





# **Agenda**

- Chairman's view of FLSmidth
- Composition of Board and Executive Management
- Board priorities
  - Overall strategy
  - Capital structure
  - Compliance





# FLSmidth has a proud heritage and engineering tradition





## First impression of FLSmidth

- FLSmidth offers proud heritage and engineering tradition
- After "detours" now maneuvered safely into harbor with two docks: cement and minerals
- Credit to employees, management and Board for foresight and staying power
- FLSmidth is in no need of a revolution, but an evolution that builds on our heritage and established strategies



### FLSmidth's strenghts and opportunities

- Solid position in selected segments with different business dynamics, yet to some degree synergistic
- Well-defined business concept (One Source) and segment strategies
- Quality trademark and first-class reputation
- Technological know-how / superiority
- Very developed and targeted off-shoring model
- Financial strength and "freedom" to determine right mix of investments, M&A and dividends
- Already sustainable positions in customer services / O&M creates further upside when built out
- Handling of financial crisis confirmed good adaptability and sense of urgency
- Human resources; employees and management team



### **Expectations to FLSmidth**

- Attract and develop the greatest talents
- Keep the strong market position in Cement
- Exploit the potential in Customer Services / O&M
- Controlled and focused expansion of Non-Ferrous and Bulk Materials
- Accelerate synergistic acquisitions and take advantage of the strong balance sheet
- Continuous improvement of the cost structure and efficiency to retain competitiveness











### **Board of Directors**

- Reflects substantial managerial experience from internationally operating industrial companies
- All members elected at the Annual General Meeting hold competencies within acquisition and sale of companies, financing and stock market issues, international contracts and accounting
- Diversity has been taken into account in the composition:
  - 1 female member (plus 1 employee elected)
  - 3 non-Dane members



### Composition of the Board of Directors after AGM 2012

- New Vice Chairman of the Board of Directors
  - Torkil Bentzen
- New members of the Board of Directors:
  - Caroline Grégoire Sainte Marie and Tom Knutzen
- Nomination committee:
  - Vagn Sørensen (Chairman) and Torkil Bentzen
- Remuneration committee:
  - Vagn Sørensen (Chairman) and Torkil Bentzen
- Audit committee:
  - Tom Knutzen (Chairman), Sten Jakobsson and Vagn Sørensen
- **Technology committee:** 
  - Torkil Bentzen (Chairman), Martin Ivert and Caroline Grégoire Sainte Maire



**Board of Directors** 



### **Executive Management**

- Has been increased to 6 members as a consequence of the new Group strategy
- The goal is develop the managerial potential in the Group and to create ownership and focus in the Executive Group Management in line with the new organizational structure and strategy
- We now have a strong team of 6 professionals including 2 non-Danes who can execute the new strategy and take FLSmidth to the next level
- Management assessment has been conducted among the top 50 managers to ensure the strongest team possible and assist in the succession planning







# **Strategy**

- Overall priority is to ensure a sustainable and profitable growth
- Old goal reached: Minerals equal in size to Cement
- New goal: FLSmidth should be the market leader and preferred supplier in processing and handling of minerals in selected industries
- The Board has set the overall goal and frame for the **new Group strategy**, but it is Executive Management who together with management teams and employees have developed and are now executing the strategy
- Product strategy to achieve and sustain superiority in all key product lines







### **Capital structure**

- Conservative approach to capital structure to keep low gearing and risk
- Financial strength and stability through crisis give freedom to act
- Objective
   Equity ratio >30%
   Financial gearing of max. 2 x EBITDA
- Current capital contingency
   Club deal DKK 5.0bn with a remaining duration of 4.3 years plus an additional DKK 1.2bn





# **Compliance**

### A focus area for the Board

 Complies with all of NASDAQ OMX Copenhagen's recommendations for corporate governance except for one recommendation, which is partially complied with

### Diversity

 Has set long term goal of a female and non-Dane representation in the global management (top 100 managers) that is equal to overall representation in the employee composition (16% women, 12% Danes)

### Corporate Governance & Compliance function established

- Covers areas such as: code of conduct, anti-bribery and anti-corruption, anti-money laundering, competition legislation, stock exchange legislation and insider rules
- The Board conducts regular reviews of all relevant policies



