

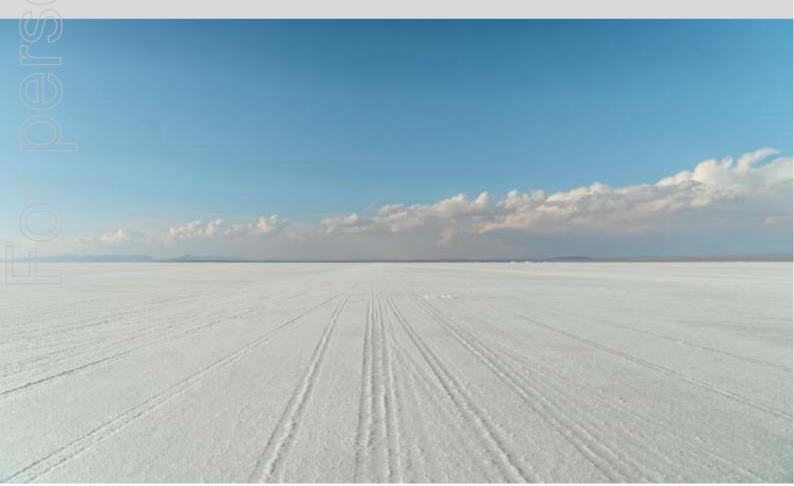
## **Fin Resources Limited**

## Interim Financial Report

31 December 2021

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#### **CORPORATE DIRECTORY**

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#### **Directors' Report**



The Directors present their report for Fin Resources Limited ("Fin Resources", "Fin" or "the Company") and its subsidiaries ("the Group") for the half-year ended 31 December 2021.

#### DIRECTORS

The persons who were directors of Fin Resources during the half-year and up to the date of this report are:

- Gautam Varma Managing Director (appointed 17 January 2022)
- Brian Talbot Technical Director (appointed 30 November 2021)
- Jason Bontempo Non-Executive Director
- Ryan de Franck Non-Executive Director (appointed 6 July 2021)
- Andrew Radonjic Non-Executive Director (resigned 30 November 2021)
- Simon Mottram Non-Executive Director (resigned 17 January 2022)

#### **REVIEW OF OPERATIONS**

Fin Resources is an ASX listed company (ASX:FIN) focussed on the development of the Sol Mar Project (formerly North Onslow Solar Salt Project (NOSSP)). The Sol Mar Project consists of six granted exploration licences and three pending exploration licences located in a proven salt production region with ideal climatic conditions to produce high purity salt. The Company is investigating the use of renewable energy in the form of wind and solar energy to create a zero-carbon footprint project and potentially fuel renewable product streams like Hydrogen and other green by products.

#### Sol Mar Scoping Study

The Company announced the results of a positive Scoping Study in September 2021. The highly compelling potential economics demonstrated Sol Mar's world class potential with further studies to commence and results reported progressively. The project is based on using 100% renewable energy and producing green products. All proposed products have substantial existing markets. The positive Scoping Study results are to be used to accelerate the partnering strategy.

#### World Class Renewable Energy Potential

A leading independent renewable energy consultant was engaged by FIN to assess the potential for wind and or solar power generation and confirmed the multi gigawatt potential of FIN's 905km<sup>2</sup> strategic tenure position at the North Onslow project area in the Pilbara region of Western Australia.

The total solar resource was estimated to be substantial at 60 GW with the total wind resource estimated at 15 GW. FIN's strategy is not to become a large-scale energy producer but to partner with an established renewable energy project developer for the supply of renewable energy at the North Onslow project area. Initial discussions have indicated there is potentially strong interest from a broad range of groups seeking this type of opportunity.

#### **McKenzie Springs Project**

The McKenzie Springs, is located within the Kimberley Region of Western Australia, 85km north-east of the township of Halls Creek. The Project covers an area of approximately 134km<sup>2</sup> including identified nickel, copper, cobalt and graphite occurrences. The McKenzie Springs Project is considered prospective for magmatic Ni-Cu sulphide and PGE mineralisation.

The Company completed its Maiden drilling program in October 2020. The maiden drill program consisted of 3 holes (~950m in total) along a prospective strike length of 1.2km within Fin's tenements. A review of the historic and recent geochemical data was undertaken which focused on the area pertaining to the Spring Creek layered intrusion. Further geological and geophysical modelling is required.

#### **Directors' Report**



#### **Board and Management Changes**

Mr Ryan de Franck joined the Company's board as a Non-Executive Director on 6 July 2021. Mr de Franck has a broad range of experience across corporate finance, corporate development and company management with a focus on the natural resources sector.

Mr James Barrie joined the Company as its full-time project director for the North Onslow Solar Salt Project on 8 July 2021. Mr Barrie has more than 35 years' experience in leadership roles for salt, iron ore and other projects with numerous Western Australian engineering and mining companies.

Mr. Brian Talbot was appointed to the Board of Directors as a Technical Director on 30 November 2021. Mr Andrew Radonjic stood down as Non-Executive Director.

#### **Option Issues**

On 6 July 2021, the Company issued 63,500,000 unlisted options to management, brokers and corporate advisors, exercisable at \$0.018 each on or before 30 June 2024 and 11,500,000 performance options to directors (and/or their nominee) exercisable at \$0.00001 each on or before 5 July 2026.

#### **Option Conversions**

During the period, 42,138,375 listed options (ASX:FINOA) were exercised, raising \$1,053,459. 60,925,876 listed options in the same class lapsed unexercised on 31 December 2021.

#### **EVENTS SUBSEQUENT TO REPORTING DATE**

On 6 January 2022, Fin was notified that the Western Australian Department of Mines, Industry Regulation and Safety had granted E08/3355 which comprises 85 graticular blocks and covering an area of 270.5km<sup>2</sup>.

Mr. Gautam Varma was appointed as the Managing Director of the Company on 17 January 2022. Mr. Varma is a veteran of the mining industry having held senior roles at BHP (ASX:BHP), Illuka Resources (ASX: ILU), Xstrata and, most recently as the Chief Representative for Europe, India and South East Asia at Fortescue Metals Group (ASX: FMG). Mr Simon Mottram also resigned as Non-Executive Director.

On 8 February 2022, the Company issued 30,000,000 Performance Options. The Performance Options are exercisable at \$0.00001 with vesting conditions of consecutive 5-day VWAPs of \$0.054 (1/3 Options), \$0.072 (1/3 Options) and \$0.09 (1/3 Options). The Company also issued 1,075,000 shares to Mr James Barrie (Project Director) following six months of continued service.

There have been no other significant events subsequent to the end of the financial year to the date of this <u>report</u> which significantly affect the operations of the Group, the results of those operations or the state of affairs of the Group in future financial years.

#### AUDITOR'S INDEPENDENCE DECLARATION

Section 307C of the Corporations Act 2001 requires our auditors, to provide the Directors of the Company with an Independence Declaration in relation to the review of the half-year financial report. This Independence Declaration is set out on page 5 and forms part of this Directors' report for the half-year ended 31 December 2021.

This report is signed in accordance with a resolution of the Board of Directors made pursuant to s.306(3) of the Corporations Act 2001.

#### **Directors' Report**



Signed on behalf of the board in accordance with a resolution of the Directors.

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Gautam Varma Managing Director Singapore 2 March 2022



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2 March 2022

Board of Directors Fin Resources Limited First Floor, 35 Richardson Street West Peth WA6005

Dear Sirs

#### RE: FIN RESOURCES LIMITED

In accordance with section 307C of the *Corporations Act 2001*, I am pleased to provide the following declaration of independence to the directors of Fin Resources Limited.

As Audit Director for the review of the financial statements of Fin Resources Limited for the half-year ended 31 December 2021, I declare that to the best of my knowledge and belief, there have been no contraventions of:

- (i) the auditor independence requirements of the Corporations Act 2001 in relation to the review; and
- (ii) any applicable code of professional conduct in relation to the review.

Yours faithfully

STANTONS INTERNATIONAL AUDIT AND CONSULTING PTY LTD (An Authorised Audit Company)

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#### **Consolidated Statement of Profit or Loss and Other Comprehensive Income** for the half-year ended 31 December 2021

|   |   |      | 31-Dec-21   | 31-Dec-20      |
|---|---|------|-------------|----------------|
|   |   | Note | \$          | \$             |
|   | Continuing operations   |      |             |                |
| 2 | Consultancy fees  |      | (49,000)    | (30,000)       |
| ] | Corporate and compliance expense  |      | (128,944)   | (63,503)       |
| ] | Employee benefits expense   |      | (253,867)   | (68,873)       |
| ] | Share based payments  | 7(a) | (2,640,003) | (14,817)       |
|   | Impairment expense  | 3    | (710,335)   | -              |
| ) | Other expenses  |      | (92,923)    | (24,404)       |
|   | Total expenses  |      | (3,875,072) | (201,597)      |
| ) | Other income  |      | 3,028       | 20,444         |
|   | Loss before income tax from continuing operations<br>Income tax expense |      | (3,872,044) | (181,153)<br>- |
| / | Loss after income tax from continuing operations                        | -    | (3,872,044) | (181,153)      |
| 1 | Loss for the period   |      | (3,872,044) | (181,153)      |
| / | Other comprehensive income  |      |             |                |
|   | Items that may be reclassified to profit and loss                       |      | -           | -              |
| ] | Other comprehensive income for the period net of tax                    |      | -           | -              |
| ) | Total comprehensive loss for the period                                 |      | (3,872,044) | (181,153)      |
| ) | Loss attributable to:   |      |             |                |
| 1 | Owners of the parent  |      | (3,872,044) | (181,153)      |
| _ | Non-controlling interests   |      | -           | -              |
| ) |   |      | (3,872,044) | (181,153)      |
| ) | Total comprehensive loss attributable to:                               |      |             |                |
|   | Owners of the parent  |      | (3,872,044) | (181,153)      |
|   | Non-controlling interests   |      | -           | -              |
| ] |   |      | (3,872,044) | (181,153)      |
| ) |   |      |             |                |
|   | Loss per share  |      |             |                |
| - | From continuing operations  |      |             |                |
| 1 | Basic and diluted loss per share (cents)                                |      | (0.76)      | (0.06)         |

The above Consolidated Statement of Profit or Loss and Other Comprehensive Income should be read in conjunction with the accompanying notes.



#### **Consolidated Statement of Financial Position**

as at 31 December 2021

|  |      | 31-Dec-21    | 30-Jun-21    |
|--|------|--------------|--------------|
| N                                      | lote | \$           | \$           |
| Current Assets                         |      |              |              |
| Cash and cash equivalents              |      | 4,109,345    | 5,043,256    |
| Trade and other receivables            |      | 482,443      | 28,410       |
| Other assets                           |      | 26,861       | 27,067       |
| Other financial assets                 |      | 100          | 100          |
| Total Current Assets                   | ·    | 4,618,749    | 5,098,833    |
| Non-Current Assets                     |      |              |              |
| Exploration and evaluation expenditure | 3    | 3,609,571    | 900,245      |
| Total Non-Current Assets               |      | 3,609,571    | 900,245      |
| Total Assets                           | -    | 8,228,320    | 5,999,078    |
| Current Liabilities                    |      |              |              |
| Trade and other payables               |      | 175,805      | 352,582      |
| Total Current Liabilities              |      | 175,805      | 352,582      |
| Total Liabilities                      |      | 175,805      | 352,582      |
|  |      |              |              |
| Net Assets                             | -    | 8,052,515    | 5,646,496    |
| Equity                                 |      |              |              |
| Issued capital                         | 4    | 35,723,526   | 32,086,071   |
| Reserves                               | 5    | 5,499,746    | 2,859,138    |
| Accumulated losses                     | 6    | (33,170,757) | (29,298,713) |
| Total Equity                           | _    | 8,052,515    | 5,646,496    |

The above Consolidated Statement of Financial Position should be read in conjunction with the accompanying notes.



#### **Consolidated Statement of Changes in Equity**

for the half-year ended 31 December 2021

|   | lssued<br>capital | Accumulated<br>losses | Reserves  | Total       |
|---|-------------------|-----------------------|-----------|-------------|
|   | \$                | \$                    | \$        | \$          |
| Balance at 1 July 2020                                      | 29,848,259        | (28,418,589)          | 2,774,745 | 4,204,415   |
| Total comprehensive loss for the period                     |                   |                       |           |             |
| Loss for the period   | -                 | (181,153)             | -         | (181,153)   |
| Other Comprehensive Income                                  | -                 | -                     | -         | -           |
| Total comprehensive loss for the period                     |                   | (181,153)             | -         | (181,153)   |
| Transactions with owners in their<br>capacity as owners     |                   |                       |           |             |
| Subscription proceeds from options issued during the period | -                 | -                     | -         | -           |
| Cost of issue   | -                 | -                     | -         | -           |
| Share based payment   | -                 | -                     | 14,817    | 14,817      |
| Balance at 31 December 2020                                 | 29,848,259        | (28,599,742)          | 2,789,562 | 4,038,079   |
|   |                   |                       |           |             |
| Balance at 1 July 2021                                      | 32,086,071        | (29,298,713)          | 2,859,138 | 5,646,496   |
| Total comprehensive loss for the period                     |                   |                       |           |             |
| Loss for the period   | -                 | (3,872,044)           | -         | (3,872,044) |
| Other Comprehensive Income                                  | -                 | -                     | -         | -           |
| Total comprehensive loss for the period                     | -                 | (3,872,044)           | -         | (3,872,044) |
| Transactions with owners in their<br>capacity as owners     |                   |                       |           |             |
| Shares issued during the period                             | 2,612,056         | -                     | -         | 2,612,056   |
| Shares issued on exercise of options                        | 1,053,459         | -                     | -         | 1,053,459   |
| Proceeds from issue of options                              | -                 | -                     | 605       | 605         |
| Cost of issue   | (28,060)          | -                     | -         | (28,060)    |
| Share based payment (note 7 (a))                            |                   | -                     | 2,640,003 | 2,640,003   |
| Balance at 31 December 2021                                 | 35,723,526        | (33,170,757)          | 5,499,746 | 8,052,515   |

The above Consolidated Statement of Changes in Equity should be read in conjunction with the accompanying notes.



| for the half-year ended 31 December 2021                           |             |           |
|--|-------------|-----------|
|  | 31-Dec-21   | 31-Dec-20 |
| Note   | \$          | \$        |
| Cash flows from operating activities                               |             |           |
| Payments to suppliers and employees                                | (560,803)   | (226,187) |
| Interest received  | 3,027       | 10,444    |
| Other receipts   | -           | 10,000    |
| Net cash used in operating activities                              | (557,776)   | (205,743) |
|  |             |           |
| Cash flows from investing activities                               |             |           |
| Payments for exploration expenditure                               | (1,169,613) | (406,666) |
| Net cash used in investing activities                              | (1,169,613) | (406,666) |
| Cash flows from financing activities                               |             |           |
| Cash flows from financing activities Proceeds from issue of shares | 020.022     |           |
| Proceeds from issue of options                                     | 820,933     | -         |
| Payments for share issue costs                                     | 605         | -         |
| -  | (28,060)    | -         |
| Net cash provided by financing activities                          | 793,478     | -         |
|  |             |           |
| Net decrease in cash and cash equivalents                          | (933,911)   | (612,409) |
| Cash and cash equivalents at beginning of period                   | 5,043,256   | 3,478,846 |
| Cash and cash equivalents at the end of the period                 | 4,109,345   | 2,866,437 |

The above Consolidated Statement of Cash Flows should be read in conjunction with the accompanying notes.

**Fin Resources** 



#### 1. Corporate Information

The financial report of Fin Resources Limited ("Fin Resources", "Fin" or "the Company") and its subsidiaries ("Group") for the half-year ended 31 December 2021 was authorised for issue in accordance with a resolution of the Directors on 2 March 2022.

Fin Resources is a company limited by shares incorporated in Australia whose shares are publicly traded on the Australian Securities Exchange. The nature of the operations and the principal activities of the Company are described in the Directors' Report.

#### 2. Summary of Significant Accounting Policies

#### (a) Basis of preparation

These general purpose financial statements for the half-year reporting period ended 31 December 2021 have been prepared in accordance with applicable accounting standards including AASB 134 "Interim Financial Reporting" and the Corporations Act 2001. Compliance with AASB 134 ensures compliance with IAS 34 "Interim Financial Reporting".

These half-year financial statements do not include all the notes of the type normally included in annual financial statements and therefore cannot be expected to provide as full an understanding of the financial performance, financial position and financing and investing activities of the Group as the full financial statements. Accordingly, these half-year financial statements are to be read in conjunction with the annual financial statements for the year ended 30 June 2021 and any public announcements made by Fin Resources Limited during the half-year reporting period in accordance with the continuous disclosure requirements of the Corporations Act 2001.

The half-year report has been prepared on an accruals basis and is based on historical costs. For the purpose of preparing the half-year financial report the half-year has been treated as a discrete reporting period.

#### (b) Basis of consolidation

The consolidated financial statements incorporate all of the assets, liabilities and results of the parent (Fin Resources Limited) and all of the subsidiaries. Subsidiaries are those entities over which the Company 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 Company controls another entity. A list of the subsidiaries is provided in note 10.

In preparing the consolidated financial statements, all intercompany balances and transactions, income and expenses and profit and losses resulting from intra-company transactions have been eliminated in full. Unrealised losses are also eliminated unless costs cannot be recovered.

#### (c) Compliance Statement

The financial report complies with Australian Accounting Standards, which include Australian equivalents to International Financial Reporting Standards (AIFRS). Compliance with AIFRS ensures that the financial report, comprising the financial statements and notes thereto, complies with International Financial Reporting Standards (IFRS). The principal accounting policies adopted are consistent with those of the previous financial year and corresponding interim reporting period, unless otherwise stated.

#### New or amended Accounting Standards and Interpretations adopted

The Group has adopted all of the new or amended Accounting Standards and Interpretations issued by the Australian Accounting Standards Board that are mandatory for the current reporting period. The impact on the financial performance and position of the Company from the adoption of the new or amended Accounting Standards and Interpretations was not material. Any new or amended Accounting Standards or Interpretations that are not yet mandatory have not been early adopted.



|  | 31 December 2021<br>\$ | 30 June 2021<br>\$ |
|--|------------------------|--------------------|
| 3. Deferred Exploration and Evaluation Expenditure |                        |                    |
| Opening Balance                                    | 900,245                | 728,354            |
| Acquisition of exploration tenements               | 2,666,667 <sup>1</sup> | -                  |
| Expenditure capitalised during the period          | 752,994                | 446,436            |
| Exploration expenditure written off                | (710,335) <sup>2</sup> | (274,545)          |
| Closing balance                                    | 3,609,571              | 900,245            |

<sup>1</sup> During the period, the Company completed the acquisition of an 80% interest in the Sol Mar Project from North West Solar Salt Pty Ltd. The Sol Mar Project comprises five granted exploration licences and one pending exploration licence (together, the Tenements) covering 425km<sup>2</sup>. Consideration for the acquisition comprised of the issue of 83,333,333 fully paid ordinary shares at a deemed issue price of \$0.026 per share and \$500,000 in cash.

<sup>2</sup> An impairment expense of \$710,335 was recognised in relation to the McKenzie Springs Project. Minimal exploration activities were undertaken during the period whilst the Company undertakes an assessment of the Project.

The ultimate recoupment of costs carried forward for exploration expenditure is dependent on the successful development and commercial exploitation or sale of the respective mining areas.

#### 4. Issued Capital

#### (a) Issued and paid up capital

|   | 35,723,526 | 32,086,071 |
|---|------------|------------|
| Converting preference shares 2,006 (2021: 2,006)      | 800        | 800        |
| Issued and fully paid 554,996,477 (2021: 404,780,962) | 35,722,726 | 32,085,271 |

|  | 31 Decemb               | er 2021    | 30 June     | 2021       |
|--|-------------------------|------------|-------------|------------|
|  | No.                     | \$         | No.         | \$         |
| b) Movements in ordinary shares on issue       |                         |            |             |            |
| Opening balance                                | 404,780,962             | 32,085,271 | 291,691,438 | 29,847,459 |
| Shares issued via \$0.018 placement            | 24,743,807              | 445,389    | 72,922,860  | 1,312,611  |
| Conversion of Unlisted Options - \$0.025       | 42,138,375              | 1,053,459  | 2,166,664   | 54,167     |
| Shares issued as consideration for acquisition | 83,333,333 <sup>1</sup> | 2,166,667  | -           | -          |
| Conversion of Unlisted Options - \$0.03        | -                       | -          | 32,000,000  | 960,000    |
| Conversion of Performance Rights               | -                       | -          | 6,000,000   | 6,000      |
| Transaction costs on share issue               | -                       | (28,060)   | -           | (94,966)   |
| Closing balance                                | 554,996,477             | 35,722,726 | 404,780,962 | 32,085,271 |

<sup>1</sup> 83,333,333 shares were granted to North West Solar Salt Pty Ltd on 6 July 2021 at a deemed issue price of \$0.026 as consideration for the acquisition of the Sol Mar Project Tenements.

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

#### (c) Movements in converting preference shares

| Opening balance | 2,006 | 800 | 2,006 | 800 |
|-----------------|-------|-----|-------|-----|
| Closing balance | 2,006 | 800 | 2,006 | 800 |

The converting preference shares do not have any voting rights but are entitled to the payment of a dividend. The conversion terms for these shares have now expired.

## Condensed Notes to the Consolidated Financial Statements for the half-year ended 31 December 2021

|   | 31 December 2021<br>\$ | 30 June 2021<br>\$ |
|---|------------------------|--------------------|
| 5. Reserves   |                        |                    |
| Option, performance rights, share based payments and option |                        |                    |
| premium reserves  | 5,499,746              | 2,859,138          |
| Movements in Reserves                                       |                        |                    |
| Opening balance   | 2,859,138              | 2,774,745          |
| Proceeds from option issue                                  | 605                    | -                  |
| Movement (note 7 (a))                                       | 2,640,003              | 84,393             |
| Closing balance   | 5,499,746              | 2,859,138          |

The share based payments reserve arises on the grant of share options to Directors, Executives and senior employees as part of their remuneration, to consultants for services provided and as consideration for project acquisitions. This reserve also includes subscription proceeds from options totalling \$605 (2021: nil).

|  | 31 December 2021<br>\$ | 30 June 2021<br>\$ |
|--|------------------------|--------------------|
| Accumulated losses                               |                        |                    |
| Movements in accumulated losses were as follows: |                        |                    |
| Opening balance                                  | (29,298,713)           | (28,418,589)       |
| Loss for the period/year                         | (3,872,044)            | (880,124)          |
| Closing balance                                  | (33,170,757)           | (29,298,713)       |

#### 7. Share Based Payments

#### (a) Recognised share based payment transactions

Share based payment transactions recognised either as operational expenses in the consolidated statement of profit or loss and other comprehensive income or as capitalised project acquisition costs in equity during the period were as follows:

|  | 31 December 2021<br>\$ | 30 June 2021<br>\$ |
|--|------------------------|--------------------|
| Employee, Consultant and Director share based payments<br>(note 7 (b))<br>Share-based payments to suppliers (note 7 (c)) | 312,110<br>2,327,893   | 84,393             |
|  | 2,640,003              | 84,393             |

#### (b)Employee, Consultant and Director share based payments

The fair value at grant date of options granted during the reporting period was determined using either the Black Scholes option pricing model or the Monte Carlo simulation methodology which takes into account the exercise price, the term of the option, the share price at grant date, the expected price volatility of the underlying share and the risk-free interest rate for the term of the option.

The table below summarises options granted during the half-year ended 31 December 2021:

| Grant Date | Expiry date | price per | Balance at<br>start of<br>the period<br>Number | during the |   |   | Balance at<br>end of the<br>period<br>Number | Exercisable at<br>end of the<br>period<br>Number |
|------------|-------------|-----------|--|------------|---|---|--|--|
| 06/07/2021 | 30/06/2024  | \$0.018   | -  | 3,500,000  | - | - | 3,500,000                                    | 3,500,000  |
| 06/07/2021 | 05/07/2026  | \$0.00001 | -  | 11,500,000 | - | - | 11,500,000                                   | 3,834,100 <sup>1</sup>                           |
|            |             |           | -  | 15,000,000 | - | - | 15,000,000                                   | 7,334,100  |

<sup>1</sup> The Options will vest as follows:

|    | Class | Percentage that vests | Vesting condition   |  |  |  |
|----|-------|-----------------------|---|--|--|--|
|    | А     | 33.34%                | The volume weighted average price of Company shares is at least |  |  |  |
|    |       |                       | \$0.054 for 5 consecutive Trading Days.                         |  |  |  |
|    | В     | 33.33%                | The volume weighted average price of Company shares is at least |  |  |  |
| 2) |       |                       | \$0.072 for 5 consecutive Trading Days.                         |  |  |  |
|    | С     | 33.33%                | The volume weighted average price of Company shares is at least |  |  |  |
|    |       |                       | \$0.09 for 5 consecutive Trading Days.                          |  |  |  |

The expense recognised in respect of the above options granted during the half-year was \$312,110. The value per option issued was as follows:

i. 3,500,000 options exercisable at \$0.018 ranging from \$0.037 to \$0.039; and

ii. 11,500,000 options exercisable at \$0.00001 ranging from \$0.041 to \$0.043.

The model inputs, not included in the table above, for options granted during the period included:

- a) options were granted for nil consideration;
- b) expected life of the options ranging from 3 to 5 years;
- c) share price at grant date ranging from \$0.044 to \$0.046;
- d) expected volatility ranging from 95% to 129%;
- e) expected dividend yield of nil; and
- f) a risk-free interest rate ranging from 0.21% to 0.77%.

There were no options granted to Employees, Consultants or Directors during the half year ended 31 December 2020.

## (c) Share-based payment to suppliers

During the financial period ended 31 December 2021, the Company issued unlisted options to provide consideration to advisors for services rendered. These options have been valued using the Black-Scholes option pricing model.

The table below summarises options granted during the half-year ended 31 December 2021:

|   |            |             | Exercise  | Balance at | Granted    | Exercised  | Expired    | Balance at | Exercisable at |
|---|------------|-------------|-----------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|----------------|
|   |            |             | price per | start of   | during the | during the | during the | end of the | end of the     |
|   | Grant Date | Expiry date | option    | the period | period     | period     | period     | period     | period         |
|   |            |             |           | Number     | Number     | Number     | Number     | Number     | Number         |
| ſ | 06/07/2021 | 30/06/2024  | \$0.018   | -          | 60,000,000 | -          | -          | 60,000,000 | 60,000,000     |

The expense recognised in respect of the above options granted during the half-year was \$2,327,893. The value per option issued was \$0.037.

The model inputs, not included in the table above, for options granted during the period included:

- a) options were granted for nil consideration;
- b) expected life of the options of 3 years;
- c) share price at grant date of \$0.046;
- d) expected volatility of 129%;
- e) expected dividend yield of nil; and
- f) a risk-free interest rate ranged of 0.21%

There were no options granted to suppliers during the half year ended 31 December 2020.



#### 8. Dividends

No dividends have been paid or provided for during the half- year.

#### 9. Contingent Liabilities and Contingent Assets

On 7 July 2021, the Company advised that it had completed the acquisition of the Sol Mar Project from North West Solar Salt. Upon completion of the acquisition, the Group assumed the obligation to pay a 1% gross revenue royalty to the extent of its 80% joint venture interest in the Project.

The Directors are not aware of any other contingent liabilities or contingent assets at the reporting date.

#### 10. Subsidiaries

The consolidated financial statements include the financial statements of Fin Resources Limited and the subsidiaries listed in the following table:

|   |                             | Equity Holding      |              |
|---|-----------------------------|---------------------|--------------|
| Name of Entity  | Country of<br>Incorporation | 31 December<br>2021 | 30 June 2021 |
| Komodo Energy Pty Limited                             | Australia                   | 100%                | 100%         |
| Sol Mar Holdings Pty Ltd (formerly Crestwood Pty Ltd) | Australia                   | 100%                | 100%         |
| Sugarbay Investments Pty Limited                      | Australia                   | 100%                | 100%         |

#### 11. Commitments

In order to maintain an interest in the exploration tenements in which the Group is involved, the Group is committed to meet the conditions under which the tenements were granted and the obligations of any joint venture agreements. The timing and amount of exploration expenditure commitments and obligations of the Group are subject to the minimum expenditure commitments required as per the Mining Act, as amended, and may vary significantly from the forecast based upon the results of the work performed which will determine the prospectivity of the relevant area of interest.

These obligations are not provided for in the financial report and are payable. The annual minimum expenditure commitment on the Group's tenements is \$511,287.

#### Subsequent Events

On 6 January 2022, Fin was notified that the Western Australian Department of Mines, Industry Regulation and Safety had granted E08/3355 which comprises 85 graticular blocks and covering an area of 270.5km<sup>2</sup>.

Mr. Gautam Varma was appointed as the Managing Director of the Company on 17 January 2022. Mr. Varma is a veteran of the mining industry having held senior roles at BHP (ASX:BHP), Illuka Resources (ASX: ILU), Xstrata and, most recently as the Chief Representative for Europe, India and South East Asia at Fortescue Metals Group (ASX: FMG). Mr Simon Mottram also resigned as Non-Executive Director.

On 8 February 2022, the Company issued 30,000,000 Performance Options. The Performance Options are exercisable at \$0.00001 with vesting conditions of consecutive 5-day VWAPs of \$0.054 (1/3 Options), \$0.072 (1/3 Options) and \$0.09 (1/3 Options). The Company also issued 1,075,000 shares to Mr James Barrie (Project Director) following six months of continued service.

There have been no other significant events subsequent to the end of the financial year to the date of this report which significantly affect the operations of the Group, the results of those operations or the state of affairs of the Group in future financial years.



In accordance with a resolution of the Directors of Fin Resources Limited, I state that:

- 1. In the opinion of the Directors:
  - a) the consolidated financial statements and condensed notes of Fin Resources Limited and its subsidiaries for the half-year ended 31 December 2021 are in accordance with the Corporations Act 2001, including:
    - i. giving a true and fair view of the Group's consolidated financial position as at 31 December 2021 and of its performance for the period ended on that date; and
    - ii. complying with Accounting Standards AASB 134 'Interim Financial Reporting' and the Corporations Regulations 2001; and
  - b) the consolidated financial statements and condensed notes also comply with International Financial Reporting Standards as disclosed in note 2.
- 2. There are reasonable grounds to believe that the Group will be able to pay its debts as and when they become due and payable.

On behalf of the Board

Gautam Varma Managing Director Singapore 2 March 2022



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#### INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REVIEW REPORT TO THE MEMBERS OF FIN RESOURCES LIMITED

#### Report on the Half-Year Financial Report

#### Conclusion

We have reviewed the half-year financial report of Fin Resources Limited (the "Company") and its controlled entities (collectively, "Group"), which comprises the consolidated statement of financial position as at 31 December 2021, the consolidated statement of profit or loss and other comprehensive income, consolidated statement of changes in equity and consolidated statement of cash flows for the half-year ended on that date, condensed notes comprising a summary of significant accounting policies and other explanatory information, and the directors' declaration.

Based on our review, which is not an audit, we have not become aware of any matter that makes us believe that the accompanying half-year financial report of the Group does not comply with the *Corporations Act 2001* including:

- (a) giving a true and fair view of the Group's financial position as at 31 December 2021 and of its performance for the half-year ended on that date; and
- (b) complying with Accounting Standard AASB 134 Interim Financial Reporting and the Corporations Regulations 2001.

#### **Basis for Conclusion**

We conducted our review in accordance with ASRE 2410 *Review of a Financial Report Performed by the Independent Auditor of the Entity.* Our responsibilities are further described in the Auditor's Responsibilities for the Review of the Financial Report section of our report. We are independent of the Company in accordance with the auditor independence requirements of the *Corporations Act 2001* and the ethical requirements of the Accounting Professional and Ethical Standards Board's APES 110 *Code of Ethics for Professional Accountants (including Independence Standards)* (the Code) that are relevant to our audit of the annual financial report in Australia. We have also fulfilled our other ethical responsibilities in accordance with the Code.

We confirm that the independence declaration required by the *Corporations Act 2001* has been given to the directors of the Company on 2 March 2022.

#### Responsibility of the Directors for the Financial Report

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





#### Auditor's Responsibility for the Review of the Financial Report

Our responsibility is to express a conclusion on the half-year financial report based on our review. ASRE 2410 requires us to conclude whether we have become aware of any matter that makes us believe that the half-year financial report is not in accordance with the *Corporations Act 2001* including giving a true and fair view of the Company's financial position as at 31 December 2021 and its performance for the half-year ended on that date, and complying with Accounting Standard AASB 134 *Interim Financial Reporting* and the *Corporations Regulations 2001*.

A review of a half-year financial report consists of making enquiries, primarily of persons responsible for financial and accounting matters, and applying analytical and other review procedures. A review is substantially less in scope than an audit conducted in accordance with Australian Auditing Standards and consequently does not enable us to obtain assurance that we would become aware of all significant matters that might be identified in an audit. Accordingly, we do not express an audit opinion.

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Martin Michalik Director

West Perth, Western Australia 2 March 2022