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ANNUAL REPORT

FOR THE FINANCIAL YEAR ENDING 30 JUNE 2015

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CORPORATE DIRECTORY

NON EXECUTIVE CHAIRMAN

Peter Bennetto

EXECUTIVE MANAGING DIRECTOR

Jonathan Downes

EXECUTIVE TECHNICAL DIRECTOR

Adrian Byass

EXECUTIVE ENGINEERING DIRECTOR

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MANAGING DIRECTOR'S LETTER

Dear Shareholder,

I am pleased to share with you the annual review of Ironbark Zinc Limited's ("Ironbark" or "the Company") activities. Throughout the year our team has worked to accomplish milestone achievements at our world-class 100% owned Citronen Base Metals Project ("Citronen") in Greenland, which rates as the largest zinc resource wholly owned by an ASX listed company and has been ratified as a future Top 6 Global Zinc Mine.

Citronen, located in Greenland, a nation that is actively seeking to foster a mining sector to help support its economy, is one of the world's largest credible zinc development projects at an advanced post-feasibility stage. This year we have achieved several major steps forward, including:

- Lodging Mining Licence Application
- Achieved approval for public consultation of the Environmental Impact Assessment
- Achieved approval for public consultation of the Social Impact Assessment
- Progressed engineering works with China Nonferrous
- Released JORC 2012 Resource

The lodgement of the Exploitation Licence (Mining Licence) application for Citronen with Greenland's Government was a defining step in the development of Citronen. A Mining Licence application in Greenland is comprehensive and encompasses regulations covering all aspects of the proposed mine, including environmental permitting and social commitments. Following approval, the Mining Licence will provide Ironbark with the right to mine Citronen for a period of 30 years.

During the year, Ironbark also progressed the engineering work under the Memorandum of Understanding with China Non-Ferrous Metal Industry's Foreign Engineering and Construction Co. Ltd. (NFC) and upgraded Citronen's Resource to JORC 2012 compliance, establishing 70.8 million tonnes at 5.7% Zn + Pb (3.5% Zn cut-off), including a higher grade resource of 29.9 million tonnes at 7.1% Zn + Pb (5.0% Zn cut-off).

The market's appreciation of the Company's positioning on the global zinc stage was evidenced by the overwhelming interest received for the Company's \$2.5 million placement (August 2014) – four times oversubscribed, it demonstrated the robust support for Ironbark and the Citronen project.

Commodities in general have recently experienced a very challenging environment and the rally in zinc prices have retreated under the broader pressure of falling commodity prices. More than in any other time, global markets have been dominated by the performance of China. Zinc has held its position better than many commodities due to the supply deficit scenario that, already impacted by the closure of Century, Australia's largest zinc mine, is widely expected to accelerate following the closure of Ireland's Lisheen mine in 2015.

Despite its current, relatively low price (against projected prices for future years and historical highs) zinc remains the world's fourth most used metal and decades of underinvestment, looming supply constraints facing the zinc industry, place Ironbark in a unique position to take advantage of future rallies in the zinc price.

Citronen holds over 13 billion pounds of zinc and lead and has a projected 14 year mine life, which is defined only by the limits of drilling conducted to date. As such, one of the most exciting aspects remains its exceptional exploration potential, with identified mineralisation at Citronen remaining open in almost every direction.

Ironbark's team remains focussed on taking Citronen through to financed production. Ironbark will continue to operate under a Memorandum of Understanding with China Nonferrous to progress construction and financing solutions for the advancement of Citronen, and we look forward to making significant progress on permitting and development as we progress the Citronen project to the next stage.

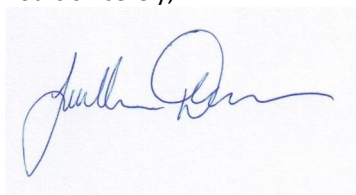
MANAGING DIRECTOR'S LETTER (cont)

While maintaining a dedicated focus on progressing Citronen into a major mining operation as rapidly and practically as possible, Ironbark's team has also added value to our existing domestic and international projects, renegotiating the terms of its joint venture agreement for the Captains Flat base metals project in New South Wales (increasing Ironbark's ownership to 50%) and reporting a strong increase in grade within one of its drill holes at the Sortebjerg Prospect (Mestersvig Project), Greenland.

In tandem with developing Citronen and the Company's other projects, there has been a focus on maintaining corporate development via the acquisition of complementary assets. Ironbark has and will continue to explore its options for utilising the US\$50M Glencore mergers and acquisition funding facility with a view towards developing the Company's goal of becoming a major base metals company.

Finally, on behalf of the Ironbark team, I extend our sincere thanks and appreciation for the loyal support from our shareholders as we remain on track towards developing a leading international base metals company.

Yours sincerely,



Jonathan Downes
Managing Director

DIRECTORS' REPORT

Your Directors present their report on Ironbark Zinc Limited (the "Company" and "Ironbark") and its controlled entities (together the "Consolidated Entity") for the financial year ended 30 June 2015.

1. Directors

The names of Directors in office at any time during or since the end of the year are:

Mr Peter Bennetto	Non Executive Chairman
Mr Jonathan Downes	Executive Managing Director
Mr Adrian Byass	Executive Technical Director
Mr Gregory Campbell	Executive Engineering Director
Mr David Kelly	Non Executive Director
Mr Gary Comb	Non Executive Director
Mr Chris James	Non Executive Director
Mr John McConnell	Non Executive Director (resigned 20 November 2014)

Directors have been in office since the start of the financial year to the date of this report unless otherwise stated.

2. Company Secretary

Mr Robert Orr, CA holds the position of Company Secretary. Mr Orr is a Chartered Accountant and has acted as Chief Financial Officer and Company Secretary for a number of ASX listed companies, with over 20 years' experience in public practice and commerce. He has worked extensively in the resource industry with experience in capital markets, project development, contract negotiation and mining operations.

3. Principal Activities and Significant Changes in Nature of Activities

The principal activities of the Consolidated Entity during the financial year were the exploration and evaluation of the Consolidated Entity's zinc and gold ground holdings. There were no significant changes in the nature of the Consolidated Entity's principal activities during the financial year.

4. Operating Results

The consolidated loss of the Consolidated Entity after providing for income tax amounted to \$48,446,107 (2014: \$4,663,637).

5. Dividends Paid or Recommended

The Directors do not recommend the payment of a dividend and no amount has been paid or declared by way of a dividend to the date of this report.

6. Likely developments and expected results of the operations

The Consolidated Entity intends to continue its exploration, development and production activities on its existing projects and to acquire further suitable projects for exploration as opportunities arise.

DIRECTOR'S REPORT (cont.)

7. Review of Operations

BUSINESS ACTIVITIES

Progress towards the granting of a Mining License for the Citronen Zinc Project

Throughout the year, Ironbark significantly advanced the Exploitation Licence (Mining Licence) documentation required for the Company's 100% owned Citronen project, and was pleased to announce the Company's lodgement of the formal Mining Licence application with the Greenland Government authorities.

The lodgement of the Mining Licence application was a defining step forward for Ironbark as the Company progresses towards developing a globally significant zinc mining operation. A Mining Licence application in Greenland is comprehensive and encompasses regulations which cover all aspects of the proposed mine, including environmental permitting and social commitments. Following approval, the Mining Licence would provide Ironbark with the right to mine at Citronen for a period of 30 years.

The Mining Licence application, which has been prepared in significant consultation with the relevant Greenlandic and Danish authorities, comprises the following documents:

- Feasibility Study
- Social Impact Assessment (SIA)
- Environmental Impact Assessment with base line surveys (EIA)
- Navigational Safety Investigation (NSI)

During the year the Greenland Government underwent significant change with new Ministers appointed across a range of Ministries and responsibility for the permitting now spread across three of these ministries. Meetings were held with Mr. Andreas Uldum, the Minister for Ministry of Mineral Resources, in Canada when Ironbark presented on behalf of the Greenland Day promotion at the Prospectors and Developers Association of Canada (PDAC). Meetings were also held in Greenland with Mr. Mala Høy Kúko the Minister for the Ministry of Nature, Environment and Justice and Mr. Vittus Qujaukitsoq the Minister for the Ministry of Industry, Labour and Trade. The meetings were positive and constructive with strong support across the three relevant Ministries for the Citronen development.

During the year Ironbark announced that, following the Company's lodgement of the formal Mining Licence Application for Citronen with the Greenland Government authorities, it had received an update from the Environment Agency for Mineral Resources Activities – Danish Centre for Environment and Energy (DCE) regarding the Mining Licence Application. The DCE review of Ironbark's Environmental Impact Assessment (EIA) and its appendices (with reference to its suitability for being published on the Naalakersuisut Public consultations as part of the public hearing process) found that all environmental issues have now been treated satisfactorily in the EIA.

Several questions and suggestions were subsequently introduced into the Social Impact Assessment (SIA) document by the Greenland Government which have been addressed by Ironbark and we now await formal approval. In addition, the final Danish Maritime Assessment (DMA) was lodged and the Mine Closure Plan was completed.

Subsequent to year end formal approval of the SIA was granted and Ironbark commenced a Public Consultation process this will be followed with the Company entering into an Impact Benefit Agreement (IBA). The IBA is a document used to provide a formal framework for Ironbark's obligations under the SIA such as training and employment commitments to the Greenlandic people. The Ministry of Industry, Labour and Trade is also currently working on the IBA. Following entering into the IBA a Section 19-43 application will be made to gain the Mining Licence.

DIRECTOR'S REPORT (cont.)

Greenland is seeking to develop a strong mineral and petroleum industry and has returned very high global rankings on the annual Fraser Institute survey. Zinc and lead minerals have been approved for exploitation in Greenland, which has a history of zinc and lead mining and continues to seek to re-establish a mining industry

JORC 2012 resource released

During the year Ironbark upgraded Citronen in accordance with ASX Listing Rule 5.8 and compliance with the 2012 JORC Code.

70.8 million tonnes at 5.7% Zn + Pb

At a 3.5% Zn cut-off

Including a higher grade resource of

29.9 million tonnes at 7.1% Zn + Pb

At a 5.0% Zn cut-off

- **315 holes totalling 67,083 metres of diamond drilling completed to date**
- **11km strike of drilling containing economic grade mineralisation***
- **91% of effectively drilled holes intersected sulphide mineralisation**
- **73% of effectively drilled holes intersected economic grade mineralisation***
- **Deposit open in every direction – huge exploration potential**
- **Exploitation (Mining) Licence Application lodged October 2014**

*Economic grade mineralisation being a minimum of 2.0m @ 3.5% Zinc based on the Citronen Feasibility Report, 29 April 2013.

A total of 315 diamond drill holes totalling 67,083m have been completed at the project since exploration began in 1993. The strike length of the mineralised holes of economic grade is 11 kilometres and the strike length of the area containing the current resource is over 6.5 kilometres (Figure 2). 91% of effectively drilled holes (holes completed to target depth) at the project have intersected sulphide mineralisation with 73% of the holes intersecting economic mineralisation of more than 2.0m at 3.5% Zinc. The project is open in almost every direction and many economic intercepts are outside the current resource wireframe. Further details relating to this resource were lodged on the ASX on 25 November 2014 and are included in the Mineral Resource Statement within this Annual Report.

CORPORATE ACTIVITIES

On 20 August 2014 the Company was pleased to announce that it had issued 28 million shares at an issue price of \$0.09 pursuant to a placement of the company's securities with professional investors. The placement raised \$2.52 million in order for the Company to continue progress on its world class Citronen Zinc Project and continue exploration on its Greenland and Australian base metal projects.

On 12 November 2014, the Company announced it had increased its ownership of the Captains Flat Joint Venture ("JV") Project to 50%, acquiring a further 12.5% interest in the JV from Rutila Resources Limited ("Rutilla or "the Vendor"). The tenement lease is jointly owned with, and funded by NSW Base Metals Pty Ltd who holds an equal 50% interest. The Company issued 1,000,000 shares with a valuation of \$100,000, and a minor cash adjustment of \$25,000 to Rutila as consideration for the increased ownership of the exploration licenses.

DIRECTOR'S REPORT (cont.)

On 20 November 2014, the Company held its Annual General Meeting of Shareholders ("AGM"). All resolutions put to the meeting were passed unanimously by a show of hands.

On the same date, the Company announced that it had issued to the Company's Directors, Officers and Employees in accordance with shareholder approval and the Company's Employee Share Plan:

1. 619,211 fully paid shares at an issue price of \$0.09 per shares; and
2. 15,000,000 options with an exercise price of \$0.133 and expiry of 20 November 2017

The sole change to the board during the financial period was the resignation of Mr John McConnell from his role of Non-executive Director; Mr McConnell's resignation was effective from the date of the Company's AGM.

On 25 June 2015, the Company effected the acquisition of Captains Flats JV interest with the issue of 1,000,000 shares to the Vendor and paid the cash balance of \$25,000. The shares have a value of \$0.09 per share with an aggregate value of \$90,000.

8. Discussion and Analysis of Operations and the Financial Position

The net assets of the Consolidated Entity have decreased from \$90,521,466 in 2014 to \$45,209,036 in 2015. The major contributor to the reduction in the net assets of the Company for the financial year was the impairment of the Company's Citronen Project from a fair value of \$88 million in 2014 to \$42 million as at 30 June 2015.

The Consolidated Entity's working capital, being current assets less current liabilities, has increased from \$1,706,633 in 2014 to \$1,855,498 in 2015 and as at 30 June 2015 the Consolidated Entity had \$2,131,544 cash on hand. The Consolidated Entity may require further funding during the 2015 financial year in order to meet day to day obligations as they fall due and progress its exploration and development projects. The Directors anticipate that future financing for exploration and mining activities will be secured in a reasonable timeframe and accordingly the Directors consider it appropriate to prepare the financial statements on a going concern basis.

Exploration and evaluation costs, are capitalised as exploration and evaluation assets on an area of interest basis. Exploration and evaluation assets are only recognised if:

- The continuance of the rights to tenure of the areas of interest;
- The results of future exploration; and
- The recoupment of costs through successful development and exploitation of the areas of interest or alternatively by their sale.

A regular review is undertaken of each area of interest to determine the appropriateness of continuing to carry forward costs in relation to that area of interest. All exploration projects have been reviewed at 30 June 2015. Accordingly, the Consolidated Entity recorded an impairment of exploration expenditure of \$47,046,733 (2014: \$3,400,156).

During the financial year, the Company assessed the carrying value of its exploration expenditure on the Citronen project and concluded that it was appropriate to impairment test the value of the project. The basis of the conclusions was due to the presence of impairment triggers resulting from the weakened price of zinc, general market sentiment towards the mining industry and the backdrop of the uncertain economic conditions. As a result of the impairment test, the project was impaired to its fair value. This fair value was determined to be \$42,082,360 this value was considered to be within a range of comparable values based on Companies involving zinc projects.

DIRECTOR'S REPORT (cont.)

The Consolidated Entity continues to ensure that administration and overhead costs are kept to a minimum through sharing office costs and administration and accounting costs. The Consolidated Entity continually reviews the overhead associated with fees, consultants, corporate compliance and maintaining the listed entity and seeks to keep these costs to a minimum without compromising the entities commitment to appropriate corporate governance principles.

The Directors believe the Consolidated Entity is in a stable financial position to expand and grow its current operations.

9. Significant Changes in State of Affairs

There have been no significant changes in the state of affairs of the Consolidated Entity other than those disclosed in the Review of Operation.

10. After Reporting Date Events

No further matters or circumstances have arisen since the end of the financial year which significantly affected or may significantly affect the operations of the Consolidated Entity, the results of those operations, or the state of affairs of the Consolidated Entity in future financial years.

11. Environmental Issues

The Consolidated Entity is aware of its environmental obligations with regards to its exploration activities and ensures that it complies with all regulations when carrying out any exploration work.

DIRECTOR'S REPORT (cont.)

12. Information on Directors

Mr Peter Bennetto	— Non Executive Chairman
Qualifications	— GAICD, SA Fin
Experience	— Mr Bennetto has over 30 years' experience in investment and banking. He has held company Director positions in exploration, mining and manufacturing companies listed on the ASX since 1990.
Interest in Shares and Options	— 1,222,104 fully paid ordinary shares 1,000,000 share options
Length of service	From 6 June 2006 to present
Special responsibilities:	— Audit, Remuneration and Risk committee
Directorships held in other listed entities	— Waratah Resources Limited from 17 July 2008 to 23 January 2013; Fertoz Limited from 2 September 2013 to 26 November 2013. Exalt Resources from 28 November 2013 to present
Mr Jonathan Downes	— Executive Managing Director
Qualifications	— BSc Geol, MAIG
Experience	— Mr Downes has over 15 years; experience in the minerals industry and has worked in various geological and corporate capacities. Mr Downes has experience in nickel, gold and base metals and has had extensive involvement in numerous private and public capital raisings. Mr Downes was a founding Director of Hibernia Gold (now Moly Mines Limited) and Siberia Mining Corporation Limited. Mr Downes is currently a Non Executive Director of Corazon Mining Limited and Sabre Resources Limited
Interest in Shares and Options	— 9,483,503 fully paid ordinary shares 6,000,000 share options
Length of service	From 18 April 2006 to present
Special responsibilities:	— Audit, Remuneration and Risk committee
Directorships held in other listed entities	— Corazon Mining Limited from 10 April 2006 to present date Sabre Resources Limited from 14 December 2007 to present date Waratah Resources Limited from 17 July 2008 to 28 November 2014 Wolf Minerals Limited from 20 September 2006 to 11 June 2013

DIRECTOR'S REPORT (cont.)

Mr Adrian Byass

Qualifications

Experience

- Executive Technical Director
- BSc Geol (Hons), B Econ, FSEG, MAIG
- Mr Byass has over 15 years' experience in the mining and minerals industry. This experience has principally been gained through mining, resource estimation, and mine development roles for several gold and nickel mining and exploration companies. Through his experience in resource estimation and professional association membership, Mr Byass is a competent person for reporting to the ASX for certain minerals. Mr Byass was a founder of Siberia Mining Corporation Limited and Hibernia Gold (now Moly Mines Limited). Mr Byass is currently a Non Executive Director of Corazon Mining Limited, Fertoz Limited and Managing Director of Plymouth Minerals Limited.

Interest in Shares and Options — 11,285,818 fully paid ordinary shares
1,000,000 share options

Length of service — From 18 April 2006 to present

Special responsibilities: — None

Directorships held in other listed entities — Corazon Mining Limited from 3 September 2009 to present date
Plymouth Minerals Limited from 17 June 2010 to present date
Fertoz Limited from 4 September 2013 to present date
Wolf Minerals Limited from 20 September 2006 to 27 June 2013

Mr Gregory Campbell

Qualifications

Experience

- Executive Director
- B Eng (Hons), MAusIMM, MIEAust
- Mr Campbell has 21 years engineering experience across Australia primarily in the iron industry. Mr Campbell has experience in process and chemical engineering as well as operating, marketing and financial analysis of projects in the metals industry. This experience has been gained in various capacities including 8 years with BHP Limited in a range of engineering and technical roles, 8 years in senior engineer consultancy roles with Aker Kvaerner and Promet Engineers and process engineering work for Ausmelt Limited.

Interest in Shares and Options — 2,230,539 fully paid ordinary shares
4,000,000 share options

Length of service — From 18 April 2006 to present

Special responsibilities: — None

Directorships held in other listed entities — Nil

Mr David Kelly

Qualifications

Experience

- Non Executive Director
- BCom, CA
- Mr Kelly is a qualified Chartered Accountant and Glencore representative.

Interest in Shares and Options — Nil

Length of service — From 16 July 2007 to present

Special responsibilities: — Audit, Remuneration and Risk committee

Directorships held in other listed entities — Nil

DIRECTOR'S REPORT (cont.)

Mr John McConnell

Qualifications

Experience

- Non Executive Director
- BSc Min Eng
- Mr McConnell is a Canadian mining engineer with a wealth of experience in developing and operating base metal and precious mineral mining operations in the Arctic. Mr McConnell has over 30 years of mining experience including exploration, engineering, environmental assessment and permitting, construction and operations. Recently, Mr McConnell was President and CEO of Western Keltic Mines until it was acquired by Sherwood Copper. Prior to that Mr McConnell was the Vice President of Northwest Territories Projects for De Beers Canada. Mr McConnell is currently an Executive Vice President and Director of Victoria Gold Corp. He is a graduate of the Colorado School of Mines with a Bachelor of Science in Mining Engineering.

Interest in Shares and Options — 80,000 fully paid ordinary shares (at resignation)

Length of service — From 5 August 2009 to 20 November 2014

Special responsibilities: — None

Directorships held in other listed entities — Victoria Gold Corp from 8 January 2009 to present date

Mr Gary Comb

Qualifications

Experience

- Non Executive Director
- BE Mech, BSc, Dip Ed
- Mr Comb has spent over 25 years in the Australian mining industry, both with mining companies and in mining contractor roles. He was previously the Chief Executive Officer of BGC Contracting Pty Ltd, the mining contracting arm of West Australian construction group BGC Ltd and Managing Director of Jabiru Metals Limited.

Interest in Shares and Options — 668,662 fully paid ordinary shares

1,000,000 share options

Length of service — From 1 February 2012 to present

Special responsibilities: — None

Directorships held in other listed entities — Aurelia Metals Ltd (formerly YTC Resources Limited) from 4 July 2012 to present date

Finders Resources Ltd from 5 June 2013 to present date

Zenith Minerals Limited from 2 March 2007 to 11 June 2013

Mr Chris James

Qualifications

Experience

- Non Executive Director
- BSc Mec Eng, MBA
- Mr James, has been the Group Manager of Corporate Development for Nyrstar since 2010, and led the acquisitions of Farallon Mining and Breakwater Resources. He joined the group in 2002 and his background includes mining and metals operations, strategy, business improvement and investor relations. Mr James holds a Bachelor of Science and Engineering (Mechanical) from Monash University, and an Executive MBA from London Business School. Mr James is a Nyrstar representative.

Interest in Shares and Options — Nil

Length of service — From 11 February 2013 to present

Special responsibilities: — None

Directorships held in other listed entities — Nil

DIRECTOR'S REPORT (cont.)

13. Remuneration Report – Audited

This report details the nature and amount of remuneration for each key management person of Ironbark, and for the executives receiving the highest remuneration.

Remuneration policy

The Company's remuneration policy has been designed to align key management personnel objectives with shareholder and business objectives by providing a fixed remuneration component and offering specific long-term incentives based on key performance areas affecting the Consolidated Entity's financial results. The Company's Board believes the remuneration policy to be appropriate and effective in its ability to attract and retain the best key management personnel to run and manage the Consolidated Entity, as well as create goal congruence between Directors, Executives and Shareholders.

The Board's policy for determining the nature and amount of remuneration for key management personnel of the Consolidated Entity is as follows:

- The remuneration policy, setting the terms and conditions for the key management personnel, was developed by the remuneration committee and approved by the Board.
- All key management personnel receive a base salary (which is based on factors such as length of service and experience), superannuation and fringe benefits.
- The remuneration committee reviews key management personnel packages annually by reference to the Consolidated Entity's performance, executive performance and comparable information from industry sectors.

The Company is an exploration entity, and therefore speculative in terms of performance. Consistent with attracting and retaining talented executives, Directors and senior executives are paid market rates associated with individuals in similar positions, within the same industry.

Options have previously been issued to Directors to provide a mechanism to participate in the future development of the Company and an incentive for their future involvement with and commitment to the Company.

Further options and performance incentives may be issued as the entity moves from an exploration entity to a producing entity, and key performance indicators such as profits and growth can be used as measurements for assessing board performance.

The key management personnel receive a superannuation guarantee contribution required by the government, which is currently 9.5%, and do not receive any other retirement benefits.

All remuneration paid to key management personnel is valued at the cost to the Company and expensed. Shares given to key management personnel are valued as the difference between the market price of those shares and the amount paid by the key management personnel. Options are valued using the Black-Scholes methodology.

The Board policy is to remunerate Non Executive Directors at market rates for time, commitment and responsibilities. The remuneration committee determines payments to the Non Executive Directors and reviews their remuneration annually, based on market practice, duties and accountability. Independent external advice is sought when required. The maximum aggregate amount of fees that can be paid to Non Executive Directors is subject to approval by shareholders at the Annual General Meeting. Fees for Non Executive Directors are not linked to the performance of the Consolidated Entity. However, to align Directors' interests with shareholder interests, the Directors are encouraged to hold shares in the Company and are able to participate in the employee option plan.

DIRECTOR'S REPORT (cont.)

The employment conditions of the Executive Directors and other key management personnel are formalised in contracts of employment. All key management personnel are permanent employees of Ironbark.

The employment contract states a three-month resignation period. The Company may terminate an employment contract without cause by providing one to three months' written notice or making payment in lieu of notice, based on the individual's salary component.

Names and positions held of Consolidated Entity key management personnel in office at any time during the financial year are:

Key Management Personnel	Position held as at 30 June 2015 and any change during the year	Contract details (duration and termination)	Proportion of elements of remuneration related to performance			Proportion of elements of remuneration not related to performance	
			Non-Salary cash-based incentives %	Shares / Units %	Options /Rights %	Fixed salary/ Fees %	Total %
Peter Bennetto	Non Executive Chairman	No fixed term. 3 months notice required to terminate.	-	-	28	72	100
Jonathan Downes	Executive Managing Director	No fixed term. 3 months notice required to terminate.	-	-	49	51	100
Adrian Byass	Executive Director	No fixed term. 3 months notice required to terminate.	-	33	25	42	100
Gregory Campbell	Executive Director	No fixed term. 3 months notice required to terminate.	-	-	41	59	100
David Kelly	Non Executive Director	No fixed term. Upon advice from Nominee Glencore, required to terminate.	-	-	-	-	-
John McConnell	Non Executive Director	No fixed term.	-	-	-	-	-
Chris James	Non Executive Director	No fixed term. Upon advice from Nominee Nyrstar, required to terminate.	-	-	-	-	-
Gary Comb	Non Executive Director	No fixed term.	-	-	-	100	100
Robert Orr	Chief Financial Officer and Company Secretary	No fixed term. 3 months notice required to terminate.	-	-	30	70	100

DIRECTOR'S REPORT (cont.)

a. Key Management Personnel Remuneration

	Short Term Benefits		Share Based Payments	Post Employment Benefits	Total
	Salary and fees	Others	Securities	Superannuation	
	\$000	\$000	\$000	\$000	\$000
2015					
Peter Bennetto	107	-	42	10	159
Adrian Byass	70	-	98	-	168
Jonathan Downes	261	-	254	25	540
Gregory Campbell	248	-	169	24	441
Gary Comb	66	-	-	6	72
David Kelly	-	-	-	-	-
John McConnell	-	-	-	-	-
Chris James	-	-	-	-	-
Robert Orr	196	-	85	17	298
	<u>948</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>648</u>	<u>82</u>	<u>1,678</u>
2014					
Peter Bennetto	49	-	49	5	103
Adrian Byass	95	-	35	5	135
Jonathan Downes	219	-	39	20	278
Gregory Campbell	217	-	38	20	275
Gary Comb	48	-	35	3	86
David Kelly	-	-	-	-	-
John McConnell	-	-	-	-	-
Chris James	-	-	-	-	-
Robert Orr	167	-	38	13	218
	<u>795</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>234</u>	<u>66</u>	<u>1,095</u>

Performance income as a proportion of total income

No bonuses were paid to Executive or Non Executive Directors during the period.

b. Options and rights holdings

The number of options over ordinary shares in the Company held during the financial year by each Director and other members of key management personnel of the consolidated entity, including the personally related parties, is set out below:

2015	Balance 1.7.2014	Granted as Compensation	Options Exercised	Option Expired	Balance 30.6.2015	Total Vested 30.6.2015	Total Exercisable 30.6.2015	Total Un-exercisable 30.6.2015
Number of options held by key management personnel:	No. 000	No. 000	No. 000	No. 000	No. 000	No. 000	No. 000	No. 000
Peter Bennetto	-	1,000	-	-	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000
Jonathan Downes	-	6,000	-	-	6,000	6,000	6,000	6,000
Adrian Byass	-	1,000	-	-	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000
Gregory Campbell	-	4,000	-	-	4,000	4,000	4,000	4,000
Gary Comb	1,000	-	-	-	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000
John McConnell	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
David Kelly	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Chris James	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Robert Orr	-	2,000	-	-	2,000	2,000	2,000	2,000
Total	1,000	14,000	-	-	15,000	15,000	15,000	15,000

c. Share holdings

The number of shares in the Company held during the financial year by each Director and other member of key management personnel of the consolidated entities including their personally related parties is set out below:

2015	Balance 01.07.14	Received as compensation	Options exercised	Net change other	Balance 30.6.2015
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
Number of shares held by key management personnel:	000	000	000	000	000
Jonathan Downes	9,483	-	-	-	9,483
Peter Bennetto	1,222	-	-	-	1,222
Adrian Byass	10,667	619	-	-	11,286
Gregory Campbell	2,230	-	-	-	2,230
Gary Comb	669	-	-	-	669
John McConnell	80	-	-	-	80
David Kelly	-	-	-	-	-
Chris James	-	-	-	-	-
Robert Orr	722	-	-	-	722
Total	25,073	619	-	-	25,692

* On-market purchases.

14. Meetings of Directors

During the financial year, seven meetings of Directors were held. Attendances by each Director during the year were as follows:

	Directors' Meetings		Audit Committee		Remuneration Committee	
	Number eligible to attend	Number attended	Number eligible to attend	Number attended	Number eligible to attend	Number attended
Peter Bennetto	5	5	2	2	2	2
Jonathan Downes	5	5	2	2	2	2
Adrian Byass	5	5	-	-	-	-
Gregory Campbell	5	5	-	-	-	-
David Kelly	5	5	2	2	2	2
John McConnell	2	1	-	-	-	-
Gary Comb	5	5	-	-	-	-
Chris James	5	5	-	-	-	-

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15. Indemnifying Officers or Auditor

During or since the end of the financial year the Company has given an indemnity or entered into an agreement to indemnify, or paid or agreed to pay insurance premiums as follows:

The Company has paid premiums to insure each of the following directors and key personnel against liabilities for costs and expenses incurred by them in defending any legal proceedings arising out of their conduct while acting in the capacity of Director of the Company, other than conduct involving a wilful breach of duty in relation to the Company. The amount of the premium was approximately \$1,278 for each Director and officer.

- Peter Bennetto
- Jonathan Downes
- Adrian Byass
- Gregory Campbell
- David Kelly
- John McConnell
- Chris James
- Gary Comb
- Robert Orr

16. Options

At the date of this report, the unissued ordinary shares of Ironbark under option are as follows:

Grant Date	Date of Expiry	Exercise Price \$	Number under Option 000
24/01/2012	31/12/2017	0.30	5,000
26/11/2012	18/12/2016	0.10	1,000
20/11/2014	20/11/2017	0.133	15,000
			<u>21,000</u>

17. Proceedings on Behalf of the Company

No person has applied for leave of Court to bring proceedings on behalf of the Company or intervene in any proceedings to which the Company is a party for the purpose of taking responsibility on behalf of the Company for all or any part of those proceedings.

18. Non-Audit Services

The Board of Directors, in accordance with advice from the audit committee, is satisfied that the provision of non-audit services during the year is compatible with the general standard of independence for auditors imposed by the *Corporations Act 2001*. The Directors are satisfied that the services disclosed below did not compromise the external auditor's independence for the following reasons:

- all non-audit services are reviewed and approved by the audit committee prior to commencement to ensure they do not adversely affect the integrity and the objectivity of the auditor; and

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- the nature of the services provided to not compromise the general principles relating to auditor independence in accordance with APES 110: Code of Ethics for Professional Accountants set by the Accounting Professional and Ethical Standards Board.

The following fees were paid out to PKF Mack Chartered Accountants for non-audit services provided during the year ended 30 June 2015:

Taxation compliance service	\$4,240
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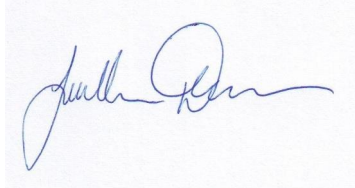
19. Auditor's Independence Declaration

The lead auditor's independence declaration for the year ended 30 June 2015 has been received and can be found on page 19 of the financial report.

20. Rounding of Amounts

The Company is an entity to which ASIC Class Order 98/100 applies and, accordingly, amounts in the financial statements and Directors' Report have been rounded to the nearest thousand dollars.

Signed in accordance with a resolution of the Board of Directors.



Jonathan Downes
Executive Managing Director

Date: 25 September 2015

AUDITOR'S INDEPENDENCE DECLARATION**TO THE DIRECTORS OF IRONBARK ZINC LIMITED**

In relation to our audit of the financial report of Ironbark Zinc Limited for the year ended 30 June 2015, to the best of my knowledge and belief, there have been no contraventions of the auditor independence requirements of the Corporations Act 2001 or any applicable code of professional conduct.

**PKF MACK****SHANE CROSS
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**CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF PROFIT OR LOSS
AND OTHER COMPREHENSIVE INCOME
FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2015**

	NOTE	2015 \$000	2014 \$000
Other revenue	2	255	251
Administration expenses		(159)	(189)
Consultancy expenses		(201)	(169)
Depreciation and amortisation expense	12	(8)	(8)
Director's fees		(263)	(181)
Employee benefits expense		(501)	(398)
Equity compensation benefits	3	(216)	(146)
Impairment of exploration expenditure	14	(47,047)	(3,400)
Fair value movement of financial assets	10	(28)	(72)
Insurance		(47)	(62)
Occupancy expenses		(103)	(135)
Regulatory expenses		(128)	(155)
Loss before income tax expense	3	(48,446)	(4,664)
Income tax benefit	4	-	-
Loss for the year		(48,446)	(4,664)
Other comprehensive income/(loss), net of income tax			
<i>Items that may be subsequently reclassified to profit or loss</i>			
Net change in fair value of available -for-sale financial assets		-	-
Other comprehensive income/(loss), net of tax		-	-
Total comprehensive loss for the year		(48,446)	(4,664)
LOSS PER SHARE			
Basic and diluted loss per share (cents)	7	(11.06)	(1.16)

The above consolidated statement of profit or loss and other comprehensive income should be read in conjunction with the accompanying notes.

CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION
AS AT 30 JUNE 2015

	NOTE	2015 \$000	2014 \$000
CURRENT ASSETS			
Cash and cash equivalents	8	2,132	2,194
Trade and other receivables	9	64	112
Other current assets	13	21	18
Income tax receivable	4	-	-
TOTAL CURRENT ASSETS		<u>2,217</u>	<u>2,324</u>
NON CURRENT ASSETS			
Plant and equipment	12	32	38
Exploration and evaluation expenditure	14	43,132	88,570
Financial assets	10	12	40
Other assets	13	177	167
TOTAL NON CURRENT ASSETS		<u>43,353</u>	<u>88,815</u>
TOTAL ASSETS		<u>45,570</u>	<u>91,139</u>
CURRENT LIABILITIES			
Trade and other payables	16	157	450
Short-term provisions	17	204	168
TOTAL CURRENT LIABILITIES		<u>361</u>	<u>618</u>
TOTAL LIABILITIES		<u>361</u>	<u>618</u>
NET ASSETS		<u>45,209</u>	<u>90,521</u>
EQUITY			
Issued capital	18	112,678	110,179
Reserves	19	1,388	753
Accumulated losses		<u>(68,857)</u>	<u>(20,411)</u>
TOTAL EQUITY		<u>45,209</u>	<u>90,521</u>

The above consolidated statement of financial position should be read in conjunction with the accompanying notes.

**CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN EQUITY
FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2015**

	Issued Capital \$000	Accumulated Losses \$000	Option Reserve \$000	Total \$000
Balance at 30 June 2013	107,680	(16,930)	1,936	92,686
Loss for the year	-	(4,664)	-	(4,664)
<i>Other comprehensive income</i>				
Asset revaluation reserve	-	-	-	-
Total comprehensive income/(loss) for the year	-	(4,664)	-	(4,664)
<i>Transactions with owners, recorded directly in equity</i>				
Issue of share capital	2,202	-	-	2,202
Share based payment	454	-	-	454
Costs of raising capital	(157)	-	-	(157)
Option lapsed	-	1,183	(1,183)	-
Total Transactions with owners	<u>2,499</u>	<u>1,183</u>	<u>(1,183)</u>	<u>2,499</u>
Balance at 30 June 2014	<u>110,179</u>	<u>(20,411)</u>	<u>753</u>	<u>90,521</u>
Loss for the year	-	(48,446)	-	(48,446)
<i>Other comprehensive income</i>				
Asset revaluation reserve	-	-	-	-
Total comprehensive income/(loss) for the year	-	(48,446)	-	(48,446)
<i>Transactions with owners, recorded directly in equity</i>				
Issue of share capital	2,520	-	-	2,520
Share based payments	146	-	635	781
Costs of raising capital	(167)	-	-	(167)
Total Transactions with owners	<u>2,499</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>635</u>	<u>3,134</u>
Balance at 30 June 2015	<u><u>112,678</u></u>	<u><u>(68,857)</u></u>	<u><u>1,388</u></u>	<u><u>45,209</u></u>

The above consolidated statement of changes in equity should be read in conjunction with the accompanying notes.

**CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF CASHFLOWS
FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2015**

	NOTE	2015 \$000	2014 \$000
Cash Flows from Operating Activities			
Payments to suppliers and employees		(1,333)	(1,329)
Interest received		75	82
Other		<u>231</u>	<u>135</u>
Net cash flows used in operating activities	22	<u>(1,027)</u>	<u>(1,112)</u>
Cash Flows from Investing Activities			
Payments for property, plant and equipment		(2)	(2)
Payments for exploration and evaluation		(1,351)	(856)
Payment for acquisition of tenement		(25)	-
Payments for bonds and deposits		(10)	(6)
Proceeds from refund of deposit		<u>-</u>	<u>3</u>
Net cash flows used in investing activities		<u>(1,388)</u>	<u>(861)</u>
Cash Flows from Financing Activities			
Proceeds from issue of shares		2,520	2,202
Payments for share issue cost		<u>(167)</u>	<u>(157)</u>
Net cash flows generated from financing activities		<u>2,353</u>	<u>2,045</u>
Net increase/(decrease) in cash and cash equivalents		(62)	72
Cash and cash equivalents at beginning of financial year		<u>2,194</u>	<u>2,122</u>
Cash and cash equivalents at end of financial year	8	<u><u>2,132</u></u>	<u><u>2,194</u></u>

The above consolidated statement of cash flows should be read in conjunction with the accompanying notes.

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2015

1. STATEMENT OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

The financial report of Ironbark Zinc Limited ('Ironbark' or the 'Company') for the year ended 30 June 2015 was authorised for issue in accordance with a resolution of Directors on 25 September 2015. The Directors have the power to amend and reissue the financial statements.

This financial report includes the consolidated financial statements and notes of Ironbark and controlled entities ('Consolidated Entity' or 'Group').

Ironbark is a listed public company, trading on the Australian Securities Exchange (ASX), limited by shares, incorporated and domiciled in Australia.

New, revised or amending Accounting Standards and Interpretations adopted

The Consolidated Entity has adopted all of the new, revised or amending Accounting Standards and Interpretations issued by the Australian Accounting Standards Board ('AASB') that are mandatory for the current reporting period.

Any new, revised or amending Accounting Standards or Interpretations that are not yet mandatory have not been early adopted.

The adoption of these Accounting Standards and Interpretations did not have any significant impact on the financial performance or position of the Consolidated Entity.

The following Accounting Standards and Interpretations are most relevant to the Consolidated Entity:

AASB 2013-3 Amendments to AASB 136 - Recoverable Amount Disclosures for Non-Financial Assets

The Consolidated Entity has applied AASB 2013-3 from 1 July 2014. The disclosure requirements of AASB 136 'Impairment of Assets' have been enhanced to require additional information about the fair value measurement when the recoverable amount of impaired assets is based on fair value less costs of disposals. Additionally, if measured using a present value technique, the discount rate is required to be disclosed.

AASB 2014-1 Amendments to Australian Accounting Standards (Parts A to C)

The Consolidated Entity has applied Parts A to C of AASB 2014-1 from 1 July 2014. These amendments affect the following standards: AASB 2 'Share-based Payment': clarifies the definition of 'vesting condition' by separately defining a 'performance condition' and a 'service condition' and amends the definition of 'market condition'; AASB 3 'Business Combinations': clarifies that contingent consideration in a business combination is subsequently measured at fair value with changes in fair value recognised in profit or loss irrespective of whether the contingent consideration is within the scope of AASB 9; AASB 8 'Operating Segments': amended to require disclosures of judgements made in applying the aggregation criteria and clarifies that a reconciliation of the total reportable segment assets to the entity's assets is required only if segment assets are reported regularly to the chief operating decision maker; AASB 13 'Fair Value Measurement': clarifies that the portfolio exemption applies to the valuation of contracts within the scope of AASB 9 and AASB 139; AASB 116 'Property, Plant and Equipment' and AASB 138 'Intangible Assets': clarifies that on revaluation, restatement of accumulated depreciation will not necessarily be in the same proportion to the change in the gross carrying value of the asset; AASB 124 'Related Party Disclosures': extends the definition of 'related party' to include a management entity that provides KMP services to the entity or its parent and requires disclosure of the fees paid to the management entity; AASB 140 'Investment Property': clarifies that the acquisition of an investment property may constitute a business combination.

NOTES TO THE CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2015 (cont)

Basis of Preparation

The accounting policies set out below have been consistently applied to all years presented.

Statement of Compliance

The financial report is a general purpose financial report that has been prepared in accordance with Australian Accounting Standards (AASBs) (including Australian Interpretations) issued by the Australian Accounting Standards Board (AASB) and the *Corporations Act 2001* as appropriate for profit oriented entities. The consolidated financial report of the Group comply with International Financial Reporting Standards (IFRSs) and Interpretations as issued by the International Accounting Standards Board (IASB).

Basis of Measurement

The financial report has been prepared on an accruals basis and is based on historical costs, modified, where applicable, by the measurement at fair value of selected non-current assets, financial assets and financial liabilities.

a. Significant accounting estimates, judgments and assumptions

The preparation of financial statements requires management to make judgments and estimates relating to the carrying amounts of certain assets and liabilities. Actual results may differ from the estimates made. Estimates and assumptions are reviewed on an ongoing basis.

The key estimates and assumptions that have a significant risk of causing a material adjustment to the carrying amounts of certain assets and liabilities within the next accounting period are:

(i) *Share based payment transactions*

The Consolidated Entity measures the cost of equity settled transactions by reference to the fair value of the equity instruments at the date at which they are granted. The fair value of share options is determined by an external valuer using an appropriate valuation model. Refer to note 0 for further details.

(ii) *Impairment of exploration and evaluation assets and investments in and loans to subsidiaries*

The ultimate recoupment of the value of exploration and evaluation assets, the Company's investment in subsidiaries, and loans to subsidiaries is dependent on the successful development and commercial exploitation, or alternatively, sale, of the exploration and evaluation asset.

Impairment tests are carried out on a regular basis to identify whether the asset carrying values exceed their recoverable amounts. There is significant estimation and judgement in determining the inputs and assumptions used in determining the recoverable amounts.

The key areas of judgement and estimation include:

- Recent exploration and evaluation results and resource estimates;
- Environmental issues that may impact on the underlying tenements;
- Fundamental economic factors that have an impact on the operations and carrying values of assets and liabilities.

Refer to note 14 for further details.

(iii) *Income tax expenses*

Judgement is required in assessing whether deferred tax assets and liabilities are recognised on the statement of financial position. Deferred tax assets, including those arising from temporary differences, are recognised only when it is considered more likely than not that they will be recovered, which is dependent on the generation of future assessable income of a nature and of an amount sufficient to enable the benefits to be utilised. Refer to note 4 for further details.

NOTES TO THE CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2015 (cont)

(iv) *Classification of investments*

The Group has decided to classify investments in listed securities as available for sale. These securities are accounted for at fair value. Any increments or decrements in their value at year end are charged or credited to the revaluation reserves. Refer for note 10 for further details.

(v) *Project valuation*

The Company assessed the carrying value of its exploration expenditure on the Citronen project for indicators of impairment and concluded that impairment testing of the project was required. The basis of this conclusion was due to the presence of impairment triggers such as the weakened price of zinc, general market sentiment towards the mining industry and the backdrop of the uncertain economic conditions. As a result of the impairment test, the project was impaired to its fair value.

The Directors have valued the Citronen project at fair value based on comparable companies involving zinc projects, of which, the various information and assumptions have been obtained from the announcements platform of listed stock exchanges (eg ASX), and the relevant company's website.

The fair value was determined on a review of comparable companies involving zinc projects. The review of these companies include considering particular distinguishing characteristics, such as the size and grade of the resource, its location and stage of development.

There is a risk that the information and assumptions used in the valuation and changes in prevailing market conditions could affect the project value, as this requires judgement.

(vi) *Fair value measurement hierarchy*

The Consolidated Entity is required to classify all assets and liabilities, measured at fair value, using a three level hierarchy, based on the lowest level of input that is significant to the entire fair value measurement, being: Level 1: Quoted prices (unadjusted) in active markets for identical assets or liabilities that the entity can access at the measurement date; Level 2: Inputs other than quoted prices included within Level 1 that are observable for the asset or liability, either directly or indirectly; and Level 3: Unobservable inputs for the asset or liability. Considerable judgement is required to determine what is significant to fair value and therefore which category the asset or liability is placed in can be subjective.

It is considered that the Citronen project which has been valued at fair value has utilised a valuation methodology that falls within Level 3 of the hierarchy. The valuation technique applied to measure fair value is considered to be a market approach. This methodology makes an assessment of comparable companies involving zinc projects. This methodology utilises a combination of observable and unobservable inputs.

b. Principles of Consolidation

The consolidated financial statements incorporate the assets and liabilities of all entities controlled by Ironbark as at 30 June 2015 and the results of all controlled entities for the year then ended. Ironbark and its controlled entities together are referred to in this financial report as the Consolidated Entity.

Subsidiaries are all those entities over which the Consolidated Entity has control. The Consolidated Entity controls an entity when the Consolidated Entity is exposed to, or has rights to, variable returns from its involvement with the entity and has the ability to affect those returns through its power to direct the activities of the entity. Subsidiaries are fully

NOTES TO THE CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2015 (cont)

consolidated from the date on which control is transferred to the Consolidated Entity. They are de-consolidated from the date that control ceases.

Inter-company transactions, balances and unrealised gains on transactions between group companies are eliminated. Unrealised losses are also eliminated unless the transaction provides evidence of the impairment of the asset transferred. Accounting policies of subsidiaries have been changed where necessary to ensure consistency with the policies adopted by the Group. All controlled entities have a June financial year end.

A list of controlled entities is contained in Note 11 to the financial statements.

c. **Business Combinations**

The acquisition method of accounting is used to account for business combinations regardless of whether equity instruments or other assets are acquired.

The consideration transferred is the sum of the acquisition-date fair values of the assets transferred, equity instruments issued or liabilities incurred by the acquirer to former owners of the acquiree and the amount of any non-controlling interest in the acquiree. For each business combination, the non-controlling interest in the acquiree is measured at either fair value or at the proportionate share of the acquiree's identifiable net assets. All acquisition costs are expensed as incurred to profit or loss.

On the acquisition of a business, the Consolidated Entity assesses the financial assets acquired and liabilities assumed for appropriate classification and designation in accordance with the contractual terms, economic conditions, the Consolidated Entity's operating or accounting policies and other pertinent conditions in existence at the acquisition-date.

Where the business combination is achieved in stages, the Consolidated Entity re-measures its previously held equity interest in the acquiree at the acquisition-date fair value and the difference between the fair value and the previous carrying amount is recognised in profit or loss.

Contingent consideration to be transferred by the acquirer is recognised at the acquisition-date fair value. Subsequent changes in the fair value of contingent consideration classified as an asset or liability is recognised in profit or loss. Contingent consideration classified as equity is not re-measured and its subsequent settlement is accounted for within equity.

The difference between the acquisition-date fair value of assets acquired, liabilities assumed and any non-controlling interest in the acquiree and the fair value of the consideration transferred and the fair value of any pre-existing investment in the acquiree is recognised as goodwill. If the consideration transferred and the pre-existing fair value is less than the fair value of the identifiable net assets acquired, being a bargain purchase to the acquirer, the difference is recognised as a gain directly in profit or loss by the acquirer on the acquisition-date, but only after a reassessment of the identification and measurement of the net assets acquired, the non-controlling interest in the acquiree, if any, the consideration transferred and the acquirer's previously held equity interest in the acquirer.

Business combinations are initially accounted for on a provisional basis. The acquirer retrospectively adjusts the provisional amounts recognised and also recognises additional assets or liabilities during the measurement period, based on new information obtained about the facts and circumstances that existed at the acquisition-date. The measurement period ends on either the earlier of (i) 12 months from the date of the acquisition or (ii) when the acquirer receives all the information possible to determine fair value.

NOTES TO THE CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2015 (cont)

d. Exploration and Evaluation Assets

Exploration and evaluation costs, including the costs of acquiring licences, are capitalised as exploration and evaluation assets on an area of interest basis. Costs incurred before the Group has obtained the legal rights to explore an area are recognised in the statement of profit or loss and other comprehensive income.

Exploration and evaluation assets are only recognised if the rights of interest are current and either:

- The expenditures are expected to be recouped through successful development and exploitation of the area of interest; or
- Activities in the area of interest have not, at the reporting date, reached a stage which permits a reasonable assessment of the existence or otherwise of economically recoverable reserves and active and significant operations in, or in relation to, the area of interest are continuing.

A regular review is undertaken of each area of interest to determine the appropriateness of continuing to carry forward costs in relation to that area of interest.

An impairment exists when the carrying amount of capitalised exploration and evaluation expenditure relating to an area of interest exceeds its recoverable amount. The asset is then written down to its recoverable amount. Any impairment losses are recognised in the statement of profit or loss and other comprehensive income.

Once the technical feasibility and commercial viability of the extraction of mineral resources in an area of interest are demonstrable, exploration and evaluation assets attributable to that area of interest are first tested for impairment and then reclassified from exploration and evaluation expenditure to mining property and development assets within property, plant and equipment and depreciated over the life of the mine.

Costs of site restoration are provided over the life of the facility from when exploration commences and are included in the costs of that stage. Site restoration costs include the dismantling and removal of mining plant, equipment and building structures, waste removal, and rehabilitation of the site in accordance with clauses of the mining permits. Where applicable, such costs are determined using estimates of future costs, current legal requirements and technology on an undiscounted basis.

e. Interests in joint operations

A joint operation is a joint arrangement whereby the parties that have joint control of the arrangement have rights to the assets, and obligations for the liabilities, relating to the arrangement. Joint control is the contractually agreed sharing of control of an arrangement, which exists only when decisions about the relevant activities require unanimous consent of the parties sharing control.

When a group entity undertakes its activities under joint operations, the Group as a joint operation recognises in relation to its interest in a joint operation:

- Its assets, including its share of any assets held jointly;
- Its liabilities, including its share of any liabilities incurred jointly;
- Its revenue from the sale of its share of the output arising from the joint operation;
- Its share of the revenue from the sale of the output by the joint operation; and
- Its expenses, including its share of any expenses incurred jointly.

The Group accounts for the assets, liabilities, revenues and expenses relating to its interest in a joint operation in accordance with the AASBs applicable to the particular assets, liabilities, revenues and expenses.

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When a group entity transacts with a joint operation in which a group entity is a joint operator (such as a sale or contribution of assets), the Group is considered to be conducting the transaction with the other parties to the joint operation, and gains and losses resulting from the transactions are recognised in the Group's consolidated financial statements only to the extent of the other parties' interest in the joint operation.

When a group entity transacts with a joint operation in which a group entity is a joint operator (such as a purchase of assets), the Group does not recognise its share of the gains and losses until it resells those assets to a third party.

f. Impairment

(i) *Financial Assets*

A financial asset is assessed at each reporting date to determine whether there is any objective evidence that it is impaired. A financial asset is considered to be impaired if objective evidence indicates that one or more events have had a negative effect on the estimated future cash flows of that asset.

An impairment loss in respect of a financial asset measured at amortised cost is calculated as the difference between its carrying amount, and the present value of the estimated future cash flows discounted at the effective interest rate. An impairment loss in respect of an available-for-sale financial asset is calculated by reference to its fair value. Individually significant financial assets are tested for impairment on an individual basis. The remaining financial assets are assessed collectively in groups that share similar credit risk characteristics.

All impairment losses are recognised either in the statement of profit or loss and other comprehensive income or revaluation reserves in the period in which the impairment arises.

(ii) *Exploration and Evaluation Assets*

Exploration and evaluation assets are assessed for impairment when facts and circumstances suggest that the carrying amount of the asset may exceed its recoverable amount at the reporting date.

Exploration and evaluation assets are tested for impairment in respect of cash generating units, which are no larger than the area of interest to which the assets relate.

(iii) *Non-financial Assets other than Exploration and Evaluation Assets*

The carrying amounts of the Group's non-financial assets, are reviewed at each reporting date to determine whether there is any indication of impairment. If any such indication exists then the asset's recoverable amount is estimated. For goodwill and intangible assets that have indefinite lives or that are not yet available for use, the recoverable amount is estimated at each reporting date.

The recoverable amount of an asset or cash-generating unit is the greater of its value in use and its fair value less costs to sell. In assessing value in use, the estimated future cash flows are discounted to their present value using a pre-tax discount rate that reflects current market assessments of the time value of money and the risks specific to the asset.

An impairment loss is recognised if the carrying amount of an asset or its cash-generating unit exceeds its recoverable amount. Impairment losses are recognised in the statement of profit or loss and other comprehensive income. Impairment losses

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recognised in respect of cash-generating units are allocated first to reduce the carrying amount of any goodwill allocated to the units, then to reduce the carrying amount of the other assets in the unit on a pro rata basis.

An impairment loss in respect of goodwill is not reversed. In respect of other assets, impairment losses recognised in prior periods are assessed at each reporting date for any indications that the loss has decreased or no longer exists. An impairment loss is reversed if there has been a change in the estimates used to determine the recoverable amount. An impairment loss is reversed only to the extent that the asset's carrying amount does not exceed the carrying amount that would have been determined, net of depreciation or amortisation, if no impairment loss has been recognised.

g. Income Tax

The charge for current income tax expense is based on the profit for the year adjusted for any non-assessable or disallowed items. It is calculated using tax rates that have been enacted or are substantively enacted by the reporting date.

Deferred tax is accounted for using the liability method in respect of temporary differences arising between the tax bases of assets and liabilities and their carrying amounts in the financial statements. No deferred income tax will be recognised from the initial recognition of an asset or liability, excluding a business combination, where there is no effect on either accounting profit or taxable profit or loss.

Deferred tax is calculated at the tax rates that are expected to apply to the period when the asset is realised or liability is settled. Deferred tax is credited in the statement of profit or loss and other comprehensive income except where it relates to items that may be credited directly to equity, in which case the deferred tax is adjusted directly against equity.

Deferred income tax assets are recognised to the extent that it is probable that future tax profits will be available against which deductible temporary differences can be utilised.

The amount of benefits brought to account or which may be realised in the future is based on the assumption that no adverse change will occur in income taxation legislation and the anticipation that the Group will derive sufficient future assessable income to enable the benefit to be realised and comply with the conditions of deductibility imposed by the law.

Tax Consolidation

Ironbark and its wholly-owned Australian subsidiaries have not formed an income tax consolidated group under tax consolidation legislation.

h. Property, Plant and Equipment

Each class of property, plant and equipment is carried at cost or fair value as indicated less, where applicable, any accumulated depreciation and impairment losses.

Any accumulated depreciation at the date of revaluation is eliminated against the gross carrying amount of the asset and the net amount is restated to the revalued amount of the asset.

Plant and equipment

Plant and equipment are measured on the cost basis.

The cost of fixed assets constructed within the Group includes the cost of materials, direct labour, borrowing costs and an appropriate proportion of fixed and variable overheads.

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Subsequent costs are included in the asset's carrying amount or recognised as a separate asset, as appropriate, only when it is probable that future economic benefits associated with the item will flow to the Group and the cost of the item can be measured reliably. All other repairs and maintenance are charged to the statement of profit or loss and other comprehensive income during the financial period in which they are incurred.

i. Depreciation

The depreciable amount of all fixed assets including buildings and capitalised lease assets, but excluding freehold land, is depreciated on a diminishing value basis over the asset's useful life to the Group commencing from the time the asset is held ready for use. Leasehold improvements are depreciated over the shorter of either the unexpired period of the lease or the estimated useful lives of the improvements.

The depreciation rates used for each class of depreciable assets are:

Class of Fixed Asset	Depreciation Rate
Plant and equipment	10-40%
Exploration site equipment	10-40%

The assets' residual values and useful lives are reviewed, and adjusted if appropriate, at each reporting date.

An asset's carrying amount is written down immediately to its recoverable amount if the asset's carrying amount is greater than its estimated recoverable amount.

Gains and losses on disposals are determined by comparing proceeds with the carrying amount. These gains and losses are included in the statement of profit or loss and other comprehensive income. When revalued assets are sold, amounts included in the revaluation reserve relating to that asset are transferred to retained earnings.

j. Financial Instruments

The Group classifies its investments in the following categories: financial assets at fair value through profit or loss, loans and receivables, and available-for-sale financial assets. The classification depends on the purpose for which the investments were acquired. Management determines the classification of its investments at initial recognition and re-evaluates this designation at each reporting date.

(i) *Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss*

This category has two sub-categories; financial assets held for trading, and those designated at fair value through profit or loss on initial recognition. A financial asset is classified in this category if acquired principally for the purpose of selling in the short term or if so designated by management. The policy of management is to designate a financial asset if there exists the possibility it will be sold in the short term and the asset is subject to frequent changes in fair value. Assets in this category are classified as current assets if they are either held for trading or are expected to be realised within 12 months of the reporting date

(ii) *Loans and receivables*

Loans and receivables are non derivative financial assets with fixed or determinable payments that are not quoted in an active market. They arise when the Group provides money, goods or services directly to a debtor with no intention of selling the receivable. They are included in current assets, except for those with maturities greater than 12 months after the reporting date which are classified as non-current assets. Loans and receivables are included in receivables in the statement of financial

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position.

(iii) *Available-for-sale financial assets*

Available-for-sale financial assets, comprising principally marketable equity securities, are non-derivatives that are either designated in this category or not classified in any of the other categories. They are included in non-current assets unless management intends to dispose of the investment within 12 months of the reporting date.

Purchases and sales of investments are recognised on trade-date being the date on which the Group commits to purchase or sell the asset. Investments are initially recognised at fair value plus transaction costs for all financial assets not carried at fair value through profit or loss. Financial assets are derecognised when the rights to receive cash flows from the financial assets have expired or have been transferred and the Group has transferred substantially all the risks and rewards of ownership.

Available-for-sale financial assets and financial assets at fair value through profit and loss are subsequently carried at fair value. Loans and receivables are carried at amortised cost using the effective interest method. Realised and unrealised gains and losses arising from changes in the fair value of the 'financial assets at fair value through profit or loss' category are included in the statement of profit or loss and other comprehensive income in the period in which they arise. Unrealised gains and losses arising from changes in the fair value of non monetary securities classified as available-for-sale investments revaluation reserve are recognised in equity in the "available for sale revaluation reserve". When securities classified as available-for-sale are sold or impaired, the accumulated fair value adjustments are included in the statement of profit or loss and other comprehensive income as gains and losses from investment securities.

The fair values of quoted investments are based on current bid prices. If the market for a financial asset is not active (and for unlisted securities), the Group establishes fair value by using valuation techniques. These include reference to the fair values of recent arm's length transactions, involving the same instruments or other instruments that are substantially the same, discounted cash flow analysis, and option pricing methods refined to reflect the issuer's specific circumstances.

The Group assesses at each reporting date whether there is objective evidence that a financial asset or group of financial assets is impaired. In the case of equity securities classified as available for sale, a significant or prolonged decline in the fair value of a security below its cost is considered in determining whether the security is impaired. If any such evidence exists for available-for-sale financial assets, the cumulative loss – measured as the difference between the acquisition cost and the current fair value, less any impairment loss on that financial asset previously recognised in profit and loss, is removed from equity and recognised in the statement of profit or loss and other comprehensive income. Impairment losses recognised in the statement of profit or loss and other comprehensive income on equity instruments are not reversed through the statement of profit or loss and other comprehensive income.

k. Fair value measurement

When an asset or liability, financial or non-financial, is measured at fair value for recognition or disclosure purposes, the fair value is based on the price that would be received to sell an asset or paid to transfer a liability in an orderly transaction between market participants at the measurement date; and assumes that the transaction will take place either: in the principle market; or in the absence of a principal market, in the most advantageous market.

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Fair value is measured using the assumptions that market participants would use when pricing the asset or liability, assuming they act in their economic best interest. For non-financial assets, the fair value measurement is based on its highest and best use. Valuation techniques that are appropriate in the circumstances and for which sufficient data are available to measure fair value, are used, maximising the use of relevant observable inputs and minimising the use of unobservable inputs.

Assets and liabilities measured at fair value are classified, into three levels, using a fair value hierarchy that reflects the significance of the inputs used in making the measurements. Classifications are reviewed each reporting date and transfers between levels are determined based on a reassessment of the lowest level input that is significant to the fair value measurement.

For recurring and non-recurring fair value measurements, external valuers may be used when internal expertise is either not available or when the valuation is deemed to be significant. External valuers are selected based on market knowledge and reputation. Where there is a significant change in fair value of an asset or liability from one period to another, an analysis is undertaken, which includes a verification of the major inputs applied in the latest valuation and a comparison, where applicable, with external sources of data.

I. **Foreign Currency Transactions and Balances**

Functional and presentation currency

The functional currency of each of the Group's entities is measured using the currency of the primary economic environment in which that entity operates. The consolidated financial statements are presented in Australian dollars which is the Company's functional and presentation currency.

Transactions and balances

Foreign currency transactions are translated into functional currency using the exchange rates prevailing at the date of the transaction. Foreign currency monetary items are translated at the year-end exchange rate. Non-monetary items measured at historical cost continue to be carried at the exchange rate at the date of the transaction. Non-monetary items measured at fair value are reported at the exchange rate at the date when fair values were determined.

Exchange differences arising on the translation of monetary items are recognised in the statement of profit or loss and other comprehensive income, except where deferred in equity as a qualifying cash flow or net investment hedge.

Exchange differences arising on the translation of non-monetary items are recognised directly in equity to the extent that the gain or loss is directly recognised in equity, otherwise the exchange difference is recognised in the statement of profit or loss and other comprehensive income.

Group companies

The financial results and position of foreign operations whose functional currency is different from the Group's presentation currency are translated as follows:

- assets and liabilities are translated at year-end exchange rates prevailing at that reporting date;
- income and expenses are translated at average exchange rates for the period; and
- retained earnings are translated at the exchange rates prevailing at the date of the transaction.

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Exchange differences arising on translation of foreign operations are transferred directly to the Group's foreign currency translation reserve in the statement of financial position. These differences are recognised in the statement of profit or loss and other comprehensive income in the period in which the operation is disposed.

m. Employee Benefits

(i) Wages, salaries and annual leave

Liabilities for wages, salaries and annual leave expected to be settled within one year of the reporting date are recognised in respect of employees' services up to the reporting date and are measured at the amounts expected to be paid when the liabilities are settled.

(ii) Employee benefits payable later than one year

Employee benefits payable later than one year have been measured at the present value of the estimated future cash outflows to be made for those benefits.

(iii) Superannuation

Contributions are made by the Group to superannuation funds as stipulated by statutory requirements and are charged as expenses when incurred.

(iv) Employee benefit on costs

Employee benefit on costs, including payroll tax, are recognised and included in employee benefits liabilities and costs when the employee benefits to which they relate are recognised as liabilities.

(v) Equity-settled compensation

The Group operates equity-settled share-based payment employee share and option schemes. The fair value of the equity to which employees become entitled is measured at grant date and recognised as an expense over the vesting period, with a corresponding increase to an equity account. The fair value of shares is ascertained as the market bid price. The fair value of options is ascertained using a Black-Scholes pricing model which incorporates the exercise price, the term of the option, the vesting and performance criteria, the impact of dilution, the non-tradeable nature of the option, the share price at grant date and expected price volatility of the underlying share, the expected dividend yield and the risk-free interest rate for the term of the option. The number of shares and options expected to vest is reviewed and adjusted at each reporting date such that the amount recognised for services received as consideration for the equity instruments granted shall be based on the number of equity instruments that eventually vest.

n. Cash and Cash Equivalents

Cash and cash equivalents include cash on hand, deposits held at call with banks, other short-term highly liquid investments with original maturities of 3 months or less, and bank overdrafts that are readily convertible to known amounts of cash and which are subject to an insignificant risk of changes in value.

o. Revenue and Other Income

Revenue is recognised when it is probable that the economic benefit will flow to the Consolidated Entity and the revenue can be reliably measured.

Interest revenue is recognised as it accrues. Dividend revenue is recognised when the right to receive a dividend has been established.

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p. Goods and 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 Tax Office. In these circumstances the GST is recognised as part of the cost of acquisition of the asset or as part of an item of the expense. Receivables and payables in the statement of financial position are shown inclusive of GST.

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

q. Receivables

Other receivables are recognised at amortised cost, less any provision for impairment.

Collectibility of receivables is reviewed on an ongoing basis. Debts which are known to be uncollectible are written off. A provision for impairment is raised when some doubt as to collection exists.

r. Earnings Per Share (EPS)

Basic earnings per share

Basic earnings per share is determined by dividing the net profit after income tax attributable to members of the Company, excluding any costs of servicing equity other than ordinary shares, by the weighted average number of ordinary shares outstanding during the financial year, adjusted for bonus elements in ordinary shares issued during the year.

Diluted earnings per share

Diluted earnings per share adjusts the figures used in the determination of basic earnings per share to take into account the after income tax effect of interest and other financing costs associated with dilutive potential ordinary shares and the weighted average number of shares assumed to have been issued for no consideration in relation to dilutive potential ordinary shares.

s. Contributed Equity

Ordinary shares are classified as equity.

Incremental costs directly attributable to the issue of new shares or options are shown in equity as a deduction, net of tax, from the proceeds. Incremental costs directly attributable to the issue of new shares or options, or for the acquisition of a business, are included in the cost of the acquisition as part of the purchase consideration.

t. Investments

Interests in listed and unlisted securities are initially brought to account at cost.

Controlled entities are accounted for in the consolidated financial statements as set out in Note 1(b).

Other securities are included at fair value at reporting date. Unrealised gains/losses on securities held for short term investment are accounted for as set out in Note 1 (j) (i) financial assets at fair value through profit or loss. Unrealised gains/losses on securities held for long term investment are accounted for as set out in Note 1 (j) (iii) available for sale financial assets.

u. Current and non-current classification

Assets and liabilities are presented in the statement of financial position based on current and non-current classification.

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An asset is current when: it is expected to be realised or intended to be sold or consumed in normal operating cycle; it is held primarily for the purpose of trading; it is expected to be realised within twelve months after the reporting period; or the asset is cash or cash equivalent unless restricted from being exchanged or used to settle a liability for at least twelve months after the reporting period. All other assets are classified as non-current.

A liability is current when: it is expected to be settled in normal operating cycle; it is held primarily for the purpose of trading; it is due to be settled within twelve months after the reporting period; or there is no unconditional right to defer the settlement of the liability for at least twelve months after the reporting period. All other liabilities are classified as non-current.

v. Acquisition of Assets

The purchase method of accounting is used for all acquisitions of assets regardless of whether equity instruments or other assets are acquired. Cost is determined as the fair value of the assets given up, shares issued or liabilities undertaken at the date of acquisition plus incidental costs directly attributable to the acquisition.

w. Operating Segments

Operating segments are presented using the 'management approach', where the information presented is on the same basis as the internal reports provided to the Chief Operating Decision Makers ('CODM'). The CODM is responsible for the allocation of resources to operating segments and assessing their performance.

x. Comparative Figures

When required by Accounting Standards, comparative figures have been adjusted to conform to changes in presentation for the current financial year.

y. Rounding of Amounts

The Company has applied the relief available to it under ASIC Class Order 98/100 and accordingly, amounts in the financial report and Directors' Report have been rounded off to the nearest \$000.

z. New standards and interpretations not yet adopted

The following Australian Accounting Standards have been issued or amended and are applicable to the annual financial statements of the Consolidated Entity but are not yet effective. This assumes the following have not been adopted in preparation of the financial statements at the reporting date.

Reference	Title	Application date of standard	Issue Date
AASB 9	Financial Instruments	1-Jan-18	Dec-10
AASB 2013-9	Amendments to Australian Accounting Standards - Conceptual Framework, Materiality and Financial Instruments Part C - Financial Instruments	Part C - 1 January 2015	Dec-13
AASB 2014-1	Amendments to Australian Accounting Standards Part D - Consequential Amendments arising from AASB 14 Regulatory Deferral Accounts Part E - Financial Instruments	Part D - 1 January 2016 Part E - 1 January 2018	Jun-14

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Reference	Title	Application date of standard	Issue Date
AASB 2014-3	Amendments to Australian Accounting Standard – Accounting for Acquisition of Interest in Joint Operations [AASB 1 & AASB 11]	1-Jan-16	Aug-14
AASB 2014-4	Amendments to Australian Accounting Standard - Clarification of Acceptable Methods of Depreciation and Amortisation (Amendments to AASB 116 and AASB 138)	1-Jan-16	Aug-14
AASB 2014-5	Amendments to Australian Accounting Standard Arising From AASB 15	1-Jan-17	Dec-14
AASB 2014-7	Amendments to Australian Accounting Standard Arising From AASB 9	1-Jan-18	Dec-14
AASB 2014-8	Amendments to Australian Accounting Standards Arising From AASB 9	1-Jan-15	Dec-14
AASB 2014-9	Amendments to Australian Accounting Standard - Equity Method in Separate Financial Statements	1-Jan-16	Dec-14
AASB 2014-10	Amendments to Australian Accounting Standard - Sale of Contribution of Assets Between Investors and its Associates or Joint Venture	1-Jan-16	Dec-14
AASB 2015-1	Amendments to Australian Accounting Standards – Annual Improvements to Australian Accounting Standards 2012–2014 Cycle	1-Jan-16	Jan-15
AASB 2015-2	Amendments to Australian Accounting Standards – Disclosure Initiative: Amendments to AASB 101	1-Jan-16	Jan-15
AASB 2015-3	Amendments to Australian Accounting Standards arising from the Withdrawal of AASB 1031 Materiality	1 July 2015	Jan-15

2. OTHER REVENUE

- Operating activities
- Interest received
 - Cost recoveries

Total Other Revenue

**2015
\$000**

**2014
\$000**

75

82

180

169

255

251

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	2015	2014
	\$000	\$000
3. LOSS BEFORE INCOME TAX EXPENSES		
Losses before income tax have been arrived after charging the following items:		
Occupancy costs	103	135
Employee benefits expense	442	351
Superannuation expenses	59	47
Equity-settled compensation benefits		
- Gross	690	234
- Less capitalised E & E	(474)	(88)
	<u>216</u>	<u>146</u>
Depreciation of non-current assets		
- plant & equipment	8	8
Exploration expenditure impairment	47,047	3,400
4. INCOME TAX BENEFIT	2015	2014
	\$000	\$000
a. The components of tax benefit comprise:		
Current tax	-	-
Deferred tax	-	-
b. The prima facie tax on loss from ordinary activities before income tax is reconciled to the income tax as follows:		
Prima facie tax payable on loss from ordinary activities before income tax at 30% (2014: 30%)	(14,534)	(1,399)
Add:		
Tax effect of:		
- Other non-allowance items	5	20
- Share based payments	65	-
- Provisions and accruals	9	-
- Revaluation of shares	8	-
- Exploration, evaluation and development expenditure	14,018	888
- Revenue losses not recognised	428	554
	<u>14,534</u>	<u>1,462</u>
Less:		
- Provisions and accruals	-	10
- Capital losses not recognised	-	53
	<u>-</u>	<u>63</u>
Income tax benefit attributable to entity	-	-
The applicable average weighted tax rates are	-	-
c. As at the date of this report, the potential refundable tax offset for the reporting period ended 30 June 2015 has not been determined.		

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	2015 \$000	2014 \$000
d. The following deferred tax balances have not been recognised:		
Deferred Tax Assets:		
At 30%		
Carried forward revenue losses	2,215	1,786
Carried forward capital losses	43	43
Provisions and accruals	78	69
Property, plant and equipment	2	2
Investments	2	-
	<u>2,340</u>	<u>1,900</u>

The tax benefits of the above Deferred Tax Assets will only be obtained if:

- a) The Company derives future assessable income of a nature and an amount sufficient to enable the benefits to be utilised; and
- b) The Company continues to comply with the deductibility conditions imposed by law; and
- c) No change in income tax legislation adversely affects the Company in utilising the benefits.

	2015 \$000	2014 \$000
Deferred Tax Liabilities:		
At 30%		
Exploration, evaluation and development expenditure	315	231
Investments	-	6
	<u>315</u>	<u>237</u>

The above Deferred Tax Liabilities have not been recognised as they have given rise to the carry forward revenue losses for which the Deferred Tax Asset has not been recognised.

5. KEY MANAGEMENT PERSONNEL COMPENSATION

- a. *Names and positions held of Consolidated Entity key management personnel in office at any time during the financial year are:*

Peter Bennetto	Non Executive Chairman
Jonathan Downes	Executive Managing Director
Adrian Byass	Executive Director
Gregory Campbell	Executive Director
David Kelly	Non Executive Director
John McConnell	Non Executive Director (resigned 20 November 2014)
Gary Comb	Non Executive Director
Chris James	Non Executive Director
Robert Orr	Chief Financial Officer and Company Secretary

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b. Key management personnel compensation

	2015 \$000	2014 \$000
The key management personnel compensation comprised:		
Short term employment benefits	948	795
Post-employment benefits	82	66
Equity compensation payments	648	234
	<u>1,678</u>	<u>1,095</u>

Key management personnel remuneration has been included in the Remuneration Report section of the Directors' Report.

6. AUDITORS' REMUNERATION

During the financial year the following fees were paid or payable for services provided by PKF Mack & Co, the auditor of the Group:

	2015 \$000	2014 \$000
Audit or review of financial statements	37	41
Preparation of tax return	4	4
	<u>41</u>	<u>45</u>

7. LOSS PER SHARE

a.	Loss used to calculate basic and dilutive EPS	(48,446)	(4,664)
		No.	No.
b.	Weighted average number of ordinary shares outstanding during the year used in calculating basic and dilutive EPS	438,126,055	402,482,720

There are 21,000,000 share options excluded from the calculation of diluted earnings per share (that could potentially dilute basic earnings per share in the future) because they are anti-dilutive for each of the years presented.

8. CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS

	2015 \$000	2014 \$000
Cash at bank and in hand	382	494
Short term bank deposits	1,750	1,700
	<u>2,132</u>	<u>2,194</u>

The effective interest rate on short-term bank deposits was 2.24% (2014: 2.5%); these deposits have an average maturity of 90 days.

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	2015 \$000	2014 \$000
Reconciliation of cash		
Cash at the end of the financial year as shown in the statement of cash flow is reconciled to items in the statement of financial position as follows:		
Cash and cash equivalents	<u>2,132</u>	<u>2,194</u>

	2015 \$000	2014 \$000
9. TRADE AND OTHER RECEIVABLES		
<u>Current</u>		
GST receivable	15	47
Other receivables	38	50
Amounts receivable from		
- Other related parties	<u>11</u>	<u>15</u>
Total trade and receivables	<u><u>64</u></u>	<u><u>112</u></u>

Provision for Impairment of Receivables

Current trade and term receivables are non-interest bearing loans and generally on 30 day terms. Non-current trade and term receivables are assessed for recoverability based on the underlying terms of the contract. A provision for impairment is recognised when there is objective evidence that an individual trade or term receivable is impaired.

There are no balances within trade and other receivables that contain assets that are not impaired and are past due. It is expected these balances will be received when due. Impaired assets are provided for in full. Refer to note 26 Financial Instruments for further details.

10. FINANCIAL ASSETS

	2015 \$000	2014 \$000
Available-for-sale financial assets	<u>12</u>	<u>40</u>
Available-for-sale financial assets comprise:		
Listed investments, at fair value		
- Shares in listed corporations	<u>12</u>	<u>40</u>
Total available-for-sale financial assets	<u><u>12</u></u>	<u><u>40</u></u>

Available-for-sale financial assets comprise investments in the ordinary issued capital of various entities. There are no fixed returns or fixed maturity date attached to these investments.

Reconciliation

Reconciliation of the fair values at the beginning and end of the current and previous financial year are set out below:

Opening fair value	40	112
Additions	-	
Disposals	-	-
Revaluation increments/(decrements)	<u>(28)</u>	<u>(72)</u>
Closing fair value	<u><u>12</u></u>	<u><u>40</u></u>

Refer to note 26 Financial Risk Management for further information.

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	Country of incorporation	Percentage owned	
		2015	2014
11. CONTROLLED ENTITIES		%	%
Subsidiaries of Ironbark Zinc Limited:			
Bedford (No 3) Ltd	British Virgin Islands	100	100
Ironbark Zinc Pty Ltd	Australia	100	100
Doctor Evil Pty Ltd	Australia	100	100
		2015	2014
		\$000	\$000
12. PLANT & EQUIPMENT			
Plant and equipment:			
At cost		128	126
Accumulated depreciation		(96)	(88)
Total plant and equipment		<u>32</u>	<u>38</u>
Reconciliations			Plant and equipment \$000
Reconciliations of the written down values at the beginning and end of the current and previous financial year are set out below:			
Consolidated Group:			
Balance at 1 July 2013			44
Additions			2
Depreciation expense			(8)
Balance at 30 June 2014			<u>38</u>
Additions			2
Depreciation expense			(8)
Balance at 30 June 2015			<u>32</u>
		2015	2014
		\$000	\$000
13. OTHER ASSETS			
<u>Current</u>			
Prepayments		21	18
		<u>21</u>	<u>18</u>
<u>Non-current</u>			
Rental bond		9	9
Environmental bond		68	58
Term deposit for credit card		100	100
		<u>177</u>	<u>167</u>
Total other assets		<u>198</u>	<u>185</u>

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**14. EXPLORATION AND EVALUATION
EXPENDITURE**

	2015 \$000	2014 \$000
Exploration expenditure capitalised - exploration and evaluation	<u>43,132</u>	<u>88,570</u>
Movement in carrying value:		
Brought forward	88,570	90,699
Exploration expenditure capitalised during the year	1,531	1,271
Acquisition of Captain's Flat	78	-
Impairment on exploration expenditure	<u>(47,047)</u>	<u>(3,400)</u>
At reporting date	<u>43,132</u>	<u>88,570</u>

The value of the exploration expenditure is dependent upon:

- The continuance of the rights to tenure of the areas of interest;
- The results of future exploration; and
- The recoupment of costs through successful development and exploitation of the areas of interest or alternatively by their sale.

At the reporting date, the Company assessed its exploration assets on a project by project basis and impaired the value of its exploration expenditure to fair value as this exceeded its carrying amount. The basis adopted for valuation was a fair value less selling costs resulting in a total impairment expense of \$47,036,107 (2014: \$3,399,996) being recognized within "exploration expenditure" in the statement of profit or loss and other comprehensive income. As part of the above review the Company assessed the carrying value of its exploration expenditure on the Citronen project and concluded that there were indicators of impairment in relation to the value of this project. The indicators of impairment present related to the weakened price of zinc, general market sentiment towards the mining industry and the backdrop of the uncertain economic conditions. As a result of the impairment test, the project was impaired to its fair value. This fair value was determined utilising the market approach and identifying comparable companies. In determining the relevant comparable companies we reviewed companies involving zinc projects, and also considering distinguishing characteristics such as the size and grade of the deposit, its location and stage of development.

15. INTERESTS IN JOINT OPERATIONS

The Company has a material joint operation Captains Flat tenement in Australia. The Company has a 50% (2014: 37.5%) share in the tenement lease which is jointly owned with NSW Base Metals Pty Ltd ("NSW Base Metals"). The Company has classified this as a joint arrangement because under the terms of the arrangement, NSW Base Metals and the Company share the ownership of the asset. The tenements expenditure commitments are jointly funded by NSW Base Metals and the Company. At reporting date the Company was owed \$37,500 by NSW Base Metals for its contribution to the acquisition of Captain Flat from Rutila Resources Pty Ltd ("Rutila"). During the financial period the Company and NSW Base Metals acquired the remaining 25% of the project from Rutila. with each entity acquiring 12.5% of the project, taking each partners share in the joint venture to 50%.

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	2015 \$000	2014 \$000
16. TRADE AND OTHER PAYABLES		
Trade payables	18	8
Sundry payables and accrued expenses	139	442
	<u>157</u>	<u>450</u>

Refer to note 26 Financial Risk Management for further details.

	2015 \$000	2014 \$000
17. PROVISIONS		
<u>Employee benefits</u>		
Annual leave	90	75
Long service leave	114	93
	<u>204</u>	<u>168</u>

	Employee benefits \$000
Opening balance at 1 July 2014	168
Increase of provision	36
Balance at 30 June 2015	<u>204</u>

	2015 \$000	2014 \$000
18. ISSUED CAPITAL		
443,203,734 (2014: 413,584,523) fully paid ordinary shares	115,743	113,077
Less: capital raising costs	(3,065)	(2,898)
	<u>112,678</u>	<u>110,179</u>

	2015 No.	2014 No.
a. Ordinary shares		
At the beginning of reporting period	413,584,523	368,392,667
Shares issued during the year	29,619,211	45,191,856
At reporting date	<u>443,203,734</u>	<u>413,584,523</u>

On 20 August 2014 the Company was pleased to announce that it had issued 28 million shares at an issue price of \$0.09 pursuant to a placement of the company's securities with professional investors. The placement raised \$2.52 million in order for the Company to continue progress on the Citronen Zinc Project and continue exploration on its Greenland and Australian base metal projects.

On 20 November 2014, the Company announced that it had issued to the Company's Directors, Officers and Employees in accordance with shareholder approval 619,211 fully paid shares at an issue price of \$0.09 per shares

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On 25 June 2015, the Company effected the acquisition of Captains Flats JV interest with the issue of 1,000,000 shares to the Vendor. The shares have a value of \$0.09 per share with an aggregate value of \$90,000.

Ordinary shares participate in dividends and the proceeds on winding up of the company in proportion to the number of shares held. The fully paid ordinary shares have no par value.

At the shareholders' meetings each ordinary share is entitled to one vote when a poll is called, otherwise each shareholder has one vote on a show of hands.

b. Options

On 20 November 2014, the Company announced that it had issued to the Company's Directors, Officers and Employees in accordance with shareholder approval and the Company's Employee Share Plan: 15,000,000 options with an exercise price of \$0.133 and expiry of 20 November 2017

c. Capital Management

The Directors' primary objective is to maintain a capital structure that ensures the lowest cost of capital to the Company. At reporting date the Company has no external borrowings. Other than the placement noted in subsequent events, the Directors have no current plans to raise capital through the issue of additional shares in the Company. The Company is not subject to any externally imposed capital requirements.

19. RESERVES

Option reserve

The option reserve records items recognised as expenses on valuation of employee share and consultants options.

20. CAPITAL COMMITMENTS

In order to maintain current rights of tenure to exploration tenements the Group is required to perform minimum exploration work to meet the minimum expenditure requirements specified by various State Governments and overseas government bodies. These obligations can be reduced by selective relinquishment of exploration tenure or renegotiation. Due to the nature of the Group's operations in exploring and evaluating areas of interest, exploration expenditure commitments beyond twelve months cannot be reliably determined. It is anticipated that expenditure commitments in subsequent years will be similar to that for the forthcoming twelve months. These obligations are not provided for in the financial report.

	2015 \$000	2014 \$000
Capital expenditure commitments contracted for:		
Exploration and evaluation expenditure:		
payable within a year	133	150
Later than one year but no later than five years	-	63
	<u>133</u>	<u>213</u>

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21. OPERATING SEGMENTS

Identification of reportable segments

The Group has identified its operating segments based on the internal reports that are reviewed and used by the chief operating decision maker to make decisions about resources to be allocated to the segments and assess their performance.

Operating segments are identified by Management based on the mineral resource and exploration activities in Australia and Greenland. Discrete financial information about each project is reported to the chief operating decision maker on a regular basis.

The reportable segments are based on aggregated operating segments determined by the similarity of the economic characteristics, the nature of the activities and the regulatory environment in which those segments operate.

The Group has two reportable segments based on the geographical areas of the mineral resource and exploration activities in Australia and Greenland. Unallocated results, assets and liabilities represent corporate amounts that are not core to the reportable segments.

2015	Australia \$000	Greenland \$000	Total \$000
(i) Segment performance			
For the year ended 30 June 2015			
Revenue			
<u>Unallocated items:</u>			
Interest revenue			75
Cost recoveries			180
Other revenue			-
Total segment revenue			<u>255</u>
<i>Reconciliation of segment result to group</i>			
<i>net profit/(loss) before tax</i>			
Amounts not included in segment result but reviewed by the Board:			
Exploration expenditure impairment	(118)	(46,929)	(47,047)
<u>Unallocated items:</u>			
Other expenses			(1,399)
Net loss before tax			<u>(48,446)</u>
(ii) Segment assets			
As at 30 June 2015			
Segment assets at 1 July 2014	770	87,800	88,570
Segment asset increase/(decrease) for the period:			
Exploration expenditure	280	(45,718)	(45,438)
Trade and other receivables	38	-	38
	<u>1,088</u>	<u>42,082</u>	<u>43,170</u>
<i>Reconciliation of segment assets to group assets</i>			
<u>Unallocated assets:</u>			
Cash and cash equivalents			2,132
Plant and equipment			32
Financial assets			12
Other assets			224
Total group assets			<u>45,570</u>

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2015	Australia \$000	Greenland \$000	Total \$000
(iii) Segment liabilities			
As at 30 June 2015			
Reconciliation of segment liabilities to group liabilities			
Other liabilities	-	45	45
	-	45	45
<u>Unallocated Items:</u>			
Other liabilities			316
Total group liabilities			361
2014	Australia \$000	Greenland \$000	Total \$000
(iv) Segment performance			
For the year ended 30 June 2014			
Revenue			
<u>Unallocated items:</u>			
Interest revenue			82
Cost recoveries			169
Other revenue			-
Total segment revenue			251
<i>Reconciliation of segment result to group net profit/(loss) before tax</i>			
Amounts not included in segment result but reviewed by the Board:			
Exploration expenditure impairment	(2,096)	(1,304)	(3,400)
<u>Unallocated items:</u>			
Other expenses			(1,515)
Net loss before tax			(4,664)
(v) Segment assets			
As at 30 June 2014			
Segment assets at 1 July 2013	2,427	88,272	90,699
Segment asset increase/(decrease) for the period:			
Exploration expenditure	(1,657)	(472)	(2,129)
	770	87,800	88,570
Reconciliation of segment assets to group assets			
<u>Unallocated assets:</u>			
Cash and cash equivalents			2,194
Plant and equipment			38
Financial assets			40
Other assets			297
Total group assets			91,139

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2014	Australia	Greenland	Total
	\$000	\$000	\$000
(vi) Segment liabilities			
As at 30 June 2014			
Reconciliation of segment liabilities to group liabilities			
Other liabilities	334	5	339
	<u>334</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>339</u>
<u>Unallocated Items:</u>			
Other liabilities			279
Total group liabilities			<u>618</u>
 Segment analysis by geographical region		Non-current assets	
		2015	2014
		\$000	\$000
Australia		1,271	956
Greenland		42,082	87,859
		<u>43,353</u>	<u>88,815</u>
		2015	2014
		\$000	\$000

22. CASH FLOW INFORMATION

Reconciliation of cash flow from operations with loss after income tax

Net loss for the year	(48,446)	(4,664)
Non cash flows in loss		
Depreciation	8	8
Write off exploration expenditure	47,047	3,400
Equity based payments	216	366
Fair value movement available-for-sale financial assets	28	72
Changes in assets and liabilities, net of the effects of purchase and disposal of subsidiaries		
(Increase)/decrease in trade and term receivables	85	(3)
(Increase)/decrease in prepayments	(3)	3
Increase/(decrease) in trade payables and accruals	1	(269)
Increase/(decrease) in provisions	37	(25)
	<u>(1,027)</u>	<u>(1,112)</u>
Cash flow from operations	<u>(1,027)</u>	<u>(1,112)</u>

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23. SHARE BASED PAYMENTS

The following share-based payment arrangements existed at 30 June 2015:

All options granted to key management personnel are ordinary shares in Ironbark, which confer a right of one ordinary share for every option held.

	2015		2014	
	Number of options	Weighted average exercise price	Number of options	Weighted average exercise price
	No 000	\$	No 000	\$
Issue to Directors				
Outstanding at the beginning of the year	1,000	0.10	8,000	0.41
Granted	12,000	0.133	-	-
Forfeited	-	-	-	-
Exercised	-	-	-	-
Expired	-	-	(7,000)	0.45
Outstanding at year end	13,000	0.13	1,000	0.10
Exercisable at year end	13,000	0.13	1,000	0.10
Issue to staff				
Outstanding at the beginning of the year	-	-	3,050	0.43
Granted	3,000	0.133	-	-
Forfeited	-	-	-	-
Exercised	-	-	-	-
Expired	-	-	(3,050)	0.43
Outstanding at year end	3,000	0.133	-	-
Exercisable at year end	3,000	0.133	-	-
Issue to consultants				
Outstanding at the beginning of the year	5,000	0.30	5,000	0.30
Granted	-	-	-	-
Forfeited	-	-	-	-
Exercised	-	-	-	-
Expired	-	-	-	-
Outstanding at year end	5,000	0.30	5,000	0.30
Exercisable at year end	5,000	0.30	5,000	0.30

The options outstanding at 30 June 2015 had a weighted average exercise price of \$0.17 (2014: \$0.27) and a weighted average remaining contractual life of 2.38 years (2014: 3.33 years).

The life of the options is based on the historical exercise patterns, which may not eventuate in the future.

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The following share-based payment arrangements were in existence during the current and prior reporting periods:

Series	Number Granted No.	Number Vested No.	Grant Date	Expiry Date	Exercise Price \$	Fair Value at Grant Date \$
	000	000				
(i) Consultants	5,000	5,000	24/01/2012	31/12/2017	0.30	0.143
(ii) Staff	500	500	24/01/2012	20/01/2015	0.45	-
(iii) Directors	1,000	1,000	26/11/2012	18/12/2016	0.10	0.0367
(iv) Directors	12,000	12,000	20/11/2014	20/11/2017	0.133	0.0423
(v) Staff	3,000	3,000	20/11/2014	20/11/2017	0.133	0.0423
	<u>21,500</u>	<u>21,500</u>				

Details of factors used in the Black Scholes option valuation calculation for the options granted:

Inputs into the Model	Series (i)	Series (ii)	Series (iii)	Series (iv) and (v)
Grant date share price	\$0.24	\$0.07	\$0.09	\$0.09
Exercise price	\$0.30	\$0.10	\$0.133	\$0.133
Expected volatility	69%	80%	85.79%	85.79%
Option life	5 years	4 years	3 years	3 years
Risk-free interest rate	3.57%	2.86%	2.57%	2.57%

24. RELATED PARTY DISCLOSURES

- i. The ultimate parent entity in the Group is Ironbark Zinc Limited.
- ii. No amounts in addition to those disclosed in the Remuneration Report in the Directors' Report were paid or payable to Directors of the Company at the end of the year.
- iii. There were no loans to key management personnel at the end of the year.

Transactions between related parties are on normal commercial terms and conditions no more favourable than those available to other parties unless otherwise stated.

Related entity receivables

The Company charged Corazon Mining Limited ("Corazon") and Plymouth Minerals Limited ("Plymouth") for shared office and salary expenses. The total charged for the financial year ended 30 June 2015 was \$178,873 (2014: \$155,370). At reporting date the balance for outstanding receivables owing by both companies was \$4,853 and \$6,000 respectively.

Corazon and Plymouth are related parties due to Mr Downe's directorship interest in Corazon and Mr Byass's directorship interest in Plymouth.

Wholly owned group transactions/balances

The following intercompany loans were in existence at reporting date:

Balance of loans provided from Parent entity at financial year end

Dr Evil Pty Ltd	\$146,271 (2014: \$146,271)
Ironbark Zinc Pty Ltd	\$25,458 (2014: \$25,458)

All intercompany loans have been fully impaired at reporting date.

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25. EVENTS AFTER THE REPORTING DATE

No further matters or circumstances other than matters listed above have arisen since the end of the financial year which significantly affected or may significantly affect the operations of the Group, the results of those operations, or the state of affairs of the Group in future financial years.

26. FINANCIAL RISK MANAGEMENT

a. Financial Risk Management Policies

The Group's financial instruments consist mainly of deposits with banks, local money market instruments, short-term investments, accounts receivable and payable.

i. Treasury Risk Management

The Board meets on a regular basis to analyse financial risk exposure and to evaluate treasury management strategies in the context of the most recent economic conditions and forecasts.

The Board's overall risk management strategy seeks to assist the Group in meeting its financial targets, whilst minimising potential adverse effects on financial performance.

Risk management policies are approved and reviewed by the Board on a regular basis. These include the use of credit risk policies and future cash flow requirements.

ii. Financial Risk Exposures and Management

The main risks the Group is exposed to through its financial instruments are foreign currency risk, liquidity risk, credit risk and price risk.

Foreign currency risk

The Group is exposed to fluctuations in foreign currencies arising from the sale and purchase of goods and services in currencies other than the Group's measurement currency. The currencies in which these transactions primarily are denominated are AUD, DKK, and CAD.

Liquidity risk

Liquidity risk is the risk that the Group will not be able to meet its financial obligations as they fall due. The Group's approach to managing liquidity is to ensure, as far as possible, that it will always have sufficient liquidity to meet its liabilities when due, under both normal and stressed conditions, without incurring unacceptable losses or risking damage to the Group's reputation. Typically the Group ensures that it has sufficient cash on demand to meet expected operational expenses; this excludes the potential impact of extreme circumstances that cannot reasonably be predicted, such as natural disasters.

Credit risk

Credit risk is the risk of financial loss to the Group if a customer or counterparty to a financial instrument fails to meet its contractual obligations and arises principally from the Group's receivables from customers and investment securities. The maximum exposure to credit risk, excluding the value of any collateral or other security, at reporting date to recognised financial assets, is the carrying amount, net of any provisions for impairment of those assets, as disclosed in the statement of financial position and notes to the financial statements.

The Group does not have any material credit risk exposure to any single receivable or Group of receivables under financial instruments entered into by the Group.

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Price risk

- i Commodity price risk
The Group is not directly exposed to commodity price risk. However, the Company has recently completed a feasibility study. There is a risk that the changes in prevailing market conditions and commodity prices could affect the viability of the project.
- li Equity price risk
Equity price risk arises from available-for-sale equity securities held. Material investments are managed on an individual basis and all buy and sell decisions are approved by the board.

The Group holds the following financial instruments:

	2015 \$000	2014 \$000
Financial assets:		
Cash and cash equivalents	2,132	2,194
Receivables	64	112
Other assets	177	167
Available for sale financial assets	12	40
Total financial assets	<u>2,385</u>	<u>2,513</u>
Financial liabilities:		
Trade and sundry payables	157	450
Total financial liabilities	<u>157</u>	<u>450</u>
	<u>2,228</u>	<u>2,081</u>
Trade and sundry payables are expected to be paid as follows:		
Less than 1 month	<u>157</u>	<u>450</u>

iii. Fair value

Financial instruments

The following tables detail the Group's fair values of financial instruments categorized by the following level:

- Level 1: Quoted prices (unadjusted) in active markets for identical assets or liabilities
- Level 2: Inputs other than quoted prices included within level 1 that are observable for the asset or liability, either directly (as prices) or indirectly (derived from prices)
- Level 3: Inputs for asset or liability that are not based on observable market data (unobservable inputs)

2015

	Level 1 \$000	Level 2 \$000	Level 3 \$000	Total \$000
Assets				
Ordinary shares	12	-	-	12
Total assets	<u>12</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>12</u>

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2014

	Level 1 \$000	Level 2 \$000	Level 3 \$000	Total \$000
Assets				
Ordinary shares	40	-	-	40
Total assets	40	-	-	40

There were no transfers between levels during the financial year.

Unless otherwise stated, the carrying amounts of financial instruments reflect their fair value.

Trade Receivables and Payables

The carrying amounts of trade and other receivables and trade and other payables are assumed to approximate their fair values due to their short-term nature.

v. Sensitivity analysis**Interest Rate Risk, Foreign Currency Risk and Price Risk**

The Group has performed sensitivity analysis relating to its exposure to interest rate risk, foreign currency risk and price risk at reporting date. This sensitivity analysis demonstrates the effect on the current year results and equity which could result from a change in these risks.

Interest Rate Sensitivity Analysis

At 30 June 2015, the effect on profit and equity as a result of changes in the interest rate, with all other variables remaining constant would be as follows:

	2015 \$000	2014 \$000
Monetary items exposed to interest rate fluctuations at reporting date		
Cash and cash equivalents	1,750	1,701
Other assets	158	158
Trade and other creditors	(7)	(7)
	<u>1,901</u>	<u>1,852</u>

The effect on profit and equity as a result of changes in the interest rate, with all other variables remaining constant would be as follows:

	2015 \$000	2014 \$000
Change in profit		
Increase in interest rate by 1% (100 basis points)	19	19
Decrease in interest rate by 1% (100 basis points)	(19)	(19)
Change in equity		
Increase in interest rate by 1% (100 basis points)	19	19
Decrease in interest rate by 1% (100 basis points)	(19)	(19)

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Foreign Currency Risk Sensitivity Analysis

The carrying amount of the Consolidated Entity's foreign currency denominated financial assets and financial liabilities at the reporting date was as follows:

Consolidated	Assets		Liabilities	
	2015 000	2014 000	2015 000	2014 000
DKK	314	314	-	-

At 30 June 2015, the effect on profit and equity as a result of changes in the value of the Australian Dollar to the Danish Kroner (DKK) with all other variables remaining constant is as follows:

	2015 \$000	2014 \$000
Change in profit		
Improvement in AUD to DKK by 10%	(6)	(6)
Decline in AUD to DKK by 10%	7	7
Change in equity		
Improvement in AUD to DKK by 10%	(6)	(6)
Decline in AUD to DKK by 10%	7	7

Price Risk Sensitivity Analysis

The majority of the Group's investments are publicly traded and are included in the ASX. The table below summarises the impact of increases/decreases of this index on the Group's post tax profit for the year and on equity. The analysis is based on the assumption that equity indexes had increased/decreased by 10% (2015: 10%) with all other variables held constant and all the Group's equity instruments moved according to the historical correlation with the index.

	2015 \$000	2014 \$000
Change in profit		
Increase in All Ordinaries Index by 10%	1	4
Decrease in All Ordinaries Index by 10%	(1)	(4)
Change in equity		
Increase in All Ordinaries Index 10%	1	4
Decrease in All Ordinaries Index by 10%	(1)	(4)

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Interest Rate Risk Exposure Analysis

	Weighted Average Effective Interest Rate		Floating Interest Rate		Non Interest Bearing	
	2015 %	2014 %	2015 \$000	2014 \$000	2015 \$000	2014 \$000
FINANCIAL ASSETS						
Cash at bank & on hand	1.84%	1.94%	1,750	1,701	382	493
Receivables	-	-	-	-	64	112
Investments	-	-	-	-	12	40
Other assets	1.37%	1.46%	158	158	19	27
Total financial assets			1,908	1,859	477	672
FINANCIAL LIABILITIES						
Payables	0.67%	0.26%	7	8	150	442
Total financial liabilities			7	8	150	442

The above interest rate, foreign exchange rate and price risk sensitivity analysis has been performed on the assumption that all other variables remain unchanged.

27. COMMITMENTS FOR EXPENDITURE

Operating leases

Commitments for minimum lease payments in relation to non-cancellable operating leases are payable as follows:

	2015 \$000	2014 \$000
Within a year	-	56
Later than one year but not later than five years	-	-
Later than five year	-	-
Commitments not recognized in the financial statements	-	56

The current lease on the premises at 350 Hay Street, Subiaco WA is renewed monthly.

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28. PARENT ENTITY DISCLOSURES

Financial position	2015 \$000	2014 \$000
Assets		
Current assets	2,216	2,324
Non-current assets	43,354	88,815
Total assets	45,570	91,139
Liabilities		
Current liabilities	361	618
Total liabilities	361	618
 Net assets	 45,209	 90,521
Equity		
Issued capital	112,678	110,179
Equity settled benefits	1,388	753
Accumulated losses	(68,857)	(20,411)
Total equity	45,209	90,521
 Financial performance		
Loss for the year	(48,446)	(4,664)
Other comprehensive income/(loss)	-	-
Total comprehensive loss	(48,446)	(4,664)

29. DIVIDENDS

The Board of Directors have recommended that no dividend be paid.

30. CONTINGENT ASSETS AND LIABILITIES

The Company is unaware of any contingent assets or liabilities that may have a material impact on the Company's financial position, other than the business lending bank guarantees of \$19,638.

31. CONVERTIBLE NOTE FUNDING FACILITY

During the 2012 financial year, the Company entered into a US\$50 million Convertible Note funding facility and offtake facility pursuant to a transaction with a wholly owned subsidiary of Glencore International AG ('Glencore'). The Convertible Note is at a conversion price of AUD\$0.42 for the first US\$30 million (at Ironbark or Glencore's election to convert) and AUD\$0.50 for the next US\$20 million (at Glencore's election to convert). The funding of the facility is subject to the completion of certain conditions. As at 30 June 2015, the Company has not fulfilled all the conditions of the agreement and has not issued the Convertible Note.

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32. COMPANY DETAILS

The registered office and principal place of business is:

Ironbark Zinc Limited
Level 1
350 Hay Street
SUBIACO WA 6008

DIRECTOR'S DECLARATION

The Directors of the Company declare that:

The financial statements, notes and additional disclosures included in the Directors' report and designated as audited, are in accordance with the *Corporations Act 2001* and:

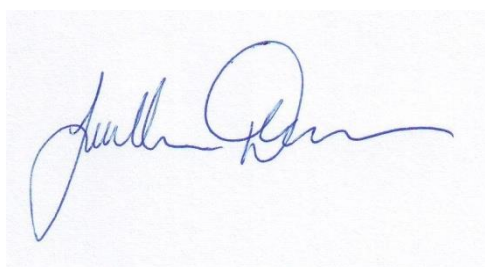
- a) comply with Australian Accounting Standards, the Corporations Regulations 2001 and other mandatory professional reporting requirements; and
- b) give a true and fair view of the financial position as at 30 June 2015 and of the performance for the year ended on that date of the Consolidated Entity and Company;
- c) the financial statements are in compliance with International Financial Reporting Standards, as stated in note 1 to the financial statement.

The Chief Executive Officer and Chief Financial Officer have each declared that:

- a) the financial records of the Company for the financial year have been properly maintained in accordance with section 286 of the *Corporations Act 2001*;
- b) the financial statements and notes for the financial year comply with the Australian Accounting Standards and Interpretations; and
- c) the financial statements and notes for the financial year give a true and fair view;

In the Directors' opinion there are reasonable grounds to believe that the Company will be able to pay its debts as and when they become due and payable.

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



Jonathan Downes
Managing Director

Dated this day 25 September 2015

INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT TO THE MEMBERS OF IRONBARK ZINC LIMITED

Report on the Financial Report

We have audited the accompanying financial report of Ironbark Zinc Limited (the company), which comprises the statement of financial position as at 30 June 2015, the statement of profit or loss and other comprehensive income, the statement of changes in equity and the statement of cash flows for the year then ended, notes comprising a summary of significant accounting policies and other explanatory information, and the directors' declaration of the company and the consolidated entity. The consolidated entity comprises the company and the entities it controlled at the year's end or from time to time during the financial year.

Directors' Responsibility 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 Note 1, the directors also state, in accordance with Accounting Standard AASB 101 Presentation of Financial Statements, that the financial statements comply with International Financial Reporting Standards.

Auditor's Responsibility

Our responsibility is to express an opinion on the financial report based on our audit. We conducted our audit in accordance with Australian Auditing Standards. Those standards require that we comply with relevant ethical requirements relating to audit engagements and plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial report is free from material misstatement.

An audit involves performing procedures to obtain audit evidence about the amounts and disclosures in the financial report. The procedures selected depend on the auditor's judgement, including the assessment of the risks of material misstatement of the financial report, whether due to fraud or error. In making those risk assessments, the auditor considers internal control relevant to the company's preparation of the financial report that gives a true and fair view in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the company's internal control. An audit also includes evaluating the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of accounting estimates made by the directors, as well as evaluating the overall presentation of the financial report.

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

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Independence

In conducting our audit, we have complied with the independence requirements of the Corporations Act 2001.

Opinion

In our opinion:

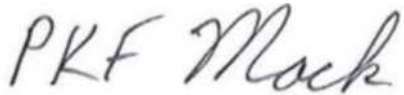
- (a) the financial report of Ironbark Zinc Limited is in accordance with the Corporations Act 2001, including:
 - (i) giving a true and fair view of the company's and consolidated entity's financial positions as at 30 June 2015 and of their performance for the year ended on that date; and
 - (ii) complying with Australian Accounting Standards and the Corporations Regulations 2001; and
- (b) the financial report also complies with International Financial Reporting Standards as disclosed in Note 1.

Report on the Remuneration Report

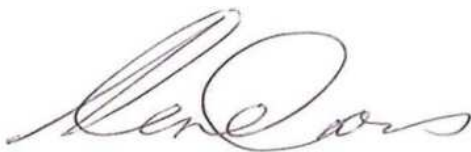
We have audited the Remuneration Report included in pages 12 to 16 of the directors' report for the year ended 30 June 2015. The directors of the company are responsible for the preparation and presentation of the Remuneration Report in accordance with section 300A of the Corporations Act 2001. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on the Remuneration Report, based on our audit conducted in accordance with Australian Auditing Standards.

Opinion

In our opinion, the Remuneration Report of Ironbark Zinc Limited for the year ended 30 June 2015, complies with section 300A of the Corporations Act 2001.



PKF MACK



SHANE CROSS
PARTNER

25 SEPTEMBER 2015
WEST PERTH,
WESTERN AUSTRALIA

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION FOR LISTED PUBLIC COMPANIES

The following additional information is required by the Australian Securities Exchange Ltd in respect of listed public companies only.

Ordinary share capital

443,203,734 fully paid shares are held by 1,708 individual shareholders as at 15 September 2015.

There were no shareholdings held in less than marketable parcels.

Each ordinary share is entitled to one vote when a poll is called, otherwise each member present at a meeting or by proxy has one vote on a show of hands.

Options

21,000,000 options are held by 8 individual option holders.

Options do not carry a right to vote.

Distribution of holders of equity securities

Category (size of holding)

	Number	
	Fully paid ordinary shares	Options
1 – 1,000	120	-
1,001 – 5,000	195	-
5,001 – 10,000	208	-
10,001 – 100,000	787	-
100,001 – and over	398	8
	1,708	8

Substantial shareholders

	Number of Ordinary Fully Paid Shares Held	% Held of Issued Ordinary Capital
NYRSTAR INTNL BV	97,690,702	22.04%
SINGPAC INV HLDG PTE LTD	42,110,593	9.5%

Largest shareholders — ordinary shares

A record of the 20 largest shareholders as at 15 September 2015 is as follows:-

Ordinary shareholders	Number of Ordinary Fully Paid Shares Held	% Held of Issued Capital
1 NYRSTAR INTNL BV	97,690,702	22.04%
2 SINGPAC INV HLDG PTE LTD	29,610,593	6.68%
3 NATIONAL NOM LTD	16,023,927	3.62%
4 CITICORP NOM PL	15,762,729	3.56%
5 SINGPAC INV HLDG PTE LTD	12,500,000	2.82%
6 RAMCO INV PL	10,800,000	2.44%
7 HSBC CUSTODY NOM AUST LTD	10,460,249	2.36%
8 VALIANT EQUITY MGNT PL	9,517,500	2.15%
9 HSBC CUSTODY NOM AUST LTD	7,963,592	1.80%
10 ADMAN LANES PL	7,525,000	1.70%
11 J P MORGAN NOM AUST LTD	6,513,425	1.47%
12 BEDFORD RES HLDGS LTD	4,000,000	0.90%
13 LALOR BRADLEY JOHN	3,246,253	0.73%
14 DOWNES JONATHAN CHARLES	3,036,296	0.69%
15 DOWNES JONATHAN C + K	2,958,704	0.67%

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION FOR LISTED PUBLIC COMPANIES (Cont.)

16	GHEVARIYA JAGDISH + P	2,744,715	0.62%
17	KIMBRIKI NOM PL	2,714,372	0.61%
18	NEFCO NOM PL	2,556,168	0.58%
19	DOWNES KATRINA	2,500,000	0.56%
20	FLYNN ANTHONY WILLIAM	2,500,000	0.56%

TOP 20 TOTAL 250,624,225 56.6%

Unquoted equity security holdings greater than 20%

	Number of Options Held	% Held of Options in an unquoted class
Option exercisable at \$0.10, expire at 18/12/2016		
1. G Comb	1,000,000	100%
Option exercisable at \$0.30, expire at 31/12/2017		
1. BW Equities Pty Ltd	5,000,000	100%
Option exercisable at \$0.133, expire at 20/11/2017		
1. G Campbell	4,000,000	27%
2. J Downes	6,000,000	40%

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SCHEDULE OF INTERESTS IN MINING TENEMENTS

	Project	Tenement Number	Location of tenements	% of interest
1	Belara	EL6576	New South Wales	100%
2	Captains Flat (In Joint Venture with Glencore)	EL6381	New South Wales	50%
3	Fiery Creek	EL6925, EL8107	New South Wales	100%
4	Citronen	2007/02, 2007/31, 2010/47, 2011/33	Greenland	100%
5	Mestersvig	2007/32, 2011/28	Greenland	100%
6	Washington Land	2007/33	Greenland	100%

Ironbarks Mineral Resources and Reserves (MROR) Statement

The current JORC 2012 compliant resource for Citronen:

70.8 million tonnes at 5.7% Zn + Pb

Category	Mt	Zn%	Pb%	Zn+Pb%
Measured	25.0	5.0	0.5	5.5
Indicated	26.5	5.5	0.5	6.0
Inferred	19.3	4.9	0.4	5.3

Using Ordinary Kriging interpolation and reported at a 3.5% Zn cut-off

Including a higher grade resource of:

29.9 million tonnes at 7.1% Zn + Pb

Category	Mt	Zn%	Pb%	Zn+Pb%
Measured	8.9	6.6	0.6	7.2
Indicated	13.7	6.8	0.5	7.3
Inferred	7.3	6.2	0.5	6.6

Using Ordinary Kriging interpolation and reported at a 5.0% Zn cut-off

Competent Persons Statement

The information included in this report that relates to Exploration Results & Mineral Resources is based on information compiled by Mr A Byass (B.Sc Hons (Geol), B.Econ, FSEG, MAIG) and Ms E Laursen (B. ESc Hons (Geol), MSEG, MAIG), both employees of Ironbark Zinc Limited. Mr Byass & Ms Laursen have sufficient experience that is relevant to the style of mineralisation and type of deposit under consideration and to the activity which they are undertaking to qualify as a Competent Person as defined in the 2012 Edition of the Australasian Code for Reporting of Exploration Results, Mineral Resources and Ore Reserves. Mr Byass & Ms Laursen consent to the inclusion in the report of the matters based on this information in the form and context in which it appears

Competent Persons Disclosure

Mr A Byass & Ms E Laursen are employees of Ironbark Zinc Limited and currently hold securities in the company.

The MROR was updated in the year ended 30 June 2015. Ironbark announced to the ASX on 25 November 2014 information pertaining to the exploration and mineral resource estimates of the Citronen Base Metals Project in accordance with ASX Listing Rule 5.8 and compliance with the 2012 JORC Code.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION FOR LISTED PUBLIC COMPANIES (Cont.)

A review of factors was conducted which may affect the MROR. These examined included;

- Sovereign risk,
- Commodity prices
- Processing or metallurgical understanding
- Environmental or mineability setting
- Standing of consultants/contractors/technology used in estimation process.

Further details relating to the resource can be found on the release lodged with the ASX on 25 November 2014. Table 1 of the release provides full details on the data collection, interpolation and estimation parameters used in the calculation of this statement.

No material change occurred in the resource from the previous year.

Summary of governance and controls

Ironbark employs professional technical personnel who oversee exploration and data gathering on site. These personnel are also involved with assisting independent consultants and contractors used in the data gathering and estimation processes which produce the MROR Statement.

Ironbark employs qualified geoscientists (geologists) registered with relevant national professional bodies to conduct work required with the preparation and publication of MROR statements. Independent contractors and consultants are used in the calculation of mineral resources. Work is also conducted by different organisations and results have historically been compared as checks on publicly reported information. Internal controls ensure that multiple geologists are involved in the planning, implementation, data gathering, interpretation of results. Sample data is checked on site using portable assay equipment and then despatched to independent certified assay laboratories for assaying. Data was compiled and QA/QC checks completed by database administration consultants. All data gathering is done using standard and acceptable industry practices. Resource estimation is conducted using external consultants and contractors who have been present on site during periods of exploration and have witnessed internal practices and procedures. Resource estimates are then reported when they are confirmed by the Competent Person (Ironbark staff member) and released. This is considered acceptable and industry standard practice.

CORPORATE GOVERNANCE

Ironbark Zinc Limited and its controlled entities ("the Consolidated Entity") are committed to high standards of corporate governance. Policies and procedures which follow the "Principles of Good Corporate Governance and Best Practice Recommendations" 3rd Edition issued by the Australian Securities Exchange ("ASX") Corporate Governance Council, to the extent they are applicable to the Consolidated Entity, have been adopted. The Companies corporate governance policies and procedures are disclosed on the Company web site which can be found on the following link: <http://ironbark.gl/corporate/corporate-governance/>