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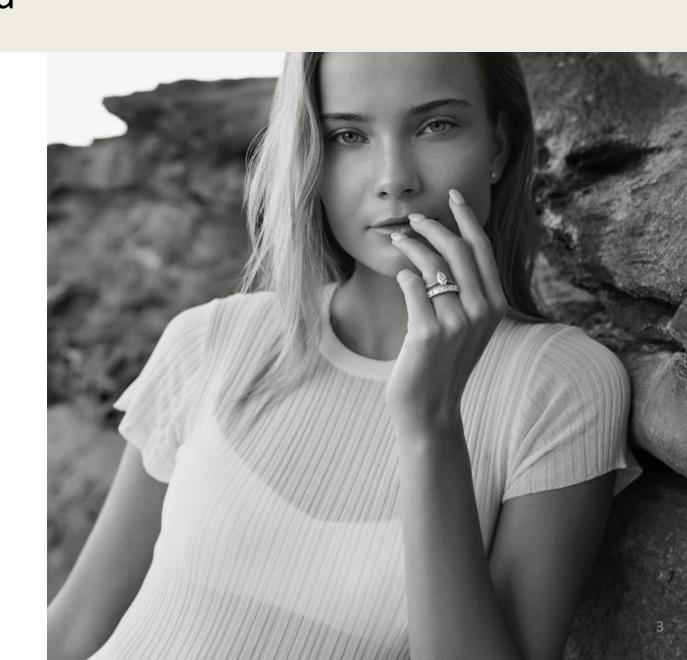
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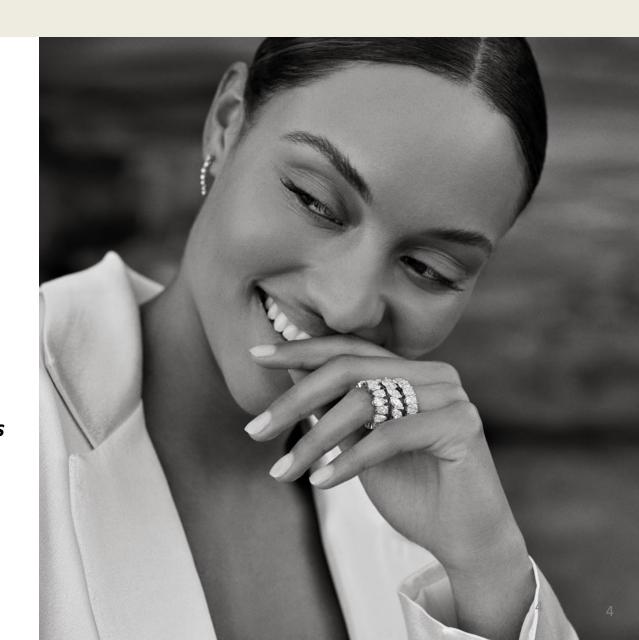
#### **CEO and CFO FY24H1 Update**

- FY24H1 Performance Overview
- FY24H1 Financial Results
  - Group Results
  - Segment Results
- Current Trading Update
- Group Strategy Emphasis on Growth
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## FY24H1 Performance Overview

- Challenging period for the business cycling record performance in FY23, yet still taking market share
- Margin under pressure due to input costs and market conditions
- Digital sales continued its return to growth
- Supporting the evolution of the Michael Hill brand and strategic lift in ATV, an extensive range review in time for the all-important peak Christmas trading period
- Solid progress on Group Multi-brand Strategy:
  - Successfully embedded the recently acquired Bevilles and opened four new stores
  - Soft launch of *TenSevenSeven* pilot
  - First ever *Medley* pop-up kiosk



## FY24H1 Group Results

- Group revenue (including Bevilles) was up 4%, on a 26-week basis
- Gross profit (including Bevilles) was down 2%, on a 26-week basis
- Gross margin contraction, due to higher COGS
   & increased promotional activity
- Compressed comparable EBIT, with inflationary pressures impacting cost of doing business
- Interim dividend of AU1.75 cents per share (within dividend policy range)
- Inventory well managed

	FY24H1 <sup>1</sup>	FY23H1 <sup>2</sup>	Change
Revenue Statutory Revenue (FY23H1: 27-week basis)	\$363m	\$349m \$363m	<b>+4%</b> Flat
Gross Profit Statutory Revenue (FY23H1: 27-week basis)	\$223m	\$228m \$237m	<b>-2%</b> -6%
Gross Margin	61.5%	65.2%	-370bps
Comparable EBIT	\$31.3m	\$54.5m	-43%
Inventory	\$220m	\$198m	+\$22m
Net Cash/(Debt)	(\$12m)	\$79m	-\$91m
Interim Dividend	AU1.75	AU4.0c	-AU2.25c
Store Network	272 302 with Bevilles	282	-10

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> FY24H1: Includes Bevilles results for the reporting period

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> FY23H1: Revenue and gross profit are restated on 26-week basis

## FY24H1 Segment Results

	Australia (AUD)		New Zealand (NZD)		Canada (CAD)				
	FY24H1 <sup>1</sup>	FY23H1 <sup>2</sup>	Change	FY24H1	FY23H1 <sup>2</sup>	Change	FY24H1	FY23H1 <sup>2</sup>	Change
Revenue	202m	184m	+10.2%	65m	73m	-10.3%	89m	88m	+0.5%
Statutory Revenue (FY23H1: 27-week basis)		191m	+6.1%		76m	-14.2%		92m	-3.8%
Gross profit	123m	118m	+3.7%	39m	46m	-14.1%	54m	57m	-4.7%
Statutory Revenue (FY23H1: 27-week basis)		123m	Flat		48m	-18.0%		59m	-8.8%
Gross margin	60.6%	64.4%	-380 bps	59.9%	62.6%	-270 bps	61.0%	64.3%	-330 bps
Segment Comparable EBIT	25.6m	38.4m	-33.3%	<b>10.1</b> m	17.1m	-40.7%	13.9m	18.5m	-25.0%
Comparable EBIT as a %	12.7%	20.2%	-750 bps	15.5%	22.4%	-690 bps	15.7%	20.1%	-440 bps
of statutory revenue									
Store network	141	148	-7	46	48	-2	85	86	-1
	171 with Bevilles								

- Australia revenue growth attributable to Bevilles acquisition
- Ongoing security measures experienced in New Zealand had a direct impact on earnings
- Canada delivered solid revenue results as it cycled record performance in FY23

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## **Current Trading Update**



- For the first seven weeks of FY24H2, Group sales (including Bevilles) are up 9.5% on prior year, with the Michael Hill Australia retail business driving the improvement in performance against FY24H1:
  - Australian segment sales (including Bevilles) +19.6%
  - New Zealand segment sales -9.2%
  - Canadian segment sales -0.9%
- External transactional sales data demonstrates that both the Group and the Michael Hill brand continue to take market share

## Group Strategy – Emphasis on Growth

2020 - 2023Reposition **Michael Hill Brand** 

2023 - 2024**Establish** Portfolio of **Brands Be** illes MEDJEY'

2024 - 2025**Product &** Brand **Proposition** TenSevenSever MICHAEL HILL Be♥illes MEDJEY"

2025 - 2030Network **Expansion & Productivity** 

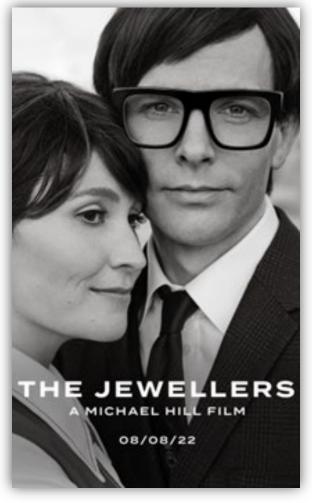
## Reposition Michael Hill Brand, 2020 - 2023

**Brand & Loyalty** 

Contemporary premium jewellery brand, leveraging best-in-class loyalty program



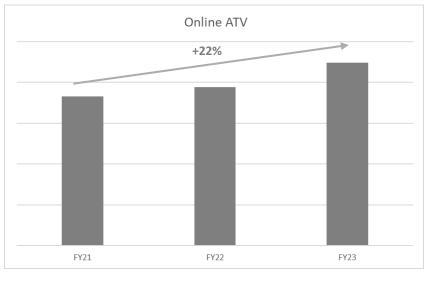




#### **Digital & Omni-channel**

Omni- first, channel agnostic, digitally-led new markets

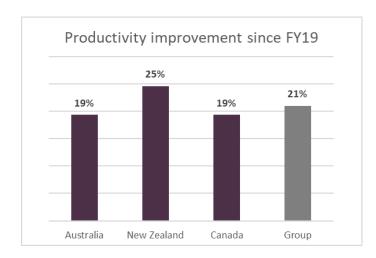
- Omni now represents 60% of digital sales
- Marketplaces growth in existing & new geographies
- Highest margin channel
- Lift in ATV outpacing stores
- Virtual selling now available in all stores globally



## Reposition Michael Hill Brand, 2020 - 2023

#### **Retail Fundamentals**

Elevated customer experience, unwavering focus on productivity





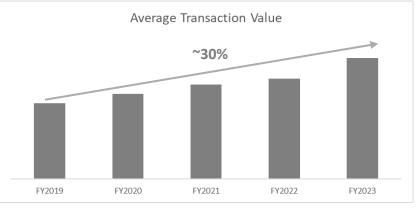


#### **Product Evolution**

Premium yet accessible, with diamonds at our core

"The Jeweller that cares"





## Establish Portfolio of Brands, 2023 - 2024

Michael Hill Group now services all significant customer segments of the fine jewellery category, and delivers multiple new growth pipelines.



With the Michael Hill Group multi-brand strategy now in place, each brand is uniquely positioned for different segments and price propositions, and its own strategic priorities:



Low price / Value

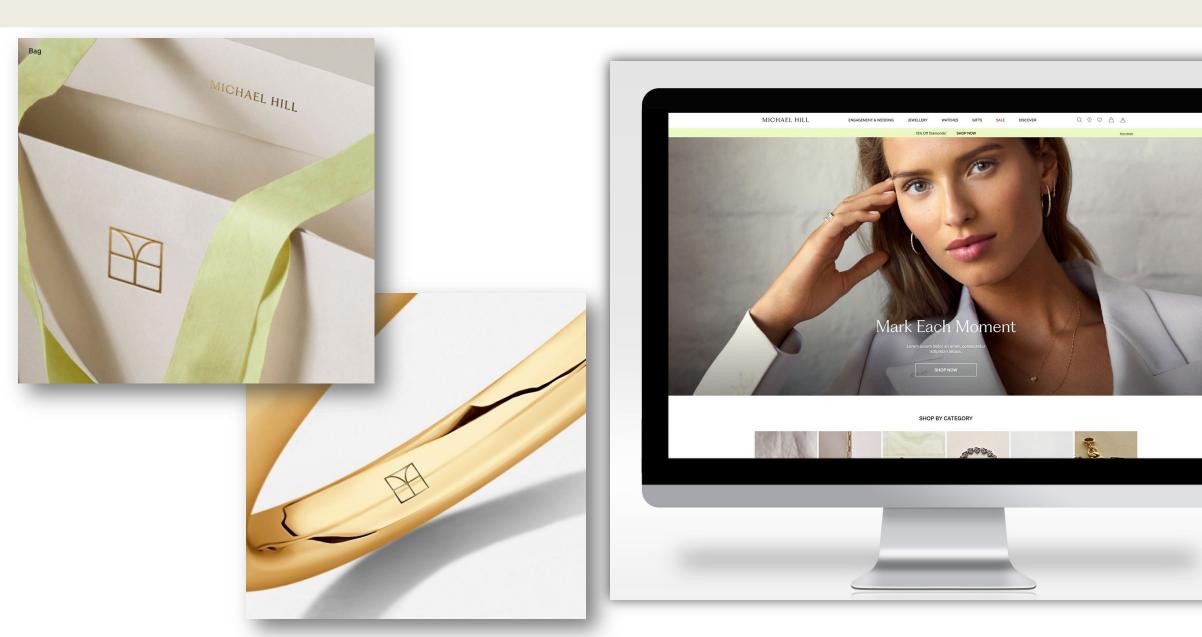
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FINE JEWELLERS







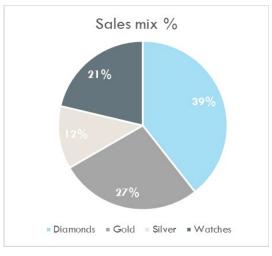








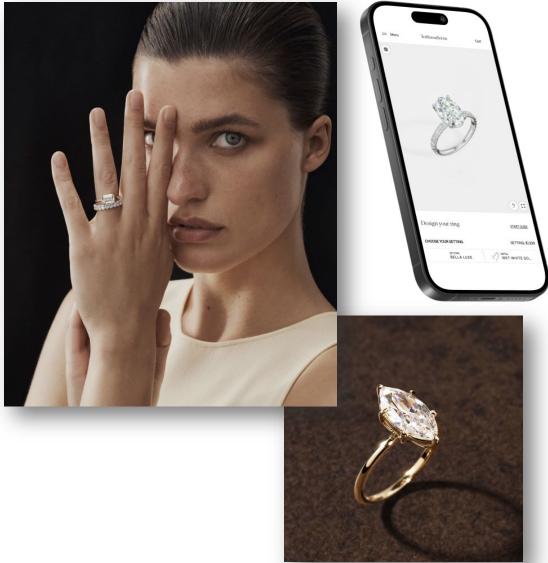




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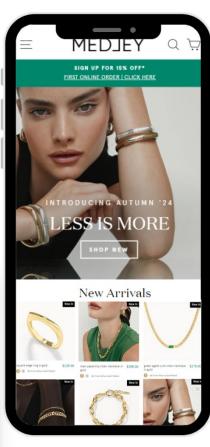


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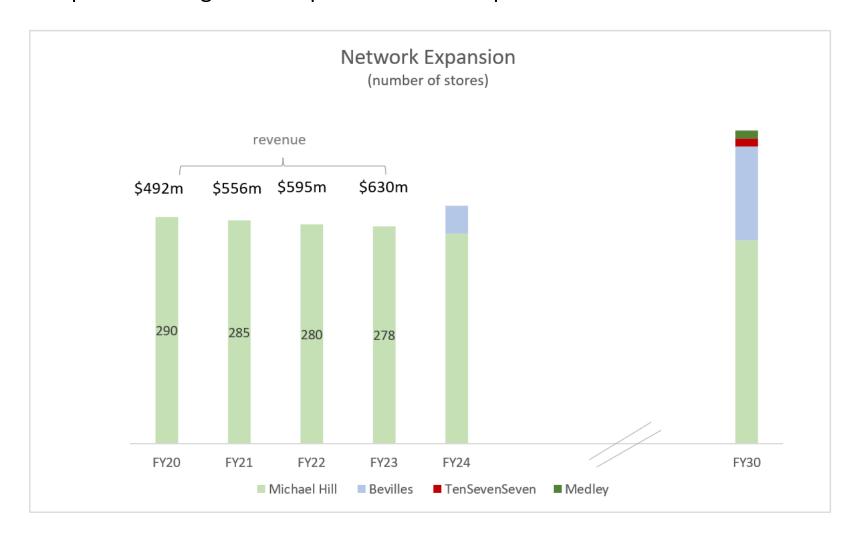
## **MEDJEY**







With each brand uniquely positioned, the group will be well-placed to grow revenue and profits through a more productive and expanded distribution network.





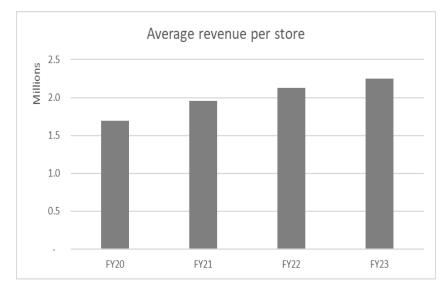
### "Store of the future" becomes a reality



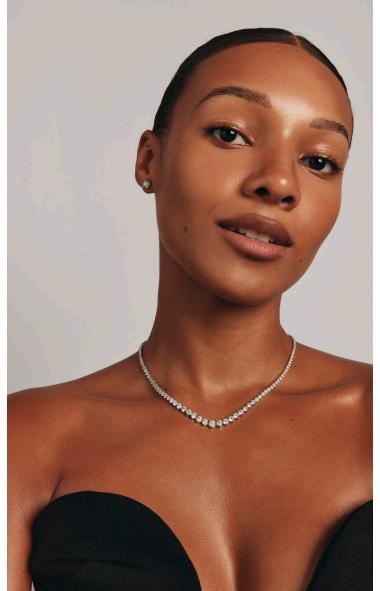














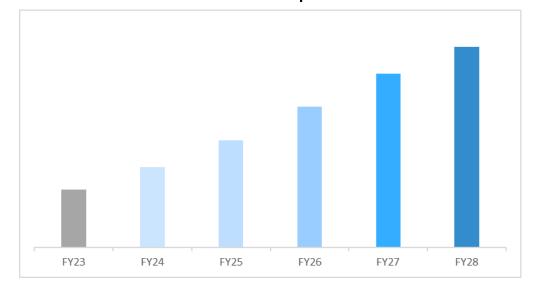




**New Stores** 



**Network Expansion** 



#### **Conversion Stores**



## TenSevenSeven

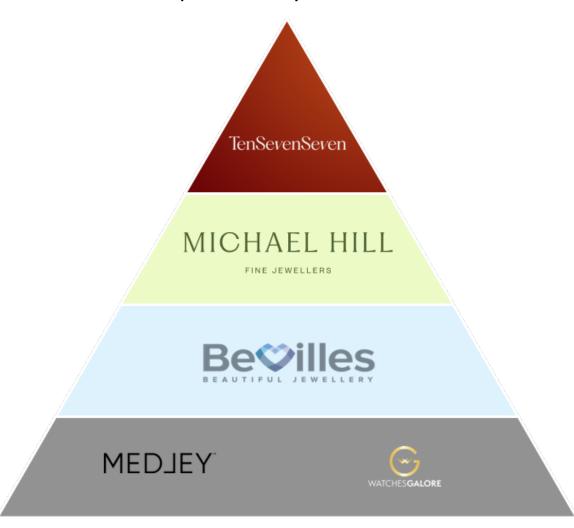




## **MEDJEY**



The multi-brand strategy is underpinned by a philosophy of leveraging group capabilities to drive productivity across all brands



#### THE MICHAEL HILL

# FOUNDATION

The Michael Hill Foundation represents our ongoing commitment to meaningful change, and our dedication to a better world.

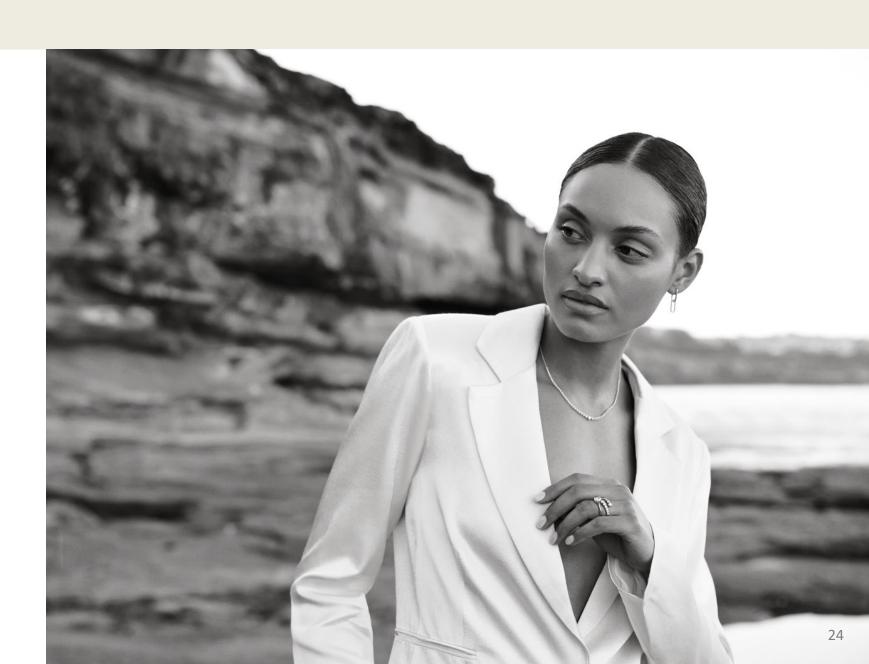
The Foundation encompasses two key areas of focus: Empowering Women and Nature Restoration.

Through continual initiatives and key charity partnerships, we are dedicated to empowering the lives of women and conserving and restoring nature in our localities, working towards our sustainability targets for 2030.

## Q & A

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# Appendices



# Appendix A: Bridge from Comparable EBIT to Reported EBIT

#### Calculated as follows:

(AUD million)	FY24H1	FY23H1
Comparable EBIT	31.3	54.5
Impact of AASB16 Leases	5.5	4.8
Impact of IFRIC SaaS-related guidance	-2.7	-0.5
Litigation judgement	-4.0	-
Bevilles acquisition transaction costs	-1.1	-
Employee restructure costs	-0.2	-
Reported EBIT	28.8	58.8



# Appendix B: AASB16 Leases & SaaS Impact

(AUD million)	FY24H1 Stat	Impact of AASB16 & SaaS	FY24H1 pre-adjustments	FY23H1 pre-adjustments	Change pre-adjustments
Revenue	362.7	-	362.7	363.4	-0.2%
Cost of sales	-139.7	-	-139.7	-126.5	+10.4%
Gross profit	223.0	-	223.0	236.9	-5.9%
Employee benefits expense	-93.8	-2.8	-91.0	-87.5	+4.0%
Occupancy costs	-7.9	27.2	-35.1	-30.7	+14.3%
Marketing expenses	-22.5	-	-22.5	-28.5	-21.1%
Selling expenses	-13.1	-	-13.1	-11.7	+12.0%
Other income/(expenses)	-24.9	-2.6	-22.3	-13.2	+68.9%
EBITDA	60.8	21.8	39.0	65.3	-40.3%
Depreciation and amortisation expenses	-32.0	-19.0	-13.0	-10.7	+21.5%
EBIT	28.8	2.8	26.0	54.5	-52.3%
Interest income	0.1	-	0.1	0.2	-50.0%
Finance expenses	-7.1	-5.2	-1.9	-0.5	+280.0%
Profit before tax	21.8	-2.4	24.2	54.2	-55.4%



