

LEADERS OF THANH THANH CONG - BIEN HOA JOINT STOCK COMPANY (SBT) CONSECUTIVELY REGISTER TO BUY SIGNIFICANT NUMBER OF SHARES

With positive results of the fiscal year 2017-2018, Thanh Thanh Cong - Bien Hoa Joint Stock Company (TTC Sugar, SBT, Company) has many key targets exceeded the plan such as 571,000 tons of Sales, Net revenue of VND 10,364 billion and Profit after tax of VND 547 billion. From 24/7/2018 to 13/8/2018, many members of TTC Sugar's BOM/BOD have continuously registered to buy a large amount of SBT shares.

On July 25th, Mr. Pham Hong Duong - Chairman of the Board registered to buy 1,000,000 shares and on August 3rd, Mr. Duong completed the transaction with registered number of shares, increasing the ownership to 2,585,469, equivalent to 0.46%. On July 31st, Mr. Tran Quoc Thao - Deputy General Director registered to buy 1,000,000 shares and on August 10th, Mr. Thao also completed the transaction which increased his ownership to 1,149,938 shares, reaching 0.21%. On August 6th, Mr. Nguyen Thanh Ngu - CEO registered to buy 1,000,000 shares, expected trading day from 10/8 to 8/9. Finally, on 13/8, Mr. Nguyen Quoc Viet - Deputy General Director registered to buy 1,000,000 shares, expected trading day from 17/8 to 15/9. After these transactions, Mr. Ngu and Mr. Viet will increase their ownership to 3,181,361 shares, equivalent to 0.57% and 1,661,602 shares, equivalent to 0.30%

The total number of shares held by these individuals will be 8.578.370, equivalent to 1.54%, raising the total number of shares of the Company's Insiders to about 8.40%. In order to buy 4 million shares, the total trading value is estimated at VND 70 billion at the price of VND 16,700 as of July 31st. By the end of July, SBT's shareholder structure comprised 46.53% of domestic individuals, 35.22% of domestic institutions, 11.06% of treasury shares; 6.68% foreign institutions and 0.51% foreign individuals.

In the first half of 2018, Vietnam's stock market was in the list of the world's largest drop stock markets due to impact of negative changes, geopolitical tensions in Syria, the US-China trade war, and concerns over global capital movements as the Federal Reserve raised interest rates, prompting a gradual decline. In the face of unusual developments in the stock market, SBT shares, after being affected by the market, rebounded significantly from May 28th to August 9th. The stock prices have increased more than 12%. Especially in the review period in July, SBT is the only Sugarcane company in Vietnam which is still maintained in the VN30 index of Ho Chi Minh City Stock Exchange (HOSE). In addition, SBT is also included in the VFMVN30 Fund with 2.8mn shares - the local ETF fund which takes VN30 as reference. Besides, SBT is still included in the basket of many prestigious indexes in the market such as V.N.M ETF with nearly 10 million shares, DB XTRACKER FTSE VIETNAM SWAP UCITS ETF with nearly 6 million shares and iShares MSCI Frontier 100 ETF with nearly 1 million shares.

In addition to Basket VN30 Index, of nearly 500 listed companies on HoSE, SBT also reached the Top 20 of Vietnam Sustainability Index (VNSI) of HOSE in July, along with other big names such as VIC, VNM, NVL, DHG, PNJ ... Being the macro-management agency in the trend of sustainable development of the world's economy, especially the goals of sustainable development of the United Nations, HOSE is moving the listed companies to the sustainable development standards that include all best Environment, Society and Governance (ESG) criteria and practices. This supplement a new investment tool to support institutional and individual investors to identify "sustainable" and "green" businesses for investment; thereby improving the image as well as the quality of Vietnam stock market. For a Company operating in the agricultural sector such as SBT, the VNSI Index plays an important role in the Company's sustainable development strategy, including increasing sales volume, gaining market share, applying advanced production technologies, meet the strict standards of quality, environment, health ... as well as shaping the Vietnam sugar sector at regional level.

In the latest release of the world's Sugar market, the US Department of Agriculture (USDA) forecasts annual Sugar output of fiscal year 18-19 would drop 4 million tons from the previous forecast to 188 million tons because Economists predict drought in central Brazil will reduce its coffee and Sugar production in the coming year if there is not enough rain in the last months of this year. Meanwhile, the world's leading Sugar exporters have asked India, Pakistan and the European Union (EU) to reduce sugar subsidies. They argue that the subsidy program is the reason for the sharp drop in sugar prices and oversupply in recent years. Commenting on the situation in Vietnam market, the price of RS Sugar (White sugar) is likely to move in a trend to keep prices or increase in the coming time because domestic



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RS price has approached and directly competed with Thai smuggled Sugar's prices. Counteracting smuggled activities are enhanced by the government along with the determination of the Sugarcane Association and Sugar refinery factory are expected to limit the flow of smuggled Sugar and supports domestic consumption as well as boosting Sugar price in the near future.

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