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## **ASX Announcement**

FY18 Audited Results – Confirm no change to unaudited numbers released 16 July 2018

- Revenue of \$174m, up 4% YoY
  - Australian Revenue of \$117m, up 12% YoY
  - New Zealand Revenue of \$59m, down 9% YoY
- Underlying<sup>(1)</sup> EBITDA of \$17m up 10% YoY
- H2 FY18 EBITDA of \$9.7m
- NPAT \$4.9m up 55%
- Operating cash flow of \$15.5m up 58% from \$9.8m YoY
- Net debt reduced to \$9.3m down from \$13.8m at June 2017

## **FY19 Outlook**

- Expect double digit growth in FY19 underpinned by:
  - Strong exposure to Digital Solutions
  - Solid recovery in New Zealand
  - Australian FY19 Services Run-Rate up 13% (July 17 v July 18)
- Expect double digit EBITDA, NPAT & EPS Growth
- Strong cash conversion and declining CAPEX requirements will deliver strong cash generation
- As balance sheet approaches Net Cash at the end of FY19 expect acquisition opportunities to be pursued to accelerate strategy in FY20

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(1) Underlying EBITDA excludes one off redundancy costs of \$436,000 and doubtful debts \$122,000 relating to prior period revenue



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Our clients are medium to large corporate and government organisations within key industries including Energy and Natural Resources, State and Federal Government, Finance and insurance, Utilities and Transport.

We offer a broad range of services from managed services to digital transformation. Together they provide a breadth of service and expertise not seen in other consultancies of similar pedigree allowing Empired to deliver 'end to-end' business solutions that assist our customers in driving their key business outcomes

With a team of over 1,000 people located throughout Australia, New Zealand and North America, Empired has built a reputation for service excellence. This combined with our strategy that is underpinned by initiative, innovation and growth ensures that in a dynamic and rapidly growing technology market place Empired is strongly positioned to capture market share and continue to build on its success.

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