

## ASX Announcement



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#### Sydney: Monday, 13 February 2023

In accordance with ASX Listing Rule 4.2A, Endeavour Group Limited provides the following documents for the half-year ended 1 January 2023:

- Appendix 4D; and
- Half-Year Financial Report.

The release of this announcement was authorised by the Board.

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## Appendix 4D Under ASX Listing Rule 4.2A

Endeavour Group Limited and its controlled entities for the half-year ended 1 January 2023

#### Results for announcement to the market

This Appendix 4D and Half-Year Financial Report presents the results of Endeavour Group Limited (the Company) and the entities it controlled at the end of, or during, the half-year ended 1 January 2023 (together referred to as the Group or Endeavour Group).

The current reporting period is the 27 weeks from 27 June 2022 to 1 January 2023 (the half-year) and the previous corresponding reporting period is the 27 weeks from 28 June 2021 to 2 January 2022.

#### Key information

	1 JANUARY 2023 27 WEEKS \$M	2 JANUARY 2022 27 WEEKS \$M	CHANGE \$M	CHANGE %
Revenue from the sale of goods and services	6,502	6,337	165	2.6%
Profit for the period	364	311	53	17.0%
Profit for the period attributable to equity holders of the Company	364	311	53	17.0%

#### Details related to dividends

	AMOUNT PER ORDINARY SHARE CENTS	FRANKED AMOUNT PER ORDINARY SHARE CENTS	DIVIDEND DECLARED \$M	PAYMENT DATE
2023 interim dividend <sup>1</sup>	14.3	14.3	256	20 March 2023
2022 final dividend	7.7	7.7	138	16 September 2022
2022 interim dividend	12.5	12.5	224	28 March 2022
2021 final dividend	7.0	7.0	125	22 September 2021

1 The \$256 million dividend determined to be paid represents the anticipated dividend based on shares on issue at the date of this report. This value will change if there are any shares issued between the date of this report and the ex-dividend date. The record date for determining entitlements is 22 February 2023 and the indicative payment date is 20 March 2023.

#### Net tangible (liabilities) per ordinary share

	1 JANUARY 2023 CENTS	2 JANUARY 2022 CENTS
Net tangible (liabilities) per ordinary share	(24.1)	(15.1)

#### Details of entities over which control has been gained or lost

During the half-year ended 1 January 2023 Endeavour Group did not gain or lose control over any entities.

#### Other information

Additional Appendix 4D disclosure requirements and further information including commentary on significant features of the operating performance, results of segments, trends in performance, and other factors affecting the results for the half-year are included in the 2023 Half-Year Financial Report, and the accompanying F23 Half-Year Profit and Dividend Announcement.

The Consolidated Financial Statements contained within the 2023 Half-Year Financial Report, upon which this report is based, have been reviewed by Deloitte Touche Tohmatsu.



# 2023 Half-Year Financial Report

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For the half-year ended 1 January 2023

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## **Directors' Report**

The Directors of Endeavour Group Limited (Endeavour) present their report, together with the Half-Year Financial Report of Endeavour and its controlled entities (the Group or Endeavour Group), for the half-year ended 1 January 2023.

In order to comply with the provisions of the Corporations Act 2001, the Directors' Report is as follows:

#### **Review and Results of Operations**

Refer to the accompanying F23 Half-Year Profit and Dividend Announcement for the 27-week period ended 1 January 2023.

#### The Directors

The names of the Directors of Endeavour holding office during or since the end of the half-year are:

#### Non-executive Directors

Peter Hearl (Chairman) Anne Brennan Holly Kramer Duncan Makeig Bruce Mathieson Jr Joanne Pollard Colin Storrie

(appointed 27 June 2022)

(appointed 25 November 2022)

#### **Executive Directors**

Steve Donohue (Managing Director and CEO)

#### Auditor's Independence Declaration

The Auditor's Independence Declaration is included on page 3 of the 2023 Half-Year Financial Report.

The Directors' Report is made in accordance with a resolution of the Directors of Endeavour and is dated 13 February 2023.

Peter Hearl Chairman

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**Steve Donohue** Managing Director and CEO

## Auditor's Independence Declaration

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13 February 2023

The Board of Directors Endeavour Group Limited 26 Waterloo Street Surry Hills NSW 2010

**Dear Directors** 

#### Auditor's Independence Declaration to Endeavour Group Limited

In accordance with section 307C of the *Corporations Act 2001*, I am pleased to provide the following declaration of independence to the Directors of Endeavour Group Limited.

As lead audit partner for the review of the half-year financial report of Endeavour Group Limited for the half-year ended 1 January 2023, I declare that to the best of my knowledge and belief, there have been no contraventions of:

(i) the auditor independence requirements of the Corporations Act 2001 in relation to the review; and

(ii) any applicable code of professional conduct in relation to the review.

Yours sincerely

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## **Consolidated Statement of Profit or Loss**

	NOTE	1 JANUARY 2023 \$M	2 JANUARY 2022 \$M
Revenue from the sale of goods and services	3	6,502	6,337
Cost of sales		(4,315)	(4,424)
Gross profit		2,187	1,913
Other revenue		19	20
Branch expenses		(1,262)	(1,153)
Administration expenses		(300)	(224)
Earnings before interest and tax		644	556
Finance costs	5	(119)	(105)
Profit before income tax		525	451
Income tax expense		(161)	(140)
Profit for the period		364	311
Profit for the period attributable to:			
Equity holders of the parent entity		364	311
		364	311
		CENTS	CENTS
Earnings per share (EPS) attributable to equity holders of the parent entity:			
Basic and diluted earnings per share <sup>1</sup>		20.3	17.4

1 The weighted average number of shares used to calculate diluted earnings per share has been adjusted to remove shares held by the trustee of the employee share plan trusts that are controlled by Endeavour Group Limited. The impact of their exclusion results in an insignificant difference between basic and diluted earnings per share.

The above Consolidated Statement of Profit or Loss should be read in conjunction with the accompanying Condensed Notes to the Consolidated Financial Statements.

## **Consolidated Statement of Comprehensive Income**

	HALF-YE	AR ENDED
	1 JANUARY 2023 \$M	2 JANUARY 2022 \$M
Profit for the period	364	311
Other comprehensive income		
Items that may be reclassified to profit or loss, net of tax		
Effective portion of changes in the fair value of cash flow hedges	1	8
Foreign currency translation of foreign operations	1	-
Items that will not be reclassified to profit or loss, net of tax		
Change in the fair value of investments in equity securities	-	8
Other comprehensive income for the period, net of tax	2	16
Total comprehensive income for the period	366	327
Total comprehensive income for the period attributable to:		
Equity holders of the parent entity	366	327
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The above Consolidated Statement of Comprehensive Income should be read in conjunction with the accompanying Condensed Notes to the Consolidated Financial Statements.

## **Consolidated Statement of Changes in Equity**

	ATTRIBUTABLE TO EQUITY HOLDERS OF THE PARENT ENTITY				
HALF-YEAR ENDED 1 JANUARY 2023	SHARE CAPITAL \$M	SHARES HELD IN TRUST \$M	RESERVES \$M	RETAINED EARNINGS \$M	TOTAL \$M
Balance at 26 June 2022	3,875	(2)	(535)	230	3,568
Profit for the period	-	-	-	364	364
Other comprehensive income for the period, net of tax	-	-	2	-	2
Total comprehensive income for the period, net of tax	-	-	2	364	366
Dividends paid <sup>1</sup>	-	-	-	(138)	(138)
Purchase of shares by Endeavour Group Equity Incentive Plan Trust and/or Endeavour Group Employee Equity Plan Trust	-	(4)	_	_	(4)
Transfer of shares to satisfy employee share plans	_	3	(3)	_	-
Share-based payments expense	-	-	12	-	12
Balance at 1 January 2023	3,875	(3)	(524)	456	3,804

	ATTRIBUTABLE TO EQUITY HOLDERS OF THE PARENT ENTITY					
	SHARE CAPITAL	SHARES HELD IN TRUST	RESERVES	RETAINED EARNINGS	TOTAL	
HALF-YEAR ENDED 2 JANUARY 2022	\$M	\$M	\$M	\$M	\$M	
Balance at 27 June 2021	3,875	(2)	(589)	104	3,388	
Profit for the period	-	-	-	311	311	
Other comprehensive income for the period, net of tax	-	-	16	-	16	
Total comprehensive income for the period, net of tax	-	-	16	311	327	
Dividends paid <sup>1</sup>	-	-	-	(125)	(125)	
Purchase of shares by Endeavour Group Equity Incentive Plan Trust and/or Endeavour Group Employee Equity Plan Trust	_	(10)	_	_	(10)	
Transfer of shares to satisfy employee share plans	-	9	(9)	-	-	
Share-based payments expense	-	-	2	-	2	
Transfer on disposal of investments held at fair value through other comprehensive income, net of tax	_	_	20	(20)	_	
Balance at 2 January 2022	3,875	(3)	(560)	270	3,582	

1 Refer to Note 9 for further information.

The above Consolidated Statement of Changes in Equity should be read in conjunction with the accompanying Condensed Notes to the Consolidated Financial Statements.

## **Consolidated Balance Sheet**

	AS AT			
NOTE	1 JANUARY 2023 \$M	26 JUNE 2022 \$M	2 JANUARY 2022 \$M	
Current assets				
Cash and cash equivalents	351	294	813	
Trade and other receivables	190	181	184	
Inventories	1,609	1,303	1,339	
Other financial assets	4	4	2	
Assets held for sale	-	-	3	
Total current assets	2,154	1,782	2,341	
Non-current assets				
Trade and other receivables	8	8	40	
Other financial assets	71	68	43	
Lease assets	3,164	3,126	3,132	
Property, plant and equipment	1,973	1,935	1,898	
Intangible assets 6	4,236	3,894	3,852	
Deferred tax assets	55	50	35	
Total non-current assets	9,507	9,081	9,000	
Total assets	11,661	10,863	11,341	
Current liabilities				
Trade and other payables	1,721	1,264	1,792	
Lease liabilities	454	435	431	
Borrowings 7	90	-	-	
Current tax payable	61	143	137	
Other financial liabilities	-	2	2	
Provisions 8	307	349	344	
Total current liabilities	2,633	2,193	2,706	
Non-current liabilities				
Lease liabilities	3,401	3,381	3,372	
Borrowings 7	1,583	1,502	1,480	
Other financial liabilities	3	3	3	
Provisions 8	43	33	29	
Deferred tax liabilities	191	180	166	
Other non-current liabilities	3	3	3	
Total non-current liabilities	5,224	5,102	5,053	
Total liabilities	7,857	7,295	7,759	
Net assets	3,804	3,568	3,582	
Equity				
Contributed equity	3,872	3,873	3,872	
Reserves	(524)	(535)	(560)	
Retained earnings	456	230	270	
Total equity	3,804	3,568	3,582	

The above Consolidated Balance Sheet should be read in conjunction with the accompanying Condensed Notes to the Consolidated Financial Statements.

## **Consolidated Statement of Cash Flows**

	HALF-YEA	RENDED
	1 JANUARY 2023	2 JANUARY 2022
NOTE	\$M	\$M
Cash flows from operating activities		
Receipts from customers	7,589	7,226
Payments to suppliers and employees	(6,568)	(6,019)
Finance costs on borrowings paid	(28)	(29)
Payments for the interest component of lease liabilities	(94)	(93)
Income tax paid	(256)	(153)
Net cash provided by operating activities	643	932
Cash flows from investing activities		
Proceeds from the sale of property, plant and equipment	2	-
Payments for property, plant and equipment and intangible assets	(167)	(123)
Payments for the purchase of businesses, net of cash acquired	(20)	(18)
Proceeds from the sale of equity securities	-	72
Payments for the purchase of equity securities	(3)	-
Dividends received	1	3
Net cash (used in) investing activities	(187)	(66)
Cash flows from financing activities		
Proceeds from external borrowings	1,260	2,145
Repayment of external borrowings	(1,370)	(653)
Repayment of borrowings with related parties	-	(1,710)
Repayment of lease liabilities	(147)	(137)
Dividends paid 9	(138)	(125)
Payments for shares held in trust	(4)	(10)
Net cash (used in) financing activities	(399)	(490)
Net increase in cash and cash equivalents	57	376
Cash and cash equivalents at start of the period	294	437
Cash and cash equivalents at end of the period	351	813

The above Consolidated Statement of Cash Flows should be read in conjunction with the accompanying Condensed Notes to the Consolidated Financial Statements.

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#### Note 1. Basis of preparation

#### 1.1 Basis of preparation

Endeavour Group Limited (the Company) is a for-profit company, limited by shares, incorporated and domiciled in Australia. The registered office and principal place of business of the Company is 26 Waterloo Street, Surry Hills NSW 2010.

The Half-Year Financial Report (the Report) of the Company is for the 27-week period ended 1 January 2023 and comprises the Company and its controlled entities (together referred to as the Group or Endeavour Group). The comparative period is for the 27-week period ended 2 January 2022.

The Report was authorised for issue by the Directors on 13 February 2023.

The Report is presented in Australian dollars and amounts have been rounded to the nearest million dollars unless otherwise stated, in accordance with ASIC Corporations (Rounding in Financial/Directors' Reports) Instrument 2016/191.

The Report has been prepared on the historical cost basis except for financial assets at fair value through other comprehensive income and certain financial liabilities which have been measured at fair value.

The accounting policies applied in the preparation of the Report are consistent with those applied in the Group's Financial Report for the 52-week period ended 26 June 2022 (the 2022 Financial Report), unless otherwise stated. These accounting policies are consistent with Australian Accounting Standards and International Financial Reporting Standards.

The Report is a general purpose condensed financial report prepared in accordance with Australian Accounting Standard AASB 134 *Interim Financial Reporting* (AASB 134) and the *Corporations Act 2001*. Compliance with AASB 134 ensures compliance with International Financial Reporting Standard IAS 34 *Interim Financial Reporting*.

The Report does not include all of the information required for a full financial report and should be read in conjunction with the 2022 Financial Report and any public announcements by the Group during the half-year in accordance with the continuous disclosure obligations under the *Corporations Act 2001* and ASX Listing Rules.

#### 1.2 Deficiency in net current assets

As at 1 January 2023, the Group has a deficiency in net current assets of \$479 million (26 June 2022: \$411 million).

As at 1 January 2023, the Group has \$2,550 million in external financing facilities with a maturity profile greater than one year. There is \$1,165 million undrawn on these facilities as at 1 January 2023. This amount may be drawn at any time, subject to the terms of the lending agreements.

As such, 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.

### Note 2. New and amended standards adopted by the Group

The Group has adopted all relevant new and amended Accounting Standards and Interpretations issued by the Australian Accounting Standards Board which are effective for annual reporting years beginning on or after 27 June 2022. None of the new standards or amendments to standards that are mandatory for the first time materially affected any of the amounts recognised in the current period or any prior period and are not likely to significantly affect future years.

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#### Note 3. Revenue from the sale of goods and services

	HALF-YE	AR ENDED
	1 JANUARY 2023 \$M	2 JANUARY 2022 \$M
Sale of goods in-store	4,889	4,983
Sale of goods online	485	603
Hotels-related goods and services	1,056	680
Other <sup>1</sup>	72	71
Total revenue from the sale of goods and services	6,502	6,337

1 Other mainly comprises sales by Pinnacle Drinks, which creates, manufactures and manages a portfolio of drinks brands.

#### Note 4. Segment disclosures

Reportable segments are identified on the basis of internal reports on the business units of the Group that are regularly reviewed by the Board of Directors in order to allocate resources to the segment and assess its performance. These business units offer different products and services and are managed separately.

The Group's reportable segments are as follows:

- Retail Procurement and manufacture of drinks, and the sale of drinks to customers.
- Hotels Provision of hotels-related goods and services, including food and drinks, accommodation, entertainment, and gaming.
- Other Consists of various group support functions, including corporate costs.

There are varying levels of integration between the Retail and Hotels reportable segments. This includes the common usage of property, services and administration functions.

The primary reporting measure of the reportable segments is Earnings before interest and tax (EBIT), which is consistent with the way management monitor and report the performance of these segments.

The financial performance of the Retail and Hotels reportable segments is affected by seasonality whereby earnings are typically greater in the first half of the financial year due to the December holiday trading period.

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### Note 4. Segment disclosures (continued)

The Group operates primarily in Australia. The Group also operates in New Zealand, the results for which are immaterial to the Group.

HALF-YEAR ENDED 1 JANUARY 2023	RETAIL \$M	HOTELS \$M	OTHER \$M	CONSOLIDATED CONTINUING OPERATIONS \$M
Revenue from the sale of goods and services	5,446	1,056	-	6,502
Other revenue <sup>1</sup>	3	15	1	19
Total revenue	5,449	1,071	1	6,521
Earnings/(loss) before interest and tax	418	256	(30)	644
Finance costs				(119)
Profit before income tax				525
Income tax expense				(161)
Profit for the period				364
Depreciation and amortisation - lease assets	81	72	-	153
Depreciation and amortisation - non-lease assets	69	61	-	130
Capital expenditure <sup>2</sup>	107	408	-	515

HALF-YEAR ENDED 2 JANUARY 2022	RETAIL \$M	HOTELS \$M	OTHER \$M	CONSOLIDATED CONTINUING OPERATIONS \$M
Revenue from the sale of goods and services	5,657	680	-	6,337
Other revenue <sup>1</sup>	5	12	3	20
Total revenue	5,662	692	3	6,357
Earnings/(loss) before interest and tax	461	121	(26)	556
Finance costs				(105)
Profit before income tax				451
Income tax expense				(140)
Profit for the period				311
Depreciation and amortisation - lease assets	78	69	-	147
Depreciation and amortisation - non-lease assets	65	55	-	120
Capital expenditure <sup>2</sup>	77	69	4	150

1 Other revenue mainly comprises rental and commission revenue.

2 Capital expenditure comprises property, plant and equipment and intangible asset acquisitions, including when acquired as part of a business.

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#### Note 5. Finance costs

	HALF-YEA	AR ENDED
	1 JANUARY 2023 \$M	2 JANUARY 2022 \$M
Interest expense - leases	90	88
Interest expense and other borrowing costs - non-leases	30	17
Other	(1)	-
Total finance costs	119	105

#### Note 6. Intangible assets

HALF-YEAR ENDED 1 JANUARY 2023	GOODWILL \$M	BRAND NAMES \$M	LIQUOR, GAMING LICENCES, AND OTHER \$M	SOFTWARE \$M	TOTAL \$M
Cost	1,760	13	2,435	245	4,453
Less: Accumulated amortisation and impairment	(16)	-	(70)	(131)	(217)
Carrying amount at 1 January 2023	1,744	13	2,365	114	4,236
Movement:					
Carrying amount at 26 June 2022	1,727	12	2,053	102	3,894
Additions <sup>1</sup>	-	1	313	28	342
Acquisition of businesses <sup>2</sup>	17	-	13	-	30
Disposals, transfers and other	-	-	-	(2)	(2)
Amortisation expense	-	-	(14)	(14)	(28)
Carrying amount at 1 January 2023	1,744	13	2,365	114	4,236

YEAR ENDED 26 JUNE 2022	GOODWILL \$M	BRAND NAMES \$M	LIQUOR, GAMING LICENCES, AND OTHER \$M	SOFTWARE \$M	TOTAL \$M
Cost	1,743	12	2,278	218	4,251
Less: Accumulated amortisation and impairment	(16)	-	(225)	(116)	(357)
Carrying amount at 26 June 2022	1,727	12	2,053	102	3,894
Movement:					
Carrying amount at 27 June 2021	1,698	12	2,032	103	3,845
Additions	-	-	15	33	48
Acquisition of businesses <sup>2</sup>	29	-	22	-	51
Disposals, transfers and other	-	-	-	(9)	(9)
Amortisation expense	-	-	(16)	(25)	(41)
Carrying amount at 26 June 2022	1,727	12	2,053	102	3,894

1 Included in additions to Liquor, gaming licences, and other is \$310 million relating to the Group's renewal of its Victorian gaming entitlements, with a useful economic life of 10 years. Please refer to Note 7 for further information.

2 If new information is obtained within one year of the date of acquisition about facts and circumstances that existed at the date of acquisition, including in relation to consideration payable and/or the valuation of identifiable assets and liabilities, then the accounting for the acquisition, including goodwill recognised, will be revised.

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### Note 7. Borrowings

HALF-YEAR ENDED 1 JANUARY 2023	OPENING BALANCE \$M	NON-CASH MOVEMENTS \$M	NET CASH MOVEMENTS \$M	CLOSING BALANCE \$M
Current, unsecured				
Bank loans	-	-	20	20
Other <sup>1</sup>	-	70	-	70
Total current borrowings	_	70	20	90
Non-current, unsecured				
Bank loans <sup>2</sup>	1,515	-	(130)	1,385
Unamortised borrowing costs	(13)	2	-	(11)
Other <sup>1</sup>	-	209	-	209
Total non-current borrowings	1,502	211	(130)	1,583
Total borrowings	1,502	281	(110)	1,673

1 On 16 August 2022, in the ordinary course of business, the Group renewed its Victorian gaming entitlements for \$310 million. While available for immediate use, the gaming entitlements will be paid off over a period of five years, resulting in the recognition of a \$279 million interest-bearing liability owing to the Victorian Government. The balance outstanding at reporting date represents the initial value of gaming entitlements less \$31 million, which was prepaid in prior years.

2 On 19 December 2022, the Group amended one of its bilateral loan facilities, extending the facility's maturity date from 23 June 2024 to 30 November 2027 and increasing the commitment value from \$150 million to \$200 million. The remaining bilateral loan facilities remain unchanged. As at 1 January 2023, the amended bilateral facility was undrawn.

YEAR ENDED 26 JUNE 2022	OPENING BALANCE \$M	NON-CASH MOVEMENTS \$M	NET CASH MOVEMENTS \$M	CLOSING BALANCE \$M
Current, unsecured				
Bank loans	4	-	(4)	-
Loans from related parties	1,710	-	(1,710)	-
Total current borrowings	1,714	-	(1,714)	-
Non-current, unsecured				
Bank loans	-	-	1,515	1,515
Unamortised borrowing costs	-	(13)	-	(13)
Total non-current borrowings	_	(13)	1,515	1,502
Total borrowings	1,714	(13)	(199)	1,502

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#### Note 8. Provisions

	AS	AT
	1 JANUARY 2023 \$M	26 JUNE 2022 \$M
Current		
Employee benefits	207	215
Pay remediation	59	77
Self-insured risks, onerous contracts and other	41	57
Total current provisions	307	349
Non-current		
Employee benefits	17	16
Self-insured risks, onerous contracts and other	26	17
Total non-current provisions	43	33
Total provisions	350	382

#### Pay remediation

The Group previously identified employee payment shortfalls relating to the Hotels and Retail segments under the Hospitality Industry General Award (HIGA), General Retail Industry Award (GRIA), and the BWS and Dan Murphy's Enterprise Agreements. The Group has continued to review all relevant periods over which the payment shortfalls relate and for which records exist. This work is well progressed and payments to employees continued during the financial period.

Calculations of payment shortfalls involve significant amounts of data, interpretation of the respective awards and enterprise agreements, estimations and extrapolations. For areas of pay remediation where calculations have been finalised and payments have or are to be made, the Fair Work Ombudsman may determine that it considers further review and potential adjustment of our calculations is required.

During the half-year ended 1 January 2023, payments of \$16 million (H1 F22: \$25 million) were made to employees and have been included within Payments to suppliers and employees in the Consolidated Statement of Cash Flows. The remaining \$2 million decrease in the provision relates to other movements (H1 F22: \$nil other movements, \$22 million in charges to profit or loss).

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#### Note 9. Dividends

	HALF-YEAR ENDED 1 JANUARY 2023			HALF-YEAR ENDED 2 JANUARY 2022		
	CENTS PER SHARE	TOTAL AMOUNT \$M	PAYMENT DATE	CENTS PER SHARE	TOTAL AMOUNT \$M	PAYMENT DATE
Prior year final	7.7	138	16 September 2022	7.0	125	22 September 2021
Dividends declared and paid during the period	7.7	138		7.0	125	

All dividends paid were fully franked at a 30% tax rate.

On 13 February 2023, the Board of Directors determined to pay an interim dividend in respect of the half-year ended 1 January 2023 of 14.3 cents per ordinary share fully franked at a 30% tax rate (2 January 2022: 12.5 cents per ordinary share fully franked at a 30% tax rate (1 January 2022; 12.5 cents per ordinary share fully franked at 30%). As the dividend was not determined to be paid until after 1 January 2023, no provision has been recognised at 1 January 2023.

### Note 10. Subsequent events

#### 2023 interim dividend

On 13 February 2023, the Board of Directors determined to pay an interim dividend in respect of the half-year ended 1 January 2023 of 14.3 cents per ordinary share fully franked at a 30% tax rate. Refer to Note 9 for further information.

## **Directors' Declaration**

The Directors declare that:

- (a) 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;
- (b) in the Directors' opinion, the attached Consolidated Financial Statements are in compliance with International Financial Reporting Standards, as stated in Note 1.1 to the Consolidated Financial Statements; and
- (c) in the Directors' opinion, the attached Consolidated Financial Statements and notes thereto are in accordance with the *Corporations Act 2001*, including compliance with accounting standards and giving a true and fair view of the financial position and performance of the Group.

Signed in accordance with a resolution of the Directors made pursuant to s.303(5) of the Corporations Act 2001.

Peter Hearl Chairman

13 February 2023

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Steve Donohue Managing Director and CEO

## Independent Auditor's Report

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#### Independent Auditor's Review Report to the Members of Endeavour Group Limited

#### Report on the Half-Year Financial Report

#### Conclusion

We have reviewed the half-year financial report of Endeavour Group Limited (the "Company") and its subsidiaries (the "Group"), which comprises the Consolidated Balance Sheet as at 1 January 2023, and the Consolidated Statement of Profit or Loss, the Consolidated Statement of Comprehensive Income, the Consolidated Statement of Cash Flows and the Consolidated Statement of Changes in Equity for the half-year ended on that date, notes comprising a summary of significant accounting policies and other explanatory information, and the Directors' declaration as set out on pages 2 to 16.

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 Endeavour Group Limited is not in accordance with the *Corporations Act 2001*, including:

- (a) giving a true and fair view of the consolidated Group's financial position as at 1 January 2023 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.

#### **Basis for Conclusion**

We conducted our review in accordance with ASRE 2410 *Review of a Financial Report Performed by the Independent Auditor of the Entity.* Our responsibilities are further described in the *Auditor's Responsibilities for the Review of the Half-year Financial Report* section of our report. We are independent of the Group in accordance with the ethical requirements of the Accounting Professional and Ethical Standards Board's APES 110 Code of Ethics for Professional Accountants (including Independence Standards) (the Code) that are relevant to our audit of the annual financial report in Australia. We have also fulfilled our other ethical responsibilities in accordance with the Code.

We confirm that the independence declaration required by the *Corporations Act 2001*, which has been given to the directors of the Company, would be in the same terms if given to the directors as at the time of this auditor's review report.

#### 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.

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#### Auditor's Responsibilities for the Review of the Half-year Financial Report

Our responsibility is to express a conclusion on the half-year financial report based on our review. ASRE 2410 requires us to conclude whether 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 Group's financial position as at 1 January 2023 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.

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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Jamie Gatt Partner Chartered Accountants Sydney, 13 February 2023

