

AND ITS CONTROLLED ENTITIES (ABN 93 118 751 027)

HALF YEAR REPORT

for the financial period ended 31 December 2017



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This interim financial report does not include all the notes of the type normally included in an annual financial report. Accordingly, this report is to be read in conjunction with the annual report for the year ended 30 June 2017 and any public announcements made by Ironbark Zinc Limited during the interim reporting period in accordance with the continuous disclosure requirements of the Corporations Act 2001.



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DIRECTORS' REPORT

The Directors present their report, together with the financial statements, on the Consolidated Entity (referred to hereafter as the 'Consolidated Entity') consisting of Ironbark Zinc Limited (referred to hereafter as the 'Company' or 'Parent Entity') and the entities it controlled at the end of the half-year ended 31 December 2017.

1. DIRECTORS

The names of Directors who held office during or since the end of the half-year:-

Mr Peter Bennetto	Non Executive Chairman
Mr Jonathan Downes	Executive Managing Director
Mr David Kelly	Non Executive Director
Mr Gary Comb	Non Executive Director
Mr Kelly Strong	Non-Executive Director (appointed 13 November 2017)
Mr Jason Dunning	Non Executive Director (resigned 13 November 2017)

Directors have held office for the entire period and to the date of this report unless otherwise stated.

2. PRINCIPAL ACTIVITIES

During the half-year the principal activities of the Consolidated Entity consisted of exploration and development of the group's zinc ground holdings.

3. **RESULT OF OPERATION**

The Directors of the Company advise the consolidated loss of the Consolidated Entity after providing for income tax for the half-year to 31 December 2017 is \$661,319 (2016: \$749,357).

4. **REVIEW OF OPERATIONS**

Throughout the December 2017 half-year period, Ironbark Zinc Limited ("Ironbark") has remained focused on advancing the development of the Citronen Base Metals Project ("Citronen") in Greenland into a world-class mining operation.

Citronen is one of the world's largest credible zinc development projects at an advanced post-feasibility stage and is moving quickly through financing and development.

During the half year, Ironbark announced the results of the Feasibility Study update with current costing provided from the key suppliers. The work resulted in a strong result that is supported by the prevailing high zinc prices. In conjunction with the granted Mining Permit, Ironbark now has the tools to proceed into large scale zinc production.

Greenland has a history of zinc and lead mining; the country's government is seeking to develop a strong mineral and petroleum industry and has a very high global ranking on the annual Fraser Institute survey.



DIRECTOR'S REPORT (cont)

Competent Persons Statement

The information included in this report that relates to Exploration Results & Mineral Resources is based on information compiled by Ms E Laursen (B. ESc Hons (Geol), GradDip App. Fin., MSEG, MAIG), an employee of Ironbark Zinc Limited. Ms Laursen has sufficient experience that is relevant to the style of mineralisation and type of deposit under consideration and to the activity which they are undertaking to qualify as a Competent Person as defined in the 2012 Edition of the Australasian Code for Reporting of Exploration Results, Mineral Resources and Ore Reserves. Ms Laursen consents to the inclusion in the report of the matters based on this information in the form and context in which it appears.

Corporate Activities

On 13 November 2017 the Company announced the resignation from the Board of Director of Mr Jason Dunning and the subsequent appointment of Mr Kelly Strong as his replacement.

On 20 November 2017 14,000,000 unlisted share options with an exercise price of \$0.133 expired.

On 29 November 2017 the Company held its Annual General Meeting of Shareholders and subsequently announced that all resolutions put to the meeting were passed unanimously by a show of hands.

On 4 December 2017 the Company issued 2,022,013 fully paid ordinary shares to staff in lieu of cashbased salary with an issue price of \$0.07 p/share.

On 31 December 2017 5,000,000 unlisted share options with an exercise price of \$0.30 also lapsed.

At the end of the half year, cash available to the Company was \$1,306,061 (30 June 2017: \$2,465,272).

5. SIGNIFICANT CHANGES IN THE STATE OF AFFAIRS

There were no other significant changes in the state of affairs of the Consolidated Entity during the financial half-year.

6. DIVIDENDS

The Directors do not recommend the payment of a dividend and no amount has been paid or declared by way of a dividend to the date of this report.

7. ROUNDING OFF OF AMOUNTS

The amounts contained in this report have been rounded under the option available to the Company under *ASIC Corporations (Rounding in Financial/Directors' Reports) Instrument 2016/91.* The Company is an entity to which the Instrument applies, and in accordance with that Instrument, amounts in the Directors' report and financial report have been rounded to the nearest thousand dollars (where rounding is appropriate).



DIRECTOR'S REPORT (cont)

8. EVENTS SUBSEQUENT TO REPORTING DATE

The amounts On 30 January 2018 the Company announced the placement of 96,774,194 fully paid ordinary shares with sophisticated investors. The shares had an issue price of \$0.062 a share raising a total of \$6,000,000. The funds will be utilised to advance the Citroneon Project and provide general operational funding.

No other matter or circumstance has arisen subsequent to 31 December 2017 that has significantly affected, or may significantly affect, the state of affairs or operations of the reporting Consolidated Entity in future financial periods.

9. AUDITOR'S DECLARATION

The lead auditor's independence declaration under section 307C of the Corporations Act 2001 is set out on page 5 for the half-year ended 31 December 2017.

This report is made in accordance with a resolution of the Directors, pursuant to section 306(3)(a) of the Corporations Act 2001.

On behalf of the directors

Jonathan Downes Managing Director Dated this 12 March 2018



AUDITOR'S INDEPENDENCE DECLARATION

TO THE DIRECTORS OF IRONBARK ZINC LIMITED

In relation to our review of the financial report of Ironbark Zinc Limited for the half year ended 31 December 2017, to the best of my knowledge and belief, there have been no contraventions of the auditor independence requirements of the Corporations Act 2001 or any applicable code of professional conduct.

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INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REVIEW REPORT

TO THE MEMBERS OF IRONBARK ZINC LIMITED

Report on the Half-Year Financial Report

Conclusion

We have reviewed the accompanying half-year financial report of Ironbark Zinc Limited (the company) and controlled entities (consolidated entity), which comprises the consolidated statement of financial position as at 31 December 2017, and the consolidated statement of profit or loss and other comprehensive income, the consolidated statement of cash flows for the half-year ended on that date, a statement of accounting policies, other selected explanatory notes, and the directors' declaration of the consolidated entity comprising the company and the entities it controlled at 31 December 2017, or during the half year.

Based on our review, which is not an audit, we have not become aware of any matter that makes us believe that the half-year financial report of Ironbark Zinc Limited is not in accordance with the Corporations Act 2001 including:-

- (a) giving a true and fair view of the consolidated entity's financial position as at 31 December 2017, and of its financial performance for the half-year ended on that date; and
- (b) complying with the Australian Accounting Standard AASB 134 Interim Financial Reporting and the Corporations Regulations 2001.

Independence

In conducting our review, we have complied with the independence requirements of the Corporations Act 2001. In accordance with the Corporations Act 2001, we have given the directors' of the company a written Auditor's Independence Declaration.

Directors' Responsibility for the Half-Year Financial Report

The directors' of the company are responsible for the preparation of the half-year financial report that gives a true and fair view in accordance with the Australian Accounting Standards and the Corporations Regulations 2001 and for such internal control as the directors determine is necessary to enable the preparation of the half-year financial report that is free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

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Auditor's Responsibility

Our responsibility is to express a conclusion on the half-year financial report based on our review. We conducted our review in accordance with Auditing Standard on Review Engagements ASRE 2410 Review of a Financial Report Performed by the Independent Auditor of the Entity, in order to state whether, on the basis of the procedures described, we have become aware of any matter that makes us believe that the half-year financial report is not in accordance with the Corporations Act 2001 including: giving a true and fair view of the consolidated entity's financial position as at 31 December 2017 and its performance for the half year ended on that date, and complying with Australian Accounting Standard AASB 134 Interim Financial Reporting and the Corporations Regulations 2001. As the auditor of Ironbark Zinc Limited and the entities it controlled during the half year, ASRE 2410 requires that we comply with the ethical requirements relevant to the audit of the annual financial report.

A review of a half-year financial report consists of making enquiries, primarily of persons responsible for financial and accounting matters, and applying analytical and other review procedures. A review is substantially less in scope than an audit conducted in accordance with Australian Auditing Standards and consequently does not enable us to obtain assurance that we would become aware of all significant matters that might be identified in an audit. Accordingly, we do not express an audit opinion.

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CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF PROFIT OR LOSS AND OTHER COMPREHENSIVE INCOME for the half year ended 31 December 2017

	31-Dec 2017 \$'000	31-Dec 2016 \$'000
Revenue		
Other revenue	51	75
Expenses		
Administrative expenses	(27)	(24)
Consultancy expenses	(84)	(58)
Depreciation and amortisation expenses	-	(1)
Directors fees	(114)	(113)
Employee benefits expense	(231)	(238)
Exploration expenditure impairment	(118)	(125)
Insurance expenses	(18)	(15)
Occupancy expenses	(22)	(15)
Loss on extinguishment of financial liability	-	(144)
Regulatory expenses	(81)	(90)
Travel expenses	(17)	(1)
	()	(-)
Loss before income tax expense	(661)	(749)
Income tax expense	-	
Loss for the period	(661)	(749)
Other comprehensive income Items that maybe reclassified subsequently to profit and loss		
Exchange differences arising on translation of foreign operations	1,382	(2)
Total comprehensive income/(loss) for the period	721	(751)
Earnings per share		
Basic and diluted loss per share (cents) calculated on loss for the period	(0.12)	(0.15)

The above condensed consolidated statement of profit or loss and other comprehensive income should be read in conjunction with the accompanying notes.



CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION as at 31 December 2017

	Note	31-Dec 2017 \$'000	30-Jun 2017 \$'000
CURRENT ASSETS			
Cash and cash equivalents		1,306	2,465
Trade and other receivables		30	40
Other current assets		12	13
TOTAL CURRENT ASSETS		1,348	2,518
NON-CURRENT ASSETS			
Plant and equipment		2	2
Exploration and evaluation expenditure	3	47,322	45,477
Other assets		112	110
TOTAL NON-CURRENT ASSETS		47,436	45,589
TOTAL ASSETS		48,784	48,107
CURRENT LIABILITIES			
Trade and other payables		203	394
Provisions		138	131
TOTAL CURRENT LIABILITIES		341	525
TOTAL LIABILITIES		341	525
NET ASSETS		48,443	47,582
EQUITY			
Issued capital	5	117,319	117,179
Reserves	6	2,098	2,025
Accumulated losses		(70,974)	(71,622)
TOTAL EQUITY		48,443	47,582

The above condensed consolidated statement of financial position should be read in conjunction with the accompanying notes.



CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS for the half year ended 31 December 2017

	31-Dec-17 \$'000	31-Dec-16 \$'000
CASH FLOWS FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES		
Payments for administration and corporate expenses	(308)	(216)
Payments for exploration and evaluation expenses	(587)	(395)
Payments for staff costs	(364)	(237)
Interest received	13	13
Other revenue	61	56
NET CASH USED IN OPERATING ACTIVITIES	(1,185)	(779)
CASH FLOWS FROM INVESTING ACTIVITIES		
Proceeds from non-refundable tenement sale deposit	25	
Proceeds from joint arrangements	25	_
Proceeds from joint arrangements		
NET CASH FROM INVESTING ACTIVITIES	25	
CASH FLOWS USED IN FINANCING ACTIVITIES		
Proceeds from issue of shares	-	-
Costs of issuing share capital	(2)	-
NET CASH USED IN FINANCING ACTIVITIES	(2)	
Net in success ((decause on) is each and each a suitelest.	(1 1 ())	(770)
Net increase/(decrease) in cash and cash equivalents	(1,162)	(779)
Effect of movement in exchange rates on cash held	3	(2)
Cash and cash equivalents at the beginning of the reporting period	2,465	2,227
Cash and cash equivalents at the end of the reporting period	1,306	1,446

The above condensed consolidated statement of cash flows should be read in conjunction with the accompanying notes.



CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN EQUITY for the half year ended 31 December 2017

	lssued Capital	Share Based Payment Reserve	Foreign Translation Reserve	Accumulated Losses	Total
	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000
Balance at 1 July 2017	117,179	1,309	716	(71,622)	47,582
Loss for the period	-	-	-	(661)	(661)
Other Comprehensive Income Exchange differences arising on translation of foreign operations	-		1,382		1,382
Total comprehensive income for the period	-	-	1,382	(661)	721
Transactions with owners, recorded directly in equity					
Issue of share capital	-	-	-	-	-
Share-based payments	142	-	-	-	142
Lapse of share options	-	(1,309)	-	1,309	-
Costs of issuing capital	(2)				(2)
Total transactions with owners	140	(1,309)	-	1,309	140
Balance at 31 December 2017	117,319		2,098	(70,974)	48,443
Balance at 1 July 2016	114,551	1,346		(70,008)	45,889
Loss for the period	-	-	-	(749)	(749)
Other Comprehensive Income Exchange differences arising on translation of foreign operations	-	-	(2)	-	(2)
Total comprehensive income for the period	-	-	(2)	(749)	(751)
Transactions with owners, recorded directly in equity					
Issue of share capital Share-based payments	- 475	-	-	-	- 475
Lapse of share options	4/5	- (77)	-	- 27	4/5
Costs of issuing capital	-	(37)	-	37	-
Costs of issuing capital					
Total transactions with owners	475	(37)	-	37	475
Balance at 31 December 2016	115,026	1,309	(2)	(70,720)	45,613

The above condensed consolidated statement of changes in equity should be read in conjunction with the accompanying notes.



CONDENSED NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS for the half year ended 31 December 2017

1. STATEMENT OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

Statement of Compliance

Ironbark Zinc Limited (the Company) is a public company, limited by shares, domiciled and incorporated in Australia and listed on the Australian Securities Exchange. The half-year consolidated financial report of the company for the six months ended 31 December 2017, comprise the Company and its subsidiaries (the "Consolidated Entity" or "Group").

The half-year consolidated financial report is a general purpose financial report prepared in accordance with the requirements of the *Corporations Act 2001* and AASB 134 *Interim Financial Reporting*, as appropriate for for-profit oriented entities. Compliance with AASB 134 ensures compliance with International Financial Reporting Standard IAS 34 *Interim Financial Reporting*.

The half-year consolidated financial report does not include full disclosures of the type normally included in an annual financial report. Accordingly, it is recommended that this interim financial report be read in conjunction with the annual report for the year ended 30 June 2017 and any public announcements made by Ironbark Zinc Limited and its controlled entities during the interim reporting period in accordance with the continuous disclosure requirements arising under the *Corporations Act 2001*.

These consolidated half-year financial statements were authorised for issue in accordance with a resolution of the directors on 12 March 2018.

Basis of Preparation

The half-year consolidated financial report has been prepared on an accruals basis and is based on historical costs modified by the revaluation of selected non-current assets, financial assets and financial liabilities for which the fair value basis of accounting has been applied. The presentation and functional currency is Australian Dollars.

The accounting policies and methods of computation adopted in the preparation of the half-year financial report are consistent with those adopted and disclosed in the Company's annual financial report for the financial year ended 30 June 2017, except for the impact of the Standards and Interpretations described below. Those accounting policies are consistent with Australian Accounting Standards and with International Financial Reporting Standards.

New, revised or amending Accounting Standards and Interpretations adopted

The Consolidated Entity has adopted all of the new, revised or amending Accounting Standards and Interpretations issued by the Australian Accounting Standards Board ('AASB') that are relevant to their operations and mandatory for the current reporting period.

Any new, revised or amending Accounting Standards or Interpretations that are not yet mandatory have not been early adopted.

The adoption of these Accounting Standards and Interpretations did not have any significant impact on the financial performance or position of the Consolidated Entity and are consistent with those of the previous financial years and corresponding interim reporting period.



Impact of new standards and interpretations issued but not yet adopted

There are no new standards that have been issued since 30 June 2017 that have been applied by the Consolidated Entity. The 30 June 2017 annual report disclosed that the Consolidated Entity anticipated no new material impacts arising from initial application of those standards issued but not yet applied at that date, and this remains the assessment as at 31 December 2017.

Going Concern Basis

The financial statements have been prepared on the going concern basis which contemplates continuity of normal business activities and the realisation of assets and settlement of liabilities in the normal course of business. The Consolidated Entity incurred a net loss after tax of \$661,319 for the period ended 31 December 2017 (31 December 2016: \$749,357). As at 31 December 2017 the Consolidated Entity had net assets of \$48,443,314 (30 June 2017: \$47,582,103) and continues to incur expenditure on its exploration tenements drawing on its cash balances. As at 31 December 2017 the Consolidated Entity had \$1,306,061 (30 June 2017: \$2,465,272) in cash and cash equivalents.

The ultimate recoupment of costs carried forward for exploration and evaluation is dependent on the successful development and commercial exploitation or sale of the respective areas of interest. Ultimate exploitation of the assets will depend on raising necessary funding in the future. Should the Consolidated Entity be unable to raise additional funds, there is a material uncertainty which may cast significant doubt over the Consolidated Entity ability to continue as a going concern. On 30 January 2018 the Company announced a placement raising a total of \$6,000,000. The funds will be utilised to advance the Citroneon Project and provide general operational funding. As at 31 December 2017 there has been no adjustment in the financial report relating to the recoverability and classification of the asset carrying amounts, or the amounts and classification of liabilities that might be necessary, should the Consolidated Entity be unable to raise capital as and when required, and the exploitation of the areas of interest not be successful, or the Consolidated Entity not continue as a going concern.

Significant accounting estimates, judgments and assumptions

The preparation of financial statements requires management to make judgments and estimates relating to the carrying amounts of certain assets and liabilities. Actual results may differ from the estimates made. Estimates and assumptions are reviewed on an ongoing basis. The key estimates and assumptions that have a significant risk of causing a material adjustment to the carrying amounts of certain assets and liabilities within the next accounting period are:

(i) Share based payment transactions

The Consolidated Entity measures the cost of equity settled transactions by reference to the fair value of the equity instruments at the date at which they are granted. The fair value of share options is determined by an external valuer using an appropriate valuation model.

(ii) Income tax expenses

Judgement is required in assessing whether deferred tax assets and liabilities are recognised on the statement of financial position. Deferred tax assets, including those arising from temporary differences, are recognised only when it is considered more likely than not that they will be recovered, which is dependent on the generation of future assessable income of a nature and of an amount sufficient to enable the benefits to be utilised.

(iii) Impairment of exploration and evaluation assets

The ultimate recoupment of the value of exploration and evaluation assets is dependent on the successful development and commercial exploitation, or alternatively, sale, of the exploration and evaluation assets.



Impairment tests are carried out on a regular basis to identify whether the asset carrying values exceed their recoverable amounts. There is significant estimation and judgement in determining the inputs and assumptions used in determining the recoverable amounts.

The key areas of judgement and estimation include:

- Recent exploration and evaluation results and resource estimates;
- Environmental issues that may impact on the underlying tenements;
- Fundamental economic factors that have an impact on the operations and carrying values of assets and liabilities.
- *(iv) Classification of investments*

The Consolidated Entity has decided to classify investments in listed securities as available for sale. These securities are accounted for at fair value. Any increments or decrements in their value at reporting date are charged or credited to the revaluation reserves.

(v) Project valuation

The variables used by the Directors in valuing the project are based on a series of assumptions provided by the executives and external consultants. The Company is currently completing a definitive feasibility study and is seeking to support and affirm the project value. There is a risk that the assumptions used in present valuations and the change in prevailing market conditions could affect the project value.

2. SEGMENT INFORMATION

The Consolidated Entity has identified its operating segments based on the internal reports that are reviewed and used by the Board of Directors (who are identified as the Chief Operating Decision Makers ('CODM') to make decisions about resources to be allocated to the segments and assess their performance.

Operating segments are identified by Management based on the mineral resource and exploration activities in Australia and Greenland. Discrete financial information about each project is reported to the chief operating decision maker on a regular basis.

The reportable segments are based on aggregated operating segments determined by the similarity of the economic characteristics, the nature of the activities and the regulatory environment in which those segments operate.

The Consolidated Entity has two reportable segments based on the geographical areas of the mineral resource and exploration activities in Australia and Greenland. Unallocated results, assets and liabilities represent corporate amounts that are not core to the reportable segments.



2017		Australia	Greenland	Total
(i)	Segment performance For the period ended 31 December 2017 Revenue Unallocated items: Interest revenue Cost recoveries Other revenue Total segment revenue	\$000	\$000	\$000 13 35 3 51
	Reconciliation of segment result to group net profit/(loss) before tax Amounts not included in segment result but reviewed by the Board: Exploration expenditure written off <u>Unallocated items:</u> Other expenses Net loss before tax	(25)	(93)	(118) (594) (661)
(ii)	Segment assets As at 31 December 2017 Segment assets at 1 July 2017 Segment asset increase for the period: Financial assets Exploration assets Other assets Reconciliation of segment assets to group	1,233 - 38 - 1,271	44,415 3 1,806 2 46,226	45,648 3 1,844 2 47,497
()	assets <u>Unallocated assets:</u> Financial assets Trade and other receivables Plant and equipment Other assets Total group assets			1,203 30 2 52 48,784
(iii)	Segment liabilities As at 31 December 2017 Reconciliation of segment liabilities to group liabilities Other liabilities <u>Unallocated items:</u> Other liabilities	-	3	3 338 341



2016	Australia	Greenland	Total
	\$000	\$000	\$000
(iv) Segment performance			
For the period ended 31 December 2016			
Revenue			
Unallocated items:			15
Interest revenue			-
Cost recoveries Other revenue			60
			75
Total segment revenue			75
Reconciliation of segment result to group net			
profit/(loss) before tax			
Amounts not included in segment result but reviewed by the Board:			
Exploration expenditure written off	(69)	(56)	(125)
Unallocated items:	(00)	(50)	(123)
Other expenses			(699)
Net loss before tax			(749)
(v) Segment assets			
As at 30 June 2017			
Segment assets at 1 July 2016	1,212	42,835	44,047
Segment asset increase/(decrease) for the perio		4 400	4 504
Exploration expenditure	21	1,480	1,501
Financial assets	-	100	100
	1,233	44,415	45,648
Reconciliation of segment assets to group			
assets			
Unallocated assets:			
Cash and cash equivalents			2,365
Trade and other receivables			40
Plant and equipment			2
Other assets			52
Total group assets			48,107
i) Segment liabilities			
As at 30 June 2017			
Reconciliation of segment liabilities to group			
liabilities Others list littles		24	24
Other liabilities	-	24	24
		24	24
Unallocated Items:			-04
Other liabilities			501
Total group liabilities			525



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NOTES TO THE CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS for the half year ended 31 December 2017 (cont)

Segment analysis by geographical region	Non-currer	it assets
	31 Dec 2017 \$000	30 Jun 2017 \$000
Australia Greenland	1,313 46,123	1,274 44,315
	47,436	45,589
EXPLORATION EXPENDITURE		

	31 Dec 2017	30 Jun 2017
	\$'000	\$'000
Balance at the beginning of the period Exploration expenditure capitalised during the period	45,477 579	43,977 1,021
Foreign exchange movements	1,384	714
Impairment of exploration expenditure	(118)	(235)
Balance at the end of the period	47,322	45,477

The value of the exploration expenditure is dependent upon:

The continuance of the rights to tenure of the areas of interest;

The results of future exploration; and

 The recoupment of costs through successful development and exploitation of the areas of interest or alternatively by their sale.

4. CONVERTIBLE NOTE FUNDING FACILITY

In October 2011, the Consolidated Entity entered into a US\$50 million Convertible Note funding facility and offtake facility pursuant to a transaction with a wholly owned subsidiary of Glencore International AG ('Glencore'). The Convertible Note is at a conversion price of AUD\$0.42 for the first US\$30 million (at Ironbark or Glencore's election to convert) and AUD\$0.50 for the next US\$20 million (at Glencore's election to convert). The availability of the facility is subject to the completion of certain conditions. As at 31 December 2017, the Consolidated Entity has not fulfilled all the conditions of the agreement and hence has not drawn on the funding facility or issued the Convertible Note.

5. ISSUED CAPITAL

	31-Dec	30-Jun
	2017	2017
	\$'000	\$'000
Issued and fully paid ordinary shares	120,665	120,523
Less: capital issue costs net of tax	(3,346)	(3,344)
	117,319	117,179



On 4 December 2017 the Company issued 2,022,013 fully paid ordinary shares to Directors and staff in lieu of cash-based salary with an issue price of \$0.07 a share. The shares had an aggregate value of \$141,541. This strategy of providing an equity-based payment scheme enables the Company to preserve cash for operational activities. The shares were approved by shareholders at the Company's AGM.

6. **RESERVES**

	31-Dec 2017 \$'000	30-Jun 2017 \$'000
Foreign translation reserve Share based payment reserve a) <u>Foreign exchange translation reserve</u>	2,098	716 1,309 2,025
Balance at the beginning of the period Exchange differences arising on translating the foreign operations Balance at the end of the period	716 1,382 2,098	- 716 716
b) Share based payment reserve		
Balance at the beginning of the period Lapse of options on expiry Balance at the end of the period	1,309 (1,309) 	1,346 (37) 1,309

On 20 November 2017 14,000,000 of the Company's unlisted share options with an exercise price of \$0.133 lapsed. The fair value relating to these options was \$592,481.

On 31 December 2017 5,000,000 of the Company's unlisted share options with an exercise price of \$0.30 also lapsed. The fair value relating to those options was \$716,800.

There were no outstanding share options at reporting date.

All options on issue are ordinary shares in the Company, which confer a right of one ordinary share for every option held. During the period there was no share issues as a result of exercise of options.

7. CONTROLLED ENTITIES

	Percentage owned	
Country of	31 December	30 June
incorporation	2017	2017
	%	%
British Virgin Islands	100	100
Australia	100	100
Australia	100	100
Australia	100	100
Greenland	100	100
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8. CONTINGENT ASSETS AND LIABILITIES

There has been no change to contingent liabilities since the last annual reporting date.

9. DIVIDENDS

No dividends have been declared or paid during the half-year ended 31 December 2017.

10. KEY MANAGEMENT PERSONNEL

Remuneration arrangements of key management personnel are disclosed in the annual financial report.

11. EVENTS SUBSEQUENT TO REPORTING DATE

On 30 January 2018 the Company announced the placement of 96,774,194 fully paid ordinary shares with sophisticated investors. The shares had an issue price of \$0.062 a share raising a total of \$6,000,000. The funds will be utilised to advance the Citroneon Project and provide general operational funding.

No other matter or circumstance has arisen subsequent to 31 December 2017 that has significantly affected, or may significantly affect, the state of affairs or operations of the reporting Consolidated Entity in future financial periods.

DIRECTOR'S DECLARATION

The Directors of the Company declare that:-

- 1. The financial statements and notes, as set out on pages 8 to 19 are in accordance with the Corporations Act 2001, including:
 - (a) complying with Accounting Standard AASB 134: Interim Financial Reporting, and Corporations Regulations 2001; and
 - (b) giving a true and fair view of the Consolidated Entity's financial position as at 31 December 2017 and of its performance for the half-year ended on that date.
- 2. In the Directors' opinion there are reasonable grounds to believe that the Company will be able to pay its debts as and when they become due and payable.

This declaration is made in accordance with a resolution of the directors made pursuant to s.303(5) of the *Corporations Act 2001*.

Jonathan Downes Managing Director

Dated this day 12 March 2018