

Ainsworth Game Technology Limited ABN 37 068 516 665 and its controlled entities

APPENDIX 4D Half Year Report

Half Year Ended: 31 December 2016

Previous corresponding period: 31 December 2015

Results for announcement to the market

		Up / Down	% Change		Half Year ended 31/12/16 A\$'000				
Revenue from ordinary activities		Down	14%	to	122,724				
Profit from ordinary activities after tax		Down	38%	to	20,598				
Profit for the period attributable to members		Down	38% to		20,598				
Dividends (distributions)	Amount per security			Franked amount per security					
Final dividend			-¢		-¢				
Interim dividend			-¢		-¢				
Previous corresponding period			5.0¢		5.0¢				
Record date for determining entitlements to dividend	the	Not applicable							
Refer "Review of operations' section within the attached Directors' Report.									
NTA backing		Current p	eriod	Previ	ious corresponding period				
Net tangible asset backing per ordinary security		\$0.7	7		\$0.84				



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INTERIM FINANCIAL REPORT

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Ainsworth Game Technology Limited 31 December 2016 Interim Financial Report

Directors' report

The directors of Ainsworth Game Technology Limited (the "Company") present their report together with the condensed consolidated financial statements of the Group comprising the Company and its subsidiaries for the six months ended 31 December 2016 and the auditor's review report thereon.

Period of directorship

regulatory approval

Directors

Name

The directors of the Company at any time during or since the end of the interim period are:

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Executive	
Mr Leonard H Ainsworth	Director since 1995 (Executive Chairman since 2003)
Executive Director	(Resigned as Chairman on 15 November 2016)
Mr Daniel Gladstone	Director since 2010
Executive Director and Chief Executive Officer	
Non-executive	
Mr Graeme Campbell	Director since 2007
Chairman and Independent Non-Executive Director	(Appointed as Chairman on 15 November 2016)
Mr Michael Yates	Director since 2009
Independent Non-Executive Director	
Mr Colin Henson	Director since 2013
Independent Non-Executive Director	
Ms Heather Scheibenstock	Director appointed on 18 January 2016, subject to
Independent Non-Executive Director	regulatory approval
Mr Harald Neumann	Director appointed on 21 February 2017, subject to

Review of operations

Non-Executive Director

Operating results

The Company today announced profit before tax, excluding the impact of foreign currency gains, was \$15.2 million, in line with the guidance announced to the Australian Securities Exchange (ASX) on the 26th October 2016.

Net profit after tax was \$20.6 million for the half year ended 31 December 2016, a decrease of 38% compared to prior corresponding period in FY16. Included in the current period results was \$4.8 million in net foreign currency gains on balance sheet translations (H1 FY16: \$9.8 million). Profit after income tax was positively impacted by a one-off adjustment of \$8.6 million in the current period reflecting the reversal of previously recognised deferred taxes resulting from the treatment of foreign currency movements. The effective income tax rate, excluding the effect of this one-off adjustment, was 31% compared to 26% in the previous corresponding period.

The results from operating activities was \$13.7 million compared to \$33.7 million in the prior corresponding period. This reduction was attributable to highly competitive trading conditions in the domestic markets, temporary timing delays in North America regulatory approvals and investments we are making in sales and marketing and R&D to drive future growth.

Review of operations (continued)

Operating results (continued)

The Company expects a strong recovery in profit in the second half of the year compared to the reported first half of FY17. We have a clear line of sight on stronger sales in North America with our new Las Vegas facility in operation. Our important participation business, which was boosted by the successful acquisition of Nova Technologies and strategically provides high quality recurring earnings, has much potential and continues to grow. Our investments in sales and marketing and new product releases should positively impact our results. We expect recovery through innovative game development in domestic markets. We also expect the anticipated synergies with Novomatic AG to begin to contribute to the period. We have a confident outlook.

The Group's performance for the current and previous corresponding period is set out below:

In millions of AUD	6 months to 31 Dec 2016	6 months to 31 Dec 2015	Variance %
Reported results			
Total segment revenue from ordinary activities Earnings before interest, tax, depreciation and amortisation	122.7	141.9	(13.5%)
(EBITDA)	31.9	53.8	(40.7%)
Earnings before interest and tax (EBIT)	18.6	43.8	(57.5%)
Profit before income tax	20.0	44.8	(55.4%)
Profit after income tax	20.6	33.1	(37.8%)
Earnings per share (fully diluted) Total dividends per share	6.4 cents	10.3 cents 5.0 cents	(37.9%) (100.0%)

The earnings performance in the Americas, now represents 62% (\$30.5 million) of total segment profit compared to 58% (\$34.8 million) in the previous corresponding period. Whilst there is a decrease in the Americas segment profit, this assisted to offset the reduced segment profit contribution from Australia of \$12.5 million (down from \$19.0 million), which has been adversely impacted by the lower revenue in the current period. Current development initiatives from the recently introduced A600™ gaming products have been implemented in the period, including structural changes within game design management departments previously implemented. These changes and new product releases are expected to progressively and positively impact financial performance in coming periods within domestic markets whilst ensuring growth in international markets. The acquisition of Nova Technologies in January 2016 provides a solid foundation to grow revenue in the Class II gaming market in future periods and further positively impact financial performance within the Americas.

The Board after considering the financial performance in the reporting period, current investment being undertaken in product initiatives, indebtedness resulting from the completion of the US facility and the Nova acquisition determined not to declare an interim dividend. A review of the financial performance in the second half of FY17 will be undertaken to review the appropriateness of re-instating the Company's dividend policy for the financial year ending 30 June 2017.

Review of operations (continued)

Review of principal businesses

Results in the current period and previous corresponding period are summarised as follows:

In millions of AUD	6 months to 31 Dec 2016	6 months to 31 Dec 2015	Variance	Variance %
Segment revenue				
Australia	41.0	50.3	(9.3)	(18.5%)
Americas	70.3	79.9	(9.6)	(12.0%)
Rest of World	11.4	11.7	(0.3)	(2.6%)
Total segment revenue	122.7	141.9	(19.2)	(13.5%)
Segment result				
Australia	12.5	19.0	(6.5)	(34.2%)
Americas	30.5	34.8	(4.3)	(12.4%)
Rest of World	6.2	6.3	(0.1)	(1.6%)
Total segment result	49.2	60.1	(10.9)	(18.1%)
Unallocated expenses				
Net foreign currency gains	4.8	9.8	(5.0)	(51.0%)
R&D expenses	(18.4)	(13.8)	(4.6)	(33.3%)
Corporate expenses	(12.7)	(10.7)	(2.0)	(18.7%)
Other expenses Share of profit of equity accounted	(2.5)	(0.6)	(1.9)	(316.7%)
investee	0.1	-	0.1	100.0%
Total unallocated expenses	(28.7)	(15.3)	(13.4)	(87.6%)
Less: interest included in segment result	(1.9)	(1.0)	(0.9)	(90.0%)
EBIT	18.6	43.8	(25.2)	(57.5%)
Net interest	1.4	1.0	0.4	40.0%
Profit before income tax	20.0	44.8	(24.8)	(55.4%)
Income tax benefit/(expense)	0.6	(11.7)	12.3	105.1%
Profit after income tax	20.6	33.1	(12.5)	(37.8%)

	% of re	% of revenue		
	6 months to	6 months to		
Key performance metrics	31 Dec 2016	31 Dec 2015	Points	
Segment result margin				
Australia	30.4	37.8	(7.4)	
Americas	43.4	43.6	(0.2)	
Rest of World	54.4	53.8	0.6	
Segment result margin	40.1	42.4	(2.3)	
R&D expense	15.0	9.7	5.3	
Adjusted EBIT ⁽¹⁾	11.2	23.9	(12.7)	
Adjusted profit before income tax ⁽¹⁾	12.4	24.7	(12.3)	
Adjusted profit after income tax ⁽¹⁾	12.9	18.5	(5.6)	
	9,	6	Variance	
Effective tax rate ⁽²⁾	31.0	26.1	4.9	

⁽¹⁾ Excludes net foreign currency gains of \$4.8 million (H1FY16: \$9.8 million)

⁽²⁾ Excludes one off tax adjustments relating to prior year

Review of operations (continued)

Revenue

Revenue for the period was \$122.7 million, compared to \$141.9 million for the previous corresponding period in FY16, a decrease of 14%. The international revenue resulted in a contribution of 67% from these regions of total revenue, compared to 65% in the previous corresponding period.

Domestic revenue contributed \$41.0 million (33% of total revenue) a decrease on the \$50.3 million in the previous corresponding period. The reduction in domestic revenues reflects the challenging domestic market and competitor factors. Despite a decline in domestic revenue of 18% compared to the prior corresponding period in FY16, an increase of 32% was achieved on the second half of FY16. This indicated that transitional strategies are showing sign of stabilisation whilst development initiatives, including new hardware configurations are progressed. Revenue in the core markets of New South Wales and Queensland showed initial positive signs from recent product development initiatives increasing revenue by 43% from the second half of FY16. Further product releases are expected to provide increased opportunities within all domestic markets in the second half of FY17 and beyond.

International revenue was \$81.7 million compared to \$91.6 million in the previous corresponding period, a decrease of 11%. The key markets of the Americas now constitute 57% (\$70.3 million) of total revenues, up from 56% (\$79.9 million) in the prior corresponding period in FY16. Revenue from participation and leased machines under operation was \$20.6 million, an increase of 44% on the prior corresponding period. This represented a contribution of 25% of international revenue, an increase on the 16% in the prior corresponding period.

North America contributed \$37.2 million in revenue, a decrease of 13% on the previous corresponding period. Unit sales decreased by 26% to 988 units in the period. The scheduled release of the A640™ within North America was delayed due to approvals resulting in limited contribution in the current period with revenue recognition expected to occur in the second half of FY17. The current period showed strong growth in newer markets within Colorado, Michigan, New York, Oklahoma and Texas. These newer markets assisted to offset a decline in unit volumes of 65% within California whilst we transition to the next generation gaming product in this market.

Units under gaming operation within North America at period end were 2,789, an increase of 93% on the previous corresponding period. This increase was primarily attributable to the addition of Class II gaming machines resulting from the acquisition of Nova Technologies in January 2016. Class II products under participation at the reporting date were 1,187 units representing 43% of total machines under gaming operation within North America. In addition to these units under gaming operation, approximately 12% of unit volumes sold in the period were Class II products. Further installation of Class II products are under contract for installation in the second half of FY17. The reduction in yield on these units under gaming operation to US\$23 per day was a direct result of a blended yield for Class II and Class III products. Revenue under participation and lease in North America increased to \$13.0 million in the period, an increase of 65% on the prior corresponding period in FY16. The introduction of licensed game themes and further game titles for Class II offerings, e.g. King Kong™, 3 Amigos™ and Pacman™, is expected to increase units under operation and improve yields achieved.

Latin America delivered revenue of \$33.1 million, a decrease of 10% on the previous corresponding period. Unit sales of 1,228 were down by 12% in the period, however this was partially offset by increased revenue contributions from previously placed participation machines operating under revenue sharing models. Units under gaming operation at period end were 2,172, an increase of 19% (349 units) from the 1,823 at the previous corresponding period. Continued strong product performance of the Multi-Win™ range of products within this region was achieved in the period.

Mexico and Argentina unit sales decreased in the period by 30% and 62%, respectively, compared to previous corresponding period. Further sales within Dominican Republic, Antigua, Panama and Peru assisted to offset the initial reduction in these markets. Continued legislative changes within Argentina are expected to affect contributions in this region in the second half of FY17.

Review of operations (continued)

Revenue (continued)

Rest of the world encompassing Europe, Asia and New Zealand achieved revenue of \$11.4 million, similar to the \$11.7 million in the prior corresponding period. Asia contributed revenue of \$4.7 million (41%) from this region with shipments to Genting and Tiger Resorts in the period. Initial sale of complete machines and kits to Novomatic in the period resulted in Europe recording \$2.9 million in revenue, an increase of 93% on the prior corresponding period. These increases assisted to offset the reduction in New Zealand which included a large sale to Sky City Auckland in the prior corresponding period.

Operating costs

Cost of sales in the period were \$48.3 million compared to \$57.1 million in the previous corresponding period in FY16. Gross margin achieved for the current half year period was 61%, compared to 60% for first half FY16. The gross margin achieved was primarily attributable to a greater portion of participation and lease revenue in the current period within the Americas, further assisted by the contribution from the supply of Class II gaming products through the Nova acquisition in January 2016. Progressive cost reductions on the A600™ range of products are expected to continue to maintain margin in coming periods.

Operating costs, excluding cost of sales and financing costs, were \$61.3 million compared to \$51.3 million in the previous corresponding period in FY16, an increase of 19%. The increase in operating expenditure is attributable to increased marketing and trade-show costs, increased level of evaluation and testing expenditure on development initiatives including establishment of game design studio in Las Vegas and the inclusion of Nova depreciation on units under operation and amortisation of acquired intangibles following the completion of this acquisition.

Research and Development (R&D) expense in the period was \$18.4 million, an increase of \$4.6 million (33%) compared to the previous corresponding period. R&D expense represented 15.0% of revenue, an increase from 9.7% in the corresponding period. Increased R&D activities in the period resulted from new developments initiatives expected to be progressively released in coming periods.

Net financing income

Net financing income was \$6.2 million compared to a \$10.8 million income in the previous corresponding period in FY16. Net unrealised foreign exchange gains from balance sheet translations in the current period totalled \$4.8 million compared to a gain of \$9.8 million in the previous corresponding period, an unfavourable variance of \$5.0 million. Net interest income was \$1.4 million in the current period compared to \$1.0 million in the previous corresponding period.

Cashflow

Total cash held as at 31 December 2016 was \$27.4 million compared to \$17.9 million at the previous corresponding period end. The net cashflow in the current period resulted in an increase of \$0.4 million (H1 FY16: decrease of \$23.9 million), which included a dividend payment of \$9.9 million and acquisition of property, plant and equipment of \$2.6 million.

Cash inflows from operations for the current period were \$7.0 million, compared to \$17.0 million in the previous corresponding period, a decrease of 59%. Cash receipts for the period decreased by 6% to \$137.0 million due to a reduction in domestic receivables. The investment in working capital, primarily inventory, negatively impacted cashflows. Inventory increased 28% to \$71.3 million as at the reporting date compared to 30 June 2016. The release of new hardware configurations in the latter months of the period and delays encountered to commercialise these resulted in the increase of inventory. It is expected that this increase is timing in nature and higher sales revenue in the second half of FY17 will progressively reduce inventory accordingly.

Events subsequent to reporting date

There has not arisen in the interval between the end of the half year and the date of this report any item, transaction or event of a material and unusual nature likely, in the opinion of the directors of the Company, to affect significantly the operations of the Group, the results of those operations, or the state of affairs of the Group, in future financial years.

Lead auditor's independence declaration

The lead auditor's independence declaration is set out on page 22 and forms part of the directors' report for the six months ended 31 December 2016.

Rounding off

The Company is of a kind referred to in ASIC Corporations (Rounding in Financial/ Directors' Report) Instrument 2016/191 and in accordance with that instrument, amounts in the condensed consolidated interim financial report and directors' report have been rounded off to the nearest thousand dollars, unless otherwise stated.

Signed in accordance with a resolution of the directors:

Graeme Campbell Chairman

Dated at Sydney this 21st day of February 2017.

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Condensed consolidated statement of financial position

As at 31 December 2016

In thousands of AUD

	Note	31-Dec-16	30-Jun-16
Assets			
Cash and cash equivalents		27,412	26,433
Receivables and other assets		114,040	118,800
Inventories		71,286	55,717
Prepayments		7,749	7,112
Total current assets		220,487	208,062
Receivables and other assets		34,897	37,903
Deferred tax assets		4,769	1,569
Property, plant and equipment		108,812	109,493
Intangible assets		72,596	74,124
Equity-accounted investee	10	4,982	4,831
Total non-current assets		226,056	227,920
Total assets		446,543	435,982
Liabilites			
Trade and other payables		33,959	30,298
Loans and borrowings	12	609	118
Employee benefits		7,322	6,950
Current tax liability		1,814	9,527
Provisions		765	813
Total current liabilities		44,469	47,706
Loans and borrowings	12	69,562	67,777
Employee benefits		653	679
Deferred tax liabilities		3,420	3,933
Total non-current liabilities		73,635	72,389
Total liabilities		118,104	120,095
Net assets		328,439	315,887
Equity			
Share capital		200,245	193,754
Reserves		138,074	133,610
Accumulated losses		(9,880)	(11,477)
Total equity		328,439	315,887

The notes on pages 13 to 18 are an integral part of these condensed consolidated interim financial statements.

Condensed consolidated statement of profit or loss and other comprehensive income

For six months ended 31 December 2016

In thousands of AUD

In thousands of AUD			
	Note	31-Dec -16	31-Dec -15
Revenue		122,724	141,900
Contatagles		(40.075)	(57.077)
Cost of sales		(48,275)	(57,077)
Gross profit		74,449	84,823
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Other income		515	250
Sales, service and marketing expenses		(27,260)	(25,007)
Research and development expenses		(18,431)	(13,757)
Administrative expenses		(12,713)	(10,667)
Other expenses		(2,903)	(1,896)
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Results from operating activities		13,657	33,746
Finance income		6.700	10.960
Finance income		6,729	10,869
Finance costs		(545)	(25)
Net finance income		6,184	10,844
		3,131	,
Share of profit of equity accounted investee		111	206
Profit before tax		19,952	44,796
1 (1)	•	0.40	(44.007)
Income tax benefit/(expense)	8	646	(11,667)
Profit for the year		20,598	33,129
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Other comprehensive income			
Items that may be reclassified to profit and loss:			
Foreign operations - foreign currency translation differences		1,087	1,584
Total other comprehensive income		1,087	1,584
Total other comprehensive modific		1,007	1,004
Total comprehensive income for the year		21,685	34,713
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Profit attributable to owners of the Company		20,598	33,129
Total comprehensive income attributable to the owners			
of the Company		21,685	34,713
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Earnings per share:			
Basic earnings per share (AUD)	·	\$0.06	\$0.10
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Diluted earnings per share (AUD)		\$0.06	\$0.10

The notes on pages 13 to 18 are an integral part of these condensed consolidated interim financial statements.

Condensed consolidated statement of changes in equity

For six months ended 31 December 2016

In thousands of AUD

Attributable to owners of the Company

	Issued Capital	Equity compensation reserve	Fair value reserve	Translation reserve	Profits Reserve	Accumulated losses	Total equity
Balance at 1 July 2015	182,360	3,960	9,684	5,829	96,912	(18,258)	280,487
Total comprehensive income for the period							
Profit	-	-	-	-		33,129	33,129
Transfer between reserves	-	-	-	-	30,536	(30,536)	= .
Other comprehensive income				4.504			4.504
Foreign currency translation reserve Total other comprehensive income		-	-	1,584 1,584	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	1,584 1,584
Total comprehensive income for the period		-	-	1,584	30,536	2,593	34,713
Total comprehensive income for the period				1,504	30,330	2,000	34,713
Transactions with owners, recorded directly in equity							
Issue of ordinary shares on exercise of share options	51	-	-	-	-	-	51
Dividends to owners of the Company	=	-	=	=	(16,117)	-	(16,117)
Issue of ordinary shares under the Dividend Reinvestment Plan	-	1 102	-	-	-	-	1 102
Share-based payment transactions Share based payment adjustment on non-vesting options	-	1,403	-	-	-	-	1,403
Total transactions with owners	51	1,403	<u>-</u>		(16,117)		(14,663)
Balance at 31 December 2015	182,411	5,363	9,684	7,413	111,331	(15,665)	300,537
		-,		.,	,	(10,000)	
Balance at 1 July 2016	193,754	3,416	9,684	6,780	113,730	(11,477)	315,887
Total comprehensive income for the period							
Profit	-	-	-	-	-	20,598	20,598
Transfer between reserves	-	-	-	-	19,071	(19,071)	-
Other comprehensive income							
Foreign currency translation reserve	-	-	-	1,087	-	-	1,087
Total other comprehensive income		-	-	1,087	40.074	4.507	1,087
Total comprehensive income for the period	-	<u> </u>	<u>-</u>	1,087	19,071	1,527	21,685
Transactions with owners, recorded directly in equity							
Issue of ordinary shares under the Dividend Reinvestment Plan	6,491	-	_	_	-	_	6,491
Dividends to owners of the Company	-,	-	-	-	(16,386)	-	(16,386)
Share-based payment transactions	-	762	-	-	-	-	762
Share based payment adjustment on non-vesting options	-	(70)	-	-	-	70	-
Total transactions with owners	6,491	692	-	-	(16,386)	70	(9,133)
Balance at 31 December 2016	200,245	4,108	9,684	7,867	116,415	(9,880)	328,439

The notes on pages 13 to 18 are an integral part of these condensed consolidated interim financial statements.

Ainsworth Game Technology Limited

Interim Financial Report for the half year ended 31 December 2016

Condensed consolidated statement of cash flows

For the six months ended 31 December 2016

In thousands of AUD

III thousands of AOD	31-Dec-16	31-Dec-15
Cash flows from operating activities		
Cash receipts from customers	136,953	146,347
Cash paid to suppliers and employees	(118,682)	(111,355)
Cash generated from operations	18,271	34,992
Income taxes paid	(10,684)	(18,002)
Borrowing costs paid	(544)	(25)
Net cash from operating activities	7,043	16,965
Cash flows from / (used in) from investing activities		
Proceeds from sale of equipment	6,161	4
Interest received	1,955	1,165
Acquisitions of property, plant and equipment	(2,641)	(26,828)
Acquisitions of equity-accounted investee	-	(2,045)
Development expenditure	(2,202)	(4,039)
Net cash from / (used in) investing activities	3,273	(31,743)
Cash flows used in financing activities		
Proceeds from issue of ordinary shares	-	51
Proceeds from borrowings	-	14,626
Repayment of borrowings	-	(7,617)
Payment of finance lease liabilities	(31)	(37)
Dividend paid	(9,895)	(16,117)
Net cash used in financing activities	(9,926)	(9,094)
Net increase/(decrease) in cash and cash equivalents	390	(23,872)
Cash and cash equivalents at 1 July	26,433	41,300
Effect of exchange rate fluctuations on cash held	589	490
Cash and cash equivalents	27,412	17,918

The notes on pages 13 to 18 are an integral part of these condensed consolidated interim financial statements.

1. Reporting entity

Ainsworth Game Technology Limited (the "Company") is a company domiciled in Australia. These condensed consolidated interim financial statements ("interim financial statements") as at and for the six months ended 31 December 2016 comprise the Company and its subsidiaries (together referred to as the "Group"). The Group primarily is involved in the design, development, manufacture, sale and servicing of gaming machines and other related equipment and services.

The consolidated annual financial report of the Group as at and for the year ended 30 June 2016 is available upon request from the Company's registered office at 10 Holker Street, Newington, NSW, 2127 or at www.agtslots.com.

2. Basis of preparation Statement of compliance

These interim financial statements are general purpose financial statements prepared in accordance with AASB 134 *Interim Financial Reporting* and the Corporations Act 2001, and with IAS 34 Interim Financial Reporting.

These interim financial statements do not include all of the information required for a complete set of annual financial statements, and should be read in conjunction with the consolidated annual financial statements of the Group as at and for the year ended 30 June 2016.

These interim financial statements were approved by the Board of Directors on 21 February 2017.

The Company is of a kind referred to in ASIC Corporations (Rounding in Financial/ Directors' Report) Instrument 2016/191 dated 1 April 2016 and in accordance with that Instrument, amounts in the condensed consolidated interim financial report have been rounded off to the nearest thousand dollars, unless otherwise stated.

Judgements and estimates

The preparation of the interim financial statements requires management to make judgements, estimates and assumptions that affect the application of accounting policies and the reported amounts of assets and liabilities, income and expenses. Actual results may differ from these estimates.

The significant judgements made by management in applying the Group's accounting policies and the key sources of estimation uncertainty were the same as those that applied to the consolidated financial statements as at and for the year ended 30 June 2016.

3. Significant accounting policies

The accounting policies applied in these interim financial statements are the same as those applied in the Group's consolidated financial statements as at and for the year ended 30 June 2016.

4. Financial risk management

The Group's financial risk management objectives and policies are consistent with those disclosed in the consolidated financial statements as at and for the year ended 30 June 2016.

5. Operating segments

Information reported to the Group's Chief Executive Officer (CEO) for the purposes of resource allocation and assessment of performance is focused on the geographical location of customers of gaming machines. The primary geographical location of customers and therefore the Group's reportable segments under AASB 8 are outlined in the table on the following page.

The NSW and North and Latin America segments include the aggregation of the Group's other operating segments that are not separately reportable. Included in the NSW and North and Latin America segments are the results of the operating segments related to the servicing of gaming machines in those geographical regions. These operating segments are considered to have similar economic characteristics as the nature of the products and services is complementary and the nature of the regulatory environment and type of customer are consistent. Performance of each reportable segment is based on segment revenue and segment result as included in internal management reports that are reviewed by the Group's CEO. Segment result only takes into account directly attributable costs, which management believes is the most relevant approach in evaluating segment performance.

5. Operating segments (continued)

For the six months ended 31 December 2016

	Australia			Amer	icas					
	NSW	QLD	VIC/TAS	South Aust	North	Latin	Asia	New	Europe /	Total
In thousands of AUD				/ N.T	America	America		Zealand	Other	
Reportable segment revenue	23,422	8,838	6,832	1,929	37,208	33,093	4,705	2,462	4,235	122,724
Result										
Segment result	5,418	2,964	3,343	738	14,321	16,188	2,796	1,256	2,145	49,169
Interest revenue not allocated to segments										62
Interest expense										(545)
Foreign currency gain										4,772
Share of profit of equity-accounted investee										111
R & D expenses										(18,431)
Corporate and administrative expenses										(12,713)
Other expenses not allocated to segments										(2,473)
Profit before tax										19,952
Income tax benefit										646
Net profit after tax										20,598

For the six months ended 31 December 2015

	NSW	Austr QLD	alia VIC / TAS	South Aust	Amer North	ricas Latin	Asia	New	Europe /	Total
In thousands of AUD				/ N.T	America	America		Zealand	Other	
Reportable segment revenue	27,170	11,974	9,953	1,193	42,969	36,916	2,715	7,480	1,530	141,900
Result										
Segment result	8,068	4,505	5,867	533	18,011	16,754	1,162	4,401	767	60,068
Interest revenue not allocated to segments										185
Interest expense										(267)
Foreign currency gain										9,796
R & D expenses										(13,757)
Corporate and administrative expenses										(10,667)
Other expenses not allocated to segments										(562)
Profit before tax										44,796
Income tax expense										(11,667)
Net profit after tax										33,129

6. Write-down of inventory

During the six months ended 31 December 2016 the write-down of inventories to net realisable value amounted to \$10 thousand (six months ended 31 December 2015: Nil). Write-downs of inventory are included in cost of sales in the condensed consolidated statement of profit or loss and other comprehensive income.

7. Impairment of trade receivables

During the six months ended 31 December 2016, the Group recognised impairment losses of \$2,903 thousand (six months ended 31 December 2015: \$581 thousand), included in other expenses, in the condensed consolidated statement of profit or loss and other comprehensive income.

8. Income tax benefit/(expense)

During the six months ended 31 December 2016, the Group recognised a true up after completion of 30 June 2016 tax return in respect of unrealised foreign currency gains resulting in an income tax benefit of \$8,602 thousand (income tax expense for six months ended 31 December 2015: \$80 thousand) in the condensed consolidated statement of profit or loss and other comprehensive income.

9. Property, plant and equipment Acquisitions and disposals

During the six months ended 31 December 2016, the Group capitalised assets with a cost of \$17,685 thousand (six months ended 31 December 2015: \$38,680 thousand). Included in the \$17,685 thousand are assets with a cost of \$9,810 thousand (six months ended 31 December 2015: \$10,890 thousand) associated with gaming products under rental and participation arrangements. In addition \$2,796 thousand (six months ended 31 December 2015: \$2,178 thousand) gaming product assets were transferred to inventory after being returned or sold to customers.

Other assets with a carrying amount of \$6,020 thousand were disposed of during the six months ended 31 December 2016 (six months ended 31 December 2015: \$2 thousand) resulting in a net profit on disposal of \$141 thousand (six months ended 31 December 2015: \$2 thousand gain), which is included in other income in the condensed consolidated statement of profit or loss and other comprehensive income.

10. Equity – accounted investee

The Group holds a 40% interest in 616 Digital LLC ("616") resulting in a joint venture arrangement. 616 is an online social platform provider established in Delaware, USA and operates from Romania and Australia. This arrangement allows both parties to jointly progress development and marketing of social gaming offering on both desktop and mobile, leveraging the extensive game content library established for land based markets. An agreement has also been established where the Group has the ability to purchase the remaining 60% interest in 616 at a future date. The investment in equity accounted investee for the Group comprise the following:

In thousands of AUD	Ownership 31 Dec 16	Ownership 30 Jun 16	Carrying amount 31 Dec 16	Carrying amount 30 Jun 16
616 Digital LLC	40%	40%	4,982	4,831

11. Financial instruments

The fair values of financial assets and financial liabilities, together with the carrying amounts in the condensed consolidated statement of financial position, are as follows:

In thousands of AUD

Carrying amounts versus fair values	Carrying amount	Fair value	
31 December 2016 Non-current financial assets	Carrying amount	r an value	
Trade and other receivables	34,897	34,897	
Non-current financial liabilities			
Loans and borrowings:			
Insurance premium funding	30	30	
Secured bank loan	69,532	69,532	

12. Loans and borrowings

The following loans and borrowings (current and non-current) were obtained and repaid during the six months ended 31 December 2016:

In thousands of AUD	Currency	Nominal Interest Rate	Face Value	Carrying Amount	Year of Maturity
Balance at 1 July 2016			67,904	67,895	
New/increased loans Insurance premium funding Foreign currency movement on existing loan	AUD AUD	1.96% LIBOR+0.65%	707 1,809	694 1,809	2017 2018
Repayments Insurance premium funding	AUD	1.96%	(234)	(227)	2017
Balance at 31 December 2016		_	70,186	70,171	

13. Related parties

Transactions with key management personnel

Key management personnel receive compensation in the form of short-term employee benefits, post-employment benefits and share-based payments awards. Key management personnel received total compensation of \$2,058 thousand for the six months ended 31 December 2016 (six months ended 31 December 2015: \$2,061 thousand).

Other related party transactions

	Transaction value Six months ended		Balance receivable/(payable)	
In thousands of AUD	31 Dec 16	31 Dec 15	31 Dec 16	31 Dec 15
Sale Mr LH Ainsworth Company controlled by				
director/shareholder - sale of goods	-	1,455	-	985
– sale of PPE	5,988	-	-	-
Expenses Mr LH Ainsworth				
Companies controlled by director/shareholder – purchases and other charges	806	815	(92)	(60)

14. Subsequent events

There has not arisen in the interval between the end of the half year and the date of this report any other item, transaction or event of a material and unusual nature likely, in the opinion of the directors of the Company, to affect significantly the operations of the Group, the results of those operations, or the state of affairs of the Group, in future financial years.

Ainsworth Game Technology Limited

Directors' declaration

In the opinion of the directors of Ainsworth Game Technology Limited ("the Company"):

- 1. the financial statements and notes set out on pages 9 to 18, are in accordance with the Corporations Act 2001 including:
 - (a) giving a true and fair view of the Group's financial position as at 31 December 2016 and of its performance for the six month period ended on that date; and
 - (b) complying with Australian Accounting Standard AASB 134 *Interim Financial Reporting* and the Corporations Regulations 2001; and
- 2. there are reasonable grounds to believe that the Company will be able to pay its debts as and when they become due and payable.

Signed in accordance with a resolution of the directors.

Graeme Campbell Chairman

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Dated at Sydney this 21st day of February 2017.



Independent auditor's review report to the members of Ainsworth Game Technology Limited

Report on the financial report

We have reviewed the accompanying interim financial report of Ainsworth Game Technology Limited, which comprises the condensed consolidated statement of financial position as at 31 December 2016, condensed consolidated statement of profit or loss and other comprehensive income, condensed consolidated statement of changes in equity and condensed consolidated statement of cash flows for the interim period ended on that date, notes 1 to 14 comprising a summary of significant accounting policies and other explanatory information and the directors' declaration of the Group comprising the company and the entities it controlled at the half-year's end or from time to time during the interim period.

Responsibility of the Directors for the interim financial report

The directors of the company are responsible for the preparation of the interim 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 interim financial report that is free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

Auditor's responsibility for the review of the interim financial report

Our responsibility is to express a conclusion on the interim 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 interim 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 31 December 2016 and its performance for the interim period ended on that date; and complying with Australian Accounting Standard AASB 134 Interim Financial Reporting and the Corporations Regulations 2001. As auditor of Ainsworth Game Technology Limited, ASRE 2410 requires that we comply with the ethical requirements relevant to the audit of the annual financial report.

A review of an interim 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.



Independent auditor's review report to the members of Ainsworth Game Technology Limited (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 interim financial report of Ainsworth Game Technology Limited is not in accordance with the *Corporations Act 2001*, including:

- (a) giving a true and fair view of the Group's financial position as at 31 December 2016 and of its performance for the interim period ended on that date; and
- (b) complying with Australian Accounting Standard AASB 134 *Interim Financial Reporting* and the *Corporations Regulations 2001*.

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Tony Nimac

Partner

Sydney

21 February 2017



Lead Auditor's Independence Declaration under Section 307C of the Corporations Act 2001

To the Directors of Ainsworth Game Technology Limited

I declare that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, in relation to the review for the half-year ended 31 December 2016, there have been:

- (i) no contraventions of the auditor independence requirements as set out in the Corporations Act 2001 in relation to the review; and
- (ii) no contraventions of any applicable code of professional conduct in relation to the review.

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Tony Nimac

Partner

Sydney

21 February 2017