## **Anime studio fire** 'an arson attack', Japan police say

Tokyo, Japan

The horrifying fire at a renowned anime firm which killed dozens in Kyoto is being treated as arson and murder, Japanese police have said, with scores of detectives investigating the deadliest violent crime for decades in the famously safe country.

The blaze on Thursday killed 34 people and wounded dozens more at Kvoto Animation -- well known among fans across the world for its animations of popular manga works -- and left anime fans and insiders shocked and heartbroken.

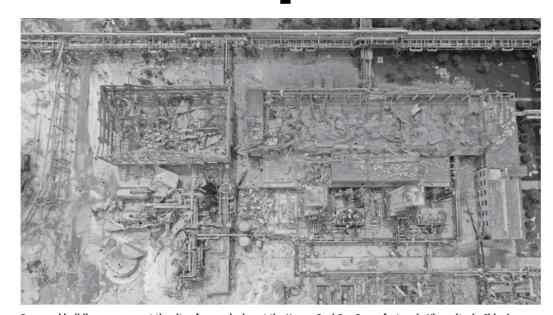
In a rare move, Kyoto police on Friday identified the 41-year-old man suspected of starting the inferno as Shinji Aoba.

### Last Gaddafi PM freed

Tripoli, Libya

 ${f B}$ aghdadi al-Mahmoudi, Libya's last prime minister under ousted dictator Muammar Al Gaddafi, has been released from jail for health reasons four years after being sentenced to death, Tripoli's justice ministry said yesterday.

# **Death toll rises to 15** after China plant blast



Damaged buildings are seen at the site of an explosion at the Henan Coal Gas Group factory in Yima city, in China's central Henan province

#### Beijing, China

The death toll from a huge factory, state broadcaster CCTV media account. explosion that rocked a gas said, with the official Xinhua Local media state. plant in central China has risen news agency saying a device in

Friday's blast at the Henan on Friday. Coal Gas Group factory left ple's Daily.

The blast shattered win-

It occurred in the air separation unit of Henan Coal's to 15, state media said yesterday. the factory exploded at 5:45 pm

All production at the plant roads. another 15 people seriously has been stopped. More than wounded and more with light 270 rescuers were on the scene, injuries, said the state-run Peo- Xinhua said, citing the emergency management ministry.

"Many windows and doors dows and doors of buildings within a three-kilometre radi- being helped out of a van in a in a three-kilometre (1.9-mile) us were shattered, and some video posted on social media.

interior doors were also blown out by the blast," CCTV said on its Twitter-like Weibo social

Local media showed amateur videos of a massive column of black smoke billowing from the factory and debris littering the

Other images showed the doors and windows of homes blown out and shuttered shops with dented metal fronts.

A bloodied man was seen

# India grounds pilot for sending hijack alert by mistake

New Delhi, India

India has suspended a pilot for accidentally sending a hijack alert to air traffic control during a domestic flight last month, the aviation authority said.

The AirAsia India plane, flying from the capital New Delhi to Srinagar, suffered a stalled engine and the captain told first officer Ravi Raj to send

Civil Aviation said in a state- the city of Chandigarh. ment on Friday.

across the world. Precise de- said, and the captain of the tails of the response from In- flight was also warned to be dian authorities during the more vigilant.



Instead of the appropriate code 7700, Raj transmitted 7500

an emergency code to alert incident were not available, authorities about the situation. but local media reported last Instead of the appropriate month that procedures for code 7700, Raj transmitted handling a hijacking were set 7500 -- the code for a hijacking in motion. The Airbus A320 -- India's Director General of airliner safely landed later in

Raj was found guilty of "neg-Such a transmission is conligent conduct" and suspended sidered a major security alert for three months, the DGCA

#### More than 10,000 rally in Moscow

Moscow, Russia

 $\mathbf{M}$  ore than 10,000 people, including prominent opposition politicians, participated in a rally in central Moscow Saturday to demand free and Thousands of protesters gathered in fair local polls, an independent Moscow monitor said.



Opposition politicians and critics seeking to run for the supporters gathered after au- capital's parliament in Septhorities refused to register al-tember elections, said White lies of opposition leader Alexei Counter, an NGO that tracks Navalny and other Kremlin participation in protest rallies.

# NATIONAL HOTELS COMPANY (B.S.O.) **INTERIM CONDENSED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS 30 JUNE 2019 (REVIEWED)**

Non-current assets   Non-current properties   35,053,915   35,90   37,30   37,90   37,30   37,90   37,30   37,90   37,30   3	At 30 June 2019 (Review	icu,	
Non-current assets   Property, plant and equipment   35,053,915   37,088,961   37,088,961   37,088,961   37,088,961   37,088,961   37,088,961   37,088,961   37,088,961   37,088,961   37,088,961   37,088,961   37,088,961   37,088,961   37,088,961   37,088,961   37,088,961   37,088,961   38,093,368   2,699,368   2,499,331   38,73		2019	31 Decembe 20 Audite
Property, plant and equipment Investment properties         35,083,915 37,38	ASSETS		
Investment properties   37,089,961   37,381		05 050 045	05 000 7
Investment in an associate   7,513,168   7,75   7,50   7			35,900,77
Non-current investments   2,833,287   2,69     Total non-current assets   82,490,331   83,73     Current assets   81,155   7     Current investments   2,099,668   2,04     Current investments   2,099,668   2,04     Each of all other receivables   550,810   45     Bank balances and cash   1,151,388   17     Total current assets   3,843,021   2,76     TOTAL ASSETS   86,333,352   86,49     EQUITY AND LIABILITIES   2     EQUITY AND LIABILITIES   2     Equity   Share capital   11,025,000   11,02     Share capital under registration   1,102,500   (9,762,000   1,762   1,76			7,758,07
Current assets         81,155         7           Inventories         2,059,668         2,04           Current investments         2,059,668         2,04           Trade and other receivables         550,810         45           Bank balances and cash         1,151,388         17           Total current assets         3,843,021         2,76           TOTAL ASSETS         86,333,352         86,49           EQUITY AND LIABILITIES         EQUITY         5           EQUITY Share capital         11,025,000         11,025,000           Share capital under registration         1,102,500         10           Treasury shares         (94,726)         9           Statutory reserve         5,512,500         5,5           General reserve         1,087,579         1,08           Revaluation reserve         13,391,305         13,39           Investment revaluation reserve         12,007,10         2,06           Share of reserves of associate         156,439         10           Retained earnings         50,053,787         49,26           Proposed bonus shares         50,053,787         49,26           Total equity         84,435,094         83,45           Non-current liabilities <td></td> <td></td> <td>2,693,43</td>			2,693,43
Inventories	Total non-current assets	82,490,331	83,733,24
Current investments         2,056,668         2,04           Trade and other receivables         550,810         45           Bank balances and cash         1,151,388         17           Total current assets         3,843,021         2,76           TOTAL ASSETS         86,333,352         86,49           EQUITY AND LIABILITIES         Equity         5           Share capital under registration         1,102,500         11,025,000           Treasury shares         (94,726)         (9           Statutory reserve         5,512,500         5,51           General reserve         1,087,579         1,08           Revaluation reserve         13,391,305         13,391,305           Investment revaluation reserve         12,007,710         2,08           Retained earnings         50,053,787         49,26           Proposed borus shares         -1,10         1,10           Total equity         84,435,094         83,45           Non-current liability         304,026         33           Current liabilities         304,026         33           Trade and other payables         1,594,232         2,09           Bank overdraft         61         61			
Trade and other receivables Bank balances and cash         550,810 and 1,151,388 and 1,751,388 and 1,751,388 and 1,751,388 and balances and cash         1,751,388 and 1,751,389 and 1,75			76,99
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Total current assets   3,843,021   2,76			459,83 175,10
### TOTAL ASSETS  ### EQUITY AND LIABILITIES  Equity  Share capital			
EQUITY AND LIABILITIES   Equity   Share capital   11,025,000   11,025   Share capital   11,025,000   11,025   Share capital   11,025,000   11,025,000   11,025,000   11,025,000   (9,000   10,			2,761,4
Equity         In Jo25,000         11,025,000           Share capital under registration         1,102,500         1,102,500           Treasury shares         (94,725)         (9           Statutory reserve         5,512,500         5,51           General reserve         1,087,579         1,08           Investment revaluation reserve         13,391,305         13,39           Investment revaluation reserve         156,439         0           Share of reserves of associate         156,439         10           Retained earnings         50,053,787         49,26           Proposed bonus shares         -1,10         1           Total equity         84,435,094         83,45           Non-current liability         2         33           Total non-current liability         304,026         33           Total non-current liabilities         304,026         33           Trade and other payables         1,594,232         2,09           Bank overdraft         61         61	TOTAL ASSETS	86,333,352	86,494,65
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Share capital under registration     1,102,500 (94,726)       Treasury shares     (94,726)       Statutory reserve     5,512,500 (5,		11.025.000	11,025,00
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Revaluation reserve     13,391,305     13,395       Investment revaluation reserve     2,200,710     2,06       Share of reserves of associate     156,439     10       Retained earnings     50,653,787     49,26       Proposed bonus shares     1,10     1,10       Total equity     84,435,094     83,45       Non-current liability     304,026     33       Total non-current liability     304,026     33       Current liabilities     20,00     33       Trade and other payables     1,594,232     2,09       Bank overdraft     61     61			5,512,50
Investment revaluation reserve   2,200,710   2,006   2,007   2,007   2,006   2,007   2,006   2,007   2,006   2,007   2,006   2,007   2,006   2,007   2,006   2,007   2,006   2,007   2,006   2,007   2,006   2,007			1,087,5
Share of reserves of associate       156,439       10,56,439       10,49,26         Retained earnings       50,65,3787       49,26       1,10         Proposed bonus shares       84,435,094       83,45         Non-current liability       Employees' end of service benefits       304,026       33         Total non-current liability       304,026       33         Current liabilities       1,594,232       2,09         Bank overdraft       61			2,060,8
Retained earnings         50,053,787 (1,10)           Proposed bonus shares         84,435,094 (8,435,094)           Ron-current liability         83,45           Employees' end of service benefits         304,026 (33)           Total enon-current liability         304,026 (33)           Courrent liabilities         1,594,232 (2,09)           Trade and other payables         1,594,232 (6)           Bank overdraft         61			102,2
Fotal equity         84,435,094         83,45           Non-current liability         304,026         33           Employees' end of service benefits         304,026         33           Total non-current liabilities         304,026         33           Current liabilities         1,594,232         2,09           Bank overdraft         61         61			49,266,8
Non-current liability         304,026         33           Employees' end of service benefits         304,026         33           Total non-current liability         304,026         33           Current liabilities         1,594,232         2,09           Bank overdraft         61         61	Proposed bonus shares		1,102,5
Employees' end of service benefits         304,026         33           Total non-current liability         304,026         33           Current liabilities         1,594,232         2,09           Fande and other payables         1,594,232         61           Bank overdraft         61         61	Total equity	84,435,094	83,454,1
Total non-current liability         304,026         33           Current liabilities         1,594,232         2,09           Bank overdraft         61         61	Non-current liability		
Current liabilities         1,594,232         2,09           Bank overdraft         61         61	Employees' end of service benefits	304,026	331,7
Trade and other payables 1,594,232 2,09 ank overdraft 61	Total non-current liability	304,026	331,7
Bank overdraft - 61	Current liabilities		
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	Fotal current liabilities	1,594,232	2,708,7
Total liabilities         1,898,258         3,04	Total liabilities	1,898,258	3,040,5
TOTAL EQUITY AND LIABILITIES 86,333,352 86,49	TOTAL EQUITY AND LIABILITIES	86,333,352	86,494,6

INTERIM STATEMENT OF PROFIT OR LOSS  For the six months ended 30 June 2019 (Reviewed)												
	Three mon 30 Ju		Six month: 30 Ju									
-	2019 Reviewed BD	2018 Reviewed BD	2019 Reviewed BD	2018 Reviewed BD								
Revenue from contracts with customers Rental income	1,401,303 286,964	1,269,315 276,344	2,954,877 586,382	2,451,941 551,406								
Revenue Gross operating costs	1,688,267 (1,212,393)	1,545,659 (1,141,879)	3,541,259 (2,334,354)	3,003,347 (2,242,706)								
GROSS OPERATING PROFIT	475,874	403,780	1,206,905	760,641								
Net investment income: Share of profit from an associate Dividend income Interest income Fair value gain on investments at fair value through profit or loss - net	384,642 649 31,412 4,653	312,433 556 26,613 211	902,617 111,743 56,446 10,198	682,028 108,927 58,785 769								
,	421,356	339,813	1,081,004	850,509								
Miscellaneous income Depreciation General and administration expenses Financial charges	95,194 (701,994) (105,529) (22)	77,797 (508,468) (168,584) (16,433)	176,322 (1,386,146) (285,956) (3,468)	160,322 (1,016,780) (369,728) (26,199)								
PROFIT FOR THE PERIOD	184,879	127,905	788,661	358,765								
BASIC AND DILUTED EARNINGS PER SHARE (in fils)	2	1	7	3								
INTERIM STATEMENT OF COMPREHENSIVE INCOME												

Financial charges	(22)	(16,433)	(3,468)	(26,199)
PROFIT FOR THE PERIOD	184,879	127,905	788,661	358,765
BASIC AND DILUTED EARNINGS PER SHARE (in fils)	2	1	7	3
INTERIM STATEME For the six more	ENT OF CO oths ended 30	MPREHENS June 2019 (Re	IVE INCOME	:
		nonths ended 30 June		nths ended ) June
-	2019 Reviewed BD	2018 Reviewed BD	2019 Reviewed BD	2018 Reviewed BD
Profit for the period	184,879	127,905	788,661	358,765
Other comprehensive income				
Other comprehensive income not to be reclassified to profit or loss in subsequent periods: Net movement in fair values of investments at fair value through other comprehensive incom	ne.			
during the period Share in associate's	30,679	92,036	139,852	61,357
other comprehensive income	21,330	7,006	54,153	22,760
Other comprehensive income for the period	52,009	99,042	194,005	84,117
Total comprehensive income for the period	236,888	226,947	982,666	442,882
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INTERIM STATEMENT OF C For the six months ended 30 June		
		ths ended June
	2019 Reviewed BD	2018 Reviewed BD
OPERATING ACTIVITIES		
Profit for the period	788,661	358,765
Adjustments for: Depreciation Profit on disposal of property, plant and equipment Share of profit from an associate	1,386,146 (431) (902,617)	1,016,780
Fair value gain on investments at fair value through profit or loss - net Dividend income Interest income Interest syenes Provision for ECLs Provision for employees' end of service benefits	(10,198) (111,743) (56,446) 2,868 57,942 30,362	(769) (108,927) (58,785) 25,556 58,450 54,029
Operating profit before working capital changes	1,184,544	663,071
Working capital changes: Inventories Trade and other receivables Trade and other payables	(4,161) (144,958) (153,354)	15,561 154,982 (541,298)
Cash flows from operations	882,071	292,316
Employees' end of service benefits paid Directors' remuneration paid Charitable contributions paid	(58,118) (33,500) (44,000)	(174,473) (95,000) (24,900)
Net cash flows from (used in) operating activities	746,453	(2,057)
INVESTING ACTIVITIES		
Purchase of property, plant and equipment Dividends received from an associate Other dividends received Interest received	(513,772) 1,200,000 111,743 52,490	(2,779,367) 1,100,000 108,927 54,829
Net cash flows from (used in) investing activities	850,461	(1,515,611)
FINANCING ACTIVITIES		
Repayments of term loan Dividends paid Interest paid	(2,868)	(1,243,215) (1,091,747) (25,556)
Net cash flows used in financing activities	(2,868)	(2,360,518)
INCREASE (DECREASE) IN CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS	1,594,046	(3,878,186)
Cash and cash equivalents at 1 January	(541,368)	2,927,269
CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS AT 30 JUNE	1,052,678	(950,917)

INTERIM STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN EQUITY For the six months ended 30 June (Reviewed)																						
	Share capital BD	Share capital under registration BD	Treasury shares BD	Statutory reserve BD	General reserve BD	Revaluation reserve BD	Investment revaluation reserve BD	Share of reserves of associate BD	Retained earnings BD	Proposed bonus shares BD	Total BD		Share capital BD	Treasury shares BD	Statutory reserve BD	General reserve BD	Revaluation reserve BD	Investment revaluation reserve BD	Share of reserves of associate BD	Retained earnings BD	Proposed dividend BD	Total BD
As at 1 January 2019	11,025,000	-	(94,726)	5,512,500	1,087,579	13,391,305	2,060,858	102,286	49,266,801	1,102,500	83,454,103	As at 1 January 2018	11,025,000	(94,726)	5,512,500	2,190,079	13,391,305	1,825,735	22,548	48,183,786	1,091,747	83,147,974
Effect of adoption of IFRS 16 by an associate	-	-		-	-	-	-	-	(1,675)		(1,675)	Transfer to retained earnings on adoption of IFRS 9 by an associate	-	-	-	-	-	-	42,843	(42,843)	-	-
As at 1 January 2019 (restated)	11,025,000	-	(94,726)	5,512,500	1,087,579	13,391,305	2,060,858	102,286	49,265,126	1,102,500	83,452,428	As at 1 January 2018 (restated)	11,025,000	(94,726)	5,512,500	2,190,079	13,391,305	1,825,735	65,391	48,140,943	1,091,747	83,147,974
Profit for the period	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	788,661	-	788,661	Profit for the period	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	358,765	-	358,765
Other comprehensive income for the period –		<u> </u>					139,852	54,153			194,005	Other comprehensive income for the period						61,357	22,760			84,117
Total comprehensive income for the period	-	-	-	-	-	-	139,852	54,153	788,661	-	982,666	Total comprehensive income for the period	-	-	-	-	-	61,357	22,760	358,765	-	442,882
Issue of bonus shares	-	1,102,500	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(1,102,500)	-	Dividends declared	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(1,091,747)	(1,091,747)
As at 30 June 2019 (reviewed)	11,025,000	1,102,500	(94,726)	5,512,500	1,087,579	13,391,305	2,200,710	156,439	50,053,787		84,435,094	As at 30 June 2018 (reviewed)	11,025,000	(94,726)	5,512,500	2,190,079	13,391,305	1,887,092	88,151	48,499,708	-	82,499,109
Faisal Ahmed Al Zayani - Chairman Adel N Hamadah - Vice Chairman & Managing Director																						