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## Spearwood South - Capital Gain and Possible Capital Return

As announced on 29 June 2017, Aspen Group Limited (ASX: APZ) has entered into an agreement for the sale of its Spearwood South industrial property located in Perth.

The sale process will result in a capital gain of approximately \$12 million which will be taxable in the hands of securityholders for the financial year ending 30 June 2017. The gain is expected to provide a commensurate increase in the cost base of a security holder's APZ securities which shall be detailed in the tax statement.

The Board is considering a capital return in the form of a special distribution as a result of this capital gain. This is not expected to be taxable in the hands of securityholders but will result in a commensurate reduction in the cost base of a security holder's APZ securities. We will advise security holders of details regarding this decision as soon as is practical. While there is no guarantee that a capital return will proceed, if it does, it would result in a consequent reduction in the quantum of the maximum number of securities advised in the buyback announcement on 31 March 2017.

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