

## RESULTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2019

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## 888

ITAI PAZNER, CEO | 2019 HIGHLIGHTS

## **OPERATING UNDER COVID-19**

- We have adjusted our operations to the new COVID-19 reality and local guidelines
- The safety and health of our 8sters was set as a top priority
- All employees in our 9 global sites are now Working From Home
- This was possible in a very short time frame due to a well prepared and executed business continuity plan
- Developing a new WFH routine, constantly finding new innovative ways to communicate, maintain high spirits and productivity
- Currently, major projects are progressing as planned
- Our new, proprietary 888sport successfully launched in Sweden
- As more people are quarantined worldwide, we continue to implement Responsible Gaming measures to ensure the safe play of our customers
- Management continues to monitor the situation closely as it evolves in different countries



## 2019 HIGHLIGHTS

 Good progress throughout the year with double digit revenue growth at constant currency

 Continued focus on compliance and launched 'Safer, Better, Together' responsible gaming strategy

 Record new customer acquisition – more than 1million FTDs coupled with consistent marking efficiencies

- Further progress in regulated markets
- Successful market penetration in Sweden and Portugal
- Product centricity driving success Personalisation
- Casino & Sport verticals lead growth
- Sport new platform deployment on track
- Resilient business model and strong balance sheet



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AVIAD KOBRINE, CFO | FINANCIAL REVIEW

#### 2019 FINANCIAL HIGHLIGHTS

- Revenue up 10% at constant currency driven by further progress in regulated markets
- Revenue increase led by Casino and Sport up 17% and 19% respectively at constant currency
- UK growth continues to be driven by recreational players with casino revenue generated by VIPs less than 5% of total portfolio
- Regulated and taxed markets comprise a record 74% of Group's Revenue supported by launches in Sweden and Portugal during 2019 and strong growth in Italy and Romania
- Marketing ratio stable at 29% with new customers' up 22%, led by Casino (up 43%) reflecting CPA efficiencies
- Adjusted EBITDA margin of 15% (2018: 20%) primarily reflecting US\$26m higher gaming duties and FX headwinds
- Adjusted EBITDA<sup>2</sup> down 20% to \$86m; \$92m at constant currency
- Final dividend of 3.0¢ per share (2018: 6.0¢ per share) bringing total dividends for the year to 6.0¢ per share (2018: 12.2¢) in line with the Group's dividend policy
- Adjusted Basic EPS<sup>2</sup> at \$13.5c
- Strong balance sheet with cash and cash equivalents at US\$99.5m, US\$45m net of customers' deposits
- Healthy current trading

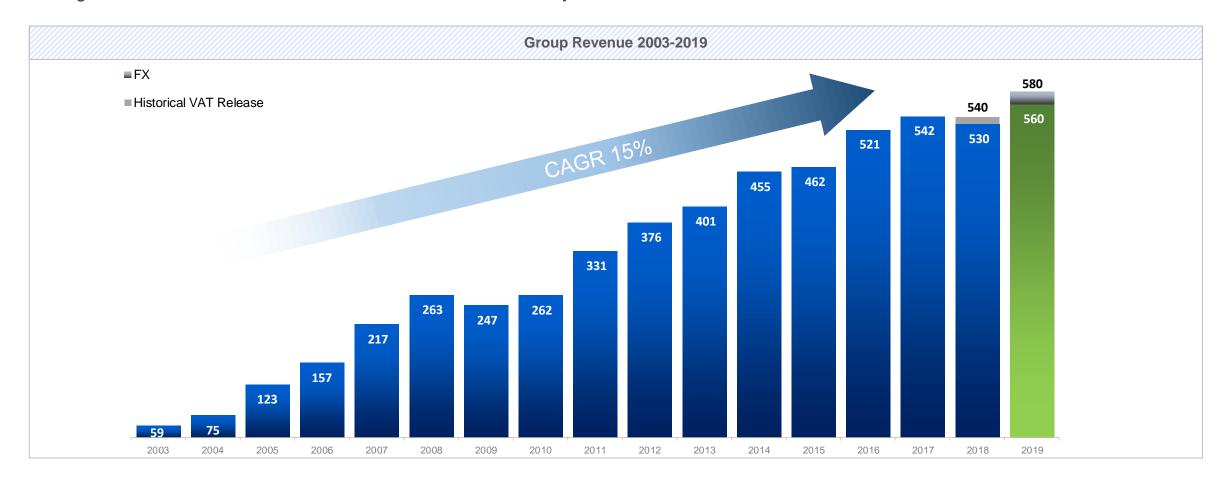
#### **GROUP REVENUE**

- Group revenue up 6% to \$560m (2018: \$530m); up 10% at constant currency
- Growth is driven by Casino, Sport, new markets, healthy acquisition and regulated progress
- Poker stabilisation as of H2 2018, with H2 2019 7% higher YoY
- B2B impacted by transfer of acquired businesses from B2B to B2C, soft trading in Globalcom bingo and migration of Cashcade

			Revenue 2019 v	s. 2018		
\$US Millions	FY 2019	FY 2018	400	B2C Reven	ue Per Product	
Casino	359.3	317.6	350 -	359	■ 2018 ■ 2	2019
Sport	90.0	80.3	300 -	B		
Poker	42.7	48.9	250 -			
Bingo	38.5	32.4	200 -			
B2C	530.5	479.3	150 -			
B2B	29.8	50.6	100 -	80 90		
Group	560.3	529.8	50 -		49 43 32	38
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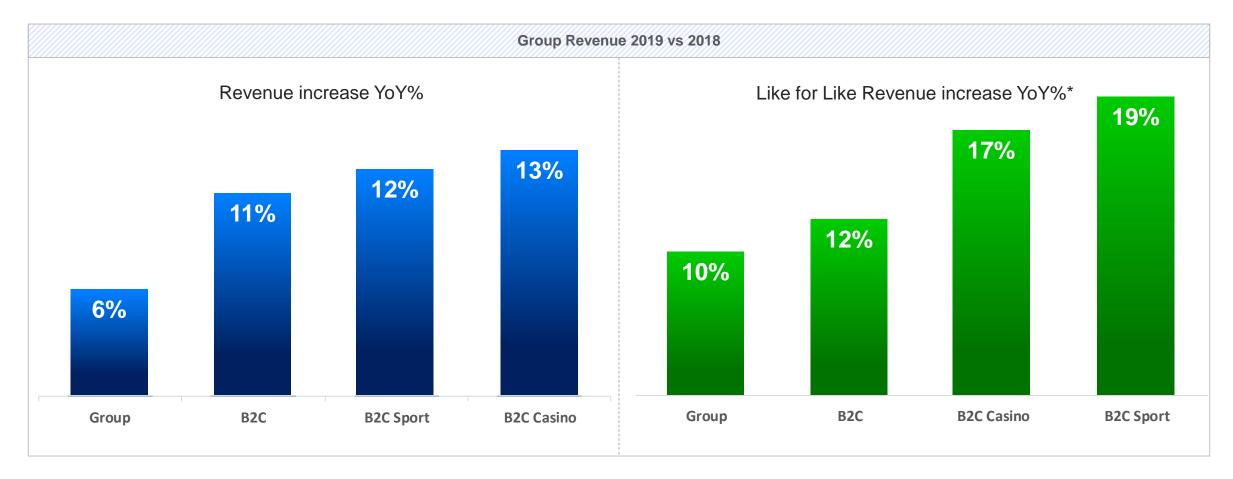
## **GROUP REVENUE**

- 2003-2019 CAGR at 15% reflecting strong long-term growth track record
- Group revenue up 10% at constant currency led by Casino and Sport
- Regulated markets revenue increase 22% at constant currency



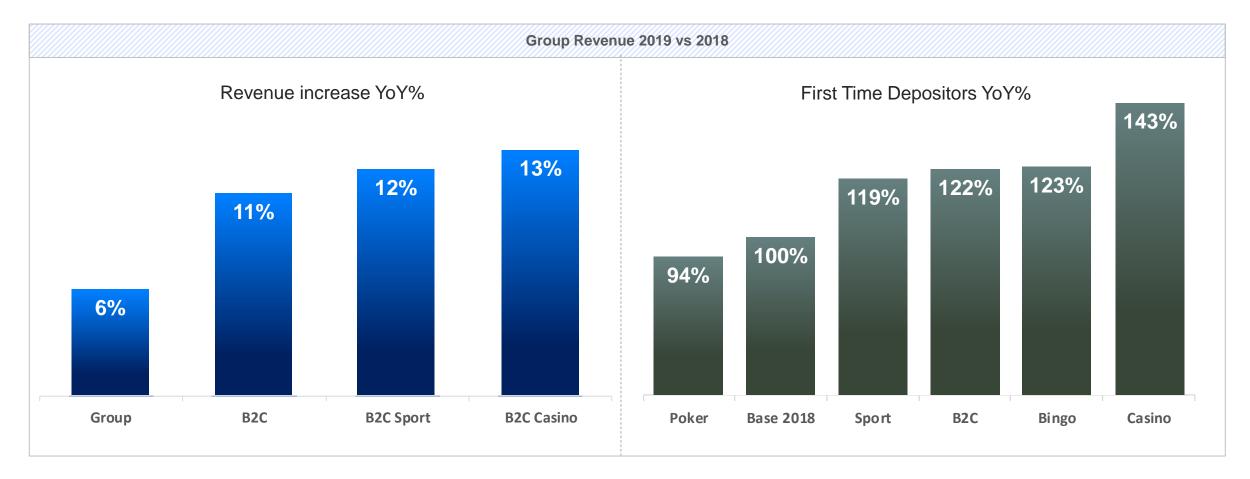
#### **GROUP PERFORMANCE**

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- Casino stand out growth with new customer acquisition up 43%, active players up 26% and overall deposits up 31%



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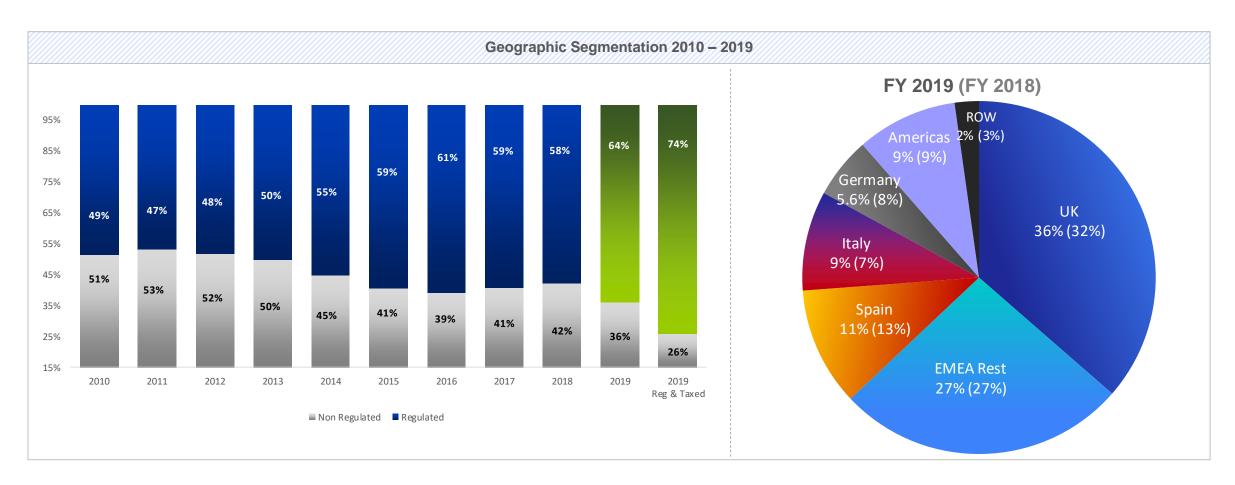
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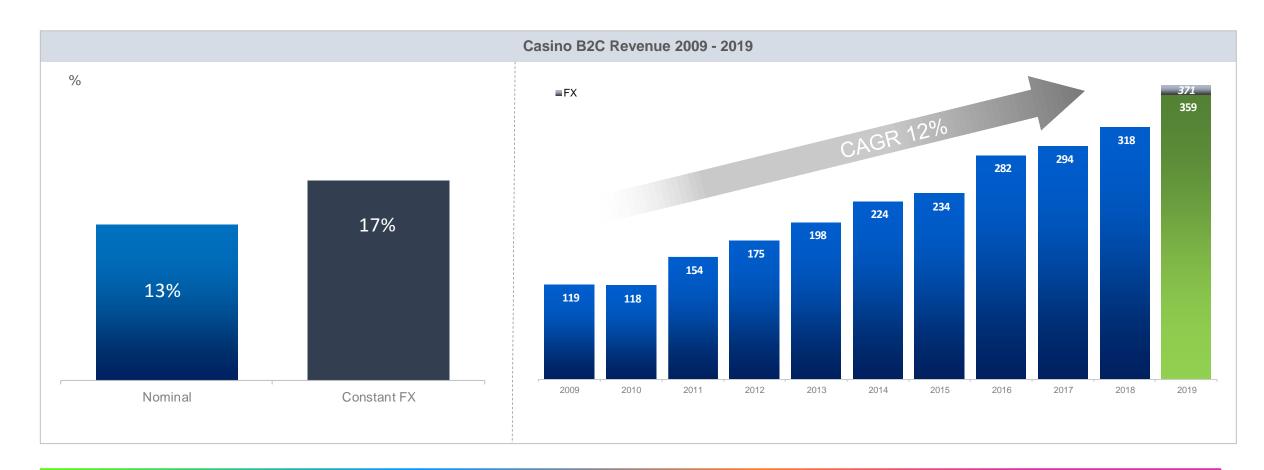
#### GEOGRAPHICAL SEGMENTATION

- Regulated and taxed markets comprise a record 74% of Group revenue
- Revenue from regulated markets up 22% at constant currency
- Driven by growth in UK, Sweden, Portugal and Italy now representing 9% of Group revenue



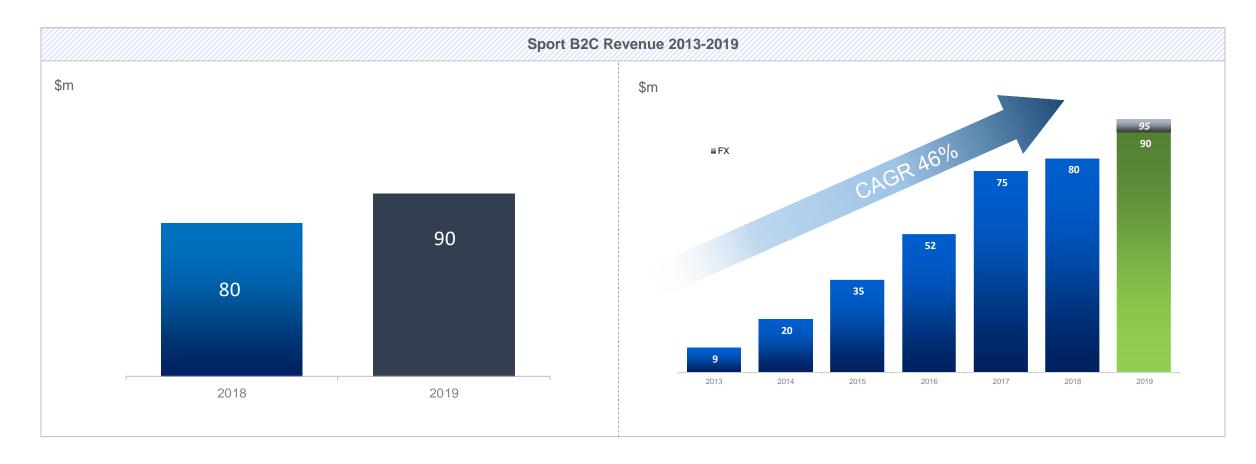
#### CASINO B2C REVENUE

- Casino revenue up 13% to \$359m (2018: \$318m) reflecting a 17% increase at constant currency and a 10Y CAGR of 12%
- Orbit product progress and innovation together with successful execution of marketing strategy drive growth
- Revenue growth driven by new content served by proprietary AI personalisation engine



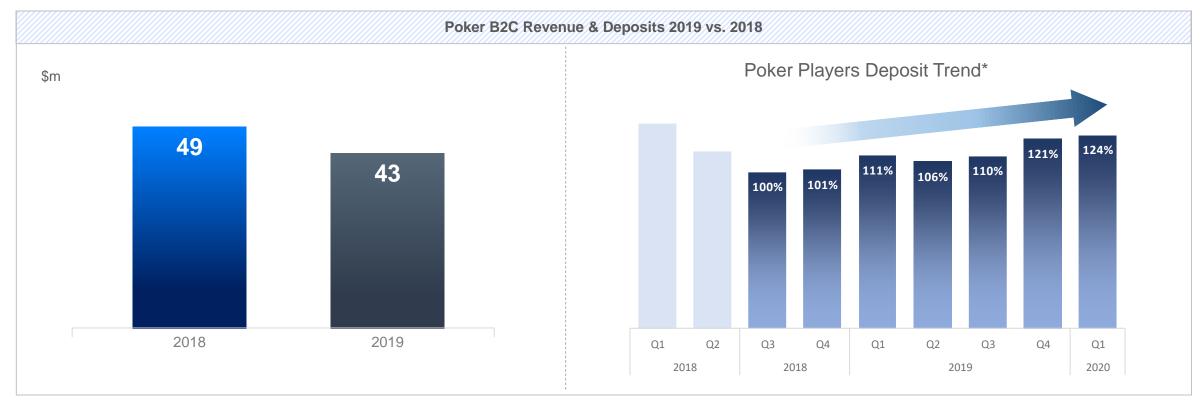
## SPORT B2C REVENUE

- Revenue up 12% to \$90m (2018: \$80m), up 19% at constant currency despite prior year strong comparative including the FIFA World Cup
- A CAGR of 46% since 2013 platform change
- Revenue increase led by regulated markets with UK and Italy Sport players deposits up 32% and 30% respectively



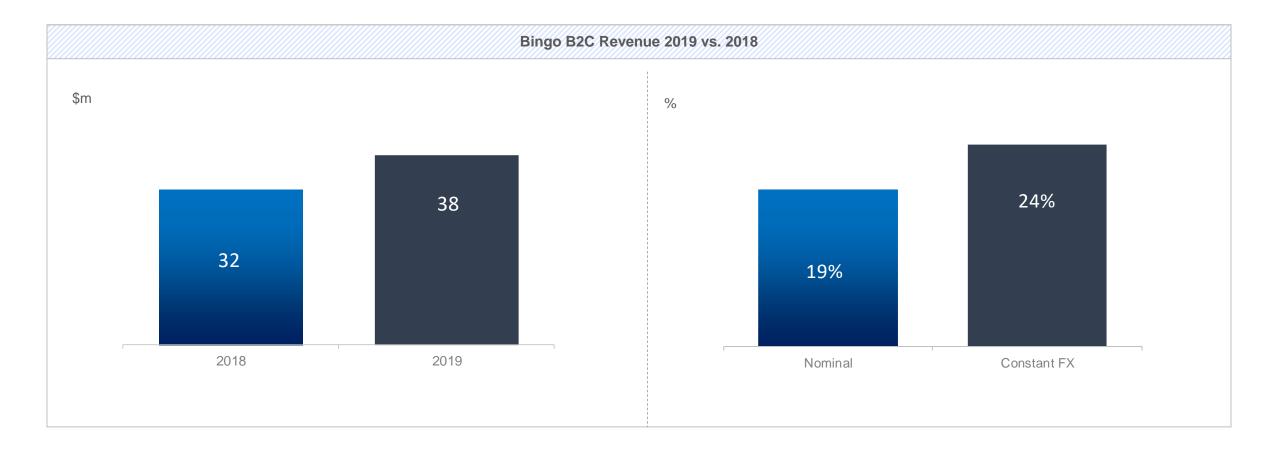
#### POKER B2C REVENUE

- Revenue down 13% to \$43m (2018: \$49m); H2 2019 up 7% YoY reflecting stablisation as of mid 2018
- This outcome is driven by payments restrictions in certain markets and the impact of pooled liquidity between Spain and France (888 currently does not operate in France)
- Cross-sell to Casino and Sport offset some of the poker decline with overall deposit levels from Poker players stable (up 1%)
- Poker revenue in Italy up 181%, recent launch of 888's first shared liquidity network between Spain and Portugal showing encouraging signs



## BINGO B2C REVENUE

- Revenue up 19% to \$38m (2018: \$32m); up 24% at constant currency; down 3% pro-forma
- New customer acquisition up 23% (up 10% pro-forma)



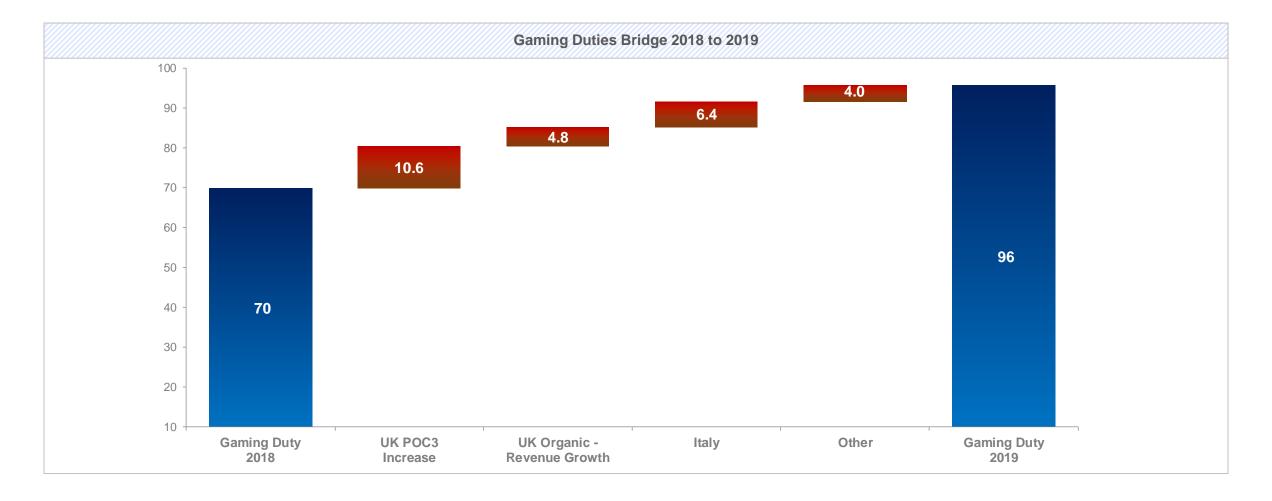
#### MARKETING

- Stable marketing ratio at 29% (2018: 29%) despite higher marketing investment in absolute terms
- Very encouraging 22% increase in new customer acquisition
- Effective overall CPA decrease year over year, reflecting efficiencies



## GROWTH IN REGULATED MARKETS – GAMING DUTIES

• Increase in gaming duties driven by higher rates and 888's increase in regulated revenue

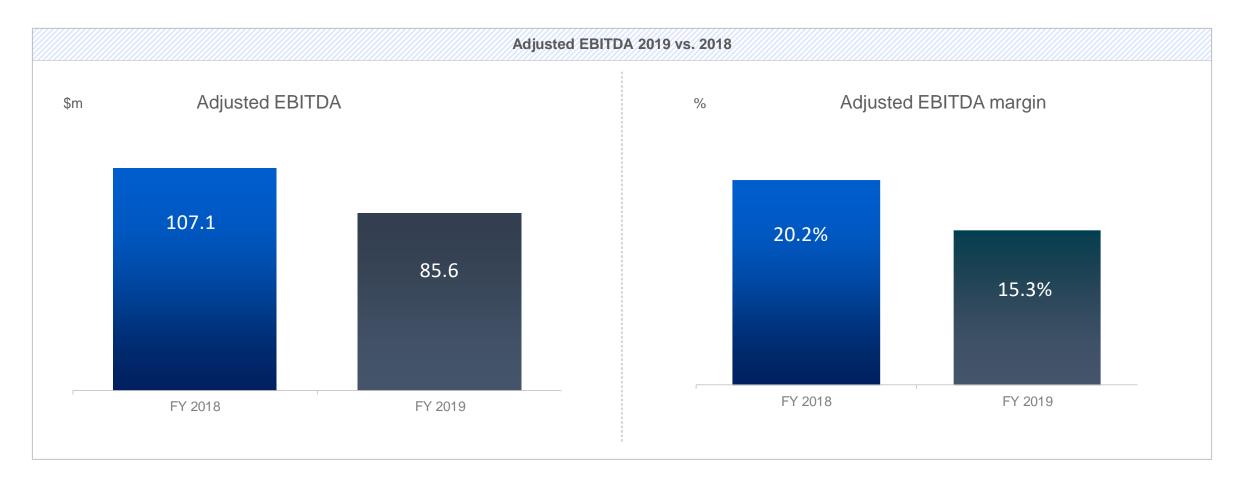


Totals may not sum due to rounding

<sup>• \*</sup>Other includes Romania, Spain, New Regulations

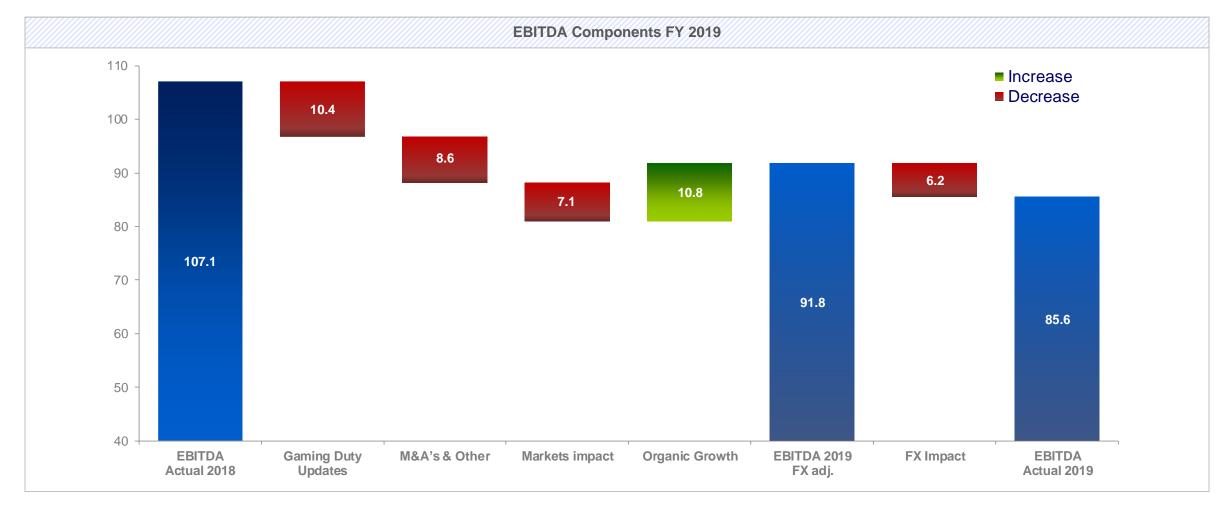
## ADJUSTED EBITDA AND MARGIN

- US\$26 million additional gaming duties impact
- Adjusted EBITDA at \$86m (2018: \$107m) and \$92m at constant currency
- Adjusted EBITDA margin at 15% (2018: 20%)



## **EBITDA BRIDGE**

- Positive underlying performance
- Gaming duty reflect POC3 impact in the UK as well as tax updates in Italy, Romania and Spain



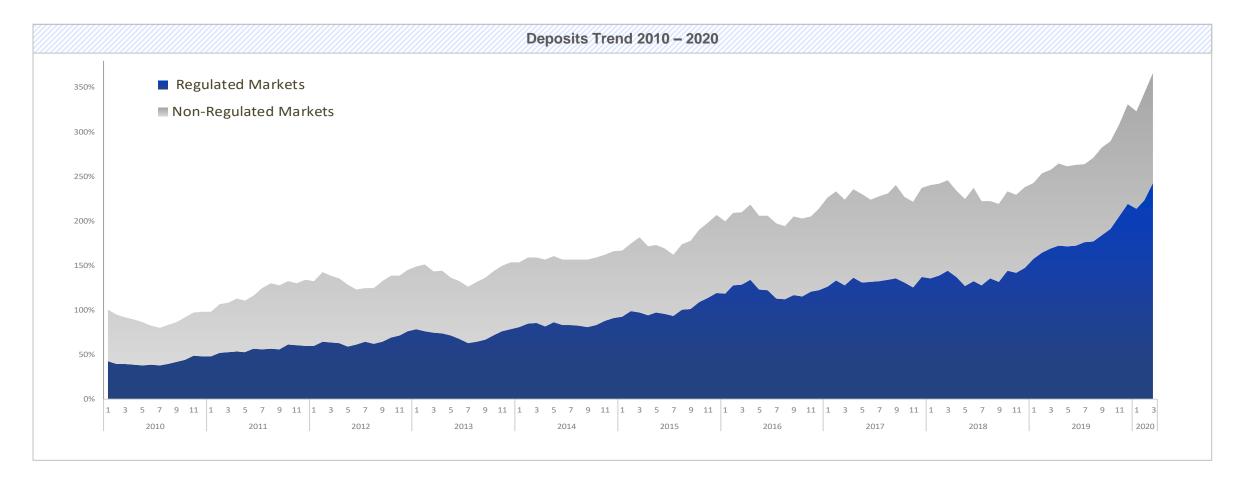


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ITAI PAZNER, CEO | OPERATIONAL REVIEW

#### **BUSINESS MOMENTUM**

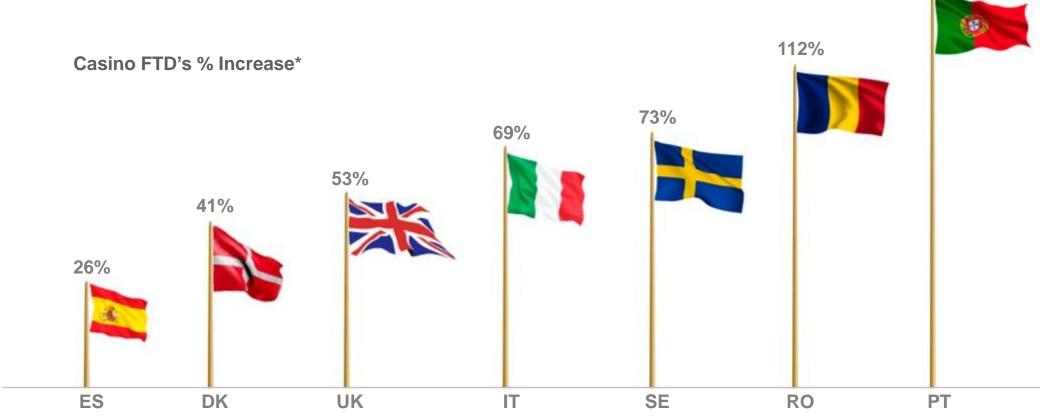
- Deposits are the engine behind the Group's growth prospects
- Healthy growth driven by regulated markets has continued during 2019
- The positive trend has continued into the first quarter of 2020 so far



#### CASINO REGULATED MARKETS ENGINE

- Regulated markets lead growth with high acquisition trend across brands supported by Orbit and 888's marketing strategy
- Italy new customers up 69% despite marketing restrictions since mid 2018
- Sweden new customers up 73% reflecting the Group's successful launch into this saturated market

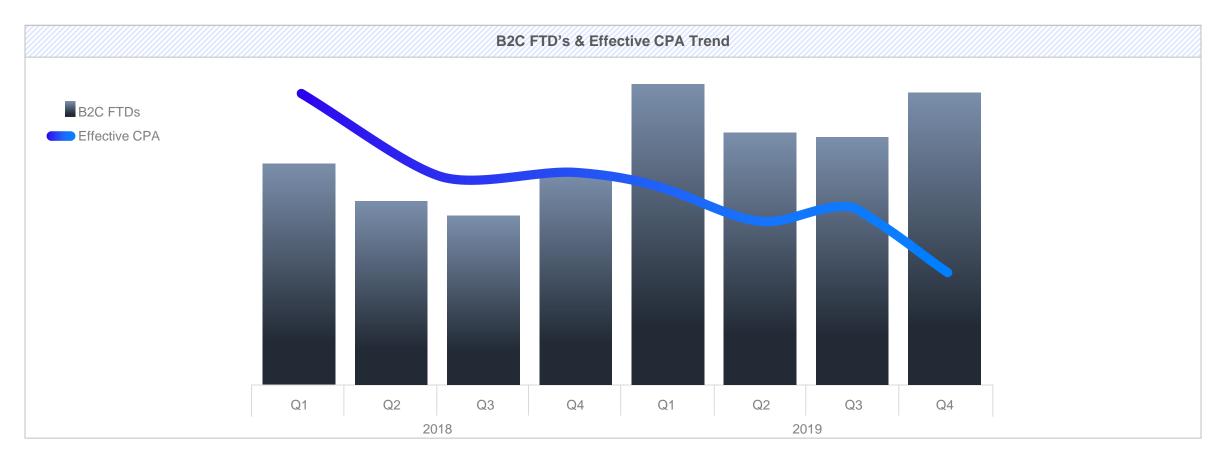




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#### **EFFECTIVE MARKETING**

- Influx of new customers recruited accompanied by increased efficiencies
- Record-breaking FTDs –surpassing the 1M threshold, driven by regulated markets
- Constant improvements in CPA, by focusing on the right blend of channels by product and market



## SAFER GAMING

Affordability

Enhanced Seamless KYC Capabilities Smarter & Safer Tools

Safer
Gambling
Tools Usage
UP 28%!

Safer
Gambling
Customer
Interactions
UP 16%!

Earlier
Detection on
Customer
Behavior

888 Culture – Safer Better Together

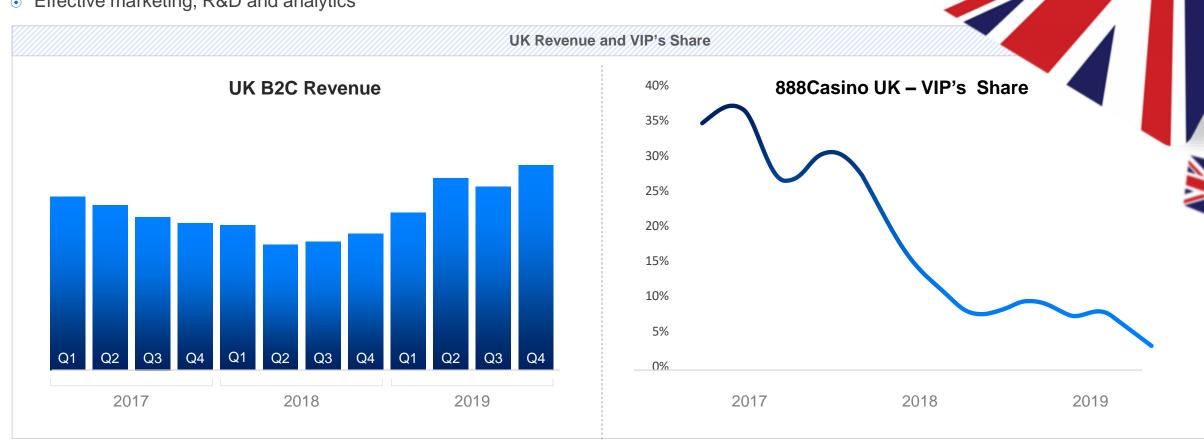
"TOO MUCH IS TOO MUCH" Campaign



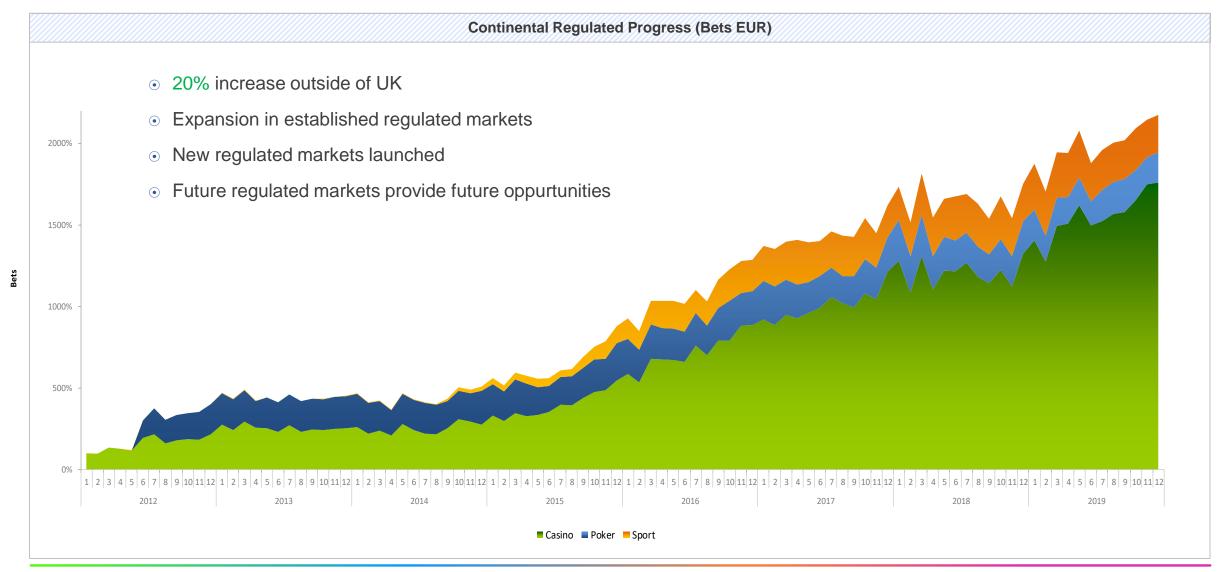
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## **UK SUCCESS**

- Recreational player focus; Best in breed customer experience
- Compliance and safer gaming at the forefront of our operations
- Enhanced Orbit Casino capabilities and evolving 888sport product
- Effective marketing, R&D and analytics



## REGULATED CONTINENTAL EUROPE



US - POISED FOR GROWTH

Consistent three-pronged strategic approach:

Organic growth in New Jersey and additional states

- Strategic initiatives, including developing US partnerships
- Continue to push WSOP and Harrahs with Caesars in NJ, NV and additional states

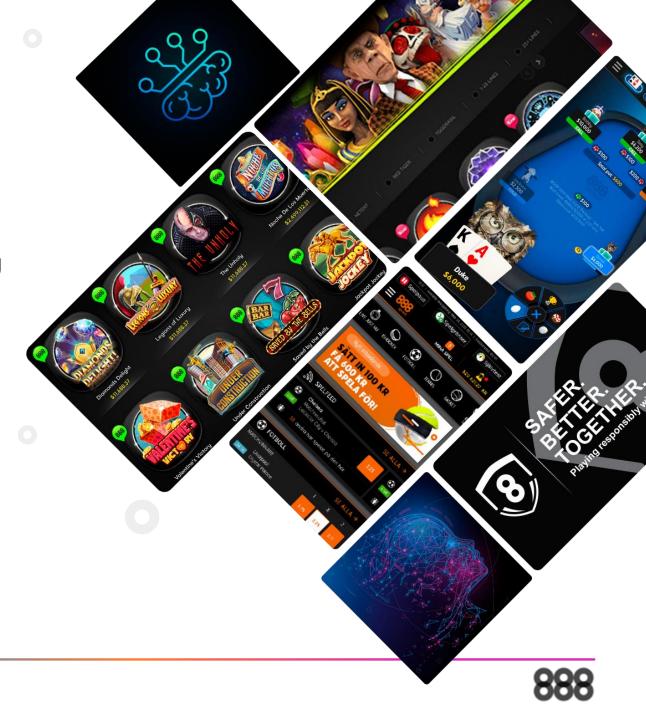
#### Organic:

- Focused on product enhancements, aiming to improve current customer experience
- Healthy market access pipeline
- Local team and footprint expansion
- Inorganic: ongoing discussions with potential media, brand and gaming partners



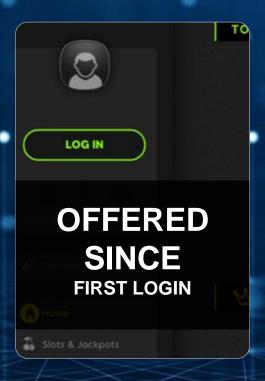
## PRODUCT CENTRICITY

- An organisational and cultural focus product is our advantage
- Newly formed product group, building a long-term product vision
- Building blocks include AI, personalisation, marketing tools, RG, UX and many more
- Orbit as a benchmark and resounding success story
- Tools and knowledge embedded in future 888sport and poker8 releases
- Working consistently towards a friction-free crossproduct, cross-platform customer experience



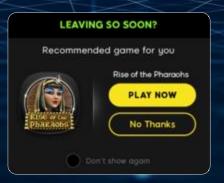
## THE ROAD TOWARDS PERSONALISATION





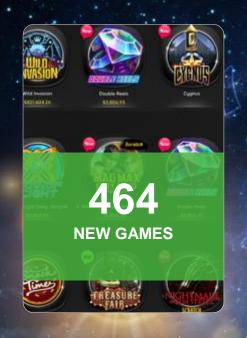








## CASINO LEADERSHIP











## THE NEW 888SPORT

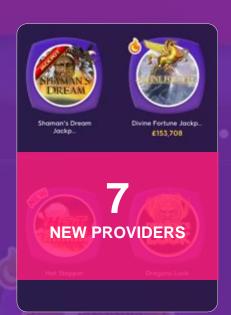
- Strong growth continued
- "Upfor8" prediction game is making a difference in customer acquisition & CRM
- New "Spectate" platform integration progressing as planned
- 888sport.se successfully relaunched
- Dublin site established as the new 888sport hub
- A big Casino like emphasis on personalisation and UX features

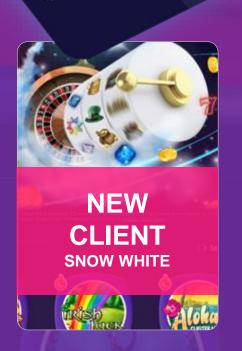


## **BINGO PROGRESS IN 2019**











RAINBOW CASH POTS

## POKER IN MOTION

 Poker is an important vertical in 888's proposition and Group remains confident in its value

- Clear stablisation trend as of mid 2018
- Poker8 development program will be a big product overhaul with many 'Orbit inspired' features planned
- Strong position in Italy and Portugal
- Poker in US is still an untapped opportunity



**SUMMARY AND INTO 2020** 

Back to growth across several key markets and products

Milestone FTD achievement fuel in our engine

 Product focus and operational discipline delivering results

Casino and Sport leading growth, stabilising Poker and Bingo

Looking forward to a new era in 888sport

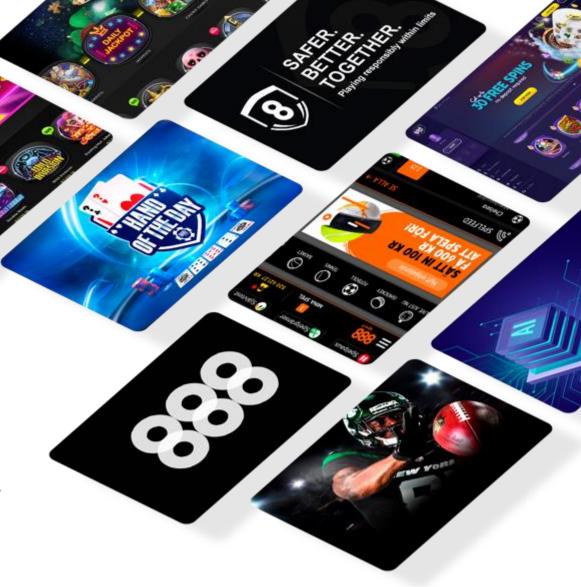
 Safe gaming and compliance embedded in all company technology, practices and global sites

New markets and opportunities in the US and EU

Recent acquisitions - PMI on track to deliver value and synergies

 Remain proactive with M&A approach, opportunities are constantly evaluated

Momentum continues into 2020 with good current trading



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Q&A



Appendix

#### PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT<sup>1</sup>

\$US Millions	FY 2019	FY 2018
Revenue	560.3	540.6
VAT accrual release <sup>2</sup>	-	10.7
Revenue (excluding VAT accrual release)	560.3	529.9
Operating expenses <sup>3</sup>	147.5	137.8
Gaming duties	95.5	69.9
Research and development expenses	35.6	32.8
Selling and marketing expenses	161.8	155.0
% of Revenues	29%	29%
Administrative expenses <sup>4</sup>	34.3	27.3
Adjusted EBITDA <sup>2,4</sup>	85.6	107.1
% of Revenues <sup>5</sup>	15%	20%
IFRS16 impact on EBITDA	6.5	-
Adjusted EBITDA <sup>2,4</sup> incl. IFRS16 impact	92.1	107.1
Depreciation and Amortisation	32.2	20.3
Finance	6.7	0.1
Adjusted Profit Before Tax	53.2	86.7
Taxation	3.7	13.9
Adjusted Profit After Tax	49.5	72.8
Adjusted Basic EPS <sup>5</sup>	13.5	20.2

- Figures shown before the impact of IFRS 16 up to Adj. EBITDA
- Higher gaming duties of \$25.6m impact adjusted EBITDA margin
- Stable marketing ratio despite 22% increase in new customer acquisition
- Adjusted EBITDA after IFRS 16 at \$92m
- Higher deprecation & amortization at \$12m due to acquired Costa bingo customer list, AAPN acquisition and IFRS16 impact

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## **BALANCE SHEET**

\$US Millions	2019	2018
Non-current assets		
Goodwill and other Intangible assets	240.4	200.3
Right-of-use assets	33.3	-
Property, plant and equipment	13.0	11.0
Other non-current assets	3.4	2.2
Investments	0.9	1.1
Current assets		
Cash and cash equivalents	99.5	133.0
Trade and other receivables	42.6	33.0
Short term investments	0.0	0.0
Total Assets	433.1	380.6
Equity		
Share capital and share premium	7.0	6.9
Retained earnings, reserves and treasury shares	157.7	153.4
Total equity attributable to equity holders	164.7	160.3
Liabilities		
Current liabilities		
Trade and other payables	130.9	136.0
Provisions	10.2	11.3
Tax liability	10.1	11.4
Customer deposits	54.7	57.1
Interest-bearing loans and borrowings	23.7	-
Severence pay liability	6.0	2.2
Non-current liabilities		
Interest-bearing loans and borrowings	28.8	-
Deferred tax liability	4.0	2.3
Total equity and liabilities	433.1	380.6

- Strong balance sheet with low leverage
- Ample liquid resources

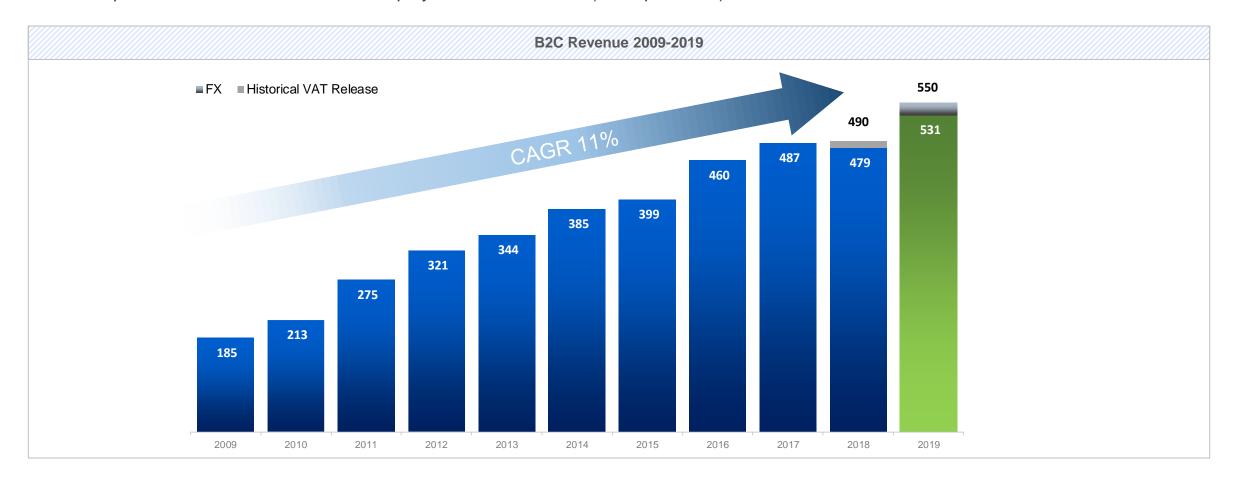
## **CASH FLOW**

\$US Millions Period Ended 31 December	2019	2018
		465-
Profit before income tax	45.3	108.7
Adjustments	40.2	19.5
Changes in working capital	2.6	(58.7)
Exceptional items	-	(11.1)
VAT accrual release	-	(10.7)
Income tax paid	(6.5)	(5.6)
Net cash from operating activities	81.6	42.1
M&A	(60.6)	(9.2)
Internally generated intangible assets	(11.8)	(12.0)
Other investing activities	(10.5)	(9.4)
Net cash used in investing activities	(82.9)	(30.6)
Dividends paid	(40.4)	(56.6)
RCF	32.5	-
Other financing activities	(23.8)	(0.7)
Net cash used in financing activities	(31.7)	(57.3)
Net decrease in cash and cash equivalents	(33.0)	(45.8)
Cash and cash equivalnets - beginning of period	133.0	179.6
Effect of currency translation	(0.5)	(0.8)
Cash and cash equivalnets - end of period	99.5	133.0

• 95% of Adjusted EBITDA translated into cash

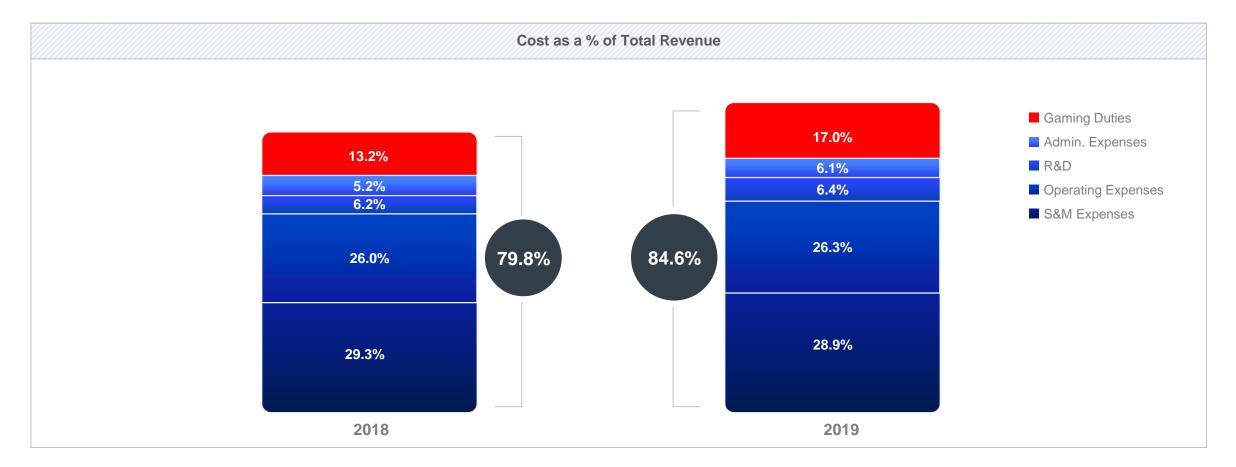
#### **B2C REVENUE**

- B2C Revenue up 11% to \$531m (2018: \$479m), a 15% increase at constant currency
- Growth engines remains regulated markets, up 22% at constant currency
- B2C deposits increased 20% while active players increased 19% (15% proforma)



#### COST STRUCTURE

- Total costs at 84.6% of revenue\* (2018: 79.8%) driven primarily by higher gaming duties
- Higher gaming duties result from the Group's regulated markets focus coupled with higher gaming duties rates in the UK, Italy and Romania
- Admin cost increases are the result of non-recurring legal costs related to recent acquisitions and the Group's Brexit mitigation plan





## **BINGO B2C PERFORMANCE**

• Pleasing results since the beginning of the year supported by successful campaigns for leading B2C brands

