

Appendix 4C

Quarterly report for entities subject to Listing Rule 4.7B

Name of entity

BENITEC BIOPHARMA LIMITED

ABN

64 068 943 662

Quarter ended ("current quarter")

31 December 2016

Consolidated statement of cash flows	Current quarter \$A'000	Year to date (6 months) \$A'000
1. Cash flows from operating activities		
1.1 Receipts from customers	55	139
1.2 Payments for		
(a) research and development	(1,731)	(4,020)
(b) product manufacturing and operating costs	-	-
(c) advertising and marketing	-	-
(d) leased assets	-	-
(e) staff costs	(1,194)	(2,570)
(f) administration and corporate costs	(816)	(1,859)
1.3 Dividends received (see note 3)	-	-
1.4 Interest received	58	79
1.5 Interest and other costs of finance paid	-	-
1.6 Income taxes paid	-	-
1.7 Government grants and tax incentives	-	-
1.8 Other (provide details if material)	-	-
1.9 Net cash from / (used in) operating activities	(3,628)	(8,231)

2.	Cash flows from investing activities		
2.1	Payments to acquire:		
	(a) property, plant and equipment	(114)	(123)
	(b) businesses (see item 10)	-	-
	(c) investments	-	-
	(d) intellectual property	-	-
	(e) other non-current assets	-	-
2.2	Proceeds from disposal of:		
	(a) property, plant and equipment	2	2
	(b) businesses (see item 10)	-	-
	(c) investments	-	-
	(d) intellectual property	-	-
	(e) other non-current assets	-	-
2.3	Cash flows from loans to other entities	-	-
2.4	Dividends received (see note 3)	-	-
2.5	Other (security deposits)	(100)	(147)
2.6	Net cash from / (used in) investing activities	(212)	(268)

3.	Cash flows from financing activities		
3.1	Proceeds from issues of shares	2,622	2,622
3.2	Proceeds from issue of convertible notes	-	-
3.3	Proceeds from exercise of share options	-	-
3.4	Transaction costs related to issues of shares, convertible notes or options	-	-
3.5	Proceeds from borrowings	-	-
3.6	Repayment of borrowings	-	-
3.7	Transaction costs related to loans and borrowings	-	-
3.8	Dividends paid	-	-
3.9	Other (capital raising cost)	(117)	(117)
3.10	Net cash from / (used in) financing activities	2,505	2,505

4.	Net increase / (decrease) in cash and cash equivalents for the period		
4.1	Cash and cash equivalents at beginning of quarter/year to date	13,394	18,230
4.2	Net cash from / (used in) operating activities (item 1.9 above)	(3,628)	(8,231)
4.3	Net cash from / (used in) investing activities (item 2.6 above)	(212)	(268)
4.4	Net cash from / (used in) financing activities (item 3.10 above)	2,505	2,505
4.5	Effect of movement in exchange rates on cash held	215	38
4.6	Cash and cash equivalents at end of quarter	12,274	12,274

5.	Reconciliation of cash and cash equivalents at the end of the quarter (as shown in the consolidated statement of cash flows) to the related items in the accounts	Current quarter \$A'000	Previous quarter \$A'000
5.1	Bank balances	6,259	7,280
5.2	Call deposits	6,015	6,114
5.3	Bank overdrafts	-	-
5.4	Other (provide details)	-	-
5.5	Cash and cash equivalents at end of quarter (should equal item 4.6 above)	12,274	13,394

Note: In addition to the cash on hand at 31 December the Company lodged in the December quarter a claim for a tax office R and D tax rebate of \$5.8m.

6.	Payments to directors of the entity and their associates	Current quarter \$A'000
6.1	Aggregate amount of payments to these parties included in item 1.2	321
6.2	Aggregate amount of cash flow from loans to these parties included in item 2.3	nil
6.3	Include below any explanation necessary to understand the transactions included in items 6.1 and 6.2	
Payments related to directors' fees (\$203k), consultancy fees (\$32k) and legal services (\$86k)		

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7. Payments to related entities of the entity and their associates

**Current quarter
\$A'000**

7.1 Aggregate amount of payments to these parties included in item 1.2

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7.2 Aggregate amount of cash flow from loans to these parties included in item 2.3

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7.3 Include below any explanation necessary to understand the transactions included in items 7.1 and 7.2

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8. Financing facilities available
Add notes as necessary for an understanding of the position

**Total facility amount
at quarter end
\$A'000**

**Amount drawn at
quarter end
\$A'000**

8.1 Loan facilities

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8.2 Credit standby arrangements

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8.3 Other (please specify)

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8.4 Include below a description of each facility above, including the lender, interest rate and whether it is secured or unsecured. If any additional facilities have been entered into or are proposed to be entered into after quarter end, include details of those facilities as well.

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9. Estimated cash outflows for next quarter

\$A'000

9.1 Research and development

2.0m

9.2 Product manufacturing and operating costs

-

9.3 Advertising and marketing

-

9.4 Leased assets

-

9.5 Staff costs

1.2m

9.6 Administration and corporate costs

0.7m

9.7 Other (provide details if material)

0.2m

9.8 Total estimated cash outflows

4.1m*

* Research and Development costs comprise a number of large one off payments. The timing of the payment of these have inherit uncertainty and actual payments timing may differ from the forecast period. The timing of the payments may materially affect forecast quarterly cashflows.

10.	Acquisitions and disposals of business entities (items 2.1(b) and 2.2(b) above)	Acquisitions	Disposals
10.1	Name of entity	N/A	N/A
10.2	Place of incorporation or registration	N/A	N/A
10.3	Consideration for acquisition or disposal	N/A	N/A
10.4	Total net assets	N/A	N/A
10.5	Nature of business	N/A	N/A

Compliance statement

- 1 This statement has been prepared in accordance with accounting standards and policies which comply with Listing Rule 19.11A.
- 2 This statement gives a true and fair view of the matters disclosed.



Sign here:
(Director/Company secretary)

Date:31 January 2017

Print name: ..Greg West.....

Notes

1. The quarterly report provides a basis for informing the market how the entity's activities have been financed for the past quarter and the effect on its cash position. An entity that wishes to disclose additional information is encouraged to do so, in a note or notes included in or attached to this report.
2. If this quarterly report has been prepared in accordance with Australian Accounting Standards, the definitions in, and provisions of, *AASB 107: Statement of Cash Flows* apply to this report. If this quarterly report has been prepared in accordance with other accounting standards agreed by ASX pursuant to Listing Rule 19.11A, the corresponding equivalent standard applies to this report.
3. Dividends received may be classified either as cash flows from operating activities or cash flows from investing activities, depending on the accounting policy of the entity.