

**Consolidated Financial Statements** 

(Expressed in Canadian Dollars)

December 31, 2023 and 2022

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## **INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT**

To the Shareholders of The Tinley Beverage Company Inc.

## Opinion

We have audited the consolidated financial statements of The Tinley Beverage Company Inc. and its subsidiaries (together, the "Company"), which comprise the consolidated statements of financial position as at December 31, 2023 and 2022, and the consolidated statements of loss and comprehensive loss, changes in shareholders' equity (deficiency) and cash flows for the years then ended, and notes to the consolidated financial statements, including material accounting policy information.

In our opinion, the accompanying consolidated financial statements present fairly, in all material respects, the consolidated financial position of the Company as at December 31, 2023 and 2022 and its consolidated financial performance and its consolidated cash flows for the years then ended in accordance with International Financial Reporting Standards ("IFRS").

## Basis for Opinion

We conducted our audits in accordance with Canadian generally accepted auditing standards ("GAAS"). Our responsibilities under those standards are further described in the *Auditors' Responsibilities for the Audits of the Consolidated Financial Statements* section of our report. We are independent of the Company in accordance with the ethical requirements that are relevant to our audits of the consolidated financial statements in Canada, and we have fulfilled our other ethical responsibilities in accordance with these requirements. We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion.

## Material Uncertainty Related to Going Concern

We draw attention to Note 2(b) to the consolidated financial statements which indicates that for the year ended December 31, 2023 the Company incurred a net loss of \$4,991,000 and had negative cash flows from operating activities of \$625,920 and as of that date, had a working capital deficiency of \$2,616,815 and an accumulated deficit of \$65,372,262. The Company's continued existence is dependent on its ability to obtain additional financing. These events or conditions along with other matters as set forth in Note 2(b), indicate that a material uncertainty exists that may cast significant doubt on the Company's ability to continue as a going concern. Our opinion is not modified in respect of this matter.

## Key Audit Matters

Key audit matters are those matters that, in our professional judgment, were of most significance in our audit of the consolidated financial statements as at and for the year ended December 31, 2023. These matters were addressed in the context of our audits of the consolidated financial statements as a whole, and in forming our opinion thereon, and we do not provide a separate opinion on these matters.

In addition to the matter described in the Material Uncertainty Related to Going Concern section, we have determined the matter described below to be the key audit matter to be communicated in our report.

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## Key audit matter

**Classification and measurement of convertible notes** 

*Refer to note 3 – Material accounting policy information, and note 12 – Convertible Grid Note* 

On June 10, 2022 the Company closed a financing of up to USD \$3.5 million through the issuance of a secured grid note, which bears interest at 12% per annum with a term of 5 years from the date of issuance (the "Note"). The Note and any unpaid interest are convertible into units of the Company at a conversion price of \$0.105 per unit. Each unit consists of one common share and one-half of one common share purchase warrant of the Company, with each whole warrant exercisable for a period of two years from the date of the issuance of such warrant.

As at December 31, 2023, the amount advanced under the Note was \$4,194,170 (USD \$3.2 million) due on June 10, 2027. The assets of the parent company and its US subsidiary are pledged against the note.

As the Note is denominated in USD and not in the functional currency of the Company, the conversion feature does not meet the fixed-to-fixed criteria and is a derivative liability that arises from the changes in exchange rates.

On initial recognition, the derivative liability is recognized at fair value using the Black-Scholes model. The difference between the principal amounts of the Note and the derivative liability component has been allocated to the liability component of the note and carried at amortized cost and accreted over the term of the Note. The derivative liability component is recorded at fair value through profit or loss and is required to be remeasured at fair value at each reporting date. The derivative liability is a level 3 financial instrument for which quoted prices or observable inputs are not available.

We considered this a key audit matter due to the judgment applied by management in assessing the treatment for the individual components of the Note and determining the assumptions used for the fair value of the liability component and the derivative liability at initial recognition. This in turn, led to a high degree of auditor judgement and effort in performing procedures to test management's assumptions.

## Iow our audit addressed the key audit matter

Our approach to addressing the matter included the following procedures, among others:

• We read the underlying agreement and evaluated whether management's interpretation of the agreement in relation to accounting for the financial instrument was reasonable, which included the accounting analysis of whether the Note qualified as a compound financial instrument, including assessing whether the criteria were met to recognize components within equity, including the fixed-tofixed requirements or were required to be recognized as an embedded derivative;

- We considered the appropriateness of the valuation methodology applied by management;
- We re-performed the calculation of the valuation of the components of the Note at initial recognition and at December 31, 2023;
- We verified that the terms of the Note and management's assumptions and inputs utilized in the calculation are properly disclosed in the notes to the consolidated financial statements.
- We obtained direct confirmation from the lender to verify the terms and outstanding balances at the reporting date.
- We also considered the completeness, accuracy and presentation of the Note and derivative liability disclosures.



## Other Information

Management is responsible for the other information. The other information comprises the information included in the Management Discussion and Analysis ("MD&A") but does not include the consolidated financial statements and our auditors' report thereon.

Our opinion on the consolidated financial statements does not cover the MD&A and we do not express any form of assurance conclusion thereon.

In connection with our audits of the consolidated financial statements, our responsibility is to read the MD&A identified above and, in doing so, consider whether the MD&A is materially inconsistent with the consolidated financial statements or our knowledge obtained in the audits, or otherwise appears to be misstated.

We obtained the MD&A prior to the date of this auditors' report. If, based on the work we have performed on this MD&A, we conclude that there is a material misstatement of this MD&A, we are required to report that fact in this auditors' report. We have nothing to report in this regard.

## Responsibilities of Management and Those Charged with Governance for the Consolidated Financial Statements

Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of the consolidated financial statements in accordance with IFRS, and for such internal control as management determines is necessary to enable the preparation of consolidated financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

In preparing the consolidated financial statements, management is responsible for assessing the Company's ability to continue as a going concern, disclosing, as applicable, matters relating to going concern and using the going concern basis of accounting unless management either intends to liquidate the Company or to cease operations, or has no realistic alternative but to do so.

Those charged with governance are responsible for overseeing the Company's financial reporting process.

## Auditors' Responsibilities for the Audits of the Consolidated Financial Statements

Our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the consolidated financial statements as a whole are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error, and to issue an auditors' report that includes our opinion. Reasonable assurance is a high level of assurance, but is not a guarantee that an audit conducted in accordance with GAAS will always detect a material misstatement when it exists. Misstatements can arise from fraud or error and are considered material if, individually or in the aggregate, they could reasonably be expected to influence the economic decisions of users taken on the basis of these consolidated financial statements. As part of an audit in accordance with GAAS, we exercise professional judgment and maintain professional skepticism throughout the audits. We also:

- Identify and assess the risks of material misstatement of the consolidated financial statements, whether due to fraud or error, design and perform audit procedures responsive to those risks, and obtain audit evidence that is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion. The risk of not detecting a material misstatement resulting from fraud is higher than for one resulting from error, as fraud may involve collusion, forgery, intentional omissions, misrepresentations, or the override of internal control.
- Obtain an understanding of internal control relevant to the audits in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purposes of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the Company's internal control.

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- Evaluate the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of accounting estimates and related disclosures made by management.
- Conclude on the appropriateness of management's use of the going concern basis of accounting and, based on the audit evidence obtained, whether a material uncertainty exists related to events or conditions that may cast significant doubt on the Company's ability to continue as a going concern. If we conclude that a material uncertainty exists, we are required to draw attention in our auditors' report to the related disclosures in the consolidated financial statements or, if such disclosures are inadequate, to modify our opinion. Our conclusions are based on the audit evidence obtained up to the date of our auditors' report. However, future events or conditions may cause the Company to cease to continue as a going concern.
- Evaluate the overall presentation, structure and content of the consolidated financial statements, including the disclosures, and whether the consolidated financial statements represent the underlying transactions and events in a manner that achieves fair presentation.
- Obtain sufficient appropriate audit evidence regarding the financial information of the entities or business activities within the Company to express an opinion on the consolidated financial statements. We are responsible for the direction, supervision and performance of the group audits. We remain solely responsible for our audit opinion.

We communicate with those charged with governance regarding, among other matters, the planned scope and timing of the audits and significant audit findings, including any significant deficiencies in internal control that we identify during our audits.

We also provide those charged with governance with a statement that we have complied with relevant ethical requirements regarding independence, and to communicate with them all relationships and other matters that may reasonably be thought to bear on our independence, and where applicable, related safeguards.

From the matters communicated with those charged with governance, we determine those matters that were of most significance in the audits of the consolidated financial statements of the current period and are therefore the key audit matters. We describe these matters in our auditors' report unless law or regulation precludes public disclosure about the matter or when, in extremely rare circumstances, we determine that a matter should not be communicated in our report because the adverse consequences of doing so would reasonably be expected to outweigh the public interest benefits of such communication.

The engagement partner on the audits resulting in this independent auditors' report is Laurence W. Zeifman, CPA, CA.

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Chartered Professional Accountants Licensed Public Accountants

Toronto, Ontario April 29, 2024

## THE TINLEY BEVERAGE COMPANY INC. Consolidated Statements of Financial Position As at December 31, 2023 and 2022 (Expressed in Canadian Dollars)

	2023	2022
	\$	\$
Assets		
Current Assets	50.000	192 (22
Cash	59,989	183,623
Accounts receivable (Note 4)	17,236	208,653
Inventories (Note 5)	276,848	418,190
Prepaid expenses (Note 7)	100,705	166,440
Note receivable (Note 6)	38,671	-
Total Current Assets	493,449	976,906
Non-Current Assets		
Property and equipment (Note 8)	3,525,768	5,659,104
Note receivable (Note 6)	-	36,001
Right-of-use assets (Note 10)	-	271,116
Security deposit	-	143,851
Total Non-Current Assets	3,525,768	6,110,072
Total Assets	4,019,217	7,086,978
Liabilities		
Current Liabilities		
Accounts payable and accrued liabilities (Note 9)	2,040,703	915,994
Deferred revenue	108,317	252,237
Convertible note (Note 11)	961,244	614,621
Current portion of lease liabilities (Note 10)	-	400,493
Convertible note – embedded derivative (Note 11)	-	82,144
Total Current Liabilities	3,110,264	2,265,489
Non-Current Liabilities		
Convertible grid note (Note 12)	2,410,320	992,473
Convertible grid note – embedded derivative (Note 12)	1,065,744	1,610,446
Total Non-Current Liabilities	3,476,064	2,602,919
Total Liabilities	6,586,328	4,868,408
Shareholders' Equity (Deficiency)		
Share capital (Note 13)	42,192,513	42,192,513
Reserve for share-based payments (Note 14)	3,391,582	5,722,629
Reserve for warrants (Note 15)	545,776	2,331,516
Contributed surplus	17,016,022	12,489,931
Accumulated other comprehensive loss	(340,742)	(136,757
Accumulated deficit	(65,372,262)	(60,381,262
Total Shareholders' Equity (Deficiency)	(2,567,111)	2,218,570
Total Liabilities and Shareholders' Equity (Deficiency)	4,019,217	7,086,978

Nature of operations (Note 1)Going concern (Note 2(b))Contingencies (Note 22)Subsequent events (Note 24)

Approved on behalf of the Board of Directors

<u>"Paul Burgis" (signed) - Director</u> <u>"Theodore Zittell" (signed)</u> - Director

## **Consolidated Statements of Loss and Comprehensive Loss**

For the Years ended December 31, 2023 and 2022

(Expressed in Canadian Dollars)

	2023	2022
	\$	\$
Sales	2,389,970	1,484,428
Cost of goods sold (Note 5 and 19)	(1,428,554)	(972,188)
Gross Profit	961,416	512,240
Operating Expenses		
General and administration (Note 20)	2,339,066	3,966,949
Depreciation of property and equipment (Note 8)	1,301,390	1,098,056
Sales and marketing	402,498	860,773
Share-based payments (Note 14)	409,304	549,933
Depreciation of right-of-use assets (Note 10)	270,173	625,069
Product development	151,426	344,865
Foreign currency translation gain	(8,962)	(91,560)
	4,864,895	7,354,085
Net Loss before Other Income (Expense)	(3,903,479)	(6,841,845)
Other Income (Expense)		
Change in fair value of embedded derivatives		
(Notes 11 and 12)	872,549	1,090,807
Gain on sale of vehicle	41,714	42,982
Interest income	3,588	1,457
Interest and accretion on convertible notes		
(Notes 11 and 12)	(1,163,223)	(464,625)
Loss on sale of equipment	(608,602)	-
Long Beach facility moving costs (Note 10)	(233,547)	-
Net Loss	(4,991,000)	(6,171,224)
Other Comprehensive Income (Loss)		
Gain (loss) on translation of foreign operations	(203,985)	376,101
Comprehensive Loss	(5,194,985)	(5,795,123)
Weighted average number of		
common shares outstanding	149,783,478	149,628,515
Net Loss per Share		
Basic and diluted	(0.033)	(0.041)

## THE TINLEY BEVERAGE COMPANY INC. Consolidated Statements of Changes in Shareholders' Equity (Deficiency) For the Years ended December 31, 2023 and 2022 (Expressed in Canadian Dollars)

	Share Capital		Reserves					
	Number of		Share-based		Contributed	Accumulated	Accumulated other	
	shares	Amount	payments	Warrants	surplus	deficit	comprehensive loss	Total
	#	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
Balance, December 31, 2021	144,112,042	41,520,254	6,052,920	3,647,892	10,046,645	(54,210,038)	(512,858)	6,544,815
Issuance of shares and warrants via private placements (Note 13)	5,530,666	581,127	-	262,307	-	-	-	843,434
Share issuance costs (Notes 13 and 15)	-	(36,638)	-	(15,621)	-	-	-	(52,259)
Issuance of shares for services	1,216,857	127,770	-	-	-	-	-	127,770
Share-based payments (Note 14)	-	-	549,933	-	-	-	-	549,933
Forfeiture of options (Note 14)	-	-	(880,224)	-	880,224	-	-	-
Expiry of warrants (Note 15)	-	-	-	(1,563,062)	1,563,062	-	-	-
Exchange loss on translation of foreign operations	-	-	-	-	-	-	376,101	376,101
Net loss for the year	-	-	-	-	-	(6,171,224)	-	(6,171,224)
Balance, December 31, 2022	150,859,565	42,192,513	5,722,629	2,331,516	12,489,931	(60,381,262)	(136,757)	2,218,570
Balance, December 31, 2022	150,859,565	42,192,513	5,722,629	2,331,516	12,489,931	(60,381,262)	(136,757)	2,218,570
Cancellation of escrow shares (Note 13)	(1,500,000)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Share-based payments (Note 14)	-	-	409,304	-	-	-	-	409,304
Forfeiture and expiry of options (Note 14)	-	-	(2,740,351)	-	2,740,351	-	-	-
Expiry of warrants (Note 15)	-	-	-	(1,785,740)	1,785,740	-	-	-
Exchange gain on translation of foreign operations	-	-	-	-	-	-	(203,985)	(203,985)
Net loss for the year	-	-	-	-	-	(4,991,000)	-	(4,991,000)
Balance, December 31, 2023	149,359,565	42,192,513	3,391,582	545,776	17,016,022	(65,372,262)	(340,742)	(2,567,111)

## **THE TINLEY BEVERAGE COMPANY INC.** Consolidated Statements of Cash Flows For the Years ended December 31, 2023 and 2022 (Expressed in Canadian Dollars)

	2023	2022
	\$	\$
Operating Activities		
Net loss for the year	(4,991,000)	(6,171,224)
Adjustments for non-cash items:		
Loss on sale of equipment	608,602	-
Depreciation of property and equipment (Note 8) Interest and accretion on convertible notes	1,301,390	1,098,056
(Notes 11 and 12)	1,163,223	464,625
Share-based payments (Note 14)	409,304	549,933
Interest income Change in fair value of embedded derivatives	(3,588)	(1,457)
(Notes 11 and 12)	(872,549)	(1,090,807)
Depreciation of right-of-use assets (Note 10)	270,173	625,069
Interest on lease obligations (Note 10)	7,105	83,951
Gain on sale of vehicle	(41,714)	(42,982)
	(2,149,054)	(4,484,836)
Changes in non-cash working capital:	101 417	(42,02,4)
Accounts receivable (Note 4)	191,417	(42,924)
Inventories (Note 5)	141,342	350,633
Prepaid expenses (Note 7) Accounts payable and accrued liabilities (Note 9)	65,735 1 124 700	177,795
Security deposit (Note 10)	1,124,709	246,306
Deferred revenue	143,851	- 93,347
Cash Flows used in Operating Activities	(143,920)	
Cash Flows used in Operating Activities	(625,920)	(3,659,679)
Investing Activities		
Proceeds from sale of equipment	4,079	-
Purchases of property and equipment (Note 8)	(23,583)	(296,501)
Proceeds from sale of vehicle	70,718	37,201
Cash Flows provided by (used in) Investing Activities	51,214	(259,300)
Financing Activities		
Lease payments (Note 10)	(298,355)	(874,292)
Proceeds from convertible note and convertible grid note (Notes 11 and 12)	741,115	4,235,327
Proceeds from private placements (Note 13)	-	829,600
Share issue costs (Note 13)	-	(38,423)
Convertible notes issuance cost (Note 11 and 12)	-	(111,458)
Cash Flows provided by Financing Activities	442,760	4,040,754
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(Decrease) Increase in cash for the year Cash, beginning of year	(131,946) 183,623	121,775
Effects of foreign exchange on cash	8,312	113,840 (51,992)
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The accompanying notes are an integral part of these consolidated financial statements

## 1. Nature of Operations

The Tinley Beverage Company Inc. ("Tinley") was incorporated under the laws of the Province of Ontario, Canada by Articles of Incorporation dated October 26, 2007. Tinley, with its subsidiaries (see Note 2(c)) (together, the "Company") manufactured a line of liquor-inspired, non-alcoholic, cannabis-infused beverages for use in California, United States ("US"), through its cannabis-licensed subsidiaries at its Long Beach, California facility (the "Long Beach Facility"). At the Long Beach Facility, the Company also manufactured cannabis-infused beverages for contract manufacturing clients. The Company closed and exited from the Long Beach Facility on August 31, 2023. At that time, the Company transferred its bottling line assets to its strategic partner Blaze Life Holdings, LLC's ("BLH") new manufacturing and distribution facility in Canoga Park (the "Canoga Park Facility"), and under the terms of the January 23, 2023 Management Services Agreement between Tinley and BLH (the "MSA") the Company also relocated certain management services previously located at the Long Beach Facility to the BLH locations ensuring continued operations. Under certain terms of the MSA, the Company continues deriving revenue from its previous third party brand manufacturing clients through the Canoga Park Facility. The Company also produces a line of liquor-inspired, non-alcoholic, non-cannabis-infused beverages, which continue to be distributed and sold at non-cannabis-licensed retail locations in the US. The Company's common shares are listed on the Canadian Securities Exchange under the trading symbol "TNYBF".

The address of the Company's registered office is 181 Bay Street, Suite 1800, Toronto, Ontario, M5J 2T9, Canada.

## 2. Basis of Presentation

## (a) Statement of Compliance

The Company's consolidated financial statements, including comparatives, have been prepared in accordance with International Financial Reporting Standards ("IFRS") as issued by the International Accounting Standards Board ("IASB"). The accounting policies set out below were consistently applied to all periods presented unless otherwise noted.

These consolidated financial statements were reviewed, approved and authorized for issuance by the Board of Directors ("Board") of the Company on April 29, 2024.

## (b) Going Concern

These consolidated financial statements have been prepared on the basis that the Company will continue as a going concern, which contemplates the realization of assets and the settlement of liabilities in the normal course of operations. The application of the going concern basis is dependent upon the Company achieving profitable operations to generate sufficient cash flows to fund continuing operations, or, in the absence of adequate cash flows from operations, obtaining additional financing to support operations for the foreseeable future. For the year ended December 31, 2023, the Company incurred a net loss of \$4,991,000 (2022 - \$6,171,224), and incurred negative cash flow from operating activities of \$625,920 (2022 - \$3,659,679), and as of that date, had a working capital deficiency of \$2,616,815 (2022 - \$1,288,583) and an accumulated deficit of \$65,372,262 (2022 - \$60,381,262). The Company failed to repay the convertible note on maturity (see note 11). It is not possible to predict whether financing efforts will continue to be successful in the future or if the Company will attain profitable levels of operations. These conditions, including the unpredictability of the cannabis-infused beverage business, represent material uncertainties which may cast significant doubt on the Company's ability to continue as a going concern. The Company is pursuing opportunities to grow the Company's brands with the objective of increasing revenue.

These consolidated financial statements do not give effect to adjustments that would be necessary should the Company be unable to continue as a going concern and therefore be required to realize its assets and liquidate its liabilities and commitments in other than the normal course of business and at amounts different from those in the accompanying consolidated financial statements. Such adjustments could be material.

## (c) Basis of Consolidation

These consolidated financial statements have been prepared in accordance with IFRS, on the historical cost basis except for certain financial instruments which are measured at fair value, as explained in the accounting policies set out in Note 3. In addition, these consolidated financial statements have been prepared using the accrual basis of accounting, except for cash flow information.

These consolidated financial statements include the accounts of Tinley and its wholly-owned subsidiaries: Hemplify Inc., Algonquin Springs Beverage Management LLC ("Algonquin"), Beckett's Tonics California Inc. (formerly Boardwalk Beverages, Inc.), Beckett's Tonics Canada Inc., Tinley's Canada Inc. and Lakewood Libations Inc. ("Lakewood"), as well as certain legacy dormant entities: Bolivar Gold Corp., QBC Holdings Corp., Kulta Corp., San Lucas Gold Corp. and Colombian Mining Corp.

Subsidiaries consist of entities over which the Company is exposed to, or has rights to, variable returns as well as the ability to affect those returns through the power to direct the relevant activities of the entity. Subsidiaries are fully consolidated from the date control is transferred to the Company and are-deconsolidated from the date control ceases. The consolidated financial statements include all the assets, liabilities, revenues, expenses and cash flows of Tinley and its subsidiaries after eliminating inter-entity balances and transactions.

## (d) Significant Accounting Judgments and Estimates

The preparation of these consolidated financial statements in conformity with IFRS requires management to make judgments, estimates and assumptions that affect the application of policies and reported amounts of assets, liabilities, revenue, and expenses. On an ongoing basis, management evaluates its judgments and estimates in relation to assets, liabilities, revenue, and expenses. Management uses historical experience and various other factors it believes to be reasonable under the given circumstances as the basis for its judgments and estimates. Actual outcomes may differ from these estimates under different assumptions and conditions. These estimates are reviewed periodically, and adjustments are made to income as appropriate in the period they become known. Items for which actual results may differ materially from these estimates are described as follows:

## Going concern

At the end of each reporting period, management exercises judgment in assessing the Company's ability to continue as a going concern by reviewing its performance, resources and future obligations. The conclusion that the Company will be able to continue as a going concern is subject to critical judgments of management with respect to assumptions surrounding the short and long-term operating budgets, expected profitability, investment and financing activities and management's strategic planning. The assumptions used in management's going concern assessment are derived from actual operating results along with industry and market trends. Management believes there is sufficient capital to meet the Company's business obligations for at least the next 12 months, after taking into account expected cash flows, capital commitments, future financings and the Company's cash position at year-end.

## Fair value of financial assets and financial liabilities

Fair value of financial assets and financial liabilities on the consolidated statements of financial position that cannot be derived from active markets, are determined using a variety of techniques including the use of valuation models. The inputs to these models are derived from observable market data where possible, but where observable market data are not available, judgment is required to establish fair values. Judgments include, but are not limited to, consideration of model inputs such as volatility, estimated life and discount rates.

## Expected credit losses on financial assets

Determining an allowance for expected credit losses ("ECLs") for all debt financial assets not held at fair value through profit or loss requires management to make assumptions about the historical patterns for the probability of default, the timing of collection and the amount of incurred credit losses, which are adjusted based on management's judgment about whether economic conditions and credit terms are such that actual losses may be higher or lower than what the historical patterns suggest.

## Determination of cash generating units

For the purpose of impairment testing, assets that cannot be tested individually are grouped at the lowest levels for which there are largely independent cash inflows. The Company determines which groups of assets (each a "Cash-Generating Unit" or a "CGU") can generate cash flows that are largely independent of other operations within the Company. Management exercises judgment in assessing where active markets exist including an analysis of the degree of autonomy each operation has in negotiating prices with customers. The Company has identified each product line as a separate CGU, based on the nature of the business and the assessment that the CGUs generate cash flows that are largely independent of the cash flows from other assets deployed in the Company.

## Impairment

Long-lived assets, including property and equipment, are reviewed for indicators of impairment at each reporting period or whenever events or changes in circumstances indicate that the carrying amount of an asset exceeds its recoverable amount. The recoverable amount of an asset or a CGU is the higher of its fair value less costs to sell, and its value-inuse. If the carrying amount of an asset exceeds its recoverable amount, an impairment charge is recognized immediately in profit or loss by the amount by which the carrying amount of the asset exceeds the recoverable amount.

Where an impairment loss subsequently reverses, the carrying amount of the asset is increased to the lesser of the revised estimate of recoverable amount, and the carrying amount that would have been recorded had no impairment loss been recognized previously.

## Income taxes

Income taxes and tax exposures recognized in the consolidated financial statements reflect management's best estimate of the outcome based on facts known at the reporting date. When the Company anticipates a future income tax payment based on its estimates, it recognizes a liability. The difference between the expected amount and the final tax outcome has an impact on current and deferred taxes when the Company becomes aware of this difference.

In addition, when the Company incurs losses that cannot be associated with current or past profits, it assesses the probability of taxable profits being available in the future based on its budgeted forecasts. These forecasts are adjusted to take account of certain non-taxable income and expenses and specific rules on the use of unused credits and tax losses. When the forecasts indicate the sufficient future taxable income will be available to deduct the temporary differences, a deferred tax asset is recognized for all deductible temporary differences.

## Share-based payment transactions and warrants

The Company measures the cost of equity-settled transactions with officers and directors by reference to the fair value of the equity instruments at the date at which they are granted. Estimating fair value for share-based payment transactions requires determining the most appropriate valuation model, which is dependent on the terms and conditions of the grant. This estimate also requires determining and making assumptions about the most appropriate inputs to the valuation model including the expected life, volatility, dividend yield of the share option and forfeiture rate. Similar calculations are made in order to value warrants. Such judgments and assumptions are inherently uncertain. Changes in these assumptions will affect the fair value estimates.

## 3. Material accounting policy information

## (a) Cash

Cash consists of bank balances held in Canadian and US financial institutions. As at December 31, 2023 and 2022, the Company did not have any cash equivalents.

## (b) Inventories

Inventories are initially recognized at cost, and subsequently measured at the lower of cost and net realizable value (the estimate selling price in the ordinary course of business less estimated costs of completion and estimated costs necessary to make the sale) using the "weighted average cost" method. Cost comprises all costs of purchase, and other costs incurred in bringing the inventories to their present location and condition.

## (c) Revenue from Contracts with Customers

Revenue is recognized at the transaction price, which is the amount of consideration to which the Company expects to be entitled in exchange for transferring promised goods and services to a customer. Net revenue from sale of goods, as presented in the consolidated statements of loss and comprehensive loss, represents revenue from the sale of goods less expected price discounts.

The Company's contracts with customers for the sales of cannabis-infused and non-cannabis infused beverages consist of one performance obligation. The Company has concluded that revenue from the sale of these products should be recognized at the point in time when control is transferred to the customer, which is on shipment or delivery, depending on the contract.

The Company's contracts with customers for contract manufacturing services includes beverage filling services and the sale of raw materials used in production. The Company has concluded that revenue from contract manufacturing services should be recognized when control of the manufactured product is transferred to the customer which is generally at the point in time when production is completed, and the products pass lab testing.

In some situations, the Company provides storage services to its contract manufacturing clients. These storage services are a separate performance obligation and fees charged for this service are recognized in revenue as the storage service is provided to the customer.

The Company's payment terms vary by customer types.

## (d) Property and Equipment

Property and equipment are carried at cost less accumulated depreciation and impairment losses. Cost includes the acquisition costs or construction costs, as well as the costs directly attributable to bringing the asset to the location and condition necessary for its use in operations. When property and equipment include significant components with different useful lives, they are recorded and depreciated separately.

Construction in progress is transferred to the appropriate asset class when the facility and equipment is available for use, which is defined as the point at which the build-out and installation of equipment is complete, commissioned and available for use. Depreciation commences at the point the assets are classified as available-for-use.

Depreciation is computed using the straight-line method based on the estimated useful life of the assets and commences when title and ownership have transferred to the Company and is readily available for its intended use. The residual value, useful life and depreciation methods are reviewed at the end of each reporting period. Such a review takes into consideration the nature of the asset, the intended use and impact of technological changes. Where parts of an item of property and equipment have different useful lives, they are accounted for as separate items of capital assets. Subsequent costs are included in the asset carrying amount or recognized as a separate asset, as appropriate, only when it is probable that future economic benefits associated with the item will flow to the Company and the cost of the item can be measured reliably.

Depreciation is recorded on a straight-line basis as follows:

- Machinery and equipment: 10 years
- Leasehold improvements: Straight-line over the term of the lease
- Vehicles: 5 years

## (e) Income Taxes

Income tax expense comprises current and deferred income tax expense. Current and deferred taxes are recognized in net loss, except to the extent that it relates to items recognized directly in equity or in other comprehensive income (loss).

## Current income taxes

Current income taxes are recognized and measured at the amount expected to be recovered from, or payable to, the taxation authorities based on the income tax rates enacted or substantively enacted at the end of the reporting period and includes any adjustment to taxes payable in respect of previous years.

## Deferred income taxes

Deferred income taxes are recorded for temporary differences at the date of the consolidated statements of financial position between the tax bases of assets and liabilities and their carrying amounts for financial reporting purposes. The carrying amount of a deferred income tax asset is reviewed at the end of the reporting period and is reduced to the extent that it is no longer probable that sufficient taxable profit will be available to allow all or part of the deferred income tax asset to be utilized. Unrecognized deferred income tax assets are reassessed at the end of the reporting period and are recognized to the extent that it has become probable that future taxable profit will allow the deferred tax asset to be recovered.

Deferred income tax assets and liabilities are measured at the tax rates that are expected to apply to the year when the asset is realized or the liability is settled, based on tax rates (and tax laws) that have been enacted or substantively enacted at the end of the reporting period.

Deferred income tax assets and deferred income tax liabilities are offset if, and only if, they relate to income taxes levied by the same taxation authority and the Company has the legal rights and intent to offset.

## (f) Equity

Common shares, stock options and warrants are classified as equity. Incremental costs directly attributable to the issuance of common shares and warrants are recognized as a deduction from equity, net of any tax effects.

## (g) Loss per Share

The basic loss per share is computed by dividing the net loss by the weighted average number of common shares outstanding for the period. The diluted loss per share reflects the potential dilution of common share equivalents, such as outstanding stock options and share purchase warrants, in the weighted average number of common shares outstanding for the year, if dilutive. Dilution is calculated based on the net number of common shares issued after proceeds upon the exercise of the options and warrants to purchase common shares at the average market price for the year. For the year ended December 31, 2023 and 2022, all of the outstanding share options and warrants were anti-dilutive.

## (h) Share-Based Payments

Employees (including directors and senior executives) of the Company receive a portion of their remuneration in the form of share-based payment transactions, whereby employees render services as consideration for equity instruments. The costs of share-based payments are recognized, together with a corresponding increase in equity, over the period in which the performance and/or service conditions are fulfilled, ending on the date on which the relevant employees become fully entitled to the award (the "Vesting Date"). The cumulative expense is recognized for such transactions at each reporting date until the Vesting Date and reflects the Company's best estimate of the number of equity instruments that will ultimately vest.

The fair value of the options granted is measured using the Black-Scholes option pricing model ("Black-Scholes") taking into account the terms and conditions which the options were granted, the estimated volatility, estimated risk free rate and estimated forfeitures. In situations where equity instruments are issued to parties other than employees and the fair value of some or all of the goods or services received by the entity as consideration cannot be reliably measured, the transactions are measured at the fair value of the instruments.

If a grant of the share-based payments is cancelled or settled during the vesting period (other than a grant cancelled by forfeiture when the vesting conditions are not satisfied), the Company accounts for the cancellation or settlement as an acceleration of vesting, and recognized immediately the amount that otherwise would have been recognized for services over the remainder of the vesting period.

The amount recognized for goods or services received during the vesting period are based on the best available estimate of the number of equity instruments anticipated to vest. The Company revises that estimate, if necessary, if subsequent information indicates that the number of share options anticipated to vest differs from previous estimates. On the Vesting Date, the Company revises the estimate to equal the number of equity instrument that ultimately vested. After the Vesting Date, the Company makes no subsequent adjustment to total equity for goods or services received if the share options are later forfeited or they expire at the end of the share option's life.

If a grant of the share based payment is modified during the vesting period (other than a grant cancelled by forfeiture when the vesting conditions are not satisfied) and their fair value of the new instruments is higher than the fair value of the original instrument, the incremental fair value granted is included in the measurement of the amount recognized for services received over the period from modification date until the date when the modified equity instruments vests, in addition to the amount based on the grant date fair value of the original equity instruments, which is recognized over the remainder of the original vesting period of the original instrument.

## (i) Warrants

The Company follows the relative fair value method with respect to the measurement of common shares and warrants issued as units (each being a "Unit"). The proceeds from the issuance of units are allocated between share capital and warrants. The warrant component is recorded in warrant reserves. Unit proceeds are allocated to common shares and warrants using Black-Scholes and the share price at the time of financing, if and when the warrants are exercised, consideration paid by the warrant holder, together with the amount previously recognized in warrant reserves, is recorded as an increase to share capital A forfeiture rate is estimated on the grant date and is adjusted to reflect the actual number of warrants that vest. When warrants are cancelled, they are treated as if they have vested on the date of cancellation and any cost not yet recognized in profit or loss is immediately expensed. Upon expiration of warrants, the amount applicable to expired warrants is moved to contributed surplus.

## (j) Research and Development

Research costs are expensed as incurred. Development expenditures are capitalized only if development costs can be measured reliably, the product or process is technically and commercially feasible, future economic benefits are probable, and the Company intends to and has sufficient resources to complete development and use or sell the asset. Other development expenditures are recognized in net loss as incurred. To date, no development costs have been capitalized.

## (k) **Provisions**

Provisions are recognized when the Company has a present obligation (legal or constructive) that has arisen as a result of a past event, it is probable that a future outflow of resources will be required to settle the obligation, and a reliable estimate of the amount of the obligation can be made. Provisions are measured at the present value of the expenditures expected to be required to settle the obligation using a pre-tax rate that reflects current market assessments of the time value of money and the risks specific to the obligation. The increase in the provision due to passage of time is recognized as interest expense.

A provision for onerous contracts is recognized when the expected benefits to be derived by the Company from a contract are lower than the unavoidable cost of meeting its obligations under the contract.

As at December 31, 2023 and 2022, the Company had no material provisions.

## (I) Financial Instruments

The Company classifies and measures financial instruments in accordance with IFRS 9 '*Financial Instruments*' ("IFRS 9"). A financial instrument is any contract that gives rise to a financial asset of one entity and a financial liability or equity instrument of another entity. Financial assets and financial liabilities, including derivatives, are recognized on the statements of financial position when the Company becomes a party to the financial instrument or derivative contract.

## Classification

The Company classifies its financial instruments in the following measurement categories: (a) those to be measured subsequently at fair value through profit and loss ("FVTPL"); (b) those to be measured subsequently at fair value through other comprehensive income ("FVTOCI"); and (c) those to be measured at amortized cost. The classification of financial assets depends on the business model for managing the financial assets and the contractual terms of the cash flows. Financial liabilities are classified as those to be measured at amortized cost unless they are designated as those to be measured subsequently at FVTPL (irrevocable election at the time of recognition). For assets and liabilities measured at FVTPL, gains and losses are recorded in profit and loss.

The Company reclassifies financial assets when its business model for managing those assets changes.

## FVTPL

This category includes derivative instruments as well as quoted equity instruments which the Company has not irrevocably elected, at initial recognition or transition, to classify at FVTOCI. This category would also include debt instruments whose cash flow characteristics fail the solely principal and interest ("SPPI") criterion or are not held within a business model whose objective is either to collect contractual cash flows, or to both collect contractual cash flows and sell. Financial assets and liabilities in this category are recorded at fair value with changes recognized

in profit or loss. As at December 31, 2023 and 2022, the Company has issued liability-classified derivatives. Embedded derivatives are separated from the host contract and accounted for separately if the economic characteristics and risks of the host contract and the embedded derivative are not closely related, a separate instrument with the same terms as the embedded derivative would meet the definition of a derivative, and the combined instrument is not measured at fair value through profit or loss.

Derivatives and separable embedded derivatives are recognized initially at fair value; attributable transaction costs are recognized in profit or loss as incurred. Subsequent to initial recognition, derivatives and separable embedded derivatives are measured at fair value, and all changes in their fair value are recognized immediately in profit or loss.

## **FVTOCI**

Equity instruments that are not held-for-trading can be irrevocably designated to have their change in FVTOCI instead of through profit or loss. This election can be made on individual instruments and is not required to be made for the entire class of instruments. Attributable transaction costs are included in the carrying value of the instruments. Financial assets at FVTOCI are initially measured at fair value and changes therein are recognized in other comprehensive income (loss). As at December 31, 2023 and 2022, the Company did not have any financial assets at FVTOCI.

## Amortized cost

This category includes financial assets that are held within a business model with the objective to hold the financial assets in order to collect contractual cash flows that meet the SPPI criterion. Financial assets classified in this category are measured at amortized cost using the effective interest method.

## Measurement

All financial instruments are required to be measured at fair value on initial recognition, plus, in the case of a financial asset or financial liability not at FVTPL, transaction costs that are directly attributable to the acquisition or issuance of the financial asset or financial liability. Transaction costs of financial assets and financial liabilities carried at FVTPL are expensed in profit or loss. Financial assets and financial liabilities with embedded derivatives are considered in their entirety when determining whether their cash flows are solely payment of principal and interest.

Financial assets that are held within a business model whose objective is to collect the contractual cash flows, and that have contractual cash flows that are solely payments of principal and interest on the principal outstanding are generally measured at amortized cost at the end of the subsequent accounting periods. All other financial assets including equity investments are measured at their fair values at the end of subsequent accounting periods, with any changes taken through profit and loss or other comprehensive income (loss) (irrevocable election at the time of recognition). For financial liabilities measured subsequently at FVTPL, changes in fair value due to credit risk are recorded in other comprehensive income (loss).

The Company's classification of financial assets and liabilities is summarized below:

	Classification
Cash	Amortized cost
Accounts receivable	Amortized cost
Note receivable	Amortized cost
Security deposit	Amortized cost
Accounts payable and accrued liabilities	Amortized cost
Lease payable	Amortized cost
Convertible note	Amortized cost
Convertible note – embedded derivative	FVTPL
Convertible grid note	Amortized cost
Convertible grid note - embedded derivative	FVTPL

## Expected credit loss impairment model

IFRS 9 introduced a single ECL impairment model, which is based on changes in credit quality since initial application. The adoption of the ECL impairment model had resulted in a provision of ECL recorded on the Company's consolidated

statements of loss and comprehensive loss.

- A maximum 12-month allowance for ECL is recognized from initial recognition reflecting the portion of lifetime cash shortfalls that would result if a default occurs in the 12 months after the reporting date, weighted by the risk of a default occurring.
- A lifetime ECL allowance is recognized if a significant increase in credit risk is detected subsequent to the instruments initial recognition reflecting lifetime cash shortfalls that would result over the expected life of a financial instrument.
- A lifetime ECL allowance is recognized for credit impaired financial instruments.

The Company assumes that the credit risk on a financial asset has increased significantly if it is more than 30 days past due. The Company considers a financial asset to be in default when the borrower is unlikely to pay its credit obligations to the Company in full or when the financial asset is more than 90 days past due.

The carrying amount of a financial asset is written off (either partially or in full) to the extent that there is no realistic prospect of recovery. This is generally the case when the Company determines that the debtor does not have assets or sources of income that could generate sufficient cash flows to repay the amounts.

## Derecognition

## Financial assets

The Company derecognizes financial assets only when the contractual rights to cash flows from the financial assets expire, or when it transfers the financial assets and substantially all the associated risks and rewards of ownership to another entity. Gains and losses on derecognition are generally recognized in the consolidated statements of loss and comprehensive loss.

## Financial liabilities

The Company derecognizes financial liabilities only when its obligation under the financial liabilities are discharged, cancelled or expired. The difference between the carrying amount of the financial liability derecognized and the consideration paid or payable, including any non-cash assets transferred or liabilities assumed, is recognized in the consolidated statements of loss and comprehensive loss.

## Fair value hierarchy

The determination of fair value requires judgment and is based on market information, where available and appropriate. The Company classifies fair value measurements using a fair value hierarchy that reflects the significance of the inputs used in making the measurements. The fair value hierarchy has the following levels:

- Level 1 Quoted prices (unadjusted) in active markets for identical assets or liabilities.
- Level 2 Inputs other than quoted prices included in Level 1 that are observable for the asset or liability, either directly (i.e. as prices) or indirectly (i.e. derived from prices); and
- Level 3 Inputs for the asset or liability that are not based on observable market data (unobservable inputs).

## (m) Foreign Currency Translation

## Functional and presentation currency

Items included in the consolidated financial statements of the Company are measured using the currency of the primary economic environment in which the entity operates (the "functional currency"). The functional currency of Tinley and its Canadian subsidiaries is the Canadian Dollar, which is the presentation currency of the consolidated financial statements. The functional currency of all subsidiaries in the United States of America is the US Dollar ("USD").

## Transactions and balances

Foreign currency transactions are translated into the functional currency using the exchange rates prevailing at the dates of the transactions. Foreign exchange gains (losses) resulting from the settlement of such transactions and from the translation at year-end exchange rates of monetary assets and liabilities denominated in foreign currencies are recognized in profit or loss.

## Translation of foreign operations

The results and financial position of all the entities (none of which has the currency of a hyper-inflationary economy) that have a functional currency different from the presentation currency are translated into the presentation currency as follows:

- Assets and liabilities are translated at the closing rate at the date of the consolidated statements of financial position.
- Income and expenses are translated at average exchange rates (unless this average is not a reasonable approximation of the cumulative effect of the rates prevailing on the transaction dates, in which case income and expenses are translated at the rate in effect on the dates of the transactions); and
- All resulting exchange differences are recognized as a separate component of equity as accumulated other comprehensive income (loss).

On consolidation, exchange differences arising from the translation of the net investment in foreign operations, and of borrowings and other currency instruments designated as hedges of such investments, are taken to accumulated other comprehensive income (loss). When a foreign operation is partially disposed of or sold, exchange differences that were recorded in accumulated other comprehensive income (loss) are recognized in the consolidated statements of loss and comprehensive loss as part of the gain or loss on sale.

## (n) Leased Assets

At inception of a contract, the Company assesses whether a contract is, or contains, a lease based on whether the contract conveys the right to control the use of an identified asset for a period of time in exchange for consideration. The Company then recognizes a right-of-use asset ("RUA") and a lease liability at the lease commencement date. The RUA is initially measured based on the initial amount of the lease liability adjusted for any lease payments made at or before the commencement date, plus any initial direct costs incurred and an estimate of costs to dismantle and remove the underlying asset or to restore the underlying asset or the site on which it is located, less any lease incentives received. The assets are depreciated to the earlier of the end of the useful life of the RUA or the lease term using the straight-line method. The lease term includes periods covered by an option to extend if the Company is reasonably certain to exercise that option.

The lease liability is initially measured at the present value of the lease payments that are not paid at the commencement date, discounted using the interest rate implicit in the lease or, if that rate cannot be readily determined, the Company's incremental borrowing rate. The lease liability is measured at amortized cost using the effective interest method. It is remeasured when there is a change in the Company's estimate of the amount expected to be payable under a residual value guarantee, if there is a change in future lease payments arising from a change in an index or rate, or if the Company changes its assessment whether it will exercise a purchase, extension or termination option.

When the lease liability is remeasured, the amount of the remeasurement is recognized as a corresponding adjustment to the carrying amount of the RUA, or is recorded in profit or loss if the carrying amount of the RUA has been reduced to zero.

## (o) New Standards, Amendment and Interpretation Not Yet Adopted

## IAS 1, Presentation of Financial Statements ("IAS 1") - Classification of Liabilities as Current or Non-Current

In January 2020, the IASB issued amendments to IAS 1. The amendments aim to promote consistency in applying the requirements by helping companies determine whether, in the consolidated statements of financial position, debt and other liabilities with an uncertain settlement date should be classified as current (due or potentially due to be settled within one year) or non-current. The amendments include clarifying the classification requirements for debt a company might settle by converting it into equity. The amendments are effective for annual reporting periods beginning on or after January 1, 2024, with earlier application permitted. The Company has determined that adoption of these amendments has no significant effect on the Company's consolidated financial statements.

All other IFRSs and amendments issued but not yet effective have been assessed by the Company and are not expected to have a material impact on the Company's consolidated financial statements.

## Notes to the Consolidated Financial Statements

December 31, 2023 and 2022 (Expressed in Canadian Dollars)

## 4. Accounts Receivable

Accounts receivable consisted of the following:

	2023	2022
	\$	\$
Trade receivables	2,199	166,330
Sales taxes recoverable	15,037	42,323
	17,236	208,653

## 5. Inventories

Inventories consisted of the following:

	2023	2022
	\$	\$
Raw materials	248,614	292,464
Finished goods	28,234	120,397
Work in process	-	5,329
	276,848	418,190

For the year ended December 31, 2023, inventories recognized as an expense in cost of goods sold amounted to \$1,428,554 (2022 - \$972,188).

## 6. Note Receivable

On August 12, 2022, ILLA Canna LLC, a related party controlled by a director of the Company, issued the Company a secured promissory note in the amount of \$37,071 (USD \$29,000) as part of the Company's sale of a vehicle. This amount represents 50% of the sale price of the vehicle; the other 50% was paid in cash. The promissory note is secured against the purchased vehicle. The maturity date of the promissory note is August 12, 2024. Interest accrues on the principal balance of the note at the rate of 10% per annum. The following table reflects the continuity of the note receivable for the years ended December 31, 2023 and 2022:

	\$
Balance, beginning of year	-
Issuance	37,071
Accrued interest	1,457
Payments	(4,606)
Effect of foreign exchange	2,079
Balance, December 31, 2022	36,001

Balance, beginning of year	36,001
Accrued interest	3,588
Payments	-
Effect of foreign exchange	(918)
Balance, December 31, 2023	38,671

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## 7. Prepaid Expenses

Prepaid expenses consisted of the following:

	2023	2022
	\$	\$
Advances paid to suppliers	21,575	70,099
Prepaid insurance	79,130	96,341
	100,705	166,440

## 8. Property and Equipment

	Construction in	Plant Equipment	Leasehold Improvements	Vehicles	Total
	Progress \$	1 Iant Equipment	s	venicies \$	1018
Cost at:	5	Φ	Φ	9	ų
Janaury 1, 2022	718,491	5,816,811	1,833,828	166,191	8,535,321
Additions	202,460	94,041	-	-	296,501
Dispositions	-	-	-	(81,497)	(81,497)
Reclassification to Plant Equipment	(920,951)	920,951	-	-	-
Effects of foreign exchange	-	438,996	125,264	8,014	572,274
December 31, 2022	-	7,270,799	1,959,092	92,708	9,322,599
Accumulated depreciation at:					
January 1, 2022	-	1,447,351	880,229	79,480	2,407,060
Dispositions	-	-	-	(49,014)	(49,014
Depreciation	-	665,417	404,964	27,675	1,098,056
Effect of foreign exchange	-	126,123	76,717	4,553	207,393
December 31, 2022	-	2,238,891	1,361,910	62,694	3,663,495
Cost at:					
Janaury 1, 2023	-	7,270,799	1,959,092	92,708	9,322,599
Additions	-	23,532	-	-	23,532
Dispositions	-	(884,680)	-	(92,585)	(977,265)
Effects of foreign exchange	-	(153,419)	(45,472)	(123)	(199,014
December 31, 2023	-	6,256,232	1,913,620	-	8,169,852
Accumulated depreciation at:					
January 1, 2023	-	2,238,891	1,361,910	62,694	3,663,495
Dispositions	-	(150,987)	-	(62,612)	(213,599)
Depreciation	-	706,275	595,115	-	1,301,390
Effect of foreign exchange	-	(63,715)	(43,405)	(82)	(107,202
December 31, 2023	-	2,730,464	1,913,620	-	4,644,084
Net Book Value:					
December 31, 2022	-	5,031,908	597,182	30,014	5,659,104
December 31, 2023	-	3,525,768	-	-	3,525,768

## 9. Accounts Payable and Accrued Liabilities

Accounts payable and accrued liabilities consisted of the following:

	2023	2022
	\$	\$
Trade payables	1,736,027	659,055
Accrued liabilities	304,676	256,939
	2,040,703	915,994

Accounts payable and accrued liabilities are principally comprised of amounts outstanding for trade purchases and other payables. The usual credit period taken for trade purchases is between 30 to 90 days.

The following is a maturity analysis of the trade and other payables:

	2023	2022
	\$	\$
Less than 1 month	1,975,703	845,994
1 to 3 months	65,000	70,000
	2,040,703	915,994

## 10. Right-of-Use Assets and Lease Liability

On March 1, 2018, the Company entered into two lease agreements for the Long Beach Facility, granting the Company a RUA for beverage production and bottling facilities. The leases commenced on March 1, 2018, with a term of five years and three months, ending May 31, 2023, with an option to renew for two additional 36-month periods.

The landlord granted the Company a lease extension on the Long Beach Facility to August 31, 2023 and the Company decided not to renew its lease past this date and vacated the facility.

Cost at:     January 1, 2022     3,197,62/       Additions     -       Effect of foreign exchange     218,42       December 31, 2022     3,416,04'       Accumulated depreciation at:     -       January 1, 2022     2,334,77:       Depreciation     625,06'       Effect of foreign exchange     185,08       December 31, 2022     3,144,93       Cost at:     -       January 1, 2023     3,416,047       Additions     -       Disposition     (3,339,373)       Effect of foreign exchange     (76,674)       December 31, 2023     -       Accumulated depreciation at:     -       January 1, 2023     -       Accumulated depreciation at:     -       January 1, 2023     -       Accumulated depreciation at:     -       January 1, 2023     -       Depreciation     270,17.       Disposition     (3,339,373)       Effect of foreign exchange     (75,731       December 31, 2023     -       Net book value:     -       December 31, 2022     271,114	Collowing is a summary of the RUA as at December 31, 2023	and 2022:
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	December 31, 2022	271,11

The following table reflects the changes in the lease payable on the Long Beach facility for the years ended December 31, 2023 and 2022:

	2023	2022
		\$
Lease liability, beginning of the year	400,493	1,144,999
Application of security deposit	(107,736)	-
Lease payments	(298,355)	(874,292)
Interest on lease obligations	7,105	83,951
Effect of foreign exchange	(1,507)	45,835
Total lease liability, end of the year	-	400,493
Current	-	400,493
Non-current	-	-
	-	400,493

Subsequent to vacating the Long Beach Facility, the company transferred its bottling line assets to Canoga Park Facility where it continues deriving revenue from third party brand manufacturing clients and where it produces it's own line of cannabis infused beverages. The costs association with the move to the Canoga Part Facility can be found on the consolidated statement of loss and comprehensive loss as Long Beach Facility moving costs.

## 11. Convertible Note

On June 10, 2022, the Company issued a secured convertible note (the "Gillis Note") to the former President of Tinley's USA branded products for \$782,272 (USD \$612,250) (the "Advance"). The principal amount of the Gillis Note is to be repaid, in cash, by the Company on the date which was one year following issuance of the Note (the "Maturity Date"), and bears interest at 12% per annum. The Gillis Note is convertible at the option of the holder into units (each being a "Unit") at the conversion price of \$0.105 per share (the "Conversion Price"). Each Unit would consist of one common share of the Company and one-half of one Warrant, with each whole Warrant exercisable for a period of two years from the date of issuance of such Warrant at an exercise price equal to the Conversion Price.

The Gillis Note is secured against the assets of the Company and the Company's US subsidiary, Algonquin, which security is second in priority behind the security of Blaze Life Holdings, LLC (defined hereafter in Note 12).

In the event of a Liquidity Event (defined as any one of the following events: (i) the approval by shareholders of the Corporation representing in the aggregate more than 50% of all issued and outstanding Common Shares of any offer, whether by way of a take-over bid, or otherwise, for all or any of the Common Shares; (ii) the acquisition hereafter, by whatever means (including, without limitation, by way of an arrangement, merger or amalgamation), by any person (or two or more persons acting jointly or in concert), directly or indirectly, of the beneficial ownership of Common Shares or rights to acquire Common Shares that, together with such person's then owned Common Shares and rights to acquire Common Shares, if any, represent in the aggregate more than 50% of all issued and outstanding Common Shares; or (iii) the sale by the Corporation of all or substantially all of its assets (other than to an affiliate of the Corporation in circumstances where the affairs of the Corporation are, directly or indirectly, and where holders of Common Shares remain substantially the same following the sale as existed prior to the sale)), all of the remaining indebtedness would automatically convert into Units at a 25% discount to the deemed price per common share paid in connection with the Liquidity Event, provided that such discounted deemed price shall be no less than \$0.05 per Unit.

The Gillis Note is a derivative financial instrument as the Gillis Note is denominated in US dollars, while convertible in Canadian dollars. As the conversion price in a different currency requires a variable number of shares to settle the Gillis Note, the Gillis Note is treated as having an embedded derivative that is treated as a financial liability under IFRS. On initial recognition, the derivative is recognized at fair value. The fair value of the derivative upon initial recognition was calculated to be \$384,743 using the Black Scholes valuation model. The difference between the principal amount of the Gillis Note and the derivative component of the note, has been allocated to the convertible note.

The fair value at issuance of the embedded derivative was determined using the Black Scholes valuation model using the following assumptions: stock price of \$0.11; expected life of 1.00 year; \$nil dividends; 119% volatility; risk-free interest of 3.35%; and the exercise price of \$0.105.

The fair value at December 31, 2022 of the embedded derivative was determined using the Black Scholes valuation model using the following assumptions: stock price of \$0.07; expected life of 0.44 years; \$nil dividends; 105% volatility; risk-free interest of 3.30%; and the exercise price of \$0.105.

On June 10, 2023, the Gillis Note became due and payable on demand. The fair value of the embedded derivative was reduced to \$nil based on its intrinsic value as the convertible debt is now due on demand. The change in fair value resulted in a gain of \$82,144. As at December 31, 2023 the Gillis Note remains outstanding.

The following table reflects the continuity of the convertible note and embedded derivative for the years ended December 31, 2023 and 2022:

	2023		2022	
	Convertible Note	Embedded Derivative	Convertible Note	Embedded Derivative
	\$	\$	\$	\$
Balance, beginning of year	614,621	82,144	-	-
Additions	-	-	782,272	-
Allocation to embedded derivative	-	-	(384,743)	384,743
Issuance cost	-	-	(53,727)	-
Accrued interest	97,171	-	54,773	-
Accretion	246,384	-	247,090	-
Change in fair value	-	(82,144)	-	(302,599)
Effect of foreign exchange	3,068	-	(31,044)	
Balance, end of year	961,244	-	614,621	82,144

## 12. Convertible Grid Note

On June 10, 2022, the Company closed a financing of up to USD \$3.5 million through the issuance of a secured convertible grid note (the "BLH Note"). The BLH Note bears interest at the rate of 12% per annum, and has a term of five years from the date of issuance. All indebtedness under the BLH Note, including all principal amounts advanced from time to time and accrued and unpaid interest, is convertible into Units at the option of BLH at a Conversion Price of \$0.105 per Unit. Each Unit would consist of one common share of the Company and one-half of one Warrant, with each whole Warrant exercisable for a period of two years from the date of issuance of such Warrant at an exercise price equal to the Conversion Price.

As a result of this transaction BLH became a related party (Note 16(g)).

As at March 31, 2023, the amount advanced under the BLH Note is \$4,194,170 (USD \$3.2 million) due on June 10, 2027. The assets of the Company and the Company's US subsidiary, Algonquin, are pledged against the BLH Note.

The BLH Note provides for the automatic conversion of: (i) 33.33% of the indebtedness under the BLH Note if the closing price of the common shares on the CSE exceeds \$0.50 for five consecutive trading days; (ii) an additional 33.33% of the indebtedness under the BLH Note if the closing price of the common shares on the CSE exceeds \$0.75 for five consecutive trading days; and (iii) the remaining 33.33% indebtedness under the BLH Note if the closing price of the common shares on the CSE exceeds \$1.00 for five consecutive trading days.

In connection with the issuance of the BLH Note, the Company issued 1,216,857 common shares as an advisory fee valued at \$127,770 (USD \$100,000) to a director of the Company. The advisory fees were included in share issue costs.

The BLH Note is a derivative financial instrument as the BLH Note is denominated in US dollars, while convertible in Canadian dollars. As the conversion price in a different currency requires a variable number of shares to settle the BLH Note, the BLH Note is treated as having an embedded derivative that is treated as a financial liability under IFRS. On initial recognition, the derivative is recognized at fair value. The fair value of the derivative upon initial recognition was calculated to be \$2,398,654 using the Black Scholes valuation model. The difference between the principal amount

of the BLH Note and the derivative component of the note, has been allocated to the convertible note.

The fair value of the embedded derivative as part of the June 10, 2022, initial instalment payment of \$1,277,700 (\$1,000,000 USD) was determined using the Black Scholes valuation model using the following assumptions: stock price of \$0.11; expected life of 5.00 years; \$nil dividends; 102% volatility; risk-free interest of 3.35%; and the exercise price of \$0.105.

The fair value of the embedded derivative as part of the July 4, 2022, instalment payment of \$643,350 (\$500,000 USD) was determined using the Black Scholes valuation model using the following assumptions: stock price of \$0.105; expected life of 4.94 years; \$nil dividends; 102% volatility; risk-free interest of 3.17%; and the exercise price of \$0.105.

The fair value of the embedded derivative as part of the August 4, 2022, instalment payment of \$642,700 (\$500,000 USD) was determined using the Black Scholes valuation model using the following assumptions: stock price of \$0.10; expected life of 4.85 years; \$nil dividends; 103% volatility; risk-free interest of 2.66%; and the exercise price of \$0.105.

The fair value of the embedded derivative as part of the October 24, 2022, instalment payment of \$686,100 (\$500,000 USD) was determined using the Black Scholes valuation model using the following assumptions: stock price of \$0.07; expected life of 4.63 years; \$nil dividends; 104% volatility; risk-free interest of 3.57%; and the exercise price of \$0.105.

The fair value of the embedded derivative as part of the December 13, 2022, instalment payment of \$203,205 (\$150,000 USD) was determined using the Black Scholes valuation model using the following assumptions: stock price of \$0.07; expected life of 4.49 years; \$nil dividends; 103% volatility; risk-free interest of 2.85%; and the exercise price of \$0.105.

The fair value of the embedded derivative as part of the February 1, 2023, instalment payment of \$466,235 (\$350,000 USD) was determined using the Black Scholes valuation model using the following assumptions: stock price of \$0.06; expected life of 4.36 years; \$nil dividends; 99% volatility; risk-free interest of 2.85%; and the exercise price of \$0.105.

The fair value of the embedded derivative as part of the March 16, 2023, instalment payment of \$274,880 (\$200,000 USD) was determined using the Black Scholes valuation model using the following assumptions: stock price of \$0.05; expected life of 4.24 years; \$nil dividends; 99% volatility; risk-free interest of 2.90%; and the exercise price of \$0.105.

The fair value at December 31, 2022 of the embedded derivative was determined using the Black Scholes valuation model using the following assumptions: stock price of \$0.07; expected life of 4.44 years; \$nil dividends; 101% volatility; risk-free interest of 3.30%; and the exercise price of \$0.105.

The embedded derivative is fair valued at each reporting date.

The fair value at December 31, 2023 of the embedded derivative was determined using the Black Scholes valuation model \$978,252 and the change in fair value being a loss of \$132,037, using the following assumptions: stock price of \$0.04; expected life of 3.44 years; \$nil dividends; 120% volatility; risk-free interest of 3.10%; and the exercise price of \$0.105.

The following table reflects the continuity of the convertible note and embedded derivative for the years ended December 31, 2023 and 2022:

	2023		2022	
	Convertible Note	Embedded Derivative	Convertible Note	Embedded Derivative
	\$	\$	\$	\$
Balance, beginning of year	992,473	1,610,446	-	-
Additions	741,115	-	3,453,055	-
Allocation to embedded derivative	(245,703)	245,703	(2,398,654)	2,398,654
Issuance cost	-	-	(185,501)	-
Accrued interest	506,687	-	178,548	-
Accretion	312,981	-	106,048	-
Change in fair value	-	(790,405)	-	(788,208)
Effect of foreign exchange	102,767	-	(161,023)	-
Balance, end of year	2,410,320	1,065,744	992,473	1,610,446

## 13. Share Capital

## Authorized share capital

The Company is authorized to issue an unlimited number of common shares without par value.

#### Issued

Holders of the Company's common shares are entitled to receive dividends which may be declared from time to time and are entitled to one vote per share at shareholder meetings of the Company.

The following details the amounts recorded as share capital for the year:

	Number of shares	Proceeds	Share issuance costs	Allocated to reserve for warrants	Resulting share capital amount
	#	5	5 <b>S</b>	\$	\$
Balance, January 1, 2022	144,112,042	-	-	-	41,520,254
Issuance on private placement January 19, 2022 (a)	2,080,666	312,100	(3,912)	(93,917)	214,271
Issuance on private placement February 25, 2022 (b)	3,450,000	517,500	(32,726)	(154,556)	330,218
Issuance on debt settlement - finders' fees June 27, 2022 (c)	1,216,857	127,770	-	-	127,770
Balance, December 31, 2022	150,859,565	957,370	(36,638)	(248,473)	42,192,513
Cancellation of escrow shares (d)	(1,500,000)	-	-	-	-
Balance, December 31, 2023	149,359,565	-	-	-	42,192,513

## 2022 Share capital transactions

- (a) On January 19, 2022, the Company closed a non-brokered private placement (the "January 2022 Offering") through the issuance of 2,080,666 Units at a price of \$0.15 per Unit, for gross proceeds of \$312,100. Each Unit is comprised of one common share of the Company and one Warrant. Each Warrant is exercisable into one common share at a price of \$0.20 until January 19, 2024.
- (b) On February 25, 2022, the Company closed a non-brokered private placement (the "February 2022 Offering") through the issuance of 3,450,000 Units at a price of \$0.15 per unit, for gross proceeds of \$517,500. Each Unit is comprised of one common share of the Company and one Warrant. Each Warrant is exercisable into one common share at a price of \$0.20 until February 25, 2024. In connection with the February 2022 Offering, the Company paid cash commissions of \$16,200 to the Agents. In addition, 108,000 Broker Warrants Type II were issued as compensation to the Agents (see Note 15 for details).
- (c) On June 27, 2022, the Company issued 1,216,857 common shares as an advisory fee valued \$127,770 (USD \$100,000) in connection with the issuance of the BLH Note (see Note 12).

## 2023 Share capital transactions

(d) On October 25, 2023, the former Chief Executive Officer ("CEO"), who resigned on September 20, 2021, returned 1,500,000 shares of the Company and the Company agreed to allow the former CEO to keep the remaining 1,500,000 shares as part of a settlement agreement. On October 26, 2023 the Company cancelled the 1,500,000 shares it received. These shares were previously issued at no cost, in escrow ("Escrow Shares"), for the former CEO of the Company, in accordance with a consulting agreement, dated October 29, 2015, that was entered into between the Company and the former CEO.

## 14. Reserve for Share-Based Payments

The Company maintains a stock option plan to provide additional incentive to its officers, directors, employees, and consultants in their effort to conduct business on behalf of the Company. Options granted vest over a vesting period between two to five years. All options expire on the fifth anniversary from the date of grant unless otherwise specified.

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	2023		202	2
	Weighted	Number of	Weighted	Number of
	average	options	average	options
	exercise price	outstanding	exercise price	outstanding
	\$	#	\$	#
Outstanding, beginning of period	0.34	16,190,000	0.48	12,965,000
Granted	0.10	1,800,000	0.10	6,050,000
Granted	0.05	9,000,000	-	-
Expired	0.87	(100,000)	-	-
Forfeited	0.79	(300,000)	-	-
Forfeited	0.58	(900,000)	-	-
Forfeited	0.58	(100,000)	-	-
Forfeited	0.58	(250,000)	-	-
Forfeited	0.56	(150,000)	-	-
Forfeited	0.37 0.41	(200,000) (1,170,000)	-	-
Forfeited				-
Forfeited	0.37	(200,000)	-	-
Forfeited	0.41	(1,375,000)	-	-
Forfeited	0.23	(100,000)	-	-
Forfeited	0.10	(200,000)	-	-
Forfeited	0.10	(500,000)	-	-
Expired	0.58	(2,050,000)	0.35	(600,000)
Forfeited	0.10	(350,000)	0.72	(50,000)
Forfeited	0.47	(350,000)	0.42	(1,500,000)
Forfeited	-	-	0.56	(250,000)
Forfeited	-	-	0.41	(75,000)
Forfeited	-	-	0.46	(350,000)
Outstanding, end of period	0.13	18,695,000	0.34	16,190,000
Exercisable, end of period	0.13	18,688,750	0.34	15,975,417

The following summarizes the options activities for the years ended December 31, 2023 and 2022:

Options grants in 2022

On September 15, 2022, the Company granted 6,050,000 stock options to a number of its directors, officers, employees and consultants at an exercise price of \$0.10 per share. The options expire on September 15, 2027. The options vested immediately on grant.

## Options forfeited in 2022

On June 30, 2022, 50,000 options granted on May 11, 2018 to a consultant at an exercise price of \$0.72 per share were forfeited.

On June 30, 2022, 250,000 options granted on September 4, 2019 to consultants at an exercise price of \$0.56 per share were forfeited.

On June 30, 2022, 75,000 options granted on December 23, 2019 to a consultant at an exercise price of \$0.41 per share were forfeited.

On June 30, 2022, 350,000 options granted on August 16, 2020 to a consultant at an exercise price of \$0.46 per share were forfeited.

On July 12, 2022, 600,000 options granted on July 12, 2017 to consultants at an exercise price of \$0.35 per share expired unexercised.

On September 19, 2022, 1,500,000 options granted on January 18, 2021 to a consultant at an exercise price of \$0.42 per share were forfeited.

#### Options grants in 2023

On January 30, 2023, the Company granted 1,800,000 stock options to two directors and a management company controlled by a director at an exercise price of \$0.10 per share. The options expire on January 30, 2028. The options vested immediately.

On June 11, 2023, the Company granted 9,000,000 stock options to certain directors, officers and consultants of the Company at an exercise price of \$0.05 per share. The options expire on June 11, 2033. The options vested immediately.

## Options expired/forfeited in 2023

On April 20, 2023, 100,000 options granted on April 20, 2018 to a former employee at an exercise price of \$0.87 per share expired unexercised.

On June 9, 2023, 300,000 options granted on August 13, 2018 to a former director at an exercise price of \$0.79 per share were forfeited.

On June 9, 2023, 900,000 options granted on November 30, 2018 to a former director and former officer at an exercise price of \$0.58 per share were forfeited.

On June 9, 2023, 100,000 options granted on December 11, 2018 to a former consultant at an exercise price of \$0.58 per share were forfeited.

On June 9, 2023, 250,000 options granted on December 14, 2018 to a former director at an exercise price of \$0.58 per share were forfeited.

On June 9, 2023, 200,000 options granted on November 14, 2019 to a former consultant at an exercise price of \$0.37 per share were forfeited.

On June 9, 2023, 1,170,000 options granted on December 23, 2019 to a former officer and former directors at an exercise price of \$0.41 per share were forfeited.

On June 9, 2023, 200,000 options granted on October 6, 2020 to a former consultant at an exercise price of \$0.37 per share were forfeited.

On June 9, 2023, 1,375,000 options granted on January 27, 2021 to a former officer, former directors and a former consultant at an exercise price of \$0.41 per share were forfeited.

On June 30, 2023, 150,000 options granted on September 4, 2019 to former employees at an exercise price of \$0.56 per share were forfeited.

On June 30, 2023, 100,000 options granted on August 17, 2021 to a former employee at an exercise price of \$0.23 per share were forfeited.

On June 30, 2023, 200,000 options granted on September 15, 2022 to former employees at an exercise price of \$0.10 per share were forfeited.

On June 30, 2023, 500,000 options granted on January 30, 2023 to former director at an exercise price of \$0.10 per share were forfeited.

On November 30, 2023, 2,050,000 options granted on November 30, 2018 to a director, officer and former employees at an exercise price of \$0.58 per share expired unexercised.

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On December 1 2023, 350,000 options granted on September 15, 2022 to a former employee at an exercise price of \$0.10 per share were forfeited.

On December 1 2023, 350,000 options granted on February 24, 2021 to a former employee at an exercise price of \$0.47 per share were forfeited.

## Black-Scholes valuation assumptions

The grant date fair value of options was estimated using Black-Scholes with the following assumptions. Expected volatility was determined based on the historical volatility of the Company and comparable companies.

Options granted in 2022

	September 15,
Grant date	2022
Number of options	6,050,000
Exercise price per share	\$0.10
Share price	\$0.08
Expected life of options	5 years
Expected volatility	98.45%
Risk-free interest rate	3.43%
Forfeiture rate	10%

## Options granted in 2023

Grant date	January 30, 2023	June 11, 2023
Number of options	1,800,000	9,000,000
Exercise price per share	\$0.10	\$0.05
Share price	\$0.07	\$0.04
Expected life of options	5 years	10 years
Expected volatility	99.28%	404.98%
Risk-free interest rate	3.04%	3.38%
Forfeiture rate	10%	10%

Date of expiry	Number of options outstanding	Number of options exercisable	Exercise price	Estimated grant date fair value	Weighted average remaining life
	#	#	\$	\$	Years
September 4, 2024	125,000	125,000	0.56	53,087	0.68
December 23, 2024	880,000	880,000	0.41	271,507	0.98
December 23, 2024	290,000	290,000	0.41	89,474	0.98
January 27, 2026	1,025,000	1,025,000	0.41	304,018	2.08
February 24, 2026	50,000	50,000	0.47	15,927	2.15
March 9, 2026	100,000	100,000	0.50	31,864	2.19
March 9, 2026	100,000	100,000	0.70	30,356	2.19
March 9, 2026	100,000	100,000	1.00	28,609	2.19
August 17, 2026	200,000	200,000	0.23	31,354	2.63
September 29, 2026	25,000	18,750	0.17	2,869	2.75
September 15, 2027	5,500,000	5,500,000	0.10	285,759	3.71
January 30, 2028	1,300,000	1,300,000	0.10	57,720	4.08
June 11, 2033	9,000,000	9,000,000	0.05	324,000	9.45
	18,695,000	18,688,750	0.13	1,526,544	6.18

For the year ended December 31, 2023, the Company recognized share-based payments related to the vesting of stock options of \$409,304 (2022 - \$549,933).

## **15. Reserve for Warrants**

The following summarizes the warrant activities for years ended December 31, 2023 and 2022 (see Note 23):

		2023		2022
	Number of		Number of	
	warrants		warrants	
	outstanding	Fair value	outstanding	Fair value
	#	\$	#	\$
<u>Share purchase warrants</u>				
Balance, beginning of year	28,234,580	1,940,161	32,921,414	2,958,930
Expired	(20,578,914)	(1,472,335)	(10,217,500)	(1,251,622)
Issued January 19, 2022	-	-	2,080,666	92,233
Issued February 25, 2022	-	-	3,450,000	140,620
Balance, end of year	7,655,666	467,826	28,234,580	1,940,161
<u>Broker Warrants Type I<sup>(a)</sup></u>				
Balance, beginning of year	29,750	6,614	29,750	6,614
Expired	(29,750)	(6,614)	-	-
Balance, end of year	-	-	29,750	6,614
Broker Warrants Type II <sup>(b)</sup>				
Balance, beginning of year	1,340,010	384,741	1,936,777	682,348
Issued February 25, 2022	-	-	108,000	13,833
Expired	(1,077,778)	(306,791)	(704,767)	(311,440)
Balance, end of year	262,232	77,950	1,340,010	384,741
Total	7,917,898	545,776	29,604,340	2,331,516

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- (a) Broker Unit Purchase Warrants Type I are exercisable for one common share and one-half of one warrant exercisable into one common share.
- (b) Broker Unit Purchase Warrants Type II are exercisable for one common share and one warrant exercisable into one common share.

## Warrant activities in 2022

On January 19, 2022, the Company issued 2,080,666 Warrants, at an exercise price of \$0.20 per share, in connection with the January 2022 Offering as disclosed in Note 13(a).

On February 25, 2022, the Company issued 3,450,000 Warrants, at an exercise price of \$0.20 per share, in connection with the February 2022 Offering as disclosed in Note 13(b). In addition, 108,000 Broker Warrant Type II were issued as compensation to the Agents, to acquire one Unit at an exercise price of \$0.15 per Unit until February 25, 2024. Each Unit is comprised of one common share and one Warrant, exercisable into one common share at \$0.20 per share for a period of 24 months.

## Expired warrants in 2022

On June 30, 2022, 3,700,000 Warrants issued on June 30, 2020 at an exercise price of \$0.70 per share expired. On the same day, 260,304 Broker Warrant Type II issued on June 30, 2020 at an exercise price of \$0.50 also expired.

On August 31, 2022, 2,080,000 Warrants issued on August 31, 2020 at an exercise price of \$0.70 per share expired. On the same day, 154,400 Broker Warrant Type II issued on August 31, 2020 at an exercise price of \$0.50 also expired.

## Warrant activities 2023

There were no warrant activities for the year ended December 31, 2023.

## Expired warrants in 2023

On June 10, 2023, 3,660,984 Warrants issued on June 10, 2021 at an exercise price of \$0.42 per share expired. On the same day, 29,750 Broker Warrant Type I issued on June 10, 2021 at an exercise price of \$0.33 also expired.

On October 14, 2023, 12,437,805 Warrants issued on October 14, 2021 at an exercise price of \$0.20 per share expired. On the same day, 764,169 Broker Warrant Type II issued on October 14, 2021 at an exercise price of \$0.15 also expired.

On November 23, 2023, 2,222,300 Warrants issued on November 23, 2020 at an exercise price of \$0.60 per share expired. On the same day, 155,561 Broker Warrant Type II issued on November 23, 2020 at an exercise price of \$0.45 also expired.

On December 8, 2023, 2,257,825 Warrants issued on December 8, 2020 at an exercise price of \$0.60 per share expired. On the same day, 158,048 Broker Warrant Type II issued on June December 8, 2020 at an exercise price of \$0.45 also expired.

## Black-Scholes valuation assumptions

The fair value of warrants issued was estimated using Black-Scholes with the following assumptions. Expected volatility was determined based on the historical volatility of the Company and comparable companies.

Share purchase warrants issued in 2022

Issuance date	February 25, 2022	January 19, 2022
Number of warrants	3,450,000	2,080,666
Exercise price	\$0.20	\$0.20
Share price	\$0.14	\$0.145
Expected life of warrants	2 years	2 years
Expected volatility	96.86%	96.31%
Risk-free interest rate	1.53%	1.27%

Broker Warrants Type II issued in 2022

	February 25,
Issuance date	2022
Number of warrants	108,000
Exercise price	\$0.15
Unit price	\$0.140
Expected life of warrants	2 years
Expected volatility	96.86%
Risk-free interest rate	0.72%

The following table summarizes information of warrants outstanding as at December 31, 2023:

	Number of warrants outstanding	Exercise price	Weighted average remaining life	
	#	\$	Years	
<u>Share purchase warrants</u>				
January 19, 2024	2,080,666	0.20	0.05	
February 25, 2024	3,450,000	0.20	0.15	
March 30, 2024	2,125,000	0.50	0.25	
Balance, end of year	7,655,666	0.28	0.15	

	Number of warrants outstanding	Exercise price	Weighted average remaining life	
	#	\$	Years	
<u>Broker Warrants Type II</u>				
February 25, 2024	108,000	0.15	0.15	
March 30, 2024	154,232	0.40	0.25	
Balance, end of year	262,232	0.30	0.21	

## 16. Related Party Transactions

## Key management compensation

Key management personnel are persons responsible for planning, directing and controlling activities of an entity, and include executives and non-executive directors, officers and any employees. Compensation provided to key management personnel for the years ended December 31, 2023 and 2022 were as follows:

	2023	2022
	\$	\$
Short-term employee benefits,		
including salaries and consulting fees	472,635	786,904
Share-based compensation	370,334	322,791
	842,969	1,109,695

- (a) For the year ended December 31, 2023, the Company incurred consulting fees with the CEO and director of \$216,000 (2022 - \$181,000). As at December 31, 2023, \$189,087 (December 31, 2022 - \$27,425) was outstanding and included in accounts payable and accrued liabilities.
- (b) For the year ended December 31, 2023, the Company incurred consulting fees with the Chief Financial Officer of \$180,000 (2022 \$145,000). As at December 31, 2023, no balance (December 31, 2022 \$16,950) was outstanding.
- (c) For the year ended December 31, 2023, the Company incurred wage expenses with the former President of Tinley's USA branded products of \$41,635 (2022 - \$321,805). As at December 31, 2023, no balance (December 31, 2022 - \$nil) was outstanding.
- (d) For the year ended December 31, 2023, the Company incurred director fees with directors who are not part of key management of \$35,000 (2022 \$22,000). As at December 31, 2023, no balance (December 31, 2022 \$12,000) was outstanding.
- (e) For the year ended December 31, 2022, the Company incurred consulting fees with a former director of \$117,099. As at December 31, 2022, no balance was outstanding.

Other related party transactions

(f) For the year ended December 31, 2023, the following related party share based compensation was paid:

	2023	2022
	\$	\$
Directors	179,400	80,005
Officers	155,414	242,786
Company controlled by director	35,520	=
	370,334	322,791

(g) In the year ended December 31, 2022, two directors of BLH were nominated to the board of directors of the Company as a result of the BLH Note. As a result, BLH became a related party (see Note 12).

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## 17. Income Taxes

The reported income taxes differ from the amounts obtained by applying domestic rates of Tinley domiciled in Canada of 26.5% (2022 - 26.5%) to the net loss as follows:

	2023	2022
	\$	\$
Components of income tax provision:		
Income tax at statutory tax rates	(1,228,000)	(1,635,000)
IRC 280(e) deductions <sup>(a)</sup>	644,988	373,812
Difference between Canadian and foreign tax rates	(362,083)	342,126
Stock-based compensation and other non-deductible expenses	108,000	146,000
Accretion on convertible notes	325,506	123,126
Change in fair value of derivative liabilities	(254,411)	(289,064)
Change in tax benefits not recognized	766,000	939,000
Recovery of income taxes	-	-

(a) As the Company operates in the cannabis industry, it is subject to the limitations of US Internal Revenue Code Section 280(e) ("IRC 280(e)") under which the Company is only allowed to deduct direct costs sales. This results in permanent differences between ordinary and necessary business expenses deemed non-allowable under IRC 280(e). Therefore, the effective tax rate can be highly variable and may not necessarily correlate with pre-tax income or loss.

The following are temporary differences that gave rise to the deferred tax assets, which have not been recognized in the consolidated financial statements:

2023	2022
\$	\$
240,000	140,000
8,970,000	8,304,000
9,210,000	8,444,000
(9,210,000)	(8,444,000)
-	-
	\$ 240,000 8,970,000 9,210,000

Share issuance costs are to be fully amortized in 2025. Deferred income tax assets have not been recognized due to the uncertainty of realization.

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## Tax losses carried forward

The Company has accumulated non-capital losses for income tax purposes, which can be carried forward to be applied against future taxable income. The losses expire as follows:

	Canadian	Californian	Federal US
	\$	\$	\$
2025	751,000	-	-
2026	918,000	-	-
2027	890,000	-	-
2028	1,880,000	-	-
2029	45,000	-	-
2030	566,000	-	-
2031	732,000	-	-
2032	1,168,000	-	-
2033	888,000	-	-
2034	497,000	-	-
2035	967,000	-	-
2036	1,076,000	244,000	55,000
2037	709,000	1,090,000	57,000
2038	1,770,000	125,000	125,000
2039	2,072,000	3,290,000	559,000
2040	2,113,000	4,618,000	2,665,000
2041	2,430,000	3,580,000	752,000
2042	2,607,500	4,072,000	943,000
2043	1,629,000	2,627,000	-
	23,708,500	19,646,000	5,156,000

## 18. Capital Risk Management

When managing capital, the Company's objective is to ensure it continues as a going concern as well as to maintain optimal returns to shareholders and benefits for other stakeholders. Management adjusts the capital structure as necessary in order to support the beverage production.

The Board of the Company does not establish quantitative return on capital criteria for management, but rather relies on the expertise of the Company's management team to sustain the future development of the business.

As at December 31, 2023, the Company considers its capital to be share capital, reserve for share-based payments, reserve for warrants, and contributed surplus, and reduced by accumulated deficit and accumulated other comprehensive loss, totaling negative \$2,567,111 (December 31, 2022 – positive \$2,218,570).

Management reviews its capital management approach on an ongoing basis and believes that this approach, given the relative size of the Company, is reasonable.

The Company is not subject to externally imposed capital requirements, and there were no changes in the Company's approach to capital management for the year ended December 31, 2023.

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## 19. Cost of Sales

The Company's cost of sales for the years ended December 31, 2023 and 2022 are as follows:

	2023	2022
	\$	\$
Raw materials	775,330	411,727
Labour	626,259	322,883
Quality control and testing	2,590	188,853
hipping, freight & storage	24,375	48,725
	1,428,554	972,188

## 20. General and Administrative Expenses

The Company's general and administration expenses incurred for the years ended December 31, 2023 and 2022 are as follows:

	2023	2022
	\$	\$
Corporate costs and administration	904,713	1,139,463
Consulting and management fees	481,166	284,708
Professional fees	279,829	682,327
Occupancy cost	185,356	119,306
Payroll and salaries	465,813	1,586,980
Travel and promotion	15,084	70,214
Interest on lease liabilities	7,105	83,951
	2,339,066	3,966,949

## 21. Financial Instruments and Risk Management

## Fair value

The carrying amount of cash, trade receivables, trade and other payables and lease payable on the consolidated statements of financial position approximate their fair value due to the relatively short-term maturity of these financial instruments.

## Credit risk

Credit risk is the risk of loss associated with a counterparty's inability to fulfill its payment obligations. Cash is held with Canadian and US chartered banks which are closely monitored by management. Management believes that the credit risk concentration with respect to financial instruments is minimal. The maximum exposure to credit risk at period-end is limited to the accounts and note receivable balances. No ECL has been recorded as at December 31, 2023.

## Liquidity risk

Liquidity risk is the risk that the Company will not have sufficient cash resources to meet its financial obligations as they come due. The Company's liquidity and operating results may be adversely affected if the Company's access to the capital market is hindered, whether as a result of a downturn in stock market conditions generally or related to matters specific to the Company. The Company generates cash flow from its financing and revenue activities.

As at December 31, 2023, the Company had a cash balance of \$59,989 (December 31, 2022 – \$183,623) to settle current liabilities of \$3,110,264 (December 31, 2022 – \$2,265,489).

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The undiscounted contractual maturity of all financial liabilities for the year ended December 31, 2023 is as follows:

	Total	Within 1 year	1 to 3 years	3 to 5 years
	\$	\$	\$	\$
Accounts payable and accrued liabilities	2,040,703	2,040,703	-	-
Convertible note	961,244	961,244	-	-
Convertible grid note	6,654,048	-	-	6,654,048
Lease payable	-	-	-	-
Total	9,655,995	3,001,947	-	6,654,048

The undiscounted contractual maturity of all financial liabilities for the year ended December 31, 2022 is as follows:

	Total	Within 1 year	1 to 3 years	3 to 5 years
	\$	\$	\$	\$
Accounts payable and accrued liabilities	915,994	915,994	-	-
Convertible note	928,739	928,739	-	-
Convertible grid note	5,683,776	-	-	5,683,776
Lease payable	404,657	404,657	-	-
Total	7,933,166	2,249,390	-	5,683,776

Interest rate risk

Interest rate risk is the risk that the fair value or future cash flows of a financial instrument will fluctuate because of changes in market interest rates. The Company does not hold any instruments subject to interest rate risk as at December 31, 2023.

## Foreign currency risk

The Company operates in Canada and the US and is exposed to foreign exchange risk with respect to USD. The Company normally raises funds in Canadian dollars for its operations in the US. Foreign exchange risk arises on cash, trade receivables and trade payables from operations in the US. The Company believes that its results of operations and cash flows would be affected by a sudden change in foreign exchange rates.

As at December 31, 2023 and 2022 the Company had the following financial assets and financial liabilities in USD:

	2023	2022
	\$	\$
Cash	14,934	128,564
Trade receivables	217	121,789
Note receivable	29,239	26,580
Trade and other payables	(1,005,233)	(240,583)
Convertible note	(726,783)	(653,313)
Convertible grid note	(3,708,603)	(2,783,216)
Lease obligations	-	(295,698)
Net exposure to USD	(5,396,229)	(3,695,877)

Had the value of the USD increased or decreased by 1%, the net loss and comprehensive loss would have increased or decreased by USD \$53,962 (December 31, 2022 – USD \$36,959), respectively, as a result of this exposure.

This analysis only addresses the impact on the consolidated financial instruments with respect of currency movement on the Company's financial instruments and excludes any other economic or geo-political implications of such currency fluctuation. In practice, the actual result may differ from this analysis and the difference may be material.

## 22. Contingencies

Although the possession, cultivation, and distribution of cannabis for recreational and medical use is permitted in the State of California, cannabis is a Schedule-I controlled substance and its use remains a violation of federal law in the US.

The Company's operations are subject to a variety of local and state regulation. Failure to comply with one or more of those regulations could result in fines, restrictions on its operations, or losses of permits that could result in the Company ceasing operations in that specific state or local jurisdiction. While management of the Company believes that the Company is in compliance with applicable local and state regulations as at December 31, 2023, cannabis regulations continue to evolve and are subject to differing interpretations. As a result, the Company may be subject to regulatory fines, penalties, or restrictions in the future.

## 23. Comparative Figures

The comparative figures for 2022 have been restated to reclassify \$5,053,308 from warrants reserve to contributed surplus.

## 24. Subsequent Events

On January 19, 2024, 2,080,666 warrants issued on January 19, 2022 at an exercise price of \$0.20 per share expired unexercised.

On January 26, 2024, the Company closed a non-brokered private placement of 58,660,000 units of the Company at a price of \$0.025 per Unit for gross proceeds of \$1,466,500 and the settlement of \$533,500 of outstanding indebtedness of the Company pursuant to the issuance of an additional 21,340,000 Units to certain creditors. Each Unit is comprised of one common share of the Company and one common share purchase warrant. Each warrant will entitle the holder to purchase one common Share for \$0.05 until January 26, 2027.

On February 1 2024, 100,000 options granted on March 9, 2021 to a former consultant with an at an exercise price of \$0.50 per share were forfeited.

On February 1, 2024, 100,000 options granted on March 9, 2021 to a former consultant with an exercise price of \$0.70 per share were forfeited.

On February 1 2024, 100,000 options granted on March 9, 2021 to a former consultant were forfeited with an exercise price of \$1.00 per share were forfeited.

On February 9, 2024, the Company granted 10,150,000 options to certain directors, officers, employees and consultants. The options are exercisable at an exercise price of \$0.06 per share until February 9, 2029.

On February 25, 2024, 3,450,000 warrants issued on February 25, 2022 with an exercise price of \$0.20 per share expired unexercised. On the same day, 108,000 Broker Warrants Type II issued on February 25 2022 with an exercise price of \$0.15 also expired unexercised.

On March 30, 2024, 2,125,000 warrants issued on March 30, 2021 with an exercise price of \$0.50 per share expired unexercised. On the same day, 154,232 Broker Warrants Type II issued on March 30, 2021 with an exercise price of \$0.40 also expired unexercised.