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#### **Company Announcement**

# PHOSPHAGENICS LIMITED ANNUAL REPORT

Attached for release to the market is a copy of the 2009 Annual Report for the financial year ended 31 December 2009.

The 2010 Annual General Meeting is to be held on Friday 21 May 2010 starting at 2.00 p.m. and is to be held in:

The Conference Centre Minter Ellison Level 23, Rialto Towers 525 Collins Street Melbourne, Vic.

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#### **APPENDIX AND NOTES TO EDITORS**

#### **About Phosphagenics Limited**

Phosphagenics is a Melbourne-based, globally driven biotechnology company focused on the discovery of new and cost effective ways to enhance the bioavailability, activity, safety and delivery of proven pharmaceutical and nutraceutical products. Phosphagenics' core technology is built around the science and application of phosphorylation, a process where the addition of a phosphate group has been found to enhance the bioavailability, activity and safety of existing pharmaceuticals and nutraceuticals, as well as to assist in the production of drug delivery platforms. Phosphagenics' shares are listed on the Australian Stock Exchange (POH) and its ADR – Level 1 program was established in the U.S. with The Bank of New York Mellon (PPGNY) for U.S. investors to trade in Phosphagenics' stock on the 'over-the-counter' market. In July 2007, this was upgraded to the International OTCQX, a new premium market tier in the U.S. for international exchange-listed companies, operated by Pink Sheets, LLC. For more information, please visit Phosphagenics' web site at www.phosphagenics.com



# 2009 ANNUAL REPORT



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# AUSTRALIAN STOCK EXCHANGE LIMITED

The Company's securities are quoted on the official lists of the Australian Stock Exchange Limited (ASX). The Company's ASX Code is POH and the home exchange is in Melbourne.

#### AMERICAN DEPOSITORY RECEIPT

In July 2007, the Company upgraded its level 1 American Depository Receipt (ADR) on the US over-the-counter (OTC) securities market to the international OTCQX, a new premium market tier in the US for international exchange listed companies, operated by Pink Sheets, LLC. The Company's ADR ticker symbol is PPGNY.

# ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING (AGM)

The Company's AGM will be held on Friday, 21st May 2010, in the Conference Centre, Minter Ellison, Level 23, South Rialto Tower, 525 Collins Street, Melbourne VIC 3000, commencing at 2pm.



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# CHAIRMAN'S AND CEO'S JOINT REPORT

**2009** was a year that saw Phosphagenics achieve many of its goals. The Company strengthened its product pipeline, particularly in relation to personal care products, and made good progress with its clinical programs such as transdermal oxycodone – all whilst maintaining a consistently strong cash position.

#### PHOSPHAGENICS' PRODUCT PIPELINE

Phosphagenics entered 2009 with data that conclusively established the success and breadth of the Company's proprietary platform, transdermal delivery technology – TPM™.

Transdermal delivery of drugs and other actives represent a significant and growing market. It is the preferred route of delivery for many drugs because it avoids destruction of the active compound by the digestive tract or liver – it may improve patient compliance and can significantly reduce side effects. This year we have shown that Phosphagenics' TPM™ technology can deliver both small and large molecules either; into the systemic circulation (into the bloodstream), or for targeted localised delivery without causing disruption, irritation or damage to the skin. These characteristics are highly advantageous in the pharmaceutical industry as well as having application to other markets such as cosmetics.

The versatility of the TPM™ technology provides Phosphagenics with a significant point of difference when compared to other biotech companies. Not only does the TPM™ technology increase our opportunities but, as importantly, it reduces our risks by allowing us to diversify through a portfolio of projects.

Ib exploit its advantage, 2009 saw Phosphagenics focus its product pipeline on the following basis:

- 1. Systemic delivery of pharmaceutical drugs using TPM™;
- 2. Localised delivery of drugs using TPM™;
- 3. Personal care; and
- 4. Collaborative research and development projects with third parties.

Each of these activities have their own risk/reward profile, but as a portfolio, they provide the Company with the advantage of nearer term cash flows, when compared to drug development, whilst maintaining full control of the large upside potential of projects with longer lead times.

#### Systemic delivery of pharmaceutical drugs using TPM™

In 2009, Phosphagenics moved closer to its goal to become the first company in the world to deliver oxycodone and insulin transdermally in a painless, user-friendly manner, without causing irritation, sensitisation or disruption of the skin. These are potentially the highest value products in our portfolio, but also those with the greatest development costs and the longest lead times.

Progress over the last year with **transdermal oxycodone** has been particularly encouraging, with a number of important milestones being reached. The Company:

- Successfully developed two transdermal TPM/oxycodone patch systems
- Successfully completed a Phase 1 study demonstrating that the repeated application of the patch did not cause any significant erythema or sensitisation in humans – a crucial milestone in the development program
- Ended the year with results from a Phase 1b human trial, which demonstrated that daily application
  of the TPM™ oxycodone matrix patch delivered therapeutic levels of oxycodone into the bloodstream in a
  reproducible, consistent and sustained manner

Our transdermal insulin project also made good progress. Finding an alternative way to deliver insulin into the bloodstreams of a diabetic patient in a sustained manner without the use of injections is one of the 'Holy Grails' of the pharmaceutical industry. In January, Phosphagenics completed a Phase 2 Clinical Trial in Type 1 diabetics. The results of this trial demonstrated both the safety of our transdermal insulin and its ability to lower glucose in patients with Type 1 diabetes.

Following this result, it was decided to undertake further research leading to the optimisation of both the formulation and the delivery system before commencing the next round of clinical trials. By the end of 2009, Phosphagenics had completed all its pre-clinical insulin trials, with the newly developed TPM™ insulin patch and improved formulation showing superior results. Planning for the return to human trials is well advanced.

#### Localised delivery of drugs using TPM™

While the regulatory hurdles, costs and time to market are all much lower for non-systemic delivery, the market size of some non-systemic drugs can match those of highly successful systemic drugs.

Diclofenac is one of the leading products of a class of drugs known as NSAIDs (non-steroid anti-inflammatory drugs) with global sales exceeding US\$1.2 billion. It is used to reduce inflammation and pain associated with inflammation of tendons or joints (tendonitis or arthritis) and acute injuries. In late 2009, Phosphagenics successfully completed a Phase 1b Clinical Trial that demonstrated increased delivery of TPM/diclofenac when compared to the current market-leading product.

These exciting results accelerated the planning of a Phase 2 efficacy study in humans. The study design and relevant documentation were subsequently completed. However, in December 2009, the US FDA announced it would require a warning on packaging of a recently registered topically applied diclofenac. Phosphagenics is seeking expert regulatory advice to assess whether these recent changes will affect our program and commercialisation strategies for this product.

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# CHAIRMAN'S AND CEO'S JOINT REPORT » CONTINUED

#### Personal care products

While Phosphagenics' business strategy remains firmly focused on our pharmaceutical pipeline, the TPM™ platform lends itself to multiple applications, including the skin care industry. From a financial perspective, as well as being potentially highly lucrative, cosmetics and cosmeceuticals are attractive to Phosphagenics because they do not require significant financial resources for research and are not subject to the same stringent regulations as drugs. Products can be commercialised more quickly at less cost and risk.

In July, we granted a license to the New York-based luxury beauty company, Le Métier de Beauté, to manufacture and sell cosmetic products using TPM™ technology, with profits divided between both parties. The initial two high-end products were successfully launched in November in prestigious Neiman Marcus and Bergdorf Goodman retail stores. Although revenues are not expected to be significant initially, this arrangement allows us to enter into the profitable personal care market without any financial exposure whilst maintaining substantial financial upside.

Similarly, we signed an agreement appointing Pulse Pharmacies as our exclusive Australia-wide distributor of Phosphagenics' new Elixia™ skincare product range. The Elixia™ range of six products, including an Anti-oxidant Serum and a Multi V Moisturiser, uses Phosphagenics TPM™ delivery technology to deliver more active ingredients into the skin. The Elixia™ skincare range is expected to be available nationally for purchase from the end of March 2010 in more than 70 Pulse Pharmacies, Vitamin Me and Roy Young stores, as well as online.

Unique cosmeceutical products with the potential to capture a portion of a large market are of particular interest to Phosphagenics. During the year, the Company signed a collaborative research and option agreement with Metabolic Pharmaceuticals Limited. Phosphagenics may elect to license Metabolic's patented compound A0D9604 for use as a cosmeceutical product aimed at reducing cellulite and subcutaneous fat. Should the research prove to be successful, we expect that a fat reduction cream could be launched during the latter half of 2010.

#### Collaborative research and development projects with third parties

Because of the unique attributes of the TPM<sup>™</sup> delivery platform, Phosphagenics is often approached by third parties interested in using TPM<sup>™</sup> to enhance the delivery of their products. When strategically appropriate, Phosphagenics will enter into contracts to assess TPM<sup>™</sup> based formulations with third parties, especially when the full costs of the research is funded by the third party and when there is a potential for substantial economic benefits to Phosphagenics should the projects succeed.

In February this year, we entered into a research and option agreement with the global specialty biopharmaceutical company CSL Limited (CSL). The collaboration focuses on evaluating Phosphagenics' proprietary TPM™ technology to deliver a number of CSL's large protein-based products. Transdermal delivery of these products is extremely challenging and will represent a world first if successful. During 2010 CSL will assess whether results justify continuing the program to the next phase of development.

In 2007 Phosphagenics commenced a Phase 2 Clinical Trial, funded by Nestlé Nutrition, to establish the safety and efficacy of Phosphagenics' Phospha-E® for the treatment of metabolic syndrome. The trial was completed during 2009. While not large enough to show statistical significance in some end-points, the trial did show marked improvement in heart disease factors – particularly in smokers receiving Phospha-E® treatment. However, the primary end point, a statistically significant reduction of the biomarker hsCRP, was not met and Nestlé Nutrition made the decision not to exercise its option to commercialise the product.

#### FINANCE AND PEOPLE

With a global recession in full swing and uncertain and volatile markets, your Directors felt that it was prudent for Phosphagenics to maintain a strong cash position throughout the year. We opened 2009 with \$12.9 million in cash and then, in October, raised \$7 million by way of a fully underwritten share purchase plan offered to all shareholders. This helped us finish the year with \$10.9 million in cash, sufficient to support an aggressive program of commercialisation.

A number of important staff changes were made during the year. Dr Esra Ogru, previously leading our research and development, was appointed Chief Operating Officer, Dr Paul Gavin was promoted to Vice President, Research and Development and Dr Roskan Libinaki was promoted to Vice President Research and Development Nutraceuticals.

In line with our growing commercial orientation, a Business Analyst, a Marketing Manager (Personal Care) and an IP Attorney (part-time) were also appointed.

The consolidation of staff to the new Clayton premises was successfully completed, and we ended the year with 30 employees, all of who were clearly focused on commercialisation of the intellectual property that Phosphagenics holds.

# CHAIRMAN'S AND CEO'S JOINT REPORT » CONTINUED

#### OUTLOOK

The successful pre-clinical and clinical trials that were conducted during the year removed several important scientific risks that the company faced 12 months earlier. We are now firmly focusing on the commercialisation path. During the next 12 months we plan to:

- Continue clinical development of our lead programs oxycodone and insulin patches
   Continue to focus on the commercialisation of dermal and personal care products in Australia and in the USA
  - Strengthen our current commercial relationships
    Focus on our commercialisation and partnering strategy
  - Increase Phosphagenics' company profile in Australia and the USA

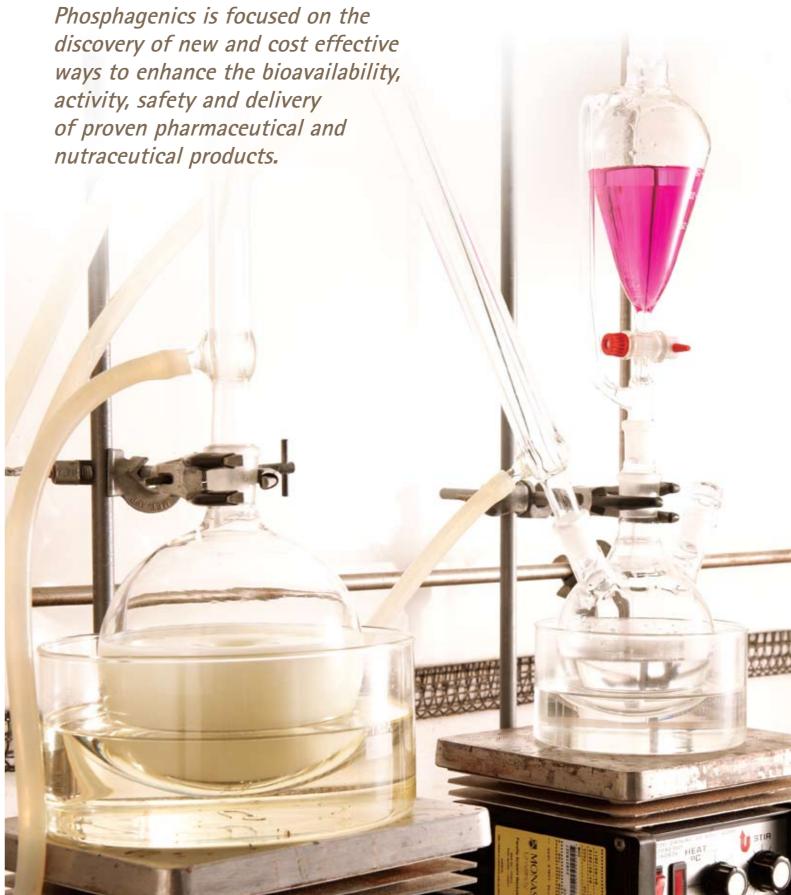
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# TECHNOLOGY

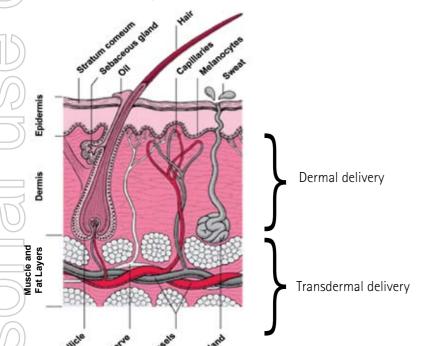


#### **TECHNOLOGY**

#### DERMAL AND TRANSDERMAL DELIVERY

Dermal and Transdermal delivery describes a process whereby a substance (usually a drug) is transported into [dermal) or through (transdermal) the skin and into the blood.

Dermal and transdermal penetration into the skin

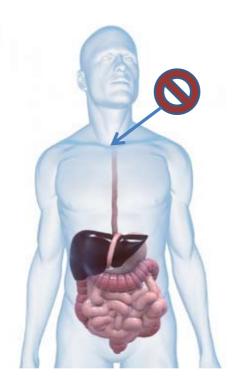


For the majority of pharmaceutical drugs to be effective, they must enter the systemic circulation. The epidermis and dermal layers of the skin play a protective role in preventing interaction between the internal body and external environment. Most drugs marketed today are incapable of reaching the systemic circulation by crossing the skin without it being disrupted or damaged, for example, by injection. Therefore drugs are commonly administered orally in order to reach systemic circulation.

Many orally delivered drugs are associated with severe gastrointestinal side effects, high first pass metabolism (break-down of the drug in the liver), peak and valley pharmacokinetic profiles, and abuse/diversion. In addition to the negative side effects, many pharmaceutical companies are looking for new drug formulations to extend product life cycles in the face of generic competition, replace lost sales as research and development productivity declines, manage the escalating cost of developing new drugs, and be able to offer novel delivery options for new chemical entities (NCE) in development.

There is a growing market need from both consumers and pharmaceutical companies to deliver drugs transdermally, thereby minimising or eliminating the negative side effects of oral delivery, and offering new or extended market opportunities for already approved drugs, or drugs in development.

To address this need Phosphagenics has developed a proprietary transdermal delivery platform technology (TPM™), enabling specific and controlled delivery of small molecules, or peptides, into the skin, or through the skin into systemic circulation.



Transdermal delivery avoids first pass metabolism

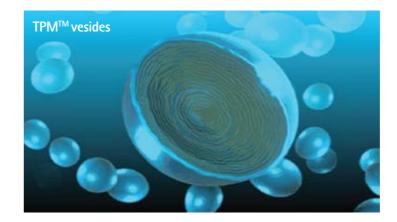
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#### PHOSPHAGENICS TECHNOLOGY PLATFORM (TPMTM)

TPM™ is a non-invasive, non-irritant delivery technology comprising of phosphate derivatives of natural Vitamin E. The delivery technology enhances the absorption of compounds in the body.

Importantly, TPM<sup>™</sup> does not alter the active compound being delivered, but instead alters the lipidic structure of the stratum corneum (outermost layer of the skin) allowing for specific, controlled passive delivery and enhanced absorption of small molecules, or peptides, into the skin locally or systemically.

TPM™ is versatile and can be formulated as a liquid, patch, spray, micro-emulsion or vesicular entrapment system.



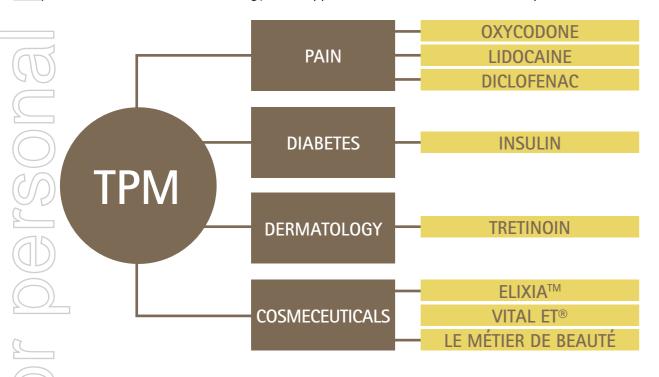
The vesicular system is a multi-layered, ultra-flexible carrier whose size is tightly controlled. These controls, and its unique properties, allow the TPM™ vesicles (pictured left) to be formulated in a range of sizes from nanometer to micron diameters. These parameters are used to control the rate and depth of delivery of molecules. TPM™ vesicular entrapment systems have been successfully used to deliver large molecules and peptides, such as insulin, through the skin and into the bloodstream.

#### TECHNOLOGY » CONTINUED

Phosphagenics' objective is to address unmet patient needs and to develop commercial opportunities by improving the delivery of proven, high-value actives, utilising our proprietary delivery platform technology (TPM™). The unique flexibility of this platform offers very broad commercial opportunities. TPM™ is capable of improving the delivery and efficacy of numerous actives across multiple market segments. With the objective of maximising shareholder value we undertake rigorous market analysis to identify and select the most valuable products to bring to market in a timely manner.

#### **CURRENT APPLICATIONS**

Phosphagenics' primary focus is to apply TPM™ for dermal and transdermal delivery of drugs in the pharmaceutical market, initially focusing on pain and diabetes indications. The flexibility of the delivery platform also allows the technology to be applied, but not limited to cosmetic products.



#### PAIN

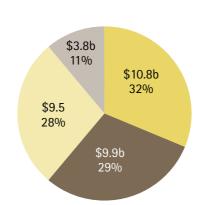
The total pain pharmaceutical market was worth US\$34 billion in 2007 and is expected to grow to more than US\$43 billion by 2013.1

The global pain market is comprised of four sectors; narcotics (opioids), non-narcotics (such as NSAIDs), anti-arthritics and anti-migraine drugs.

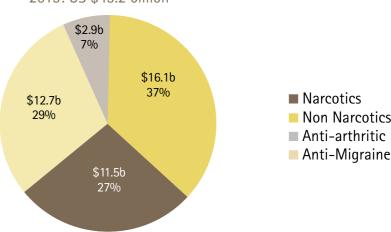
1. The Global Pain Market, 2008-2023, Visiongain Report, 2008

#### The Global Pain Market<sup>1</sup>





#### 2013: US \$43.2 billion



In 2007, annual sales of the narcotics and non-narcotics sectors combined totaled more than US\$20 billion, with sales projected to increase to US\$27.6 billion by 2013. Three of Phosphagenics' pipeline products, TPM/oxycodone, TPM/diclofenac and TPM/lidocaine target these growing market sectors.

Despite their effectiveness, one of the key drawbacks for oral opioid pain medications is the inability to maintain constant levels of the drug in the bloodstream. This inability often leads to "peaks and troughs" in blood levels, which ultimately result in "breakthrough" pain and thus the need to further medicate patients. Transdermal delivery reduces the side effects associated with oral medication and potentially eliminates, or substantially reduces, the variability of the drug in the bloodstream and therefore the occurrence of breakthrough pain.

#### TPM/0XYC0D0NE

Oxycodone is a drug readily administered for pain management worldwide and has wide market acceptance. It is the drug of choice for the management of chronic pain in patients suffering the effects of debilitating diseases, such as cancer and arthritis. It is more potent than morphine and has fewer side effects. In 2007 global sales of oxycodone were approximately US\$2.7 billion. Currently, oxycodone is not available in transdermal form and must be administered either orally or intravenously.

Clinical trials recently conducted by Phosphagenics demonstrated the transdermal capability of the TPM™ technology to deliver oxycodone. The results showed that daily application of the TPM™ oxycodone patch delivered therapeutic bloodstream levels of oxycodone in a reproducible, consistent and sustained manner.

<sup>1.</sup> The Global Pain Market, 2008-2023, Visiongain Report, 2008

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#### TECHNOLOGY » CONTINUED

TPM/oxycodone Pain Relief Patch

PEEL-OFF TAB

ADHESIVE

PATCH TREATMENT AREA

The TPM/oxycodone patch has an excellent profile for treating chronic pain as it:

- delivers sustained therapeutic blood levels of oxycodone
- does not cause irritation/redness or sensitisation
- provides a rapid elimination of oxycodone after patch removal
- reduces potential for drug abuse compared to the oral product

Phosphagenics aims to be "first in world"

to develop an effective and reliable oxycodone patch system for administration of oxycodone to pain sufferers in a safe and patient-friendly manner (pictured above). The patch system has the potential to deliver other opioids of similar chemical structure.

#### ∲HASE 1 A – REPEAT INSULT PATCH TEST (RIPT)

RIPT is the standard method for assessing whether a compound is an irritant and/or sensitiser.

During the three week induction phase of the study, TPM/oxycodone was applied every second day to the same area of the subjects' back and covered with an occlusive dressing. The site of application was assessed, every second day after patch removal, and scored for redness and erythema. During the challenge phase which occurred two weeks after the completion of the induction phase, the formulation was applied once to a new area of skin and then assessed to determine whether an immune response had developed.

Over the three week induction phase, no patients exhibited erythema scores above 1 (on a scale of 0 - 4) with most scores registered as zero, demonstrating that TPM/oxycodone does not cause irritation and therefore is not an irritant. Importantly, all patients during the challenge phase had scores of zero establishing that TPM/oxycodone is not a sensitiser. These results corroborate the previous clinical studies demonstrating that TPM<sup>™</sup> significantly reduced erythema caused by tretinoin, also a known irritant.

#### PHASE 1B - REPEAT APPLICATION TPM/OXYCODONE PATCH STUDY

The open label, single centre pharmacokinetic study in 20 healthy volunteers was conducted at the Royal Adelaide Hospital. The primary objective of the study was to compare the delivery profiles of two transdermal patch candidates containing TPM™, matrix and reservoir systems, following daily application over a ten-day period.

Plasma oxycodone concentrations were monitored throughout the study to assess which of the two patch candidates produced the best delivery profile.

Results from the study demonstrate that the matrix patch was superior to the reservoir patch in delivering oxycodone systemically. Additionally plasma concentrations of oxycodone increased throughout the entire ten day dosing period after daily application of the matrix patch. Average plasma concentrations reached therapeutic levels and continued to rise daily during the ten day study. Rapid drug elimination was also evident immediately after the removal of the final matrix patch on the tenth study day.

#### Results summary:

- Therapeutic levels (>8ng/ml) achieved with repeat dosing
- Sustained release profile (no peaks and troughs)
- Matrix patch candidate superior to reservoir patch candidate
- No irritation observed

#### FURTHER CLINICAL TRIALS

Phosphagenics is preparing to progress the next stage of its oxycodone patch development. Under the guidance of Professor Guy Ludbrook, Professor of Anaesthesia, University of Adelaide, Phosphagenics has assembled an advisory panel of international pain experts to plan the Phase 2 and Phase 3 trials.

Phosphagenics expects to commence its next clinical study during the second half of 2010. The studies will focus on product profiling and efficacy testing in the relevant patient populations.

#### TPM/DICLOFENAC

Diclofenac is one of the leading products of a class of drugs known as NSAIDs (non-steroidal anti-inflammatory drugs) with global sales exceeding US\$1.2 billion. It is used to reduce the inflammation and pain associated with inflammation of tendons or joints and acute injuries.

#### PHASE 1B - TOPICAL APPLICATION OF TPM/DICLOFENAC

Phosphagenics completed a phase 1 study to assess the Dermatopharmacokinetics of the TPM/diclofenac formulation and compare this product to the leading commercial product, Voltaren®, which also contains diclofenac.

Thirty minutes after application, TPM/diclofenac delivered on average over 400 percent more diclofenac into the stratum corneum than the commercial product, Voltaren®. Phosphagenics' TPM/diclofenac also significantly augmented the depth of penetration, with 380 percent (p<0.001) more diclofenac found in the deepest layers of the skin sampled. The trial clearly demonstrated that the TPM/diclofenac formulation had a quicker onset and greater

#### TECHNOLOGY » CONTINUED

magnitude of diclofenac delivery than Voltaren®, with increased delivery maintained for at least six hours, the duration of the trial.

Phosphagenics has completed the design of a next phase efficacy study. In the short term the company will focus on its development of TPM/oxycodone while it examines the implications of the FDA's concerns associated with the use of Diclofenac and other Non Steroidal Anti-Inflammatory (NSAIDs) products.

#### TPM/LIDOCAINE

Lidocaine is a well known topical local anaesthetic used for a wide variety of ailments, including temporary relief of rashes, stings, sprains, strains, bites, and burns. In 2007, sales of topical local anesthetics were US\$ 1.2 billion globally. Lidocaine is sold in many forms; ointment, gel, patch, or aerosol for topical use, as an oral solution, and as an injection for local anesthesia.

Phosphagenics' drug delivery technology can be used as a topically applied, targeted delivery system, capable of increasing the delivery of actives, such as lidocaine, to the required area whilst minimising exposure to the rest of the body.

Phosphagenics' TPM/lidocaine is capable of improving the penetration rate and delivery concentration of lidocaine, while importantly limiting systemic exposure.

Phosphagenics successfully completed a phase 1 human clinical trial in 2008 demonstrating TPM/lidocaine is able to increase both the depth of delivery of Lidocaine and the amount of lidocaine delivered into the skin compared to that of a leading marketed preparation.

The product will be commercialised by Phusion LLC, formed as a result of the Joint Venture with The Quigley Corporation (Nasdag: OQLY) announced in early 2010.

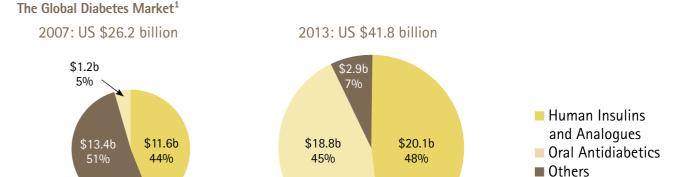
#### **DIABETES**

In 2004, the World Health Organisation (WHO) predicted that by 2030 4.4% of the world's population will have diabetes – equating to more than 366 million diabetics. This figure indicates that diabetes is becoming an epidemic and supports the need for new and innovative products in the marketplace.

There are three types of diabetes – Type 1 or Insulin Dependent Diabetes, Type 2 or Non-Insulin Diabetes and Gestational Diabetes. Type 1 Diabetes is characterised by a pancreatic malfunction, which prevents the pancreas from producing insulin. It is considered to be a progressive auto-immune disease, as the beta cells of the pancreas are attacked and gradually destroyed by cytokine immune factors produced by the patient's own body. Its treatment requires insulin.

Type 2 Diabetes is characterised by insulin resistance, in which the pancreas produces sufficient amounts of insulin, but insensitive insulin receptors fail to adequately respond. It is the most prevalent form of diabetes and accounts for 90–95% of all diabetic cases. The treatment goal for Type 2 diabetes is to ensure adequate insulin levels in the body and increase the insulin receptivity of cell walls. Type 2 diabetes can be managed with oral anti-diabetics, sometimes in combination with insulin.

Gestational Diabetes can occur during pregnancy and may continue post pregnancy and become Type 2 Diabetes.



In 2007, the global pharmaceutical market for diabetes generated more than US\$26 billion in sales, with US\$11.6 billion derived from human insulins and analogues sales. By 2013, sales are projected to increase to US\$41.8 billion and US\$20.1 billion respectively.<sup>1</sup>

#### TPM/INSULIN

Phosphagenics' TPM™ insulin delivery systems (patch and gel) have the potential to reduce the number of invasive injections, with the simple application of a patch or gel delivering a basal level of insulin over a sustained period. Basal levels of insulin, the fastest growing segment of the insulin market, are currently provided by injections.

It is expected that an ageing population will embrace Phosphagenics' TPM™ system, as the elderly often have difficulty with self injecting or managing pump systems. These are the only two forms of insulin-delivery currently available.

Phosphagenics has spent the majority of 2009 optimising the TPM/insulin gel and developing a patch candidate.

1. World Diabetes Market Analysis, 2009-2013, Visiongain Report

#### TECHNOLOGY » CONTINUED

Phosphagenics' scientists have achieved excellent results in both optimising the insulin formulation and developing the insulin patch incorporating the optimised formulation. Results show insulin can be effectively delivered by the TPM™ patch candidate in diabetic animals, resulting in lower blood glucose levels. A patch is expected to improve patient compliance and reduce the risk of cross contamination compared with injectable systems.

Phosphagenics will focus on the clinical development of TPM/insulin patch system in 2010.

#### DERMATOLOGY

The dermatological drug market continues to be important and competitive globally. New treatments for skin disorders and increasing disease prevalence will lead to further expansion of the market area.

Phosphagenics is using its TPM™ technology to deliver dermatological products and is working with global leaders in this field for the development of novel anti-acne products.

#### COSMETICS UPDATE

#### International Specialty Products

Phosphagenics continues to produce and sell Vital ET® to International Specialty Products (ISP) USA. Vital ET® is currently being used as a novel active in many global cosmetic brands.

#### Le Métier de Beauté

Le Métier de Beauté and Phosphagenics launched two products containing the TPM<sup>™</sup> technology in November 2009. The US products comprise of a tinted moisturiser and a corrective concealer, and are available in more than 40 high-end retail stores including Bergdorf Goodman and Neiman Marcus in the US, with plans to expand to an additional 60 stores within 12 months.

The partnership with Le Métier de Beauté validates the commercial acceptance of TPM™ as a powerful delivery system of active ingredients that can be used in various products.

#### Elixia™ Skincare Innovation

The exciting new Elixia™ range is a group of six skincare products developed using TPM™ technology, built around years of scientific research and clinical development. The Elixia™ products are at the forefront of innovative skincare. Please refer to the Elixia™ section on page 18 for further details.

#### Anti-Wrinkle Treatment Range

A range of anti-ageing skincare products is being specifically developed to target the reduction of expression wrinkles and fine lines using the best known ingredients in combination with Phosphagenics TPM™ delivery technology to slow skin ageing. Used as a daily skincare routine, the Anti-Wrinkle Treatment Range balances the reduction of wrinkles and expression lines during the day with the renewal of skin structure and elasticity at night for visibly younger looking and rejuvenated skin.

#### Development of TPM /AOD 9604

In 2009, Phosphagenics signed a research and development agreement with Metabolic Pharmaceuticals Ltd for the development of AOD9604. AOD9604 is a fragment of growth hormone and has well-established fat-reducing properties. Under the terms of the agreement Phosphagenics can elect to license Metabolic's patented compound AOD9604 for its use as a cosmeceutical product for the reduction of cellulite and subcutaneous fat.

The collaborative research is focusing on using TPM<sup>™</sup> delivery technology to deliver AOD9604 topically into the skin to reduce the size of local fat deposits. The size of the AOD9604 molecule is well within the range of molecules already delivered by the TPM<sup>™</sup> technology.

#### PRE-CLINICAL AND CLINICAL PIPELINE

	Research & Development	Preclinical	Phase I		Phase II	Target Application
Transdermal						
Insulin						Diabetes
Oxycodone						Pain Management
Dermal						
Retinoic Acid						Acne therapy
Lidocaine						Pain Management
Diclofenac						Pain Management
Cosmaceutical	Research & Development	Manufacturin	g	Prod	uct Launch	Target Application
Elixia™ future ranges						Anti-ageing
A0D9604						Anti-cellulite

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# THE ELIXIA™ BRAND

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# ELIXIA

Beauty is more than skin deep. We can prove it .

# ELIXIA™ MULTIVITAMIN SKINCARE RANGE WITH TPM™ (TARGETED PENETRATION MATRIX) DELIVERY TECHNOLOGY

Elixia™ is the only range of skincare products available in Australia to feature TPM™ delivery technology. TPM™ is the key delivery ingredient which is the result of 10 years of research – scientifically proven to deliver four times more\* active ingredients 20 times deeper\* into skin.

Elixia's<sup>™</sup> core skincare range includes six essential products (pictured left) creating a new and different consumer experience. TPM<sup>™</sup> delivery technology is at the heart of each product and a focused consumer message reinforced with a strong scientific claim ensures the range has a unique point of difference in the ever-growing 'anti-ageing' cosmetic market space.

Research shows two of the fastest growing product segments in the cosmetics and skincare market globally are anti-ageing and firm/anti-fat.¹ Elixia™ targets these growing market segments with multiple future product opportunities for Phosphagenics.

#### THE ELIXIATM RANGE

Multi Action Eye Serum	A daily treatment with natural anti-ageing and hydrating ingredients, specifically designed for refreshed and radiant eyes.
Nourishing Antioxidant Serum	An intensive repair facial treatment specifically formulated with anti-ageing ingredients and potent antioxidants to promote maximum skin renewal and radiance.
Multi V Moisturiser	A light daily moisturiser with anti-ageing ingredients that deeply hydrates dry or damaged skin for a younger, smoother complexion.
Tinted Multi V Moisturiser with Sun Protection	A facial moisturiser, tinted with natural minerals that nourishes skin and fights the visible signs of ageing while providing a light, luminous coverage. Broad spectrum sun protection protects skin from UVA and UVB rays, and keeps it looking younger and more radiant.
Cream Cleanser	A gentle, soap-free cream cleanser naturally formulated to gently remove skin impurities and make-up without irritation to reveal polished clean skin.
Multi V Body Lotion	A refreshing, natural, multi-vitamin enriched hydrating body lotion that prevents moisture loss, repairs, soothes and softens skin.

<sup>\*</sup>In clinical trials, vitamin A delivered into skin by Elixia's™ TPM™ 'Delivery Technology led to a 22-fold increase in the vitamin A absorbed into the deepest layers of the skin examined (tape strips 12-16) compared to a market leading prescription only form of vitamin A.

<sup>1.</sup> Cosmetics and Toiletry Wholesaling in Australia, IBISWorld, November 2009





# THE ELIXIA™ BRAND



"Elixia™ is the perfect combination of scientifically proven biotechnology and amazing ingredients, including anti-ageing retinol, making this range unique – the results are truly exciting."

#### RETAIL, MARKETING AND LAUNCH ACTIVITY

Elixia™ will be available to consumers in Australia at launch via an exclusive agreement with Pulse Pharmacy, Vitamin Me and Roy Young stores nationally, as well as via their online stores. Pulse Pharmacy's reputation for selling prestige brands, quality customer service and professional advice creates an ideal retail environment for the forand and its unique scientific claims and benefits for consumers.

A full marketing program supports the Elixia™ range, including a national promotional and advertising schedule, catalogue program, website, sampling campaign and point of sale materials. A fresh modern design approach gives Elixia™ a contemporary and sophisticated identity that aims to appeal to a wide consumer audience looking for younger, healthier looking skin.

#### **ELIXIA™ FUTURE RANGES**

TPM™ delivery technology offers many options in cosmetics and beauty product formulations:

- Anti-ageing products with high quality active ingredients and the added delivery power of TPM™ to soften and smooth skin texture for a younger look
- Products containing unique "Active Peptide Complexes" and delivered by TPM™ technology for firmer,
   tighter looking skin

Future product development is planned to expand the Elixia™ range and develop product extensions utilising TPM™ delivery technology. The Elixia™ brand creates a commercial opportunity for Phosphagenics with increasing sales anticipated during the initial new brand growth phase.

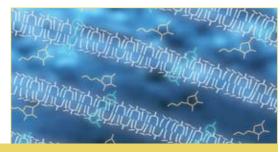
#### TPM™ DELIVERY TECHNOLOGY AT WORK



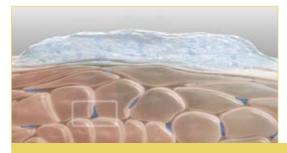


Elixia<sup>™</sup> includes TPM<sup>™</sup> delivery technology, unique to the Elixia<sup>™</sup> skincare range, developed in the Australian laboratories of Phosphagenics Limited





The mulit-layered, ultra-flexible structure of TPM™ enables active ingredients, such as vitamin C and retinol to be encapsulated within its layers





TPM™ is a penetration enhancer, increasing dermal absorption and allowing active ingredients to penetrate deeper into the skin, unlike many other cosmetic products that remain on the skin's surface.

Elixia™ endeavours to achieve a dramatic visible difference in the overall look and health of the skin.

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#### PATENT PROTECTION

Phosphagenics continues to grow its patent estate, with the continued filing of new patent applications covering emerging developments in transdermal delivery, as well as progressing existing patent applications. Phosphagenics currently has 180 live patents and patent applications, which are filed in all the major pharmaceutical markets.

	PCT NUMBER	PUBLICATION DATE	TITLE	COUNTRIES	EXPIRY
	Platform Patent Famili	ies			
7/	PCT/AU2001/001476	23-May-02	Complexes of Phosphate Derivatives	Granted – Australia, China, Europe, South Korea, Mexico (1) Pending – Brazil, Canada, Japan, Mexico (1), United States (2)	2021
	PCT/AU2002/001686	19-Jun-03	Transdermal Transport of Compounds	Granted – Australia Pending – Brazil, Canada, China, Europe, Japan, Mexico, United States	2022
	PCT/AU2003/000998	19-Feb-04	Carrier	Granted – Australia (2) Pending – Brazil, Canada China, Europe, Japan, South Korea, Mexico, United States	2023
	PCT/AU2005/001159	09-Feb-06	Carrier for Enteral Administration	Granted – Singapore Pending – Australia, Brazil, Canada, China Europe, India, Israel, Japan, South Korea, Mexico, New Zealand, Russia, South Africa, United States	2025
	PCT/AU2006/000839	21-Dec-06	Carrier Comprising One or More Di and/or Mono-(Electron Transfer Agents) Phosphate Derivatives or Complexes Thereof	Granted – South Africa Pending – Australia, Brazil, Canada, China, Europe, Hong Kong, India, Israel, Japan, South Korea, Mexico, New Zealand, Russia, Singapore, United States	2026
	Product and Process Pa	atent Families			
	PCT/AU2000/000038	27-Jul-00	Recovery of Chroman Derivatives	Granted – Europe, Indonesia, Malaysia, United States (Validated in France, Germany and United Kingdom)	2020

PCT NUMBER	PUBLICATION DATE	TITLE	COUNTRIES	EXPIRY
PCT/AU2000/000452	23 Nov-00	Improved Process for Phosphorylation and Compounds Produced by this Process	Granted – Australia, Canada, Europe, Mexico, United States (Validated in Belgium, Germany, France, Italy, Ireland, the Netherlands, Switzerland/Liechtenstein and United Kingdom) Pending – Brazil, Japan	2020
PCT/AU2001/001475	23-May-02	Formulation Containing Phosphate Derivatives of Electron Transfer Agents	Granted – Australia, China, South Korea Pending – Brazil, Canada, Europe, Japan, Mexico, United States (2)	2021
PCT/AU2002/001003	13-Feb-03	Dermal Therapy Using Phosphate Derivatives of Electron Transfer Agents	Granted – Australia Pending – Brazil, Canada, China, Europe, Japan, Mexico, United States	2022
PCT/AU2002/001081	20-Feb-03	Micronutrients as Dietary and Health Supplements	Granted – Australia, Europe, Mexico, South Africa (Validated in Belgium, France, Germany, Greece, Ireland, Italy, the Netherlands, Spain, Switzerland/Liechtenstein, Turkey and United Kingdom) Pending – Brazil, Canada, Japan, United states	2022
PCT/AU2002/001321	3-Apr-03	Modulation of Vitamin Storage	Granted – Australia, South Africa	2022
PCT/AU2004/000056	05-Aug-04	Compounds having Anti-Proliferative Properties	Granted – Australia Pending – Brazil, Canada, China, Europe, Japan, South Korea, Mexico, United States	2024
PCT/AU2004/000490	28-0ct-04	Phosphates of Secondary Alcohols	Granted – Australia Pending – Brazil, Canada, China, Europe, Japan, South Korea, Mexico	2024
PCT/AU2004/000491	28-0ct-04	Phosphate Derivatives	Granted – Australia Pending – Japan	2024

# INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY > CONTINUED YEAR IN SUMMARY

PCT NUMBER	PUBLICATION DATE	TITLE	COUNTRIES	EXPIRY
PCT/AU2004/000492	28-0ct-04	Phosphate Derivatives of Pharmaceutical Products	Granted – Australia	2024
PCT/AU2005/000307	15-Sep-05	Alkaloid Formulations	Granted – Australia, Singapore, South Africa Pending – Brazil, Canada, China, Europe, Hong Kong, India, Israel, Japan, South Korea, Mexico, New Zealand, Russia, United States	2025
PCT/AU2006/000280	08-Sept-06	Compounds Having Anti-Cancer Properties	Pending – Australia, Brazil, Canada, China, Europe, India, Japan, South Korea, Mexico, New Zealand, Russia, United States	2026
PCT/AU2006/000281	08-Sep-06	Compounds Having Lipid Lowering Properties	Pending – Australia, Brazil, Canada, China, Europe, India, Japan, South Korea, Mexico, New Zealand, Russia, United States	2026
PCT/AU2006/001997	28-Jun-07	Compounds Having Cytokine Modulating Properties	Pending – Australia, Brazil, Canada, China, Europe, Hong Kong, India, Israel, Japan, South Korea, Mexico, New Zealand, Russia, Singapore, South Africa, United States	2026

Phosphagenics has filed a number of provisional applications for the most recent inventions developed relating to the TPM $^{\text{TM}}$  delivery technology.

The following is a summary of material events and announcements made during 2009. For a full list of releases, please refer to the Company's website or to the Australian Stock Exchange website.

DATE	THEME	DESCRIPTION
January	Insulin trial on Type 1 diabetic patients	Completion of a transdermal insulin human trial demonstrating TPM/insulin formulation safely delivers insulin into patients with Type 1 diabetes.
February	Phase 1 topical diclofenac study	Completion of Phase 1 diclofenac study demonstrating the proprietary TPM/diclofenac formulation was safe and well tolerated in humans. The results also indicate that Phosphagenics' formulation can deliver significant amounts of diclofenac deep into the area of application.
April	Retinoic Acid trial	Completion of two-staged Phase 1 clinical trial demonstrating marked increased delivery of retinoic acid with reduced irritation compared to a leading commercial product.
May	Transdermal Patch Prototypes	Completion of preclinical studies related to the proprietary TPM/oxycodone transdermal patch system. The results of the preclinical studies demonstrated that by incorporating TPM/oxycodone into innovative patch systems developed by Phosphagenics, the delivery of oxycodone was significantly increased when compared to the Company's TPM/oxycodone gel alone.
June	Agreement signed with CSL to evaluate TPM technology  Phase 1 Clinical Trial using TPM/oxycodone	Announcement of signed research and option agreement with global specialty biopharmaceutical company, CSL Limited ('CSL'). The early stage research collaboration to focus on evaluating Phosphagenics' proprietary TPM™ delivery technology to deliver large proteins.  Completion of Phase 1 Repeat Insult Patch Test (RIPT) demonstrating that repeated application of its proprietary TPM/oxycodone formulation did not cause any significant erythema or sensitisation in humans.
July	Launch of premier cosmetic products in the USA in partnership with Métier Tribeca	Agreement with Métier Tribeca LLC, ('Métier'), whereby Métier will launch a premier line of cosmetic products under its brand name Le Métier de Beauté. Phosphagenics has granted Métier a license to manufacture and sell products using Phosphagenics' TPM™ technology. Profits will be divided equally between the parties.

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# YEAR IN SUMMARY » CONTINUED

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	DATE	THEME	DESCRIPTION
	August	Agreement signed with Metabolic Pharmaceuticals Limited	Collaborative research and option agreement with Metabolic Pharmaceuticals Limited (ASX: MBP).
	September	Completed AUD\$7 million fully underwritten Share Purchase Plan	Capital raising to provide funds for Phosphagenics' core R&D programs, product development and commercialisation, as well as for general working capital.
	5	Completion of Phase 1b TPM/diclofenac study	Phosphagenics' successful studies of diclofenac, including a Phase 1B study, have shown TPM™-delivered diclofenac permeates the skin substantially more effectively than the currently available Voltaren® gel, thereby increasing drug concentrations in local tissues while maintaining similar levels of systemic exposure.
1		Planning for Phase 2/3 Topical diclofenac Trial	Phosphagenics intends to begin a Phase 2/3 trial of its patented TPM <sup>™</sup> delivery system using the drug diclofenac, a leading anti-inflammatory drug, in the first quarter of 2010.
		Transdermal Oxycodone Matrix Patch Phase 1 Trial	Completion of a Phase 1 clinical study of the proprietary oxycodone transdermal matrix patch system. The results of the trial established that after a single dose, the patch delivered oxycodone into the blood stream in a reproducible, consistent and sustained manner.
	November	Major US launch for Phosphagenics' personal care products	New York-based luxury beauty company, Le Métier de Beauté, will launch its new cosmetic treatment products, Peau de Vierge Anti-Aging Collection, exclusively with Phosphagenics' TPM™ delivery technology across the US.
	December	Results of Phospha-E® clinical trial for the treatment of Metabolic Syndrome	The human trial focused on using orally administered Phospha-E® as a treatment for heart disease and diabetes. While not large enough to show statistical significance, the trial did show marked improvement in heart disease and diabetes risk factors – particularly in smokers receiving Phospha-E® treatment.
		Insulin patch on track for clinical trials	Announcement that TPM/insulin project is scheduled to return to the clinic for human trials in the first half of 2010, following the adaptation of the successful TPM <sup>™</sup> patch technology developed internally for the oxycodone program.

	2009	2008	2007	2006
FINANCIAL	A-IFRS	A-IFRS	A-IFRS	A-IFRS
NET ASSETS/EQUITY				
per share	6.7 cents	7.8 cents	22.2 cents	23.3 cents
Amount	\$49.99 m	\$51.55 m	\$133.76 m	\$135.47 m
SECURITIES : Year End Market Prices				
Shares (POH)	6.8 cents	7.7 cents	24.0 cents	34.0 cents
Options (POHOB)	-	1.0 cent	12.0 cents	23.0 cents
MARKET CAPITALISATION	\$50.3 m	\$51.09 m	\$144.83 m	\$197.23 m
ISSUED SECURITIES				
Shares (POH) quoted	739,696,509	663,542,406	603,440,906	580,105,848
Options (POHOB) quoted	_	59,630,948	59,630,948	59,632,673
Options (various) unquoted	12,350,000	9,850,000	5,600,000	4,300,000
	\$000	\$000	\$000	\$000
EQUITY RAISING				
Exercise of Options	14	_	_	2
Share Purchase Plan	7,000	_	5,517	-
Placement	-	9,015	1,483	10,000
Scrip Acquisition	-	_	_	-
Capital Raisings Costs	(425)	(243)	(65)	(700)
	6,589	8,772	6,935	9,302
FUNDING				
Cash and Receivables	11,160	13,128	12,292	15,923
OPERATING RESULTS				
After Impairments and Tax	(8,501)	(91,206)	(8,844)	(6,125)
NET OPERATING EXPENSES				
Research Expenses	\$3.45 m	\$6.39 m	\$8.45 m	\$4.75 m



#### **BOARD MEMBERS**



Associate Prof.
Andrew Lancelot Vizard
BVSc (Hons), MVPM
Chairman & Independent Director



Mr Harry Rosen BA, LLB President & Chief Executive Officer



Prof. John Mills BS, MD, FACP, FRACP Independent Director



Mr Jonathan Lancelot Addison BEc (Tas), ASIC, CFTA (Snr). Independent Director



Mr Michael Richard Dwyer Ashton BPharm, MBA Independent Director



Dr Esra Ogru BSc (Hons), PhD Chief Operating Officer

# DIRECTORS' REPORT

Your directors submit their report for the year ended 31 December 2009.

#### DIRECTORS

The names and details of the Company's directors in office during the financial year and until the date of this report are as follows. Directors were in office for this entire period unless otherwise stated.

NAMES, QUALIFICATIONS, EXPERIENCE AND SPECIAL RESPONSIBILITIES

ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR ANDREW LANCELOT VIZARD (AGED 51 YEARS) BVSC (HONS) MVPM NON EXECUTIVE INDEPENDENT DIRECTOR SINCE JULY 1999 AND CHAIRMAN SINCE OCTOBER 2000 LAST RE-ELECTED MAY 2007

With a background in research and agricultural consultancy, Professor Vizard is the Senior Consultant with and former Director of the Mackinnon Project at the University of Melbourne. This enterprise is recognised as a leader in delivering practical advice to farmers and agribusiness on a wide range of agricultural and economic issues. Professor Vizard is the author of over fifty scientific papers.

Professor Vizard is an experienced company director, having served on the board of numerous statutory, scientific and commercial organisations. He is currently a Non-Executive Director of Ridley Corporation Ltd and Animal Health Australia Ltd, a Trustee of the Australian Wool Education Trust and a member of the Management Advisory Committee for Melbourne Water.

Professor Vizard is a member of the Company's Audit, Compliance and Corporate Governance Committee.

HARRY ROSEN (AGED 62 YEARS) BA, LLB EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR APPOINTED TO THE BOARD IN JUNE 1999 APPOINTED CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER DECEMBER 2005 LAST RE-ELECTED MAY 2004\*

Mr Rosen is one of the founders of Betatene Limited and Denehurst Limited, two formerly ASX listed companies which commercialised significant research and development. Betatene is the world's largest producer of natural beta carotene. After the purchase of Betatene Limited by Henkel Corporation, Mr Rosen served as Vice President, Corporate Development. As a Vice President of Henkel Corporation, he worked for a number of years in the U.S. in the nutrition and health care industries.



Mr Rosen has consulted to many technology companies assisting them with the commercialisation of new technologies. He has had significant experience in the areas of seed capital raising, stock exchange listings, taxation and corporate law. Mr Rosen graduated from the Australian National University (BA-Psychology) and Melbourne University (LLB).

\* As Chief Executive Officer Mr Rosen is not required to retire by rotation.

JONATHAN LANCELOT ADDISON (AGED 57 YEARS) BEC (TAS), ASIC, CFTP (SNR) NON EXECUTIVE INDEPENDENT DIRECTOR SINCE NOVEMBER 2002 LAST RE-ELECTED MAY 2008

Mr Addison has over 30 years in the investment management industry, including wide experience in superannuation. Currently he is the Investment Manager (formerly Fund Manager) of the Meat Industry Employee Superannuation Fund ("MIESF") whom he joined in June 1999 and where he is responsible for the investment management of MIESF.

MIESF, a self-administered industry superannuation fund established in 1981 which operates nationally, currently holds 21,800,000 shares in Phosphagenics Limited.

Prior to his appointment to MIESF, Mr Addison was a Director and Asset Consultant within the Corporate Finance section of PricewaterhouseCoopers and in this role was responsible for establishing an investment consulting practice with clients ranging from superannuation funds to insurance funds and funds managers. Prior to that, he was Manager Investment Consultant at Sedgwick Noble Lowndes.

Mr Addison also holds Non-Executive Directorships with African Enterprise Limited, African Enterprise New Zealand Limited, and African Enterprise International, Hawksbridge Limited, Global Masters Fund Limited and TPCG Limited.

Mr Addison is the Chairman of the Company's Audit, Compliance and Corporate Governance Committee.

# DIRECTORS' REPORT » CONTINUED

PROFESSOR JOHN MILLS (AGED 69 YEARS) BS (HONS), MD, FACP, FRACP NON EXECUTIVE INDEPENDENT DIRECTOR SINCE MARCH 2004 LAST RE-ELECTED MAY 2007

Professor Mills has a long and distinguished career in medical research, clinical medicine and biomedical business. In addition to his position as a Non-Executive Director of Phosphagenics, he is Executive Chairman of Cavidi AB, an Executive Director of TissuPath Pty Ltd and a Non-Executive Director of GBS Venture Partners Pty Ltd. He was previously a Non-Executive Director (1995–2003) and Chairman (2001–2) of AMRAD Corporation. He is also a Non-Executive Director of the Prostate Cancer Foundation of Australia and Chair of the PCFA Research Committee. He holds appointments at Monash University, the University of California, San Francisco and RMIT, and is a consulting physician at The Alfred and Austin Hospitals in Melbourne.

Professor Mills is a member of the Company's Audit, Compliance and Corporate Governance Committee.

#### MICHAEL RICHARD DWYER ASHTON (AGED 63 YEARS) BPHARM, MBA NON EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR APPOINTED TO THE BOARD ON 8 JULY 2008

Mr Ashton has more than 30 years' experience in the international pharmaceutical industry having held senior management positions with Merck Inc. and Pfizer Inc., and executive board positions with Faulding Inc. and SkyePharma Plc.

Mr Ashton was CEO and Director of SkyePharma Plc., initially he was responsible for the reorganisation of SkyePharma AG as a public enterprise (1997–1998). In 1998 he took over responsibility of the operations of the SkyePharma Plc. group and reorganised the international structure in Europe and the U.S. and the world wide Business Development Group.

Earlier Mr Ashton was Chairman, President and CEO of Faulding Inc., the U.S. subsidiary he opened for FH Faulding, Australia's largest pharmaceutical company, and CEO of Purepac Inc. During that time, he supervised the start-up of David Bull in the U.S. and Canada, and oversaw restructuring of Purepac Inc. into a leader of the U.S. generic pharmaceutical industry.



In addition, Mr Ashton served with Pfizer International for 14 years in various roles, which included Director of Pharmaceutical Business Development for Europe/Canada, Vice President of Pharmaceutical Development for Africa/Middle East, Pharmaceutical Business Director of Nigeria and Group Product Manager for the International Division in New York.

Mr Ashton previously applied his pharmacist background to various management positions during six years at MerckSharp and Dohme in Sydney and the U.S.

Mr Ashton is a member of the Boards of Hikma Pharmaceuticals Plc, Proximagen Neuroscience Plc and Transition Therapeutics Inc.

Mr Ashton holds a Bachelor of Pharmacy degree from Sydney University and a Masters in Business Administration from Rutger University, New Jersey, USA.

DR ESRA OGRU (AGED 34 YEARS) BSC (HONS) PHD CHIEF OPERATING OFFICER SINCE JANUARY 2009 LAST RE-ELECTED MAY 2009

Dr Ogru is an Executive Director of Phosphagenics and is responsible for the management of the operations and development in Australia and internationally. She achieves this through strong leadership of a team of experienced pharmaceutical scientists and chemists and strategic collaborations.

In this role, Dr Ogru has developed commercial opportunities for both the Company's nutraceutical division and pharmaceutical technologies, such as transdermal drug delivery and drug enhancement platforms for cancer, heart disease and chronic pain management.

Dr Ogru has many years experience in both the academic and commercial aspects of the industry. Prior to joining Phosphagenics in 2001, Dr Ogru carried out significant research on obesity and diabetes. Additionally, she has considerable experience in the management and coordination of pre-clinical and clinical development of pharmaceutical products.

Dr Ogru has numerous publications in peer-reviewed journals.

## DIRECTORS' REPORT » CONTINUED

#### DIRECTORSHIPS OF OTHER LISTED COMPANIES

Directorships of other listed companies held by Directors in the three years immediately before the end of the financial year are as follows:

NAME	COMPANY	PERIOD OF DIRECTORSHIP
Andrew Lancelot Vizard	Ridley Corporation Limited	Since 29 January 2001
John Mills	Narhex Life Sciences Limited	10 April 2001 to 17 December 2007
Jonathan Lancelot Addison	Global Masters Fund Limited	Since 19 April 2005

#### **COMPANY SECRETARY**

Mourice Garbutt FCIS, Honorary Justice of the Peace in Victoria

Mr Garbutt, through his professional corporate secretarial and compliance service company, provides secretarial, clerical and corporate governance support to client companies in Australia many of which are listed on the ASX Limited. Fees are charged on normal commercial terms.

#### PRINCIPAL ACTIVITIES

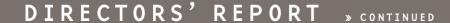
The principle activities of the Company are the production, sale and licensing of products for the nutraceutical and pharmaceutical industries.

#### OPERATING AND FINANCIAL REVIEW

At the end of December 2009, the company held \$10.9 million in cash and cash equivalents after successfully raising \$7.0 million by way of a share purchase plan in October 2009. Closing cash was 16% below the amount held at December 2008 of \$12.9 million.

Revenues for the year of \$1.4 million were down 57% from \$3.2 million in 2008, due mainly to a decline in royalties received by the nutraceutical division and the expiry of both government grants (Commercial Ready and P3) during the first half of 2009. Product sales increased year on year by 50%, more than eight tonnes of Vital ET® was sold in 2009.

The operating loss (before impairment of acquired intangible assets and goodwill) after income tax was \$8.5 million, a marginal increase from \$8.4 million in 2008.



A number of developement milestones were achieved in 2009 including:

#### Insulin

Completion of a transdermal insulin human trial demonstrating the proprietary TPM/insulin formulation can safely deliver insulin into patients with Type 1 diabetes.

#### Diclofenac

Completion of a Phase 1 diclofenac study demonstrating the proprietary TPM/diclofenac formulation was safe and well tolerated in humans.

#### Retinoic Acid

Completion of a Two-staged Phase 1 clinical trial not only demonstrating Phosphagenics proprietary drug delivery system could significantly increase the delivery of retinoic acid compared with benchmark products, but that it could do so with less irritation than a leading commercial product used for the treatment of acne, Retin-A®.

#### 0xycodone

Completion of preclinical studies for the proprietary TPM/oxycodone transdermal patch system. The results of the preclinical studies demonstrated that by incorporating TPM/oxycodone into innovative patch systems developed by Phosphagenics, the delivery of oxycodone was significantly increased when compared to Phosphagenics TPM/oxycodone gel alone.

Completion of a Phase 1 Repeat Insult Patch Test (RIPT), demonstrating the repeated application of the proprietary TPM/oxycodone formulation did not cause any significant erythema or sensitisation in humans.

Completed a Phase 1 clinical study of the proprietary oxycodone transdermal matrix and reservoir patch systems. The results of the trial established that after a single dose the matrix patch delivered oxycodone into the blood stream in a reproducible, consistent and sustained manner.

#### Commercial Agreements

Phosphagenics signed an agreement with CSL to evaluate the TPM™ delivery technology.

Entered into an exclusive agreement with Métier Tribeca LLC, ("Métier") to enable Métier to launch a premier line of cosmetic products utilising the TPM<sup>TM</sup> delivery technology, under its brand name Le Métier de Beauté. Métier launched the new cosmetic treatment products, Peau de Vierge Anti-Aging Collection, across the US in November 2009.

## DIRECTORS' REPORT » CONTINUED

Signed a collaborative research and option agreement with Metabolic Pharmaceuticals Limited. Under the terms of the agreement, Phosphagenics may elect to license Metabolic's patented compound, AOD9604, for use as a cosmeceutical product marketed as a cellulite and subcutaneous fat reduction treatment. The license, should Phosphagenics elect to exercise the option, will be a worldwide exclusive license.

Announced the results of its Phospha-E® clinical trial for the treatment of Metabolic Syndrome.

Phosphagenics now has four products in various stages of clinical development:

- Transdermal insulin delivery formulation
- Oxycodone patch

Retinoic acid formulation

Topical diclofenac formulation

#### LOOKING FORWARD

Clinical trials have clearly shown TPM<sup>™</sup> technology can be used to safely deliver active agents into the blood stream, or the dermis, without causing irritation or erythema.

Phosphagenics announced the successful completion of its Phase 1B repeat dose trial for its proprietary oxycodone/TPM transdermal patch system which delivered oxycodone in therapeutic doses in a consistent and sustained manner. This trial was conducted over 10 days.

Phosphagenics plans to return to the clinic in the first half of 2010 with TPM/insulin for human trials, following an analysis of a range of possible adaptations of the TPM™ delivery technology for delivering insulin, including a patch.

In parallel to applying its proprietary delivery technology for use in pharmaceuticals, which have the potential to generate high value products, but which are subject to stringent regulatory requirements and long product development timelines, Phosphagenics is leveraging the research and development already undertaken to apply the TPM™ delivery technology to cosmetic and personal care products. The TPM™ delivery technology is well suited to products in this growing market, as products can be brought to market relatively quickly and with relatively low expenditure. Phosphagenics aims to generate cash from the sale of cosmeceutical products, which can be used to support research to develop the more costly, but higher value generating, pharmaceutical products.

In 2010 Phosphagenics will launch its own brand of personal care products (Elixia™) into the Australian market through pharmacies, while continuing to expand the cosmetics business globally through the relationship with Le Métier de Beauté in the USA.



#### **FUTURE DEVELOPMENTS**

Disclosure of information regarding likely developments in the operations of the consolidated entity in future financial years and the expected results of those operations is likely to result in unreasonable prejudice to the consolidated entity. Accordingly, this information has not been disclosed in this report.

#### **ENVIRONMENTAL REGULATIONS**

The Company is registered with relevant authorities to use certain compounds in the manufacture of goods. All waste chemicals are disposed of using accredited service providers with notification to the relevant authorities.

#### DIVIDENDS

The Directors have not recommended the payment of any dividends and no dividends were declared, paid or reinvested in the year to 31 December 2009.

#### SHARE OPTIONS

Share options convertible to ordinary shares on issue at 31 December 2009:

	ISSUING ENTITY	AUSTRALIAN STOCK EXCHANGE LISTED	SHARES UNDER OPTION NO.	CLASS OF SHARES	EXERCISE PRICE \$	EXPIRY DATE
	Phosphagenics Ltd	unquoted	1,000,000	Ordinary	\$0.22	18 Aug 2010
	Phosphagenics Ltd	unquoted	500,000	Ordinary	\$0.24	28 Mar 2011
	Phosphagenics Ltd	unquoted	1,600,000	Ordinary	\$0.24	22 May 2011
_	Phosphagenics Ltd	unquoted	100,000	Ordinary	\$0.36	28 Aug 2011
	Phosphagenics Ltd	unquoted	1,300,000	Ordinary	\$0.26	6 June 2012
	Phosphagenics Ltd	unquoted	2,350,000	Ordinary	\$0.15	17 Aug 2013
	Phosphagenics Ltd	unquoted	2,850,000	Ordinary	\$0.15	17 June 2014
	Phosphagenics Ltd	unquoted	2,650,000	Ordinary	\$0.13	30 June 2018
	Total		12,350,000			

The holders of share options do not have voting rights or ability to participate in any share or rights issue. Since the end of the financial year no options have been exercised.

# DIRECTORS' REPORT » CONTINUED

#### ROUNDING OF AMOUNTS

The amounts contained in this report and in the financial report have been rounded to the nearest \$1,000 (where rounding is applicable and where noted [\$'000]), under the option available to the company under ASIC Class Order 98/0100. The company is an entity to which the Class Order applies.

#### INDEMNIFICATION OF OFFICERS AND AUDITORS

During the financial year, the Company paid a premium in respect of a contract insuring its Directors and Officers against a liability, other than a wilful breach of duty, of a nature that is required to be disclosed under section 300(8) of the *Corporations Act 2001*. In accordance with section 300(9) of the *Corporations Act 2001*, further details have not been disclosed due to confidentiality provisions contained in the insurance contract.

#### DIRECTORS' MEETINGS

The number of meetings of directors (including meetings of committees of directors) held during the year and the number of meetings attended by each director were as follows:

DIRECTORS	BOARD OF	DIRECTORS	SHARE ALLOTMENT COMMITTEE		AUDIT, COMPLIANCE AND CORPORATE GOVERNANCE COMMITTEE	
	HELD	ATTENDED	HELD ATTENDED		HELD	ATTENDED
Non-executive directors						
Vizard, A L	9	9	-	-	5	5
Addison, J L	9	9	-	-	5	5
Mills, J	9	9	-	-	5	5
Ashton, M R D	9	9	-	-	-	-
Executive directors						
Rosen, H	9	9	-	-	-	-
Ogru, E	9	9	-	-	-	-



#### COMMITTEE MEMBERSHIP

For all committees, any two Directors constitutes a quorum. All Directors are eligible to sit on the share allotment committee. The audit, compliance and corporate governance committee comprises of Independent Directors; Addison, J L (chairman), Mills, J and Vizard, A L.

#### DIRECTORS' SHAREHOLDINGS

During the reporting period shares issued to Vizard, A L, Mills, J and Ashton, M R D, resulted from their participation in the Share Purchase Plan. Entitlements during this period, as reported to the ASX Limited, include share and option transactions and are as follows:

DIRECTORS	2009	2009
	NUMBER OF ORDINARY SHARES	NUMBER OF OPTIONS OVER ORDINARY SHARES
Non-executive directors		
Vizard, A L	177,758	-
Addison, J L	19,000	-
Mills, J	694,057	-
Ashton, M R D	263,043	-
Executive directors		
Rosen, H	64,226,436	-
Ogru, E	5,711,610	-
Total	71,091,904	

#### REMUNERATION REPORT (AUDITED)

This remuneration report for the year ended 31 December 2009 outlines the remuneration arrangements of the Company and the Group in accordance with the requirements of the *Corporations Act 2001* (the Act) and its regulations. This information has been audited as required by section 308(3C) of the Act.

For the purposes of this report, key management personnel (KMP) of the Group are defined as those persons having authority and responsibility for planning, directing and controlling the major activities of the Company and the Group, directly or indirectly, including any director (whether executive or otherwise) of the parent company.

## DIRECTORS' REPORT » CONTINUED

DETAILS OF KEY MANAGEMENT PERSONNEL	POSITION
Non-executive directors	
Vizard, A L	Chairman and Independent Director
Addison, J L	Independent Director
Mills, J	Independent Director
Ashton, M R D	Independent Director
Executive directors	
Rosen, H	President and Chief Executive Officer
Ogru, E¹	Chief Operating Officer
Key management personnel	
Banti, F	President Phosphagenics Inc, Senior Vice President Australia
Hodges, A	Chief Financial Officer
Gavin, P <sup>1</sup>	Vice President R&D – Pharmaceuticals

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Dr Ogru and Dr Gavin were promoted to their new positions effective 20 February 2009.

#### REMUNERATION COMMITTEE

The remuneration committee, part of the audit, compliance and corporate governance committee, is responsible for determining and reviewing remuneration arrangements for the directors and executives. The remuneration committee assesses the appropriateness of the nature and amount of remuneration of executives on a periodic basis by reference to relevant employment market conditions with the overall objective of ensuring maximum stakeholder benefit from the retention of a high quality, high performing director and executive team.

#### REMUNERATION PHILOSOPHY AND STRUCTURE

The performance of the Company depends upon the quality of its directors and executives. Attempts to prosper include attracting, motivating and retaining highly skilled directors and executives. The broad remuneration philosophy is to ensure a remuneration package properly reflects the person's duties and responsibilities and that remuneration is competitive in attracting, retaining and motivating people of the highest quality.

In accordance with best practice corporate governance, the structure of non-executive director and executive remuneration is separate and distinct.



# DIRECTORS' REPORT » CONTINUED

#### NON EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR REMUNERATION

#### **Objective**

The board seeks to set aggregate remuneration at a level that provides the Company with the ability to attract and retain directors of the highest calibre, whilst incurring a cost that is acceptable to shareholders.

#### Structure

The constitution and the ASX listing rules specify that the aggregate remuneration of non-executive directors shall be determined from time to time by a general meeting. The latest determination was at the annual general meeting held on 29 January 2004 when shareholders approved an aggregate remuneration of \$300,000 per year.

The amount of aggregate remuneration sought to be approved by shareholders and the fee structure is reviewed annually. The board considers advice from external consultants as well as the fees paid to non-executive directors of comparable companies when undertaking the annual review process. A review was conducted in late 2009 resulting in no change to remuneration of non-executive directors.

Each non-executive director receives a base fee of \$38,000 for being a director of the Group. The non-executive directors do not receive retirement benefits, nor do they participate in any incentive programs. The remuneration of non-executive directors for the period ending 31 December 2009 and 31 December 2008 is detailed in the tables within this report.

#### **EXECUTIVE REMUNERATION**

#### *Objective*

The Group aims to reward executives with a level and mix of remuneration commensurate with their position and responsibilities so as to align the interests of executives with those of shareholders to retain executives at the Company to ensure that total remuneration is competitive by market standards.

#### Structure

In determining the level and make-up of executive remuneration, the board engages external consultants as needed to provide independent advice. The process consists of a review of company and individual performance, relevant comparative remuneration in the market and internally, and where appropriate, external advice on policies and practices.

Remuneration packages contain the following key elements:

- Fixed remuneration (base salary, superannuation and non-monetary benefits)
- Variable remuneration long term incentive (options issued under the Employee Share Option Plan (ESOP))

Executive directors' remuneration was reviewed in late 2009 resulting in a 5% increase.

#### FIXED REMUNERATION

#### *Objective*

Fixed remuneration is reviewed annually by the board of directors. The process consists of a review of company and individual performance, relevant comparative remuneration externally and internally and, where appropriate, external advice on policies and practices. As noted above, the committee has access to external advice independent of management.

#### Structure

Executives are given the opportunity to receive their fixed (primary) remuneration in a variety of forms including cash and fringe benefits such as motor vehicles. It is intended that the manner of payment chosen will be optimal for the recipient without creating undue cost for the Group. Apart from termination benefits which accrue under statute such as unpaid annual leave, long service leave and superannuation benefits, there are no post-employment retirement benefits.

#### VARIABLE REMUNERATION LONG TERM INCENTIVE PLAN

#### **Objective**

The objective of the long term incentive plan is to reward executives in a manner that aligns remuneration with the creation of shareholder wealth and to ensure that executives view their relationship with the Group as a long-term one.

As such the long term incentive plan is only offered to executives who are able to influence the generation of shareholder wealth and thus have an impact on the Group's performance.



#### Structure

The long-term incentive plan grants to executives are delivered in the form of share options under the Employee Share Option Plan (ESOP). The share options will vest over differing periods depending on the offer conditions, with no opportunity to retest. Executives are able to exercise the share options after vesting and before the options lapse.

Where a participant ceases employment prior to the vesting of their share options, the share options are forfeited unless cessation of employment is due to retirement or death. In the event of a change of control of the Group, the performance period end date will be brought forward to the date of the change of control and awards will vest over this shortened period.

The Groups current remuneration policies provide some degree of linkage between an executive's variable long-term incentive remuneration and the overall financial performance of the Group. However, given the position of the Group and its stage of development, the remuneration is aimed at retaining key individuals to ensure the success of current and future product development and successful commercialisation of products, which will in turn impact future profitability of the Group and shareholder wealth.

#### EMPLOYMENT CONTRACTS

No executives have fixed term contracts with the Group. The company or the executive may terminate employment by providing four weeks written notice. On termination, any long-term incentive plan (ESOP) options that have vested are available to be exercised. Any options that have not yet vested will be forfeited. The company may terminate employment at any time without notice if serious misconduct has occurred. Where termination with cause occurs the executive is only entitled to that portion of remuneration that is fixed, and only up to the date of termination. On termination with cause, any unvested options will immediately be forfeited.

## DIRECTORS' REPORT » CONTINUED

#### OPTIONS GRANTED DURING THE YEAR TO KEY MANAGEMENT PERSONNEL

KEY MANAGEMENT PERSONNEL	GRANTED NO.	GRANT DATE	FAIR VALUE	EXERCISE PRICE \$	VESTED NO.	EXPIRY DATE
Banti, F	650,000	29 May 2009	\$0.124	\$0.14	650,000	30 June 2018
Hodges, A <sup>1</sup>	300,000	18 June 2009	\$0.095	\$0.15	-	18 June 2014
Gavin, P <sup>1</sup>	300,000	18 June 2009	\$0.095	\$0.15	-	18 June 2014
Totals	1,250,000				650,000	-

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>Vest 18 June 2010

All share options issued to key management personnel during the reporting period were in accordance with the provisions of the Employee Share Option Plan (ESOP), 50% have vested and none were forfeited.

#### REMUNERATION OF KEY MANAGEMENT PERSONNEL

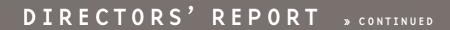
	2009 CONSOLIDATED	2009 PARENT	2008 CONSOLIDATED	2008 PARENT
AGGREGATES	\$	\$	\$	\$
Short-Term Benefits	1,083,557	1,083,557	1,128,691	1,128,691
Post-Employment	89,581	89,581	120,077	120,077
Share Based Payment	137,125	137,125	212,812	212,812
Totals	1,310,263	1,310,263	1,461,580	1,461,580



# DIRECTORS' REPORT » CONTINUED

#### REMUNERATION OF KEY MANAGEMENT PERSONNEL (CONTINUED)

2009		SHOR	T-TERM		POST-EMPLOYMENT	POST-EMPLOYMENT			SHARE BASED TO PAYMENT		PERFORMANCE RELATED	
<u> </u>	SALARY & FEES	CASH BONUS	NON MONETARY BENEFITS	OTHER	SUPERANNUATION	RETIREMENT BENEFITS	CASH INCENTIVES	LONG SERVICE LEAVE	OPTIONS	SHARES		
10	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	0/0
Non-executive directors	Non-executive directors											
Vizard, A L	69,725	-	-	-	6,275	-	-	-	-	-	76,000	-
Addison, J L	34,862	-	-	-	3,138	-	-	-	-	-	38,000	-
Mills, J	34,862	-	-	-	3,138	-	-	-	-	-	38,000	-
Ashton, M R D	18,841	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	18,841	-
Executive directors												
Rosen, H	252,294	-	-	-	22,706	-	-	-	-	-	275,000	-
Ogru, E	206,422	-	-	-	18,578	-	-	-	-	-	225,000	-
Key management personnel	Key management personnel											
Banti, F	211,409	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	80,321	-	291,730	-
Hodges, A	138,508	-	-	-	25,249	-	-	-	28,402	-	192,159	-
Gavin, P	116,634	-	-	-	10,497	-	-	-	28,402	-	155,533	
Totals	1,083,557	-	-	-	89,581	-	-	-	137,125	-	1,310,263	-



# DIRECTORS' REPORT » CONTINUED

#### REMUNERATION OF KEY MANAGEMENT PERSONNEL (CONTINUED)

2008	2008 SHORT-TERM		POST-EMPLOYMENT	POST-EMPLOYMENT POST-EMPLOYMENT			SHARE BASED PAYMENT TOTAL			PERFORMANCE RELATED		
	SALARY & FEES	CASH BONUS	NON MONETARY BENEFITS	OTHER	SUPERANNUATION	RETIREMENT BENEFITS	CASH INCENTIVES	LONG SERVICE LEAVE	OPTIONS	SHARES		
	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	0/0
Non-executive directors												
Vizard, A L	69,725	-	-	-	6,275	-	-	-	-	-	76,000	-
Addison, J L	34,862	-	-	-	3,138	-	-	-	-	-	38,000	-
Mills, J	34,862	-	-	-	3,138	-	-	-	-	-	38,000	-
Preston, M D	25,333	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	25,333	-
Ashton, M R D	18,841	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	18,841	-
Executive directors												
Rosen, H	277,293	-	-	-	24,866	-	-	-	-	-	302,159	-
Ogru, E	212,422	-	-	-	19,118	-	-	-	-	-	231,540	-
Key management personnel												
Banti, F	176,413	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	191,463	-	367,876	-
Hodges, A	122,324	-	-	-	31,009	-	-	-	16,012	-	169,345	-
McSwiggan, M	86,000	-	-	-	7,740	-	-	-	5,337	-	99,077	-
Chilton, M	19,884	-	-	-	20,227	-	-	-	-	-	40,111	-
Karanikolopoulos, K	50,732	-	-	-	4,566	-	-	-	-	-	55,298	-
Totals	1,128,691	-	-	-	120,077	-	-	-	212,812	-	1,461,580	-



#### OPTION HOLDINGS OF KEY MANAGEMENT PERSONNEL

2009	01 JAN 09 BALANCE	GRANTED AS REMUNERATION	OPTIONS EXERCISED	NET OTHER CHANGE	31 DEC 09 BALANCE	VESTED	NOT VESTED
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
Non Executive Directors							
Vizard, A L	1,200,000	-	-	(1,200,000) 1	-	-	-
Addison, J L	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Mills, J	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Ashton, M R D	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Executive Directors							
Rosen, H	5,050,000	-	-	(5,050,000) 1		-	-
Ogru, E	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Key Management Personnel							
Banti, F	2,000,000	650,000	-	-	2,650,000	2,150,000	500,000
Hodges, A	300,000	300,000	-	-	600,000	300,000	300,000
Gavin, P	500,000	300,000	-	-	800,000	500,000	300,000
Totals	9,050,000	1,250,000	-	(6,250,000)	4,050,000	2,950,000	1,100,000

Options quoted on the Australian Stock Exchange were issued as part of the original subscriptions for shares Phosphagenics Ltd. These options expired on 7 June 2009.

# DIRECTORS' REPORT » CONTINUED

#### OPTION HOLDINGS OF KEY MANAGEMENT PERSONNEL (CONTINUED)

2008	01 JAN 08 BALANCE	GRANTED AS REMUNERATION	OPTIONS EXERCISED	NET OTHER CHANGE	31 DEC 08 BALANCE	VESTED	NOT VESTED
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
Non Executive Directors							
Vizard, A L	1,200,000	-	-	-	1,200,000	1,200,000	-
Addison, J L	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Mills, J	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Preston, M D	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Ashton, M R D	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Executive Directors							
Rosen, H	5,050,000	-	-	-	5,050,000	5,050,000	-
Ogru, E	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Key Management Personnel							
Banti, F	-	2,000,000	-	-	2,000,000	500,000	1,500,000
Hodges, A	-	300,000	-	-	300,000	-	300,000
McSwiggan, M	200,000	100,000	-	-	300,000	200,000	100,000
West, S M	2,675,000	-	-	-	2,675,000	2,675,000	-
Chilton, M	500,000	-	-	-	500,000	500,000	-
Karanikolopoulos, K	400,000	-	-	(400,000)	-	-	-
Totals	10,025,000	2,400,000	-	(400,000)	12,025,000	10,125,000	1,900,000

All options granted to key management personnel have been issued in accordance with the provisions of the Employee Share Option Plan (ESOP).



#### SHAREHOLDINGS OF KEY MANAGEMENT PERSONNEL

	2009	01 JAN 09 BALANCE	GRANTED AS REMUNERATION	RECEIVED ON EXERCISE OF OPTIONS	NET OTHER CHANGE	31 DEC 09 BALANCE
7		No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
	Non Executive Directors					
$\int_{\Gamma}$	Vizard, A L	123,411	-	-	54,347 <sup>1</sup>	177,758
_	Addison, J L	19,000	-	-	-	19,000
_	Mills, J	476,667	-	-	217,390 <sup>1</sup>	694,057
	Ashton, M R D	100,000	-	-	163,043 <sup>1</sup>	263,043
	Executive Directors					
M	Rosen, H	64,226,436	-	-	-	64,226,436
	Ogru, E	5,711,610	-	-	-	5,711,610
	Key Management Personnel					
_	Banti, F	-	-	-	-	-
// .	Hodges, A	52,420	-	-	-	52,420
	Gavin, P	99,000	-	-	-	99,000
7	Totals	70,808,544	-	-	434,780	71,243,324

During the reporting period shares issued to Vizard, A L, Mills, J, and Ashton, M R D, resulted from their participation in the Share Purchase Plan.

# DIRECTORS' REPORT » CONTINUED

#### SHAREHOLDINGS OF KEY MANAGEMENT PERSONNEL (CONTINUED)

2008	01 JAN 08 BALANCE	GRANTED AS REMUNERATION	RECEIVED ON EXERCISE OF OPTIONS	NET OTHER CHANGE	31 DEC 08 BALANCE
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
Non Executive Directors					
Vizard, A L	123,411	-	-	-	123,411
Addison, J L	19,000	-	-	-	19,000
Mills, J	302,667	-	-	174,000	476,667
Preston, M D	2,172,659	-	-	(2,172,659)	-
Ashton, M R D	-	-	-	100,000	100,000
Executive Directors					
Rosen, H	64,176,436	-	-	50,000	64,226,436
Ogru, E	5,711,610	-	-	-	5,711,610
Key Management Personnel					
Banti, F	-	-	-	-	-
Hodges, A	-	-	-	52,420	52,420
McSwiggan, M	20,000	-	-	7,500	27,500
West, S M	50,242,658	-	-	-	50,242,658
Chilton, M	100,000	-	-	(100,000)	-
Karanikolopoulos, K	_		-		
Totals	122,868,441	-	-	(1,888,739)	120,979,702

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# AUDITOR'S INDEPENDENCE DECLARATION



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#### Auditor's Independence Declaration to the Directors of Phosphagenics Limited

In relation to our audit of the financial report of Phosphagenics Limited for the financial year ended 31 December 2009, to the best of my knowledge and belief, there have been no contraventions of the auditor independence requirements of the *Corporations Act 2001* or any applicable code of professional conduct.

Frank & Young

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Ernst & Young

Don Brumley Partner

19 February 2010

#### NON-AUDIT SERVICES

The Directors are satisfied that the provision of non-audit services, during the year, by the auditor (or by another person or firm on the auditor's behalf) is compatible with the general standard of independence for auditors imposed by the *Corporations Act 2001*. Details of amounts paid or payable to the auditor for non-audit services provided during the year by the auditor are outlined in note 6 to the financial statements.

#### AUDITOR'S INDEPENDENCE DECLARATION

The auditor's independence declaration is included on page 27 of the financial report.

#### CHANGES IN STATE OF AFFAIRS

During the financial year there was no significant change in the state of affairs of the consolidated entity other than that referred to in the financial statements or notes thereto.

#### SUBSEQUENT EVENTS

There has not been any matter or circumstance, other than that referred to in the financial statements or notes thereto, that has arisen since the end of the financial year, that has significantly affected, or may significantly affect, the operations of the consolidated entity, the results of those operations, or the state of affairs of the consolidated entity in future financial years.

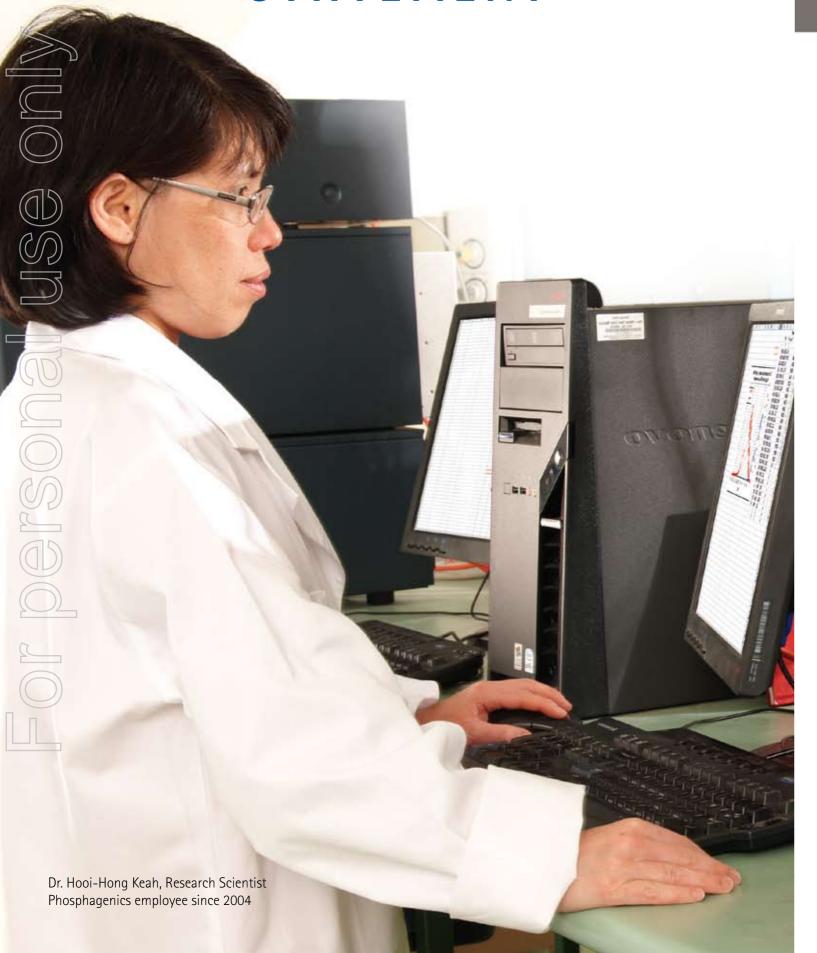
Signed in accordance with a resolution of the Directors made pursuant to s.298(2) of the Corporations Act 2001.

Andrew Lancelot Vizard
Chairman

19 February 2010

Melbourne

# CORPORATE GOVERNANCE STATEMENT



# ANNUAL FINANCIAL REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2009

# CORPORATE GOVERNANCE STATEMENT

#### CORPORATE GOVERNANCE PRACTICES AND CONDUCT

The board of directors of Phosphagenics Limited is responsible for establishing the corporate governance framework of the Group having regard to the ASX Corporate Governance Council (CGC) published guidelines as well as its corporate governance principles and recommendations. The board guides and monitors the business and affairs of Phosphagenics Limited on behalf of the shareholders by whom they are elected and to whom they are accountable.

The table below summarises the Company's compliance with the CGS's recommendations.

PRINCIPLE	RECOMMENDATION	COMPLY YES/NO	REFERENCE/ EXPLANATION	ASX LISTING RULE/ RECOMMENDATION
1	Lay solid foundations for management and oversight			
1.1	Companies should establish the functions reserved to the board and those delegated to senior executives and disclose those functions.	Yes	Page 60	ASX LR 1.1
1.2	Companies should disclose the process for evaluating the performance of senior executives.	Yes	Pages 62-63	ASX LR 1.2
1.3	Companies should provide the information indicated in the guide to reporting on Principle 1.	Yes		ASX LR 1.3
2	Structure the board to add value			
2.1	A majority of the board should be independent directors.	Yes	Page 61	ASX LR 2.1
2.2	The chair should be an independent director.	Yes	Page 61	ASX LR 2.2
2.3	The roles of chair and chief executive officer should not be exercised by the same individual.	Yes	Page 61	ASX LR 2.3
2.4	The board should establish a nomination committee.	No	Page 62	ASX LR 2.4
2.5	Companies should disclose the process for evaluating the performance of the board, its committees and individual directors.	Yes	Pages 41-44, 63-64	ASX LR 2.5
2.6	Companies should provide the information indicated in the guide to reporting on Principle 2.	Yes		ASX LR 2.6



# CORPORATE GOVERNANCE STATEMENT » CONTINU

	3	Promote ethical and responsible decision-making			
3.1		Companies should establish a code of conduct and disclose the code or a summary of the code as to:  - The practices necessary to maintain confidence in the company's integrity.  - The practices necessary to take into account their legal obligations and the reasonable expectations of their stakeholders.  - The responsibility and accountability of individuals for reporting and investigating reports of unethical practices.	Yes	Website	ASX LR 3.1
3.2		Companies should establish a policy concerning trading in company securities by directors, senior executives and employees, and disclose the policy or a summary of that policy.	Yes	Page 63	ASX LR 3.2
3.3		Companies should provide the information indicated in the guide to reporting on Principle 3	Yes		ASX LR 3.3
4		Safeguard integrity in financial reporting			
4.1		The board should establish an audit committee.	Yes	Pages 63-64	ASX LR 4.1
104.2		The audit committee should be structured so that it: - Consists only of non-executive directors - Has at least three members - Consists of a majority of independent directors - Is chaired by an independent chair, who is not chair of the board	Yes	Pages 63-64	ASX LR 4.2 ASX LR 12.7
4.3		The audit committee should have a formal charter.	Yes	Pages 63-64	ASX LR 4.3
4.4		Companies should provide the information indicated in the Guide to reporting on Principle 4.	Yes		ASX LR 4.4
5		Make timely and balanced disclosure			
5.1		Companies should establish written policies designed to ensure compliance with ASX listing rule disclosure requirements and to ensure accountability at a senior executive level for that compliance and disclose those policies or a summary of those policies.	Yes	Page 63	ASX LR 5.1
5.2		Companies should provide the information indicated in the guide to reporting on Principle 5.	Yes		ASX LR 5.2

CORPORATE GOVERNANCE STATEMENT » CONTINUED

6	Respect the rights of shareholders			
6.1	Companies should design a communications policy for promoting effective communication with shareholders and encouraging their participation at general meetings and disclose their policy or a summary of that policy.	Yes	Page 66	ASX LR 6.1
6.2	Companies should provide the information indicated in the guide to reporting on Principle 6.	Yes		ASX LR 6.2
7	Recognise and manage risk			
7.1	Companies should establish policies for the oversight and management of material business risks and disclose a summary of those policies.	Yes	Page 65	ASX LR 7.1
7.2	The board should require management to design and implement the risk management and internal control system to manage the company's material business risks and report to it on whether those risks are being managed effectively. The board should disclose that management has reported to it as to the effectiveness of the company's management of its material business risks	Yes	Pages 64-65	ASX LR 7.2
7.3	The board should disclose whether it has received assurance from the chief executive officer [or equivalent) and the chief financial officer [or equivalent] that the declaration provided in accordance with section 295A of the Corporations Act is founded on a sound system of risk management and internal control and that the system is operating effectively in all material respects in relation to financial reporting risks.	Yes	Page 65	ASX LR 7.3
7.4	Companies should provide the information indicated in the guide to reporting on Principle 7.	Yes		ASX LR 7.4
8	Remunerate fairly and responsibly			
8.1	The board should establish a remuneration committee.	Yes	Page 66	ASX LR 8.1
8.2	Companies should clearly distinguish the structure of non executive directors' remuneration from that of executive directors and senior executives.	Yes	Pages 40-44, 66	ASX LR 8.2
8.3	Companies should provide the information indicated in the Guide to reporting on Principle 8.	Yes		ASX LR 8.3

The Companies corporate governance practices were in place throughout the year ended 31 December 2009.

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#### BOARD FUNCTIONS

The board seeks to identify the expectations of the shareholders, as well as other regulatory and ethical expectations and obligations. In addition, the board is responsible for identifying areas of significant business risk and ensuring arrangements are in place to adequately manage those risks. To ensure that the board is well equipped to discharge its responsibilities it has established guidelines for the nomination and selection of directors and for the operation of the board. The responsibility for the operation and administration of the Group is delegated, by the board, to the Chief Executive Officer and the executive management team. The board ensures that this team is appropriately qualified and experienced to discharge their responsibilities and has in place procedures to assess the performance of the Chief Executive Officer and the executive management team. Whilst at all times the board retains full responsibility for guiding and monitoring the Group, in discharging its stewardship it makes use of sub-committees. Specialist committees are able to focus on a particular responsibility and provide informed feedback to the board. To this end the board has established Share Allotment and Audit, Compliance and Corporate Governance Committees.

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The Directors in office at the date of this statement, their skills, experience, expertise and period of directorship are detailed in the Directors' Report. In respect of the attendance at Board and Committee Meetings, shareholders are referred to the table of Meeting Attendance contained on page 39.

#### STRUCTURE OF THE BOARD

The skills, experience and expertise relevant to the position of director held by each director in office at the date of the annual report are included in the directors' report. Directors of Phosphagenics Limited are considered to be independent when they are independent of management and free from any business or other relationship that could materially interfere with, or could reasonably be perceived to materially interfere with, the exercise of their unfettered and independent judgement.

In the context of director independence, "materiality" is considered from both the Group and individual director perspective. The determination of materiality requires consideration of both quantitative and qualitative elements. An item is presumed to be quantitatively immaterial if it is equal to or less than 5% of the appropriate base amount. It is presumed to be material (unless there is qualitative evidence to the contrary) if it is equal to or greater than 10% of the appropriate base amount. Qualitative factors considered include whether a relationship is strategically important, the competitive landscape, the nature of the relationship and the contractual or other arrangements governing it and other factors that point to the actual ability of the director in question to shape the direction of the Group's loyalty.

In accordance with the definition of independence above, and the materiality thresholds set, the following directors of Phosphagenics Limited are considered to have the following status:

NAME	POSITION AND STATUS	TERM IN OFFICE			
Non-executive directors					
Vizard, A L	Chairman and Independent Director	10 years			
Addison, J L	Independent Director	7 years			
Mills, J	Independent Director	5 years			
Ashton, M R D	Independent Director	1 year			
Executive directors					
Rosen, H	Chief Executive Officer	10 years			
Ogru, E	Chief Operating Officer	4 years			

The board recognises the Corporate Governance Council's recommendation that the Chair should be an independent director.

#### COMPOSITION OF THE BOARD

The Company's Constitution provides for the appointment of a minimum of three Directors and up to a maximum of eight. At the date of this report, the Company has six Directors comprising two Executive and four Non-Executive Directors. The Chairman of the Board and the Chairman of the Board's Committees' are Non-Executive Directors.

In November 2009 the Board of Directors undertook a review of the status of each Director and reached the opinion that each Director, apart from Mr Rosen and Dr Ogru, could be classified as a Non-Executive Director. In addition, this assessment has concluded Vizard, A L, Mills J, Addison, J L, and Ashton, M R D, qualified as Independent Directors.

#### **BOARD RESPONSIBILITIES**

The responsibility for the operation and administration of the Company is delegated by the Board to the specifically identified outsourced service providers. The Board ensures that this team of service providers is appropriately qualified and experienced to discharge their responsibilities and has in place procedures to assess their performance.

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The Board is responsible for ensuring that management's objectives and activities are aligned with the expectations and risks identified by the Board. The Board has a number of mechanisms in place to ensure this is achieved. In addition to the establishment of specific committees referred in this statement, these mechanisms include the following:

- Implementation of operating plans and budgets by management and Board monitoring of progress against budget this includes the establishment and monitoring of key performance indicators (both financial and non-financial) for all significant business processes;
- Procedures to allow Directors, in the furtherance of their duties, to seek independent professional advice at the company's expense;
- The review and approval of acquisitions and disposals of businesses and assets, and the approval of contracts and financing arrangements within defined limits; and
- The appointment of an outsourced service provider, which is responsible for managing the Company's public image and communication with shareholders.

In conjunction with an ongoing review of the Board Charter, the Board will consider its responsibilities and delegated authorities to ensure they comply with best practice corporate governance.

#### Nomination and Membership

Subject to the provisions of the Company's Constitution, Board composition and selection criteria for Directors are addressed by the full Board. Accordingly, a Nomination and Membership Committee has not been established.

The Constitution provides for events whereby Directors may be removed from the Board. Similarly shareholders have the ability to nominate, appoint and remove Directors. The Constitution also provides for the regular rotation of Directors, which ensures that Directors seek re-election by shareholders at least once every three years.

#### Independent Professional Advice

Directors, in carrying out their duties as Directors or as members of Board Committees, may, after prior consultation with the Chairman, seek independent professional advice at the expense of the Company. If appropriate, such advice will be available to all Directors.

# CORPORATE GOVERNANCE STATEMENT » CONTINUED

#### Timely and Balanced Disclosure

The Board of Directors has established written policies and procedures designed to ensure compliance and at each meeting of the Board of Directors and specifically monitors the Company's activities and disclosures. On average there are between six and ten Board meetings a year. The Board of Directors has endorsed the principles of best corporate governance practice as set out by the Council.

#### Performance

The performance of the board and key executives is reviewed periodically against both measurable and qualitative indicators. The performance criteria against which directors and executives are assessed are aligned with the financial and non-financial objectives of Phosphagenics Limited.

#### TRADING POLICY

Under the Company's Securities Trading Policy, an executive or director must not trade in any securities of the Company at any time when they are in possession of unpublished, price-sensitive information in relation to those securities. The Directors are permitted to deal in securities in which they have a relevant interest without restriction for any period other than the last day in each half or full year reporting period until two business days after the release to the ASX of the announcements by the Company of its full year or half year results. Directors are required to wait at least two business days after the release of any market sensitive announcement by the Company so that the market has had time to absorb the information.

As required by the ASX listing rules, the Company notifies the ASX of any transaction conducted by directors in the securities of the Company.

#### BOARD OF DIRECTORS AND ITS COMMITTEES

The Board of Directors is responsible for the overall governance of the Company inclusive of its strategic development and the direction and the control of operations of the Company. Whilst the Board retains overall responsibility, it has established certain committees to assist in carrying out its responsibilities. Such committees include the audit, compliance and corporate governance committee and the share allotment committee.

#### Audit, Compliance and Corporate Governance Committee

It is the board's responsibility to ensure that an effective internal control framework exists within the entity. This includes internal controls to deal with both the effectiveness and efficiency of significant business processes, the safeguarding of assets, the maintenance of proper accounting records, and the reliability of financial information as well as non-financial considerations such as the benchmarking of operational key performance indicators.

## CORPORATE GOVERNANCE STATEMENT » CONTINUED

The board has delegated responsibility for establishing and maintaining a framework of internal control and ethical standards to the audit, compliance and corporate governance committee. The committee also provides the board with additional assurance regarding the reliability of financial information. A committee charter has been approved by the board.

The committee, as at the date of this statement, comprises three Non-Executive Independent Directors; Addison, J L, (Chairman), Vizard, A L, and Mills, J, The Company's Auditors are invited to attend meetings and to participate in committee discussions. The Group CFO and Company Secretary attend committee meetings.

The duties of the Committee include:

- The review of the Audit Programme and all matters relevant to the financial affairs of the Company's activities together with the production of Statutory Financial Reports inclusive of the Reports and Declarations by Directors
- To review and advise on procedures in place to record the Company's activities and to ensure the safety of the Company's records and assets
- To review Internal Control Procedures and the Auditor's Management letter

  To review the half-yearly and yearly reports to the ASX Limited together with a review of the scope and quality of the annual statutory audit and the half-year audit review
- To monitor Compliance with the provisions of the *Corporations Act 2001*, Australian Securities and Investment Commission guidelines and practice notes, ASX Listing Rules, taxation requirements and all regulatory bodies
- Carry out the functions of the Remuneration Committee
- Group Risk management

#### Share Allotment Committee

Any two Directors will constitute a quorum for this committee, which deals with the allotment of new shares or grant or exercise of options.

#### INTERNAL CONTROL FRAMEWORK AND ETHICAL STANDARDS

The Board of Directors seeks to identify the expectations of shareholders as well as other regulatory and ethical expectations and obligations.

These matters are undertaken by the full Board together with the audit, compliance and corporate governance committee. In respect of the ethical standards, the full Board regularly discusses the maintenance by the Company of appropriate ethical standards in line with the Council's recommendations.

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#### RISK

The board acknowledges the Revised Supplementary Guidance to Principle 7 issued by the ASX in June 2008 and has continued its proactive approach to risk management. The identification and effective management of risk, including calculated risk-taking is viewed as an essential part of the company's approach to creating long-term shareholder value.

In recognition of this, the Board determines the company's risk profile and is responsible for overseeing and approving risk management strategy. The audit, compliance and corporate governance committee reviews policies, internal compliance and internal control.

The audit, compliance and corporate governance committee oversees the assessment of the effectiveness of risk management and internal compliance and control. The tasks of undertaking and assessing risk management and internal control effectiveness are delegated to management through the Chief Executive Officer and Chief Financial Officer, including responsibility for the day to day design and implementation of the company's risk management and internal control system.

Management reports to the audit, compliance and corporate governance committee on the company's key risks and the extent to which it believes these risks are being adequately managed. The reporting on risk by management is a standing agenda item at monthly Board meetings.

#### Business Risk

The main areas of business risk, which are considered on an ongoing basis by the Board are:

- Failure to develop commercial products from the company's research and development
- Ability to raise capital or generate free cash flow to fund future research and development activities
- Failure to market the company's products
- General economic factors including those affecting interest and exchange rates
- Changes in Corporations and Taxation Law

#### CEO AND CFO CERTIFICATION

In accordance with section 295A of the *Corporations Act*, the Chief Executive Officer and Chief Financial Officer have provided a written statement to the board that:

- Their view provided on the Company's financial report is founded on a sound system of risk management and internal compliance and control which implements the financial policies adopted by the board
- The Company's risk management and internal compliance and control system is operating effectively in all material respects

# CORPORATE GOVERNANCE STATEMENT » CONTINUED

The board agrees with the views of the ASX on this matter and notes that due to its nature, internal control assurance from the Chief Executive Officer and Chief Financial Officer can only be reasonable rather than absolute. This is due to such factors as the need for judgement, the use of testing on a sample basis, the inherent limitations in internal control and because much of the evidence available is persuasive rather than conclusive and therefore is not and cannot be designed to detect all weaknesses in control procedures. In response to this, internal control questions are required to be completed by the key management personnel in support of these written statements.

#### REMUNERATION

The Board is responsible for determining and reviewing compensation arrangements for the directors themselves, the Chief Executive Officer and executive team. A Compensation (Remuneration) Committee has not been separately established, rather the function is performed by the Audit, Compliance and Corporate Governance Committee.

It is the Company's objective to provide maximum stakeholder benefit from the retention of a high quality Board and executive team by remunerating directors and key executives fairly and appropriately with reference to relevant employment market conditions. For a full discussion of the Company's remuneration philosophy and framework and the remuneration received by directors and executives in the current period please refer to the remuneration report, which is contained within the directors' report.

#### SHAREHOLDER COMMUNICATION POLICY

Phosphagenics' objective is to promote effective communication with its shareholders at all times. Phosphagenics Limited is committed to:

- Ensuring that shareholders and the financial markets are provided with full and timely information about Phosphagenics' activities in a balanced and understandable way

  Complying with continuous disclosure obligations contained in applicable the ASX listing rules
- and the Corporations Act in Australia

  Communicating effectively with its shareholders and making it easier for shareholders to
- communicate with Phosphagenics Limited

To promote effective communication with shareholders and encourage effective participation at general meetings, information is communicated to shareholders:

- Through the release of information to the market via the ASX
- Through the distribution of the annual report and Notices of Annual General Meeting
- Through shareholder meetings and investor relations presentations

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- Through letters and other forms of communications directly to shareholders
- By posting relevant information on Phosphagenics website www.phosphagenics.com

The Company's website *www.phosphagenics.com* has a dedicated Investor Relations section for the purpose of publishing all important company information and relevant announcements made to the market. The Company has also established an e-mail directory for the direct distribution of announcements made to the ASX.

The external auditors are required to attend the Annual General Meeting and are available to answer any shareholder questions about the conduction of the audit and preparation of the audit report.

Annual Reports are provided to all share and option holders who have elected to receive the Report.

At the meetings of shareholders, Directors are subject to questioning by shareholders about the Directors' stewardship of the Company's affairs and it is shareholders who ultimately vote upon the financial statements and reports, the election of Directors, appointment of Auditors and any matters of Special Business.

Signed in accordance with a resolution of the Directors.

Andrew Lancelot Vizard Chairman

19 February 2010 Melbourne

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## STATEMENT OF COMPHREHENSIVE INCOME

FOR THE YEAR ENDED		CONSOL	IDATED	PARENT	
31 DECEMBER 2009	NOTE	2009	2008	2009	2008
		\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000
Revenue					
Sale of goods		670	446	-	-
Income from government grants		304	1,354	-	-
Royalties		-	539	-	-
Finance revenue	_	430	913	418	867
Total revenue		1,404	3,252	418	867
Cost of sales	_	(228)	(115)	-	
Gross profit		1,176	3,137	418	867
Rental revenue	3(a)	113	113	113	113
Other income	3(a)	197	708	197	708
Employee and Directors benefits expenses		(3,504)	(2,815)	(1,334)	(1,528)
Occupancy and communications expenses		(242)	(245)	(131)	(131)
Consulting and professional expenses		(961)	(934)	(567)	(612)
Administration expenses		(516)	(611)	(410)	(495)
Research expenses		(3,450)	(6,389)	-	-
Impairment of acquired intangible assets		-	(69,300)	-	-
Impairment of investment in subsidiary		-	-	-	(69,300)
Impairment of goodwill		-	(34,261)	-	-
Impairment of intercompany loan		-	-	(743)	-
Other expenses	3(b)	(1,314)	(1,399)	(579)	(543)
Loss before income tax		(8,501)	(111,996)	(3,036)	(70,921)
Income tax benefit	4	-	20,790	-	-
Loss after income tax		(8,501)	(91,206)	(3,036)	(70,921)
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Other Comprehensive Income	4.5	(40)	47		
Foreign currency translation	15	(18)	47	-	-
Income tax/(expense) on items of other comprehensive income	_	-	-	-	-
Other comprehensive income for the period, net of tax	15	(18)	47	-	-
Total comprehensive income for the period	_	(8,519)	(91,159)	(3,036)	(70,921)
Earnings per share for loss from continuing operations attributable to the ordinary equity holders of the parent:	_				
Basic (cents per share)	16	(1.26)	(14.21)	(0.35)	(11.05)
Diluted (cents per share)	16	(1.26)	(14.21)	(0.35)	(11.05)

The above Statement of comprehensive income should be read in conjunction with the accompanying notes.

## STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION

AS AT 31 DECEMBER 2009		CONSOLIDATED		PARENT	
		2009	2008	2009	2008
		\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000
ASSETS					
CURRENT ASSETS					
Cash and cash equivalents	21(a)	10,868	12,896	10,759	12,097
Trade and other receivables	7	292	232	132	122
Inventories	8	58	212	-	-
Prepayments		329	170	217	170
TOTAL CURRENT ASSETS	_	11,547	13,510	11,108	12,389
NON-CURRENT ASSETS	-				
Other receivables	7	-	-	23,886	18,656
Investment in subsidiary	9	-	-	27,111	27,111
Plant and equipment	10	1,445	1,761	65	119
Intangible assets	11	54,372	53,918	-	-
TOTAL NON-CURRENT ASSETS	_	55,817	55,679	51,062	45,886
TOTAL ASSETS	_	67,364	69,189	62,170	58,275
LIABILITIES	_				
CURRENT LIABILITIES					
Trade and other payables	12	1,151	1,432	328	372
Provisions	13 _	96	76	96	76
TOTAL CURRENT LIABILITIES	_	1,247	1,508	424	448
NON-CURRENT LIABILITES	_				
Deferred tax liability	4	16,128	16,128	-	-
TOTAL NON-CURRENT LIABILITIES	_	16,128	16,128	-	_
TOTAL LIABILITIES	<u>-</u>	17,375	17,636	424	448
NET ASSETS	=	49,989	51,553	61,746	57,827
EQUITY	=			<u> </u>	
Contributed Equity	14	176,905	170,316	176,905	170,316
Reserves	15	28,833	28,485	992	626
Accumulated losses		(155,749)	(147,248)	(116,151)	(113,115)
TOTAL EQUITY	_	49,989	51,553	61,746	57,827
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The above Statement of financial position should be read in conjunction with the accompanying notes.



## STATEMENT OF CASH FLOW

FOR THE YEAR ENDED		CONSOL	IDATED	PARENT		
31 DECEMBER 2009	NOTE	2009 \$'000	2008 \$'000	2009 \$'000	2008 \$'000	
CASH FLOWS FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES						
Receipts from customers		726	3,803	158	984	
Receipt of government grants		334	1,489	-	-	
Payments to suppliers and employees	_	(10,023)	(12,524)	(2,525)	(3,189)	
Net cash used in operating activities	21(b)	(8,963)	(7,232)	(2,367)	(2,205)	
CASH FLOWS FROM INVESTING ACTIVITIES						
Interest received		422	876	415	825	
Purchase of plant and equipment	_	(76)	(235)	(2)	(30)	
Net cash from investing activities	_	346	641	413	795	
CASH FLOWS FROM FINANCING ACTIVITIES						
Proceeds from issues of shares	14	6,589	8,772	6,589	8,772	
Loan to subsidiary	_	-	-	(5,973)	(4,565)	
Net cash from financing activities	_	6,589	8,772	616	4,207	
Net increase/(decrease) in cash and cash equivalents		(2,028)	2,181	(1,338)	2,797	
Cash and cash equivalents at the beginning of period	_	12,896	10,715	12,097	9,300	
CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS AT THE END OF PERIOD	21(a)	10,868	12,896	10,759	12,097	

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

## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN EQUITY

CONSOLIDATED	CONTRIBUTED EQUITY	EMPLOYEE BENEFITS RESERVE	REVALUATION & FOREIGN CURRENCY TRANSLATION RESERVE	ACCUMULATED LOSSES	TOTAL
	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000
Balance at 1 January 2009	170,316	626	27,859	(147,248)	51,553
Total comprehensive income for the period	-	-	(18)	(8,501)	(8,519)
Transactions with owners in their capacity as owners:					
Issue of shares Transaction costs on share issue	7,014 (425)	-	-	-	7,014 (425)
Employee equity settlement benefits	(+23)	366	-	_	366
Balance at 31 December 2009	176,905	992	27,841	(155,749)	49,989
Balance at 1 January 2008	161,544	448	27,812	(56,042)	133,762
Total comprehensive income for the period	-	-	47	(91,206)	(91,159)
Transactions with owners in their capacity as owners:					
Issue of shares Transaction costs on	9,015	-	-	-	9,015
share issue Employee equity	(243)	-	-	-	(243)
settlement benefits		178	-		178
Balance at 31 December 2008	170,316	626	27,859	(147,248)	51,553

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

## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN EQUITY » CONTINUED

PARENT	CONTRIBUTED EQUITY	EMPLOYEE BENEFITS RESERVE	REVALUATION & FOREIGN CURRENCY TRANSLATION RESERVE	ACCUMULATED LOSSES	TOTAL
	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000
Balance at January 2009	170,316	626	-	(113,115)	57,827
Total comprehensive income for the period	-	-	-	(3,036)	(3,036)
ransactions with owners in their					
capacity as owners:  Issue of shares  Transaction costs on	7,014	-	-	-	7,014
share issue	(425)	-	-	-	(425)
Employee equity settlement benefits		366	-	-	366
Balance at 31 December 2009	176,905	992	-	(116,151)	61,746
Balance at					
1 January 2008	161,544	448	-	(42,194)	119,798
Total comprehensive income for the period	-	-	-	(70,921)	(70,921)
Transactions with owners in their					
Issue of shares Transaction costs on	9,015	-	-	-	9,015
share issue  Employee equity	(243)	-	-	-	(243)
settlement benefits	-	178	-	-	178
Balance at 31 December 2008	170,316	626	-	(113,115)	57,827

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

## NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

#### CORPORATE INFORMATION

The financial report of Phosphagenics Limited for the year ended 31 December 2009 was authorised for issue in accordance with a resolution of the Directors on 19 February 2010.

Phosphagenics Limited (the parent) is a company limited by shares incorporated in Australia whose shares are publicly traded on the Australian Stock Exchange ("ASX").

The nature of the operations and principal activities of the Group are described in the directors' report.

The number of employees at 31 December 2009 is 30 (2008:24).

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#### BASIS OF PREPARATION OF THE FINANCIAL REPORT

The financial report is a general-purpose financial report, which has been prepared in accordance with the requirements of the *Corporations Act 2001* and Australian Accounting Standards. The financial report has also been prepared on a historical cost basis.

The financial report is presented in Australian dollars and all values are rounded to the nearest thousand dollars (\$'000) unless otherwise stated.

### 2. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

(a) Statement of Compliance

The financial report complies with Australian Accounting Standards as issued by the Australian Accounting Standards Board and International Financial Reporting Standards (IFRS) as issued by the International Accounting Standards Board.

(b) New Accounting Standards and Interpretations

Changes in Accounting Policy and Disclosures

The accounting policies adopted are consistent with those of the previous financial year except as follows:

The Group has adopted the following new and amended Australian Accounting Standards and AASB
Interpretations as of 1 January 2009:

- AASB 2008–1 Amendments to Australian Accounting Standard Share-based Payments: Vesting Conditions and Cancellations effective 1 January 2009
- AASB 7 Financial Instruments: Disclosures effective 1 January 2009
- AASB 8 Operating Segments effective 1 January 2009
- AASB 101 Presentation of Financial Statements (revised 2007) effective 1 January 2009
- AASB 2008–1 Amendments to Australian Accounting Standard Share-based Payment: Vesting Conditions and Cancellations [AASB 2] effective 1 January 2009
- AASB 2008–5 Amendments to Australian Accounting Standards arising from the Annual Improvements
  Project effective 1 January 2009

## NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

When the adoption of the Standard or Interpretation is deemed to have an impact on the financial statements or performance of the Group, its impact is described below:

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#### AASB 8 Operating Segments

AASB 2 replaced AASB 114 Segment Reporting upon its effective date. The Group concluded that the operating segments determined in accordance with AASB 8 are the same as the business segments previously identified under AASB 114. AASB 8 disclosures are shown in note 18, including the related revised comparative information.

#### AASB 101 Presentation of Financial Statements

The revised Standard separates owner and non-owner changes in equity. The statement of changes in equity includes only details of transactions with owners, with non-owner changes in equity presented in a reconciliation of each component of equity and included in the new statement of comprehensive income. The statement of comprehensive income presents all items of recognised income and expense, either in one single statement, or in two linked statements. The Group has elected to present one statement.

#### Accounting Standards and Interpretations issued but not yet effective

Australian Accounting Standards and Interpretations that have recently been issued or amended but are not yet effective and have not been adopted by the Group for the annual reporting period ending 31 December 2009, outlined in the table below and in following pages:

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REFERENCE	TITLE	SUMMARY	APPLICATION DATE OF STANDARD*	IMPACT ON GROUP FINANCIAL REPORT	APPLICATION DATE FOR GROUP*
AASB 127 (Revised)	Consolidated and Separate Financial Statements	There are a number of changes arising from the revision to AASB 127 relating to changes in ownership interest in a subsidiary without loss of control, allocation of losses of a subsidiary and accounting for the loss of control of a subsidiary. Specifically in relation to a change in the ownership interest of a subsidiary (that does not result in loss of control) – such a transaction will be accounted for as an equity transaction.	1 July 2009	If the Group changes its ownership interest in existing subsidiaries in the future, the change will be accounted for as an equity transaction. This will have no impact on goodwill, nor will it give rise to a gain or loss in the Group's statement of comprehensive income.	1 January 2010
AASB 2008 -3	Amendments to Australian Accounting Standards arising from AASB 3 and AASB 127	Amending Standard issued as a consequence of revisions to AASB 3 and AASB 127. Refer above.	1 July 2009	Refer to AASB 127 (revised) above.	1 January 2010
AASB 2008 -6	Further Amendments to Australian Accounting Standards arising from the Annual Improvements Project	This was the second omnibus of amendments issued by the IASB arising from the Annual Improvements Project.	1 July 2009	Refer to AASB 20085 below.	1 January 2010
AASB 2009-4	Amendments to Australian Accounting Standards arising from the Annual Improvements Project [AASB 2 and AASB 138 and AASB Interpretations 9 & 16]	This Standard makes amendments to Australian Accounting Standards AASB 2 Share-based Payment and AASB 138 Intangible Assets and AASB Interpretations 9 Reassessment of Embedded Derivatives and 16 Hedges of a Net Investment in a Foreign Operation. These amendments are as a consequence of the annual improvements project.  The amendments to some Standards result in accounting changes for presentation, recognition or measurement purposes, while some amendments that relate to terminology and editorial changes are expected to have no or minimal effect on accounting.  The main amendment of relevance to Australian entities is that made to Interpretation 16 which allows qualifying hedge instruments to be held by any entity or entities within the group, including the foreign operation itself, as long as the designation, documentation and effectiveness requirements in AASB 139 that relate to a net investment hedge are satisfied. More hedging relationships will be eligible for hedge accounting as a result of the amendment	1 July 2009	These amendments are not expected to have any impact on the Group's financial report as the Group does not have any embedded derivatives or hedges of a net investment in a foreign operation.	1 January 2010

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REFERENCE	TITLE	SUMMARY	APPLICATION DATE OF STANDARD*	IMPACT ON GROUP FINANCIAL REPORT	APPLICATION DATE FOR GROUP*
AASB 2009-5	Further Amendments to Australian Accounting Standards arising from the Annual Improvements Project [AASB 5, 8, 101, 107, 117, 118, 136 & 139]	The amendments to some Standards result in accounting changes for presentation, recognition or measurement purposes, while some amendments that relate to terminology and editorial changes are expected to have no or minimal effect on accounting except for the following:  The amendment to AASB 117 removes the specific guidance on classifying land as a lease so that only the general guidance remains. Assessing land leases based on the general criteria may result in more land leases being classified as finance leases and if so, the type of asset which is to be recorded (intangible vs. property, plant and equipment) needs to be determined.  The amendment to AASB 101 stipulates that the terms of a liability that could result, at anytime, in its settlement by the issuance of equity instruments at the option of the counterparty do not affect its classification.  The amendment to AASB 107 explicitly states that only expenditure that results in a recognised asset can be classified as a cash flow from investing activities.  The amendment to AASB 118 provides additional guidance to determine whether an entity is acting as a principal or as an agent. The features indicating an entity is acting as a principal are whether the entity:  In the primary responsibility for providing the goods or service;  In the has primary responsibility for providing the goods or service;  In the determinent is extended to the provident of the p	1 January 2010	Some of these amendments may have an impact on the Group, however the Group has not yet assessed the impact.	1 January 2010

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REFERENCE	TITLE	SUMMARY	APPLICATION DATE OF STANDARD*	IMPACT ON GROUP FINANCIAL REPORT	APPLICATION DATE FOR GROUP*
AASB 2009-5 (cont'd)	Further Amendments to Australian Accounting Standards arising from the Annual Improvements Project [AASB 5, 8, 101, 107, 117, 118, 136 & 139]	The amendment to AASB 136 clarifies that the largest unit permitted for allocating goodwill acquired in a business combination is the operating segment, as defined in IFRS 8 before aggregation for reporting purposes.  The main change to AASB 139 clarifies that a prepayment option is considered closely related to the host contract when the exercise price of a prepayment option reimburses the lender up to the approximate present value of lost interest for the remaining term of the host contract.  The other changes clarify the scope exemption for business combination contracts and provide clarification in relation to accounting for cash flow hedges.		Some of these amendments may have an impact on the Group, however the Group has not yet assessed the impact.	
AASB 2009-7	Amendments to Australian Accounting Standards [AASB 5, 7, 107, 112, 136 & 139 and Interpretation 17	These comprise editorial amendments and are expected to have no major impact on the requirements of the amended pronouncements.	1 July 2009	Some of these amendments may have an impact on the Group, however the Group has not yet assessed the impact.	1 January 2010



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#### 2. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

#### (e) Basis of consolidation

The consolidated financial statements comprise the financial statements of Phosphagenics Limited and its subsidiaries as at and for the period ended 31 December each year ('the Group').

Subsidiaries are all those entities over which the Group has the power to govern the financial and operating policies so as to obtain benefits from their activities. The existence and effect of potential voting rights that are currently exercisable or convertible are considered when assessing whether a group controls another entity.

The financial statements of subsidiaries are prepared for the same reporting period as the parent company, using consistent accounting policies.

In preparing the consolidated financial statements, all intercompany balances and transactions, income and expenses and profit and losses resulting from intra-group transactions have been eliminated in full.

Investments in subsidiaries held by Phosphagenics Limited are accounted for at cost in the separate financial statements of the parent entity less any impairment charges.

## (d) Operating Segments – refer note 18

An operating segment is a component of an entity that engages in business activities from which it may earn revenues and incur expenses (including revenues and expenses relating to transactions with other components of the same entity), whose operating results are regularly reviewed by the entity's chief operating decision maker to make decisions about resources to be allocated to the segment and assess its performance and for which discrete financial information is available. Management will also consider other factors in determining operating segments such as the existence of a line manager and the level of segment information presented to the board of directors.

Operating segments that meet the quantitative criteria as prescribed by AASB 8 are reported separately. However, an operating segment that does not meet the quantitative criteria is still reporting separately where information about the segment would be useful to users of the financial statements.

Information about other business activities and operating segments that are below the quantitative criteria are combined and disclosed in a separate category for "all other segments".

## (e) Significant accounting judgements, estimates and assumptions

The carrying amounts of certain assets and liabilities are often determined based on estimates and assumptions of future events. The key estimates and assumptions that have a significant risk of causing a material adjustment to the carrying amounts of certain assets and liabilities within the next annual reporting period are:

### Impairment of goodwill and intangibles with indefinite useful lives

The Group determines whether goodwill and intangible assets with indefinite useful lives are impaired at least on an annual basis. This requires an estimation of the recoverable amount of the cash-generating unit to which the goodwill is allocated. The assumptions used in this estimation of recoverable amount and the carrying amount of goodwill and intangibles with indefinite useful lives are discussed in note 11.

### Share-based payment transactions

The Group measures the cost of equity-settled transactions with employees by reference to the fair value of the equity instruments at the date at which they are granted. The fair value is determined by using the Binomial method taking into account the terms and conditions upon which the instruments were granted, as discussed in note 5. The accounting estimates and assumptions relating to equity-settled share-based payments would have no impact on the carrying amounts of assets and liabilities with the next annual reporting period but may impact expenses and equity.

#### Operating lease commitments

The Group has entered into commercial property leases for premises used for research and development, manufacturing and operating activities. The Group has classified the leases as operating leases as the lessor retains all of the risks and rewards of ownership.

#### Impairment of non-financial assets other than goodwill

The Group assesses impairment of all assets at each reporting date by evaluating conditions specific to the Group and the particular asset that may lead to impairment. These include product and manufacturing performance, technology, economic and political environments and future product expectations. If an impairment trigger exists the recoverable amount of the asset is determined. This involves value in use calculations, which incorporate a number of key estimates and assumptions.



### (f) Cash and cash equivalents – refer note 21(a)

Cash and cash equivalents in the statement of financial position comprise cash at bank and in hand and short-term deposits with an original maturity of three months or less, that are readily convertible to known amounts of cash and which are subject to an insignificant rate of change in value.

For the purposes of the Cash Flow Statement, cash and cash equivalents consist of cash and cash equivalents as defined above, net of outstanding bank overdrafts.

### (g) Provisions and employee benefits – refer note 13

Provisions are recognised when the Group has a present obligation (legal or constructive) as a result of a past event, it is probable that an outflow of resources embodying economic benefits will be required to settle the obligation and a reliable estimate can be made of the amount of the obligation.

When the Group expects some or all of a provision to be reimbursed, for example under an insurance contract, the reimbursement is recognised as a separate asset but only when the reimbursement is virtually certain. The expense relating to any provision is presented in the income statement net of any reimbursement.

Provisions are measured at the present value of management's best estimate of the expenditure required to settle the present obligation at the reporting date. The discount rate used to determine the present value reflects the current market assessments of the time value of money and the risks specific to the liability. The increase in the provision resulting from the passage of time is recognised in finance costs.

#### **Employee leave benefits**

#### Wages, salaries, annual leave and sick leave

Liabilities for wages and salaries, including non-monetary benefits long service and annual leave expected to be settled within 12 months of the reporting date are recognised in respect of employees' services up to the reporting date. They are measured at the amounts expected to be paid when the liabilities are settled. Liabilities for non-accumulating sick leave are recognised when the leave is taken and are measured at the rates paid or payable.

### Long service leave

The liability for long service leave is recognised and measured as the present value of expected future payments to be made in respect of services provided by employees up to the reporting date using the projected unit credit method. Consideration is given to expected future wage and salary levels, experience of employee departures, and periods of service. Expected future payments are discounted using market yields at the reporting date on national government bonds with terms to maturity and currencies that match, as closely as possible, the estimated future cash outflows.

### (h) Government grants

Government Grants are recognised in the statement of comprehensive income as grant revenue to offset the expenses they are intended to compensate.

#### (i) Income Tax and other taxes – refer note 4

Current tax assets and liabilities for the current and prior periods are measured at the amount expected to be recovered from or paid to the taxation authorities based on the current period's taxable income. The tax rates and tax laws used to compute the amount are those that are enacted or substantively enacted by the reporting date.

Deferred income tax is provided on all temporary differences at the reporting date between the tax bases of assets and liabilities and their carrying amounts for financial reporting purposes.

Deferred income tax liabilities are recognised for all taxable temporary differences:

- except where the deferred income tax liability arises from the initial recognition of an asset or liability in a transaction that is not a business combination and, at the time of the transaction, affects neither the accounting profit nor taxable profit or loss; and
- in respect of taxable temporary differences associated with investments in subsidiaries, associates and interests in joint ventures, except where the timing of the reversal of the temporary differences can be controlled and it is probable that the temporary differences will not reverse in the foreseeable future.

Deferred income tax assets are recognised for all deductible temporary differences, carry-forward of unused tax assets and unused tax losses, to the extent that it is probable that taxable profit will be available against which the deductible temporary differences, and the carry-forward of unused tax assets and unused tax losses can be utilised:

- except where the deferred income tax asset relating to the deductible temporary difference arises from the initial recognition of an asset or liability in a transaction that is not a business combination and, at the time of the transaction, affects neither the accounting profit nor taxable profit or loss; and
  - in respect of deductible temporary differences associated with investments in subsidiaries, associates and interests in joint ventures, deferred tax assets are only recognised to the extent that it is probable that the temporary differences will reverse in the foreseeable future and taxable profit will be available against which the temporary differences can be utilised.

The carrying amount of deferred income tax assets is reviewed at each reporting date and reduced to the extent that it is no longer probable that sufficient taxable profit will be available to allow all or part of the deferred income tax asset to be utilised.

Unrecognised deferred income tax assets are reassessed at each reporting date and are recognised to the extent that it has become probable that future taxable profit will allow the deferred asset to be recovered.

Deferred income tax assets and liabilities are measured at the tax rates that are expected to apply to the year when the asset is realised or the liability is settled, based on tax rates (and tax laws) that have been enacted or substantively enacted at the reporting date.

Income taxes relating to items recognised directly in equity are recognised in equity and not in the statement of comprehensive income.

## (i) Other taxes

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.

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The net amount of GST recoverable from, or payable to, the taxation authority is included as part of receivables or payables in the statement of financial position.

Cash flows are included in the statement of cash flows on a gross basis and the GST component of cash flows arising from investing and financing activities, which is recoverable from, or payable to, the taxation authority is classified as part of operating cash flows. Commitments and contingencies are disclosed net of the amount of GST recoverable from, or payable to, the taxation authority.

### (k) Goodwill and intangibles – refer note 11

#### Goodwill

Goodwill acquired in a business combination is initially measured at cost being the excess of the cost of the business combination over the Group's interest in the net fair value of the acquiree's identifiable assets, liabilities and contingent liabilities. Following initial recognition, goodwill is measured at cost less any accumulated impairment losses.

For the purpose of impairment testing, goodwill acquired in a business combination is, from the acquisition date, allocated to the cash-generating unit(s) that is expected to benefit from the synergies of the combination. Phosphagenics is viewed as a single cash-generation unit.

Goodwill is reviewed for impairment, annually or more frequently if events or changes in circumstances indicate that the carrying value may be impaired. Phosphagenics performs its impairment testing as at 31 December each year using a value in use, discounted cash flow methodology.

Impairment is determined by assessing the recoverable amount of the cash-generating unit to which the goodwill relates. When the recoverable amount of the cash-generating unit is less than the carrying amount, an impairment loss is recognised. Impairment losses recognised for goodwill are not subsequently reversed.

### Intangible assets acquired both separately and from a business combination

Intangible assets acquired separately or in a business combination are initially measured at cost. The cost of an intangible asset acquired in a business combination is its fair value as at the date of acquisition. Following initial recognition, intangible assets are carried at cost less any accumulated amortisation and any accumulated impairment losses. Internally generated intangible assets, excluding capitalised development costs, are not capitalised and expenditure is recognised in profit or loss in the year in which the expenditure was incurred.



The useful lives of intangible assets are assessed to be either finite or indefinite. Intangible assets with finite lives are amortised over the useful life and tested for impairment whenever there is an indication that the intangible asset may be impaired. The amortisation period and the amortisation method for an intangible asset with a finite useful life is reviewed at least at each financial year end. Changes in the expected useful life or the expected pattern of consumption of future economic benefits embodied in the asset are accounted for prospectively by changing the amortisation period or method, as appropriate, which is a change in accounting estimate. The amortisation expense on intangible assets with finite lives is recognised in profit or loss in the expense category consistent with the function of the intangible asset.

Intangible assets with indefinite useful lives are tested for impairment annually either individually or at the cash-generating unit level. Such intangibles are not amortised. The useful life of an intangible asset with an indefinite life is reviewed each reporting period to determine whether indefinite life assessment continues to be supportable. If not, the change in the useful life assessment from indefinite to finite is accounted for as a change in an accounting estimate and is thus accounted for on a prospective basis.

### Research and development costs

Research costs are expensed as incurred. An intangible asset arising from development expenditure on an internal project is recognised only when Phosphagenics can demonstrate the technical feasibility of completing the intangible asset so that it will be available for use or sale, its intention to complete and its ability to use or sell the asset, how the asset will generate future economic benefits, the availability of resources to complete the development and the ability to measure reliably the expenditure attributable to the intangible asset during its development. Following the initial recognition of the development expenditure, the cost model is applied requiring the asset to be carried at cost less any accumulated amortisation and accumulated impairment losses. Any expenditure so capitalised is amortised over the period of expected benefit from the related project.

The carrying value of an intangible asset arising from development expenditure is tested for impairment annually when the asset is not yet available for use, or more frequently when an indication of impairment arises during the reporting period.

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A summary of the policies applied to the Group's intangible assets is as follows:

ITEM	INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY	DEVELOPMENT COSTS
Useful Life	Finite	Finite
Amortisation method used	Amortised once significant revenues are generated over the remaining patent life on a straight-line basis.	Amortised over the period of expected future benefit from the related project on a straight-line basis.
Internally generated or acquired	Acquired	Internally generated
Impairment testing	Annually as at 31 December and more frequently when an indication of impairment exists.	Annually as at 31 December for assets not yet available for use and more frequently when an indication of impairment exists. The amortisation method is reviewed at each financial year-end.

Gains or losses arising from derecognition of an intangible asset are measured as the difference between the net disposal proceeds and the carrying amount of the asset and are recognised in the profit and loss when the asset is derecognised.

### (I) Impairment of non- financial assets other than goodwill

Intangible assets that have an indefinite useful life are not subject to amortisation and are tested annually for impairment, or more frequently if events or changes in circumstances indicate that they might be impaired. Other assets are tested for impairment whenever events or changes in circumstances indicate that the carrying amount may not be recoverable.

The Group conducts an annual review of asset values, which is used as a source of information to assess for any indicators of impairment. External factors, such as changes in expected future processes, technology and economic conditions, are also monitored to assess for indicators of impairment. If any indication of impairment exists, an estimate of the asset's recoverable amount is calculated.

An impairment loss is recognised for the amount by which the asset's carrying amount exceeds its recoverable amount. Recoverable amount is the higher of an asset's fair value less costs to sell and value in use. For the purposes of assessing impairment, assets are grouped at the lowest levels for which there are separately

identifiable cash inflows that are largely independent of the cash inflows from other assets or groups of assets (cash-generating units). Non-financial assets other than goodwill that have previously been impaired are tested for possible reversal of the impairment whenever events or changes in circumstances indicate that the impairment may have reversed.

## (m) Trade and other payables – refer note 12

Trade payables and other payables are carried at amortised costs and are not discounted due to their short term nature. They represent liabilities for goods and services provided to the Group prior to the end of the financial year that are unpaid and arise when the Group becomes obliged to make future payments in respect of the purchase of these goods and services. The amounts are not secured and are usually paid within 30 days of recognition.

## Share-based payment transactions - refer note 5

The Group provides benefits to its employees, including Key Management Personnel (KMP), in the form of share-based payments, whereby employees render services in exchange for shares or rights over shares (equity-settled transactions). There is currently one plan in place to provide these benefits being the Employee Share Option Plan (ESOP), which provides benefits to key management personnel.

In valuing equity-settled transactions, no account is taken of any vesting conditions, other than conditions linked to the price of the shares of Phosphagenics Limited (market conditions) if applicable. The cost of these equity-settled transactions with employees is measured by reference to the fair value of the equity instruments at the date at which they are granted. The fair value is determined by an external valuer using a binomial model, further details of which are given in note 5. The cost of equity-settled transactions is recognised together with a corresponding increase in equity, over the period in which the performance and/or service conditions are fulfilled (the vesting period), ending on the date on which the relevant employees become fully entitled to the award (the vesting date).

At each subsequent reporting date until vesting, the cumulative charge to the income statement is the product of:

- the grant date fair value of the award;
  (ii) the current best estimate of the number of awards that will vest, taking into account such factors
- as the likelihood of employee turnover during the vesting period; and
- (iii) the expired portion of the vesting period.

The charge to the statement of comprehensive income for the period is the cumulative amount as calculated above less the amounts already charged in previous periods. There is a corresponding entry to equity.

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Where the terms of an equity-settled award are modified, as a minimum an expense is recognised as if the terms had not been modified. In addition, an expense is recognised for any increase in the value of the transaction as a result of the modification, as measured at the date of modification.

Where an equity-settled award is cancelled, it is treated as if it had vested on the date of cancellation, and any expense not yet recognised for the award is recognised immediately. However, if a new award is substituted for the cancelled award, and designated as a replacement award on the date that it is granted, the cancelled and new award are treated as if they were a modification of the original award, as described in the previous paragraph.

Options are considered anti-dilutive and therefore have not been included in the calculation of diluted earnings per share for 2008 and 2009, refer note 16.

### (o) Leases – refer note 17

Leases where the lessor retains substantial risks and reward of ownership are classified as operating leases. Operating lease payments are recognised as an expense in the income statement on a straight-line basis over the lease term.

### (p) Inventories – refer note 8

Inventories including raw materials, work in progress and finished goods are valued at the lower of cost and net realisable value. Costs incurred in bringing each product to its present location and condition are accounted for as follows:

#### Raw materials

Purchase cost on a first-in, first-out basis. The cost of purchase comprises the purchase price including, import duties and other taxes (other than those subsequently recoverable by the entity from the taxing authorities), transport, handling and other costs directly attributable to the acquisition of raw materials. Volume discounts and rebates are included in determining the cost of purchase.

### Finished goods and work-in-progress

Cost of direct materials, labour and a proportion of variable and fixed manufacturing overheads based on normal operating capacity. Net realisable value is the estimated selling price in the ordinary course of business, less estimated costs of completion and the estimated costs necessary to make the sale.

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### (g) Trade and other receivables – refer note 7

Trade receivables, which generally have thirty to sixty day terms, are recognised initially at fair value and subsequently measured at amortised cost using the effective interest method, less an allowance for impairment.

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Collectability of trade receivables is reviewed on an ongoing basis. Individual debts that are known to be uncollectible are written off when identified. An impairment provision is recognised when there is objective evidence that the Group will not be able to collect the receivable. Financial difficulties of the debtor, default payments or debts more than ninety days overdue are considered objective evidence of impairment. The amount of the impairment loss is the receivable carrying amount compared to the present value of estimated future cash flows, discounted at the original effective interest rate.

## (r) Plant and Equipment – refer note 10

Plant and equipment is stated at cost less accumulated depreciation and any accumulated impairment losses. Depreciation is calculated on a diminishing value basis as follows:

Computer Equipment – 33% p.a.

Plant and equipment - 20% p.a.

Office Equipment - 20% p.a.

The assets' residual values, useful lives and amortisation methods are reviewed, and adjusted if appropriate, at each reporting period. When no future economic benefits are expected to arise from the continued use of an item of property, plant and equipment, it is derecognised. Any gain or loss arising on derecognition of the asset (calculated as the difference between the net disposal proceeds and the carrying amount of the item) is included in the statement of comprehensive income in the year the item is derecognised.

## (s) Revenue recognition

Revenue is recognised to the extent that it is probable that the economic benefits will flow to the Group and the revenue can be reliably measured. The following specific recognition criteria must also be met before revenue is recognised:

## Sale of goods

Revenue from the sale of goods is recognised when the Group has transferred to the buyer the significant risks and rewards of ownership of the goods and the costs in respect of the transaction can be reliably measured. Risks and rewards are considered passed to the buyer at the time of delivery of the goods to the customer.

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#### Royalties

Royalty revenue is recognised on an accrual basis in accordance with the substance of the relevant agreement.

#### Interest income

Revenue is recognised as the interest accrues (using the effective interest method, which is the rate that exactly discounts estimated future cash receipts through the expected life of the financial asset) to the net carrying amount of the financial asset.

## (t) Contributed equity

Ordinary shares are classified as equity. Incremental costs directly attributable to the issue of new shares or options are shown in equity as a deduction, net of tax, from the proceeds.

## (u) Foreign currency translation

#### Functional and presentation currency

Both the functional and presentation currency of Phosphagenics Limited and its Australian subsidiaries is Australian dollars (\$). The United States subsidiaries functional currency is United States Dollars which is translated to the presentation currency.

#### Transactions and balances

Transactions in foreign currencies are initially recorded in the functional currency by applying the exchange rates ruling at the date of the transaction. Monetary assets and liabilities denominated in foreign currencies are retranslated at the rate of exchange ruling at the balance sheet date. Non-monetary items that are measured in terms of historical cost in a foreign currency are translated using the exchange rate as at the date of the initial transaction. Non-monetary items measured at fair value in a foreign currency are translated using the exchange rates at the date when the fair value was determined.



### Translation of Group Companies functional currency to presentation currency

The results of the United States subsidiary are translated into Australian Dollars as at the date of each transaction. Assets and liabilities are translated at exchange rates prevailing at reporting date. Exchange variations resulting from the translation are recognised in the foreign currency translation reserve in equity. On consolidation, exchange differences arising from the translation of the net investment in the United States subsidiary are taken to the foreign currency translation reserve. If the United States subsidiary were sold, the proportionate share of exchange differences would be transferred out of equity and recognised in the statement of comprehensive income.

### (v) Earnings per share

Basic earnings per share is calculated as net loss attributable to members of the parent divided by the weighted average number of ordinary shares. Where the Group generates a loss attributable to members of the parent, basic and diluted earnings per share are the same as a loss attributable to members of the parent cannot be further diluted.

### 3. OTHER REVENUE AND EXPENSES

	CONSO	LIDATED	PAR	ENT		
	2009	2008	2009	2008		
	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000		
(a) Other Income						
Rental revenue	113	113	113	113		
Other	197	708	197	708		
Total	310	821	310	821		
(b) Other Expenses						
Net foreign exchange gains/(losses)	(106)	(1)	-	-		
Depreciation	(365)	(376)	(24)	(28)		
Loss on disposal of plant & equipment	(39)	-	(39)	-		
Amortisation	(101)	(482)	-	-		
Operating lease rental expenses	(490)	(340)	(436)	(340)		
Travel	(183)	(159)	(49)	(151)		
Other	(30)	(41)	(31)	(24)		
Total	(1,314)	(1,399)	(579)	(543)		
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### 4. INCOME TAXES

	CONSOLI	DATED	PARE	NT
	2009 \$'000	2008 \$'000	2009 \$'000	2008 \$'000
Major components of income tax expense are:				
Current income tax	-	-	-	
Deferred income tax				
Relating to origination and reversal of temporary differences	-	(20,790)	-	
Income tax expense recorded in the statement of comprehensive income	-	(20,790)	-	
The prima facie income tax expense/(benefit) on pre-tax accounting profit from operations reconciles to the income tax expense in the financial statements as follows:				
Accounting (loss) before income tax	(8,501)	(111,996)	(3,036)	(70,921)
Income tax expense calculated at 30% (2008: 30%)	(2,550)	(33,599)	(911)	(21,276)
Non-deductible expenses	159	10,702	133	21,213
Research and development deduction	(259)	(479)	-	-
Unused tax losses and tax offsets not recognised as deferred tax assets	2,650	2,586	778	63
Income tax benefit reported in income statement	-	(20,790)	-	-
Deferred tax liabilities comprise:				
Fair value adjustments on acquisition	16,128	16,128	-	-
Unrecognised deferred tax balances –				
The following items have not been brought				
to account as deferred tax assets:	4- 4-6	40.000	0.544	0 = 0
Tax losses not recognised	15,452	12,802	3,544	2,766
Temporary differences not recognised	15 452	12 002	2 544	2 700
Total _	15,452	12,802	3,544	2,766



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#### Tax consolidation

The company and its wholly-owned Australian resident entities have not formed a tax-consolidated group and are therefore taxed as separate entities.

#### 5. SHARE BASED PAYMENTS

The Group provides benefits to service providers in the form of share-based payments. Employees render services in exchange rights over shares (equity-settled transactions). There is currently one plan in place to provide these benefits to employees, being the Employee Share Option Plan (ESOP). The ESOP is designed to align participants' interests with those of shareholders by increasing the value of the Company's shares. Share options carry no rights to dividends and no voting rights.

Options held by directors of the parent and its subsidiaries were acquired as part of the original subscriptions for shares in Phosphagenics Limited in 1999. Subsequently, all options granted to key management personnel have been issued in accordance with the provisions of the Employee Share Option Plan (ESOP).

#### Summary of options granted as share based payments

The following table illustrates the number (NO.) and weighted average exercise prices (WAEP) of, and movements in, share options issued during the year under the provisions of the employee share option plan (ESOP):

ITEM	2009 OPTIONS NO.	2009 WAEP \$	2008 OPTIONS NO.	2008 WAEP \$
Outstanding at beginning of the year	9,850,000	\$0.19	5,600,000	\$0.24
Granted during the year	3,650,000	\$0.15	5,050,000	\$0.14
Forfeited during the year	(1,150,000)	\$0.18	(800,000)	\$0.23
Exercised during the year	-	-	-	-
Expired during the year		-	-	
Outstanding at end of the year	12,350,000	\$0.18	9,850,000	\$0.19
Exercisable at end of the year	9,000,000	\$0.22	5,300,000	\$0.23

When a participant in the employee share option plan ceases employment prior to the vesting of their share options, the share options are forfeited unless cessation of employment is due to retirement or death. The value of options forfeited during the reporting period is \$200,790 and the weighted average remaining contractual life is 4.03 years.

The outstanding balance as at 31 December 2009 is represented by:

ISSUING ENTITY	AUSTRALIAN STOCK EXCHANGE LISTED	SHARES UNDER OPTION NO.	CLASS OF SHARES	EXERCISE PRICE \$	EXPIRY DATE
Phosphagenics Ltd	unquoted	1,000,000	Ordinary	\$0.22	18 Aug 2010
Phosphagenics Ltd	unquoted	500,000	Ordinary	\$0.24	28 Mar 2011
Phosphagenics Ltd	unquoted	1,600,000	Ordinary	\$0.24	22 May 2011
Phosphagenics Ltd	unquoted	100,000	Ordinary	\$0.36	28 Aug 2011
Phosphagenics Ltd	unquoted	1,300,000	Ordinary	\$0.26	6 June 2012
Phosphagenics Ltd	unquoted	2,350,000	Ordinary	\$0.15	17 Aug 2013
Phosphagenics Ltd	unquoted	2,850,000	Ordinary	\$0.15	17 June 2014
Phosphagenics Ltd	unquoted	2,650,000	Ordinary	\$0.13	30 June 2018
Total		12,350,000			

#### Option pricing model

Share option fair values are calculated using a Binomial model. The options will be settled in ordinary shares of Phosphagenics Limited and vested options lapse if unexercised after the expiry date.

In valuing equity-settled transactions, no account is taken of any vesting conditions, other than conditions linked to the price of the shares of Phosphagenics Limited.

The cost of equity-settled transactions is recognised, together with a corresponding increase in equity, over the period in which the performance and/or service conditions are fulfilled (the vesting period), ending on the date on which the relevant employees become fully entitled to the award (the vesting date).



A service period was determined as the most appropriate criteria to attach to the options given Phosphagenics is still developing its products for commercialisation. There are no other service or performance criteria attached to share based payment options.

MODEL INPUTS	2009 ESOP	2009 ESOP	2008 ESOP	2008 ESOP
Dividend yield %	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%
Expected volatility %	65%	65%	50%	40%
Risk-free interest rate %	4.49%	4.49%	6.64%	6.64%
Option life (years)	8.5 years	4.5 years	10 years	5 years
Option Exercise price \$	\$0.137	\$0.15	\$0.134	\$0.15
Weighted Average Share price at measurement date	\$0.126	\$0.129	\$0.105	\$0.09

The expected life of the options is based on historical data and is not necessarily indicative of exercise patterns that may occur. The expected volatility reflects the assumption that the historical volatility is indicative of future trends, which may not necessarily be the actual outcome.

#### 6. REMUNERATION OF AUDITORS

AMOUNTS RECEIVED OR DUE AND RECEIVABLE	CONSOLIDATED		PARENT	
	2009	2008	2009	2008
	\$	\$	\$	\$
Audit or review of the financial report	77,500	79,500	77,500	79,500
Other non audit services	4,500	3,400	4,500	3,400
Taxation services	17,500	16,500	17,500	16,500
Total	99,500	99,400	99,500	99,400

The auditor of Phosphagenics Ltd (the parent), and the Group is Ernst & Young.

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#### 7. TRADE AND OTHER RECEIVABLES

	CONSO	LIDATED	PARENT	
CURRENT	2009	2008	2009	2008
	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000
Trade receivables	99	23	99	23
Allowance for impairment loss	_	-	_	-
	99	23	99	23
Other	4	-	5	-
Goods and services tax (GST) recoverable	189	209	28	99
Total	292	232	132	122

Trade receivables are non-interest bearing and are generally 45 day terms or as specified in contracts or agreements.

	CONSOLIDATED		PARENT	
NON CURRENT	2009	2008	2009	2008
	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000

Loan to subsidiaries - - 24,629 18,656

Outstanding intercompany loans as at 31 December 2009 are viewed as an investment and therefore are non-trading, non-interest bearing and have no fixed terms of repayment.

#### Impairment

A provision for impairment is recognised when there is objective evidence (such as the probability of insolvency or significant financial difficulty of the debtor) that the Group may not be able to collect all the amounts due under the original terms of the invoice. Impaired debts are derecognised when they are assessed as uncollectible. No debts were impaired at 31 December 2009.

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## 7. TRADE AND OTHER RECEIVABLES (CONTINUED)

			PAST I	DUE BUT NOT IMP	PAIRED
PERIOD	TOTAL	NEITHER PAST DUE OR IMPAIRED	30-60 DAYS	60-90 DAYS	90-120 DAYS
5)	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000
Consolidated					
31 December 2009	99	22	77	-	-
31 December 2008	23	13	10	-	-
Parent					
31 December 2009	99	22	77	-	-
31 December 2008	23	13	10	-	-

Credit risk and effective interest rates of current receivables are disclosed in notes 2 and 23.

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### 8. INVENTORIES

	CONSOLIDATED		PARENT	
	2009	2008	2009	2008
	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000
Raw materials				
At cost	58	39	-	-
Finished goods				
At cost	-	173	-	-
Total	58	212	-	-

### 9. INVESTMENT IN SUBSIDIARIES

		CONSOLIDATED		PARENT	
SHARES IN CONTROLLED ENTITIES	INTEREST	2009	2008	2009	2008
2.1111125		\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000
Vital Health Sciences Pty Ltd	100%	-	-	96,411	96,411
Provision for impairment		-	-	(69,300)	(69,300)
Total		-	-	27,111	27,111

The investment by the parent in Vital Health Sciences Pty Ltd was impaired resulting from the impairment of acquired intangible assets at 31 December 2008.

### 10. PLANT AND EQUIPMENT

	CONSOL	IDATED	PARI	ENT
2009	PLANT AND EQUIPMENT AT COST	TOTAL	PLANT AND EQUIPMENT AT COST	TOTAL
	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000
Year ended 31 December 2009				
At 1 January 2009 net of accumulated depreciation and impairment	1,761	1,761	119	119
Additions	88	88	9	9
Disposals	(39)	(39)	(39)	(39)
Depreciation charge for the year	(365)	(365)	(24)	(24)
At 31 December 2009, net of accumulated depreciation and impairment	1,445	1,445	65	65
At 31 December 2009				
Cost	2,414	2,414	104	104
Accumulated depreciation and impairment	(969)	(969)	(39)	(39)
Net carrying value	1,445	1,445	65	65



## 10. PLANT AND EQUIPMENT (CONTINUED)

	CONSOL	IDATED	PARE	ENT
2008	PLANT AND EQUIPMENT AT COST	TOTAL	PLANT AND EQUIPMENT AT COST	TOTAL
	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000
Year ended 31 December 2008				
At 1 January 2008 net of accumulated depreciation and impairment	1,902	1,902	117	117
Additions	235	235	30	30
Depreciation charge for the year	(376)	(376)	(28)	(28)
At 31 December 2008, net of accumulated depreciation and impairment	1,761	1,761	119	119
At 31 December 2008				
Cost	2,538	2,538	309	309
Accumulated depreciation and impairment	(777)	(777)	(190)	(190)
Net carrying value	1,761	1,761	119	119

## 11. GOODWILL AND INTANGIBLE ASSETS

		CONSO	LIDATED	
2009	GOODWILL	INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY	DEVELOPMENT COSTS	TOTAL
	\$000	\$000	\$000	\$000
Balance at 1 January 2009 net of accumulated amortisation and impairment	-	121,362	1,856	53,918
Additions	-	-	555	555
Provision for impairment	-	-	-	-
Amortisation	-	(69,300)	(101)	(101)
Balance at 31 December 2009 net of accumulated amortisation and impairment	-	52,062	2,310	54,372
At 31 December 2009				
Cost (gross carrying amount)	34,261	121,362	2,895	158,518
Accumulated amortisation and impairment	(34,261)	(69,300)	(585)	(104,146)
Net carrying amount	-	52,062	2,310	54,372



## **II. GOODWILL AND INTANGIBLE ASSETS (CONTINUED)**

		CONSO	LIDATED	
2008	GOODWILL	INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY	DEVELOPMENT COSTS	TOTAL
	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000
Balance at 1 January 2008 net of accumulated amortisation and impairment	34,261	121,362	1,625	157,248
Additions	-	-	713	713
Provision for impairment	(34,261)	(69,300)	(466)	(104,027)
Amortisation	-	-	(16)	(16)
Balance at 31 December 2008 net of accumulated amortisation and impairment	-	52,062	1,856	53,918
At 31 December 2008				
Cost (Gross carrying amount)	34,261	121,362	2,340	157,963
Accumulated amortisation and impairment	(34,261)	(69,300)	(484)	(104,045)
Net carrying amount	-	52,062	1,856	53,918

#### Impairment Testing

Intangible assets with an indefinite useful life, or an intangible assets not yet available for use, are tested for impairment by comparing the asset carrying amount with its recoverable amount. Impairment indicators are used to help determine whether there is any indication that an asset may be impaired.

#### -Goodwill

The Group determines whether goodwill acquired through business combinations is impaired at least annually in December, or earlier where an indicator of impairment arises. This requires an estimation of the recoverable amount of the cash-generating unit to which goodwill is allocated. The recoverable amount of the cash generating unit to which goodwill relates has been determined by calculating the value in use, being the present value of future cash flows expected to be derived, excluding expansionary activities, finance costs and income tax.

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The consolidated group is viewed for impairment testing purposes as a single cash generating unit. For the year ended 31 December 2009 there is no impairment of the cash generating unit and subsequently no adjustment against Goodwill (2008: \$34.3 million).

### Intellectual Property

Intellectual property assets represent the fair value of patents acquired by the Company at 31 December 2004.

Intangible assets are tested for impairment at least annually at 31 December, or earlier where an indicator of impairment arises. The recoverable amount has been determined by calculation of the value in use being the present value of future cash flows expected to be derived from intangible assets, excluding expansionary activities, finance costs and income tax.

Asset recoverable amounts (value in use) are calculated using discounted cash flow methodology. Key assumptions of these valuations include:

- Management opinion on future cash flows on a product by product basis
- Different residual lifetime of acquired patents
- Allocation of products' value to underlying patents
- Probability adjustments (ranging from 0.225 to 1.00) to individual cash flows, reflecting various types of risks
- No terminal value

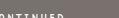
The pre-tax discount rate used was between 18-22%, based on:

- The required rates of return on listed companies in a similar business
- The indicative rates of return required by suppliers of venture capital
- The Groups current level of financial gearing

For the year ended 31 December 2009, no impairment expense is recognised (2008: \$69.3 million).

#### Development costs

Development expenditure on an internal project is recognised as an intangible asset only when Phosphagenics can demonstrate the technical feasibility of completing the intangible asset so that it will be available for use or sale, its intention to complete and its ability to use or sell the asset, how the asset will generate future economic benefits, the availability of resources to complete the development and the ability to measure reliably the expenditure attributable to the intangible asset during its development.



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## 11. GOODWILL AND INTANGIBLE ASSETS (CONTINUED)

Development expenditure is tested for impairment annually, when the asset is not yet available for use, or more frequently when an indication of impairment arises during the reporting period. At 31 December 2009 zero development costs were impaired and recognised as an expense (2008: \$0.466 million).

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### 12. CURRENT TRADE AND OTHER PAYABLES

	CONSOLIDATED		PARENT	
	2009	2008	2009	2008
	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000
Trade payables	989	1,032	179	135
Accrued expenses	83	97	83	97
Goods and services tax (GST) payable	-	21	-	20
Other	79	282	66	120
Total	1,151	1,432	328	372

No interest is charged on the trade payables for the first 60 days from the date of the invoice. Thereafter, interest is charged on the outstanding balance. The consolidated entity has financial risk management policies in place to ensure that all payables are paid within the credit time frame.

Other payables are non-trade payables and non-interest bearing. There were no related party payables at 31 December 2009.

#### 13. CURRENT PROVISIONS

	CONSOLIDATED		PARE	ENT
CURRENT	2009 \$'000	2008 \$'000	2009 \$'000	2008 \$'000
Employee benefits	96	76	96	76

#### 14. CONTRIBUTED EQUITY

	CONSOLIDATED				
FULLY PAID ORDINARY SHARES	2009 No. '000	2009 \$'000	2008 No. '000	2008 \$'000	
Balance at beginning of year	663,542	170,316	603,440	161,544	
Issue of shares	76,087	7,000	60,102	9,015	
Exercise of options	67	14	-	-	
Capital raising costs	-	(425)	-	(243)	
Balance at end of year	739,696	176,905	663,542	170,316	
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	PARENT			
FULLY PAID ORDINARY SHARES	2009 No. '000	2009 \$'000	2008 No. '000	2008 \$'000
Balance at beginning of year	663,542	170,316	603,440	161,544
Issue of shares – cash	76,087	7,000	60,102	9,015
Exercise of options	67	14	-	-
Capital raising costs	-	(425)	-	(243)
Balance at end of year	739,696	176,905	663,542	170,316

Fully paid ordinary shares carry one vote per share and carry the right to dividends.

## Share options

As at close of business on 31 December 2009 there were a total of 12,350,000 unexercised unquoted options issued as share based payments.

Share options carry no rights to dividends and no voting rights. For further details of share based payments refer to note 5.

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## 15. RESERVES

functional currency into Phosphagenics Ltd's

reporting currency.

	CONSC	DLIDATED	PAR	RENT
	2009	2008	2009	2008
	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000
Reserves				
Business combination	27,812	27,812	-	-
Employee equity-settled benefits	946	580	946	580
Other equity-settled benefits	46	46	46	46
Foreign Currency Translation Reserve	29	47	_	_
12	28,833	28,485	992	626
Business combination reserve				
Balance at beginning of year	27,812	27,812		_
Balance at end of year	27,812	27,812		
Employee equity-settled benefits reserve				
Balance at beginning of year	580	402	580	402
Share based payment expense	366	178	366	178
Balance at end of year	946	580	946	580
The employee share option and share plan reserve is used to record the value of equity benefits provided to employees and Directors as part of their remuneration. For further details refer to note 5 in the Financial Statements.				
Other equity-settled benefits reserve				
Balance at beginning of year	46	46	46	46
Share based payments		-	-	_
Balance at end of year	46	46	46	46
The other equity-settled benefits reserve is used to record the value of equity benefits provided to suppliers as part of their remuneration.				
Foreign Currency Translation Reserve				
Balance at beginning of year	47	-	-	-
	(18)	47	_	_
Foreign Currency Translation				

#### 16. EARNINGS PER SHARE

### Basic earnings per share

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Basic earnings per share is calculated by dividing the net loss, from continuing operations attributable to ordinary equity holders of the parent for the year, by the weighted average number of ordinary shares outstanding during the year.

### Diluted earnings per share

Diluted earnings per share is calculated by dividing the net loss attributable to ordinary shareholders by the weighted average number of ordinary shares on issue during the year (adjusted for the effects of dilutive options). There are no instruments (e.g. share options) excluded from the calculation of diluted earnings per share that could potentially dilute basic earnings per share in the future because they are antidilutive for either of the periods presented.

There have been no transactions involving ordinary shares or potential ordinary shares that would significantly change the number of ordinary shares or potential ordinary shares outstanding between the reporting date and the date of completion of these financial statements.

EARNINGS USED IN CALCULATING EARNINGS PER SHARE	2009 \$'000	2008 \$'000
Net Loss from continuing operations attributable to ordinary equity holders for the calculation of basic and diluted earnings per share.	(8,501)	(91,206)
WEIGHTED AVERAGE NUMBER OF SHARES	2009 No. '000's	2008 No. '000's
Weighted average number of ordinary shares for the purposes of basic earnings per share.	681,716	641,702
Effect of dilution: Share options	70,997	66,964
Weighted average number of ordinary shares adjusted for the effect of dilution.	752,713	708,666



#### Information on the classification of securities

Options quoted on the ASX and options granted to employees and other service providers are considered to be potential ordinary shares and have been included in the determination of diluted earnings per share to the extent they are dilutive. These options have not been included in the determination of basic earnings per share.

#### 17. COMMITMENTS FOR EXPENDITURE

#### Operating Leases

Non-cancellable operating leases relate to the rent of commercial property used for business operations.

	CONSOLIDATED		PARENT	
NON-CANCELLABLE OPERATING LEASE PAYMENTS	2009	2008	2009	2008
	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000
Within 1 year	243	262	243	262
After 1 year but not more than 5 years	160	66	160	66
After more than 5 years	_	_	-	
Jotal minimum lease payments	403	328	403	328

#### 18. OPERATING SEGMENTS

#### Identification of reportable segments

The group has indentified its operating segments based on the internal reports that are reviewed and used by the Chief Executive Officer and his management team (the chief operating decision makers) in assessing the performance and in determining the allocation of resources.

The operating segments are identified by management based on the group's risks and returns that are affected predominantly by differences in the products and services provided. The reportable segments are based on aggregated operating segments determined according to the nature of the products and services provided, with each reportable segment representing a strategic business unit that offers different products and serves different markets.

### Types of products and services

#### Nutraceuticals

Nutraceuticals is the use of vitamins and nutritious products to improve human health. The nutraceutical business is developing active ingredients for the following market segments:

- Dietary Supplements e.g. vitamin capsules and tablets. The Company has used its proprietary technology to orally deliver dietary supplements aimed at improving bioavailability and efficacy
- Functional Foods and Beverages e.g. nutritionally enhanced foods functional, aimed at improving the nutritional benefits of everyday foods
- Personal care products discovery research has shown that tocopheryl phosphate is a natural molecule with increased activity over standard Vitamin E (tocopherol). Having scientifically proven anti-inflammatory properties, it reduces redness, protects against UV induced photo damage, and helps to heal and prevent acne. The structure of TPM™ allows it to act as a penetration enhancer, increasing dermal absorption compared to tocopherol acetate and tocopherol, allowing it to penetrate deeper into the skin for increased action. TPM™ is also able to increase the penetration of molecules formulated in the same cream. TPM™ is well suited to products in the Cosmeceuticals market

The Company's nutraceutical business is a revenue-generating growth business. The route to market for nutraceutical products is through partnering with companies that have established distribution networks within the relevant market segments.

#### **Pharmaceuticals**

The pharmaceutical division is focused on:

- Drug delivery enhancing the delivery of existing drugs through the skin utilising Phosphagenics' proprietary delivery technology
- Drug enhancement augmenting the biological activity of existing drugs by adding a phosphate group to the chemical structure of the drug

The route to market for the Company's pharmaceutical products is through partnering with a larger



### 18. OPERATING SEGMENTS (CONTINUED)

pharmaceutical company at the appropriate stage in a product's development so as to maximise return on the Company's research and development investment. The core competencies of the pharmaceutical business are generation of pharmaceutical intellectual property and translation of this knowledge base into commercially viable product candidates for the treatment of human conditions and disease.

Phosphagenics strategy is to capitalise on its proprietary technology through joining its resources and development capabilities with co-development partners or licensees.

The objective of any development or marketing agreement entered into is to generate revenues from three sources:

- Milestone payments and development fees during the pre-marketing phases of product development;
- Royalties on product sales by partners; and
- Manufacturing and supply of product to partners, predominantly of the phosphorylated delivery compound.

The Company's choice of development products is based on the market opportunity and the overall commercial viability of each individual drug candidate, including assessment of the current and expected competition for the product, the cost, timing and degree of difficulty to commercialise the product, the patent status of the drug compound and the market size of the drug to be developed.

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#### 18. OPERATING SEGMENTS (CONTINUED)

Accounting policies and inter-segment transactions

Accounting policies used by the Group in reporting segments are contained in note 1 to the accounts.

### **Business segments**

2009	NUTRACEUTICALS \$'000	PHARMACEUTICALS \$'000	UNALLOCATED \$'000	TOTAL GROUP \$'000
Revenue				
Sales and Royalties	670	-	-	670
Grant Income		304	_	304
Total segment revenue	670	304	_	974
Net operating loss after tax	(2,647)	(2,976)	(2,840)	(8,463)
Interest revenue	-	-	430	430
Depreciation and amortisation	(341)	(101)	(24)	(466)
Write-off of assets	-	-	(38)	(38)
Segment assets	799	923	65,642	67,364
Capital Expenditure	7	74	7	88
Segment liabilities	24	786	16,560	17,375
Cash flow information				
Net cash flow from Operating activities	(2,395)	(2,287)	(4,281)	(8,963)
Net cash flow from investing activities	(7)	(62)	416	347
Net cash flow from financing activities	-	-	6,589	6,589

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### 18. OPERATING SEGMENTS (CONTINUED)

financing activities

2008	NUTRACEUTICALS \$'000	PHARMACEUTICALS \$'000	UNALLOCATED \$'000	TOTAL GROUP \$'000
Revenue				
Sales and Royalties	985	-	-	985
Grant Income	-	1,354	-	1,354
Total segment revenue	985	1,354	-	2,339
Net operating loss after tax	(790)	(5,248)	(85,064)	(91,102)
Interest revenue	-	-	913	913
Depreciation and amortisation	(348)	(482)	(28)	(858)1
Impairment of intangible assets	-	(466)	(69,300)	(69,766)
Impairment of goodwill	-	-	(34,261)	(34,261)
Income tax benefit	-	-	20,790	20,790
Segment assets	792	849	67,548	69,189
Capital expenditure	28	177	30	235
Segment liabilities	212	684	16,740	17,636
Cash flow information				
Net cash flow from Operating activities	2,376	(4,165)	(5,443)	(7,232)
Net cash flow from investing activities	(28)	(177)	846	641
Net cash flow from	-	-	8,772	8,772

## 18. OPERATING SEGMENTS (CONTINUED)

## i) Segment revenue reconciliation to the statement of comprehensive income

	CONSOLIDATED		
RECONCILIATION OF REVENUE	2009	2008	
	\$'000	\$'000	
Total segment revenue	974	2,339	
Other revenue from continuing activities	430	913	
Total revenue	1,404	3,252	

Revenue from external customers by geographical locations is detailed below. Revenue is attributed to geographic location based on the location of the customers. The company does not have external revenues from external customers that are attributable to any foreign country other than as shown.

	CONSO	LIDATED
REVENUE BY GEOGRAPHICAL LOCATION	2009	2008
	\$'000	\$'000
Australia	734	2,267
United States	670	985
Other foreign countries		-
Total revenue	1,404	3,252

## ii) Segment net operating profit after tax reconciliation to the statement of comprehensive income

The executive management committee meets on a monthly basis to assess the performance of each segment by analysing the segment's net operating profit after tax. A segment's net operating profit after tax excludes non-operating income and expense such as dividends received, fair value gains and losses, gains and losses on disposal of assets and impairment charges. Income tax expenses are calculated as 30% (2008:30%) of the segment's net operating profit.



## 18. OPERATING SEGMENTS (CONTINUED)

		CONSO	LIDATED
	RECONCILIATION OF SEGMENT NET OPERATING PROFIT AFTER TAX  TO NET PROFIT/LOSS BEFORE TAX	2009	2008
=		\$'000	\$'000
71	Segment net operating loss after tax	(5,623)	(6,038)
	Income tax benefit at 30%	-	20,790
	Other operating loss from continuing activities	(2,840)	(23,187)
	Impairment of intangible assets	-	(69,300)
	Impairment of goodwill	-	(34,261)
	Net loss on disposal of plant and equipment	(38)	-
T	Total net profit before tax per the statement of comprehensive income	(8,501)	(111,996)

### Segment assets reconciliation to the statement of financial position

In assessing the segment performance on a monthly basis, the executive management committee analyses the segment as described above and its relation to the segment assets. Segment assets are those operating assets of the entity that the management committee views as directly attributing to the performance of the segment. These assets include plant and equipment, receivables, inventory and intangibles and exclude available-for-sale assets, derivative assets and deferred tax assets.

RECONCILIATION OF SEGMENT OPERATING ASSETS TO TOTAL ASSETS	CONSOLIDATED		
	2009	2008	
TO TOTAL ASSETS	\$'000	\$'000	
Segment operating assets	67,364	69,189	
Total assets per the statement of financial position	67,364	69.189	
Total assets per the statement of illiancial position			

### 18. OPERATING SEGMENTS (CONTINUED)

The analysis of the location of non-current assets other than financial instruments, deferred tax assets, pension assets is as follows

	CONSOI	LIDATED
NON-CURRENT ASSETS BY GEOGRAPHICAL LOCATION	2009	2008
	\$'000	\$'000
Australia	55,817	55,679
United States	-	-
Other foreign countries		-
Total assets	55,817	55,679

## iv) Segment liabilities reconciliation to the statement of financial position

Segment liabilities include trade and other payables and debt. The Group has a centralised finance function that is responsible for raising debt and capital for the entire operations. Each entity or business uses this central function to invest excess cash or obtain funding for its operations.

DECONOUTATION OF CEOMENT OPENATING HARMSTIES	CONSOLIDATED		
RECONCILIATION OF SEGMENT OPERATING LIABILITIES TO TOTAL LIABILITIES	2009 \$'000	2008 \$'000	
Segment operating liabilities	810	896	
Other operating liabilities from continuing activities	16,560	16,740	
Total liabilities per the statement of financial position	17,375	17,636	



#### 19. RELATED PARTY DISCLOSURE

The consolidated financial statements include the financial statements of Phosphagenics Limited and the subsidiaries listed in the following table.

ENTITY	COUNTRY OF INCORPORATION	2009 Equity Interest	2008 EQUITY INTEREST	2009 INVESTMENT \$'000	2008 INVESTMENT \$'000
Vital Health Sciences Pty Ltd	Australia	100%	100%	27,111	27,111
Preform Technologies Pty Ltd	Australia	100%	100%	-	-
Adoil Pty Ltd	Australia	100%	100%	-	-
Phosphagenics Inc.	USA	100%	100%	-	-

## Other transactions with key management personnel

The loss from operations includes no items of revenue and expense that resulted from transactions other than remuneration or equity holdings, with specified directors or their personally related entities. Communicate Pty Ltd provided services to the Group during the year on behalf of the Board. Professor Vizard is a consultant to Communicate P/L. These services were provided on normal commercial terms.

#### Transactions with other related parties

During the year, Vital Health Sciences Pty Ltd borrowed \$5,428,761 (2008: \$4,340,835) and Phosphagenics Inc. \$544,432 (2008: \$224,812) from Phosphagenics Ltd (the parent entity). No part of these funds has been repaid. The loan is non trading and non current in nature.

Phosphagenics Inc has insufficient net assets to repay the inter company loan balance to Phosphagenics Ltd (the parent entity). At 31 December 2009 Phosphagenics Ltd recognised an impairment of \$743,000 (2008: \$0) against the inter company loan with Phosphagenics Inc.

No amounts were provided for doubtful debts relating to debts due from related parties at reporting date (2008: Nil).

### 20. SUBSEQUENT EVENTS

There have been no significant events subsequent to reporting date.

#### 21. NOTES TO THE CASH FLOW STATEMENT

### (a) Reconciliation of cash and cash equivalents

For the purposes of the statement of cash flows, cash and cash equivalents includes cash on hand and in banks and investments in money market instruments, net of outstanding bank overdrafts. Cash and cash equivalents at the end of the financial year, as shown in the statement of cash flows, is reconciled to the related items in the statement of financial position as follows:

	CONSOLIDATED 2009 2008		PARENT	
			2009	2008
	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000
Cash at Bank	2,198	2,896	2,089	2,097
Short Term Deposits	8,670	10,000	8,670	10,000
	10,868	12,896	10,759	12,097

## 21. NOTES TO THE CASH FLOW STATEMENT (CONTINUED)

## (b) Reconciliation of net loss after tax to net cash flows from operations

	CONSO	LIDATED	PAR	ENT	
	2009	2008	2009	2008	
	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	
Net Loss after tax	(8,501)	(91,206)	(3,036)	(1,621)	
Adjustments for: Depreciation, disposal, impairment and amortisation of non-current assets	505	858	63	28	
ESOP Expense	366	178	366	178	
Capitalisation of development expenses	(555)	(715)	-	-	
Impairment of acquired intangible assets	-	69,300	-	-	
Impairment of goodwill	-	34,261	-	-	
impairment of intercompany loans	-	-	743	-	
Interest received	(430)	(913)	(418)	(867)	
Changes in assets and liabilities:					
(Increase)/ decrease in trade receivables and other receivables	(60)	1,345	(10)	80	
(Increase)/decrease in inventories	154	(197)	-	-	
(Increase)/decrease in prepayments	(159)	(106)	(47)	(106)	
(Decrease)/increase in trade payables and other payables	(281)	613	(44)	4	
(Decrease)/increase in deferred tax liability	-	(20,790)	-	-	
(Decrease)/increase in provisions	(2)	140	16	99	
Net cash (used in) operating activities	(8,963)	(7,232)	(2,367)	(2,205)	
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## NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS » co

### 22. FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS

### (a) Financial risk management objectives and policies

The Group's principal financial instruments comprise of cash and short-term deposits. Various financial instruments such as trade receivables and trade payables arise directly from operations. The Group's activities expose it primarily to the financial risks of changes in foreign currency exchange rates.

The Group does not enter into, or trade, financial instruments including derivative financial instruments, for speculative purposes and manages its exposure to key financial risks, including interest rate and currency risk in accordance with the principals of prudent financial management. The objective of this is to support the delivery of the Group's financial targets whilst protecting future financial security.

Primary responsibility for identification and control of financial risks rests with the Audit Committee under the authority of the Board. The Board reviews and agrees policies for managing each of the risks including foreign exchange risk, interest rate risk and future cash flow forecast projections.

Details of the significant accounting policies and methods adopted, including the criteria for recognition, the basis of measurement and the basis on which income and expenses are recognised, in respect of each class of financial asset, financial liability and equity instrument are disclosed in note 1 to the financial statements.

### (b) Risk exposures and responses

#### Interest rate risk

The consolidated entity is only exposed to interest rate risk relating to cash at bank as it has no borrowings. At reporting date the Group has the following financial assets (no financial liabilities at 31 December 2009 or 31 December 2008) exposed to Australian Variable Interest Rates:

	CONSO	CONSOLIDATED		ENT
	2009 \$'000	2008 \$'000	2009 \$'000	2008 \$'000
Financial Assets Cash and cash equivalents	10,868	12,896	10,759	12,096

The following sensitivity analysis is based on the interest rate risk exposures in existence at 31 December 2009.



### 22. FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS (CONTINUED)

If interest rates had moved, as illustrated in the table below, with all other variables held constant, post tax loss and equity would have been affected as follows:

	POST TA HIGHER/	X PROFIT (LOWER)	EQUITY HIGHER/(LOWER)	
	2009	2008	2009	2008
	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000
Judgements of reasonably possible movements:				
Consolidated				
+ 1% (100 basis points)	109	129	-	-
.5% (50 basis points)	(54)	(64)	-	-
Parent				
+ 1% (100 basis points)	108	121	-	-

The movements in profit are due to higher/lower interest income from variable rate term deposits and cash balances. There is no equity movement as there are no financial assets or financial liabilities which are designated as cash flow hedges. The sensitivity is lower in 2009 in comparison to 2008 due to the lower cash and cash equivalents balance.

(60)

(54)

### Foreign currency risk

.5% (50 basis points)

The Group has transactional currency exposures principally due to its operations in the United States. Such exposure arises from sales or purchases by an operating unit in currencies, principally US dollars, other than the Group's presentation currency.

Approximately 48% of sales and royalties (2008: 30%) are denominated in currencies other than the presentation currency of the Group (Australian dollars), whilst 94% (2008: 90%) of costs are denominated in the Group's presentation currency.

At 31 December 2009 the Group had the following exposure to US dollar foreign currency not designated in cash flow hedges:

## NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS » CON

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#### 22. FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS (CONTINUED)

	CONSOLIDATED		PARENT	
	2009	2008	2009	2008
	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000
Financial Assets				
Cash and cash equivalents	25	50	-	-
Trade and other receivables		-	-	
	25	50	-	-
Financial Liabilities				
Trade and other payables		-	-	
		_	-	
Net Exposure	25	50	_	

At 31 December 2009, had the Australian Dollar moved, as illustrated in the table below, with all other variables held constant, post tax profit and equity would have been affected as follows:

	POST TAX PROFIT HIGHER/(LOWER)		EQUITY HIGHER/(LOWER)	
	2009	2008	2009	2008
	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000
Judgements of reasonably possible movements:				
Consolidated				
AUD/USD +10%	(2)	(5)	-	-
AUD/USD -5%	1	3	-	-
Parent				
AUD/USD +10%	(2)	(5)	-	-
AUD/USD -5%	1	3	-	-

#### Credit risk management

Credit risk arises from the financial assets of the Group comprising cash and cash equivalents and trade and other receivables. Credit risk refers to the risk a counterparty will default on its contractual obligations resulting in financial loss to the Group. The Group has adopted a policy of only dealing with creditworthy counterparties and



### 22. FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS (CONTINUED)

obtaining sufficient collateral where appropriate, as a means of mitigating the risk of financial loss from defaults. Group exposure to, and the credit ratings of, counterparties are continuously monitored and the aggregate value of transactions concluded are with approved counterparties. The Group does not have any significant credit risk exposure to any single counterparty or any group of counterparties having similar characteristics. The credit risk on liquid funds and financial instruments is limited because the counterparties are banks with high credit ratings assigned by international credit rating agencies. The Group measures credit risk on a fair value basis.

The carrying value of financial assets recorded in the financial statements, net of any allowances for losses, represents the Groups maximum exposure to credit risk. Maturity analysis of financial assets and liabilities based on management's expectations as follows:

YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2009	≤ 6	6-12	1-5	>5	
	MONTHS	MONTHS	YEARS	YEARS	TOTAL
	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000
Consolidated					
Financial Assets					
Cash and cash equivalents	10,868	-	-	-	10,868
rade and other receivables	292	-	-	-	292
<i>99</i>	11,160	-		-	11,160
Consolidated					
Financial Liabilities					
Trade and other payables	1,151	-	-	_	1,151
	1,151	-	-		1,151
Net Exposure	10,009	_	_		10,009

## Liquidity risk management

The Group continuously monitors cash flows and matches the maturity profiles of financial assets and liabilities.

#### Capital management

Management's objective is to ensure the entity continues as a going concern with the ability to fund future research and development requirements and commercialise the Group's products. Management also aim to maintain a capital structure that ensures the lowest cost of capital available and deliver optimal long-term returns to shareholders.

## DIRECTOR'S DECLARATION

The Directors declare that:

- (a) in the Directors' opinion, there are reasonable grounds to believe that the company will be able to pay its debts as and when they become due and payable;
- (b) in the Directors' opinion, the attached financial statements and notes thereto are in accordance with the *Corporations Act 2001*, including compliance with accounting standards and giving a true and fair view of the financial position and performance of the consolidated entity; and
- (c) the Directors have been given the declarations required by s.295A of the Corporations Act 2001.

Signed in accordance with a resolution of the Directors made pursuant to s.295(5) of the Corporations Act 2001.

On behalf of the Board

Andrew Lancelot Vizard Chairman

19 February 2010

Melbourne

## INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT



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#### Independent auditor's report to the members of Phosphagenics Limited

#### Report on the Financial Report

We have audited the accompanying financial report of Phosphagenics Limited, which comprises the statement of financial position as at 31 December 2009, and the statement of comprehensive income, statement of changes in equity and statement of cash flows for the year ended on that date, a summary of significant accounting policies, other explanatory notes and the directors' declaration of the consolidated entity comprising the company and the entities it controlled at the year's end or from time to time during the financial year.

#### Directors' Responsibility for the Financial Report

The directors of the company are responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of the financial report in accordance with the Australian Accounting Standards (including the Australian Accounting Interpretations) and the *Corporations Act 2001*. This responsibility includes establishing and maintaining internal controls relevant to the preparation and fair presentation of the financial report that is free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error; selecting and applying appropriate accounting policies; and making accounting estimates that are reasonable in the circumstances. In Note 2(a), the directors also state that the financial report, comprising the financial statements and notes, complies with International Financial Reporting Standards as issued by the International Accounting Standards Board.

#### Auditor's Responsibility

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

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

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

#### Independence

In conducting our audit we have met the independence requirements of the *Corporations Act 2001*. We have given to the directors of the company a written Auditor's Independence Declaration, a copy of which is included in the directors' report. The Auditor's Independence Declaration would have been expressed in the same terms if it had been given to the directors at the date this auditor's report was signed. 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.

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## INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT



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### Auditor's Independence Declaration to the Directors of Phosphagenics Limited

In relation to our audit of the financial report of Phosphagenics Limited for the financial year ended 31 December 2009, to the best of my knowledge and belief, there have been no contraventions of the auditor independence requirements of the *Corporations Act 2001* or any applicable code of professional conduct.

Ernst & Young

Don Brumley Partner

19 February 2010



#### SHARES

Below is a list of the top 20 shareholders and their ranking.

TWENTY LARGEST HOLDING: ORDINARY FULLY PAID SHARES		AS AT 16 MARCH 2010	% ISSUED SHARES	RANKING
Citizan Naminas Pty Limited		CO 070 2C0	9.20	1
Citicorp Nominees Pty Limited		68,070,260		1
Paroha Nominees Pty Ltd		61,367,143	8.30	2
Jogra Nominees Pty Ltd		49,684,658	6.72	3
Merrill Lynch (Australia) Nominees Pty Limited		41,263,084	5.58	4
ANZ Nominees Limited <cash a="" c="" income=""></cash>		29,361,898	3.97	5
HSBC Custody Nominees (Australia) Limited		28,733,730	3.88	6
National Nominees Limited		26,339,446	3.56	7
J P Morgan Nominees Australia Limited		16,175,997	2.19	8
Zahavette Pty Ltd <goldberg a="" c="" super=""></goldberg>		15,027,372	2.03	9
Publicity Press Pty Ltd		6,934,434	0.94	10
Ross & Gina Copeland		6,707,493	0.91	11
Dalsey Pty Ltd <the a="" c="" dalsey="" super=""></the>		6,377,323	0.86	12
Esra Ogru		5,711,610	0.77	13
Rijem Nominees Pty		5,538,105	0.75	14
Decoland Holdings Pty Ltd		5,500,000	0.74	15
David Segal		5,332,410	0.72	16
Ernest Szoke		5,084,270	0.69	17
Jojo Enterprises Pty Ltd < SFI Family A/C>		4,682,381	0.63	18
Crawford Court Pty Ltd <raymond a="" bartlett="" c="" f="" s=""></raymond>		4,511,012	0.61	19
Herbert Kozlov		4,236,892	0.57	20
Sub-Total – Top 20 Holders	_	396,639,518	53.62	
- Other Holders		343,056,991	46.38	
TOTAL ISSUED SHARES	-	739,696,509	100.00	

## ADDITIONAL SHAREHOLDERS' INFORMATION » CONTINUED

#### **VOTING RIGHTS**

**Shares:** One vote per share.

#### RANGE OF SHAREHOLDERS AT 16 MARCH 2010

Below range of shareholders and units held.

Range	Holders	Units	0/0
1-1,000	437	122,993	0.02
1,001-5,000	955	3,087,238	0.42
5,001-10,000	819	6,572,904	0.89
10,001-100,00	2,274	84,394,047	11.41
100,001-0VER	721	645,519,327	87.27
	5,206	739,696,509	100.00

#### MARKETABLE PARCELS - SHARES

Holdings that are less than a marketable parcel of the Company's ordinary fully paid shares as at 16 March 2010 at a closing price of A\$0.071 a share, consisted of a total of 1,660 holders each holding a parcel of less than 6,945 shares and covering an aggregate of 4,812,945 shares.

#### **BUY-BACK**

The Company has not undertaken any share buy-back plans during or since the year ended 31 December 2009.

#### SUBSTANTIAL SHAREHOLDINGS

The following Substantial Shareholdings ('SSH') have been declared to the Company:

HOLDER	DECLARATION & ENTITLEMENT TO		DATE OF SSH	FORM
	%	NO. SECURITIES	NOTICE	NO.
Orbis Global Equity Fund Ltd	16.23	120,049,981	9 October 2009	604
Harry Rosen	8.66	64,080,143	30 May 2007	604
Simon M West	6.79	50,242,658	7 February 2007	604
NextGen Pet Ltd	4.54	33,606,944	15 September 2008	603
Ingalls & Synder, LLC	4.52	33,460,149	9 March 2009	603

Broking Commissions not applicable.



## ADDITIONAL SHAREHOLDERS' INFORMATION

### UNQUOTED OPTIONS

Below is a list of unquoted options.

Twenty Largest Holdings: (expiring 22 May 2011 & exercisable at 24 cents each)	Number Options Held	% Issued Capital	Ranking
J Bayern & Co. Inc	500,000	100.00	1

## VOTING RIGHTS

the stated expiry date.

Options carry no voting rights.

### MPLOYEE SHARE OPTION PLAN (ESOP)

The options may be exercised at any time before

As at the date of this report the Company has on issue under the terms and conditions of the ESOP an aggregate of 11.85 million options with various expiry dates and exercise prices. The options may be exercised at any time before the stated expiry date after they have become fully vested. As at the date of this report no ESOP options have been exercised.

#### A summary of the options issued under the PLAN is:

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Granted	15,900,000
Less Lapsed	(4,050,000)
Number of options now on issue	11,850,000
Number fully vested options	8,500,000
Number non-vested options	3,350,000
	11,850,000

On a fully diluted basis the number of unexercised ESOP options (11,850,000) represents 1.5 per cent of all issued securities.

#### **VOTING RIGHTS**

ESOP Options carry no voting rights.

## RESTRICTED SECURITIES/ UNQUOTED SECURITIES

As at the date of this report there are no restricted unquoted securities.

