

## ASX - For immediate release

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### Pro-Pac Trading Update

Pro-Pac Packaging Limited (ASX: PPG) (Pro-Pac) would like to provide an update to the market on trading conditions.

In early April 2022, Pro-Pac confirmed that it was on track to meet guidance for FY22. Since then, April actual results were below expectations, and we expect this performance to continue into May and June as a result of the following headwinds;

- Raw material supply has continued to be constrained as a result of global sea freight restrictions and unreliability arising from bottle necks in Asia and Europe.
- Costs have been moving faster than a recovery can be achieved in the marketplace, particularly influenced by persistent resin inflation, foreign exchange, and sea freight.
- Production capacity continues to be restricted by the shortages of labour and the ongoing impacts of COVID-19.

As a consequence of these factors, Pro-Pac expects its FY22 underlying PBT result to be circa \$5.0m. This assumes that the divestment of Rigid completes on 30 June 2022, however this may occur earlier.

This announcement has been authorised for release by the Board of Directors.

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#### About Pro-Pac:

*Pro-Pac Packaging Limited (ASX: PPG) is an innovative Flexibles, Industrial Specialty Packaging and Rigid packaging company with a diversified distribution and manufacturing network throughout Australia and New Zealand. Headquartered in Melbourne, Pro-Pac delivers bespoke packaging solutions for a broad group of blue-chip and SME clients in the industrial, food and beverage, health, agriculture and manufacturing sectors. For further information, please visit [www.ppgaust.com.au](http://www.ppgaust.com.au)*

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