### UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

### FORM 8-K

CURRENT REPORT
Pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d) of the
Securities Exchange Act of 1934

Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported): April 1, 2016

### **VECTOR GROUP LTD.**

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Its Charter)

### DELAWARE

(State or Other Jurisdiction of Incorporation)

| 1-5759  | 65-0949535   |
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| (Commission File Number)  4400 Biscayne Boulevard, Miami, Florida  (Address of Principal Executive Offices)  (305) 579-8000  (Registrant's Telephone Number, Including Area Code eck the appropriate box below if the Form 8-K filing is intended to simultaneously satisfy the filing obligation Instruction A.2. below):  Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)  Soliciting material pursuant to Rule 14a-12 under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14a-12)  Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR | (I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)   |
| 4400 Biscayne Boulevard, Miami, Florida   | 33137  |
| (Address of Principal Executive Offices)  | (Zip Code)   |
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| Check the appropriate box below if the Form 8-K filing is intended to simultaneously General Instruction A.2. below):   | y satisfy the filing obligation of the registrant under any of the following provisions (see |
| o Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act  | (17 CFR 230.425)   |
| o Soliciting material pursuant to Rule 14a-12 under the Exchange Act (17  | CFR 240.14a-12)  |
| o Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under the   | he Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14d-2(b))  |
| o Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the   | ne Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))  |
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### Item 2.02. Results of Operations and Financial Condition

Vector Group Ltd.'s (the "Company") Annual Report on Form 10-K for the year ended December 31, 2015 contained retrospectively adjusted financial statements that reflected its adoption of the equity method of accounting for two investments (Ladenburg Thalmann Financial Services Inc. and Castle Brands, Inc.). Under Generally Accepted Accounting Principles ("GAAP"), the equity method of accounting was retroactively applied to each investment since inception.

The Company is filing this Current Report on Form 8-K to retrospectively adjust its previously reported Statement of Operations for the quarterly periods ended March 31, 2015, June 30, 2015 and September 30, 2015, which are included as Exhibit 99.1.

The Company is also filing this Current Report on Form 8-K to retrospectively adjust certain non-GAAP Financial Measures previously reported in the Company's Current Reports on Form 8-K, dated October 2, 2015 and November 2, 2015. Exhibit 99.2 of this Current Report on Form 8-K includes retrospectively adjusted Pro-forma Adjusted EBITDA, Pro-forma Adjusted Net Income and Pro-forma Adjusted Operating Income for periods previously reported. In addition to Exhibit 99.2, Exhibits 99.3, 99.4 and 99.5 contain the Non-GAAP Financial Measures discussed below.

### **Non-GAAP Financial Measures**

Non-GAAP Financial Measures include adjustments for purchase accounting associated with the Company's acquisition of its additional 20.59% interest in Douglas Elliman Realty, LLC, and the related purchase accounting adjustments, occurred prior to the beginning of each period presented. Non-GAAP Financial Measures also include adjustments for litigation settlement and judgment expenses in the Tobacco segment, settlements of long-standing disputes related to the Master Settlement Agreement in the Tobacco segment, restructuring and pension settlement expense in the Tobacco segment, non-cash stock compensation expense (for purposes of Pro-forma Adjusted EBITDA only) and non-cash interest items associated with the Company's convertible debt.

Pro-forma Adjusted Revenues, Pro-forma Adjusted EBITDA, Pro-forma Adjusted Net Income, Pro-forma Adjusted Operating Income, Tobacco Adjusted Operating Income, New Valley LLC Pro-forma Adjusted Revenues, New Valley LLC Pro-forma Adjusted EBITDA, Douglas Elliman Realty, LLC Adjusted Revenues, and Douglas Elliman Realty, LLC Adjusted EBITDA (hereafter referred to as "the Non-GAAP Financial Measures") are financial measures not prepared in accordance with GAAP. The Company believes that the Non-GAAP Financial Measures are important measures that supplement discussions and analysis of its results of operations and enhances an understanding of its operating performance. The Company believes the Non-GAAP Financial Measures provide investors and analysts with a useful measure of operating results unaffected by differences in capital structures, capital investment cycles and ages of related assets among otherwise comparable companies. Management uses the Non-GAAP Financial Measures as measures to review and assess operating performance of the Company's business, and management and investors should review both the overall performance (GAAP net income) and the operating performance (the Non-GAAP Financial Measures) of the Company's business. While management considers the Non-GAAP Financial Measures to be important, they should be considered in addition to, but not as substitutes for or superior to, other measures of financial performance prepared in accordance with GAAP, such as operating income, net income and cash flows from operations. In addition, the Non-GAAP Financial Measures are susceptible to varying calculations and the Company's measurement of the Non-GAAP Financial Measures may not be comparable to those of other companies.

Pro-forma Adjusted Revenues is defined as Revenues plus the additional revenues as a result of the consolidation of Douglas Elliman plus one-time purchase accounting adjustments to fair value for deferred revenues recorded in connection with the increase of the Company's ownership of Douglas Elliman. EBITDA is defined as Net Income before Interest, Taxes, Depreciation and Amortization. Pro-forma Adjusted EBITDA is EBITDA, as defined above, and as adjusted for changes in fair value of derivatives embedded with convertible debt, equity gains (losses) on long-term investments, gains (losses) on sale of investment securities available for sale, equity income from non-consolidated real estate businesses, loss on extinguishment of debt, acceleration of interest expense related to debt conversion, stock-based compensation expense, litigation settlement and judgment expense, settlements of long-standing disputes related to the Master Settlement Agreement ("MSA"), restructuring and pension settlement expense, gains on acquisition of Douglas Elliman, changes to EBITDA as a result of the consolidation of Douglas Elliman and other charges.

New Valley LLC ("New Valley"), the real estate subsidiary of the Company, owns real estate and 70.59% of Douglas Elliman, the largest residential brokerage firm in the New York metropolitan area, as well as a minority stake in numerous real estate investments. New Valley LLC Pro-forma Adjusted Revenues and New Valley LLC Proforma Adjusted EBITDA are defined as the portion of Pro-forma Adjusted Revenues and Pro-forma Adjusted EBITDA that relate to New Valley. New Valley's Pro-forma Adjusted EBITDA does not include an allocation of expenses from the Corporate and Other segment of Vector Group Ltd.

### Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibit

### (c) Exhibit.

| Exhibit No. | Exhibit  |
|-------------|--|
| 99.1        | Selected Financial Data.   |
| 99.2        | Non-GAAP Financial Measures (furnished pursuant to Regulation FD).                                 |
| 99.3        | Investor Presentation of Vector Group Ltd. dated April 2016 (furnished pursuant to Regulation FD). |
| 99.4        | Fact Sheet of Vector Group Ltd. (furnished pursuant to Regulation FD).                             |
| 99.5        | Fact Sheet of New Valley LLC (furnished pursuant to Regulation FD).                                |
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### SIGNATURE

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

### VECTOR GROUP LTD.

By: /s/ J. Bryant Kirkland III

J. Bryant Kirkland III

Vice President, Treasurer and Chief Financial Officer

Date: April 1, 2016

## VECTOR GROUP LTD. AND SUBSIDIARIES SELECT FINANCIAL DATA

### CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF OPERATIONS

(<u>Dollars in Thousands, Except Per Share Amounts</u>)

Three Months Ended

|  | Decem | ber 31, 2015 | Sej | ptember 30, 2015 |        | June 30,<br>2015 | Ma | rch 31, 2015 |
|--|-------|--------------|-----|------------------|--------|------------------|----|--------------|
|  |       |              |     | (Unau            | dited) |                  |    |              |
| Revenues   |       |              |     |                  |        |                  |    |              |
| Tobacco*   | \$    | 270,616      | \$  | 264,170          | \$     | 254,890          | \$ | 228,085      |
| Real estate  |       | 162,565      |     | 185,563          |        | 161,022          |    | 132,256      |
| E-Cigarettes   |       | (2,851)      |     | 201              |        | 261              |    | 419          |
| Total revenues   |       | 430,330      |     | 449,934          |        | 416,173          |    | 360,760      |
| Expenses:  |       |              |     |                  |        |                  |    |              |
| Cost of sales:   |       |              |     |                  |        |                  |    |              |
| Tobacco*   |       | 191,585      |     | 174,418          |        | 174,867          |    | 157,030      |
| Real estate  |       | 100,981      |     | 121,078          |        | 103,870          |    | 84,358       |
| E-Cigarettes   |       | 22           |     | 421              |        | 467              |    | 630          |
| Total cost of sales  |       | 292,588      |     | 295,917          |        | 279,204          |    | 242,018      |
| Operating, selling, administrative and general expenses                |       | 86,772       |     | 79,352           |        | 79,916           |    | 74,181       |
| Litigation settlement and judgment expense                             |       | 14,229       |     | 3,750            |        | 1,250            |    | 843          |
| Restructuring expense  |       | 5,709        |     | 1,548            |        | _                |    | _            |
| Operating income   |       | 31,032       |     | 69,367           |        | 55,803           |    | 43,718       |
| Other income (expenses):   |       |              |     |                  |        |                  |    |              |
| Interest expense   |       | (24,286)     |     | (32,898)         |        | (31,761)         |    | (31,746)     |
| Change in fair value of derivatives embedded within convertible debt   |       | 5,695        |     | 7,044            |        | 5,256            |    | 6,460        |
| Equity in earnings (losses) from real estate ventures                  |       | 723          |     | (916)            |        | 1,856            |    | 338          |
| Equity in (losses) earnings from investments                           |       | (26)         |     | (1,103)          |        | (2,163)          |    | 612          |
| (Loss) gain on sale of investment securities available for sale        |       | (880)        |     | (821)            |        | (190)            |    | 13,029       |
| Impairment of investment securities available for sale                 |       | (635)        |     | (12,211)         |        | _                |    | _            |
| Other, net   |       | 1,308        |     | 1,342            |        | 1,821            |    | 1,937        |
| Income before provision for income taxes                               |       | 12,931       |     | 29,804           |        | 30,622           |    | 34,348       |
| Income tax expense   |       | 3,494        |     | 13,694           |        | 11,178           |    | 12,867       |
| Net income   |       | 9,437        |     | 16,110           |        | 19,444           |    | 21,481       |
| Net income attributed to non-controlling interest                      |       | (1,533)      |     | (3,644)          |        | (1,837)          |    | (260)        |
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| Net income attributed to Vector Group Ltd.                             | \$    | 7,904        | \$  | 12,466           | \$     | 17,607           | \$ | 21,221       |
| Per basic common share:  |       |              |     |                  |        |                  |    |              |
| Net income applicable to common shares attributed to Vector Group Ltd. | \$    | 0.06         | \$  | 0.10             | \$     | 0.14             | \$ | 0.18         |
| Per diluted common share:  |       |              |     |                  |        |                  |    |              |
|  |       |              |     |                  |        |                  |    |              |
| Net income applicable to common shares attributed to Vector Group Ltd. | \$    | 0.06         | \$  | 0.10             | \$     | 0.14             | \$ | 0.18         |
| Cash distributions declared per share                                  | \$    | 0.40         | \$  | 0.38             | \$     | 0.38             | \$ | 0.38         |

<sup>\*</sup> Revenues and Cost of goods sold include excise taxes of \$118,342, \$112,773, \$108,912 and \$97,359 respectively.

### TABLE 1 VECTOR GROUP LTD. AND SUBSIDIARIES COMPUTATION OF PRO-FORMA ADJUSTED EBITDA (Unaudited)

(Dollars in Thousands)

| Thuca | Monthe | Ended |
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|--|----|------------|-----|-------------|---|----------|-----|--------------|
|  | De | cember 31, | Sep | otember 30, |   | June 30, |     |              |
|  |    | 2015       |     | 2015        |   | 2015     | Mai | rch 31, 2015 |
| Net income attributed to Vector Group Ltd.                               | \$ | 7,904      | \$  | 12,466      | \$                                      | 17,607   | \$  | 21,221       |
| Interest expense   |    | 24,286     |     | 32,898      |   | 31,761   |     | 31,746       |
| Income tax expense   |    | 3,494      |     | 13,694      |   | 11,178   |     | 12,867       |
| Net income attributed to non-controlling interest                        |    | 1,533      |     | 3,644       |   | 1,837    |     | 260          |
| Depreciation and amortization  |    | 6,258      |     | 6,673       |   | 6,442    |     | 6,281        |
| EBITDA   | \$ | 43,475     | \$  | 69,375      | \$                                      | 68,825   | \$  | 72,375       |
| Change in fair value of derivatives embedded within convertible debt (a) |    | (5,695)    |     | (7,044)     |   | (5,256)  |     | (6,460)      |
| Equity in losses (earnings) from investments (b)                         |    | 27         |     | 1,103       |   | 2,163    |     | (612)        |
| Loss (gain) on sale of investment securities available for sale          |    | 880        |     | 821         |   | 190      |     | (13,029)     |
| Impairment of investment securities available for sale                   |    | 635        |     | 12,211      |   | _        |     | _            |
| Equity in (earnings) losses from real estate ventures (c)                |    | (723)      |     | 916         |   | (1,856)  |     | (338)        |
| Pension settlement charge  |    | _          |     | _           |   | 1,607    |     | _            |
| Stock-based compensation expense (d)                                     |    | 1,972      |     | 1,248       |   | 1,236    |     | 1,164        |
| Litigation settlement and judgment expense (e)                           |    | 14,229     |     | 3,750       |   | 1,250    |     | 843          |
| Impact of MSA settlement (f)   |    | 1,351      |     | (5,715)     |   | _        |     | _            |
| Restructuring expense  |    | 5,709      |     | 1,548       |   | _        |     | _            |
| Purchase accounting adjustments (g)                                      |    | 379        |     | 366         |   | 358      |     | 332          |
| Other, net   |    | (1,309)    |     | (1,342)     |   | (1,821)  |     | (1,937)      |
| Pro-forma Adjusted EBITDA  | \$ | 60,930     | \$  | 77,237      | \$                                      | 66,696   | \$  | 52,338       |
| Pro-forma Adjusted EBITDA attributed to non-controlling interest         |    | (2,535)    |     | (4,735)     |   | (2,913)  |     | (1,084)      |
| Pro-forma Adjusted EBITDA attributed to Vector Group Ltd.                | \$ | 58,395     | \$  | 72,502      | \$                                      | 63,783   | \$  | 51,254       |
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| Pro-forma Adjusted EBITDA by Segment                                     | Φ. | CD 50.4    | Φ.  | 66.004      | Φ.                                      | 60.004   |     | ED 4E0       |
| Tobacco  | \$ | 63,794     | \$  | 66,084      | \$                                      | 62,024   | \$  | 53,472       |
| E-cigarettes   |    | (5,327)    |     | (2,146)     |   | (2,400)  |     | (3,164)      |
| Real Estate (h)  |    | 6,413      |     | 15,981      |   | 10,326   |     | 5,391        |
| Corporate and Other  |    | (3,950)    | Φ.  | (2,682)     |   | (3,254)  |     | (3,361)      |
| Total  | \$ | 60,930     | \$  | 77,237      | \$                                      | 66,696   | \$  | 52,338       |
| Pro-forma Adjusted EBITDA Attributed to Vector Group by Segment          |    |            |     |             |   |          |     |              |
| Tobacco  | \$ | 63,794     | \$  | 66,084      | \$                                      | 62,024   | \$  | 53,472       |
| E-cigarettes   |    | (5,327)    |     | (2,146)     |   | (2,400)  |     | (3,164)      |
| Real Estate (i)  |    | 3,878      |     | 11,246      |   | 7,413    |     | 4,307        |
| Corporate and Other  |    | (3,950)    |     | (2,682)     |   | (3,254)  |     | (3,361)      |
| Total  | \$ | 58,395     | \$  | 72,502      | \$                                      | 63,783   | \$  | 51,254       |
|  |    |            |     |             |   |          |     |              |

Represents income or losses recognized from changes in the fair value of the derivatives embedded in the Company's convertible debt.

Represents income or losses recognized from investments that the Company accounts for under the equity method.

Represents equity income (loss) recognized from the Company's investment in certain real estate businesses that are not consolidated in its financial results.

Represents amortization of stock-based compensation.

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Represents accruals for settlements of judgment expenses in the *Engle* progeny tobacco litigation.

Represents the Company's tobacco segment's settlement of a long-standing dispute related to the Master Settlement Agreement.

Amounts represent purchase accounting adjustments recorded in the periods presented in connection with the increase of the Company's ownership of Douglas Elliman Realty, LLC, g. which occurred in 2013.

- h. Includes Pro-forma Adjusted EBITDA for Douglas Elliman Realty, LLC of \$5,855, \$16,294, \$9,906,and \$3,685 for the three months ended December 31, 2015, September 30, 2015, June 30, 2015 and March 31, 2015, respectively. Amounts reported in this footnote reflect 100% of Douglas Elliman Realty, LLC's entire Pro-forma Adjusted EBITDA.
- i. Includes Pro-forma Adjusted EBITDA for Douglas Elliman Realty, LLC less non-controlling interest of \$4,133, \$11,502, \$6,993, and \$2,601 for the three months ended December 31, 2015, September 30, 2015, June 30, 2015 and March 31, 2015, respectively. Amounts reported in this footnote have adjusted Douglas Elliman Realty, LLC's Pro-forma Adjusted EBITDA for non-controlling interest.

# TABLE 1 VECTOR GROUP LTD. AND SUBSIDIARIES COMPUTATION OF PRO-FORMA ADJUSTED EBITDA (Unaudited)

### (<u>Dollars in Thousands, Except Per Share Amounts</u>)

Year Ended December 31,

| Note income attributed to Vector Group Ltd.   | <u>-</u>   | 2015     | 2014      | 2013      | 2012     | 2011      |
|---|--|----------|-----------|-----------|----------|-----------|
| Interest expense  | Net income attributed to Vector Group Ltd.   | 59,198   | \$ 36,856 | \$ 37,300 | 30,675   | \$ 74,478 |
| Net income (loss) attributed to non-controlling interest   7.274   12.258   (252)   |  | 120,691  | 160,991   | 132,147   | 110,102  | 100,706   |
| Depreciation and amortization   25,654   24,499   12,631   10,608   10,007   EBITDA   254,050   267,769   205,498   174,516   233,558 | Income tax expense   | 41,233   | 33,165    | 23,672    | 23,131   | 47,767    |
| EBITDA  | Net income (loss) attributed to non-controlling interest   | 7,274    | 12,258    | (252)     | _        | _         |
| Change in fair value of derivatives embedded within convertible debt (a)  | Depreciation and amortization  | 25,654   | 24,499    | 12,631    | 10,608   | 10,607    |
| convertible debt (a) (24,455) (19,409) (18,935) 7,476 (7,984) Gain on liquidation of long-term investments — — — — — — — — — — — (25,832) Equity in losese (earnings) on long-term investments (b) (2,681) (3,140) (3,126) (264) (710) Loss (gain) on sale of investment securities available for sale (11,138) 11 (5,152) (1,640) (23,257) Impairment of investment securities 12,846 — — — — — — — — — — — — — — — — — — —  | EBITDA   | 254,050  | 267,769   | 205,498   | 174,516  | 233,558   |
| Equity in losses (earnings) on long-term investments (b)  | 9  | (24,455) | (19,409)  | (18,935)  | 7,476    | (7,984)   |
| (b)   | Gain on liquidation of long-term investments   | _        | _         | _         | _        | (25,832)  |
| for sale         (11,138)         11         (5,152)         (1,640)         (23,257)           Impairment of investment securities         12,846         —         —         —         —         —         —         —         —         —         —         —         —         —         —         —         1,9966         Gain on sale of townhomes         —         —         —         —         20,3843         —         1,217           Acceleration of interest expense related to debt conversion         —         5,205         12,414         14,960         —   |  | 2,681    | (3,140)   | (3,126)   | (264)    | 710       |
| Equity in earnings from real estate ventures (c) (2,001) (4,103) (22,925) (29,764) (19,966) Gain on sale of townhomes — — — — — — — — — — — — — — — — — — —   |  | (11,138) | 11        | (5,152)   | (1,640)  | (23,257)  |
| Cain on sale of townhomes   | Impairment of investment securities  | 12,846   | _         | _         | _        |           |
| Loss on extinguishment of debt  | Equity in earnings from real estate ventures (c)   | (2,001)  | (4,103)   | (22,925)  | (29,764) | (19,966)  |
| Acceleration of interest expense related to debt conversion   |  | _        | _         | _         | _        | (3,843)   |
| conversion         —         5,205         12,414         14,960         —           Pension Settlement Charge         1,607         —         —         —         —           Stock-based compensation expense (e)         20,072         2,475         88,106         —         —           Litigation settlement and judgment expense (e)         20,072         2,475         88,106         —         —           Impact of MSA Settlement (f)         (4,364)         (1,419)         (11,823)         —         —           Restructuring expense         7,257         —         —         —         —           Gain on acquisition of Douglas Elliman         —         —         (60,842)         —         —           Reclassification of EBITDA as a result of the consolidation of Douglas Elliman (g)         —         —         46,640         31,558         30,991           Purchase accounting adjustments (h)         1,435         1,478         —         —         —           Other, net         (6,409)         (9,396)         (4,573)         (593)         (1,375)           Pro-forma Adjusted EBITDA attributed to non-contolling interest         (11,267)         (15,858)         (13,717)         (9,281)         (9,114)           Pro-forma Adjuste  |  | _        | _         | 21,458    | _        | 1,217     |
| Stock-based compensation expense (d)   5,620   3,251   2,519   5,563   3,183     Litigation settlement and judgment expense (e)   20,072   2,475   88,106   —   —     Impact of MSA Settlement (f)   (4,364)   (1,419)   (11,823)   —   —   —     Restructuring expense   7,257   —   —   —   —   —     Gain on acquisition of Douglas Elliman   —   —   —   —   —   —   —     Gain on acquisition of Douglas Elliman (g)   —   —   —   —   —   —   —   —     Reclassification of EBITDA as a result of the consolidation of Douglas Elliman (g)   —   —   —   —   —   —   —   —   —     Other, net   — (6,409)   (9,396)   (4,573)   (593)   (1,375)   —   —   —     Other, net   — (6,409)   (9,396)   (4,573)   (593)   (1,375)   —   —     Pro-forma Adjusted EBITDA attributed to non-controlling interest   — (11,267)   — (15,858)   — (13,717)   — (9,281)   — (9,114)   —     Pro-forma Adjusted EBITDA attributed to vector Group Ltd.   — (13,247)   — (13,324) | conversion   | _        | 5,205     | 12,414    | 14,960   | _         |
| Litigation settlement and judgment expense (e) 20,072 2,475 88,106 — — — — — — — — — — — — — — — — — — —  | ŭ .  |          | _         | _         | _        | _         |
| Impact of MSA Settlement (f) (4,364) (1,419) (11,823) — — Restructuring expense 7,257 — — — — — — — — — — — — — — — — — — —   | *  |          |           |           | 5,563    | 3,183     |
| Restructuring expense   7,257   |  |          |           |           | _        | _         |
| Gain on acquisition of Douglas Elliman       —  |  |          | (1,419)   | (11,823)  | _        | _         |
| Reclassification of EBITDA as a result of the consolidation of Douglas Elliman (g)  | · ·  | 7,257    | _         | _         | _        | _         |
| consolidation of Douglas Elliman (g)         —         46,640         31,558         30,991           Purchase accounting adjustments (h)         1,435         1,478         —         —         —           Other, net         (6,409)         (9,396)         (4,573)         (593)         (1,375)           Pro-forma Adjusted EBITDA         257,201         242,722         249,259         201,812         187,402           Pro-forma Adjusted EBITDA attributed to non-controlling interest         (11,267)         (15,858)         (13,717)         (9,281)         (9,114)           Pro-forma Adjusted EBITDA attributed to Vector Group Ltd.         245,934         226,864         235,542         192,531         178,288           Pro-forma Adjusted EBITDA by Segment           Tobacco         245,374         211,168         198,866         185,798         173,721           E-cigarettes         (13,037)         (13,124)         (1,019)         —         —           Real Estate (i)         38,111         56,036         64,866         29,959         29,388           Corporate and Other         (13,247)         (11,358)         (13,454)         (13,945)         (15,707)           Total         257,201         242,722         249,25   |  | _        | _         | (60,842)  | _        | _         |
| Other, net         (6,409)         (9,396)         (4,573)         (593)         (1,375)           Pro-forma Adjusted EBITDA         257,201         242,722         249,259         201,812         187,402           Pro-forma Adjusted EBITDA attributed to noncontrolling interest         (11,267)         (15,858)         (13,717)         (9,281)         (9,114)           Pro-forma Adjusted EBITDA attributed to Vector Group Ltd.         245,934         226,864         235,542         192,531         178,288           Pro-forma Adjusted EBITDA by Segment           Tobacco         245,374         211,168         198,866         185,798         173,721           E-cigarettes         (13,037)         (13,124)         (1,019)         —         —           Real Estate (i)         38,111         56,036         64,866         29,959         29,388           Corporate and Other         (13,247)         (11,358)         (13,454)         (13,945)         (15,707)           Total         257,201         242,722         249,259         201,812         187,402           Pro-forma Adjusted EBITDA by Segment Attributed to VGR         245,374         211,168         198,866         185,798         173,721           E-cigarettes         (13,037)         (13,   | consolidation of Douglas Elliman (g)   | _        | _         | 46,640    | 31,558   | 30,991    |
| Pro-forma Adjusted EBITDA attributed to non- controlling interest   | Purchase accounting adjustments (h)  |          | 1,478     |           | _        | _         |
| Pro-forma Adjusted EBITDA attributed to noncontrolling interest         (11,267)         (15,858)         (13,717)         (9,281)         (9,114)           Pro-forma Adjusted EBITDA attributed to Vector Group Ltd.         245,934         226,864         235,542         192,531         178,288           Pro-forma Adjusted EBITDA by Segment           Tobacco         245,374         211,168         198,866         185,798         173,721           E-cigarettes         (13,037)         (13,124)         (1,019)         —         —           Real Estate (i)         38,111         56,036         64,866         29,959         29,388           Corporate and Other         (13,247)         (11,358)         (13,454)         (13,945)         (15,707)           Total         257,201         242,722         249,259         201,812         187,402           Pro-forma Adjusted EBITDA by Segment Attributed to VGR           Tobacco         245,374         211,168         198,866         185,798         173,721           E-cigarettes         (13,037)         (13,124)         (1,019)         —         —           Real Estate (j)         26,844         40,178         51,149         20,678         20,274           Corporate and Other   | <u>-</u>   |          | (9,396)   | (4,573)   | (593)    | (1,375)   |
| controlling interest         (11,267)         (15,858)         (13,717)         (9,281)         (9,114)           Pro-forma Adjusted EBITDA attributed to Vector Group Ltd.         245,934         226,864         235,542         192,531         178,288           Pro-forma Adjusted EBITDA by Segment           Tobacco         245,374         211,168         198,866         185,798         173,721           E-cigarettes         (13,037)         (13,124)         (1,019)         —         —           Real Estate (i)         38,111         56,036         64,866         29,959         29,388           Corporate and Other         (13,247)         (11,358)         (13,454)         (13,945)         (15,707)           Total         257,201         242,722         249,259         201,812         187,402           Pro-forma Adjusted EBITDA by Segment Attributed to VGR           Tobacco         245,374         211,168         198,866         185,798         173,721           E-cigarettes         (13,037)         (13,124)         (1,019)         —         —           Real Estate (j)         26,844         40,178         51,149         20,678         20,274           Corporate and Other         (13,247)         (11,3   | , and the second | 257,201  | 242,722   | 249,259   | 201,812  | 187,402   |
| Group Ltd.         245,934         226,864         235,542         192,531         178,288           Pro-forma Adjusted EBITDA by Segment           Tobacco         245,374         211,168         198,866         185,798         173,721           E-cigarettes         (13,037)         (13,124)         (1,019)         —         —           Real Estate (i)         38,111         56,036         64,866         29,959         29,388           Corporate and Other         (13,247)         (11,358)         (13,454)         (13,945)         (15,707)           Total         257,201         242,722         249,259         201,812         187,402           Pro-forma Adjusted EBITDA by Segment Attributed to VGR         245,374         211,168         198,866         185,798         173,721           Tobacco         245,374         211,168         198,866         185,798         173,721           E-cigarettes         (13,037)         (13,124)         (1,019)         —         —           Real Estate (j)         26,844         40,178         51,149         20,678         20,274           Corporate and Other         (13,247)         (11,358)         (13,454)         (13,945)         (15,707)  | controlling interest   | (11,267) | (15,858)  | (13,717)  | (9,281)  | (9,114)   |
| Tobacco         245,374         211,168         198,866         185,798         173,721           E-cigarettes         (13,037)         (13,124)         (1,019)         —         —           Real Estate (i)         38,111         56,036         64,866         29,959         29,388           Corporate and Other         (13,247)         (11,358)         (13,454)         (13,945)         (15,707)           Total         257,201         242,722         249,259         201,812         187,402           Pro-forma Adjusted EBITDA by Segment Attributed to VGR           Tobacco         245,374         211,168         198,866         185,798         173,721           E-cigarettes         (13,037)         (13,124)         (1,019)         —         —           Real Estate (j)         26,844         40,178         51,149         20,678         20,274           Corporate and Other         (13,247)         (11,358)         (13,454)         (13,945)         (15,707)  | *  | 245,934  | 226,864   | 235,542   | 192,531  | 178,288   |
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| Real Estate (i)         38,111         56,036         64,866         29,959         29,388           Corporate and Other         (13,247)         (11,358)         (13,454)         (13,945)         (15,707)           Total         257,201         242,722         249,259         201,812         187,402           Pro-forma Adjusted EBITDA by Segment Attributed to VGR           Tobacco         245,374         211,168         198,866         185,798         173,721           E-cigarettes         (13,037)         (13,124)         (1,019)         —         —           Real Estate (j)         26,844         40,178         51,149         20,678         20,274           Corporate and Other         (13,247)         (11,358)         (13,454)         (13,945)         (15,707)   | Tobacco  | 245,374  | 211,168   | 198,866   | 185,798  | 173,721   |
| Real Estate (i)         38,111         56,036         64,866         29,959         29,388           Corporate and Other         (13,247)         (11,358)         (13,454)         (13,945)         (15,707)           Total         257,201         242,722         249,259         201,812         187,402           Pro-forma Adjusted EBITDA by Segment Attributed to VGR           Tobacco         245,374         211,168         198,866         185,798         173,721           E-cigarettes         (13,037)         (13,124)         (1,019)         —         —           Real Estate (j)         26,844         40,178         51,149         20,678         20,274           Corporate and Other         (13,247)         (11,358)         (13,454)         (13,945)         (15,707)   | E-cigarettes   | (13,037) | (13,124)  | (1,019)   | _        | _         |
| Pro-forma         Adjusted Attributed to VGR         EBITDA         by         Segment         Segment<   | Real Estate (i)  |          |           | 64,866    | 29,959   | 29,388    |
| Pro-forma         Adjusted Attributed to VGR         EBITDA         by Segment           Tobacco         245,374         211,168         198,866         185,798         173,721           E-cigarettes         (13,037)         (13,124)         (1,019)         —         —           Real Estate (j)         26,844         40,178         51,149         20,678         20,274           Corporate and Other         (13,247)         (11,358)         (13,454)         (13,945)         (15,707)   | Corporate and Other  | (13,247) | (11,358)  | (13,454)  | (13,945) | (15,707)  |
| Attributed to VGR         Tobacco       245,374       211,168       198,866       185,798       173,721         E-cigarettes       (13,037)       (13,124)       (1,019)       —       —         Real Estate (j)       26,844       40,178       51,149       20,678       20,274         Corporate and Other       (13,247)       (11,358)       (13,454)       (13,945)       (15,707)  | Total  | 257,201  | 242,722   | 249,259   | 201,812  | 187,402   |
| E-cigarettes       (13,037)       (13,124)       (1,019)       —       —         Real Estate (j)       26,844       40,178       51,149       20,678       20,274         Corporate and Other       (13,247)       (11,358)       (13,454)       (13,945)       (15,707)  | , , ,  |          |           |           |          |           |
| Real Estate (j)     26,844     40,178     51,149     20,678     20,274       Corporate and Other     (13,247)     (11,358)     (13,454)     (13,945)     (15,707)   | Tobacco  | 245,374  | 211,168   | 198,866   | 185,798  | 173,721   |
| Corporate and Other (13,247) (11,358) (13,454) (13,945) (15,707)  | E-cigarettes   | (13,037) | (13,124)  | (1,019)   | _        | _         |
|   | Real Estate (j)  | 26,844   | 40,178    | 51,149    | 20,678   | 20,274    |
| Total 245,934 226,864 235,542 192,531 178,288   | Corporate and Other  | (13,247) | (11,358)  | (13,454)  | (13,945) | (15,707)  |
|   | Total  | 245,934  | 226,864   | 235,542   | 192,531  | 178,288   |

a. Represents income or losses recognized from changes in the fair value of the derivatives embedded in the Company's convertible debt.

- Represents income or losses recognized from investments that the Company accounts for under the equity method. b.
- Represents equity income (loss) recognized from the Company's investment in certain real estate businesses that are not consolidated in its financial results.
- d. Represents amortization of stock-based compensation.
- Represents accruals for settlements of judgment expenses in the *Engle* progeny tobacco litigation.

  Represents the Company's tobacco segment's settlement of a long-standing dispute related to the Master Settlement Agreement.
- Represents EBITDA of Douglas Elliman Realty, LLC for all periods prior to December 13, 2013. On December 13, 2013, the Company increased its ownership of Douglas Elliman Realty, LLC from 50% to 70.59%. Consequently, after December 13, 2013, the Company consolidates the operations and financial position of Douglas Elliman Realty, LLC in its financial statements. The Company had previously accounted for its interest in Douglas Elliman Realty, LLC under the equity method, and operating income as well as depreciation and amortization expense from Douglas Elliman Realty, LLC, were not included in the Company's Adjusted EBITDA.

  Amounts represent purchase accounting adjustments recorded in the periods presented in connection with the increase of the Company's ownership of Douglas Elliman Realty, LLC,
- h. which occurred in 2013.
- Includes Pro-forma Adjusted EBITDA for Douglas Elliman Realty, LLC of \$35,740, \$50,655, \$45,710, \$30,910, and \$30,991 for the years ended December 31, 2015, 2014, 2013, 2012, and 2011, respectively. Amounts reported in this footnote reflect 100% of Douglas Elliman Realty, LLC's entire Pro-forma Adjusted EBITDA.

  Includes Pro-forma Adjusted EBITDA for Douglas Elliman Realty, LLC less non-controlling interest of \$25,229, \$35,757, \$31,993, \$21,629, and \$21,877 for the years ended December 31, 2015, 2014, 2013, 2012, and 2011 respectively. Amounts reported in this footnote have adjusted Douglas Elliman Realty, LLC's Pro-forma Adjusted EBITDA for non-controlling interest.

### TABLE 2 VECTOR GROUP LTD. AND SUBSIDIARIES RECONCILIATION OF PRO-FORMA ADJUSTED NET INCOME

(Unaudited) (<u>Dollars in Thousands, Except Per Share Amounts</u>)

Three Months Ended

|   | December 3 | 1, 2015 | Sep | otember 30, 2015 | June 30,<br>2015 | ľ  | March 31, 2015 |
|---|------------|---------|-----|------------------|------------------|----|----------------|
|   |            |         |     |                  |                  |    |                |
| Net income attributed to Vector Group Ltd.  | \$         | 7,904   | \$  | 12,466           | \$<br>17,607     | \$ | 21,221         |
|   |            |         |     |                  |                  |    |                |
| Change in fair value of derivatives embedded within convertible debt                      |            | (5,695) |     | (7,044)          | (5,256)          |    | (6,460)        |
| Non-cash amortization of debt discount on convertible debt                                |            | 7,565   |     | 7,187            | 6,516            |    | 5,943          |
| Litigation settlement and judgment expense (a)  |            | 14,229  |     | 3,750            | 1,250            |    | 843            |
| Cash interest capitalized to real estate venture  |            | (9,928) |     | _                | _                |    | _              |
| Impact of MSA settlement (b)  |            | 1,351   |     | (5,715)          | _                |    | _              |
| Pension settlement charge   |            | _       |     | _                | 1,607            |    | _              |
| Restructuring expense   |            | 5,709   |     | 1,548            | _                |    | _              |
| Douglas Elliman Realty, LLC purchase accounting adjustments (c)                           |            | 1,358   |     | 1,351            | 1,343            |    | 1,251          |
| Total adjustments   |            | 14,589  |     | 1,077            | 5,460            |    | 1,577          |
|   |            |         |     |                  |                  |    |                |
| Tax expense related to adjustments  |            | (6,089) |     | (448)            | (2,258)          |    | (652)          |
|   |            |         |     |                  |                  |    |                |
| Pro-forma Adjusted Net Income attributed to Vector Group Ltd.                             | \$         | 16,404  | \$  | 13,095           | \$<br>20,809     | \$ | 22,146         |
|   |            |         |     |                  |                  |    |                |
| Per diluted common share:   |            |         |     |                  |                  |    |                |
|   |            |         |     |                  |                  |    |                |
| Pro-forma Adjusted Net Income applicable to common shares attributed to Vector Group Ltd. | \$         | 0.13    | \$  | 0.11             | \$<br>0.17       | \$ | 0.18           |

<sup>a. Represents accruals for settlements of judgment expenses in the</sup> *Engle* progeny tobacco litigation.
b. Represents the Company's tobacco segment's settlement of a long-standing dispute related to the Master Settlement Agreement.
c. Represents 70.59% of purchase accounting adjustments in the periods presented for assets acquired in connection with the increase of the Company's ownership of Douglas Elliman Realty, LLC, which occurred in 2013.

### TABLE 2 VECTOR GROUP LTD. AND SUBSIDIARIES RECONCILIATION OF PRO-FORMA ADJUSTED NET INCOME

(Unaudited)

### (Dollars in Thousands, Except Per Share Amounts)

Year Ended December 31,

|  | 2015     | 2014      | 2013      | 2012     | 2011      |
|--|----------|-----------|-----------|----------|-----------|
| Net income attributed to Vector Group Ltd.   | 59,198   | \$ 36,856 | \$ 37,300 | 30,675   | \$ 74,478 |
| Acceleration of interest expense related to debt conversion                                | _        | 5,205     | 12,414    | 14,960   | 1,217     |
| Change in fair value of derivatives embedded within convertible debt                       | (24,455) | (19,409)  | (18,935)  | 7,476    | (7,984)   |
| Non-cash amortization of debt discount on convertible debt                                 | 27,211   | 51,472    | 36,378    | 18,016   | 10,441    |
| Loss on extinguishment of 11% Senior Secured Notes due 2015                                | _        | _         | 21,458    | _        | _         |
| Litigation settlement and judgment expense (a)   | 20,072   | 2,475     | 88,106    | _        | _         |
| Capitalized Interest   | (9,928)  | _         | _         | _        | _         |
| Impact of MSA Settlement (b)   | (4,364)  | (1,419)   | (11,823)  | _        | _         |
| Interest income from MSA Settlement (c)  | _        | _         | (1,971)   | _        | _         |
| Pensions Settlement Charge   | 1,607    | _         | _         | _        | _         |
| Gain on acquisition of Douglas Elliman Realty, LLC (d)                                     | _        | _         | (60,842)  | _        | _         |
| Restructuring expense  | 7,257    | _         | _         | _        | _         |
| Gain on liquidation of long-term investments   | _        | _         | _         | _        | (25,832)  |
| Gain on townhomes  | _        | _         | _         | _        | (3,843)   |
| Adjustment to reflect additional 20.59% of net income from Douglas Elliman Realty, LLC (e) | _        | _         | 8,557     | 5,947    | 5,811     |
| Out-of-period adjustment related to Douglas<br>Elliman acquisition in 2013 (f)             | _        | (1,231)   | _         | _        | _         |
| Douglas Elliman Realty, LLC purchase accounting adjustments (g)                            | 5,303    | 6,019     | 1,165     | _        | _         |
| Total adjustments  | 22,703   | 43,112    | 74,507    | 46,399   | (20,190)  |
|  |          |           |           |          |           |
| Tax (expense) benefit related to adjustments   | (9,447)  | (17,827)  | (29,467)  | (19,332) | 8,197     |
| One-time adjustment to income tax expense due to purchase accounting (h)                   | _        | 1,670     | _         | _        | _         |
| Pro-forma Adjusted Net Income attributed to Vector Group Ltd.                              | 72,454   | 63,811    | 82,340    | 57,742   | 62,485    |
| Per diluted common share:  | _        |           |           |          |           |
| Pro-forma Adjusted Net Income applicable to common shares attributed to Vector Group Ltd.  | 0.60     | 0.57      | 0.79      | 0.58     | 0.64      |

- a. Represents accruals for settlements of judgment expenses in the *Engle* progeny tobacco litigation.
- b. Represents the Company's tobacco segment's settlement of a long-standing dispute related to the Master Settlement Agreement.
- c. Represents interest income from the Company's tobacco segment's settlement of a long-standing dispute related to the Master Settlement Agreement.
- d. Represents gain associated with the increase of ownership of Douglas Elliman Realty, LLC.
- e. Represents 20.59% of Douglas Elliman Realty LLC's net income from January 1, 2013 to December 13, 2013 and the years ended December 31, 2012 and 2011. On December 13, 2013, the Company increased its ownership of Douglas Elliman Realty, LLC from 50% to 70.59%. Consequently, after December 13, 2013, the Company includes an additional 20.59% of Adjusted Net Income from Douglas Elliman Realty, LLC in the Company's Adjusted Net Income.
- f. Represents an out-of-period adjustment related to a non-accrual of a receivable from Douglas Elliman Realty in the fourth quarter of 2013 and would have increased the Company's gain on acquisition of Douglas Elliman in 2013.
- g. Represents 70.59% of purchase accounting adjustments in the periods presented for assets acquired in connection with the increase of the Company's ownership of Douglas Elliman Realty, LLC, which occurred in 2013.
- h. Represents adjustments to income tax expense due to a change in the Company's marginal income tax rate from 40.6% to 41.35% as a result of its acquisition of 20.59% of Douglas Elliman Realty, LLC on December 13, 2013.

### TABLE 3 VECTOR GROUP LTD. AND SUBSIDIARIES RECONCILIATION OF PRO-FORMA ADJUSTED OPERATING INCOME (Unaudited)

(<u>Dollars in Thousands</u>)

|   | De | cember 31,<br>2015 | Sep | otember 30,<br>2015 | <br>June 30,<br>2015 | Marc | ch 31, 2015 |
|---|----|--------------------|-----|---------------------|----------------------|------|-------------|
| Operating income  | \$ | 31,032             | \$  | 69,367              | \$<br>55,803         | \$   | 43,718      |
| Litigation settlement and judgment expense (a)                  |    | 14,229             |     | 3,750               | 1,250                |      | 843         |
| Pension settlement charge                                       |    | _                  |     | _                   | 1,607                |      | _           |
| Restructuring expense   |    | 5,709              |     | 1,548               | _                    |      | _           |
| Impact of MSA settlement (b)                                    |    | 1,351              |     | (5,715)             | _                    |      | _           |
| Douglas Elliman Realty, LLC purchase accounting adjustments (c) |    | 1,925              |     | 1,913               | 1,903                |      | 1,772       |
| Total adjustments   |    | 23,214             |     | 1,496               | 4,760                |      | 2,615       |
|   |    |                    |     |                     |                      |      |             |
| Pro-forma Adjusted Operating Income (d)                         | \$ | 54,246             | \$  | 70,863              | \$<br>60,563         | \$   | 46,333      |

b.

Does not include a reduction for 29.41% non-controlling interest in Douglas Elliman Realty, LLC.

Represents accruals for settlements of judgment expenses in the *Engle* progeny tobacco litigation.

Represents the Company's tobacco segment's settlement of a long-standing dispute related to the Master Settlement Agreement.

Amounts represent purchase accounting adjustments recorded in the periods presented in connection with the increase of the Company's ownership of Douglas Elliman Realty, LLC, which occurred in 2013.

### TABLE 3 VECTOR GROUP LTD. AND SUBSIDIARIES RECONCILIATION OF PRO-FORMA ADJUSTED OPERATING INCOME (Unaudited)

### (Dollars in Thousands)

|  |               | Ŋ             | lear Ei | nded December 3 | 1, |         |    |         |
|--|---------------|---------------|---------|-----------------|----|---------|----|---------|
|  | <br>2015      | <br>2014      |         | 2013            |    | 2012    |    | 2011    |
| Operating income   | \$<br>199,920 | \$<br>212,438 | \$      | 111,186         | \$ | 154,083 | \$ | 142,621 |
| Litigation settlement and judgment expense (a)   | 20,072        | 2,475         |         | 88,106          |    | _       |    | _       |
| Pension settlement charge  | 1,607         | _             |         | _               |    | _       |    | _       |
| Restructuring expense  | 7,257         | _             |         | _               |    | _       |    | _       |
| Impact of MSA settlement (b)   | (4,364)       | (1,419)       |         | (11,823)        |    | _       |    | _       |
| Reclassification of operating income as a result of the consolidation of Douglas Elliman Realty, LLC (c) | _             | _             |         | 42,598          |    | 27,894  |    | 27,299  |
| Douglas Elliman Realty, LLC purchase accounting adjustments (d)  | 7,513         | 8,527         |         | 1,650           |    | _       |    | _       |
| Total adjustments  | 32,085        | 9,583         |         | 120,531         |    | 27,894  | _  | 27,299  |
|  |               |               |         |                 |    |         |    |         |

Pro-forma Adjusted Operating Income (e)

- Represents accruals for settlements of judgment expenses in the *Engle* progeny tobacco litigation.

  Represents the Company's tobacco segment's settlement of a long-standing dispute related to the Master Settlement Agreement.

  Represents Adjusted Operating Income of Douglas Elliman Realty, LLC for all periods prior to December 13, 2013. On December 13, 2013, the Company increased its ownership of Douglas Elliman Realty, LLC from 50% to 70.59%. Consequently, after December 13, 2013, the Company consolidates the operations and financial position of Douglas Elliman Realty in its financial statements. The Company had previously accounted for its interest in Douglas Elliman under the equity method and operating income from Douglas Elliman Realty, LLC was

222,021

231,717

181,977

169,920

not included in the Company's operating income.

Amounts represent purchase accounting adjustments recorded in the periods presented in connection with the increase of the Company's ownership of Douglas Elliman Realty, LLC, which occurred in 2013.

232,005

Does not include a reduction for 29.41% non-controlling interest in Douglas Elliman Realty, LLC.





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### **INVESTMENT HIGHLIGHTS & PORTFOLIO**

### Overview

- Diversified Holding Company with two unrelated, but complementary, businesses with iconic brand names: tobacco (Liggett Group) and real estate (Douglas Elliman)
- History of strong earnings, and Pro-Forma Adjusted EBITDA has increased from \$175.6 million in 2010<sup>(1)</sup> to \$245.9 million for year ended December 31, 2015 (7.0% compounded annually)<sup>(2)</sup>
  - Tobacco Adjusted EBITDA of \$245.4 million for the year ended December 31, 2015 (3)
  - Douglas Elliman, which is a 70.59%-owned subsidiary, produces Pro-Forma Adjusted Revenues of \$637 million and Pro-Forma Adjusted EBITDA of \$35.7 million for year ended December 31, 2015 (4)
- Diversified New Valley portfolio of consolidated and non-consolidated real estate investments
- Maintains substantial liquidity with cash, marketable securities and long-term investments of \$534 million as of December 31, 2015 (5) and has no significant debt maturities until February 2019
- Uninterrupted quarterly cash dividends since 1995 and an annual 5% stock dividend since 1999
- Seasoned management team with average tenure of 23 years with Vector Group
- Management team and directors beneficially own approximately 13% of Vector Group
- Perpetual cost advantage over the three largest U.S. tobacco companies currently worth approximately \$165 million annually<sup>(6)</sup>

(1) Vector's Net income for the year ended December 31, 2010 was \$54.1 million. Pro-Forma Adjusted EBITDA is a Non-GAAP Financial Measure. Please refer to Exhibit 99.1 of the Company's Current Report on Form 8-K, dated October 2, 2015 (Table 1) for a reconciliation of Net income to Pro-Forma Adjusted EBITDA as well as the Disclaimer to this document on Page 2.

(2) Vector's Net income for the twelve months ended December 31, 2015 was \$59.2 million. Pro-Forma Adjusted EBITDA is a Non-GAAP Financial Measure. Please refer to Exhibit 99.1 of the Company's Current Report on Form 8-K, filed on March 8, 2016, for a reconciliation of Net income to Pro-Forma Adjusted EBITDA as well as the Disclaimer to this document on Poge 2.

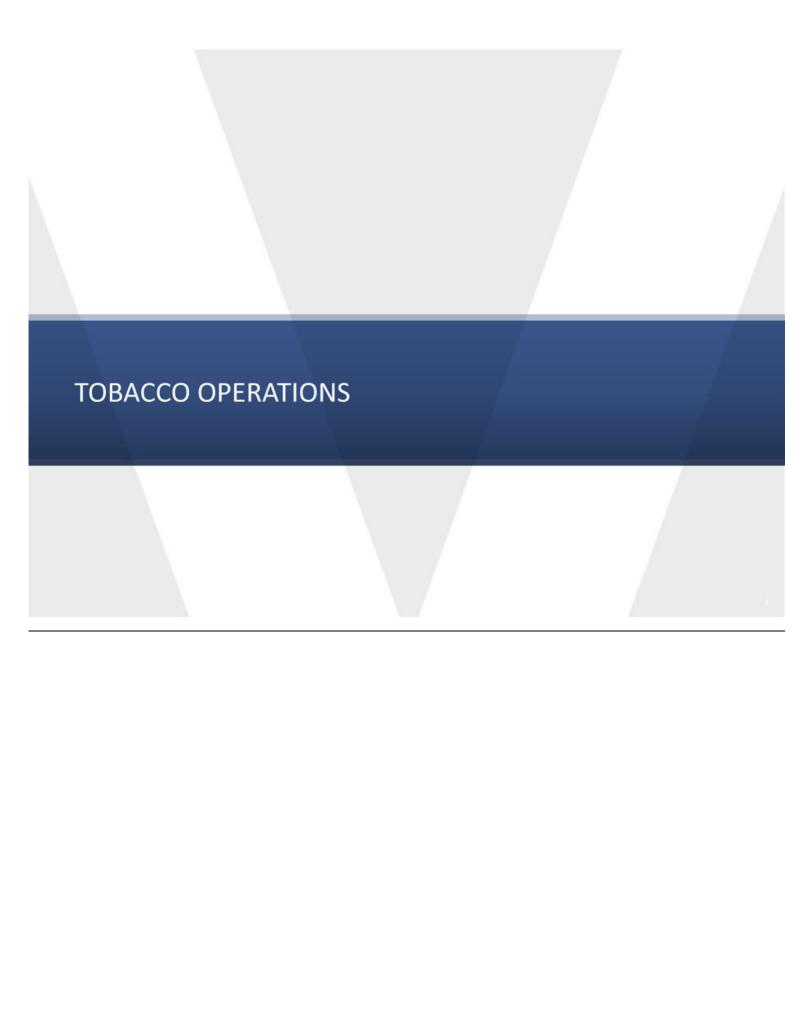
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(4) Douglas Elliman's revenues were \$635.1 million and its Net income was \$22.2 million for the twelve months ended December 31, 2015. Pro-Forma Adjusted Revenues and Pro-Forma Adjusted EBITDA are Non-GAAP financial Measures. Please refer to Exhibit 99.1 of the Company's Current Report on Form 8-K, dated March 8, 2016, for a reconciliation to Revenues of Non-GAAP financial measures and Net Income to Pro-Forma Adjusted Revenues and Pro-Forma Adjusted EBITDA (Tables 9 and 10) as well as the Disclaimer to this document on Page 2.

(5) Excludes real estate investments

(6) Cost advantage applies only to cigarettes sold below applicable market share exemption.





### LIGGETT GROUP OVERVIEW

- Fourth-largest U.S. tobacco company; founded in 1873
  - Core Discount Brands Pyramid, Grand Prix, Liggett Select, Eve and Eagle 20's
  - Partner Brands USA, Bronson and Tourney
- Consistent and strong cash flow
  - —Tobacco Adjusted EBITDA of \$245.4 million for the twelve months ended December 31, 2015 (1)
  - —Low capital requirements with capital expenditures of \$3.7 million related to tobacco operations for the twelve months ended December 31, 2015
- Current cost advantage of 65 cents per pack compared to the three largest U.S. tobacco companies expected to maintain volume and drive profit in core brands
  - Pursuant to the MSA, Liggett has no payment obligations unless its market share exceeds a market share exemption of approximately
     1.65% of total cigarettes sold in the United States, and Vector Tobacco has no payment obligations unless its market share exceeds a market share exemption of approximately 0.28% of total cigarettes sold in the United States
  - MSA exemption currently worth approximately \$165 million annually for Liggett and Vector Tobacco



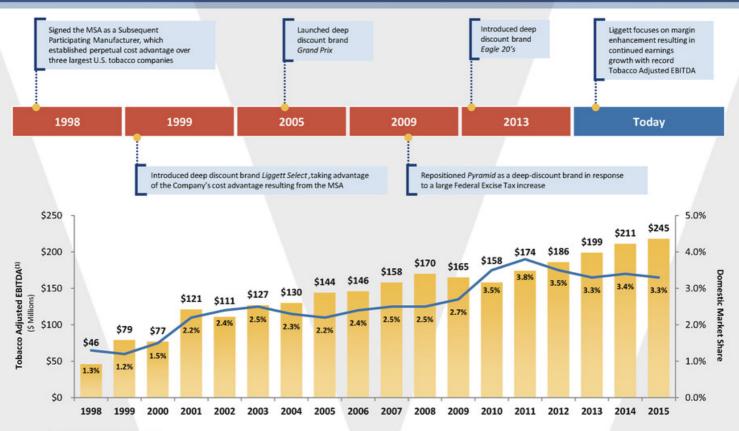








### LIGGETT GROUP HISTORY



Source: MSA CRA wholesale shipment database. Note: The Liggett and Vector Tobacco businesses have been combined into a single segment for all periods since 2007.

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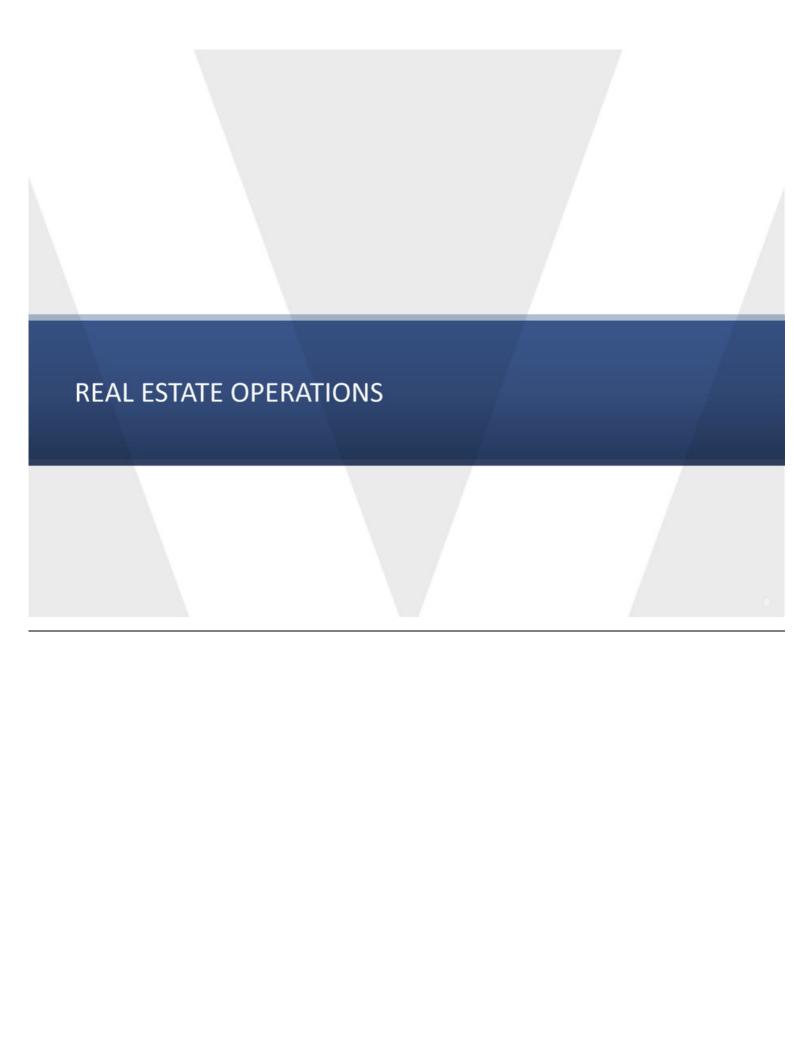
### **TOBACCO LITIGATION AND REGULATORY UPDATES**

### Litigation

- Liggett led the industry in acknowledging the addictive properties of nicotine while seeking a legislated settlement of litigation
- In 2013, Liggett reached a settlement with approximately 4,900 Engle plaintiffs, which represented substantially all of Liggett's pending litigation
  - Liggett agreed to pay \$60 million in a lump sum in 2014 and the balance in installments of \$3.4 million in the following 14 years (2015 2028)
  - Approximately 255 Engle progeny plaintiffs remain
  - As of December 31, 2015, there were presently another ten cases under appeal, and the range of loss in these cases is \$0 to \$28.5 million (plus attorneys' fees and interest) of which Liggett has secured approximately \$12.8 million in outstanding bonds

### Regulatory

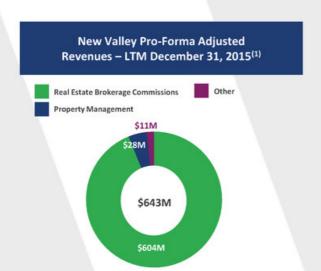
- Since 1998, the MSA has restricted the advertising and marketing of tobacco products
- In 2009, Family Smoking Prevention and Tobacco Control Act granted the FDA power to regulate the manufacture, sale, marketing and packaging of tobacco products
  - FDA is prohibited from issuing regulations that ban cigarettes
- Federal Excise Tax is \$1.01/pack (since April 1, 2009) and additional state and municipal excise taxes exist.

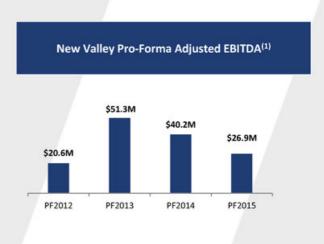




### **REAL ESTATE OVERVIEW**

- New Valley, which owns 70.59% of Douglas Elliman Realty, LLC, is a diversified real estate company that is seeking to acquire additional operating companies and real estate properties
- New Valley has invested approximately \$217 million, as of December 31, 2015, in a broad portfolio of 23 real estate investments





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### **DOUGLAS ELLIMAN REALTY, LLC**

- Largest residential real estate brokerage firm in the highly competitive New York metropolitan area and fourthlargest residential brokerage firm in the U.S. in 2014
- Approximately 6,000 affiliated agents and 80 offices in the U.S.
- Alliance with Knight Frank provides a network with 400 offices across 55 countries with 22,000 affiliated agents
- Also offers title and settlement services, relocation services, and residential property management services through various subsidiaries
- Became a consolidated subsidiary in December 2013



Douglas Elliman Closed Sales - LTM December 31, 2015



**Douglas Elliman** 

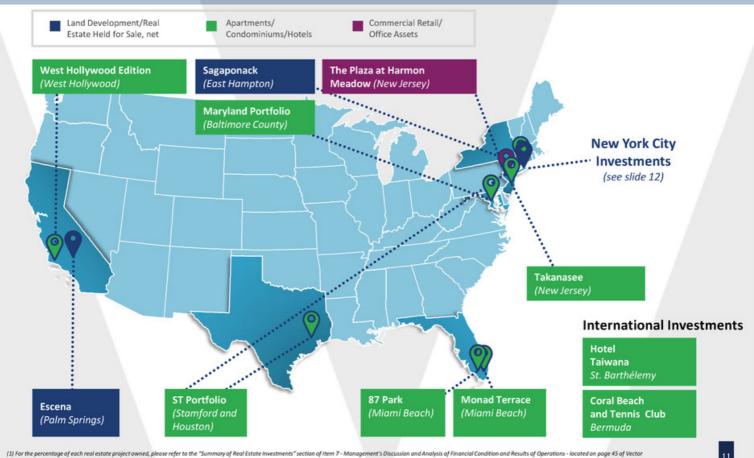




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### NEW VALLEY'S REAL ESTATE INVESTMENTS AT DECEMBER 31, 2015 (1)



(1) For the percentage of each real estate project owned, please refer to the "Summary of Real Estate lines Group Ltd.'s Form 10-K for the fiscal year ended December 31, 2015 (Commission File Number 1-5759).



# NEW VALLEY'S REAL ESTATE INVESTMENTS IN NEW YORK CITY (1)



- 1. The Marquand Upper East Side
- 2. 10 Madison Square Park West Flatiron District/NoMad
- 3. 11 Beach Street TriBeCa
- 4. 20 Times Square Times Square
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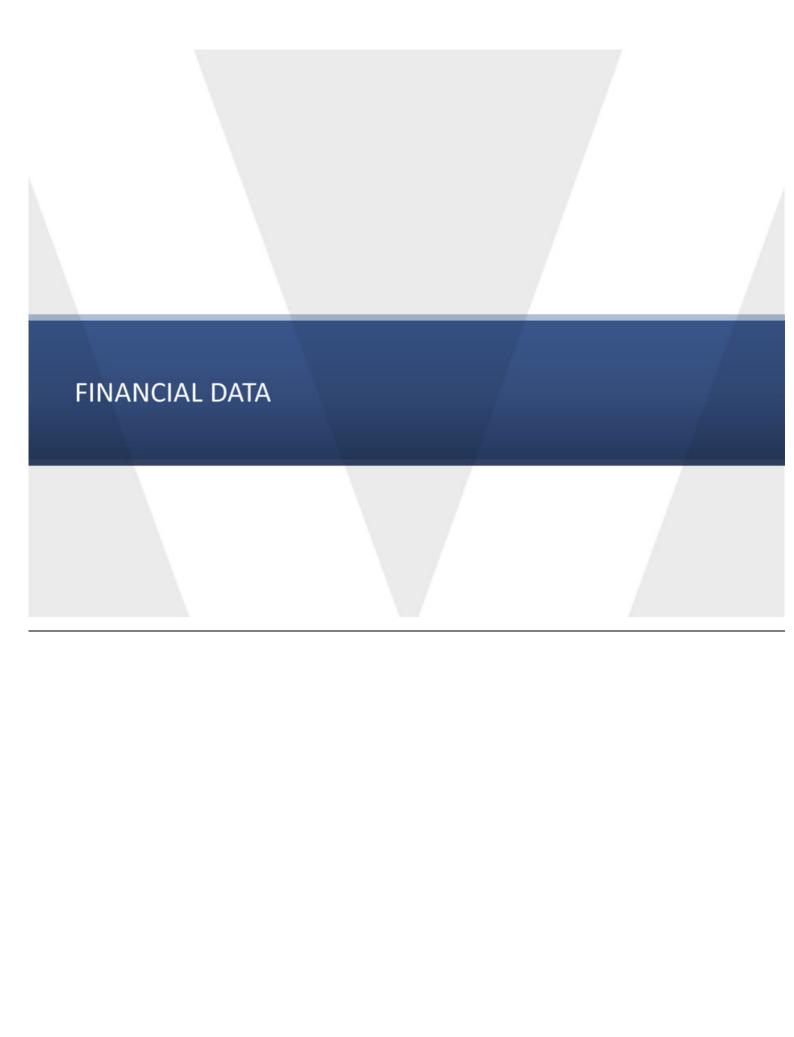
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# NEW VALLEY'S REAL ESTATE SUMMARY AS OF DECEMBER 31, 2015 (1)

| (Dollars in thousands)           | Net casi<br>invested |            | Cumulative ear<br>(loss) | nings   | Carryii<br>value |         | Projected<br>cumulative area | Projected construction end date | Range of ownership<br>per investment | Number of investments |
|----------------------------------|----------------------|------------|--------------------------|---------|------------------|---------|------------------------------|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|-----------------------|
| Land owned                       |                      |            |                          |         |                  |         |                              |                                 |                                      |                       |
| New York City SMSA               | \$                   | 12,602     | \$                       | -       | \$               | 12,602  |                              | N/A                             | 100.0%                               |                       |
| All other U.S. areas             |                      | 1,975      |                          | 8,741   |                  | 10,716  | 450 Acres                    | N/A                             | 100.0%                               |                       |
|                                  | \$                   | 14,577     | \$                       | 8,741   | \$               | 23,318  |                              |                                 |                                      |                       |
| Condominium and Mixed Use D      | Development (r       | ninority i | nterest owned)           |         |                  |         |                              |                                 |                                      |                       |
| New York City SMSA               | \$                   | 114,398    | \$                       | 19,169  | \$               | 133,567 | 2,885,000 Square feet        | 2015 - 2019                     | 3.1% - 49.5%                         | 1                     |
| All other U.S. areas             |                      | 28,867     |                          | 1,589   |                  | 30,456  | 530,000 Square feet          | 2017 - 2019                     | 15.0% - 48.5%                        |                       |
|                                  | \$                   | 143,265    | \$                       | 20,758  | \$               | 164,023 | 3,415,000 Square feet        |                                 |                                      | 1                     |
| Apartments (minority interest o  | owned)               |            |                          |         |                  |         |                              |                                 |                                      |                       |
| All other U.S. areas             |                      | 16,079     |                          | (325)   |                  | 15,754  | 6,005 Apartments             | N/A                             | 7.6% - 16.3%                         |                       |
|                                  | \$                   | 16,079     | \$                       | (325)   | \$               | 15,754  |                              |                                 |                                      |                       |
| Hotels (minority interest owner  | d)                   |            |                          |         |                  |         |                              |                                 |                                      |                       |
| New York City SMSA               | \$                   | 23,695     | \$                       | (3,998) | \$               | 19,697  | 628 Hotel rooms              | N/A                             | 5.2%                                 |                       |
| International                    | 2                    | 13,500     |                          | (3,272) |                  | 10,228  | 123 Hotel rooms              | N/A                             | 17.0% - 49.0%                        |                       |
|                                  | \$                   | 37,195     | \$                       | (7,270) | \$               | 29,925  | 751 Hotel rooms              |                                 |                                      |                       |
| Commercial (minority interest of | owned)               |            |                          |         |                  |         |                              |                                 |                                      |                       |
| New York City SMSA               |                      | 5,451      |                          | (2)     |                  | 5,449   | 217,613 Square feet          | N/A                             | 49.0%                                |                       |
|                                  | \$                   | 5,451      | \$                       | (2)     | \$               | 5,449   |                              |                                 |                                      |                       |
| Total                            | <u>\$</u>            | 216,567    | \$                       | 21,902  | \$               | 238,469 |                              |                                 |                                      | 2                     |
| SUMMARY                          |                      |            |                          |         |                  |         |                              |                                 |                                      |                       |
| New York City SMSA               | \$                   | 156,146    | \$                       | 15,169  | \$               | 171,315 | 7                            |                                 |                                      | 1                     |
| All other U.S. areas             |                      | 46,921     |                          | 10,005  |                  | 56,926  |                              |                                 |                                      |                       |
| International                    |                      | 13,500     |                          | (3,272) |                  | 10,228  |                              |                                 |                                      |                       |
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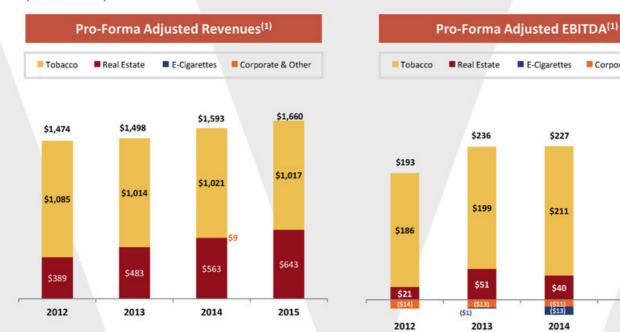
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### PRO-FORMA HISTORICAL FINANCIAL DATA

### (Dollars in millions)



(1) Vector's revenues for the periods presented were \$1.096B, \$1.080B, \$1.080B, \$1.591B and \$1.657B, respectively. Vector's Net income for the periods presented was \$30.7M, \$37.3M, \$36.9M and \$59.2M, respectively Pro-Forma Adjusted Revenues and Pro-Forma Adjusted EBITDA are Non-GAAP Financial Measures. Please refer to the Company's Current Report on Forms 8-K, filled on October 2, 2015 (Exhibit 99.2), March 8, 2016 (Exhibit 99.1) and April 2, 2016 (Exhibit 99.2) for a reconcilization of Non-GAAP financial measures to GAAP as well as the Disclaimer to this document on Page 2.

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Vector Group Ltd. owns Liggett Group, Vector Tobacco, Zoom E-Cigs, and New Valley. New Valley owns a 70% interest in Douglas Elliman.

### **TOBACCO**

- Fourth-largest cigarette manufacturer in the U.S. with a strong family of brands Pyramid, Grand Prix, Liggett Select, Eve and Eagle 20's — representing 12% share of the discount market.
- Focused on brand strength and long-term profit growth, while continuing to evaluate opportunities to pursue incremental volume and margin growth.
- Annual cost advantage of approximately \$165 million due to favorable treatment under the Master Settlement Agreement.
- The only cigarette company to have reached a comprehensive settlement resolving substantially all of the individual Engle progeny product liability cases pending in Florida. The Engle progeny cases have represented the most significant litigation against the U.S. cigarette industry in recent years.











### E-CIGARETTES

In 2014, entered e-cigarette category with national rollout of Zoom, a superior disposable product featuring Tobacco and Menthol flavors.



### REAL ESTATE

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- New Valley has invested approximately \$217 million, as of December 31, 2015, in a broad portfolio of 23 real estate investments.
- Douglas Elliman is the largest residential real estate brokerage firm in the New York metropolitan area and the fourth-largest in the U.S.
- Douglas Elliman's closings totaled \$22.4 billion for the year ended December 31, 2015 and it has approximately 6,000 affiliated agents and 80 offices throughout the New York metropolitan area, South Florida, Aspen, Greenwich, and Los Angeles.





### **EXECUTIVE MANAGEMENT**

### Howard M. Lorber

President and Chief Executive Officer

### J. Bryant Kirkland III

Vice President, Chief Financial Officer and Treasurer

Vice President, General Counsel and Secretary

### Ronald J. Bernstein

Group LLC and Liggett Vector Brands LLC

### COMPANY HIGHLIGHTS

- Headquartered in Miami with an executive office in Manhattan and tobacco operations in North Carolina
- Employs approximately 1,400 people
- Executive management and directors beneficially own 13% of the Company
- Reported cash of \$240 million and investments with fair value of \$294 million at December 31, 2015
- Recognized as one of America's Most Trustworthy Companies by *Forbes* in 2013

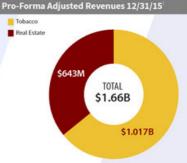


Vector is a largely underfollowed company with a highly competent management team and numerous ways to unlock value >>

Oppenheimer analyst Ian Zaffino







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### **NEW VALLEY REAL ESTATE INVESTMENTS**

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### New Valley's Real Estate Investment Portfolio



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- Closings of \$22.4 billion for the last twelve months ended December 31, 2015; Douglas Elliman has approximately 6,000 affiliated agents and 80 offices throughout the New York metropolitan area, South Florida, Aspen, Greenwich, and Los Angeles.
- Strategic Marketing Partnership with Yahoo!-Zillow® Real Estate Network that provides advertising exclusivity for Douglas Elliman's listings.
- Maintains an alliance with Knight Frank—the largest independent residential brokerage in the United Kingdom- to jointly market high-end properties, providing a network with 400 offices across 55 countries with 22,000 affiliated agents.
- Pro-Forma Adjusted Revenues and Pro-Forma Adjusted EBITDA of Douglas Elliman of \$637million and \$35.7 million', respectively, for the last twelve months ended December 31, 2015.





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New Valley Pro-Forma Adjusted

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### International Investments

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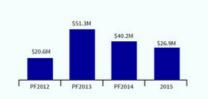
sident of New Valley Realty division

**Dorothy Herman**President and Chief Executive Officer of Douglas Elliman

### COMPANY HIGHLIGHTS

- Executive offices in Manhattan and Miami
- Employs approximately 900 people

### New Valley Pro-Forma Adjusted EBITDA



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