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Dear Sir/Madam,

Please find attached a presentation to be given to analysts this morning, for immediate release to the market.

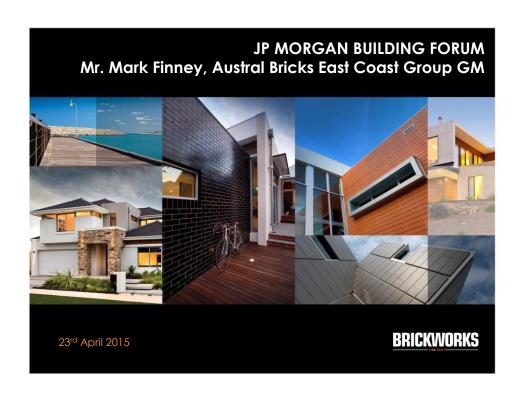
Yours faithfully,

BRICKWORKS LIMITED

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COMPANY SECRETARY







Presentation Outline

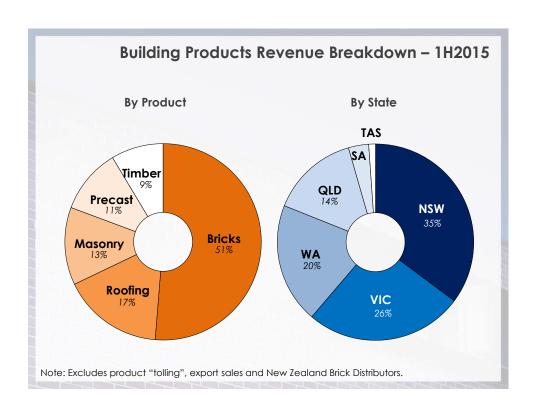
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Brickworks Corporate Structure

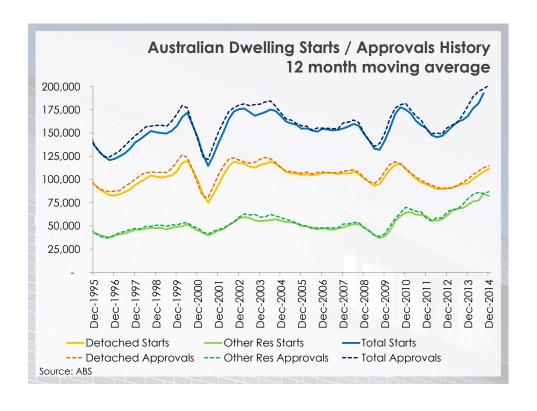




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	1H 2015	1H 2014	% Change	
Sales revenue	\$340.6m	\$296.2m	15.0	
EBITDA	\$38.8m	\$31.8m	22.0	
EBIT ¹	\$26.1m	\$19.2m	35.9	
EBITDA to sales	11.4%	10.7%	6.5	
EBIT to sales	7.7%	6.5%	18.5	
Return on Capital Employed	6.4%	4.7%	1 36.2	
Return on Net Tangible Assets	9.2%	7.1%	1 29.6	
FTE Employees ² (vs. Jul 14)	1,484	1,478	0.4	
Safety (TRIFR) (vs. Jul 14)	107.2	161.7	(33.7)	
Safety (LTIFR) (vs. Jul 14)	2.8	3.3	(15.2)	























2012

Toughest conditions in over a decade

- Detached housing at cyclical low point
- Industry overcapacity
- Unsustainable prices
- High fixed costs and input cost pressures

Austral Bricks - Context

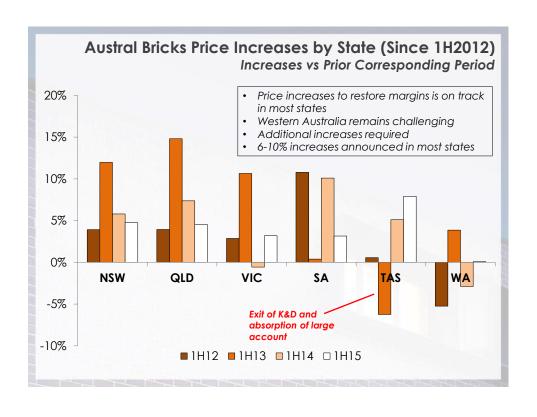
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Much improved conditions and outlook

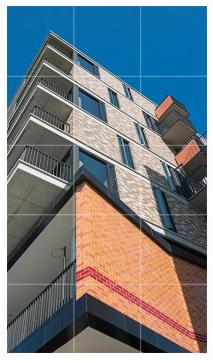
- Strong housing construction expected to continue
- Capacity removed + "tolling" arrangements as required
- Improved pricing in most states but more to do
- Alternative fuels and other cost reduction programs



Austral Bricks Trends (Since 1H2012						
State	Volume	Pricing	Production Cost	Profit		
New South Wales		1	1	1		
Queensland	1	1	-	1		
Victoria		1	1	1		
South Australia	1	1	1	1		
Tasmania	1	1	1	1		
Western Australia	1		-	1		

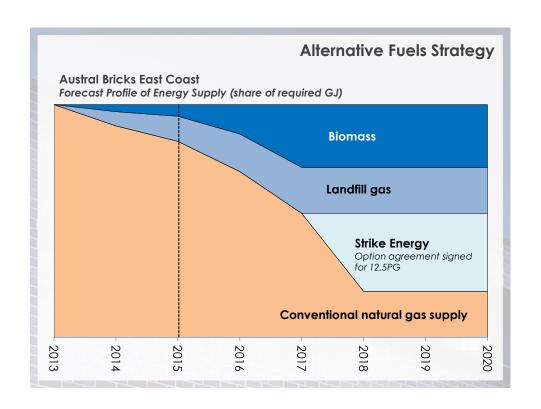


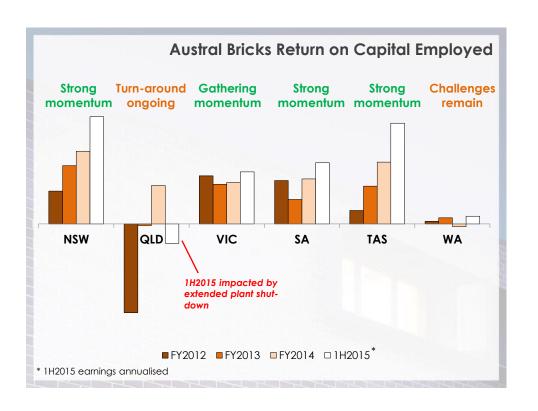




Major Capital Projects

- Recommissioned Plant 2 at Horsley
 Park in NSW to meet demand
 - First bricks now being produced
- New setter plus kiln, dryer and dehacker upgrades at Rochedale in QLD to improve quality and reduce cost(ongoing)
- Refit at Malaga in WA, including upgrades to kiln and dryer, to reduce cost





Austral Bricks Outlook

- Strong order book to drive further volume growth
- Price increases of 6-10% over the next 12 months
- Product "tolling" in some markets to improve production efficiency
- Capital projects to improve competitive position in QLD and WA
- Continued implementation of alternative fuels projects and other cost reduction initiatives



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