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## **Net Tangible Assets**

We advise that the unaudited net tangible asset backing for the Company's shares at 30 April 2016 was:

	Fully Paid Ordinary Shares	Fully Paid Ordinary Shares	
	31 Mar 2016	30 Apr 2016*	
NTA before tax	\$0.309	\$0.222	
NTA after tax (excluding tax on unrealised gains/losses)	\$0.295	\$0.204	
NTA after tax	\$0.312	\$0.226	

<sup>\*</sup>Includes a provision for 8.5 cents per share return of capital and dividend.

## **Cash Position**

At 30 April the Company held \$12.65 million in available cash (cash at March month-end: \$5.8 million).

On 20 April, the Company announced it would make a payment on 20 May to shareholders of 8.5 cents per share, consisting of an unfranked dividend of 5.75 cents per share and a return of capital of 2.75 cents per share.

The Company has no debt. Future cash requirements are expected to be modest and able to be managed through cashflow.

## On Market Share Buy-Back

There were no transactions resulting from the Company's on-market share buy-back scheme during April. At 30 April, the Company had purchased and cancelled 927,103 shares (31 March 927,103).

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## **Private Equity Portfolio**

As advised last month, a significant level of cash was received during April from Archer 4 (Healthecare), Direct Capital III (NZ Pharmaceuticals) and Pacific Equity Partners III (Xtralis). In addition, Pacific Equity Partners III also sold a portion of its ASX listed Link shares following a partial early release of the escrow arrangements that remain in place until release of the FY16 annual results.

Commitments at month end are summarised below:

Manager	Fund	Commitment	Uncalled
Archer Capital	Archer Capital Fund 4	\$9.7m	\$0.6m
Catalyst Investment Managers	Catalyst Buyout Fund 1	\$8.0m	1
Talu Ventures	CM Capital Venture Trust No 4	\$8.0m	\$0.2m
Direct Capital Management	Direct Capital Partners III	\$7.0m	\$0.2m
Ironbridge Capital	Ironbridge Capital 2003/4 Fund	\$5.0m	\$0.2m
NBC Capital	NBC Private Equity Fund II	\$6.0m	1
	NBC Private Equity Fund III	\$10.0m	\$0.0m
Pacific Equity Partners	Pacific Equity Partners Fund III	\$7.6m	\$0.1m
	Pacific Equity Partners Fund IV	\$7.4m	\$0.2m
Propel Investments Pty Limited	Propel Private Equity Fund II	\$3.4m	1
Quadrant Private Equity	Quadrant Private Equity No. 1	\$8.0m	\$0.0m
	Quadrant Private Equity No. 2	\$9.6m	1
Wolseley Private Equity	Wolseley Partners Fund I	\$8.0m	\$0.0m
	Wolseley Partners Fund II	\$10.0m	-
Total		\$107.70m*	\$1.6m*

<sup>\*</sup>Subject to rounding.

Uncalled capital was unchanged at \$1.6 million (\$1.6 million at the end of March).

Further information on the Company can be found on the website at <a href="www.ipelimited.com.au">www.ipelimited.com.au</a> including links to the Managers above, where further information on the underlying companies may be accessed.

Yours sincerely,

Sam Jackson Company Secretary

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