# MERÍSTEM

#### Market Review

The Week That Was (A

#### For the week ended July 26th, 2024

- The NGX All-Share Index (NGXASI) experienced a significant downturn last week, shedding -2.33% WoW to fall beneath the 100,000 threshold, closing at 98,201.49 points. As a result, the year-to-date (YTD) performance dropped to 31.33% (vs 34.46% last week).
  - Performance across sectors was largely negative, with all closing in the red. Specifically, significant losses were seen in NGXOILGAS (-0.54% WoW), NGXINDUSTR (-5.89% WoW), NGXCONSUMRGDS (-0.73% WoW), NGXINS (-0.27% WoW), NGXBNK (-2.94% WoW), MERI-TELCO (-0.07% WoW), and MERI-AGRIC (-0.11% WoW).
  - **SOVRENINS** (+14.29% WoW) emerged as the top weekly gainer, whereas **NSLTECH** (-26.32% WoW) led the decliners. **TRANSPOWER** was the most traded stock by value, while **FCMB** topped the volumes chart for the week.

#### **Market Preview**

#### For the week commencing July 29th, 2024

- We expect the market to maintain a bearish this tone this week, driven by recent announcements that are likely to heighten short-term uncertainty.
- While upcoming corporate earnings have the potential to bolster investor confidence, two factors could counterbalance this optimism. Firstly, the attractive yields in the fixed income market may divert fund flow. Secondly, the growing uncertainty surrounding the proposed windfall tax on banks could cast a shadow over the sector, dampening sentiment and potentially offsetting the positive impact of strong earnings.
- Nonetheless, we expect the equities market to close negatively by the week's end.

Review)	Cur. W	Veek	Prev. Week	WoW
NGXASI [pts]	98,201.49		100,539.40	-2.33%
Market Cap [NGN'trn]	55.61		56.93	-2.32%
Market Cap [USD'bn]	34.5	56	35.65	-3.06%
Volume Traded [bn]	2.5	8	2.82	-8.51%
Value Traded [NGN'bn]	44.4	40	34.37	29.18%
Sectoral Indices	WtD	MtD	QtD	YtD
NGXASI	-2.33%	-1.85%	-1.85%	31.33%
NGX-30	-2.25%	2.02%	2.02%	30.29%
NGXBNK	-2.94%	-1.32%	-1.32%	-8.69%
NGXCNSMRGDS	-0.73%	-1.69	-1.69	38.66%
NGXOILGAS	-0.54%	3.77%	3.77%	43.33%
NGXINS	-0.27%	-3.32%	-3.32%	17.39%
NGXINDSTR	-5.89%	-5.56%	-5.56%	63.52%
MERI-TELCO	-0.07%	3.44%	3.44%	7.78%
MERI-AGRIC	-0.11%	5.42%	30.14%	49.41%

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MERI-AGRIC		-0.11%	5.42%	30.14%	49.41%
Top Traded by Value (NGN)		Тор	Traded by \	/olume	
TRANSPOWER	10,473,251,228.4	0 <b>FCMB</b>			668,758,424.00
FCMB	5,108,361,009.75	5 ABBEY	BDS		234,027,547.00
ZENITHBANK	4,996,706,055.20	ACCES	SCORP		158,225,790.00
GTCO	3,979,642,952.40	ZENITI	HBANK		137,546,170.00
UCAO	3,363,058,445.00	) <b>ELLAH</b>	LAKES		128,160,321.00
Highest Gainers	%	Highe	st Losers		%
SOVRENINS	14.29%	NSLTE	СН		-26.32%
WAPIC	13.16%	OMAT	EK		-14.86%
NEIMETH	12.64%	CUTIX			-14.02%
OANDO	11.51%	UPL			-12.35%
JBERGER	10.86%	ETERN	Α		-10.00%

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	Fundam	nentals		Trailing		Mark	Market Performance			Valuation		
	NM	ROE	EPS	P/E	P/BV	Yr Hi	Yr Lo	Ytd Ret	TP	СР	UPP	RT
Banks												
ACCESSCORP	22%	28%	19.88	0.93x	0.26x	30.00	16.00	-20.09%	24.49	18.50	+32%	BUY
ETI	15%	17%	19.84	1.11x	0.19x	27.45	20.00	+5.26%	23.27	22.00	+6%	HOLE
FCMB	18%	23%	5.68	1.39x	0.32x	12.00	6.50	+6.76%	9.64	7.90	+22%	BUY
FIDELITYBK	18%	25%	3.98	2.69x	0.66x	14.20	8.00	-1.38%	13.32	10.70	+25%	BUY
FBNH	24%	24%	13.04	1.61x	0.39x	43.95	18.50	-10.83%	25.62	21.00	+22%	BUY
<b>GTCO</b>	59%	47%	31.89	1.38x	0.65x	53.05	32.70	+8.64%	59.28	44.00	+35%	BUY
JAIZBANK	29%	39%	0.45	4.82x	1.90x	3.70	1.90	+11.34%	2.88	2.16	+34%	BUY
STANBIC	29%	29%	12.15	4.40x	1.27x	68.50	45.00	-23.19%	69.94	53.50	+31%	BUY
STERLINGNG	10%	12%	0.87	4.61x	0.68x	7.59	3.82	-6.76%	5.83	4.00	+46%	BUY
UBA	29%	16%	20.37	1.03x	0.28x	33.95	19.20	-17.93%	29.25	21.05	+39%	BUY
WEMABANK	15%	25%	3.13	2.00x	0.54x	12.03	5.55	+11.61%	9.55	6.25	+53%	BUY

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-34.21%

+39.18%

-36.74%

-16.36%

+22.96%

+21.28%

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+12.38%

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MAYBAKER

**Pharmaceutical** 

**PRESCO** 

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# MERÍSTEM

	Fundamentals			Trailing Marke		et Performance			Valuation			
	NM	ROE	EPS	P/E	P/BV	Yr Hi	Yr Lo	Ytd Ret	TP	СР	UPP	RT
Energy												
CONOIL	4%	30%	16.14	8.48x	2.54x	136.95	83.90	+63.23%	126.50	136.95	-8%	HOLD
ETERNA	-7%	2597%	-11.19	-1.45x	-37.60x	28.10	11.15	+16.97%	16.48	16.20	+2%	HOLD
MRS	2%	19%	13.31	9.97x	1.85x	135.00	105.00	+26.33%	154.88	132.65	+17%	BUY
SEPLAT	6%	2%	88.42	42.18x	0.87x	3,794.90	2,310.00	+61.47%	3,948.59	3,730.00	+6%	HOLD
TOTAL	3%	34%	59.64	6.52x	2.23x	388.90	321.50	+1.01%	427.92	388.90	+10%	BUY
TRANSCORP	26%	30%	1.64	7.27x	2.16x	19.20	9.52	+37.41%	15.39	11.90	+29%	BUY
Telecoms												
MTNN	-24%	147%	-30.40	-6.58x	-9.66x	295.00	183.00	-24.24%	266.87	200.00	+33%	BUY
AIRTELAFRI	4%	6%	60.90	36.12x	2.17x	2,200.00	1,973.00	+16.59%	2,161.50	2,200.00	-2%	HOLD

NM= Net Margin Yr Lo= Year Low

EPS=Earnings Per Share

P/E=Price-to-Earnings

P/BV=Price-to-Book Value

ROE=Return on Equity YtD Ret= Year-to-Date Return

\*TP calculated with EV/EBITDA multiple Lev=Leverage

TP=Target Price BVP = Book Value Per Share CP = Current Price UPP=Upside Potential RT= Rating

Yr Hi= Year High UR=Under Review Data in the Fundamental columns are based on trailing performance.

# Stocks you should have in your Portfolio

Ticker	Current Price	Target Price	Upside Potential	10- DAY RSI	Rationale
MANSARD	4.66	6.27	+35%	29.25	The ticker is currently oversold as per the 10-day RSI and has hit a one-month low at NGN4.65, a level it has tested several times before climbing higher. This might be an opportune moment for potential buyers. Furthermore, the upcoming AGM could act as a catalyst for a price increase, as investors anticipate the management's forward guidance.
TRANSCORP	11.90	15.39	+29%	47.06	The ticker shows a neutral 10-day RSI reading of 47.06. However, the formation of a hammer candlestick following the recent price drop indicates potential seller exhaustion, as the bulls have managed to push the price significantly higher from its weekly low.
MAYBAKER	5.90	7.77	+32%	58.55	The ticker remains stable above its moving average and has shown muted activity after rebounding from its 20-day SMA. With the RSI above 50 and trending upwards, there are signs of potential upward momentum. Investors should consider positioning themselves now in anticipation of impressive earnings, which could further drive the price upward.

RSI = Relative Strength Index

MFI = Money Flow Index

SMA = Simple Moving Average



# NGX Exchange

# Tickers that moved from - SELL/HOLD to BUY/HOLD

TICKER.	ТР	СР	UPP	Prev. RT	New RT	Rationale
WAPIC	0.70	0.76	-8%	SELL	HOLD	We recommend a <b>HOLD</b> on this ticker due to profit-taking activities, which moved the stock price from NGN0.80 to NGN0.76 last week, thereby increasing its upside potential to -8%.
DANGSUGAR	36.22	37.50	-3%	SELL	HOLD	We recommend a <b>HOLD</b> on this ticker due to increased selling activity, which has caused the price to drop from NGN40.45 to NGN37.50, thus raising its upside potential to -3%.
DANGCEM	579.72	591.10	-2%	SELL	HOLD	Given the buying activity observed last week, we recommend a <b>HOLD</b> as the upside potential has diminished to -2%.

# Tickers that moved from - HOLD/BUY to SELL/HOLD

TICKER	TP	СР	UPP	Prev. RT	New RT	Rationale
NEIMETH	2.06	1.96	+5%	BUY	HOLD	We recommend a <b>HOLD</b> on the ticker, as last week's buying activity has driven the price up from NGN1.74 to 1.96, thereby reducing the upside potential to 5%.
UACN	16.73	15.80	+6%	BUY	HOLD	We suggest a <b>HOLD</b> on this ticker because of increased buying activities last week, which pushed the stock price from NGN15.15 to NGN15.80, reducing the upside potential to +5%.

## CORPORATE BENEFIT TRIGGER



#### **NGX Exchange**

### **Events To Look Out For This Week**

Closure	<b>Dates</b>
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#### **Payment Dates**

### **AGM Dates**

Qualification

**Payment** 

Company	Date	Company	Date	Company	Date
UCAP	01-Jul-24	MANSARD	29-Jul-24	MANSARD	29-Jul-24
PRESTIGE	02-Aug-24	MCNICHOLS	30-Jul-24	IKEJAHOTEL	30-Jul-24
		LINKASSURE	31-Jul-24	LINKASSURE	31-Jul-24
		MRS	02-Aug-24	MRS	01-Aug-24

**Upcoming Closure Dates** 

Company	Dividend Declared	Bonus	Dividend Yield	Interim/Final	Declaration Date	Qualification Date	Closure Date
AIICO	0.05	Nil	4.85%	2023Final	31-May-24	19-Jul-24	22-Jul-24
UCAP	0.90	2 for 1	2.31%	2024Interim	17-Jul-24	31-Jul-24	01-Aug-24
PRESTIGE	0.02	NIL	3.92%	2023Final	09-Jul-24	30-Jul-24	02-Aug-24
FLOURMILL	1.80	Nil	3.91%	2023Final	14-Jun-24	09-Aug-24	12-Aug-24
FBNH	0.40	Nil	1.90%	2023Final	24-May-24	13-Aug-24	14-Aug-24
BUACEMENT	2.00	Nil	1.40%	2023Final	01-Mar-24	09-Aug-24	16-Aug-24
REDSTAREX	0.27	NIL	7.11%	Q1:2024	01-Jul-24	20-Aug-24	23-Aug-24
BUAFOODS	5.50	Nil	1.45%	2023Final	28-Mar-24	23-Aug-24	26-Aug-24
SOVRENINS	0.03	Nil	5.36%	2023Final	23-May-24	10-Sep-24	11-Sep-24
LEARNAFRICA	NIL	1 for 8	-	Q1:2024	12-Jul-24	06-Sep-24	14-Sep-24

# **Upcoming Payment Dates**

Declaration

Company	Dividend Declared	Bonus	Dividend Yield	Interim/Final	Declaration Date	Qualification Date	Payment Date
AIICO	0.05	Nil	4.85%	2023Final	31-May-24	19-Jul-24	26-Jul-24
MANSARD	0.40	Nil	8.58%	2023Final	31-May-24	15-Jul-24	29-Jul-24
MCNICHOLS	0.02	Nil	1.90%	2023Final	02-Apr-24	28-Jun-24	30-Jul-24
LINKASSURE	0.05	NIL	5.81%	2023Final	10-Jul-24	12-Jul-24	31-Jul-24
MRS	2.36	Nil	1.78%	2023Final	29-Mar-24	28-Jun-24	02-Aug-24
PRESTIGE	0.02	NIL	3.92%	2023Final	09-Jul-24	30-Jul-24	09-Aug-24
UCAP	0.90	2 for 1	2.31%	H2:2024	17-Jul-24	19-Jul-24	09-Aug-24
FBNH	0.40	Nil	1.90%	2023Final	24-May-24	13-Aug-24	23-Aug-24
BUACEMENT	2.00	Nil	1.40%	2023Final	01-Mar-24	09-Aug-24	29-Aug-24
FLOURMILL	1.80	Nil	3.91%	2023Final	14-Jun-24	09-Aug-24	05-Sep-24
REDSTAREX	0.27	NIL	7.11%	Q1:2024	01-Jul-24	20-Aug-24	12-Sep-24
BUAFOODS	5.50	Nil	1.45%	2023Final	28-Mar-24	23-Aug-24	26-Sep-24
LEARNAFRICA	NIL	1 for 8	-	Q1:2024	12-Jul-24	06-Sep-24	26-Sep-24
SOVRENINS	0.03	Nil	5.36%	2023Final	23-May-24	10-Sep-24	26-Sep-24

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Company	Dividend Declared	Bonus	Dividend Yield	Interim/Final	Declaration Date	Qualification Date	AGM Date
MCNICHOLS	0.02	Nil	1.90%	2023Final	02-Apr-24	28-Jun-24	25-Jul-24
AIICO	0.05	Nil	4.76%	2023Final	31-May-24	19-Jul-24	26-Jul-24
MANSARD	0.40	Nil	7.92%	2023Final	31-May-24	15-Jul-24	29-Jul-24
IKEJAHOTEL	0.08	Nil	1.14%	2023Final	25-Apr-24	05-Jul-24	30-Jul-24
LINKASSURE	0.05	NIL	5.81%	2023Final	10-Jul-24	12-Jul-24	31-Jul-24
MRS	2.36	Nil	1.78%	2023Final	29-Mar-24	28-Jun-24	01-Aug-24
PRESTIGE	0.02	NIL	3.92%	2023Final	09-Jul-24	30-Jul-24	08-Aug-24
SUNUASSUR	0.05	Nil	3.70%	2023Final	04-Jul-24	12-Jul-24	15-Aug-24
FBNH	0.40	Nil	1.81%	2023Final	24-May-24	13-Aug-24	22-Aug-24
BUACEMENT	2.00	Nil	1.40%	2023Final	01-Mar-24	09-Aug-24	29-Aug-24
FLOURMILL	1.80	Nil	4.00%	2023Final	14-Jun-24	09-Aug-24	04-Sep-24
REDSTAREX	0.27	NIL	6.84%	Q1:2024	01-Jul-24	20-Aug-24	12-Sep-24

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**BUAFOODS** 

**SOVRENINS** 

**LEARNAFRICA** 

## CORPORATE BENEFIT TRIGGER

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**TRANSPOWER** 

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#### **Dividends Declared in 2024**

			DIVIG	elius De	Clared III	2024			
Company	Dividend Declared	Bonus	Divid end Yield	Interim/ Final	Declarati on Date	Qualificati on Date	Closure Date	Payment Date	AGM Date
ABBEYBDS	0.04	Nil	1.53%	2023Final	07-Mar-24	10-May-24	16-May-24	31-May-24	30-May-24
ACCESSCORP	1.80	Nil	9.73%	2023Final	27-Mar-24	10-Apr-24	11-Apr-24	19-Apr-24	19-Apr-24
AFRIPRUD	0.45	Nil	4.74%	2023Final	02-Apr-24	15-Mar-24	28-Mar-24	28-Mar-24	28-Mar-24
AIICO	0.05	Nil	4.85%	2023Final	31-May-24	19-Jul-24	22-Jul-24	26-Jul-24	26-Jul-24
BERGER	0.80	Nil	5.33%	2023Final	04-Apr-24	16-Apr-24	17-Apr-24	14-May-24	14-May-24
BETAGLAS	1.40	Nil	2.64%	2023Final	17-May-24	17-Jun-24	18-Jun-24	26-Jun-24	26-Jun-24
BUACEMENT	2.00	Nil	1.40%	2023Final	01-Mar-24	09-Aug-24	16-Aug-24	29-Aug-24	29-Aug-24
BUAFOODS	5.50	Nil	1.45%	2023Final	28-Mar-24	23-Aug-24	26-Aug-24	26-Sep-24	26-Sep-24
CAP	1.55	Nil	4.31%	2023Final	28-Mar-24	31-May-24	03-Jun-24	25-Jun-24	24-Jun-24
CHAMPION	NIL		NA	2023Final	25-Apr-24	10-May-24	27-May-24	ТВА	21-May-24
CUSTODIAN	0.80	Nil	7.84%	2023Final	31-May-24	, 12-Jun-24	, 13-Jun-24	21-Jun-24	, 21-Jun-24
CWG	0.16	Nil	2.46%	2023Final	28-Mar-24	31-May-24	18-Apr-24	29-Apr-24	26-Apr-24
			5.08%				·	·	-
DANGCEM	30.00	Nil	1.90%	2023Final	29-Feb-24	15-Apr-24	16-Apr-24	29-Apr-24	29-Apr-24
FBNH	0.40	Nil		2023Final	24-May-24	13-Aug-24	14-Aug-24	23-Aug-24	22-Aug-24
FCMB	0.50	Nil	6.33%	2023Final	02-May-24	13-May-24	17-May-24	24-May-24	24-May-24
FIDELITYBK	0.60	Nil	5.61%	2023Final	22-Apr-24	26-Apr-24	29-Apr-24	16-May-24	16-May-24
FIDSON	0.60	Nil	4.07%	2023Final	03-Apr-24	18-Jun-24	19-Jun-24	05-Jul-24	04-Jul-24
FLOURMILL	1.80	Nil	3.91%	2023Final	14-Jun-24	09-Aug-24	12-Aug-24	05-Sep-24	04-Sep-24
GEREGU	8.00	Nil	0.80%	2023Final	30-Jan-24	27-Feb-24	28-Feb-24	28-Mar-24	28-Mar-24
GTCO	2.70	Nil	6.14%	2023Final	12-Apr-24	26-Apr-24	29-Apr-24	15-May-24	15-May-24
IKEJAHOTEL	0.08	Nil	1.12%	2023Final	25-Apr-24	05-Jul-24	08-Jul-24	06-Jul-24	30-Jul-24
IMG	0.50	Nil	3.85%	2023Final	16-Apr-24	13-Jun-24	14-Jun-24	02-Jul-24	28-Jun-24
INFINITY	0.15	Nil	2.14%	2023Final	17-Apr-24	12-Apr-24	15-Apr-24	13-May-24	09-May-24
JAIZBANK	0.04	Nil	1.85% 3.09%	2023Final	20-May-24	01-Jul-24	02-Jul-24	TBA	TBA
JBERGER LEARNAFRICA	3.00	Nil 1 for 8		2023Final Q1:2024	29-Mar-24	31-May-24	03-Jun-24	21-Jun-24	20-Jun-24
LINKASSSURE	0.05	NIL	- 5.81%	2023Final	12-Jul-24 10-Jul-24	06-Sep-24 12-Jul-24	14-Sep-24 19-Jul-24	26-Sep-24 31-Jul-24	26-Sep-24 31-Jul-24
LIVINGTRUST	0.03	Nil	-	2023Final	03-Apr-24	24-May-24	27-May-24	10-Jun-24	06-Jun-24
MANSARD	0.40	Nil	8.58%	2023Final	31-May-24	15-Jul-24	16-Jul-24	29-Jul-24	29-Jul-24
MAYBAKER	0.40	Nil	5.08%	2023Final	08-May-24	21-May-24	24-May-24	06-Jun-24	06-Jun-24
MCNICHOLS	0.02	Nil	1.90%	2023Final	02-Apr-24	28-Jun-24	01-Jul-24	30-Jul-24	25-Jul-24
MECURE	0.15	Nil	1.66%	2023Final	04-Mar-24	17-May-24	24-May-24	03-Jun-24	03-Jun-24
MEYER	0.30	Nil	5.66%	2023Final	28-Mar-24	26-Apr-24	29-Apr-24	27-May-24	24-May-24
MRS	2.36	Nil	1.78%	2023Final	29-Mar-24	28-Jun-24	01-Jul-24	02-Aug-24	01-Aug-24
MULTIVERSE	0.05	Nil	0.45%	2023Final	20-Feb-24	18-Apr-24	19-Apr-24	09-May-24	09-May-24
NAHCO	2.56	Nil	6.53%	2023Final	02-Apr-24	10-May-24	13-May-24	24-May-24	24-May-24
NASCON	Nil	2 for 100	NA	NA	27-Feb-24	03-May-24	08-May-24	NA	ТВА
NEM	0.60	Nil	7.32%	2023Final	02-Jun-24	14-Jun-24	21-Jun-24	02-Jul-24	02-Jul-24
NGXGROUP	0.75	Nil	3.51%	2023Final	03-Mar-24	26-Mar-24	27-Mar-24	29-Apr-24	29-Apr-24
ОКОМИОІЬ	14.00	Nil	4.79%	2023Final	03-Apr-24	25-Apr-24	26-Apr-24	23-May-24	23-May-24
PRESCO	24.30	NIL	6.34%	2023Final	04-May-24	14-May-24	17-May-24	30-May-24	29-May-24
PRESTIGE	0.02	NIL	3.92%	2023Final	09-Jul-24	30-Jul-24	02-Aug-24	09-Aug-24	08-Aug-24
REDSTAREX	0.27	NIL	7.11%	Q1:2024	01-Jul-24	20-Aug-24	23-Aug-24	12-Sep-24	12-Sep-24
SEPLAT	42.01	Nil	1.13%	2023Final	29-Feb-24	26-Apr-24	29-Apr-24	29-May-24	16-May-24
SEPLAT	42.01	Nil	1.13%	Q1:2024	29-Apr-24	31-May-24	03-Jun-24	31-May-24	14-Jun-24
SKYAVN	0.30	Nil	1.47%	2023Final	31-Mar-24	TBA	27-May-24	13-Jun-24	13-Jun-24
STANBIC	0.03	Nil	4.11%	2023Final	23-May-24	10-Sep-24	11-Sep-24	26-Sep-24	26-Sep-24
SOVRENINS	2.20	Nil	5.36%	2023Final	04-Apr-24	19-Apr-24	22-Apr-24	17-May-24	16-May-24
SUNUASSUR	0.05	Nil	3.70%	2023Final	04-Jul-24	12-Jul-24	19-Jul-24	19-Jul-24	15-Aug-24
TOTAL	25.00	Nil	6.43%	2023Final	04-Apr-24	23-Apr-24	24-Apr-24	17-Jun-24	14-Jun-24
TRANSCORP	0.10	Nil	0.84%	2023Final	01-Apr-24	24-Apr-24	25-Apr-24	28-May-24	27-May-24
TRANSCOHOT	0.20	NIL	0.20%	2023Final	03-Apr-24	15-Apr-24	19-Apr-24	30-Apr-24	29-Apr-24

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# **Dividends Declared in 2024**

Company	Dividend Declared	Bon us	Divide nd Yield	Interim/ Final	Declarati on Date	Qualificati on Date	Closure Date	Payment Date	AGM Date
UNILEVER	0.75	Nil	4.18%	2023Final	28-Dec-23	12-Feb-24	29-Apr-24	10-May-24	09-May-24
VITAFOAM	1.56	Nil	8.43%	2023Final	28-Dec-23	12-Feb-24	13-Feb-24	07-Mar-24	07-Mar-24
WAPCO	1.90	Nil	5.14%	2023Final	29-Feb-24	28-Mar-24	05-Apr-24	26-Apr-24	26-Apr-24
WEMABANK	0.50	Nil	8.00%	2023Final	05-Apr-24	ТВА	10-May-24	28-May-24	28-May-24
ZENITHBANK	3.50	Nil	9.76%	2023Final	08-Apr-24	25-Apr-24	26-Apr-24	08-May-24	08-May-24



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