# **Thruvision Group plc**

**Interim Results to 30 September 2022** 



**19 December 2022** 



### **Headlines**

### **Interims H1 FY23**

- Revenue grew 41% to £2.8 million (2022: £2.0 million)
- Two strategically important and larger than anticipated orders received from US Customs and Border Protection (CBP) worth £8.7 million (\$9.7 million @ 1.12).
- Despite challenging economic conditions for retailers, Profit Protection product revenue for H1 was unchanged at £1.0 million (H1 2022: £1.0 million) with good order intake since 1 October from a combination of existing and new customers.
- ▼ The Group's operating loss was £1.9 million (H1 2022: loss of £2.0 million) and gross margin was 49% (H1 2022: 49%). The Group's Adjusted EBITDA loss was £1.6 million (H1 2022: loss of £1.6 million).
- Cash balance as at 30 September 2022 was £1.1 million, with cash at 15 December 2022 of £4.3 million.
- The Group is currently on track to achieve its objective of breaking even at Adjusted EBITDA this financial year for the first time.



### **FY23 H1 Income Statement**

Strong growth of 46% in product revenue driven by Customs (CBP) with Profit Protection level.

Income Statement £ million	H1 FY23	H1 FY22	Change
Revenue	2.8	2.0	+41%
Gross Profit	1.4	1.0	+41%
Gross Margin	49%	49%	-
Adjusted overheads*	(3.2)	(2.8)	(13%)
Depreciation and amortisation	0.3	0.3	+6%
Adjusted EBITDA**	(1.6)	(1.6)	+1%

<sup>\*</sup> Excludes Share Option charges



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### **Overhead costs**

### H1 FY23 update

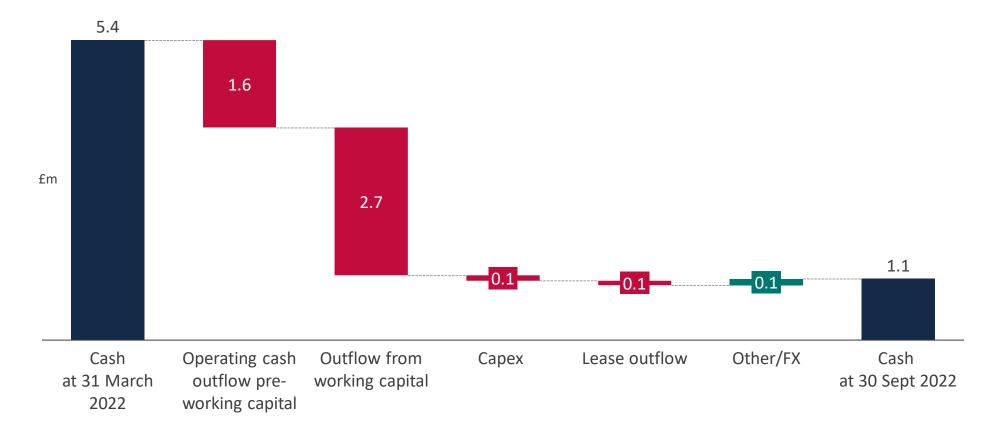
- Continued to invest in PP sales and marketing, and R&D but now at a level where we have critical mass across the business
- Inflationary pressures under control
- Some one-off costs related to change of CFO and Audit impacted H1

Adjusted overheads* £ million	H1 FY23	H1 FY22
Engineering	0.9	0.8
Sales & Marketing	1.1	1.0
Property & administration	0.2	0.2
PLC & Management	0.9	0.5
Depreciation and amortisation	0.3	0.3
Foreign exchange	(0.2)	-
Total adjusted overheads*	3.2	2.8

<sup>\*</sup> Excludes Share Option charges



## **Cashflow**



- ▼ Receivables increase to 30 September 2022 at £3.8m of which £2.4m from CBP received in Oct/Nov.
- Inventory increase to support expected orders as well as forward purchase of key components
- Cash balance as at 15 December 2022 £4.3m



# **Summary of our market focus**

We are now very clear on growth drivers for the business, and how to position the business moving forwards

#### **CUSTOMS**

Checking travellers for concealed contraband







Break-through with CBP underpinning business performance moving forwards, but growing interest from further international agencies

#### **PROFIT PROTECTION**

Reducing staff theft from warehouses by up to 80%



Strong interest remains
despite economic
challenges, employee
theft is rising quickly and,
with proven in-year Rol,
we still see opportunity

#### **AVIATION**

**Deterring attacks on aircraft and airports** 



Aviation now recovered
we are still proceeding
with accreditation process
with ongoing interest in
contactless security

#### WEAPONS DETECTION

Protecting travellers
& visitors
from terrorism





### Fragmented market

but, with invasion of Ukraine making broad market more security conscious, some opportunity emerging



# Strategic future with CBP

Following successful pilot programme, CBP has moved onto the strategic rollout of our "passive body scanners" for the detection of illegal contraband coming into or departing the United States

### **Upgrade Programme Order**

Upgrading sixty 8-channel cameras to the latest 16channel model with our AI algorithm and Tactical Deployment System (TDS)

- ₹ £3.5 million booked to revenue in H2 FY22
- A further order for £2.4 million in early September to complete process
- £1.3 million of this booked in H1 FY23 with balance
  to be booked in H2 FY23

#### **Blanket Purchase Agreement (BPA)**

Initial year plus three option year purchasing framework plus purchase of further 16-channel cameras and TDSs

- \$7.0 million order most, if not all, to be delivered in H2 FY23
- Close customer engagement indicates clear intention for ongoing fleet expansion out to 2026

**Below**: Deployment at a Port of Entry in California





# **Progress in Profit Protection**

# On the back of very strong growth in FY22, we continue to make progress despite worsening economic situation

- H1 revenues of £1.0 million were flat on the same period last year
- Employee theft has increased significantly and with wage inflation pressures, conducting more respectful AND more effective security screening is even more important
- Existing customers in UK continue to invest as they understand the in-year return on investment
- Still signing new customers including Clarins and Saks in US
- Signed another major international 3PL and held leadership team kick-off meeting in US last week
- Increasing investment in US market at the expense of mainland Europe given macro-economic situation





# New WalkTHRU solution helping drive adoption

Developed in partnership with NEXT Plc, WalkTHRU maximises deterrence by allowing 100% of staff to be quickly and easily screened

- Detects all types of items hidden under clothing
- Al software performing automatic threat detection
- Screens up to 1,200 people/hr









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