Consolidated and individual report on payments to governments

(According to Law Decree no. 139, 18 August 2015)

2023



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Basis of preparation

Introduction

This report is prepared following Law Decree no. 139/2015 (implementation of the European directive 2013/34/UE) that requires companies operating in the extractive industry to prepare and publicly disclose a report containing for each financial period the information on their payments to governments in relation to the extraction activity, broken down by each Country in which it is carried out.

Reporting entities

This report, prepared both on a consolidated and statutory basis, includes the payments to governments made by Buzzi and its consolidated subsidiaries according to international accounting standards. Payments made by entities over which Buzzi has joint control are excluded from this report.

On 1 January 2023, the contribution in kind of the business unit relating to the cement operations in Italy from Buzzi SpA to its wholly-owned subsidiary Buzzi Unicem Srl became effective.

The business unit transferred includes:

• operational and non-operational facilities in Italy, along with related quarries and land, owned real estate properties excluding some minor assets;

• employees involved in the Italian cement business, excluding corporate functions at the central level and those with group functions;

• all assets and liabilities, except for trade receivables and payables, related to the Italian cement operating activities;

• some minor shareholdings in companies operating in the cement sector;

• typical management activities supporting the transferred business unit.

As a result of the above-mentioned corporate transaction, starting from 2023, Buzzi SpA qualifies as a holding company" focused on the industrial sector of cement, ready-mix concrete and related activities.

Government

In the context of this report, government means any national, regional or local authority of a EU member state or third State, and includes a department, agency or entity that is a subsidiary of a government.

Project

Project means the operating activities which are ruled by contracts, licenses, leases, concessions or similar legal agreements that are the basis for payment obligations to a government. If more such agreements are substantially interconnected, they shall be considered as one project. To this aim, in the report, project refers to quarries for the extraction of materials, with the exception of mining activities for the cement production plants located in the United States of America, where the project is identified by the plant to which the quarry is linked.

Materiality

The report discloses single payments or a series of related payments equal or exceeding €100,000 made during the year, as required by the law. In case of arrangements providing periodic payments or installments (i.e. rental fees), to determine the threshold, the aggregated amounts of the related periodic payments or installments is considered. In this report, the amounts greater than €100,000 related to the recipient government or to the single project are disclosed; therefore, in the tables, in some cases, amounts below the threshold are shown.

Reporting currency

The report is prepared in euro, which is the functional currency of the company; payments to governments originally executed in foreign currency are translated at the average exchange rate for the year.

Payment types

The following payments types refer to the legal entities involved in extraction activities. They are reported on a cash basis, with specific indication, if necessary, whether paid in cash or in kind. During the 2023 reporting period, no payments in kind more than €100,000 have been made, nor payments for the categories 'production entitlements, bonuses and dividends'.

Production entitlements

They include payments to governments entitled to a share of production under production sharing agreements. Production entitlements are mainly paid in kind. Production entitlements paid in kind are accounted for according to the market value of the commodities at delivery date to the government.

Taxes

These are taxes paid by Buzzi and its subsidiaries on income or production. Payments are reported net of refunds. Consumption taxes, such as value added taxes and sales taxes are excluded. It should be noted that in consideration of the business model, the component of taxes directly linked to the extraction activity cannot be unbundled, therefore the tax payments to governments are disclosed in full. Since 2017 they also include property taxes equal or greater than €100,000, if related to extraction activity.

Royalties

These are payments, both in cash and in kind, for the rights to extract natural raw materials, typically at set unit price to multiply for the extracted volumes. Mining rights are included too.

Dividends

These are the dividends paid to a government other than the ones paid to an ordinary shareholder of a company.

Bonuses

These are the payments usually made upon signing an agreement or contract, or when production and sales goals are set.

Fees and other considerations

These are payments related to license fees, rental fees, entry fees and other considerations for licenses and/or concessions.

They represent taxes or other amounts paid, both in cash and in kind, as consideration to acquire a license to access the extraction activity. The governmental administrative fees that are not specifically linked to the extractive sector or the right to access extractive resources, are excluded. Payments made in return of services provided by a government are excluded too.

Infrastructure improvements

These are payments that relate to the construction of infrastructures (roads, bridges or railways) not substantially dedicated for the use of extraction activities.

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	Taxes	Royalties	Fees	Infrastructure improvements	Total
ITALY	1,743,313	695,296 ¹	693.333	69,498	3,201,440
GERMANY	24,921,563	-	-	-	24,921,563
LUXEMBOURG	3,073,737	-	-	-	3,073,737
FRANCE	205,715	148,160	83,443	-	437,318
NETHERLANDS	(1,599)	-	-	-	(1,599)
POLAND	4,241,710	359,275	_	-	4,600,985
CZECH REPUBLIC AND SLOVAKIA	10,583,507	-	-	-	10,583,507
RUSSIA	20,614,951	642,233	323,152	-	21,580,336
UKRAINE	-	225,754	475,467	-	701,221
HUNGARY	107	_	-	-	107
USA	143,442,032	-	1,081,974	-	144,524,006
	208,825,036	2,070,718	2,657,369	69,498	213,622,621

Summary of the payments

¹includes 78,506 euro paid in kind by limestone delivery to the authority, valued at market value.

Italy	Taxes	Royalties	Fees	Infrastructure improvements	Total
Municipality of Vigolzone (PC)	-	-	368,002	-	368,002
Municipality of Rivergaro (PC)	-	-	19,361	-	19,361
Municipality of Pergola-Casolo (RN)	-	95,306 ¹	-	-	95,306
Municipality of Roaschia (CN)	-	54,907	150,000	-	204,907
Municipality of Cuneo (CN)	-	4,021	-	-	4,021
Municipality of Alonte (VI)	-	99,773	-	-	99,773
Municipality of Orgiano (PN)	-	9,977	-	-	9,977
Municipality of Frisanco (PN)	-	98,282	-	-	98,282
Municipality of Maniago (PN)	-	131,279	-	-	131,279
Municipality of Carmagnola (TO)	-	44,390	-	-	44,390
Municipality of Carignano (TO)	-	41,903	-	15,000	56,903
Po protected areas management authority	-	58,683	-	-	58,683
Region Emilia Romagna	-	-	155,970	-	155,970
Region Piemonte	-	41,779	-	-	41,779
Region Veneto	-	14,996	-	-	14,996
Region Marche		-	-	54,498	54,498
Tax authority	1,743,313	-	-	_	1,743,313
	1,743,313	695,296	693,333	69,498	3,201,440

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				Infrastructure	
Germany	Taxes	Royalties	Fees	improvements	Total
Hessen federal tax authority	10,835,671	-	-	-	10,835,671
Hessen local tax authority	58,201	-	-	-	58,201
North-Rhine Westphalia local tax authority	13,445,107	-	-	-	13,445,107
Rhineland-Palatinate local tax authority	43,847	-	-	-	43,847
Lower Saxony local tax authority	343	-	-	-	343
Thuringia local tax authority	485,196	-	-	-	485,196
Hamburg local tax authority	52,480	-	-	-	52,480
Berlin local tax authority	718	-	-	-	718
	24,921,563	-	-	-	24,921,563

				Infrastructure	
Luxembourg	Taxes	Royalties	Fees	improvements	Total
Direct contributions authority	2,924,007	-	-	-	2,924,007
France tax authority	149,730	-	-	-	149,730
	3,073,737	-	-	-	3,073,737

				Infrastructure	
France	Taxes	Royalties	Fees	improvements	Total
Ministry of Finance and economy	187,961	-	-	-	187,961
Centre for Public Finance,					
Haguenau	-	148,160	-	-	148,160
Seltz municipality	-	-	83,311	-	83,311
Strasburg direction of customs	-	-	132	-	132
Direction general of public					
finance, Wissembourg / Property					
taxes	11,170	-	-	-	11,170
Wissembourg regional tax					
authority	7,501	-	-	-	7,501
Receivables from income taxes -					
Disposals affecting payments	(917)	-	-	-	(917)
	205,715	148,160	83,443	-	437,318

				Infrastructure	
Netherlands	Taxes	Royalties	Fees	improvements	Total
Groningen tax autority	(1,599)	-	-	-	(1,599)
	(1,599)	-	-	-	(1,599)

				Infrastructure	
Poland	Taxes	Royalties	Fees	improvements	Total
Mazowiecki Tax Authority	3,917,189	-	-	-	3,917,189
Nowiny municipality	264,003	215,565	-	-	479,568
National fund for the environment					
protection	-	143,710	-	-	143,710
Kielce regional district	60,518	-	-	-	60,518
	4,241,710	359,275	-	-	4,600,985

Czech Republic and

Czech Republic and			In	frastructure	
Slovakia	Taxes	Royalties	Fees im	provements	Total
Bratislava tax authority	-	-	-	-	-
Prague and Hranice tax authority	10,583,507	-	-	-	10,583,507
	10,583,507	-	-	-	10,583,507

				Infrastructure	
Russia	Taxes	Royalties	Fees	improvements	Total
Suchoi Log municipality	-	-	150,517	-	150,517
Sverdlovsk regional federal tax authority	20,614,951	497,720	-	-	21,112,671
Chelyabinsk regional federal tax authority	-	144,513	137,862	-	282,375
Main forest management Chelyabinsk region	-	-	25,977	-	25,977
Etkul administration	-	-	8,796	-	8,796
Inspectorate of the Federal Tax					
Service	-	-	-	-	-
	20,614,951	642,233	323,152	-	21,580,336

				Infrastructure	
Ukraine	Taxes	Royalties	Fees	improvements	Total
Local tax authority in Zdolvuniv, Rivne region (reg.No.1707)	-	171,746	205,043	-	376,789
Local tax authority in Slavuta, Khmelnitskiy region (reg.No.2214)	-	12,954	46,682	-	59,636
Local tax authority in Ochakiv, Mykolayiv region (reg.No.1423)	-	41,054	223,742	-	264,796
	-	225,754	475,467	-	701,221

		Infra	structure	
Taxes	Royalties	Fees impro	ovements	Total
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USA	Taxes	Royalties	Fees	Infrastructure improvements	Total
State of Texas	1,456,807	-	-	-	1,456,807
State of Illinois	3,639,798	-	-	-	3,639,798
State of Kansas	330,898	-	-	-	330,898
State of Michigan	501,895	-	-	-	501,895
State of Missouri	967,474	-	-	-	967,474
State of New York	220,200	-	-	-	220,200
State of Wisconsin	556,659	-	-	-	556,659
State of Connecticut	79,538	-	-	-	79,538
State of California	145,062	-	-	-	145,062
State of Tennessee	3,417,656	-	-	-	3,417,656
State of New Jersey	1,239,097	-	-	-	1,239,097
State of Pennsylvania	716,426	-	-	-	716,426
State of Georgia	655,659	-	-	-	655,659
State of Indiana	2,257,164	-	-	-	2,257,164
State of Kentucky	375,659	-	-	-	375,659
City of St. Louis	12,485	-	-	-	12,485
State of Arkansas	69,133	-	-	-	69,133
State of Mississippi	81,476	-	-	-	81,476
State of Maryland	8,878	-	-	-	8,878
State of Florida	66,320	-	-	-	66,320
State of New Mexico	29,409	-	-	-	29,409
State of Lousiana	313,585	-	-	-	313,585
State of Oklahoma	(12,023)	-	-	-	(12,023)
City of New York	166,122	-	-	-	166,122
City of Cincinnati, Ohio	2,035	-	-	-	2,035
State of Utah	4,578	-	-	-	4,578
US Internal Revenue Service	112,968,850	-	-	-	112,968,850
Cape Girardeau county	1,075,274	-	-	-	1,075,274
Nolan county	3,672,358	-	-	-	3,672,358
Mayes county	428,256	-	-	-	428,256
Jefferson county	3,038,146	-	-	-	3,038,146
Northampton county	100,872	-	-	-	100,872
Hamilton county	506,862	-	-	-	506,862
Putnam county	1,012,173	-	-		1,012,173
Highland Independent School District	337,528	_	_	_	337,528

USA

(follows)

	143,442,032	-	1,081,974	-	144,524,006
Travis county	151,808	-	-	-	151,808
Nueces county	92,700	-	-	-	92,700
Harris county	282,593	-	-	-	282,593
Brazoria county	105,912	-	_	-	105,912
Bexar county	2,466,710	-	-	-	2,466,710
Texas commission on environmental quality (Air Pollution License)			170,451		170,451
Indiana department of environmental management	-	-	85,661	-	85,661
Air Pollution Control Bureau (Tennessee)	-	-	126,511	-	126,511
Commonwealth of Pennsylvania- Clean Air Fund	-	-	246,275	-	246,275
Commission of environmental quality Oklaoma	-	-	105,271	-	105,271
Texas commission on environmental quality	-	-	70,964	-	70,964
Missouri Dept. of Natural Resources	-	-	276,841	-	276,841

Payments to governments 2023 by Project and by Country

				Infrastructure	
Italy	Taxes	Royalties	Fees	improvements	Total
Loam quarry Albarola, Vernasca plant	_	-	499,453	-	499,453
Limestone quarry Monfranco Roaschia, Robilante plant	-	98,024	150,000	-	248,024
Limestone quarry Casolo/Pergola, Sant'Arcangelo plant	-	95,306 ¹	43,880	54,498	193,684
Limestone quarry Claupa, Fanna plant	-	217,045	-	-	217,045
Marl quarry Colle Albareit, Fanna plant	-	12,516	-	-	12,516
Limestone quarry Alonte, Monselice plant	-	124,747	-	-	124,747
Gravel pit Ceretto, in Carignano/Carmagnola (TO) municipalities	_	106,512	-	_	106,512
Gravel pit La Gorra, in Carignano/Carmagnola (TO)					
municipalities Taxes	- 1,743,313	41,146	-	15,000	56,146 501,997
	1,743,313	695,296	693,333	69,498	3,201,440

¹ includes 109,108 euro paid in kind by limestone delivery to the authority, valued at market value.

			Infrastruct	ure	
Germany	Taxes	Royalties	Fees improveme	nts	Total
Taxes	24,921,563	-	-	-	24,921,563
	24,921,563	-	-	-	24,921,563

			Infrastru	ture	
Luxembourg	Taxes	Royalties	Fees improven	ents	Total
Taxes	3,073,737	-	-	-	3,073,737
	3,073,737	-	-	-	3,073,737

_		Infrastructure	ture		
France	Taxes	Royalties	Fees	improvements	Total
Sand and gravel pit in Seltz					
municipality	-	148,160	83,443	-	231,603
Taxes	205,715	-	-	-	205,715
	205,715	148,160	83,443	-	437,318

Netherlands Taxes			Infras	structure	
	Taxes	Royalties	Fees impro	vements	Total
	(1,599)	-	-	-	(1,599)
	(1,599)	-	-	-	(1,599)

			Infra	Infrastructure	
Poland	Taxes	Royalties	Fees impro	ovements	Total
Limestone and loam quarry,					
Nowiny plant	324,521	359,275	-	-	663,796
Taxes	3,917,189	-	-	-	3,917,189
	4,241,710	359,275	-	-	4,600,985

Czech Republic and Slovakia	Taxes	Royalties	Fees	Infrastructure improvements	Total
Taxes	10,583,507	-	-	-	10,583,507
	10,583,507	-	-	-	10,583,507

				Infrastructure	
Russia	Taxes	Royalties	Fees	improvements	Total
Limestone quarry, Suchoi Log plant	-	429,277	122,459	-	551,736
Argillite quarry, Suchoi Log plant	-	46,673	10,161	-	56,834
Tripoli quarry, Suchoi Log plant	-	21,770	17,897	-	39,667
Limestone quarry, Korkino	-	121,602	172,635	-	294,237
Loam quarry, Korkino	-	22,911	-	-	22,911
Taxes	20,614,951	-	-	-	20,614,951
	20,614,951	642,233	323,152	-	21,580,336

Payments to governments 2023 by Project and by Country

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		Infrastructure			
Ukraine	Taxes	Royalties	Fees	improvements	Total
Chalk and loam quarry, Zdolbuniv	-	171,746	205,043	-	376,789
Clay quarry, Kryvyn	-	12,954	46,682	-	59,636
Limestone and clay quarry,					
Novogrygorivsk	-	41,054	223,742	-	264,796
	-	225,754	475,467	-	701,221

Hungary	Taxes	Royalties	Fees	Infrastructure improvements	Total
Taxes	107	-	-	-	107
	107	-	-	-	107

USA	Taxes	Royalties	Fees	Infrastructure improvements	Total
Cape Girardeau plant (MO)	1,080,538	-	90,132	-	1,170,670
Maryneal plant (TX)	4,009,886	-	105,271	-	4,115,157
Pryor plant (OK)	428,256	-	126,511	-	554,767
Festus plant (MO)	3,038,862	-	186,709	-	3,225,571
Stockertown plant (PA)	264,111	-	246,275	-	510,386
Chattanooga plant (TN)	525,633	-	70,964	_	596,597
Greencastle plant (IN)	1,012,173	-	85,661	-	1,097,834
San Antonio plant (TX)	-	-	(953)	-	(953)
Sand and gravel quarryin Eagle Pass (TX)	-	-	171,404	-	171,404
Todd plant	110,484	-	-	-	110,484
Pasadena plant	144,538	-	-	-	144,538
Evans Quarry	139,862	-	-	-	139,862
Leslie plant	126,324	-	-	-	126,324
Taxes	132,561,365	-	-	_	132,561,365
	143,442,032	-	1,081,974	-	144,524,006

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Payments to governments 2023 by Authority

Italy				Infrastructure	
	Taxes	Royalties	Fees	improvements	Total
Municipality of Alonte (VI)	-	99,774	-	-	99,774
Municipality of Orgiano (PN)	-	9,977	-	-	9,977
Municipality of Frisanco (PN)	-	98,282	-	-	98,282
Municipality of Maniago (PN)	-	131,279	-	-	131,279
Region Veneto	-	14,996	-	-	14,996
Tax authority	1,679,484	-	-	-	1,679,484
	1,679,484	354,308	-	-	2,033,792

Payments to governments 2023 by Project

Italy					
	Taxes	Royalties	Fees	improvements	Total
Limestone quarry,					
Fanna plant	-	217,045	-	-	217,045
Marl quarry,					
Fanna plant	-	12,516	-	-	12,516
Limestone quarry, Monselice plant	-	124,747	-	-	124,747
Taxes	1,679,484	-	-	-	1,679,484
	1,679,484	354,308	-	-	2,033,792

Casale Monferrato, 9 May 2024

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