

WIMM-BILL-DANN FOODS OJSC DELIVERS STRONG REVENUE AND VOLUME GROWTH ACROSS ALL BUSINESS SEGMENTS IN FIRST HALF OF 2010

Moscow, Russia – September 2, 2010 – Wimm-Bill-Dann Foods OJSC [NYSE: WBD] today announced its financial results for the second quarter and six months ended June 30, 2010.

Highlights for the second quarter and first six months of 2010

- Group revenue increased 17.1% year-on-year to US\$1,255.1 million in the first half of 2010, and 15.3% year-on-year to US\$639.8 million in the second quarter of 2010, driven primarily by healthy volume growth in all business segments
- Group gross profit increased to US\$375.8 million in the first six months of 2010 from US\$363.4 million in the same period last year, and to US\$203.7 million in the second quarter of 2010 from US\$195.3 million in the second quarter of 2009
- Group gross margin declined 400 basis points year-on-year to 29.9% as a result of continued pressure of raw milk costs in the first six months of 2010
- Group gross margin increased consecutively to 31.8% in the second quarter of 2010 from 28.0% in the first quarter of 2010
- EBITDA¹ increased to US\$159.7 million in the first six months of 2010 from US\$158.3 million in the same period of 2009, and to US\$86.2 million in the second quarter of 2010 from US\$85.2 million in the second quarter of 2009
- Net income increased 7.1% year-on-year to US\$69.5 million in the first half of 2010

"Our performance continues to be strong, with significant improvements in market share across our dairy, beverages, and baby food segments, as demand restores back to levels we have not seen since before the global economic crisis," said Tony Maher, Wimm-Bill-Dann's Chief Executive Officer. "However, we continue to face the challenges in raw milk procurement, which adversely impacted our gross margins in the dairy segment in the second quarter. Despite some temporary input difficulties, we are favorably positioned across our segments to achieve our objective of expanding profitability through efficiency gains and a greater share in high value categories.

"Group revenue improved 17.1% to US\$1,225.1 million in the first six months driven by volume growth in our dairy, beverages and baby food segments and favorable pricing across all segments. Group revenue in rubles increased 6.6% versus the same period a year ago," concluded Mr. Maher.

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¹ Note: See Attachment A for definitions of EBITDA and EBITDA margin and reconciliations to net income.

Key Financial Indicators for the first half and 2Q 2010 vs. 2009

	1H 2010	1H 2009	Change	2Q 2010	2Q 2009	Change
	US\$ 'mln	US\$ 'mln		US\$ 'mln	US\$ 'mln	
Sales	1,255.1	1,071.5	17.1%	639.8	554.6	15.3%
Dairy	861.6	746.7	15.4%	427.1	377.4	13.1%
Beverages	239.7	209.9	14.2%	131.3	115.8	13.4%
Baby Food	153.8	114.9	33.9%	81.4	61.4	32.6%
Gross profit	375.8	363.4	3.4%	203.7	195.3	4.3%
Gross margin, %	29.9%	33.9%	(400 bp)	31.8%	35.2%	(340 bp)
Selling and distribution expenses	(199.9)	(184.5)	8.3%	(108.3)	(100.1)	8.1%
General and administrative expenses	(63.5)	(63.8)	(0.4%)	(34.1)	(34.3)	(0.7%)
Operating income	105.8	111.8	(5.4%)	58.5	61.4	(4.8%)
Financial expenses, net	(12.1)	(25.8)	(53.1%)	(10.1)	7.9	(227.5%)
Net income	69.5	64.9	7.1%	35.9	52.3	(31.5%)
EBITDA	159.7	158.3	0.9%	86.2	85.2	1.2%
EBITDA margin, %	12.7%	14.8%	(210 bp)	13.5%	<i>15.4%</i>	(190 bp)
CAPEX excluding acquisitions	65.4	45.9	42.5%	39.6	29.5	34.2%

Dairy

Sales in the Dairy Segment increased 15.4% to US\$861.6 million in the first half of 2010 from US\$746.7 million in the first half of 2009. Sales growth was driven primarily by strong volumes and positive exchange rate effect. The average dollar selling price increased 10.8% to US\$1.19 per 1 kg in the first half of 2010 from US\$1.07 per 1 kg in the first half of 2009, driven mainly by pricing and the exchange rate effect. Our raw milk purchasing price increased 34.3% year-on-year in US dollar terms. Gross margin in the Dairy Segment declined to 23.0% in the first half of 2010 from 30.3% in the same period last year. However, gross margin improved sequentially to 25.1% in the second quarter of 2010 from 21.1% in the first quarter of 2010.

Beverages

Sales increased 14.2% to US\$239.7 million in the first half of 2010 compared to US\$209.9 million in the first half of 2009. Positive sales dynamics were driven primarily by solid volume growth and positive exchange rate effect. The average dollar selling price increased 1.5% to US\$0.76 per liter in the first half of 2010 from US\$0.74 per liter in the first half of 2009. Gross margin in Beverages increased to 43.4% in the first six months of 2010 from 38.8% in the same period last year due to lower input costs and a change in mix. Gross margin in Beverages increased to 44.2% in the second quarter of 2010 from 40.4% in the second quarter of 2009.

Baby Food

Sales in the Baby Food Segment increased 33.9% to US\$153.8 million in the first six months of 2010 from US\$114.9 million in the same period last year driven mainly by continued strong volume growth. The average dollar selling price increased 11.3% to US\$1.92 per kg in the first six months of 2010 from US\$1.72 per kg in the first six months of 2009. Gross

margin in the Baby Food Segment decreased to 47.6% in the first six months of 2010 from 48.6% in the first six months of 2009 due to slight changes in mix.

Key Cost Elements

In the first six months of 2010, selling and distribution expenses increased 8.3% to US\$199.9 million from US\$184.5 in the same period last year. At the same time as a percentage of sales, selling and distribution expenses decreased to 15.9% in the first half of 2010 from 17.2% in the first half of 2009. General and administrative expenses stood almost flat year-on-year at US\$63.5 million in the first half of 2010. General and administrative expenses, as a percentage of sales, decreased to 5.1% in the first six months of 2010 from 6.0% in the same period last year.

Operating profit decreased 5.4% year-on-year to US\$105.8 million in the first half of 2010. EBITDA increased to US\$159.7 million in the first six months of 2010 from US\$158.3 million in the same period of 2009, and to US\$86.2 million in the second quarter 2010 from US\$85.2 million in the second quarter of 2009. EBITDA margin declined to 12.7% in the first half of 2010 compared to 14.8% in the same period last year. At the same time, sequentially in the second quarter of 2010, EBITDA margin improved to 13.5% from 11.9% in the first quarter of 2010.

In the first six months of 2010, financial expenses decreased 53.1% to US\$12.1 million compared to US\$25.8 million in the same period of 2009. This was mainly due to currency remeasurement gain which amounted to US\$4.0 million in the first six months of 2010 compared to currency remeasurement loss of US\$11.1 million in the first half of 2009.

Our effective tax rate increased to 24.9% in the first six months of 2010 from 24.1% in the same period of 2009.

In the first half of 2010, net income increased 7.1% year-on-year to US\$69.5 million.

Attachment A Reconciliation of EBITDA and EBITDA margin to US GAAP Net Income

EBITDA is a non-U.S. GAAP financial measure. The following table presents reconciliation of EBITDA to net income (and EBITDA margin to net income as a percentage of sales), the most directly comparable U.S. GAAP financial measure.

	6 month	s ended	6 months ended		
	June 30, 2010		June 30	, 2009	
	US\$ 'mln	% of sales	US\$ 'mln	% of sales	
Net income	69.5	5.5%	64.9	6.1%	
Add: Depreciation and amortization	53.9	4.3%	46.5	4.3%	
Add: Income tax expense	23.3	1.9%	20.7	1.9%	
Add: Interest expense	16.6	1.3%	15.1	1.4%	
Less: Interest income	(1.6)	(0.1%)	(3.0)	(0.3)%	
Less: Currency remeasurement losses (gains), net	(4.0)	(0.3%)	11.1	1.0%	
Add: Bank charges	1.0	0.1%	1.6	0.2%	
Add: Noncontrolling interests	0.8	-	0.3	-	
Add: Other	0.2	-	1.1	0.2%	
EBITDA	159.7	12.7%	158.3	14.8%	

EBITDA represents net income before interest, income taxes and depreciation and amortization, adjusted for interest income, currency remeasurement gains, bank charges and other financial expenses and minority interest. EBITDA margin is EBITDA expressed as a percentage of sales.

We present EBITDA because we consider it an important supplemental measure of our operating performance. In particular, we believe EBITDA provides useful information to securities analysts, investors and other interested parties because it is used in the "debt to EBITDA" debt incurrence financial measurement in certain of our financing arrangements.

EBITDA has limitations as an analytical tool, and you should not consider it in isolation, or as substitute for analysis of our operating results as reported under U.S. GAAP. Moreover, other companies in our industry may calculate EBITDA differently or may use it for different purposes than we do, limiting its usefulness as a comparative measure.

EBITDA also should not be considered as an alternative to cash flow from operating activities or as a measure of our liquidity. In particular, EBITDA should not be considered as a measure of discretionary cash available to us to invest in the growth of our business.

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Condensed Consolidated Balance Sheets (Amounts in thousands of U.S. dollars)

	June 30, 2010 (unaudited)		December 31, 2009 (audited)	
Assets				
Current assets:				
Cash and cash equivalents	\$	156,201	\$	248,521
Trade receivables, net		164,466		112,083
Inventory, net		230,437		191,334
Taxes receivable		28,248		32,304
Advances paid		25,636		22,678
Deferred tax asset		13,186		15,159
Other current assets		18,608		19,381
Total current assets		636,782		641,460
Non-current assets:				
Property, plant and equipment, net		693,083		699,996
Intangible assets, net		42,000		38,688
Goodwill		102,421		105,643
Deferred tax asset – non-current portion		1,900		1,415
Other non-current assets		98		1,602
Total non-current assets		839,502		847,344
Total assets	\$ 1,476,284 \$ 1,488,80			1,488,804

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Condensed Consolidated Balance Sheets (continued)

(Amounts in thousands of U.S. dollars, except share data)

	June 30, 2010 (unaudited)		December 31, 2009 (audited)	
Liabilities and equity				
Current liabilities:				
Trade accounts payable	\$	141,421	\$ 135,825	
Advances received		6,877	10,762	
Short-term loans		6,072	4,521	
Long-term loans, current portion		258,084	22,308	
Long-term notes payable, curent portion		180,059	185,835	
Taxes payable		8,039	13,667	
Accrued liabilities		74,328	54,969	
Other payables		35,597	28,249	
Total current liabilities		710,477	456,136	
Long-term liabilities:				
Long-term loans		31,402	285,998	
Other long-term payables		24,172	21,215	
Deferred taxes – long-term portion		24,000	22,179	
Total long-term liabilities		79,574	329,392	
Total liabilities		790,051	785,528	
Equity Shareholders' equity: Common stock: 44,000,000 shares authorized and issued with a par value of 20 Russian rubles; 41,360,522 shares outstanding as of June 30, 2010 and 41,846,022				
shares outstanding as of June 30, 2010 and 41,040,022 shares outstanding as of December 31, 2009		29,908	29,908	
Share premium account		163,676	163,781	
Treasury stock, at cost		(77,611)	(54,802)	
Accumulated other comprehensive loss:		(77,011)	(2 1,002)	
Currency translation adjustment		(53,863)	(32,167)	
Retained earnings		615,138	587,160	
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Equity attributable to shareholders of WBD Foods		677,248	693,880	
Equity attributable to noncontrolling interests		8,985	9,396	
Total equity		686,233	703,276	
Total liabilities and equity	\$	1,476,284	\$ 1,488,804	

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Condensed Consolidated Statements of Income (unaudited)

(Amounts in thousands of U.S. dollars, except share data)

	Six months ended June 30,				
		2010		2009	
Sales	\$	1,255,052	\$	1,071,458	
Cost of sales		(879,278)		(708,089)	
Gross profit		375,774		363,369	
Selling and distribution expenses General and administrative expenses Other operating expenses, net		(199,916) (63,511) (6,530)		(184,536) (63,796) (3,227)	
Operating income		105,817		111,810	
Financial income and expenses, net		(12,110)		(25,844)	
Income before provision for income taxes		93,707		85,966	
Provision for income taxes		(23,339)		(20,679)	
Consolidated net income	\$	70,368	\$	65,287	
Net income attributable to noncontrolling interest		(835)		(350)	
Net income attributable to WBD Foods	\$	69,533	\$	64,937	
Net income per common share attributable to WBD Foods shareholders - basic and diluted	\$	1.68	\$	1.50	
Weighted average number of common shares outstanding, basic and diluted		41,479,525		43,205,597	

Wimm-Bill-Dann Foods OJSC Condensed Consolidated Statements of Cash Flows (unaudited)

(Amounts in thousands of U.S. dollars)

	Six months ended June 30,				
	-	2010	2009		
Cash flows from operating activities:					
Consolidated net income	\$	70,368 \$	65,287		
Adjustments to reconcile consolidated net income to net cash		60.040			
provided by operating activities		69,043	58,295		
Changes in operating assets and liabilities		(78,238)	56,668		
Net cash provided by operating activities		61,173	180,250		
Cash flows from investing activities:					
Cash paid for property, plant and equipment and intangible					
assets		(67,642)	(49,886)		
Proceeds from disposal of property, plant and equipment		1,665	1,293		
Other investing activities		715			
Net cash used in investing activities		(65,629)	(47,878)		
Cash flows from financing activities:					
Cash paid for acquisition of noncontrolling interests		(367)	(1,320)		
Proceeds from bonds and notes payable, net of debt issuance		(307)	(1,320)		
costs		_	96,945		
Short-term loans and notes, net		1,752	(185,570)		
Repayment of long-term loans and notes		(17,526)	(27,447)		
Proceeds from long-term loans, net of debt issuance costs		112	254		
Repayment of long-term payables		(4,124)	(5,543)		
Dividends paid		(39,506)	-		
Cash paid for treasury stock acquisition		(27,609)			
Net cash provided by (used in) financing activities		(82,468)	(150,290)		
Impact of exchange rate differences on cash and cash					
equivalents		(5,396)	(33,035)		
Net decrease in cash and cash equivalents	-	(92,320)	(50,953)		
Cash and cash equivalents, at beginning of period		248,521	277,252		
Cash and cash equivalents, at the end of period	\$	156,201 \$			

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NOTES TO EDITORS

Wimm-Bill-Dann Foods OJSC was founded in 1992 and is the largest manufacturer of dairy products and a leading producer of juices and beverages in Russia and the CIS. The company produces dairy products (main brands include: Domik v Derevne, Chudo, Imunele, Bio Max and more), juices (J7, Lubimy Sad, 100% Gold), Essentuki mineral water and Rodniki Rossii natural water, Zdraivery kids' brand and Agusha baby food.

The company has 37 manufacturing facilities in Russia, Ukraine, Kyrgyzstan, Uzbekistan and Georgia with over 16,000 employees. In 2005, Wimm-Bill-Dann became the first Russian dairy producer to receive approval from the European Commission to export its products into the European Union.

In 2010, Standard & Poor's Governance Services confirmed on WBD its governance, accountability, management, metrics, and analysis (GAMMA) score "GAMMA- 7+". The score reflects the effective work of the Board of Directors and, in particular, the real influence of independent directors in the decisionmaking process and the adherence of the controlling shareholders to the highest standards of corporate governance.