

explaining the reason why the value decreased compared to the previous period.

Re: explaining the reason why profit after tax increased or decreased compared to the same period last year

Hanoi, March 16, 2026

- State Securities Commission;
- Hanoi Stock Exchange.

Vinacomin - Viet Bac Mining Industry Holding Corporation would like to explain the increase and decrease in profit after tax for the fourth quarter of 2025 and the cumulative net profit for 2025 of the audited Parent Company Financial Statement and the audited Consolidated Financial Statement compared to the same period last year:

Items	Quarter 4				Cumulative year			
	Q4/2025	Q4/2024	Difference		Year 2025	Year 2024	Difference	
			Value	Rate (%)			Value	Rate (%)
1. Profit after tax of the Parent Company	55,512	72,919	-17,407	-24	204,827	219,116	-14,289	-7
2. Profit after tax of Consolidated Financial Statements	78,730	100,523	-21,793	-22	276,807	267,026	9,781	4

The audited profit after tax for the fourth quarter of 2025 in the Parent Company's Financial Statements and the Consolidated Financial Statements decreased compared to the same period last year. The primary reason was a decline in coal sales volume, which led to a decrease in profit compared to the same period last year. However, for the full year 2025 compared to the same period of the previous year: The Parent Company's Financial Statements decreased by 7% due to lower coal sales volume; the 2025 Consolidated Financial Statements increased by 4% due to higher sales volumes at subsidiaries, improved operational efficiency, and increased revenue, which led to higher profits.

Vinacomin - Viet Bac Mining Industry Holding Corporation would like to report to the State Securities Commission and Hanoi Stock Exchange.

GENERAL DIRECTOR

- As mentioned above;
- Mr. Hoi - Secretary;
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