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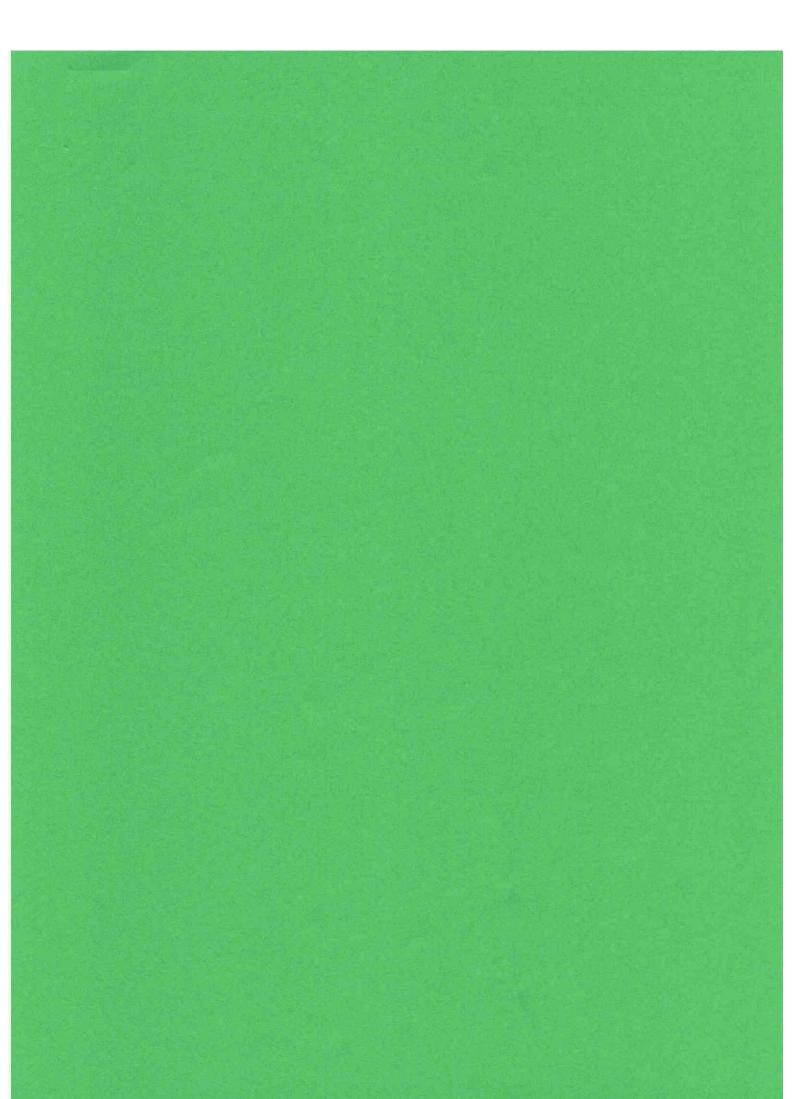
FINANCIAL REPORT

FOR THE FINANCIAL YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2021



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#### **General Information**

The financial report covers Adopt Change Limited ("Company") as an individual entity. The financial report is presented in Australian dollars, which is the Company's functional and presentation currency.

The financial report consists of the financial statements, notes to the financial statements and the Directors' Declaration.

Adopt Change Limited is a not-for-profit unlisted public Company Limited by Guarantee, a registered charity with the Australian Charities and Not-for-Profits Commission (ACNC), and incorporated and domiciled in Australia. Its registered office and principal place of business are:

10/1 Cooks Ave CANTERBURY, NSW 2193

A description of the Company's principal activity is included in the Directors' Report, which is not part of the financial statements.

## ADOPT CHANGE LTD (a Company Limited by Guarantee) DIRECTORS' REPORT FOR THE FINANCIAL YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2021

The Directors present their report, together with the financial statements, on the Company for the year ended 30 June 2021 and the Independent Audit Report thereon.

#### DIRECTORS

The names of the Directors of the Company during or since the end of the financial year are

Victoria Buchan	100000000000000
Catherine McDonnell	**********
Kerry Chikarovski	*****
Helen Baker	
Thomas Bourdon (18 February 202	**************************************
Mark Nixon (23 March 2021)	*******
Paul Chandler (19 August 2021)	
Tom Imbesi (27 October 2021)	,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,

## PRINCIPAL ACTIVITY

The Company's purpose is to support vulnerable children in need, particularly those in government care, foster care, orphans or children without families, and their carers. families and guardians

#### **REVIEW OF OPERATIONS**

A deficit of \$150,000 was budgeted for FY21, to access a portion of retained earnings to invest in our work with the knowledge there would still be sufficient retained earnings for the organisation's sustainability. This decision was made to invest in furthering our process including in staffing and consultancy, communication, website and systems improvements. The actual deficit was lower at \$88,842 due primarily to income received above budget.

Based on the financial position and the available cash, the board has decided to further invest in our strategic priorities for FY22 and has forecast a small deficit for the year.

#### CONTRIBUTIONS ON WINDING UP

The amount that each member of the Company is liable to contribute if the Company is wound up is \$100. The Company had five members at the commencement of the financial year, and five members at the end of the financial year.

#### AUDITOR' S INDEPENDENCE DECLARATION

A copy of the Auditor's Independence Declaration as required under section 60-40 of the Australian Charities and Norfor-Profits Commission Act 2012 is set out on page 3.

This report is made in accordance with a resolution of the Directors.

On behalf of the Directors

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Victoria Buchan Director

Catherine McDonnell

Director

19/11/2021

Date

19/11/2021

Date

## ADOPT CHANGE LTD (a Company Limited by Guarantee) AUDITOR'S INDEPENDE DECLARATION UNDER SECTION 307C OF THE CORPORATIONS ACT 2001 AND DIVISION 60-40 OF THE ACNC ACT 2012 TO THE BOARD OF ADOPT CHANGE LTD

To the Directors of Adopt Change Ltd:

In accordance with the requirements of section 60-40 of the *Australian Charities and Nat-for-profits Commission Act 2012,* I declare that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, in relation to the audit of Adopt Change Ltd for the year ended 30 June 2021, there have been:

- i) no contraventions of the auditor independence requirements as set out in the Australian Charities and Natfor-profits Commission Act 2012 in relation to the audit; and
- ii) no contraventions of any applicable code of professional conduct in relation to the audit.

Christopher Coote FCA Christopher Coote & Co Pty Ltd, Chartered Accountants Authorised Audit Company No 283027

Dated: 16 November 2021

## ADOPT CHANGE LTD (a Company Limited by Guarantee) STATEMENT OF COMPREHENSIVE INCOME FOR THE FINANCIAL YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2021

Ν	lote	2021	2020
		\$	\$
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Donations Received		60,094	120,455
Grants		79,773	60,000
Foster Picnic Sydney		0	40,542
Funded Service Project		2,705,162	2,387,153
Fundraising Contributions		190,062	232,526
Interest Received		141	360
Other Revenue		0	27,026
		3,035,232	2,868,062
EXPENSES		22.044	<b>22</b> 0.00
Audit, Legal and Accounting Fees		23,944	23,969
Consultancy Fees		124,086	89,871
Depreciation		14,172	13,887
Employee Benefits	3	1,912,948	1,368,073
Fundraising & Event Expenses		732,558	853,298
IT Expenses		56,459	35,900
Management & Board Expenses		14,381	10,798
Office Expenses		187,337	173,229
Travel & Accommodation		42,442	91,225
Other Expenses		15,748	7,604
TOTAL EXPENSES		3,124,074	2,667,855
SURPLUS/(DEFICIT) FOR THE YEAR		(88,842)	200,207
Other Comprehensive Income		-	-
TOTAL COMPREHENSIVE SURPLUS/(DEFICIT) FOR THE YEAR		(88,842)	200,207

The accompanying notes form part of these financial statements

# ADOPT CHANGE LTD (a Company Limited by Guarantee) STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION AS AT 30 JUNE 2021

	Note	2021	2020
		\$	\$
CURRENT ASSETS			
Cash & Cash Equivalents	4	840,687	1,561,645
Trade & Other Receivables	5	2,022	1,059
Other Current Assets	6	43,826	24,208
		886,535	1,586,912
NON-CURRENT ASSETS			
Property, Plant & Equipment	7	25,368	65,609
TOTAL ASSETS		911,902	1,652,521
CURRENT LIABILITIES			
Trade & Other Payables	8	154,118	349,141
Provisions	9	67,474	59,414
Lease Liability	10	24,963	66,178
Income Received in Advance	11	115,000	555,634
		361,555	1,030,367
NON-CURRENT LIABILITIES			
Provisions	12	17,035	0
TOTAL LIABILITIES		378,590	1,030,367
NET ASSETS		533,312	622,154
EQUITY			
Accumulated Funds		533,312	622,154
TOTAL EQUITY		533,312	622,154

## ADOPT CHANGE LTD (a Company Limited by Guarantee) STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN EQUITY AS AT 30 JUNE 2021

	Note	Accumulated Funds	Total
		\$	\$
BALANCE AT 1 JULY 2019		421,947	421,947
Surplus/(Deficit) for the Year		200,207	200,207
BALANCE AT 30 JUNE 2020		622,154	622,154
BALANCE AT 1 JULY 2020		622,154	622,154
Surplus/ (Deficit) for the Year		(88,842)	(88,842)
BALANCE AT 30 JUNE 2021		533,312	533,312

The accompanying notes form part of these financial statements

## ADOPT CHANGE LTD (a Company Limited by Guarantee) STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS FOR THE FINANCIAL YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2021

	Note	2021	2020
		\$	\$
CASH FLOWS FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES			
		207.012	274 070
Receipts from Donations & Appeals		307,912	371,078
Receipts from Grants		162,561	60,000
Receipts from Funded Service Project		2,364,480	2,625,832
Receipts from CSA Supplement		0	313,500
Receipts from Other Income		287,005	281,930
Interest Received		141	360
Payments to Suppliers & Employees		(3,829,121)	(2,903,456)
NET CASH FLOWS FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES		(707,022)	749,244
CASH FLOWS FROM INVESTING ACTIVITIES			
Purchase of Property, Plant & Equipment		(13,936)	(14,545)
NET CASH FLOWS FROM INVESTING ACTIVITIES		(13,936)	(14,545)
NET INCREASE/(DECREASE) IN CASH HELD		(720,958)	734,700
CASH AT BEGINNING OF THE FINANCIAL YEAR		1,561,645	826,946
CASH AT END OF THE FINANCIAL YEAR	4	840,687	1,561,645

#### 1. CORPORATE INFORMATION

The financial statements of Adopt Change Ltd for the year ended 30 June 2021 were authorised for issue in accordance with a resolution of the directors on  $\frac{18}{11/2011}$ .

The Company is a not-for-profit unlisted public Company Limited by Guarantee, a registered charity with the ACNC, and is incorporated and domiciled in Australia.

#### 2. STATEMENT OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

#### a) Basis of Preparation

These general purpose financial statements have been prepared in accordance with requirements of the *Australian Charities and Not-for-profits Commission Act 2012,* and Australian Accounting Standards - Reduced Disclosure Requirements

The financial statements have been prepared on an accruals basis and are based on historical costs.

The financial statements are presented in Australian dollars which is the Company's functional and presentational currency.

The principal accounting policies adopted in the preparation of the financial statements are set out below. These policies have been consistently applied to all the years presented, unless otherwise stated.

#### **Review of Operations**

A deficit of \$150,000 was budgeted for FY21, to access a portion of retained earnings to invest in our work with the knowledge there would still be sufficient retained earnings for the organisation's sustainability. This decision was made to invest in furthering our purposes including in staffing and consultancy, communications, website and systems improvements. The actual deficit was lower at \$88,842 due primarily to income received above budget. Based on the financial position and the available cash. The board has decided to further invest in our strategic priorities for the FY22, and has a forecast a small deficit for the year.

#### b) Significant Accounting Judgements & Estimates

When preparing the financial statements, management undertakes a number of judgements, estimates and assumptions about the recognition and measurement of assets, liabilities, income and expenses. There are no estimates or judgements which have risk of causing a material adjustment to the carrying amount of assets and liabilities within the next financial year.

#### c) Income

Income comprises revenue from grants, fundraising activities and funded service project revenue. Income is measured at the fair value of the consideration received or receivable and is presented net of returns, discounts and rebates.

Income is recognized when the amount of the revenue can be measured reliably, it is probable that economic benefits associated with the transaction will flow to the entity and specific criteria relating to the type of revenue as noted below, has been satisfied.

#### **Grant Revenue**

Grant revenue is recognised in the Statement of Comprehensive Income when the entity obtains control of the grant, it is probable that the economic benefits gained from the grant will flow to the entity and the amount of the grant can be measured reliably.

When grant revenue is received whereby the entity incurs an obligation to deliver economic value directly back to the contributor, this is considered a reciprocal transaction and the grant revenue is recognised in the Statement of Financial Position as a liability until the service has been delivered to the contributor, otherwise the grant is recognised as income on receipt.

#### 2. STATEMENT OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (cont.)

#### c) Income (cont.) Funded Service Project Revenue

Funded Service Project revenue is recognised in the Statement of Comprehensive Income when the entity obtains control of the service funds, it is probable that the economic benefits gained from the service funds will flow to the entity and the amount of the service funds can be measured reliably.

When service funds are received whereby the entity incurs an obligation to deliver economic value directly back to the contributor, this is considered a reciprocal transaction and the funded service project revenue is recognised in the Statement of Financial Position as a liability until the service has been delivered to the contributor. Otherwise, the service funds are recognised as income on receipt.

#### **Fundraising Activities**

Fundraising activities include the conducting of conferences, fundraising events, sale of merchandise and sponsorship for events. Funds collected from fundraising are recognised as revenue when the Company gains control, economic benefits are probable, and the amount of the fundraising monies can be measured reliably.

#### d) Income Tax

The Company is exempt from income tax pursuant to the *Income Tax Assessment Act 1997*. Accordingly, *Australian Accounting Standard AASB 112 Income Taxes* has not been applied and no provision for income tax has been included in the Accounts.

#### e) Goods & Services Tax (GST)

Revenues, expenses and assets are recognised net of the amount of GST, except where the amount of GST incurred is not recoverable from the Australian Taxation Office. In these circumstances, the GST is recognised as part of the cost of purchase of the asset or as part of the expense.

Cash flows are presented in the Statement of Cash Flows on a gross basis, except for the GST component of investing and financing activities, which are classified as operating cash flows.

#### f) Cash & Cash Equivalents

Cash and Cash Equivalents includes Cash at Bank.

For the purposes of the Statement of Cash Flows, Cash and Cash Equivalents consist of Cash and Cash Equivalents as defined above.

#### g) Property, Plant & Equipment

Property, Plant and equipment that have been contributed at no cost, or for nominal cost are valued and recognised at the fair value of the asset at the date it is acquired.

The cost model is used. The asset is carried at its cost less any accumulated depreciation and any impairment losses. Costs include purchase price, other directly attributable costs and the initial estimate of the costs of dismantling and restoring the asset where applicable.

The depreciable amount of all fixed assets, excluding freehold land, is depreciated on a reducing balance basis over the assets useful life to Adopt Change Limited commencing from the time the asset is held ready for use. The useful lives used for each class of depreciable assets are shown below:

Office Equipment (purchased pre 1 July 2017)	6	Years
Office Equipment (purchased post 1 July 2017)	1	Year
Furniture	1	Year
Right-of-use Assets	over	ease term

At the end of each annual reporting period, the depreciation method, useful life and residual value of each asset is reviewed. Any revisions are accounted for prospectively as a change in estimate.

When an asset is disposed, the gain or loss is calculated by comparing proceeds received with its carrying amount and is taken to profit or loss.

#### 2. STATEMENT OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (cont.)

#### h) Impairment

The carrying values of property, plant and equipment are reviewed for impairment at each reporting date, with recoverable amounts being estimated when events or changes in circumstances indicate that the carrying value may be impaired.

An impairment loss exists when the carrying value of an asset exceeds its estimated recoverable amount. The asset is then written down to its recoverable amount. Impairment losses are recognised in the profit and loss section of the Statement of Comprehensive Income.

#### i) Employee Entitlements

Liabilities for employee benefits for wages, salaries that are expected to be settled within 12 months of the reporting date representing present obligations resulting from employees' services provided to reporting date, are calculated at undiscounted amounts based on remuneration wage and salary rates that the association expects to pay as at reporting date including related on-costs.

Non-accumulating non-monetary benefits, such as sick leave, are expensed based on the net marginal cost to the Company as the benefits are taken up by the employees.

Contributions made by the company to employee superannuation funds are charged as expenses when incurred.

#### j) Leases

Where the Company is a lessee, the rights of use and obligations are initially recognised as assets and liabilities. The lease liability is initially measured at the present value of the lease payments over the lease term. The right-ofuse asset is initially measured at the amount of the lease liability plus any direct costs incurred and are depreciated over the lease term.

#### k) Income Received in Advance

The liability for deferred income is the unutilised amounts of service funds received on the condition that specified services are delivered or conditions are fulfilled.

#### I) Economic Dependence

The Company is dependent upon the ongoing receipt of Federal and State Government grants and community and corporate donations to ensure the ongoing continuance of its programs. At the date of this report, management has no reason to believe that this financial support will not continue.

#### m) Provisions

Provisions are measured at the estimated expenditure required to settle the present obligation, based on the most reliable evidence available at the reporting date, including the risks and uncertainties associated with the present obligation. Where there are a number of similar obligations, the likelihood that an outflow will be required in settlement is determined by considering the class of obligations as a whole. Provisions are discounted to their present values, where the time value of money is material.

		2021	2020
		\$	\$
3	EMPLOYEE BENEFITS		
	Salaries & Wages	1,690,709	1,195,849
	Superannuation	158,820	111,715
	Employee Benefit Provisions	25,470	19,408
	Other Employee Benefits	37,948	41,101
		1,912,948	1,368,073
4	CASH & CASH EQUIVALENTS		
	Cash at Bank	840,687	1,561,645
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5	TRADE & OTHER RECEIVABLES	<u>^</u>	1 0 50
	Trade & Other Receivables	0	1,059
	GST Receivable	2,022	0
		2,022	1,059

The carrying value of Trade Receivables is considered a reasonable approximation of fair value due to the short term nature of the balances. The maximum exposure to credit risk at the reporting date is the fair value of each class of receivable in the financial statements.

6	OTHER ASSETS		
	Current		
	Prepaid Expenses	24,252	11,642
	Lease Deposit Paid	19,574	12,567
		43,826	24,208
7	PROPERTY, PLANT & EQUIPMENT		
	Office Equipment At Cost	48,492	34,499
	Less Accumulated Depreciation	(48,087)	(33,916)
	Furniture At Cost	6,675	6,675
	Less Accumulated Depreciation	(6,675)	(6,675)
	Right-of-use Asset	155,014	130,051
	Less Accumulated Depreciation	(130,051)	(65,025)
		25,368	65,609
8	TRADE & OTHER PAYABLES		
	Trade Creditors	35,941	208,849
	Sundry Creditors & Accruals	39,461	61,973
	GST Payable	0	48,880
	Payroll Liabilities	78,717	29,439
		154,118	349,141
9	PROVISIONS		
	Current		
	Provision for Annual Leave	67,474	59,414

		2021	2020
		\$	\$
10	LEASE LIABILITY		
	Lease Liability	24,963	66,178
11	INCOME RECEIVED IN ADVANCE		
	Funded Service Project Funds Received in Advance	0	270,634
	CSA Supplement Received in Advance	0	285,000
	Other Grants Received in Advance	115,000	0
		115,000	555,634
12	PROVISIONS		
	Non-Current		
	Long Service Leave	17,035	0

#### 13 RELATED PARTY TRANSACTIONS

The Directors act in an honorary capacity and receive no compensation for their services other than reimbursement of expenses incurred in relation to their capacity as Directors.

#### 14 CONTINGENT LIABILITIES

There are no contingent liabilities that have been incurred by the Company in relation to 2020 or 2019.

#### 15 COMPARATIVE INFORMATION RESTATEMENT

In the prior year the company incorrectly recognised management fees earnt for projects (\$234,606) twice in Income, in Other Revenue as well as in Funded Services Project. A corresponding amount was also incorrectly recorded in expenses – which had the effect of increasing both income and expenses by the same amount. The comparative revenue and expenses figures in this financial report have been restated to reduce other revenue and expenses by \$234,606. The restatement had nil effect on surplus and net assets for the prior year.

#### **16 MEMBERS' GUARANTEE**

Adopt Change Ltd is a Company Limited by Guarantee and by its Constitution, the liability is restricted to \$100 per member. The Company has 5 members. At 30 June 2021, the total amount that members of the Company are liable to contribute if the Company wound up is \$500 (2020: \$500).

### ADOPT CHANGE LTD (a Company Limited by Guarantee) DIRECTORS' DECLARATION

In the Directors' opinion:

- The attached financial statements and notes thereto comply with the Australian Accounting Standards Reduced Disclosure Requirements and give a true and fair view of the financial position of the Company on 30 June 2021 and of its performance for the financial year ended on that date;
- 2. The attached financial statements and notes thereto are in accordance with the Australian Charities and Not-forprofits Commission Act 2012 and the Australian Charities and Not-for-profits Commission Regulation 2013; and
- There are reasonable grounds to believe the company will be able to pay its debts as and when they become due and payable.

Signed in accordance with a resolution of directors made pursuant to section 60.15 (2) of the Australian Charities and Not-for-profits Commission Regulation 2013;

On behalf of the directors;

0 Victoria Buchan

Director

19 11/2021 Date



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INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT

231 Wardell Road Dulwich Hill NSW 2203

# Opinion

We have audited the financial report of Adopt Change Limited (the Company), which comprises the statement of financial position as at 30 June 2021, the statement of comprehensive income, statement of changes in equity and statement of cash flows for the year then ended, and notes to the financial statements, including significant accounting policies, and the directors' declaration.

In our opinion, the accompanying financial report of Adopt Change Limited, is in accordance with the *Corporations Act 2001*, including:

- (a) giving a true and fair view of the Company's financial position as 30 June 2021, and of its financial performance for the year then ended; and
- (b) complying with Australian Accounting Standards and the Corporations Regulations 2001.

## Basis for Opinion

We conducted our audit in accordance with Australian Auditing Standards. Our responsibilities under those standards are further described in the *Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Report* section of our report. We are independent of the Company in accordance with the auditor independence requirements of the *Corporations Act 2001* and the ethical requirements of the Accounting Professional and Ethical Standards Board's APES 110 *Code of Ethics for Professional Accountants* (the Code) that are relevant to our audit of the financial report in Australia. We have also fulfilled our other ethical responsibilities in accordance with the Code.

We confirm that the independence declaration required by the *Corporations Act 2001*, which has been given to the directors of the Company, would be in the same terms if given to the directors as at the same time of this auditor's report.

We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion.

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## **Responsibilities of the Directors for the Financial Report**

The directors of the Company are responsible for the preparation of the financial report that gives a true and fair view in accordance with Australian Accounting Standards and the *Corporations Act 2001* and for such internal control as the directors determine is necessary to enable the preparation of the financial report that gives a true and fair view and is free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

In preparing the financial report, the directors are responsible for assessing the Company's ability to continue as a going concern, disclosing as applicable, matters related to going concern and using the going concern basis of accounting unless the directors either intend to liquidate the Company or to cease operations, or have no realistic alternative but to do so.

### Auditor's responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Report

Our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial report as a who le is free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error, and to issue an auditor's report that includes our opinion. Reasonable assurance is a high level of assurance, but is not a guarantee that an audit conducted in accordance with Australian Auditing Standards will always detect a material misstatement when it exists. Misstatements can arise from fraud or error and are considered material if, individually or in the aggregate, they could reasonably be expected to influence the economic decisions of the users taken on the basis of this financial report.

Christopher Coote & Co Pty Ltd, Chartered Accountants, Authorised Audit Company Christopher Coote FCA Director 2 Kochia Lane, Lindfield, NSW 2070 16 November 2021