# UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

# **FORM 10-Q**

#### (Mark One) ☑ QUARTERLY REPORT PURSUANT TO SECTION 13 OR 15(d) OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

For the quarterly period ended June 30, 2024

Or

## $\hfill \square$ TRANSITION REPORT PURSUANT TO SECTION 13 OR 15(d) OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

For the transition period from

to

Commission File No. 001-40980

### **SDCL EDGE Acquisition Corporation**

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

98-1583135
(I.R.S. Employer
Identification No.)
10165
(Zip Code)

#### (212) 488-5509 (Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

#### Securities registered pursuant to Section 12(b) of the Exchange Act:

Title of each class	Trading Symbol(s)	Name of each exchange on which registered
Units, each consisting of one Class A ordinary share and one-half	SEDA.U	New York Stock Exchange LLC
of one redeemable warrant		
Class A ordinary shares, par value \$0.0001 per share	SEDA	New York Stock Exchange LLC
Redeemable warrants, each whole warrant exercisable for one	SEDA.WS	New York Stock Exchange LLC
Class A ordinary share at an exercise price of \$11.50		

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant (1) has filed all reports required to be filed by Section 13 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 during the preceding 12 months (or for such shorter period that the registrant was required to file such reports), and (2) has been subject to such filing requirements for the past 90 days. Yes  $\boxtimes$  No  $\square$ 

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant has submitted electronically every Interactive Data File required to be submitted pursuant to Rule 405 of Regulation S-T (§ 232.405 of this chapter) during the preceding 12 months (or for such shorter period that the registrant was required to submit such files). Yes 🗵 No 🗆

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is a large accelerated filer, an accelerated filer, a non-accelerated filer, a smaller reporting company, or an emerging growth company. See the definitions of "large accelerated filer," "accelerated filer," "smaller reporting company," and "emerging growth company" in Rule 12b-2 of the Exchange Act.

Large accelerated filer	Accelerated filer	
Non-accelerated filer	Smaller reporting company	
	Emerging growth company	

If an emerging growth company, indicate by check mark if the registrant has elected not to use the extended transition period for complying with any new or revised financial accounting standards provided pursuant to Section 13(a) of the Exchange Act.  $\Box$ 

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is a shell company (as defined in Rule 12b-2 of the Exchange Act): Yes  $\boxtimes$  No  $\square$ 

As of August 13, 2024, the registrant had 5,181,909 Class A ordinary shares, par value \$0.0001 per share, and 4,998,811 Class B ordinary shares, par value \$0.0001 per share, issued and outstanding.

# SDCL EDGE ACQUISITION CORPORATION

# FORM 10-Q FOR THE QUARTERLY PERIOD ENDED JUNE 30, 2024

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## PART 1 – FINANCIAL INFORMATION

## Item 1. CONDENSED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

# SDCL EDGE ACQUISITION CORPORATION CONDENSED BALANCE SHEETS

		June 30, 2024 Unaudited)	D	ecember 31, 2023
ASSETS				
Current assets:				
Cash	\$	475,312	\$	364,721
Prepaid expenses		43,716		94,299
Cash held in Trust Account for redemptions		89,302,174		_
Total current assets		89,821,202		459,020
Cash held in Trust Account		57,973,807		142,069,535
TOTAL ASSETS	\$	147,795,009	\$	142,528,555
LIABILITIES AND SHAREHOLDERS' DEFICIT				
Current liabilities:				
Accounts payable	\$	714,345	\$	82,084
Accrued expenses	Ť	255,531		292,380
Accrued contingent legal costs		13,051,603		6,449,593
Due to Sponsor		234,652		134,652
Promissory notes - related party		2,031,061		556,091
Derivative liability - promissory note - related party redemption feature		16,175		2,841
Convertible promissory notes - related party		168,100		55,500
Class A ordinary shares tendered for redemption (7,996,024 ordinary shares)		89,302,174		_
Total current liabilities		105,773,641		7,573,141
Warrant liabilities		4,559,088		569,886
TOTAL LIABILITIES		110,332,729		8,143,027
	_	110,002,725		0,110,027
Commitments and Contingencies (Note 6)				
Class A ordinary shares subject to possible redemption; 5,181,909 and 13,177,933 shares at redemption value of \$11.16 per share and				
\$10.77 per share at June 30, 2024 and December 31, 2023, respectively		57,835,865		141,969,535
Shareholders' Deficit				
Preference shares, \$0.0001 par value; 5,000,000 shares authorized; none issued and outstanding		-		-
Class A ordinary shares, \$0.0001 par value, 500,000,000 shares authorized; none issued and outstanding (excluding 5,181,909 and				
13,177,933 shares subject to possible redemption at June 30, 2024 and December 31, 2023, respectively)		_		_
Class B ordinary shares, \$0.0001 par value; 50,000,000 shares authorized; 4,998,811 shares issued and outstanding		500		500
Additional paid-in capital		4,843,201		4,843,201
Accumulated deficit		(25,217,286)		(12,427,708)
Total Shareholders' Deficit		(20,373,585)		(7,584,007)
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND SHAREHOLDERS' DEFICIT	\$	147,795,009	\$	142,528,555

The accompanying notes are an integral part of these unaudited condensed financial statements.

# SDCL EDGE ACQUISITION CORPORATION CONDENSED STATEMENTS OF OPERATIONS (UNAUDITED)

		For Three Mon		Ended	For Six Mont															
	June 30, 2024			,		,		,		,		,		June 30, 2023		,		June 30, 2024		June 30, 2023
Operating and formation costs	\$	2,844,517	\$	1,517,872	\$ 8,024,914	\$	2,847,725													
Loss from operations		(2,844,517)		(1,517,872)	(8,024,914)		(2,847,725)													
Other income (expense):																				
Change in fair value of warrant liabilities		(1,709,659)		1,709,658	(3,989,202)		1,139,772													
Change in fair value of convertible promissory notes		11,700		-	(12,500)		-													
Change in fair value of derivative liability - promissory note - related party redemption																				
feature		485		-	(1,762)		-													
Gain on investments held in Trust Account		-		2,463,687	-		4,661,410													
Interest income		1,889,190		-	3,744,207		-													
Interest expense		(28,693)		-	(42,293)		-													
Net (loss) income	\$	(2,681,494)	\$	2,655,473	\$ (8,326,464)	\$	2,953,457													
Basic and diluted weighted average shares outstanding, Class A ordinary shares		12,914,328		19,995,246	13,046,130		19,995,246													
Basic and diluted net (loss) income per share, Class A ordinary shares	\$	(0.15)	\$	0.11	\$ (0.46)	\$	0.12													
Basic and diluted weighted average shares outstanding, Class B ordinary shares		4,998,811		4,998,811	4,998,811		4,998,811													
Basic and diluted net (loss) income per share, Class B ordinary shares	\$	(0.15)	\$	0.11	\$ (0.46)	\$	0.12													

 $\label{thm:companying} \textit{The accompanying notes are an integral part of these unaudited condensed financial statements}.$ 

# SDCL EDGE ACQUISITION CORPORATION CONDENSED STATEMENTS OF CHANGES IN SHAREHOLDERS' DEFICIT (UNAUDITED)

# FOR THE THREE AND SIX MONTHS ENDED JUNE 30, 2024

	Cla Ordinar	ss B y Sh	ares	Additional Paid-in	A	ccumulated	S	Total hareholders'		
	Shares		Amount	Capital	Deficit			Deficit		
Balance at December 31, 2023	4,998,811	\$	500	\$ 4,843,201	\$	(12,427,708)	\$	(7,584,007)		
Net loss	=		-	-		(5,644,970)		(5,644,970)		
Discount on proceeds from A Anchor Investors under funding										
agreements	=		-	9,658		-		9,658		
Remeasurement of Class A ordinary shares subject to redemption to										
redemption amount	-		-	(9,658)		(2,595,323)		(2,604,981)		
Balance at March 31, 2024	4,998,811	\$	500	\$ 4,843,201	\$	(20,668,001)	\$	(15,824,300)		
Net loss	-		-	-		(2,681,494)		(2,681,494)		
Proceeds received in excess of initial fair value of convertible										
promissory note - related party	=		-	687,400		-		687,400		
Discount on proceeds from A Anchor Investors under funding										
agreements	=		-	8,332		-		8,332		
Remeasurement of Class A ordinary shares subject to redemption to										
redemption amount	=		-	(695,732)		(1,867,791)		(2,563,523)		
Balance at June 30, 2024	4,998,811	\$	500	\$ 4,843,201	\$	(25,217,286)	\$	(20,373,585)		

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# SDCL EDGE ACQUISITION CORPORATION CONDENSED STATEMENTS OF CHANGES IN SHAREHOLDERS' DEFICIT (UNAUDITED)

# FOR THE THREE AND SIX MONTHS ENDED JUNE 30, 2023

	Cla Ordinar	ss B y Sh	ares	Additional Paid-in	A	ccumulated	SI	Total hareholders'
	Shares		Amount	Capital	Capital Deficit			Deficit
Balance at December 31, 2022	4,998,811	\$	500	\$ 2,634,528	\$	(6,984,655)	\$	(4,349,627)
Share-based compensation	-		-	649,610		-		649,610
Net income	-		-	-		297,984		297,984
Remeasurement of Class A ordinary shares subject to redemption to								
redemption amount	-		-	_		(2,197,722)		(2,197,722)
Balance at March 31, 2023	4,998,811	\$	500	\$ 3,284,138	\$	(8,884,393)	\$	(5,599,755)
Share-based compensation	-		-	656,827		-		656,827
Net income	=		-	-		2,655,473		2,655,473
Remeasurement of Class A ordinary shares subject to redemption to								
redemption amount	-		-	-		(2,463,687)		(2,463,687)
Balance at June 30, 2023	4,998,811	\$	500	\$ 3,940,965	\$	(8,692,607)	\$	(4,751,142)

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# SDCL EDGE ACQUISITION CORPORATION CONDENSED STATEMENTS OF CASH FLOWS (UNAUDITED)

	For Six Mont	the hs Ended
	June 30, 2024	June 30, 2023
Cash Flows from Operating Activities:		
Net (loss) income	\$ (8,326,464)	\$ 2,953,457
Adjustments to reconcile net (loss) income to net cash used in operating activities:		
Share-based compensation	-	1,306,437
Change in fair value of warrant liabilities	3,989,202	(1,139,772)
Change in fair value of convertible promissory notes	12,500	-
Change in fair value of derivative liability - promissory note - related party redemption feature	1,762	-
Gain on investments held in Trust Account	-	(4,661,410)
Interest income	(3,744,207)	=
Interest expense	42,293	-
Changes in operating assets and liabilities:		
Prepaid expenses	50,583	165,351
Accounts payable	632,261	60,335
Accrued expenses	(36,849)	3,008
Accrued contingent legal costs	6,602,010	890,775
Due to Sponsor	100,000	(2,976)
Net cash used in operating activities	(676,909)	(424,795)
Cash Flows from Investing Activities:		
Advances to Trust Account	(1,462,239)	-
Net cash used in investing activities	(1,462,239)	
Cash Flows from Financing Activities:		
Proceeds from Sponsor and A Anchor Investors under funding agreements	1,462,239	_
Proceeds from issuance of convertible promissory notes	787,500	_
Net cash provided by financing activities	2,249,739	
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Net Change in Cash	110,591	(424,795)
Cash - Beginning of period	364,721	610,971
Cash - End of period	\$ 475,312	\$ 186,176
Non-cash investing and financing activities:		
Class A ordinary shares tendered for redemption	\$ 89,302,174	\$ -
Remeasurement to redemption value of Class A ordinary shares subject to redemption	\$ 5,168,504	\$ 4,661,409
Debt discount on proceeds from Sponsor and A Anchor Investors under funding agreements		
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#### NOTE 1. DESCRIPTION OF ORGANIZATION, BUSINESS OPERATIONS AND GOING CONCERN

SDCL EDGE Acquisition Corporation ("SEDA" or the "Company") is a blank check company incorporated in the Cayman Islands on February 16, 2021. The Company was formed for the purpose of entering into a merger, share exchange, asset acquisition, share purchase, reorganization or similar business combination with one or more businesses or entities (a "Business Combination"). The Company is not limited to a particular industry or geographic region for purposes of consummating a Business Combination. The Company is an early stage and emerging growth company and, as such, the Company is subject to all of the risks associated with early stage and emerging growth companies.

As of June 30, 2024, the Company had not commenced any operations. All activity for the period from February 16, 2021 (inception) through June 30, 2024 relates to the Company's formation, the initial public offering ("Initial Public Offering") as described below, and since the closing of the Initial Public Offering, the search for a prospective initial Business Combination. The Company will not generate any operating revenues until after the completion of a Business Combination, at the earliest. The Company will generate non-operating income or loss in the form of interest income or gains (losses) on investments on the cash and investments held in a trust account from the proceeds derived from the Initial Public Offering. In addition, the Company will recognize non-operating income or loss on the change in fair value of the warrant liabilities and promissory notes.

The registration statement for the Company's Initial Public Offering was declared effective on October 28, 2021. On November 2, 2021, the Company consummated the Initial Public Offering of 17,500,000 units (the "Units" and, with respect to the Class A ordinary shares included in the Units sold, the "Public Shares"), at \$10.00 per Unit, generating gross proceeds of \$175,000,000, which is discussed in Note 3. Each Unit consists of one Class A ordinary share and one-half of one redeemable warrant ("Public Warrant").

Simultaneously with the closing of the Initial Public Offering, the Company consummated the sale of 8,250,000 warrants (the "Private Placement Warrants") at a price of \$1.00 per Private Placement Warrant in a private placement to SDCL EDGE Sponsor LLC (the "Sponsor"), Sustainable Investors Fund, LP ("Capricorn"), and Seaside Holdings (Nominee) Limited ("Seaside" and, together with Capricorn, the "A Anchor Investors") generating gross proceeds of \$8,250,000, which is described in Note 4.

The Company had granted the underwriters in the Initial Public Offering (the "Underwriters") a 45-day option to purchase up to 2,625,000 additional Units to cover overallotments, if any. On November 16, 2021, the Underwriters partially exercised the over-allotment option and purchased an additional 2,495,246 Units (the "Over-Allotment Units"), generating gross proceeds of \$24,952,460, and incurred \$499,049 in cash underwriting fees.

Simultaneously with the closing of the exercise of the over-allotment option, the Company consummated the sale of 748,574 warrants (the "Over-Allotment Warrants") at a purchase price of \$1.00 per warrant in a private placement to the Sponsor and the A Anchor Investors generating gross proceeds of \$748,574.

In addition, the Sponsor agreed to forfeit up to 656,250 Class B ordinary shares (the "Founder Shares") to the extent that the over-allotment option was not exercised in full by the underwriters. As a result of the underwriters' partial exercise of the over-allotment option, the Company repurchased and cancelled 32,439 Founders Shares. No other Founder Shares remain subject to forfeiture.

Following the closing of the Initial Public Offering, the sale of the Private Placement Warrants, the sale of the Over-Allotment Units, and the sale of the Over-Allotment Warrants, an amount of \$201,951,985 (\$10.10 per Unit) was placed in a trust account (the "Trust Account") and was invested in U.S. government treasury obligations with maturities of 185 days or less or in money market funds meeting certain conditions under Rule 2a-7 under the Investment Company Act which invest only in direct U.S. government treasury obligations, until the earlier of: (i) the completion of an initial Business Combination; (ii) the redemption of any Public Shares properly tendered in connection with a shareholder vote to amend the amended and restated memorandum and articles of association (the "Amended and Restated Memorandum and Articles of Association") to modify the substance or timing of the Company's obligation to redeem 100% of the Public Shares if the Company did not complete an initial Business Combination within 24 months from the closing of the Initial Public Offering, which was subsequently extended by shareholder vote at the Extraordinary General Meeting (as defined below) and the June Extraordinary General Meeting (as defined below), or with respect to any other material provisions relating to shareholders' rights or pre-initial Business Combination activity, the return of the funds held in the Trust Account to the public shareholders as part of the redemption of the Public Shares. If the Company does not invest the proceeds as discussed above, the Company may be deemed to be subject to the Investment Company Act, compliance with these additional regulatory burdens would require additional expenses for which the Company has not allotted funds and may hinder the Company's ability to complete a Business Combination. If the Company is unable to complete an initial Business Combination, the Company's public shareholders may only receive their pro rata portion of the funds in the Trust Account that are available for di

The Company will provide its public shareholders with the opportunity to redeem all or a portion of their Public Shares upon the completion of a Business Combination either (i) in connection with a shareholder meeting called to approve a Business Combination or (ii) by means of a tender offer. The decision as to whether the Company will seek shareholder approval of a Business Combination or conduct a tender offer will be made by the Company, in its sole discretion. The public shareholders will be entitled to redeem their Public Shares for a pro rata portion of the amount held in the Trust Account (\$11.16 per share as of June 30, 2024), calculated as of two business days prior to the completion of a Business Combination, including any pro rata interest earned on the funds held in the Trust Account and not previously released to the Company to pay its tax obligations. There will be no redemption rights upon the completion of a Business Combination with respect to the Company's warrants. The Class A ordinary shares are recorded at redemption value and classified as temporary equity upon the completion of the Initial Public Offering, in accordance with the Financial Accounting Standards Board's ("FASB") Accounting Standards Codification ("ASC") Topic 480, Distinguishing Liabilities from Equity ("ASC 480").

The Company will proceed with a Business Combination if the Company has net tangible assets of at least \$5,000,001 upon consummation of such Business Combination and a majority of the shares voted are voted in favor of the Business Combination. If a shareholder vote is not required under applicable law or stock exchange listing requirements and the Company does not decide to hold a shareholder vote for business or other reasons, the Company will, pursuant to its Amended and Restated Memorandum and Articles of Association as then in effect, conduct the redemptions pursuant to the tender offer rules of the Securities and Exchange Commission ("SEC"), and file tender offer documents containing substantially the same information as would be included in a proxy statement with the SEC prior to completing a Business Combination. If the Company seeks shareholder approval in connection with a Business Combination, the initial shareholders, Anchor Investors (as defined in Note 5), and management team have agreed to vote any Founder Shares held by them, and any Public Shares purchased in or after the Initial Public Offering, in favor of approving a Business Combination. Additionally, each public shareholder may elect to redeem their Public Shares irrespective of whether they vote for or against the proposed transaction or whether they were a public shareholder on the record date for the general meeting held to approve the proposed transaction.

Notwithstanding the foregoing, if the Company seeks shareholder approval of a Business Combination and it does not conduct redemptions pursuant to the tender offer rules, the Company's Amended and Restated Memorandum and Articles of Association provides that a public shareholder, together with any affiliate of such shareholder or any other person with whom such shareholder is acting in concert or as a "group" (as defined under Section 13 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended (the "Exchange Act")), will be restricted from redeeming its shares with respect to more than an aggregate of 15% of the Public Shares without the Company's prior written consent.

The initial shareholders and A Anchor Investors had agreed to (i) waive their redemption rights with respect to any Founder Shares and Public Shares they hold in connection with the completion of an initial Business Combination, (ii) waive their redemption rights with respect to any Founder Shares and Public Shares they hold in connection with a shareholder vote to approve an amendment to the Amended and Restated Memorandum and Articles of Association to modify the substance or timing of the Company's obligation to redeem 100% of the Public Shares if the Company has not consummated an initial Business Combination within 24 months from the closing of the Initial Public Offering or with respect to any other material provisions relating to shareholders' rights or pre-initial Business Combination activity and (iii) waive their rights to liquidating distributions from the Trust Account with respect to any Founder Shares they hold if the Company fails to complete an initial Business Combination within the Combination Period (as defined below). However, if the initial shareholders or Anchor Investors (as defined in Note 5) acquire additional Public Shares after the Initial Public Offering, such Public Shares will be entitled to liquidating distributions from the Trust Account if the Company fails to complete a Business Combination within the Combination Period.

The Company will have until September 2, 2024, or as late as November 2, 2024 by a monthly extension approved by the board of directors (the "Combination Period"), to complete a Business Combination. If the Company is unable to complete a Business Combination within the Combination Period, the Company will (i) cease all operations except for the purpose of winding up, (ii) as promptly as reasonably possible but not more than ten business days thereafter, redeem the Public Shares, at a per-share price, payable in cash, equal to the aggregate amount then on deposit in the Trust Account, including interest earned on the funds held in the Trust Account (which interest shall be net of taxes payable and up to \$100,000 of interest to pay dissolution expenses), divided by the number of then outstanding Public Shares, which redemption will completely extinguish public shareholders' rights as shareholders (including the right to receive further liquidating distributions, if any), and (iii) as promptly as reasonably possible following such redemption, subject to the approval of the Company's remaining shareholders and board of directors, liquidate and dissolve, subject, in each case, to the Company's obligations under Cayman Islands law to provide for claims of creditors and the requirements of other applicable law. Upon the approval of the Extension Proposal (as defined below), the Company entered into a funding undertaking and promissory note agreement (each a "Funding Agreement" and together, the "Funding Agreements") with each of the Sponsor and the A Anchor Investors pursuant to which each of the Sponsor and the A Anchor Investors will agree, severally and not jointly, that for each month, or pro rata portion thereof if less than a month, until the earlier of (i) the date on which the Company consummates an initial Business Combination and (ii) July 2, 2024 (or any earlier date of termination, dissolution or winding up of the Company as determined in the sole discretion of the Company's board of directors), the Spons

In order to protect the amounts held in the Trust Account, the Sponsor has agreed to be liable to the Company if and to the extent any claims by a third party for services rendered or products sold to the Company, or a prospective target business with which the Company has discussed entering into a transaction agreement, reduce the amount of funds in the Trust Account to below (1) \$10.10 per Public Share or (2) the actual amount per Public Share held in the Trust Account as of the date of the liquidation of the Trust Account is less than \$10.10 per Public Share due to reductions in the value of the trust assets, in each case net of the interest that may be withdrawn to pay the Company's tax obligations, provided that such liability will not apply to any claims by a third-party or prospective target business that executed a waiver of any and all rights to seek access to the Trust Account (whether or not such waiver is enforceable) nor will it apply to any claims under the Company's indemnity of the underwriters of the Initial Public Offering against certain liabilities, including liabilities under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended (the "Securities Act"). Moreover, in the event that an executed waiver is deemed to be unenforceable against a third party, the Sponsor will not be responsible to the extent of any liability for such third-party claims. The Company will seek to reduce the possibility that the Sponsor will have to indemnify the Trust Account due to claims of creditors by endeavoring to have all vendors, service providers (other than the Company's independent registered public accounting firm), prospective target businesses or other entities with which the Company does business, execute agreements with the Company waiving any right, title, interest or claim of any kind in or to monies held in the Trust Account.

#### **Business Combination Agreement and Subsequent Termination**

On February 20, 2024, (i) SEDA, (ii) Specialty Copper Listco Plc, a public limited company registered in England and Wales with registered number 15395590 ("PubCo"), (iii) SEDA Magnet LLC, a Delaware limited liability company (the "Merger Sub"), (iv) MAGNET Joint Venture GmbH, a limited liability company organized under the laws of Germany, registered with the commercial register of the local court of Osnabrück under registration number HRB 217397 ("JV GmbH"), (v) PP S&C Holding GmbH, a limited liability company organized under the laws of Germany, registered with the commercial register of the local court of Munich under registration number HRB 275474 ("PP Holding"), (vi) cunova GmbH, a limited liability company organized under the laws of Germany, registered with the commercial register of the local court of Osnabrück under registration number HRB 216155 ("Cunova"), (vii) KME SE, a stock corporation organized under the laws of Germany, registered with the commercial register of the local court of Osnabrück under registration number HRB 213357 ("KME"), (viii) Creature Kingdom Limited, a private limited company registered in England and Wales with registered number 06799429, (ix) The Paragon Fund III GmbH & Co. geschlossene Investment KG, a limited partnership organized under the laws of Germany, registered with the commercial register of the local court of Munich under registration number HRB 110100 ("Paragon") and (x) Mr. Edward Wilson Davis, solely in the capacity as the representative for the shareholders of SEDA, entered into a business combination agreement (as amended from time to time, the "Business Combination Agreement"), pursuant to which several transactions relating to the special product business of Cunova, which is a wholly owned subsidiary of JV GmbH, and certain assets of KME comprising the KME specialty aerospace business (the "Aerospace Business" and, together with Cunova, the "Target") will occur, and in connection therewith, PubCo will become the ultimate parent company of Merger Sub, JV Gm

Pursuant to the Business Combination Agreement, and upon the terms and subject to the conditions set forth therein:

(i) SEDA will merge with and into Merger Sub, a wholly owned subsidiary of PubCo (the "Merger"), with Merger Sub being the surviving entity in the merger (the time at which the Merger becomes effective, the "Merger Effective Time");

- (ii) in connection with the Merger, (a) each outstanding SEDA Class B ordinary share, par value \$0.0001 per share (the "SEDA Class B Shares") will be converted (unless otherwise agreed in writing) into 0.893 SEDA Class A ordinary shares, par value \$0.0001 per share (the "SEDA Class A Shares," and together with the SEDA Class B Shares, the "SEDA Shares"), (b) each outstanding SEDA Class A Share will be automatically canceled and converted into PubCo ordinary shares at an exchange ratio of 1.119375, each such PubCo ordinary share having a par value of £1 per share (the "PubCo Shares"), and (c) each outstanding warrant of SEDA will be automatically adjusted to entitle the holder to purchase one whole PubCo Share at a price of \$11.50 per PubCo Share;
- (iii) on the Exchange Date (as defined below) (and, if applicable, immediately after the closing contemplated of any Financing (as defined below)), PubCo will (a) redeem the redeemable preference share in PubCo held by Creature Kingdom, and (b) purchase from Creature Kingdom the ordinary share in PubCo held by Creature Kingdom in exchange for the release of the undertaking to pay the subscription price of such redeemable share; and
- (iv) on the Exchange Date (as defined below), (a) Paragon will transfer its shares in PP Holding and a certain shareholder loan to PubCo in exchange for cash and a vendor loan agreement by and between Paragon and PubCo, (b) Cunova will redeem the preference share of Cunova with the number 25,001 (the "Cunova Preference Share") in consideration for the transfer of the preference share of KME AssetCo GmbH ("KME AssetCo") with the number 25,001 (the "KME AssetCo Preference Share") by Cunova to KME Special Products GmbH & Co. KG ("KME Special"), and (c) KME will cause (i) KME Germany GmbH ("KME Germany"), KME Mansfeld GmbH ("KME Mansfeld") and KME America Inc. ("KME America" and, together with KME Germany and KME Mansfeld, the "Aerospace Business Sellers") to transfer to Cunova the KME specialty aerospace business in exchange for a vendor loan debt instrument issued by Cunova (the "Aerospace VLN") and which the Aerospace Business Sellers will transfer to KME Special and KME Special, in turn, will contribute the Aerospace VLN to PubCo in exchange for PubCo Shares; and (ii) KME Special to transfer its shares in JV GmbH and a certain shareholder loan between KME Special and JV GmbH to PubCo in exchange for PubCo Shares and cash ((a)-(c) the "Exchange" and the date on which the Exchange occurs, the "Exchange Date").

## Sponsor Support Agreement

On February 20, 2024, in connection with the execution of the Business Combination Agreement, the Company entered into a sponsor support agreement (the "Sponsor Support Agreement") with PubCo and Sponsor as a holder of the Private Placement Warrants and a holder of Founder Shares. Pursuant to the Sponsor Support Agreement, upon the terms and subject to the conditions set forth therein, until the earlier of the Merger Effective Time and the date and time, if any, that the Business Combination Agreement is terminated, the Sponsor agreed to (a) inter alia, vote any Public and Founder Shares that it owns in favor of the proposals regarding the Target Business Combination; (b) not redeem or effect any sale or distribution of any Public and Founder Shares or Public and Private Placement Warrants that it owns; (c) convert its 2,639,375 Founder Shares into 1,593,941 Public Shares; and (d) at the closing of the Target Business Combination ("Closing"), enter into a registration rights agreement based on the term sheet scheduled to the Business Combination Agreement.

#### Anchor Support Agreement

On February 20, 2024, in connection with the execution of the Business Combination Agreement, the Company entered into an anchor support agreement (the "Anchor Support Agreement") with PubCo and each of the A Anchor Investors as holders of Public and Private Placement Warrants and holders of Public Shares and Founder Shares. Pursuant to the Anchor Support Agreement, upon the terms and subject to the conditions set forth therein, until the earlier of the Merger Effective Time and the date and time, if any, that the Business Combination Agreement is terminated, the A Anchor Investors agreed to (a) inter alia, vote any Public and Founder Shares that they own in favor of the proposals regarding the Target Business Combination; (b) not redeem or effect any sale or distribution of any Public and Founder Shares or Public and Private Placement Warrants that they own; (c) convert their 499,881 Founder Shares into 283,291 Public Shares; and (d) at Closing, enter into a registration rights agreement based on the term sheet scheduled to the Business Combination Agreement.

#### Termination

On July 2, 2024, the Business Combination Agreement automatically terminated in accordance with its terms (the "Termination"). As a result of the Termination, the Business Combination Agreement, and certain agreements entered into in connection with the Business Combination Agreement, will be of no further force and effect.

The Parties are continuing to actively pursue the same business combination, including revising financing terms to reflect market feedback.

#### **NYSE Continued Listing Standards Compliance Notification**

On January 12, 2023, the Company received a notice from the New York Stock Exchange ("NYSE") that the Company was not in compliance with the NYSE listing standard 802.01B because the Company had fallen below compliance with the 300 public shareholders requirement. On August 23, 2023, the NYSE notified the Company that it was again in compliance with NYSE listing standard 802.01B but that the Company was subject to continued monitoring and review for a period of 12 months.

#### **Extraordinary General Meetings**

On October 30, 2023, the Company held an extraordinary general meeting of Company shareholders (the "Extraordinary General Meeting"). At the Extraordinary General Meeting, the Company's shareholders approved a proposal to amend the Company's Amended and Restated Memorandum and Articles of Association to extend the date by which the Company must consummate an initial Business Combination (the "Extension Proposal") from November 2, 2023 to March 2, 2024 (the "Previous Extended Date") and to allow the board of directors of the Company, without another shareholder vote, to elect to further extend the date to consummate an initial Business Combination after the Previous Extended Date up to four times, by an additional month each time, up to July 2, 2024. On February 27, 2024, March 27, 2024, April 29, 2024, and May 24, 2024 the Board approved the first, second, third, and fourth extensions of the date by which the Company must consummate an initial business combination to April 2, 2024, May 2, 2024, June 2, 2024, and July 2, 2024, respectively.

In connection with the Extension Proposal, a total of 44 shareholders elected to redeem an aggregate of 6,817,313 Class A ordinary shares, representing approximately 34.1% of the issued and outstanding Class A ordinary shares. As a result, on November 3, 2023, \$72,546,420 was paid out of the Company's Trust Account in connection with the redemptions, representing a redemption price per Class A ordinary share of approximately \$10.64.

On June 27, 2024, the Company held an extraordinary general meeting (the "June Extraordinary General Meeting"). The shareholders approved, by special resolution, the proposal to amend the Company's Amended and Restated Memorandum and Articles of Association to extend the date by which the Company must (1) consummate a Business Combination or (2) (i) cease its operations except for the purpose of winding up if it fails to complete such Business Combination and (ii) redeem all Public Shares, from July 2, 2024 to August 2, 2024 (the "Extended Date") and to allow the board of directors of the Company, without another shareholder vote, to elect to further extend the date to consummate an initial business combination after the Extended Date up to three times, by an additional month each time, upon two days' advance notice prior to the applicable deadline, up to November 2, 2024 (the "June Extension Proposal").

On June 27, 2024, to effectuate the extension, the Company filed with the Cayman Islands Registrar of Companies the amendment to the Amended and Restated Memorandum and Articles of Association of the Company (the "Second Amended and Restated Memorandum and Articles of Association").

In connection with the June Extraordinary General Meeting the Company received redemption requests for an aggregate of 7,996,024 Class A ordinary shares, representing approximately 60.7% of the issued and outstanding Class A ordinary shares. As a result, \$89,302,174 was to be paid out of the Company's Trust Account in connection with the redemptions, representing a redemption price per Class A ordinary share of approximately \$11.16. The redemptions were paid out to redeeming shareholders on July 1, 2024.

On July 30, 2024, the Board approved a first extension of the date by which the Company must consummate an initial Business Combination from August 2, 2024 to September 2, 2024 pursuant to the 2024 Charter Amendment.

#### **Going Concern Consideration**

As of June 30, 2024, the Company had \$475,312 in cash held outside of the Trust Account and a working capital deficit of \$15,952,439.

If a Business Combination is not consummated by the Combination Period, there will be a mandatory liquidation and subsequent dissolution of the Company.

In connection with the Company's assessment of going concern considerations in accordance with FASB's Accounting Standards Update ("ASU") 2014-15, Disclosures of Uncertainties about an Entity's Ability to Continue as a Going Concern, management has determined that the lack of liquidity and the Combination Period deadline raise substantial doubt about the Company's ability to continue as a going concern for a period of twelve months from the date that these unaudited condensed financial statements are issued. These unaudited condensed financial statements do not include any adjustments relating to the recovery of the recorded assets or the classification of the liabilities that might be necessary should the Company be unable to continue as a going concern.

#### NOTE 2. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

#### **Basis of Presentation**

The accompanying unaudited condensed financial statements of the Company are presented in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America ("US GAAP") and pursuant to the rules and regulations of the SEC. Certain information or note disclosures normally included in financial statements prepared in accordance with US GAAP have been condensed or omitted, pursuant to the rules and regulations of the SEC for interim financial reporting. Accordingly, they do not include all the information and notes necessary for a comprehensive presentation of financial position, results of operations, or cash flows. In the opinion of management, the accompanying unaudited condensed financial statements include all adjustments, consisting of a normal recurring nature, which are necessary for a fair presentation of the financial position, operating results and cash flows for the periods presented. The accompanying unaudited condensed financial statements should be read in conjunction with the Company's Form 10-K as filed with the SEC on April 16, 2024. The interim results for the three and six months ended June 30, 2024 are not necessarily indicative of the results to be expected for the year ending December 31, 2024 or for any future periods.

#### **Emerging Growth Company**

The Company is an "emerging growth company," as defined in Section 2(a) of the Securities Act, as modified by the Jumpstart Our Business Startups Act of 2012 (the "JOBS Act"), and it may take advantage of certain exemptions from various reporting requirements that are applicable to other public companies that are not emerging growth companies including, but not limited to, not being required to comply with the independent registered public accounting firm attestation requirements of Section 404 of the Sarbanes-Oxley Act, reduced disclosure obligations regarding executive compensation in its periodic reports and proxy statements, and exemptions from the requirements of holding a nonbinding advisory vote on executive compensation and shareholder approval of any golden parachute payments not previously approved.

Further, Section 102(b)(1) of the JOBS Act exempts emerging growth companies from being required to comply with new or revised financial accounting standards until private companies (that is, those that have not had a Securities Act registration statement declared effective or do not have a class of securities registered under the Exchange Act) are required to comply with the new or revised financial accounting standards. The JOBS Act provides that a company can elect to opt out of the extended transition period and comply with the requirements that apply to non-emerging growth companies but any such election to opt out is irrevocable. The Company has elected not to opt out of such extended transition period which means that when a standard is issued or revised and it has different application dates for public or private companies, the Company, as an emerging growth company, can adopt the new or revised standard at the time private companies adopt the new or revised standard. This may make comparison of the Company's unaudited condensed financial statements with another public company which is neither an emerging growth company nor an emerging growth company which has opted out of using the extended transition period difficult or impossible because of the potential differences in accounting standards used.

#### **Use of Estimates**

The preparation of financial statements in conformity with US GAAP requires the Company's management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of assets and liabilities and disclosure of contingent assets and liabilities at the date of the unaudited condensed financial statements and the reported amounts of expenses during the reporting period.

Making estimates requires management to exercise significant judgment. It is at least reasonably possible that the estimate of the effect of a condition, situation or set of circumstances that existed at the date of the unaudited condensed financial statements, which management considered in formulating its estimate, could change in the near term due to one or more future confirming events. Accordingly, the actual results could differ from those estimates.

#### Cash

The Company considers all short-term investments with an original maturity of three months or less when purchased to be cash equivalents. The Company did not have any cash equivalents as of June 30, 2024 or December 31, 2023.

#### Assets Held in Trust Account, and Cash Held in Trust Account for Redemptions

At June 30, 2024, the assets held in the Trust Account are \$147,275,981, and are held in cash within a demand deposit account. Assets held in the Trust Account include \$37,942 inadvertently deposited into the Trust Account by Seaside. The Company intends to refund Seaside during the third quarter of 2024. Interest income from the cash held in the Trust Account is included in the accompanying unaudited condensed statements of operations. On June 27, 2024, the Company received redemption requests for an aggregate of 7,996,024 Class A ordinary shares. As of June 30, 2024, the shareholders have not been paid out, as such, as of June 30, 2024 the amount owed to shareholders of \$89,302,174 is recorded on the unaudited condensed balance sheets as Cash held in Trust Account for redemptions.

At December 31, 2023, the Company held assets in the Trust Account of \$142,069,535.

#### **Class A Ordinary Shares Subject to Possible Redemption**

All of the 19,995,246 Class A ordinary shares sold as part of the Units in the Initial Public Offering and the partial exercise of the over-allotment option contain a redemption feature which allows for the redemption of such Public Shares in connection with the Company's liquidation, if there is a shareholder vote or tender offer in connection with a Business Combination and in connection with certain amendments to the Company's Amended and Restated Memorandum and Articles of Association. In accordance with SEC and its staff's guidance on redeemable equity instruments, which has been codified in ASC 480-10-S99, redemption provisions not solely within the control of the Company require ordinary shares subject to redemption to be classified outside of permanent equity. Therefore, all Class A ordinary shares have been classified outside of permanent equity.

The Company recognizes changes in redemption value immediately as they occur and adjusts the carrying value of redeemable ordinary shares to equal the redemption value at the end of each reporting period. Increases or decreases in the carrying amount of redeemable ordinary shares are affected by charges against additional paid-in capital and accumulated deficit. The redemption value of the 5,181,909 redeemable ordinary shares as of June 30, 2024 increased as a result of income earned on the Trust Account exceeding the Company's expected dissolution expenses (up to \$100,000). As such, the Company recorded an increase in the carrying amount of the redeemable ordinary shares of \$5,168,504 during the six months ended June 30, 2024 and \$9,974,792 for the year ended December 31, 2023, respectively. The redemption value of the redeemable ordinary shares as of December 31, 2023 and June 30, 2024 decreased due to the redemptions of \$72,546,420 and \$89,302,174 related to shares tendered for redemption which occurred in November 2023 and June 2024, respectively.

As of June 30, 2024 and December 31, 2023, the Class A ordinary shares subject to redemption reflected in the balance sheets are reconciled in the following table:

Class A ordinary shares subject to possible redemption as of December 31, 2022	\$ 204,541,163
Less:	
Redemption of Class A ordinary shares	(72,546,420)
Plus:	
Remeasurement of carrying value to redemption value	9,974,792
Class A ordinary shares subject to possible redemption as of December 31, 2023	141,969,535
Plus:	
Remeasurement of carrying value to redemption value	2,604,981
Class A ordinary shares subject to possible redemption as of March 31, 2024	144,574,516
Less:	
Class A ordinary shares tendered for redemption	(89,302,174)
Plus:	
Remeasurement of carrying value to redemption value	2,563,523
Class A ordinary shares subject to possible redemption as of June 30, 2024	\$ 57,835,865

#### Offering Costs Associated with the Initial Public Offering

The Company complies with the requirements of ASC Topic 340, Other Assets and Deferred Costs, and SEC Staff Accounting Bulletin Topic 5A - Expenses of Offering ("SAB Topic 5A"). Offering costs consist principally of professional and registration fees incurred through the balance sheet date that are related to the Initial Public Offering. Offering costs directly attributable to the issuance of an equity contract to be classified in equity are recorded as a reduction in equity. Offering costs for equity contracts that are classified as assets and liabilities are expensed immediately. The Company incurred offering costs amounting to \$32,005,743 as a result of the Initial Public Offering (consisting of a \$3,999,049 underwriting discount, \$6,998,336 of deferred underwriting fees, \$18,958,165 of Anchor Investor offering costs, and \$2,050,193 of other offering costs). The Company recorded \$29,576,119 of offering costs as a reduction of temporary equity in connection with the shares of Class A ordinary shares included in the Units. The Company immediately expensed \$2,429,624 of offering costs in connection with the Public Warrants and Private Placement Warrants that were classified as liabilities.

In July and October 2022, the deferred underwriting fee was waived in full by Goldman Sachs & Co. LLC Securities, Inc., and BofA Securities, Inc., the underwriters. Upon the Initial Public Offering, a portion of the entire deferred underwriting fee was allocated to Public Warrants, which resulted in a charge to the statements of operations. Therefore, a portion of this waived deferred underwriting fee was recorded as a gain in the statements of operations in the amount of \$342,975 for the year ended December 31, 2022. The remaining \$6,655,361 was recorded as a reduction to accumulated deficit as of December 31, 2022.

#### **Income Taxes**

The Company accounts for income taxes under ASC Topic 740, *Income Taxes* ("ASC 740"). ASC 740 requires the recognition of deferred tax assets and liabilities for both the expected impact of differences between the financial statement and tax basis of assets and liabilities and for the expected future tax benefit to be derived from tax loss and tax credit carry forwards. ASC 740 additionally requires a valuation allowance to be established when it is more likely than not that all or a portion of deferred tax assets will not be realized.

ASC 740 also clarifies the accounting for uncertainty in income taxes recognized in an enterprise's financial statements and prescribes a recognition threshold and measurement process for financial statement recognition and measurement of a tax position taken or expected to be taken in a tax return. For those benefits to be recognized, a tax position must be more-likely-than-not to be sustained upon examination by taxing authorities. ASC 740 also provides guidance on derecognition, classification, interest and penalties, accounting in interim periods, disclosure and transition. Based on the Company's evaluation, it has been concluded that there are no significant uncertain tax positions requiring recognition in the Company's unaudited condensed financial statements.

The Company recognizes accrued interest and penalties related to unrecognized tax benefits as income tax expense. There were no unrecognized tax benefits and no amounts accrued for interest and penalties as of June 30, 2024 and December 31, 2023.

The Company is currently not aware of any issues under review that could result in significant payments, accruals or material deviation from its position. The Company is considered an exempted Cayman Islands Company and is presently not subject to income taxes or income tax filing requirements in the Cayman Islands or the United States. Consequently, income taxes are not reflected in the Company's unaudited condensed financial statements.

#### Net (Loss) Income Per Ordinary Share

The Company complies with accounting and disclosure requirements of ASC Topic 260, Earnings Per Share. Net (loss) income per ordinary share is computed by dividing net (loss) income by the weighted-average number of ordinary shares outstanding during the period. The immediate re-measurement associated with the redeemable Class A ordinary shares is excluded from net (loss) income per share as the redemption value approximates fair value. Therefore, the net (loss) income per share calculation allocates income and losses shared pro rata between Class A and Class B ordinary shares. As a result, the calculated net (loss) income per share is the same for Class A and Class B ordinary shares. The Company has not considered the effect of the warrants sold in the Initial Public Offering, the partial exercise of the over-allotment option, and private placement to purchase an aggregate of 18,996,197 shares in the calculation of diluted (loss) income per share, since the exercise of the warrants is contingent upon the occurrence of future events. As a result, diluted (loss) income per share is the same as basic (loss) income per share for the periods presented.

The following table reflects the calculation of basic and diluted net (loss) income per ordinary share (in dollars):

	For the Three Months Ended								For the Six Months Ended								
				Three Mor	nths E							Six Mont	hs E				
		June 20			June 30, 2023				June 20			_		une 30, 2023			
		Class A		Class B		Class A		Class B		Class A		Class B		Class A		Class B	
Basic and diluted net (loss) income per share:																	
Numerator:																	
Net (loss) income	\$	(1,933,201)	\$	(748,293)	\$	2,124,378	\$	531,095	\$	(6,019,866)	\$	(2,306,598)	\$	2,362,766	\$	590,691	
Denominator:																	
Weighted average ordinary shares		12,914,328		4,998,811		19,995,246		4,998,811		13,046,130		4,998,811		19,995,246		4,998,811	
Basic and diluted net (loss) income per ordinary share	\$	(0.15)	\$	(0.15)	\$	0.11	\$	0.11	\$	(0.46)	\$	(0.46)	\$	0.12	\$	0.12	

#### Concentration of Credit Risk

Financial instruments that potentially subject the Company to concentration of credit risk consist of its cash account in a financial institution which, at times, may exceed the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation coverage of \$250,000. The Company has not experienced losses on this account and management believes the Company is not exposed to significant risks on such account.

#### Fair Value of Financial Instruments

The Company applies ASC Topic 820, Fair Value Measurement ("ASC 820"), which establishes a framework for measuring fair value and clarifies the definition of fair value within that framework. ASC 820 defines fair value as an exit price, which is the price that would be received for an asset or paid to transfer a liability in the Company's principal or most advantageous market in an orderly transaction between market participants on the measurement date. The fair value hierarchy established in ASC 820 generally requires an entity to maximize the use of observable inputs and minimize the use of unobservable inputs when measuring fair value. Observable inputs reflect the assumptions that market participants would use in pricing the asset or liability and are developed based on market data obtained from sources independent of the reporting entity. Unobservable inputs reflect the entity's own assumptions based on market data and the entity's judgments about the assumptions that market participants would use in pricing the asset or liability and are to be developed based on the best information available in the circumstances.

The fair value of the Company's assets and liabilities approximates the carrying amounts represented in the accompanying balance sheets, primarily due to their short-term nature, except for the warrant liabilities and convertible promissory notes.

The following reflects the fair value hierarchy established by ASC 820:

Level 1 — Assets and liabilities with unadjusted, quoted prices listed on active market exchanges. Inputs to the fair value measurement are observable inputs, such as quoted prices in active markets for identical assets or liabilities.

Level 2 — Inputs to the fair value measurement are determined using prices for recently traded assets and liabilities with similar underlying terms, as well as direct or indirect observable inputs, such as interest rates and yield curves that are observable at commonly quoted intervals.

Level 3 — Inputs to the fair value measurement are unobservable inputs, such as estimates, assumptions, and valuation techniques when little or no market data exists for the assets or liabilities.

#### **Share-Based Compensation**

Share-based compensation is included in operating and formation costs within the unaudited condensed statements of operations and accounted for based on the requirements of ASC Topic 718, *Compensation—Stock Compensation* ("ASC 718"), which requires recognition in the financial statements of the cost of employee, non-employee and director services received in exchange for an award of equity instruments over the period the employee, non-employee or director is required to perform the services in exchange for the award (presumptively, the vesting period). ASC 718 also requires measurement of the cost of employee, non-employee and director services received in exchange for an award based on the grant-date fair value of the award. For the three months ended June 30, 2024 and 2023, the Company recognized \$0 and \$656,827, respectively of share-based compensation related to 659,844 Founder Shares to be transferred to Sustainable Development Capital LLP for certain services performed per the Investment Advisory Agreement (see Note 5). For the six months ended June 30, 2024 and 2023, the Company recognized \$0 and \$1,306,437, respectively of share-based compensation. For the three months ended June 30, 2024, the Company recognized no share-based compensation related to the 22,334 Class A ordinary shares to be transferred to Harebell (as defined in Note 6) only upon the successful completion of a Business Combination.

#### **Derivative Financial Instruments**

The Company evaluates its financial instruments to determine if such instruments are derivatives or contain features that qualify as embedded derivatives in accordance with ASC Topic 815, *Derivatives and Hedging* ("ASC 815"). For derivative financial instruments that are accounted for as liabilities, the derivative instrument is initially recorded at its fair value on the grant date and is then re-valued at each reporting date, with changes in the fair value reported in the unaudited condensed statements of operations. The classification of derivative instruments, including whether such instruments should be recorded as liabilities or as equity, is evaluated at the end of each reporting period. Derivative liabilities are classified in the balance sheet as current or non-current based on whether or not net-cash settlement or conversion of the instrument could be required within 12 months of the balance sheet date.

The Public Warrants and Private Placement Warrants are accounted for as derivative instruments in accordance with ASC 815 and are presented as warrant liabilities on the balance sheet. The Public Warrants and Private Placement Warrants were measured at fair value at the Initial Public Offering and on a recurring basis, with subsequent changes in fair value recorded in the unaudited condensed statements of operations.

The Company accounts for the Promissory Notes (as defined below) under ASC 815-15-25. In accordance with ASC 815-15-25, proceeds from the sale of a debt instrument with an embedded derivative that require bifurcation are allocated to the two elements based on the relative fair values of the debt instrument without the embedded derivative and of the embedded derivative itself at time of issuance. Any changes in the estimated fair value of the derivative are recognized as non-cash gains or losses in the unaudited condensed statements of operations.

#### **Convertible Promissory Notes - Related Party**

The Company entered into three separate promissory notes (collectively, the "Promissory Notes"). The Company has made the election under ASC 815-15-25 to account for these Promissory Notes using the fair value option. Using the fair value option, the Promissory Notes are required to be recorded at their initial fair value on the date of issuance, and each balance sheet date thereafter. Differences between the proceeds from issuance of the Promissory Notes and the fair value at issuance are recognized as either an expense in the unaudited condensed statements of operations (if issued at a discount) or as a capital contribution (if issued at a premium). Any changes in the estimated fair value of the Promissory Notes are recognized as non-cash gains or losses in the unaudited condensed statements of operations.

#### **Recent Accounting Standards**

On December 14, 2023, the FASB issued ASU 2023-09, Income Taxes (Topic 740): *Improvements to Income Tax Disclosures* ("ASU 2023-09"), which is intended to enhance the transparency and decision usefulness of income tax disclosures. The amendments in ASU 2023-09 address investor requests for enhanced income tax information primarily through changes to the rate reconciliation and income taxes paid information. The update will be effective for annual periods beginning after December 15, 2024, and early adoption is permitted. The Company is currently evaluating the impact of this standard on its unaudited condensed financial statements and related disclosures.

#### NOTE 3. INITIAL PUBLIC OFFERING

The registration statement for the Company's Initial Public Offering was declared effective on October 28, 2021. On November 2, 2021, the Company completed its Initial Public Offering of 17,500,000 Units, at \$10.00 per Unit, generating gross proceeds of \$175,000,000. Each Unit consists of one Class A ordinary share and one-half of one Public Warrant. Each Public Warrant entitles the holder to purchase one Class A ordinary share at an exercise price of \$11.50 per whole share (see Note 7). On November 16, 2021, the underwriters partially exercised the over-allotment option and purchased an additional 2,495,246 Over-Allotment Units, generating gross proceeds of \$24,952,460, for an aggregate total of \$199,952,460 in gross proceeds from the Initial Public Offering and closing of the exercise of the over-allotment option.

#### NOTE 4. PRIVATE PLACEMENT

Simultaneously with the closing of the Initial Public Offering, the Sponsor and A Anchor Investors purchased an aggregate of 8,250,000 warrants at a price of \$1.00 per Private Placement Warrant (\$8,250,000 in the aggregate). Simultaneously with the closing of the exercise of the over-allotment option, the Company consummated the sale of 748,574 Over-Allotment Warrants at a purchase price of \$1.00 per warrant in a private placement to the Sponsor and A Anchor Investors, generating gross proceeds of \$748,574, for an aggregate total of \$8,998,574 in gross proceeds from the sale of the Private Warrants and Over-Allotment Warrants. Each Private Placement Warrant is exercisable to purchase one Class A ordinary share at a price of \$11.50 per share. A portion of the proceeds from the sale of the Private Placement Warrants was added to the net proceeds from the Initial Public Offering held in the Trust Account. If the Company does not complete a Business Combination within the Combination Period, the proceeds from the sale of the Private Placement Warrants will be used to fund the redemption of the Public Shares (subject to the requirements of applicable law) and the Private Placement Warrants will expire worthless.

#### NOTE 5. RELATED PARTY TRANSACTIONS

#### **Founder Shares**

On February 23, 2021, the Sponsor was issued 7,187,500 Founder Shares for an aggregate of \$25,000 paid to cover certain expenses on behalf of the Company. On July 14, 2021, the Company repurchased 2,156,250 Founder Shares from the Company's Sponsor for an aggregate consideration of \$0.001, resulting in an aggregate of 5,031,250 Founder Shares outstanding. The Founder Shares included an aggregate of up to 656,250 Class B ordinary shares subject to repurchase by the Sponsor to the extent that the underwriters' over-allotment option was not exercised in full or in part, so that the holders of the Founder Shares will own, on an as-converted basis, 20% of the Company's issued and outstanding shares after the Initial Public Offering. Following the partial exercise of the underwriters' over-allotment option on November 16, 2021, 32,439 Founder Shares were repurchased and cancelled by the Company. No other Founder Shares remain subject to forfeiture.

The Sponsor has agreed that, subject to certain limited exceptions, the Founder Shares will not be transferred, assigned, or sold until the earlier of (i) one year after the completion of a Business Combination or (ii) subsequent to an initial Business Combination, (x) if the closing price of Class A ordinary shares equals or exceeds \$12.00 per share (as adjusted for share subdivisions, share capitalizations, recognizations, recapitalizations and the like) for any 20 trading days within any 30-trading day period commencing at least 150 days after an initial Business Combination, or (y) the date on which the Company completes a liquidation, merger, share exchange or other similar transaction that results in all of the public shareholders having the right to exchange their ordinary shares for cash, securities or other property.

The A Anchor Investors purchased a total of 4,000,000 Units in the Initial Public Offering at the offering price of \$10.00 per Unit. In addition to the A Anchor Investors, two qualified institutional buyers or accredited investors not affiliated with the Company, the Sponsor, the Company's directors or any member of management (the "3.6% B Anchor Investors"), purchased 1,575,000 Units each in the Initial Public Offering at the offering price of \$10.00 per Unit, three qualified institutional buyers or accredited investors not affiliated with the Company, the Sponsor, the Company's directors or any member of management (the "4.0% B Anchor Investors"), purchased 1,749,999 Units each in the Initial Public Offering at the offering price of \$10.00 per Unit, and two qualified institutional buyers or accredited investors not affiliated with the Company, the Sponsor, the Company's directors or any member of management (the "Additional 4.0% B Anchor Investors" and, together with the 3.6% B Anchor Investors and the 4.0% B Anchor Investors, the "B Anchor Investors"), purchased 1,732,500 Units each in the Initial Public Offering at the offering price of \$10.00 per Unit, or an aggregate of 15,864,997 Units for all anchor investors (the "Anchor Investors" which includes the A Anchor Investors and the B Anchor Investors).

As the Anchor Investors purchased Units during the Initial Public Offering, should they vote the shares included therein in favor of an initial Business Combination, no votes from other public shareholders would be required to approve an initial Business Combination. The Anchor Investors may have different interests with respect to a vote on an initial Business Combination than other public shareholders due to their ownership interests in the Company.

Pursuant to such Units, the Anchor Investors have not been granted any shareholder or other rights in addition to those afforded to the Company's other public shareholders. Further, the Anchor Investors are not required to (i) hold any Units, Class A ordinary shares or warrants they purchased in the Initial Public Offering or thereafter for any amount of time, (ii) vote any Class A ordinary shares they may own at the applicable time in favor of a Business Combination or (iii) refrain from exercising their right to redeem their Public Shares at the time of a Business Combination. The Anchor Investors have the same rights to the funds held in the Trust Account with respect to the Class A ordinary shares underlying the Units they purchased in the Initial Public Offering as the rights afforded to the Company's other public shareholders.

Each Anchor Investors has entered into separate investment agreements with the Company and the Sponsor. The A Anchor Investors purchased 503,125 Founder Shares each, or an aggregate of 1,006,250 Founder Shares, from the Sponsor for a purchase price of \$2,500 each, or an aggregate of \$5,000, at the closing of the Initial Public Offering. The 3.6% B Anchor Investors purchased 181,125 Founder Shares each, or an aggregate of 362,250 Founder Shares, from the Sponsor for a purchase price of \$900 each, or an aggregate of \$1,800, at the closing of the Initial Public Offering. The 4.0% B Anchor Investors purchased 201,250 Founder Shares each, or an aggregate of \$1,000 each, or an aggregate of \$3,000, at the closing of the Initial Public Offering. The Additional 4.0% B Anchor Investors purchased 201,250 Founder Shares each, or an aggregate of \$2,000, at the closing of the Initial Public Offering (or an aggregate of \$2,000, at the closing of the Initial Public Offering (or an aggregate of 2,374,750 Founder Shares for all Anchor Investors for a total combined purchase price of \$11,800). Pursuant to the investment agreements, the Anchor Investors have agreed to (a) vote any Founder Shares held by them in favor of a Business Combination and (b) subject any Founder Shares held by them to the same lock-up restrictions as the Founder Shares held by the Sponsor and independent directors.

Due to the partial exercise of the over-allotment option by the underwriters on November 16, 2021, the Company repurchased and cancelled 32,439 Founder Shares, which included 3,244 Founder Shares from each A Anchor Investor (or an aggregate of 6,488 Founder Shares), 1,168 Founder Shares from each 3.6% B Anchor Investor (or an aggregate of 2,336 Founder Shares), 1,298 Founder Shares from each 4.0% B Anchor Investor, (or an aggregate of 3,894 Founder Shares), 1,298 Founder Shares from each Additional 4.0% B Anchor Investor, (or an aggregate of 2,596 Founder Shares), and 17,125 Founder Shares from the Company's Sponsor. As a result, 15,314 Founder Shares held by the Anchor Investors were repurchased and canceled by the Company, resulting in an aggregate of 2,359,436 Founder Shares held by all Anchor Investors.

The Company estimated the fair value of the Founder Shares attributable to the Anchor Investors to be \$18,969,890 or \$8.04 per share. The excess of the fair value of the Founder Shares sold over the purchase price of \$11,725 (or \$0.005 per share) was determined to be an offering cost in accordance with SAB Topic 5A. Accordingly, the offering cost was allocated to the separable financial instruments issued in the Initial Public Offering based on a relative fair value basis, compared to total proceeds received. Offering costs allocated to derivative warrant liabilities were expensed immediately in the statements of operations. Offering costs allocated to the Public Shares were charged to shareholders' deficit upon the completion of the Initial Public Offering.

#### **Due to Sponsor**

Due to Sponsor consists of advances from the Sponsor to pay for offering costs and formation costs on behalf of the Company and accrued costs incurred under the administrative support agreement of \$234,652 and \$134,652 as of June 30, 2024 and December 31, 2023, respectively, and are payable on demand.

#### **Administrative Support Agreement**

On October 28, 2021, the Company entered into an agreement to pay an affiliate of the Sponsor a total of \$20,000 per month for office space, administrative and support services. The Company originally would have ceased paying these monthly fees as of October 28, 2023 (24 months from the start of the agreement) regardless of whether a Business Combination had been executed or not. However, in connection with the Extension Proposal and the June Extension Proposal, the administrative support agreement was extended through the Extended Date. During the three and six months ended June 30, 2024 and 2023, \$60,000 and \$120,000 of administrative support expenses were incurred, respectively.

#### **Investment Advisory Agreement**

On October 28, 2021, the Company and the Sponsor entered into an agreement with Sustainable Development Capital LLP (the "Advisor"), a London-based investment firm and affiliate of the Company and Sponsor, whereby the Advisor agreed to provide administrative, consulting, and other services to effect the Company's initial Business Combination (the "Investment Advisory Agreement"). In consideration of the services performed: (1) the Company and Sponsor shall procure the transfer of the legal and beneficial title to at least 659,844 Founder Shares, or at the sole election of the Sponsor, the payment of an amount equal to the cash value (as determined as of the date of such payment) of such number of Founder Shares, to the Advisor immediately prior to the winding up and liquidation of the Sponsor, or such other date as shall be agreed in writing between the Sponsor and Advisor; and (2) the Sponsor shall pay to the Advisor the sum of \$20,000 per month as an ongoing advisory fee and subject to the terms and conditions of the Investment Advisory Agreement. The compensation expense related to the above Founder Share transfer of 659,844 shares was amortized on a straight-line basis from the grant date of October 28, 2021 (the date at which the Investment Advisory Agreement was signed, and the date at which all parties reached a mutual understanding of the key terms and conditions of the share-based payment) to November 2, 2023 (the original date at which the combination period for the Company's initial Business Combination would have expired). Such Investment Advisory Agreement was accounted for under ASC 718.

For the three and six months ended June 30, 2024 and 2023, there were no costs recorded for web-based services provided by the Advisor within the unaudited condensed statements of operations.

#### **Convertible Promissory Notes – Related Party**

In order to finance transaction costs in connection with an intended initial Business Combination, the Sponsor or an affiliate of the Sponsor or certain of the officers and directors may, but are not obligated to, loan the Company funds as may be required. If the Company completes an initial Business Combination, it may repay such loaned amounts out of the proceeds of the Trust Account released to the Company. In the event that an initial Business Combination does not close, the Company may use a portion of the working capital held outside the Trust Account to repay such loaned amounts but no proceeds from the Company's Trust Account would be used for such repayment. Up to \$1,500,000 of such loans may be convertible into warrants at a price of \$1.00 per warrant at the option of the lender. The warrants would be identical to the Private Placement Warrants, including as to exercise price, exercisability and exercise period. The terms of such loans by the officers and directors, if any, have not been determined and no written agreements exist with respect to such loans. The Company does not expect to seek loans from parties other than the Company's Sponsor, its affiliates or the management team as the Company does not believe third parties will be willing to loan such funds and provide a waiver against any and all rights to seek access to funds in the Company's Trust Account.

On September 8, 2023, the Company entered into a promissory note with the Sponsor ("Sponsor Loan") for up to \$1,200,000. Pursuant to the Sponsor Loan, the Sponsor, in its sole and absolute discretion, may fund costs reasonably related to the consummation of an initial Business Combination in response to the Company's written request for drawdown of loan principal from time to time until the date on which the Company consummates an initial Business Combination. The principal balance of the Sponsor Loan shall be payable on the earliest to occur of (i) the date on which the Company consummates an initial Business Combination and (ii) the date that the winding up is effective. Outstanding loan amounts are convertible, at the Sponsor's option, into certain warrants at a price of \$1.00 per warrant, with holders entitled to certain specified registration rights under that certain registration rights agreement by and among the Company, Sponsor and certain other investors in the Initial Public Offering of the Company, dated as of October 28, 2021 (the "Registration Rights Agreement"). Interest does not accrue on the Sponsor Loan. The maturity date of the Sponsor Loan may be accelerated upon the occurrence of an Event of Default (as defined therein). Any outstanding principal under the Sponsor Loan may be prepaid at any time by the Company at its election and without penalty. On October 2, 2023, December 14, 2023, April 29, 2024, and June 27, 2024, the Company withdrew \$300,000, respectively, from the Sponsor Loan, which has not yet been repaid as of June 30, 2024. As of June 30, 2024 and December 31, 2023, the Company has \$1,200,000 and \$600,000, respectively, outstanding under the Sponsor Loan.

On September 29, 2023, the Company entered into a promissory note with Seaside for up to \$150,000 (the "Seaside Loan"). Pursuant to the Seaside Loan, Seaside, in its sole and absolute discretion, may fund costs reasonably related to the consummation of an initial Business Combination in response to the Company's written request for drawdown of loan principal from time to time until the date on which the Company consummates an initial Business Combination. The principal balance of the Seaside Loan shall be payable on the earliest to occur of (i) the date on which the Company consummates an initial Business Combination and (ii) the date that the winding up is effective. Outstanding loan amounts are convertible, at Seaside's option, into certain warrants, at \$1.00 per warrant, with holders entitled to certain specified registration rights under the Registration Rights Agreement. Interest does not accrue on the Seaside Loan. The maturity date of the Seaside Loan may be accelerated upon the occurrence of an Event of Default (as defined therein). Any outstanding principal under the Seaside Loan may be prepaid at any time by the Company at its election and without penalty. On October 4, 2023, December 18, 2023, April 29, 2024, and June 24, 2024, the Company withdrew \$37,500, respectively, from the Seaside Loan, which has not yet been repaid as of June 30, 2024. As of June 30, 2024 and December 31, 2023, the Company has \$150,000 and \$75,000, respectively, outstanding under the Seaside Loan.

On October 10, 2023, the Company entered into a promissory note with Capricorn for up to \$150,000 (the "Capricorn Loan"). Pursuant to the Capricorn Loan, Capricorn, in its sole and absolute discretion, may fund costs reasonably related to the consummation of an initial Business Combination in response to the Company's written request for drawdown of loan principal from time to time until the date on which the Company consummates an initial Business Combination. The principal balance of the Capricorn Loan shall be payable on the earliest to occur of (i) the date on which the Company consummates an initial Business Combination and (ii) the date that the winding up is effective. Outstanding loan amounts are convertible, at Capricorn's option, into certain warrants, at \$1.00 per warrant, with holders entitled to certain specified registration rights under the Registration Rights Agreement. Interest does not accrue on the Capricorn Loan. The maturity date of the Capricorn Loan may be accelerated upon the occurrence of an Event of Default (as defined therein). Any outstanding principal under the Capricorn Loan may be prepaid at any time by the Company at its election and without penalty. On November 13, 2023, May 14, 2024, May 31, 2024, and June 18, 2024, the Company withdrew \$37,500 respectively, from the Capricorn Loan, which has not yet been repaid as of June 30, 2024. As of June 30, 2024 and December 31, 2023, the Company has \$150,000 and \$37,500, respectively, outstanding under the Capricorn Loan.

The fair value option was elected (see Note 2) and, as such, the fair value of the Promissory Notes of \$168,100 and \$55,500 is reflected on the balance sheet as of June 30, 2024 and December 31, 2023, respectively. The fair value of the promissory notes upon issuance was \$166,389.

#### **Funding Undertaking and Promissory Notes**

On November 2, 2023, the Company entered into a Funding Undertaking and Promissory Note with the Sponsor in connection with deposits to be made into the Trust Account in relation to the extension. Commencing two business days following the date of the agreement (the "Initial Funding Date") and on the first business day of each month thereafter until the earliest to occur of (i) the date on which the Company consummates its initial Business Combination (the "Maturity Date"), (ii) the date the winding up or liquidation of the Company becomes effective, and (iii) July 2, 2024, the Sponsor will fund non-interest bearing deposits of \$174,116 into the Trust Account. On the Maturity Date, the Company will pay the Sponsor an amount equal to the aggregate amount funded. In the event that the Company winds up or liquidates prior to the Maturity Date, the Sponsor will have no claims under this agreement and the Company has no obligation to pay the Sponsor under this agreement. As of June 30, 2024 and December 31, 2023, \$1,392,928 and \$348,232, respectively, was outstanding under this note.

Pursuant to the terms of the Funding Undertaking and Promissory Note with the Sponsor, the Sponsor shall receive the right to be issued 1,650 Class A ordinary shares of the Company upon the successful completion of a Business Combination, for each deposit that is made into the Trust Account under the note. As of June 30, 2024 and December 31, 2023, the Sponsor has earned the right to be issued 13,200 and 3,300 Class A ordinary shares of the Company upon the successful completion of a Business Combination, respectively.

The Company determined that redemption upon a Business Combination would create a substantial premium due to the issuance of the Class A ordinary shares to the Sponsor. In accordance with ASC 815-15-25, the proceeds from the issuance of the Funding Undertaking and Promissory Note with the Sponsor were allocated to the note and to the redemption of the note upon a successful Business Combination using the with-and-without method. Under this method, the Company first allocated the proceeds from the issuance of the note to the redemption feature based on their initial fair value measurement of \$1,593 as of November 7, 2023, \$1,596 as of December 4, 2023, \$1,604 as of January 1, 2024, \$1,614 as of February 1, 2024, \$1,622 as of March 5, 2024, \$1,989 as of April 3, 2024, \$2,364 as of April 30, 2024, and \$2,379 as of May 30, 2024. The measurement of the fair value of the redemption feature was determined by applying a probability weighted adjustment for a successful Business Combination to the trading value of the Class A ordinary shares on the date of each draw. See Note 9 for additional details on the assumptions used. As of June 30, 2024 and December 31, 2023 the discount is \$16,175 and \$2,841, respectively, with the change in fair value of \$1,762 included in the accompanying unaudited condensed statements of operations.

The Company complies with ASC Topic 835, *Interest* ("ASC 835"). In accordance with ASC 835-30, discounts to the principal amounts are included in the carrying value of the notes and amortized to "Interest expense" over the remaining term of the underlying debt to the Maturity Date. During the three and six months ended June 30, 2024 the Company recorded \$6,732 and \$11,572 of debt discount upon the draws under the note, respectively. During the three and six months ended June 30, 2023 the Company recorded \$0 of debt discount upon the draws under the note. The discount is being amortized to interest expense over the term of the debt to the date that the Company has to complete a Business Combination of November 2, 2024. The carrying value of the promissory notes, net of discount are \$1,390,935 and \$345,608 as of June 30, 2024 and December 31, 2023, respectively. For the three and six months ended June 30, 2024 the amortization of the discount resulted in interest expense of \$9,143 and \$12,203, respectively. For the three and six months ended June 30, 2023, there was \$0 amortization of the discount.

On November 2, 2023, the Company entered into a Funding Undertaking and Promissory Note with Seaside in connection with deposits to be made into the Trust Account in relation to the extension. Commencing on the Initial Funding Date and on the first business day of each month thereafter until the earliest to occur of (i) the Maturity Date, (ii) the date the winding up or liquidation of the Company becomes effective, and (iii) July 2, 2024, Seaside will fund non-interest bearing deposits of \$37,942 into the Trust Account. On the Maturity Date, the Company will pay Seaside an amount equal to the aggregate amount funded. In the event that the Company winds up or liquidates prior to the Maturity Date, Seaside will have no claims under this agreement and the Company has no obligation to pay Seaside under this agreement. Deposits were made into the Trust Account on each of November 7, 2023, December 4, 2023, December 28, 2023, January 30, 2024, February 28, 2024, March 28, 2024, April 29, 2024, May 28, 2024, and June 28, 2024. As of June 30, 2024 and December 31, 2023, \$341,641 and \$113,808, respectively, was outstanding under this note.

On November 2, 2023, the Company entered into a Funding Undertaking and Promissory Notes with Capricorn in connection with deposits to be made into the Trust Account in relation to the extension. Commencing on the Initial Funding Date and on the first business day of each month thereafter until the earliest to occur of (i) the Maturity Date, (ii) the date the winding up or liquidation of the Company becomes effective, and (iii) July 2, 2024, Capricorn will fund non-interest bearing deposits of \$37,942 into the Trust Account. On the Maturity Date, the Company will pay Capricorn an amount equal to the aggregate amount funded. In the event that the Company winds up or liquidates prior to the Maturity Date, Capricorn will have no claims under this agreement and the Company has no obligation to pay Capricorn under this agreement. Deposits were made into the Trust Account on each of November 7, 2023, December 4, 2023, December 28, 2023, January 30, 2024, February 28, 2024, March 28, 2024, April 29, 2024, and May 31, 2024. As of June 30, 2024 and December 31, 2023, \$303,536 and \$113,826, respectively, was outstanding under this note.

For the Funding Undertaking and Promissory Notes with Seaside and Capricorn, the Company evaluated whether the agreements would meet the scope exception for common control under ASC 835-30, *Interest – Imputation of Interest.* The Company determined that the agreements would not meet the scope exception. As such, the Company determined that a discount should be recorded on the proceeds from the notes. The discount will be amortized over the length of the loans. The Company considered this to be the date that the Company had to complete a Business Combination at the time of the draw, as a Business Combination cannot be considered probable to occur until it is consummated. The Company recorded the discount on the notes as capital contributions increasing additional paid-in capital on the unaudited condensed statement of changes in shareholders' deficit on the date the loans were funded. As the Company would be unable to repay its debt obligations in the event that it fails to complete an initial Business Combination, its debt obligations are highly vulnerable to nonpayment and the Company is dependent on favorable business, financial, and economic conditions to be able to meet its financial commitments on debt obligations. As such, the Company determined that the effective interest rate on each funding date would be calculated by using the six month and one year CCC federal reserve rates interpolated for the term from the draw date until the date that the Company had to complete a Business Combination at the time of the draw. The interest rate on the dates of funding of November 7, 2023, December 4, 2023, December 28, 2023, January 30, 2024, February 28, 2024, March 28, 2024, April 29, 2024, May 31, 2024, and June 28, 2024, were 16.48%, 16.19%, 14.13%, 11.12%, 12.19%, 16.49%, 20.39%, 19.49%, and 20.52%, respectively. The discount recorded on the notes for the three and six months ended June 30, 2024, the amortization of the discount resulted in interest expense of \$19,549 and \$30,089, respectively. For the three

#### NOTE 6. COMMITMENTS AND CONTINGENCIES

#### **Registration Rights**

The holders of the Founder Shares, Private Placement Warrants and Public Warrants that may be issued upon conversion of the working capital loans (the "Working Capital Loans") (and any Class A ordinary shares issuable upon the exercise of the Private Placement Warrants and warrants issued upon conversion of the Working Capital Loans) are entitled to registration rights pursuant to the Registration Rights Agreement. The holders of these securities are entitled to make up to three demands, excluding short form demands, that the Company register such securities. In addition, the holders have certain "piggy-back" registration rights with respect to registration statements filed subsequent to consummation of a Business Combination. The Company bears the expenses incurred in connection with the filing of any such registration statements.

#### **Vendor Agreements**

Since inception, the Company has engaged a legal firm (the "Legal Advisor") to provide services related to the Company's Initial Public Offering, the search for a prospective initial Business Combination, and the structuring of a transaction. Fees incurred by the Legal Advisor have been recorded as accrued contingent legal costs on the balance sheets. The payment of these fees is contingent upon the consummation of a Business Combination. As of June 30, 2024 and December 31, 2023, the Company had accrued contingent legal costs of \$13,051,603 and \$6,449,593, respectively.

On September 19, 2023, the Company entered into an agreement with a financial advisory firm (the "First Financial Advisor") for financial advisory services such as structuring a transaction, assistance in negotiations, guidance on valuation in connection with a transaction, and other customary services in connection with a Business Combination. Pursuant to this agreement, the Company will pay the First Financial Advisor a fee of \$7,000,000 contingent upon the consummation of a Business Combination. Additionally, upon the consummation of a private investment in public equity ("PIPE") transaction, the Company will pay to the First Financial Advisor a fee equal to 3.5% of (i) the gross proceeds raised or received by any PIPE issuer and/or its shareholders in the PIPE transaction, plus (ii) any amounts remaining in the Trust Account as of the closing of a Business Combination after giving effect to all redemptions of shares of the Company elected by the shareholders of the Company ((i) and (ii) together, the "Proceeds") (the "PIPE Transaction Fee"). The PIPE Transaction Fee paid to the First Financial Advisor shall not be less than 1.75% of the Proceeds. In addition to the compensation payable outlined above, the Company shall reimburse the First Financial Advisor for all reasonable and documented legal and other advisors expenses incurred by the First Financial Advisor. Such expenses are subject to a broken deal discount, which is applied to each expense and is to be collected contingently upon the consummation of the Company's initial Business Combination. As of June 30, 2024, the total broken deal discount was \$156,921.

On June 27, 2024, the Company entered into an agreement with a financial advisory firm (the "Second Financial Advisor") to provide capital markets advisory services. Such services include developing a short- and long-term capital market strategy, comprehensive market analysis, and development of institutional investor relationships. The Second Financial Advisor will be paid an advisory fee of up to \$1,000,000 (the "Advisory Fee"), of which \$500,000 is payable upon the discretion of KME. The Advisory Fee may be paid in cash or 50,000 Class A Ordinary Shares per upon the consummation of an initial Business Combination.

On June 27, 2024, the Company entered into an agreement with the Second Financial Advisor to serve as a non-exclusive underwriter or placement agent with respect to a sale of equity or equity-linked securities in connection with the Company's initial Business Combination. The Second Financial Advisor will be paid a cash fee of 3.5% or 4% of the capital raised, dependent on the amount of capital raised by the Second Financial Advisor.

#### Other Agreements

Pursuant to a share award letter dated October 17, 2023, and amended on May 10, 2024, entered into by and between the Company and Harebell S.r.l. ("Harebell"), Harebell will be paid a finder's fee of 22,334 Class A ordinary shares in connection with consummation of the Target Business Combination. The Company evaluated the agreement pursuant to ASC 718. Under ASC 718, it was determined that as the share issuance is contingent upon the closing of the Target Business Combination, there is a performance condition that is required to be met. As a Business Combination cannot be considered probable until it occurs, the Company has determined that no expense will be recorded until the Company consummates its initial Business Combination.

#### **NOTE 7. WARRANTS**

A warrant holder may exercise their warrants only for a whole number of Class A ordinary shares. This means only a whole warrant may be exercised at a given time by a warrant holder. No fractional warrants will be issued upon separation of the Units and only whole warrants will trade. Accordingly, unless the warrant holder purchases at least two Units, they will not be able to receive or trade a whole warrant. The warrants will expire five years after the completion of an initial Business Combination, at 5:00 p.m., New York City time, or earlier upon redemption or liquidation.

The Company will not be obligated to deliver any Class A ordinary shares pursuant to the exercise of a warrant and will have no obligation to settle such warrant exercise unless a registration statement under the Securities Act with respect to the Class A ordinary shares underlying the warrants is then effective and a current prospectus relating thereto is current, subject to satisfying the obligations described below with respect to registration. No warrant will be exercisable and the Company will not be obligated to issue Class A ordinary shares upon exercise of a warrant unless Class A ordinary shares issuable upon such warrant exercise have been registered, qualified or deemed to be exempt under the securities laws of the state of residence of the registered holder of the warrants. In the event that the conditions in the two immediately preceding sentences are not satisfied with respect to a warrant, the holder of such warrant will not be entitled to exercise such warrant and such warrant may have no value and expire worthless. In no event will the Company be required to net cash settle any warrant. In the event that a registration statement is not effective for the exercised warrants, the purchaser of a Unit containing such warrant, if not cash settled, will have paid the full purchase price for the Unit solely for the Class A ordinary shares underlying such Unit.

The Company has agreed that as soon as practicable, but in no event later than 15 business days after the closing of an initial Business Combination, the Company will use commercially reasonable efforts to file with the SEC a registration statement covering the issuance of the Class A ordinary shares issuable upon exercise of the warrants, and the Company will use commercially reasonable efforts to cause the same to become effective within 60 business days after the closing of an initial Business Combination and to maintain the effectiveness of such registration statement and a current prospectus relating to those Class A ordinary shares until the warrants expire or are redeemed; provided that if the Class A ordinary shares are at the time of any exercise of a warrant not listed on a national securities exchange such that they satisfy the definition of a "covered security" under Section 18(b)(1) of the Securities Act, the Company may, at the option, require holders of Public Warrants who exercise their warrants to do so on a "cashless basis" in accordance with Section 3(a)(9) of the Securities Act and, in the event the Company so elects, the Company will not be required to file or maintain in effect a registration statement.

Redemption of warrants when the price per Class A ordinary share equals or exceeds \$18.00. Once the Public Warrants become exercisable, the Company may redeem the outstanding Public Warrants (except with respect to the Private Placement Warrants):

- in whole and not in part;
- at a price of \$0.01 per warrant;
- upon a minimum of thirty (30) days' prior written notice of redemption to each warrant holder; and
- if, and only if, the closing price of the Class A ordinary shares equals or exceeds \$18.00 per share (as adjusted for adjustments to the number of shares issuable upon exercise or the exercise price of a warrant from share divisions, share capitalizations, reorganizations, recapitalizations and the like) for any twenty (20) trading days within a 30-trading day period ending three (3) trading days before the Company sends the notice of redemption to the warrant holders.

The Company will not redeem the warrants for cash unless a registration statement under the Securities Act covering the issuance of the shares of Class A ordinary shares issuable upon exercise of the warrants is then effective and a current prospectus relating to those Class A ordinary shares is available throughout the 30-day redemption period, unless the warrants may be exercised on a cashless basis and such cashless exercise is exempt from registration under the Securities Act. If and when the warrants become redeemable, the Company may exercise the redemption right even if the Company is unable to register or qualify the underlying securities for sale under all applicable state securities laws.

Redemption of warrants when the price per share of Class A ordinary share equals or exceeds \$10.00. Commencing ninety days after the Public Warrants become exercisable, the Company may redeem the outstanding Public Warrants:

- in whole and not in part;
- at \$0.10 per warrant upon a minimum of 30 days' prior written notice of redemption provided that holders will be able to exercise their warrants on a cashless basis prior to redemption and receive a specified number of shares, based on the redemption date and the fair market value of the Company's Class A ordinary shares except as otherwise described below;
- if, and only if, the closing price of the Company's Class A ordinary shares equals or exceeds \$10.00 per Public Share (as adjusted for adjustments to the number of shares issuable upon exercise or the exercise price of a warrant from share divisions, share capitalizations, reorganizations, recapitalizations and the like) for any 20 trading days within the 30-trading day period ending three trading days before the Company sends the notice of redemption to the warrant holders; and
- if the closing price of the Company's Class A ordinary shares for any 20 trading days within a 30-trading day period ending on the third trading day prior to the date on which the Company sends the notice of redemption to the warrant holders is less than \$18.00 per share (as adjusted for adjustments to the number of shares issuable upon exercise or the exercise price of a warrant from share divisions, share capitalizations, recognizations, recapitalizations and the like), the Private Placement Warrants must also be concurrently called for redemption on the same terms as the outstanding Public Warrants, as described above.

In addition, if (x) the Company issues additional ordinary shares or equity-linked securities for capital raising purposes in connection with the closing of an initial Business Combination at an issue price or effective issue price of less than \$9.20 per ordinary share (with such issue price or effective issue price to be determined in good faith by the board of directors and, in the case of any such issuance to the Sponsor, Anchor Investors, or their affiliates, without taking into account any Founder Shares held by the Sponsor, the Company's Anchor Investors or such affiliates, as applicable, prior to such issuance) (the "Newly Issued Price"), (y) the aggregate gross proceeds from such issuances represent more than 60% of the total equity proceeds, and interest thereon, available for the funding of an initial Business Combination on the date of the completion of an initial Business Combination (net of redemptions), and (z) the volume weighted average trading price of the shares of Class A ordinary shares during the 20 trading day period starting on the trading day prior to the day on which the Company consummates an initial Business Combination (such price, the "Market Value") is below \$9.20 per share, the exercise price of the warrants will be adjusted (to the nearest cent) to be equal to 115% of the higher of the Market Value and the Newly Issued Price, and the \$18.00 per share redemption trigger prices described above under "Redemption of warrants when the price per Class A ordinary share equals or exceeds \$18.00" and "Redemption of warrants when the price per Class A ordinary share equals or exceeds \$18.00" and "Redemption of the Market Value and the Newly Issued Price.

The Private Placement Warrants are identical to the warrants sold as part of the Units in the Initial Public Offering except that, so long as they are held by the Sponsor, the A Anchor Investors, or their permitted transferees: (1) they will not be redeemable (except as described above under "Redemption of warrants when the price per Class A ordinary share equals or exceeds \$10.00"); (2) they (including the Class A ordinary shares issuable upon exercise of these warrants) may not, subject to certain limited exceptions, be transferred, assigned or sold by the Sponsor until 30 days after the completion of an initial Business Combination, as described below; (3) they may be exercised by the holders on a cashless basis; and (4) they (including the ordinary shares issuable upon exercise of these warrants) are entitled to registration rights.

The Company accounts for the 18,996,197 warrants that were issued in connection with the Initial Public Offering (9,997,623 Public Warrants and 8,998,574 Private Placement Warrants) in accordance with the guidance contained in ASC 815-40. Such guidance provides that because the warrants do not meet the criteria for equity treatment thereunder, each warrant must be recorded as a liability due to the existence of provisions whereby adjustments to the exercise price of the warrants is based on a variable that is not an input to the fair value of a "fixed-for-fixed" option and the existence of the potential for net cash settlement for the warrant holders (but not all shareholders) in the event of a tender offer.

The accounting treatment of derivative financial instruments requires that the Company record the warrants as derivative liabilities at fair value upon the closing of the Initial Public Offering. The Public Warrants were allocated a portion of the proceeds from the issuance of the Units equal to its fair value. This liability is subject to re-measurement at each balance sheet date. With each such re-measurement, the warrant liability will be adjusted to its current fair value, with the change in fair value recognized in the Company's unaudited condensed statements of operations. The Company will reassess the classification at each balance sheet date. If the classification changes as a result of events during the period, the warrants will be reclassified as of the date of the event that causes the reclassification.

#### NOTE 8. SHAREHOLDERS' DEFICIT

**Preference shares** — The Company is authorized to issue 5,000,000 preference shares, \$0.0001 par value, with such designations, voting and other rights and preferences as may be determined from time to time by the Company's board of directors. As of June 30, 2024 and December 31, 2023, there were no preference shares issued or outstanding.

Class A ordinary shares — The Company is authorized to issue 500,000,000 Class A ordinary shares with a par value of \$0.0001 per share. As of June 30, 2024 and December 31, 2023, there were 5,181,909 Class A ordinary shares issued and outstanding, including 5,181,909 Class A ordinary shares subject to possible redemption.

Class B ordinary shares — The Company is authorized to issue 50,000,000 Class B ordinary shares with a par value of \$0.0001 per share. As of June 30, 2024 and December 31, 2023, there were 4,998,811 Class B ordinary shares outstanding.

Ordinary shareholders of record are entitled to one vote for each share held on all matters to be voted on by shareholders. Holders of Class A ordinary shares and holders of Class B ordinary shares will vote together as a single class on all matters submitted to a vote of the Company's shareholders except as required by law.

The Class B ordinary shares will automatically convert into the Company's Class A ordinary shares at the time of an initial Business Combination at a ratio such that the number of Class A ordinary shares issued upon conversion of all Founder Shares will equal, in the aggregate, on an as-converted basis, 20% of the sum of (i) the total number of ordinary shares issued and outstanding upon completion of the Company's Initial Public Offering, plus (ii) the total number of Class A ordinary shares issued or deemed issued, by the Company in connection with or in relation to the consummation of an initial Business Combination, excluding any Class A ordinary shares or equity-linked securities exercisable for or convertible into Class A ordinary shares issued, deemed issued, or to be issued, to any seller in an initial Business Combination and any Private Placement Warrants issued to the Company's Sponsor, the A Anchor Investors, the Company's affiliates or any member of the management team upon conversion of the Working Capital Loans.

#### NOTE 9. FAIR VALUE MEASUREMENTS

The following table presents information about the Company's financial assets and liabilities that are measured at fair value on a recurring basis as of June 30, 2024 and December 31, 2023, and indicates the fair value hierarchy of the valuation inputs the Company utilized to determine such fair value:

	 mount at air Value	Level 1		Level 2	Level 3
June 30, 2024	_				
Liabilities					
Warrant liability – Public Warrants	\$ 2,399,430	\$ 2,399,430	\$	-	\$ -
Warrant liability - Private Placement Warrants	2,159,658	-		-	2,159,658
Convertible promissory notes - related party	168,100	-		-	168,100
Derivative liability - promissory note - related party redemption feature	16,175	16,175		-	-
	\$ 4,743,363	\$ 2,415,605	\$	_	\$ 2,327,758
December 31, 2023			_		
Liabilities					
Warrant liability – Public Warrants	\$ 299,929	\$ 299,929	\$	-	\$ -
Warrant liability – Private Placement Warrants	269,957	-		-	269,957
Convertible promissory notes - related party	55,500	-		-	55,500
Derivative liability - promissory note - related party redemption feature	2,841	2,841		-	-
	\$ 628,227	\$ 302,770	\$	_	\$ 325,457

The measurement of the Public Warrants as of June 30, 2024 and December 31, 2023 is classified as Level 1 due to the use of an observable market quote in an active market under the ticker SEDA.WS. The quoted price of the Public Warrants was \$0.24 and \$0.03 per warrant as of June 30, 2024 and December 31, 2023, respectively.

The Company utilizes a Monte Carlo simulation model to value the Private Placement Warrants at each reporting period, with changes in fair value recognized in the unaudited condensed statements of operations. The estimated fair value of the Private Placement warrant liability is determined using Level 3 inputs. Inherent in a Monte Carlo simulation model are assumptions related to expected share-price volatility, expected life, risk-free interest rate and dividend yield. The Company estimates the volatility of its ordinary shares based on historical volatility. The risk-free interest rate is based on the U.S. Treasury zero-coupon yield curve on the grant date for a maturity similar to the expected remaining life of the warrants. The expected life of the warrants is assumed to be equivalent to their remaining contractual term. The dividend rate is based on the historical rate, which the Company anticipates to remain at zero.

The Company utilizes a Black-Scholes model to value the Promissory Notes at each reporting period, with changes in fair value recognized in the unaudited condensed statements of operations. The estimated fair value of the Promissory Notes is determined using Level 3 inputs. Inherent in the Black-Scholes model are assumptions related to expected warrant volatility, expected term, risk-free interest rate, dividend yield, warrant fair value, and exercise price. The Company estimates the volatility of its warrants based on historical volatility for a period commensurate with the expected term. The expected term of the warrants is assumed to be equivalent to their remaining contractual term. The risk-free interest rate is based on the U.S. Treasury zero-coupon yield curve on the grant date for a maturity similar to the expected remaining life of the warrants. The dividend rate is based on the historical rate, which the Company anticipates remaining at zero.

The aforementioned warrant liabilities are not subject to qualified hedge accounting.

The measurement of the Derivative liability - promissory note – related party redemption feature as of June 30, 2024 and December 31, 2023 is classified using Level 1 inputs due to the use of an observable market quote in an active market under the ticker SEDA. The fair value of the Derivative liability promissory note – related party redemption feature was calculated by using the quoted price of the Company's shares on the date of each deposit made by the Sponsor into the Trust Account. On November 7, 2023, December 7, 2023, January 3, 2024, February 1, 2024, March 5, 2024, April 3, 2024, April 30, 2024, and May 30, 2024 the closing price of the Company's shares was \$10.73, \$10.75, \$10.80, \$10.92, \$10.96, \$11.02, and \$11.09 respectively. Management used the estimated probability of completion of a business combination to calculate the fair value of the shares. The fair value of the Derivative liability – promissory note – related party redemption feature as of June 30, 2024 and December 31, 2023 was calculated by using the quoted price of the Company's shares of \$11.14 and \$10.76, respectively, and estimated probability of completion of a Business Combination.

Transfers to/from Levels 1, 2 and 3 are recognized at the end of the reporting period. As of June 30, 2024 and December 31, 2023 there were no transfers between levels.

The following table provides the significant inputs to the Monte Carlo simulation model for the fair value of the Private Placement Warrants:

	J	As of une 30, 2024	As of December 31, 2023		
Stock price	\$	11.14	\$	10.76	
Exercise price	\$	11.50	\$	11.50	
Dividend yield		-%		-%	
Expected term (in years)		5.25		5.50	
Volatility		5.3%		5.9%	
Risk-free rate		4.24%		3.78%	
Fair value	\$	0.24	\$	0.03	

The following table provides the significant inputs to the Black-Scholes simulation model for the fair value of the Promissory Notes:

	As of April 29, 2024 (Initial Measurement)		As of May 14, 2024 (Initial Measurement)		As of May 31, 2024 (Initial Measurement)		As of June 18, 2024 (Initial Measurement)		As of June 24, 2024 (Initial Measurement)		As of June 27, 2024 (Initial Measurement)		As of June 30, 2024		As of December 31, 2023	
Warrant fair value	\$	0.25	\$	0.20	\$	0.20	\$	0.20	\$	0.20	\$	0.20	\$	0.24	\$	0.03
Exercise price	\$	1.00	\$	1.00	\$	1.00	\$	1.00	\$	1.00	\$	1.00	\$	1.00	\$	1.00
Dividend yield		-%		-%		-%		-%		-%		-%		-%		-%
Expected term (in years)		0.18		0.37		0.37		0.37		0.37		0.37		0.34		0.51
Warrant volatility		326.8%		267.9%		267.9%		267.9%		267.9%		267.9%		246.7%		283.1%
Risk-free rate		5.50%		5.40%		5.40%		5.40%		5.40%		5.40%		5.40%		5.30%

The following table presents the changes in the fair value of the Company's Level 3 financial instruments that are measured at fair value:

Fair value as of December 31, 2022 - Private Placement Warrants	\$	1,439,771	
Change in fair value		269,958	
Fair value as of March 31, 2023 - Private Placement Warrants	\$	1,709,729	
Change in fair value	\$	(809,872)	
Fair value as of June 30, 2023 - Private Placement Warrants			
Fair value as of December 31, 2023 - Level 3 investments	\$	325,457	
Change in fair value of Private Placement Warrants		1,079,829	
Change in fair value of convertible promissory notes - related party		24,200	
Fair value as of March 31, 2024 - Level 3 investments	\$	1,429,486	
Change in fair value of Private Placement Warrants		809,872	
Initial value of draw on convertible promissory note - related party on April 29, 2024		45,500	
Initial value of draw on convertible promissory note - related party on May 14, 2024		4,550	
Initial value of draw on convertible promissory note - related party May 31, 2024		4,550	
Initial value of draw on convertible promissory note - related party June 18, 2024		4,550	
Initial value of draw on convertible promissory note - related party June 24, 2024		4,550	
Initial value of draw on convertible promissory note - related party June 27, 2024		36,400	
Change in fair value of convertible promissory notes - related party		(11,700)	
Fair value as of June 30, 2024 - Level 3 investments	\$	2,327,758	

The Company recognized a loss of \$1,709,659 and \$3,989,202 for the three and six months ended June 30, 2024, and a gain of \$1,709,658 and \$1,139,772 for the three and six months ended June 30, 2023, in connection with changes in the fair value of the Public Warrants and Private Placement Warrants, which is recorded in the unaudited condensed statements of operations.

#### NOTE 10. SUBSEQUENT EVENTS

The Company evaluated subsequent events and transactions that occurred after the balance sheet date up to the date that the unaudited condensed financial statements were issued. Based upon this review, other than as disclosed in Note 1, the Company did not identify any subsequent events that would have required adjustment or disclosure in the unaudited condensed financial statements.

#### ITEM 2. MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS OF FINANCIAL CONDITION AND RESULTS OF OPERATIONS

References in this report (the "Quarterly Report") to "we," "us," "SEDA," or the "Company" are to SDCL EDGE Acquisition Corporation. References to our "management" or our "management team" refer to our officers and directors, and references to the "Sponsor" are to SDCL EDGE Sponsor LLC, a Cayman Islands limited liability company. References to our "initial investors" refer to our Sponsor, the Anchor Investors and any other holders of our shares prior to the Initial Public Offering. The following discussion and analysis of the Company's financial condition and results of operations should be read in conjunction with the financial statements and the notes thereto contained elsewhere in this Quarterly Report. Certain information contained in the discussion and analysis set forth below includes forward-looking statements that involve risks and uncertainties. Our actual results may differ materially from those anticipated in these forward-looking statements as a result of many factors.

#### **Special Note Regarding Forward-Looking Statements**

This Quarterly Report includes "forward-looking statements" within the meaning of Section 27A of the Securities Act of 1933, as amended (the "Securities Act") and Section 21E of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended (the "Exchange Act") that are not historical facts and involve risks and uncertainties that could cause actual results to differ materially from those expected and projected. All statements, other than statements of historical fact included in this Quarterly Report including, without limitation, statements in this "Management's Discussion and Analysis of Financial Condition and Results of Operations" regarding the Company's financial position, business strategy and the plans and objectives of management for future operations, including with respect to our recently announced proposed business combination with the Target (as defined below), are forward-looking statements. Words such as "expect," "believe," "anticipate," "intend," "estimate," "seek," "may," "might," "project," "possible," "might," "predict," "should," "would," and variations and similar words and expressions are intended to identify such forward-looking statements. Such forward-looking statements relate to future events or future performance, but reflect management's current beliefs, based on information currently available. A number of factors could cause actual events, performance or results to differ materially from the events, performance and results discussed in the forward-looking statements. For information identifying important factors that could cause actual results to differ materially from those anticipated in the forward-looking statements. Please refer to the Risk Factors section of the Company's Form 10-K for the year ended December 31, 2023 filed with the U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission (the "SEC") on April 16, 2024, and in our other filings with the SEC, including in the registration statement on Form F-4, the proxy statement/prospectus contained therein that PubCo (as defined below) has filed with the

#### Overview

We are a blank check company incorporated on February 16, 2021 as a Cayman Islands exempted company for the purpose of effecting a merger, share exchange, asset acquisition, share purchase, reorganization or similar business combination with one or more businesses or entities ("Business Combination"). On February 20, 2024, we entered into a business combination agreement (the "Business Combination Agreement") with (i) Specialty Copper Listco Plc, a public limited company registered in England and Wales with registered number 15395590 ("PubCo"), (ii) SEDA Magnet LLC, a Delaware limited liability company ("Merger Sub"), (iii) MAGNET Joint Venture GmbH, a limited liability company

organized under the laws of Germany, registered with the commercial register of the local court of Osnabrück under registration number HRB 217397 ("JV GmbH"), (iv) PP S&C Holding GmbH, a limited liability company organized under the laws of Germany, registered with the commercial register of the local court of Munich under registration number HRB 275474 ("PP Holding"), (v) cunova GmbH, a limited liability company organized under the laws of Germany, registered with the commercial register of the local court of Osnabrück under registration number HRB 216155 ("Cunova"), (vi) KME SE, a stock corporation organized under the laws of Germany, registered with the commercial register of the local court of Osnabrück under registration number HRB 213357 ("KME"), (vii) Creature Kingdom Limited, a private limited company registered in England and Wales with registered number 06799429 ("Creature Kingdom"), and (viii) The Paragon Fund III GmbH & Co. geschlossene Investment KG, a limited partnership organized under the laws of Germany, registered with the commercial register of the local court of Munich under registration number HRA 110100 ("Paragon") and (ix) Mr. Edward Wilson Davis, solely in the capacity as the representative for the shareholders of the Company (the "SEDA Representative" and together with the Company, PubCo, Merger Sub, JV GmbH, PP Holding, Cunova, KME, Creature Kingdom and Paragon, the "Parties") for a proposed Business Combination (the "Target Business Combination") with the Target as defined below. For more information about the proposed Target Business Combination, see our Current Report on Form 8-K filed with the SEC on February 20, 2024, the Target Disclosure Statement filed with the SEC and the Target Disclosure Statement that PubCo has filed with the SEC. Unless specifically stated, this Quarterly Report does not give effect to the proposed Target Business Combination and does not contain the risks associated with the proposed Target Business Combination. Such risks and effects relating to the proposed Target Business Combination are included in our preliminary prospectus/proxy statement included in a registration statement on Form F-4 that PubCo has filed with the SEC relating to the proposed Target Business Combination (the "Target Disclosure Statement"). We intend to effectuate our initial Business Combination using cash from the proceeds of our Initial Public Offering (defined below) and the sale of the Private Placement Warrants (defined below), shares issued to the owners of the target, debt issued to bank or other lenders or the owners of the target, or a combination of the foregoing or other sources.

On July 2, 2024 the Business Combination Agreement automatically terminated in accordance with its terms (the "Termination"). As a result of the Termination, the Business Combination Agreement, and certain agreements entered into in connection with the Business Combination Agreement, will be of no further force and effect. The Parties are continuing to actively pursue the same business combination, including revising financing terms to reflect market feedback.

We expect to continue to incur significant costs in the pursuit of our acquisition plans. We cannot assure you that our plans to complete a Business Combination will be successful.

#### **Recent Developments**

For more information about the proposed Business Combination and related agreements and notes, see our Annual Report on Form 10-K filed with the SEC on April 16, 2024 and the Target Disclosure Statement that PubCo has filed with the SEC. Unless specifically stated, this Quarterly Report does not give effect to the proposed Business Combination and does not contain the risks associated with the proposed Business Combination. Such risks and effects relating to the proposed Business Combination are included in the Target Disclosure Statement.

#### Charter Amendment

On October 30, 2023, we held an Extraordinary General Meeting of Company shareholders (the "2023 Extraordinary General Meeting"). At the 2023 Extraordinary General Meeting, the Company's shareholders were asked to approve a proposal to amend the Charter to extend the date by which we must consummate an initial Business Combination (the "Charter Amendment Proposal") from November 2, 2023 to March 2, 2024 (the "Extended Date") and to allow the board of directors of the Company, without another shareholder vote, to elect to further extend the date to consummate an initial Business Combination after the Extended Date up to four times, by an additional month each time, up to July 2, 2024. On February 27, 2024, the Board approved a first extension of the date by which the Company must consummate an initial Business Combination from March 2, 2024 to April 2, 2024. On March 27, 2024, the Board approved a second extension of the date by which the Company must consummate an initial Business Combination from April 2, 2024 to May 2, 2024. On May 24, 2024, the Board approved a fourth extension of the date by which the Company must consummate an initial Business Combination from May 2, 2024 to June 2, 2024. On May 24, 2024, the Board approved a fourth extension of the date by which the Company must consummate an initial Business combination from June 2, 2024 to July 2, 2024.

At the 2023 Extraordinary General Meeting, the Company's shareholders approved the Charter Amendment Proposal, and the Charter amendment became effective on October 30, 2023, upon the filing thereof with the Companies Registrar of the Cayman Islands. The foregoing description is qualified in its entirety by reference to the Amended and Restated Certificate of Incorporation, a copy of which was attached as Exhibit 3.1 to our Form 10-K filed with the SEC on April 16, 2024, and is incorporated by reference herein.

On June 27, 2024, we held an Extraordinary General Meeting of Company shareholders (the "2024 Extraordinary General Meeting,"). At the 2024 Extraordinary General Meeting, the Company's shareholders were asked to approve a proposal to amend the Charter to extend the date by which we must consummate an initial Business Combination (the "2024 Charter Amendment Proposal") from July 2, 2024 to August 2, 2024, (the "2024 Extended Date") and to allow the board of directors of the Company, without another shareholder vote to elect to further extend the date to consummate an initial Business Combination after the 2024 Extended Date up to three times, by an additional month each time, up to November 2, 2024. In connection with the Extension Proposal the Company received redemption requests for an aggregate of 7,996,024 Class A ordinary shares, representing approximately 60.7% of the issued and outstanding Class A ordinary shares. As a result, \$89,302,174 has been paid out by the Company's Trust Account in connection with the redemptions, representing a redemption price per Class A ordinary share of approximately \$11.16. The redemptions were paid out to redeeming shareholders on July 1, 2024. On July 30, 2024, the Board approved a first extension of the date by which the Company must consummate an initial Business Combination from August 2, 2024 to September 2, 2024 pursuant to the 2024 Charter Amendment.

At the 2024 Extraordinary General Meeting, the Company shareholders approved the 2024 Charter Amendment Proposal, and this Charter amendment became effective on June 27, 2024, upon the filing thereof with the Cayman Islands Registrar of Companies. The foregoing description is qualified in its entirety by reference to the Amendment to Amended and Restated Certificate of Incorporation, a copy of which was attached as Exhibit 3.1 to our Form 8-K filed with the SEC on June 28, 2024 and is incorporated by reference herein

#### Business Combination Agreement and Subsequent Termination

On February 20, 2024, (i) the Company, (ii) Specialty Copper Listco Plc, a public limited company registered in England and Wales with registered number 15395590 ("PubCo"), (iii) SEDA Magnet LLC, a Delaware limited liability company (the "Merger Sub"), (iv) MAGNET Joint Venture GmbH, a limited liability company organized under the laws of Germany, registered with the commercial register of the local court of Osnabrück under registration number HRB 217397 ("JV GmbH"), (v) PP S&C Holding GmbH, a limited liability company organized under the laws of Germany, registered with the commercial register of the local court of Munich under registration number HRB 275474, (vi) cunova GmbH, a limited liability company organized under the laws of Germany, registered with the commercial register of the local court of Osnabrück under registration number HRB 216155 ("Cunova"), (vii) KME SE, a stock corporation organized under the laws of Germany, registered with the commercial register of the local court of Osnabrück under registration number HRB 213357 ("KME"), (viii) Creature Kingdom Limited, a private limited company registered in England and Wales with registered number 06799429, (ix) The Paragon Fund III GmbH & Co. geschlossene Investment KG, a limited partnership organized under the laws of Germany, registered with the commercial register of the local court of Munich under registration number HRB 110100 ("Paragon") and (x) Mr. Edward Wilson Davis, solely in the capacity as the representative for the shareholders of the Company, entered into a business combination agreement (as amended from time to time, the "Business Combination Agreement"), pursuant to which several transactions relating to the special product business of Cunova, which is a wholly owned subsidiary of JV GmbH, and certain assets of KME comprising the KME specialty aerospace business (the "Aerospace Business" and, together with Cunova, the "Target") will occur, and in connection therewith, PubCo will become the ultimate parent company of Merger Sub, JV Gmb

Pursuant to the Business Combination Agreement, and upon the terms and subject to the conditions set forth therein:

- (i) The Company will merge with and into Merger Sub, a wholly owned subsidiary of PubCo (the "Merger"), with Merger Sub being the surviving entity in the merger (the time at which the Merger becomes effective, the "Merger Effective Time");
- (ii) in connection with the Merger, (a) each outstanding Company Class B ordinary share, par value \$0.0001 per share (the "SEDA Class B Shares") will be converted (unless otherwise agreed in writing) into 0.893 of the Company Class A ordinary shares, par value \$0.0001 per share (the "SEDA Class A Shares," and together with the SEDA Class B Shares, the "SEDA Shares"), (b) each outstanding SEDA Class A Share will be automatically cancelled and converted into PubCo ordinary shares at an exchange ratio of 1.119375, each such PubCo ordinary share having a par value of £1 per share (the "PubCo Shares"), and (c) each outstanding warrant of the Company will be automatically adjusted to entitle the holder to purchase one whole PubCo Share at a price of \$11.50 per PubCo Share;
- (iii) on the Exchange Date (as defined below) (and, if applicable, immediately after the closing contemplated of any Financing (as defined below)), PubCo will (a) redeem the redeemable preference share in PubCo held by Creature Kingdom, and (b) purchase from Creature Kingdom the ordinary share in PubCo held by Creature Kingdom in exchange for the release of the undertaking to pay the subscription price of such redeemable share; and
- (iv) on the Exchange Date (as defined below), (a) Paragon will transfer its shares in PP Holding and a certain shareholder loan to PubCo in exchange for cash and a vendor loan agreement by and between Paragon and PubCo, (b) Cunova will redeem the preference share of Cunova with the number 25,001 (the "Cunova Preference Share") in consideration for the transfer of the preference share of KME AssetCo GmbH ("KME AssetCo") with the number 25,001 (the "KME AssetCo Preference Share") by Cunova to KME Special Products GmbH & Co. KG ("KME Special"), and (c) KME will cause (i) KME Germany GmbH ("KME Germany"), KME Mansfeld GmbH ("KME Mansfeld") and KME America Inc. (together with KME Germany and KME Mansfeld, the "Aerospace Business Sellers") to transfer to Cunova the KME specialty aerospace business in exchange for a vendor loan debt instrument issued by Cunova (the "Aerospace VLN") and which the Aerospace Business Sellers will transfer to KME Special and KME Special, in turn, will contribute the Aerospace VLN to PubCo in exchange for PubCo Shares; and (ii) KME Special to transfer its shares in JV GmbH and a certain shareholder loan between KME Special and JV GmbH to PubCo in exchange for PubCo Shares and cash ((a)-(c) the "Exchange" and the date on which the Exchange occurs, the "Exchange Date").

# Sponsor Support Agreement

On February 20, 2024, in connection with the execution of the Business Combination Agreement, the Company entered into a sponsor support agreement (the "Sponsor Support Agreement") with PubCo and Sponsor as a holder of private warrants of the Company ("SEDA Private Warrants") (purchased in a private placement contemporaneously with the initial public offering of the Company) and a holder of SEDA Class B Shares. Pursuant to the Sponsor Support Agreement, upon the terms and subject to the conditions set forth therein, until the earlier of the Merger Effective Time and the date and time, if any, that the Business Combination Agreement is terminated, the Sponsor agreed to, among other things: (i) inter alia, vote any SEDA Shares that it owns in favor of the proposals regarding the Target Business Combination; (ii) not redeem or effect any sale or distribution of any SEDA Shares or SEDA Warrants that it owns; (iii) convert its 2,639,375 SEDA Class B Shares into 1,593,941 SEDA Class A Shares; and (iv) at closing of the Target Business Combination (the "Closing"), enter into a registration rights agreement based on the term sheet scheduled to the Business Combination Agreement.

# Anchor Support Agreement

On February 20, 2024, in connection with the execution of the Business Combination Agreement, the Company entered into an anchor support agreement (the "Anchor Support Agreement") with PubCo and each of Sustainable Investors Fund, LP ("Capricorn") and Seaside Holdings (Nominee) Limited ("Seaside" and, together with Capricorn, the "A Anchor Investors") as holders of public warrants of the Company ("SEDA Public Warrants" and, together with the SEDA Private Warrants, the "SEDA Warrants") (purchased in the initial public offering of the Company) and SEDA Class A Shares and SEDA Class B Shares. Pursuant to the Anchor Support Agreement, upon the terms and subject to the conditions set forth therein, until the earlier of the Merger Effective Time and the date and time, if any, that the Business Combination Agreement is terminated, each A Anchor Investor agreed to, among other things: (i) vote any SEDA Shares that it owns in favor of the proposals regarding the Target Business Combination; (ii) not redeem or effect any sale or distribution of any SEDA Shares or SEDA Warrants that it owns; (iii) convert its 499,881 SEDA Class B Shares into 283,291 SEDA Class A Shares; and (iv) at Closing, enter into a registration rights agreement based on the term sheet scheduled to the Business Combination Agreement.

On July 2, 2024, the Business Combination Agreement automatically terminated in accordance with its terms. As a result of the Termination, the Business Combination Agreement, and certain agreements entered into in connection with the Business Combination Agreement, will be of no further force and effect.

The parties to the Business Combination Agreement are continuing to actively pursue the same business combination, including revising financing terms to reflect market feedback. SEDA will update investors with the terms of the revised Business Combination Agreement if and when available.

The completion of the Business Combination is subject to, among other things, the completion of due diligence, the negotiation of definitive agreements for the Business Combination (the "Definitive Agreements"), satisfaction of the conditions negotiated therein, approval of the transaction by the board and shareholders of both the Company and Target, as well as regulatory approvals and other customary conditions. There can be no assurance that the Business Combination will be consummated on the terms or timeframe currently contemplated, or at all.

# Promissory Notes

On September 8, 2023, we entered into a Promissory Note with our Sponsor ("Sponsor Loan") for up to one million two hundred thousand dollars (\$1,200,000). Pursuant to the Sponsor Loan, the Sponsor, in its sole and absolute discretion, may fund costs reasonably related to our consummation of an initial Business Combination in response to our written request for drawdown of loan principal from time to time until the date on which we consummate an initial Business Combination. The principal balance of the Sponsor Loan shall be payable on the earliest to occur of (i) the date on which we consummate our initial Business Combination and (ii) the date that our winding up is effective. Outstanding loan amounts are convertible, at the Sponsor's option, into certain warrants with holders entitled to certain specified registration rights under that certain registration rights agreement by and among the Company, Sponsor and certain other investors in the initial public offering of the Company (the "Initial Public Offering"), dated as of October 28, 2021 (the "Registration Rights Agreement"). The maturity date of the Sponsor Loan may be accelerated upon the occurrence of an Event of Default (as defined therein). Any outstanding principal under the Sponsor Loan may be prepaid at any time by the Company at its election and without penalty. On October 2, 2023, we drew down \$300,000 pursuant to the Sponsor Loan. On December 14, 2023, we drew down an additional \$300,000 pursuant to the Sponsor Loan. On April 19, 2024, we drew down an additional \$300,000 pursuant to the Sponsor Loan. As of June 30, 2024 and December 31, 2023, there was \$1,200,000 and \$600,000, respectively, outstanding on the Sponsor Loan.

On September 29, 2023, we entered into a Promissory Note with Seaside ("Seaside Loan") for up to one hundred fifty thousand dollars (\$150,000). Pursuant to the Seaside Loan, Seaside, in its sole and absolute discretion, may fund costs reasonably related to our consummation of an initial Business Combination in response to our written request for drawdown of loan principal from time to time until the date on which we consummate an initial Business Combination. The principal balance of the Seaside Loan shall be payable on the earliest to occur of (i) the date on which we consummate our initial Business Combination and (ii) the date that our winding up is effective. Outstanding loan amounts are convertible, at Seaside's option, into certain warrants with holders entitled to certain specified registration rights under the Registration Rights Agreement. The maturity date of the Seaside Loan may be accelerated upon the occurrence of an Event of Default (as defined therein). Any outstanding principal under the Seaside Loan may be prepaid at any time by the Company at its election and without penalty. On October 4, 2023, we drew down \$37,500 pursuant to the Seaside Loan. On December 18, 2023, we drew down an additional \$37,500 pursuant to the Seaside Loan. On April 19, 2024, we drew down an additional \$37,500 pursuant to the Seaside Loan. As of June 30, 2024 and December 31, 2023, there was \$150,000 and \$75,000, respectively, outstanding on the Seaside Loan.

On October 10, 2023, we entered into a Promissory Note with Capricorn ("Capricorn Loan") for up to one hundred fifty thousand dollars (\$150,000). Pursuant to the Capricorn Loan, Capricorn, in its sole and absolute discretion, may fund costs reasonably related to our consummation of an initial Business Combination in response to our written request for drawdown of loan principal from time to time until the date on which we consummate an initial Business Combination. The principal balance of the Capricorn Loan shall be payable on the earliest to occur of (i) the date on which we consummate our initial Business Combination and (ii) the date that our winding up is effective. Outstanding loan amounts are convertible, at Capricorn's option, into certain warrants with holders entitled to certain specified registration rights under the Registration Rights Agreement. The maturity date of the Capricorn Loan may be accelerated upon the occurrence of an Event of Default (as defined therein). Any outstanding principal under the Capricorn Loan may be prepaid at any time by the Company at its election and without penalty. On November 13, 2023, we drew down \$37,500 pursuant to the Capricorn Loan. On May 14, 2024, we drew down \$37,500 pursuant to the Capricorn Loan. On May 31, 2024, we drew down \$37,500 pursuant to the Capricorn Loan. As of June 30, 2024, and December 31, 2023, there was \$150,000 and \$37,500, respectively, outstanding on the Capricorn Loan.

# Funding Undertaking and Promissory Notes

On November 2, 2023, we entered into a Funding Undertaking and Promissory Note (the "Sponsor Funding Undertaking") for up to one hundred seventy-four thousand one hundred sixteen dollars (\$174,116). Pursuant to the Sponsor Funding Undertaking, the Sponsor has agreed to make deposits of additional funds ("Extension Fundings") into the Trust Account (as defined below) for the aggregate benefit of public shares that are not redeemed by public shareholders at the October 2023 Extraordinary General Meeting to approve the Charter Amendment Proposal, for each month, or pro rata portion thereof if less than a month, until the earlier of (i) the date on which the Company consummates an initial Business Combination, and (ii) July 2, 2024 (or any earlier date of termination, dissolution or winding up of the Company as determined in the sole discretion of the Company's board of directors). Interest does not accrue on this note. The Extension Fundings shall become repayable on the date the Company consummates an initial Business Combination ("Maturity Date"). Pursuant to the Sponsor Funding Undertaking, and solely in the event the Company consummates an initial Business Combination, the Company shall issue up to 13,200 Class A ordinary shares (1,650 Class A ordinary shares for each deposit that is made into the Trust Account under the note) to the Sponsor. On the Maturity Date, the Company will pay the Sponsor an amount equal to the aggregate amount funded. In the event that the Company winds up or liquidates prior to the Maturity Date, the Sponsor will have no claims under this agreement and the Company has no obligation to pay the Sponsor under this agreement. As of June 30, 2024 and December 31, 2023, \$1,392,928 and \$348,232, respectively, was outstanding under the Sponsor Funding Undertaking. As of June 30, 2024 and December 31, 2023, \$1,392,928 and \$348,232, respectively, was outstanding under the Sponsor Funding Undertaking. As of June 30, 2024 and December 31, 2023, the Sponsor has earned the right to be issued 13,20

The Company determined that redemption upon a Business Combination would create a substantial premium due to the issuance of the Class A ordinary shares to the Sponsor. In accordance with ASC 815-15-25, the proceeds from the issuance of the Funding Undertaking and Promissory Note with the Sponsor were allocated to the note and to the redemption of the note upon a successful Business Combination using the with-and-without method. Under this method, the Company first allocated the proceeds from the issuance of the note to the redemption feature based on their initial fair value measurement of \$1,593 as of November 7, 2023, \$1,596 as of December 4, 2023, \$1,604 as of January 1, 2024, \$1,614 as of February 1, 2024, \$1,622 as of March 5, 2024, \$1,989 as of April 3, 2024, \$2,364 as of April 30, 2024, and \$2,379 as of May 30, 2024. The measurement of the fair value of the redemption feature was determined by applying a probability weighted adjustment for a successful Business Combination to the trading value of the Class A ordinary shares on the date of each draw. See Note 9 for additional details on the assumptions used. As of June 30, 2024 and December 31, 2023 the discount is \$16,175 and \$0, respectively, with the change in fair value of \$1,762 included in the accompanying unaudited condensed statements of operations.

The Company complies with ASC Topic 835, *Interest* ("ASC 835"). In accordance with ASC 835-30, discounts to the principal amounts are included in the carrying value of the notes and amortized to "Interest expense" over the remaining term of the underlying debt to the Maturity Date. During the three and six months ended June 30, 2024 the Company recorded \$6,732 and \$11,572 of debt discount upon the draws under the note, respectively. During the three and six months ended June 30, 2023 the Company recorded \$0 of debt discount upon the draws under the note. The discount is being amortized to interest expense over the term of the debt to the date that the Company has to complete a Business Combination of November 2, 2024. The carrying value of the promissory notes, net of discount are \$1,390,935 and \$345,608 as of June 30, 2024 and December 31, 2023, respectively. For the three and six months ended June 30, 2024 the amortization of the discount resulted in interest expense of \$9,143 and \$12,203, respectively. For the three and six months ended June 30, 2023, there was \$0 amortization of the discount.

On November 2, 2023, we entered into a Funding Undertaking and Promissory Note (the "Seaside Funding Undertaking") for up to thirty-seven thousand nine hundred forty-two dollars (\$37,942). Pursuant to the Seaside Funding Undertaking, Seaside has agreed to make deposits of additional funds ("Seaside Extension Fundings") into the Trust Account for the aggregate benefit of public shares that are not redeemed by public shareholders at the Extraordinary General Meeting to approve the Charter Amendment Proposal, for each month, or pro rata portion thereof if less than a month, until the earlier of (i) the date on which the Company consummates an initial Business Combination, and (ii) July 2, 2024 (or any earlier date of termination, dissolution or winding up of the Company as determined in the sole discretion of the Company's board of directors). Interest does not accrue on this note. The Seaside Extension Fundings shall become repayable at the time the Company consummates an initial Business Combination. Deposits were made into the Trust Account on each of November 7, 2023, December 4, 2023, December 28, 2023, January 30, 2024, February 28, 2024, March 28, 2024, April 29, 2024, May 28, 2024 and June 8, 2024. As of June 30, 2024 and December 31, 2023, \$341,641 and \$113,808, respectively, was outstanding under the Seaside Funding Undertaking.

On November 2, 2023, we entered into a Funding Undertaking and Promissory Note (the "Capricorn Funding Undertaking") for up to thirty-seven thousand nine hundred forty-two dollars (\$37,942). Pursuant to the Capricorn Funding Undertaking, Capricorn has agreed to make deposits of additional funds ("Capricorn Extension Fundings") into the Trust Account for the aggregate benefit of public shares that are not redeemed by public shareholders at the Extraordinary General Meeting to approve the Charter Amendment Proposal, for each month, or pro rata portion thereof if less than a month, until the earlier of (i) the date on which the Company consummates an initial Business Combination, and (ii) July 2, 2024 (or any earlier date of termination, dissolution or winding up of the Company as determined in the sole discretion of the Company's board of directors). Interest does not accrue on this note. The Capricorn Extension Fundings shall become repayable at the time the Company consummates an initial Business Combination. Deposits were made into the Trust Account on each of November 7, 2023, December 4, 2023, December 28, 2023, January 30, 2024, February 28, 2024, March 28, 2024, April 29, 2024, May 31, 2024. As of June 30, 2024 and December 31, 2023, \$303,536 and \$113,826, respectively, was outstanding under the Capricorn Funding Undertaking.

For the Funding Undertaking and Promissory Notes with Seaside and Capricorn, the Company evaluated whether the agreements would meet the scope exception for common control under ASC 835-30, *Interest – Imputation of Interest.* The Company determined that the agreements would not meet the scope exception. As such, the Company determined that a discount should be recorded on the proceeds from the notes. The discount will be amortized over the length of the loans. The Company considered this to be the date that the Company had to complete a Business Combination at the time of the draw, as a Business Combination cannot be considered probable to occur until it is consummated. The Company recorded the discount on the notes as capital contributions increasing additional paid-in capital on the unaudited condensed statement of changes in shareholders' deficit on the date the loans were funded. As the Company would be unable to repay its debt obligations in the event that it fails to complete an initial Business Combination, its debt obligations are highly vulnerable to nonpayment and the Company is dependent on favorable business, financial, and economic conditions to be able to meet its financial commitments on debt obligations. As such, the Company determined that the effective interest rate on each funding date would be calculated by using the six month and one year CCC federal reserve rates interpolated for the term from the draw date until the date that the Company had to complete a Business Combination at the time of the draw. The interest rate on the dates of funding of November 7, 2023, December 4, 2023, December 28, 2023, January 30, 2024, February 28, 2024, March 28, 2024, April 29, 2024, May 31, 2024, and June 28, 2024, were 16.48%, 16.19%, 14.13%, 11.12%, 12.19%, 16.49%, 20.39%, 19.49%, and 20.52%, respectively. The discount recorded on the notes for the three and six months ended June 30, 2024 was \$8,332 and \$17,990, respectively. The carrying value of the promissory notes, net of discount resulted in inter

# **Results of Operations**

We have neither engaged in any operations nor generated any revenues to date. Our only activities since inception have been organizational activities, those necessary to prepare for our Initial Public Offering, and since the closing of the Initial Public Offering, the search for a prospective initial Business Combination. We do not expect to generate any operating revenues until after the completion of our initial Business Combination. We generate non-operating income in the form of interest income on cash held in the Trust Account with Continental Stock Transfer & Trust Company acting as trustee (the "Trust Account") after the Initial Public Offering. We incur expenses as a result of being a public company (for legal, financial reporting, accounting and auditing compliance), as well as for due diligence expenses.

For the three months ended June 30, 2024, we had a net loss of \$2,681,494, which was a result of operating and formation costs of \$2,844,517, a loss in the change in fair value of warrant liabilities of \$1,709,659, interest expense of \$28,693, and a loss on the fair value of the derivative liability - promissory note - related party redemption feature of \$485, which was partially offset by interest income earned on the cash held in the Trust Account of \$1,889,190 and a gain in the change in fair value of promissory notes of \$11,700.

For the three months ended June 30, 2023, we had a net income of \$2,655,473, which was a result of a gain in the change in fair value of warrant liabilities of \$1,709,658, a gain on the investments held in the Trust Account of \$2,463,687, which was offset by operating and formation costs of \$1,517,872.

For the six months ended June 30, 2024, we had a net loss of \$8,326,464, which was a result of operating and formation costs of \$8,024,914, a loss in the change in fair value of warrant liabilities and promissory notes of \$4,003,464, interest expense of \$42,293, and a loss on the fair value of the derivative liability - promissory note - related party redemption feature of \$1,762, which was partially offset by interest income earned on the cash held in the Trust Account of \$3,744,207.

For the six months ended June 30, 2023, we had a net income of \$2,953,457, which was a result of a gain in the change in fair value of warrant liabilities of \$1,139,772, a gain on the investments held in the Trust Account of \$4,661,410, which was offset by operating and formation costs of \$2,847,725.

# Liquidity, Capital Resources and Going Concern

For the six months ended June 30, 2024, net cash used in operating activities was \$676,909, which was due to a net loss of \$8,326,464 and interest income earned on assets held in the Trust Account of \$3,744,207, offset by changes in operating assets and liabilities of \$7,348,005, a loss in the change in fair value of warrant liabilities and promissory notes of \$4,003,464, interest expense of \$42,293, and a loss on the change in fair value of derivative liabilities of \$1,762.

For the six months ended June 30, 2023, net cash used in operating activities was \$424,795, which was due to a gain in the fair value of warrant liabilities of \$1,139,772, a gain on investments held in the Trust Account of \$4,661,410, offset by changes in operating assets and liabilities of \$1,116,493, net income of \$2,953,457 and share-based compensation of \$1,306,437.

For the six months ended June 30, 2024, net cash used in investing activities was \$1,462,239, which was due solely to advances to the Trust Account.

For the six months ended June 30, 2024, net cash provided by financing activities was \$2,249,739, which was due to advances from the Sponsor and A Anchor Investors and the issuance of convertible promissory notes.

For the six months ended June 30, 2023, there was no cash provided by financing or investing activities.

On November 2, 2021, the Company consummated the Initial Public Offering of 17,500,000 units ("Unit" and, with respect to the Class A ordinary shares included in the Units sold, the "Public Shares"), at \$10.00 per Unit, generating gross proceeds of \$175,000,000. Each Unit consists of one Class A ordinary share and one-half of one redeemable warrant ("Public Warrant").

Simultaneously with the closing of the Initial Public Offering, the Company consummated the sale of \$,250,000 warrants (the "Private Placement Warrants") at a price of \$1.00 per Private Placement Warrant in a private placement (the "First Private Placement") to SDCL EDGE Sponsor LLC (the "Sponsor"), Capricorn and Seaside generating gross proceeds of \$8,250,000.

The Company had granted the underwriters in the Initial Public Offering (the "Underwriters") a 45-day option to purchase up to 2,625,000 additional Units to cover overallotments, if any. On November 16, 2021, the Underwriters partially exercised the over-allotment option and purchased an additional 2,495,246 Over-Allotment Units, generating gross proceeds of \$24,952,460, and incurred \$499,049 in cash underwriting fees.

Simultaneously with the closing of the exercise of the over-allotment option, the Company consummated the sale of 748,574 warrants (the "Over-Allotment Warrants") at a purchase price of \$1.00 per warrant in a private placement (together with the First Private Placement, the "Private Placements") to the Sponsor and the A Anchor Investors, generating gross proceeds of \$748,574.

Upon the closing of the Initial Public Offering, the sale of the Private Placement Warrants, the sale of the Over-Allotment Units, and the sale of the Over-Allotment Warrants, an amount of \$201,951,985 was placed in a trust account (the "Trust Account"). As of June 30, 2024, we had cash totaling \$147,275,981 held in the Trust Account.

As of June 30, 2024, we had cash of \$475,312 held outside the Trust Account. We will use the cash held outside the Trust Account primarily to identify and evaluate target businesses, perform business due diligence on prospective target businesses, travel to and from the offices, plants or similar locations of prospective target businesses or their representatives or owners, review corporate documents and material agreements of prospective target businesses, and structure, negotiate and complete a Business Combination.

We intend to use substantially all of the funds held in the Trust Account, including any amounts representing interest earned on the Trust Account (less taxes payable), to complete our initial Business Combination. To the extent that our equity or debt is used, in whole or in part, as consideration to complete our initial Business Combination, the remaining proceeds held in the Trust Account will be used as working capital to finance the operations of the target business or businesses, make other acquisitions and pursue our growth strategies.

In connection with the Company's assessment of going concern considerations in accordance with FASB Accounting Standards Update ("ASU") 2014-15, "Disclosures of Uncertainties about an Entity's Ability to Continue as a Going Concern." The Company has until November 2, 2024 (24 months from the consummation of the Initial Public Offering plus the time allowed pursuant to the 2023 and 2024 Charter Amendments and any Extensions approved by the Company's Board), to consummate a Business Combination. It is uncertain that the Company will be able to consummate a Business Combination by the specified period. If a Business Combination is not consummated by November 2, 2024, there will be a mandatory liquidation and subsequent dissolution.

The Company's date for mandatory liquidation and subsequent dissolution raise substantial doubt about the Company's ability to continue as a going concern one year from the date that the unaudited condensed financial statements set forth herein are issued. The unaudited condensed financial statements do not include any adjustments relating to the recovery of the recorded assets or the classification of the liabilities that might be necessary should the Company be unable to continue as a going concern.

# **Off-Balance Sheet Arrangements**

As of June 30, 2024 and December 31, 2023, we did not have any off-balance sheet arrangements.

# **Contractual Obligations**

# Registration Rights

The holders of the Founder Shares, Private Placement Warrants and Public Warrants that may be issued upon conversion of the working capital loans (the "Working Capital Loans") (and any Class A ordinary shares issuable upon the exercise of the Private Placement Warrants and warrants issued upon conversion of the Working Capital Loans) are entitled to registration rights pursuant to the Registration Rights Agreement. The holders of these securities are entitled to make up to three demands, excluding short form demands, that the Company register such securities. In addition, the holders have certain "piggy-back" registration rights with respect to registration statements filed subsequent to consummation of a Business Combination. The Company bears the expenses incurred in connection with the filing of any such registration statements. Following completion of the Target Business Combination, holders of the Founder Shares, Private Placement Warrants and Public Warrants (as defined below) that may be issued upon conversion of the Working Capital Loans (and any Class A ordinary shares issuable upon the exercise of the Private Placement Warrants and warrants issued upon conversion of the Working Capital Loans) will be entitled to registration rights pursuant to a registration rights agreement that will be entered into upon completion of the Target Business Combination pursuant to the Business Combination Agreement. Holders of these securities will be entitled to make one demand that PubCo register such securities pursuant to an underwritten shelf offering. In addition, the holders will have certain "piggy-back" registration rights with respect to registration statements filed subsequent to completion of the Target Business Combination. PubCo will bear the expenses incurred in connection with the filing of any such registration statements.

### Vendor Agreements

Since inception, the Company has engaged a legal firm (the "Legal Advisor") to provide services related to the Company's Initial Public Offering, the search for a prospective initial Business Combination, and the structuring of a transaction. Fees incurred by the Legal Advisor have been recorded as accrued contingent legal costs on the balance sheets. The payment of these fees is contingent upon the consummation of a Business Combination. As of June 30, 2024 and December 31, 2023, the Company had accrued contingent legal costs of \$13,051,603 and \$6,449,593, respectively.

On September 19, 2023, the Company entered into an agreement with a financial advisory firm (the "First Financial Advisor") for financial advisory services such as structuring a transaction, assistance in negotiations, guidance on valuation in connection with a transaction, and other customary services in connection with a Business Combination. Pursuant to this agreement, the Company will pay the First Financial Advisor a fee of \$7,000,000 contingent upon the consummation of a Business Combination. Additionally, upon the consummation of a PIPE transaction, the Company will pay to the First Financial Advisor a fee equal to 3.5% of (i) the gross proceeds raised or received by any PIPE issuer and/or its shareholders in the PIPE transaction, plus (ii) any amounts remaining in the Trust Account as of the closing of the Business Combination after giving effect to all redemptions of shares of the Company elected by the shareholders of the Company ((i) and (ii) together, the "Proceeds") (the "PIPE Transaction Fee"). The PIPE Transaction Fee paid to the First Financial Advisor shall not be less than 1.75% of the Proceeds. In addition to the compensation payable outlined above, the Company shall reimburse the First Financial Advisor for all reasonable and documented legal and other advisors expenses incurred by the First Financial Advisor. These expenses are expensed as incurred on the statement of operations. Such expenses are subject to a broken deal discount, which is applied to each expense and is to be collected contingent upon the consummation of the Company's initial Business Combination. As of June 30, 2024, the total broken deal discount was \$156,921.

On June 27, 2024, the Company entered into two agreements with a financial advisory firm (the "Second Financial Advisor") for certain customary financial advisory and capital markets services in connection with a Business Combination. Pursuant to the first agreement, the Second Financial Advisor will serve as non-exclusive underwriter or placement agent (as applicable) for a period of six months in return for which the Company will pay the Second Financial Advisor a fee calculated as a percentage of the aggregate amount of equity and equity-linked securities sold by PubCo (the "Offering") in connection with the Business Combination to investors introduced by the Second Financial Advisor. The percentage payable will be of 3.5% for an Offering under \$50,000,000 and 4.0% for an offering equal to or greater than \$50,000,000. Pursuant to the second agreement, the Second Financial Advisor will provide the Company with certain capital markets services for a period of 12 months in return for which the Company will pay the Second Financial Advisor a fee of up to \$1,000,000 comprised of two tranches of \$500,000 each. The first tranche will be due and payable by PubCo at closing of the Business Combination and, at KME's election, may be payable in cash or ordinary shares of PubCo. The second tranche will be payable by PubCo at closing of the Business Combination solely at KME's discretion and, if payable, may also be payable in cash or in ordinary shares of PubCo. In addition to the compensation payable outlined above, in connection with both agreements, the Company will reimburse the Second Financial Advisor for reasonable and documented expenses (including legal expenses and disbursements).

# Investment Advisory Agreement

On October 28, 2021, the Company and the Sponsor entered into an agreement with Sustainable Development Capital LLP (the "Advisor"), a London-based investment firm and affiliate of the Company and Sponsor, whereby the Advisor agreed to provide administrative, consulting, and other services to effect the Company's initial Business Combination. In consideration of the services performed: (1) the Company and Sponsor shall procure the transfer of the legal and beneficial title to at least 659,844 Founder Shares, or at the sole election of the Sponsor, the payment of an amount equal to the cash value (as determined as of the date of such payment) of such number of Founder Shares, to the Advisor immediately prior to the winding up and liquidation of the Sponsor, or such other date as shall be agreed in writing between the Sponsor and Advisor; and (2) the Sponsor shall pay to the Advisor the sum of \$20,000 per month as an ongoing advisory fee and subject to the terms and conditions of the Investment Advisory Agreement (the "Advisory Agreement"). The compensation expense related to the above Founder Share transfer of 659,844 shares was amortized on a straight-line basis from the grant date of October 28, 2021 (the date at which the Investment Advisory Agreement was signed, and the date at which all parties reached a mutual understanding of the key terms and conditions of the share-based payment) to November 2, 2023 (the original date at which the combination period for the Company's initial Business Combination would have expired). Such Advisory Agreement was accounted for under ASC 718, Compensation – Stock Compensation.

For the three and six months ended June 30, 2024 and 2023, there were no costs incurred associated with web-based services provided by the Advisor.

# Administrative Support Agreement

On October 28, 2021, the Company entered into an agreement to pay an affiliate of the Sponsor a total of \$20,000 per month for office space, administrative and support services. The Company originally would have ceased paying these monthly fees as of October 28, 2023 (24 months from the start of the agreement) regardless of whether a Business Combination had been executed or not. However, in connection with the Extension Proposal and the June Extension Proposal, the administrative support agreement was extended through the Extended Date. During the three and six months ended June 30, 2024 and 2023, \$60,000 and \$120,000 of administrative support expenses were incurred, respectively.

# Other Agreements

Pursuant to a share letter dated October 17, 2023, and amended on May 10, 2024, entered into by and between SEDA and Harebell, an Italian limited liability company with registered office in Milan, whose majority shareholder and sole director is Mr. Nicolò Dubini, Harebell will be paid a finder's fee of 22,334 Class A shares in connection with the consummation of the Target Business Combination. The Company evaluated the agreement under ASC 718. The Company determined that the shares will only be issued upon the successful completion of the Target Business Combination, which is considered to be a performance condition under ASC 718. As the Target Business Combination cannot be considered probable to occur, the Company will not record any expense under ASC 718 until the shares are issued.

# **Critical Accounting Estimates**

The Company does not use derivative instruments to hedge exposures to cash flow, market, or foreign currency risks. The Company evaluates all financial instruments to determine if such instruments are derivatives or contain features that qualify as embedded derivatives, pursuant to ASC Topic 480, *Distinguishing Liabilities from Equity*, and ASC Topic 815, *Derivatives and Hedging* ("ASC 815"). The classification of derivative instruments, including whether such instruments should be recorded as liabilities or as equity, is re-assessed at the end of each reporting period.

The Public Warrants and the Private Placement Warrants are recognized as derivative liabilities in accordance with ASC 815. Accordingly, the Company recognizes the warrant instruments as liabilities at fair value and adjusts the instruments to fair value at each reporting period. The liabilities are subject to re-measurement at each balance sheet date until exercised, and any change in fair value is recognized in the Company's unaudited condensed statements of operations. The Company utilized a Monte Carlo simulation model for the initial valuation of the Public Warrants. The subsequent measurement of the Public Warrants after detachment from the Units issued in the Initial Public Offering is classified as Level 1 due to the use of an observable market quote in an active market under the ticker SEDA.WS. The Company utilizes a Monte Carlo simulation model to value the Private Placement Warrants at each reporting period, with changes in fair value recognized in the unaudited condensed statements of operations. The estimated fair value of the Private Placement warrant liability is determined using Level 3 inputs. Inherent in a Monte Carlo simulation model are assumptions related to expected share-price volatility, expected life, risk-free interest rate and dividend yield. The Company estimates the volatility of its ordinary shares based on historical volatility. The risk-free interest rate is based on the U.S. Treasury zero-coupon yield curve on the grant date for a maturity similar to the expected remaining life of the warrants. The expected life of the warrants is assumed to be equivalent to their remaining contractual term. The dividend rate is based on the historical rate, which the Company anticipates to remain at zero. Derivative warrant liabilities are classified as non-current liabilities as their liquidation is not reasonably expected to require the use of current assets or require the creation of current liabilities.

The Company has made the election under ASC 815-15-25 to account for the Promissory Notes using the fair value option. Using the fair value option, the Promissory Notes are required to be recorded at their initial fair value on the date of issuance, and each balance sheet date thereafter. Differences between the proceeds from issuance of the Promissory Notes and the fair value at issuance are recognized as either an expense in the unaudited condensed statements of operations (if issued at a discount) or as a capital contribution (if issued at a premium). Any changes in the estimated fair value of the Promissory Notes are recognized as non-cash gains or losses in the unaudited condensed statements of operations. The estimated fair value of the Promissory Notes is determined using Level 3 inputs. Inherent in the Black-Scholes model are assumptions related to expected warrant volatility, expected term, risk-free interest rate, dividend yield, warrant fair value, and exercise price. The Company estimates the volatility of its warrants based on historical volatility for a period commensurate with the expected term. The expected term of the warrants is assumed to be equivalent to their remaining contractual term. The risk-free interest rate is based on the U.S. Treasury zero-coupon yield curve on the grant date for a maturity similar to the expected remaining life of the warrants. The dividend rate is based on the historical rate, which the Company anticipates remaining at zero.

# Recent Accounting Standards

On December 14, 2023, the Financial Accounting Standards Board issued Accounting Standards Update ("ASU") 2023-09, *Income Taxes (Topic 740): Improvements to Income Tax Disclosures* ("ASU 2023-09"), which is intended to enhance the transparency and decision usefulness of income tax disclosures. The amendments in ASU 2023-09 address investor requests for enhanced income tax information primarily through changes to the rate reconciliation and income taxes paid information. The update will be effective for annual periods beginning after December 15, 2024, and early adoption is permitted. The Company is currently evaluating the impact of this standard on its unaudited condensed financial statements and related disclosures.

# Item 3. Quantitative and Qualitative Disclosures About Market Risk

We are a smaller reporting company as defined by Rule 12b-2 of the Exchange Act and are not required to provide the information otherwise required under this item.

# **Item 4. Controls and Procedures**

# Evaluation of Disclosure Controls and Procedures

Disclosure controls are procedures that are designed with the objective of ensuring that information required to be disclosed in our reports filed under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended (the "Exchange Act"), such as this Quarterly Report, is recorded, processed, summarized, and reported within the time period specified in the SEC's rules and forms. Disclosure controls and procedures are controls and other procedures that are designed to ensure that information required to be disclosed in our reports filed or submitted under the Exchange Act is recorded, processed, summarized and reported within the time periods specified in the SEC's rules and forms. Disclosure controls and procedures include, without limitation, controls and procedures designed to ensure that information required to be disclosed in our reports filed or submitted under the Exchange Act is accumulated and communicated to our management, including our Chief Executive Officer and Chief Financial Officer, to allow timely decisions regarding required disclosure. The Company identified a material weakness in its internal control over financial reporting that existed due to a lack of controls over accounting for accruals, complex financial instrument and debt agreements, and the accounting for complex features associated with equity awards and accruals, to achieve complete, accurate and timely financial accounting, reporting and disclosures. resulting in adjustments to several accounts and disclosures.

As required by Rules 13(a)-15 paragraphs 13(d)-15e) and 15d-15(e) under the Exchange Act, our management carried out an evaluation of the effectiveness of the design and operation of our disclosure controls and procedures under the supervision of our Chief Executive Officer and our Chief Financial Officer and concluded that our disclosure controls and procedures were not effective as of June 30, 2024, due to the existence of a material weakness.

# Changes in Internal Control Over Financial Reporting

During the most recently completed fiscal quarter, there has been no change in our internal control over financial reporting (as defined in Rules 13a-15(f) and 15d-15(f) under the Exchange Act) that has materially affected, or is reasonably likely to materially affect, our internal control over financial reporting. In response to a material weakness in 2023, we plan to enhance our processes to identify and appropriately apply applicable complex accounting procedures to better evaluate and understand the complex accounting standards that apply to our unaudited condensed financial statements. Our plans at this time include continued realignment of existing personnel and the addition of both internal and external personnel to strengthen management's review and documentation of internal control over financial reporting, implement a more thorough second level review process over complex accounting areas, and to implement controls to ensure appropriate recording of certain expenses and payables. The elements of our remediation plan can only be accomplished over time, and we can offer no assurance that these initiatives will ultimately have the intended effects.

#### PART II – OTHER INFORMATION

# Item 1. Legal Proceedings

None.

# Item 1A. Risk Factors

Factors that could cause our actual results to differ materially from those in this Quarterly Report are any of the risks previously disclosed in our Annual Report on Form 10-K filed with the SEC on April 16, 2024 and in our other filings with the SEC, including in our preliminary prospectus/proxy statement included in a Registration Statement on Form F-4 that PubCo has filed with the SEC relating to our proposed Target Business Combination. Any of those factors could result in a significant or material adverse effect on our results of operations or financial condition. Additional risk factors not presently known to us or that we currently deem immaterial may also impair our business or results of operations. As of the date of this Quarterly Report, there have been no material changes to the risk factors disclosed in our Annual Report on Form 10-K filed with the SEC on April 16, 2024, except as described below. For risk factors related to the proposed Target Business Combination, see the "Risk Factors" section of the Target Disclosure Statement that PubCo has filed with the SEC. We may disclose changes to such factors or disclose additional factors from time to time in our future filings with the SEC.

The New York Stock Exchange may delist our securities from trading on its exchange, which could limit investors' ability to make transactions in our securities and subject us to additional trading restrictions.

The Company's Class A ordinary shares, public warrants and units are listed on the New York Stock Exchange ("NYSE"). The Company is subject to compliance with NYSE's continued listing requirements in order to maintain the listing of its securities on NYSE. Such continued listing requirements for the Class A ordinary shares include:

- maintaining an average aggregate global market capitalization of at least \$50,000,000 or an average aggregate global market capitalization attributable to publicly-held Class A ordinary shares of at least \$40,000,000, excluding Class A ordinary shares held by the Company's directors, officers, or their immediate families and other concentrated holdings of ten percent or greater, in each case measured over thirty consecutive trading days;
- 300 public shareholders; and
- 600,000 publicly-held Class A ordinary shares.

On January 12, 2023, the Company received a notice from NYSE that the Company was not in compliance with NYSE listing standard 802.01B because the Company had fallen below compliance with the 300 public shareholders requirement. In accordance with the NYSE listing requirements, we submitted a plan that demonstrated how we expected to return to compliance with NYSE listing standard 802.01B. On August 23, 2023, NYSE notified us that we were again in compliance with NYSE listing standard 802.01B but that we were subject to continued monitoring and review for a period of 12 months. While we have regained compliance with the continued listing requirements, we may in the future again fail to be in compliance with the NYSE listing standards and we may be subject to corrective action by NYSE, which may include suspension and delisting procedures.

In connection with the Company's recent Extension Proposal for the 2024 Extraordinary General Meeting, the Company received redemption requests for an aggregate of 7,996,024 Class A ordinary shares, representing approximately 60.7% of the issued and outstanding Class A ordinary shares. As a result \$89,302,174 has been paid out of the Company's Trust Account in connection with the redemptions, representing a redemption price per Class A ordinary share of approximately \$11.16. Due to the recent redemptions, the Company may fail to meet NYSE's continued listing requirements.

We expect that if the Class A ordinary shares fail to meet NYSE's continued listing requirements, our Units will also fail to meet NYSE's continued listing requirements for those securities. We cannot assure you that any of its Class A ordinary shares or Units will be able to meet any of NYSE's continued listing requirements. If our securities do not meet NYSE's continued listing requirements, NYSE may delist our securities from trading on its exchange. If NYSE delists any of our securities from trading on its exchange and we are not able to list such securities on another national securities exchange, we expect such securities could be quoted on an over-the-counter market. If this were to occur, the Company could face significant material adverse consequences, including:

- a limited availability of market quotations for the Company's securities;
- reduced liquidity for the Company's securities;
- a determination that the Class A ordinary shares are a "penny stock" which will require brokers trading in Class A ordinary shares to adhere to more stringent rules and
  possibly result in a reduced level of trading activity in the secondary trading market for the Company's securities;
- a limited amount of news and analyst coverage; and
- a decreased ability to issue additional securities or obtain additional financing in the future.

The National Securities Markets Improvement Act of 1996, which is a federal statute, prevents or preempts the states from regulating the sale of certain securities, which are referred to as "covered securities." The Company's Class A ordinary shares, units and warrants currently qualify as covered securities under such statute. Although the states are preempted from regulating the sale of covered securities, the federal statute does allow the states to investigate companies if there is a suspicion of fraud, and, if there is a finding of fraudulent activity, then the states can regulate or bar the sale of covered securities in a particular case. While the Company is not aware of a state having used these powers to prohibit or restrict the sale of securities issued by blank check companies, other than the State of Idaho, certain state securities regulators view blank check companies unfavorably and might use these powers, or threaten to use these powers, to hinder the sale of securities of blank check companies in their states. Further, if the Company was no longer listed on NYSE, the Company's securities would not qualify as covered securities under such statute and the Company would be subject to regulation in each state in which it offers its securities, including in connection with our initial Business Combination, which may negatively impact our ability to consummate our Initial Business Combination.

# Item 2. Unregistered Sales of Equity Securities and Use of Proceeds

On November 2, 2021, we consummated our Initial Public Offering of 17,500,000 Units, at a price of \$10.00 per Unit, generating total gross proceeds of \$175,000,000. The Underwriters acted as the joint-book running managers. On November 16, 2021, the Underwriters partially exercised the over-allotment option and purchased 2,495,246 Over-Allotment Units, generating gross proceeds of \$24,952,460. The securities sold in our Initial Public Offering and the exercise of the over-allotment option were registered under the Securities Act on the registration statement on Form S-1 (No. 333-254238). The registration statement became effective on October 28, 2021.

Simultaneously with the closing of our Initial Public Offering, we consummated the sale of 8,250,000 Private Placement Warrants at a price of \$1.00 per Private Placement Warrant in the First Private Placement to our Sponsor and the A Anchor Investors, generating gross proceeds of \$8,250,000. Simultaneously with the closing of the exercise of the over-allotment option, we consummated the sale of 748,574 Over-Allotment Warrants at a purchase price of \$1.00 per warrant in the Second Private Placement to our Sponsor and the A Anchor Investors, generating gross proceeds of \$748,574. Such securities were issued pursuant to the exemption from registration contained in Section 4(a) (2) of the Securities Act.

The Private Placement Warrants and the Over-Allotment Warrants are identical to the Public Warrants underlying the Units sold in our Initial Public Offering and upon exercise of the over-allotment option, except that the Private Placement Warrants and the Over-Allotment Warrants are not transferable, assignable or saleable until 30 days after the completion of a Business Combination, subject to certain limited exceptions. For a description of the use of the proceeds generated in our Initial Public Offering, see Part I, Item 2 of this Form 10-Q.

# Item 3. Defaults Upon Senior Securities

None.

# **Item 4. Mine Safety Disclosures**

Not applicable.

# **Item 5. Other Information**

During the three months ended June 30, 2024, no director or officer of the Company adopted or terminated a "Rule 10b5-1 trading arrangement" or "non-Rule 10b5-1 trading arrangement," as each term is defined in Item 408(a) of Regulation S-K.

# Item 6. Exhibits

The following exhibits are filed as part of, or incorporated by reference into, this Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q.

Exhibit Number	Description
2.1#	Business Combination Agreement (incorporated by reference from the Company's Current Report on Form 8-K filed on February 20, 2024) (1)
3.1	Amended and Restated Memorandum and Articles of Association of the Company (incorporated by reference from the Company's Current Report on Form 8-K filed on November 2, 2021).
3.2	Amendment to Amended and Restated Memorandum and Articles of Association of the Company (incorporated by reference from the Company's Current Report on Form 8-K filed on October 31, 2023).
3.3	Amendment to Amended and Restated Memorandum and Articles of Association of the Company (incorporated by reference from the Company's Current Report on Form 8-K filed on June 28, 2024).
31.1*	Certification of Chief Executive Officer (Principal Executive Officer) Pursuant to Rules 13a-14(a) and 15d-14(a) under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as Adopted Pursuant to Section 302 of the Sarbanes-Oxley Act of 2002.
31.2*	Certification of Chief Financial Officer (Principal Financial and Accounting Officer) Pursuant to Rules 13a-14(a) and 15d-14(a) under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as Adopted Pursuant to Section 302 of the Sarbanes-Oxley Act of 2002.
32.1**	Certification of Chief Executive Officer (Principal Executive Officer) Pursuant to 18 U.S.C. Section 1350, as Adopted Pursuant to Section 906 of the Sarbanes-Oxley Act of 2002.
32.2**	Certification of Chief Financial Officer (Principal Financial and Accounting Officer) Pursuant to 18 U.S.C. Section 1350, as Adopted Pursuant to Section 906 of the Sarbanes-Oxley Act of 2002.
101.INS	Inline XBRL Instance Document.
101.SCH	Inline XBRL Taxonomy Extension Schema Document.
101.CAL	Inline XBRL Taxonomy Extension Calculation Linkbase Document.
101.DEF	Inline XBRL Taxonomy Extension Definition Linkbase Document.
101.LAB	Inline XBRL Taxonomy Extension Label Linkbase Document.
101.PRE	Inline XBRL Taxonomy Extension Presentation Linkbase Document.
104	Cover Page Interactive Data File (formatted as Inline XBRL and contained in Exhibit 101).

<sup>\*</sup> Filed herewith.

<sup>\*\*</sup> Furnished herewith.

<sup>#</sup> Certain schedules and exhibits to this agreement have been omitted pursuant to Item 601(a)(5) of Regulation S-K. Copy of any omitted schedule and/or exhibit will be furnished to the SEC upon request. Certain personal information has been redacted from this exhibit pursuant to Item 601(a)(6) of Regulation S-K.

<sup>(1)</sup> Previously filed as an exhibit to our Current Report on Form 8-K filed on February 20, 2024 and incorporated by reference in our Annual Report on Form 10-K filed on April 16, 2024.

# **SIGNATURES**

Pursuant to the requirements of Section 13 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned, thereunto duly authorized.

# SDCL EDGE ACQUISITION CORPORATION

Date: August 19, 2024

By: /s/ Jonathan Maxwell

Jonathan Maxwell Co-Chief Executive Officer

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# CERTIFICATION PURSUANT TO RULES 13a-14(a) AND 15d-14(a) UNDER THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934, AS ADOPTED PURSUANT TO SECTION 302 OF THE SARBANES-OXLEY ACT OF 2002

# I, Jonathan Maxwell, certify that:

- 1. I have reviewed this Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q of SDCL EDGE ACQUISITION CORPORATION;
- 2. Based on my knowledge, this report does not contain any untrue statement of a material fact or omit to state a material fact necessary to make the statements made, in light of the circumstances under which such statements were made, not misleading with respect to the period covered by this report;
- 3. Based on my knowledge, the financial statements, and other financial information included in this report, fairly present in all material respects the financial condition, results of operations and cash flows of the registrant as of, and for, the periods presented in this report;
- 4. The registrant's other certifying officer and I are responsible for establishing and maintaining disclosure controls and procedures (as defined in Exchange Act Rules 13a-15(e) and 15d-15(e)) and internal control over financial reporting (as defined in Exchange Act Rules 13a-15(f) and 15d-15(f)) for the registrant and have:
  - (a) Designed such disclosure controls and procedures, or caused such disclosure controls and procedures to be designed under our supervision, to ensure that material information relating to the registrant, including its subsidiaries, is made known to us by others within those entities, particularly during the period in which this report is being prepared;
  - (b) Designed such internal control over financial reporting, or caused such internal control over financial reporting to be designed under our supervision, to provide reasonable assurance regarding the reliability of financial reporting and the preparation of financial statements for external purposes in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles;
  - (c) Evaluated the effectiveness of the registrant's disclosure controls and procedures and presented in this report our conclusions about the effectiveness of the disclosure controls and procedures, as of the end of the period covered by this report based on such evaluation; and
  - (d) Disclosed in this report any change in the registrant's internal control over financial reporting that occurred during the registrant's most recent fiscal quarter (the registrant's fourth fiscal quarter in the case of an annual report) that has materially affected, or is reasonably likely to materially affect, the registrant's internal control over financial reporting; and
- 5. The registrant's other certifying officer and I have disclosed, based on our most recent evaluation of internal control over financial reporting, to the registrant's auditors and the audit committee of the registrant's board of directors (or persons performing the equivalent functions):
  - (a) All significant deficiencies and material weaknesses in the design or operation of internal control over financial reporting which are reasonably likely to adversely affect the registrant's ability to record, process, summarize and report financial information; and
  - (b) Any fraud, whether or not material, that involves management or other employees who have a significant role in the registrant's internal control over financial reporting.

Date: August 19, 2024

/s/ Jonathan Maxwell

Jonathan Maxwell Co-Chief Executive Officer (Principal Executive Officer)

# CERTIFICATION PURSUANT TO RULES 13a-14(a) AND 15d-14(a) UNDER THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934, AS ADOPTED PURSUANT TO SECTION 302 OF THE SARBANES-OXLEY ACT OF 2002

# I, Ned Davis, certify that:

- 1. I have reviewed this Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q of SDCL EDGE ACQUISITION CORPORATION;
- 2. Based on my knowledge, this report does not contain any untrue statement of a material fact or omit to state a material fact necessary to make the statements made, in light of the circumstances under which such statements were made, not misleading with respect to the period covered by this report;
- 3. Based on my knowledge, the financial statements, and other financial information included in this report, fairly present in all material respects the financial condition, results of operations and cash flows of the registrant as of, and for, the periods presented in this report;
- 4. The registrant's other certifying officer and I are responsible for establishing and maintaining disclosure controls and procedures (as defined in Exchange Act Rules 13a-15(e) and 15d-15(e)) and internal control over financial reporting (as defined in Exchange Act Rules 13a-15(f) and 15d-15(f)) for the registrant and have:
  - (a) Designed such disclosure controls and procedures, or caused such disclosure controls and procedures to be designed under our supervision, to ensure that material information relating to the registrant, including its subsidiaries, is made known to us by others within those entities, particularly during the period in which this report is being prepared;
  - (b) Designed such internal control over financial reporting, or caused such internal control over financial reporting to be designed under our supervision, to provide reasonable assurance regarding the reliability of financial reporting and the preparation of financial statements for external purposes in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles;
  - (c) Evaluated the effectiveness of the registrant's disclosure controls and procedures and presented in this report our conclusions about the effectiveness of the disclosure controls and procedures, as of the end of the period covered by this report based on such evaluation; and
  - (d) Disclosed in this report any change in the registrant's internal control over financial reporting that occurred during the registrant's most recent fiscal quarter (the registrant's fourth fiscal quarter in the case of an annual report) that has materially affected, or is reasonably likely to materially affect, the registrant's internal control over financial reporting; and
- 5. The registrant's other certifying officer and I have disclosed, based on our most recent evaluation of internal control over financial reporting, to the registrant's auditors and the audit committee of the registrant's board of directors (or persons performing the equivalent functions):
  - (a) All significant deficiencies and material weaknesses in the design or operation of internal control over financial reporting which are reasonably likely to adversely affect the registrant's ability to record, process, summarize and report financial information; and
  - (b) Any fraud, whether or not material, that involves management or other employees who have a significant role in the registrant's internal control over financial reporting.

Date: August 19, 2024

/s/ Ned Davis

Ned Davis
Chief Financial Officer
(Principal Financial and Accounting Officer)

# CERTIFICATION PURSUANT TO 18 U.S.C. SECTION 1350, AS ADOPTED PURSUANT TO SECTION 906 OF THE SARBANES-OXLEY ACT OF 2002

In connection with the Quarterly Report of SDCL EDGE ACQUISITION CORPORATION (the "Company") on Form 10-Q for the period ending June 30, 2024 as filed with the U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission on the date hereof (the "Report"), I certify, in the capacity and on the date indicated below, pursuant to 18 U.S.C. § 1350, as adopted pursuant to § 906 of the Sarbanes-Oxley Act of 2002, that:

- 1. The Report fully complies with the requirements of Section 13(a) or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934; and
- 2. The information contained in the Report fairly presents, in all material respects, the financial condition and results of operations of the Company.

Date: August 19, 2024

/s/ Jonathan Maxwell

Jonathan Maxwell Co-Chief Executive Officer (Principal Executive Officer)

# CERTIFICATION PURSUANT TO 18 U.S.C. SECTION 1350, AS ADOPTED PURSUANT TO SECTION 906 OF THE SARBANES-OXLEY ACT OF 2002

In connection with the Quarterly Report of SDCL EDGE ACQUISITION CORPORATION (the "Company") on Form 10-Q for the period ending June 30, 2024 as filed with the U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission on the date hereof (the "Report"), I certify, in the capacity and on the date indicated below, pursuant to 18 U.S.C. § 1350, as adopted pursuant to § 906 of the Sarbanes-Oxley Act of 2002, that:

- 1. The Report fully complies with the requirements of Section 13(a) or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934; and
- 2. The information contained in the Report fairly presents, in all material respects, the financial condition and results of operations of the Company.

Date: August 19, 2024

/s/ Ned Davis

Ned Davis Chief Financial Officer (Principal Financial and Accounting Officer)