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Financial Report for the half-year ended 31 December 2015

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### DIRECTORS' REPORT

Your Directors submit the Financial Report of the Group for the half-year ended 31 December 2015.

#### **Directors**

The names of the Directors of the Company in office during the half year and to the date of this Report are:

Malcolm Carson (Executive Chairman) Hui Guo (Executive Director) Peiqi Zhang (Non Executive Director)

Peter Evans (Non Executive Director - resigned 6 November 2015)

#### **Review of Operations**

#### **Exploration and Evaluation**

During the reporting period, the Company continued to support the efforts of its Joint Venture partner Vango Mining Limited ("Vango") in the development and commercialisation of the Plutonic Dome Gold Project ("Project") whilst also reviewing a number of new stand-alone opportunities across a broad spectrum of mineral commodities.

#### **Share Placement**

On 16 November 2015, the Company placed 12,487,844 ordinary fully paid shares at an issue price of \$0.019 per share to raise \$237,269 (before costs) in working capital.

#### **Financial Result**

The loss after tax for the half-year ended 31 December 2015 was \$453,714 (2014: loss of \$839,477).

#### **Events Subsequent to Reporting Date**

On 19 January 2016, the Company announced that it had entered into a binding Heads of Agreement for the sale to Vango of the Project.

The consideration payable by Vango is as follows:

#### (a) Non Contingent Component:

\$2,200,000 (excluding GST) to be paid on settlement.

#### (b) Contingent Component

The following amounts to be paid by Vango within 7 days after the occurrence of the following events:

- $\bullet \hspace{0.5cm} \$1,\!000,\!000 \hspace{0.1cm} \text{(excluding GST) on production of a total of } 45,\!000 \hspace{0.1cm} \text{ounces of gold from the Project tenements;} \\$
- \$1,000,000 (excluding GST) on production of a total of 100,000 ounces of gold from the Project tenements;
- \$1,000,000 (excluding GST) on production of a total of 200,000 ounces of gold from the Project tenements; and
- \$1,000,000 (excluding GST) on production of a total of 300,000 ounces of gold from the Project tenements.

#### (c) Royalty

Vango to pay a royalty in cash or gold on overall production from the Project tenements as follows:

- 1.0% on each ounce of gold produced from the Project tenements as of the date of issue of the mint receipt, calculated at the London Spot Fix AM (USD/oz) on that day, where the London Spot Fix AM (USD/oz) is equal to or greater than US\$1,175/oz, or
- 2.0% on each ounce of gold produced from the Project tenements as of the date of issue of the mint receipt, calculated at the London Spot Fix AM (USD/oz) on that day, where the London Spot Fix AM (USD/oz) is equal to or greater than US\$1,250/oz, or
- 3.0% on each ounce of gold produced from the Project tenements as of the date of issue of the mint receipt, calculated at the London Spot Fix AM (USD/oz) on that day, where the London Spot Fix AM (USD/oz) is equal to or greater than US\$1,400/oz, or
- 4.0% on each ounce of gold produced from the Project tenements as of the date of issue of the mint receipt, calculated at the London Spot Fix AM (USD/oz) on that day, where the London Spot Fix AM (USD/oz) is equal to or greater than US\$1,500/oz.

The royalty is capped at \$2 million.

On 3 March 2016, shareholder approval for the sale to Vango was received.

Settlement for the sale is expected to occur on or before the end of March 2016.

No other matters or circumstances have arisen since the end of the half year which significantly affected or may significantly affect the operations of the Group, the results of those operations, or the state of affairs of the Group in future financial periods.

# **DIRECTORS' REPORT**

### Auditor's independence declaration

The auditor's independence declaration under section 307C of the Corporations Act 2001 is set out on page 2 for the half year ended 31 December 2015.

This Report is signed in accordance with a resolution of the Board of Directors.

On behalf of the Directors.

Malcolm Carson Executive Chairman

Dated this 15th day of March 2016

### AUDITOR'S INDEPENDENCE DECLARATION

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15 March 2016

The Directors
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Dear Sirs

#### RE: DAMPIER GOLD LIMITED

In accordance with section 307C of the Corporations Act 2001, I am pleased to provide the following declaration of independence to the directors of Dampier Gold Limited.

As Audit Director for the review of the financial statements of Dampier Gold Limited for the six month period ended 31 December 2015, I declare that to the best of my knowledge and belief, there have been no contraventions of:

- the auditor independence requirements of the Corporations Act 2001 in relation to the review; and
- (ii) any applicable code of professional conduct in relation to the review.

Yours faithfully

STANTONS INTERNATIONAL AUDIT AND CONSULTING PTY LIMITED (Trading as Stantons International) (An Authorised Audit Company)

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# CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF PROFIT OR LOSS AND OTHER COMPREHENSIVE INCOME

for the half year ended 31 December 2015

	Note	Consolidated 31 Dec 2015 \$	Consolidated 31 Dec 2014 \$
Revenue	2	32,593	42,045
Administration expenses		(450,892)	(324,646)
Exploration and evaluation expenses		(35,415)	(556,876)
Share-based payments		-	<del>-</del>
Loss from continuing operations before income tax benefit	2	(453,714)	(839,477)
Income tax credit		-	-
Loss from continuing operations attributable to members of the parent entity		(453,714)	(839,477)
Other comprehensive income			
Items that will not be reclassified to profit or loss		-	-
Items that may be subsequently reclassified to profit or loss		-	-
Total comprehensive loss for the period		(453,714)	(839,477)
Loss attributable to owners of the Company		(453,714)	(839,477)
Total comprehensive loss attributable to owners of the Company		(453,714)	(839,477)
Loss per share:			
Basic (cents per share)	4	(0.52)	(1.15)
Diluted (cents per share)	4	(0.52)	(1.15)

The accompanying notes form part of the consolidated financial statements.

# CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION

as at 31 December 2015

	Consolidated	Consolidated
Note	31 Dec 2015 \$	30 Jun 2015 \$
Current assets		
Cash and cash equivalents	2,229,548	2,378,707
Trade and other receivables	142,677	19,770
Assets held for sale	1,781,877	
Total current assets	4,154,102	2,398,477
Non-current assets		
Property, plant and equipment	1,864	2,530
Term deposits	101,000	101,000
Capitalised acquisition costs	-	1,781,877
Total non-current assets	102,864	1,885,407
TOTAL ASSETS	4,256,966	4,283,884
Current liabilities		
Trade and other payables	224,945	22,476
Liabilities related to assets held for sale	1,320,000	-
Total current liabilities	1,544,945	22,476
Non-current liabilities		
Provisions – environmental rehabilitation	-	1,320,000
Total non-current liabilities	-	1,320,000
TOTAL LIABILITIES	1,544,945	1,342,476
NET ASSETS	2,712,021	2,941,408
Equity		
Issued capital 3	23,771,992	23,547,665
Reserves	-	76,103
Accumulated losses	(21,059,971)	(20,682,360)
Total equity	2,712,021	2,941,408

The accompanying notes form part of the consolidated financial statements.

# **CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN EQUITY** for the half year ended 31 December 2015

Consolidated	Attributable to equity holders				
For the six months ended 31 December 2014	Ordinary Shares \$	Option Reserve \$	Accumulated Losses \$	Total Equity	
Balance at 1 July 2014	23,142,763	1,824,933	(20,500,246)	4,467,450	
Total comprehensive income					
Loss for the half year	_	_	(839,477)	(839,477)	
Other comprehensive income for the half year	_	_	_		
Total comprehensive loss for the half year	_	_	(839,477)	(839,477)	
Transactions with owners recorded direct to equity					
Issue of shares (net of capital raising costs)	404,902	_	_	404,902	
Adjustments for expired/cancelled options	_	(1,748,830)	1,716,068	(32,762)	
Total transactions with owners	404,902	(1,748,830)	1,716,068	372,140	
Balance as at 31 December 2014	23,547,665	76,103	(19,623,655)	4,000,113	

Consolidated	Attributable to equity holders				
	Ordinary	Option	Accumulated	T-4-1 E	
For the six months ended 31 December 2015	Shares \$	Reserve \$	Losses \$	Total Equity \$	
Balance at 1 July 2015	23,547,665	76,103	(20,682,360)	2,941,408	
Total comprehensive income					
Loss for the half year	_	_	(453,714)	(453,714)	
Other comprehensive income for the half year	-	_	_	-	
Total comprehensive loss for the half year			(453,714)	(453,714)	
Transactions with owners recorded direct to equity					
Issue of shares (net of capital raising costs)	224,327	_	-	224,327	
Adjustments for expired/cancelled options		(76,103)	76,103	-	
Total transactions with owners	224,327	(76,103)	76,103	224,327	
Balance as at 31 December 2015	23,771,992	-	(21,059,971)	2,712,021	

The accompanying notes form part of the consolidated financial statements.

# CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS for the half year ended 31 December 2015

	Consolidated 31 Dec 2015	Consolidated 31 Dec 2014
Not		\$
Cash flows from operating activities		
Payments for exploration and evaluation	(67,390)	(11,894)
Payments to suppliers and employees	(339,151)	(410,947)
Interest received	33,055	45,491
Net cash used in operating activities	(373,486)	(377,350)
Cash flows from investing activities		
Proceeds from sale of property, plant and equipment	-	3,800
Payments for property, plant and equipment	-	(2,013)
Net cash provided by investing activities	-	1,787
Cash flows from financing activities		
Proceeds from issues of ordinary shares	237,269	430,747
Payment for share issue costs	(12,942)	(25,845)
Net cash provided by financing activities	224,327	404,902
Net (decrease)/increase in cash and cash equivalents	(149,159)	29,339
Cash and cash equivalents at the beginning of the financial period	2,378,707	2,603,349
Cash and cash equivalents at the end of the half year	2,229,548	2,632,688

The accompanying notes form part of the consolidated financial statements.

# CONDENSED NOTES TO THE CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

for the half year ended 31 December 2015

#### 1. Summary of Significant Accounting Policies

#### (a) Basis of Preparation

These general purpose interim financial statements for the half-year reporting period ended 31 December 2015 have been prepared in accordance with requirements of the *Corporations Act 2001* and Australian Accounting Standard AASB 134: *Interim Financial Reporting*. The Group is a for-profit entity for financial reporting purposes under Australian Accounting Standards.

This interim financial report is intended to provide users with an update on the latest annual financial statements of Dampier Gold Limited and its controlled entities (referred to as the "Consolidated Entity" or "Group"). As such, it does not contain information that represents relatively insignificant changes occurring during the half-year within the Group. It is therefore recommended that this financial report be read in conjunction with the annual financial statements of the Group for the year ended 30 June 2015, together with any public announcements made during the following half-year.

The half year report has been prepared on an accruals basis and is based on historical costs.

#### Going Concern

The financial report has been prepared on a going concern basis.

The Directors believe there are sufficient grounds to believe that the Group will be able to continue to pay its debts as and when they fall due. This is based on future cash forecasts, existing cash reserves and the ability to significantly reduce activity to preserve cash if necessary. In addition, as announced on 19 January 2016 the Company has entered into a binding Heads of Agreement for the cash sale to Vango Mining Limited of the Plutonic Dome Gold Project. Should the sale be completed as expected, the Company's cash will increase by at least \$2.2 million in the short term and the Company will no longer be required to fund (either in whole or in part) the Plutonic Dome Gold Project.

#### (b) Accounting Policies

The accounting policies and methods of computation adopted in the preparation of the half year financial report are consistent with those adopted and disclosed in the Company's 2015 annual financial report for the financial year ended 30 June 2015, except for the impact of the Standards and Interpretations described below. These accounting policies are consistent with Australian Accounting Standards and with International Financial Reporting Standards.

The Group has adopted all of the new and revised Standards and Interpretations issued by the Australian Accounting Standards Board (the AASB) that are relevant to their operations and effective for the current half-year. The adoption of these standards and interpretations did not have a material impact on the half year financial report.

#### (c) Principles of Consolidation

The consolidated financial statements incorporate all of the assets, liabilities and results of the parent (Dampier Gold Limited) and all of the subsidiaries. Subsidiaries are entities the parent controls. The parent controls an entity when it is exposed to, or has rights to, variable returns from its involvement with the entity and has the ability to affect those returns through its power over the entity. A list of the subsidiaries is provided in note 7.

The assets, liabilities and results of all subsidiaries are fully consolidated into the financial statements of the Group from the date on which control is obtained by the Group. The consolidation of a subsidiary is discontinued from the date that control ceases. Intercompany transactions, balances and unrealised gains or losses on transactions between Group entities are fully eliminated on consolidation. Accounting policies of subsidiaries have been changed and adjustments made where necessary to ensure uniformity of the accounting policies adopted by the Group.

Equity interests in a subsidiary not attributable, directly or indirectly, to the Group are presented as "non-controlling interests". The Group initially recognises non-controlling interests that are present ownership interests in subsidiaries and are entitled to a proportionate share of the subsidiary's net assets on liquidation at either fair value or at the non-controlling interests' proportionate share of the subsidiary's net assets. Subsequent to initial recognition, non-controlling interests are attributed their share of profit or loss and each component of other comprehensive income. Non-controlling interests are shown separately within the equity section of the statement of financial position and statement of profit or loss and other comprehensive income.

# CONDENSED NOTES TO THE CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

for the half year ended 31 December 2015

#### (d) Exploration and evaluation costs

Exploration and evaluation costs are written off in the year they are incurred apart from acquisition costs which are carried forward where right of tenure of the area of interest is current and they are expected to be recouped through sale or successful development and exploitation of the area of interest or, where exploration and evaluation activities in the area of interest have not reached a stage that permits reasonable assessment of the existence of economically recoverable reserves.

Where an area of interest is abandoned or the Directors decide that it is not commercial, any accumulated acquisition costs in respect of that area are written off in the financial period the decision is made. Each area of interest is also reviewed at the end of each accounting period and accumulated costs are written off to the extent that they will not be recoverable in the future.

			Consolidated 31 Dec 2015 \$	Consolidated 31 Dec 2014 \$
. I	Inco	me/(Loss) from continuing operations		
L	Loss	from continuing operations before income tax has been determined after:		
(a	(a)	Revenue		
		Interest revenue	32,593	42,045
(1	<b>(b)</b>	Expenses		
		Depreciation	666	5,431
		Employment and recruitment expenses	_	51,262

#### 3. Issued capital

95,740,141 fully paid ordinary shares (30 June 2015: 83,252,297)

31 Dec	31 Dec 2015		2015
No.	\$	No.	\$
02 252 207	22.545.665	66 605 050	22 1 12 7 62
83,252,297	23,547,665	66,685,050	23,142,763
12,487,844	237,269	16,567,247	430,747
	(12,942)		(25,845)
95,740,141	23,771,992	83,252,297	23,547,665

23,771,992

23,547,665

#### 4. Loss per share

Share issue costs

Balance at end of period

**Fully paid ordinary shares**Balance at beginning of period
Placement of shares to investor

	Consolidated 31 Dec 2015 Cents per share	Consolidated 31 Dec 2014 Cents per share
Basic loss per share:	(0.52)	(1.15)
Diluted loss per share	(0.52)	(1.15)
The weighted average number of issued ordinary shares during the reporting period used in the calculation of basic and diluted loss per		

#### 5. Segment reporting

For management purposes, the Group has identified one reportable segment being exploration and evaluation activities undertaken in Australia.

#### 6. Contingent liabilities and contingent assets

share is 87,005,474 (2014: 73,203,311)

In the opinion of the Directors there are no contingent assets or liabilities as at 31 December 2015.

# CONDENSED NOTES TO THE CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

for the half year ended 31 December 2015

#### 7. Subsidiaries

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

Name	Country of Incorporation	Class of Shares	Equity Holding
Dampier (Plutonic) Pty Ltd	Australia	Ordinary	100

The proportion of ownership interest is equal to the proportion of voting power held.

#### 8. Subsequent events

On 19 January 2016, the Company announced that it had entered into a binding Heads of Agreement for the sale to Vango of the Project.

The consideration payable by Vango is as follows:

#### (a) Non Contingent Component:

\$2,200,000 (excluding GST) to be paid on settlement.

#### (b) Contingent Component

The following amounts to be paid by Vango within 7 days after the occurrence of the following events:

- \$1,000,000 (excluding GST) on production of a total of 45,000 ounces of gold from the Project tenements;
- \$1,000,000 (excluding GST) on production of a total of 100,000 ounces of gold from the Project tenements;
- \$1,000,000 (excluding GST) on production of a total of 200,000 ounces of gold from the Project tenements; and
- \$1,000,000 (excluding GST) on production of a total of 300,000 ounces of gold from the Project tenements.

#### (c) Royalty

Vango to pay a royalty in cash or gold on overall production from the Project tenements as follows:

- 1.0% on each ounce of gold produced from the Project tenements as of the date of issue of the mint receipt, calculated at the London Spot Fix AM (USD/oz) on that day, where the London Spot Fix AM (USD/oz) is equal to or greater than US\$1,175/oz, or
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- 4.0% on each ounce of gold produced from the Project tenements as of the date of issue of the mint receipt, calculated at
  the London Spot Fix AM (USD/oz) on that day, where the London Spot Fix AM (USD/oz) is equal to or greater than
  US\$1,500/oz.

The royalty is capped at \$2 million.

On 3 March 2016, shareholder approval for the sale to Vango was received.

Settlement for the sale is expected to occur on or before the end of March 2016.

No other matters or circumstances have arisen since the end of the half year which significantly affected or may significantly affect the operations of the Group, the results of those operations, or the state of affairs of the Group in future financial periods.

## **DIRECTORS' DECLARATION**

#### The Directors declare that:

- (a) The financial statements and notes, as set out on pages 4 to 10, are in accordance with the Corporations Act 2001, including:
  - complying with Accounting Standard AASB 134 Interim Financial Reporting and the Corporations Regulations 2001;
  - ii. giving a true and fair view of the Group's financial position as at 31 December 2015 and of its performance, as represented by the results of its operations and its cash flows, for the half-year ended on that date.
- (b) In the Directors' opinion there are reasonable grounds to believe that Dampier Gold Limited will be able to pay its debts as and when they become due and payable.

Signed in accordance with a resolution of the Directors made pursuant to s.303(5) of the Corporations Act 2001.

On behalf of the Directors

Malcolm Carson Executive Chairman

Dated this 15th day of March 2016

### INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REVIEW REPORT

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#### INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REVIEW REPORT TO THE MEMBERS OF DAMPIER GOLD LIMITED

#### Report on the Half-Year Financial Report

We have reviewed the accompanying half-year financial report of Dampier Gold Limited, which comprises the consolidated condensed statement of financial position as at 31 December 2015, the consolidated condensed statement of profit or loss and other comprehensive income, consolidated condensed statement of changes in equity, and consolidated condensed statement of cash flows for the half-year ended on that date, notes comprising a summary of significant accounting policies and other explanatory information, and the directors' declaration for Dampier Gold Limited (the consolidated entity). The consolidated entity comprises both Dampier Gold Limited (the Company) and the entities it controlled during the half year.

Directors' Responsibility for the Half-Year Financial Report

The directors of Dampier Gold Limited are responsible for the preparation of the half-year financial report that gives a true and fair view in accordance with Australian Accounting Standards (including the Australian Accounting Interpretations) and the *Corporations Act 2001* and for such internal control as the directors determine is necessary to enable the preparation of the half-year financial report that is free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

#### Auditor's Responsibility

Our responsibility is to express a conclusion on the half-year financial report based on our review. We conducted our review in accordance with Auditing Standard on Review Engagements ASRE 2410 Review of a Financial Report Performed by the Independent Auditor of the Entity, in order to state whether, on the basis of the procedures described, we have become aware of any matter that makes us believe that the half year financial report is not in accordance with the Corporations Act 2001 including: giving a true and fair view of the consolidated entity's financial position as at 31 December 2015 and its performance for the half-year ended on that date; and complying with Accounting Standard AASB 134 Interim Financial Reporting and the Corporations Regulations 2001. As the auditor of Dampier Gold Limited, ASRE 2410 requires that we comply with the ethical requirements relevant to the audit of the annual financial report.

A review of a half-year financial report consists of making enquiries, primarily of persons responsible for financial and accounting matters, and applying analytical and other review procedures. A review is substantially less in scope than an audit conducted in accordance with Australian Auditing Standards and consequently does not enable us to obtain assurance that we would become aware of all significant matters that might be identified in an audit. Accordingly, we do not express an audit opinion.

Whilst we considered the effectiveness of management's internal controls over financial reporting when determining the nature and extent of our procedures, our review was not designed to provide assurance on internal controls.

Our review did not involve an analysis of the prudence of business decisions made by the directors or management.

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### INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REVIEW REPORT

#### Stantons International

#### Independence

In conducting our review, we have complied with the independence requirements of the *Corporations Act 2001*. We confirm that the independence declaration required by the *Corporations Act 2001*, has been provided to the directors of Dampier Gold Limited on 16 March 2016.

Inherent Uncertainty Regarding Going Concern

Without qualification to the review conclusion expressed above, attention is drawn to the following matter.

As referred to in note 1 (a) to the financial report, the financial report has been prepared on a going concern basis. At 31 December 2015, the Group had net assets of \$2,712,021, cash and cash equivalents of \$2,229,548 and net working capital of \$2,609,157. The Group had incurred a loss for the year ended 31 December 2015 of \$453,714.

The ability of the Group to continue as a going concern and meet its administration and exploration commitments is dependent upon the Group raising further working capital, commencing profitable operations or the successful completion of the sale of the Plutonic Dome Gold Project to Vango Mining Limited. In the event the Group is unable to raise further working capital, commence profitable operations or the proposed sale of the Plutonic Dome Gold Project is not successfully completed as expected, the Group may not be able to meet its liabilities as they fall due, or realise its assets at their stated values.

#### Conclusion

Based on our review, which is not an audit, we have not become aware of any matter that makes us believe that the half-year financial report of Dampier Gold Limited is not in accordance with the *Corporations Act 2001* including:

- (a) giving a true and fair view of the consolidated entity's financial position as at 31 December 2015 and of its performance for the half-year ended on that date; and
- (b) complying with Accounting Standards AASB 134 Interim Financial Reporting and Corporations Regulations 2001.

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West Perth, Western Australia 15 March 2016