

## INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REVIEW REPORT ON CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS TO THE SHAREHOLDERS OF GRINDROD LIMITED

We have reviewed the condensed consolidated financial statements of Grindrod Limited, contained in the accompanying report, which comprise the condensed consolidated statement of financial position as at 31 December 2023, the condensed consolidated income statement, statement of other comprehensive income, statement of changes in equity and statement of cash flows for the year then ended, and selected explanatory notes.

### Directors' responsibility for the condensed consolidated financial statements

The directors are responsible for the preparation and presentation of these condensed consolidated financial statements in accordance with the requirements of the JSE Limited Listings Requirements, as set out in the basis of preparation in Note 13, and the requirements of the Companies Act of South Africa, and for such internal control as the directors determine is necessary to enable the preparation of financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

The Listings Requirements require condensed consolidated financial statements to be prepared in accordance with the framework concepts and the measurement and recognition requirements of International Financial Reporting Standards (IFRS), the SAICA Financial Reporting Guides as issued by the Accounting Practices Committee and Financial Pronouncements as issued by Financial Reporting Standards Council and to also, as a minimum, contain the information required by International Accounting Standard (IAS) 34, Interim Financial Reporting.

### Auditor's responsibility

Our responsibility is to express a conclusion on these financial statements. We conducted our review in accordance with International Standard on Review Engagements (ISRE) 2410, which applies to a review of historical information performed by the independent auditor of the entity. ISRE 2410 requires us to conclude whether anything has come to our attention that causes us to believe that the financial statements are not prepared in all material respects in accordance with the applicable financial reporting framework. This standard also requires us to comply with relevant ethical requirements.

A review of financial statements in accordance with ISRE 2410 is a limited assurance engagement. We perform procedures, primarily consisting of making inquiries of management and others within the entity, as appropriate, and applying analytical procedures, and evaluate the evidence obtained.

The procedures performed in a review are substantially less than those performed in an audit conducted in accordance with International Standards on Auditing. Accordingly, we do not express an audit opinion on these financial statements.



National Executive: \*R Redfearn Chief Executive Officer \*GM Berry Chief Operating Officer JW Eshun Managing Director Businesses LN Mahluza Chief People Officer \*N Sing Chief Risk Officer AP Theophanides Chief Sustainability Officer \*NA le Riche Chief Growth Officer \*ML Tshabalala Audit & Assurance AM Babu Consulting TA Odukoya Financial Advisory G Rammego Risk Advisory DI Kubeka Tax & Legal DP Ndlovu Chair of the Board

A full list of partners and directors is available on request \* Partner and Registered Auditor

**B-BBEE rating: Level 1 contribution in terms of the DTI Generic Scorecard as per the amended Codes of Good Practice**

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### Conclusion

Based on our review, nothing has come to our attention that causes us to believe that the condensed consolidated financial statements of Grindrod Limited for the year ended 31 December 2023 are not prepared, in all material respects, in accordance with the requirements of the JSE Limited Listings Requirements for condensed financial statements, as set out in Note 13 to the condensed consolidated financial statements, and the requirements of the Companies Act of South Africa.

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**Deloitte & Touche**  
Registered Auditor  
Per: MH Holme CA(SA), RA  
Partner

6 March 2024