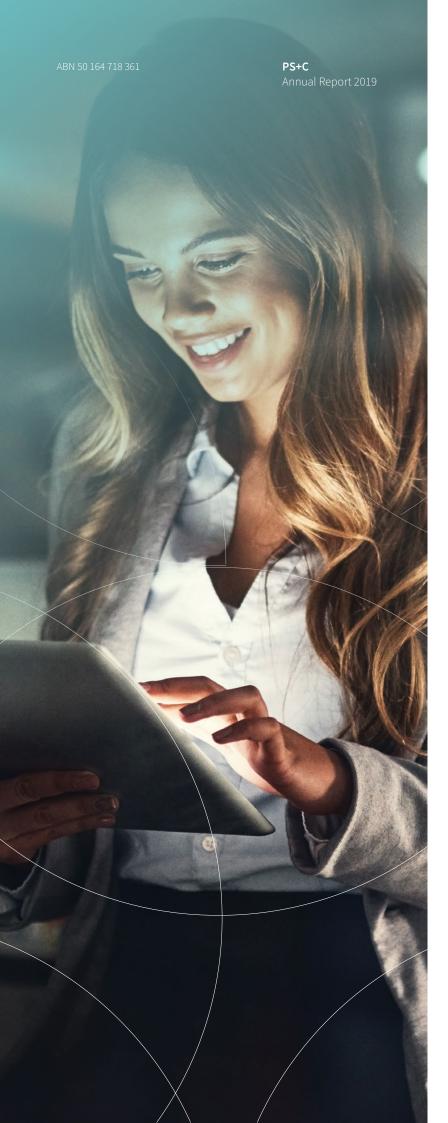
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Annual Report 2019







# Business Profile

We combine technology, digital and innovation capabilities with deep industry knowledge to help our clients solve their business challenges, gain greater customer intimacy and bring their brands to life.

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# **Applications**

We develop, implement, integrate, manage, consolidate and transform custom software solutions.



- · Application Development
- Mobile Development
- · Front-end Development

# **Analytics**

Data is the driver for business to innovate, increase productivity and strengthen customer engagement.



- Analytics
- · Data Warehouses
- · Data Staging
- Data Lakes
- · Big Data

# **Digital**

Digital is all about increasing value through innovation, melding your business goals with your customers' needs.



- · Innovation
- · Customer Experience
- Augmented Reality
- Hackathons

# Cloud

Cloud involves dynamic delivery of IT resources over the web in a way that is cheaper, faster and more reliable.



- DevOps
- Cloud Platforms
- Cloud Migration

# **Platforms**

We help enable your potential through customisation, integration and support of your enterprise platforms.



- Salesforce
- SAP
- ServiceNow

# Consulting

We provide skilled experts who ensure you get the return on your technology investments.



- · Project Management
- Business Analysis
- Digital Transformation
- Process Improvement

# Security

We predict, detect, respond and prevent cyber security threats. We protect your business reputation and client data.



- Advisory
- App Security
- Security Assurance
- · Enterprise Services
- Security Training
- Specialist Services

# Chairperson/ CEO Report

The changes and actions taken throughout the year mean that PS+C is well poised for further growth in the year ahead.

Dear Fellow Shareholders,

PS&C Limited (ASX:PSZ) (PS+C) is pleased to provide the Company's Annual Report for the year ended 30 June 2019.

Despite being constrained by limited working capital, the resilience of our business model delivered growth in revenue from continuing operations of 31.9% and growth in underlying EBITDA of 40.1% to \$6.4m. This is in line with guidance provided to the market on 21 June 2019.

Pleasingly, the Company produced positive cash flows from operations of \$5.0m representing 78% of underlying EBITDA from continuing operations.

In the 2H19 PS+C strengthened its sales and marketing organisation to more strongly align with market opportunities and ramped up recruitment of more talent in all locations to meet the growing demand. Further overhead cost reduction measures were implemented at the back end of the financial year that will impact positively on earnings in FY20.

The significant structural changes made continue to mature, leading to more efficient teaming across sales, recruitment and administration making it easier to do business with our clients. The changes and actions taken throughout the year mean that PS+C is well poised for further growth in the future.

#### FY19 at a Glance

During the year we divested the Allcom Networks business as it was the Company's view that the business was not cohesively aligned to its core strategy and would not provide PS+C with any competitive advantage moving forward. During the FY we acquired Artisan Consulting, a specialised Salesforce Partner to strengthen our existing Salesforce service lines. The elevation to a Gold Tier Salesforce Partner is important as we continue to build out our capability in the world's leading cloud-based CRM platform.

# Highlights (excluding discontinued operations)

- Overall operating revenue up 31.9% to \$83.3m (pcp: \$63.2m).
- Group underlying EBITDA up 40.1% to \$6.4m (pcp: \$4.5m).
- Positive cash flows from operations of \$5.0m representing 78% of underlying EBITDA from continuing operations. Defend + Secure underlying EBITDA up 46.6% to \$3.1 (pcp: \$2.1m).
- Queensland and Canberra operations delivered combined revenues of \$13.1m and a combined operating EBITDA of \$1.6m - a four-fold increase on FY18<sup>1</sup>.
- Subsequent to 30 June a new Debtor
   Finance Facility has been put into place.



**Mr Kevin McLaine** Chairperson

PS+C Annual Report 2019 Group underlying EBITDA up 40.1% Overall operating revenue up to \$6.4m (pcp: \$4.5m) to \$83.3m (pcp: \$63.2m)

# Chairperson/ CEO Report continued

### **Commentary**

Despite the normal effects of Federal Elections, PS+C's Canberra operations performed strongly adding new clients and being engaged in significant new projects towards the back end of FY19. Our Queensland operations also saw a broadening of their client base with the result being increased utilization across the consultant base at the same time overall consultant numbers grew.

We see a key industry driver being the adoption of agile methodologies which has resulted in 'mini' business transformation projects as opposed to large, multi-year plus transformations. These mini projects are shorter, more focused and provide the foundation for considerable business enhancement without the need to invest in large scale transformation programs. This landscape is playing to PS+C's strengths in the market and a large portion of the structural changes we have made support this.

The Financial Services, Federal Government, Gaming, Agriculture and Utilities sectors remain strong and will be a mainstay of the Company going forward. These sectors are expected to be the source of continued investment throughout FY20 and beyond.

From our Queensland operations we delivered several innovative solutions to a number of key clients using our Design Thinking and Innovation Methodologies including the reimagining of retail spaces, running innovation hackathons and helping clients set their Customer Experience and Technology Roadmaps.

While margin pressure remained during the year, it is not expected to have any further impact in FY20. The investment made in our People and Culture function has established initiatives to attract and retain the best people possible in the industry.

Importantly, in the last quarter of FY19 we generated sales in excess of our revenue run rate which means we are improving our work pipeline, in turn providing greater confidence as we enter the new financial year.

# Underlying EBITDA Bridge (excluding discontinued operations)

The table below is provided to enable a greater understanding and a more representative basis to assess the underlying performance of the Company against the Statutory Results for FY19.

The Company continued to restructure its operations during FY19 incurring \$0.9m of expenses that are non-reoccurring in nature which were predominately related to staff costs.

The establishment of the Debtor Finance Facility encompassed a comprehensive review of our receivables book which resulted in adjustments of \$1.5m.

Significantly, the Company incurred an impairment of the carrying value of goodwill of \$49.6m as a result of an increase in the Company's weighted cost of capital, increased overhead allocation to the cash generating units and a more conservative view of longer term forecasts. This impairment was announced to the market on 20 August 2019.

Line Item	FY19 (\$,000)
Preliminary Statutory NPAT	-49,424
Normalisations & Adjustments	
Finance Costs	1,049
Depreciation & Amortisation	338
Tax	666
Restructure & IPO Costs	854
Acquisition Costs	645
Goodwill Impairment	49,630
Contingent Consideration Adjustments	1070
Receivables Adjustments	1526
Total Normalisations	55,778
Underlying EBITDA	6,354

## **Strategic Vision**

We have refreshed our three-year strategy to capitalise on the structural changes we have made over the past two reporting periods.

The revised strategy includes both short-term and longer-term responses to ensure PS+C is equipped to deal with challenges as they arise ensuring we retain a strategic vision of driving growth over the next three-year period. A key component of the revised strategy is moving PS+C to a capability services model which will be rolled out along with new marketing materials in FY20.

In the short-term we will focus on delivering more predictable financial performance now the new operating structure has reached the right level of maturity.

Finally, we feel strongly that further sector consolidation will occur in the short to medium term. Whilst the changes we have made have placed PS+C in strong position to grow profitably across all regions, we will openly participate in any sector consolidation if the Board feels it will deliver the right outcomes for our people, our clients and importantly maximise value for our Shareholders.

The Board is actively pursuing divestment opportunities in order to unlock value for Shareholders, including strengthening the Company's Balance Sheet.



# Directors' Report

The Directors present their report with the financial report of the consolidated entity consisting of PS&C Ltd and the entities it controlled, (PS&C or the group) for the financial year ended 30 June 2019 and Auditors' Report thereon. This financial report has been prepared in accordance with Australian Accounting Standards.

#### **Directors**

The names of the Directors in office at any time during or since the end of the year are::

#### **Non-Executive Directors**

#### Mr Kevin McLaine (Chairperson)

- Appointed Director 9 July 2013, appointed Chairperson 6 December 2017.
- Kevin has over 20 years' experience in the Australian public market, having held senior roles at both Shomega Limited and CSG Limited. Kevin spent several years with GE Capital in Thailand as Managing Director of its commercial lending business. He has also been the general manager of a manufacturing facility. Kevin holds a Bachelor of Business and is a Fellow of CPA Australia and a member of the AICD. He is a member of the Audit & Risk Management Committee (Chair from 30 May 2017 to 6 December 2017) and is Chair of the Remuneration & Nomination Committee (appointed 6 December 2017).

#### Mr Nigel Warren

- Appointed Director 6 December 2017.
- Resigned 16 August 2019.
- Nigel has been an investment Director for Invest Australia in San Francisco, the Vice President of Sales for Equilibrium Inc. an enterprise software and services company and the Australian Counsel-General in San Francisco. He has also held the position of Senior Trade Commissioner Latin America based in Santiago, Chile. He has a Bachelor of International Business and is a member of the AICD. He is Chair of the Audit & Risk Management Committee (appointed 6 December 2017 to 16 August 2019) and a member of the Remuneration & Nomination Committee.

#### Mrs Renata Sguario

- Appointed director 2 September 2019.
- Renata is an experienced senior executive with almost three decades specialising in customer centred, technology-led, business transformation at leading companies both in Australia and abroad. Most recently Renata held the position of Head of Shared Services, Sales and Operations at Latitude Financial Services where she led the establishment of a central and highly leveraged enterprise operational excellence function. Prior to that Renata held various senior positions at National Australia Bank including, General Manager, Operational Excellence. Renata holds a Bachelor of Computer Science and Information Management from The University of Melbourne and holds a Level 1 & 2 certificate from the Institute of Executive Coaching.

#### **Executive Directors**

#### Mr Glenn Fielding

- Appointed 19 May 2017.
- · Glenn is a very experienced senior executive in the IT services industry and has a history of creating value demonstrated through his positions at UXC Limited, DWS Limited, SMS Consulting Group, and Ingena Group Limited. He was most recently Chief Executive Officer of Professional Solutions at UXC from 2008 to 2016. He was a founding member of SMS Consulting Group and during his 13 years at SMS, he performed many senior roles including commercial management and merger and acquisition activities. He was instrumental in setting up and running the national contracting arm of SMS. Glenn has also held senior IT management roles in banking and finance industries.

#### Mr Robert Hogeland

- Appointed 16 August 2019.
- Robert has extensive experience in the IT Services industry spanning more than 15 years. He is presently the Regional Director of Sales in Victoria having joined PS&C Ltd as part of the Seisma Pty Ltd acquisition completed in March 2018. Previously, Robert worked as the Group Executive, Southern Region at ASX listed RXP Services Limited. The appointment at RXP followed 9 years as a major account executive at FinXL Professional Solutions. Robert has a Bachelor of Business degree from Monash University.

#### **Group Secretary**

The following person held the position of Group Secretary at the end of the financial year:

## Mr Jeff Bennett

• Jeff is a highly experienced finance executive with extensive experience in all facets of finance and business within IT. Prior to joining PS&C Ltd, Jeff spent 10 years at DXC Technology, Computer Sciences Corporation, UXC Limited and Ingena Limited in senior finance roles. Jeff has experience as Chairman of the Board of a publicly listed company and is currently a non-executive director of publicly listed company Kneo Media Ltd. In addition, he has a thorough understanding of the complexities involved with multinationals and companies listed on the ASX. Jeff holds a Bachelor of Commerce and is a Fellow of CPA Australia.

### **Principal activities**

The principal activities of the consolidated entity during the financial year consisted of:

Provision of information and communications technology services.

#### **Results**

The consolidated loss after income tax attributable to the members of PS&C Ltd was \$53,489,313. This represents loss for the period between 1 July 2018 to 30 June 2019 for the parent and operating entities including discontinued operations.

### **Review of operations**

Refer to the messages from the Chairperson and Managing Director on pages 2-5.

### **Financial position**

The Directors believe the group is in a stable financial position with \$4.3m of cash, a new receivables financing facility that has allowed the reduction in other bank debt, positive net cash inflows, ability to divest business segments and access to capital via the equity markets.

# Significant changes in the state of affairs

During the year, the group divested its share of Allcom Networks Pty Ltd as outlined in Note 7 and purchased Artisan Consulting Pty Ltd as outlined in Note 40.

#### **Events after the reporting period**

Glenn Fielding has resigned as Chief Executive Officer effective 30 September 2019, however, will remain as a nonexecutive Director.

Robert Hogeland has been appointed Acting Chief Executive Officer and was appointed to the Board on 16 August 2019. Kevin McLaine, Non-Executive Chairman, has announced he will not seek re-election as a Director at the Annual General Meeting and accordingly he will retire at the end of the meeting or earlier should a suitable replacement be found.

Renata Sguario was appointed to the board on 2 September 2019.

Other than those disclosed in Note 43, there are no other significant events after the reporting period.

#### Likely developments

The group has determined to simplify its segment reporting for the financial year 2020. To further improve the consolidated group's profit and maximise shareholder wealth, the following developments are intended for implementation in the near future:

#### People segment

- continued growth of diverse service offerings for Innovation and Amplified Intelligence in the Queensland market with services available to replicate/ leverage nationally.
- continue to grow our general IT competency through our support of Tier 1, Tier 2 and Government Agency clients.
   Will realise continued growth of our Artisan investment by growing Salesforce capabilities into our existing clients, and through leveraging our Salesforce expertise to garner new clients and agreements.
- continued growth in cloud migration, increase service offerings, project opportunities and software sales-based annuities through strengthened vendor relationships, improving margins through the rebalancing of permanent/ contractor staff mix and expanding the number of large-scale cloud projects.

#### Security segment

 expansion of our GRC offerings, broadening operations into new Queensland with dedicated account support, as well as cross-selling to existing customers and expanding new client base.

These developments, together with the current strategy, are expected to assist in the achievement of the consolidated group's long-term goals and development of new business opportunities.

In addition, the Board is actively pursuing divestment opportunities to unlock value for Shareholders and to strengthen the group's Balance Sheet.

#### **Environmental regulation**

The consolidated entity's operations are not subject to any significant Commonwealth or State environmental regulations or laws.

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## Dividends paid, recommended and declared

	2019	2018
After the end of the financial year, the Directors declared there would be no final dividend (2018: nil)	\$0	\$0

### **Director's meetings**

The number of meetings of the Board of Directors and of each board committee held during the financial year and the numbers of meetings attended by each Director were:

	Board of Directors		Audit & Ri Management Co		Remunerati Nomination Co	
_	Eligible to attend	Attended	Eligible to attend	Attended	Eligible to attend	Attended
Kevin McLaine	12	12	3	3	1	1
Glenn Fielding	12	12	3	3	0	0
Nigel Warren	12	12	3	3	1	1

## Director's interests in shares or options

Directors' relevant interest in shares of PS&C Ltd or options over shares in the group are detailed below:

	Ordinary Shares	Options Over	
Directors' Relevant Interests in:	of PS&C Ltd	Shares	
Kevin McLaine	3,696,040	NIL	
Glenn Fielding	9,308,499	NIL	
Nigel Warren	NIL	NIL	

# **Executives' interests in shares or options**

Executives' relevant interest in shares of PS&C Ltd or options over shares in the Group are detailed below:

Executives' relevant interests in:	Ordinary Shares of PS&C Ltd	Options Over Shares
Kurt Hansen	932,580	NIL
Jeff Bennett	622,538	NIL

## Indemnification and insurance of Directors, Officers and Auditors

During the financial year, the Group paid a premium to insure the Directors and Officers of the group. The terms of the insurance contract prevent additional disclosure. The group is not aware of any liability that arose under these indemnities as at the date of this report.

## **Proceedings on behalf of the Consolidated Entity**

No person has applied for leave of Court to bring proceedings on behalf of the consolidated entity.

#### **Directors' interests in Contracts**

Directors' interests in contracts are disclosed in Note 38 of the financial statements.

#### **Auditor's Independence Declaration**

A copy of the Auditor's Independence Declaration as required under s307C of the *Corporations Act 2001* in relation to the audit for the financial year is provided in this report.

### **Non-audit services**

Non-audit services are approved by resolution of the Audit & Risk Management Committee and approval is provided in writing to the Board of Directors. Non-audit services provided by the auditors of the consolidated entity during the year, Moore Stephens, are detailed below. The Directors are satisfied that the provision of the non-audit services during the year by the auditor is compatible with the general standard of independence for auditors imposed by the *Corporations Act 2001*.

	2019	2018
	\$	\$
Amounts paid and payable to Moore Stephens for non-audit services		
Taxation Services	NIL	NIL
Other	\$2,140	NIL
Total	\$2,140	NIL

### **Remuneration Report - Audited**

The Directors present the consolidated entity's 2019 audited remuneration report which details the remuneration information for PS&C Ltd's Executive Directors, Non-Executive Directors and other key management personnel.

## Principles used to determine the nature and amount of remuneration

The board policy for determining the nature and amount of remuneration of key management personnel is agreed by the Board of Directors as a whole. The board obtains professional advice where necessary to ensure that the group attracts and retains talented and motivated directors and employees who can enhance group performance through their contributions and leadership. No remuneration recommendation was obtained in the current year.

#### **Fixed remuneration**

Fixed remuneration consists of base remuneration (which is calculated on a total cost basis and includes any fringe benefits tax charges related to employee benefits), and employer contributions to superannuation funds.

Remuneration levels will be reviewed annually by the board through a process that considers individual, business unit and overall performance of the group. In addition, the board considers external data to ensure directors' and executives' remuneration is competitive in the marketplace. Remuneration is also reviewed on promotion.

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#### Performance linked remuneration

Performance linked remuneration includes short-term incentives and is designed to reward the CEO and executives for meeting or executing their financial and personal objectives.

The Board sets the Key Performance Indicators (KPIs) for the CEO and has input to the KPIs for executives. The KPIs generally include measures relating to the group, the relevant business unit and the individual. They include financial measures (Revenue and EBITDA compared with budgeted amounts) and people, client, strategy, risks and growth measures (these vary with position and include measures such as achieving strategic outcomes, overall shareholder value and meeting leadership objectives).

The Board has developed an Employee and Director Option Plan. The Option Plan is aimed at incentivising employees to aid the group in retaining skilled staff. Option grants are issued at a 15% premium to the share price at the time of issue and they vest over a period of three years. In addition, options have been granted to Directors, key management personnel and other management, vesting over 3 years and exercise prices of between \$0.39 and \$1.20. Refer to the following tables as well as Note 30 to the accounts.

In addition, the Board have a performance rights plan in place for senior executives, the details which are outlined below.

Non-Executive Directors receive fees and do not receive bonus payments.

The names and positions of each person who held the position of Director at any time during the financial year is provided previously. The names and positions of other key management personnel in the consolidated Group for the financial year are:

Name	Position
Jeff Bennett	Chief Financial Officer
Kurt Hansen	Executive General Manager – Security

### **Details of remuneration**

Details of the remuneration of the Directors and key management personnel of the group are set out in the following tables. The key management personnel of the group include the Directors of PS&C Ltd, the Chief Financial Officer and the Executive General Manager – Security.

## **Directors' remuneration**

	Short-Term	1 333		Share-Based Payments		Total	Options/ Shares as % of Total
	<u> </u>	Super-	Options/		Performance Related		
	Salary/Fees	annuation	Shares	Total			
	\$	\$	\$	\$	%	%	
2018							
Terry Benfold <sup>1</sup>	41,430	3,936	-	45,366	-	-	
Kevin McLaine	125,000	-	-	125,000	-	-	
Glenn Fielding	347,032	32,968	630,729	1,010,730	62.40%	62.40%	
Nigel Warren <sup>2</sup>	42,742	4,060	-	46,802	-	-	
	556,204	40,964	630,729	1,227,898	51.37%	51.37%	
2019							
Kevin McLaine	120,000	-	-	120,000	-	-	
Glenn Fielding <sup>3</sup>	408,120	38,771	(264,608)	182,283	(145.16%)	(145.16%)	
Nigel Warren	75,000	7,125	-	82,125	-	-	
	603,120	45,896	(264,608)	384,408	(145.16%)	(145.16%)	

<sup>1.</sup> Terry Benfold resigned 6 December 2017.

### **Executives' remuneration**

	Short-Term Salary/Fees	Post Employment	Share-Based Payments		Total	Options/
		Super- annuation \$	Options/ Shares \$	Total \$	Performance Related %	Shares as % of Total %
2018						
Julian Graham¹	249,805	5,332	-	255,136	-	-
Kurt Hansen <sup>2</sup>	279,885	26,589	108,824	415,298	26.20%	26.20%
Jeff Bennett <sup>3</sup>	175,764	16,698	52,236	244,697	21.35%	21.35%
	705,454	48,618	161,060	915,132	17.60%	17.60%
2019						
Kurt Hansen	373,086	35,443	16,697	425,227	3.93%	3.93%
Jeff Bennett	275,422	26,165	17,047	318,634	5.34%	5.34%
	648,508	61,608	33,745	743,861	4.54%	4.54%

<sup>1.</sup> Julian Graham resigned 30 September 2017.

<sup>2.</sup> Nigel Warren appointed as Non-Executive Director on 6 December 2017.

<sup>3.</sup> The -\$264,608 represents a decrease in the value of performance rights granted during the prior year – refer note 30.

<sup>2.</sup> Kurt Hansen appointed EGM - Security 17 August 2017.

<sup>3.</sup> Jeff Bennett appointed CFO 16 October 2017.

# Directors' Report

#### **Options**

(a) Compensation Options: There were no options granted nor did any vest during the year.

### **Service agreements**

The contracts for service between the group and specified executives are formalised in service agreements. The major provisions in the agreements relating to remuneration are set out below:

#### Glenn Fielding, Chief Executive Officer

- Permanent employment contract commencing 23 February 2017.
- · Remuneration:
  - Base salary \$380,000 inclusive of superannuation
  - Short term incentive (STI) of \$150,000 with the following targets:
    - EBITDA targets 40% of STI
    - Revenue growth targets 20% of STI
    - Retention of key talent 20% of STI
    - Management of key relationships 10% of STI
    - Achievement of strategic goals 10% of STI
  - Long term incentive (LTI):
    - Performance rights in PS&C shares based on service (15%) and share price performance (85%)
    - Performance rights targets are 30 cents, 45 cents and 60 cents. The share price hurdles need to be achieved on any 20 days within any 60-day consecutive period
    - Termination by provision of 6 months' notice by the executive and 9 months by PS&C.

#### Kurt Hansen, Executive General Manager - Security

- Permanent employment contract commencing 17 August 2017.
- · Remuneration:
  - Base salary \$350,000 inclusive of superannuation
  - Short term incentive (STI) of \$150,000 with the following targets:
    - EBITDA targets 40% of STI
    - Revenue growth targets 20% of STI
    - Retention of key talent 20% of STI
    - Management of key relationships 10% of STI
    - Achievement of strategic goals 10% of STI
  - Long term incentive (LTI):
  - Performance rights in PS&C shares based on service (15%) and share price performance (85%)
  - Performance rights targets are 35 cents, 45 cents and 60 cents. The share price hurdles need to be achieved on any 20 days within any 60-day consecutive period
  - Termination by provision of 6 months' notice by the executive and 9 months by PS&C.

#### Jeff Bennett, Chief Financial Officer

- Permanent employment contract commencing 16 October 2017.
- · Remuneration:
  - Base salary \$270,000 inclusive of superannuation
  - Short term incentive (STI) of \$100,000 with the following targets:
    - EBITDA targets 40% of STI
    - Revenue growth targets 20% of STI
    - Retention of key talent 20% of STI
    - Management of key relationships 10% of STI
    - Achievement of strategic goals 10% of STI
  - Long term incentive (LTI):
    - Performance rights in PS&C shares based on service (15%) and share price performance (85%)
    - Performance rights targets are 35 cents, 45 cents and 60 cents. The share price hurdles need to be achieved on any 20 days within any 60-day consecutive period
    - Termination by provision of 6 months' notice by the executive and 9 months by PS&C.

End of Remuneration Report.

Signed in accordance with a resolution of the Directors.

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26 September 2019

**Glenn Fielding** CEO, Melbourne

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# Auditor's Independence Declaration

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AUDITOR'S INDEPENDENCE DECLARATION UNDER S 307C OF THE CORPORATIONS ACT 2001 TO THE DIRECTORS OF PS&C LIMITED

I declare that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, during the year ended 30 June 2019, there have been:

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

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**GEORGE S. DAKIS** 

Partner

Audit & Assurance Services

Melbourne, Victoria

26 September 2019

# Corporate Governance Statement

The Board of PS&C Limited is committed to adhering to the highest standards of corporate governance. PS&C Limited and its controlled entities have adopted to the third edition of the Corporate Governance Principles and Recommendations which was released by the ASX Corporate Governance Council on 27 March 2014 and became effective for financial years beginning on or after 1 July 2014.

PS&C Limited's Corporate Governance Statement for the financial year ending 30 June 2019 was approved by the Board on 28th August 2019. The Corporate Governance Statement is available on our website at www.pscgroup.com.au/investors/

# Financial Statements 30 June 2019

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## **General information**

The financial statements cover PS&C Ltd as a Group consisting of PS&C Ltd and the entities it controlled at the end of, or during, the year. The financial statements are presented in Australian dollars, which is PS&C Ltd's functional and presentation currency.

PS&C Ltd is a listed public company limited by shares, incorporated and domiciled in Australia. Its registered office and principal place of business is:

Level 10. 410 Collins Street. Melbourne VIC 3000

PS&C Ltd's Corporate Governance Statement is available on our website at www.pscgroup.com.au

The financial statements were authorised for issue, in accordance with a resolution of directors, on 18 September 2019. The Director have the power to amend and reissue the financial statements.

# Statement of Profit or Loss and Other Comprehensive Income For the year ended 30 June 2019

		Consol	idated Group	
		2019	2018*	
	Note	\$	\$	
Revenue from continuing operations	4	83,300,904	63,153,238	
Other income	5	13,447	47,930	
Expenses				
Third party materials and labour		(23,146,131)	(14,470,989)	
Acquisition expenses	40	(645,037)	(402,526)	
Employee benefits expense		(48,115,323)	(41,979,843)	
Depreciation and amortisation expense	14	(338,070)	(231,327)	
Impairment of assets	15	(49,629,677)	(9,612,395)	
Loss on disposal of assets		(44,423)	-	
Write off of assets	14	(295)	(50)	
Contingent consideration adjustments expense		(1,070,008)	(619,071)	
Other expenses		(8,034,876)	(5,351,111)	
Finance costs		(1,049,129)	(1,351,257)	
Loss before income tax expense from continuing operations		(48,758,618)	(10,817,401)	
Income tax expense	6	(665,703)	(355,236)	
Loss after income tax expense from continuing operations		(49,424,321)	(11,172,637)	
Profit/(loss) after income tax (expense)/benefit from discontinued operations	7	(4,064,992)	1,016,824	
Loss after income tax (expense)/benefit for the year attributable				
to the members of PS&C Ltd	31	(53,489,313)	(10,155,813)	
Other comprehensive income for the year, net of tax		_	_	
Total comprehensive income for the year attributable to the members of PS&C Ltd		(53,489,313)	(10,155,813)	
Total comprehensive income for the year is attributable to:				
Continuing operations		(49,424,321)	(11,172,637)	
Discontinued operations		(4,064,992)	1,016,824	
		(53,489,313)	(10,155,813)	
		Cents	Cents	
Earnings per share for loss from continuing operations attributable to the members of PS&C Ltd				
Basic earnings per share	45	(17.68)	(9.67)	
Diluted earnings per share	45	(17.68)	(9.67)	
Earnings per share for loss attributable to the members of PS&C Ltd				
Basic earnings per share	45	(19.14)	(8.79)	
Diluted earnings per share	45	(19.14)	(8.79)	

 $<sup>^\</sup>star$   $\,$  The 30 June 2018 balances have been restated to remove discontinued operations – refer Note 7.

The above statement of profit or loss and other comprehensive income should be read in conjunction with the accompanying notes.

# Statement of Financial Position As at 30 June 2019

		Consol	idated Group	
		2019	2018	
	Note	\$	\$	
Assets				
Current assets				
Cash and cash equivalents	8	4,285,600	4,686,521	
Trade and other receivables	9	12,760,194	14,163,496	
Inventories	10	-	19,175	
Income tax refund due	11	-	239,485	
Other	12	2,420,644	3,256,710	
Total current assets		19,466,438	22,365,387	
Non-current assets				
Receivables	13	_	355,557	
Property, plant and equipment	14	684,962	1,371,857	
Intangibles	15	47,256,427	100,046,002	
Deferred tax	16	1,126,519	1,079,177	
Other			28,338	
Total non-current assets		49,067,908	102,880,931	
Total assets		68,534,346	125,246,318	
Liabilities				
Current liabilities				
Trade and other payables	17	9,450,513	10,648,427	
Borrowings	18	10,300,000	12,902,026	
Income tax	19	615,455	_	
Employee benefits	20	902,826	1,513,972	
Deferred consideration	21	7,108,502	10,316,262	
Other	22	3,814,733	2,098,692	
Total current liabilities		32,192,029	37,479,379	
Non-current liabilities				
Payables	23	_	235,866	
Borrowings	24	78,370	_	
Employee benefits	26	194,707	302,597	
Contingent consideration	27	1,630,434	4,498,503	
Deferred consideration	28	995,295	1,750,000	
Total non-current liabilities		2,898,806	6,786,966	
Total liabilities		35,090,835	44,266,345	
Net assets		33,443,511	80,979,973	
Equity				
Issued capital	29	91,207,294	85,029,409	
Reserves	30	593,769	818,803	
Accumulated losses	31	(58,357,552)	(4,868,239)	
Total equity	31	33,443,511	80,979,973	

The above statement of financial position should be read in conjunction with the accompanying notes.

# Statement of Changes in Equity For the Year Ended 30 June 2019

	Issued		Retained	Total
	capital	Reserves	profits	equity
Consolidated Group	\$	\$	\$	\$
Balance at 1 July 2017	58,643,072	69,724	5,226,496	63,939,292
Loss after income tax expense for the year	-	_	(10,155,813)	(10,155,813)
Other comprehensive income for the year, net of tax	_	-	-	_
Total comprehensive income for the year	_	_	(10,155,813)	(10,155,813)
Transactions with members in their capacity as members:				
Contributions of equity, net of transaction costs (Note 30)	5,566,783	_	_	5,566,783
Share-based payments (Note 29)	20,819,554	_	_	20,819,554
Employee share options/Performance rights reserve (Note 30)	-	810,157	_	810,157
Transfer of expired share options to retained earnings	_	(61,078)	61,078	_
Balance at 30 June 2018	85,029,409	818,803	(4,868,239)	80,979,973
Balance at 1 July 2018	85,029,409	818,803	(4,868,239)	80,979,973
Loss after income tax expense for the year	_	_	(53,489,313)	(53,489,313)
Other comprehensive income for the year, net of tax	_	_	_	_
Total comprehensive income for the year	-	-	(53,489,313)	(53,489,313)
Transactions with members in their capacity as members:				
Share-based payments (Note 29)	6,177,885	_	_	6,177,885
Employee share options/Performance rights reserve (Note 30)	_	(225,034)	_	(225,034)
Balance at 30 June 2019	91,207,294	593,769	(58,357,552)	33,443,511

The above statement of changes in equity should be read in conjunction with the accompanying notes

# Statement of Cash Flows For the Year Ended 30 June 2019

		Consoli	dated Group
		2019	2018
	Note	\$	\$
Cash flows from operating activities	'	'	
Receipts from customers (inclusive of GST)		98,981,223	84,684,391
Payments to suppliers and employees (inclusive of GST)		(93,582,529)	(85,120,792)
		5,398,694	(436,401)
Interest received		13,447	35,371
Other revenue		13,262	40
Interest and other finance costs paid		(865,385)	(1,150,259)
Income taxes refunded/(paid)		397,233	(442,516)
Net cash from/(used in) operating activities	44	4,957,251	(1,993,765)
Cash flows from investing activities			
Payment for purchase of business, net of cash acquired	40	(121,082)	569,150
Payments for prior period's business acquisition	40	(3,090,448)	(4,129,337)
Acquisition Costs	40	(269,541)	(442,779)
Payments for property, plant and equipment	14	(372,738)	(516,977)
Loans from/(to) related and other parties		_	(44,428)
Proceeds from disposal of business	7	1,090,516	_
Proceeds from disposal of property, plant and equipment		1,644	44,428
Proceeds from release of security deposits		5,503	62,217
Net cash used in investing activities		(2,756,146)	(4,457,726)
Cash flows from financing activities			
Proceeds from issue of shares	29		5,930,000
Proceeds/(repayment) of borrowings	18	(2,602,026)	
Share issue transaction costs	10	(2,602,026)	(2,497,394)
		(2, 602, 026)	(363,217)
Net cash from/(used in) financing activities		(2,602,026)	3,069,389
Net decrease in cash and cash equivalents		(400,921)	(3,382,102)
Cash and cash equivalents at the beginning of the financial year		4,686,521	8,068,623
Cash and cash equivalents at the end of the financial year	8	4,285,600	4,686,521

The above statement of cash flows should be read in conjunction with the accompanying notes.

# Notes to the Financial Statements 30 June 2019

#### Note 1. Significant accounting policies

The principal accounting policies adopted in the preparation of the financial statements are set out below. These policies have been consistently applied to all the years presented, unless otherwise stated.

#### New or amended Accounting Standards and Interpretations adopted

The group has adopted all of the new or amended Accounting Standards and Interpretations issued by the Australian Accounting Standards Board ('AASB') that are mandatory for the current reporting period.

Any new or amended Accounting Standards or Interpretations that are not yet mandatory have not been early adopted.

The adoption of these Accounting Standards and Interpretations did not have any significant impact on the financial performance or position of the group.

The following Accounting Standards and Interpretations are most relevant to the group:

The group has adopted AASB 9 from 1 January 2018. The standard introduced new classification and measurement models for financial assets. A financial asset shall be measured at amortised cost if it is held within a business model whose objective is to hold assets in order to collect contractual cash flows which arise on specified dates and that are solely principal and interest. A debt investment shall be measured at fair value through other comprehensive income if it is held within a business model whose objective is to both hold assets in order to collect contractual cash flows which arise on specified dates that are solely principal and interest as well as selling the asset on the basis of its fair value. All other financial assets are classified and measured at fair value through profit or loss unless the entity makes an irrevocable election on initial recognition to present gains and losses on equity instruments (that are not held-for-trading or contingent consideration recognised in a business combination) in other comprehensive income ('OCI'). Despite these requirements, a financial asset may be irrevocably designated as measured at fair value through profit or loss to reduce the effect of, or eliminate, an accounting mismatch. For financial liabilities designated at fair value through profit or loss, the standard requires the portion of the change in fair value that relates to the entity's own credit risk to be presented in OCI (unless it would create an accounting mismatch). New simpler hedge accounting requirements are intended to more closely align the accounting treatment with the risk management activities of the entity. New impairment requirements use an 'expected credit loss' ('ECL') model to recognise an allowance. Impairment is measured using a 12-month ECL method unless the credit risk on a financial instrument has increased significantly since initial recognition in which case the lifetime ECL method is adopted. For receivables, a simplified approach to measuring expected credit losses using a lifetime expected loss allowance is available.

The group has adopted AASB 15 from 1 January 2018. The standard provides a single comprehensive model for revenue recognition. The core principle of the standard is that an entity shall recognise revenue to depict the transfer of promised goods or services to customers at an amount that reflects the consideration to which the entity expects to be entitled in exchange for those goods or services. The standard introduced a new contract-based revenue recognition model with a measurement approach that is based on an allocation of the transaction price. This is described further in the accounting policies below. Credit risk is presented separately as an expense rather than adjusted against revenue. Contracts with customers are presented in an entity's statement of financial position as a contract liability, a contract asset, or a receivable, depending on the relationship between the entity's performance and the customer's payment. Customer acquisition costs and costs to fulfil a contract can, subject to certain criteria, be capitalised as an asset and amortised over the contract period.

#### Basis of preparation

#### Historical cost convention

The financial statements have been prepared under the historical cost convention, except for, where applicable, the revaluation of financial assets and liabilities at fair value through profit or loss, financial assets at fair value through other comprehensive income, investment properties, certain classes of property, plant and equipment and derivative financial instruments.

#### Critical accounting estimates

The preparation of the financial statements requires the use of certain critical accounting estimates. It also requires management to exercise its judgement in the process of applying the group's accounting policies. The areas involving a higher degree of judgement or complexity, or areas where assumptions and estimates are significant to the financial statements, are disclosed in Note 2.

# Notes to the Financial Statements continued 30 June 2019

#### Note 1. Significant accounting policies continued

#### Going concern

The consolidated financial statements have been prepared on a going concern basis, which assumes the continuity of normal business activities and the settlement of liabilities in the normal course of business. During the year ended 30 June 2019, the group incurred a net loss after tax of \$53,489,313 (2018: loss of \$10,155,815) and at that date, the group's current liabilities exceeded its current assets by \$12,725,591. The above has been impacted by a \$49,629,677 intangible asset impairment charge and the classification of the group's borrowings of \$10,300,000 as a current liability.

In determining that the going concern basis is appropriate, the Directors have had regard to:

- The group has entered into an agreement with Scottish Pacific Business Finance Pty Ltd ('Scottish Pacific') to provide a receivables backed financing facility with a funding limit up to \$15,000,000 Refer Note 43: Subsequent Events;
- The group successfully renegotiated the terms of its borrowings payable to ANZ after a \$5,000,000 repayment in July 2019. The group's bank facility expires in December 2019 Refer Note 43: Subsequent Events;
- The group's cash flow forecast and budgets for the next 12 months show positive operating cash flows and an improvement in profitability/increased EBITDA;
- The group has positive net cash inflows from operating activities;
- The group's ability to raise equity; and
- The group's ability to divest business segments.

The group's ability to continue to operate as a going concern is dependent upon the items listed above. Should these events not occur as anticipated, the group may not be able to pursue its business objectives and will have difficulty continuing to operate as a going concern, including realising its assets and extinguishing its liabilities at the amounts shown in the financial statements.

#### Parent entity information

In accordance with the *Corporations Act 2001*, these financial statements present the results of the group only. Supplementary information about the parent entity is disclosed in Note 39.

#### Principles of consolidation

The consolidated financial statements incorporate the assets and liabilities of all subsidiaries of PS&C Ltd ('company' or 'parent entity') as at 30 June 2019 and the results of all subsidiaries for the year then ended. PS&C Ltd and its subsidiaries together are referred to in these financial statements as the 'group'.

Subsidiaries are all those entities over which the group has control. The group controls an entity when the group is exposed to, or has rights to, variable returns from its involvement with the entity and has the ability to affect those returns through its power to direct the activities of the entity. Subsidiaries are fully consolidated from the date on which control is transferred to the group. They are de-consolidated from the date that control ceases.

Intercompany transactions, balances and unrealised gains on transactions between entities in the group are eliminated. Unrealised losses are also eliminated unless the transaction provides evidence of the impairment of the asset transferred. Accounting policies of subsidiaries have been changed where necessary to ensure consistency with the policies adopted by the group.

The acquisition of subsidiaries is accounted for using the acquisition method of accounting. A change in ownership interest, without the loss of control, is accounted for as an equity transaction, where the difference between the consideration transferred and the book value of the share of the non-controlling interest acquired is recognised directly in equity attributable to the parent.

Where the group loses control over a subsidiary, it derecognises the assets including goodwill, liabilities and non-controlling interest in the subsidiary together with any cumulative translation differences recognised in equity. The group recognises the fair value of the consideration received and the fair value of any investment retained together with any gain or loss in profit or loss.

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#### Operating segments

Operating segments are determined by distinguishable components whereby the risk and returns are different from the other segments.

#### Revenue recognition

The group adopted AASB 15 Revenue from Contracts with Customers from 1 July 2018. AASB 15 provides (other than in relation to some specific exceptions, such as lease contracts and insurance contracts) a single source of accounting requirements for all contracts with customers, thereby replacing all current accounting pronouncements on revenue.

The core principle of AASB 15 is that an entity recognises revenue to depict the transfer of promised goods or services to a customer in an amount that reflects the consideration to which the entity expects to be entitled in exchange for those goods or services. Accordingly, in contrast to the approach under AASB 118 Revenue, AASB 15 does not prescribe different patterns of revenue recognition depending on whether the entity provides a good or service to the customer.

The group adopted AASB 15 with no material impact resulting to revenue.

Revenue arises mainly from consulting and IT services, the sale of security software and contracts for penetration testing of computer systems.

The group recognises contract liabilities for consideration received in respect of unsatisfied performance obligations and reports these amounts as other liabilities in the statement of financial position. Similarly, if the group satisfies a performance obligation before it receives the consideration, the group recognises either a contract asset or a receivable in its statement of financial position, depending on whether something other than the passage of time is required before the consideration is due.

#### Consulting and IT services

The group provides consulting services relating to ICT projects, contractor management, recruitment, business transformation, digital strategies and IT security and Assurance services. Revenue from these services is recognised on a time-and-materials basis as the services are provided. Customers are invoiced monthly as work progresses. Any amounts remaining unbilled at the end of a reporting period are presented in the statement of financial position as accounts receivable as only the passage of time is required before payment of these amounts will be due as accrued revenue.

#### Sale of software

Revenue from the sale of software for a fixed fee is recognised when or as the group transfers control of the assets to the customer. Invoices for goods or services transferred are due upon receipt by the customer. Amounts disclosed are net of sales returns and trade discounts.

#### Penetration testing

The group provides penetration testing services to evaluate the security of computer systems. Revenue from these services is contractual and recognised as the services are provided. Customers are invoiced upon completion of the work. Any amounts remaining unbilled at the end of a reporting period are presented in the statement of financial position as accounts receivable as only the passage of time is required before payment of these amounts will be due as accrued revenue.

#### Interes

Interest revenue is recognised as interest accrues using the effective interest method. This is a method of calculating the amortised cost of a financial asset and allocating the interest income over the relevant period using the effective interest rate, which is the rate that exactly discounts estimated future cash receipts through the expected life of the financial asset to the net carrying amount of the financial asset.

#### Other revenue

Other revenue is recognised when it is received or when the right to receive payment is established.

# Notes to the Financial Statements continued 30 June 2019

#### Note 1. Significant accounting policies continued

#### Income tax

The income tax expense or benefit for the period is the tax payable on that period's taxable income based on the applicable income tax rate for each jurisdiction, adjusted by the changes in deferred tax assets and liabilities attributable to temporary differences, unused tax losses and the adjustment recognised for prior periods, where applicable.

Deferred tax assets and liabilities are recognised for temporary differences at the tax rates expected to be applied when the assets are recovered or liabilities are settled, based on those tax rates that are enacted or substantively enacted, except for:

- When the deferred income tax asset or liability arises from the initial recognition of goodwill or an asset or liability in a transaction that is not a business combination and that, at the time of the transaction, affects neither the accounting nor taxable profits; or
- When the taxable temporary difference is associated with interests in subsidiaries, associates or joint ventures, and the timing of the reversal can be controlled and it is probable that the temporary difference will not reverse in the foreseeable future.

Deferred tax assets are recognised for deductible temporary differences and unused tax losses only if it is probable that future taxable amounts will be available to utilise those temporary differences and losses.

The carrying amount of recognised and unrecognised deferred tax assets are reviewed at each reporting date. Deferred tax assets recognised are reduced to the extent that it is no longer probable that future taxable profits will be available for the carrying amount to be recovered. Previously unrecognised deferred tax assets are recognised to the extent that it is probable that there are future taxable profits available to recover the asset.

Deferred tax assets and liabilities are offset only where there is a legally enforceable right to offset current tax assets against current tax liabilities and deferred tax assets against deferred tax liabilities; and they relate to the same taxable authority on either the same taxable entity or different taxable entities which intend to settle simultaneously.

A discontinued operation is a component of the group that has been disposed of or is classified as held for sale and that represents a separate major line of business or geographical area of operations, is part of a single co-ordinated plan to dispose of such a line of business or area of operations, or is a subsidiary acquired exclusively with a view to resale. The results of discontinued operations are presented separately on the face of the statement of profit or loss and other comprehensive income.

Assets and liabilities are presented in the statement of financial position based on current and non-current classification.

An asset is classified as current when: it is either expected to be realised or intended to be sold or consumed in the group's normal operating cycle; it is held primarily for the purpose of trading; it is expected to be realised within 12 months after the reporting period; or the asset is cash or cash equivalent unless restricted from being exchanged or used to settle a liability for at least 12 months after the reporting period. All other assets are classified as non-current.

A liability is classified as current when: it is either expected to be settled in the group's normal operating cycle; it is held primarily for the purpose of trading; it is due to be settled within 12 months after the reporting period; or there is no unconditional right to defer the settlement of the liability for at least 12 months after the reporting period. All other liabilities are classified as non-current.

Deferred tax assets and liabilities are always classified as non-current.

#### Cash and cash equivalents

Cash and cash equivalents includes cash on hand, deposits held at call with financial institutions, other short-term, highly liquid investments with original maturities of three months or less that are readily convertible to known amounts of cash and which are subject to an insignificant risk of changes in value.

### **Financial Instruments**

#### Initial recognition and measurement

Financial assets and liabilities are recognised when the group becomes a party to the contractual provisions of the instrument. For financial assets, this is the equivalent to the date that the group commits itself to either the purchase or sale of the asset (i.e. trade date accounting is adopted).

Financial instruments are initially measured at fair value adjusted for transaction costs, except where the instrument is classified as fair value through profit or loss, in which case the transaction costs are immediately recognised as expenses in profit or loss.

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#### Classification of financial assets

Financial assets recognised by the group are subsequently measured in their entirety at either amortised cost or fair value, subject to their classification and whether the group irrevocably designates the financial asset on initial recognition at fair value through other comprehensive income in accordance with the relevant criteria in AASB 9.

Financial assets not irrevocably designated on initial recognition at fair value through other comprehensive income are classified as subsequently measured at amortised cost, fair value through other comprehensive income or fair value through profit or loss on the basis of both:

- (a) the group's business model for managing the financial assets; and
- (b) the contractual cash flow characteristics of the financial asset.

#### Classification of financial liabilities

Financial liabilities as held for trading, contingent consideration payable by the group for the acquisition of a business and financial liabilities designated at fair value through the profit or loss, are subsequently measured at fair value.

All other financial liabilities recognised by the group are subsequently measured at amortised cost.

#### Trade and other receivables

Trade receivables are initially recognised at fair value and subsequently measured at amortised cost using the effective interest method, less any allowance for expected credit losses. Trade receivables are generally due for settlement within 30 days.

#### Impairment of financial assets

The following financial assets are tested for impairment by applying the 'expected credit loss' impairment model:

- (a) debt instruments measured at amortised cost;
- (b) debt instruments classified at fair value through other comprehensive income; and
- (c) receivables from contracts with customers and contract assets.

The group applies the simplified approach under AASB 9 to measuring the allowance for credit losses for both receivables from contracts with customers and contract assets. Under the AASB 9 simplified approach, the group determines the allowance for credit losses for receivables from contracts with customers and contract assets on the basis of the lifetime of expected credit losses of the financial asset. Lifetime expected credit losses represent the expected credit losses that are expected to result from default events over the expected life of the financial asset.

For all other financial assets subject to impairment testing, when there has been a significant increase in credit risk since the initial recognition of the financial asset, the allowance for credit losses is recognised on the basis of the lifetime expected credit losses. Where there has not been an increase in credit risk since initial recognition, the allowance for credit losses is recognised on the basis of 12-month expected credit losses. '12-month expected credit losses' is the portion of lifetime expected credit losses that represent the expected credit losses that result from default events on a financial instrument that are possible within the 12 months after the reporting date.

The group consider a range of information when assessing whether the credit risk has increased significantly since initial recognition. This includes such factors as the identification of significant changes in external market indicators of credit risk, significant adverse changes in the financial performance or financial position of the counterparty, significant changes in the value of collateral, and past due information.

The group assumes that the credit risk on a financial asset has not increased significantly since initial recognition when the financial asset is determined to have a low credit risk at the reporting date. The group considers a financial asset to have a low credit risk when the counterparty has an external 'investment grade' credit rating (if available) of BBB or higher, or otherwise is assessed by the group to have a strong financial position and no history of past due amounts from previous transactions with the group.

The group assumes that the credit risk on a financial instrument has increased significantly since initial recognition when contractual payments are more than 30 days past due.

The group determines expected credit losses using a provision matrix based on the group's historical credit loss experience, adjusted for factors that are specific to the financial asset as well as current and future expected economic conditions relevant to the financial asset. When material, the time value of money is incorporated into the measurement of expected credit losses. There has been no change in the estimation techniques or significant assumptions made during the reporting period.

# Notes to the Financial Statements continued 30 June 2019

#### Note 1. Significant accounting policies continued

#### Financial Instruments continued

#### Impairment of financial assets continued

The group has identified contractual payments more than 90 days past due as default events for the purpose of measuring expected credit losses. These default events have been selected based on the group's historical experience. Because contract assets are directly related to unbilled work in progress, contract assets have a similar credit risk profile to receivables from contracts with customers. Accordingly, the group applies the same approach to measuring expected credit losses of receivables from contracts with customers as it does to measuring impairment losses on contract assets.

The measurement of expected credit losses reflects the group's 'expected rate of loss', which is a product of the probability of default and the loss given default, and its 'exposure at default', which is typically the carrying amount of the relevant asset. Expected credit losses are measured as the difference between all contractual cash flows due and all contractual cash flows expected based on the group's exposure at default, discounted at the financial asset's original effective interest rate.

Financial assets are regarded as 'credit-impaired' when one or more events have occurred that have a detrimental impact on the estimated future cash flows of the financial asset. Indicators that a financial asset is 'credit-impaired' include observable data about the following:

- (a) significant financial difficulty of the issuer or the borrower;
- (b) breach of contract;
- (c) the lender, for economic or contractual reasons relating to the borrower's financial difficulty, has granted concessions to the borrower that the lender would not otherwise consider; or
- (d) it is becoming probable that the borrower will enter bankruptcy or other financial reorganisation.

The gross carrying amount of a financial asset is written off (i.e., reduced directly) when the counterparty is in severe financial difficulty and the group has no realistic expectation of recovery of the financial asset. Financial assets written off remain subject to enforcement action by the group. Recoveries, if any, are recognised in profit or loss.

#### Inventories

Stock on hand is stated at the lower of cost and net realisable value. Cost comprises of purchase and delivery costs, net of rebates and discounts received or receivable.

Net realisable value is the estimated selling price in the ordinary course of business less the estimated costs of completion and the estimated costs necessary to make the sale.

#### Property, plant and equipment

Plant and equipment is stated at historical cost less accumulated depreciation and impairment. Historical cost includes expenditure that is directly attributable to the acquisition of the items.

Depreciation is calculated on a straight-line basis to write off the net cost of each item of property, plant and equipment (excluding land) over their expected useful lives as follows:

Leasehold improvements 3 – 5 years
Plant and equipment 2.5 – 5 years

The residual values, useful lives and depreciation methods are reviewed, and adjusted if appropriate, at each reporting date.

An item of property, plant and equipment is derecognised upon disposal or when there is no future economic benefit to the group. Gains and losses between the carrying amount and the disposal proceeds are taken to profit or loss. Any revaluation surplus reserve relating to the item disposed of is transferred directly to retained profits.

#### Intangible assets

#### Goodwill

Goodwill arises on the acquisition of a business. Goodwill is not amortised. Instead, goodwill is tested annually for impairment, or more frequently if events or changes in circumstances indicate that it might be impaired, and is carried at cost less accumulated impairment losses. Impairment losses on goodwill are taken to profit or loss and are not subsequently reversed.

Goodwill and other intangible assets that have an indefinite useful life are not subject to amortisation and are tested annually for impairment, or more frequently if events or changes in circumstances indicate that they might be impaired. Other non-financial assets are reviewed for impairment whenever events or changes in circumstances indicate that the carrying amount may not be recoverable. An impairment loss is recognised for the amount by which the asset's carrying amount exceeds its recoverable amount.

Recoverable amount is the higher of an asset's fair value less costs of disposal and value-in-use. The value-in-use is the present value of the estimated future cash flows relating to the asset using a pre-tax discount rate specific to the asset or cash-generating unit to which the asset belongs. Assets that do not have independent cash flows are grouped together to form a cash-generating unit.

#### Trade and other payables

These amounts represent liabilities for goods and services provided to the group prior to the end of the financial year and which are unpaid. Due to their short-term nature they are measured at amortised cost and are not discounted. The amounts are unsecured and are usually paid within 30 days of recognition.

#### Finance costs

Finance costs attributable to qualifying assets are capitalised as part of the asset. All other finance costs are expensed in the period in which they are incurred.

#### **Provisions**

Provisions are recognised when the group has a present (legal or constructive) obligation as a result of a past event, it is probable the group will be required to settle the obligation, and a reliable estimate can be made of the amount of the obligation. The amount recognised as a provision is the best estimate of the consideration required to settle the present obligation at the reporting date, taking into account the risks and uncertainties surrounding the obligation. If the time value of money is material, provisions are discounted using a current pre-tax rate specific to the liability. The increase in the provision resulting from the passage of time is recognised as a finance cost.

### **Employee benefits**

#### Short-term employee benefits

Liabilities for wages and salaries, including non-monetary benefits, annual leave and long service leave expected to be settled wholly within 12 months of the reporting date are measured at the amounts expected to be paid when the liabilities are settled.

#### Other long-term employee benefits

The liability for annual leave and long service leave not expected to be settled within 12 months of the reporting date are measured as the present value of expected future payments to be made in respect of services provided by employees up to the reporting date using the projected unit credit method. Consideration is given to expected future wage and salary levels, experience of employee departures and periods of service. Expected future payments are discounted using market yields at the reporting date on corporate bonds with terms to maturity and currency that match, as closely as possible, the estimated future cash outflows.

### Share-based payments

Equity-settled and cash-settled share-based compensation benefits are provided to employees.

Equity-settled transactions are awards of shares, or options over shares, that are provided to employees in exchange for the rendering of services. Cash-settled transactions are awards of cash for the exchange of services, where the amount of cash is determined by reference to the share price.

The cost of equity-settled transactions are measured at fair value on grant date. Fair value is independently determined using either the Binomial or Black-Scholes option pricing model that takes into account the exercise price, the term of the option, the impact of dilution, the share price at grant date and expected price volatility of the underlying share, the expected dividend yield and the risk free interest rate for the term of the option, together with non-vesting conditions that do not determine whether the group receives the services that entitle the employees to receive payment. No account is taken of any other vesting conditions.

The cost of equity-settled transactions are recognised as an expense with a corresponding increase in equity over the vesting period. The cumulative charge to profit or loss is calculated based on the grant date fair value of the award, the best estimate of the number of awards that are likely to vest and the expired portion of the vesting period. The amount recognised in profit or loss for the period is the cumulative amount calculated at each reporting date less amounts already recognised in previous periods.

# Notes to the Financial Statements continued 30 June 2019

#### Note 1. Significant accounting policies continued

#### Employee benefits continued

#### Share-based payments continued

The cost of cash-settled transactions is initially, and at each reporting date until vested, determined by applying either the Binomial or Black-Scholes option pricing model, taking into consideration the terms and conditions on which the award was granted. The cumulative charge to profit or loss until settlement of the liability is calculated as follows:

- during the vesting period, the liability at each reporting date is the fair value of the award at that date multiplied by the expired portion of the vesting period.
- from the end of the vesting period until settlement of the award, the liability is the full fair value of the liability at the reporting date.

All changes in the liability are recognised in profit or loss. The ultimate cost of cash-settled transactions is the cash paid to settle the liability.

Market conditions are taken into consideration in determining fair value. Therefore any awards subject to market conditions are considered to vest irrespective of whether or not that market condition has been met, provided all other conditions are satisfied.

If equity-settled awards are modified, as a minimum an expense is recognised as if the modification has not been made. An additional expense is recognised, over the remaining vesting period, for any modification that increases the total fair value of the share-based compensation benefit as at the date of modification.

If the non-vesting condition is within the control of the group or employee, the failure to satisfy the condition is treated as a cancellation. If the condition is not within the control of the group or employee and is not satisfied during the vesting period, any remaining expense for the award is recognised over the remaining vesting period, unless the award is forfeited.

If equity-settled awards are cancelled, it is treated as if it has vested on the date of cancellation, and any remaining expense is recognised immediately. If a new replacement award is substituted for the cancelled award, the cancelled and new award is treated as if they were a modification.

#### Fair value measurement

When an asset or liability, financial or non-financial, is measured at fair value for recognition or disclosure purposes, the fair value is based on the price that would be received to sell an asset or paid to transfer a liability in an orderly transaction between market participants at the measurement date; and assumes that the transaction will take place either: in the principal market; or in the absence of a principal market, in the most advantageous market.

Fair value is measured using the assumptions that market participants would use when pricing the asset or liability, assuming they act in their economic best interests. For non-financial assets, the fair value measurement is based on its highest and best use. Valuation techniques that are appropriate in the circumstances and for which sufficient data are available to measure fair value, are used, maximising the use of relevant observable inputs and minimising the use of unobservable inputs.

### Issued capital

Ordinary shares are classified as equity.

Incremental costs directly attributable to the issue of new shares or options are shown in equity as a deduction, net of tax, from the proceeds.

#### **Business combinations**

The acquisition method of accounting is used to account for business combinations regardless of whether equity instruments or other assets are acquired.

The consideration transferred is the sum of the acquisition-date fair values of the assets transferred, equity instruments issued or liabilities incurred by the acquirer to former owners of the acquiree and the amount of any non-controlling interest in the acquiree. For each business combination, the non-controlling interest in the acquiree is measured at either fair value or at the proportionate share of the acquiree's identifiable net assets. All acquisition costs are expensed as incurred to profit or loss.

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On the acquisition of a business, the group assesses the financial assets acquired and liabilities assumed for appropriate classification and designation in accordance with the contractual terms, economic conditions, the group's operating or accounting policies and other pertinent conditions in existence at the acquisition-date.

Where the business combination is achieved in stages, the group remeasures its previously held equity interest in the acquiree at the acquisition-date fair value and the difference between the fair value and the previous carrying amount is recognised in profit or loss.

Contingent consideration to be transferred by the acquirer is recognised at the acquisition-date fair value. Subsequent changes in the fair value of the contingent consideration classified as an asset or liability is recognised in profit or loss. Contingent consideration classified as equity is not remeasured and its subsequent settlement is accounted for within equity.

The difference between the acquisition-date fair value of assets acquired, liabilities assumed and any non-controlling interest in the acquiree and the fair value of the consideration transferred and the fair value of any pre-existing investment in the acquiree is recognised as goodwill. If the consideration transferred and the pre-existing fair value is less than the fair value of the identifiable net assets acquired, being a bargain purchase to the acquirer, the difference is recognised as a gain directly in profit or loss by the acquirer on the acquisition-date, but only after a reassessment of the identification and measurement of the net assets acquired, the non-controlling interest in the acquirer, if any, the consideration transferred and the acquirer's previously held equity interest in the acquirer.

Business combinations are initially accounted for on a provisional basis. The acquirer retrospectively adjusts the provisional amounts recognised and also recognises additional assets or liabilities during the measurement period, based on new information obtained about the facts and circumstances that existed at the acquisition-date. The measurement period ends on either the earlier of (i) 12 months from the date of the acquisition or (ii) when the acquirer receives all the information possible to determine fair value.

#### Earnings per share

#### Basic earnings per share

Basic earnings per share is calculated by dividing the profit attributable to the members of PS&C Ltd, excluding any costs of servicing equity other than ordinary shares, by the weighted average number of ordinary shares outstanding during the financial year, adjusted for bonus elements in ordinary shares issued during the financial year.

#### Diluted earnings per share

Diluted earnings per share adjusts the figures used in the determination of basic earnings per share to take into account the after income tax effect of interest and other financing costs associated with dilutive potential ordinary shares and the weighted average number of shares assumed to have been issued for no consideration in relation to dilutive potential ordinary shares.

#### Goods and Services Tax ('GST') and other similar taxes

Revenues, expenses and assets are recognised net of the amount of associated GST, unless the GST incurred is not recoverable from the tax authority. In this case it is recognised as part of the cost of the acquisition of the asset or as part of the expense.

Receivables and payables are stated inclusive of the amount of GST receivable or payable. The net amount of GST recoverable from, or payable to, the tax authority is included in other receivables or other payables in the statement of financial position.

Cash flows are presented on a gross basis. The GST components of cash flows arising from investing or financing activities which are recoverable from, or payable to the tax authority, are presented as operating cash flows.

 $Commitments \ and \ contingencies \ are \ disclosed \ net \ of \ the \ amount \ of \ GST \ recoverable \ from, \ or \ payable \ to, \ the \ tax \ authority.$ 

#### New Accounting Standards and Interpretations not yet mandatory or early adopted

Australian Accounting Standards and Interpretations that have recently been issued or amended but are not yet mandatory, have not been early adopted by the group for the annual reporting period ended 30 June 2019. The group's assessment of the impact of these new or amended Accounting Standards and Interpretations, most relevant to the group, are set out below.

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#### Note 1. Significant accounting policies continued

New Accounting Standards and Interpretations not yet mandatory or early adopted continued

#### AASB 16 Leases

The standard replaces AASB 117 'Leases' and for lessees eliminates the classifications of operating leases and finance leases. Except for short-term leases and leases of low-value assets, right-of-use assets and corresponding lease liabilities are recognised in the statement of financial position. Straight-line operating lease expense recognition is replaced with a depreciation charge for the right-of-use assets (included in operating costs) and an interest expense on the recognised lease liabilities (included in finance costs). In the earlier periods of the lease, the expenses associated with the lease under AASB 16 will be higher when compared to lease expenses under AASB 117. However, EBITDA (Earnings Before Interest, Tax, Depreciation and Amortisation) results improve as the operating expense is now replaced by interest expense and depreciation in profit or loss. For classification within the statement of cash flows, the interest portion is disclosed in operating activities and the principal portion of the lease payments are separately disclosed in financing activities. For lessor accounting, the standard does not substantially change how a lessor accounts for leases.

AASB 16 will be applied by the Company from its mandatory adoption date of 1 July 2019. The Company intends to apply the simplified transition approach and will not restate comparative amounts for the year prior to first adoption. While the right-of-use assets for property leases will be measured on transition as if the new rules had always been applied, all other right-of-use assets will be measured at the amount of the lease liability on adoption (after adjustments for any prepaid or accrued lease expenses). The Company's non-cancellable operating lease commitments are either short-term leases or low-value leases. The Company has performed a preliminary impact assessment and has estimated that on 1 July 2019, the Company expects to recognise the right-of-use assets and lease liabilities of approximately \$3.9m less accumulated depreciation of \$1.5m and lease liabilities of \$2.8m. Following the adoption of this new Standard, EBITDA is expected to increase by \$0.8m in the 2020 financial year. The Company's net profit after tax is expected to decrease by approximately \$17k in 2020. The repayment of the principal portion of the lease liabilities will be classified as cash flows from financing activities, thus increasing operating cash flows and decreasing financing cash flows by approximately \$0.8m.

#### Note 2. Critical accounting judgements, estimates and assumptions

The preparation of the financial statements requires management to make judgements, estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts in the financial statements. Management continually evaluates its judgements and estimates in relation to assets, liabilities, contingent liabilities, revenue and expenses. Management bases its judgements, estimates and assumptions on historical experience and on other various factors, including expectations of future events, management believes to be reasonable under the circumstances. The resulting accounting judgements and estimates will seldom equal the related actual results. The judgements, estimates and assumptions that have a significant risk of causing a material adjustment to the carrying amounts of assets and liabilities (refer to the respective notes) within the next financial year are discussed below.

#### Share-based payment transactions

The group measures the cost of equity-settled transactions with employees by reference to the fair value of the equity instruments at the date at which they are granted. The fair value is determined by using either the Binomial or Black-Scholes model taking into account the terms and conditions upon which the instruments were granted. The accounting estimates and assumptions relating to equity-settled share-based payments would have no impact on the carrying amounts of assets and liabilities within the next annual reporting period but may impact profit or loss and equity.

#### Allowance for expected credit losses

The allowance for expected credit losses assessment requires a degree of estimation and judgement. It is based on the lifetime expected credit loss, grouped based on days overdue, and makes assumptions to allocate an overall expected credit loss rate for each group. These assumptions include recent sales experience and historical collection rates.

#### Goodwill and other indefinite life intangible assets

The group tests annually, or more frequently if events or changes in circumstances indicate impairment, whether goodwill and other indefinite life intangible assets have suffered any impairment, in accordance with the accounting policy stated in Note 1. The recoverable amounts of cash-generating units have been determined based on value-in-use calculations. These calculations require the use of assumptions, including estimated discount rates based on the current cost of capital and growth rates of the estimated future cash flows. Further information is detailed in Note 14.

#### Income tax

The group is subject to income taxes in the jurisdictions in which it operates. Significant judgement is required in determining the provision for income tax. There are many transactions and calculations undertaken during the ordinary course of business for which the ultimate tax determination is uncertain. The group recognises liabilities for anticipated tax audit issues based on the group's current understanding of the tax law. Where the final tax outcome of these matters is different from the carrying amounts, such differences will impact the current and deferred tax provisions in the period in which such determination is made.

#### Recovery of deferred tax assets

Deferred tax assets are recognised for deductible temporary differences only if the group considers it is probable that future taxable amounts will be available to utilise those temporary differences and losses.

#### Contingent consideration

The contingent consideration liability is the difference between the total purchase consideration, usually on an acquisition of a business combination, and the amounts paid or settled up to the reporting date, discounted to net present value. The group applies provisional accounting for any business combination. Any reassessment of the liability during the earlier of the finalisation of the provisional accounting or 12 months from acquisition-date is adjusted for retrospectively as part of the provisional accounting rules in accordance with AASB 3 'Business Combinations'. Thereafter, at each reporting date, the contingent consideration liability is reassessed against revised estimates and any increase or decrease in the net present value of the liability will result in a corresponding gain or loss to profit or loss. The increase in the liability resulting from the passage of time is recognised as a finance cost.

#### **Business combinations**

As discussed in Note 1, business combinations are initially accounted for on a provisional basis. The fair value of assets acquired, liabilities and contingent liabilities assumed are initially estimated by the group taking into consideration all available information at the reporting date. Fair value adjustments on the finalisation of the business combination accounting is retrospective, where applicable, to the period the combination occurred and may have an impact on the assets and liabilities, depreciation and amortisation reported.

### Note 3. Operating segments

#### Identification of reportable operating segments

The group is organised into four operating segments: Discovery + Insights, Design + Process, Delivery + Cloud and Defend + Secure. Operating segments are determined by distinguishable components whereby the risk and returns are different from the other segments.

#### Types of products and services

The principal products and services of each of these operating segments are as follows:

Discovery + Insights	The Discovery + Insights segment, comprising GlassandCo Pty Ltd, is involved in shaping digital ambition, strategy and business cases based on insights.
Design + Process	The Design + Process segment, comprising Systems and People Pty Ltd, Bexton IT Services Pty Ltd, Coroma Consulting Pty Ltd, Seisma Pty Ltd, NTH Consulting Pty Ltd and Artisan Consulting Pty Ltd, is involved in sourcing and providing specialist contractors to customers for medium and long term ICT projects, while also managing the payroll function for customers. It is focused on reinventing and prototyping new capabilities and journeys as part of the program.
Delivery + Cloud	The Delivery + Cloud segment, comprising Sacon Pty Ltd, is involved in consulting and implementation of services around unified communications, conferencing and messaging, contact centre solutions and secure voice technologies.
Defend + Secure	The Defend + Secure segment, comprising Pure Hacking Pty Ltd, Securus Global Consulting Pty Ltd, Hacklabs Pty Ltd and Certitude Pty Ltd, is involved in services and consulting around reducing operational, financial, reputational risk and digital security matters.

#### Intersegment transactions

There were no material transactions between operating segments.

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## Note 3. Operating segments continued

## Intersegment receivables, payables and loans

Intersegment loans are initially recognised at the consideration received. Intersegment loans receivable and loans payable that earn or incur non-market interest are not adjusted to fair value based on market interest rates. Intersegment loans are eliminated on consolidation.

#### **Revenue Categorised**

Revenue is generated by the group and is categorised into the reportable segments disclosed below. Sales to external customers is recognised when the performance obligations are delivered over time. Once a contract has been entered into, the Group has an enforceable right to payment for work completed to date. Therefore, revenue is recognised over time.

Operating segment information	Discovery+	Design+	Delivery+	Defend+		Discontinued	
	Insights	Process	Cloud	Secure	Corporate	Operations	Total
Consolidated Group - 2019	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
Revenue							
Sales to external customers	6,921,212	53,705,150	6,266,855	16,407,687	_	4,599,013	87,899,917
Total revenue	6,921,212	53,705,150	6,266,855	16,407,687	_	4,599,013	87,899,917
EBITDA	1,026,238	4,721,162	534,424	3,140,738	(8,218,763)	(924,451)	279,348
Depreciation and amortisation	(204)		(6,815)	(187,671)	(108,794)	(64,023)	
Impairment of assets	_	_	_	_	(49,629,677)	_	(49,629,677
Loss on disposal of discontinued							
operation	_	_	-	_	(3,360,521)	_	(3,360,521
Interest revenue	_	1,445	252	50	11,700	_	13,447
Finance costs	_	134	847	3,506	1,044,642	6,380	1,055,509
Deferred consideration adjustments	_	_	_	_	(1,070,008)	_	(1,070,008
Profit/(loss) before income tax expense	1,026,034	4,688,157	528,708	2,956,623	(61,331,421)	(982,094)	(53,113,993
Income tax expense							(375,320
Loss after income tax expense							(53,489,313
Assets							
Segment assets	1,036,389	9,818,014	2,126,416	5,029,712	50,523,815	_	68,534,346
Total assets							68,534,346
Liabilities							
Segment liabilities	867,289	8,053,117	998,472	2,900,718	22,271,239	_	35,090,835
Total liabilities							35,090,835
Consolidated Group – 2018							
Revenue							
Sales to external customers	1,460,575	42,080,796	5,831,535	13,812,710		15,165,550	78,351,166
Total revenue	1,460,575			13,812,710	<del>-</del> .	15,165,550	
EBITDA	(1,402,033)	4,141,248	1,953,022	2,142,074	(6,491,763)	1,638,923	1,981,471
Depreciation and amortisation	-	(19,682)	(9,409)	(142,871)	(59,365)	(169,921)	(401,248
Impairment of assets	-	_	-	-	(9,612,395)	_	(9,612,395
Interest revenue	_	2,081	5,152	95	27,702	341	35,371
Finance costs	_	(67)	(2,411)	_	(1,348,779)	(14,785)	(1,366,042
Profit/(loss) before income tax expense	(1,402,033)	4,123,580	1,946,354	1,999,298	(17,484,600)	1,454,558	(9,362,843
Income tax expense							(792,970
Loss after income tax expense							(10,155,813
Assets							
Segment assets	1,154,826	9,738,849	1,718,498	4,090,907	104,079,600	4,463,638	125,246,318
Total assets							125,246,318
Liabilities							
Segment liabilities	508,724	5,331,280	693,318	2,526,701	30,145,747	5,060,575	44,266,345
Total liabilities							44,266,345

## Revenue by geographical area

There are no material sales to external customers outside of Australia.

There are no material holdings of non-current assets outside of Australia.

### Note 4. Revenue

Interest income

Other income

	Consolidated Group	
	2019	2018
From continuing operations	\$	Ş
Revenue from contracts with customers		
Sale of services	80,768,952	60,932,885
Sale of goods	2,518,690	2,220,313
	83,287,642	63,153,198
Other revenue		
Other revenue Other revenue	13,262	40
Revenue from continuing operations	83,300,904	63,153,238
Disaggregation of revenue		
The disaggregation of revenue from contracts with customers is as follows:		
	Consol	idated Group
	2019	2018
	\$	\$
Major sales/service lines		
Software Sales	2,518,690	2,200,313
Penetration Testing	4,935,727	2,922,633
Contractor Management	3,492,277	5,873,590
Recruitment Revenue	6,176,852	10,290,454
Business Transformation	5,430,387	3,311,340
Consulting Revenue	60,733,709	38,554,868
	83,287,642	63,153,198
Geographical regions		
Australia	83,287,642	63,153,198
Timing of revenue recognition		
Goods transferred at a point in time	2,518,690	2,200,313
Services transferred over time	80,768,952	60,952,885
	83,287,642	63,153,198
Note 5. Other income		
	Consolidated Group	
	2019	2018
	\$	\$
Net gain/(loss) on disposal of property, plant and equipment	-	12,901

13,447

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# Notes to the Financial Statements continued 30 June 2019

#### Note 6. Income tax expense

	Consoli	dated Group
	2019	2018
	\$	\$
Income tax expense		
Current tax	422,662	768,502
Deferred tax – origination and reversal of temporary differences	(47,342)	24,468
Aggregate income tax expense	375,320	792,970
Income tax expense is attributable to:		
Loss from continuing operations	665,703	355,236
Profit/(loss) from discontinued operations	(290,383)	437,734
Aggregate income tax expense	375,320	792,970
Deferred tax included in income tax expense comprises:		
Decrease/(increase) in deferred tax assets (Note 16)	(47,342)	26,208
Decrease in deferred tax liabilities (Note 25)	_	(1,740)
Deferred tax – origination and reversal of temporary differences	(47,342)	24,468
Numerical reconciliation of income tax expense and tax at the statutory rate		
Loss before income tax expense from continuing operations	(48,758,618)	(10,817,401)
Profit/(loss) before income tax (expense)/benefit from discontinued operations	(4,355,375)	1,454,558
Profit/(loss) before fricome tax (expense)/benefit from discontinued operations	(4,333,313)	1,434,336
	(53,113,993)	(9,362,843)
Tax at the statutory tax rate of 30%	(15,934,198)	(2,808,853)
Tax effect amounts which are not deductible/(taxable) in calculating taxable income:		
Impairment of assets	14,888,903	2,883,718
Non-deductible expenses	539,357	718,105
Loss on sale of subsidiary	798,550	-
Inter-company debt forgiven	595,899	_
	888,511	792,970
Current year tax losses not recognised	(9,984)	-
Prior year tax losses not recognised now recouped	(212,824)	-
Income tax expense reported as discontinued operations	(290,383)	-
Income tax expense	375,320	792,970

## Note 7. Discontinued operations

## Description

On 22 November 2018, the group announced that it had successfully divested the Allcom Networks business to Crosspoint Telecommunications Pty Ltd, a business technology solutions provider offering comprehensive end-to-end managed IT solutions in voice, video, managed IT services and professional services. The decision to divest the Allcom Networks business was based on the group's view that the business was not cohesively aligned to its core strategy. The group is fundamentally an information technology services business delivering specialised services to its clients.

As a result of the sale transaction outlined above, the financial result of the business to be divested and associated group reclassification and consolidation impacts are treated as discontinued operations from a financial reporting perspective. This impacts the current and comparative financial information for the Delivery + Cloud segment.

Details of the financial performance, cash flows and the carrying value of the assets and liabilities of the discontinued operations are shown below.

# Financial performance information

Revenue from discontinued operations	Financial performance information	Consol	lidated Group
Sevenue from discontinued operations			2018
Interest income   Other income   136,707   1			\$
Other income from discontinued operations         136,707         3           Total other income         136,707         3           Operating expenses from discontinued operations         (5,660,171)         (13,503,6           Other expenses from discontinued operations         (64,023)         (169,3           Other expenses from discontinued operations         (-6,300)         (14,7           Total expenses         (5,730,574)         (13,743,7           Total expenses from discontinued operations         (5,730,574)         (13,743,7           Total expenses from discontinued operations         (5,730,574)         (13,743,7           Profit/(loss) before income tax (expense)/benefit         (994,854)         1,454,5           Income tax (expense)/benefit         (704,471)         1,016,8           Loss on disposal before income tax (expense)/benefit from discontinued operations         (3,360,521)         Profit/(loss) after income tax expense         -         -           Loss on disposal after income tax (expense)/benefit from discontinued operations         (4,064,992)         1,016,8         Consolidated Group Consolidated Gr	Revenue from discontinued operations	4,599,013	15,197,928
Total other income         136,707         3           Operating expenses from discontinued operations         (5,660,171)         (13,503,6           Depreciation and amortisation expense from discontinued operations         (64,023)         (169,9           Other expenses from discontinued operations         (6,380)         (14,7           Total expenses         (5,730,574)         (13,743,7           Profit/(loss) before income tax (expense)/benefit         (994,854)         1,454,5           Income tax (expense)/benefit         (704,471)         1,016,8           Loss on disposal before income tax         (3,360,521)         (704,471)         1,016,8           Loss on disposal before income tax         (3,360,521)         (704,471)         1,016,8         (704,471)         1,016,8         (704,471)         1,016,8         (704,471)         1,016,8         (704,471)         1,016,8         (704,471)         1,016,8         (704,471)         1,016,8         (704,471)         1,016,8         (705,20)         (704,471)         1,016,8         (706,20)         (706,20)         (706,20)         (706,20)         (706,20)         (706,20)         (706,20)         (706,20)         (706,20)         (706,20)         (706,20)         (706,20)         (706,20)         (706,20)         (706,20)         (706,20) <t< td=""><td>Interest income</td><td>_</td><td>341</td></t<>	Interest income	_	341
Total other income         136,707         3           Operating expenses from discontinued operations         (5,660,171)         (13,503,6           Depreciation and amortisation expense from discontinued operations         (64,023)         (169,9           Other expenses from discontinued operations         (6,380)         (14,7           Total expenses         (5,730,574)         (13,743,7           Profit/(loss) before income tax (expense)/benefit         (994,854)         1,454,5           Income tax (expense)/benefit         (704,471)         1,016,8           Loss on disposal before income tax         (3,360,521)         (704,471)         1,016,8           Loss on disposal before income tax         (3,360,521)         (704,471)         1,016,8         (704,471)         1,016,8         (704,471)         1,016,8         (704,471)         1,016,8         (704,471)         1,016,8         (704,471)         1,016,8         (704,471)         1,016,8         (704,471)         1,016,8         (705,20)         (704,471)         1,016,8         (706,20)         (706,20)         (706,20)         (706,20)         (706,20)         (706,20)         (706,20)         (706,20)         (706,20)         (706,20)         (706,20)         (706,20)         (706,20)         (706,20)         (706,20)         (706,20) <t< td=""><td>Other income from discontinued operations</td><td>136,707</td><td>_</td></t<>	Other income from discontinued operations	136,707	_
Depreciation and amortisation expense from discontinued operations   169,9	Total other income		341
Depreciation and amortisation expense from discontinued operations   169,9	Operating expenses from discontinued operations	(5,660,171)	(13,503,641)
Other expenses from discontinued operations         (5,380)         (1,47,17)           Finance costs         (5,380)         (1,47,43,27,27,27,27,27,27,27,27,27,27,27,27,27,	. • .		(169,921)
Finance costs	·	_	(55,364)
	Finance costs	(6,380)	(14,785)
Income tax (expense)  benefit   290,383   (437,7   Profit   (10ss) after income tax (expense)  benefit   (704,471   1,016,8   1,016,8   1,000   1,00	Total expenses		(13,743,711
Income tax (expense)  benefit   290,383   (437,7   Profit   (10ss) after income tax (expense)  benefit   (704,471   1,016,8   1,016,8   1,000   1,00	Profit/(loss) before income tax (expense)/benefit	(994.854)	1,454,558
Profit/(loss) after income tax (expense)/benefit         (704,471)         1,016,8           Loss on disposal before income tax (as,360,521)         (3,360,521)           Income tax expense         -         -           Loss on disposal after income tax expense         (3,360,521)           Profit/(loss) after income tax (expense)/benefit from discontinued operations         (4,064,992)         1,016,8           Cash flow information         Consolidated Group 2019         20         \$           Net cash from/(used in) operating activities         58,901         (84.0         \$           Net cash used in investing activities         (4,381)         (35,5         \$			
Loss on disposal before income tax Income tax expense			
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Trade and other receivables       2,342,0         Inventories       18,4         Other current assets       706,5         Property, plant and equipment       552,8         Other non-current assets       296,8         Total assets       4,094,9         Trade and other payables       740,1         Other liabilities       721,1         Total liabilities       4,628,1			2019
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# Note 7. Discontinued operations continued

Details of the disposal

	Consolidated
	Group
	2019
	\$
Total sale consideration	3,200,000
Carrying amount of net liabilities disposed	533,200
Working capital adjustment	(2,109,484)
Derecognition of investment in discontinued operations	(4,722,201)
Subsequent adjustments	(262,036)
Loss on disposal before income tax	(3,360,521)
Loss on disposal after income tax	(3,360,521)

## Note 8. Current assets – cash and cash equivalents

	Conso	lidated Group
	2019	2018
	\$	\$
Cash on hand	1,328	1,736
Cash at bank	4,284,272	4,684,785
	4,285,600	4,686,521

#### Note 9. Current assets – trade and other receivables

	Consoli	idated Group
	2019	2018
	\$	\$
Trade receivables	12,918,295	13,360,958
Less: Allowance for expected credit losses	(253,014)	(26,638)
	12,665,281	13,334,320
Other receivables	2,803	769,936
GST receivable	92,110	59,240
	12,760,194	14,163,496

# Allowance for expected credit losses

The group has recognised a loss of \$226,376 in profit or loss in respect of impairment of receivables for the year ended 30 June 2019 (\$nil in 2018).

The ageing of the receivables and allowance for expected credit losses provided for above are as follows:

			Allowance
	Expected credit	Carrying	for expected
	loss rate	amount	credit losses
	2019	2019	2019
Consolidated Group	%	\$	\$
Not overdue	_	9,059,853	_
30 to 60 days overdue	2.0%	2,422,748	48,455
60 to 90 days overdue	8.9%	791,681	71,251
90+ days overdue	20.7%	644,013	133,308
		12,918,295	253,013

Trade receivables are non-interest bearing ranging from 30 to 90 day terms. An impairment loss is recognised based on an expected credit loss model. The consolidated entity assesses the expected credit loss based on individual debtor level expectations relative to credit terms. The consolidated entity assesses the expected credit loss based on individual debtor level expectations relative to credit terms.

Movements in the allowance for expected credit losses are as follows:

	Consoli	dated Group	
	2019	2018	
	\$	\$	
Opening balance	26,638	72,250	
Additional provisions recognised	237,014	-	
Unused amounts reversed	(10,638)	(45,612	
Closing balance	253,014	26,638	
Note 10. Current assets – inventories			
	Consoli	dated Group	
	2019	2018	
	\$	\$	
Stock on hand – at cost	-	19,175	
Note 11. Current assets – income tax refund due			
	Consoli	dated Group	
	2019	2018	
	\$	\$	
Income tax refund due	_	239,485	
Note 12. Current assets – other			
	Consoli	dated Group	
	2019	2018	
	\$	\$	
Accrued revenue	1,243,623	2,442,167	
Prepayments	628,821	765,565	
Security deposits	43,476	48,978	
Other current assets	504,724	_	
	2,420,644	3,256,710	
Note 13. Non-current assets – receivables			
	Consoli	Consolidated Group	
	2019	2018	
	\$	\$	
Other receivables	_	355,557	

Note 14. Non-current assets – property, plant and equipment

	Consolidated Gr	
	2019	2018
	\$	\$
Leasehold improvements – at cost	676,242	517,022
Less: Accumulated depreciation	(251,229)	(128,989)
	425,013	388,033
Fixtures and fittings – at cost	22,580	100,640
Less: Accumulated depreciation	(20,939)	(38,444)
	1,641	62,196
Motor vehicles – at cost	45,828	122,354
Less: Accumulated depreciation	(42,058)	(77,535)
	3,770	44,819
Computer equipment – at cost	175,990	1,076,689
Less: Accumulated depreciation	(141,785)	(503,598)
	34,205	573,091
Office equipment – at cost	633,334	580,140
Less: Accumulated depreciation	(413,001)	(276,422)
	220,333	303,718
	684,962	1,371,857

## Reconciliations

Reconciliations of the written down values at the beginning and end of the current and previous financial year are set out below:

	Leasehold	Fixtures &	Computer	Office		
	Improvements	Fittings	Equipment	Equipment	Motor Vehicles	Total
Consolidated Group	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
Balance at 1 July 2017	281,981	70,579	700,289	203,234	82,796	1,338,879
Additions	180,904	846	75,794	221,625	_	479,169
Disposals	-	_	_	(8,090)	(27,856)	(35,946)
Prior Year Adjustment	-	_	(8,947)	_	-	(8,947)
Write off of assets	_	_	_	(50)	-	(50)
Transfers in/(out)	4,228	_	_	(4,228)	-	-
Depreciation expense	(79,080)	(9,229)	(194,045)	(108,773)	(10,121)	(401,248)
Balance at 30 June 2018	388,033	62,196	573,091	303,718	44,819	1,371,857
Additions	159,356	1,665	34,666	153,117	_	348,804
Disposals	-	(58,928)	(526,249)	(77,785)	(34,372)	(697,334)
Write off of assets	-	_	_	(295)	_	(295)
Transfers in/(out)	11,023	_	(4,755)	(6,268)	_	_
Depreciation expense	(133,399)	(3,292)	(42,548)	(152,154)	(6,677)	(338,070)
Balance at 30 June 2019	425,013	1,641	34,205	220,333	3,770	684,962

#### Note 15. Non-current assets - intangibles

	Colls	olidated Group
	2019	2018
	\$	\$
Goodwill – at cost	47,256,427	100,046,002

#### Reconciliations

Reconciliations of the written down values at the beginning and end of the current financial period are set out below:

	Goodwill	Total
Consolidated Group	\$	\$
Balance at 1 July 2017	92,802,606	92,802,606
Additions through business combinations (Note 40)	16,855,791	16,855,791
Impairment of assets	(9,612,395)	(9,612,395)
Balance at 30 June 2018	100,046,002	100,046,002
Additions through business combinations (Note 40)	1,562,756	1,562,756
Disposals	(4,722,200)	(4,722,200)
Impairment of assets	(49,629,677)	(49,629,677)
Write off of assets	(454)	(454)
Balance at 30 June 2019	47,256,427	47,256,427

#### Impairment testing for goodwill

 $For the purposes of impairment testing, goodwill is allocated to the consolidated entity \verb|'s cash-generating units (CGU's)| as follows:$ 

	Conso	lidated Group
	2019	2018 \$
	\$\$	
Design + Process	28,864,579	51,329,627
Delivery + Cloud	2,382,413	14,887,381
Defend + Secure	16,009,435	33,828,994
Total	47,256,427	100,046,002

The group undertakes impairment testing of the relevant businesses as required. Impairment testing was performed at 30 June 2019 to support the carrying value of goodwill. The recoverable amount was based on its value in use, determined by discounting future cash flows to be generated from the continuing use of the business. Management's determination of cash flow projections and gross margins are based on past performance and its expectation for the future. The present value of future cash flows has been calculated using projected cash flows approved by the board covering year 1. The present value of future cash flows for years 2 to 5 have been calculated using a terminal growth rate of 1.5% (2018: 3%) and a discount rate of 19.5% (2018: 16.5%) has been used to determine value in use. In addition, average EBITDA growth rates used for years 2 to 5 was -4%.

The estimated recoverable amount exceeded the carrying value for each CGU by the following amounts:

	Consol	Consolidated Group	
	2019 \$	2018 \$	
Design + Process	_	17,518,098	
Delivery + Cloud	_	20,629,513	
Defend + Secure	_	_	
Total	-	38,147,611	

#### Note 15. Non-current assets – intangibles continued

#### Impairment

The Board of Directors has taken a conservative approach to the group's impairment valuations in line with the approach taken at 31 December 2018. This approach has involved a review of the group's methodology and has resulted in the allocation of increased corporate costs to the CGUs at 30 June 2019, revised long term forecasts based on changes in economic conditions, increased weighted average cost of capital to 19.5% and the reassessment of long term growth rates to 1.5%. These changes have led to an impairment loss of \$49,629,677 being recognised in the profit and loss for the group whereby the carrying amount of the CGUs exceeded the recoverable amount based on long term forecasts. The breakdown of the impairment loss by CGU is as follows:

- Design + Process CGU: \$27,010,148
- Defend + Secure CGU: \$14,836,762
- Delivery + Cloud CGU: \$7,782,767

### Impact of a Reasonably Possible Change in Key Assumptions

Following the impairment loss recognised in the group's Design + Process, Defend + Secure and Delivery + Cloud CGU's, the recoverable amounts were equal to the carrying amounts. Therefore, any adverse movement in a key assumption would lead to further impairment. For example, a 1% reduction in growth rates would cause an additional impairment charge of \$71,924 in the Delivery + Cloud CGU; \$713,581 in the Design + Process CGU; and \$452,133 in the Defend + Secure CGU.

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#### Note 16. Non-current assets - deferred tax

	Consolidated Group	
	2019	2018 \$
	\$	
Deferred tax asset comprises temporary differences attributable to:		
Amounts recognised in profit or loss:		
Allowance for expected credit losses	12,210	7,991
Employee benefits	570,829	695,648
Expenses deductible over five years	116,583	179,878
Accrued expenses	387,314	156,077
Franking deficit tax	39,583	39,583
Deferred tax asset	1,126,519	1,079,177
Movements:		
Opening balance	1,079,177	1,105,385
Credited/(charged) to profit or loss (Note 6)	47,342	(26,208)
Closing balance	1,126,519	1,079,177

#### Note 17. Current liabilities - trade and other payables

	Consol	Consolidated Group	
	2019	2018	
	\$	\$	
Trade payables	5,747,365	5,302,931	
GST payable	1,165,163	1,072,287	
Other payables	2,537,985	4,273,209	
	9,450,513	10,648,427	

Refer to Note 33 for further information on financial instruments.

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#### Note 18. Current liabilities - borrowings

	Consolidated Group	
	2019	2018
	\$	\$
Bank loans	10,300,000	12,902,026

Refer to Note 33 for further information on financial instruments.

The borrowings of the group are classified as current liabilities as at 30 June 2019 as the agreement with ANZ bank ('the Lender') expires on 10 December 2019.

As at 30 June 2019, the group had total debt obligations of \$10,300,000 owing to the ANZ bank which incorporates various financial covenants. In June 2019, the group did not meet the minimum EBITDA under the banks defined requirements of its financing facility or the debt to EBITDA ratio and therefore has breached both financial covenants.

As a result, the group did not have an unconditional right to defer settlement of its loan facilities for at least 12 months from reporting date.

In July 2019, the group entered into a receivables backed financing facility with Scottish Pacific Business Finance Pty Ltd ('Scottish Pacific'). The facility has a funding limit of \$15,000,000. The group used \$5,000,000 of the new Scottish Pacific facility to pay down the existing ANZ facility in July 2019 – Refer Note 43: Subsequent Events.

#### Total secured liabilities

The total secured current liabilities are as follows:

	Cons	Consolidated Group	
	2019	2018	
	\$	\$	
Bank loans	10,300,000	12,902,026	

#### Financing arrangements

Unrestricted access was available at the reporting date to the following lines of credit:

	Consoli	dated Group
	2019	2018
	\$	\$
Total facilities		
Bank Loans	10,300,000	16,450,000
Credit Card Facility	325,000	575,000
Indemnity/Guarantee Facilities	500,000	500,000
Electronic Payaway Facility	500,000	500,000
	11,625,000	18,025,000
Used at the reporting date		
Bank Loans	10,300,000	12,902,026
Credit Card Facility	79,230	105,919
Indemnity/Guarantee Facilities	459,954	491,298
Electronic Payaway Facility	_	_
	10,839,184	13,499,243
Unused at the reporting date		
Bank Loans	_	3,547,974
Credit Card Facility	245,770	469,081
Indemnity/Guarantee Facilities	40,046	8,702
Electronic Payaway Facility	500,000	500,000
	785,816	4,525,757

There is a corporate cross-deed of guarantee between the parent company and all subsidiaries ("General Security Agreement") which is secured by all present and after-acquired property.

#### Note 19. Current liabilities – income tax

	Consolidated Group	
	2019	2018
	\$	
Provision for income tax	615,455	-
Note 20. Current liabilities – employee benefits		
	Consoli	dated Group
	2019	2018
	\$	\$
Annual leave	785,327	1,165,765
Long service leave	117,499	348,207
	902,826	1,513,972
Note 21. Current liabilities – deferred consideration		
	Consolidated Group	
	2019	2018
	\$	\$

The deferred consideration represents the obligation to pay consideration following the acquisition of a business or assets. It is measured at the present value of the estimated liability.

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10,316,262

## Note 22. Current liabilities - other

Deferred consideration

	Consoli	Consolidated Group	
	2019	2018 \$	
	\$\$		
Other payables	24,004	910	
Accrued expenses	3,538,162	1,457,887	
Revenue received in advance	231,759	614,934	
Other current liabilities 20	20,808	24,961	
	3,814,733	2,098,692	

# Note 23. Non-current liabilities - payables

	Cons	Consolidated Group	
	2019	2018	
	\$	\$	
Other payables	_	235,866	

Refer to Note 33 for further information on financial instruments.

# Note 24. Non-current liabilities – borrowings

	Cons	Consolidated Group	
	2019	2018	
	\$	\$	
Convertible notes payable	78,370	_	

Refer to Note 33 for further information on financial instruments.

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#### Note 25. Non-current liabilities – deferred tax

	Consolid	Consolidated Group	
	2019 \$	2018 \$	
Movements:			
Opening balance	-	1,740	
Credited to profit or loss (Note 6)	<del>-</del>	(1,740)	
Closing balance	<u> </u>		

## Note 26. Non-current liabilities - employee benefits

	Cons	Consolidated Group	
	2019	2018	
	\$	\$	
Long service leave	194,707	302,597	

### Note 27. Non-current liabilities – contingent consideration

	Cons	Consolidated Group	
	2019	2018	
	\$	\$	
Contingent consideration	1,630,434	4,498,503	

#### Contingent consideration

The provision represents the obligation to pay contingent consideration following the acquisition of a business or assets, the majority of which may be satisfied by way of an issue of shares in PS&C Ltd. It is measured at the present value of the estimated liability. The contingent consideration liability is reassessed at each reporting date against revised estimates and any increase or decrease in the net present value of the liability will result in a corresponding gain or loss to profit or loss.

#### Movements in provisions

Movements in each class of provision during the current financial year, other than employee benefits, are set out below:

	Contingent
Consolidated Group – 2019	Consideration \$
Carrying amount at the start of the year	4,498,503
Additional provisions recognised	1,431,902
Amounts transferred to current	(1,801,468)
Unwinding of discount	7,743
Unused amounts reversed	(2,506,246)
Carrying amount at the end of the year	1,630,434

# Note 28. Non-current liabilities - Deferred consideration

	Consolic	lated Group
	2019	2018
	\$	\$
Deferred consideration	995,295	1,750,000

Deferred consideration represents the obligation to pay outstanding consideration following the acquisition of a business or assets. It is measured at the present value of the estimated liability.

# Note 29. Equity – Issued capital

	Consolidated Group				
	2019	2018	2019	2018	
	Shares	Shares	\$		
Ordinary shares – fully paid	250,116,958	204,245,421	91,207,294	85,029,409	
Movements in ordinary share capital					
<u>Details</u>	Date	Shares	Issue price	\$	
Balance	1 July 2017	70,113,762		58,643,072	
Issue of shares on Acquisition of Sacon and Coroma	07 July 2017	14,000,000	\$0.25	3,463,012	
Issue of shares to Moonah Capital Partners					
in satisfaction of consulting fees	07 July 2017	285,782	\$0.25	70,690	
Issue of shares in satisfaction of Earn Out to Bexton	24 November 2017	10,666,071	\$0.26	2,823,309	
Issue of shares on Acquisition of Sacon	24 November 2017	5,008,139	\$0.25	1,288,213	
Issue of shares on Acquisition of Coroma	24 November 2017	6,451,900	\$0.25	1,596,200	
Capital raise – Tranche 1	08 December 2017	15,978,848	\$0.20	3,195,770	
Capital raise – Tranche 2	31 January 2018	11,521,152	\$0.20	2,304,230	
Capital raise costs		_	\$0.00	(363,217)	
Shares issued in completion of Share Purchase Plan	02 February 2018	2,150,000	\$0.20	430,000	
Issue of shares to Moonah Capital Partners					
in satisfaction of consulting fees	02 February 2018	1,140,650	\$0.20	228,130	
Issue of shares on Acquisition of Seisma	12 June 2018	63,823,527	\$0.17	10,850,000	
Issue of shares on Acquisition of NTH	12 June 2018	3,105,590	\$0.16	500,000	
				_	
Balance	30 June 2018	204,245,421		85,029,409	
Issue of shares in satisfaction of Earn out Payments to Bexton		15,407,882	\$0.15	2,341,996	
Issue of shares in satisfaction of Earn out Payments to Sacon	17 October 2018	19,177,632	\$0.15	2,915,000	
Issue of shares for Performance Rights	17 October 2018	4,309,592	\$0.00	-	
Issue of shares on Acquisition of Artisan	20 February 2019	6,976,431	\$0.13	920,889	
Balance	30 June 2019	250,116,958		91,207,294	

Capital is regarded as total equity, as recognised in the statement of financial position, plus net debt. Net debt is calculated as total borrowings less cash and cash equivalents.

# Note 30. Equity - reserves

	Cons	olidated Group
	2019	2018
	\$	\$
Employee share options/Performance rights reserve	593,769	818,803

# Employee share options/Performance rights reserve

This reserve is used to recognise options and performance rights granted to directors and employees under the PS&C Directors and Employee Benefits Plan. Further information on the operation of this plan is outlined in the Directors' Report.

#### Movements in reserves

Movements in each class of reserve during the current and previous financial year are set out below:

	Employee		
	share option/		
	performance		
	rights reserve	Total	
Consolidated Group	\$	\$	
Balance at 1 July 2017	69,724	69,724	
Options granted	18,368	18,368	
Performance Rights	791,789	791,789	
Expired Options	(61,078)	(61,078)	
Balance at 30 June 2018	818,803	818,803	
Options granted	5,829	5,829	
Performance Rights	(230,863)	(230,863)	
Balance at 30 June 2019	593,769	593,769	

## Options on issue 30 June 2019:

		Exercise	Opening				Closing
Issue	Expiry date	price	01/07/2018	Issued	Exercised	Lapsed	30/06/2019
Issue to employees #2	30/10/2021	\$1.09	705,000	-	-	(625,000)	80,000
Issue to employees #3	14/12/2022	\$0.39	960,000	_	_	(300,000)	660,000
Issue to key management personnel #3	14/12/2022	\$0.39	400,000	_	_	(400,000)	_
Total			2,065,000	-	_	(1,325,000)	740,000

### Options on issue 30 June 2018:

	Exercise	Opening				Closing
Expiry date	price	01/07/2017	Issued	Exercised	Lapsed	30/06/2018
30/10/2019	\$1.10	100,000	-	-	(100,000)	_
30/10/2021	\$1.09	1,110,000	_	-	(405,000)	705,000
14/12/2022	\$0.39	1,780,000	_	-	(820,000)	960,000
30/09/2018	\$1.10	400,000	_	-	(400,000)	_
31/10/2019	\$1.09	400,000	_	-	(400,000)	_
14/12/2022	\$0.39	400,000	-	-	-	400,000
30/11/2019	\$1.17	100,000	-	-	(100,000)	_
14/12/2022	\$0.39	100,000	_	-	(100,000)	_
<u>-</u>		4,390,000			(2,325,000)	2,065,000
	30/10/2019 30/10/2021 14/12/2022 30/09/2018 31/10/2019 14/12/2022 30/11/2019	Expiry date         price           30/10/2019         \$1.10           30/10/2021         \$1.09           14/12/2022         \$0.39           30/09/2018         \$1.10           31/10/2019         \$1.09           14/12/2022         \$0.39           30/11/2019         \$1.17	Expiry date         price         01/07/2017           30/10/2019         \$1.10         100,000           30/10/2021         \$1.09         1,110,000           14/12/2022         \$0.39         1,780,000           30/09/2018         \$1.10         400,000           31/10/2019         \$1.09         400,000           14/12/2022         \$0.39         400,000           30/11/2019         \$1.17         100,000           14/12/2022         \$0.39         100,000	Expiry date         price         01/07/2017         Issued           30/10/2019         \$1.10         100,000         -           30/10/2021         \$1.09         1,110,000         -           14/12/2022         \$0.39         1,780,000         -           30/09/2018         \$1.10         400,000         -           31/10/2019         \$1.09         400,000         -           14/12/2022         \$0.39         400,000         -           30/11/2019         \$1.17         100,000         -           14/12/2022         \$0.39         100,000         -	Expiry date         price         01/07/2017         Issued         Exercised           30/10/2019         \$1.10         100,000         -         -           30/10/2021         \$1.09         1,110,000         -         -           14/12/2022         \$0.39         1,780,000         -         -           30/09/2018         \$1.10         400,000         -         -           31/10/2019         \$1.09         400,000         -         -           14/12/2022         \$0.39         400,000         -         -           30/11/2019         \$1.17         100,000         -         -           14/12/2022         \$0.39         100,000         -         -	Expiry date         price         01/07/2017         Issued         Exercised         Lapsed           30/10/2019         \$1.10         100,000         -         -         (100,000)           30/10/2021         \$1.09         1,110,000         -         -         (405,000)           14/12/2022         \$0.39         1,780,000         -         -         (820,000)           30/09/2018         \$1.10         400,000         -         -         (400,000)           31/10/2019         \$1.09         400,000         -         -         (400,000)           14/12/2022         \$0.39         400,000         -         -         -         (100,000)           14/12/2022         \$0.39         100,000         -         -         (100,000)

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#### Note 31. Equity – accumulated losses

	Consolidated Group		
	2019	2018	
Retained profits/(accumulated losses) at the beginning of the financial year	(4,868,239)	5,226,496	
Loss after income tax (expense)/benefit for the year	(53,489,313)	(10,155,813)	
Transfer from options reserve	(33,103,313)	61,078	
Accumulated losses at the end of the financial year	(58,357,552)	(4,868,239)	

### Note 32. Equity - dividends

#### Dividends

There were no dividends paid, recommended or declared during the current or previous financial year.

#### Franking credits

	Consoli	dated Group
	2019	2018
	\$	\$
Franking credits available at the reporting date based on a tax rate of 30%	7,428,933	6,390,878
Franking credits available for subsequent financial years based on a tax rate of 30%	7,428,933	6,390,878

#### Note 33. Financial instruments

#### Financial risk management objectives

The group's activities expose it to a variety of financial risks: market risk (including foreign currency risk, price risk and interest rate risk), credit risk and liquidity risk. The group's overall risk management program focuses on the unpredictability of financial markets and seeks to minimise potential adverse effects on the financial performance of the group. The group uses different methods to measure different types of risk to which it is exposed. These methods include sensitivity analysis in the case of interest rate, foreign exchange and other price risks, ageing analysis for credit risk.

Risk management is carried out by senior finance executives ('finance') under policies approved by the Board of Directors ('the Board'). These policies include identification and analysis of the risk exposure of the group and appropriate procedures, controls and risk limits. Finance identifies, evaluates and manages financial risks within the group's operating units. Finance reports to the Board on a monthly basis.

#### Market risk

#### Foreign currency risk

The group undertakes certain transactions denominated in foreign currency and is exposed to foreign currency risk through foreign exchange rate fluctuations.

Foreign exchange risk arises from future commercial transactions and recognised financial assets and financial liabilities denominated in a currency that is not the entity's functional currency. The risk is measured using sensitivity analysis and cash flow forecasting.

The group is not currently exposed to any material fluctuations in foreign currency.

#### Price risk

The group is not exposed to any significant price risk.

#### Interest rate risk

Interest rate risk is the risk that the fair value or future cash flows of a financial instrument will fluctuate as a result of changes in market interest rates.

The table below outlines the variable interest rate on cash at bank and bank loans:

	2019	)	2018		
Consolidated Group	Weighted average interest	Weighted average interest			
	rate %	Balance \$	rate %	Balance	
Cash at bank	0.40%	4,284,272	0.43%	4,684,785	
Bank loans	3.76%	(10,300,000)	4.19%	(12,902,026)	
Net exposure to cash flow interest rate risk		(6,015,728)		(8,217,241)	

At 30 June 2019, if interest rates had changed by +/- 100 basis points from the year end rates, with all other variables held constant, post tax profit for the year would have been \$72,100 lower/higher (2018: \$90,314 lower/higher), as a result of higher/lower interest expense from variable rate borrowings.

#### Credit risk

Credit risk is the risk that one party to a financial instrument will cause a financial loss for the other party by failing to discharge an obligation. The maximum exposure to credit risk, excluding the value of any collateral or other security, at balance date of recognised financial assets is the carrying amount of those assets, net of any provisions for impairment of those assets, as disclosed in consolidated statement of financial position and notes to the consolidated financial statements.

Credit risk for derivative financial instruments arises from the potential failure by counterparties to the contract to meet their obligations.

The group has adopted a lifetime expected loss allowance in estimating expected credit losses to trade receivables through the use of a provisions matrix using fixed rates of credit loss provisioning. These provisions are considered representative across all customers of the group based on recent sales experience, historical collection rates and forward-looking information that is available.

The group does not have any material credit risk exposure to any single debtor or group of debtors under financial instruments entered into by the consolidated entity.

The group minimises concentrations of credit risk in relation to trade receivables by undertaking transactions with a large number of customers.

Generally, trade receivables are written off when there is no reasonable expectation of recovery. Indicators of this include the failure of a debtor to engage in a repayment plan, no active enforcement activity and a failure to make contractual payments for a period greater than 1 year.

Credit risk arises from cash and cash equivalents, favourable derivative financial instruments and deposits with banks and financial institutions, as well as credit exposures to customers, including outstanding receivables and committed transactions.

#### Liquidity risk

Vigilant liquidity risk management requires the group to maintain sufficient liquid assets (mainly cash and cash equivalents) and available borrowing facilities to be able to pay debts as and when they become due and payable.

The group manages liquidity risk by maintaining adequate cash reserves and available borrowing facilities by continuously monitoring actual and forecast cash flows and matching the maturity profiles of financial assets and liabilities.

#### Note 33. Financial instruments continued

#### Financing arrangements

Unused borrowing facilities at the reporting date:

	Consolidated Group		
	2019	2018	
	\$	\$	
Bank Loans	-	3,547,974	
Credit Card Facility	245,770	469,081	
Indemnity/Guarantee Facilities	40,046	8,702	
Electronic Payaway Facility	500,000	500,000	
	785,816	4,525,757	

Subject to meeting bank covenants, the bank facilities can be drawn at any time.

#### **Maturity Analysis**

The following tables detail the group's remaining contractual maturity for its financial instrument liabilities. The tables have been drawn up based on the undiscounted cash flows of financial liabilities based on the earliest date on which the financial liabilities are required to be paid. The tables include both interest and principal cash flows disclosed as remaining contractual maturities and therefore these totals may differ from their carrying amount in the statement of financial position.

Consolidated Group – 2019	Weighted average interest rate %	1 year or less \$	Between 1 and 2 years	Between 2 and 5 years	Over 5 years \$	Remaining contractual maturities \$
Non-derivatives						
Non-interest bearing						
Trade payables	_	5,747,364	_	_	_	5,747,364
GST payables (net)	_	1,165,163	_	_	_	1,165,163
Other payables	_	2,814,556	_	_	_	2,814,556
Accrued expenses	-	3,538,162	-	-	-	3,538,162
Interest-bearing – variable						
Bank loans	3.76%	10,300,000	_	_	_	10,300,000
Total non-derivatives	·	23,565,245	_	_	_	23,565,245

<sup>\*</sup> The bank loan has been classified as a current liability as it is contractually maturing in December 2019.

Consolidated Group – 2018	Weighted average interest rate %	1 year or less \$	Between 1 and 2 years \$	Between 2 and 5 years	Over 5 years \$	Remaining contractual maturities
Non-derivatives	'					
Non-interest bearing						
Trade payables	_	5,302,931	235,866	_	_	5,538,797
GST payables (net)	_	1,072,287	-	_	_	1,072,287
Other payables	_	2,815,322	-	-	_	2,815,322
Accrued expenses	_	1,457,887	-	-	_	1,457,887
Interest-bearing – variable						
Bank loans	4.19%	12,902,026	_	_	_	12,902,026
Total non-derivatives		23,550,453	235,866	-	_	23,786,319

The bank loan has been classified as a current liability as at 30 June 2018 by default given the breach of a financial covenant. The group received a waiver of this breach from the lender after year-end and, in doing this, the group has agreed to be bound by further conditions within the group's financial facilities. The group therefore does not intend on paying back the entire loan within 12 months – \$11,650,150 is contractually maturing in December 2019.

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The cash flows in the maturity analysis above are not expected to occur significantly earlier than contractually disclosed above.

#### Fair value of financial instruments

The fair values of cash, receivables, other payables and current tax payables approximate their carrying amounts as a result of their short-term maturity.

# Note 34. Key management personnel disclosures

#### Compensation

The aggregate compensation made to directors and other members of key management personnel of the group is set out below:

	Cons	Consolidated Group	
	2019	2018	
	\$	\$	
Short-term employee benefits	1,251,628	1,077,299	
Post-employment benefits	107,505	89,583	
Termination benefits	-	184,359	
Share-based payments	(230,863)	791,789	
	1,128,270	2,143,030	

Further details of key management personnel compensation are contained within the Remuneration Report section of the Director's Report.

#### Note 35. Remuneration of auditors

During the financial year the following fees were paid or payable for services provided by Moore Stephens (Vic) Pty Ltd, the auditor of the company:

	Consolidated Group	
	2019 \$	2018
Audit services - Moore Stephens (Vic) Pty Ltd		
Audit or review of the financial statements	167,169	187,500
Other services – Moore Stephens (Vic) Pty Ltd		
Other	2,140	-
	169,309	187,500

# Note 36. Contingent liabilities

The group has given bank guarantees as at 30 June 2019 of \$459,954 (2018: \$491,298) in satisfaction of building lease guarantees, as per the financing arrangements outlined in Note 33.

#### **Note 37. Commitments**

	Consolidated Group	
	2019 \$	2018 \$
Lease commitments – operating		
Committed at the reporting date but not recognised as liabilities, payable:		
Within one year	1,048,208	991,047
One to five years	2,255,675	1,799,662
	3,303,883	2,790,709

Operating lease commitments includes contracted amounts for various offices under non-cancellable operating leases expiring within 1 to 4 years with, in some cases, options to extend. The leases have various escalation clauses. On renewal, the terms of the leases are renegotiated.

## Note 38. Related party transactions

#### Parent entity

PS&C Ltd is the parent entity.

#### **Subsidiaries**

Interests in subsidiaries are set out in Note 41.

## Key management personnel

Disclosures relating to key management personnel are set out in Note 34 and the remuneration report included in the Directors' Report.

#### Transactions with related parties

There were no transactions with related parties during the current and previous financial year.

#### Receivable from and payable to related parties

The following balances are outstanding at the reporting date in relation to transactions with related parties:

	Consol	Consolidated Group	
	2019 \$	2018 \$	
Current receivables:			
Trade receivables from commonly controlled entity	-	987,607	
Current payables:			
Trade payables to commonly controlled entity	_	987,607	

#### Loans to/from related parties

The following balances are outstanding at the reporting date in relation to loans with related parties:

	Conso	lidated Group
	2019 \$	2018 \$
Current receivables:		
Loans to commonly controlled entities	21,673,091	15,347,398
Current borrowings:		
Loans from commonly controlled entities	21,673,091	15,347,398

# Terms and conditions

All transactions were made on normal commercial terms and conditions and at market rates.

**Parent** 

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#### Note 39. Parent entity information

Set out below is the supplementary information about the parent entity.

#### Statement of profit or loss and other comprehensive income

	2019 \$	2018 \$
Loss after income tax	(58,638,606)	(15,819,302)
Total comprehensive income	(58,638,606)	(15,819,302)
Statement of financial position		
		Parent
	2019	2018
	\$	\$
Total current assets	1,924,638	3,395,708
Total assets	54,450,251	109,300,582
Total current liabilities	40,596,384	39,233,224
Total liabilities	43,328,868	45,493,572
Equity		
Issued capital	91,206,990	85,029,104
Employee share options/Performance rights reserve	593,769	818,803
Accumulated losses	(80,679,376)	(22,040,897)
Total equity	11,121,383	63,807,010

#### Guarantees entered into by the parent entity in relation to the debts of its subsidiaries

Please see Note 42 in relation to the deed of cross guarantee in place.

#### Contingent liabilities

The parent entity has entered into acquisition agreements with the entities described in Note 40. Under the terms of the agreements, the parent entity may have to pay more than what has been provided for in contingent consideration in Note 40 if the entities' operating performance is better than forecast for the purposes of calculating contingent consideration. Other than that, the parent entity had no contingent liabilities as at 30 June 2019.

### Capital commitments – Property, plant and equipment

The parent entity had no capital commitments for property, plant and equipment at as 30 June 2019.

#### Significant accounting policies

The accounting policies of the parent entity are consistent with those of the group, as disclosed in Note 1, except for the following:

- Investments in subsidiaries are accounted for at cost, less any impairment, in the parent entity.
- Investments in associates are accounted for at cost, less any impairment, in the parent entity.
- Dividends received from subsidiaries are recognised as other income by the parent entity and its receipt may be an indicator of an impairment of the investment.

#### Note 40. Business combinations

#### (a) Current Period

#### Artisan Consulting Pty Ltd

On 1 February 2019, PS&C Ltd acquired 100% of the ordinary shares of Artisan Consulting Pty Ltd. This business is exclusively focussed on Salesforce solutions and is currently a Salesforce Silver Tier System Implementation/Consulting Partner servicing mid-large enterprises. It operates in the Design + Process division of the group. Details of the purchase consideration, the net assets acquired and goodwill are set out below. The goodwill of \$1,562,756 represents the amount of consideration paid for the business acquisition less fair value of net assets, plus additional amounts paid for performance, both current and implied by forecasts. The acquired business contributed revenue of \$506,406 and profit after tax of \$108,131 from 1 February 2019 to 30 June 2019. If the acquisition occurred on 1 July 2018, the full year contribution would have been a profit after tax of \$260,755.

Under the terms of the agreement, the parent entity may have to pay more (or less) than what has been provided for in contingent consideration if the entity's operating performance is better (or worse) than forecast for the purposes of calculating contingent consideration. The Directors are still assessing any potential impacts to the total consideration transferred whilst within the measurement period.

Details of the acquisition are as follows:

	Artisan	Total Acquired Fair value
	Consulting Pty Ltd Fair value	
	\$	\$
Cash and cash equivalents	118,918	118,918
Trade receivables	56,513	56,513
Other payables	(41,549)	(41,549)
Provision for income tax	(35,045)	(35,045)
Employee benefits	(20,590)	(20,590)
Net assets acquired	78,247	78,247
Goodwill	1,562,756	1,562,756
Acquisition-date fair value of the total consideration transferred	1,641,003	1,641,003
Depresenting		
Representing:	240.000	240.000
Cash paid or payable to vendor	240,000	240,000
PS&C Ltd shares issued to vendor	920,889	920,889
Deferred consideration	480,114	480,114
	1,641,003	1,641,003
Cash used to acquire business, net of cash acquired:		
Acquisition-date fair value of the total consideration transferred	1,641,003	1,641,003
Less: cash and cash equivalents	(118,918)	(118,918)
Less: deferred consideration	(480,114)	(480,114)
Less: shares issued by company as part of consideration	(920,889)	(920,889)
Net cash used	121,082	121,082

Acquisition costs expensed to the statement of profit or loss and other comprehensive income during the year ended 30 June 2019 amounted to \$645,037 (2018: \$402,526) for services provided by consultants and legal advisers as well as share issue costs. This was incurred in relation to existing businesses and prospective transactions.

During the year ending 30 June 2019, cash payments of \$3,090,448 were made to the vendors of the businesses acquired in prior periods, in satisfaction of business purchase and earn out payments as per the terms of the share sale and purchase agreements. In addition, \$5,256,998 worth of PS&C Ltd shares (equal to 34,585,514 shares) were issued in satisfaction of business purchase and earn out payments, as per the terms of the share sale and purchase agreements.

#### (b) Prior Period

#### Seisma Pty Ltd

On 1 March 2018, PS&C Ltd acquired 100% of the ordinary shares of Seisma Pty Ltd. This is an IT consulting business and operates in the Design + Process division of the group. Details of the purchase consideration, the net assets acquired and goodwill are set out below. The goodwill of \$13,872,995 represents the amount of consideration paid for the business acquisition less fair value of net assets, plus additional amounts paid for performance, both current and implied by forecasts. The acquired business contributed revenue of \$7,245,190 and profit after tax of \$533,189 from 1 March 2018 to 30 June 2018. If the acquisition occurred on 1 July 2017, the full year contribution would have been a profit after tax of \$1,470,702.

#### NTH Consulting Pty Ltd

On 1 May 2018, PS&C Ltd acquired 100% of the ordinary shares of NTH Consulting Pty Ltd. This is an IT consulting business and operates in the Design + Process division of the group. Details of the purchase consideration, the net assets acquired and goodwill are set out below. The goodwill of \$2,982,796 represents the amount of consideration paid for the business acquisition less fair value of net assets, plus additional amounts paid for performance, both current and implied by forecasts. The acquired business contributed revenues of \$615,259 and profit after tax of \$72,538 from 1 May 2018 to 30 June 2018. If the acquisition occurred on 1 July 2017, the full year contribution would have been a loss after tax of \$70,655.

Details of the acquisition are as follows:

	NTH Consulting Seisma Pty Ltd Pty Ltd		Total Acquired	
	Fair value	Fair value	Fair value	
	\$	\$	\$	
Cash and cash equivalents	918,777	150,373	1,069,150	
Trade receivables	3,259,794	161,630	3,421,424	
Other receivables	36,371	-	36,371	
Prepayments	5,649	_	5,649	
Security deposits	34,622	-	34,622	
Other non-current assets	-	746	746	
Trade payables	(3,149,007)	(86,508)	(3,235,515)	
Other payables	(184,922)	(192,723)	(377,645)	
Employee benefits	(4,272)	(15,104)	(19,376)	
Other liabilities	(1,225,855)	(99,988)	(1,325,843)	
Net liabilities acquired	(308,843)	(81,574)	(390,417)	
Goodwill	13,872,995	2,982,796	16,855,791	
Acquisition-date fair value of the total consideration transferred	13,564,152	2,901,222	16,465,374	
Representing:				
Cash paid or payable to vendor	_	500,000	500,000	
PS&C Ltd shares issued to vendor	10,850,000	500,000	11,350,000	
Deferred consideration	2,714,152	_	2,714,152	
Contingent consideration – current		1,710,432	1,710,432	
Contingent consideration – non-current	_	190,790	190,790	
	13,564,152	2,901,222	16,465,374	
Cash used to acquire business, net of cash acquired:				
Acquisition-date fair value of the total consideration transferred	13,564,152	2,901,222	16,465,374	
Less: cash and cash equivalents	(918,777)	(150,373)	(1,069,150)	
Less: deferred consideration	(2,714,152)	_	(2,714,152)	
Less: shares issued by company as part of consideration	(10,850,000)	(500,000)	(11,350,000)	
Less: contingent consideration	-	(1,901,222)	(1,901,222)	
Net cash used/(received)	(918,777)	349,627	(569,150)	

## Note 40. Business combinations continued

(b) Prior Period continued

NTH Consulting Pty Ltd continued

The same of the sa	Consolidated Group	
	2019	2018
	\$	\$
Cash used to acquire business, net of cash acquired:		
Acquisition-date fair value of the total consideration transferred	1,641,003	16,465,374
Less: cash and cash equivalents	(118,918)	(1,069,150)
Less: contingent consideration	_	(1,901,222)
Less: shares issued by company as part of consideration	(920,889)	(11,350,000)
Less: deferred consideration	(480,114)	(2,714,152)
Net cash used/(received)	121,082	(569,150)

## Note 41. Interests in subsidiaries

The consolidated financial statements incorporate the assets, liabilities and results of the following subsidiaries in accordance with the accounting policy described in Note 1:

		Ownership interest	
	Principal place of business/	2019	2018
Name	Country of incorporation	%	%
Allcom Networks Pty Ltd	Australia	_	100.00%
GlassandCo Pty Ltd	Australia	100.00%	100.00%
Systems and People Pty Ltd	Australia	100.00%	100.00%
Securus Global Consulting Pty Ltd	Australia	100.00%	100.00%
Hacklabs Pty Ltd	Australia	100.00%	100.00%
Pure Hacking Pty Ltd	Australia	100.00%	100.00%
Bexton IT Services Pty Ltd	Australia	100.00%	100.00%
Certitude Pty Ltd	Australia	100.00%	100.00%
Sacon Group Pty Ltd	Australia	100.00%	100.00%
Coroma Consulting Pty Ltd	Australia	100.00%	100.00%
Seisma Pty Ltd	Australia	100.00%	100.00%
NTH Consulting Pty Ltd	Australia	100.00%	100.00%
Artisan Consulting Pty Ltd	Australia	100.00%	_

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#### Note 42. Deed of cross guarantee

The following entities are party to a deed of cross guarantee under which each company guarantees the debts of the others:

GlassandCo Pty Ltd

Systems and People Pty Ltd

Securus Global Consulting Pty Ltd

Hacklabs Pty Ltd

Pure Hacking Pty Ltd

Bexton IT Services Pty Ltd

Certitude Pty Ltd

Sacon Group Pty Ltd

Coroma Consulting Pty Ltd

Seisma Pty Ltd

NTH Consulting Pty Ltd

PS&C Ltd

By entering into the deed, the wholly-owned entities have been relieved from the requirement to prepare financial statements and Directors' Report under Corporations Instrument 2016/785 issued by the Australian Securities and Investments Commission.

The above companies represent a 'Closed Group' for the purposes of the Corporations Instrument, and as there are no other parties to the deed of cross guarantee that are controlled by PS&C Ltd, they also represent the 'Extended Closed Group'.

The statement of profit or loss and other comprehensive income and statement of financial position are the same as the group and therefore have not been separately disclosed.

## Note 43. Events after the reporting period

The group has entered into an agreement with Scottish Pacific Business Finance Pty Ltd ('Scottish Pacific') to provide a receivables backed financing facility. The Scottish Pacific facility has a funding limit up to \$15,000,000. The facility became available on 9 July 2019.

As at 30 June 2019, the group had total debt obligations of \$10,300,000 owing to ANZ bank ('the Lender'). \$5,000,000 of the new Scottish Pacific facilities has been directed to reduce the exposure to the ANZ bank. A new loan agreement has therefore been entered into with ANZ bank dated 5 July 2019. The termination date of this new agreement with ANZ bank is 10 December 2019.

On the 2 September 2019, the group announced that the Board had accepted the resignation of its Chief Executive Officer (CEO), Mr Glenn Fielding.

The Board also advised that Mr Kevin McLaine, the group's Non-Executive Chairman, had advised the Board that he will not seek re-election at the 2019 Annual General Meeting (AGM). Accordingly, Mr McLaine will retire at the end of the AGM when a suitable replacement is appointed.

Mr Robert Hogeland, recently appointed to the Board as an Executive Director, has been appointed Acting CEO until the group completes its internal and external search for a new CEO.

Mr Fielding will work with Mr Hogeland in a handover capacity until the end of September 2019 after which Mr Fielding will become a Non-Executive director of the group.

No other matter or circumstance has arisen since 30 June 2019 that has significantly affected, or may significantly affect the group's operations, the results of those operations, or the group's state of affairs in future financial years.

Note 44. Reconciliation of loss after income tax to net cash from/(used in) operating activities

	Consolidated Group	
	2019	2018
	\$	\$
Loss after income tax (expense)/benefit for the year	(53,489,313)	(10,155,813)
Adjustments for:		
Depreciation and amortisation	402,093	410,196
Impairment	49,629,677	9,612,395
Share-based payments	_	20,819,554
Net loss/(gain) on disposal of non-current assets	3,360,521	(12,901)
Revenue – non-cash	136,707	_
Interest received – non-cash	13,447	35,371
Other revenue – non-cash	(150,154)	(35,371)
Other expenses – non-cash	4,199,177	(8,126,304)
Finance costs – non-cash	190,124	215,783
Change in operating assets and liabilities:		
Decrease in trade and other receivables	1,813,728	488,705
Decrease/(increase) in inventories	19,175	(3,042)
Decrease in income tax refund due	239,485	325,986
Decrease/(increase) in deferred tax assets	(47,342)	26,208
Decrease/(increase) in accrued revenue	1,198,544	(1,530,406)
Decrease/(increase) in prepayments	165,082	(143,886)
Decrease in other operating assets	4,875,470	74,549
Decrease in trade and other payables	(1,216,369)	(2,014,821)
Increase in provision for income tax	580,410	_
Decrease in deferred tax liabilities	_	(1,740)
Increase/(decrease) in employee benefits	(739,626)	212,484
Decrease in other provisions	(7,319,106)	(9,665,657)
Increase/(decrease) in other operating liabilities	1,095,521	(2,525,055)
Net cash from/(used in) operating activities	4,957,251	(1,993,765)

# Note 45. Earnings per share

Note 45. Earnings per share		
	Consoli	dated Group
	2019	2018
	\$	\$
Earnings per share for loss from continuing operations		(
Loss after income tax attributable to the members of PS&C Ltd	(49,424,321)	(11,172,637)
	Number	Number
Weighted average number of ordinary shares used in calculating basic earnings per share	279,474,026	115,577,756
Weighted average number of ordinary shares used in calculating diluted earnings per share	279,474,026	115,577,756
	Cents	Cents
Basic earnings per share	(17.68)	(9.67)
Diluted earnings per share	(17.68)	(9.67)
	Consolidated Group	
	2019	2018
	\$	\$
Earnings per share for profit/(loss) from discontinued operations		
Profit/(loss) after income tax attributable to the members of PS&C Ltd	(4,064,992)	1,016,824
Earnings per share for loss		
Loss after income tax attributable to the members of PS&C Ltd	(53,489,313)	(10,155,813)
	Number	Number
Weighted average number of ordinary shares used in calculating basic earnings per share	279,474,026	115,577,756
Weighted average number of ordinary shares used in calculating diluted earnings per share	279,474,026	115,577,756
	Cents	Cents
Basic earnings per share	(19.14)	(8.79)
Diluted earnings per share	(19.14)	(8.79)
Note 46. Changes in liabilities arising from financing activities		
Note 40. Changes in habitales arising from maneing activities	Borrowings	Total
Consolidated Group	\$	\$
Balance at 1 July 2017	15,399,420	15,399,420
Proceeds from loans	2,300,000	2,300,000
Repayment of loans	(4,797,394)	(4,797,394)
Balance at 30 June 2018	12,902,026	12,902,026
Proceeds from loans	800,000	800,000
Repayment of loans	(3,402,026)	(3,402,026)
Balance at 30 June 2019	10,300,000	10,300,000
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# Directors' Declaration 30 June 2019

In the Directors' opinion:

- the attached financial statements and notes comply with the *Corporations Act 2001*, the Accounting Standards, the *Corporations Regulations 2001* and other mandatory professional reporting requirements;
- the attached financial statements and notes comply with International Financial Reporting Standards as issued by the International Accounting Standards Board as described in Note 1 to the financial statements;
- the attached financial statements and notes give a true and fair view of the group's financial position as at 30 June 2019 and of its performance for the financial year ended on that date;
- there are reasonable grounds to believe that the Company will be able to pay its debts as and when they become due and payable; and
- at the date of this declaration, there are reasonable grounds to believe that the members of the Extended Closed Group will be able to meet any obligations or liabilities to which they are, or may become, subject by virtue of the deed of cross guarantee described in Note 42 to the financial statements.

The Directors have been given the declarations required by section 295A of the Corporations Act 2001.

Signed in accordance with a resolution of Directors made pursuant to section 295(5)(a) of the Corporations Act 2001.

On behalf of the Directors

**Glenn Fielding** 

Managing Director

26 September 2019 Melbourne

# Independent Auditor's Report to the Members of PS&C Ltd

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# INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT TO THE MEMBERS OF PS&C LIMITED

#### Report on the Audit of the Financial Report

#### Opinion

We have audited the financial report of PS&C Limited (the Group), which comprises the consolidated statement of financial position as at 30 June 2019, the consolidated statement of profit or loss and other comprehensive income, the consolidated statement of changes in equity and the consolidated statement of cash flows for the year then ended, and notes to the financial statements, including a summary of significant accounting policies, and the directors' declaration.

#### In our opinion:

- a) the accompanying financial report of PS&C Limited is in accordance with the *Corporations Act 2001*, including:
  - giving a true and fair view of the Group's financial position as at 30 June 2019 and of its financial performance for the year then ended; and
  - ii. complying with Australian Accounting Standards and the Corporations Regulations 2001.
- b) the financial report also complies with International Financial Reporting Standards as disclosed in Note 1.

#### **Basis for Opinion**

We conducted our audit in accordance with Australian Auditing Standards. Our responsibilities under those standards are further described in the *Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Report* section of our report. We are independent of the Group in accordance with the auditor independence requirements of the *Corporations Act 2001* and the ethical requirements of the Accounting Professional and Ethical Standards Board's APES 110 *Code of Ethics for Professional Accountants* (the Code) that are relevant to our audit of the financial report in Australia. We have also fulfilled our other ethical responsibilities in accordance with the Code. We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion.

#### **Material Uncertainty Related to Going Concern**

We draw attention to Note 1 in the financial statements, which identifies that during the year ended 30 June 2019 the Group incurred a consolidated net loss of \$53.5m and that the Group's current liabilities exceed its current assets by \$12.7m. As stated in Note 1, these events or conditions, along with other matters as set forth in Note 1, indicate that a material uncertainty exists that may cast doubt on the Group's ability to continue as a going concern. Our opinion is not modified in respect of this matter

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#### **Key Audit Matters**

Key audit matters are those matters that, in our professional judgement, were of most significance in our audit of the financial report of the current period. These matters were addressed in the context of our audit of the financial report as a whole, and in forming our opinion thereon, and we do not provide a separate opinion on these matters.

# KEY AUDIT MATTER 1 – VALUE OF INTANGIBLE ASSETS Refer to Note 15 "Non-current assets - Intangibles"

As at 30 June 2019 the Group has total intangible assets of \$47.3m. As required by Australian Accounting Standards, the Group must assess whether there is indicators of impairment relating to the Group's Intangible Assets.

We considered this a key audit matter due to the size of this balance and because the directors' assessment of the 'value in use' of the Group's CGUs involves complex judgements about the future results of the CGUs and the discount rates applied to the future cash flows which are both inherently uncertain.

Based on the annual goodwill impairment test whereby a discounted cash flow model was prepared, the board concluded that an impairment charge totalling \$49.6m for the year ended 30 June 2019 was required.

Our procedures included, amongst others:

- We evaluated management's cash flow forecasts and the process by which they were developed, including verifying the mathematical accuracy of the underlying calculations. We also compared them to the latest board approved budgets.
- We also challenged whether:
  - Management's key assumptions for short and long term growth rates in the forecasts were appropriate, considering the historical reliability of the Group's cash flow forecasting process;
  - The discount rate used in the model was appropriate by assessing the cost of capital for the Group by comparing it to market data and industry research.
- We then tested the assumptions used by management, analysing the impact on the value in use calculation by adjusting the EBITDA growth rate, WACC and terminal value growth rate used within a reasonably foreseeable range.
- We independently developed expectations regarding the impairment testing results based on our understanding of the CGUs and the Group's historic achievement of budgeted results. We evaluated the Group's impairment testing results against those expectations.

We assessed the adequacy of the Group's disclosure of key assumptions used and sensitivities to changes in assumptions as required by Australian Accounting Standards.

The impairment charge for the year of \$49.6m was assessed in light of the procedures performed above.

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# KEY AUDIT MATTER 2 – CONTINGENT AND DEFERRED CONSIDERATION LIABILITIES Refer to Note "Notes 21, Notes 27 and 28 "Current and non-current provisions"

The Group has provided for amounts to be paid to vendors of businesses acquired during the year and has completed the earn out periods of other businesses acquired in previous financial years.

We focused on this area due to the size of the liability balances (\$9.7m as at 30 June 2019) and because the directors' assessment of the forecasts used to calculate the provision involves judgements about the future results of the businesses acquired which are inherently uncertain.

Our procedures included, amongst others:

- We evaluated management's cash flow forecasts and the process by which they were developed, including verifying the mathematical accuracy of the underlying calculations. We also compared them to the latest board approved budgets.
- We compared current year actual results with the figures included in the prior year forecast to consider whether any forecasts included assumptions that, with hindsight, had been optimistic.
- We reviewed management's key assumptions for long –term growth rates in the forecasts by comparing them to historical results and economic and industry forecasts.
- We assessed the adequacy of the Group's disclosure of assumptions used in respect to value in used calculations.

# KEY AUDIT MATTER 3 – NET CURRENT ASSET DEFICIENCY AND GOING CONCERN Refer to Note 1 "Going Concern"

The Group has a net current asset deficiency of \$12.7M as at 30 June 2019. This deficiency is primarily due to \$10.3m of current borrowings which are due to be negotiated in the next financial year, in addition to a number of other matters as described in Note 1 Going Concern.

We focused on this area due to the significance of the net current asset deficiency as at 30 June 2019 and the possible impact on the group's ability to continue as a going concern. Our procedures included, amongst others:

- We obtained and reviewed management's cash flow forecast to assess whether the Group's current asset levels and future forecast cash levels could sustain operations of the Group for at least 12 months.
- We challenged and tested the assumptions used by management in its cash flow forecast, analysing the impact on cash by performing sensitivity analysis on projected growth rates, timing of cash outflows and the accuracy of forecasts.
- We assessed the ability of the Group to renegotiate new finance facilities as well as alternative sources of debt/equity as required to meet the Group's cash requirements.

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# Independent Auditor's Report to the Members of PS&C Ltd continued

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#### **Other Information**

The directors are responsible for the other information. The other information comprises the information included in the Group's annual report for the year ended 30 June 2019, but does not include the financial report and our auditor's report thereon.

Our opinion on the financial report does not cover the other information and accordingly we do not express any form of assurance conclusion thereon.

In connection with our audit of the financial report, our responsibility is to read the other information and, in doing so, consider whether the other information is materially inconsistent with the financial report or our knowledge obtained in the audit or otherwise appears to be materially misstated.

If, based on the work we have performed, we conclude that there is a material misstatement of this other information, we are required to report that fact. We have nothing to report in this regard.

#### **Responsibilities of the Directors for the Financial Report**

The directors of the Company are responsible for the preparation of the 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 financial report that gives a true and fair view and is free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

In preparing the financial report, the directors are responsible for assessing the ability of the Company to continue as a going concern, disclosing, as applicable, matters related to going concern and using the going concern basis of accounting unless the directors either intend to liquidate the Company or to cease operations, or has no realistic alternative but to do so.

## Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Report

Our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial report as a whole is free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error, and to issue an auditor's report that includes our opinion. Reasonable assurance is a high level of assurance, but is not a guarantee that an audit conducted in accordance with the Australian Auditing Standards will always detect a material misstatement when it exists. Misstatements can arise from fraud or error and are considered material if, individually or in the aggregate, they could reasonably be expected to influence the economic decisions of users taken on the basis of this financial report.

A further description of our responsibilities for the audit of the financial report is located on the Auditing and Assurance Standards Board website at: <a href="http://www.auasb.gov.au/auditors">http://www.auasb.gov.au/auditors</a> responsibilities/ar1.pdf. This description forms part of our auditor's report.

We also provide the directors with a statement that we have complied with relevant ethical requirements regarding independence, and to communicate with them all relationships and other matters that may reasonably be thought to bear on our independence, and where applicable, related safeguards.

From the matters communicated with the directors, we determine those matters that were of most significance in the audit of the financial report of the current period and are therefore the key audit matters. We describe these matters in our auditor's report unless law or regulation precludes public disclosure about the matter or when, in extremely rare circumstances, we determine that a matter should not be communicated in our report because the adverse consequences of doing so would reasonably be expected to outweigh the public interest benefits of such communication.

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#### **Report on the Remuneration Report**

Opinion on the Remuneration Report

We have audited the Remuneration Report included in pages 9 to 13 of the directors' report for the year ended 30 June 2019.

In our opinion, the Remuneration Report of PS&C Limited, for the year ended 30 June 2019 complies with section 300A of the Corporations Act 2001.

#### Responsibilities

The directors of the Company are responsible for the preparation and presentation of the Remuneration Report in accordance with section 300A of the *Corporations Act 2001*. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on the Remuneration Report, based on our audit conducted in accordance with Australian Auditing Standards.

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GEORGE S. DAKIS

Partner

**Audit & Assurance Services** 

Melbourne, Victoria

26 September 2019

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# Shareholder Information 30 June 2019

The shareholder information set out below was applicable as at 31 August 2019.

# Distribution of equitable securities

Analysis of number of equitable security holders by size of holding

	Number of	Number of
	Holders	Shares
Acquisition-date fair value of the total consideration transferred	214	134,484
Less: cash and cash equivalents	335	964,761
Less: contingent consideration	184	1,521,042
Less: shares issued by company as part of consideration	404	15,348,058
Less: deferred consideration	163	233,991,708
	1,300	251,960,053
Holding less than a marketable parcel	-	-

# **Equity security holders**

## Twenty largest quoted equity security holders

The names of the twenty largest security holders of quoted equity securities are listed below:

	Ord	Ordinary Shares	
	Number Held	% total Shares Issued	
MR BLAIR CAMERON GOWANS	15,927,882	6.02	
KANDO CORPORATION PTY LTD	15,592,886	5.90	
MASAL PTY LTD	15,592,885	5.90	
MRS LAURA CATHERINE GOWANS	12,052,032	4.56	
IITCA PTY LTD, THE HOGELAND FAMILY A/C	10,294,118	3.89	
FIP INVESTMENTS PTY LTD	10,150,000	3.84	
MR EDWARD WATTS & MRS SARAH WATTS, THE WATTS SUPER FUND A/C	7,500,000	2.84	
INFINITE NOMINEES GROUP PTY LTD	7,058,824	2.67	
GLENNFIELD PTY LTD, GLENNFIELD FAMILY A/C	6,687,742	2.53	
PJW CONSULTING GROUP PTY LTD, THE WIGHTON FAMILY A/C	6,176,470	2.34	
MCADAM FAMILY HOLDINGS PTY LIMITED	5,918,250	2.24	
HGQ INVESTMENTS PTY LTD	5,558,821	2.10	
AUSTRALIAN EXECUTOR TRUSTEES LIMITED NO 1 ACCOUNT	4,620,000	1.75	
MR COREY PETER YEATMAN	4,483,967	1.70	
MR MARK EDWIN TOWNSEND, KAOS HOLDING A/C	4,483,966	1.70	
RJJB CROCIANI PTY LTD, RJJB CROCIANI FAMILY A/C	3,966,492	1.50	
MR RICHARD ADRIAN CLARKE	3,770,728	1.43	
HATDON PTY LTD, HATDON SUPER FUND A/C	3,656,040	1.38	
MRS LAURA GOWANS	3,544,042	1.34	
MR RICHARD ADRIAN CLARKE	3,488,215	1.32	
	150,523,360	56.95	

## Unquoted equity securities

There are no unquoted equity securities.

## **Substantial holders**

There are no substantial holders in the company.

# **Voting rights**

The voting rights attached to ordinary shares are set out below:

# **Ordinary shares**

On a show of hands every member present at a meeting in person or by proxy shall have one vote and upon a poll each share shall have one vote.

# There are no other classes of equity securities.

Class	Expiey	Number of Shares
	Date	
Ordinary	24/11/2019	2,504,068
Ordinary	16/12/2019	11,783,158
Ordinary	18/02/2020	1,744,108
Ordinary	15/06/2020	11,783,157
Ordinary	18/08/2020	1,744,107
		29,558,598

