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Half-Year Report

For the half-year ended 31 December 2017

Date: 22 February 2018

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Results for announcement to the market

FINANCIAL RESULTS	HALF-YEAR ENDED DEC 2017 \$	HALF-YEAR ENDED DEC 2016 \$	CHANGE %
Revenue from Ordinary Activities	7,636,288	5,256,489	45%
Profit from ordinary activities after tax attributable to members	5,140,275	3,303,794	56%
Profit for the year attributable to members	5,140,275	3,303,794	56%

NET TANGIBLE ASSET ("NTA") BACKING PER SHARE	31 DEC 2017 \$	30 JUN 2017 \$	6 MONTH CHANGE %
NTA before tax accruals + franking credits	1.3099	1.2195	7%
NTA before tax accruals + franking credits (31 DEC 2017 adding the October 2017 dividend of 2.5 cents per share)	1.3444	1.2195	10%
NTA after tax	1.2190	1.1528	6%
NTA after tax (31 DEC 2017 adding the October 2017 dividend of 2.5 cents per share)	1.2440	1.1528	8%

Dividends

On 22 February 2018, the Directors declared a fully franked interim dividend of 2.5 cents per share which will be paid on 5 April 2018 (2.0 cents per share paid on 6 April 2017). The Ex-Dividend date is 14 March 2018 and the Record Date is 15 March 2018.

The amount of the proposed fully franked dividend, which is not recognised as a liability as at 31 December 2017, is \$1,406,218 (Dec 2016: \$1,110,764).

The Dividend Reinvestment Plan will operate in conjunction with this dividend. The last date for receipt of an election notice in respect of this dividend is 16 March 2018. No discount is offered on the Dividend Reinvestment Plan in respect of this dividend.



Details of any dividend or distribution reinvestment plans in operation:

On 18 August 2016, the Company introduced a Dividend Reinvestment Plan ("Plan"). The Plan allows eligible shareholders to re-invest their future dividends (as may be declared from time to time) into the Company's shares.

Participation in the Plan is voluntary. If shareholders elect to participate in the Plan now, they may vary or cancel their participation in the future in accordance with the terms and conditions of the Plan.

Eligible shareholders are shareholders with a registered address in Australia. The Company does not currently intend to extend the Plan to shareholders outside of Australia, given the potential complexity and additional costs involved.

The Dividend Reinvestment Plan application form must be received by the share registry no later than the next business day after the Record Date for that dividend (or a later date approved by the Company).

Details of the Plan can be found on the Company's website as follows: http://www.pmcapital.com.au/paf/compliance

Entities over which control has been gained or lost during the period:

None.

Details of associates and joint venture entities

None.

To find out more about PM Capital Asian Opportunities Fund Limited, please visit the Company's website: http://www.pmcapital.com.au/listed-investment-company/paf



PM CAPITAL ASIAN OPPORTUNITIES FUND LIMITED ABN 15 168 666 171

Financial Report For the Half-Year Ended 31 December 2017

PM CAPITAL ASIAN OPPORTUNITIES FUND LIMITED FINANCIAL REPORT

For the Half-Year Ended 31 December 2017

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This half-year report does not include all the notes of the type normally included in an annual financial report. Accordingly, this half-year report is to be read in conjunction with the annual report for the year ended 30 June 2017 and any public announcements made in respect of PM Capital Asian Opportunities Fund Limited during the half-year reporting period in accordance with the continuous disclosure requirements of the *Corporations Act 2001*.

PM CAPITAL ASIAN OPPORTUNITIES FUND LIMITED CORPORATE DIRECTORY

Directors: Brett Spork - Chairman and Non-executive Director

Andrew McGill - Non-executive Director Ben Skilbeck - Executive Director

Richard Matthews - Alternate Director for Ben Skilbeck

Company Secretary: Richard Matthews

Investment Manager: PM Capital Limited

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PM CAPITAL ASIAN OPPORTUNITIES FUND LIMITED ABN 15 168 666 171 DIRECTORS' REPORT FOR THE HALF-YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2017

The directors submit the financial report on PM Capital Asian Opportunities Fund Limited ("the Company") for the half-year ended 31 December 2017.

Directors' Experience and Other Directorships

The following persons were directors of the Company during the whole of the half-year, and up to the date of this report (unless otherwise stated):

Brett Spork

Chairman and Non-executive Director

Andrew McGill Ben Skilbeck Non-executive Director

Executive Director

Richard Matthews

Alternate Director for Ben Skilbeck

Principal Activities of the Company

The Company is a listed investment company established to invest predominantly in a concentrated portfolio of listed securities from Asian equity markets (ex-Japan) or companies whose business is predominantly conducted in this region, with the objective of providing long-term capital growth.

Review of Operations

The performance of the Company, as represented by the results of its operations, was as follows:

	Half-year ended 31 December	
	2017	2016
	\$	\$
Profit before income tax	7,059,244	4,692,388
Income tax expense	(1,918,969)	(1,388,594)
Profit for the period attributable to shareholders	5,140,275	3,303,794

Please refer to the Statement of Profit or Loss and Other Comprehensive Income for further details.

Dividends

On 24 August 2017, the directors declared a fully franked final dividend of 2.5 cents per ordinary share which amounted to \$1,396,548 and was paid on 5 October 2017.

On 22 February 2018, the Directors declared a fully franked interim dividend of 2.5 cents per ordinary share (December 2016: 2.0 cents) which will be paid on 5 April 2018. The Ex-dividend date is 14 March 2018 and the Record Date is 15 March 2018.

The amount of the proposed fully franked dividend, which is not recognised as a liability as at 31 December 2017, is \$1,406,218 (December 2016: \$1,110,764).

The Dividend Reinvestment Plan (the "Plan") will operate in conjunction with this dividend. The last date for receipt of an election notice in respect of this dividend is 16 March 2018. No discount is offered on the Dividend Reinvestment Plan in respect of this dividend.

Details of the Plan can be found on the Company's website: http://www.pmcapital.com.au/paf/compliance

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.

Signed at Sydney this 22nd day of February 2018, in accordance with a resolution of the Board of Directors by:

Brett Spork Chairman



PM CAPITAL ASIAN OPPORTUNITIES FUND LIMITED ACN 168 666 171

AUDITOR'S INDEPENDENCE DECLARATION

As lead auditor for the review of the financial report of PM Capital Asian Opportunities Fund Limited for the half-year ended 31 December 2017, I declare that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, there have been no contraventions of:

- (a) the auditor independence requirements of the *Corporations Act 2001* in relation to the review; and
- (b) any applicable code of professional conduct in relation to the review.

D K Swindells Partner

Sydney, NSW 22 February 2018

PM CAPITAL ASIAN OPPORTUNITIES FUND LIMITED ABN 15 168 666 171 STATEMENT OF PROFIT OR LOSS AND OTHER COMPREHENSIVE INCOME FOR THE HALF-YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2017

		Half-year 6 31 Decen	
	Note	2017	2016
		\$	\$
Revenue Interest Dividends Gains on investments held at fair value through profit or loss (Losses)/gains on foreign exchange Other income		981,969 7,156,099 (510,092) 8,312	280 551,676 4,678,738 25,795
Total revenue		7,636,288	5,256,489
Expenses Management fees Brokerage fees Finance costs Directors' fees ASX fees Insurance Audit fees Legal and tax advice Other operating expenses		353,139 18,113 6,809 32,500 49,471 27,321 20,150 3,588 65,953	295,264 32,949 34,497 41,693 46,635 27,296 20,095 4,427 61,245
Total expenses		577,044	564,101
Profit before income tax		7,059,244	4,692,388
Income tax expense		(1,918,969)	(1,388,594)
Profit after income tax		5,140,275	3,303,794
Other comprehensive income			
Total comprehensive income attributable to shareholders		5,140,275	3,303,794
Basic earnings per share	6	9.17 cents	5.97 cents
Diluted earnings per share	6	9.17 cents	5.97 cents

This Statement of Profit or Loss and Other Comprehensive Income should be read in conjunction with the Notes to the Financial Statements which follow.

PM CAPITAL ASIAN OPPORTUNITIES FUND LIMITED ABN 15 168 666 171 STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION AS AT 31 DECEMBER 2017

	Note	As at 31 December 2017 \$	As at 30 June 2017 \$
Assets			
Current assets Cash and cash equivalents Financial assets held at fair value through profit or loss Receivables	3 2 (c)	9,674,491 66,038,178 100,043	9,914,165 58,372,836 188,021
Total current assets		75,812,712	68,475,022
Non-current assets Deferred tax assets		46,481	75,459
Total non-current assets		46,481	75,459
TOTAL ASSETS		75,859,193	68,550,481
Liabilities			
Current liabilities Interest bearing liabilities Financial liabilities held at fair value through profit or loss Payables Income tax payable	3 2 (c)	3,606,930 260,897 232,314 1,176,933	2,227,452 22,218 187,257 888,891
Total current liabilities		5,277,074	3,325,818
Non-current liabilities Deferred tax liabilities		2,016,763	825,999
Total non-current liabilities		2,016,763	825,999
TOTAL LIABILITIES		7,293,837	4,151,817
NET ASSETS		68,565,356	64,398,664
SHAREHOLDERS' EQUITY Share capital Retained profits	4	54,603,238 13,962,118	54,180,273 10,218,391
TOTAL SHAREHOLDERS' EQUITY		68,565,356	64,398,664

This Statement of Financial Position should be read in conjunction with the Notes to the Financial Statements which follow.

PM CAPITAL ASIAN OPPORTUNITIES FUND LIMITED ABN 15 168 666 171 STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN EQUITY FOR THE HALF-YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2017

	Share Capital	Retained Profits	Total Equity
	\$	\$	\$
Balance at 1 July 2016	53,488,974	3,262,335	56,751,309
Total comprehensive income for the period Subtotal		3,303,794 3,303,794	3,303,794 3,303,794
Transactions with owners in their capacity as owners Dividends paid		(1,378,113)	(1,378,113)
Shares issued under the Company's dividend reinvestment plan Subtotal	370,844 370,844	(1,378,113)	370,844 (1,007,269)
Balance at 31 December 2016	53,859,818	5,188,016	59,047,834
Balance at 1 July 2017	54,180,273	10,218,391	64,398,664
Total comprehensive income for the period Subtotal	-	5,140,275 5,140,275	5,140,275 5,140,275
Transactions with owners in their capacity as owners			
Dividends paid Shares issued under the Company's dividend	-	(1,396,548)	(1,396,548)
reinvestment plan Subtotal	422,965 422,965	- (1,396,548)	422,965 (973,583)
Balance at 31 December 2017	54,603,238	13,962,118	68,565,356

This Statement of Changes in Equity should be read in conjunction with the Notes to the Financial Statements which follow.

PM CAPITAL ASIAN OPPORTUNITIES FUND LIMITED ABN 15 168 666 171 STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS FOR THE HALF-YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2017

	Half-year 31 Decer	
Note	2017 \$	2016 \$
Cash flows from operating activities		
Dividends received Interest received	1,074,639	601,474
Other income received	8,312	280
Income tax paid	(411,185)	(580,463)
Management fees paid	(335,493)	(292,585)
Interest paid Other energing expanses	(3,594)	(24,922)
Other operating expenses	(194,033)	(246,083)
Net cash inflow/(outflow) from operating activities	138,646	(542,299)
Cash flows from investing activities		
Purchase of investments	(7,615,892)	(4,173,045)
Proceeds from sale of investments	6,912,458	6,299,422
Net cash (outflow)/inflow from investing activities	(703,434)	2,126,377
Cash flows from financing activities		
Dividend paid (net of Dividend reinvestment plan)	(973,583)	(1,007,269)
Net cash outflow from financing activities	(973,583)	(1,007,269)
Impact of exchange rate changes on cash and cash equivalents	(80,781)	176,323
Net (decrease)/increase in cash and cash equivalents	(1,619,152)	753,132
Cash and cash equivalents at the beginning of the financial period	7,686,713	(706,875)
Cash and cash equivalents at the end of the financial period 3	6,067,561	46,257

This Statement of Cash Flows should be read in conjunction with the Notes to the Financial Statements which follow.

1. Summary of significant accounting policies

PM Capital Asian Opportunities Fund Limited ("the Company") is a listed investment company incorporated in Australia.

(a) Basis of preparation

These half-year financial statements are general purpose financial statements prepared in accordance with the *Corporations Act 2001* and Australian Accounting Standard AASB 134: *Interim Financial Reporting.*

This interim financial report does not include all the notes of the type normally included in an annual financial report and therefore cannot be expected to provide as full an understanding of the financial performance, financial position and financing and investing activities of the Company as the full financial statements. 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 the Company during the half-year reporting period in accordance with the continuous disclosure requirements of the *Corporations Act 2001*.

(b) Accounting policies

The accounting policies applied in these interim financial statements are the same as those applied in the Company's financial statements as at and for the year ended 30 June 2017.

(c) New accounting standards and interpretations

Certain new accounting standards and interpretations have been published that are not mandatory for the half-year reporting period ended 31 December 2017. The assessment of the Directors of the Company is that these new standards and interpretations will have no material impact on future financial reports of the Company.

2. Fair value measurements

The Company measures and recognises financial assets and liabilities held at fair value through profit or loss on a recurring basis.

The Company has no assets or liabilities measured at fair value on a non-recurring basis in the current reporting period.

AASB 13 Fair Value Measurement requires disclosure of fair value measurements by level of the following fair value measurement hierarchy:

- Quoted prices (unadjusted) in active markets for identical assets or liabilities (Level 1);
- Inputs other than quoted prices included within Level 1 that are observable for the asset or liability, either directly (as prices) or indirectly (derived from prices) (Level 2); and
- Inputs for the asset or liability that are not based on observable market data (unobservable inputs) (Level 3).

(a) Fair value in an active market (Level 1)

The fair value of financial assets and liabilities traded in active markets (such as publicly traded derivatives and listed equity securities) are based on quoted market prices at the close of trading at the end of the reporting period without any deduction for estimated future selling costs.

A financial instrument is regarded as quoted in an active market if quoted prices are readily and regularly available from an exchange, dealer, broker, industry group, pricing service, or regulatory agency, and those prices represent actual and regularly occurring market transactions on an arm's length basis.

An active market is a market in which transactions for the asset or liability take place with sufficient frequency and volume to provide pricing information on an ongoing basis.

(b) Fair value in an inactive or unquoted market (Level 2 and Level 3)

The fair value of financial assets and liabilities that are not traded in an active market are valued with reference to external third party pricing information. These assets and liabilities include: Currency forward contracts and unlisted securities.

2. Fair value measurements (continued)

(c) Recognised fair value measurements

The table below presents the Company's financial assets and liabilities measured and recognised at fair value as at 31 December 2017 and 30 June 2017:

At 31 December 2017	Level 1 \$	Level 2 \$	Level 3 \$	Total \$
Financial assets at fair value				
through profit or loss:				
Listed securities	63,121,515	-	-	63,121,515
Unlisted securities		2,444,735	-	2,444,735
Options	471,928		-	471,928
·	63,593,443	2,444,735	-	66,038,178
Financial liabilities at fair value				
through profit or loss:				
Currency forward contracts		260,897		260,897
Currency forward contracts	<u></u>	260,897		260,897
		200,097	<u> </u>	200,097
At 30 June 2017				
Financial assets at fair value				
through profit or loss:				
Listed securities	58,132,860	-	-	58,132,860
Convertible notes	239,976	-	-	239,976
	58,372,836	-	-	58,372,836
Financial liabilities at fair value				
through profit or loss:				
Currency forward contracts	-	22,218	-	22,218
•	-	22,218	-	22,218

(d) Transfer between levels

Management's policy is to recognise transfers into and transfers out of fair value hierarchy levels as at the end of the reporting period.

The following table presents the transfers between levels at the end of the reporting period.

	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3
At 31 December 2017	\$	\$	\$
Transfer between levels 1 and 2:			
Listed securities	(2,444,735)	-	-
Unlisted securities	<u>-</u>	2,444,735	-

At the end of the current reporting period, management transferred the Company's investment in unlisted securities from Level 1 to Level 2 on the fair value hierarchy on the basis that the asset has been privatised and as such delisted. There were no other transfers between levels in the fair value hierarchy at the end of the reporting period.

(e) Fair value of financial instruments not carried at fair value

The carrying value of trade receivables and trade payables are assumed to approximate their fair values.

3. Cash and cash equivalents and interest bearing liabilities	As at 31 December 2017 \$	As at 30 June 2017 \$
Cash and cash equivalents		
Cash at bank (Custodian) - AUD	3,524,344	-
Cash at bank (Custodian) - USD	3,003,217	6,588,189
Cash at bank (Custodian) - other currencies	3,146,930	3,325,976
	9,674,491	9,914,165
Interest bearing liabilities		
Overdraft at Custodian	(3,606,930)	(2,227,452)
	6,067,561	7,686,713

Overdraft at Custodian is a cash facility offered by the Custodian. The Custodian in its role as Prime Broker has been granted a floating charge over the assets of the Company to secure any liabilities to the Prime Broker.

4. Share capital and share option reserve

Movements in share capital during the period are set out below:

	Half-year ended 31 December 2017 Number of	Year ended 30 June 2017 Number of	Half-year ended 31 December 2017	Year ended 30 June 2017
	<u>shares</u>	shares	\$	<u> </u>
Shares on issue at the beginning of the period Shares issued under the Company's dividend	55,861,921	55,124,501	54,180,273	53,488,974
reinvestment plan	386,790	737,420	422,965	691,299
Shares on issue at the end of the period	56,248,711	55,861,921	54,603,238	54,180,273

5. Segment information

The Company has only one reportable segment and one industry. It operates predominantly in Australia and in the securities industry (though most investments are in foreign jurisdictions). It earns revenue from dividend income, interest income and other returns from the investment portfolio. The Company invests in different types of securities, as detailed at Note 2 Fair value measurements.

		Half-year ended 31 December	
6.	Earnings per share	2017	2016
	Basic earnings per share	9.17 cents	5.97 cents
	Diluted earnings per share	9.17 cents	5.97 cents
	Reconciliation of earnings and weighted average number of shares used in calculating basic and diluted earnings per share:		
	Earnings used in calculating basic earnings per share	5,140,275	3,303,794
	Earnings used in calculating diluted earnings per share	5,140,275	3,303,794
	Weighted average number of ordinary shares used in the calculation of basic earnings per share	56,046,908	55,318,928
	Weighted average number of shares used in the calculation of diluted earnings per share	56,046,908	55,318,928

7. Contingency - registered charge over assets

The Custodian has a charge over the assets of the Company.

The contractual credit risk of assets is represented by the net payments or receipts that remain outstanding, and the cost of replacing the derivative position in the event of a counterparty default. There are no financial assets that are past due or impaired as at balance date.

The Company has appointed Morgan Stanley & Co. International Plc ("Morgan Stanley") as both Prime Broker and Custodian to the Company. Morgan Stanley is subject to regulatory oversight and capital requirements imposed by the Financial Services Authority (UK) and, where applicable to its Australian operations, the Australian Securities and Investments Commission. As at the date of this report, Morgan Stanley has a credit rating of A+ (S&P) for long term and a rating of A-1 for short term debt.

The terms of the Prime Broker Agreement provide that Morgan Stanley may utilise custodial assets for its own lending and financing purposes (including to borrow, lend, charge, re-hypothecate, and dispose of) up to, but not exceeding, 180% of the value of the Company's outstanding liabilities with Morgan Stanley. These assets are owned by Morgan Stanley in its Prime Broker capacity. Under the terms of the Prime Broker Agreement, Morgan Stanley is obliged to return to the Company the equivalent custodial assets irrespective of what transpires between it and any third party with whom Morgan Stanley has transacted.

Cash holdings with Morgan Stanley are not subject to this arrangement and are always considered to be held by Morgan Stanley in its Prime Broker capacity.

All other custodial assets not subject to the Prime Broking arrangement are held by Morgan Stanley (and its sub-custodians) in its capacity as a Custodian in a separate asset pool, as required by the Financial Conduct Authority (UK).

As at balance date, the maximum value of the Company's gross assets available to Morgan Stanley for its lending and financing activities is \$6,962,089 (June 2017: \$4,049,406). Under the Prime Broker arrangements in place, the amount does not require disclosure by Morgan Stanley. The maximum net exposure to the Prime Broking activities of Morgan Stanley, after offsetting the Company's outstanding liabilities with Morgan Stanley, approximates \$3,094,262 (June 2017: \$1,799,736) as at balance date. The credit position of the Company is monitored on an ongoing basis by the Investment Manager.

PM CAPITAL ASIAN OPPORTUNITIES FUND LIMITED ABN 15 168 666 171 DIRECTORS' DECLARATION FOR THE HALF-YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2017

In the directors' opinion:

- (a) the financial statements and notes set out on pages 4 to 11 are in accordance with the Corporations Act 2001, including:
 - (i) complying with Accounting Standard AASB 134 Interim Financial Reporting and the Corporations Regulations 2001; and
 - (ii) giving a true and fair view of the Company's financial position as at 31 December 2017 and of its performance for the period ended on that date; and
- (b) 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.

Brett Spork Chairman

Sydney, NSW 22 February 2018



PM CAPITAL ASIAN OPPORTUNITIES FUND LIMITED

ACN 168 666 171

INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REVIEW REPORT

To the members of PM Capital Asian Opportunities Fund Limited:

We have reviewed the accompanying half-year financial report of PM Capital Asian Opportunities Fund Limited ("the Company"), which comprises the statement of financial position as at 31 December 2017, the statement of profit or loss and other comprehensive income, the statement of changes in equity and the statement of cash flows for the half-year ended on that date, notes comprising a summary of significant accounting policies and other explanatory information, and the directors' 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 Australian Accounting Standards and the *Corporations Act 2001* and for such internal control as the directors determine is necessary to enable the preparation of the half-year financial report that gives a true and fair view and is free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

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 Company's financial position as at 31 December 2017 and its performance for the half-year ended on that date; and complying with Accounting Standard AASB 134 *Interim Financial Reporting* and the *Corporations Regulations 2001*. As the auditor of the Company, 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.

Independence

In conducting our review, we have complied with the independence requirements of the *Corporations Act* 2001.



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INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REVIEW REPORT (CONTINUED)

Conclusion

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 PM Capital Asian Opportunities Fund Limited is not in accordance with the *Corporations Act 2001* including:

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

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Chartered Accountants

Sydney, NSW 22 February 2018 D K Swindells Partner