

S.S.I.F. BRK Financial Group S.A.

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INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT

To the Shareholders of S.S.I.F. BRK Financial Group S.A.

Report on the Audit of the Consolidated Financial Statements

Opinion on the Consolidated Financial Statements

- 1. We have audited the consolidated financial statements of the S.S.I.F. BRK Financial Group S.A. (BRK Financial Group or the "Group"), which comprise the statement of financial position as at December 31, 2023, and the statement of comprehensive income, statement of changes in equity and statement of cash flows for the year then ended, and notes to the consolidated financial statements, including a summary of significant accounting policies.
- 2. Those consolidated financial statements are identified as follow:

Net assets/Shareholders' Equity

61.011.039 lei

Loss

(9.586.562) lei

- 3. In our opinion, except for the effect of the matters described in the *Basis for the Qualified Opinion* section of the report, the accompanying consolidated financial statements present fairly, in all material respects the financial position of the Group as at December 31, 2023 and its financial performance and its cash flows for the year then ended in accordance with the F.S.A. Rule No. 39/2015 approving the Accounting Regulations compliant with International Financial Reporting Standards (IFRS), applicable to entities authorized, regulated and supervised by the Financial Supervisory Authority in the Financial Instruments and Investments Sector.
- 4. We conducted our audit in accordance with International Standards on Auditing (ISAs). Our responsibilities under those standards are further described in the Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Statements section of our report. We are independent of the Company within the meaning of the Ethics Code for Professional Accountants (IESBA Code) issued by the International Ethics Standards Board for Accountants and have fulfilled our other responsibilities under those ethical requirements. We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion.
- 5. The group's subsidiaries were audited by another auditor, with the exception of SAI Broker SA, and the audit report was provided to us and used for that purpose; our opinion is based on this report, the auditor's audit procedures, and additional audit procedures in accordance with the applicable International Standards on Auditing.





Basis for the the Qualified Opinion

- 6. The consolidated financial statements disclose in Note 5 to the financial statements capitalizations of software development expenses and other intangible assets related to the same software development activity of the subsidiaries, with a net value of 11,509,649 lei. These assets have not been tested for impairment in accordance with IFRS; consequently, we were not able to evaluate the effects this might have on the consolidated financial statements.
- 7. Note 14 to the consolidated financial statements highlights inventories valued at 8,723,498 lei, of which 6,689,535 lei are inventories related to the taxi business that are more than 3 years old, creating uncertainty regarding the realization of these stocks. We were not been able to assess a potential impairment of these stocks on the consolidated financial statements.

Other matters

8. According to the Current Report No. 1389 published by BRK Financial Group SA on March 13, 2024, on the BVB website, the company acquired (through the exercise of a warrant) 1,266,350 shares of Gabriel Resources at a price of 0.39 CAD per share and recorded the amount in process of settlement in the balance sheet assets totaling 1,680,415 lei. In the period following the balance sheet date, the transaction was confirmed, and market events caused the price of Gabriel Resources shares to significantly decrease from the acquisition value. According to the Current Report, the company still holds warrants, which, according to the management, have no effect on the company's position if not exercised at maturity. These events are not presented in the post-balance sheet events section of Note No. 36 to the financial statements. Our opinion is not altered because of these aspects.

Other information — Report on the compliance of the Director's Report to the Consolidated Financial Statements

9. The directors are responsible for the preparation and presentation of other information. That information includes the Directors' Report, but do not include the consolidated financial statements and the audit report.

The directors' report is not part of the consolidated financial statements. Our opinion on the consolidated financial statements do not cover the director's report.

In relation with the consolidated financial statements for the year ended December 31, 2023, our responsibility is to read that other information and to assess if this information differs significantly to the consolidated financial statements or if it is significantly misstated.

In relation with the Director's Report, we have red, and we report that it was prepared, in all material respects, in accordance with the F.S.A. Rule no. 5/2018 and the Rule no. 39/2015 for entities supervised and regulated by the F.S.A.



In our opinion:

- a) Nothing was identified by us that makes us believe that the information presented in the director's report, in all material respects, is not in accordance with the consolidated financial statements.
- b) The director's report mentioned above includes, in all material respects, the information requested by the F.S.A. Rule no. 39/2015 for the approval of the accounting regulations in accordance with the International Accounting Reporting Standards, applicable for the entities authorized, regulated and supervised by the Financial Supervisory Authority ("F.S.A.") for the Financial Instruments and Investments Sector.

Based on our understanding and knowledge obtained during our audit on the S.S.I.F. BRK Financial Group S.A. consolidated financial statements prepared for the year ended December 31, 2023 and, on its environment, we are asked to report if we have identified significant misstatements in the directors' Report. We have nothing to report concerning this aspect. no information that is included in the directors' report came to our attention that would make us believe that it is misstated.

Responsibilities of Management and Those Charged with Governance for the Consolidated Financial Statements

- 10. Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of the consolidated financial statements in accordance with IFRS and for such internal control as management determines is necessary to enable the preparation of consolidated financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.
- 11. In preparing the consolidated financial statements, management is responsible for assessing the Group's ability to continue as a going concern, disclosing, as applicable, matters related to going concern and using the going concern basis of accounting unless management either intends to liquidate the Group or to cease operations, or has no realistic alternative but to do so.
- 12. Those charged with governance are responsible for overseeing the Group's financial reporting process.

Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Consolidated Financial Statements

13. Our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the consolidated financial statements are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error, and to issue an auditor's report that includes our opinion. Reasonable assurance is a high level of assurance, but is not a guarantee that an audit conducted in accordance with ISAs will always detect a material misstatement when it exists. Misstatements can arise from fraud or error and are considered material if, individually or in aggregate, they could reasonably be expected to influence the



economic decisions of users taken on the basis of these consolidated financial statements.

14. We are independent towards the Group, in accordance with the Ethics Code for Professional Accountants (IESBA Code) issued by the International Ethics Standards Board for Accountants and we have fulfilled our ethical requirements in accordance with the IESBA Code.

Report on Other Legal and Regulatory Requirements

- 15. We were nominated by the general meeting of Shareholders to audit Group's consolidated financial statements at December 31, 2023. The total duration of our engagement is of 7 years, covering the years ended December 31, 2019 2025.
- 16. We confirm that our opinion on the financial statements is according to the supplementary report presented to the Audit Committee. Also, we have maintained our independence towards the Group throughout our engagement.
- 17. We confirm that we have not provided any other non-audit services as mentioned in the art. 5 par. (1) of the EU regulation no. 537/2014.

In the name of **JPA Audit și Consultanță S.R.L.**Bd. Mircea Vodă 35, etaj 3, sector 3 Bucuresti Registered ASPAAS FA319

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