

Berjaya Corp Q3 Pre-tax Profit Soars To RM162.9 Million

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KUALA LUMPUR, March 26 (Bernama) -- Berjaya Corp Bhd's pre-tax profit for its third quarter ended Jan 31, 2014 jumped to RM162.91 million from RM96.88 million in the same period last year.

In a filing to Bursa Malaysia Wednesday, the group said the increase in pre-tax profit came mainly from property investment as well as development and marketing of consumer products and services.

Revenue jumped to RM2.36 billion in the quarter against RM1.76 billion recorded in the same period last year.

Earnings per share rose to 40 sen compared to 10 sen previously.

Berjaya Corp expects its performance to continue to remain challenging in the remaining quarter of the financial year ending April 30, 2014, given the group's diverse businesses and current economic outlook.

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