FINANCIAL REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2018

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DIRECTOR'S REPORT

Your directors presents this report on the company for the financial year ended 30 June 2018.

Directors

The name of the directors in office at any time during, or since the end of the year are:

Mr Shane Charles Ms Lisa France Mr Rohan Gosstray Mr Robert Hart Mr Dallas Hunter (Ceased 12/10/2017) Mr Andrew Kibble Ms Kathryn McKeefry (Appointed 09/05/2018) Mr John Moncrieff Mr Stewart Morland Mr Matthew Ostwald (Ceased 10/08/2017) Mr Joseph Wagner

The Directors have been in office since the start of the financial year to the date of this report unless otherwise stated.

Review of Operations and Financial Results

The profit/loss of the company for the financial year amounted to \$443,751 (2017: \$4,107).

A review of the operations of the company during the financial year and the results of those operations show during the year, the company continued to engage in its principal activity, the result of which are disclosed in the attached financial statements.

Significant Changes in State of Affairs

No significant changes in the company's state of affairs occurred during the financial year.

Principal Activities

The principal activities of the company during the financial year were local business growth and development. No significant change in the nature of these activities occurred during the year.

Events Subsequent to the End of the Reporting Period

No matters or circumstances have arisen since the end of the financial year which significantly affected or may significantly affect the operations of the company, the results of those operations, or the state of affairs of the company in future financial years.

Likely Developments & Expected Results of Operations

Likely developments in the operation of the company and the expected results of those operations in future financial years have not been included in this report as the inclusion of such information is likely to result in unreasonable prejudice to the company.

Environmental Regulations

The company's operations are not regulated by a significant environmental regulation under a law of the Commonwealth or of a State or Territory.

Dividends

Dividends paid or declared since the start of the financial year are as follows:

- No dividends have been paid or declared since the start of the financial year.

DIRECTOR'S REPORT

Options

Director:

No options over issued shares or interests in the company were granted during or since the end of the financial year and there were no options outstanding at the date of this report.

Indemnities given and insurance premiums paid to auditors and officers

No imdemnities have been given or insurance premiums paid, during or since the end of the financial year, for any person who is or has been an officer or auditor of the company.

Proceedings on Behalf of the Company

No person has applied for leave of the Court to bring proceedings on behalf of the Company or intervene in any proceedings to which the Company is a party for the purpose of taking responsibility on behalf of the Compay for all or part of those proceedings.

The company was not part of any such proceedings during the year.

Auditor's Independence Declaration

A copy of the Auditor's Independence Declaration as required under section 307C of the *Corporations Act 2001* is set out on page 3 and forms part of this director's report.

Signed in accordance with a resolution of the board of directors:

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Mr Shane Charles

Dated this 10th day of October 2018

AUDITOR'S INDEPENDENCE DECLARATION

To the Directors' of Toowoomba and Surat Basin Enterprise Pty Ltd

This auditor's independence declaration has been provided pursuant to s.307C of the *Corporations Act 2001*.

Independence Declaration

As lead auditor for the audit of Toowoomba and Surat Basin Enterprise Pty Ltd for the financial year ended 30 June 2018, I declare that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, there have been:

- a) no contraventions of the auditor independence requirements of the *Corporations Act 2001* in relation to the audit; and
- b) no contraventions of any applicable code of professional conduct in relation to the audit.

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John Welsh as delegate of the Auditor-General

10 October 2018

Queensland Audit Office Brisbane

STATEMENT OF COMPREHENSIVE INCOME FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2018

	Note	2018 \$	2017 \$
Revenue from continuing operations	2	3,096,579	3,465,110
Other Income		30,895	11,086
Expenses from continuing operations			
Accountancy expenses		(10,515)	(12,490)
Advertising expenses		(26,520)	(35,371)
Auditor's remuneration	3 (c)	(6,750)	(7,700)
Bad and doubtful debt expenses		(37,441)	(6,018)
Depreciation and amortisation expenses		(17,870)	(17,294)
Employee benefits expenses	3 (a)	(1,195,873)	(1,172,656)
Other significant expenses	3 (b)	(1,366,379)	(2,203,664)
Gain/(loss) on disposal of assets		(5,706)	(1,965)
Other expenses		(16,669)	(14,931)
Total comprehensive income for the period		443,751	4,107
Profit attributable to Members of the parent entity		443,751	4,107

STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION AS AT 30 JUNE 2018

		2018	2017
	Note	\$	\$
ASSETS			
CURRENT ASSETS			
Cash and cash equivalents	4	573,380	585,207
Trade and other receivables	5	694,018	469,844
Other current assets	6	-	78,279
TOTAL CURRENT ASSETS		1,267,398	1,133,330
NON-CURRENT ASSETS			
Property, plant and equipment	7	80,656	62,832
TOTAL NON-CURRENT ASSETS		80,656	62,832
TOTAL ASSETS		1,348,054	1,196,162
LIABILITIES			
CURRENT LIABILITIES			
Trade and other payables	8	282,103	412,879
Other liabilities	9	364,858	525,941
TOTAL CURRENT LIABILITIES		646,961	938,820
TOTAL LIABILITIES		646,961	938,820
NET ASSETS		701,093	257,342
EQUITY			
Ordinary shares		2	2
Retained earnings	10	701,091	257,340
TOTAL EQUITY		701,093	257,342

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN EQUITY FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2018

	Note	Issued Capital (Ordinary Shares)	Retained earnings	Total
			\$	\$
Balance at 30 June 2016		2	253,233	253,235
Profit for the year		-	4,107	4,107
Total comprehensive income for the year			4,107	257,342
Balance at 30 June 2017		2	257,340	257,342
Profit for the year		-	443,751	443,751
Total comprehensive income for the year			443,751	443,751
Balance at 30 June 2018		2	701,091	701,093

STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2018

Note	2018	2017
	\$	\$
CASH FLOWS FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES		
Receipts from customers	2,979,565	3,426,386
Payments to suppliers and employees	(2,897,126)	(3,186,676)
Interest received	6,698	5,984
Taxes paid	(45,410)	9,661
Finance costs	(13,982)	(6,904)
Net cash provided by (used in) operating activities	29,745	248,451
CASH FLOWS FROM INVESTING ACTIVITIES		
Payment for property, plant and equipment	(55,228)	(12,322)
Proceeds from sale of plant and equipment	14,156	-
Loans to related parties	(500)	-
Net cash provided by (used in) financing activities	(41,572)	(12,322)
CASH FLOWS FROM FINANCING ACTIVITIES		
Proceeds from borrowings	-	-
Repayment of borrowings	-	-
Dividends paid	-	-
Net cash provided by (used in) financing activities		-
Net increase in cash held	(11,827)	236,128
Cash and cash equivalents at beginning of financial year	585,207	349,079
Cash and cash equivalents at end of financial year	573,380	585,207

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2018

1 Summary of Significant Accounting Policies

(a) General Information & Statement of Compliance

These financial statements are general purpose financial statements, and have been prepared on an accrual basis in accordance with Australian Accounting Standards - Reduced Disclosure Requirements and Interpretations. With respect to compliance with Australian Accounting Standards and Interpretations, the company has applied those requirements applicable to not-for-profit entities, as the company is a not-for-profit public sector entity. Except where stated, the historical cost convention is used.

The financial statements were authorised for issue on 10th October 2018.

(b) Basis of Preparation

The financial statements include the value of all income, expenses, assets, liabilities and equity of the Company.

(c) Revenue & Other Income

Grant and Other Contributions

Grants, contributions, donations and gifts that are non-reciprocal in nature are recognised as revenue in the year in which the Company obtains control over them (control is generally obtained at the time of receipt). Where grants are received that are reciprocal in nature, revenue is progressively recognised as it is earned, according to the terms of the funding agreements.

Grant revenue of approximately \$581,500, which remains unexpended at balance date, has been recognised as revenue in accordance with AASB 1004 for the year ended 30 June 2018. It should be acknowledged that proposed standards (AASB 15 & 1058) with future effective dates may result in a change in timing of recognition of revenue in future years.

User Charges, Fees and Other Revenue

Revenue for the sale of goods or rendering of a service is recognised when the revenue is earned and can be measured reliably with a sufficient degree of certainty. Other revenue is recognised when the right to receive the revenue has been established. Interest revenue is recognised using the effective interest method, which for floating rate financial assets is the rate inherent in the instrument.

Revenue is measured at the fair value of the consideration received or receivable after taking into account any trade discounts and volume rebates allowed. Any consideration deferred is treated as the provision of finance and is discounted at a rate of interest that is generally accepted in the market for similar arrangements. The difference between the amount initially recognised and the amount ultimately received is interest revenue.

Revenue recognition relating to the provision of services is determined with reference to the stage of completion of the transaction at the end of the reporting period and where outcome of the contract can be estimated reliably. Stage of completion is determined with reference to the services performed to date as a percentage of total anticipated services to be performed. Where the outcome cannot be estimated reliably, revenue is recognised only to the extent that related expenditure is recoverable. All revenue is stated net of the amount of goods and services tax (GST).

Membership revenue has been recognised over the membership period in accordance with Australian accounting standards and resulted in a portion of revenue being deferred to the next financial period. This revenue is not refundable to the member.

	2018	2017
Year on Year Membership Renewals	1,008,272	1,115,690
Add renewals deferred from last year	236,815	63,530
Less renewals deferred until next year	(364,858)	(236,815)
Reported Membership Income	880,229	942,405

(d) Cash and Cash Equivalents

Cash and cash equivalents include all cash and cash on hand receipted at 30 June as well as deposits held at call with financial institutions.

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2018

(e) Receivables

Trade debtors are recognised at the nominal amounts due at the time of sale or service delivery i.e. agreed purchase/contract price. Settlement of amounts are required within 30 days from invoice date.

The collectability of receivables is assessed periodically with provision being made for impairment. All known bad debts were written-off at 30 June. Increases in the allowance for impairment are based on loss events that have occurred.

(f) Acquisition of Assets

Actual cost is used for the initial recording of all non-current physical asset acquisitions. Cost is determined as the value given as consideration plus costs incidental to the acquisition, including all other costs incurred in getting assets ready for use, including architects' fees and engineering and design fees. However, any training costs are expenses as incurred.

(g) Property, Plant and Equipment

Each class of property, plant and equipment is carried at cost or fair value less, where applicable, any accumulated depreciation and impairment losses.

Plant and Equipment

Plant and equipment are measured on the cost basis.

The Company assesses annually whether there are any impairment indicators present and, where applicable, will immediately recognise an impairment expense in the statement of comprehensive income equivalent to the existing carrying value and its recoverable amount.

Depreciation

The depreciable amount of all fixed assets is depreciated on a diminishing value basis over the assets useful life to the company commencing from the time the asset is held ready for use. The depreciation rates used for each class of depreciable assets are:

Class of Fixed Asset	Depreciation Method	Depreciation Rate
Office Equipment	Diminishing Value	20-100%
Motor Vehicles	Diminishing Value	20-100%

The assets residual values and useful lives are revised, and adjusted if appropriate, at the end of each reporting period. An assets carrying amount is written down immediately to its recoverable amount if the assets carrying amount is greater than its estimated recoverable amount. Gains and losses on disposals are determined by comparing proceeds with the carrying amount. These gains on losses are recognised immediately in the statement of comprehensive inome.

(h) Financial Instruments

Initial recognition and measurement

Financial assets and financial liabilities are recognised when the entity becomes a party to the contractual provisions of the instrument.

Classification and subsequent measurement

Financial instruments are subsequently measured at fair value, amortised cost using the effective interest methods, or cost as follows:

Cash & Equivalent - Held at Fair Value Investments - Held at Fair Value Receivables - Held at Amortised Cost, Less any Impairment Payables - Held at Amortised Cost, Less any Impairment

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2018

(i) Employee Benefits

Provision is made for the company's liability for employee benefits arising from services rendered by employees to the end of the reporting period. Employee benefits that are expected to be settled within one year have been measured at the amounts expected to be paid when the liability is settled. Employee benefits payable later than one year have been measured at the present value of the estimated future cash outflows to be made for those benefits. In determining the liability, consideration is given to employee wage increases and the probability that the employee may not satisfy vesting requirements. Those cash flows are discounted using market yields on national government bonds with terms to maturity that match the expected timing of cash flows.

(j) Related Entities

If an entity has had related party transactions during the periods covered by the financial statements, it shall disclose the

nature of the related party relationship as well as information about those transactions. Refer to note 14 for further details.

(k) Goods and Services Tax (GST)

Revenues, expenses and assets are recognised net of the amount of GST, except where the amount of GST incurred is not recoverable from the Australian Tax Office. Receivables and payables are stated inclusive of the amount of GST receivable or payable. The net amount of GST recoverable from, or payable to, the ATO is included with other receivables or payables in the statement of financial position.

Cash flows are presented in the statement of cash flows on a gross basis, except for the GST component of investing and financing activities which are disclosed as operating cash flows.

(I) Trade and Other Payables

Trade and other payables represent the liabilities for goods and services received by the entity that remain unpaid at the end of the reporting period. The balance is recognised as a current liability with the amount normally paid within 30 days of recognition of the liability.

(m) Accounting Estimates and Judgments

The directors evaluate estimates and judgments incorporated into the financial report based on historical knowledge and best available current information. Estimates assume a reasonable expectation of future events and based on current trends and economic data, obtained both externally and within the company.

(n) Comparative Figures

Comparative figures have been adjusted to conform to changes in presentation for the current financial year where required by accounting standards or as a result of changes in accounting policy.

(o) Income Tax

No provision for income tax has been raised as the entity is exempt from income tax under Division 50 of the *Income Tax* Assessment Act 1997.

(o) New accounting standards for application in future periods

The AASB has issued new and amended accounting standards and interpretations that have mandatory application dates for future reporting periods. The directors have decided against early adoption of these standards. The directors have not assessed the full impact of these mandatory standards.

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2018

		2018	2017
		\$	\$
2	Revenue		
	(a) Revenue		
	Access China 2016	-	1,275,938
	Access New Zealand 2018	241,811	-
	Activate China	22,727	54,545
	Boardroom Hire	82	665
	Branch Income (Hot Desk)	21,229	-
	Conference Income	128,909	172,586
	Contract Income	-	36,557
	Directory Advertising	15,809	8,805
	Function Income	181,839	215,428
	Grant Income - ARIP	177,500	-
	Grant Income - EMDG	55,455	93,636
	Grant Income - FTA	-	60,000
	Gant Income - Toowoomba Regional Council	450,000	450,000
	Grant Income - Other	900,364	154,545
	Membership Income	880,229	942,405
	Wages Reimbursed	20,625	-
		3,096,579	3,465,110
3	Expenses		
J	(a) Employee Benefits Expenses		
	Annual Leave Provision	903	15,564
	Staff Amenities	319	67
	Superannuation	94,430	97,930
	Wages	1,100,221	1,059,095
		1,195,873	1,172,656
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	(b) Other Significant Expenses		
	Access China 2016	-	1,098,318
	Access New Zealand 2018	357,120	-
	Activate China Expenses	31,822	-
	AG Conference Expenses	11,181	-
	Bank and Interest Charges	16,900	26,857
	Bookkeeping Expenses	22,883	-
	Computer Expenses	8,253	15,863
	Consultancy	134,797	198,001
	Economic Project Expenses	10,588	-
	Filing Fees	1,938	1,425
	Fringe Benefits Tax	30,987	37,207

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2018

	2018 \$	2017 \$
(b) Other Significant Expenses Cont'd		
FTA Grant Expenses	17,214	83,409
Function Expenses	144,937	149,268
Grant Expenses - ARIP	31,529	-
Grant Expenses - Other	22,409	25,010
Legal Expenses	1,547	3,399
Membership Engagement	41,470	54,095
Memberships & Sponsorship	30,093	51,346
Motor Vehicles	13,438	11,393
Office Expenses	14,833	9,813
Publications	52,117	49,000
Printing & Stationery	11,713	7,987
Recruitment Expenses	20,710	3,081
Rent & Other Outgoings	109,939	104,929
Staff Training & Uniforms	7,146	2,287
Telephone	35,446	33,264
Travel, Seminars & Conferences	152,824	184,073
Website Expenses	32,545	53,639
	1,366,379	2,203,664
(c) Audit Fee		
Audit of Annual Financial Statements	6,750	7,700
Cash and Cash Equivalents Cash in Hand		
Petty Cash	82	82
	82	82
Cash at Bank	573,298	585,125
Total Cash and Cash Equivalents	573,380	585,207

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NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2018

\$ \$ 5 Trade and Other Receivables Current Trade Receivables Trade Receivables 651,904 Receivable - TSBE Export & Development Ltd 500 Other Receivables 4,700 Other Receivables 657,104 Rental Bond 15,617
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657,104 432,9 Other Receivables 657,104
Other Receivables
Security Deposit 21,297 21,2
36,914 36,9
Total Current Trade and Other Receivables 694,018 469,000
6 Other Current Assets
Prepaid Borrowing Costs -
Prepayments: 2018 Events - 77,0
Prepayments - Access HK
- 78,2
7 Property, Plant and Equipment
Motor Vehicles
Motor Vehicles - at Cost 42,416 33,5
Less: Accumulated Depreciation (1,222) (8,8
41,194 24,7
Office Equipment
Office Equipment - at Cost 114,002 104,5
Less: Accumulated Depreciation (74,540) (66,7
39,462 38,
Total Property, Plant and Equipment80,65662,5
8 Trade and Other Payables
8 Trade and Other Payables Current
Trade Payables 41,577 120,7
FBT Instalment Liability 9,089 17,7
Payroll Liabilities 88,643 142,7
Current GST Liability 99,214 88,9
Provision for Annual Leave 43,580 42,6
282,103 412,8

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2018

		2018	2017
		\$	\$
9	Other Liabilities		
	Unearned Revenue - Memberships	364,858	236,815
	Equipment Finance - Skoda Finance	-	13,982
	Prepayments - Access HK	-	228,440
	Prepayments - 2018 Conference Income		46,704
	Total Other Liabilities	364,858	525,941
10	Retained Earnings		
	Retained earnings at the beginning of the financial year	257,340	253,233
	Net profit attributable to the company	443,751	4,107
	Retained earnings at the end of the financial year	701,091	257,340

11 Economic Dependence

The continuing operation of Toowoomba & Surat Basin Enterprise Pty Ltd is dependent on Toowoomba Regional Council Funding.

12 Capital and Leasing Commitments

(a) 6 Ann Street Lease Commitment

Payable - Minimum lease payments:

- Not later than 12 months	108,341	97,006
- Between 12 months and 5 years	97,523	194,012
	205,864	291,018
(b) Office 1, Floor 1, 83 Heeney Street Lease Commitment Payable - Minimum lease payments:		
- Not later than 12 months	7,800	-
- Between 12 months and 5 years	14,040	
	21,840	-

13 Controlled Entities that have not been Consolidated

TSBE has a controlled entity, TSBE Export and Investment Development Limited, that is not consolidated because of its size and nature means that it's not material to TSBE's operations. The financial statements for that controlled entity is subject to a separate audit certification by Queensland Auditor-General or their delegate.

A summary of that controlled entity, their net assets and result for the year ended 30 June are:

	2018	2017
	\$	\$
Revenue	39	1
Expenses		(36,680)
Net Profit (Loss)	39	(36,679)
Assets	1,104	604
Liabilities	500	39
Net assets	604	565

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2018

14 Related Parties

Transactions with parent entity

The entity is wholly owned by the Toowoomba Regional Council.

During the year, Toowoomba Regional Council contributed \$450,000 (2017: \$450,000) to the company as a Community Service Obligation of the Council.

Transactions with key management personnel (KMP)

KMP includes the Directors of the entity and the executive management team. The executive management includes the Chief Executive Officer, Chief Operating Officer and General Managers.

The compensation paid to Key Management Personnel comprises:	2018	2017
Short-Term Employee Benefits	548,143	502,592
Post-Employment Benefits	48,365	37,388
Termination benefits	50,000	-
Total	646,508	539,980

During the year, no remuneration was paid to the board members in their capacity as board members.

There are no balances outstanding outside of normal terms and conditions as at 30 June 2018 in relation to transactions with related parties. It is noted that a key management personnel purchased a motor vehicle from the entity for the amount of \$15,500 (incl. GST) in the 2018 financial year. This amount was based on an independent valuation report.

Transactions with other related parties

Company transferred \$500 as a loan to TSBE Export and Investment Development Limited which remained outstanding as at 30 June 2018.

TSBE Export and Investment Development Limited is a company Limited by Guarantee which has been set up by the Board of directors of Toowoomba Surat Basin Enterprise Pty Ltd. Both entities share the same Board of directors. TSBE Export and Investment Development Limited have the ability to receive grant funding and forward the funds to Toowoomba and Surat Basin Enterprise Pty Ltd.

15 Company Details

The principal place of business & the registered office for the company is:

Toowoomba & Surat Basin Enterprise Pty Ltd

6 Ann Street Toowoomba, QLD 4350

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2018

In the opinion of the Directors of Toowoomba & Surat Basin Enterprise Pty Ltd:

The financial statements and notes of the company are in accordance with the Corporations Act 2001, including:

a. Giving a true and fair view of its financial position as at 30 June 2018 and of its performance for the financial year ended that date; and

b. Complying with Australian Accounting Standards - Reduced Disclosure Requirements (including the Australian Accounting Interpretations) and the Corporations Regulations 2001; and

2 There are reasonable grounds to believe that Toowoomba & Surat Basin Enterprise Pty Ltd will be able to pay its debts as and when they become due and payable.

Signed in accordance with a resolution of the Directors.

Mr Shane Charles

Dated this 10th day of October 2018

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Director:

INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT

To the Members of Toowoomba and Surat Basin Enterprise Pty Ltd

Report on the audit of the financial report

Opinion

I have audited the accompanying financial report of Toowoomba and Surat Basin Enterprise Pty Ltd.

In my opinion, the financial report:

- a) gives a true and fair view of the company's financial position as at 30 June 2018, and its financial performance and cash flows for the year then ended
- b) complies with Australian Accounting Standards.

The financial report comprises the statement of financial position as at 30 June 2018, the statement of comprehensive income, statement of changes in equity and statement of cash flows for the year then ended, notes to the financial statements including summaries of significant accounting policies and other explanatory information, and the directors' declaration.

Basis for opinion

I conducted my audit in accordance with the *Auditor-General of Queensland Auditing Standards*, which incorporate the Australian Auditing Standards. My responsibilities under those standards are further described in the *Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Report* section of my report.

I am independent of the company in accordance with the ethical requirements of the Accounting Professional and Ethical Standards Board's APES 110 *Code of Ethics for Professional Accountants* (the Code) that are relevant to my audit of the financial report in Australia. I have also fulfilled my other ethical responsibilities in accordance with the Code and the *Auditor-General of Queensland Auditing Standards*.

I believe that the audit evidence I have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for my opinion.

Responsibilities of the company for the financial report

The company's directors are responsible for the preparation of the financial report that gives a true and fair view in accordance with Australian Accounting Standards, and for such internal control as the company's directors determine is necessary to enable the preparation of the financial report that is free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

The company's directors are also responsible for assessing the company's ability to continue as a going concern, disclosing, as applicable, matters relating to going concern and using the going concern basis of accounting unless management either intends to liquidate the company or to cease operations, or has no realistic alternative but to do so.

Auditor's responsibilities for the audit of the financial report

My objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial report as a whole is free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error, and to issue an auditor's report that includes my opinion. Reasonable assurance is a high level of assurance, but is not a guarantee that an audit conducted in accordance with the Australian Auditing Standards will always detect a material misstatement when it exists. Misstatements can arise from fraud or error and are considered material if, individually or in aggregate, they could reasonably be expected to influence the economic decisions of users taken on the basis of this financial report.

As part of an audit in accordance with the Australian Auditing Standards, I exercise professional judgement and maintain professional scepticism throughout the audit. I also:

- Identify and assess the risks of material misstatement of the financial report, whether due to fraud or error, design and perform audit procedures responsive to those risks, and obtain audit evidence that is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for my opinion. The risk of not detecting a material misstatement resulting from fraud is higher than for one resulting from error, as fraud may involve collusion, forgery, intentional omissions, misrepresentations, or the override of internal control.
- Obtain an understanding of internal control relevant to the audit in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the company's internal control.
- Evaluate the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of accounting estimates and related disclosures made by the company.
- Conclude on the appropriateness of the company's use of the going concern basis of accounting and, based on the audit evidence obtained, whether a material uncertainty exists related to events or conditions that may cast significant doubt on the company's ability to continue as a going concern. If I conclude that a material uncertainty exists, I am required to draw attention in my auditor's report to the related disclosures in the financial report or, if such disclosures are inadequate, to modify my opinion. I base my conclusions on the audit evidence obtained up to the date of my auditor's report. However, future events or conditions may cause the company to cease to continue as a going concern.
- Evaluate the overall presentation, structure and content of the financial report, including the disclosures, and whether the financial report represents the underlying transactions and events in a manner that achieves fair presentation.

I communicate with the company's directors regarding, among other matters, the planned scope and timing of the audit and significant audit findings, including any significant deficiencies in internal control that I identify during my audit.

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15 October 2018

John Welsh as delegate of the Auditor-General

Queensland Audit Office Brisbane