

Executive Summary

The financial and operational results in the first half of 2024 have been exceptional, especially with the commencement of Price Control 3 (2024-2027) supported by the operational growth and excellence.

This report outlines the performance and achievements of the company in different areas including financial and operational. This further showcases our commitment to health & safety, corporate social responsibility, setting the stage for future growth and innovation.

Operational Performance

	H1 2023	H1 2024
Pipeline growth (Km)	-	177
Total Length (Km)	4,031	4,223
Gas Transported	19.4	21.2
(Bn Cubic Meter)		

OQGN's network length has increased following the commissioning of South Grid Project (A loop-line for the purpose of increasing the capacity in South Region of the Country) by 177 km. The company has also scored a record of highest gas delivery of 131 Million Standard Cubic Meter per day during the month of June 2024.

QHSSE Performance

OQ Gas network QHSSE performance of H1 2024 has accomplished an outstanding milestone in ensuring safety in the workplace achieving 10.7 million safe man-hours. In addition to 17 million safe kilometers with zero Motor Vehicle Incidents. This is a testimony of OQGN's full compliance in road safety standards.

Financial Performance

	Six Months ended 30 th June			
In RO Mn	2024	2023	Change in figures	Change in %
Revenue excluding one-off events	80.8	76.2	4.6	6.0%
Effect of one-off event 1*	-	8.8	(8.8)	(100%)
Revenue for the period	80.8	85.0	(4.2)	(4.9%)



Total expenses	(53.1)	(51.9)	(1.2)	(2.3%)
Profit excluding one-off events:	27.7	18.9	8.8	46.6%
Effect of one-off event 1*	-	8.8	(8.8)	(100%)
Effect of one-off event 2**	-	5.4	(5.4)	(100%)
Profit for the period	27.7	33.1	(5.4)	(16.3%)

During H1 2024, OQGN's performance reflected an increase of RO 4.6 Mn in revenue and an increase of RO 8.8 Mn in net profit compared to the same period in 2023. The improvement was driven by the commencement of Price Control 3 which provided a better OpEx allowance and WACC compared to Price Control 2.

The variance in comparison to 2023 is attributable to one-off events resulting in financial gains of RO 8.8 Mn from the termination of a hedge and RO 5.4 Mn from the waiver of interest on a shareholder loan.

Sustainability Performance

With OQGN's continuous commitment towards sustainability and achieving Oman's vision of Net zero by 2050, the company commenced implementation of OQGN decarbonization strategy, such as the use of mobile recompression, flare recovery and Energy Management System.

As of 30 June 2024, OQGN has a total number of employees of 468, with an Omanization rate of 93.8%.

Thanks and Appreciation

We sincerely thank our shareholders and customers for believing in OQGN's vision. We also extend our gratitude to our executive leadership team and employees for their tremendous efforts. Thanks to your trust and contributions, we are on track and are confident that we will be achieving remarkable results and OQGN will continue to reach new heights of success.