## **Form 603**

## Corporations Act 2001 Section 671B

## Notice of initial substantial holder

 To
 Company name/Scheme
 Simonds Group Limited

 A.C.N. or A.R.S.N.
 ACN 143 841 801

### 1 Details of substantial holder (1)

Name Simonds Group Limited

ACN/ARSN (if applicable)

ACN 050 199 365

The holder became a substantial holder on 20 November 2014

## 2. Details of voting power

The total number of votes attached to all the voting shares in the company or voting interests in the scheme that the substantial holder or an associate (2) had a relevant interest (3) in on the date the substantial holder became a substantial holder are as follows:

Class of securities (4)	Number of securities	Person's votes (5)	Voting power (6)
Fully paid ordinary shares	60,987,716	60,987,716	40.28%

#### 3. Details of relevant interests

The nature of the relevant interest the substantial holder or an associate had in the following voting securities on the date the substantial holder became a substantial holder are as follows:

Holder of relevant interest	Nature of relevant interest (7)	Class and number of securities
Simonds Group Limited	Restriction on disposal of shares under voluntary escrow arrangements disclosed in Simonds Group Limited's prospectus dated 22 October 2014 gives Simonds Group Limited a technical "relevant interest" in its own shares under section 608(1)(c) of the <i>Corporations Act 2001</i> (Cth). However, Simonds Group Limited has no right to acquire these shares or to control the voting rights attaching to these shares.	60,987,716 fully paid ordinary shares

### 4. Details of present registered holders

The persons registered as holders of the securities referred to in paragraph 3 above are as follows:

Holder of relevant interest	Registered holder of securities	Person entitled to be registered as holder (8)	Class and number of securities
Simonds Group Limited	trustee for the Gary Simonds No 1 trustee for the Gary Simonds No 1		60,987,716 fully paid ordinary shares
	- Simonds Custodians Pty Ltd as trustee for the Gary Simonds No 2 Family Trust	- Simonds Custodians Pty Ltd as trustee for the Gary Simonds No 2 Family Trust	
	- Simonds Custodians Pty Ltd as trustee for the Gary Simonds No 3 Family Trust - Simonds Custodians Pty Ltd as trustee for the Gary Simonds No Family Trust		
	- Simonds Constructions Pty Ltd as trustee for the Simonds Homes Discretionary Trust	- Simonds Constructions Pty Ltd as trustee for the Simonds Homes Discretionary Trust	
	- Madisson Constructions Pty Ltd as trustee for the Madisson Homes Trust	- Madisson Constructions Pty Ltd as trustee for the Madisson Homes Trust	
	- Silver Street Investments Pty Ltd in its capacity as trustee of Silver	- Silver Street Investments Pty Ltd in its capacity as trustee of Silver	

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Street Trust	Street Trust	
- McMahon Property Nominees Pty Ltd as custodian for McMahon SF Pty Ltd as trustee of the McMahon Superannuation Fund - Mark Vujovich	- McMahon Property Nominees Pty Ltd as custodian for McMahon SF Pty Ltd as trustee of the McMahon Superannuation Fund - Mark Vujovich	
- Robert Stubbs and Geoffrey Charles Stubbs as trustees of the R.G. Stubbs Executive Superannuation Fund - Jason Vujovich	- Robert Stubbs and Geoffrey Charles Stubbs as trustees of the R.G. Stubbs Executive Superannuation Fund - Jason Vujovich	

## 5. Consideration

The consideration paid for each relevant interest referred to in paragraph 3 above, and acquired in the four months prior to the day that the substantial holder became a substantial holder is as follows:

Holder of relevant interest	Date of acquisition	Consideration (9)		Class and number of securities
		Cash	Non-cash	
Simonds Group Limited	20 November 2014	Non-cash pursu voluntary restrict agreements be Simonds Group each registered securities listed attached as An	ction tween o Limited and d holder of d in Item 4	60,987,716 fully paid ordinary shares

### 6. Associates

The reasons the persons named in paragraph 3 above are associates of the substantial holder are as follows:

Name and ACN/ARSN (if applicable)	Nature of association
N/A	N/A

## 7. Addresses

The addresses of persons named in this form are as follows:

Name	Address
Simonds Group Limited	Level 4, 570 St Kilda Road, Melbourne, Victoria, 3004
Simonds Custodians Pty Ltd as trustee for the Gary Simonds No 1 Family Trust	Level 4, 570 St Kilda Road, Melbourne, Victoria, 3004
Simonds Custodians Pty Ltd as trustee for the Gary Simonds No 2 Family Trust	Level 4, 570 St Kilda Road, Melbourne, Victoria, 3004
Simonds Custodians Pty Ltd as trustee for the Gary Simonds No 3 Family Trust	Level 4, 570 St Kilda Road, Melbourne, Victoria, 3004
Simonds Constructions Pty Ltd as trustee for the Simonds Homes Discretionary Trust	Level 4, 570 St Kilda Road, Melbourne, Victoria, 3004
Madisson Constructions Pty Ltd as trustee for the Madisson Homes Trust	c/- Level 4, 570 St Kilda Road, Melbourne, Victoria, 3004
Silver Street Investments Pty Ltd in its capacity as trustee of Silver Street Trust	c/- Level 4, 570 St Kilda Road, Melbourne, Victoria, 3004
McMahon Property Nominees Pty Ltd as custodian for McMahon SF Pty Ltd as trustee of the McMahon Superannuation Fund	c/- Level 4, 570 St Kilda Road, Melbourne, Victoria, 3004
Mark Vujovich	c/- Level 4, 570 St Kilda Road, Melbourne, Victoria, 3004
Robert Stubbs and Geoffrey Charles Stubbs as trustees of the R.G. Stubbs Executive Superannuation Fund	c/- Level 4, 570 St Kilda Road, Melbourne, Victoria, 3004
Jason Vujovich	c/- Level 4, 570 St Kilda Road, Melbourne, Victoria, 3004

Signature				
	print name	Robert Stubbs	capacity	Secretary
	sign here	MAM.	date	20 November 2014

#### **DIRECTIONS**

- (1) If there are a number of substantial holders with similar or related relevant interests (eg. a corporation and its related corporations, or the manager and trustee of an equity trust), the names could be included in an annexure to the form. If the relevant interests of a group of persons are essentially similar, they may be referred to throughout the form as a specifically named group if the membership of each group, with the names and addresses of members is clearly set out in paragraph 7 of the form.
- (2) See the definition of "associate" in section 9 of the Corporations Act 2001.
- (3) See the definition of "relevant interest" in sections 608 and 671B(7) of the Corporations Act 2001.
- (4) The voting shares of a company constitute one class unless divided into separate classes.
- (5) The total number of votes attached to all the voting shares in the company or voting interests in the scheme (if any) that the person or an associate has a relevant interest in.
- (6) The person's votes divided by the total votes in the body corporate or scheme multiplied by 100.
- (7) Include details of:
  - (a) any relevant agreement or other circumstances by which the relevant interest was acquired. If subsection 671B(4) applies, a copy of any document setting out the terms of any relevant agreement, and a statement by the person giving full and accurate details of any contract, scheme or arrangement, must accompany this form, together with a written statement certifying this contract, scheme or arrangement; and
  - (b) any qualification of the power of a person to exercise, control the exercise of, or influence the exercise of, the voting powers or disposal of the securities to which the relevant interest relates (indicating clearly the particular securities to which the qualification applies).

See the definition of "relevant agreement" in section 9 of the Corporations Act 2001.

- (8) If the substantial holder is unable to determine the identity of the person (eg. if the relevant interest arises because of an option) write "unknown".
- (9) Details of the consideration must include any and all benefits, money and other, that any person from whom a relevant interest was acquired has, or may, become entitled to receive in relation to that acquisition. Details must be included even if the benefit is conditional on the happening or not of a contingency. Details must be included of any benefit paid on behalf of the substantial holder or its associate in relation to the acquisitions, even if they are not paid directly to the person from whom the relevant interest was acquired.

## Simonds Group Limited (ACN 143 841 801)

## Annexure A

This is Annexure A of 169 pages referred to in Form 603 – Notice of initial substantial holder:

Signed:

Date: 20 November 2014

Name: Robert Stubbs



# Voluntary Restriction Agreement

**Simonds Group Limited** 

and

Simonds Custodians Pty Ltd

and

Vallence Gary Simonds

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## Voluntary Restriction Agreement

Date

### **Parties**

## Simonds Group Limited ACN 143 841 801

of Level 4, 570 St Kilda Road, Melbourne, Victoria, 3004

(Entity)

Simonds Custodians Pty Ltd ACN 050 199 365 in its capacity as trustee for the Gary Simonds No 1 Family Trust

of Level 4, 570 St Kilda Road, Melbourne, Victoria, 3004

(Holder)

## Vallence Gary Simonds

of Level 4, 570 St Kilda Road, Melbourne, Victoria, 3004

(Controller)

## Recitals

A. At the request of the Entity, the Holder and the Controller enter into this agreement to restrict the Holder's ability to Deal in the Restricted Securities for the Escrow Period on the terms contained in this agreement.

The parties agree, in consideration of, among other things, the mutual promises contained in this agreement as follows:

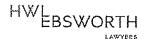
# 1. Definitions and interpretation clauses

### 1.1 Definitions

In this agreement:

ASX

means ASX Limited ABN 98 008 624 691.



ASX Settlement means ASX S

means ASX Settlement Pty Limited ACN 008 504 532.

**Business Day** 

means a day on which banks are open for business in the State of Victoria, Australia, excluding a Saturday, Sunday or public holiday.

**CHESS** 

means the Clearing House Electronic Subregister System as defined in the ASX Settlement Operating Rules.

Controller Interests

means, in respect of a Controller, the securities, substantial economic or beneficial interest in the Restricted Securities and each intermediate entity through which that interest occurs, full particulars of which are set out in item 5 of the Schedule.

**Corporations Act** 

means Corporations Act 2001 (Cth).

Dealing

in respect of any Restricted Security, means to:

- dispose of, or agree or offer to dispose of, that Restricted Security or any legal, beneficial or economic interest in that Restricted Security;
- (b) create, or agree or offer to create, any Security Interest in that Restricted Security or any legal, beneficial or economic interest in that Restricted Security; or
- (c) do, or omit to do, any act if the act or omission would have the effect of transferring effective ownership or control of that Restricted Security or any legal, beneficial or economic interest in that Restricted Security.

Deal and Dealt

each have a corresponding meaning.

**Escrow Period** 

means the periods set out in item 3 of the Schedule.

**Listing Rules** 

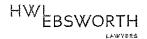
means the official listing rules of ASX as amended from time to time.

**PPSA** 

means the Personal Property Securities Act 2009 (Cth).

Restricted

means the securities set out in item 4 of the Schedule.



#### **Securities**

### Security Interest means an interest or power:

- (a) reserved in or over an interest in any asset including, but not limited to, any retention of title; or
- (b) created or otherwise arising in or over any interest in any asset under the PPSA, a bill of sale, mortgage, lien, pledge, trust or power; and
- (c) any agreement to grant or create any interest or power referred to in paragraphs (a) or (b) of this definition.

**Shares** 

means fully paid ordinary shares in the capital of the Entity.

## 1.2 Interpretation

In this agreement, unless the context requires otherwise:

- (a) headings and italicised, highlighted or bold type do not affect the interpretation of this agreement;
- (b) the singular includes the plural and the plural includes the singular;
- (c) a gender includes all other genders;
- (d) other parts of speech and grammatical forms of a word or phrase defined in this the have a corresponding meaning;
- (e) a reference to a "person" includes any individual, firm, company, partnership, joint venture, an unincorporated body or association, trust, corporation or other body corporate and any Government Agency (whether or not having a separate legal personality);
- (f) a reference to any thing (including any right) includes a part of that thing, but nothing in this clause 1.2(f) implies that performance of part of an obligation constitutes performance of the obligation;
- (g) a reference to a clause, party, annexure, exhibit or schedule is a reference to a clause of, and a party, annexure, exhibit and schedule to, this agreement and a reference to this agreement includes any clause, annexure, exhibit and schedule;
- (h) a reference to a document (including this agreement) includes all amendments or supplements to, or replacements or novations of, that document;
- a reference to a party to any document includes that party's successors and permitted assigns;



- (j) a reference to time is to Melbourne time;
- (k) the word person means a natural person and any association, body or entity whether incorporated or not;
- where any word or phrase is defined, any other part of speech or other grammatical form of that word or phrase has a cognate meaning;
- a covenant or agreement on the part of two or more persons binds them jointly and severally;
- (n) no rule of construction applies to the disadvantage of a party because this agreement is prepared by (or on behalf of) that party; and
- (o) a reference to any thing is a reference to the whole and each part of it.

## 1.3 Business Day

If anything under this agreement is required to be done by or on a day that is not a Business Day that thing must be done by or on the next Business Day.

## 1.4 Definitions in the Listing Rules

Unless otherwise defined in this agreement, terms defined in the Listing Rules have that defined meaning in this agreement.

## Escrow Restrictions

### 2.1 Escrow Restrictions - Holder

Subject to clause 2.3, the Holder must not Deal in the Restricted Securities during the Escrow Period.

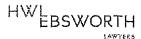
## 2.2 Escrow Restrictions - Controller

Subject to clause 2.3, each Controller must not Deal in its Controller Interests during the Escrow Period.

### 2.3 Exceptions

During the Escrow Period, the Holder or Controller may Deal in any of its Restricted Securities or Controller Interests (as relevant) if the Dealing arises solely as a result of:

- (a) the acceptance of a bona fide takeover bid made under Chapter 6 of the Corporations Act in respect for some or all of the Shares;
- (b) the transfer or cancellation of the Shares as part of a scheme of arrangement under Part 5.1 of the Corporations Act,



or if the Dealing is required by applicable law (including an order of a court of competent jurisdiction).

## 2.4 Reinstatement of no Dealing undertaking

If a takeover bid referred to in cause 2.3(a) does not become unconditional or a scheme of arrangement referred to in clause 2.3(b) does not take effect, the obligations in clauses 2.1 and 2.2 will be reinstated for the duration of the Escrow Period.

## 2.5 Notice

If the Holder or a Controller becomes aware:

- (a) that a Dealing in any Restricted Securities or its Controller Interests has occurred, or is likely to occur, during the Escrow Period; or
- (b) of any matter which is likely to give rise to a Dealing in any Restricted Securities or its Controller Interests during the Escrow Period,

it must notify the Entity as soon as practicable after becoming aware of the Dealing or the matters giving rise to the Dealing, providing full details.

## 3. Rights Attaching to Restricted Securities

Nothing in this agreement, including clause 2, affects or in any way restricts the following rights attaching to the Restricted Securities:

- (a) the right to vote;
- (b) the right to receive dividends or other forms of distribution, including in-specie distributions or capital returns; and
- (c) the right to participate in any form of rights, entitlement or other pro-rata offer to shareholders or any bonus or dividend reinvestment plan.

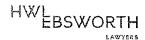
# 4. Holding Lock

## 4.1 Application

The Entity must apply a holding lock to the Restricted Securities during the Escrow Period (if the Restricted Securities are held on an issuer sponsored subregister) or give notice to ASX Settlement requesting it to apply a holding lock (if they are held in a CHESS holding).

### 4.2 Consent

The Holder and the Controller consent to:



- (a) the Entity entering the Restricted Securities on the Entity's issuer sponsored subregister; and
- (b) the application of a holding lock to such Restricted Securities,

during the Escrow Period. The Entity must take all steps necessary to ensure the Restricted Securities become fully transferable at the end of the Escrow Period.

## 4.3 Removal of Holding Lock

At least 10 Business Days prior to the expiry of the relevant Escrow Period, the Entity must apply to remove any holding lock applied to the applicable Restricted Securities under clause 4.1 (if they are held on an issuer sponsored subregister) or give notice to ASX Settlement requesting it to remove the holding lock (if they are in a CHESS holding). The removal of the holding lock is to take effect from the day after the last day of the relevant Escrow Period.

## 5. Warranties, Representations and Undertaking

## 5.1 Giving of Warranties

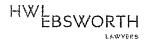
The Holder and each Controller give the warranties and representations in favour of the Entity as at:

- (a) the date of this agreement; and
- (b) at all times until expiry of the Escrow Period.

### 5.2 Warranties and Representations

The Holder and each Controller jointly and severally represent and warrant that:

- (a) it has full power and authority, without the consent of any other person, to enter into and perform its obligations under this agreement (including, if the Holder or Controller has entered into this agreement as a trustee (**Trustee**), under the trust deed for the relevant trust (**Trust**);
- (b) it has taken all necessary action to authorise the execution, delivery and performance of this agreement in accordance with its terms;
- (c) this agreement constitutes legal, valid and binding obligations and, subject to any necessary stamping and registration, is enforceable in accordance with its terms;
- (d) the execution, delivery and performance by it of this agreement does not and will not violate, breach or result in a contravention of:
- (e) any applicable law, regulation or authorisation;



- (f) its constitution or other constituent documents (or, if the Holder or Controller is a Trustee, the trust deed for the Trust); or
- (g) any agreement, undertaking, Security Interest, or document which is binding on it:
- (h) prior to the Escrow Period, it has not done, or omitted to do, any act which would result in it Dealing in the Restricted Securities such that it will take effect during the Escrow Period;
- the Restricted Securities are free from all Security Interests and other third party interests or rights and will remain so during the Escrow Period;
- (j) there is no person who has, or will have, at or immediately following Completion, any substantial economic or beneficial interest in the Restricted Securities other than the Holder and the Controller;
- (k) the Holder will at Completion, hold the Restricted Securities set out in item 4 of the Schedule and each Controller will at Completion, hold its Controller Interests set out in item 5 of the Schedule;
- (I) if the Holder or a Controller is a Trustee, the Trustee is the trustee of the Trust and, to the best of its knowledge and belief, there is no proposal to remove it as trustee of the Trust; and
- (m) if the Holder or a Controller is a Trustee:
  - (i) the Holder or Controller has the right to be fully indemnified out of the assets of the Trust in respect of any liability arising under, or in connection with, this agreement and the right has not been modified, released or diminished in any way. The assets of the Trust are sufficient to satisfy that right in full and the Holder or Controller has not released or disposed of its equitable lien over that trust; and
  - (ii) the Trust has not been terminated and there is not effective proposal or requirement to wind up, deregister, terminate, reconstitute or resettle the Trust.

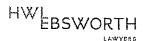
### 5.3 Undertaking

The Holder and each Controller undertakes to the Entity:

- (a) to comply in all respects with this agreement; and
- (b) not to seek any waiver or variation of this agreement without the prior written consent of the Entity.

### 5.4 Effect of Breach of Warranty

A breach of any of the warranties set out in clause 5.1 is a breach of this agreement.



### 5.5 Survival of Warranties and Representations

The warranties and representations set out in clause 5.1 survive termination of this agreement.

## 6. Disputes

## 6.1 Consequences of breach

If the Holder or a Controller breaches this agreement (Defaulting Party), each of the following applies:

- as soon as practicable after becoming aware of the breach, the Entity must take the steps as necessary to prevent the breach, or to enforce the Agreement, including seeking injunctive relief;
- (b) the Entity must refuse to acknowledge, deal with, accept or register any sale, assignment, transfer or conversion of any of the Restricted Securities. This is in addition to other rights and remedies of the Entity; and
- (c) the Defaulting Party will cease to be entitled to any dividends, distributions or voting rights attaching to the Restricted Securities while the breach continues.

### 6.2 Injunctive Relief or Specific Performance

The parties agree that damages would be an insufficient remedy for breach of clauses 2.1 and 2.2 and each of the Holder and Controller agrees that the Entity is entitled to seek and obtain an injunction or specific performance to enforce the Holder and/or Controller's obligation under clause 2.1 or clause 2.2 without proof of actual damage and without prejudice to any of its rights or remedies.

## Disclosure to ASX

The Holder and the Controller authorise the Entity to disclose to the ASX such information relating to the terms of this agreement as is required by ASX under the Listing Rules or otherwise, including disclosure in compliance with Listing Rule 3.10A.

## 8. Confidentiality

The parties agree to keep confidential all information, and to not make press or other announcements or releases, relating to this agreement and the transactions contemplated by it (including the execution of documents) other than as required by law or the Listing Rules.

## 9. Notices

### 9.1 Form of Notice

All notices, requests, demands, consents, approvals, agreements or other communications (**notices**) to or by a party given for the purposes of Agreement must be:

- (a) in writing;
- (b) signed by the party giving notice or a person duly authorised by that party or, where transmitted by e-mail, sent by the party giving notice or a person duly authorised by that party;
- (c) directed to the recipient's address (as specified in clause 9.3 or as varied by any notice); and
- (d) hand delivered, sent by prepaid post or transmitted by email or facsimile to that address,

and will be taken to be duly given or made (in the case of delivery in person or by post or email or facsimile transmission) when delivered, received or left at the address of the recipient shown in this agreement or to any other address which it may have notified the sender.

### 9.2 Receipt

A notice given in accordance with this clause is taken as having been given and received:

- (a) if hand delivered at or before 4.00 pm on a Business Day, on delivery, otherwise at 9.30 am on the next Business Day;
- (b) if sent by prepaid post, on the seventh Business Day after the date of posting;
- (c) if transmitted by e-mail, on the first Business Day after the date of transmission;
- (d) if transmitted by facsimile at or before 4.00 pm on a Business Day, at the time recorded on the transmission report indicating successful transmission of the entire notice, otherwise at 9.30 am on the next Business Day.

## 9.3 Address for notices

Unless varied by notice in accordance with this clause 9.3, the parties' addresses and other details are:

(a) if to the Entity:



Address:

Level 4, 570 St Kilda Road, Melbourne, Victoria, 3004

Email:

paul.mcmahon@simonds.com.au

Facsimile:

N/A

Attention:

Paul McMahon

(b) if to the Holder:

Address:

Level 4, 570 St Kilda Road, Melbourne, Victoria, 3004

Email:

marisa.cucuzza@simonds.com.au

Facsimile:

N/A

Attention:

Gary Simonds

(c) if to the Controller:

Address:

Level 4, 570 St Kilda Road, Melbourne, Victoria, 3004

Email:

marisa,cucuzza@simonds.com.au

Facsimile:

N/A

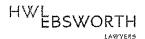
Attention:

**Gary Simonds** 

## 10. General

### 10.1 Amendments

This agreement may only be varied by a document signed by or on behalf of the parties.



## 10.2 Counterparts

- (a) The parties may execute this agreement in two or more counterparts.
- (b) The parties deem that each counterpart is an original.
- (c) All counterparts together constitute one instrument.

### 10.3 Further Acts

Each party will promptly do and perform all further acts and execute and deliver all further documents (in form and content reasonably satisfactory to that party) required by law or reasonably requested by any other party to give effect to this agreement.

### 10.4 Time of the Essence

Time is of the essence of this agreement.

## 10.5 Liability

An obligation of two or more persons binds them separately and together.

## 10.6 Governing Law and Jurisdiction

- (a) This agreement is governed by the laws of Victoria.
- (b) Each party irrevocably and unconditionally submits to the non exclusive jurisdiction of the courts of Victoria.



# Schedule

Holder's name and address:	Simonds Custodians Pty Ltd ACN 050 199 365 in its capacity as trustee for the Gary Simonds No 1 Family Trust of Level 4, 570 St Kilda Road, Melbourne, Victoria, 3004
Each Controller's (if any) name and address:	Vallence Gary Simonds of Level 4, 570 St Kilda Road, Melbourne, Victoria, 3004
Escrow Period:	From the date of this agreement to the earlier of:  (a) date of release of the Entity's Appendix 4E (Preliminary Final Report) for the 2016 financial year; or  (b) two years after the date of this Agreement.
Particulars of Restricted Securities:	6,560,004 fully paid ordinary shares
Particular's of Controller Interests (if any):	Beneficial interest in the Restricted Securities

# Signing page

Executed as a deed

Executed by Simonds Group Limited ACN 143 841 801 in accordance with section 127(1) of the *Corporations Act 2001* (Cth) by:

Signature of Director

Full name (print)

Executed by Simonds Custodians Pty Ltd ACN 050 199 365 in accordance with section 127(1) of the *Corporations Act 2001* (Cth) by:

Valience Gary Simonds Sole Director/Secretary

Signed, sealed and delivered by Vallence Gary Simonds in the presence of:

Signature of witness

Full name of witness (print)

Address of witness (print) Melbourne

Robert 6 STOBBS Full name (print)

Signature of Director/Company Secretary

Signature of Vallence Gary Simonds



# Voluntary Restriction Agreement

**Simonds Group Limited** 

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Simonds Custodians Pty Ltd

and

**Vallence Gary Simonds** 

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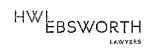
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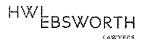


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# Voluntary Restriction Agreement

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(Holder)

### **Vallence Gary Simonds**

of Level 4, 570 St Kilda Road, Melbourne, Victoria, 3004

(Controller)

## Recitals

A. At the request of the Entity, the Holder and the Controller enter into this agreement to restrict the Holder's ability to Deal in the Restricted Securities for the Escrow Period on the terms contained in this agreement.

The parties agree, in consideration of, among other things, the mutual promises contained in this agreement as follows:

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### 1.1 Definitions

In this agreement:

**ASX** 

means ASX Limited ABN 98 008 624 691.



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means a day on which banks are open for business in the State of Victoria, Australia, excluding a Saturday, Sunday or public holiday.

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means the Clearing House Electronic Subregister System as defined in the ASX Settlement Operating Rules.

Controller Interests means, in respect of a Controller, the securities, substantial economic or beneficial interest in the Restricted Securities and each intermediate entity through which that interest occurs, full particulars of which are set out in item 5 of the Schedule.

**Corporations Act** 

means Corporations Act 2001 (Cth).

Dealing

in respect of any Restricted Security, means to:

- dispose of, or agree or offer to dispose of, that Restricted Security or any legal, beneficial or economic interest in that Restricted Security;
- (b) create, or agree or offer to create, any Security Interest in that Restricted Security or any legal, beneficial or economic interest in that Restricted Security; or
- (c) do, or omit to do, any act if the act or omission would have the effect of transferring effective ownership or control of that Restricted Security or any legal, beneficial or economic interest in that Restricted Security.

**Deal and Dealt** 

each have a corresponding meaning.

**Escrow Period** 

means the periods set out in item 3 of the Schedule.

Listing Rules

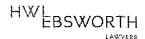
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means the Personal Property Securities Act 2009 (Cth).

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means the securities set out in item 4 of the Schedule.



#### Securities

### Security Interest means an interest or power:

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means fully paid ordinary shares in the capital of the Entity.

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- (f) a reference to any thing (including any right) includes a part of that thing, but nothing in this clause 1.2(f) implies that performance of part of an obligation constitutes performance of the obligation;
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- (j) a reference to time is to Melbourne time;
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## Escrow Restrictions

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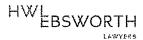
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or if the Dealing is required by applicable law (including an order of a court of competent jurisdiction).

## 2.4 Reinstatement of no Dealing undertaking

If a takeover bid referred to in cause 2.3(a) does not become unconditional or a scheme of arrangement referred to in clause 2.3(b) does not take effect, the obligations in clauses 2.1 and 2.2 will be reinstated for the duration of the Escrow Period.

### 2.5 Notice

If the Holder or a Controller becomes aware:

- (a) that a Dealing in any Restricted Securities or its Controller Interests has occurred, or is likely to occur, during the Escrow Period; or
- (b) of any matter which is likely to give rise to a Dealing in any Restricted Securities or its Controller Interests during the Escrow Period,

it must notify the Entity as soon as practicable after becoming aware of the Dealing or the matters giving rise to the Dealing, providing full details.

## Rights Attaching to Restricted Securities

Nothing in this agreement, including clause 2, affects or in any way restricts the following rights attaching to the Restricted Securities:

- (a) the right to vote;
- (b) the right to receive dividends or other forms of distribution, including in-specie distributions or capital returns; and
- (c) the right to participate in any form of rights, entitlement or other pro-rata offer to shareholders or any bonus or dividend reinvestment plan.

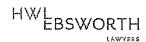
# 4. Holding Lock

## 4.1 Application

The Entity must apply a holding lock to the Restricted Securities during the Escrow Period (if the Restricted Securities are held on an issuer sponsored subregister) or give notice to ASX Settlement requesting it to apply a holding lock (if they are held in a CHESS holding).

#### 4.2 Consent

The Holder and the Controller consent to:



- (a) the Entity entering the Restricted Securities on the Entity's issuer sponsored subregister; and
- (b) the application of a holding lock to such Restricted Securities,

during the Escrow Period. The Entity must take all steps necessary to ensure the Restricted Securities become fully transferable at the end of the Escrow Period.

## 4.3 Removal of Holding Lock

At least 10 Business Days prior to the expiry of the relevant Escrow Period, the Entity must apply to remove any holding lock applied to the applicable Restricted Securities under clause 4.1 (if they are held on an issuer sponsored subregister) or give notice to ASX Settlement requesting it to remove the holding lock (if they are in a CHESS holding). The removal of the holding lock is to take effect from the day after the last day of the relevant Escrow Period.

# 5. Warranties, Representations and Undertaking

## 5.1 Giving of Warranties

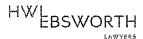
The Holder and each Controller give the warranties and representations in favour of the Entity as at:

- (a) the date of this agreement; and
- (b) at all times until expiry of the Escrow Period.

### 5.2 Warranties and Representations

The Holder and each Controller jointly and severally represent and warrant that:

- (a) it has full power and authority, without the consent of any other person, to enter into and perform its obligations under this agreement (including, if the Holder or Controller has entered into this agreement as a trustee (Trustee), under the trust deed for the relevant trust (Trust);
- (b) it has taken all necessary action to authorise the execution, delivery and performance of this agreement in accordance with its terms;
- (c) this agreement constitutes legal, valid and binding obligations and, subject to any necessary stamping and registration, is enforceable in accordance with its terms;
- (d) the execution, delivery and performance by it of this agreement does not and will not violate, breach or result in a contravention of:
- (e) any applicable law, regulation or authorisation;



- (f) its constitution or other constituent documents (or, if the Holder or Controller is a Trustee, the trust deed for the Trust); or
- (g) any agreement, undertaking, Security Interest, or document which is binding on it;
- (h) prior to the Escrow Period, it has not done, or omitted to do, any act which would result in it Dealing in the Restricted Securities such that it will take effect during the Escrow Period;
- (i) the Restricted Securities are free from all Security Interests and other third party interests or rights and will remain so during the Escrow Period;
- there is no person who has, or will have, at or immediately following Completion, any substantial economic or beneficial interest in the Restricted Securities other than the Holder and the Controller;
- (k) the Holder will at Completion, hold the Restricted Securities set out in item 4 of the Schedule and each Controller will at Completion, hold its Controller Interests set out in item 5 of the Schedule;
- (I) if the Holder or a Controller is a Trustee, the Trustee is the trustee of the Trust and, to the best of its knowledge and belief, there is no proposal to remove it as trustee of the Trust; and
- (m) if the Holder or a Controller is a Trustee:
  - (i) the Holder or Controller has the right to be fully indemnified out of the assets of the Trust in respect of any liability arising under, or in connection with, this agreement and the right has not been modified, released or diminished in any way. The assets of the Trust are sufficient to satisfy that right in full and the Holder or Controller has not released or disposed of its equitable lien over that trust; and
  - (ii) the Trust has not been terminated and there is not effective proposal or requirement to wind up, deregister, terminate, reconstitute or resettle the Trust.

## 5.3 Undertaking

The Holder and each Controller undertakes to the Entity:

- (a) to comply in all respects with this agreement; and
- (b) not to seek any waiver or variation of this agreement without the prior written consent of the Entity.

### 5.4 Effect of Breach of Warranty

A breach of any of the warranties set out in clause 5.1 is a breach of this agreement.

## 5.5 Survival of Warranties and Representations

The warranties and representations set out in clause 5.1 survive termination of this agreement.

## 6. Disputes

### 6.1 Consequences of breach

If the Holder or a Controller breaches this agreement (Defaulting Party), each of the following applies:

- (a) as soon as practicable after becoming aware of the breach, the Entity must take the steps as necessary to prevent the breach, or to enforce the Agreement, including seeking injunctive relief;
- (b) the Entity must refuse to acknowledge, deal with, accept or register any sale, assignment, transfer or conversion of any of the Restricted Securities. This is in addition to other rights and remedies of the Entity; and
- (c) the Defaulting Party will cease to be entitled to any dividends, distributions or voting rights attaching to the Restricted Securities while the breach continues.

## 6.2 Injunctive Relief or Specific Performance

The parties agree that damages would be an insufficient remedy for breach of clauses 2.1 and 2.2 and each of the Holder and Controller agrees that the Entity is entitled to seek and obtain an injunction or specific performance to enforce the Holder and/or Controller's obligation under clause 2.1 or clause 2.2 without proof of actual damage and without prejudice to any of its rights or remedies.

## Disclosure to ASX

The Holder and the Controller authorise the Entity to disclose to the ASX such information relating to the terms of this agreement as is required by ASX under the Listing Rules or otherwise, including disclosure in compliance with Listing Rule 3.10A.

## 8. Confidentiality

The parties agree to keep confidential all information, and to not make press or other announcements or releases, relating to this agreement and the transactions contemplated by it (including the execution of documents) other than as required by law or the Listing Rules.

## 9. Notices

### 9.1 Form of Notice

All notices, requests, demands, consents, approvals, agreements or other communications (**notices**) to or by a party given for the purposes of Agreement must be:

- (a) in writing;
- (b) signed by the party giving notice or a person duly authorised by that party or, where transmitted by e-mail, sent by the party giving notice or a person duly authorised by that party;
- (c) directed to the recipient's address (as specified in clause 9.3 or as varied by any notice); and
- (d) hand delivered, sent by prepaid post or transmitted by email or facsimile to that address,

and will be taken to be duly given or made (in the case of delivery in person or by post or email or facsimile transmission) when delivered, received or left at the address of the recipient shown in this agreement or to any other address which it may have notified the sender.

## 9.2 Receipt

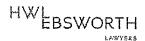
A notice given in accordance with this clause is taken as having been given and received:

- (a) if hand delivered at or before 4.00 pm on a Business Day, on delivery, otherwise at 9.30 am on the next Business Day;
- (b) if sent by prepaid post, on the seventh Business Day after the date of posting;
- (c) if transmitted by e-mail, on the first Business Day after the date of transmission;or
- (d) if transmitted by facsimile at or before 4.00 pm on a Business Day, at the time recorded on the transmission report indicating successful transmission of the entire notice, otherwise at 9.30 am on the next Business Day.

### 9.3 Address for notices

Unless varied by notice in accordance with this clause 9.3, the parties' addresses and other details are:

(a) if to the Entity:



Address:

Level 4, 570 St Kilda Road, Melbourne, Victoria, 3004

Email:

paul.mcmahon@simonds.com.au

Facsimile:

N/A

Attention:

Paul McMahon

(b) if to the Holder:

Address:

Level 4, 570 St Kilda Road, Melbourne, Victoria, 3004

Email:

marisa.cucuzza@simonds.com.au

Facsimile:

N/A

Attention:

**Gary Simonds** 

(c) if to the Controller:

Address:

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Email:

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Facsimile:

N/A

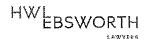
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Gary Simonds

## 10. General

### 10.1 Amendments

This agreement may only be varied by a document signed by or on behalf of the parties.



## 10.2 Counterparts

- (a) The parties may execute this agreement in two or more counterparts.
- (b) The parties deem that each counterpart is an original.
- (c) All counterparts together constitute one instrument.

### 10.3 Further Acts

Each party will promptly do and perform all further acts and execute and deliver all further documents (in form and content reasonably satisfactory to that party) required by law or reasonably requested by any other party to give effect to this agreement.

### 10.4 Time of the Essence

Time is of the essence of this agreement.

## 10.5 Liability

An obligation of two or more persons binds them separately and together.

## 10.6 Governing Law and Jurisdiction

- (a) This agreement is governed by the laws of Victoria.
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# Schedule

Holder's name and address:	Simonds Custodians Pty Ltd ACN 050 199 365 in its capacity as trustee for the Gary Simonds No 2 Family Trust of Level 4, 570 St Kilda Road, Melbourne, Victoria, 3004		
Each Controller's (if any) name and address:	Vallence Gary Simonds of Level 4, 570 St Kilda Road, Melbourne, Victoria, 3004		
Escrow Period:	From the date of this agreement to the earlier of:  (a) date of release of the Entity's Appendix 4E (Preliminary Final Report) for the 2016 financial year; or  (b) two years after the date of this Agreement.		
Particulars of Restricted Securities:	9,840,006 fully paid ordinary shares		
Particular's of Controller Interests (if any):	Beneficial interest in the Restricted Securities		

# Signing page

Executed as a deed

Executed by Simonds Group Limited ACN 143 841 801 in accordance with section 127(1) of the Corporations Act 2001 (Cth) by:

Signature of Director

Full name (print)

Executed by Simonds Custodians Pty Ltd ACN 050 199 365 in accordance with section 127(1) of the *Corporations Act 2001* (Cth) by:

Vallence Gary Simonds Sole Director/Secretary

Signed, sealed and delivered by Vallence Gary Simonds in the presence of:

Signature of witness

Full name of witness (print)

Address of witness (print)

Kelbourne

Signature of Company Secretary

Robert G. STUBBS.

Signature of Vallence Gary Simonds



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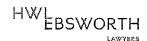
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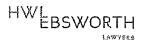
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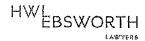
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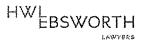
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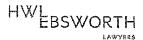
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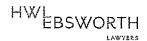
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#### 9.3 Address for notices

Unless varied by notice in accordance with this clause 9.3, the parties' addresses and other details are:

(a) if to the Entity:



Address:

Level 4, 570 St Kilda Road, Melbourne, Victoria, 3004

Email:

paul.mcmahon@simonds.com.au

Facsimile:

N/A

Attention:

Paul McMahon

(b) if to the Holder:

Address:

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Email:

marisa.cucuzza@simonds.com.au

Facsimile:

N/A

Attention:

Gary Simonds

(c) if to the Controller:

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Facsimile:

N/A

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Each party will promptly do and perform all further acts and execute and deliver all further documents (in form and content reasonably satisfactory to that party) required by law or reasonably requested by any other party to give effect to this agreement.

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Time is of the essence of this agreement.

#### 10.5 Liability

An obligation of two or more persons binds them separately and together.

#### 10.6 Governing Law and Jurisdiction

- (a) This agreement is governed by the laws of Victoria.
- (b) Each party irrevocably and unconditionally submits to the non exclusive jurisdiction of the courts of Victoria.



# Schedule

Holder's name and address:	Simonds Custodians Pty Ltd ACN 050 199 365 in its capacity as trustee for the Gary Simonds No 3 Family Trust of Level 4, 570 St Kilda Road, Melbourne, Victoria, 3004		
Each Controller's (if any) name and address:	Vallence Gary Simonds of Level 4, 570 St Kilda Road, Melbourne, Victoria, 3004		
Escrow Period:	From the date of this agreement to the earlier of:  (a) date of release of the Entity's Appendix 4E (Preliminary Final Report) for the 2016 financial year; or  (b) two years after the date of this Agreement.		
Particulars of Restricted Securities:	16,400,010 fully paid ordinary shares		
Particular's of Controller Interests (if any):	Beneficial interest in the Restricted Securities		

## Signing page

Executed as a deed

Executed by Simonds Group Limited ACN 143 841 801 in accordance with section 127(1) of the Corporations Act 2001 (Cth) by:

Signature of Director

Full name (print)

Executed by Simonds

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Vallence Gary Simonds Sole Director/Secretary

Signed, sealed and delivered by Vallence Gary Simonds in the presence of:

Signature of witness

Full name of witness (print)

Address of witness (print

Melboure

Robert GS20BBS.

Full name (print)

Signature of Vallence Gary Simonds



# Voluntary Restriction Agreement

Simonds Group Limited

and

**Simonds Constructions Pty Ltd** 

and

Valience Gary Simonds

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# Voluntary Restriction Agreement

Date

**Parties** 

Simonds Group Limited ACN 143 841 801

of Level 4, 570 St Kilda Road, Melbourne, Victoria, 3004

(Entity)

Simonds Constructions Pty Ltd ACN 137 871 982 in its capacity as trustee for the Simonds Homes Discretionary Trust

of Level 4, 570 St Kilda Road, Melbourne, Victoria, 3004

(Holder)

Vallence Gary Simonds

of Level 4, 570 St Kilda Road, Melbourne, Victoria, 3004

(Controller)

Recitals

A. At the request of the Entity, the Holder and the Controller enter into this agreement to restrict the Holder's ability to Deal in the Restricted Securities for the Escrow Period on the terms contained in this agreement.

The parties agree, in consideration of, among other things, the mutual promises contained in this agreement as follows:

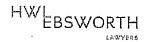
# Definitions and interpretation clauses

#### 1.1 Definitions

In this agreement:

**ASX** 

means ASX Limited ABN 98 008 624 691.



**ASX Settlement** 

means ASX Settlement Pty Limited ACN 008 504 532.

**Business Day** 

means a day on which banks are open for business in the State of Victoria, Australia, excluding a Saturday, Sunday or public holiday.

**CHESS** 

means the Clearing House Electronic Subregister System as defined in the ASX Settlement Operating Rules.

Controller Interests means, in respect of a Controller, the securities, substantial economic or beneficial interest in the Restricted Securities and each intermediate entity through which that interest occurs, full particulars of which are set out in item 5 of the Schedule.

**Corporations Act** 

means Corporations Act 2001 (Cth).

Dealing

in respect of any Restricted Security, means to:

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**Deal and Dealt** 

each have a corresponding meaning.

**Escrow Period** 

means the periods set out in item 3 of the Schedule.

**Listing Rules** 

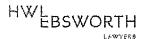
means the official listing rules of ASX as amended from time to time.

**PPSA** 

means the Personal Property Securities Act 2009 (Cth).

Restricted

means the securities set out in item 4 of the Schedule.



#### Securities

#### Security Interest means an interest or power:

- (a) reserved in or over an interest in any asset including, but not limited to, any retention of title; or
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**Shares** 

means fully paid ordinary shares in the capital of the Entity.

#### 1.2 Interpretation

In this agreement, unless the context requires otherwise:

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- (b) the singular includes the plural and the plural includes the singular;
- (c) a gender includes all other genders;
- (d) other parts of speech and grammatical forms of a word or phrase defined in this the have a corresponding meaning;
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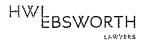
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- (b) the transfer or cancellation of the Shares as part of a scheme of arrangement under Part 5.1 of the Corporations Act,



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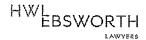
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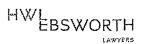
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An obligation of two or more persons binds them separately and together.

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- (a) This agreement is governed by the laws of Victoria.
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# Schedule

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Each Controller's (if any) name and address:	Vallence Gary Simonds of Level 4, 570 St Kilda Road, Melbourne, Victoria, 3004
Escrow Period:	From the date of this agreement to the earlier of:  (a) date of release of the Entity's Appendix 4E (Preliminary Final Report) for the 2016 financial year; or  (b) two years after the date of this Agreement.
Particulars of Restricted Securities:	21,485,018 fully paid ordinary shares
Particular's of Controller Interests (if any):	Beneficial interest in the Restricted Securities

## Signing page

Executed as a deed

**Executed by Simonds Group Limited** ACN 143 841 801 in accordance with section 127(1) of the Corporations Act 2001 (Cth) by:/

Signature of Director

Signature of Director/Company Secretary

Robert 6 SCOBBS

**Executed by Simonds Constructions Pty** Ltd ACN 137 871 982 in accordance with section 127(1) of the Corporations Act 2001 (Cth) by:

Vallence Gary Simonds Sole Director/Secretary

Signed, sealed and delivered by Vallence Gary Simonds in the presence of:

Signature of witness

Signature of Vallence Gary Simonds

Full name of witness (print)

Level 16,530 Collins Meet
Address of witness (print)

Melbourne



# Voluntary Restriction Agreement

**Simonds Group Limited** 

and

**Madisson Constructions Pty Ltd** 

and

Vallence Gary Simonds

Ref TK:DW:316579

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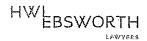


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# Voluntary Restriction Agreement

Date

#### **Parties**

#### Simonds Group Limited

ACN 143 841 801 of Level 4, 570 St Kilda Road, Melbourne, Victoria, 3004

(Entity)

Madisson Constructions Pty Ltd ACN 141 838 726 in its capacity as trustee for the Madisson Homes Trust of Level 4, 570 St Kilda Road, Melbourne, Victoria, 3004

(Holder)

#### **Vallence Gary Simonds**

of Level 4, 570 St Kilda Road, Melbourne, Victoria, 3004

(Controller)

#### Recitals

A. At the request of the Entity, the Holder and the Controller enter into this agreement to restrict the Holder's ability to Deal in the Restricted Securities for the Escrow Period on the terms contained in this agreement.

The parties agree, in consideration of, among other things, the mutual promises contained in this agreement as follows:

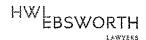
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In this agreement:

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means a day on which banks are open for business in the State of Victoria, Australia, excluding a Saturday, Sunday or public holiday.

**CHESS** 

means the Clearing House Electronic Subregister System as defined in the ASX Settlement Operating Rules.

Controller Interests

means, in respect of a Controller, the securities, substantial economic or beneficial interest in the Restricted Securities and each intermediate entity through which that interest occurs, full particulars of which are set out in item 5 of the Schedule.

**Corporations Act** 

means Corporations Act 2001 (Cth).

Dealing

in respect of any Restricted Security, means to:

- dispose of, or agree or offer to dispose of, that Restricted Security or any legal, beneficial or economic interest in that Restricted Security;
- (b) create, or agree or offer to create, any Security Interest in that Restricted Security or any legal, beneficial or economic interest in that Restricted Security; or
- (c) do, or omit to do, any act if the act or omission would have the effect of transferring effective ownership or control of that Restricted Security or any legal, beneficial or economic interest in that Restricted Security.

**Deal and Dealt** 

each have a corresponding meaning.

**Escrow Period** 

means the periods set out in item 3 of the Schedule.

**Listing Rules** 

means the official listing rules of ASX as amended from time to time.

**PPSA** 

means the Personal Property Securities Act 2009 (Cth).

Restricted

means the securities set out in item 4 of the Schedule.



#### **Securities**

### Security Interest means an interest or power:

- (a) reserved in or over an interest in any asset including, but not limited to, any retention of title; or
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- (c) any agreement to grant or create any interest or power referred to in paragraphs (a) or (b) of this definition.

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means fully paid ordinary shares in the capital of the Entity.

#### 1.2 Interpretation

In this agreement, unless the context requires otherwise:

- (a) headings and italicised, highlighted or bold type do not affect the interpretation of this agreement;
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- (f) a reference to any thing (including any right) includes a part of that thing, but nothing in this clause 1.2(f) implies that performance of part of an obligation constitutes performance of the obligation;
- (g) a reference to a clause, party, annexure, exhibit or schedule is a reference to a clause of, and a party, annexure, exhibit and schedule to, this agreement and a reference to this agreement includes any clause, annexure, exhibit and schedule;
- (h) a reference to a document (including this agreement) includes all amendments or supplements to, or replacements or novations of, that document;
- (i) a reference to a party to any document includes that party's successors and permitted assigns;



- a reference to time is to Melbourne time;
- (k) the word person means a natural person and any association, body or entity whether incorporated or not;
- (I) where any word or phrase is defined, any other part of speech or other grammatical form of that word or phrase has a cognate meaning;
- a covenant or agreement on the part of two or more persons binds them jointly and severally;
- (n) no rule of construction applies to the disadvantage of a party because this agreement is prepared by (or on behalf of) that party; and
- (o) a reference to any thing is a reference to the whole and each part of it.

# 1.3 Business Day

If anything under this agreement is required to be done by or on a day that is not a Business Day that thing must be done by or on the next Business Day.

#### 1.4 Definitions in the Listing Rules

Unless otherwise defined in this agreement, terms defined in the Listing Rules have that defined meaning in this agreement.

# 2. Escrow Restrictions

#### 2.1 Escrow Restrictions - Holder

Subject to clause 2.3, the Holder must not Deal in the Restricted Securities during the Escrow Period.

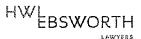
#### 2.2 Escrow Restrictions - Controller

Subject to clause 2.3, each Controller must not Deal in its Controller Interests during the Escrow Period.

#### 2.3 Exceptions

During the Escrow Period, the Holder or Controller may Deal in any of its Restricted Securities or Controller Interests (as relevant) if the Dealing arises solely as a result of:

- (a) the acceptance of a bona fide takeover bid made under Chapter 6 of the Corporations Act in respect for some or all of the Shares;
- (b) the transfer or cancellation of the Shares as part of a scheme of arrangement under Part 5.1 of the Corporations Act,



or if the Dealing is required by applicable law (including an order of a court of competent jurisdiction).

# 2.4 Reinstatement of no Dealing undertaking

If a takeover bid referred to in cause 2.3(a) does not become unconditional or a scheme of arrangement referred to in clause 2.3(b) does not take effect, the obligations in clauses 2.1 and 2.2 will be reinstated for the duration of the Escrow Period.

#### 2.5 Notice

If the Holder or a Controller becomes aware:

- (a) that a Dealing in any Restricted Securities or its Controller Interests has occurred, or is likely to occur, during the Escrow Period; or
- (b) of any matter which is likely to give rise to a Dealing in any Restricted Securities or its Controller Interests during the Escrow Period,

it must notify the Entity as soon as practicable after becoming aware of the Dealing or the matters giving rise to the Dealing, providing full details.

# Rights Attaching to Restricted Securities

Nothing in this agreement, including clause 2, affects or in any way restricts the following rights attaching to the Restricted Securities:

- (a) the right to vote;
- (b) the right to receive dividends or other forms of distribution, including in-specie distributions or capital returns; and
- (c) the right to participate in any form of rights, entitlement or other pro-rata offer to shareholders or any bonus or dividend reinvestment plan.

# 4. Holding Lock

#### 4.1 Application

The Entity must apply a holding lock to the Restricted Securities during the Escrow Period (if the Restricted Securities are held on an issuer sponsored subregister) or give notice to ASX Settlement requesting it to apply a holding lock (if they are held in a CHESS holding).

#### 4.2 Consent

The Holder and the Controller consent to:



- (a) the Entity entering the Restricted Securities on the Entity's issuer sponsored subregister; and
- (b) the application of a holding lock to such Restricted Securities,

during the Escrow Period. The Entity must take all steps necessary to ensure the Restricted Securities become fully transferable at the end of the Escrow Period.

#### 4.3 Removal of Holding Lock

At least 10 Business Days prior to the expiry of the relevant Escrow Period, the Entity must apply to remove any holding lock applied to the applicable Restricted Securities under clause 4.1 (if they are held on an issuer sponsored subregister) or give notice to ASX Settlement requesting it to remove the holding lock (if they are in a CHESS holding). The removal of the holding lock is to take effect from the day after the last day of the relevant Escrow Period.

# 5. Warranties, Representations and Undertaking

### 5.1 Giving of Warranties

The Holder and each Controller give the warranties and representations in favour of the Entity as at:

- (a) the date of this agreement; and
- (b) at all times until expiry of the Escrow Period.

#### 5.2 Warranties and Representations

The Holder and each Controller jointly and severally represent and warrant that:

- (a) it has full power and authority, without the consent of any other person, to enter into and perform its obligations under this agreement (including, if the Holder or Controller has entered into this agreement as a trustee (**Trustee**), under the trust deed for the relevant trust (**Trust**);
- (b) it has taken all necessary action to authorise the execution, delivery and performance of this agreement in accordance with its terms;
- this agreement constitutes legal, valid and binding obligations and, subject to any necessary stamping and registration, is enforceable in accordance with its terms;
- (d) the execution, delivery and performance by it of this agreement does not and will not violate, breach or result in a contravention of:
- (e) any applicable law, regulation or authorisation;



- (f) its constitution or other constituent documents (or, if the Holder or Controller is a Trustee, the trust deed for the Trust); or
- (g) any agreement, undertaking, Security Interest, or document which is binding on it:
- (h) prior to the Escrow Period, it has not done, or omitted to do, any act which would result in it Dealing in the Restricted Securities such that it will take effect during the Escrow Period;
- (i) the Restricted Securities are free from all Security Interests and other third party interests or rights and will remain so during the Escrow Period;
- (j) there is no person who has, or will have, at or immediately following Completion, any substantial economic or beneficial interest in the Restricted Securities other than the Holder and the Controller;
- (k) the Holder will at Completion, hold the Restricted Securities set out in item 4 of the Schedule and each Controller will at Completion, hold its Controller Interests set out in item 5 of the Schedule;
- (I) if the Holder or a Controller is a Trustee, the Trustee is the trustee of the Trust and, to the best of its knowledge and belief, there is no proposal to remove it as trustee of the Trust; and
- (m) if the Holder or a Controller is a Trustee:
  - (i) the Holder or Controller has the right to be fully indemnified out of the assets of the Trust in respect of any liability arising under, or in connection with, this agreement and the right has not been modified, released or diminished in any way. The assets of the Trust are sufficient to satisfy that right in full and the Holder or Controller has not released or disposed of its equitable lien over that trust; and
  - (ii) the Trust has not been terminated and there is not effective proposal or requirement to wind up, deregister, terminate, reconstitute or resettle the Trust.

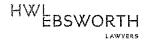
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The Holder and each Controller undertakes to the Entity:

- (a) to comply in all respects with this agreement; and
- (b) not to seek any waiver or variation of this agreement without the prior written consent of the Entity.

#### 5.4 Effect of Breach of Warranty

A breach of any of the warranties set out in clause 5.1 is a breach of this agreement.



#### 5.5 Survival of Warranties and Representations

The warranties and representations set out in clause 5.1 survive termination of this agreement.

# 6. Disputes

#### 6.1 Consequences of breach

If the Holder or a Controller breaches this agreement (Defaulting Party), each of the following applies:

- (a) as soon as practicable after becoming aware of the breach, the Entity must take
  the steps as necessary to prevent the breach, or to enforce the Agreement,
  including seeking injunctive relief;
- (b) the Entity must refuse to acknowledge, deal with, accept or register any sale, assignment, transfer or conversion of any of the Restricted Securities. This is in addition to other rights and remedies of the Entity; and
- (c) the Defaulting Party will cease to be entitled to any dividends, distributions or voting rights attaching to the Restricted Securities while the breach continues.

### 6.2 Injunctive Relief or Specific Performance

The parties agree that damages would be an insufficient remedy for breach of clauses 2.1 and 2.2 and each of the Holder and Controller agrees that the Entity is entitled to seek and obtain an injunction or specific performance to enforce the Holder and/or Controller's obligation under clause 2.1 or clause 2.2 without proof of actual damage and without prejudice to any of its rights or remedies.

#### Disclosure to ASX

The Holder and the Controller authorise the Entity to disclose to the ASX such information relating to the terms of this agreement as is required by ASX under the Listing Rules or otherwise, including disclosure in compliance with Listing Rule 3.10A.

# Confidentiality

The parties agree to keep confidential all information, and to not make press or other announcements or releases, relating to this agreement and the transactions contemplated by it (including the execution of documents) other than as required by law or the Listing Rules.

### 9. Notices

# 9.1 Form of Notice

All notices, requests, demands, consents, approvals, agreements or other communications (**notices**) to or by a party given for the purposes of Agreement must be:

- (a) in writing;
- (b) signed by the party giving notice or a person duly authorised by that party or, where transmitted by e-mail, sent by the party giving notice or a person duly authorised by that party;
- (c) directed to the recipient's address (as specified in clause 9.3 or as varied by any notice); and
- (d) hand delivered, sent by prepaid post or transmitted by email or facsimile to that address,

and will be taken to be duly given or made (in the case of delivery in person or by post or email or facsimile transmission) when delivered, received or left at the address of the recipient shown in this agreement or to any other address which it may have notified the sender.

# 9.2 Receipt

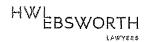
A notice given in accordance with this clause is taken as having been given and received:

- (a) if hand delivered at or before 4.00 pm on a Business Day, on delivery, otherwise at 9.30 am on the next Business Day;
- (b) if sent by prepaid post, on the seventh Business Day after the date of posting;
- (c) if transmitted by e-mail, on the first Business Day after the date of transmission; or
- (d) if transmitted by facsimile at or before 4.00 pm on a Business Day, at the time recorded on the transmission report indicating successful transmission of the entire notice, otherwise at 9.30 am on the next Business Day.

#### 9.3 Address for notices

Unless varied by notice in accordance with this clause 9.3, the parties' addresses and other details are:

(a) if to the Entity:



Address:

Level 4, 570 St Kilda Road, Melbourne, Victoria, 3004

Email:

paul.mcmahon@simonds.com.au

Facsimile:

N/A

Attention:

Paul McMahon

(b) if to the Holder:

Address:

Level 4, 570 St Kilda Road, Melbourne, Victoria, 3004

Email:

marisa.cucuzza@simonds.com.au

Facsimile:

N/A

Attention:

Gary Simonds

(c) if to the Controller:

Address:

Level 4, 570 St Kilda Road, Melbourne, Victoria, 3004

Email:

marisa.cucuzza@simonds.com.au

Facsimile:

N/A

Attention:

**Gary Simonds** 

# 10. General

#### 10.1 Amendments

This agreement may only be varied by a document signed by or on behalf of the parties.

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Particulars of Restricted Securities:	1,572,678 fully paid ordinary shares	
Particular's of Controller Interests (if any):	Beneficial interest in the Restricted Securities	

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Signature of Director

Full name (print)

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Vallence Gary Simonds Sole Director/Secretary

Signed, sealed and delivered by Vallence Gary Simonds in the presence of:

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Full name of witness (print)

Address of witness (print) / //

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Signature of Electric /Company Secretary

Full name (print)

Signature of Vallence Gary Simonds



# Voluntary Restriction Agreement

**Simonds Group Limited** 

and

Silver Street Investments Pty Ltd

and

Paul Anthony McMahon

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# Voluntary Restriction Agreement

Date **Parties** Simonds Group Limited ACN 143 841 801 of Level 4, 570 St Kilda Road, Melbourne, Victoria, 3004 (Entity) Silver Street Investments Pty Ltd ACN 602 023 834 in its capacity as trustee for the Silver Street Trust (Holder) Paul Anthony McMahon and Vicky Louise McMahon (each is a "Controller" and collectively the "Controllers") Recitals At the request of the Entity, the Holder and the Controllers enter A. into this agreement to restrict the Holder's ability to Deal in the Restricted Securities for the Escrow Period on the terms contained in this agreement.

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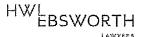
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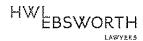
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# 5. Warranties, Representations and Undertaking

#### 5.1 Giving of Warranties

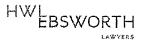
The Holder and each Controller give the warranties and representations in favour of the Entity as at:

- (a) the date of this agreement; and
- (b) at all times until expiry of the Escrow Period.

#### 5.2 Warranties and Representations

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- Controller has entered into this agreement as a trustee (**Trustee**), under the trust deed for the relevant trust (**Trust**);
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- (h) prior to the Escrow Period, it has not done, or omitted to do, any act which would result in it Dealing in the Restricted Securities such that it will take effect during the Escrow Period;
- (i) the Restricted Securities are free from all Security Interests and other third party interests or rights and will remain so during the Escrow Period;
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The Holder and each Controller undertakes to the Entity:

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If the Holder or a Controller breaches this agreement (Defaulting Party), each of the following applies:

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The parties agree to keep confidential all information, and to not make press or other announcements or releases, relating to this agreement and the transactions contemplated by it (including the execution of documents) other than as required by law or the Listing Rules.

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All notices, requests, demands, consents, approvals, agreements or other communications (**notices**) to or by a party given for the purposes of Agreement must be:

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- (b) signed by the party giving notice or a person duly authorised by that party or, where transmitted by e-mail, sent by the party giving notice or a person duly authorised by that party;
- (c) directed to the recipient's address (as specified in clause 9.3 or as varied by any notice); and
- (d) hand delivered, sent by prepaid post or transmitted by email or facsimile to that address,

and will be taken to be duly given or made (in the case of delivery in person or by post or email or facsimile transmission) when delivered, received or left at the address of the recipient shown in this agreement or to any other address which it may have notified the sender.

### 9.2 Receipt

A notice given in accordance with this clause is taken as having been given and received:

- (a) if hand delivered at or before 4.00 pm on a Business Day, on delivery, otherwise at 9.30 am on the next Business Day;
- (b) if sent by prepaid post, on the seventh Business Day after the date of posting;



- (c) if transmitted by e-mail, on the first Business Day after the date of transmission; or
- (d) if transmitted by facsimile at or before 4.00 pm on a Business Day, at the time recorded on the transmission report indicating successful transmission of the entire notice, otherwise at 9.30 am on the next Business Day.

#### 9.3 Address for notices

Unless varied by notice in accordance with this clause 9.3, the parties' addresses and other details are:

(a) if to the Entity:

Address:

Level 4, 570 St Kilda Road, Melbourne, Victoria, 3004

Email:

paul.mcmahon@simonds.com.au

Facsimile:

N/A

Attention:

Paul McMahon

(b) if to the Holder:

Address:

Email:

paul.mcmahon@simonds.com.au

Facsimile:

N/A

Attention:

Paul McMahon and Vicky Louise McMahon

(c) if to the Controllers:

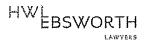
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Facsimile:

N/A



Attention:

Paul McMahon and Vicky Louise McMahon

# 10. General

#### 10.1 Amendments

This agreement may only be varied by a document signed by or on behalf of the parties.

### 10.2 Counterparts

- (a) The parties may execute this agreement in two or more counterparts.
- (b) The parties deem that each counterpart is an original.
- (c) All counterparts together constitute one instrument.

#### 10.3 Further Acts

Each party will promptly do and perform all further acts and execute and deliver all further documents (in form and content reasonably satisfactory to that party) required by law or reasonably requested by any other party to give effect to this agreement.

### 10.4 Time of the Essence

Time is of the essence of this agreement.

#### 10.5 Liability

An obligation of two or more persons binds them separately and together.

#### 10.6 Governing Law and Jurisdiction

- (a) This agreement is governed by the laws of Victoria.
- (b) Each party irrevocably and unconditionally submits to the non exclusive jurisdiction of the courts of Victoria.



# Schedule

Holder's name and address:	Silver Street Investments Pty Ltd ACN 602 023 834 in its capacity as trustee for the Silver Street Trust of	
Each Controller's (if any) name and address:	Vicky Louise McMahon of	
Escrow Period:	From the date of this agreement to the earlier of:  (a) date of release of the Entity's Appendix 4E (Preliminary Final Report) for the 2016 financial year; or  (b) two years after the date of this Agreement.	
Particulars of Restricted Securities:	3,300,000 fully paid ordinary shares	
Particular's of Controller Interests (if any):	Beneficial interest in the Restricted Securities	

# Signing page

Executed as a deed

**Executed by Simonds Group Limited** ACN 143 841 801 in accordance with section 127(1) of the Corporations Act 2001 (Cth) by:

Signature of Director

Signature of Effector/Company Secretary

Robert G STUBBS
Full name (print)

**Executed by Silver Street Investments** Pty Ltd ACN 602 023 834 in accordance with section 127(1) of the Corporations Act 2001 (Cth) by:

Vicky Louise McMahon Sole Director/Secretary

Signed\_sealed and delivered by Vicky Louise McMahon in the presence of:

Signature of witness

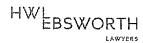
Signature of Vicky Louise McMahon

Full name of witness (print)

Leve L 1

570 ST KILLA ROBS MELISOURINE.

Address of witness (print)



Signed, sealed and delivered by Paul
Anthony McMahon in the presence of:

Signature of witness

Signature of Paul Anthony McMahon

Full name of witness (print)

Address of witness (print)



# Voluntary Restriction Agreement

**Simonds Group Limited** 

and

McMahon Property Nominees Pty Ltd

and

Paul Anthony McMahon

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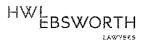


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Date Simonds Group Limited ACN 143 841 801 **Parties** of Level 4, 570 St Kilda Road, Melbourne, Victoria, 3004 (Entity) McMahon Property Nominees Pty Ltd ACN 156 275 115 as custodian for McMahon SF Pty Ltd ACN 152 687 039 as trustee of the McMahon Superannuation Fund ABN 21 693 164 477 (Holder) Paul Anthony McMahon and Vicky Louise McMahon (each is a "Controller" and collectively the "Controllers") Recitals At the request of the Entity, the Holder and the Controllers enter A. into this agreement to restrict the Holder's ability to Deal in the Restricted Securities for the Escrow Period on the terms contained in this agreement.

The parties agree, in consideration of, among other things, the mutual promises contained in this agreement as follows:



# Definitions and interpretation clauses

#### 1.1 Definitions

In this agreement:

**ASX** 

means ASX Limited ABN 98 008 624 691.

**ASX Settlement** 

means ASX Settlement Pty Limited ACN 008 504 532.

**Business Day** 

means a day on which banks are open for business in the State of Victoria, Australia, excluding a Saturday, Sunday or public holiday.

**CHESS** 

means the Clearing House Electronic Subregister System as defined in the ASX Settlement Operating Rules.

Controller Interests means, in respect of a Controller, the securities, substantial economic or beneficial interest in the Restricted Securities and each intermediate entity through which that interest occurs, full particulars of which are set out in item 5xof the Schedule.

**Corporations Act** 

means Corporations Act 2001 (Cth).

Dealing

in respect of any Restricted Security, means to:

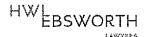
- dispose of, or agree or offer to dispose of, that Restricted Security or any legal, beneficial or economic interest in that Restricted Security;
- (b) create, or agree or offer to create, any Security Interest in that Restricted Security or any legal, beneficial or economic interest in that Restricted Security; or
- (c) do, or omit to do, any act if the act or omission would have the effect of transferring effective ownership or control of that Restricted Security or any legal, beneficial or economic interest in that Restricted Security.

**Deal and Dealt** 

each have a corresponding meaning.

**Escrow Period** 

means the periods set out in item 3 of the Schedule.



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means the official listing rules of ASX as amended from time to time.

**PPSA** 

means the Personal Property Securities Act 2009 (Cth).

Restricted Securities means the securities set out in item 4 of the Schedule.

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means an interest or power:

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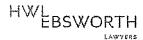
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In this agreement, unless the context requires otherwise:

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- (d) hand delivered, sent by prepaid post or transmitted by email or facsimile to that address,

and will be taken to be duly given or made (in the case of delivery in person or by post or email or facsimile transmission) when delivered, received or left at the address of the recipient shown in this agreement or to any other address which it may have notified the sender.

#### 9.2 Receipt

A notice given in accordance with this clause is taken as having been given and received:

- (a) if hand delivered at or before 4.00 pm on a Business Day, on delivery, otherwise at 9.30 am on the next Business Day;
- (b) if sent by prepaid post, on the seventh Business Day after the date of posting;



- (c) if transmitted by e-mail, on the first Business Day after the date of transmission; or
- (d) if transmitted by facsimile at or before 4.00 pm on a Business Day, at the time recorded on the transmission report indicating successful transmission of the entire notice, otherwise at 9.30 am on the next Business Day.

#### 9.3 Address for notices

Unless varied by notice in accordance with this clause 9.3, the parties' addresses and other details are:

(a) if to the Entity:

Address:

Level 4, 570 St Kilda Road, Melbourne, Victoria, 3004

Email:

paul.mcmahon@simonds.com.au

Facsimile:

N/A

Attention:

Paul McMahon

(b) if to the Holder:

Address:

Email:

paul.mcmahon@simonds.com.au

Facsimile:

N/A

Attention:

Paul McMahon and Vicky Louise McMahon

(c) if to the Controllers:

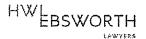
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An obligation of two or more persons binds them separately and together.

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# Schedule

Holder's name and address:	McMahon Property Nominees Pty Ltd ACN 156 275 115 as custodian for McMahon SF Pty Ltd ACN 152 687 039 as trustee of the McMahon Superannuation Fund ABN 21 693 164 477	
Each Controller's (if any) name and address:	Paul Anthony McMahon of Control o	
Escrow Period:	From the date of this agreement to the earlier of:	
	(a) date of release of the Entity's Appendix 4E (Preliminary Final Report) for the 2016 financial year; or	
	(b) two years after the date of this Agreement.	
Particulars of Restricted Securities:	700,000 fully paid ordinary shares	
Particular's of Controller Interests (if any):	Beneficial interest in the Restricted Securities	

# Signing page

Executed as a deed

**Executed by Simonds Group Limited** ACN 143 841 801 in accordance with section 127(1) of the Corporations Act 2001 (Cth) by:

Signature of Director

Signature of Director/Company Secretary

Robert G. S CUBBS
Full name (print)

**Executed by McMahon Property** Nominees Pty Ltd ACN 156 275 115 in accordance with section 127(1) of the Corporations Act 2001 (Cth) by:

Signature of Director

Full name (print)

Signature of Director/Company Secretary

Signed, sealed and delivered by Vicky Louise McMakon in the presence of:	
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Full name of witness (print)	
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Address of witness (print)	
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# Voluntary Restriction Agreement

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Mark Vujovich

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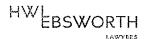


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# Voluntary Restriction Agreement

Parties

Simonds Group Limited ACN 143 841 801

of Level 4, 570 St Kilda Road, Melbourne, Victoria, 3004

(Entity)

Mark Vujovich

of

(Holder)

Not applicable

(Controller)

Recitals

A. At the request of the Entity, the Holder and the Controller enter into this agreement to restrict the Holder's ability to Deal in the Restricted Securities for the Escrow Period on the terms

The parties agree, in consideration of, among other things, the mutual promises contained in this agreement as follows:

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# Definitions and interpretation clauses

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means Corporations Act 2001 (Cth).

**Dealing** 

in respect of any Restricted Security, means to:

- dispose of, or agree or offer to dispose of, that Restricted Security or any legal, beneficial or economic interest in that Restricted Security;
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**Escrow Period** 

means the periods set out in item 3 of the Schedule.

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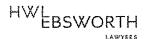
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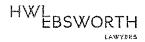
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means fully paid ordinary shares in the capital of the Entity.

#### 1.2 Interpretation

In this agreement, unless the context requires otherwise:

- (a) headings and italicised, highlighted or bold type do not affect the interpretation of this agreement;
- (b) the singular includes the plural and the plural includes the singular;
- (c) a gender includes all other genders;
- (d) other parts of speech and grammatical forms of a word or phrase defined in this the have a corresponding meaning;
- (e) a reference to a "person" includes any individual, firm, company, partnership, joint venture, an unincorporated body or association, trust, corporation or other body corporate and any Government Agency (whether or not having a separate legal personality);
- (f) a reference to any thing (including any right) includes a part of that thing, but nothing in this clause 1.2(f) implies that performance of part of an obligation constitutes performance of the obligation;
- (g) a reference to a clause, party, annexure, exhibit or schedule is a reference to a clause of, and a party, annexure, exhibit and schedule to, this agreement and a reference to this agreement includes any clause, annexure, exhibit and schedule;
- (h) a reference to a document (including this agreement) includes all amendments or supplements to, or replacements or novations of, that document;
- a reference to a party to any document includes that party's successors and permitted assigns;
- (j) a reference to time is to Melbourne time;



- (k) the word person means a natural person and any association, body or entity whether incorporated or not;
- where any word or phrase is defined, any other part of speech or other grammatical form of that word or phrase has a cognate meaning;
- a covenant or agreement on the part of two or more persons binds them jointly and severally;
- (n) no rule of construction applies to the disadvantage of a party because this agreement is prepared by (or on behalf of) that party; and
- (o) a reference to any thing is a reference to the whole and each part of it.

#### 1.3 Business Day

If anything under this agreement is required to be done by or on a day that is not a Business Day that thing must be done by or on the next Business Day.

#### 1.4 Definitions in the Listing Rules

Unless otherwise defined in this agreement, terms defined in the Listing Rules have that defined meaning in this agreement.

#### Escrow Restrictions

#### 2.1 Escrow Restrictions - Holder

Subject to clause 2.3, the Holder must not Deal in the Restricted Securities during the Escrow Period.

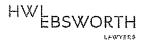
#### 2.2 Escrow Restrictions - Controller

Subject to clause 2.3, each Controller must not Deal in its Controller Interests during the Escrow Period.

#### 2.3 Exceptions

During the Escrow Period, the Holder or Controller may Deal in any of its Restricted Securities or Controller Interests (as relevant) if the Dealing arises solely as a result of:

- (a) the acceptance of a bona fide takeover bid made under Chapter 6 of the Corporations Act in respect for some or all of the Shares;
- (b) the transfer or cancellation of the Shares as part of a scheme of arrangement under Part 5.1 of the Corporations Act,



or if the Dealing is required by applicable law (including an order of a court of competent jurisdiction).

#### 2.4 Reinstatement of no Dealing undertaking

If a takeover bid referred to in cause 2.3(a) does not become unconditional or a scheme of arrangement referred to in clause 2.3(b) does not take effect, the obligations in clauses 2.1 and 2.2 will be reinstated for the duration of the Escrow Period.

#### 2.5 Notice

If the Holder or a Controller becomes aware:

- (a) that a Dealing in any Restricted Securities or its Controller Interests has occurred, or is likely to occur, during the Escrow Period; or
- (b) of any matter which is likely to give rise to a Dealing in any Restricted Securities or its Controller Interests during the Escrow Period,

it must notify the Entity as soon as practicable after becoming aware of the Dealing or the matters giving rise to the Dealing, providing full details.

# 3. Rights Attaching to Restricted Securities

Nothing in this agreement, including clause 2, affects or in any way restricts the following rights attaching to the Restricted Securities:

- (a) the right to vote;
- (b) the right to receive dividends or other forms of distribution, including in-specie distributions or capital returns; and
- (c) the right to participate in any form of rights, entitlement or other pro-rata offer to shareholders or any bonus or dividend reinvestment plan.

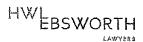
### 4. Holding Lock

#### 4.1 Application

The Entity must apply a holding lock to the Restricted Securities during the Escrow Period (if the Restricted Securities are held on an issuer sponsored subregister) or give notice to ASX Settlement requesting it to apply a holding lock (if they are held in a CHESS holding).

#### 4.2 Consent

The Holder and the Controller consent to:



- the Entity entering the Restricted Securities on the Entity's issuer sponsored subregister; and
- (b) the application of a holding lock to such Restricted Securities,

during the Escrow Period. The Entity must take all steps necessary to ensure the Restricted Securities become fully transferable at the end of the Escrow Period.

#### 4.3 Removal of Holding Lock

At least 10 Business Days prior to the expiry of the relevant Escrow Period, the Entity must apply to remove any holding lock applied to the applicable Restricted Securities under clause 4.1 (if they are held on an issuer sponsored subregister) or give notice to ASX Settlement requesting it to remove the holding lock (if they are in a CHESS holding). The removal of the holding lock is to take effect from the day after the last day of the relevant Escrow Period.

### 5. Warranties, Representations and Undertaking

#### 5.1 Giving of Warranties

The Holder and each Controller give the warranties and representations in favour of the Entity as at:

- (a) the date of this agreement; and
- (b) at all times until expiry of the Escrow Period.

#### 5.2 Warranties and Representations

The Holder and each Controller jointly and severally represent and warrant that:

- (a) it has full power and authority, without the consent of any other person, to enter into and perform its obligations under this agreement (including, if the Holder or Controller has entered into this agreement as a trustee (**Trustee**), under the trust deed for the relevant trust (**Trust**);
- (b) it has taken all necessary action to authorise the execution, delivery and performance of this agreement in accordance with its terms;
- (c) this agreement constitutes legal, valid and binding obligations and, subject to any necessary stamping and registration, is enforceable in accordance with its terms;
- (d) the execution, delivery and performance by it of this agreement does not and will not violate, breach or result in a contravention of:
- (e) any applicable law, regulation or authorisation;



- (f) its constitution or other constituent documents (or, if the Holder or Controller is a Trustee, the trust deed for the Trust); or
- (g) any agreement, undertaking, Security Interest, or document which is binding on it;
- (h) prior to the Escrow Period, it has not done, or omitted to do, any act which would result in it Dealing in the Restricted Securities such that it will take effect during the Escrow Period;
- (i) the Restricted Securities are free from all Security Interests and other third party interests or rights and will remain so during the Escrow Period;
- (j) there is no person who has, or will have, at or immediately following Completion, any substantial economic or beneficial interest in the Restricted Securities other than the Holder and the Controller;
- (k) the Holder will at Completion, hold the Restricted Securities set out in item 4 of the Schedule and each Controller will at Completion, hold its Controller Interests set out in item 5 of the Schedule:
- if the Holder or a Controller is a Trustee, the Trustee is the trustee of the Trust and, to the best of its knowledge and belief, there is no proposal to remove it as trustee of the Trust; and
- (m) if the Holder or a Controller is a Trustee:
  - (i) the Holder or Controller has the right to be fully indemnified out of the assets of the Trust in respect of any liability arising under, or in connection with, this agreement and the right has not been modified, released or diminished in any way. The assets of the Trust are sufficient to satisfy that right in full and the Holder or Controller has not released or disposed of its equitable lien over that trust; and
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#### 5.3 Undertaking

The Holder and each Controller undertakes to the Entity:

- (a) to comply in all respects with this agreement; and
- (b) not to seek any waiver or variation of this agreement without the prior written consent of the Entity.

#### 5.4 Effect of Breach of Warranty

A breach of any of the warranties set out in clause 5.1 is a breach of this agreement.

#### 5.5 Survival of Warranties and Representations

The warranties and representations set out in clause 5.1 survive termination of this agreement.

### 6. Disputes

#### 6.1 Consequences of breach

If the Holder or a Controller breaches this agreement (Defaulting Party), each of the following applies:

- (a) as soon as practicable after becoming aware of the breach, the Entity must take
  the steps as necessary to prevent the breach, or to enforce the Agreement,
  including seeking injunctive relief;
- (b) the Entity must refuse to acknowledge, deal with, accept or register any sale, assignment, transfer or conversion of any of the Restricted Securities. This is in addition to other rights and remedies of the Entity; and
- (c) the Defaulting Party will cease to be entitled to any dividends, distributions or voting rights attaching to the Restricted Securities while the breach continues.

#### 6.2 Injunctive Relief or Specific Performance

The parties agree that damages would be an insufficient remedy for breach of clauses 2.1 and 2.2 and each of the Holder and Controller agrees that the Entity is entitled to seek and obtain an injunction or specific performance to enforce the Holder and/or Controller's obligation under clause 2.1 or clause 2.2 without proof of actual damage and without prejudice to any of its rights or remedies.

#### Disclosure to ASX

The Holder and the Controller authorise the Entity to disclose to the ASX such information relating to the terms of this agreement as is required by ASX under the Listing Rules or otherwise, including disclosure in compliance with Listing Rule 3.10A.

#### Confidentiality

The parties agree to keep confidential all information, and to not make press or other announcements or releases, relating to this agreement and the transactions contemplated by it (including the execution of documents) other than as required by law or the Listing Rules.

#### 9. Notices

#### 9.1 Form of Notice

All notices, requests, demands, consents, approvals, agreements or other communications (**notices**) to or by a party given for the purposes of Agreement must be:

- (a) in writing;
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Email:

paul.mcmahon@simonds.com.au

Facsimile:

Not applicable

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(b) if to the Holder:

Address:

Email:

mark.vujovich@simonds.com.au

Facsimile:

Not applicable

Attention:

Mark Vujovich

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Each Controller's (if any) name and address:	Not applicable	
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Robert 6 STUBBS
Full name (print)

Signed, sealed and delivered by Mark

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# Voluntary Restriction Agreement

**Simonds Group Limited** 

and

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and

**Geoffrey Charles Stubbs** 



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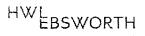
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Date **Parties** Simonds Group Limited ACN 143 841 801 of Level 4, 570 St Kilda Road, Melbourne, Victoria, 3004 (Entity) Robert Geoffrey Stubbs and Geoffrey Charles Stubbs in their capacity as trustees of the R.G. Stubbs Executive Superannuation Fund (Holder) **Robert Geoffrey Stubbs** and **Geoffrey Charles Stubbs** (each is a "Controller" and collectively the "Controllers") Recitals A. At the request of the Entity, the Holder and the Controllers enter into this agreement to restrict the Holder's ability to Deal in the Restricted Securities for the Escrow Period on the terms contained in this agreement.

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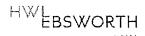
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The Entity must apply a holding lock to the Restricted Securities during the Escrow Period (if the Restricted Securities are held on an issuer sponsored subregister) or give notice to ASX Settlement requesting it to apply a holding lock (if they are held in a CHESS holding).

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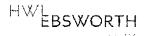
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- (a) the date of this agreement; and
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- (g) any agreement, undertaking, Security Interest, or document which is binding on it;
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- the Restricted Securities are free from all Security Interests and other third party interests or rights and will remain so during the Escrow Period;
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The Holder and each Controller undertakes to the Entity:

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#### 8. Confidentiality

The parties agree to keep confidential all information, and to not make press or other announcements or releases, relating to this agreement and the transactions contemplated by it (including the execution of documents) other than as required by law or the Listing Rules.

#### 9. Notices

#### 9.1 Form of Notice

All notices, requests, demands, consents, approvals, agreements or other communications (**notices**) to or by a party given for the purposes of Agreement must be:

- (a) in writing;
- (b) signed by the party giving notice or a person duly authorised by that party or, where transmitted by e-mail, sent by the party giving notice or a person duly authorised by that party;
- (c) directed to the recipient's address (as specified in clause 9.3 or as varied by any notice); and
- (d) hand delivered, sent by prepaid post or transmitted by email or facsimile to that address,

and will be taken to be duly given or made (in the case of delivery in person or by post or email or facsimile transmission) when delivered, received or left at the address of the recipient shown in this agreement or to any other address which it may have notified the sender.

#### 9.2 Receipt

A notice given in accordance with this clause is taken as having been given and received:

- (a) if hand delivered at or before 4.00 pm on a Business Day, on delivery, otherwise at 9.30 am on the next Business Day;
- (b) if sent by prepaid post, on the seventh Business Day after the date of posting;



- if transmitted by e-mail, on the first Business Day after the date of transmission; (c) or
- if transmitted by facsimile at or before 4.00 pm on a Business Day, at the time (d) recorded on the transmission report indicating successful transmission of the entire notice, otherwise at 9.30 am on the next Business Day.

#### 9.3 Address for notices

Unless varied by notice in accordance with this clause 9.3, the parties' addresses and other details are:

if to the Entity: (a)

Address:

Level 4, 570 St Kilda Road, Melbourne, Victoria, 3004

Email:

paul.mcmahon@simonds.com.au

Facsimile:

N/A

Attention:

Paul McMahon

(b) if to the Holder:

Address:

Email:

Robert.stubbs@simonds.com.au

Facsimile:

N/A

Attention:

**Robert Stubbs** 

if to the Controllers: (c)

Address:

Email:

Robert.stubbs@simonds.com.au

Facsimile:

N/A



Attention:

Robert Stubbs

#### 10. General

#### 10.1 Amendments

This agreement may only be varied by a document signed by or on behalf of the parties.

#### 10.2 Counterparts

- (a) The parties may execute this agreement in two or more counterparts.
- (b) The parties deem that each counterpart is an original.
- (c) All counterparts together constitute one instrument.

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Each party will promptly do and perform all further acts and execute and deliver all further documents (in form and content reasonably satisfactory to that party) required by law or reasonably requested by any other party to give effect to this agreement.

#### 10.4 Time of the Essence

Time is of the essence of this agreement.

#### 10.5 Liability

An obligation of two or more persons binds them separately and together.

#### 10.6 Governing Law and Jurisdiction

- (a) This agreement is governed by the laws of Victoria.
- (b) Each party irrevocably and unconditionally submits to the non exclusive jurisdiction of the courts of Victoria.



# Schedule

Holder's name and address:	Robert Geoffrey Stubbs and Geoffrey Charles Stubbs in their capacity as trustees of the R.G. Stubbs Executive Superannuation Fund of	
Each Controller's (if any) name and address:	Robert Geoffrey Stubbs of Geoffrey Charles Stubb	
Escrow Period:	From the date of this agreement to the earlier of:  (a) date of release of the Entity's Appendix 4E (Preliminary Final Report) for the 2016 financial year; or  (b) two years after the date of this Agreement.	
Particulars of Restricted Securities:	125,000 fully paid ordinary shares	
Particular's of Controller Interests (if any):	Beneficial interest in the Restricted Securities	

# Signing page

Executed as a deed

**Executed by Simonds Group Limited** ACN 143 841 801 in accordance with section 127(1) of the Corporations Act 2001 (Cth) by:

Signature of Director

Full name (print)

Signature of Director/Company Secretary

Signed, sealed and delivered by Robert Geoffrey Stubbs in the presence of:

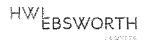
Signature of witness

Full name of witness (print)

L26,530 Cours St. Markense

Address of witness (print)

Signature of Robert Geoffrey Stubbs



# Signed, sealed and delivered by Geoffrey Charles Stubbs in the presence of: Signature of witness Signature of Geoffrey Charles Stubbs PADITALLY Full name of witness (print) Address of witness (print)



# Voluntary Restriction Agreement

Simonds Group Limited

and

Jason Vujovich

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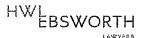


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# Voluntary Restriction Agreement

Parties

Simonds Group Limited ACN 143 841 801

of Level 4, 570 St Kilda Road, Melbourne, Victoria, 3004

(Entity)

Jason Vujovich

of Melbourne, Victoria, 3004

(Holder)

Not applicable

(Controller)

Recitals

A. At the request of the Entity, the Holder and the Controller enter into this agreement to restrict the Holder's ability to Deal in the Restricted Securities for the Escrow Period on the terms contained in this agreement.

The parties agree, in consideration of, among other things, the mutual promises contained in this agreement as follows:

# 1. Definitions and interpretation clauses

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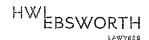
In this agreement:

**ASX** 

means ASX Limited ABN 98 008 624 691.

**ASX Settlement** 

means ASX Settlement Pty Limited ACN 008 504 532.



**Business Day** 

means a day on which banks are open for business in the State of Victoria, Australia, excluding a Saturday, Sunday or public holiday.

**CHESS** 

means the Clearing House Electronic Subregister System as defined in the ASX Settlement Operating Rules.

Controller Interests

means, in respect of a Controller, the securities, substantial economic or beneficial interest in the Restricted Securities and each intermediate entity through which that interest occurs, full particulars of which are set out in item 5 of the Schedule.

**Corporations Act** 

means Corporations Act 2001 (Cth).

Dealing

in respect of any Restricted Security, means to:

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**Deal and Dealt** 

each have a corresponding meaning.

**Escrow Period** 

means the periods set out in item 3 of the Schedule.

**Listing Rules** 

means the official listing rules of ASX as amended from time to time.

**PPSA** 

means the Personal Property Securities Act 2009 (Cth).

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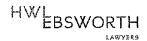
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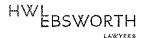
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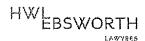
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The Holder and the Controller authorise the Entity to disclose to the ASX such information relating to the terms of this agreement as is required by ASX under the Listing Rules or otherwise, including disclosure in compliance with Listing Rule 3.10A.

# Confidentiality

The parties agree to keep confidential all information, and to not make press or other announcements or releases, relating to this agreement and the transactions contemplated by it (including the execution of documents) other than as required by law or the Listing Rules.

#### 9. Notices

#### 9.1 Form of Notice

All notices, requests, demands, consents, approvals, agreements or other communications (**notices**) to or by a party given for the purposes of Agreement must be:

- (a) in writing;
- (b) signed by the party giving notice or a person duly authorised by that party or, where transmitted by e-mail, sent by the party giving notice or a person duly authorised by that party;
- (c) directed to the recipient's address (as specified in clause 9.3 or as varied by any notice); and
- (d) hand delivered, sent by prepaid post or transmitted by email or facsimile to that address.

and will be taken to be duly given or made (in the case of delivery in person or by post or email or facsimile transmission) when delivered, received or left at the address of the recipient shown in this agreement or to any other address which it may have notified the sender.

#### 9.2 Receipt

A notice given in accordance with this clause is taken as having been given and received:

- (a) if hand delivered at or before 4.00 pm on a Business Day, on delivery, otherwise at 9.30 am on the next Business Day;
- (b) if sent by prepaid post, on the seventh Business Day after the date of posting;
- (c) if transmitted by e-mail, on the first Business Day after the date of transmission; or
- (d) if transmitted by facsimile at or before 4.00 pm on a Business Day, at the time recorded on the transmission report indicating successful transmission of the entire notice, otherwise at 9.30 am on the next Business Day.

#### 9.3 Address for notices

Unless varied by notice in accordance with this clause 9.3, the parties' addresses and other details are:

(a) if to the Entity:

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Address:

Level 4, 570 St Kilda Road, Melbourne, Victoria, 3004

Email:

paul.mcmahon@simonds.com.au

Facsimile:

Not applicable

Attention:

Paul McMahon

(b) if to the Holder:

Address:

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Email:

jason.vujovich@simonds.com.au

Facsimile:

Not applicable

Attention:

Jason Vujovich

(c) if to the Controller:

Address:

Not applicable

Email:

Not applicable

Facsimile:

Not applicable

Attention:

Not applicable

#### 10. General

#### 10.1 Amendments

This agreement may only be varied by a document signed by or on behalf of the parties.



#### 10.2 Counterparts

- (a) The parties may execute this agreement in two or more counterparts.
- (b) The parties deem that each counterpart is an original.
- (c) All counterparts together constitute one instrument.

#### 10.3 Further Acts

Each party will promptly do and perform all further acts and execute and deliver all further documents (in form and content reasonably satisfactory to that party) required by law or reasonably requested by any other party to give effect to this agreement.

#### 10.4 Time of the Essence

Time is of the essence of this agreement.

#### 10.5 Liability

An obligation of two or more persons binds them separately and together.

#### 10.6 Governing Law and Jurisdiction

- (a) This agreement is governed by the laws of Victoria.
- (b) Each party irrevocably and unconditionally submits to the non exclusive jurisdiction of the courts of Victoria.



# Schedule

Holder's name and address:	Jason Vujovich of <b>Chiling and Diagonal Diagonal</b>		
Each Controller's (if any) name and address:	Not applicable		
Escrow Period:	From the date of this agreement to the earlier of:  (a) date of release of the Entity's Appendix 4E (Preliminary Final Report) for the 2016 financial year; or  (b) two years after the date of this Agreement.		
Particulars of Restricted Securities:	125,000 fully paid ordinary shares		
Particular's of Controller Interests (if any):	Beneficial interest in the Restricted Securities		

# Signing page

Executed as a deed

**Executed by Simonds Group Limited** ACN 143 841 801 in accordance with section 127(1) of the Corporations Act 2001 (Cth) by:

Signature of Director

Signature of Company Secretary

Signed, sealed and delivered by Jason Vujovich in the presence of:

Full name of witness (print)

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Address of witness (print)

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Signature of Jason Vujovich

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#### **Deed Poll**

Date

#### **Parties**

Simonds Group Limited ACN 143 841 801 of Level 4, 570 St Kilda Road, Melbourne, Victoria, 3004

(Company)

#### Background

A.

The Company has issued the Prospectus and applied to be admitted to the Official List of ASX Limited (ASX).

B.

The ASX has given conditional approval to the Company to be admitted to its Official List. One of the conditions to ASX approval is that the Company provide a deed of undertaking on the terms of this deed poll.

#### **Operative Provisions**

#### 1. Defined meanings

Words used in this deed and the rules of interpretation that apply are set out and explained in the definitions and interpretation at clause 4.

#### 2. Undertaking

The Company hereby covenants and undertakes to the ASX that it will:

- (a) not enforce the relevant clauses in the voluntary escrow deeds it has entered into in relation to the escrowed Shares (as referred to on page 115 of the Prospectus), that relate to the removal or change of a Shareholders' right to vote or receive dividends (Relevant Clauses) (as set out in clause 6.1(c)), which is contrary to listing rule 6.10; and
- (b) inform each of those escrowed Shareholders that it will not enforce the Relevant Clauses.

#### 3. General provisions

#### 3.1 Governing law and jurisdiction

This document is governed by and construed under the law in the State of Victoria and any legal action in relation to this document against any party or its property may be brought in any court of competent jurisdiction in the State of Victoria.

#### 3.2 Amendments

Any amendment to this document has no force or effect, unless effected by a document executed by the Company and the ASX.

#### 4. Definitions and interpretations

#### 4.1 Definitions

In this document unless the context otherwise requires:

Official List means the official list of ASX;

**Prospectus** means the prospectus issued by the Company and Simonds SaleCo Limited dated 22 October 2014;

Shareholder means a holder of Shares; and

Shares means fully paid ordinary shares in the Company.

#### 4.2 Interpretation

In this document unless the context otherwise requires:

- (a) clause and subclause headings are for reference purposes only;
- (b) the singular includes the plural and vice versa;
- (c) words denoting any gender include all genders;
- (d) reference to a person includes any other entity recognised by law and vice versa;
- (e) any reference to a party to this document includes its successors and permitted assigns.

#### Executed as a deed poll

Executed by Simonds Group Limited ACN 143 841 801 in accordance with section 127 of the Corporations Act 2001 (Cth) by:

Signature of Director

Full name (print)

Signature of Director/Company Secretary

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Full name (print)