

# STRONG QUARTER WITH HIGH ACTIVITY AND POSITIVE OUTLOOK

- High demand and record strong RevPAR
- Improved net sales and strong results
- High level of activity with the guests in focus
- New brand Scandic Go expanding
- Positive outlook for the third quarter



### **STRONG RESULTS**

- Adjusted EBITDA of 772 (1,083) MSEK
- Solid margin development
- High demand and a solid market development in combination with good operational performance

#### SOLID MARKET DEVELOPMENT











# MARKET AVERAGE ROOM RATE DEVELOPMENT **INDEXED TO CORRESPONDING MONTH 2019** -Sweden —Norway **—**Finland Denmark 140 130 120 110 90 80 70 Source: Benchmarking Alliance

# CONTINUED POSITIVE PRICE DEVELOPMENT

Room rates on high levels

# MARKET REVPAR **INDEXED TO CORRESPONDING MONTH 2019** —Sweden Norway **—**Finland Denmark 140 120 80 60 40 20 Source: Benchmarking Alliance

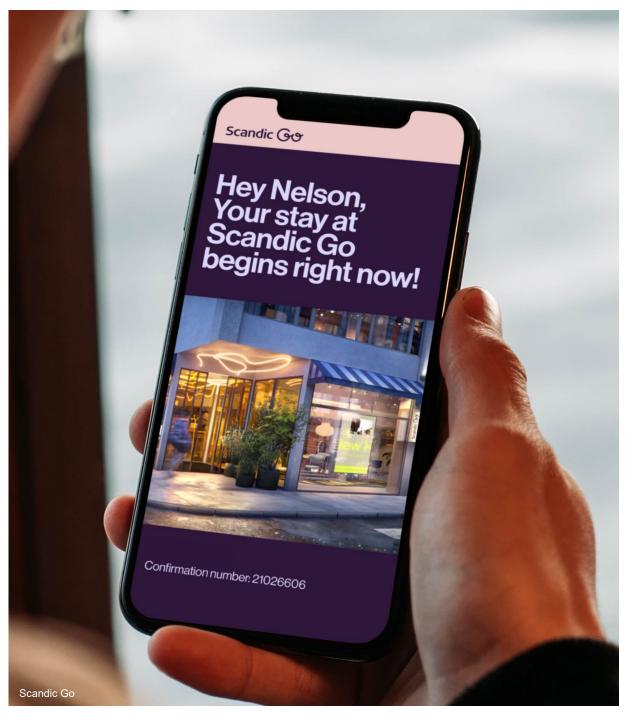
# RECORD HIGH REVPAR

 Continued high levels on most of our markets, driven by positive price development



# SCANDIC GO EXPANDING

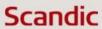
- Second hotel signed with 221 rooms in downtown Stockholm
- Compact rooms and efficient configuration
- High share of room revenue and lower capex
- Ambition to take a leading position in the fast-growing economy segment



# FOCUS ON GROWING PIPELINE

Pipeline as of June 30, 2023

Year	Hotel	Destination		no. of
Q3 2025	Scandic Vervet Tromsø	Tromsø, Norway	New	305
Q1 2026	Scandic in Ski	Oslo, Norway	New	220
Q4 2026	Scandic Aarhus Harbour	Aarhus, Denmark	New	342 867
	Ongoing extensions			144
	Closed for renovation <sup>1</sup>			637
	Exits			-731
	Total net pipeline <sup>2</sup>			917



<sup>1)</sup> Refers to the existing hotels Scandic Ariadne, Scandic Norra Bantorget and Scandic Go Upplandsgatan 4, of which the first two are closed for renovation and the last one for renovation and rebranding

<sup>2)</sup> On July 3, 2023, Scandic communicated a new long-term lease agreement for a new Scandic Go with 221 rooms in downtown Stockholm



	Net sales		Adjusted EBITDA		Adjusted EBITDA margin	
MSEK	Q2 2023	Q2 2022	Q2 2023	Q2 2022	Q2 2023	Q2 2022
Sweden	1,751	1,686	270	333	15.4%	19.7%
Norway	1,548	1,699	285	417	18.4%	24.5%
Finland	1,264	1,074	145	186	11.5%	17.4%
Other Europe	1,130	817	186	215	16.4%	26.3%
Central costs and group adj.	-	-	-114	-68	-	-
Group	5,693	5,276	772	1,083	13.6%	20.5%

Adjusted for one-offs



# IMPROVED NET SALES AND STRONG RESULTS

- Net sales increased 8% to 5,693 MSEK (5,276)
- Adj.EBITDA of 772 MSEK (1,083), resulting in a margin of 13.6% (20.5)
- Excl.one-offs, adj.EBITDA margin of 13.3% (16.1)

MSEK	H1 2023	H1 2022
Adjusted EBITDA	942	846
Change in working capital	-347	109
Paid tax	-79	-35
Interest paid	-37	-129
Pre-opening costs & other items	36	-81
Cash flow from operations	515	711
Investments in existing operations	-191	-142
Free cash flow before expansion capex	324	569
Expansion capex	-18	-265
Free cash flow	306	304

# GOOD CASH FLOW

- Free cash flow improved to 306 MSEK (304), driven by higher turnover, improved results and lower expansion capex
- Working capital affected by repayment of 700 MSEK in variable rent liabilities for 2022

#### FINANCING ITEMS

#### **DEBT**

- Net debt of 2,821 MSEK<sup>1</sup>
- Net debt/adjusted EBITDA of 1.1x (0.5x excluding the convertible bond)
- Total credit facility of 3,450 MSEK

# WORKING CAPITAL

Repayment of 700 MSEK in variable rent liabilities for 2022

### CONVERTIBLE BOND

- Maturity in October 2024, conversion price = 43.36 SEK
- Potential dilution = 41,464,787 shares



MSEK	Q2 2023	Q2 2022
Total financial net, reported	-503	-479
of which interest expenses, IFRS 16	-432	-365
Financial net excl. IFRS 16	-72	-115
Adjustments to paid financial items		
Interest expenses, convertible bond (non-cash)	42	37
Timing difference, interest on bank loans	-6	-18
Other	7	11
Total adjustments	43	31
Cash financial items, net	-29	-84

# NET FINANCIAL ITEMS, REPORTED VS. CASH FLOW

- Reported financial net amounted to -503 MSEK incl. IFRS 16 and -72 MSEK excl. IFRS 16
- Non-cash convertible interest amounted to 42 MSEK
- Interest on bank loans amounted to -6 MSEK
- Cash financial items totaled -29
   MSEK





### OUTLOOK

- Based on current bookings, we expect a strong third quarter driven by continued high demand and positive price development
- For the third quarter, we anticipate occupancy levels in line with last year at higher room rates
- Continued good momentum and efficiency

