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Highlights and financial development

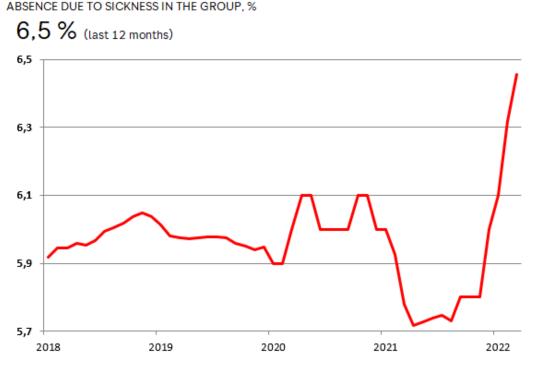
## Highlights

- Posten delivered **good results in a** declining e-commerce market
- Uncertainty impacted the quarter and affects future market prospects
- Posten's parcel volumes increased despite negative market growth
- Continued volume fall in addressed mail
- Increasingly more **satisfied and loyal customers**
- Posten once more named Norway's most innovative company
- The most sustainable brand in the parcel and logistics industry
- The changeover to electric vehicles continued
- The employees were key in maintaining a **high standard** in a quarter with several challenges





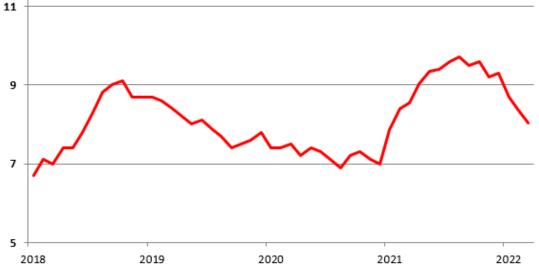
#### HSE 1<sup>st</sup> quarter 2022: High Corona-related absence due to sickness, but positive trend in injuries



\*Historical data has been adjusted for post-registration

Absence due to sickness in the last 12 months was 6,5 %, 0,5 % higher • than at year-end. The number of sick days related to Corona increased considerably towards the end of 2021 and in the 1<sup>st</sup> quarter 2022.



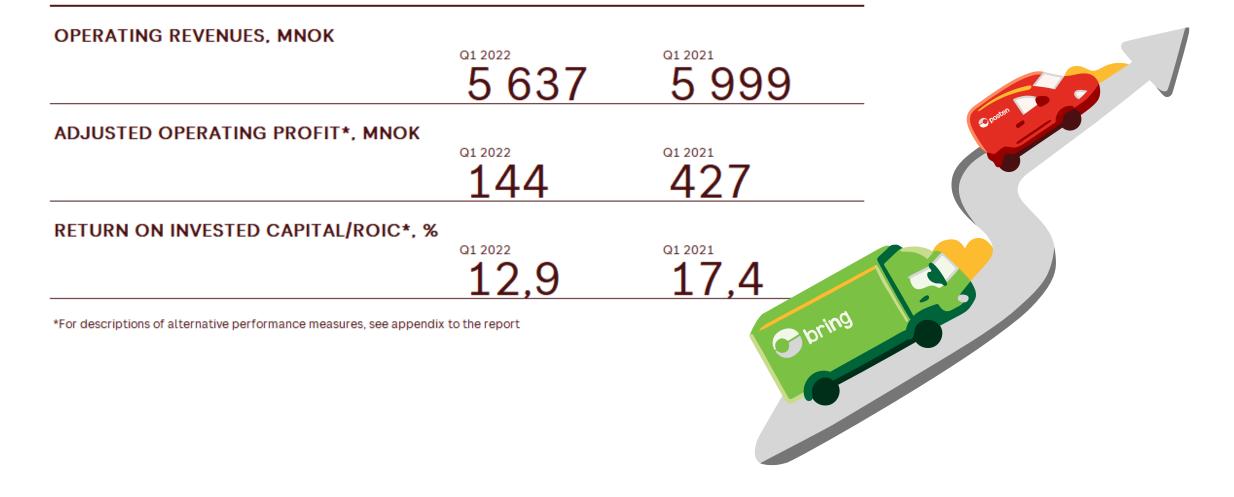




The total number of injuries per million worked hours (H2) in the last 12 months was 8.0, a reduction of 1.3 from year-end. Measures have shown results, and the positive trend continued in the 1<sup>st</sup> quarter 2022.

Our goal is a health-promoting working environment where nobody gets injured or sick as a consequence of their work in the Group. Efforts to improve the development through goal-oriented measures continue.

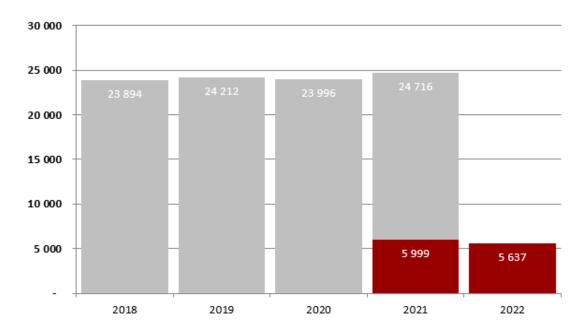
#### Financial highlights – 1<sup>st</sup> quarter 2022





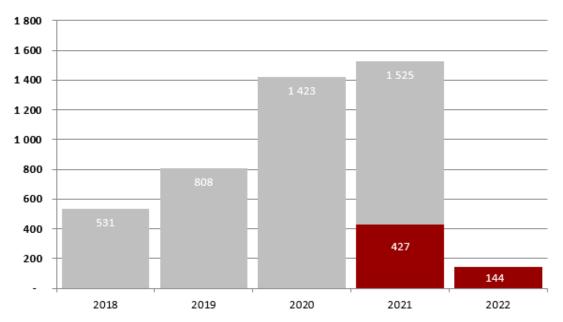
#### **Revenue and adjusted operating profit - 1<sup>st</sup> quarter 2022**

#### Revenue, MNOK



- Organic growth was 3,6 % in the 1<sup>st</sup> quarter 2022
- Organic growth of 8,3 % in the Logistics segment, reduced turnover compared with last year due to the sale of Frigoscandia
- Reduced turnover in the Mail segment due to continued fall in volumes





- Adjusted operating profit in the 1<sup>st</sup> quarter 2022 was MNOK 144, a reduction of MNOK 283 compared with last year's record quarter
- Reduced result in the Logistics segment was a consequence of a shift towards services with lower margins, in addition to increased energy and transport costs

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• Lower result in the Mail segment due to continued fall in volumes



### **Results 1<sup>st</sup> quarter 2022**

#### Profit development (unaudited)

Q1	Q1		Year
2022	2021		2021
5 637	5 999	Revenue	24 716
473	729	EBITDA	2 765
144	427	Adjusted operating profit	1 525
106	426	Operating profit (EBIT)	1 462
(34)	7	Net financial items	(109)
73	434	Profit before tax	1 352
56	353	Profit after tax	1 058

For descriptions of alternative performance measures, see appendix to the report



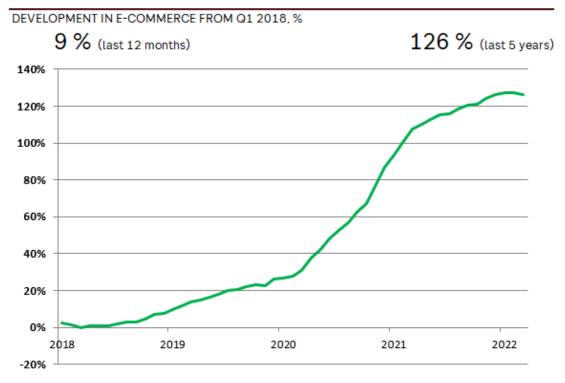
#### **Segment reporting**





#### Segment Logistics: Growth within declining e-commerce market

- Increased parcel volumes in Posten despite negative growth in the total e-commerce market
- E-commerce volumes increased by 9 % in the last 12 months
- Uncertainty and turbulence in the market contributed to negative growth of 2 % for Posten in the corporate market in the first quarter
- Uncertainty and turbulence impacted the quarter and affect market prospects, but economic growth and increased demand are expected in the coming years

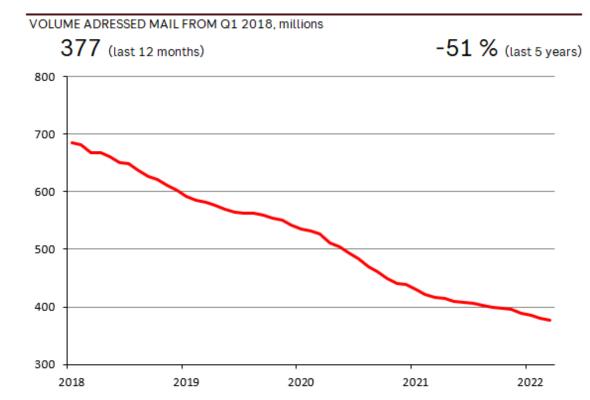


E-commerce volumes include all parcels under E-commerce & Consumer Deliveries in division E-commerce and Logistics



#### Segment Mail: Continued decline in mail volumes

- The addressed mail volume fell by 11 % in the 1<sup>st</sup> quarter 2022
- The volume of unaddressed mail increased by 21 % compared with the same period in 2021
- Norgespakken had a volume growth of 29 % in the 1<sup>st</sup> quarter 2022
- The delivery quality in the  $1^{\rm st}$  quarter was 91,6  $\,\%$  , well above the requirement of 85 %





#### **Future prospects**

- Considerable uncertainty about future economic development
- Challenges in global logistics and supply chains
- The logistics market is changing rapidly
- Continued **growth** in the years to come, but at more **normalized levels**
- Work on **new services areas** and an **improved range of services** continues
- Posten shall continue to lead in sustainability



