

Appendix 4D

(Rule 4.2A.3)

Half year report

Name of entity	ABN or equivalent company reference
STRUCTURAL SYSTEMS LIMITED	57 006 413 574

1.0 Details of the Reporting Period and the Previous Corresponding Period

Financial period ended ('current period')	Financial period ended ('previous period')
31 December 2008	31 December 2007

2.0 Results for announcement to the market

			\$A'000
2.1 Revenues from ordinary activities	up	46%	to 176,124
2.2 Profit (loss) from ordinary activities after tax attributable to members	down	24%	to 5,309
2.3 Net profit (loss) for the period attributable to members	down	24%	to 5,289
2.4 Dividends	Amount per security	Franked amount per security	
Interim dividend	\$0.00	\$0.00	
2.5 Record date for determining entitlements to the dividend	<input type="text"/>		
2.6 Brief explanation of any of the figures in 2.1 to 2.4 above necessary to enable the figures to be understood.			
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• The half year operating profit before tax was \$7.125 million. The after tax result was \$5.309 million.• Revenue increased by 46% to \$176.124 million.• Diluted earnings per share decreased by 27% from 14.8 cents per share to 10.8 cents per share.• Basic earnings per share decreased by 28% from 14.9 cents per share to 10.8 cents per share.• Net tangible assets per share was 76.6 cents.• Debt to equity ratio of 41% at 31 December 2008.• Revenue from the company's mining operation Rock Engineering grew to \$27.153 million, up 25% from the previous corresponding period.• No interim dividend has been declared.			

3.0 NTA Backing

	Current period	Previous corresponding period
Net tangible asset backing per ordinary security	76.6 cents	56.7 cents

4.0 Control Gained Over Entities

Name of entity (or group of entities)

N/A

Date control gained

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2008	2007
\$'000	\$'000

Contribution of such entities to the reporting entity's profit/ (loss) from ordinary activities during the period (where material).

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Loss of Control Over Entities

Name of entity (or group of entities)

N/A

Date control lost / deregistered

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Contribution of such entities to the reporting entity's profit/ (loss) from ordinary activities during the period (where material).

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5.0 Dividends

5.1 Individual dividends per security

	Date dividend is payable	Amount per security	Franked amount per security at 30% tax	Amount per security of foreign source dividend
Final dividend: 2007/08 Year	31 October 2008	6.5¢	6.5¢	Nil
Interim dividend: Current Period	n/a	0¢	0¢	Nil

5.2 Total dividend per security (interim plus final)

	Current Period	Previous Period
Ordinary securities	\$'000	\$'000
Paid 31 October 2008 final dividend for 2007/08 year	3,194	2,858
Interim dividend for 2008/09 year	\$0	2,457

6.0 Dividend Reinvestment Plans

The dividend or distribution reinvestment plans shown below are in operation.

DRP remains suspended

The last date(s) for receipt of election notices for the dividend or distribution reinvestment plans

n/a

Any other disclosures in relation to dividends (distributions).

N/A

7.0 Details of Associates and Joint Venture Entities

Name of associate/joint venture	Reporting entity's percentage holding		Contribution to Net profit/(loss) (where material)	
	Current Period	Previous Corresponding Period	Current Period	Previous Corresponding Period
			\$'000	\$'000
Structural Systems (UK) Ltd	-	40%	-	473

8.0 Foreign Entities

Accounting Standards used in compiling financial reports:
Australian Accounting Standards

9.0 If the accounts have been audited or subject to review and are subject to dispute or qualification, details are described below

N/A



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Company Secretary David Perry