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<u>JUPITERS LIMITED</u> <u>PRELIMINARY FINAL REPORT PURSUANT TO LISTING RULE 4.3A</u> YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2003

Please refer to the attached documents which comprise the Preliminary Final Report of Jupiters Limited for the year ended 30 June 2003:

- 1. Appendix 4E (including results for announcement to the market)
- 2. Letter from the Chairman
- 3. Management's Discussion & Analysis
- 4. Financial Report
- 5. Auditors' Report

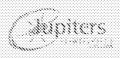
Jupiters Limited is a listed company with interests in tourism, leisure and gaming. It owns Jupiters Casino on the Gold Coast, Treasury Casino in Brisbane, Jupiters Townsville Hotel and Casino and Marina. In addition, the Company operates Keno in Queensland and New South Wales, online sportsbetting through Centrebet based in the Northern Territory and provides technology services. Jupiters Limited is based on the Gold Coast, Queensland, has almost 30,000 investors in ordinary shares, 5,000 Jupiters RPS securityholders and employs over 5,000 staff.

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Appendix 4E

Preliminary Final Report Year Ended 30 June 2003

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Name of entity

JUPITERS LIMITED							
ABN or equivalent company reference	Half yearly (tick)	Preliminary final (tick)	Financial year ended (current period)	Financial year ended (previous corresponding period)			
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Results for announcement to the market *

	its for announcement to the market				\$A'000
2.1	Revenue from ordinary activities	down	1.1%	to	787,712
2.2	Profit (loss) from ordinary activities after tax attributable to members	down	25%	to	58,519
2.3	Net profit (loss) for the period attributable to members	down	25%	to	58,519
2.4	Dividends per ordinary share:				
	Interim dividend paid March 2003		11 cents		fully franked
	Final dividend payable September 2003		12 cents		fully franked
	Dividends per reset preference share:				
	Paid 9 April 2003		406.38 cents		unfranked
	Payable 9 October 2003		408.62 cents		unfranked
2.5	The record date for determining entitlements to the dividends (if any):				
	Ordinary dividend		12 Sept	ember 2	2003
	Reset preference share dividend		1 Oct	ober 20	03

^{*} Based on attached audited Financial Report.

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2.6 A brief explanation of any of the figures in 2.1 to 2.4 necessary to enable the figures to be understood

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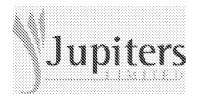
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Dear Sir

PRELIMINARY FINAL YEARLY REPORT 30 JUNE 2003

RESULTS AND DIVIDENDS

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Excluding the normalisation adjustments, NPAT was \$58.5 million for 2003, down from \$78.1 million in 2002.

In accordance with previously released dividend policy, the dividend payout ratio is based on the normalised earnings rather than the actual result and accordingly the Directors have declared a fully franked final dividend of 12 cents per share consistent with this policy. The total dividend for 2003 of 23 cents is an increase of 2 cents per share over the total dividend for 2002.

CORE OPERATIONS

Casinos

Despite the difficulties experienced by the tourism industry this year the casino division posted normalised revenue of \$614.4 million, an increase of 4.5% over 2002.

Although the previous year was a record one for the ICB with the opening of a new facility on the Gold Coast, 2003 saw another significant increase (20.9%) in normalised revenue. However, an increase in doubtful debt provisioning, mainly due to the impact of SARS in Asia, softened the otherwise strong earnings from the ICB.

The positive trend in gaming machine performance continued. In the June 2003 half year gaming machine revenue increased by 8% over the prior corresponding period at Conrad Jupiters, 8% at Conrad Treasury and 17% at Jupiters Townsville

Wide Area Gaming

Wide Area Gaming, including Keno and gaming machine monitoring increased EBITDA by 14% from \$39.0 million in 2002 to \$44.5 million in 2003

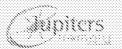
Technology

The Technology division contributed an EBITDA of \$1.5 million in 2003 after posting a loss of \$1 million in 2002.













SALE OF CENTREBET

Jupiters is now in final negotiations with shortlisted parties for the sale of Centrebet. Although it is the intention of the Directors that the sale of Centrebet will be concluded prior to the implementation of the merger with TABCORP, this is not certain. Please note that the final terms may not be consistent with those indicated below, however in the interests of maintaining an informed market the Directors disclose the following information about the Centrebet sale process.

The sale price of Centrebet is presently being negotiated in the range of \$60 million to \$70 million. Consideration being discussed for Centrebet could be entirely cash or a mixture of cash and securities.

Should a sale of Centrebet be completed in the above price range, Jupiters would incur capital gains tax of around \$15 million and expenses of the sale of about \$4 million. The balance of the sale consideration would be distributed to Jupiters' shareholders by way of either a cash dividend or a dividend in specie. The dividend would be fully franked subject to an appropriate tax ruling.

MERGER WITH TABCORP

The meetings of Jupiters' ordinary shareholders and RPS holders to consider the proposed schemes relating to the merger with TABCORP are scheduled to occur on 24 October 2003. Merger documentation with full details of the proposed merger is expected to be despatched to shareholders in the middle of September 2003.

The Australian Taxation Office ("ATO") is currently reviewing Jupiters' applications for tax rulings on the payment of the special dividend and the Centrebet dividend under the scheme of arrangement for the ordinary shares. Jupiters expects to receive a response from the ATO regarding its applications before the merger documents are despatched to shareholders and RPS holders.

Yours faithfully

L.J. WILLETT AO

CHAIRMAN OF THE BOARD

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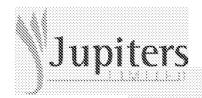












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MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION & ANALYSIS YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2003

OVERVIEW

- Net Profit After Tax (NPAT) on a headline basis has declined from \$78.1 million for the year ended 30 June 2002 to \$58.5 million in FY03.
- On a normalised basis (ie. excluding the after tax impact of non-recurring items and adjusted to theoretical win rates), NPAT was approximately \$65.9 million with Earnings Per Share (EPS) up from 32.3 cents in FY02 to 32.7 cents in FY03.
- The decline in normalised NPAT was mainly due to an additional \$8.9 million in after tax borrowing costs incurred as a result of the issuance of Jupiters' Reset Preference Shares (RPS) in April 2002. The impact of the lower normalised NPAT is offset by the reduction in the number of Jupiters' shares outstanding as a result of the restructure of the Company's share capital.
- During FY03 the only material change to the share capital of the Company was the issue of approximately 423,000 ordinary shares relating to the takeover of Breakwater Island Trust.

Changes in the pcp included:

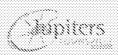
- The buy back of approximately 40 million ordinary shares
- The issue of \$190.2 million of RPS
- The Company incurred non-recurring costs related to the merger with TABCORP Holdings Limited (TABCORP) of \$4.0 million after tax, reducing EPS by 2.0 cents. The International Commission Business (ICB) achieved a win rate of 1.215% versus a theoretical win rate of 1.265%, reducing NPAT by \$3.4 million and EPS by 1.7 cents.
- The continuing businesses that will be merged with TABCORP (ie. all operations excluding Centrebet) performed well with normalised EBITA increasing from \$130.4 million in FY02 to \$136.5 million in FY03, an increase of 4.7%.
- All references to "Normalised" in this document refer to the current year results
 adjusted for the deviation away from theoretical win rates in ICB and merger costs,
 and pcp results adjusted for the deviation away from theoretical win rates in ICB and
 the adverse tax ruling relating to the deductibility of rent paid for the Brisbane
 hotel/casino.















DIVIDENDS

In accordance with the Company's dividend policy, the dividend payout ratio is based on the normalised earnings rather than the actual result and accordingly the Directors have declared a fully franked dividend of 12 cents per share. The total dividend for FY03 of 23 cents is an increase of 2 cents per share over the total dividend for FY02. The record date for the final ordinary dividend is 12 September 2003.

The next semi-annual dividend on the RPS has been declared and will be paid on 9 October 2003 at 8.15% of the face value of the preference shares, being 408.62 cents per RPS. The record date for this RPS dividend is 1 October 2003.

The following analysis considers results on both an actual and a Normalised basis to assist in understanding the performance of the Company's underlying businesses.

REVENUE

- Normalised operating revenue was \$802.3 million, up 3.7% compared to \$774.0 million for the pcp.
- Normalised land based revenues increased by \$26.5 million or 4.5%.
- ICB revenue increased by 20.9% on a Normalised basis.
- Gaming machine revenue in the Casinos increased by 2.1% (see table under Casino Revenue).
- Wide Area Operations increased revenue by 3.7%.
- AWA Technology Services revenue decreased by 3.7%, on a consolidated basis.
- Centrebet increased revenue by 1.3%.

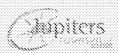
EBITDA

- Headline earnings before interest, income tax, depreciation and amortisation (EBITDA) for the period were \$178.7 million, compared with \$207.3 million for the pcp.
- Normalised EBITDA decreased by \$1.4 million compared to the pcp.
- This normalised decrease was primarily attributable to a poor performance in Centrebet and bad debts in the ICB partially offset by earnings from the Company's wide-area gaming and technology services operations.













FINANCIAL RESULTS YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2003

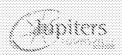
	Actual		Norma	lised ⁽ⁱ⁾
	2003	2002	2003	2002
	\$M	\$M	\$M	\$M
Casino revenue	463.0	481.4	479.4	462.0
Hotel revenue ⁽ⁱⁱ⁾	135.0	125.9	135.0	125.9
Land based operations	598.0	607.3	614.4	587.9
Wide area operations	123.0	118.6	123.0	118.6
Technology operations	30.3	31.3	30.3	31.3
Sportsbetting operations	30.8	30.4	30.8	30.4
Unallocated	3.8	5.8	3.8	5.8_
Operating revenue	785.9	793.4	802.3	774.0
Employee related expenses	(231.8)	(223.4)	(231.8)	(223.4)
Gaming & wagering taxes/contribution (iii)	(114.5)	(117.2)	(116.3)	(115.1)
Marketing expenses	(94.0)	(89.3)	(103.1)	(91.5)
Cost of providing technology services	(26.2)	(24.3)	(26.2)	(24.3)
Commissions paid to Qld Keno agents	(25.2)	(23.5)	(25.2)	(23.5)
Cost of goods sold	(23.6)	(24.6)	(23.6)	(24.6)
Property and energy costs	(22.4)	(21.1)	(22.4)	(21.1)
Management fee	(18.5)	(20.1)	(19.1)	(18.7)
Other expenses	(51.0)	(42.6)	(47.0)	(42.8)_
EBITDA	178.7	207.3	187.6	189.0
Depreciation & amortisation	(54.0)	(54.4)	(54.0)	(54.4)
Net interest expense & finance charges	(35.6)	(27.6)	(35.6)	(23.1)
Profit from ordinary activities	89.1	125.3	98.0	111.5
Income tax expense	(30.0)	(46.5)	(31.5)	(35.6)
Net profit before outside equity interests	59.1	78.8	66.5	75.9
Outside equity interests	(0.6)	(0.7)	(0.6)	(0.7)_
Net profit	58.5	78.1	65.9	75.2

- (i) excludes effects of deviations from theoretical win on commission play business, merger costs and adverse tax ruling.
- (ii) includes rooms, food, beverage and entertainment, Breakwater Marina and Townsville Entertainment Centre.
- (iii) includes community benefit contribution of \$4.6 million (2002: \$4.8 million).













FINANCIAL STATISTICS

	Actual		Normalised	
	2003	2002	2003	2002
EBITDA as a percentage of operating	22.7%	26.1%	23.4%	24.4%
revenue				
Earnings per share (cents)	29.0	33.6	32.7	32.3
Return on equity	12.3%	13.4%	13.9%	13.1%
Net debt to shareholders' equity	77.7%	69.1%		
Interest cover	5.0 times	7.5 times		
Net tangible assets per share	\$1.91	\$1.83		
Dividend per share (cents) - 100% franked	23.0	21.0		

EBITDA BUSINESS SEGMENT ANALYSIS

Internally, management analyses the Company's performance on a business segment basis. Consolidated EBITDA is analysed on that basis as follows:

	Actua	Actual		
	2003	2002	2003	2002
	\$M	\$M	\$M	\$M
Land based operations	141.5	167.3	146.4	149.0
Wide-area operations	44.5	39.0	44.5	39.0
Sportsbetting operations	9.5	14.7	9.5	14.7
Technology operations	1.5	(1.0)	1.5	(1.0)
Unallocated	(18.3)	(12.7)	(14.3)	<u>(12.7)</u>
EBITDA	178.7	207.3	187.6	189.0

CASINO REVENUE

Casino revenue decreased by \$18.4 million, or 3.8%, to \$463.0 million for the year ended 30 June 2003. On a Normalised basis, casino revenue increased by \$17.4 million, or 3.8%.

On a Normalised basis, ICB revenue for the year ended 30 June 2003 increased 20.9% over the pcp, reflecting an increase in ICB front money. Revenue earned from this business segment remains in the range of 10%-15% of the Company's revenue. The ICB increased provisioning for doubtful debts during the year by \$5.3 million, compared to less than \$0.1 million for the pcp.

Club Conrad's non-commission premium play revenues decreased 4.0% compared to the pcp in the South East Queensland properties. Jupiters Townsville does not participate in premium play business.

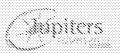
Main floor table game performance remained flat.















Gaming machine revenue growth on pcp improved consistently throughout the year (see table below). Total gaming machine revenues for the three casinos was \$259.6 million compared to \$254.3 million for the pcp, an increase of \$5.3 million or 2.1%. Revenue for the six months ended 30 June 2003 was an increase of \$10.4 million or 8.5% on the pcp continuing the positive trend evident since the installation of the Cougar gaming machine monitoring system and the introduction of new gaming machines.

Quarter	Sept. 02 Dec. 02 Mar. 03	Jun. 03
Revenue growth vs PCP	(8.9%) 2.1% 7.9%	9.2%

Following the successful implementation of the Cougar monitoring system, the Company's gaming machine replacement and investment cycle will be driven by customer demand and availability of new product. In FY04, it is expected to upgrade approximately one third of the installed base.

	No. of machines at
Casino	30 June 2003
Gold Coast	1,348
Brisbane	1,329
Townsville	292

HOTEL REVENUE

Total hotel revenue increased by \$9.1 million, or 7.2% to \$135.0 million compared to the pcp of \$125.9 million. This was primarily attributable to an improved performance by food and beverage operations across all properties.

As a result of a continued focus on high yielding corporate and convention business revenues, hotel rooms revenue increased by 7.7% compared to the pcp. This strong result was achieved despite the war in Iraq and the outbreak of SARS. An increase in domestic activity compensated for the decrease in activity in the inbound segment.

CONRAD JUPITERS, GOLD COAST

Headline operating revenues at Conrad Jupiters decreased by \$2.4 million, or 0.7 % to \$328.6 million for the year ended 30 June 2003 compared to \$331.0 million for the pcp.

On a Normalised basis, operating revenues increased by \$23.7 million or 7.5% to \$340.1 million in FY03 compared to \$316.4 million in FY02.

Since March 2003, the Company's south east Queensland properties have been trialling an electronic patron counting system which has consistently produced results 20% to 30% above the historical manual count methodology. This new system will be used for reported patronage figures from 1 July 2003.

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Casino patronage of approximately 11,000 per day (manual count) remained in line with the pcp. Average main floor spend per patron was also consistent with the pcp.

Gaming machine revenue increased in FY03 by 2.9% compared to FY02. Strong growth against pcp was recorded for the second half due to the impact of a significant rollout of new product in the first half.

Hotel room revenue increased over the pcp reflecting an improvement in average occupancy from 60.3% to 62.4% supported by an increase in average room rate of 2.8% over the pcp.

Food and beverage revenues increased 8.9% over the pcp primarily as a result of promotions, theatre packages and some menu revisions. The hotel also benefited from increased domestic tourism as locals chose not to travel abroad due to uncertainty surrounding international events.

CONRAD TREASURY, BRISBANE

Headline operating revenues at Conrad Treasury decreased \$7.9 million, or 3.3% to \$229.4 million for the year ended 30 June 2003 compared to \$237.3 million for the pcp.

On a Normalised basis, operating revenues increased by \$2.0 million or 0.9% to \$234.4 million in FY03 compared to \$232.4 million in FY02.

Gaming machine revenue increased in FY03 by 1.7% compared to FY02. Strong growth against pcp was recorded for the second half due to the impact of a significant rollout of new product in the first half.

Daily casino patronage remained flat at around 9,000 (manual count). Average main floor spend per patron improved against the pep primarily due to the abovementioned small increase in gaming machine activity along with a small increase in main floor table revenue.

Hotel room revenue was up 8.3% on the pcp. Occupancy continued to improve increasing from 74.7% to 78.5% and was supported by an increase in average room rate of 3.9% compared to the pcp.

Food and beverage revenues increased 10.2% compared to the pcp due to strong convention activity in Brisbane.

JUPITERS TOWNSVILLE HOTEL & CASINO

Operating revenues at Jupiters Townsville increased \$0.9 million, or 2.3% to \$39.9 million for the year ended 30 June 2003 compared to \$39.0 million for the pcp.

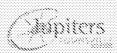
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Hotel room revenue increased 7.4% compared to the pcp with occupancy strengthening to 49.8% (pcp: 47.1%). Improved hotel occupancy and marketing efforts resulted in food and beverage operations performing strongly with revenues increasing 7.7% over the pcp.

GOLD COAST CONVENTION & EXHIBITION CENTRE

Construction work on the Gold Coast Convention & Exhibition Centre is progressing well and is on schedule for a mid 2004 opening.

The core management team of the Centre is in place. Forward bookings continue to grow with strong interest from international and domestic markets.

NON-CASINO OPERATIONS

Revenue earned by non-casino operations of \$187.9 million was 23.4% of the normalised operating revenue of the Company compared to \$186.1 million (24.0%) in the pcp.

Keno turnover in Queensland for the year ended 30 June 2003 was \$278.2 million (pcp: \$261.4 million) and in New South Wales was \$333.7 million (pcp: \$343.0 million). Queensland has continued to perform strongly due to the continued strong performance of clubs and hotels. The ongoing sales and marketing activity has resulted in positive turnover growth. New South Wales struggled with turnover for the year. Increasing responsible gambling regulation has continued to have a negative impact on all gaming, including Keno in New South Wales. A new logo was launched into the Queensland and New South Wales market providing a unified brand for the game. The coming year will see new Keno terminals rolled out into both states providing the latest technology and facilities for the future development of new Keno products. Jupiters provides Keno to over 800 outlets in Queensland and 1,000 clubs in New South Wales.

Monitoring of gaming machines in clubs and hotels in Queensland generated revenue of \$19.1 million during the year ended 30 June 2003, an increase of 15.6% over the pcp. This performance is the result of the business attracting a number of large venues which have elected to use a broad range of the Company's products. Internal and wide area random jackpots have been introduced into a number of sites bolstering the revenue of this business. The Company's market share is approximately 37.7%, just below the regulated maximum level of 40%. The increase in revenue combined with operational improvements saw most of the incremental revenue reflected at the EBITDA line.

CENTREBET

The poor performance of Centrebet was attributable to a number of factors, including increased competition, regulatory uncertainty and the impact of the decision to sell the business taken in March 2003.

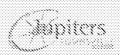
Turnover grew at a slower than expected rate due to increased competition in Centrebet's traditional Nordic markets, which have become the target of significant marketing spend by some of Centrebet's major UK based competitors. The increasing impact of betting exchanges also had a significant effect on the rate of turnover growth.

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Regulatory uncertainty grew during the year with some significant developments particularly in Denmark. This uncertainty together with the sale process has impacted the day to day operation of the business resulting in a lower than expected win rate.

As a result of the negotiations with TABCORP and the decision to recommend a merger with that group, Jupiters decided to sell the business of Centrebet in order to deliver greater value to its shareholders compared to only completing the TABCORP merger. The process of selling the business has caused disruption to it which can be seen in the lower win rate in the last quarter of the year (3.6%), despite turnover for that quarter being in line with the Soccer World Cup dominated pcp.

Expenses were incurred on marketing programs designed to counter the increased competition and in preparing to deliver new products and a new web platform, which has been postponed due to the sale process.

The lower win rate combined with an increase in overheads caused the EBITDA to decline 35%, from \$14.7 million in 2002 to \$9.5 million in 2003.

<u>\$ 000's</u>	FY03 FY02	Change
Turnover	452,087 401,006	12.7%
Wagering Revenu	e 30,026 28,678	4.7%
Win Rates	6.64% 7.15%	(7.1)%

The total number of bets placed continues to grow strongly although the average bet size has reduced. This is mainly due to the impact of betting exchanges on the top end or wholesale segment of Centrebet's client base.

FY03 FY02	Change
Total Bets (mils) 15.4 11.7	32%
Average bet size \$29.38 \$34.35	(14.5)%

OTHER

Operating expenses were \$607.2 million compared to \$586.1 million in the pcp, an increase of \$21.1 million. Current year expenses included \$4.0 million in costs pertaining to the proposed merger with TABCORP.

Depreciation and amortisation expense was \$54.0 million, broadly consistent with the pcp of \$54.4 million.

Net interest and finance charges increased by \$8.0 million to \$35.6 million. Interest expense includes \$15.5 million payable in respect of the reset preference shares issued in April 2002 (pcp: \$3.5 million).

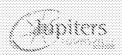
Overall the net cash position reduced by \$7.4 million from 30 June 2002 to 30 June 2003. Net cashflows from operating activities in FY03 were \$85.6 million, down from \$136.2 million in FY02 due to higher borrowing costs paid and the reduction in headline earnings.

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Net cashflows used in investing activities in FY03 were \$88.3 million compared with \$48.1 million in FY02 due to the increase in ownership interest in Breakwater Island Trust and capital expenditure. Total capital expenditure applicable to FY03 was approximately \$63.0 million (pcp: \$46.3 million). Major capital expenditure items included investment in gaming machines deferred from the previous financial year, the extension of the Conrad Jupiters island and refurbishments within the casino properties. Net cashflows used in financing activities were \$4.6 million in FY03 compared to \$119.5 million in FY02. The prior year was affected by cashflows pertaining to the restructure of the Company's share capital.

JUPITERS LIMITED 12 AUGUST 2003

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JUPITERS LIMITED

A.C.N. 010 741 045

AND ITS CONTROLLED ENTITIES

STATEMENTS OF FINANCIAL PERFORMANCE FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2003

		<u>Consolidated</u>		<u>Company</u>	
	Note	2003	2002	2003	2002
	·	\$000	\$000	\$000	\$000
Operating revenues:		<u></u>	<u></u>	<u></u>	<u></u>
Casino		462,979	481,373	440,219	458,297
Hotel		134,955	125,894	117,811	109,975
Other gaming and wagering		149,767	144,345	-	-
Gaming equipment sales and technology					
services		36,067	39,600	15,727	16,565
		783,768	791,212	573,757	584,837
Other revenue	3	3,944	5,061	54,376	16,635
Total revenue from ordinary activities		787,712	796,273	628,133	601,472
Employee related expenses		(231,849)	(223,449)	(182,185)	(178,021)
Government gaming taxes and fees/community					
benefit contribution		(114,454)	(117,204)	(91,757)	(92,802)
Marketing expenses		(93,980)	(89,357)	(85,846)	(79,788)
Depreciation and amortisation expense	3	(53,968)	(54,422)	(30,287)	(29,546)
Borrowing costs	3	(37,476)	(30,350)	(35,550)	(28,233)
Cost of providing technology services		(26,192)	(24,346)	-	-
Commissions paid to Queensland Keno agents		(25,210)	(23,467)	(22 = (2)	(00.055)
Cost of goods sold		(23,555)	(24,569)	(33,762)	(33,075)
Property and energy costs		(22,440)	(21,096)	(18,766)	(18,294)
Management fees		(18,549)	(20,109)	(18,549)	(20,109)
Other expenses from ordinary activities		(50,958)_	(42,599)	(21,936)	(12,517)
Profit from ordinary activities before income tax expense		89,081	125,305	109,495	109,087
Income tax expense relating to ordinary activities	6	(30,013)	(46,516)	(18,113)	(34,420)
Net profit - before outside equity interest		59,068	78,789	91,382	74,667
Net profit - attributable to outside equity					
interest		(549)_	(720)_		
Net profit – attributable to members of the Company Total expenses adjustments attributable to		58,519	78,069	91,382	74,667
members of the Company and recognised directly in equity due to a decrease in retained profits on adoption of revised accounting standard AASB1028 "Employee					
Benefits".	2	(170)		(96)	
Total changes in equity other than those resulting from transactions with owners as owners attributable to members of the Company		58,349	78,069	91,286	74,667
Basic earnings per share: Ordinary shares (cents)	5	29.0	33.6		
Diluted earnings per share: Ordinary shares (cents)	5	29.0	33.6		

The accompanying notes form an integral part of the statements of financial performance

JUPITERS LIMITED A.C.N. 010 741 045

AND ITS CONTROLLED ENTITIES

STATEMENTS OF FINANCIAL POSITION AT 30 JUNE 2003

		Conso	Consolidated		Company	
	<u>Note</u>	2003 <u>\$000</u>	2002 <u>\$000</u>	2003 <u>\$000</u>	2002 <u>\$000</u>	
CURRENT ASSETS:						
Cash assets		77,933	85,301	56,313	58,940	
Receivables	8	21,763	18,420	10,894	13,329	
Inventories		13,097	14,098	11,240	7,318	
Other	9	31,849	16,096	14,793	13,964	
Total current assets		144,642	133,915	93,240	93,551	
NON-CURRENT ASSETS:						
Financial assets	10	-	-	548,119	519,107	
Property, plant and equipment	11	758,842	746,867	352,117	334,038	
Intangibles	12	106,691	122,831	18,433	20,900	
Deferred tax assets		3,241	-	828	-	
Other	13	39,000	63,718	39,000	63,718	
Total non-current assets		907,774	933,416	958,497	937,763	
Total assets		1,052,416	1,067,331	1,051,737	1,031,314	
CURRENT LIABILITIES:						
Payables	14	87,486	91,752	52,304	53,525	
Interest bearing liabilities	16	45,347	1,827	45,347	1,827	
Current tax liabilities		6,122	21,348	1,569	14,002	
Provisions	15	20,196	38,322	14,347	32,016	
Other	17	12,326		12,326		
Total current liabilities		171,477	153,249	125,893	101,370	
NON-CURRENT LIABILITIES:						
Interest bearing liabilities	16	392,270	431,695	392,270	428,995	
Deferred tax liabilities		-	2,358	-	3,653	
Provisions	15	9,705	10,622	7,273	9,487	
Net loans - controlled entities				19,021	52,117	
Total non-current liabilities		401,975	444,675	418,564	494,252	
Total liabilities		573,452	597,924	544,457	595,622	
Net assets		478,964	469,407	507,280	435,692	
EQUITY:						
Contributed equity	18	312,954	310,457	312,954	310,457	
Retained profits	4	166,010	127,592	194,326	125,235	
Parent entity interest		478,964	438,049	507,280	435,692	
Outside equity interest	19		31,358			
Total equity		478,964	469,407	507,280	435,692	

The accompanying notes form an integral part of these statements of financial position

JUPITERS LIMITED A.C.N. 010 741 045 AND ITS CONTROLLED ENTITIES

STATEMENTS OF CASH FLOWS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2003

		Consol	<u>idated</u>	Company		
	<u>Note</u>	2003 <u>\$000</u>	2002 <u>\$000</u>	2003 <u>\$000</u>	2002 <u>\$000</u>	
CASH FLOWS PROVIDED BY OPERATING ACTIVITIES:						
Cash receipts in the course of operations		781,438	808,215	578,278	601,775	
Cash payments in the course of operations Distributions received		(603,750)	(590,618)	(450,854) 683	(449,511) 1,367	
Interest received		1,619	2,990	9 77	1,736	
Borrowing costs		(42,305)	(26,485)	(42,179)	(20,712)	
Income taxes paid		(51,441)	(57,912)	(35,026)	(50,203)	
Net cash provided by	20/1)	05.561	126 100	£1.050	04.450	
operating activities	20(b)	85,561	136,190	51,879	84,452	
CASH FLOWS USED IN INVESTING ACTIVITIES:						
Purchase of property, plant and		(60.005)	(16.212)	(16.01 =)	(2.5.1.51)	
equipment Purchase of businesses		(63,005)	(46,313) (2,000)	(46,817)	(36,161)	
Increased ownership interest in controlled		-	(2,000)	-	-	
entity	20(d)	(26,581)	_	(26,581)	_	
Proceeds from sale of property,		, , ,		` , ,		
plant and equipment	3	1,306	189	1,252	45	
Net cash used in investing activities		(88,280)	(48,124)	(72,146)	(36,116)	
CASH FLOWS FROM/(USED IN) FINANCING ACTIVITIES:						
Proceeds from issue of reset preference						
shares	16	-	190,174	-	190,174	
Proceeds from the exercise of options	18	67	(101 522)	67	(101 522)	
Share buy-back Borrowing costs capitalised	18	-	(181,533) (6,852)	-	(181,533) (6,852)	
Proceeds from borrowings	16	140,500	60,000	140,000	60,000	
Repayment of borrowings	16	(98,200)	(129,800)	(95,000)	(126,500)	
Repayment of finance lease		(1,919)	(1,714)	(1,919)	(1,714)	
Loan repayments from controlled entities		-	-	18,835	43,752	
Ordinary dividends paid		(45,097)	(49,782)	(44,343)	(48,272)	
Net cash from/(used in) financing activities		(4.640)	(119,507)	17.640	(70.045)	
acuviues		(4,649)	(119,307)	17,640	(70,945)	
Net decrease in cash		(7,368)	(31,441)	(2,627)	(22,609)	
Cash at the beginning of the financial year		85,301	116,742	58,940	81,549	
Cash at the end of the financial year	20(a)	77,933	85,301	56,313	58,940	

The accompanying notes form an integral part of these statements of cash flows

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AT 30 JUNE 2003

1. STATEMENT OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES:

Basis of Accounting

The financial report is a general purpose financial report which has been prepared in accordance with Accounting Standards, Urgent Issues Group Consensus Views and the Corporations Act (2001). It has been prepared on the basis of historical costs and except where stated, does not take into account changing money values or current valuations of non-current assets.

Where necessary, comparative information has been reclassified to achieve consistency in disclosure with current financial year amounts and other disclosures.

Consolidation

The consolidated financial report comprises the financial report of Jupiters Limited (the "Company") and its controlled entities (referred to collectively as the "Consolidated Entity"). The consolidation process eliminates all inter-entity balances and transactions and reflects the application of the Company's accounting policies on a consistent basis throughout the Consolidated Entity and, unless otherwise stated, are consistent with those of the previous year.

The Company reports receivables and payables with controlled entities on a net basis.

Revenue Recognition

Revenue is recognised to the extent that it is probable that the economic benefits will flow to the entity and the revenue can be reliably measured.

Casino and other gaming revenues represent the aggregate of gaming wins and losses after allowances.

Revenue from the provision of services is recognised where the contracted outcome can be reliably measured, control of the right to be compensated for the services exists and the stage of completion can be reliably measured.

Revenue from the sale of goods is recorded when control in the goods being sold passes to the buyer, it is probable consideration will pass from the buyer in accordance with an established arrangement and the amount of consideration can be reliably measured.

Cost of Goods Sold

Cost of goods sold relates to the sale of food, beverage and gaming equipment.

Income Tax

Tax effect accounting has been adopted in preparing this financial report. Income tax expense is calculated on the accounting profit adjusted for permanent differences.

To the extent that timing differences occur between the time items are taken up for accounting purposes and when they are taken into account for determination of taxable income, the related taxation liability or benefit is calculated at the tax rate expected to apply when the differences reverse.

At 30 June 2003, the Consolidated Entity had not elected to form a consolidated group for taxation purposes. The formation of a consolidated group for taxation purposes in the future is not expected to materially affect the carrying value of the Consolidated Entity's deferred tax assets and liabilities. The Consolidated Entity is expected to form a consolidated group for taxation purposes in the year ending 30 June 2004.

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AT 30 JUNE 2003

1. STATEMENT OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (Cont'd):

Gaming Taxes and Goods and Services Tax ("GST")

Revenues, expenses and assets are recognised net of the amount of GST except where the GST incurred on a purchase of goods and services is not recoverable from the taxation authority (in which case the GST is recognised as part of the cost of acquisition of the asset or as part of the expense item as applicable) and receivables and payables are stated with the amount of GST included.

Prima facie gaming taxes are brought to account on a gross basis in the Statements of Financial Performance. Pursuant to agreements between the Federal and State Governments, any GST payable on the related gaming activities is deducted from those gaming tax remittances and paid to the Federal Government.

Inventories

Inventories which include food, beverages, general stores and computer hardware are stated at the lower of cost and net realisable value. They comprise raw materials, work in progress and finished goods. Cost is assigned on a weighted average cost basis.

Government Funded Development

The Company is currently developing a convention and exhibition centre on behalf of the State of Queensland. Development costs are generally reimbursed by the State within one month of them being paid. Development costs incurred and not yet reimbursed are classified as current receivables.

Non-Current Assets

Land, buildings and casino licences are recorded at cost of acquisition or development. The Gold Coast and Townsville casino licences are issued in perpetuity and the Brisbane casino licence expires in April 2070.

Buildings, plant and equipment and where appropriate, casino licences are depreciated over their estimated useful lives on a straight line basis with depreciation on buildings and applicable casino licences applying a rate of 1% - 1.3%, plant and equipment - owned applying a rate of 7% - 33%, and plant and equipment - leased applying a rate of 20%.

All non-current assets are reviewed semi-annually to determine whether their carrying amounts require write down to recoverable amount. Recoverable amount is determined using net cash flows discounted at 10.9% to present values.

Investments in controlled entities are carried in the Company's financial report at the lower of cost and recoverable amount.

The acquisition of the management contract in respect of Jupiters Townsville Hotel & Casino is recorded at cost and is being amortised over the period of the extended term of the contract of 22 years.

Deferred borrowing expenses are amortised over the term of the related financial instrument.

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AT 30 JUNE 2003

1. STATEMENT OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (Cont'd):

Leased Assets

Assets acquired under finance leases are capitalised and amortised over the life of the relevant lease or, where ownership is likely to be obtained on expiration of the lease, over the expected useful life of the asset. Lease payments are allocated between interest expense and reduction in the lease liability. Gains or losses on the sale and leaseback of assets are deferred and amortised over the lease term when the lease is a finance lease.

Operating lease assets are not capitalised and rental payments are charged to profit on a basis to match the expense with the economic benefits consumed from the leased asset in each period. Where rental payments are expected to produce economic benefits in a future period, a prepayment of rent is recognised in the Statements of Financial Position (refer Note 13).

Goodwill/Discount on Acquisition

On acquisition of a controlled entity or a business, the difference between the purchase consideration plus incidental expenses and the fair value of identifiable net assets acquired is initially brought to account as either goodwill on acquisition or as a discount on acquisition which is allocated between the non-monetary assets of the controlled entity.

Purchased goodwill is amortised on a straight line basis for AWA Limited at twenty years and for Centrebet at seven years. The unamortised balance of goodwill is reviewed at each balance date and charged to the Statement of Financial Performance to the extent that applicable future benefits are no longer probable.

Provisions

Provisions are recognised when the Consolidated Entity has a legal, equitable or constructive obligation to make a future sacrifice of economic benefits to other entities as a result of past transactions or other past events, it is probable that a future sacrifice of economic benefits will be required and a reliable estimate can be made of the amount of the obligation.

A provision for dividend is not recognised as a liability unless the dividends are declared, determined or publicly recommended on or before the reporting date.

Provision for Employee Benefits

Provision has been made in the financial reports for benefits accruing to employees in relation to such matters as annual leave and long service leave and are based on remuneration rates which are expected to be paid when the liability is settled. On-costs are included in the determination of provisions.

Self Insurance of Queensland Workers Compensation Liabilities

From 1 July 2002, the Consolidated Entity self insures its potential workers' compensation liabilities in respect of its Queensland employees pursuant to a licence from WorkCover Queensland. Liabilities that may arise in this regard are contingent on claims by employees. At each reporting date, the liability recognised for the Consolidated Entity's potential workers' compensation liabilities in respect of its Queensland employees is measured in accordance with an independent actuarial valuation. The valuation makes allowance for the Consolidated Entity's estimated claims liability, residual liability and outstanding liability (refer Note 15).

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AT 30 JUNE 2003

1. STATEMENT OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (Cont'd):

Foreign Currency Translation

Transactions in foreign currencies are converted to local currency at the rate of exchange ruling at the date of the transaction. Foreign currency monetary items that are outstanding at the reporting date are translated using the spot rate at the end of the financial year.

Financial Instruments

Ordinary share capital is recorded at a value equivalent to the total consideration received less the costs of issuing shares. Ordinary share capital bears no special terms or conditions affecting income or capital entitlements of the shareholders.

Reset preference shares exhibit characteristics of liabilities and are recognised as liabilities in the Statements of Financial Position. The corresponding dividends are charged as borrowing costs in the Statements of Financial Performance.

Trade debtors primarily represent amounts receivable from hotel and casino patrons, and technology services customers of the international sales division and are recorded at transaction amounts. Provision for doubtful debts is recognised to the extent that the recovery of the outstanding receivable balance is considered less than likely to be collected. Such provision is established based on a review of all outstanding amounts at balance date.

Investments in bank accepted bills of exchange are carried at cost. Interest revenue is recognised on an effective yield basis.

Liabilities for trade creditors, other creditors and accruals are carried at cost which is the fair value of the consideration to be paid in the future for goods and services received, whether or not billed to the Consolidated Entity.

Notes payable are recognised when issued at the face value of the notes issued, with any discount on issue amortised over the period to maturity. Interest is recognised as an expense on an effective yield basis.

Borrowings under a commercial bill facility are recognised when bills are issued with the liability recorded based upon the face value of the bills. The difference between the face value and proceeds received from the bills is recognised as interest expense over the period to maturity.

A cross currency interest rate swap agreement hedges the Company's interest rate and foreign currency exposure in respect of notes payable (refer Note 27). Under the terms of the swap agreement, the Company agrees with the counterparty to exchange the difference between the fixed and floating rate interest amounts and to exchange the principal at an agreed rate of foreign currency conversion. Amounts payable under the cross currency interest rate swap agreement are recognised as a component of interest expense as they accrue.

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AT 30 JUNE 2003

2. CHANGE IN ACCOUNTING POLICIES:

Provision for Dividends

The application of new Accounting Standard AASB 1044 "Provisions, Contingent Liabilities and Contingent Assets", has resulted in a change in the timing of recognition of the dividend provision. Previously, the Consolidated Entity recognised a provision for dividend based on the amount that was proposed or declared after the reporting date. In accordance with the requirements of the new standard, a provision for dividend will only be recognised at the reporting date where the dividend has been declared, determined or publicly recommended prior to the reporting date. The effect of the revised policy has been to increase consolidated retained profits and decrease provisions at the beginning of the year by \$22,902,204 (refer Note 4). In accordance with the new standard, no provision for final dividend has been recognised for the year ended 30 June 2003. Recognition of this dividend occurred at the date of this financial report and accordingly will be included in the financial report for the year ending 30 June 2004.

Employee Benefits

The revised Accounting Standard AASB1028 "Employee Benefits", has resulted in a change in the accounting policy for the measurement of employee benefit liabilities. Previously, the Consolidated Entity measured the provision for annual leave based on remuneration rates at the date of recognition of the liability. In accordance with the requirements of the revised standard, the provision for annual leave is now measured based on the remuneration rates expected to be paid when the liability is settled. The effect of the revised policy has been to decrease consolidated retained profits and increase employee benefit liabilities at the beginning of the year by \$170,562. In addition, current year profits have decreased by \$75,969 due to an increase in the employee benefits expense. Current provisions at 30 June 2003 have also increased by \$246,531 as a result of the change in accounting policy.

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AT 30 JUNE 2003

		<u>Consolidated</u>		Company	
		2003 \$000	2002 \$000	2003 <u>\$000</u>	2002 \$000
3.	NOTES TO THE STATEMENTS OF FINANCIAL PERFORMANCE:				
	Operating revenues:				
	Services	689,007	701,769	492,856	510,453
	Goods	94,761	89,443	80,901	74,384
		783,768	791,212	573,757	584,837
	Other revenue:				
	Interest from other persons	1,790	2,826	1,138	1,860
	Distribution from Breakwater Island Trust	-,	_,	-,	547
	Dividends and distributions from wholly owned group	_	_	51,931	13,995
	Proceeds from sale of property, plant and equipment	1,306	189	1,252	45
	Other	848	2,046	55	188
		3,944	5,061	54,376	16,635
	Depreciation and amortisation expense:				
	Depreciation of:				
	Buildings	1,486	1,172	_	_
	Plant and equipment	36,244	38,701	21,861	22,845
	Amortisation of:	•	,	,	,
	Leased assets	5,958	4,892	5,958	4,892
	Goodwill	7,812	7,848	-	-
	Management contract	524	524	524	524
	Deferred borrowing costs	1,944	1,285	1,944	1,285
		53,968	54,422	30,287	29,546
	Borrowing costs:				
	Bank loans and overdraft	2,493	2,750	2,367	2,426
	Reset preference shares classified as liabilities	15,499	3,453	15,499	3,453
	Unsecured notes	19,403	19,420	17,603	17,627
	Interest penalty – Australian Taxation Office	-	4,531	-	4,531
	Finance charges relating to leases	81	196	81	196
		37,476	30,350	35,550	28,233
	Other expenses:				
	Property lease rentals Bad debts written off and provision for	5,435	5,533	6,112	6,080
	doubtful debts	5,197	394	4,862	380

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AT 30 JUNE 2003

		Consol	lidated	Com	pany
		2003	2002	2003	2002
		<u>\$000</u>	<u>\$000</u>	<u>\$000</u>	<u>\$000</u>
4.	RETAINED PROFITS AND DIVIDENDS:				
	Retained profits				
	Retained profits at the beginning of the financial year	127,592	123,881	125,235	124,322
	Net profit	58,519	78,069	91,382	74,667
	Adjustment arising from adoption of revised Accounting Standard:				
	AASB 1028 "Employee Benefits"	(170)	-	(96)	-
	AASB 1044 "Provisions, contingent liabilities and				
	contingent assets"	22,902	-	22,902	-
	Interim dividend of 11 cents per share, fully franked at	(00.40.5)	(2.1.1.2.0)	(00.405)	(0.1.10.6)
	30% (2001: 10 cents per share, fully franked at 30%)	(22,195)	(24,136)	(22,195)	(24,136)
	Final dividend in prior year of 11 cents per share, fully franked at 30%		(22.149)		(22.149)
	Dividends and other equity distribution paid	(22,902)	(22,148)	(22,902)	(22,148)
	Final distribution in prior year of 1 cent per unit,	(22,502)		(22,502)	
	fully franked at 30%, paid by Breakwater				
	Island Trust to outside equity interests	-	(754)	-	_
	Over provision of prior year final distribution payable by		, ,		
	Breakwater Island Trust to outside equity interests	-	150	-	-
	Share buy-back	-	(27,470)	-	(27,470)
	Reclassification of retained earnings on acquisition of				
	controlled entity	2,264	- 405 500	-	- 105.005
	Retained profits at the end of the financial year	166,010	127,592	194,326	125,235
	Equity				
	Total equity at the beginning of the financial year	469,407	620,644	435,692	590,447
	Total changes in equity recognised in the Statements of	50.510	= 0.000	04.000	-4.66-
	Financial Performance	58,519	78,069	91,382	74,667
	Adjustment arising from adoption of revised Accounting Standard AASB 1028 "Employee Benefits"	(170)		(06)	
	Transactions with owners - dividends	(170) (22,195)	(47,038)	(96) (22,195)	(46,284)
	- share buy-back	(22,193)	(183,138)	(22,193)	(183,138)
	- share issue	2,497	(105,150)	2,497	(105,150)
	Over provision of prior year final distribution payable by	_,.,,		_,	
	Breakwater Island Trust to outside equity interests	_	150	_	_
	Outside equity interests in net profit	-	720	-	-
	Cessation of outside equity interest (refer Note 20 (d))	(31,358)	-	-	-
	Reclassification of retained earnings on acquisition of				
	controlled entity	2,264		-	-
	Total equity at the end of the financial year	478,964	469,407	507,280	435,692

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AT 30 JUNE 2003

		<u>Consolidated</u>		<u>Company</u>	
4.	RETAINED PROFITS AND DIVIDENDS (cont'd):	2003 <u>\$000</u>	2002 <u>\$000</u>	2003 <u>\$000</u>	2002 \$000
	Franking Credits Balance of franking account adjusted for franking credits which will arise from the payment of income tax provided for as Current Tax Liabilities in the financial report.	108,512	82.215	80.642	69.580

Allowing for the Company's final dividend declared at the date of signing this Financial Report, the balance of the Company's franking account would be \$70.2 million and that of the Consolidated Entity would be \$98.1 million.

Dividend Reinvestment Plan

On 21 February 2003, the Company introduced a dividend reinvestment plan (the "Plan"). Under the Plan, shareholders could elect to receive ordinary shares in the Company in lieu of any ordinary dividend. In respect of the ordinary dividend paid in February 2003, 738,625 ordinary shares were acquired on market in accordance with calculations in the Plan rules. The Plan was suspended on 12 June 2003.

5. EARNINGS PER SHARE:

Only ordinary shares are included in the calculation of basic earnings per share. Reset preference shares are classified as liabilities and are not included in ordinary shares for the purposes of calculating either basic or diluted earnings per share (refer Note 16). Options outstanding under the executive share option plan are considered potential ordinary shares and have been included in diluted earnings per share (refer Note 22).

Earnings used in the calculation of basic and diluted earnings per share comprise the net profit attributable to members of the Company of \$58,518,685 (2002: \$78,069,335). The weighted average number of ordinary shares of 201,521,688 (2002: 232,587,741) and 201,849,140 (2002: 232,852,111) has been used in the calculation of basic and diluted earnings per share, respectively.

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AT 30 JUNE 2003

		<u>Consolidated</u>		Company	
6.	INCOME TAX:	2003 <u>\$000</u>	2002 \$000	2003 <u>\$000</u>	2002 \$000
	The difference between income tax expense provided in the financial report and the prima facie income tax expense is reconciled as follows:				
	Prima facie income tax expense calculated at 30% on profit from ordinary activities	26,724	37,592	32,848	32,726
	Tax effect of permanent differences: Dividends from controlled entities Amortisation of goodwill Brisbane hotel/casino rental disallowed Merger costs (refer Note 29) Other	2,344 800 1,186 (1,041)	2,354 6,731 (161)	(15,579) - 800 1,186 (1,142)	(4,198) 6,731 (839)
	Income tax expense	30,013	46,516	18,113	34,420

On 25 June 2002, the Full Federal Court of Australia ruled in favour of the Australian Taxation Office to disallow certain rental deductions claimed by the Company in relation to the lease of the Brisbane hotel/casino complex. The cumulative effect of this decision was recognised in the year ended 30 June 2002.

	effect of this decision was recognised in the year chided 30 June 20	<u>Consolidated</u>		Company	
7.	REMUNERATION OF AUDITORS AND OPERATOR:	2003 <u>\$</u>	2002 <u>\$</u>	2003 \$	2002 <u>\$</u>
	Auditors				
	The following remuneration was received or receivable by the auditor of the Consolidated Entity, excluding Centrebet Pty				
	Ltd, in respect of:		206.000		01.000
	Audit of the financial report - Arthur Andersen	474 793	206,000	210.261	81,000
	Audit of the financial report - Ernst & Young	474,782	157,000	210,361	99,000
	Regulatory and tax compliance services - Arthur Andersen	400.245	417,000	252 245	272,000
	Regulatory and tax compliance services - Ernst & Young	490,245	49,000	353,345	35,000
	Internal audit - Arthur Andersen	160 600	238,000	140 120	238,000
	Internal audit - Ernst & Young	168,689	40,000	140,139	40,000
	Taxation advice re merger-Ernst & Young (refer Note 29)	418,132	-	418,132	-
	Taxation advice re Centrebet divestment - Ernst & Young	54,410	-	54,410	-
	Other - Arthur Andersen	-	236,000	-	-
	Other - Ernst & Young	143,859	-	-	-
	Other includes international tax advice and information				
	technology related services (2002: tax and other				
	services in connection with the share buy-back and				
	issue of reset preference shares in the year ended 30				
	June 2002)				
	The following remuneration was received or receivable by the				
	auditor of Centrebet Pty Ltd, Howarth NT, in respect of audit				
	of the financial report	25,000	25,000	-	-

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		Consolidated		Company	
7.	REMUNERATION OF AUDITORS AND OPERATOR (Cont'd):	2003 \$000	2002 \$000	2003 \$000	2002 <u>\$000</u>
	Operator Fees are payable to the Operator, B.I. Gaming Corporation, pursuant to a Management Agreement for the operation of Conrad Jupiters and a Management Agreement and Licence Agreement for the operation of Conrad Treasury as follows:				
	Management fees Other services Reimbursable expenses	18,549 921 4,053	20,109 1,034 3,409	18,549 921 4,053	20,109 1,034 3,409
8.	RECEIVABLES:				
	Trade debtors Less provision for doubtful debts	31,263 (12,472)	20,304 (7,275)	19,273 (10,967)	10,365 (6,106)
	Other receivables	18,791 2,972	13,029 5,391	8,306 2,588	4,259 9,070
		21,763	18,420	10,894	13,329

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		<u>Consolidated</u>		Company	
		2003 <u>\$000</u>	2002 <u>\$000</u>	2003 <u>\$000</u>	2002 <u>\$000</u>
9.	OTHER CURRENT ASSETS:				
	Prepayments	12,104	11,096	9,793	8,964
	Security deposit (refer Note 13)	5,000	5,000	5,000	5,000
	Centrebet non current assets to be sold	14,745 31,849	16,096	14,793	13,964
		31,849	10,090	14,793	13,904
10.	FINANCIAL ASSETS:				
	Securities quoted on prescribed stock exchanges:				
	Units in controlled entity – at cost	-	-	-	22,131
	Securities not quoted on prescribed stock exchanges: Units/shares in controlled entities – at cost			£40 110	406.076
	Onus/snares in controlled entitles – at cost		<u>-</u> _	548,119 548,119	<u>496,976</u> 519,107
				346,119	319,107
11.	PROPERTY, PLANT AND EQUIPMENT:				
	Land, buildings and casino licences:				
	Cost Opening balance	650,201	650,201	279,880	279,880
	Disposal	(1,025)	030,201	(1,025)	275,000
	2.upou	649,176	650,201	278,885	279,880
	Accumulated depreciation and amortisation	<u> </u>			
	Opening balance	37,669	33,189	24,581	21,273
	Depreciation and amortisation	6,291	4,480	4,835	3,308
	Closing balance	43,960	37,669	29,416	24,581
	Net book value	605,216	612,532	249,469	255,299
	Transfer security deposit and prepaid rent relating to Brisbane	(44.550)	/4= +0.4	(44.550)	(4.5.4.5.1)
	Hotel/Casino to other non current assets (refer Note 13)	(44,528)	(45,194)	(44,528)	(45,194)
		560,688	567,338	204,941	210,105
	Plant and equipment:				
	Cost Opening balance	456,810	412,065	260,171	224,654
	Additions	64,292	46,723	47,816	36,052
	Disposals	(4,866)	(1,978)	(3,930)	(535)
	Closing balance	516,236	456,810	304,057	260,171
	Accumulated depreciation				
	Opening balance	279,021	241,918	137,978	114,840
	Depreciation Closing balance	29,836 308,857	<u>37,103</u> 279,021	19,142 157,120	23,138 137,978
	Net book value	207,379	177,789	146,937	122,193
	Transfer to other current assets pending Centrebet sale (refer	201,313	177,705	140,557	122,173
	Note 9)	(9,464)			
		197,915	177,789	146,937	122,193
	Leased equipment:	_	_	_	_
	Cost (no movements)	8,164	8,164	8,164	8,164
	Accumulated amortisation				
	Opening balance	6,424	4,840	6,424	4,840
	Amortisation	1,501	1,584	1,501	1,584
	Closing balance Net book value	7,925 239	6,424	7,925	6,424
	Total property, plant and equipment, net	758,842	1,740 746,867	239 352,117	1,740 334,038
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11. PROPERTY, PLANT AND EQUIPMENT (Cont'd):

From 1 July 2001, amounts paid in connection with the rental of the Brisbane hotel/casino complex have been reclassified (refer Note 13). This reclassification is reflected in the opening balances of cost and accumulated depreciation and amortisation for land, buildings and casino licences above.

Land, buildings and casino licences, at cost, comprise the freehold land and buildings (including casino licence) of Conrad Jupiters on the Gold Coast (including proximate lands), the leasehold improvements (including casino licence) of Conrad Treasury in Brisbane and the freehold land and buildings (including casino licence) of Breakwater Island Trust. The land, buildings and casino licence of Breakwater Island Trust are carried at the cost to the Consolidated Entity when those assets were first consolidated at 30 June 2000.

These assets were valued using a discounted cashflow methodology by the Directors at \$1,110 million on 30 June 2003. This valuation is incorporated in the financial report by way of note only.

The valuations reflect the future business cashflows anticipated from the properties and do not determine individual values for land and buildings nor specifically ascribe a value to the casino licences. Accordingly, an accurate or meaningful assessment of separate values of the land and casino licences cannot be made.

Land and buildings (including the casino licence) in respect of Conrad Treasury are subject to a 75 year lease from the Queensland Government which commenced in April 1995.

As most assets are integral to the operations of the Consolidated Entity and as there is no intention to sell them, capital gains tax has not been taken into account.

	Consolidated		Company	
	2003 <u>\$000</u>	2002 <u>\$000</u>	2003 <u>\$000</u>	2002 <u>\$000</u>
12. INTANGIBLES:				
Goodwill, at cost Accumulated amortisation	123,028 (29,851)	123,971 (22,040)	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>
Goodwill, net	93,177	101,931	-	-
Transfer to current assets pending Centrebet sale (refer Note 9)	(4,919)			
	88,258	101,931		
Management contract, at cost Accumulated amortisation	11,820 (2,146)	11,820 (1,623)	11,820 (2,146)	11,820 (1,623)
Management contract, net	9,674	10,197	9,674	10,197
Deferred borrowing expenses, at cost Accumulated amortisation	14,923 (6,164)	14,923 (4,220)	14,923 (6,164)	14,923 (4,220)
Deferred borrowing expenses, net	8,759	10,703	8,759	10,703
Total intangibles, net	106,691	122,831	18,433	20,900

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	Consolic	<u>Consolidated</u>		Company	
	2003 <u>\$000</u>	2002 \$000	2003 <u>\$000</u>	2002 <u>\$000</u>	
13. OTHER NON CURRENT ASSETS:					
Security deposit Prepaid rent Hedge receivable - restatement of unsecured notes	39,000	5,000 34,666	39,000	5,000 34,666	
hedge (refer Notes 1 and 17)	<u> </u>	24,052		24,052	
Total other non current assets	39,000	63,718	39,000	63,718	

In 1995, at the commencement of the 75 year lease of the Brisbane hotel/casino, a security deposit of \$50.0 million was paid to the Queensland Government to secure future lease rentals. The deposit is refunded in each of the first ten years of the lease at \$5.0 million per annum.

The rental payments under the lease comprise \$8.0 million per annum in each of the first ten years of the lease and \$1.0 million per annum in each of the remaining 65 years of the lease. In order to match the expense with the economic benefits expected to be consumed from the leased asset in each period, rent expense of \$3.7 million per annum is recognised in each of the first ten years of the lease and \$1.7 million per annum is to be recognised in each of the remaining 65 years of the lease. The excess of the cash rental payments over the rent expense recognised during the first ten years of the lease gives rise to prepaid rent which will reduce after the initial ten year period.

The security deposit and prepaid rent amounts were previously included in property, plant and equipment.

14. PAYABLES:

Trade creditors Other creditors and accruals	33,947	31,340	16,036	12,684
	53,539	60,412	36,268	40,841
	87,486	91,752	52,304	53,525

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		<u>Consolidated</u>		Company	
		2003 <u>\$000</u>	2002 <u>\$000</u>	2003 <u>\$000</u>	2002 <u>\$000</u>
15.	PROVISIONS:				
	CURRENT:				
	Employee benefits Dividends	12,802	13,473 22,148	11,615	9,660 22,148
	Self insurance - Queensland workers' compensation	2,565	22,140	2,392	22,146
	Other	4,829	2,701	340	208
		20,196	38,322	14,347	32,016
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	NON-CURRENT:				
	Employee benefits	9,705	10,622	7,273	9,487
	Aggregate employee benefits	22,507	24,095	18,888	19,147
	The number of employees on a full time equivalent basis as at 30 June was:	4,235	4,164	3,365	3,369
	In accordance with the WorkCover Queensland Act 1996, the Consolidated Entity has obtained insurance from a third party to limit its exposure in respect of any individual claim to a maximum of \$0.5 million. In accordance with that Act the Consolidated Entity has provided a Bank Guarantee in favour of WorkCover Queensland for \$5.0 million. WorkCover Queensland has funded the Consolidated Entity for workers' compensation claims related to injuries sustained by its Queensland employees prior to 1 July 2002 to a limit of \$2.2 million.				
16.	INTEREST BEARING LIABILITIES:				
	Unsecured notes	202,096	238,474	202,096	238,474
	Reset preference shares - unsecured	190,174	190,174	190,174	190,174
	Commercial bills - unsecured	45,000	-	45,000	-
	Commercial bills - secured Lease liabilities - secured	347	2,700 2,174	347	2,174
	Lease naomities - secured	437,617	433,522	437,617	430,822
	Less current maturities:	,011	مستور د د .	,017	,022
	Lease liabilities	(347)	(1,827)	(347)	(1,827)
	Commercial bills - unsecured	(45,000)		(45,000)	
		(45,347)	(1,827)	(45,347)	(1,827)
	Non-current borrowings	392,270	431,695	392,270	428,995

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16. INTEREST BEARING LIABILITIES (Cont'd):

At 30 June 2003, the Consolidated Entity had committed financing facilities available to it of \$622.6 million (2002: \$628 million) comprising unsecured notes repayable in March 2006, reset preference shares, an unsecured revolving credit facility which expires in April 2004, an unsecured commercial bill standby facility, overdraft facilities and lease facilities.

The notes were issued to institutional investors in the United States of America in March 1999 at a face value of US\$135 million and will mature in March 2006. The notes were registered for trading with the U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission in September 1999 and are unsecured senior debt of the Consolidated Entity. The notes rank equally with all other unsecured senior debt of the Consolidated Entity, are primary obligations of Jupiters Limited and are guaranteed by its operating controlled entities.

The notes were issued in U.S. dollars at a fixed coupon of 8.5% and at a discount of 0.64%. A cross currency interest rate swap agreement has been entered into to convert the principal and coupon into Australian dollars at a fixed rate of 9.0% until March 2004.

The notes are issued under an indenture which sets out specific covenants. The full amount outstanding under the indenture becomes payable in various circumstances detailed in the indenture including if coupon payments are not made when due or when transactions are entered into that would cause certain covenants relating to interest cover to be breached.

1,901,735 reset preference shares ("RPS") were issued on 11 April 2002 at a face value of \$100 each with a coupon of 8.15% per annum. The coupon is payable semi-annually, is cumulative and ranks senior to the payment of ordinary dividends. The RPS have a ten year term with specified terms able to be reset by the Company at the end of year five. Holders of RPS have the ability to request conversion of their securities to ordinary shares in Jupiters Limited and the Company may convert, repurchase such securities or sell them to a third party. Furthermore, the Company may repurchase the securities at the time of reset, maturity or if the coupon ceases to be tax deductible. Holders of RPS generally have no voting rights except in limited circumstances. The rights of holders of RPS are subordinated to all claims except ordinary shareholders. The RPS are quoted for trading on the Australian Stock Exchange. TABCORP Holdings Limited has offered to acquire the RPS (refer Note 29).

The unsecured revolving credit facility is for \$150 million and is provided by a bank syndicate. The average interest rate applicable to amounts drawn under this facility during the financial year was 4.76% (2002: 4.68%).

The full amounts outstanding under the revolving credit facility and the commercial bill facilities become immediately payable (at the lenders' option) in various circumstances detailed in the facility agreements including if repayments are not made when due or certain financial covenants relating to interest cover and gearing levels are breached.

The lease liabilities are secured by the specific assets that are subject to the finance leases that had a carrying value of \$0.2 million at balance date. The implicit interest rates on finance leases range from 5.87% to 6.18%. Refer to Note 21(c) for details on the timing and amount of future lease payments.

In addition to the revolving credit facility, the Consolidated Entity has access to a commercial bill standby facility of \$50 million. \$7 million of this facility has been applied towards a bank guarantee in favour of the State of Queensland in connection with the Company's performance undertakings related to the development of a convention and exhibition centre. A further \$5 million of this facility has been applied towards a bank guarantee in favour of WorkCover Queensland in connection with the Consolidated Entity's self insurance of its Queensland workers' compensation liabilities (refer Notes 1 and 15). The commercial bill standby facility is an unsecured facility that is provided on a revolving basis. To the extent that the amounts owing under the facility are repaid, the facility is available to be redrawn.

The Consolidated Entity also has a working capital facility for the purposes of normal operating activities. That facility includes various electronic banking capabilities, credit card services and minor temporary overdraft limits.

The above facilities are subject to periodic review by the provider and the terms of the facilities may be extended at each review.

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		Con	<u>Consolidated</u>		Company	
17.	OTHER CURRENT LIABILITIES:	2003 <u>\$000</u>	2002 \$000	2003 <u>\$000</u>	2002 <u>\$000</u>	
	Hedge payable - restatement of unsecured notes hedge (refer Notes 1 and 13)	12,326		12,326		
18.	CONTRIBUTED EQUITY:					
	Ordinary Shares					
	Balance at beginning of year	310,457	466,125	310,457	466,125	
	Shares issued – exercise of options Shares issued – consideration for takeover of	67	-	67	-	
	Breakwater Island Trust	2,430	(4.55.550)	2,430	- (4.55 6.50)	
	Shares bought back - 40,011,700 shares Balance at end of year		(155,668)		(155,668)	
	201,784,202 ordinary shares (2002: 201,345,729)	312,954	310,457	312,954	310,457	

Share buy-back

On 11 April 2002 a buy-back was completed of 40,011,700 ordinary shares, representing 16.6% of ordinary shares on issue on that date, under the terms of buy-back agreements approved by shareholders. The total consideration paid for shares bought back plus incidentals was \$183,138,776 being an average cost of \$4.54 per share. In accordance with a private ruling from the Australian Taxation Office, 85% (ie. \$155,667,960) of the total consideration was allocated as a return of share capital and 15% (ie. \$27,470,816) was treated as a fully franked dividend and allocated against retained profits.

Terms and conditions

Holders of ordinary shares are entitled to receive dividends as declared from time to time and are entitled to one vote per share at shareholders' meetings. In the event of winding up of the Company, ordinary shareholders rank after all other shareholders and creditors and are fully entitled to any proceeds of liquidation. TABCORP Holdings Limited has offered to acquire the issued ordinary shares (refer Note 29).

During the previous year, reset preference shares were issued and are classified as interest bearing liabilities (refer Note 16).

19. OUTSIDE EQUITY INTEREST:

At 30 June 2002, the outside equity interest in the Consolidated Entity's retained profits was \$5,071,000 and in the Consolidated Entity's contributed equity was \$26,287,000 (total: \$31,358,000).

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2003	2002	2003	2002
\$000	\$000	\$000	\$000

20. NOTES TO THE STATEMENTS OF CASHFLOWS:

- (a) For the purposes of the Statements of Cash Flows, cash includes cash on hand and in banks and investments in money market instruments, net of outstanding bank overdrafts. Investments in money market instruments mature within approximately 30 days and had an average yield of 4.70% (2002: 4.65%).
- (b) Reconciliation of net cash provided by operating activities to net profit before outside equity interest.

Net profit before outside equity interest	59,068	78,789	91,382	74,667
Depreciation of property, plant and equipment	43,688	39,873	27,819	22,845
(Profit)/loss on sale of plant and equipment	(14)	144	(32)	151
Amortisation of other non-current	, ,		· ·	
assets	10,280	14,549	2,468	6,701
Dividends through intercompany loan				
accounts	-	-	(51,931)	(13,995)
Decrease/(increase) in assets	(5,193)	38,788	(1,956)	7,133
Increase/(decrease) in liabilities	(1,082)	(15,370)	1,043	6,548
Decrease in income tax provisions and deferred				
tax balances	(21,186)	(20,583)	(16,914)	(19,598)
Net cash provided by operating activities	85,561	136,190	51,879	84,452

- (c) Details of the Consolidated Entity's financing facilities are included in Note 16.
- (d) In December 2002, the Consolidated Entity increased its controlling interest of Breakwater Island Trust from 47.5% to 100%. The cash consideration paid including acquisition costs totalled \$26.6 million. Assets acquired included current assets, property, plant and equipment totalling \$64.5 million, offset by current and non current liabilities acquired totalling \$8.1 million. The resulting discount on acquisition was \$0.6 million. Shares to the value of \$2.4 million (423,723 Jupiters Limited ordinary shares) were issued as part of the consideration.

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		Conso	Consolidated		Company	
21.	COMMITMENTS:	2003 <u>\$000</u>	2002 <u>\$000</u>	2003 <u>\$000</u>	2002 <u>\$000</u>	
	(a) Capital Expenditure Commitments At 30 June 2003, orders had been placed for the completion of building works and purchase of furniture and equipment amounting to \$14.1 million (2002: \$15 million) and are payable within one year.	f l				
	The Company has entered into an agreement with the Queensland Government to develop the State funded Gold Coast Convention & Exhibition Centre.	e				
	(b) Non-cancellable Operating Leases Future non-cancellable operating leases no provided for in the financial report are payable as follows:					
	Not later than one year Later than one year but not later than five years Later than five years	6,181 8,861 73,200	6,383 12,401 74,400	3,200 4,800 73,200	3,200 6,800 74,400	
		88,242	93,184	81,200	84,400	
	(c) Finance Leases Finance lease expenditure is payable as follows:					
	Not later than one year Later than one year but not later than five years	356	1,919 356	356	1,919 356	
	Future finance charges	356 (9)	2,275 (101)	356 (9)	2,275 (101)	
	Net finance lease liability	347	2,174	347	2,174	
	Reconciled to: Current liability Non-current liability	347	1,827 347	347	1,827 347	

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Total lease liability (Note 16)

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22. REMUNERATION OF DIRECTORS AND EXECUTIVE OFFICERS:

		Cons	Consolidated		Company	
		<u>2003</u>	<u>2002</u>	<u>2003</u>	<u>2002</u>	
(a)	Directors' remuneration					
	The numbers of Directors of the Company who were paid, or were due to be paid, income directly or indirectly from the Company or any related party, as shown in the following bands, were: \[\begin{align*} 0 & - & \q			- - - 1 - 2 1	1 1 2 1 - 1 1 1	
	\$ 1,210,000 - \$ 1,219,999			1	-	
	The aggregate income of the Directors referred to above:			\$1,755,332	\$1,788,355	
	The total of all income paid or payable, directly or indirectly, from the respective entities of which they are a Director, or from any related party, to all the Directors of each entity in the Consolidated Entity was \$1,901,096 (2002: \$1,842,355).					
(b)	Executive officers' remuneration Number of executive officers whose remuneration was within the following bands:					
	\$ 410,000 - \$ 419,999 \$ 420,000	1	- 1	1	- 1	
	\$ 420,000 - \$ 429,999 \$ 540,000 - \$ 549,999	-	1	-	1	
	\$ 550,000 - \$ 559,999	1	-	1	-	
	\$ 570,000 - \$ 579,999	-	1	-	1	
	\$ 610,000 - \$ 619,999	1	-	1	-	
	The aggregate income of the executives referred to above:	\$1,589,188	\$1,532,776	\$1,589,188	\$1,532,776	

In addition, under management agreements for the operation of Conrad Jupiters and Conrad Treasury, the Operator provides services through executive employees of the Operator.

Directors and executive officers' income does not include insurance premiums paid by the Consolidated Entity in respect of Directors' and Officers' liabilities insurance contracts, as the insurance policies do not specify premiums paid in respect of individual executives.

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22. REMUNERATION OF DIRECTORS AND EXECUTIVE OFFICERS (Cont'd):

(c) Executive Share Option Plan

An executive share option plan permitted full time and permanent part time employees of the Consolidated Entity to be issued with options over the unissued ordinary shares of Jupiters Limited. The options are issued for a term of 10 years and are exercisable beginning on the third anniversary of the date of grant. The options cannot be transferred and are not quoted on the Australian Stock Exchange. The percentage of options which can be exercised will be determined by the Company's performance as measured by Total Shareholder Return ("TSR") relative to the TSR's of the individual companies in a peer group. TSR is calculated according to a formula based on a combination of share price appreciation and dividends. The peer group comprises 50 listed industrial companies nearest in size to Jupiters Limited (25 on either side) in terms of market capitalisation of ordinary shares, excluding companies whose sole activity or business is that of funds management, investment, trusteeship or internet business. After three years have elapsed from the date of issue of the options, 50% of the options vest in the relevant employee and may be exercised where TSR equals the TSR of 55% of the companies in the peer group. An additional 2% of the options vest and may be exercised for each percentage point exceeding the TSR of 55% of companies in the peer group. 100% of the options vest and may be exercised where TSR equals or exceeds the TSR of 80% of companies in the peer group. Univested options lapse.

The options were valued at \$1.13 on average on the initial grant date based on a calculation using the internationally accepted Black Scholes option pricing methodology performed by an independent specialist. However, the percentage of options which can be exercised will be determined by the Company's performance as measured by Total Shareholder Return ("TSR") relative to the TSR's of the individual companies in a peer group. TABCORP Holdings Limited has offered to acquire all outstanding options (refer Note 29).

For the purposes of valuing income of Directors and Executive Officers in Note 22(a) and 22 (b) above, a pro rata portion of the full options valuation determined at the initial grant date has been allocated to the year ended 30 June 2003 (one third). Comparatives have been restated for consistency. These allocations of option values have not been expensed in the Statements of Financial Performance.

There were no options granted during the year. 75,250 options were forfeited during the year and 14,750 options were exercised. The closing balance of options on issue at 30 June 2003 was 1,570,000. The market value of the Company's ordinary shares at 30 June 2003 was \$6.41 each.

23. RELATED PARTIES:

The names of the Directors of Jupiters Limited holding office during the year were:

Mr L.J. Willett, AO - Chairman

Mr R.A. Hines - Managing Director

Sir F. Moore, AO - Director
Ms P. Morris, AM - Director
Mr J.D. Story - Director

Mr J.D. Story is a Partner of Corrs Chambers Westgarth, the Consolidated Entity's solicitors. During the year amounts were paid or are payable to the solicitors, representing legal fees incurred on a normal commercial basis and amounted to \$3,311,040 (2002: \$2,525,312). Of this amount \$502,871 (2002: \$132,435) was owing at 30 June 2003.

Mr J. D. Story is Chairman of the committee established to oversee the sale of the business of Centrebet Pty Ltd. As compensation for his services to this committee, Mr Story will receive \$10,000 at the earliest of the completion of the sale or 19 December 2003.

Ms P. Morris is Chairman of the committee established to oversee due diligence in respect of the merger with TABCORP Holdings Limited. Ms Morris will receive \$25,000 at the earliest of the completion of the merger or 19 December 2003.

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23. RELATED PARTIES (Cont'd):

The Company entered into the following transactions during the year with related parties in the wholly owned group:

- . loans were advanced and repayments received on intercompany accounts;
- . gaming technology and related services were provided;
- . royalties were paid in respect of the keno rights held by Breakwater Island Trust;
- . keno agency commissions were paid to Breakwater Island Trust; and
- . management fees were paid by Breakwater Island Trust.

A \$20 million loan advanced by Jupiters Limited to a controlled entity in a prior period has no fixed term and attracts interest of 9.0% per annum. All other loans were provided interest free with no fixed terms. The other transactions within the wholly owned group were conducted on commercial terms and conditions.

Apart from the details disclosed in these financial reports, no Director has entered into a material contract with the Company or the Consolidated Entity since the end of the previous financial year and there were no contracts involving Directors' interests existing at year end.

The following table shows the interests of Directors in the Company's ordinary shares as at 30 June 2003 and the movements in any such holdings since 1 July 2002.

	<u>2003</u>	<u>2002</u>
Directors:		
Opening balance	114,330	206,973
Purchases	326	34,962
Retirement of Director		(127,605)
Closing balance	114,656	114,330

Directors also hold 530 Reset Preference Shares.

Details of other related party transactions are referred to in Notes 22 and 24.

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24. CONTROLLED ENTITIES:

Investment in Controlled Entities:

Entity	<u>Note</u>	Class of Equity	Ownership		
			2003	2002	
			%	%	
Jupiters Trust		Units	100	100	
Breakwater Island Trust		Units	100	48	
Breakwater Island Limited		Ord. Shares	100	100	
Jupiters Custodian Pty Ltd		Ord. Shares	100	100	
Jupiters Gaming Pty Ltd		Ord. Shares	100	100	
Jupiters Machine Gaming Pty Ltd		Ord. Shares	100	100	
Centrebet Pty Ltd		Ord. Shares	100	100	
Jupiters Internet Gaming Pty Ltd		Ord. Shares	100	100	
jupiters.com Pty Ltd		Ord. Shares	100	100	
AWA Limited	(a)	Ord. Shares	100	100	
Jupiters International Pty Ltd	(a)	Ord. Shares	100	100	
AWA Wagering Systems Pty Ltd	(a)	Ord. Shares	100	100	
ATL Pty Ltd	(a)	A,B & Pref.	100	100	
AWA Research and Development Pty Ltd	(a)	Ord. Shares	100	100	
AWA Research Marketing Pty Ltd	(a)	Ord. Shares	100	100	
AWA Gaming Services Pty Ltd	(a)	Ord. Shares	100	100	
AWA Infosec Pty Ltd	(a)	Ord. Shares	100	100	
AWA Infosec Trust	(4)	Units	100	100	
Jupiters Gaming (NSW) Pty Ltd		Ord. Shares	100	100	
(formerly Club Gaming Systems Pty Ltd)		Old. Shares	100	100	
Club Gaming Systems (Holdings) Pty Ltd		Ord. Shares	100	100	
The CGS Trust		Units	100	100	
Palatron Pty Ltd	(0)	Ord. Shares	100	100	
•	(a)	Ord. Shares	100		
Syndicate (Co.1) Pty Ltd	(a)			100	
AWA Enterprises Pty Ltd	(a)	Ord. Shares	100	100	
AWA Enterprises Trust	(-)	Units	100	100	
AWA Investor (No.2) Pty Ltd	(a)	Ord. Shares	100	100	
AWA Investor (No.4) Pty Ltd	(a)	Ord. Shares	100	100	
AWA Investor (No.5) Pty Ltd	(a)	Ord. Shares	100	100	
AWA Investor (No.6) Pty Ltd	(a)	Ord. Shares	100	100	
AWA Gaming Machines Pty Ltd	(a)	Ord. Shares	100	100	
AWA Microelectronics Pty Ltd		Ord. Shares	100	89	
AWA New Media Pty Ltd		Ord. Shares	100	100	
Hotel Gaming Systems Pty Ltd		Ord. Shares	100	100	
Sunshinelink Pty Ltd		Ord. Shares	100	100	
Radcoy (No.1) Limited		Ord. Shares	100	100	
Expanse Electronics Limited		Ord. Shares	100	100	
Millers Mechanical Equipment (NZ) Limited		Ord. Shares	100	100	
Penchant Pty Ltd		Ord. & Pref. Shares	100	100	
Macquarie Syndication (No.1) Pty Ltd		Ord. & Pref. Shares	100	100	
Jupiters UK Limited		Ord. Shares	100	100	
A.C.N. 082 231 383 Pty Ltd		Ord. Shares	100	100	
(formerly Jupiters Gaming (NSW) Pty Ltd)					
Centrebet Limited		Ord. Shares	100	-	
AWA Technology & Environmental Services Pty Ltd		Ord. Shares	100	-	

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24. CONTROLLED ENTITIES (Cont'd):

Notes:

- (a) These companies are parties to a Deed of Cross Guarantee under which each company guarantees the debts of the others. By entering into the deed, the wholly owned entities have been relieved from the requirements to prepare a financial report and Directors' Report under Class Order 98/1418 (as amended by Class Order 98/2017) issued by the Australian Securities and Investments Commission. These companies represent a "Closed Group" for the purposes of the Class Order and as there are no other parties to the Deed of Cross Guarantee that are controlled by AWA Limited, they also represent the "Extended Closed Group".
- (b) All controlled entities are incorporated in Australia except for Expanse Electronics Limited and Millers Mechanical Equipment (NZ) Limited which are incorporated in New Zealand and Centrebet Limited and Jupiters UK Limited which are incorporated in the United Kingdom.

(c) The ultimate controlling entity of the Consolidated Entity is Jupiters Limited	l. Year Ended 30 June 2003 <u>\$000</u>	Year Ended 30 June 2002 \$000
Statement of Financial Performance of the Closed Group:		
Revenue from ordinary activities:		
Gaming equipment sales and technology services	45,738	41,638
Trust distribution	9,959	10,200
Other revenue	677	123
Total revenue from ordinary activities	56,374	51,961
Cost of goods sold	(1,424)	(1,983)
Employee related expenses	(22,064)	(17,381)
Depreciation and amortisation expense	(1,248)	(683)
Other expenses from ordinary activities	(21,801)	(22,799)
Profit from ordinary activities	9,837	9,115
Income tax expense	(2,335)	(568)
Net profit	7,502	8,547
	As at	As at
	30 June 2003 <u>\$000</u>	30 June 2002 <u>\$000</u>
Statement of Financial Position of the Closed Group:		
Total current assets	57,949	53,895
Total non-current assets	8,773	8,925
Total assets	66,722	62,820
Total current liabilities	11,543	10,966
Total non-current liabilities	50	4,268
Total liabilities	11,593	15,234
Net assets	55,129	47,586
Contributed equity	42,931	42,931
Retained earnings/(accumulated losses)	12,198	4,655
Total equity	55,129	47,586

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25. SUPERANNUATION COMMITMENTS:

The Consolidated Entity contributed in respect of employees to the Jupiters Limited Superannuation Fund, Host Plus Queensland Pty Ltd trading as Host Super, Sunsuper Superannuation Fund, Superannuation Trust of Australia, MLC Employee Retirement Plan, CARE Superannuation Plan and JUST Super.

All funds provide lump sum accumulation type benefits payable on retirement, early retirement, death, disablement and resignation.

Beyond the agreed contributions to the various funds, Jupiters Limited has no financial commitment to the funds.

At 30 June 2003 Jupiters Limited Superannuation Fund had sufficient net assets to satisfy all benefits that would have been vested in the event of termination of the fund, voluntary termination of employment of all members and compulsory termination of the employment of all members.

The Company self-funds retirement benefits for 4 non-executive Directors (2002: 4). During the year ended 30 June 2003, a provision of \$105,000 (2002: \$117,500) was made in this regard. A controlled entity (Breakwater Island Limited) also self-funds retirement benefits for all of its Directors. During the year a provision of \$237,377 (2002: \$296,646) was made in this regard.

26. SEGMENT INFORMATION:

(a) Segment Reporting

Inter-segment pricing is determined on the basis of cost or cost plus a mark up of 10% to 30%. Segment results, assets and liabilities include items directly attributable to a segment as well as those that can be allocated on a reasonable basis. Unallocated items mainly comprise income-earning assets and related revenue, borrowings and related expenses and goodwill and related amortisation. Segment capital expenditure is the total cost incurred during the year to acquire segment assets.

(b) Business Segments

The Consolidated Entity comprises the following business segments, based on the Consolidated Entity's management reporting system.

Land Based Operations

Comprises hotel and casino operations at Hotel Conrad and Jupiters Casino (Gold Coast), Hotel Conrad and Treasury Casino (Brisbane) and Jupiters Townsville Hotel and Casino and Breakwater Marina (Townsville).

Wide-Area Operations

Comprises keno operations in Queensland and New South Wales and gaming machine monitoring and related activities in Queensland.

Technology Operations

Comprises national gaming and information technology service provider AWA Technology Services and Jupiters Technology.

Sportsbetting Operations

Comprises Centrebet sportsbetting business.

(c) Geographical Segment

The Consolidated Entity's business segments operate predominantly in one geographical segment, Australia.

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26. SEGMENT INFORMATION (Cont'd):

	Land Based	Wide-Area	Technology	Sports- betting	Net Interest	Unallocated	Eliminations	Consolidated
Business Segments	\$000	\$000	\$000	\$000	\$000	\$000	\$000	\$000
2003								
Revenue								
External sales	599,241	122,861	30,301	30,818	1,790	2,701	-	787,712
Intersegment revenue	838		26,846			51,931	(79,615)	
Total segment revenue	600,079	122,861	57,147	30,818	1,790	54,632	(79,615)	787,712
Result								
Segment result	111,615	33,383	2,726	5,799	(35,685)	(22,055)	(6,702)	89,081
Income tax expense								(30,013)
Net profit - before outside equity interests								59,068
Net profit - attributable to outside equity interests								(549)
Net profit - attributable to members of the Company								58,519
Assets								
Segment assets	902,806	46,309	20,367	30,765	-	718,807	(666,638)	1,052,416
Liabilities								
Segment liabilities	59,299	17,336	8,643	14,355	-	537,390	(63,571)	573,452
Other Information								
Acquisition of property, plant and equipment and intangible assets	46,851	7,761	2,430	6,773		477		64,292
Depreciation and amortisation	29,693	10,873	1,354	4,134	-	11,018	(3,104)	53,968

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26. SEGMENT INFORMATION (Cont'd):

Business Segments	Land Based \$000	Wide-Area \$000	Technology \$000	Sports- betting \$000	Net Interest \$000	Unallocated \$000	Eliminations \$000	Consolidated \$000
2002								
Revenue	607 500	117 010	21.072	20.417	2 926	6 416		706 072
External sales	607,529	117,812	31,273	30,417	2,826	6,416	(27.449)	796,273
Intersegment revenue	795		22,907	<u>-</u>		13,746	(37,448)	<u> </u>
Total segment revenue	608,324	117,812	54,180	30,417	2,826	20,162	(37,448)	796,273
Result								
Segment result	142,103	25,306	(1,884)	11,631	(27,524)	(12,467)	(11,860)	125,305
					<u> </u>			
Income tax expense								(46,516)
<u>-</u>								
Net profit - before outside equity interests								78,789
Net profit - attributable to outside equity interests								(720)
Net profit - attributable to members of the Company								78,069
Assets								
Segment assets	908,587	46,789	14,956	30,820	•	652,678	(586,499)	1,067,331
Liabilities								
Segment liabilities	60,356	17,889	8,552	15,081	•	491,824	4,222	597,924
Other Information								
Acquisition of property, plant and equipment and intangible assets	35,531	2,787	579	4,118	-	3,708	-	46,723
Depreciation and amortisation	26,969	13,972	851	3,109	•	13,393	(3,872)	54,422

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27. FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS:

(a) Objectives for Holding Derivative Financial Instruments

The Consolidated Entity uses derivative financial instruments to manage its exposure to the risk of movement in interest rates and foreign currency on long term borrowings. In this regard, the Consolidated Entity has entered into a cross currency interest rate swap agreement (refer Note 16).

(b) Interest Rate Risk Exposures

The Consolidated Entity is exposed to interest rate risk through primary financial assets and liabilities, modified through derivative financial instruments such as interest rate swaps and offset agreements. The following tables summarise interest rate risk for the Consolidated Entity, together with effective interest rates as at balance date.

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27. FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS (Cont'd):

(b) Interest Rate Risk Exposures (Cont'd)

2003			Fixed Interestate Maturing					
	Floating Interest Rate (i)	1 Year or less	Over 1 to 5 Years	More than 5 Years	Non- Interest Bearing	Total	Aver Interes	_
	\$000	\$000	\$000	\$000	\$000	\$000	Floating %	Fixed %
Financial Assets								
Cash	77,933	-	-	-	_	77,933	4.69%	-
Trade debtors (net)	-	-	-	-	18,791	18,791	-	-
Financial Liabilities								
Trade creditors	_	_	_	_	33,947	33,947	_	_
Finance lease liabilities	_	347	-	_	· -	347	-	5.98%
Unsecured notes (ii)	-	-	202,096	-	-	202,096	-	8.5%
Hedge payable - restatement of								
unsecured notes hedge (ii)	-	12,326	-	-	-	12,326	-	-
Unsecured commercial bills	=	45,000	-	-	-	45,000	-	5.59%
Reset preference shares	-	-	-	190,174	-	190,174	-	8.15%
Net Financial Assets/(Liabilities)	77,933	(57,673)	(202,096)	(190,174)	(15,156)	(387,166)		

2002	Fixed Interest Rate Maturing in							
	Floating Interest Rate (i)	1 Year or less	Over 1 to 5 Years	More than 5 Years	Non- Interest Bearing	Total	Aver Interes	_
	\$000	\$000	\$000	\$000	\$000	\$000	Floating %	Fixed %
Financial Assets								
Cash	80,301	-	-	-	-	80,301	4.66%	-
Bills of exchange	-	5,000	-	-	-	5,000	-	4.65%
Trade debtors (net)	-	-	-	-	13,029	13,029	-	-
Hedge receivable - restatement of								
unsecured notes hedge (ii)	-	-	24,052	-	-	24,052	-	-
Financial Liabilities								
Trade creditors	_	-	-	-	31,340	31,340	-	_
Finance lease liabilities	_	1,827	347	_	_	2,174	_	6.26%
Unsecured notes (ii)	_	´ -	238,474	_	-	238,474	_	8.50%
Reset preference shares	_	_	-	190,174	-	190,174	-	8.15%
Bill facilities	-	-	2,700	-	-	2,700	-	5.80%
Net Financial Assets/(Liabilities)	80,301	3,173	(217,469)	(190,174)	(18,311)	(342,480)		

- (i) Floating interest rates represent the most recently determined rate applicable to the instrument at balance date.
- (ii) A cross currency interest rate swap converts the entire principal and coupon of the unsecured notes into Australian dollars at a fixed rate of interest until March 2004 net of the restatement of the unsecured notes (refer Notes 13 and 17).

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AT 30 JUNE 2003

27. FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS (Cont'd):

(c) Credit Risk Exposures

Credit exposure represents the extent of credit related losses that the Consolidated Entity may be subject to on amounts to be exchanged under the cross currency interest rate swap agreement or to be received from financial assets. The Consolidated Entity, whilst exposed to credit related losses in the event of non-performance by the counterparty to the cross currency interest rate swap agreement, does not expect the counterparty to fail to meet its obligations given its high credit rating. Receivables due from major counterparties are not normally secured by collateral, however, the creditworthiness of counterparties is regularly monitored.

The Consolidated Entity's exposures to items on the statement of financial position credit risk are as indicated by the carrying amounts of its financial assets.

The major geographic concentrations of credit risk arise from the location of the counterparties to the Consolidated Entity's financial assets as shown in the following table.

Location of Credit Risk - Net Trade Debtors	Consoli	<u>dated</u>
	2003 <u>\$000</u>	2002 <u>\$000</u>
Australia Asia Other	12,458 6,122 211	11,186 1,504 339
Net Trade Debtors (Note 8)	18,791	13,029

(d) Net Fair Value of Financial Assets and Liabilities

The carrying amounts of financial assets and liabilities approximate their estimated fair values except as noted below. The net fair value of a financial asset or a financial liability is the amount at which the asset could be exchanged, or liability settled in current transactions between willing parties after allowing for transaction costs. The net fair value of the cross currency interest rate swap at 30 June 2003 is estimated to be \$3.0 million and represents the net amount receivable if the derivative was terminated at that date (2002: \$10.8 million receivable) (refer Note 13).

The net fair value of the reset preference shares at 30 June 2003 is \$107.20 per share (2002: \$103.45) as determined by the closing value on the Australian Stock Exchange at that date (including accrued interest) (refer Note 16).

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28. DISCONTINUING OPERATION:

On 5 March 2003, the Board of Directors decided to divest the sportsbetting business trading as Centrebet. The business is expected to be divested in the year ending 30 June 2004. The business to be divested comprises the entire sportsbetting business segment described in Note 26.

	2003 <u>\$000</u>	2002 <u>\$000</u>
The financial performance of Centrebet for the year ended 30 June 2003 is as follows:		
Revenues from ordinary activities Expenses from ordinary activities Profit before income tax expense Income tax expense relating to ordinary activities Profit from ordinary activities after income tax expense The carrying amounts of total assets to be disposed of and total liabilities to be	31,349 (25,187) 6,162 (2,880) 3,282	31,206 (18,866) 12,340 (4,785) 7,555
settled as at 30 June 2003 are as follows:		
Total assets Total liabilities Net assets	31,172 31,085 87	31,433 31,433
The net cashflows attributable to Centrebet for the year ended 30 June 2003 are as follows:		
Operating Investing Financing	6,255 (6,187) (3,917)	14,193 (6,218) (9,133)
Net cash outflows	(3,849)	(1,158)

29. MERGER WITH TABCORP HOLDINGS LIMITED:

On 5 March 2003, the Company and TABCORP Holdings Limited announced a proposal to merge pursuant to schemes of arrangement under the Corporations Act (2001).

On 12 June 2003, the Company and TABCORP Holdings Limited entered into an agreement to implement the merger, following the conduct by each party of detailed due diligence on the other party.

The proposed merger is to be implemented by way of schemes of arrangement, requiring meetings of the Company's ordinary shareholders, reset preference shareholders and option holders which are scheduled to be held on 24 October 2003. The meetings are to be convened by the Supreme Court of Queensland. The merger also requires the approval of the Queensland State Government.

If the merger proceeds, the Company will become a controlled entity of TABCORP Holdings Limited.

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29. MERGER WITH TABCORP HOLDINGS LIMITED (Cont):

The consideration offered by TABCORP Holdings Limited to holders of ordinary shares in the Company is as follows:

For every 100 Jupiters ordinary shares held, it is proposed that Jupiters' ordinary shareholders will receive:

- \$285 in cash;
- 24 TABCORP Holdings Limited shares;
- a special dividend, being a total of \$75 (fully franked); and
- after tax net proceeds from the sale of the Company's sportsbetting business, Centrebet .

The form of payment of the consideration may vary depending on tax rulings which have been requested from the Australian Taxation Office. In addition, the Company's ordinary shareholders can elect to receive all cash or all TABCORP Holdings Limited shares as consideration, however both the cash and shares are subject to a cap.

TABCORP Holdings Limited has also offered consideration to reset preference shareholders consisting of \$105.26 for each reset preference share held, plus any accrued dividends.

TABCORP Holdings Limited has offered cash consideration to option holders of \$2.07 per option for those expiring in August 2011 and \$2.14 for those expiring in November 2011.

If the proposed merger does not proceed, the Company has agreed to pay up to \$12.2 million of merger related costs incurred by TABCORP Holdings Limited. Similarly, TABCORP Holdings Limited has agreed to pay up to \$7.5 million of merger related costs incurred by the Company.

During the year ended 30 June 2003, the Company incurred costs totalling \$4.0 million in relation to the merger. These costs have been expensed in the Statement of Financial Performance.

30. EVENTS SUBSEQUENT TO BALANCE DATE:

On 12 August 2003, the Directors of Jupiters Limited declared a final dividend on ordinary shares in respect of the 2003 financial year. The total amount of the dividend is \$24,214,104 which represents a fully franked dividend of 12 cents per share. The dividend has not been provided for in the 30 June 2003 financial statements.

JUPITERS LIMITED A.C.N. 010 741 045 AND ITS CONTROLLED ENTITIES

DIRECTORS' DECLARATION

The Directors declare that:

- (a) the financial statements and associated notes comply with the Accounting Standards and Corporations Regulations (2001);
- (b) the financial statements and associated notes give a true and fair view of the financial position as at 30 June 2003 and performance of the Company and Consolidated Entity for the year then ended; and
- (c) in the Directors' opinion:

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- (i) there are reasonable grounds to believe that the Company will be able to pay its debts as and when they become due and payable, and the entities who are party to the deed described in Note 24, will together be able to meet any obligations or liabilities to which they are, or may become subject to by virtue of the Deed of Cross Guarantee dated 12 June 1992; and
- (ii) the financial statements and notes are in accordance with the Corporations Act (2001), including sections 296 and 297.

Made in accordance with a resolution of Directors.

L.J. WILLETT

Chairman

R.A. HINES
Managing Director

Brisbane 12 August 2003



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Independent Audit Report to members of Jupiters Limited

Scope

The financial report and directors' responsibility

The financial report comprises the statement of financial position, statement of financial performance, statement of cash flows, accompanying notes to the financial statements, and the directors' declaration for Jupiters Limited (the company) and the consolidated entity, for the year ended 30 June 2003. The consolidated entity comprises both the company and the entities it controlled during that year.

The directors of the company are responsible for preparing a financial report that gives a true and fair view of the financial position and performance of the company and the consolidated entity, and that complies with Accounting Standards in Australia, in accordance with the *Corporations Act 2001*. This includes responsibility for the maintenance of adequate accounting records and internal controls that are designed to prevent and detect fraud and error, and for the accounting policies and accounting estimates inherent in the financial report.

Audit approach

We conducted an independent audit of the financial report in order to express an opinion on it to the members of the company. Our audit was conducted in accordance with Australian Auditing Standards in order to provide reasonable assurance as to whether the financial report is free of material misstatement. The nature of an audit is influenced by factors such as the use of professional judgement, selective testing, the inherent limitations of internal control, and the availability of persuasive rather than conclusive evidence. Therefore, an audit cannot guarantee that all material misstatements have been detected.

We performed procedures to assess whether in all material respects the financial report presents fairly, in accordance with the *Corporations Act 2001*, including compliance with Accounting Standards in Australia, and other mandatory financial reporting requirements in Australia, a view which is consistent with our understanding of the company's and the consolidated entity's financial position, and of their performance as represented by the results of their operations and cash flows.

We formed our audit opinion on the basis of these procedures, which included:

- examining, on a test basis, information to provide evidence supporting the amounts and disclosures in the financial report, and
- assessing the appropriateness of the accounting policies and disclosures used and the reasonableness of significant accounting estimates made by the directors.

While we considered the effectiveness of management's internal controls over financial reporting when determining the nature and extent of our procedures, our audit was not designed to provide assurance on internal controls.



We performed procedures to assess whether the substance of business transactions was accurately reflected in the financial report. These and our other procedures did not include consideration or judgment of the appropriateness or reasonableness of the business plans or strategies adopted by the directors and management of the company.

Independence

We are independent of the company, and have met the independence requirements of Australian professional ethical pronouncements and the *Corporations Act 2001*. In addition to our audit of the financial report, we were engaged to undertake the services disclosed in the notes to the financial statements. The provision of these services has not impaired our independence.

Audit opinion

In our opinion, the financial report of Jupiters Limited is in accordance with:

- (a) the Corporations Act 2001, including:
 - (i) giving a true and fair view of the financial position of Jupiters Limited and the consolidated entity at 30 June 2003 and of their performance for the year ended on that date; and
 - (ii) complying with Accounting Standards in Australia and the *Corporations Regulations 2001*; and
- (b) other mandatory financial reporting requirements in Australia.

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Partner Brisbane

12 August 2003