

Talent2 International Limited

Australia's Leading Human Resource Solutions, Recruitment and Technology Company

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High Profile Branding





Company Profile and Fact Note

Summary Stats

ASX Code	TWO	No. Shares	120 m	М.сар	\$ 360m
Share Price	\$3.00	Net Cash	\$ 9.8 m		
GICS sector	Software & Services	Listed	Feb 2000 ¹		

		Gross		EBITDA Margin on Gross	Reported		Adjusted (Amortisation & Tax adj.)	
	Revenue \$m	Profit \$m	EBITDA \$m	Profit %	NPAT \$m	EPS c	NPAT \$m	EPS c
2005 a.	60.3	43.6	5.8	13.7%	4.9	5.1c	3.4	3.6c
2006 a.	99.6	71.8	10.0	14.0%	3.7	3.3c	5.7	5.1c
2007 a.	153.4	98.0	15.7	16.0%	6.8	5.7c	9.0	7.6c

Talent2 is Asia Pacific's leading human resources solutions, recruitment and technology company. Talent2 currently operates through three divisions in nine countries. The divisions are:

Executive Recruitment	Search and recruitment operations launched in December 2003		
Managed Services	Managed services whereby clients use Talent2's systems and services either within their operations or on a full outsourced basis		
Technology	Human Resource software systems the company has sold and supported for over 20 years (previously known as Concept)		

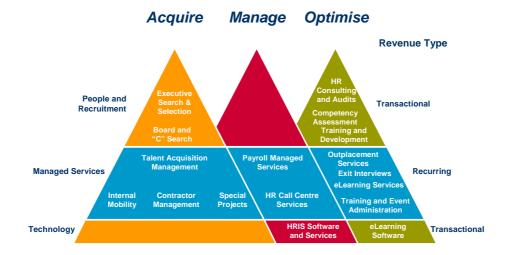
Talent2 is differentiated from other listed Australian HR companies as follows:

- Breadth of Services Talent2 offers a full HR service including Executive Search, Executive Recruitment, Payroll management, Learning services, HR Consulting and many other HR services either through traditional models or through a fully managed service offering
- > Geography Talent2 services are offered in Australia, New Zealand, throughout Asia, and the UK
- A track record of success as Talent2, and previously as the founding team of Morgan & Banks (see below)

1. Concept Systems International Limited, which changed its name to Talent2 in June 2004



Business Model



Key Trends

Two key mega trends underpin the Talent2 business model:

- Organisations are discovering that effective human capital practices provide better returns to shareholders substantially in excess of companies which have weak human capital practices. Talent2 delivers improved human capital practices for its customers.
- One of the strongest-growing markets in HR is HR outsourcing, estimated to be more than US\$100B worldwide. Talent2 Managed Services business has the technology and skills today to take advantage of this trend.

Customers

The company is exposed to a number of different industries and companies. However, no one client accounts for more than 2% of Revenue. Recent new clients include:





Brief History

A calendar of the main events in the company's history is outlined at the end of this note. The key components of the story are as follows:

- The HR payroll and software company Concept Systems was established in 1985 and undertook a listing on the ASX in early 2000.
- > In April 2002, Morgan & Banks Investments (MBI), a private company associated with Andrew Banks and Geoff Morgan, acquired a substantial shareholding in Concept.
- In 2003, Concept announced that it would acquire a newly established HR business from MBI and associated interests in return for shares in Concept. The business was initially called MB2 but later renamed Talent2. Following the acquisition, effective 29 September 2003, MBI's interest in Concept increased to an effective holding of 45% [which has since declined to 30%]. At the same time, Andrew Banks became Managing Director and Geoff Morgan moved on to the board.
- In May 2004, at an EGM, the group changed its name from Concept Systems to Talent2 International (adopting the name of the subsidiary). The ASX code changed to TWO (from CSI), effective 1 June 2004.

Morgan & Banks – a Precursor to Talent2

- > Geoff Morgan and Andrew Banks established Morgan & Banks in 1985 and later sold it to Select plc in UK for A\$38.3m, before buying it back in 1991 for A\$2.6m.
- In 1994, Morgan & Banks Limited (MBL) listed on ASX with market capitalisation of \$33m, 250 staff and 200 contractors. In 1998, MBL was bought by TMP for \$380m, MBL having at the time revenue of \$330m, EBITDA of \$25.5m and NPAT of \$11.2m. From 1993-1998 MBL's compound annual growth rates for revenue and EBITDA were 46% and 35%, respectively.

Board and Senior Management

The board and senior management of Talent2 are listed below.

Board	Senior Management
Ken Allen, Chairman	John Rawlinson, Chief Executive Officer
Mary Beth Bauer, Deputy Chairman	Martin Brooke, Chief Financial Officer
Andrew Banks, Managing Director	Paul Jury, General Manager, Recruitment
Geoffrey Morgan, Non-executive Director	Eileen Aitken, General Manager, Technology
Brian Gibson, Non-executive Director	Michael Bermeister, Company Secretary
Hans Neilson, Non-executive Director	
Albert (Bud) Hawk, Non-executive Director	



2007 Interim Results

The company reported its 2007 preliminary final results on 14 August 2007. The main highlights were:

- > Strong organic growth, with Revenue up 54% and net profit after tax up 82%
- One of the main engines of future growth, the Managed Services (or HR Outsourcing) division increased Revenue by 78% generating EBITDA profits of 7% of Revenue.
- > Cash generation was strong, and the company announced a 3.5c dividend.

Financial Performance

		2006			2007	
A\$ (except EPS data)	1st Half	2nd Half	Year	1st Half	2nd Half	Year
Revenue	45.2m	54.4m	99.6m	64.8m	88.6m	153.4m
EBITDA	4.4m	5.6m	10.0m	6.5m	9.2m	15.7m
EBITDA per share ¢	4.0¢	4.9¢	8.9¢	5.5¢	7.7¢	13.2¢
Depreciation and Amortisation	2.5m	2.7m	5.2m	2.7m	3.4m	6.1m
Of which: Amortisation of acquired intangible assets	1.4m	1.5m	2.9m	1.5m	1.6m	3.1m
EBIT	1.9m	2.9m	4.8m	3.8m	5.8m	9.6m
Interest	0.2m	0.2m	0.4m	0.2m	0.0m	0.2m
Profit before tax	2.1m	3.1m	5.2m	4.0m	5.8m	9.8m
Tax operating	(0.6m)	(0.9m)	(1.5m)	(1.4m)	(1.6m)	(3.0m)
Tax rate %	30%	28%	28%	34%	28%	31%
Reported profit after tax	1.5m	2.2m	3.7m	2.6m	4.2m	6.8m
Reported EPS ¢	1.4¢	1.9¢	3.3¢	2.2¢	3.5¢	5.7¢
Adjusted profit after tax (add back amortisation after tax) ¹	2.4m	3.3m	5.7m	3.7m	5.3m	9.0m
Adjusted EPS before amortization ¢	2.2¢	2.9¢	5.1¢	3.1¢	4.5¢	7.6¢

1. Profit after tax before non recurring items, add back amortisation of acquire intangible assets after tax. (i.e. for 2007 year, add back \$2.2m = \$3.1m - 30% tax)

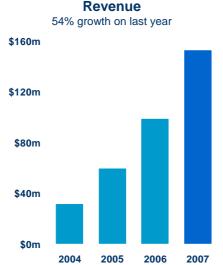
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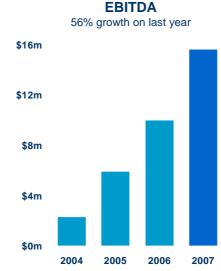
When valuing companies such as Talent2, it is standard analyst practice to:

- > Use valuation benchmarks such a Enterprise Valuation to EBITDA, the latter profit measure being before depreciation and amortisation
- Calculate adjusted (core or normalised) profit and adjusted EPS numbers which add-back acquisition amortisation (and other non-recurring items) after tax
- For Talent2, the amortisation adjustment relates to 'amortisation of acquired intangible assets'. This reflects in the main to the acquisition of NPS and its intellectual property, which under the AIFRS accounting standards is subject to amortisation over a period not exceeding eight years.

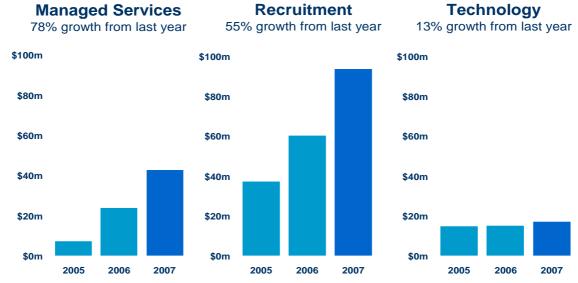


Group Results





Revenue by Segment



Outlook

- In 2008, Talent2 expects revenue and profit growth in each segment of the group as well as > increased margins and cashflow.
- > Talent2 is planning to continue its expansion in Asia. It has also recently established offices in the UK and representative offices in USA to service business development and candidate sourcing for the Asia-Pacific markets.



Detailed Historical Calendar

Date	Event			
1985	Concept established.			
29-Feb-00	Concept (backdoor) listing on ASX via Arcadia Minerals. ASX code changes to CSI from ARK.			
22-Apr-02	Announces proposed share issue of up to 122m shares at 3 cents to raise up to \$3.66m. Morgan & Banks Investments (MBI) acquires interest in Concept. Andrew Banks appointed as a non-executive Director.			
29-Sep-03	EGM: Approves acquisition of mb2 (later renamed Talent2). Following acquisition, MBI's interest increases to 45% from 32%. Andrew Banks becomes Managing Director. Geoff Morgan appointed as a non-executive Director.			
26-May-04	EGM: Group changes name from Concept International to Talent2 International (adopting the name of the subsidiary). ASX code changed to TWO from CSI, effective 1 June 04.			
16-Aug-04	Launches Talent Partners together with acquisition of Hansen & Searson and acquisition of boardSEARCH.			
17-Nov-04	AGM: Group approves share consolidation on a 1:5 basis reducing number of shares on issue to approx 95 million.			
8-Mar-05	Launches Talent2 eLearn together with acquisition of Southrock.			
9-Jun-05	Expands into China with acquisition of Wall Street Associates.			
18-Oct-05	AGM: Approves the acquisition of National Payroll Systems. Bud Hawk appointed as a non-executive Director.			
15-Nov-05	Launches Talent2 People in New Zealand with acquisition of Stonyer & Associates.			
1-Aug-06	Special Dividend Payment: 3c per share.			
22-Aug-06	Hans Neilson appointed as a non-executive Director.			
4-Oct-06	Ken Allen appointed as new non-executive Chairman. Mary Beth Bauer moves to Deputy Chairman.			
15-Nov-06	Shareholder approved repayment of 3c per share return of capital.			
12-Feb-07	Release of Interim 2007 accounts.			
9-Mar-07	Announces Shanghai office open for business.			
9-Mar-07	Significant Recruitment Process Outsourcing (RPO) contract with QBE.			
29-Mar-07	Opens UK operations with acquisition of Australasian Talent Company (ATC).			
23-Apr-07	Invests into India recruitment industry with effective 24% interest in HR One.			
2-May-07	Expands training outsourcing service offerings with acquisition of BizEd.			
21-Jun-07	Significant RPO contract with Telstra.			
14-Aug-07	Release of preliminary 2007 results and announcement of 3.5c per share dividend.			

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