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Maha Energy

Joining 3R's board

Two of Maha's directors elected board members of 3R

Yesterday, an EGM in 3R Petroleum (3R) approved the proposal to elect Paulo Thiago Mendonça (chair of Maha's board) and Fabio Vassel (board member at Maha) to the board of 3R. The number of seats was also reduced to five from seven, meaning Maha now holds 40% of the seats on 3R's board. Paulo Thiago Mendonça has also taken office as a member of 3R's Finance Committee.

Next step in restructuring of Brazilian E&P sector

In an open letter to 3R's board after purchasing 5% of the company's shares, Maha has suggested a carveout of 3R's offshore assets and a business combination with PetroReconcavo, another listed Brazilian company with onshore assets. Both 3R's onshore assets and PetroReconcavo's assets will experience significant production growth in the coming years, with considerable synergies being created by adding 3R's and PetroReconcavo's assets. Due diligence and technical evaluation of the portfolios are ongoing, and the parties aim to conclude these swiftly. The original ambition was to finalise and execute definite agreements during Q2, with the intention of closing the transaction during Q3.

Trading at close to half of current assets' NPV, with significant potential upside to NPV

Current assets hold a NAV of around USD250m or ~SEK14.5 per share, and the share trades at 50–60% of NAV. The current NAV includes the market value of the 3R holding. Should the suggested restructuring of the Brazilian E&P sector be carried out and if we were to include the potential growth of 3R's assets, we would see upside exceeding SEK23 per share – and even more if including PetroUrdaneta.

Change in estimates				Forecasts (USDm)				Value and risk			
	24e	25e	26e		2023	2024e	2025e	2026e	Fair value SEK 14.0 - 16.0		
Total Revenues	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	Total Revenues	5	5	4	4	Share price SEK 8.1		
EBITDA, adj.	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	Revenue growth	-58%	-12%	-18%	0%	Risk level High		
EPS, adj.	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	EBITDA, adj.	-3	15	22	27			
				EBIT, adj.	-4	13	20	25	Price Performance 12 months		
Upcoming eve	nts			EPS, adj.	0.0	0.1	0.1	0.1	12		
Q1 - report		28 Ma	ay 2024	EPS growth, adj.	N.m.	N.m.	65%	27%	11-		
Q2 - report	12 August 2024			BV/share	0.9	0.9	1.0	1.1	11- / h / / / / / / / / / / / / / / / / /		
Company facts (USDm)				EBIT margin	Neg.	N.m.	N.m.	N.m.	10 May 10 May May		
Number of shares	178m			ROE, adj.	Neg.	6.0%	9.1%	10.5%	s and Manager W		
Market capitalisatio			137	ROCE, adj.	2.2%	6.6%	9.1%	9.3%	7- Why My My		
•	debt -96			EV/Sales	14.3x	8.9x	10.8x	10.8x	Mar Apr May Jun Jul Aug Sep Oct Nov Dec Jan Feb Mar Mar Apr May Jun Jul Aug Sep Oct Nov Dec Jan Feb Mar MAHAA SS EQUITY OMX INDEX		
EV				EV/EBITDA	Neg.	2.8x	1.9x	1.5x			
E v Free float			72%	EV/EBIT	Neg.	3.1x	2.1x	1.7x			
				P/E, adj.	Neg.	14.4x	8.7x	6.9x	Conflicts of interest		
Daily trading volume, average		age 282k NHAA SS EQUITY	282k	P/BV	1.1x	0.8x	0.8x	0.7x	Yes No		
Bloomberg Ticker	MAF	1AA 55 E		FCF yield	Neg.	Neg.	Neg.	Neg.	Liquidity provider ✓ 		
Analyst				Net debt / EBITDA	N.m.	-3.3x	-1.9x	0.5x	Certified adviser ✓		

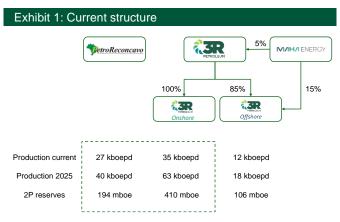
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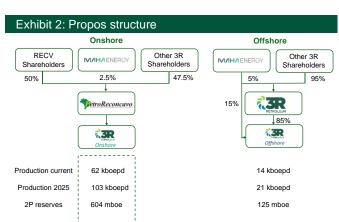
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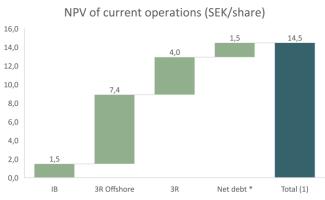
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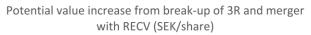


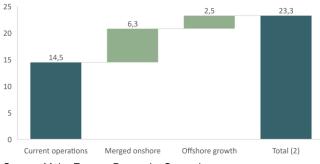


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