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Powerhouse Ventures Limited ("PVL" or the "Company")

QUARTERLY UPDATE ON ACTIVITIES FOR THE 3 MONTH PERIOD ENDED 31 MARCH 2024

The Board of Powerhouse Ventures Limited (**PVL or the Company**) presents the following update on activities for the 3-month period ending 31 March 2024 (**the Quarter**). Also included in this report are details of any subsequent events that have occurred up to the date of this release.

BOARD COMPOSITION:

As announced to the market on 28 March 2024, Joe Demase resigned from the PVL Board and was replaced by David McNamee as a non-executive Director. This change in Directors followed entities associated with David McNamee becoming significant shareholders in the Company.

With the board change the Company is taking the opportunity to refresh its strategy and will work on finalising that and sharing it with shareholders as soon as practicable.

PORTFOLIO HIGHLIGHTS:

The PVL Board and executive team continue to engage closely with the investee companies and can advise as follows below.

CourseLoop: The company's expansion into the UK continues to gain momentum with ARR now exceeding \$8m pa and management revising targets upwards for the first time as the company accelerates towards cashflow positive.

Cirrus Materials: The company continues to build its commercial pipeline with another development license signed with a large US company at the end of the quarter. Market engagement is also driving new R&D, potentially expanding Cirrus' IP platforms, as these prospective customers search for innovative surface solutions to high-value problems.

Veritide: This company, which PVL previously wrote down to \$0, has managed an impressive turnaround. Its spectroscopy technology enables meat processors to automate and digitise containment management. After significant engagement and



funding by industry bodies in both Australia and New Zealand along with over \$1m in sales of its POC device to commercial entities, Veritide is currently undertaking a recapitalisation. The raise will fund the end of year release of BluMax – a commercial scale system operating at line speed and forecast to deliver processors significant savings to the current labour intensive and imperfect process. The board will revise the valuation of this investment at the appropriate time upon completion of a successful capital round.

Despite persisting tough macro-economic conditions in higher risk asset markets the Board remains confident in the fundamental progress and balance sheet strength of the investee companies.

FINANCIAL POSIITON:

The Company's cash position at 31 March 2024 was \$2.97M with no debt. The company continues to maximise the interest return on cash whilst retaining sufficient liquidity to capitalise on attractive investments.

Net cash from operating activities for the quarter was (\$65k) compared to (\$98k) for the previous quarter.

If there are any questions regarding this quarterly report, shareholders are welcome to contact the Company at info@phvl.com.au. As always, we are grateful for our shareholder support.

James Kruger
Executive Chairman

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Authorised by the Board of Powerhouse Ventures Limited

About Powerhouse Ventures Limited:

Powerhouse is an investment company seeking to advance emerging intellectual property (principally originating from Australian scientists, engineers and institutions) into globally impactful businesses. The focus sectors are Electrification & Decarbonisation, Next Generation Computing, Space technologies, and Healthcare and Wellness.



Powerhouse has an existing active portfolio and strong pipeline of early stage to mature businesses across its focus segments. It has developed a unique network and broad base of skillsets to help its portfolio businesses expand and commercialise.

Forward Looking Statements:

All statements other than statements of historical fact including, without limitation, statements regarding projections, future plans and objectives of PVL, are forward-looking statements. When used in this announcement, forward-looking statements can be identified by words such as 'anticipate', 'believe', 'could', 'estimate', 'expect', 'future', 'intend', 'may', 'opportunity', 'plan', 'in principle', 'potential', 'project', 'seek', 'will' and other similar words that involve risks and uncertainties.

These statements are based on an assessment of present economic and operating conditions and assumptions regarding future events. Such forward-looking statements are not guarantees of future performance. They involve risks, uncertainties, assumptions and other important factors, many of which are beyond the control of the Company, its Directors and Management of PVL that could cause PVL's actual results to differ materially from the results expressed or anticipated in these statements.

The Company cannot and does not give any assurance that the results, performance or achievements expressed or implied by these forward-looking statements will actually occur and investors are cautioned not to place any reliance on these forward-looking statements. PVL does not undertake to update or revise forward-looking statements, or to publish prospective financial information in the future, regardless of whether new information, future events or any other factors affect the information contained above, except where required by applicable law and securities exchange listing requirements.



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Quarterly Cashflow Report (Appendix 4C)
 Quarter Ended: 31 March 2024

Statement of cash flows

1 Cash flows from operating activities	Current quarter \$AUD'000	Year to date \$AUD'000
1.1 Receipts from customers	-	0
1.2 Payments for		
(a) research and development	-	-
(b) product manufacturing and operating costs	-	-
(c) advertising and marketing	-	-
(d) leased assets	-	-
(e) staff costs	-	-
(f) administration and corporate costs	(97)	(463)
1.3 Dividends received (see note 3)	-	-
1.4 Interest received	30	91
1.5 Interest and other costs of finance paid	-	-
1.6 Income taxes paid	-	-
1.7 Government grants and tax incentives	-	-
1.8 Other (provide details if material)	2	2
1.9 Net cash from / (used in) operating activities	(65)	(370)

2 Cash flows from investing activities	Current quarter \$AUD'000	Year to date \$AUD'000
2.1 Payments to acquire:		
(a) entities	-	-
(b) businesses	-	-
(c) property, plant and equipment	-	-
(d) investments	-	-
(e) intellectual property	-	-
(f) other non-current assets	-	-
2.2 Proceeds from disposal of:		
(a) entities	-	-
(b) businesses	-	-
(c) property, plant and equipment	-	-
(d) investments	-	305
(e) intellectual property	-	-
(f) other non-current assets	-	-
2.3 Cash flows from loans to other entities	-	-
2.4 Dividends received (see note 3)	-	-
2.5 Other (provide details if material)	-	-
2.6 Net cash from / (used in) investing activities	-	305



3 Cash flows from financing activities	Current quarter \$AUD'000	Year to date \$AUD'000
3.1 Proceeds from issues of equity securities (excluding convertible debt securities)	-	-
3.2 Proceeds from issue of convertible debt securities	-	-
3.3 Proceeds from exercise of options	-	-
3.4 Transaction costs related to issues of equity securities or convertible debt securities	-	-
3.5 Proceeds from borrowings	-	-
3.6 Repayment of borrowings	-	-
3.7 Transaction costs related to loans and borrowings	-	-
3.8 Dividends paid	-	-
3.9 Other (provide details if material) (i)	-	-
3.10 Net cash from / (used in) financing activities	0	0

4 Net increase / (decrease) in cash and cash equivalents for the period	Current quarter \$AUD'000	Year to date \$AUD'000
4.1 Cash and cash equivalents at beginning of period	3,039	3,039
4.2 Net cash from / (used in) operating activities (item 1.9 above)	(65)	(370)
4.3 Net cash from / (used in) investing activities (item 2.6 above)	-	305
4.4 Net cash from / (used in) financing activities (item 3.10 above)	-	-
4.5 Effect of movement in exchange rates on cash held	-	-
4.6 Cash and cash equivalents at end of period	2,974	2,974

5 Reconciliation of cash and cash equivalents at the end of the quarter (as shown in the consolidated statement of cash flows) to the related items in the accounts	Current quarter \$AUD'000	Previous Quarter \$AUD'000
5.1 Bank balances	2,974	3,039
5.2 Call deposits	-	-
5.3 Bank overdrafts	-	-
5.4 Other (provide details)	-	-
5.5 Cash and cash equivalents at end of quarter	2,974	3,039

6 Payments to related parties of the entity and their associates	Current quarter \$AUD'000
6.1 Aggregated amount of payments to related parties and their associates included in item 1	33
6.2 Aggregated amount of payments to related parties and their associates included in item 2	-

Includes contractor costs and Director Fees paid to Executive and Non-Executive directors or their associates



7 Financing facilities available Note: the term 'facility' includes all forms of financing arrangements available to the entity.	Total facility at quarter end	Amount drawn at quarter end
7.1 Loan facilities	-	-
7.2 Credit standby arrangements	-	-
7.3 Other (please specify)	-	-
7.4 Total financing facilities	-	-
7.5 Unused financing facilities available at quarter end	-	-
7.6 Include in the box below a description of each facility above, including the lender, interest rate, maturity date and whether it is secured or unsecured. If any additional financing facilities have been entered into or are proposed to be entered into after quarter end, include a note providing details of those facilities as well.		

8 Estimated cash available for future operating activities	\$AUD'000
8.1 Net cash from / (used in) operating activities (Item 1.9)	(65)
8.2 Cash and cash equivalents at quarter end (Item 4.6)	2,974
8.3 Unused finance facilities available at quarter end (Item 7.5)	-
8.4 Total available funding (Item 8.2 + Item 8.3)	2,974
8.5 Estimated quarters of funding available (Item 8.4 dividend by Item 8.1)	46
8.6 If Item 8.5 is less than 2 quarters, please provide answers to the following questions: N/A	
1. Does the entity expect that it will continue to have the current level of net operating cash flows for the time being and, if not, why not?	
Answer:	
2. Has the entity taken any steps, or does it propose to take any steps, to raise further cash to fund its operations and, if so, what are those steps and how likely does it believe that they will be successful?	
Answer:	
3. Does the entity expect to be able to continue its operations and to meet its business objectives and, if so, on what basis?	
Answer:	

Compliance statement

- 1 This statement has been prepared in accordance with accounting standards and policies that comply with Listing Rule 19.11A.
- 2 This statement gives a true and fair view of the matters disclosed.

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Authorised by: The Board of Powerhouse Ventures Limited



Notes

1. This quarterly cash flow report and the accompanying activity report provide a basis for informing the market about the entity's activities for the past quarter, how they have been financed and the effect this has had on its cash position. An entity that wishes to disclose additional information over and above the minimum required under the Listing Rules is encouraged to do so.
2. If this quarterly cash flow report has been prepared in accordance with Australian Accounting Standards, the definitions in, and provisions of, AASB 107: Statement of Cash Flows apply to this report. If this quarterly cash flow report has been prepared in accordance with other accounting standards agreed by ASX pursuant to Listing Rule 19.11A, the corresponding equivalent standard applies to this report.
3. Dividends received may be classified either as cash flows from operating activities or cash flows from investing activities, depending on the accounting policy of the entity.
4. If this report has been authorised for release to the market by your board of directors, you can insert here: "By the board". If it has been authorised for release to the market by a committee of your board of directors, you can insert here: "By the name of board committee – e.g. Audit and Risk Committee]". If it has been authorised for release to the market by a disclosure committee, you can insert here: "By the Disclosure Committee".
5. If this report has been authorised for release to the market by your board of directors and you wish to hold yourself out as complying with recommendation 4.2 of the ASX Corporate Governance Council's Corporate Governance Principles and recommendations, the board should have received a declaration from its CEO and CFO that, in their opinion, the financial records of the entity have been properly maintained, that this report complies with the appropriate accounting standards and gives a true and fair view of the cash flows of the entity, and that their opinion has been formed on the basis of a sound system of risk management and internal control which is operating effectively.

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