007	41,631	0	0	-698	-3,683	637,445	648,391	102	648,289
Income and expenses recorded during the year	-	-	-	1,516	-		- 1,986	-1,738	59,513	57,305	1	57,304
Treasury share transactions	-	-	-5,189	-	-			-	66	-5,123	0	-5,123
Dividends	-	-	-	-	-			-	-41,710	-41,710	0	-41,710
Other movements (2)	-	-	-	-	-			-	199	199	-2	201
AT JUNE 30 <sup>th</sup> , 2008	7,837	1,866	-41,196	43,147	0	0	-2,684	-5,421	655,513	659,062	101	658,961

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### V. CONSOLIDATED CASH FLOW STATEMENT

€ thousands	Notes	30/06/09 6 months	30/06/08 6 months	31/12/08 one year
OPERATING ACTIVITIES				
<b>Net profit</b> Depreciation and amortisation on fair value movement Charges to and reversals of provisions for liabilities Latent gains and losses on fair value movement Unrealised foreign exchange gains and losses		<b>55,983</b> 20,194 1,311 -1,308 147	<b>59,957</b> 11,546 85 1,076 97	<b>86,006</b> 27,992 -136 2,610 -378
Income and expenses related to stock options and similar items		2,048	1,600	3,920
Depreciation, amortisation, provisions and other non-cash items Profit on disposal of assets Share of net profit of associates Deferred tax expense		<b>22,392</b> 187 865 306	<b>14,404</b> 257 -1,055 -1,544	<b>34,008</b> 965 -1,909 4,862
Cash flow Net cost of financial indebtedness (excluding non-cash items) Dividends of non-consolidated companies Tax expense (excl. deferred tax) Change in working capital requirements Tax paid	(15)	<b>79,733</b> 897 -7,950 14,438 -19,403 6,050	<b>72,019</b> 848 -1,381 19,612 -35,899 -16,577	<b>123,932</b> 9,828 -1,381 19,008 -6,802 -37,822
NET CASH GENERATED FROM OPERATIONS (A)		73,765	38,622	106,763
INVESTING ACTIVITIES				
Cash out related to acquisitions - intangible assets and property, plant and equipment - non-current financial assets		-19,540 -259	-17,686 -6,526	-35,483 -77,313
Disposal-related proceeds : - intangible assets and property, plant and equipment - non-current financial assets		556 25	1,091 12	1,361 111
Change in current financial assets Acquisition of companies net of cash acquired Dividends paid by associates Dividends paid by non-consolidated companies Interest received	(5)	25,846 -6,969 186 1,830 1,748	1,271 -2,003 816 486 1,655	2,333 -75,065 816 4,441 3,505
NET CASH USED IN INVESTING ACTIVITIES (B)		3,423	-20,884	-175,294
FINANCING ACTIVITIES				
Increase in loans Reimbursement of loans Net increase in share capital		6,033 -44,331 350	91,019 -3,740 -	104,665 -10,056 -
Dividends paid Movement on treasury shares Interest paid		-36,403 250 -5,186	-41,710 -5,123 -3,007	-41,722 -5,632 -14,641
NET CASH GENERATED BY FINANCING ACTIVITIES (C)		-79,287	37,439	32,614
Impact of changes in foreign exchange rates on cash and cash equivalents (D)		841	115	-887
NET CASH OUTFLOW (A+B+C+D) CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS AT THE BEGINNING OF THE YEAR	(15)	-1,258 51,744	55,292 88,548	-36,804 88,548
CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS AT THE END OF THE YEAR	(15)	50,486	143,840	51,744

At June 30<sup>th</sup>, 2008, in order to initiate negotiations with CIAT's shareholders, Somfy had to block freeze totalling  $\in$  93 million on some of its own bank accounts, virtually all of which was drawn from its credit lines. These movements of funds markedly increased the "increase in borrowings" and "cash and cash equivalents – closing balance" captions. After correcting these items in the cash flow statement, the change in cash and cash equivalents would have been a decrease of  $\in$  37.8 million at June 30<sup>th</sup>, 2008.

### VI. NOTES TO THE INTERIM CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

#### Accounting rules and methods and consolidation scope

### **1. APPROVAL OF FINANCIAL STATEMENTS**

On August 31st, 2009, the Supervisory Board examined Somfy Group's condensed consolidated financial statements at June 30th, 2009.

### 2. HIGHLIGHTS

• Somfy Group elected to apply **hedge accounting** to financial instruments that comply with criteria defined by IFRS standards. This option solely relates to interest rate hedges (primarily variable rate to fixed rate swaps), which are instruments increasingly used by Somfy in order to hedge debt relating to LBO packages.

Since they are considered as cash flow hedges, in the meaning of IAS 39, the effective portion of the fair value of interest rate hedges recognised as eligible for hedge accounting is thus recognised under equity. The negative impact on equity was  $\in$  814 thousand at June 30<sup>th</sup>, 2009 ( $\in$  535 thousand net of deferred taxation).

The fair value of foreign exchange and interest rate hedging instruments that are not eligible for hedge accounting is recognised through profit and loss.

• At January 1<sup>st</sup>, 2008, Somfy took note of the loss of significant influence on the Faac company and decided to exclude it from its consolidation scope. Consequently, Somfy retained the dividends paid by Faac in its financial income at June  $30^{\text{th}}$ , 2009, for a total of  $\in$  6.1 million.

The dividends from Faac, distributed over the 2008 financial year, had been eliminated on consolidation in the 2008 financial year since they originated from the 2007 consolidated net profit.

• Somfy wrote down 50% ( $\in$  3.7 million) of the value of the acquisition goodwill of the Chinese company **LianDa** and recognised a  $\in$  2.0 million impairment on that of the Spanish company **Gaviota-Simbac**.

The effects of the economic crisis sharply affected **LianDa**, whose business model is based on sales to distributors, who have strongly reduced their inventories and as a result distorted its operations.

**Gaviota-Simbac** primarily markets its products in the Iberian Peninsula and felt the full effect of the slump in the Spanish market. It saw its sales decrease by 14.3% at December  $31^{st}$ , 2008 and by 27% over the first half-year 2009. Since Gaviota-Simbac is equity accounted, the  $\in$  2.0 million writedown was thus allocated to "income/loss from associates".

The impairment charges recognised are thus primarily due to the adjustment of the business plans of these two companies over the 1<sup>st</sup> half-year 2009, with other calculation assumptions remaining unchanged.

• The goodwill of **Zurflüh-Feller** Group had been provisionally allocated in the 2008 annual financial statements. Additional allocation work was carried out within the one-year allocation deadline.

The final residual goodwill after allocations was  $\in$  16.9 million. The financial statements at December 31<sup>st</sup>, 2008 were thus restated for all these items. Their impact on net profit reported at December 31<sup>st</sup>, 2008 was a negative  $\in$  665 thousand before tax and  $\in$  436 thousand after tax. (See Note 5 for details on the allocation carried out).

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#### 3. CHANGES IN CONSOLIDATION SCOPE

Somfy Activities made the acquisition:

• through its subsidiary BFT SpA, of the Italian company **O&O**, which manufactures lifting gates, rising bollards and sliding gates controls. It generates annual sales of about € 5 million.

Somfy acquired 62.5% of the share capital at a price of  $\notin$  4.9 million. As regards the remaining 37.5%, the parties agreed to a call and respectively put option.

This company was consolidated from the acquisition date (January 2009) and contributed  $\in$  1.7 million to group sales.

• through its US subsidiary HDI, the assets of **Energy Eye**, a Californian manufacturer of energy saving systems for the accommodation industry. Somfy invested USD 2.0 million. This company was consolidated from the acquisition date (May 2009) and contributed  $\in$  0.2 million to group sales.

• 40% of the share capital of **Oxygen Sarl (Astélia)** for € 1.6 million. This company, which is equity-accounted, has developed an emergency alerting system for elderly people who live at home. A call and respectively put option was included in the contract, concerning 50% in 2013 and 10% in 2019.

## 4. ACCOUNTING RULES AND METHODS

#### 4.1. New applicable standards and interpretations

The interim financial statements at June 30<sup>th</sup>, 2009 were prepared in accordance with the principles of IAS34 "Interim financial reporting". Accounting rules and methods are identical to those used in the preparation of the consolidated financial statements at December 31<sup>st</sup>, 2008, except for the following standards, amendments and interpretations adopted by the European Union, whose application became compulsory from January 1<sup>st</sup>, 2009 but had no impact on the Group's interim financial statements:

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- Amendments to IFRS2 "Vesting conditions and cancellations" applicable from January 1<sup>st</sup>, 2009,

- Amendments to IAS23 (revised) "Borrowing costs" applicable from July  $1^{\rm st},\,2009,\,$ 

- Amendments to IAS32" Puttable financial instruments and obligations arising on liquidation" applicable from January 1<sup>st</sup>, 2009,

- Amendments to IFRS1/IAS27 "Cost of an investment in a Subsidiary, a jointly-controlled company or an associate in the Separate Financial Statements" applicable from January 1<sup>st</sup>, 2009,

- Revised IAS1 "Presentation of financial statements" applicable from January 1<sup>st</sup>, 2009,

- IFRIC13 interpretation "Customer loyalty programmes" applicable from January 1<sup>st</sup>, 2009,

- IFRIC14 interpretation "Limit on a defined benefit asset, minimum funding requirements and their interaction" applicable from January 1<sup>st</sup>, 2009,

- Improvements to IFRS (May 2008) - except IFRS5 – applicable from January 1<sup>st</sup>, 2009,

- IFRIC15 interpretation "Agreements for the Construction of Real Estate" applicable from January 1<sup>st</sup>, 2009.

The Group opted for the early application from January 1<sup>st</sup>, 2008 of IFRS 8 "Operating segments", which replaced IAS 14 "Segment reporting".

The application of IAS1 had a limited impact on the presentation of the financial statements at June 30<sup>th</sup>, 2009. Since the Group had opted at December 31<sup>st</sup>, 2008 to recognise actuarial gains and losses in reserves, it presented the SORIE, which was replaced at June 30<sup>th</sup>, 2009 by the "Statement of performance".

Only the statement of changes in equity changed due to this new standard. The effect of restatements affecting reserves were analysed by nature (movement in fair value of AFS, actuarial gains and losses on pension benefits, related deferred taxation...).

The following other standards, already published and for subsequent compulsory application were not applied early:

- Revised IFRS3 "Business combinations" applicable from July  $1^{\,\rm st},\,2009,$ 

- Amendments to IAS27 "Consolidated and separate financial statements" applicable from July 1<sup>st</sup>, 2009,

- Amendments to IFRIC9 – IAS39 "Reassessment of embedded derivatives" (not yet adopted by the European Union),

- Amendments to IFRS7 – Improvements to financial instrument disclosures (not yet adopted by the European Union),

- Amendment to IAS39 "Eligible hedged items" applicable from July 1<sup>st</sup>, 2009, (not yet adopted by the European Union),

- IFRIC12 interpretation "Service concession agreements" applicable from March 30<sup>th</sup>, 2009,

- IFRIC16 interpretation "Hedges of an net investment in a foreign operation" applicable from July 1<sup>st</sup>, 2009,

- IFRIC17 interpretation "Distributions of non-cash assets to owners" applicable from July 1<sup>st</sup>, 2009,

- IFRIC18 interpretation "Transfer of assets from customers" applicable from July 1<sup>st</sup>, 2009,

- Amendments to IFRS2 "Group cash-settled share-based payment transactions" applicable from January 1<sup>st</sup>, 2010, (not yet adopted by the European Union),

- Amendments to IFRSs (April 2009) applicable from January 1<sup>st</sup>, 2010, (not yet adopted by the European Union).

The condensed interim consolidated financial statements do not contain all disclosures and notes included in full-year financial statements. As a result, they must be read in conjunction with the Group's consolidated financial statements at December 31<sup>st</sup>, 2008.

The Group's consolidated financial statements for the year ended December 31<sup>st</sup>, 2008 are available upon request from head office.

# 4.2. Change of method for the presentation of the income statement

In order to improve the quality of information, the following two changes were made to the presentation of Somfy Group's income statement since December 31<sup>st</sup>, 2008:

- Addition of a much used aggregate within Somfy Group: **EBITDA**, which represents profit from operations before current intangible asset amortisation, property, plant and equipment depreciation and provision charges.

- Recognition of intangible asset amortisation allocated as part of business combinations (IFRS3) under "goodwill impairment". Since the value of such amortisation significantly increased, following the various acquisitions made by the Group, it became important to exclude this from profit from operations in order to retain a fair financial view of the Group.

### 5. SEASONALITY

Somfy Group usually achieves about 55% of its sales in the first half of the year.

## VII. CHANGES IN CONSOLIDATION SCOPE

The Group opted for the early application at January 1<sup>st</sup> of IFRS 8 "Operating segments", which replaced IAS 14 "Segment reporting".

On January 1<sup>st</sup>, 2008, the Group re-organised into two separate divisions:

- Somfy Activities, which brings together companies dedicated to the Group's three core businesses, "Roller Shutters & Awnings", "Service Sector and Interior Blinds" and "Gates and Garage Doors".
- **Somfy Participations** which is dedicated to investing in industrial companies that do not relate to Somfy's core business. This division holds Participations in agta-record, Cotherm, Faac, Gaviota-Simbac, Zurflüh-Feller, CIAT and Sirem.

Several operating segments are followed within Somfy Activities. However, in accordance with the combination criteria specified in the IFRS 8 standard, they were brought together in a single reporting segment.

There were no differences between the accounting policies used for the reporting segments and those used by the Group.

€ thousands	Somfy Activities	Somfy Participations	Other*	Inter-Segment	Consolidated
AT JUNE 30 <sup>th</sup> , 2009					
Segment sales	343,796	48,079	-	-488	391,38
Segment profit (current operating result)	65,886	3,650	-99	-	69,43
Share of net profit of equity-accounted companies	-44	-821	-	-	-86
Cash flow	65,419	14,565	-251	-	79,73
Intangible and tangible investments	16,878	1,920	-	-	18,79
Goodwill	102,330	39,550	-	-	141,88
Net intangible and tangible assets	201,173	60,092	-	-	261,26
Non-consolidated shares	80	207,264	-	-	207,34
Equity accounted companies	3,517	56,373	-	-	59,89
AT JUNE 30 <sup>th</sup> , 2008					
Segment sales	376,086	14,614	-	-	390,70
Segment profit (current operating result)	75,436	1,868	-28	-	77,27
Share of net profit of equity-accounted companies	110	945	-	-	1,05
Cash flow	69,764	2,582	-327	-	72,0
Intangible and tangible investments	19,191	525	-	-	19,7 <sup>-</sup>
Goodwill	94,035	10,016	-	-	104,0
Net intangible and tangible assets	187,956	6,356	-	-	194,3 <sup>-</sup>
Non-consolidated shares	67	205,429	-	-	205,49
Equity accounted companies	2,585	19,512	-	-	22,09
AT DECEMBER 31 <sup>st</sup> , 2008					
Segment sales	691,008	58,888	-	-543	749,35
Segment profit (current operating result)	117,645	6,273	-61	-	123,85
Share of net profit of equity-accounted companies	-260	2,169	-		1,90
Cash flow	117,378	4,735	1,819	-	123,93
Intangible and tangible investments	41,186	6,466	-	-	47,6
Goodwill	96,465	39,696	-	-	136,10
Net intangible and tangible assets	197,297	62,157	-	-	259,4
Non-consolidated shares	65	204,230	-	-	204,29
Equity accounted companies	1,944	57,284	-	-	59,22

\* The "Other" column includes costs that are neither attributable to Somfy Activities nor to Somfy Participations.

## VII. CHANGES IN CONSOLIDATION SCOPE

#### INTANGIBLE ASSETS AND PROPERTY, PLANT AND EQUIPMENT BY ASSET LOCATION

€ thousands	30/06/09	30/06/08	31/12/08
France	121,241	118,804	120,936
Germany	8,905	9,834	9,347
Northern Europe	2,816	3,140	2,768
Eastern & Central Europe	2,064	1,858	2,132
Southern Europe	56,633	47,300	54,046
Asia Pacific	4,025	3,019	3,788
Americas	5,489	4,001	4,280
SOMFY ACTIVITIES	201,173	187,956	197,297
SOMFY PARTICIPATIONS	60,092	6,356	62,157
CONSOLIDATED SOMFY	261,265	194,312	259,454

#### SALES DISTRIBUTION BY CUSTOMERS' LOCATION

€ thousands	30/06/09 six months	30/06/08 six months	Variance N/N-1	Variance N/N-1 at constant rate	31/12/08 one year
France	106,549	109,841	-3.0%	-3.0%	200,830
Germany	50,359	50,477	-0.2%	-0.3%	95,717
Northern Europe	46,118	55,770	-17.3%	-13.3%	92,035
Eastern & Central Europe	24,413	26,071	-6.4%	-2.0%	54,822
Southern Europe	66,417	78,394	-15.3%	-15.0%	139,446
Asia Pacific	18,501	20,672	-10.5%	-12.5%	43,166
Americas	31,423	34,861	-9.9%	-16.8%	64,988
SOMFY ACTIVITIES	343,780	376,086	-8.6%	-8.4%	691,004
SOMFY PARTICIPATIONS	47,607	14,614	225.8%	-21.0%	58,349
CONSOLIDATED SOMFY	391,387	390,700	0.2%	-8.9%	749,353

Sales distribution by customers' location is information generally used within Somfy Group.

### **VIII. NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS**

## **1. OTHER OPERATING REVENUES**

€ thousands	30/06/09 six months	30/06/08 six months	31/12/08 one year
Depreciation/reversal to non-current provisions	71	668	-1,108
Other non-current items	-388	-354	-627
– Non-current income	509	731	816
– Non-current charges	-897	-1,085	-1,443
Net loss on disposal of assets	-188	-256	-980
OTHER OPERATING INCOME AND EXPENSES	-505	58	-2,715

At June 30th, 2008 and 2009, virtually all non-current expenses were covered by provision reversals.

At December 31<sup>st</sup>, 2008, non-current provision charges and non-current expenses primarily included the costs of restructuring carried out within the Group.

# 2. FINANCIAL INCOME/(EXPENSE)

€ thousands	30/06/09	30/06/08	31/12/08
	six months	six months	one year
Net borrowing costs	-215	<b>392</b>	-5,642
– Financial income from investments	3,813	<i>3,099</i>	5,586
– Financial expenses related to borrowings	-4,028	<i>-2,707</i>	-11,228
Effect of foreign currency translation	-617	-261	-3,195
Other FINANCIAL RESULT	8,134	-494	-3,674
	<b>7,302</b>	- <b>363</b>	<b>-12,511</b>

Somfy took note of the loss of significant influence on the Faac company and decided to exclude it from its consolidation scope from January 1<sup>st</sup>, 2008. Consequently, Somfy retained the dividends paid by Faac in its financial income at June 30<sup>th</sup>, 2009, for a total of  $\in$  6.1 million.

At December 31<sup>st</sup>, 2008, the deterioration in the net financial expense was due to a loss on the settlement of an equity swap contract relating to non-group securities ( $\in$  4.8 million), negative fair values relating to both interest rate hedges ( $\in$  2.5 million) and foreign exchange hedges ( $\in$  1.7 million), and interest relating to LBO debt, partly offset by interest on the debenture loan (mezzanine) granted by Somfy SA to CIAT.

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## **3. CURRENT AND DEFERRED TAX**

€ thousands	30/06/09 six months	30/06/08 six months	31/12/08 one year
Profit before tax	71,585	76,970	107,966
<ul> <li>Share of expenses and charges on dividends</li> <li>Dividends of non-consolidated companies</li> <li>Other</li> <li>Permanent differences</li> </ul>	2,147 -7,930 -1,136 <b>-6,919</b>	2,825 -1,382 -789 <b>654</b>	3,537 -1,382 355 <b>2,510</b>
Net profit taxed at reduced rate*	-7,203	-7,395	-13,419
Net profit taxable at standard rate Tax rate in France	<b>57,463</b> <i>34.40 %</i>	<b>70,229</b> <i>34.40 %</i>	<b>97,057</b> <i>34.40 %</i>
Tax charge recalculated at the French standard rate	19,767	24,159	33,388
Tax at reduced rate *	1,116	1,146	2,080
- Difference in standard rate in foreign countries - Tax losses for the year, unrecognised in previous periods, deficits used Effect of the rate difference	-9,057 2,138 <b>-6,919</b>	-7,287 -19 <b>-7,306</b>	-12,913 1,084 <b>-11,829</b>
Tax credits	-213	-253	-1,096
Other taxes and miscellaneous	986	322	1,326
Group tax Effective tax Current income tax	<b>14,737</b> 20.59 % <b>14,431</b>	<b>18,068</b> 23.47 % <b>19,612</b>	<b>23,869</b> 22.11 % <b>19,007</b>
Deferred tax	306	-1,544	4,862

\* Royalties are taxed at a restricted rate of 15.5 %.

# 4. EARNINGS PER SHARE

NET EARNINGS PER SHARE	30/06/09	30/06/08	31/12/08
	six months	six months	one year
Net profit - Group share (in $\in$ thousands)	56,899	59,512	85,299
Total number of shares (1)	7,836,800	7,836,800	7,836,800
Treasury shares* (2)	254,628	253,095	257,230
Number of shares used for calculation (1-2)	7,582,172	7,583,705	7,579,570
BASIC EARNINGS PER SHARE (€)	7.50	7.85	11.25

\* represent all treasury shares held by Somfy SA.

NET EARNINGS PER SHARE - DILUTED	30/06/09 six months	30/06/08 six months	31/12/08 one year
Net profit - Group share (in € thousands)	56,899	59,512	85,299
Total number of shares issued (1)	7,836,800	7,836,800	7,836,800
Treasury shares* (2)	178,760	196,460	176,452
Number of shares used for calculation (1-2)	7,640,340	7,640,340	7,660,348
DILUTED EARNINGS PER SHARE (€)	7.45	7.79	11.14

\* excluding treasury shares allocated to stock option plan.

Treasury shares acquired by Somfy SA and allocated to share option plans at the balance sheet date contribute towards diluted earnings per share.

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## **5. BUSINESS COMBINATIONS AND ACQUISITIONS OF MINORITY INTERESTS**

#### Acquisitions of the first half-year 2009

#### Somfy Activities made the acquisition:

• through its subsidiary BFT SpA, of the Italian company **O&O**, which manufactures lifting gates, rising bollards and sliding gates controls. It generates annual sales of about € 5 million.

Somfy acquired 62.5% of the share capital at a price of  $\in$  4.9 million. As regards the remaining 37.5%, the parties agreed to a call and respectively put option.

This company was consolidated from the acquisition date (January 2009) and contributed € 1.7 million to group sales.

• through its US subsidiary HDI, the assets of **Energy Eye**, a Californian manufacturer of energy saving systems for the accommodation industry. Somfy invested USD 2.0 million.

This company was consolidated from the acquisition date (May 2009) and contributed € 0.2 million to group sales.

• 40% of the share capital of **Oxygen Sarl (Astélia)** for  $\in$  1.6 million. This company, which is equity-accounted, has developed an emergency alerting system for elderly people who live at home. A call and respectively put option was included in the contract, concerning 50% in 2013 and 10% in 2019.

The fair value of the identifiable assets and liabilities of these companies at the acquisition date was virtually identical to their net book value. These values are liable to change during the allocation period.

The table below lists the assets and liabilities of companies acquired during the period.

€ thousands	Fair value at acquisition date
Goodwill	8,744
Net intangible assets	28
Net property, plant and equipment	222
Net financial assets	12
Other non-current receivables	0
Deferred tax asset	139
Inventory	1,761
Trade receivables	1,393
Other current receivables	89
Current tax assets	0
Other current financial assets	0
Cash and cash equivalents net	-61
Non-current provisions	-3
Other non-current financial liabilities	-251
Other non-current liabilities	-2,475
Employee benefits	-352
Deferred tax	-39
Current provisions	-206
Other current financial liabilities	-463
Trade payables	-1,148
Other current liabilities	-355
Current tax liabilities	-92
Equity accounted companies	-39
Minority	4
Acquisition cost	6,908
Less : cash acquired	61
CASH FLOW FROM ACQUISITION NET OF CASH ACQUIRED	6,969

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#### Acquisition of the 2008 financial year

The goodwill of **Zurflüh-Feller** group had been provisionally allocated in the 2008 annual financial statements. Additional allocation work was carried out within the one-year allocation deadline, in relation to:

• On the one hand, the valuation, carried out by a external expert, of the property complex. The market values thus established led us to recognise a capital loss of  $\in$  11.5 million compared to historic values ( $\in$  7.5 million, net of deferred taxation). This fair value is due to the current unfavourable economic background, the existence of significant available land in the city where Zurflüh-Feller is based and a dull business property market;

• On the other hand, the depreciation periods for tools and machinery were reviewed based on their useful economic life. Those retroactive restatement increased the net book value of non-current assets by  $\in$  4.6 million ( $\in$  3.0 million net of deferred taxation);

• Lastly, a "customer service" recognised as an intangible asset for  $\in$  19.9 million ( $\in$  13.0 million net of deferred taxation). This asset is amortised over 15 years.

The final residual goodwill after allocations was  $\in$  16.9 million. The financial statements at December 31<sup>st</sup>, 2008 were thus restated for all these items. Their impact on net profit reported at December 31<sup>st</sup>, 2008 was a negative  $\in$  665 thousand before tax and  $\in$  436 thousand after tax.

#### SUMMARY BALANCE SHEET OF ZURFLÜH-FELLER AFTER FINAL GOODWILL ALLOCATION

Equity before restatements	Restatements	Equity after restatements
91	19,953	20,044
35,307	-6,947	28,360
73		73
777	2,624	3,401
7,270		7,270
20,493		20,493
6,859		6,859
-773		-773
-1,783	-7,087	-8,869
-42,406		-42,406
-19,864		-19,864
6,044	8,543	14,587
		28,950
		2,556
		16,919
	91           35,307           73           777           7,270           20,493           6,859           -773           -1,783           -42,406           -19,864	restatements         Hestatements           91         19,953           35,307         -6,947           73         -6,947           73         2,624           7,270         20,493           6,859         -773           -1,783         -7,087           -42,406         -19,864

The net profit reported at December 31<sup>st</sup>, 2008 was thus adversely affected in the amount of  $\in$  436 thousand, primarily relating to the amortisation of intangible assets recognised as part of the business combination:

€ thousands		
NET PROFIT REPORTED AT DECEMBER 31st, 2008	85,735	
EFFECT OF THE ZURFLÜH-FELLER BUSINESS COMBINATIO	-436	
RESTATED NET PROFIT AT DECEMBER 31st, 2008	85,299	

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## **6. ACQUISITION GOODWILL**

$\in$ thousands	Value
At January 1 <sup>st</sup> , 2009	136,161
Impact of changes in group structure	7,644
Impact of movements in foreign exchange rates	589
Other movements	1,235
Impairment charge	-3,749
AT JUNE 30 <sup>th</sup> , 2009	141,880

The opening goodwill was reduced by € 8,543 thousand following the final allocation of the Zurflüh-Feller goodwill.

#### Impairment test

The effects of the economic crisis sharply affected LianDa, whose business model is based on sales to distributors, who have strongly reduced their inventories and as a result distorted its operations.

Following this impairment indication, the long term plans were reviewed downwards by the management team, which led Somfy Group to write down 50% of the acquisition goodwill of this company ( $\in$  3.7 million).

The value in use of LianDa was established based on the discounted cash flow method (cash flow measured over 5 years). Cash flows were assessed on the basis of budgets and revised long-term plans and were projected over several years, using a specific 2.0% growth rate and 12.2% discount rate.

Sensitivity analyses, updated at June 30<sup>th</sup>, 2009, carried out on other acquisition goodwill did not call into question the findings at December 31<sup>st</sup>, 2008.

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# 7. INTANGIBLE ASSETS

€ thousands	Allocated intangible assets	Development costs	Patents and brands	Software	Other	In progress and advance payments	Total
Gross value at January 1 <sup>st</sup>	24,782	14,127	2,385	26,988	730	4,124	73,136
Additions	1,406	-	26	460	134	2,079	4,105
Disposals	-	-	-4	-105	-4	-	-113
Effect of change in foreign exchange rates	45	-	-	-11	1	-3	32
Change in scope of consolidation	-	-	3	50	148	-	201
Other movements	-	171	-	2,342	-	-2,508	5
AT JUNE 30 <sup>th</sup> , 2009	26,233	14,298	2,410	29,724	1,009	3,692	77,366
Accumulated amortisation at January 1 <sup>st</sup>	-2,384	-4,198	-1,140	-18,965	-510	0	-27,197
Amortisation change for the year	-899	-1,187	-46	-1,313	-155	-	-3,600
Disposals	-	-	4	36	-	-	40
Effect of change in foreign exchange rates	8	-	-	11	-1	-	18
Change in scope of consolidation	-	-	-2	-48	-121	-	-171
Other movements	-	-74	74	-1	-	-	-1
AT JUNE 30 <sup>th</sup> , 2009	-3,275	-5,459	-1,110	-20,280	-787	0	-30,911
NET AMOUNT AT JUNE 30 <sup>th</sup> , 2009	22,958	8,839	1,300	9,444	222	3,692*	46,455

\* of which  $\in$  3,256 thousand of current development expenses.

Other movements in development costs represent transfers from in-progress to development costs.

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## 8. PROPERTY, PLANT AND EQUIPMENT

€ thousands	Land	Buildings	Machinery and tools	Other	Work in progress and advance payments	Total
Gross value at January 1 <sup>st</sup>	17,961	117,647	221,132	41,726	10,508	408,974
Additions	14	173	4,981	1,343	8,182	14,693
Disposals	-4	-204	-2,458	-905	-	-3,571
Effect of change in foreign exchange rates	-8	-49	-181	83	-11	-166
Change in scope consolidation	0	83	215	864	3	1,165
Other movements	52	3,648	5,086	199	-8,956	29
AT JUNE 30 <sup>th</sup> , 2009	18,015	121,298	228,775	43,310	9,726	421,124
Accumulated depreciation at January 1 <sup>st</sup>	-121	-36,567	-132,278	-26,493	0	-195,459
Depreciation charge for the year	-46	-2,301	-8,492	-2,006	-	-12,845
Disposals	4	248	1,991	653	-	2,896
Effect of change in foreign exchange rates	-	36	91	-57	-	70
Change in scope consolidation	-	-14	-201	-728	-	-943
Other movements	-	-	9	-42	-	-33
AT JUNE 30 <sup>th</sup> , 2009	-163	-38,598	-138,880	-28,673	0	-206,314
NET AMOUNT AT JUNE 30th, 2009	17,852	82,700	89,895	14,637	9,726	214,810

The net book value of property, plant and equipment relating to changes in group structure was € 222 thousand.

# 9. EQUITY-ACCOUNTED COMPANIES

€ thousands	30/06/09	31/12/08
Equity accounted companies at the beginning of the year	59,228	153,049
Changes in scope of consolidation (*)	1,616	36,187
Share of profit for the period (**)	-865	1,909
Other (***)	-	-131,191
Dividends paid	-186	-816
Changes in exchange rate	97	90
EQUITY ACCOUNTED COMPANIES AT THE END OF THE YEAR	59,890	59,228

(\*) Acquisition of 40% of CIAT Group over HY2 2008 and of Oxygen Sarl (Astélia) early in 2009.

(\*\*) Includes a € 2.0 million goodwill impairment charge relating to Gaviota Simbac. (\*\*\*) Deconsolidation of Faac from January 1<sup>st</sup>, 2008, now considered as an asset held for disposal.

The acquisition goodwill of **Gaviota-Simbac**, which is equity-accounted, was written down by  $\in$  2.0 million at June 30<sup>th</sup>, 2009. This company primarily markets its products in the Iberian peninsula and felt the full effect of the slump in the Spanish market. It saw its sales decrease by 14.3% at December 31<sup>st</sup>, 2008 and by 27% over the first half-year 2009.

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## **10. FINANCIAL ASSETS**

€ thousands	30/06/09	31/12/08
Available-for-sale financial assets	207,349	231,706
- Non-consolidated shares	207,344	204,295
– Marketable securities	5	27,411
Mezzanine Loans (*)	49,717	49,717
Loans (**)	5,856	6,139
Other	2,816	2,274
NON-CURRENT AND CURRENT FINANCIAL ASSETS	265,738	289,836
Due within one year	825	27,887
NON-CURRENT FINANCIAL ASSETS	264,913	261,949

(\*) Somfy SA issued a mezzanine bond issue for the benefit of CIAT, for a nominal value of  $\in$  48.0 million.

(\*\*) including a three-year advance granted by Somfy SA to CIAT, for a nominal value of  $\in$  5.0 million.

The significant decline in current financial assets was due to the liquidation of virtually all positions held by Somfy over the first half-year 2009, in order to offset drawdowns on credit facilities.

Non-consolidated shares notably include:

• A 40% investment in the share capital of Faac. This company was equity-accounted until January 1<sup>st</sup>, 2008. It is now considered as an available-for-sale asset and valued at  $\in$  141.0 million. The variance between the fair value and the carrying value was  $\in$  12.9 million ( $\in$  10.7 million net of deferred taxation) at June 30<sup>th</sup>, 2009.

• A 32.95% investment in the share capital of agta-record, valued at  $\in$  62.0 million at the stock exchange price of June 30<sup>th</sup>, 2009. The cumulative capital gain thus generated since the acquisition date is thus  $\in$  16.2 million ( $\in$  15.9 million net of deferred taxation)

## **11. INVENTORIES**

Inventory provisions	-8,564	-476	-4	-292	-9,336
€ thousands	Value at 31/12/08	Net charges	Exchange rate movement	Other movements	Value at 30/06/09
NET VALUE	101,179	107,688			
Provisions	-9,336	-8,564			
TOTAL	110,515	116,252			
Finished products and merchandise	73,718	74,934			
Raw material and other supplies	36,797	41,318			
Gross					
€ thousands	30/06/09	31/12/08			

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## **12. PROVISIONS**

NON-CURRENT PROVISIONS	€ thousands	Provisions for guarantees	Provisions for litigation	Provisions for employee facility	Provisions for risks and other charges	Total 2009
At January 1 <sup>st</sup>		3,432	1,337	704	1,963	7,436
Expenses		-316	1,138	27	547	1,396
Used reversals		-	-	-3	-19	-22
Unused reversals		-	-60	-	-4	-64
Impact of variations in foreign exchange rate		5	-	-	5	10
Other movements		1	-	3	646	650
AT JUNE 30 <sup>th</sup> , 2009		3,122	2,415	731	3,138	9,406

Provisions charges, net of reversals, used or unused had an  $\in$  836 thousand negative impact on profit from operations. Other operating income and expenses had a positive impact of  $\in$  474 thousand.

CURRENT PROVISIONS	€ thousands	Provisions for guarantees	Provisions for litigation	Provisions for risks and other charges	Total 2009
At January 1 <sup>st</sup>		2,687	835	2,927	6,449
Expenses		-321	110	154	-57
Used reversals		-	-179	-737	-916
Unused reversals		-	-58	-134	-192
Impact of variations in foreign exchange rate		6	-	19	25
Other movements		55	-199	-299	-443
AT JUNE 30 <sup>th</sup> , 2009		2,427	509	1,930	4,866

Provisions charges, net of reversals, used or unused had an  $\in$  397 thousand negative impact on profit from operations. Other operating income and expenses had a negative impact of  $\in$  768 thousand.

# **13. FINANCIAL LIABILITIES**

€ thousands	30/06/09	31/12/08
Borrowings from credit institutions	135,403	170,863
Lease commitments	40,246	42,517
Other borrowings and financial liabilities	493	783
NON-CURRENT AND CURRENT FINANCIAL DEBTS	176,142	214,163
Due within one year	41,861	81,206
NON-CURRENT FINANCIAL LIABILITIES	134,281	132,957

At December 31<sup>st</sup>, 2008, **Zurflüh-Feller** did not meet its covenants. As a result, the LBO-related debt of  $\in$  32.0 million was reclassified in full as a current liability. These covenants were renegotiated with the lead underwriter over the first half-year 2009, resulting in the reclassification of the debt as non-current at June 30<sup>th</sup>, 2009.

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## **14. NET DEBT**

€ thousands	30/06/09	31/12/08
Financial liabilities	176,142	214,163
Financial assets	56,359	83,574
– Marketable securities	5	27,411
– Mezzanine loans *	49,717	49,717
– Other **	6,637	6,446
Cash and cash equivalents	51,866	54,168
NET FINANCIAL DEBT	67,917	76,421

(\*) Somfy SA issued a mezzanine bond issue for the benefit of CIAT, for a nominal value of  $\in$  48.0 million. (\*\*) including a three-year advance granted by Somfy SA to CIAT, for a nominal value of  $\in$  5.0 million.

# **15. ANALYSIS OF CASH FLOW STATEMENT**

#### **15.1 NET CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS**

€ thousands	30/06/09	31/12/08	30/06/08
CASH AT THE BEGINNING OF THE YEAR	51,744	88,548	88,548
Cash and cash equivalents	54,168	89,398	89,398
Bank overdrafts	-2,424	-850	-850
CASH AT THE END OF THE YEAR	<b>50,486</b>	<b>51,744</b>	<b>143,840</b>
Cash and cash equivalents	51,866	54,168	146,819
Bank overdrafts	-1,380	-2,424	-2,979

#### **15.2 CHANGE IN WORKING CAPITAL REQUIREMENTS**

€ thousands	30/06/09	31/12/08
Net movement in inventories	8,661	535
Net movement in trade receivables	-28,314	10,702
Movement in trade payables	-3,967	-15,942
Movement in other receivables and liabilities	4,217	-2,097
MOVEMENT IN WORKING CAPITAL REQUIREMENTS	-19,403	-6,802

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# **16. ASSOCIATES**

Associates are companies over which the Group has a significant influence and which are consolidated using the equity method. Transactions with associates are made on market terms.

€ thousands	30/06/09	30/06/08	31/12/08
Sales	1,277	2,705	3,655
Other revenues	147	217	367
Purchases of good	946	1,074	1,914
Other charges	42	10	29
Interest received	2,072	19	1,858
Trade receivables	1,503	2,560	2,091
Trade payables	633	496	360
Interest receivable	2,000	-	-
Loans	5,781	800	5,919
Debenture loan	49,717	-	49,717

## **17. DIVIDENDS PROPOSED**

The net dividend proposed at the AGM of May  $13^{th}$ , 2009 called to approve the 2008 financial statements was  $\in$  4.80. It was paid on May  $27^{th}$ , 2009.

## **18. CONSOLIDATION SCOPE**

#### All companies' exercises are closed on December 31st.

Company name	Head office	% controled 30/06/09	% held 30/06/09	
Somfy SA	Cluses ( France )	(parent company)	(parent company)	(parent company)
FULLY CONSOLIDATED COMPANIES				
Somfy SAS	Cluses (France)	100.00	100.00	100.00
Spirel SAS	St Rémy de Maurienne (France)	100.00	100.00	100.00
CMC SARL	Cluses (France)	100.00	100.00	100.00
Somfybat SNC	Cluses (France)	100.00	100.00	100.00
Domis SA	Rumilly (France)	100.00	100.00	100.00
Domaster SAS	Cluses (France)	100.00	100.00	100.00
SITEM SARL	Tunis (Tunisia)	100.00	100.00	100.00
SITEM Services	Tunis (Tunisia)	100.00	100.00	100.00
Somfy Ltd	Yeadon (England)	100.00	100.00	100.00
PD Technology Ltd	Bradford (England)	100.00	100.00	100.00
Somfy PTY Ltd	Rydalmere (Australia)	100.00	100.00	100.00
NV Somfy SA	Zaventem (Belgium)	100.00	100.00	100.00
Somfy Brazil LTDA	Sao Paulo (Brazil)	100.00	100.00	100.00
Somfy GmbH	Rottenburg (Germany)	100.00	100.00	100.00
Sun Protection Technology GmbH	Rottenburg (Germany)	100.00	100.00	100.00
Somfy GmbH	Elsbethen-Glasenbach (Austria)	100.00	100.00	100.00
Somfy KFT	Budapest (Hungary)	100.00	100.00	100.00
Somfy Sp zoo	Varsovie (Poland)	100.00	100.00	100.00
Somfy Spol sro	Praha (Czech Republic)	100.00	100.00	100.00
SC Somfy SRL	Brasov (Rumania)	100.00	100.00	100.00
Somfy Russia LLC	Moscou (Russia)	100.00	100.00	100.00
Somfy Latvia SIA	Riga (Latvia)	100.00	100.00	100.00

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All companies' exercises are closed on December 31st

Company name	Head office	% controled 30/06/09	% held 30/06/09	% held 31/12/08
Somfy Joo	Seoul (Korea)	100.00	100.00	100.00
Somfy Italia SrL	Trezzano sul Naviglio (Italy)	100.00	100.00	100.00
Somfy BV	Hoofddorp (Netherlands)	100.00	100.00	100.00
Somfy Espana SA	Barcelona (Spain)	100.00	100.00	100.00
Somfy Systems Inc.	Cranbury NJ (United States)	100.00	100.00	100.00
Somfy AG	Bassersdorf (Switzerland)	100.00	100.00	100.00
Somfy AB	Limhamn(Sweden)	100.00	100.00	100.00
Somfy PTE Ltd	Singapore	100.00	100.00	100.00
Somfy Co Ltd	Hong-Kong	100.00	100.00	100.00
Somfy China LTD	Shanghai (China)	100.00	100.00	100.00
LianDa Somfy Middle East Colltd	Zhejiang (China)	80.00 100.00	80.00	80.00 100.00
Somfy Middle East Co Ltd Sisa Home Automatisation LTD	Limassol (Republic of Cyprus) Rishone Le Zion (Israel)	100.00	100.00 100.00	100.00
Somfy Maroc SarL	Casablanca (Marocco)	100.00	100.00	100.00
Somfy Hellas SA	Athenes (Grreece)	100.00	100.00	100.00
Somfy Ev Otomasyon Sistemleri Ticalet Ltd Sti	Usküd (Turkey)	100.00	100.00	100.00
Somfy Mexico SA DE CV	Edo de Mex. (Mexico)	100.00	100.00	100.00
Somfy K.K.	Yokohama (Japan)	100.00	100.00	100.00
Somfy India Pvt Ltd	New Dehli (India)	100.00	100.00	100.00
Somfy ULC	Halifax (Canada)	100.00	100.00	100.00
Harmonic Design	Californiea91355 (United States)	100.00	100.00	100.00
Energy Eye	California 91355 (United States)	100.00	100.00	-
Simu SAS	70100 Gray (France)	100.00	100.00	100.00
Simu U.S.A. Inc	Boca Raton FL (United States)	-	-	100.00
Simu GmbH Simu RT SPOL SRO	Iserlohn (Germany) Zlin (Czech Republic)	100.00 100.00	100.00 100.00	100.00 100.00
WAY SRL	Galliera Bologne (Italy)	100.00	100.00	100.00
Siminor Technologies Castres Sarl	81100 Castres (France)	-	-	100.00
DSG	Mouscron (Belgium)	100.00	100.00	100.00
BFT Spa	Schio (Italy)	100.00	100.00	100.00
SARL Automatismes BFT France SAS	Lyon (France)	100.00	100.00	100.00
BFT Group Italiberica de Automatismos SL	Barcelona (Spain)	98.70	98.70	98.70
BFT Torantriebssysteme GmbH	Furth (Germany)	60.00	60.00	60.00
BFT Automation UK Limited	Stockport (UK)	100.00	100.00	100.00
BFT Benelux SA	Nivelles (Belgium)	100.00	100.00	100.00
BFT Adria d.o.o.	Croatia	75.00	75.00	75.00
BFT US Inc.	Boca Raton FL (United States)	100.00	100.00	100.00 100.00
BFT Polska Sp.zoo BFT Portugal SA	Warszawa (Poland) Coimbra (Portugal)	100.00 100.00	100.00 100.00	100.00
BFT Gates systems Limited	Berkshire (England)	100.00	100.00	100.00
SACS SRL	Borgo Valsugana (Italy)	66.85	66.85	66.85
BFT Languedoc SAS	Nîmes (France)	100.00	100.00	100.00
BFT Sud-Ouest SAS	Toulouse (France)	90.00	90.00	90.00
BFT Australie	Sydney (Australia)	100.00	100.00	100.00
BFT Czech Republic	Praha (Czech Republic)	100.00	100.00	100.00
BFT Piemonte	Dronero (Italy)	70.00	70.00	70.00
BFT France	Marseille (France)	100.00	100.00	100.00
O&O	Corregio (Italy)	62.50	62.50	-
BFT Veneto Cotherm Participation SA	Schio (Italy) Vinay (France)	100.00 65.00	100.00 65.00	- 65.00
Cotherm Développement SA	Vinay (France)	65.00	65.00	65.00
Cotherm SAS	Vinay (France)	65.00	65.00	65.00
Cotherm Tunisie Sarl	Ben Arous (Tunisia)	65.00	65.00	65.00
M&M components Ltd	Suffolk (England)	65.00	65.00	65.00
Cotherm North America	Warwick (United States)	65.00	65.00	61.75
NMP SASU	Cluses (France)	100.00	100.00	100.00
Zurflüh-Feller Holding SAS	Autechaux Roide (France)	100.00	100.00	100.00
Zurflüh-Feller SAS	Autechaux Roide (France)	100.00	100.00	100.00
Zurflüh-Feller Montage EURL	Autechaux Roide (France)	100.00	100.00	100.00
CERF EURL	Autechaux Roide (France)	100.00	100.00	100.00
Financière Nouveau Monde SA Sirem International SA	Miribel (France) Miribel (France)	100.00 100.00	87.53 87.53	87.53 87.53
Sirem SAS	Miribel (France)	100.00	87.53	87.53
Aqua System Design SAS	Miribel (France)	100.00	87.53	87.53
Sirem Immobilier SNC	Miribel (France)	100.00	87.53	87.53
EQUITY ACCOUNTED CONSOLIDATED COMPANIES			0.100	0.100
Gaviota Simbac SL	Sax Alicante (Spain)	46.50	46.50	46.50
Simbac SpA	Mezzago (Italy)	46.50	46.50	46.50
Firstinnov	Montesson (France)	40.00	40.00	40.00
CIAT	Culoz (France)	40.00	40.00	40.00
Oxygen Sarl (Astélia)	Lyon (France	40.00	40.00	-



## **VIII. NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS**

## **19. POST-BALANCE SHEET EVENTS**

Nicolas Duchemin left the Group on August 31<sup>st</sup>. His responsability for financial information will be assumed by Jean-Michel Jaud, while awaiting the arrival of his successor.

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CONSOLIDATED DATA	€ thousands	June 30 <sup>th</sup> , 2009	June 30 <sup>th</sup> , 2008	2009/08 change
Sales		391.4	390.7	+0.2%
Current Operating Result		69.4	77.4	-10.3%
Operating Result		64.3	77.3	-16.9%
Result before income tax		71.6	77.0	-7.0%
Income tax		(14.7)	(18.1)	
Share of equity accounted companies		(0.9)	1.1	Ns
Net result		56.0	60.0	-6.7%

### SALES

Group sales totalled  $\in$  391.4 million over the first six months of the financial year, posting growth of 0.2% in real terms, a decrease of 8.9% on a constant group structure and foreign exchange basis, including 10.8% over the first quarter and 7.3% over the second quarter.

This decline was due to a particularly difficult environment in most countries and testified to the current crisis in the construction, home equipment and building industries. This crisis generated significant destocking by the main companies in the sector and caused numerous works to be postponed or cancelled. Somfy Activities was logically affected by this situation, as was Somfy Participations, due to the scope of activity of its various subsidiaries.

#### **Somfy Activities**

Somfy Activities reported sales of  $\in$  343.8 million over the period, down 8.4% on a like-for-like basis.

The greatest falls were recorded in the US (down 16.8% on a like-for-like basis), In Southern and Northern Europe (respectively 15.0% and 13.3% on a like-for-like basis), as well as in Asia-Pacific (down 12.5% on a like-for-like basis). France, Germany and Eastern and Central Europe proved rather resilient, but could not escape a slight drop in sales (down respectively 3.0%, 0.3% and 2.0% on a like-for-like basis).

#### **Somfy Participations**

Somfy Participations generated sales of  $\in$  48.1 million over the period, a decrease of 21.0% on a like-for-like basis.

The decline noted was solely attributable to Cotherm, since Zurflüh-Feller and Sirem (down respectively 17.9% and 38.0% on a like-for-like basis) were acquired last year and fully consolidated from the second half-year.

## RESULTS

Group current operating result income is down by 10.3% for the first half, standing at  $\in$  69.4M against  $\in$  77.4M last year for the same period.

• Current operating result for **Somfy Activities** is down from  $\in$  75.5M to  $\in$  65.9M.

This change is mainly due to the decline in sales, which has not been fully compensated by measures to control costs that were implemented as soon as the first signs of the slowdown occurred.

• Current operating result for **Somfy Participations** is up from  $\in$  1.9M to  $\in$  3.7M. The increase is explained essentially by the consolidation of Zurflüh-Feller.

Net result has gone from  $\in$  60.0M to  $\in$  56.0M including a  $\in$  5.7M depreciation of goodwill and is thus down by 6.7% for the semester. It takes into account a significant improvement in the financial result (+  $\in$  7.3M against -  $\in$  0.4M), which comes mainly by recording dividends from Faac ( $\in$  6.1M), a company previously recorded under share of associate company earnings and now deconsolidated.

## **FINANCIAL SITUATION**

Net debt stands at  ${\in}\,67.9M$  at the end of June with net equity at  ${\in}\,693.3M.$ 

## SEASONALITY

Somfy Group usually achieves about 55% of its sales in the first half of the year.

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## HIGHLIGHTS

• From January 1<sup>st</sup>, 2009, Somfy Group elected to apply **hedge accounting** to financial instruments that comply with criteria defined by IFRS standards. This option solely relates to interest rate hedges (primarily variable rate to fixed rate swaps), which are instruments increasingly used by Somfy in order to hedge debt relating to LBO packages.

Since they are considered as cash flow hedges, in the meaning of IAS 39, the effective portion of the fair value of interest rate hedges recognised as eligible for hedge accounting is thus recognised under equity. The negative impact on equity was  $\in$  814 thousand at June 30<sup>th</sup>, 2009 ( $\in$  535 thousand net of deferred taxation). The fair value of foreign exchange and interest rate hedging instruments that are not eligible for hedge accounting is recognised through profit and loss.

• At January 1<sup>st</sup>, 2008, Somfy took note of the loss of significant influence on the Faac company and decided to exclude it from its consolidation scope. Consequently, Somfy retained the dividends paid by Faac in its financial income at June 30<sup>th</sup>, 2009, for a total of  $\in$  6.1 million.

The dividends from Faac, distributed over the 2008 financial year, had been eliminated on consolidation in the 2008 financial year since they originated from the 2007 consolidated net profit.

• Somfy wrote down 50% ( $\in$  3.7 million) of the value of the acquisition goodwill of the Chinese company **LianDa** and recognised a  $\in$  2.0 million impairment on that of the Spanish company **Gaviota-Simbac**.

The effects of the economic crisis sharply affected **LianDa**, whose business model is based on sales to distributors, who have strongly reduced their inventories and as a result distorted its operations.

**Gaviota-Simbac** primarily markets its products in the Iberian peninsula and felt the full effects of the slump in the Spanish market. It saw its sales decrease by 14.3% at December 31<sup>st</sup>, 2008 and by 27% over the first half-year 2009. Since Gaviota-Simbac is equity accounted, the  $\in$  2.0 million writedown was thus allocated to "income/loss from associates". The impairment charges recognised are thus primarily due to the adjustment of the business plans of these two companies over the 1<sup>st</sup> half-year 2009, with other calculation assumptions remaining unchanged.

The goodwill of **Zurflüh-Feller** Group had been provisionally allocated in the 2008 annual financial statements. Additional allocation work was carried out within the one-year allocation deadline, in relation to:

- On the one hand, the valuation, carried out by a external expert, of the property complex. The market values thus established led us to recognise a capital loss of  $\in$  11.5 million compared to historic values ( $\in$  7.5 million, net of deferred taxation). This fair value is due to the current unfavourable economic background, the existence of significant available land in the city where Zurflüh-Feller is based and a sullen business property market;

- On the other hand, the depreciation periods for tools and machinery were reviewed based on their useful economic life. Those retroactive restatement increased the net book value of non-current assets by  $\in$  4.6 million ( $\in$  3.0 million net of deferred taxation);

- Lastly, "customer service", recognised as an intangible asset for  $\in$  19.9 million ( $\in$  13.0 million net of deferred taxation). This asset is amortised over 15 years.

The final residual goodwill after allocations was  $\in$  16.9 million. The financial statements at December 31<sup>st</sup>, 2008 were thus restated for all these items. Their impact on net profit reported at December 31<sup>st</sup>, 2008 was a negative  $\in$  665 thousand before tax, and  $\in$  436 thousand after tax.

### CHANGES IN CONSOLIDATION SCOPE

Somfy Activities made the acquisition:

• through its subsidiary BFT SpA, of the Italian company **O&O**, which manufactures lifting gates, rising bollards and sliding gates controls. It generates annual sales of about  $\in$  5 million.

Somfy acquired 62.5% of the share capital at a price of  $\in$  4.9 million. As regards the remaining 37.5%, the parties agreed to a call and respectively put option.

This company was consolidated from the acquisition date (January 2009) and contributed  $\in$  1.7 million to group sales.

• through its US subsidiary HDI, the assets of **Energy Eye**, a Californian manufacturer of energy saving systems for the accommodation industry. Somfy invested USD 2.0 million. This company was consolidated from the acquisition date (May 2009) and contributed  $\in$  0.2 million to group sales.

• 40% of the share capital of **Oxygen Sarl (Astélia)** for  $\in$  1.6 million. This company, which is equity-accounted, has developed an emergency alerting system for elderly people who live at home. A call and respectively put option was included in the contract, concerning 50% in 2013 and 10% in 2019.

## OUTLOOK

The context is expected to remain difficult over the coming months, especially in the new buildings sector because of postponements or cancellations of registered building projects.

In this environment, the Group will pursue its actions to control costs in order to remain competitive. It will build on its strengths such as product innovation, marketing investment and geographical growth, so as to be ready to seize any recovery opportunities as they arise.

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## **RELATED PARTIES**

The main transactions between Somfy and non-consolidated related parties may be summarised as follows:

#### • Balance sheet:

- long term loans and advances granted by Somfy to a related company,
- trade receivable/payable accounts as a result of Somfy's business relations with these subsidiaries.

#### Income statement:

- financial income related to the loans and advances
- merchandise sales/purchases.

## **SOMFY SA**

At June 30<sup>th</sup>, 2009, Somfy SA had generated sales of  $\in$  1.4 million. The net finance income was  $\in$  84.2 million, including  $\in$  83.1 million in dividends paid by the subsidiaries in respect of their net profit at December 31<sup>st</sup>, 2008.

Net profit was  $\in$  81.4 million, after taking account of a  $\in$  0.4 million tax grouping income.

#### Statement from the individual responsible for the half-year report

I certify that, to the best of my knowledge, the condensed half-year financial statements have been prepared in accordance with applicable accounting standards, give a true and fair view of the assets, financial position and financial performance of the company and all companies included in consolidation, and that the half-year business report gives a true and fair view of significant events that occurred over the first six months of the financial year, their impact on the financial statements, the main transactions carried out between related parties, as well as a description of the major risks and uncertainties for the remaining six months of the financial year.

Cluses, August 26th, 2009

Paul Georges Despature

Chairman of the Management Board of Somfy SA

# STATUTORY AUDITORS' REPORT ON THE 2009 INTERIM FINANCIAL REPORTING

Dear Shareholders,

In execution of our mandate conferred to us by your General Meeting and pursuant to Article L. 451-1-2 III of the Monetary and Financial Code, we have proceeded with:

• A limited review of the accompanying condensed interim consolidated financial statements of the Somfy S.A. company, for the period from January 1<sup>st</sup> to June 30<sup>th</sup>, 2009; and

• A review of information disclosed in the interim business report.

The consolidated financial statements have been prepared by the Board of Directors, against a background, described in the half-year business report, of a financial and economic crisis that makes future prospects rather difficult to assess. It is our responsibility to express an opinion, on the basis of our limited review.

#### 1. Opinion on the financial statements

We conducted our limited review in accordance with the professional standards applicable in France. A limited review of interim financial information consists principally of making inquiries of persons responsible for financial and accounting matters and applying analytical procedures. It is substantially less in scope than an audit conducted in accordance with auditing standards applicable in France. Consequently, this review can only guarantee reasonable assurance, not to the same degree as an audit, as to whether the half-year financial statements are free of material misstatements.

Based on our limited review, nothing has come to our atten-

tion that would challenge the true and fair view of the half year condensed consolidated financial statements, prepared in accordance with IAS 34 on interim financial reporting, a component of IFRS standards as adopted by the European Union.

Without qualifying the above conclusion, we draw your attention to:

• Notes "2-Highlights" and "5-Business combinations and acquisition of minority interests" to the consolidated half-year financial statements, that specify the final allocation of the acquisition price to the identifiable assets and liabilities of Zurflüh-Feller Group and the resulting retroactive restatements of the consolidated financial statements at December 31<sup>st</sup>, 2008;

• Note "4-Accounting rules and methods" to the condensed consolidated half-year financial statements, that specifies the new standards and interpretations applied by Somfy S.A. from January 1<sup>st</sup>, 2009 and presents the change in accounting method relating to the presentation of the statement of performance.

#### 2. Specific verifications

We have also proceeded with a verification of information disclosed in the interim business report commenting on the condensed interim financial statements, which were the subject of our limited review.

We have no observations to make with regard to the fairness of such information and its consistency with the interim consolidated financial statements.

Paris and Lyon, August 28th, 2009

The Statutory Auditors

LEDOUBLE Frédéric Ledouble ERNST & YOUNG Audit Sylvain Lauria