

NOTICE

TRADING STATEMENT FOR THE REPORTING PERIOD ENDING 30 JUNE 2026

In terms of the listing requirements of the Malawi Stock Exchange Limited, a listed company is required to publish a Trading Statement as soon as there is a reasonable degree of certainty that the financial results for the period to be reported upon next will vary by at least 20% from that of the previous corresponding period.

NICO Holdings plc accordingly advises that its consolidated profit after tax for the half year ending 30 June 2026 is expected to be in the range of MK91 billion to MK101 billion representing a decrease of between 27% and 19% on the profit after tax of MK125 billion reported in the previous corresponding period. In addition, the consolidated profit after tax attributable to owners of the parent company (NICO Holdings plc) is also expected to be in the range of MK48 billion to MK53 billion representing a decrease of between 27% and 18% on the profit after tax of MK65 billion reported in the previous corresponding period.

The information on which the above trading statement is based has not been reviewed or reported on by NICO Holdings plc's external auditors nor has it been reviewed by the statutory actuary.

Angela Kandani
Company Secretary
30th June 2026

