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"Regarding the explanation of difference in profit after tax compared to the same period"

Quy Nhon, April 16, 2025

To:

- The State Securities Commission;
- Hanoi Stock Exchange.

Pursuant to Point a, Clause 3, Article 14 of Circular 96/2020/TT-BTC dated November 16, 2020 of the Ministry of Finance on Guidance on information disclosure on the stock market; Binh Dinh Book and Equipment Joint Stock Company would like to explain that the profit after tax the fist quarter of 2025 was a loss compared to the same period last year due to the following reasons after:

- Cost of goods sold in the fist quarter of 2025 is 4% higher than the same period last year,
- Production and business costs in the fist quarter of 2025 increased compared to the same period in 2024 (interest expenses, land rent,...).

From the above reasons, profit after tax in the fist quarter of 2025 to be a loss compared to the same period in 2024.

Binh Dinh Book and Equipment Joint Stock Company would like to explain as above.

Sincerely thank you.

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