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#### **APPENDIX 4C QUARTERLY CASH FLOW DECEMBER 2009**

Attached is the report for the December 2009 quarter submitted by Arafura Pearls Holdings Limited.

##### Operations

The 2009-10 spawning commenced in October 2009 and three successful spawnings have been conducted so far. The target 750,000 for the season is expected to be exceeded.

##### Marketing

Pearl sales for the quarter amounted to \$2.81 million from the 2010 harvests at Beagle Bay and Elizabeth Bay. The assessed value of pearls on hand at the end of December was \$4.6 million, expected to be sold in the June half year.

##### Funding

Applications received under the 2010 Management Investments Scheme (MIS) had reached \$5 million by 31 December and a further \$6 million has been committed.

The company repaid \$1.3 million of its CBA loan facility during the quarter and has repaid a further \$2 million since 31 December, leaving a remaining balance of that facility at \$2.7 million.

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# Appendix 4C

## Quarterly report for entities admitted on the basis of commitments

Introduced 31/3/2000. Amended 30/9/2001, 24/10/2005.

Name of entity

ARAFURA PEARLS HOLDINGS LIMITED

ABN

88 092 266 067

Quarter ended ("current quarter")

31 DECEMBER 2009

### Consolidated statement of cash flows

| Cash flows related to operating activities                | Current quarter<br>\$A'000 | Year to date<br>(6 months)<br>\$A'000 |
|---|----------------------------|---------------------------------------|
| 1.1 Receipts from customers                               | 6,996                      | 9,583                                 |
| 1.2 Payments for  |                            |                                       |
| (a) staff costs   | (1,544)                    | (3,142)                               |
| (b) NT farm operations                                    | (248)                      | (488)                                 |
| (c) Corporate Admin                                       | (455)                      | (676)                                 |
| (d) MIS expenses  | (660)                      | (1,759)                               |
| (e) other working capital                                 | 12                         | (403)                                 |
| 1.3 Dividends received                                    |                            |                                       |
| 1.4 Interest and other items of a similar nature received | -                          | 2                                     |
| 1.5 Interest and other costs of finance paid              | (536)                      | (858)                                 |
| 1.6 Income taxes paid                                     |                            |                                       |
| 1.7 Other (provide details if material)                   |                            |                                       |
| <b>Net operating cash flows</b>                           | <b>3,565</b>               | <b>2,259</b>                          |

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|  | Curent quarter<br>\$A'000 | Year to date<br>( 6 months)<br>\$A'000 |
|--|---------------------------|--|
| 1.8 Net operating cash flows (carried forward)       | 3,565                     | 2,259                                  |
| <b>Cash flows related to investing activities</b>    |                           |  |
| 1.9 Payment for acquisition of:                      |                           |  |
| (a) businesses (item 5)                              |                           |  |
| (b) equity investments                               |                           |  |
| (c) intellectual property                            |                           |  |
| (d) physical non-current assets                      | (181)                     | (299)                                  |
| (e) other non-current assets                         |                           |  |
| 1.10 Proceeds from disposal of:                      |                           |  |
| (a) businesses (item 5)                              |                           |  |
| (b) equity investments                               |                           |  |
| (c) intellectual property                            |                           |  |
| (d) physical non-current assets                      |                           |  |
| (e) other non-current assets                         |                           |  |
| 1.11 Loans to other entities                         |                           |  |
| 1.12 Loans repaid by other entities                  |                           |  |
| 1.13 Other (provide details if material)             |                           |  |
| <b>Net investing cash flows</b>                      | (181)                     | (299)                                  |
| <b>1.14 Total operating and investing cash flows</b> | 3,384                     | 1,960                                  |
| <b>Cash flows related to financing activities</b>    |                           |  |
| 1.15 Proceeds from issues of shares, options, etc.   | 451                       | 1,393                                  |
| 1.16 Proceeds from sale of forfeited shares          |                           |  |
| 1.17 Proceeds from borrowings                        | 50                        | 68                                     |
| 1.18 Repayment of borrowings                         | (1,308)                   | (1,467)                                |
| 1.19 Dividends paid                                  |                           |  |
| 1.20 Other (provide details if material)             |                           |  |
| <b>Net financing cash flows</b>                      | (807)                     | (6)                                    |
| <b>Net increase (decrease) in cash held</b>          | 2,577                     | 1,954                                  |
| 1.21 Cash at beginning of quarter/year to date       | 777                       | 1,411                                  |
| 1.22 Exchange rate adjustments to item 1.1           | (9)                       | 2                                      |
| <b>1.23 Cash at end of quarter</b>                   | 3,363                     | 3,363                                  |

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**Payments to directors of the entity and associates of the directors**

**Payments to related entities of the entity and associates of the related entities**

|      |   | Current quarter<br>\$A'000 |
|------|---|----------------------------|
| 1.24 | Aggregate amount of payments to the parties included in item 1.2  | 116                        |
| 1.25 | Aggregate amount of loans to the parties included in item 1.11  | -                          |
| 1.26 | Explanation necessary for an understanding of the transactions  |                            |
|      | Executive directors fees included in Staff costs 1.2 (a)  | 85                         |
|      | Non Executive Directors fees included in 1.2 (a)  | 31                         |
|      | Fees due for services rendered last year related entity – prior to appointment as director included in 1.2(f) | 0                          |

**Non-cash financing and investing activities**

- 2.1 Details of financing and investing transactions which have had a material effect on consolidated assets and liabilities but did not involve cash flows

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| N/A |
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- 2.2 Details of outlays made by other entities to establish or increase their share in businesses in which the reporting entity has an interest

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| N/A |
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**Financing facilities available**

*Add notes as necessary for an understanding of the position. (See AASB 1026 paragraph 12.2).*

|     |                             | Amount available<br>\$A'000 | Amount used<br>\$A'000 |
|-----|-----------------------------|-----------------------------|------------------------|
| 3.1 | Loan facilities             | 3,096                       | 2,758                  |
| 3.2 | Credit standby arrangements | 4,750                       | 4,750                  |

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## Reconciliation of cash

| Reconciliation of cash at the end of the quarter (as shown in the consolidated statement of cash flows) to the related items in the accounts is as follows. | Current quarter<br>\$A'000 | Previous quarter<br>\$A'000 |
|---|----------------------------|-----------------------------|
| 4.1 Cash on hand and at bank  | 3,272                      | 662                         |
| 4.2 Deposits at call  | 91                         | 115                         |
| 4.3 Bank overdraft  |                            |                             |
| 4.4 Other (provide details)   |                            |                             |
| <b>Total: cash at end of quarter</b> (item 1.23)  | 3,363                      | 777                         |

## Acquisitions and disposals of business entities

|   | Acquisitions<br>(Item 1.9(a)) | Disposals<br>(Item 1.10(a)) |
|---|-------------------------------|-----------------------------|
| 5.1 Name of entity                            |                               |                             |
| 5.2 Place of incorporation or registration    |                               |                             |
| 5.3 Consideration for acquisition or disposal |                               |                             |
| 5.4 Total net assets                          |                               |                             |
| 5.5 Nature of business                        |                               |                             |

## Compliance statement

- 1 This statement has been prepared under accounting policies which comply with accounting standards as defined in the Corporations Act (except to the extent that information is not required because of note 2) or other standards acceptable to ASX.
- 2 This statement does give a true and fair view of the matters disclosed.



Sign here: ..... Date: 29 January 2010  
(Director)

Print name: Andrew Hewitt

## Notes

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1. The quarterly report provides a basis for informing the market how the entity's activities have been financed for the past quarter and the effect on its cash position. An entity wanting to disclose additional information is encouraged to do so, in a note or notes attached to this report.
2. The definitions in, and provisions of, *AASB 1026: Statement of Cash Flows* apply to this report except for the paragraphs of the Standard set out below.
  - 6.2 - reconciliation of cash flows arising from operating activities to operating profit or loss
  - 9.2 - itemised disclosure relating to acquisitions
  - 9.4 - itemised disclosure relating to disposals
  - 12.1(a) - policy for classification of cash items
  - 12.3 - disclosure of restrictions on use of cash
  - 13.1 - comparative information
3. **Accounting Standards.** ASX will accept, for example, the use of International Accounting Standards for foreign entities. If the standards used do not address a topic, the Australian standard on that topic (if any) must be complied with.

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