

Interim Report Q1-3 2004







≡ Key Group Figures

| € million | 1 Jan – 30 Sept. 2004 | 1 Jan – 30 Sept. 2003 |
|--|--------------------------|--------------------------|
| Sales | 36.8 | 36.7 |
| Income from investments | 7.5 | 5.1 |
| Net interest income/expense | -13.7 | -9.9 |
| Result from ordinary activities | 8.8 | 7.7 |
| Consolidated net income for the period | 4.1 | 1.1 |
| EBITDA* | 38.3 | 33.5 |
| Earnings per share (€) | 0.26 | 0.07 |

| | 30 Sept. 2004 | 31 Dec. 2003 |
|----------------|---------------|--------------|
| Total assets | 999 | 981 |
| Fixed assets | 867 | 852 |
| Current assets | 132 | 127 |
| Equity | 503 | 536 |
| Liabilities | 464 | 417 |
| Equity ratio** | 50.4 % | 54.6 % |

^{* =} Including income from investments

■ DES Shares - Key Figures

| Sector/industry group | Financial services/Real estate |
|---------------------------------------|-------------------------------------|
| Share capital | €20 million |
| Number of shares | |
| (no-par value registered shares) | 15,625,000 |
| Dividend 2003 (tax-free) | €1.92 |
| Share price on 31 December 2003 | €34.00 |
| Share price on 30 September 2004 | €35.00 |
| High/low in the period under review | €36.70 / €32.80 |
| Market capitalisation on 30 September | 2004 €547 million |
| Prime Standard | Frankfurt and Xetra |
| OTC trading | Berlin-Bremen, Dusseldorf, Hamburg, |
| | Munich and Stuttgart |
| Indices | MDAX, EPRA, GPR 250, EPIX 30 |
| ISIN | DE 000 748 020 4 |
| Ticker symbol | DEQ, Reuters: DEQGn.DE |

All share price information relates to the Frankfurt Stock Exchange

^{** =} Ratio of equity to total assets



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News Ticker

The 4th professional conference of the Property Share Initiative generated substantial interest among real estate and capital market experts.

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Dear Shareholders, Ladies and Gentlemen.

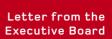
The third quarter proved very eventful for Deutsche EuroShop. The first major event was the successful sale, in the middle of July, of Centro Commerciale Friuli in Udine in Italy to SEB Immobilien-Investment GmbH for €62 million, a measure implemented as part of our portfolio optimisation program. This generated a book profit, which had a positive influence on results for the period.

We were able to reinvest approximately half of the sales proceeds from Udine at the beginning of August, when Deutsche EuroShop entered the Austrian market for the first time, by acquiring a 50% share in the City-Arkaden shopping center in Klagenfurt, which is set to open in early 2006. The proportionate investment volume amounts to just under €75 million.

The shopping center will provide around 120 specialist shops with retail space of approximately 27,000 m² split over three levels. A further 3,000 m² will be available for catering facilities and retail-related services. Construction began in the middle of September. Over 50% of shop space has already been leased to prominent retail companies on a long-term basis.

At the end of the third quarter, Hamburg-Harburg celebrated the premiere of a new shopping attraction – the Phoenix-Center, Hamburg was opened. Approximately 110 specialist shops, cafés and restaurants





will provide new attractions on three brightly lit levels with a total retail floor space of approximately 26,500 m². All shop space has been leased on a long-term basis.

In terms of the capital market, the quarter just ended also saw a high-light – the achievement of our long-term goal of admission to the MDAX. Deutsche Börse AG's Equity Indices Working Group gave the goahead for admission after our shares fulfilled both criteria (market capitalisation and market turnover) required for admission to the index for the first time in August. Deutsche EuroShop has been a MDAX member since September 20, making it one of the 100 largest listed companies in Germany.

However, we do not intend to rest on our laurels, but will continue to work each day to earn your trust as investors. Thank you for opting to continue with us along our way.

Hamburg, November 2004

Claus-Matthias Böge





≡ Business Developments

In July 2004 we sold the Centro Commerciale Friuli shopping center in Udine (Italy). The disposal reduced sales by €950 thousand in the third quarter. Conversion work at the City-Arkaden in Wuppertal, where the space leased by a major insolvent tenant had to be split in to three new shop units also depressed sales. Fortunately, we succeeded in re-letting these units to the Spanish clothing retailer. Zara. the sports article supplier Voswinkel and a branch dm-Drogeriemarkt, the German chemists' chain. As a result, all the shop units in the City-Arkaden in Wuppertal have now been re-let.

Sales

Sales up 3%

Sales in the first nine months totalled €36.8 million, an increase of just 0.4% on the prior-year period (€36.7 million). After adjustment for the rental income from the shopping center in Udine, sales in the reporting period increased by 3% year-on-year. The reduction as against the 5.1% increase (after adjustment for Udine) recorded in H1 is primarily the result of rebasing. The modernisation measures in the Rhein-Neckar Zentrum had been finished by the beginning of the third quarter of 2003 and have since contributed to a growth in sales.

48% increase in income from investments

With the shopping centers in Dresden and Kassel clearly generating higher income, and our new equity interests in Wroclaw and Pécs contributing to earnings for the first time, income from investments jumped 48% from €5.1 million to €7.5 million.





Earnings

€3.5 million book profit from sale of center in Udine

Other operating income of \in 4.6 million is primarily due to the book profit of approximately \in 3.5 million from the sale of the shopping center in Udine and approximately \in 0.8 million in price gains from the sale of shares in money market funds.

Investment in Wetzlar results in increased costs

At approximately £9.4 million, other operating expenses were up almost £2.2 million year-on-year. Of this figure, £1.4 million is accounted for by the Forum Wetzlar shopping center that is currently under construction. The remaining additional expenditure is due among other things to roof renovation work completed in the middle of July on the shopping center in Udine, which has since been sold.

Net interest income/expense down in line with expectations

At &1.7 million, interest income was down by around &2.5 million due to the high level of investments and the investment of cash and cash equivalents in money market funds. Interest expenses rose by &1.4 million to &15.4 million. The increase is exclusively due to construction period interest for Forum Wetzlar, which is currently under construction. The total overall net interest/income expense thus amounted to &-13.7 million (prior-year period: &-9.9 million).

Consolidated net income for the period totals €4.1 million

The result from ordinary activities rose by &1.1 million year-on-year to &8.8 million (prior-year period:&7.7 million). After adjustment for the investment-related negative results recorded by Forum Wetzlar, the rise would have been &3.9 million. After the deduction of taxes and minority interests, the consolidated net income for the period amounted to &4.1 million, compared with &1.1 million in the prior-year period.





The Shopping Center Share

With a performance of 8.6% (including the dividend paid on 18 June 2004) our shares have outperformed the DAX (-1.8%) in the year to date. Our share price has increased from €34.00 at the beginning of the year to €35.00 on 30 September 2004.

Deutsche EuroShop vs. DAX and EPRA

January to October 2004 (indexed, basis 100, in %)



MDAX admission achieved

On 3 September 2004, Deutsche Börse AG announced that Deutsche EuroShop, which had been listed on SDAX since July 2003, would be admitted to the German mid-cap-index, MDAX, with effect from 20 September 2004. This means that we have achieved one of our most important medium-term goals after only 14 months. We hope that the increased profile that comes with belonging to the index will convince even more investors of the benefits of our shopping center shares





Numerous investor discussions

We further intensified our investor relations activities in the past quarter, presenting Deutsche EuroShop to analysts and investors in roadshows in Frankfurt, Geneva, Munich, Paris and Zurich, and at international conferences including the HVB German Investment Conference in Munich and the EPRA annual conference in Berlin.

New analyst coverage

In September Berenberg Bank took up coverage of our shares. Seven analysts from well-known institutions in Germany and other European countries now regularly monitor our shares and open up new groups of investors as a result of their recommendations. In addition, other banks intend to start coverage of Deutsche EuroShop in the near future.

≡ Events Since the End of the Interim Period

No significant events have occurred since the end of the first nine months of financial year 2004





≡ Outlook

The Group's earnings situation is expected to further improve in the current fourth quarter. The Phoenix-Center in Hamburg, which was opened on 29 September 2004 and has since been inundated with visitors, will also contribute to this increase for the first time.

High pre-letting for shopping center under construction

Construction work at Forum Wetzlar continues to progress according to plan, which means the opening, scheduled for the middle of February 2003, looks certain to be on time. With the exception of a few retail units, the center is already totally let. In the middle of October 2004 the occupancy rate was 93% of the total space. Building work has also started on our most recent acquisition, the City-Arkaden in Klagenfurt in Austria. The opening is planned for early 2006. More than 50% of the retail space has already been leased on a long-term basis.

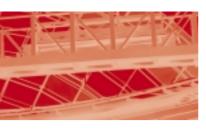
No new investments until 2005

After investing almost half of our sales proceeds from Udine in the City-Arkaden in Klagenfurt, our remaining liquidity reserve is approximately £30 million. Due to the lead time required for acquisitions, we do not envisage investing in any new shopping centers until 2005.

Free cash flow will be slightly exceeded

From today's perspective, we will slightly exceed our target of generating a distributable free cash flow of $\ensuremath{\mathfrak{E}}$ 30 million in financial year 2004. In the first nine months of the current financial year, we improved our free cash flow by 8% to $\ensuremath{\mathfrak{E}}$ 22.5 million. On this basis we again expect to be able to pay a dividend of $\ensuremath{\mathfrak{E}}$ 1.92 per share in 2004.





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≡ Consolidated Balance Sheet

| ASSETS | 30 September | 31 December |
|-------------------------------------|--------------|-------------|
| € thousand | 2004 | 2003 |
| A. Business start-up | | |
| and expansion expenses | 2 | 3 |
| and expansion expenses | | <u> </u> |
| B. Fixed assets | | |
| I. Intangible assets | | |
| Concessions, industrial | | |
| and similar rights | 332 | 363 |
| II. Fixed assets | | |
| 1. Land, land rights | | |
| and buildings | 599,433 | 672,164 |
| 2. Other equipment, operating and | | |
| office equipment | 150 | 151 |
| 3. Payments on account and | | |
| assets under construction | 53,727 | 19,329 |
| III. Financial assets | | |
| Shares in other investees | 212,830 | 159,835 |
| | 866,472 | 851,842 |
| C. Current assets | | |
| I. Receivables and other assets | | |
| 1. Trade receivables | 889 | 2,005 |
| 2. Receivables from other investees | 4,017 | 20,786 |
| 3. Other assets | 10,476 | 15,565 |
| II Securities | | |
| Other securities | 42,797 | 21,700 |
| 233. 3000110105 | 12,737 | 21,700 |
| III. Cash and bank balances | 73,900 | 66,907 |
| | 132,079 | 126,963 |
| D. Prepaid expenses | 441 | 1,874 |
| D. 11 opulu expenses | 441 | 1,074 |
| Total assets | 998,994 | 980,682 |



Consolidated Balance Sheet

| LIABILITIES € thousand | 30 September 2004 | 31 December 2003 |
|---|----------------------|---------------------|
| | | |
| A. Equity | | |
| I. Subscribed capital | 20,000 | 20,000 |
| II. Capital reserves | 476,821 | 497,900 |
| III. Revenue reserves | 2,000 | 2,000 |
| IV. Consolidated unappropriated surplus | 4,065 | 8,921 |
| V. Minority interests | 203 | 6,876 |
| | 503,089 | 535,697 |
| | | |
| B. Provisions | | |
| 1. Provisions for taxes | 28,823 | 22,317 |
| 2. Other provisions | 3,043 | 5,224 |
| · | 31,866 | 27,541 |
| | | |
| C. Liabilities | | |
| 1. Liabilities to banks | 449,569 | 408,642 |
| 2. Trade payables | 1,008 | 1,659 |
| 3. Liabilities to other investees | 10,071 | 1 |
| 4. Other liabilities | 3.351 | 6.832 |
| | 463,999 | 417,134 |
| | | |
| D. Deferred income | 40 | 310 |
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| Total liabilities | 998,994 | 980,682 |





≡ Consolidated Profit and Loss Account

€ thousand

- 1. Sales
- 2. Other operating income
- 3. Personnel expenses
- Amortisation of intangible assets and depreciation of tangible assets as well as amortisation of capitalised business start-up and expansion expenses
- 5. Other operating expenses
- 6. Income from investments
- 7. Other interest and similar income
- 8. Write-downs of investments classified as current assets
- 9. Interest and similar expenses
- 10. Result from ordinary activities
- 11. Taxes on income
- 12. Other taxes
- 13. Net income/net loss for the period
- 14. Minority interests in net loss/net income
- 15. Consolidated net income/net loss for the period

≡Statement of Changes in Equity

| € thousand | Subscribed capital | Capital reserves | Revenue reserves |
|------------------------------|-----------------------|---------------------|---------------------|
| 1 January 2003 | 20,000 | 528,512 | 1,979 |
| Dividend | | -21,147 | |
| Withdrawals | | | |
| Earnings | | | |
| Withdrawals from capital res | serves | | |
| Appropriations to revenues | reserves | | |
| Changes in Group structure | | | |
| 30 September 2003 | 20,000 | 507,365 | 1,979 |
| 1 January 2004 | 20,000 | 497,900 | 2,000 |
| Dividend | | -21,079 | |
| Withdrawals | | | |
| Earnings | | | |
| 30 September 2004 | 20,000 | 476,821 | 2,000 |
| | | | |



Consolidated Profit and Loss Account/ Statement of Changes in Equity

| 1 Jul- | 1 Jul- | 1 Jan- | 1 Jan- |
|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|
| 30 Sept 2004 | 30 Sept 2003 | 30 Sept 2004 | 30 Sept 2003 |
| | | | |
| 11 000 | 10.070 | 20,000 | 20.052 |
| 11,326 | 12,373 | 36,800 | 36,653 |
| 4,023 | 0 | 4,616 | 183 |
| 247 | 223 | 607 | 578 |
| | | | |
| | | | |
| 5,182 | 5,463 | 16,425 | 16,614 |
| 3,262 | 3,042 | 9,355 | 7,132 |
| 2,384 | 1,427 | 7,466 | 5,056 |
| 441 | 1,160 | 1,704 | 4,158 |
| 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 5,164 | 4,606 | 15,448 | 14,053 |
| 4,319 | 1,626 | 8,751 | 7,673 |
| 2,147 | 1,645 | 6,727 | 5,845 |
| 138 | 185 | 639 | 657 |
| 2,034 | -204 | 1,385 | 1,171 |
| 1,282 | -63 | 2,680 | -76 |
| 3,316 | -267 | 4,065 | 1,095 |
| | | | |

| | | Mir | nority interests | |
|---|--------------------|---------|---------------------------------|------------------------|
| Consolidated unappropriated surplus | Equity | Capital | Interests in net income/loss | Consolidated equity |
| 8,853 | EE0 244 | 2.404 | -123 | EE6 017 |
| -8,853 | 559,344 -30,000 | -2,404 | -152 | 556,817 -30,000 |
| , | 0 | -266 | | -266 |
| 1,095 | 1,095 | | 76 | 1,171 |
| | 0 | | | 0 |
| | 0 | | | 0 |
| | 0 | 296 | | 296 |
| 1,095 | 530,439 | -2,374 | -47 | 528,018 |
| 8,921 | 528,821 | 8,615 | -1,739 | 535,697 |
| -8,921 | -30,000 | | | -30,000 |
| | 0 | -3,993 | | -3,993 |
| 4,065 | 4,065 | | -2,680 | 1,385 |
| 4,065 | 502,886 | 4,622 | -4,419 | 503,089 |
| | | | | |





≡Cash flow statement

| € thousand | 1 January – 30 September 2004 | 1 January – 30 September 2004 |
|---|-------------------------------------|-------------------------------------|
| | | |
| 1. Net income | 1,385 | 1,171 |
| 2. Depreciation and amortisation of | | |
| fixed assets | 16,425 | 16,614 |
| 3. Increase (+) / decrease (-) in provisions | 4,326 | 1,758 |
| 4. DVFA/SG cash earnings | 22,136 | 19,543 |
| 5. Gains on disposal of items of fixed assets | -3,556 | 0 |
| Increase (-) / decrease (+) in trade receivables and other assets not attributable to investing or | | |
| financing activities | 7,637 | 3,156 |
| Increase (+) / decrease (-) in trade payables and other liabilities not attributable to investing or financing activities | -4,404 | -566 |
| 8. Cash flows from operating activities | 21,813 | 22,133 |
| Proceeds from disposals of items | 21,013 | 22,133 |
| of tangible assets | 62,061 | 0 |
| 10. Payments to acquire tangible assets | -36,565 | -5,509 |
| 11. Proceeds from disposals of items of | 30,303 | 3,303 |
| financial assets | 760 | 0 |
| 12. Payments to acquire financial assets | -43,683 | -6,962 |
| 13. Receipts from cash investments for | 10,000 | 0,002 |
| short-term financial planning | 20,786 | 2,500 |
| 14. Payments for cash investments for | | |
| short-term financial planning | -4,017 | -9,627 |
| 15. Cash flows used in investing activities | -658 | -19,598 |
| 16. Dividend | -30,000 | -30,000 |
| 17. Minority interests | -3,993 | -265 |
| 18. Proceeds from borrowings | 42,619 | 0 |
| 19. Repayments of borrowings | -1,692 | -1,283 |
| 20. Cash flows used in financing activities | 6,934 | -31,548 |
| 21. Net change in cash and cash equivalents | 28,089 | -29,013 |
| 22. Cash and cash equivalents at | | |
| beginning of period | 88,608 | 153,860 |
| 23. Changes in cash and cash equivalents | | |
| from changes in Group structure | 0 | 296 |
| 24. Cash and cash equivalents at end of period | 116,697 | 125,143 |



Cash flow statement/ Notes/Disclosures

The cash flow statement is broken down into cash flows from operating, investing and financing activities. Effects of changes to the basis of consolidation are eliminated; their influence on cash and cash equivalents is disclosed separately.

The cash and cash equivalents at the end of the period comprise securities and bank balances.

■ Notes/Disclosures

Basis of presentation

The financial statements of the Deutsche EuroShop Group as at 30 September 2004 have been prepared in accordance with the provisions of the Handelsgesetzbuch (HGB – German Commercial Code), German Accounting Standard 6 (GAS 6), the Aktiengesetz (AktG – German Public Companies Act) and the principles of proper accounting.

The financial statements have not been reviewed by an auditor. In the opinion of the Executive Board, they contain all the necessary adjustments required to give a true and fair view of the result of operations as at the Interim Report date. No conclusions regarding the development of future results can necessarily be drawn from the results of the first nine months as at 30 September 2004.

The accounting policies applied correspond to those used in the last consolidated financial statements as at the end of the financial year. A detailed description of these methods was published in the Annual Report 2003.





Basis of Consolidation

The basis of consolidation is as at 31 December 2003; all consolidation principles have been maintained unchanged. For more information, please refer to the detailed description of the basis and methods of consolidation, and to the principles applied to the annual financial statements, which were printed in full in the Annual Report 2003

Consolidated financial statement disclosures

In the period under review, the total assets of the Deutsche EuroShop Group increased by £18.3 million to £998.8 million. The sale of the property in Udine was recognised at its book value of £58.5 million. This was more than offset by the investments made in properties currently under construction in Wetzlar, Hamburg-Harburg and Klagenfurt, with the result that the net book value of the Group's fixed assets increased by £14.7 million to £866.5 million. Receivables and other assets including prepaid expenses decreased by £24.4 million, while cash and cash equivalents including money market funds classified as securities increased by £28.1 million.

The main reasons for the fall in equity of €32.6 million included the dividend payment in June 2004 and a significant decrease in minority interests. As a result, the equity ratio is now 50.4%, compared to 54.6% as at 31 December 2003.

At €449.6 million, liabilities to banks were up by around €40.9 million compared to 31 December 2003. The increase is solely due to construction period interest relating to the Forum Wetzlar shopping center currently under construction. Other liabilities increased by approximately €6 million, particularly as a result of the recognition as liabilities of outstanding contribution obligations to investees.

For profit and loss account disclosures, please refer to the notes on business developments on pages 6 and 7.





Segment reporting in the Group

As the holding company, Deutsche EuroShop AG holds equity interests in German and foreign shopping centers as a single business segment. No separate segment reporting is therefore presented. Sales are generated exclusively from rental and lease income. These are broken down as follows:

| Sales (€ thousand) | Germany | Abroad | thereof EU | Total |
|---------------------|---------|--------|------------|--------|
| 1 Jan 30 Sept. 2004 | 29,659 | 7,141 | 7,141 | 36,800 |
| 1 Jan 30 Sept. 2003 | 28,959 | 7,694 | 7,694 | 36,653 |

Dividend

No dividend was distributed in Q3 2004.

Employees

As at 30 September 2004, the Group employed three people

Stock options

The variable portion of the remuneration of the Executive Board and the Supervisory Board does not include stock options or similar securities-based incentive systems.

Forward-looking statements

This Interim Report contains forward-looking statements based on estimates of future developments by the Executive Board. The statements and forecasts represent estimates based on all the information currently available. If the assumptions on which the statements and forecasts are based do not materialise, actual results may differ from those currently forecast.



≡ Financial Calendar

16 November 2004 Interim Report Q1-3 2004

22 November 2004 German Equity Forum, Frankfurt am Main
18 April 2005 Annual earnings report press conference and

analyst conference, Hamburg

10 May 2005 Interim report Q1 2005

23 June 2005 Annual General Meeting, Hamburg

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