Distell Group Limited

Incorporated in the Republic of South Africa Registration Number: 1988/005808/06

ISIN: ZAE000028668 Share Code: DST

("Distell" or "the Company")

Results of the Distell Scheme Meeting and the Distell General Meeting and remaining salient dates and times of the Transaction

Unless otherwise indicated, capitalised words and terms contained in this announcement shall bear the same meanings ascribed thereto in the Distell Circular, Prospectus and Distell Incentive Plan Circular, distributed on Wednesday, 20 September 2017.

On 22 June 2017, Distell and Capevin issued a joint announcement in relation to the proposed restructuring of Distell's multi-tiered ownership structure. The related Circular and Prospectus were distributed on Wednesday, 20 September 2017. The Board of Distell is pleased to announce that at the Distell Scheme Meeting held today, the resolutions relating to the Transaction were approved by the requisite majority of votes. Furthermore, all the resolutions set out in the Notice of the Distell General Meeting in relation to the CSP Scheme were approved by the requisite majority of votes. The results of each resolution are as follows:

Resolutions		Votes carried disclosed as a percentage of the total number of shares voted at the meeting (1,2)		Number of	Shares voted disclosed as a percentage of the eligible voting rights (Distell Scheme	Shares abstained disclosed as a percentage of the eligible voting rights
		For	Against	shares voted	Meeting) ⁽³⁾ and the total voting rights (Distell General Meeting) ⁽⁴⁾	(Distell Scheme Meeting) (3) and the total voting rights (Distell General Meeting) (4)
Distell Scheme Meetin	g					
Special resolution 1	Approval of the Distell Scheme	99.99%	0.01%	86 603 379	84.87%	0.24%
Special resolution 2	Revocation of Special resolution 1 if the Distell Scheme does not	99.99%	0.01%	86 603 379	84.87%	0.24%

	become unconditional and is not					1
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Ordinary resolution 1	Waiver by the Distell Minorities					
	of the Mandatory Offer in terms	00.00%	99.99% 0.01%	86 603 379	84.87%	0.24%
	of regulation 86(4) of the	99.99%				
	Companies Regulations					
Ordinary resolution 2	Directors authority	99.99%	0.01%	86 603 379	84.87%	0.24%
Distell General Meeting						
Advisory vote	Approval of the DGHL CSP	97.06%	2.94%	142 647 037	65.02%	0.14%
	Scheme					
Ordinary resolution 1	Approval of the Distell CSP	97.06%	2.94%	142 647 037	65.02%	0.14%
	Scheme	97.00%	2.94%	142 047 037	03.02%	0.14%
Ordinary resolution 2	Approval of the making of					
	awards under the Distell CSP	07.000/	97.06% 2.94%	142 647 037	65.02%	0.14%
	Scheme, prior to the end of the	97.00%				
	restricted period					
Ordinary resolution 3	Authority to implement the	97.06%	2.94%	142 647 037	65.02%	0.14%
	above resolutions					

Notes:

- 1. Any proxy appointments giving discretion to the Chairman of the Meeting have been included in the "For" totals above.
- 2. A vote "abstained" is not a vote in law and is not counted in the calculation of the votes "For" or "Against" a resolution.
- 3. The total ordinary shares in issue and held by Distell Minorities (eligible voting shares) as at Friday, 27 October 2017 was 102 040 911 ordinary shares of R0.01 rand each. 117 348 000 of the ordinary shares in issue held by Remgro-Capevin Investments Limited, comprising 52.77% of the total ordinary shares in issue, were not entitled to vote and 2 993 445 of the ordinary shares in issue are classified as Treasury shares, comprising 1.34% of the total ordinary shares in issue, were not entitled to one vote per ordinary share held, on a poll. The votes received, including votes abstained, amount to 85.11% of the eligible voting rights.
- 4. The ordinary shares in issue (total voting rights) as at Friday, 27 October 2017 was 219 318 911 ordinary shares of R0.01 rand each. A total of 2 993 445 of the ordinary shares in issue are classified as Treasury shares, comprising 1.34% of the total ordinary shares in issue, were not entitled to vote. Distell Shareholders are entitled to one vote per ordinary share held. The votes received, including votes abstained, amount to 65.16% of the total voting rights.

The special resolutions will, where necessary, be lodged for registration with the Companies and Intellectual Property Commission in due course.

Remaining salient dates and times of the Transaction

	2017
Results of the Distell Scheme Meeting to be published in the press	Monday, 30 October
If applicable, Company to send notice of the passing of the special resolution approving the Distell Scheme, in terms of section 164(4) of the Companies Act	Monday, 30 October
If (i) all of the resolutions relating to the Distell Scheme and the Waiver are passed by the requisite majority of Distell Minorities at (ii) all of the resolutions required to give effect to the RCI Exchange, the Waiver and the Capevin Scheme are passed by Capevin Meeting	=
	2017
Last day for Distell Minorities who voted against the Distell Scheme to require Distell to seek court approval for the Distell Scheme in terms of section 115(3)(a) of the Companies Act	Friday, 3 November
Last day to send notice of adoption of special resolutions in accordance with section 164(4) of the Companies Act	Friday, 10 November
Last day for Distell Minorities who voted against the Distell Scheme to apply to court for leave to apply for a review of the Distell Scheme in terms of section 115(3)(b) of the Companies Act	Friday, 10 November
	2018
Anticipated receipt of approval of the South African Competition Authorities on or before	Monday, 29 January
Receive compliance certificate from the TRP	Monday, 29 January
If all Conditions Precedent relating to the Distell Scheme are fulfilled or waived (to the extent applicable)	
Finalisation announcement expected to be released on SENS	Monday, 29 January
Implementation of RCI Exchange and B Share Issuance	Monday, 29 January
Finalisation announcement expected to be published in the press	Tuesday, 30 January
Last day to trade in order for Capevin Shareholders to be recorded on the Capevin securities register on the Capevin Record Date	Tuesday, 6 February

Capevin Shares expected to be suspended on the JSE trading system	Wednesday, 7 February
DGHL Ordinary Shares to be allocated to Capevin Shareholders listed on the JSE	Wednesday, 7 February
Capevin Shareholders can trade their entitlement to DGHL Ordinary Shares	Wednesday, 7 February
Last day to trade in order for Distell Shareholders to be recorded on the securities register on the Distell Record Date	Thursday, 8 February
Distell Shares expected to be suspended on the JSE trading system	Friday, 9 February
DGHL Ordinary Shares to be allocated to Distell Shareholders listed on the JSE	Friday, 9 February
Distell Shareholders can trade their entitlement to DGHL Ordinary Shares	Friday, 9 February
Expected Capevin Record Date on which Capevin Shareholders must be recorded in the Capevin securities register to participate in the Capevin Scheme	Friday, 9 February
Implementation of the Capevin Scheme (Capevin Operative Date)	Monday, 12 February
Capevin Shareholders' CSDP or Broker accounts updated to reflect their DGHL Ordinary Shares	Monday, 12 February
Expected termination of the listing of Capevin Shares at commencement of trade on the JSE	Tuesday, 13 February
Expected Distell Record Date on which Distell Shareholders must be recorded in the securities register to participate in the Distell Scheme	Tuesday, 13 February
Implementation of the Distell Scheme (Distell Operative date)	Wednesday, 14 February
Distell Shareholders' CSDP or Broker accounts updated to reflect their DGHL Ordinary Shares	Wednesday, 14 February
Expected termination of the listing of Distell Shares at commencement of trade on the JSE	Thursday, 15 February
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Notes:

- 1. All times shown above are South African local times.
- 2. All dates and times in respect of the Transaction are subject to change. The above dates have been determined based on certain assumptions regarding the Transaction. The above dates will also change to the extent that the requisite approvals of the relevant South African Competition Authorities and/or Foreign Competition Authorities have not been obtained by Monday, 29 January 2018. If the relevant dates in respect of the Transaction change and the dates above are impacted, the changes will be released on SENS and published in the press.
- 3. It should be noted that although Distell will send the required notice to Dissenting Distell Shareholders, if any, in terms of section 164(4) of the Companies Act on Monday, 30 October 2017, the last day for sending this notice is 10 Business Days after the date of the Distell Scheme Meeting.
- 4. Share certificates in respect of Distell Shares may not be Dematerialised or rematerialised from Thursday, 8 February 2018.

By order of the Board

Stellenbosch 27 October 2017

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