

Appendix 4E

Results for announcement to the market for the financial year ended 30 June 2017.

ASX Listing Rule 4.3A.

Reporting period

Reporting period: 30 June 2017.

Previous corresponding period: 30 June 2016.

Results for announcement to the market

	2017 \$'M	2016 \$'M	UP/DOWN	MOVEMENT
Revenue from ordinary activities	1,454.4	1,455.1	Down	_
Profit after income tax	72.5	43.1	Up	68.2%
Attributable to:				
Ordinary equity holders of the parent	72.5	44.8	Up	61.8%
Non-controlling interest	-	(1.7)	Up	100.0%
Profit after income tax	72.5	43.1	Up	68.2%

Dividends (distributions)

DIVIDEND INFORMATION	AMOUNT PER SHARE (CENTS)	TAX RATE FOR FRANKING CREDIT	
Interim 2017 fully franked dividend (paid 6 April 2017)	1.0	30%	
Final 2017 fully franked dividend (to be paid 5 October 2017)	1.1	30%	
Final dividend dates:			
Record date	14 Sep	tember 2017	
Payment date	5 October 2017		

A final dividend of 1.1 cents per share has been declared. The Dividend Reinvestment Plan (DRP), will be in operation for the final dividend. The DRP election date is 15 September 2017. Under the DRP, Cleanaway shares will be issued at the average of the daily Volume Weighted Average Price (VWAP) of all shares sold on the ASX over the period from 18 September to 22 September 2017. No discount will be applied to shares issued under the DRP.

Net Tangible Assets (NTA) per security

	2017	2016
-	CENTS	CENTS
NTA per security	15.0	13.5

Commentary on the results for the period

Refer to the 30 June 2017 Consolidated Financial Report, FY17 Full Year Results Media Release and Investor Presentation.

Status of audit

The Consolidated Financial Report for the year ended 30 June 2017, which contains the independent auditor's report, is attached.

D J F Last

Company Secretary

22 August 2017

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The Directors present their Report (including the Remuneration Report) together with the Consolidated Financial Statements of the Group, consisting of Cleanaway Waste Management Limited (the Company) and its controlled entities (Cleanaway or the Group), for the financial year ended 30 June 2017 and the Independent Auditor's Report thereon.

Directors

The names of Directors of the Company at any time during or since the end of the financial year are set out below. Directors were in office for this entire period unless otherwise stated.

M P Chellew Chairman and Non-Executive Director (appointed as Chairman on 30 September 2016)

V Bansal Chief Executive Officer and Managing Director

R M Smith Non-Executive Director
E R Stein Non-Executive Director
T A Sinclair Non-Executive Director
R M Harding Non-Executive Director
P G Etienne Non-Executive Director

M M Hudson Non-Executive Director (retired as Chairman on 30 September 2016 and as Non-Executive Director

on 26 October 2016)

The office of Company Secretary is held by D J F Last, LLB (Hons), B.Com, FGIA, GAICD.

Particulars of Directors' qualifications, experience and special responsibilities can be found on the Company's website.

Principal activities

During the financial year the principal activities of Cleanaway were:

- Commercial and industrial, municipal and residential collection services for all types of solid waste streams, including general waste, recyclables, construction and demolition waste and medical and washroom services;
- Ownership and management of waste transfer stations, resource recovery and recycling facilities, secure product destruction, quarantine treatment operations and landfills;
- Sale of recovered paper, cardboard, metals and plastics to the domestic and international marketplace;
- Collection, treatment, processing and recycling of liquid and hazardous waste, including industrial waste, grease trap waste, oily waters and used mineral and cooking oils in packaged and bulk forms;
- Industrial solutions including industrial cleaning, vacuum tanker loading, site remediation, sludge management, parts washing, concrete remediation, CCTV, corrosion protection and emergency response services;
- Refining and recycling of used mineral oils to produce fuel oils and base oils; and
- Generation and sale of electricity produced utilising landfill gas.

There were no significant changes in the nature of the Group's principal activities that occurred during the year.

Dividends and distributions

The Company declared a fully franked dividend on ordinary shares for the financial year ended 30 June 2017 of 2.1 cents per share, being an interim dividend of 1.0 cents per share and final dividend of 1.1 cents per share. The record date of the final dividend is 14 September 2017 with payment to be made 5 October 2017. The financial effect of the final dividend has not been brought to account in the Financial Statements for the year ended 30 June 2017 and will be recognised in a subsequent Financial Report.

Details of distributions in respect of the financial year are as follows:

RECOGNISED (PAID AMOUNTS)	2017 \$'M	\$'M
Fully paid ordinary shares		
Final dividend for 2016: 0.9 cents per share (2015: 0.8 cents per share)	14.3	12.6
Interim dividend for 2017: 1.0 cents per share (2016: 0.8 cents per share)	15.9	12.7
Total dividends and distribution paid	30.2	25.3

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Review of results

Financial Results

The Group's statutory profit after income tax for the year ended 30 June 2017 was \$72.5 million (2016: \$43.1 million) and includes a gain on sale of \$22.0 million (after tax \$13.5 million) on the sale of two closed landfill sites in Brooklyn, Melbourne. The Group substantially completed its restructuring programme during the year ended 30 June 2017 and incurred additional expenses related to this programme of \$14.6 million (\$10.3 million after tax) compared with \$23.2 million (\$16.2 million after tax) incurred on restructuring costs in the prior year.

The Group's underlying profit after income tax (attributable to ordinary equity holders) for the year ended 30 June 2017 of \$77.5 million was up by 22.4% on the prior year (2016: \$63.3 million). During the year the Group has continued to implement a variety of initiatives targeted at improving operating margins and overall profitability.

Operating review

The Group comprises two operating segments being Solids and Liquids & Industrial Services. Unallocated balances include the Group's share of profits from equity accounted investments and corporate balances. A description of the operating segments and a summary of the associated segment results for the year are set out below:

Solids

Core business	Collections
	Commercial and industrial (C&I), municipal and residential collection services for all types of solid waste streams, including general waste, recyclables, construction and demolition waste and medical and washroom services as well as resource recovery and recycling facilities, commodities trading and secure product destruction and quarantine treatment operations.
	Post Collections
	Ownership and management of waste transfer stations and landfills, including the generation and sale of electricity produced utilising landfill gas.
Financial metrics	Total revenue for the Solids segment increased by 0.4% to \$1,062.5 million. Underlying EBITDA ¹ increased by 8.1% to \$257.0 million. Underlying EBIT increased by 21.1% to \$137.6 million.
	The Collections business reported both increased revenues and earnings for the period. Revenue increased by 4.0% and underlying EBITDA increased by 7.4% compared to the previous corresponding period.
	The Post Collections business reported increased earnings for the period, however revenues decreased as a result of the planned closure of the Erskine Park landfill, located in Sydney, during the current period. Revenue decreased 7.3% and underlying EBITDA increased 9.3% compared to the previous corresponding period.
Performance	Collections
	Overall volumes and margins have increased compared to the previous corresponding period. Market-facing growth initiatives continue to be implemented across all major solid waste collection categories and contributed to increased revenues during the year.
	Post Collections
	The Post Collections business was impacted by the planned closure of the Erskine Park landfill, located in Sydney, NSW during the period. Landfill volumes across most other landfills, were higher than the corresponding period.
Market review and priorities	Market conditions for the Solids operating segment has remained consistent with the prior year. The market conditions for the 2018 financial year are not expected to vary materially from the 2017 financial year. Solids' main priorities in the 2018 financial year will revolve around continued focus on revenue growth through further improvements in customer service, operational improvements and deriving value from increased resource recovery, through the Group's growing network of resource recovery facilities.

¹ EBITDA represents earnings before interest, income tax, and depreciation, amortisation and impairments.

Operating review (continued)

Liquids and Industrial Services

Core business	Liquids and Industrial Services is a leading operator in the areas of:
	• Liquids and Hazardous Waste – collection, treatment, processing, refining and recycling of liquid and hazardous waste, including hydrocarbons, for disposal or re-sale.
	 Industrial Services – services include plant and asset maintenance capabilities, high pressure cleaning, vacuum loading, hydro excavation/non-destructive digging, site remediation, sludge management, concrete remediation, CCTV, corrosion protection and emergency response services.
Financial metrics	Total revenue decreased by 2.9% to \$424.0 million, as a result of continued weak market conditions. Underlying EBITDA increased by 2.4% from \$57.5 million to \$58.9 million.
Performance	Overall market conditions were challenging during the year ended 30 June 2017.
	Selling prices of both base and fuel oil for the current period were down compared to the previous corresponding period due to the continued volatility in global oil prices. The revenue decline has stabilised with an improvement in revenue in the second half of the reporting period.
	Results were impacted by bringing forward a number of engineering improvements to the waste oil refineries in New South Wales and Queensland which resulted in these facilities being shut down for a short period during the year ended 30 June 2017. Stronger performance from the Hydrocarbons business has been recorded following these shutdowns.
	The improvement in underlying earnings and margins is the result of significant restructuring activities and improvements in cost management.
Market review and priorities	Market conditions for Liquids and Industrial Services remained difficult over the 2017 financial year as the demand for services from the manufacturing and industrial sectors remained weak. The market conditions for the 2018 financial year are not expected to vary materially from the 2017 financial year.
	Liquids and Industrial Services' main priorities in the 2018 financial year will be to maintain tight cost control and key contracts.

Operating review (continued)

Group results for the year ended 30 June 2017

	UNDERLYING ADJUSTMENTS							
		RE-	RE-		REMEDIATION	GAIN ON SALE		
		STRUCTURING	BRANDING	ACQUISITION	AND RECTIFICATION	OF		
	STATUTORY 1	COSTS 4	COSTS 5	COSTS 6	COSTS 7	PROPERTIES 8	OTHER ⁹	UNDERLYING 1
	\$'M	\$'M	\$'M	\$'M	\$′M	\$'M	\$'M	\$'M
Solids								257.0
Liquids and Industrial								
Services								58.9
Equity accounted								
investments								1.2
Waste management								317.1
Corporate								(15.8)
EBITDA ²	314.0	6.6	3.8	2.4	(3.5)	(22.0)	_	301.3
Depreciation and								
amortisation	(165.9)	3.6	_	_	3.9	_	_	(158.4)
Impairment of assets	(4.4)	4.4	_	_	_	_	_	_
Change in fair value of								
non-landfill land and								
buildings	(0.6)	_	_	-	_	_	0.6	_
EBIT ³	143.1	14.6	3.8	2.4	0.4	(22.0)	0.6	142.9
Net finance costs	(34.1)	_	_	_	_	_	0.3	(33.8)
Profit/(loss) before								
income tax	109.0	14.6	3.8	2.4	0.4	(22.0)	0.9	109.1
Income tax								
(expense)/benefit	(36.5)	(4.3)	(1.2)	2.0	(0.1)	8.5	_	(31.6)
Profit/(loss) after	_							
income tax	72.5	10.3	2.6	4.4	0.3	(13.5)	0.9	77.5
Attributable to:								
Ordinary equity holders	72.5	10.3	2.6	4.4	0.3	(13.5)	0.9	77.5

¹ The use of the term 'Statutory' refers to IFRS financial information and 'Underlying' refers to non-IFRS financial information. Underlying earnings are categorised as non-IFRS financial information and therefore have been presented in compliance with ASIC Regulatory Guide 230 – Disclosing non-IFRS information. The exclusion of underlying adjustments provides a result which, in the Directors' view, more closely reflects the ongoing operations of the Group. The non-IFRS financial information is unaudited.

² EBITDA represents earnings before interest, income tax, and depreciation, amortisation and impairments.

³ EBIT represents earnings before interest and income tax.

⁴ Relates to costs, accelerated depreciation and impairment of assets associated with the organisational restructure activities, ceased projects and site closures.

⁵ Relates to costs incurred during the period to rebrand the Group to 'Cleanaway' (effective 1 February 2016) and reflects part of the spend to be incurred.

Acquisition costs include transaction costs and other costs associated with the acquisition of businesses during the period. Tax expense on acquisition costs relates to the tax consequences of acquiring the 50% non-controlling interest in Cleanaway Refiners of \$2.3 million less deductions available on acquisition costs of \$0.3 million.

⁷ Relates to a reduction in the remediation and rectification provision in relation to closed landfill sites and the accelerated depreciation of site infrastructure related to closing landfill sites.

⁸ On 3 March 2017, the Group sold two closed landfill sites in Brooklyn, Melbourne for proceeds of \$0.8 million.

⁹ Net finance costs relate to the foreign exchange gain on the USPP borrowings of \$2.3 million offset by fair value changes on the mark-to-market valuation of derivative financial instruments of \$2.6 million.

Operating review (continued)

Group results for the year ended 30 June 2016

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	•	RESTRUCTURING	REBRANDING		-
	STATUTORY 1	COSTS 4	COSTS 5	OTHER	UNDERLYING 1
	\$'M	\$'M	\$'M	\$'M	\$'M
Solids					237.7
Liquids and Industrial Services					57.5
Equity accounted investments					1.3
Waste management					296.5
Corporate					(15.2)
EBITDA ²	257.1	21.1	3.6	(0.5)	281.3
Depreciation and amortisation	(160.8)	2.1	_	_	(158.7)
Change in fair value of non-landfill land and buildings	(0.2)	_	_	0.2	_
EBIT ³	96.1	23.2	3.6	(0.3)	122.6
Net finance costs	(34.5)	_	_	_	(34.5)
Profit/(loss) before income tax	61.6	23.2	3.6	(0.3)	88.1
Income tax (expense)/benefit	(18.5)	(7.0)	(1.1)	0.1	(26.5)
Profit/(loss) after income tax	43.1	16.2	2.5	(0.2)	61.6
Attributable to:					
Ordinary equity holders	44.8	16.2	2.5	(0.2)	63.3
Non-controlling interest	(1.7)	_	_	_	(1.7)
	43.1	16.2	2.5	(0.2)	61.6

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Operating review (continued)

Principal risks

The material business risks that could adversely impact the Group's financial prospects in future periods are economic growth and the regulatory environment.

Economic growth	The state of the economy and the sectors of the economy to which the Group is exposed materially impacts future prospects. Factors which have impacted results in recent periods include increases and decreases in GDP and CPI, increases and decreases in the manufacturing, industrial and construction industries and resource sector activity.
Regulatory environment	The regulatory environment materially impacts future prospects. Regulatory requirements which have impacted historical results include state-based waste levies, carbon tax, environmental regulations and planning regulations. Regulatory requirements, including environmental regulations impacting waste management activities, have increased over time and could potentially increase in the future.

The Group manages these risks in accordance with ASX *Principle 7: Recognise and manage risk* as set out in the Group's Corporate Governance Statement.

Financial position review

Operating cash flows decreased by 0.6% to \$189.6 million (2016: increase of 8.2% to \$190.7 million) due mainly to tax payments of \$8.6 million incurred during the year ended 30 June 2017 compared with receipt of a tax refund of \$7.4 million in the prior year.

The Group's net assets have increased from \$1,781.5 million to \$1,825.0 million. At 30 June 2017 the Group had a net current asset deficiency of \$45.6 million (30 June 2016: net current asset surplus of \$10.1 million). The net current asset deficiency arises mainly due to the reclassification of the US Private Placement Notes (USPP Notes) as they mature in December 2017. As set out in Note 15, the Group has unutilised debt facilities of \$230.2 million at 30 June 2017, available to repay the USPP Notes and therefore the Directors are satisfied that the Group can meet its financial obligations as and when they fall due.

At balance date the Group had total syndicated debt facilities of \$600.0 million (2016: \$600.0 million), USPP Notes of US\$48.0 million (2016: US\$48.0 million) and an uncommitted bank guarantee facility of \$60.0 million (2016: \$60.0 million).

Significant changes in the state of affairs

Other than matters mentioned in this Report, no other significant changes in the state of affairs of the Group occurred during the financial year under review.

Events subsequent to reporting date

On 3 July 2017 the Group acquired the assets and business of SA Waste for \$12.2 million. The SA Waste business provides waste collection and resource recovery services in Adelaide, South Australia and owns and operates two resource recovery facilities. The initial accounting for the business combination was incomplete at the time the Group's financial statements were authorised for issue, and accordingly details of the financial effect of the business combination have not been disclosed.

On 17 August 2017 the Group entered into a funding agreement with the Clean Energy Finance Corporation. The agreement provides the Group with a \$90.0 million unsecured loan on a fixed rate 8 year term.

Likely developments and expected results of operations

The Group will continue to pursue strategies aimed at improving the profitability, return on capital employed and market position of its principal activities during the next financial year.

Disclosures of information regarding the likely developments in the operations of the Group and the expected results of those operations in future financial years have been included in the Operating Review section of this Report.

Environmental regulation

The Group's operations are subject to significant environmental regulation and the Group holds environmental licences for its sites.

The Group is committed to achieving the highest standards of environmental performance. There were no material breaches of environmental statutory requirements and no material prosecutions during the year. Aggregate fines paid during the year to the date of signing this Annual Report were \$142,004 (2016: \$47,102).

The Group is registered under the *National Greenhouse and Energy Reporting Act 2007*, under which it is required to report energy consumption and greenhouse gas emissions for its Australian facilities.

Indemnification of auditors

To the extent permitted by law, the Company has agreed to indemnify its auditors, Ernst & Young, as part of the terms of its audit engagement agreement, against claims by third parties arising from the audit (for an unspecified amount). No payment has been made to indemnify Ernst & Young during or since the end of the financial year.

Directors' meetings

The number of Directors' meetings and Committee meetings, and the number of meetings attended by each of the Directors who was a member of the Board and the relevant Committee, during the financial year were:

	BOARD MEETINGS		AUDIT AND RISK COMMITTEE		HEALTH, SAFETY AND ENVIRONMENT COMMITTEE		REMUNERATION AND NOMINATION COMMITTEE	
	MEETINGS HELD WHILE A DIRECTOR	NUMBER ATTENDED	MEETINGS HELD WHILE A MEMBER	NUMBER ATTENDED	MEETINGS HELD WHILE A MEMBER	NUMBER ATTENDED	MEETINGS HELD WHILE A MEMBER	NUMBER ATTENDED
Directors								
M P Chellew 1	6	6	_	_	1	1	1	1
V Bansal	6	6	_	_	_	_	_	_
R M Smith ²	6	6	4	4	_	_	4	4
E R Stein	6	6	4	4	4	4	_	_
T A Sinclair	6	6	4	4	_	_	4	4
R M Harding ³	6	6	_	_	4	4	4	4
P G Etienne ⁴	6	6	4	4	4	4	_	_
M M Hudson ⁵	2	2	_	_	_	-	_	_

¹ Appointed as Board Chairman on 30 September 2016. Ceased as Chairman of the Health, Safety and Environment Committee and a member of the Remuneration and Nomination Committee following his appointment as Board Chairman.

Directors' interests

The relevant interests of each Director in the shares and performance rights over such instruments issued by Cleanaway Waste Management Limited, as notified by the Directors to the Australian Securities Exchange in accordance with section 205G(1) of the *Corporations Act 2001*, as at the date of this report is as follows:

	SHARES	RIGHTS
Directors		
M P Chellew	75,000	_
V Bansal	631,197	5,208,936
R M Smith	65,715	_
E R Stein	80,989	_
T A Sinclair	38,789	_
R M Harding	12,644	_
P G Etienne	13,737	_

² Chairman of Audit and Risk Committee.

³ Chairman of Remuneration and Nomination Committee.

⁴ Appointed Chairman of the Health, Safety and Environment Committee on 26 October 2016.

⁵ Retired as Board Chairman and Director on 30 September 2016 and 26 October 2016 respectively.

Shares under option

During the financial year ended 30 June 2017 and up to the date of this Report, no options were granted over unissued shares. As at the date of this Report there are no unissued ordinary shares of the Company under option.

Details of performance rights granted under the short term incentive and long term incentive offers in the 2017 and 2016 financial year are set out in the Remuneration Report. Total performance rights outstanding as at 30 June 2017 are 13,971,599 (2016: 10,747,370). Performance rights outstanding at the date of this report are 13,133,172.

Shares issued on the exercise of performance rights

During the financial year ended 30 June 2017 and up to the date of this report, the Company issued 1,622,355 shares as a result of the exercise of performance rights that vested during the year. During the financial year ended 30 June 2016 and up to the date of the 2016 report, the Company issued 1,245,350 ordinary shares as a result of the exercise of performance rights that vested on 30 June 2016.

Directors' and officers' insurance

During the financial year, the Company paid insurance premiums to insure the Directors and Officers of the Company. The liabilities insured are legal costs that may be incurred in defending civil or criminal proceedings that may be brought against the Directors and Officers in their capacity as Directors and Officers of entities in the Group, and any other payments arising from liabilities incurred by the Directors and Officers in connection with such proceedings. This does not include such liabilities that arise from conduct involving a wilful breach of duty by the Directors and Officers or the improper use by the Directors and Officers of their position or of information to gain advantage for themselves or someone else or to cause detriment to the Company. It is not possible to apportion the premium between amounts relating to the insurance against legal costs and those relating to other liabilities. Disclosure of the premium paid is not permitted under the terms of the insurance contract.

Non-audit services

The Company may decide to employ the auditors on assignments additional to their statutory audit duties where the auditors' expertise and experience with the Company and/or the Group are relevant. During the financial year ended 30 June 2017 non-audit services included other advisory services.

The Directors have considered the position and in accordance with written advice provided by resolution to the Audit Committee, is satisfied that the provision of the non-audit services is compatible with, and did not compromise, the auditor independence requirements of the *Corporation Act 2001* for the following reasons:

- All non-audit services were subject to the corporate governance procedures adopted by the Company to ensure they do not impact the integrity and objectivity of the auditor; and
- The non-audit services provided do not undermine the general principles relating to auditor independence as set out in APES 110 Code of Ethics for Professional Accountants, as they did not involve the reviewing or auditing the auditor's own work, acting in a management or decision-making capacity for the Company, acting as an advocate for the Company or jointly sharing risks and rewards.

Details of the amounts paid or payable to the auditor and its related practices for audit and non-audit services are set out below.

Total	1,071,460	1,444,270
Other advisory services	20,600	
Non-audit services:		
Audit related services	82,235	9,000
Audit services	968,625	1,435,270
Ernst & Young:		
	2017	2016 \$

A copy of the Auditor's Independence Declaration as required under section 307C of the *Corporations Act 2001* is set out on page 27.

Rounding of amounts

The Company is of a kind referred to in ASIC Legislative Instrument 2016/191 issued by the Australian Securities and Investments Commission, relating to the "rounding off" of amounts in the Directors' Report. Amounts in the Directors' Report have been rounded off in accordance with that Legislative Instrument to the nearest hundred thousand dollars or, in certain cases, to the nearest dollar.

This Report, including the Remuneration Report set out on pages 11 to 26, is made in accordance with a resolution of the Board.

M P Chellew Chairman and Non-Executive Director

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Melbourne, 22 August 2017

V Bansal

Chief Executive Officer and Managing Director

Vin Bowel

Introduction

The Directors of Cleanaway Waste Management Limited present the Company's Remuneration Report (the Report) which forms part of the Directors' Report for the financial year ended 30 June 2017.

This Report outlines the remuneration arrangements for Key Management Personnel (KMP) of the Group in accordance with the requirements of the *Corporations Act 2001* and its Regulations. The information in this Report has been audited as required by section 308(3C) of the *Corporations Act 2001*.

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1. Key management personnel

For the purposes of this Report, KMP are defined as those persons having authority and responsibility for planning, directing and controlling the major activities of the Group, directly or indirectly, including any Director (whether Executive or otherwise) of the Company.

KMP for the year ended 30 June 2017 includes the Non-Executive Directors, the Chief Executive Officer (CEO) & Managing Director, and the Chief Financial Officer (CFO). Key changes during the year were:

- The retirement of Mr Hudson as Chairman and Non-Executive Director;
- The appointment of Mr Chellew as Chairman; and
- The departure of Mr Aardsma as the Executive General Manager Sales & Marketing.

The KMP disclosed in this Report for the year ended 30 June 2017 are detailed in the following table:

NAME	TITLE	PERIOD KMP (IF LESS THAN FULL YEAR)
NON-EXECUTIVE DIRECTORS		
M P Chellew ¹	Chairman and Non-Executive Director	
R M Smith	Non-Executive Director	
E R Stein	Non-Executive Director	
T A Sinclair	Non-Executive Director	
R M Harding	Non-Executive Director	
P G Etienne	Non-Executive Director	
FORMER NON-EXECUTIVE DIRE	CCTOR	
M M Hudson ²	Chairman and Non-Executive Director	Until 26 October 2016
EXECUTIVES		
V Bansal	Chief Executive Officer (CEO) & Managing Director	
B J Gill	Chief Financial Officer (CFO)	
FORMER EXECUTIVE		
D A Aardsma ³	Executive General Manager – Sales & Marketing	

- 1 Mr Chellew was appointed as Chairman on 30 September 2016.
- 2 Mr Hudson retired as Chairman on 30 September 2016 and as Non-Executive Director on 26 October 2016.
- 3 Mr Aardsma was employed on the basis of a fixed term Agreement and ceased to be a KMP prior to 1 July 2016.

2. Governance and role of the board

2A. Remuneration and nomination committee

The Remuneration and Nomination Committee (Committee) assists the Board in its oversight of the Group's: remuneration and incentives strategy and arrangements; recruitment, retention and succession plans for the Board and executive management team; corporate culture and engagement; and diversity and inclusion strategy.

The Committee's charter is available online at: http://www.cleanaway.com.au/for-investors/corporate-governance/

The Committee is comprised entirely of independent Non-Executive Directors: Mike Harding (Chairman), Ray Smith, Terry Sinclair and Mark Chellew, up until his appointment as Chairman on 30 September 2016. Other Non-Executive Directors, who are not Committee members, are entitled to attend meetings as observers. The CEO and other Executives are invited to attend Committee meetings as required, however they do not participate in decisions concerning their own remuneration arrangements.

2B. Engagement of remuneration consultants

Under the Committee's charter, the Committee, or any individual member, has the authority, with the Chairperson's consent, to seek any information it requires from any employee or external party.

In accordance with the *Corporations Act 2001*, any engagement of a remuneration consultant to provide a remuneration recommendation in respect of KMP must be approved and received by the Committee. The remuneration recommendation must be accompanied by a declaration from the remuneration consultant that it was free from undue influence of KMP.

For the year ended 30 June 2017, the committee requested remuneration recommendations from 3 degrees consulting regarding remuneration levels for the executive management team, Non-Executive Director fees and long term incentive design. 3 degrees consulting provided a formal declaration to the Chairman of the Board confirming that its recommendations were made free from undue influence by the member or members of the KMP to whom the recommendations related and, in view of this declaration and the process adopted in the engagement of 3 degrees consulting and receipt of its recommendations, the Board is satisfied that each of the recommendations were free of undue influence by such persons. The fees paid to 3 degrees consulting for these recommendations was \$26,200 (2016: Nil).

In addition to the above, *3 degrees consulting* was engaged to provide broad ranging services to the Company during the year ended 30 June 2017 including the provision of other market data and other remuneration related services and was paid \$85,900 (2016: Nil) for these services.

3. Non-Executive Directors' remuneration

3A. Current Non-Executive Director fees

The remuneration received by Non-Executive Directors for the years ended 30 June 2017 and 30 June 2016 is set out in the following table:

		SALARY AND FEES	SUPERANNUATION BENEFITS	TOTAL
	FINANCIAL YEAR	\$	\$	\$
NON-EXECUTIVE DIRECTORS				
M P Chellew	2017	247,108	18,040	265,148
	2016	132,724	12,609	145,333
R M Smith	2017	149,303	14,184	163,487
	2016	141,878	13,478	155,356
E R Stein	2017	126,414	12,009	138,423
	2016	114,418	10,869	125,287
T A Sinclair	2017	126,409	12,009	138,418
	2016	114,418	10,869	125,287
R M Harding	2017	140,149	13,314	153,463
	2016	132,724	12,609	145,333
P G Etienne	2017	136,714	12,988	149,702
	2016	114,418	10,869	125,287
FORMER NON-EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR				
M M Hudson	2017	78,214	5,675	83,889
	2016	280,692	19,308	300,000
Total	2017	1,004,311	88,219	1,092,530
	2016	1,031,272	90,611	1,121,883

3B. Aggregate fee limit

The current aggregate amount of remuneration that can be paid to Non-Executive Directors of \$1,200,000 was approved by shareholders at the Company's 2010 Annual General Meeting.

For the year ended 30 June 2017, the aggregate remuneration paid to all Non-Executive Directors was \$1,092,530. This represents a decrease of 2.6% compared with FY2016 and reflects the reduced number of Non-Executive Directors following the retirement of Mr Hudson.

3C. Fee structure

The fee structure (inclusive of superannuation) for the year ended 30 June 2017 is detailed in the following table:

			HEALTH, SAFETY	REMUNERATION
		AUDIT AND	AND ENVIRONMENT	AND NOMINATION
	BOARD	RISK COMMITTEE	COMMITTEE	COMMITTEE
	\$	\$	\$	\$
Chairman	300,000	30,069	20,046	20,046
Non-Executive Director	128,419	5,000	5,000	5,000

The Board has conducted a review of Non-Executive Director fees and has approved, with effect from 1 July 2017, a 2.5% increase in the Non-Executive Director and Chairman base fees and an increase to Committee membership fees to \$7,500 for each Committee membership. The Board took into consideration a number of factors including the additional time commitment of Committee membership due to the reduced size of the Board since Mr Hudson's retirement and the need to ensure Non-Executive Director fees remain competitive with peer companies. The maximum aggregate fee limit for Non-Executive Directors remains unchanged at \$1,200,000.

The fee structure (inclusive of superannuation) from 1 July 2017 is detailed in the following table:

	BOARD	AUDIT AND RISK COMMITTEE	HEALTH, SAFETY AND ENVIRONMENT COMMITTEE	REMUNERATION AND NOMINATION COMMITTEE
	\$	\$	\$	\$
Chairman	307,500	30,069	20,046	20,046
Non-Executive Director	131,629	7,500	7,500	7,500

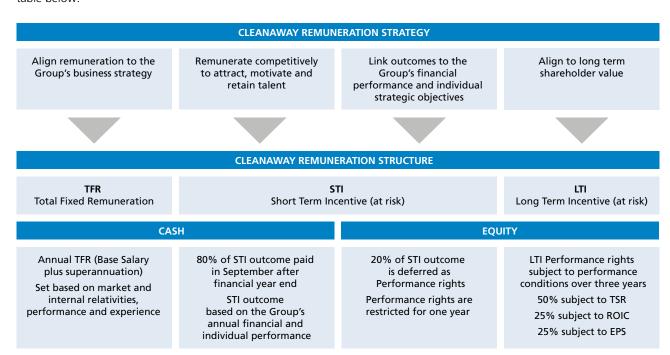
4. Executive reward strategy and framework

4A. Strategy and framework

The Group's remuneration strategy is designed to attract, retain and motivate high calibre executives to ensure the sustainable success of the Group for the benefit of all stakeholders. To achieve this, the Group ensures its executive remuneration arrangements satisfy the following key criteria:

- Alignment to the Group's business strategy;
- Competitive and reasonable as benchmarked against the external market;
- Performance linked to individual and financial performance; and
- Aligned to long term shareholder value.

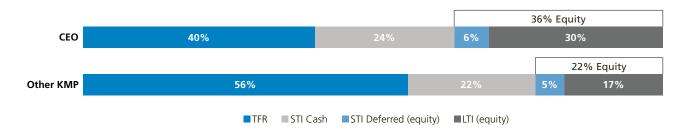
The Board, upon the recommendation of the Remuneration and Nomination Committee, has developed a structure driven by these key criteria which comprises a mix of fixed and variable (at risk) remuneration components illustrated in the table below.



4. Executive reward strategy and framework (continued)

4B. Remuneration elements and mix

For the year ended 30 June 2017, the Board reviewed the remuneration mix for Executive KMP to determine appropriate internal and external relativities. The target remuneration mix for Mr Bansal remained unchanged. The LTI opportunity for Mr Gill was increased to 30% of TFR at target and 60% of TFR at maximum. The table below illustrates the FY17 target remuneration mix for Executive KMP. The variable components of STI and LTI are expressed at target.



4C. Shareholding guideline

The CEO and Executive team are encouraged to build and maintain a shareholding in the Company equivalent to:

- CEO 100% of annual total fixed remuneration (TFR); and
- Executive management team 50% of annual TFR.

It is expected that this shareholding will be accumulated within five years from 1 July 2015, or the initial appointment date to an Executive role, whichever is later.

The number of performance rights and ordinary shares in the Company held by each Executive KMP is set out in sections 7A, 7B and 8A.

5. Executive key management personnel – reward outcomes

5A. Remuneration received

The remuneration received or receivable by Executive KMP for the years ended 30 June 2017 and 30 June 2016 is set out in the following table:

	FINANCIAL YEAR	SALARY AND FEES \$	OTHER CASH \$	STI CASH \$	NON- MONETARY BENEFITS \$	SHARE-BASED PAYMENTS ¹ \$	POST EMPLOY- MENT BENEFITS \$	TERMINA- TION PAY	TOTAL \$	PERFOR- MANCE RELATED
EXECUTIVE KEY MANA	AGEMENT PERS	SONNEL								
V Bansal ²	2017	1,217,884	_	982,722	96,602	1,206,001	19,616	_	3,522,825	62%
	2016	1,082,300	_	956,150	60,090	668,895	17,699	_	2,785,134	58%
B J Gill	2017	616,061	_	335,614	_	93,835	19,616	_	1,065,126	40%
	2016	607,066	_	214,800	_	165,162	19,308	_	1,006,336	38%
FORMER EXECUTIVE K	EY MANAGEN	MENT PERSONNEL								
D A Aardsma ³	2016	648,537	260,000	573,600	99,391	_	_	_	1,581,528	36%
J Perko ⁴	2016	164,539	_	_	36,909	(191,812)	_	_	9,636	0%
A G Roderick ⁵	2016	486,882	_	_	4,544	(194,431)	14,481	668,861	980,337	0%
R C Boucher Jr 6	2016	_	_	_	10,287	_	_	_	10,287	0%
Total	2017	1,833,945	-	1,318,336	96,602	1,299,836	39,232	-	4,587,951	
	2016	2,989,324	260,000	1,744,550	211,221	447,814	51,488	668,861	6,373,258	

¹ Share-based payments consist of performance rights. The fair value of the performance rights is measured at the date of grant using Monte Carlo simulation and the Black Scholes model and is allocated to each reporting period evenly over the period from grant date to vesting date. The value disclosed is the portion of the fair value of the performance rights recognised as an expense in each reporting period, net of any reversals for forfeited performance rights or changes in the probability of performance rights vesting. Performance rights include the expense relating to the deferred share component of STI.

An explanation of the key remuneration elements (TFR, STI and LTI) as well as FY2017 outcomes is provided in the following sections.

² Non-monetary benefits comprise costs associated with Mr Bansal's accommodation in Melbourne and travel between Sydney and Melbourne.

³ Other cash comprises Mr Aardsma's international service premium reflecting the expatriate nature of his assignment. Non-monetary benefits comprise costs associated with Mr Aardsma's relocation from the USA, personal travel between Australia and the USA, health insurance, tax preparation and car parking.

⁴ KMP until 11 September 2015. Non-monetary benefits comprises costs associated with Mr Perko's travel between Australia and the USA and health insurance. No termination pay provided.

⁵ KMP until 31 March 2016. Non-monetary benefits comprise costs associated with provision of a fuel card and e-tag. Termination pay represents payment in lieu of notice

⁶ KMP until 26 June 2015. During the year ended 30 June 2016, the Company paid PwC \$10,287 for the preparation of Mr Boucher's Australian and US tax returns

5. Executive key management personnel – reward outcomes (continued)

5B. Total fixed remuneration

TFR consists of base salary plus statutory superannuation contributions and other non-monetary benefits such as car parking. Executives receive a fixed remuneration package which is reviewed annually by the Committee and the Board taking into consideration the following factors:

- · Company and individual performance;
- The responsibilities of the role;
- The qualifications and experience of the incumbent; and
- Benchmark market data including those companies with which the Company competes for talent.

There are no guaranteed base pay increases included in any Executive KMP contract.

FY2017 total fixed remuneration outcomes

Executive KMP fixed remuneration was reviewed during the annual remuneration review along with other management with the following outcomes:

- Mr Bansal received a total increase in TFR of 4.2% from \$1,200,000 to \$1,250,000 effective 1 October 2016; and
- Mr Gill received a total increase in TFR of 3.0% from \$621,688 to \$640,339 effective 1 October 2016.

5C. FY2017 short term incentive

For the year ended 30 June 2017, Executive KMP and other senior executives and eligible employees participated in the Group STI plan.

The table below represents the target and maximum annual STI opportunity as a percentage of TFR for Executive KMP in 2017:

	FY2017	FY2017
	TARGET	MAXIMUM
EXECUTIVE KEY MANAGEMENT PERSONNEL		
V Bansal	75%	150%
B J Gill	50%	100%

5. Executive key management personnel – reward outcomes (continued)

5C. FY2017 short term incentive (continued)

Key features of the FY2017 STI plan

Purpose of the STI plan	Reward the achievement of key financial, health, safety & environment and if applicable, individual KPI metrics that are key to the sustainable success of Cleanaway.
Performance period	1 July 2016 to 30 June 2017
Gateway	 Achievement of a gateway based on budgeted Group EBITDA for Executive KMP. The use of EBITDA as a gateway performance measure aligns executive management's focus on annual financial objectives.
	Business Unit heads and other management roles also have gateways based on financial or key strategic non-financial objectives.
	Two critical health, safety and environment (HSE) metrics also act as gateway conditions:
	 That there are no work-related deaths; and
	 That there are no significant rated environmental incidents.
Key Performance	Financial metrics – 80% weighting
Metrics	HSE metrics – 20% weighting
Financial metrics	The three financial metrics and their respective weightings are:
	 Group EBITDA – 30% weighting
	 Group Net Revenue – 20% weighting. Included as it reflects growth in our business.
	 Group Net Profit After Tax Return on Invested Capital (NPAT ROIC) – 30% weighting. Included as it is aligns with Cleanaway's focus on improving the returns from the net assets employed in our business.
Health, Safety &	The two HSE metrics and their respective weightings are:
Environment (HSE) metrics	 Group Total Recordable Injury Frequency Rate (TRIFR) – 15% weighting. Included as it measures the outcome of our injury prevention strategies and programs.
	 Group Environmental Incidents – 5% weighting. Included as it measures the outcome effectiveness of our environmental risk management strategies and programs.
	 Each HSE metric has a threshold, target and stretch level of performance with a corresponding STI outcome per schedule below.
Performance outcomes	Once gateways are achieved, performance against all financial and HSE metrics have the following threshold, target and stretch STI outcomes:
	Below threshold – 0%
	 At threshold – 75% of on-target STI opportunity
	 At target – 100% of on-target STI opportunity
	 At stretch – 200% of on-target STI opportunity
Deferral	20% of STI awarded to Executive KMP and Executive Management is deferred for 12 months in the form of deferred performance rights.
	 Performance rights are granted at face value determined by the volume weighted average price of Cleanaway's shares on the ASX during the period 24 June to 30 June 2017.
	Performance rights do not attract dividends during the deferral period.

5. Executive key management personnel – reward outcomes (continued)

5C. FY2017 short term incentive (continued)

FY2017 short term incentive outcomes

The progress Cleanaway has achieved in its operational business performance for the year ended 30 June 2017 is reflected in its improved financial and HSE outcomes. The STI payments received or receivable by Executive KMP for the year ended 30 June 2017 reflect these financial and non-financial results and are summarised in the following table:

			DEFERRED		
		CASH	SHARE	PERCENTAGE OF	PERCENTAGE OF
	TOTAL STI	COMPONENT 1	COMPONENT 1	TARGET STI	MAXIMUM STI
	\$	\$	\$	OPPORTUNITY ²	OPPORTUNITY ²
2017	1,228,403	982,722	245,681	131.0%	65.5%
2016	1,195,200	956,150	239,050	146.0%	73.0%
2017	419,517	335,614	83,903	131.0%	65.5%
2016	268,500	214,800	53,700	86.4%	43.2%
2016	573,600	573,600	_	127.5%	63.7%
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¹ As summarised in section 4A and 4B, Executive KMP STI is subject to 20% deferral for one year as performance rights.

5D. Prior year short term incentive awards

As participants in the FY2016 STI, Mr Bansal and Mr Gill had part of their total STI award deferred as performance rights for 12 months. The vesting of these deferrals was subject to remaining employed by the Group throughout the deferral period. Accordingly, these awards have vested as follows:

- Mr Bansal's FY2016 STI deferred component vested on 30 June 2017 (302,250 performance rights); and
- Mr Gill's FY2016 STI deferred component vested on 30 June 2017 (67,897 performance rights).

5E. FY2017 long term incentive

Offers under the Cleanaway Long Term Incentive (LTI) Plan are made on an annual basis. For the year ended 30 June 2017, an LTI offer was made to Mr Bansal following shareholder approval at the Company's 2016 AGM as well as to other senior executives including Mr Gill.

The table below represents the target and maximum annual LTI opportunity as a percentage of TFR for Executive KMP:

	TARGET	MAXIMUM
EXECUTIVE KEY MANAGEMENT PERSONNEL		
V Bansal	75%	150%
B J Gill	30%	60%

Following a review of LTI arrangements, the Board introduced an additional performance hurdle for the FY2017 LTI plan so that 25% of performance rights granted will be subject to the achievement of Earnings per Share Compound Annual Growth Rate (EPS CAGR) targets over the three year performance period.

The details of the FY2017 LTI offer are summarised in the table below. The number of performance rights granted to each Executive KMP for the year ended 30 June 2017 is outlined in section 7A. The number of performance rights each Executive KMP has on issue as at 30 June 2017 is outlined in section 7B.

² Calculated based on total STI as a percentage of target and maximum STI opportunities respectively.

5. Executive key management personnel – reward outcomes (continued)

5E. FY2017 long term incentive (continued)

Key features of the FY2017 LTI plan

Purpose of the LTI plan	Focus Executive performance on drivers of shareholder value over a three year horizon Align interests of Focus times with the confidence of the sub-laboratory of the sub-
5 (Align interests of Executive with those of shareholders
Performance period	1 July 2016 to 30 June 2019
Form of award	Performance rights
Number of Performance	Performance rights are granted at face value as a % of participant TFR.
Rights	• The number of rights was determined by dividing a participant's LTI opportunity by the volume weighted average price (VWAP) of Cleanaway's shares on the ASX during the period 24 June to 30 June 2016.
Performance hurdles	Performance rights issued under the FY2017 plan are subject to three performance hurdles:
	 50% of the performance rights will be subject to relative Total Shareholder Return (TSR) targets over the performance period. The Board considers relative TSR to be an appropriate performance measure for Executive KMP reward as it focuses on the extent to which shareholder returns (being income and capital gain) are generated relative to the performance of a peer group of industrial companies of similar size (being the constituents of the S&P/ASX200 Industrial Sector Index);
	• 25% of the performance rights will be subject to Return On Invested Capital (ROIC) for the year ending 30 June 2019. The Board considers ROIC to be an appropriate performance measure for Executive KMP reward as it focuses on managing both the financial returns and the invested capital base used to generate those returns; and
	• 25% of the performance rights will be subject to Earnings per Share Compound Annual Growth Rate (EPS CAGR). The Board considers EPS CAGR to be an appropriate performance measure for Executive KMP reward as it represents an accurate measure of short term and long term sustainable profit.
Vesting date	14 days after the release of the financial results for the financial year ending 30 June 2019.
Retesting	No retesting is available. LTI performance rights are only tested once at the end of the relevant performance period and unvested rights lapse.
Dividends	LTI performance rights do not attract dividends.
Restriction on trading	Vested shares arising from performance rights may only be traded during trading windows as stipulated in the Company's Securities Trading Policy and with the approval of the Chairman of the Board.
Forfeiture and Lapsing Conditions	Where a participant resigns or is terminated prior to the end of the performance period, the performance rights are forfeited unless the Board applies its discretion. The Board also has discretion to determine the extent of vesting in the event of a change of control, or where a participant dies, becomes permanently disabled, retires or is made redundant. Performance rights lapse when performance hurdles are not met.
Number of performance rights issued and number remaining on issue as at 30 June 2017	Issued: 4,672,668 all of which remain on issue as at 30 June 2017.

5. Executive key management personnel – reward outcomes (continued)

5E. FY2017 long term incentive (continued)

FY2017 LTI performance hurdle vesting conditions

Performance rights issued under the FY2017 plan are subject to three performance measures with the following performance vesting schedules:

Relative TSR performance measured over 3 years from 1 July 2016 to 30 June 2019	Relative Total Shareholder Return (TSR) Ranking against the constituents of the S&P/ASX200 Industrial Sector Index: Below 50th percentile – 0% vesting At the 50th percentile – 50% vesting 50th to 75th percentile – straight line vesting between 50% and 100% Above 75 th percentile – 100% vesting
ROIC performance as measured for the year ending 30 June 2019	 Return On Invested Capital (ROIC) to be achieved: < 4.5% – 0% vesting 4.5% – 20% vesting > 4.5% – ≤ 5.5% – straight line vesting between 20% and 50% > 5.5% – ≤ 6.5% – straight line vesting between 50% and 100% > 6.5% – 100% vesting
EPS CAGR performance measured over 3 years from 1 July 2016 to 30 June 2019	 Earnings per Share Compound Annual Growth Rate (EPS CAGR) to be achieved: < 7.5% – 0% vesting 7.5% – 20% vesting > 7.5% – ≤ 10.0% – straight line vesting between 20% and 50% > 10.0% – ≤ 12.5% – straight line vesting between 50% and 100% > 12.5% – 100% vesting

5. Executive key management personnel – reward outcomes (continued)

5F. Prior long term incentive awards

The following table outlines the terms of the outstanding LTI offers made from FY2014 to FY2016:

	FY2014 LTI AWARD	FY2015 LTI AWARD ¹	FY2016 LTI AWARD
Performance period	4 years: 1 July 2013 to 30 June 2017	4 years: 1 July 2014 to 30 June 2018	3 years: 1 July 2015 to 30 June 2018
Overview	Performance rights vesting subject to: • Relative TSR (50%) • EPS (50%)	Performance rights vesting subject to: Relative TSR (25%) ROIC (25%) Strategic Initiatives (50%)	Performance rights. vesting subject to: Relative TSR (50%) ROIC (50%)
Relative TSR performance standards	TSR Ranking against the constituer • Below 50 th percentile – 0% ves • At the 50 th percentile – 50% ve • 50 th to 75 th percentile – straight • Above 75 th percentile – 100% ve	ting esting t line vesting between 50% and	
EPS / ROIC performance standards	EPS in final year of performance period: • Below 10 cents per share - 0% vesting • 10 cents per share - 50% vesting • 10 to 12.8 cents per share - straight line vesting between 50% and 75% • 12.8 to 14.0 cents per share - straight line vesting between 75% and 100% • 14.0 cents per share and above – 100% vesting	Average ROIC: Below 4.29% - 0% vesting 4.29% - 20% vesting 4.29% to 5.29% - straight line vesting between 20% and 50% 5.29% to 7.29% - straight line vesting between 50% and 100% 7.29% and above - 100% vesting	Average ROIC: ³ • < 4.6% – 0% vesting • 4.6% – 20% vesting • > 4.6% – < 5.6% – straight line vesting between 20% and 50% • 5.6% – < 7.6% – straight line vesting between 50% and 100% • ≥ 7.6% and above – 100% vesting
Vesting date	14 days after the release of FY17 results	14 days after the release of FY17 and FY18 results	14 days after the release of FY18 results
Grant date fair value ²	TSR tranche: \$0.93 EPS tranche: \$1.18	TSR tranche: \$0.17 ROIC & Strategic initiatives tranches: \$0.68	 CEO grant: TSR tranche: \$0.32 ROIC:\$0.63 Other KMP grant: TSR tranche: \$0.42 ROIC tranche:\$0.72
Number of rights remaining on issue as at 30 June 2017	1,278,240	1,819,928	5,362,336

¹ A three year performance period applies to the relative TSR and ROIC performance measures of the FY2015 LTI. The strategic initiatives are assessed over four years ending 30 June 2018. The first Strategic Initiative was satisfied as disclosed previously. The details of the remaining Strategic Initiatives remain strategically and commercially sensitive and will be disclosed following completion of the four year performance period.

² As a share-based payment, the portion of the performance rights relating to market based conditions were valued for accounting purposes using the Monte Carlo simulation method and the portion relating to EPS or ROIC using the Black Scholes Model.

Following the commencement of the current CEO in August 2015 the Board adopted a revised calculation of ROIC for the purposes of the LTI Plan consistent with its new Strategy Plan. For the FY2016 LTI and subsequent LTI grants, ROIC performance will be measured as (i) consolidated net profit after tax (excluding interest expense net of tax calculated at the corporate tax rate) of the Group (adjusted for material or other items so as to be expressed on an underlying basis) divided by (ii) Average Invested Capital, as determined by the Board in each case in its sole discretion.

5. Executive key management personnel – reward outcomes (continued)

5F. Prior long term incentive awards (continued)

Prior long term incentive outcomes

FY2014 LTI

The FY2014 LTI was tested at 30 June 2017. Based on the Company's relative TSR and EPS performance over the performance period (from 1 July 2013 to 30 June 2017), the offer will partially vest – with the relative TSR tranche vesting at 80.78% and the EPS tranche lapsing in full.

Executive KMP

None of the current or former Executive KMP participated in the FY2014 LTI.

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Two tranches of the FY2015 LTI were tested at 30 June 2017. The remaining tranche, subject to strategic initiative targets, will be tested after 30 June 2018. Based on the Company's relative TSR and ROIC performance over the performance period (from 1 July 2014 to 30 June 2017), the offer will partially vest, with the relative TSR tranche vesting at 61.76% and the ROIC tranche lapsing in full.

Executive KMP

Mr Gill is the only current or former Executive KMP to participate in the FY2015 LTI. 103,625 (61.76%) of his performance rights will vest in relation to the relative TSR tranche and 167,785 (100%) of his performance rights will lapse in relation to the ROIC tranche.

6. Executive key management personnel – contract terms

6A. Current Executive KMP

The CEO and Managing Director (Mr Bansal) and CFO (Mr Gill) are employed on the basis of an Executive Service Agreement (Agreement). These Agreements contain a range of terms and conditions including remuneration and other benefits, notice periods and termination benefits. The key contract terms are as follows:

- Contract term: no fixed term.
- Notice period: 12 months (resignation or termination without cause).
- Redundancy: 12 months' notice.

Any payment in lieu of notice and/or redundancy is not to exceed average annual base salary as defined by the *Corporations Act 2001* over the previous three years.

The Company may terminate Agreements immediately for cause, in which case the Executive is not entitled to any payment in lieu of notice or contractual compensation.

The Agreements also provide for an Executive's participation in the STI and LTI plans subject to Board approval of their eligibility and in accordance with the terms and conditions of the respective plans.

In addition, Mr Bansal was entitled to:

- Relocation support, with the Company covering the costs associated with Mr Bansal's temporary accommodation in Melbourne until the end of 2019. The cost to the Group in providing this support to Mr Bansal for the year ended 30 June 2017 is summarised in section 5A.
- A one-off allocation of 328,947 performance rights to the value of \$250,000 at the grant date with vesting subject to a two-year service condition from his date of commencement. The service condition has been met and these performance rights vested on 3 August 2017.

7. Executive key management personnel – additional remuneration tables

7A. Performance rights granted and movement during the year

The aggregate number of performance rights in the Company that were granted as compensation, exercised or lapsed in relation to each Executive KMP for the year ended 30 June 2017 is set out in the following table:

YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2017	BALANCE AT 1 JULY 2016 NUMBER	RIGHTS GRANTED DURING THE YEAR ¹ NUMBER	VALUE OF RIGHTS GRANTED DURING THE YEAR ² \$	RIGHTS EXERCISED DURING THE YEAR NUMBER	VALUE OF RIGHTS EXERCISED DURING THE YEAR ³	LAPSED/ CANCELLED DURING THE YEAR NUMBER	BALANCE AT 30 JUNE 2017 NUMBER
EXECUTIVE KEY MANAC	GEMENT PERSONNEL						
V Bansal	3,167,167	2,672,966	2,571,199	_	_	_	5,840,133
B J Gill	1,161,274	553,677	541,935	_	_	_	1,714,951
FORMER EXECUTIVE KEY	Y MANAGEMENT PERS	ONNEL					
A G Roderick ⁴	43,736	_	_	(43,736)	(34,770)	_	

Performance rights were granted to Mr Bansal under the FY2017 LTI Offer and FY2016 STI on 2 November 2016 and to other Executive KMP under the FY2017 LTI Offer and FY2016 STI on 7 October 2016.

7B. Performance rights as at 30 June 2017

The number of performance rights included in the balance at 30 June 2017 for the Executive KMP is set out in the following table:

ISSUED	2015 LTI	2016 OTHER	2016 LTI	2016 STI	2017 LTI	BALANCE AT 30 JUNE 2017	VESTED & EXERCISABLE AT THE END OF THE YEAR
EXECUTIVE KEY MANAGEMENT PER:	SONNEL						
V Bansal ¹	_	328,947	2,838,220	302,250	2,370,716	5,840,133	302,250
B Gill	671,140	_	490,134	67,897	485,780	1,714,951	67,897
FORMER EXECUTIVE KEY MANAGEN	MENT PERSONNEL						
D A Aardsma		_		_	_	_	

¹ As disclosed in last year's Report, on joining Cleanaway, Mr Bansal received a one-off allocation of 328,947 performance rights with vesting subject to a two-year service condition.

No terms of performance rights transactions have been altered by the Group during the reporting period. The Board has not previously exercised its discretion to allow the early vesting of any performance rights under any of the incentive plans.

The fair value of performance rights granted to Mr Bansal calculated using Monte Carlo simulation and the Black Scholes Model, is \$0.86 to \$1.03 per Performance Right under the FY2017 LTI Offer. The fair value of performance rights granted to other Executive KMP calculated using Monte Carlo simulation method and the Black Scholes Model, is \$0.86 to \$1.06 per Performance Right under the FY2017 LTI Offer.

³ Calculated as the market value of Cleanaway shares on the date of exercise.

⁴ Mr Roderick was a former Executive KMP in FY16 and exercised his FY2014 deferred STI on 11 July 2016 after vesting on 30 June 2016.

7. Executive key management personnel – additional remuneration tables (continued)

7C. Securities trading policy

The Company prohibits Executives from entering into any hedging arrangements or acquiring financial products (such as equity swaps, caps and collars or other hedging products) over unvested performance rights which have the effect of reducing or limiting exposure to risks associated with the market value of the Company's securities.

No Directors or Executive KMP may directly or indirectly enter into any margin loan facility against the Company's securities unless the prior written consent of the Chairman of the Board is obtained.

7D. Company performance

Over recent years, Cleanaway has been addressing a number of operational, transformational and strategic challenges. This is reflected in the financial performance summarised for key metrics below. Importantly, for remuneration purposes, the Board takes a more holistic view of performance than the metrics summarised below. These are described in more detail in section 5 of this Report.

	FY2013	FY2014	FY2015	FY2016	FY2017
Profit/(Loss) attributable to					
ordinary equity holders – \$'M	(218.7) 1	11.5 ²	(23.6) ³	44.84	72.5 ⁵
EPS – cents	(13.9)	0.7	(1.5)	2.8	4.6
Underlying EPS – cents	4.4	5.8	2.9	4.0	4.9
Dividends per share – cents	_	1.5	1.5	1.7	2.1
Shares on issue – number	1,578,563,490	1,579,323,967	1,579,914,690	1,586,344,605	1,592,889,317
Share price at 30 June	\$0.80	\$1.01	\$0.77	\$0.80	\$1.38
Change in share price	\$0.07	\$0.21	(\$0.24)	\$0.03	\$0.58

- 1 Includes underlying adjustments of \$286.6 million after tax.
- 2 Includes underlying adjustments of \$80.5 million after tax.
- 3 Includes underlying adjustments of \$69.3 million after tax.
- 4 Includes underlying adjustments of \$18.5 million after tax.
- 5 Includes underlying adjustments of \$5.0 million after tax.

8. Shareholdings and other related party transactions

8A. Shareholdings

The movement for the year ended 30 June 2017 in the number of ordinary shares in the Company held, directly or indirectly or beneficially, by each KMP, including their related parties, is detailed in the following table:

	BALANCE AT THE START	RECEIVED DURING THE YEAR ON THE	OTHER CHANGES DURING	BALANCE AT THE END
NAME	OF THE YEAR	EXERCISE OF RIGHTS	THE YEAR	OF THE YEAR
NON-EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR				
M P Chellew	25,000	_	50,000	75,000
R M Smith	65,715	_	_	65,715
E R Stein	66,549	_	14,440	80,989
T A Sinclair	38,789	_	_	38,789
R M Harding	12,644	_	_	12,644
P G Etienne	13,737	_	_	13,737
FORMER NON EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR				
M M Hudson ¹	75,258	_	_	75,258
EXECUTIVE KEY MANAGEMENT PERSONNEL				
V Bansal	_	_	_	_
B J Gill	_	_	_	
FORMER EXECUTIVE KEY MANAGEMENT PERSONNEL				
D A Aardsma ²	280,000	_	_	280,000

¹ Balance reflects holdings on date of departure being 26 October 2016.

8B. Loans to Executive key management personnel

There were no loans to Executive KMP made during the period and no outstanding balances at reporting date.

8C. Other transactions and balances with Executive key management personnel and their related parties

Some of the Directors hold, or have previously held, positions in companies with which Cleanaway has commercial relationships which are based on normal terms and conditions on an arm's length basis. Transactions with entities where the relationship is limited to common Non-Executive Directorship including any Chairperson roles are not considered related party transactions. The Board has assessed all of the relationships between the Group and companies in which Directors hold or held positions and has concluded that in all cases the relationships do not interfere with the Directors' exercise of objective, unfettered or independent judgement or their ability to act in the best interest of the Group.

During the year ended 30 June 2016, transactions that amounted to related party transactions were limited to transactions with NGT Marketing. Mr Martin Hudson, Non-Executive Director of the Group (until 26 October 2016), held a beneficial interest in NGT Marketing. The Group provided waste collections services to NGT Marketing for which it earned revenues on normal commercial terms. The value of these services was not material at \$2,466 for the year ended 30 June 2016. During the period from 1 July 2016 to when Mr Hudson resigned as Non-executive Director on 26 October 2016, the Group did not provide any services to NGT Marketing and therefore there were no transactions during the current reporting period that are considered to be related party transactions.

² Balance reflects holdings on date of ceasing to be a KMP.

Auditor's Independence Declaration



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Auditor's Independence Declaration to the Directors of Cleanaway Waste Management Limited

As lead auditor for the audit of Cleanaway Waste Management Limited for the financial year ended 30 June 2017, I declare to the best of my knowledge and belief, there have been:

- (a) no contraventions of the auditor independence requirements of the Corporations Act 2001 in relation to the audit; and
- (b) no contraventions of any applicable code of professional conduct in relation to the audit.

This declaration is in respect of Cleanaway Waste Management Limited and the entities it controlled during the financial year.

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Brett Croft Partner 22 August 2017

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Consolidated Income Statement

For the year ended 30 June 2017

	NOTES	2017 \$'M	2016 \$'M
Revenue	6	1,454.4	1,455.1
Other income	7	22.4	1.6
Labour related expenses		(589.4)	(610.7)
Collection, recycling and waste disposal expenses		(359.0)	(359.0)
Fleet operating expenses		(131.8)	(141.9)
Property expenses		(40.1)	(32.0)
Other expenses		(43.7)	(57.3)
Share of profits from equity accounted investments	22	1.2	1.3
Profit from operations before depreciation and amortisation		314.0	257.1
Depreciation and amortisation expense		(165.9)	(160.8)
Impairment of assets	20	(4.4)	_
Change in fair value of non-landfill land and buildings		(0.6)	(0.2)
Profit from operations		143.1	96.1
Net finance costs	8	(34.1)	(34.5)
Profit before income tax		109.0	61.6
Income tax expense	9	(36.5)	(18.5)
Profit after income tax		72.5	43.1
Attributable to:			
Ordinary equity holders		72.5	44.8
Non-controlling interest		_	(1.7)
Profit after income tax		72.5	43.1

The above Consolidated Income Statement should be read in conjunction with the accompanying notes.

Consolidated Statement of Comprehensive Income

For the year ended 30 June 2017

NOT	EC	2017 \$'M	2016 \$'M
Profit after income tax	E3	72.5	43.1
Other comprehensive income		72.5	43.1
Revaluation of land and buildings (net of tax)		(5.7)	3.1
Net comprehensive (loss)/income recognised directly in equity		(5.7)	3.1
Total comprehensive income for the year		66.8	46.2
Attributable to:			
Ordinary equity holders		66.8	47.9
Non-controlling interest		_	(1.7)
Total comprehensive income for the year		66.8	46.2
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Earnings per share attributable to the ordinary equity holders of the Company:			
• •	10	4.6	2.0
Basic earnings per share (cents)	10	4.6	2.8
Diluted earnings per share (cents)	10	4.5	2.8

The above Consolidated Statement of Comprehensive Income should be read in conjunction with the accompanying notes.

Consolidated Balance Sheet

As at 30 June 2017

		2017	2016
	NOTES	\$'M	\$'M Restated
Assets			
Current assets			
Cash and cash equivalents	11	43.2	48.3
Trade and other receivables	12	247.9	224.3
Inventories	13	11.1	16.7
Derivative financial instruments	30	8.3	10.9
Assets held for sale		8.8	8.8
Other assets		15.5	14.3
Total current assets		334.8	323.3
Non-current assets			
Property, plant and equipment	20	936.5	897.1
Intangible assets	21	1,585.3	1,568.0
Equity accounted investments	22	11.5	11.1
Net deferred tax assets	9	89.5	110.3
Total non-current assets		2,622.8	2,586.5
Total assets		2,957.6	2,909.8
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Liabilities			
Current liabilities		477.6	470.0
Trade and other payables	14	177.6	178.8
Income tax payable	4.5	16.7	10.7
Borrowings	15	62.4	0.8
Employee entitlements	23	46.0	39.9
Provisions	24	55.6	59.8
Other liabilities	25	22.1	23.2
Total current liabilities		380.4	313.2
Non-current liabilities	4.5	207.0	250.6
Borrowings	15	307.8	358.6
Employee entitlements	23	8.4	8.4
Provisions Others Well-Wilder	24	302.6	341.5
Other liabilities Total non-current liabilities	25	133.4	106.6
Total liabilities		752.2	815.1
		1,132.6	1,128.3
Net assets		1,825.0	1,781.5
Equity			
Issued capital	16	2,083.0	2,076.4
Reserves	17	40.4	43.3
Retained earnings	. •	(298.4)	(344.8)
Parent entity interest		1,825.0	1,774.9
Non-controlling interest			6.6
Total equity		1,825.0	1,781.5

The above Consolidated Balance Sheet should be read in conjunction with the accompanying notes.

Consolidated Statement of Changes in Equity

For the year ended 30 June 2017

		PARENT ENTITY	/ INTEREST		NON-	
	ORDINARY SHARES \$'M	RESERVES \$'M	RETAINED EARNINGS \$'M	TOTAL \$'M	CONTROLLING INTEREST \$'M	TOTAL EQUITY \$'M
At 1 July 2016	2,076.4	43.3	(344.8)	1,774.9	6.6	1,781.5
Profit for period	_	_	72.5	72.5	_	72.5
Other comprehensive income	_	(5.7)	_	(5.7)	_	(5.7)
Total comprehensive income for the year	_	(5.7)	72.5	66.8	_	66.8
Share-based payment expense	_	2.8	_	2.8	_	2.8
Dividends reinvested/(paid)	6.6	_	(30.2)	(23.6)	_	(23.6)
Acquisition of non-controlling interest	_	_	4.1	4.1	(6.6)	(2.5)
Balance at 30 June 2017	2,083.0	40.4	(298.4)	1,825.0	-	1,825.0
At 1 July 2015	2,072.1	38.6	(364.3)	1,746.4	8.3	1,754.7
Profit/(loss) for period	_,0,2	-	44.8	44.8	(1.7)	43.1
Other comprehensive income	_	3.1	-	3.1	_	3.1
Total comprehensive income for the year	_	3.1	44.8	47.9	(1.7)	46.2
Share-based payment expense	_	1.6	_	1.6	_	1.6
Dividends reinvested/(paid)	4.3	_	(25.3)	(21.0)	_	(21.0)
Balance at 30 June 2016	2,076.4	43.3	(344.8)	1,774.9	6.6	1,781.5

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

Consolidated Statement of Cash Flows

For the year ended 30 June 2017

NOTES	2017 \$'M	2016 \$'M
Cash flows from operating activities		
Profit before income tax	109.0	61.6
Adjustments for:		
Depreciation and amortisation expense	165.9	160.8
Impairment of assets	4.4	_
Write back of remediation provision related to closed sites	(3.1)	_
Net finance costs	34.1	34.5
Share-based payments expense	1.9	1.3
Change in fair value of non-landfill land and buildings	0.6	0.2
Share of profits from equity accounted investments	(1.2)	(1.3)
Net gain on disposal of property, plant and equipment	(22.5)	(1.4)
Other non-cash items	(0.9)	1.3
Net cash from operating activities before changes in assets and liabilities	288.2	257.0
Changes in assets and liabilities:		
(Increase)/decrease in receivables	(23.3)	2.8
Increase in other assets	(1.3)	(3.7)
Decrease/(increase) in inventories	0.7	(0.6)
(Decrease)/increase in payables	(1.0)	1.5
Increase/(decrease) in employee benefits	5.4	(3.8)
Decrease in other liabilities	(6.6)	(3.3)
Decrease in provisions	(44.1)	(45.7)
Cash generated from operating activities	218.0	204.2
Net interest paid	(19.8)	(20.9)
Income taxes (paid)/refunded	(8.6)	7.4
Net cash from operating activities	189.6	190.7
Cash flows from investing activities		
Payments for property, plant and equipment	(144.1)	(141.9)
Payments for intangible assets	(11.2)	(11.6)
Payments for purchase of businesses and non-controlling interest	(31.7)	(16.1)
Proceeds from disposal of property, plant and equipment	2.4	4.2
Dividends received from equity accounted investments	0.8	2.6
Net cash used in investing activities	(183.8)	(162.8)
Cash flows from financing activities		
Proceeds from borrowings	72.0	21.0
Repayment of borrowings	(58.2)	(16.0)
Payment of debt and equity raising costs	(0.6)	(0.6)
Payment of dividends to ordinary equity holders	(23.6)	(21.0)
Repayment of loan to related parties	(0.5)	_
Net cash used in financing activities	(10.9)	(16.6)
Net (decrease)/increase in cash and cash equivalents	(5.1)	11.3
Cash and cash equivalents at the beginning of the year	48.3	37.0
Cash and cash equivalents at the end of the year	43.2	48.3

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

Notes to the Consolidated Financial Statements

For the year ended 30 June 2017

1. Corporate information

Cleanaway Waste Management Limited and its subsidiaries (the Group) is domiciled and incorporated in Australia. The Consolidated Financial Report of Cleanaway Waste Management Limited consists of the Consolidated Financial Statements of the Group and the Group's interests in equity accounted investments.

The Consolidated Financial Statements of the Group for the year ended 30 June 2017 were authorised for issue in accordance with a resolution of the Directors on 22 August 2017.

2. Statement of compliance

The Consolidated Financial Report is a general purpose financial report which has been prepared on a going concern basis and in accordance with the *Corporations Act 2001*, Australian Accounting Standards and other authoritative pronouncements of the Australian Accounting Standards Board. The Financial Report also complies with International Financial Reporting Standards (IFRS) as issued by the International Accounting Standards Board.

3. Basis of preparation

The Financial Report has been prepared on the basis of historical cost, except for the revaluation of certain non-current assets (non-landfill land and buildings) and derivative financial instruments. Cost is based on the fair value of the consideration given in exchange for assets.

The Financial Report is presented in Australian dollars and all values are rounded to the nearest hundred thousand dollars, except when otherwise indicated. This presentation is consistent with the requirements of Legislative Instrument 2016/191, issued by the Australian Securities and Investments Commission, relating to the 'rounding off' of amounts in the financial statements.

Refer to note 38 for a summary of the Group's significant accounting policies.

At 30 June 2017 the Group had a net current asset deficiency of \$45.6 million (30 June 2016: net current asset surplus of \$10.1 million). The net current asset deficiency arises mainly due to the reclassification of the US Private Placement Notes (USPP Notes) as they mature in December 2017. As set out in Note 15, the Group has unutilised debt facilities of \$230.2 million at 30 June 2017, available to repay the USPP Notes and therefore the Directors are satisfied that the Group can meet its financial obligations as and when they fall due.

Comparative Information

Certain prior year balances have been adjusted to reflect reclassifications within the Consolidated Income Statement. Also refer to note 39 which sets out the adjustments to prior year balances as a result of a change in accounting policy.

4. Critical accounting estimates and judgements

The preparation of the Financial Report requires the use of certain critical accounting estimates. It also requires management to exercise its judgement in the process of applying the Group's accounting policies. Actual results may vary from these estimates under different assumptions and conditions. Significant accounting estimates and judgements in the Consolidated Financial Report are:

(a) Recoverable amount of property, plant and equipment and intangible assets

Each asset or cash generating unit (CGU) is evaluated every reporting period to determine whether there are any indications of impairment or reversal of previously recognised impairment losses. If any such indication exists, a formal estimate of recoverable amount is performed and where the carrying amount exceeds the recoverable amount, an impairment loss is recognised. Goodwill and other intangible assets with an indefinite life are tested for impairment on an annual basis, irrespective of whether there is an indication of impairment.

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4. Critical accounting estimates and judgements (continued)

The recoverable amount of each CGU is determined based on value-in-use calculations which require the use of estimates and assumptions. The calculations use cash flow projections based on forecasts approved by management. The discounted cash flows of the CGUs, other than those associated with landfill assets, are determined using five year forecasted cash flows and a terminal value calculation. These cash flows include estimates and assumptions related to revenue growth, capital expenditure, terminal value growth rates, oil prices (in relation to oil recycling activities) and expense profile.

Cash flows from the landfill assets include estimates and assumptions in relation to: waste volumes over the life of the landfill, cell development capital expenditure, waste mix, revenue and growth, expense profile, and value and timing of land sales.

These estimates and assumptions are subject to risk and uncertainty; such that there is a possibility that changes in circumstances will alter these projections, which may impact the recoverable amount of the assets. In such circumstances some or all of the assets may be impaired or a previous impairment charge reversed. Any potential impact arising from an impairment or reversal of an impairment would be recorded in the Consolidated Income Statement.

Further details on the Group's impairment assessment and policy are disclosed in note 21 and note 38(e).

(b) Landfill asset depreciation

Landfill assets comprise the acquisition of landfill land, airspace, cell development costs, site infrastructure and landfill site improvement costs, and remediation assets. Landfill airspace, cell development costs and remediation assets are depreciated on a usage basis. This depreciation method requires significant estimation of compaction rates, airspace and future costs. Therefore changes in these estimates will cause changes in depreciation rates. The depreciation rates are calculated based on the most up to date accounting estimates and applied prospectively.

Further details on the Group's landfill asset accounting policy are disclosed in note 38(k).

(c) Provision for landfill remediation and rectification

The Group's remediation and rectification provisions are calculated based on the present value of the future cash outflows expected to be incurred to remediate landfills which will include the costs of capping the landfill site, remediation and rectification costs and post-closure monitoring activities. The measurement of the provisions requires significant estimates and assumptions such as: discount rate, inflation rate, assessing the requirements of the Environment Protection Authority (EPA) or other government authorities, the timing, extent and costs of activity required and the area of the landfill to be remediated or rectified, which is determined by volumetric aerial surveys. These uncertainties may result in future actual expenditure differing from the amounts currently provided.

The provisions for remediation and rectification for each landfill site are periodically reviewed and updated based on the facts and circumstances available at the time. Changes to the estimated future costs for remediating open sites, still accepting waste, are recognised in the Consolidated Balance Sheet by adjusting both the remediation asset and provision. For closed sites, changes to the estimated costs are recognised in the Consolidated Income statement. Changes to estimated costs related to rectification provisions are recognised in the Consolidated Income Statement.

Further details on the Group's landfill remediation accounting policy are disclosed in note 38(o).

(d) Taxation

Deferred tax assets, including those arising from tax losses not recouped, capital losses and temporary differences, are recognised in the Consolidated Balance Sheet, only where it is considered more likely than not that they will be recovered, which is dependent on the generation of sufficient future taxable profits. Management considers that it is probable that future taxable profits will be available to utilise those temporary differences. Judgement is required to determine the amount of deferred tax assets that can be recognised, based upon the likely timing and the level of future profits.

These judgements and assumptions are subject to risk and uncertainty, hence there is a possibility that changes in circumstances will alter expectations, which may impact the amount of deferred tax assets and deferred tax liabilities recognised on the Consolidated Balance Sheet and the amount of other tax losses and temporary differences not yet recognised. In such circumstances, some or all of the carrying amounts of recognised deferred tax assets and liabilities may require adjustment, resulting in a corresponding credit or charge to the Consolidated Income Statement.

Further details on the Group's taxation accounting policy are disclosed in note 38(d).

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5. Segment reporting

The Group has identified its operating segments on the basis of how the Chief Operating Decision Maker reviews internal reports about components of the Group in order to assess the performance and allocation of resources to a particular segment. Information reported to the Group's Chief Executive Officer (Chief Operating Decision Maker) for the purpose of performance assessment and resource allocation is specifically focused on the following segments:

Solids

Comprises the collection, treatment, recycle and disposal of all types of solid waste streams, including general waste, recyclables, construction and demolition waste and medical and washroom services. Solids owns and manages waste transfer stations, resource recovery and recycling facilities, secure product destruction, quarantine treatment operations and landfills and participates in commodities trading of recovered paper, cardboard, metals and plastics to the domestic and international marketplace. Solids also generate and sell electricity produced utilising landfill gas.

· Liquids and Industrial Services

Comprises the collection, treatment, processing and recycling of liquid and hazardous waste, including industrial waste, grease trap waste, oily waters and used mineral and cooking oils in packaged and bulk forms for resale, disposal and to produce fuel oils and base oils, as well as services including industrial cleaning, vacuum tanker loading, site remediation, sludge management, parts washing, concrete remediation, CCTV, corrosion protection and emergency response services.

Unallocated balances include the Group's share of profits from equity accounted investments and corporate balances. Corporate balances relate to shared services functions that are not directly attributable to an identifiable segment. These functions include management, finance, legal, information technology, marketing, and human resources that provide support to the other segments identified above.

No operating segments have been aggregated to form the reportable segments.

Segment results include items directly attributable to a segment as well as those that can be allocated on a reasonable basis. Segment capital expenditure is the total cost incurred during the period to acquire segment assets that are expected to be used for more than one period.

The Group has the following allocation policies:

- Sales between segments are on normal commercial terms; and
- Corporate charges are allocated where possible based on estimated usage of corporate resources.

Segment assets and liabilities have not been disclosed as these are not provided to the Chief Operating Decision Maker. This information is provided at a Group level only.

Net finance costs are not allocated to individual segments as the underlying instruments are managed on a Group basis. Current taxes, deferred taxes and certain financial assets and liabilities are not allocated to those segments as they are also managed on a Group basis.

Inter-segment revenues are eliminated on consolidation.

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5. Segment reporting (continued)

	OPER	ATING SEGM	ENTS	_	UNALLO	CATED	
2017	SOLIDS \$'M	LIQUIDS AND INDUSTRIAL SERVICES \$'M	ELIMINATIONS \$'M	TOTAL OPERATING SEGMENTS \$'M	EQUITY ACCOUNTED INVESTMENTS \$'M	CORPORATE \$'M	GROUP \$'M
Revenue		-	-	_			
Sales of goods and services	1,034.9	384.2	_	1,419.1	_	_	1,419.1
PSO benefits ¹	_	16.6	_	16.6	_	_	16.6
Other revenue	16.0	2.5	-	18.5	_	0.2	18.7
Inter-segment sales	11.6	20.7	(32.3)	_	_	_	_
Total revenue	1,062.5	424.0	(32.3)	1,454.2	_	0.2	1,454.4
Underlying EBITDA	257.0	58.9	_	315.9	1.2	(15.8)	301.3
Depreciation and amortisation	(119.4)	(26.8)	_	(146.2)	_	(12.2)	(158.4)
Underlying EBIT	137.6	32.1	_	169.7	1.2	(28.0)	142.9
Restructuring costs ²							(14.6)
Rebranding costs							(3.8)
Acquisition costs							(2.4)
Remediation and rectification costs							(0.4)
Gain on sale of properties							22.0
Revaluation of non-landfill land and buildings							(0.6)
Profit from operations (EBIT)							143.1
Net finance costs							(34.1)
Profit before income tax							109.0
Income tax expense							(36.5)
Profit after income tax							72.5
Capital expenditure:							
Property, plant and equipment	128.1	14.1	-	142.2	-	1.9	144.1
Intangible assets	2.1	_	_	2.1	_	9.1	11.2

¹ Product Stewardship for Oil benefits.

² Includes accelerated depreciation of \$3.6 million and impairment of assets of \$4.4 million.

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Segment reporting (continued) **5**.

	OPER	ATING SEGM	ENTS		UNALLO	CATED	
2016	SOLIDS \$'M	LIQUIDS AND INDUSTRIAL SERVICES \$'M	ELIMINATIONS \$'M	TOTAL OPERATING SEGMENTS \$'M	EQUITY ACCOUNTED INVESTMENTS \$'M	CORPORATE \$'M	GROUP \$'M
Revenue	4	¥ ***	¥ ***	4 ***	****	¥	4
Sales of goods and services	1,030.1	392.9	_	1,423.0	_	_	1,423.0
PSO benefits ¹	_	14.1	_	14.1	_	_	14.1
Other revenue	15.8	1.8	_	17.6	_	0.4	18.0
Inter-segment sales	12.5	27.8	(40.3)	_	_	_	_
Total revenue	1,058.4	436.6	(40.3)	1,454.7	_	0.4	1,455.1
Underlying EBITDA	237.7	57.5	_	295.2	1.3	(15.2)	281.3
Depreciation and amortisation	(124.1)	(24.5)	_	(148.6)	_	(10.1)	(158.7)
Underlying EBIT	113.6	33.0	-	146.6	1.3	(25.3)	122.6
Restructuring costs ²							(23.2)
Rebranding costs							(3.6)
Revaluation of non-landfill land and buildings							(0.2)
Other underlying adjustments							0.5
Profit from operations (EBIT)							96.1
Net finance costs							(34.5)
Profit before income tax							61.6
Income tax expense							(18.5)
Profit after income tax							43.1
Capital expenditure:							
Property, plant and equipment	100.6	34.4	-	135.0	_	6.9	141.9
Intangible assets	_	_	_	_	_	11.6	11.6

Product Stewardship for Oil benefits. Includes accelerated depreciation of \$2.1 million.

For the year ended 30 June 2017

6. Revenue

	2017	2016
	\$'M	\$'M
Sale of goods and services	1,419.1	1,423.0
Product Stewardship for Oil (PSO) benefits	16.6	14.1
Other revenue	18.7	18.0
	1,454.4	1,455.1

Refer to note 38(a) for the Group's accounting policy on revenue.

7. Other income

	22.4	1.6
Net foreign currency exchange losses	(0.1)	(0.1)
Gain on disposal of investments	_	0.3
Gain on disposal of property, plant and equipment ¹	22.5	1.4
	2017 \$'M	2016 \$'M

¹ Gain on disposal of property, plant and equipment in the year ended 30 June 2017 includes disposal of remediation and rectification provisions of \$28.0 million (2016: nil). Refer to note 24.

8. Net finance costs

	2017 \$'M	2016 \$'M
Finance costs		
Interest on borrowings	(18.8)	(19.9)
Amortisation of capitalised transaction costs	(0.5)	(1.3)
Unwind of discount on provisions and other liabilities	(14.9)	(14.0)
Foreign currency exchange gain/(loss) on USPP borrowings	2.3	(2.3)
Change in fair value of derivative instruments related to USPP borrowings	(2.6)	2.3
	(34.5)	(35.2)
Finance income		
Interest revenue	0.4	0.7
	0.4	0.7
Net finance costs	(34.1)	(34.5)

Refer to note 38(c) for the Group's accounting policy on finance costs.

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9. Income tax

(a) Amounts recognised in the Consolidated Income Statement

	2017 \$'M	2016 \$'M
Current tax expense		
Current year	19.0	10.2
Adjustments in respect of prior years	(4.3)	(2.7)
	14.7	7.5
Deferred tax expense		
Origination and reversal of temporary differences	16.8	8.0
Adjustments in respect of prior years	5.0	3.0
	21.8	11.0
Income tax expense	36.5	18.5

(b) Amounts recognised directly in equity

Deferred income tax benefit on items charged directly to equity for the year totalled \$3.5 million (2016: \$1.1 million expense), which relate to the tax effect of items recognised in the asset revaluation reserve of \$2.6 million benefit (2016: \$1.4 million expense) and the employee equity benefits reserve of \$0.9 million benefit (2016: \$0.3 million benefit).

(c) Reconciliation between tax expense and pre-tax net profit at the statutory rate

	2017 \$'M	2016 \$'M
Profit before tax	109.0	61.6
Income tax using the corporation tax rate of 30% (2016: 30%)	32.7	18.5
Increase/(decrease) in income tax expense due to:		
Share of profits from equity accounted investments	(0.5)	(0.4)
Non-deductible expenses	0.8	0.4
Adjustments in respect of prior years	0.7	0.3
Research and development tax credits	(2.2)	(2.0)
Entry of subsidiary into the tax consolidated group	2.3	_
Non-deductible CGT loss on sale of properties	1.9	_
Employee share plan expenses	_	1.4
Other	0.8	0.3
Income tax expense	36.5	18.5

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9. Income tax (continued)

(d) Deferred tax

Deferred tax in the Consolidated Balance Sheet relates to the following:

			RECOGNISED				
		RECOGNISED	IN OTHER	RECOGNISED	ACQUIRED IN		
	OPENING	IN PROFIT OR	COMPREHENSIVE	DIRECTLY IN	BUSINESS		CLOSING
2017	BALANCE	LOSS	INCOME	EQUITY	COMBINATION	OTHER	BALANCE
2017	\$'M	\$'M	\$'M	\$'M	\$'M	\$'M	\$'M
Deferred tax assets							
PP&E	50.6	(9.4)	2.6	_	_	_	43.8
Employee benefits	17.1	(0.2)	_	_	0.2	_	17.1
Provisions	123.1	(15.6)	_	_	_	_	107.5
Other	6.8	1.0	_	0.9	_	(0.2)	8.5
Deferred tax liabilities							
Intangible assets	(67.9)	2.5	_	_	(2.5)	_	(67.9)
Other	(19.4)	(0.1)	_	_	_	_	(19.5)
Net deferred tax assets	110.3	(21.8)	2.6	0.9	(2.3)	(0.2)	89.5

2016 Restated ¹	OPENING BALANCE	RECOGNISED IN PROFIT OR LOSS	IN OTHER COMPREHENSIVE INCOME	RECOGNISED DIRECTLY IN EQUITY	ACQUIRED IN BUSINESS COMBINATION	OTHER	CLOSING BALANCE
	\$'M	\$'M	\$'M	\$'M	\$'M	\$'M	\$'M
Deferred tax assets							
PP&E	61.2	(9.2)	(1.4)	_	_	_	50.6
Employee benefits	15.2	1.9	_	_	_	_	17.1
Provisions	128.1	(5.0)	_	_	_	_	123.1
Other	8.2	(2.2)	_	0.3	_	0.5	6.8
Deferred tax liabilities							
Intangible assets	(71.3)	3.4	_	_	_	_	(67.9)
Other	(19.5)	0.1	_	_	_	_	(19.4)
Net deferred tax assets	121.9	(11.0)	(1.4)	0.3	-	0.5	110.3

¹ Refer to note 39.

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10. Earnings per share

	2017	2016
Basic earnings per share (cents)	4.6	2.8
Diluted earnings per share (cents)	4.5	2.8

(i) Basic earnings per share

Basic earnings per share is calculated by dividing the net profit after income tax attributable to ordinary equity holders of the Group by the weighted average number of ordinary shares outstanding during the financial year.

Reconciliation of earnings used as the numerator in calculating basic earnings per share:

	2017	2016
	\$'M	\$'M
Profit after income tax	72.5	43.1
Net loss attributable to non-controlling interests	_	1.7
Profit after tax attributable to ordinary equity holders	72.5	44.8

Reconciliation of weighted average number of ordinary shares:

	2017	2016
Issued ordinary shares at 1 July	1,586,344,605	1,579,914,690
Effect of shares issued under dividend reinvestment plan	3,242,419	2,777,898
Effect of shares issued under employee incentive plans	730,907	546,917
Weighted average number of ordinary shares used as the denominator		
in calculating earnings per share	1,590,317,931	1,583,239,505

(ii) Diluted earnings per share

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

Dilutive potential ordinary shares are limited to performance rights issued under the Group's long term and short term incentive plans. Refer note 34 for details. The dilutive effect of the performance rights on basic earnings per share reported above is not material.

11. Cash and cash equivalents

Composition of cash and cash equivalents 2017 S'M 2016 S'M Cash at bank and on hand 43.2 48.3 43.2 48.3

Refer to note 38(g) for the Group's accounting policy on cash and cash equivalents.

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12. Trade and other receivables

	2017 \$'M	2016 \$'M
Trade receivables	245.0	225.7
Provision for doubtful debts	(3.1)	(7.8)
	241.9	217.9
Other receivables	6.0	6.4
	247.9	224.3

Refer to note 38(h) for the Group's accounting policy on trade and other receivables.

The ageing of the Group's trade receivables at the reporting date was:

	\$'M	\$'M
Not past due	175.0	157.5
Past due 0 – 30 days	40.2	42.0
Past due 31 – 120 days	17.1	15.3
Past due 121 days or more	12.7	10.9
	245.0	225.7

The movement in the provision for doubtful debts during the year was as follows:

	2017	2016
	\$'M	\$'M
Opening balance	7.8	6.5
Provision recognised	2.6	4.4
Reversal of provision	(2.4)	_
Utilisation of provision	(4.9)	(3.1)
Closing balance	3.1	7.8

No single customer's annual revenue is greater than 2.3% (2016: 2.6%) of the Group's total revenue. Trade and other receivables that are neither past due or impaired are considered to be of a high credit quality.

13. Inventories

	2017 \$'M	2016 \$'M
Raw materials and consumables – at cost	4.3	10.5
Finished goods – at cost	6.8	6.2
	11.1	16.7

Refer to note 38(i) for the Group's accounting policy on inventories.

14. Trade and other payables

	2017 \$'M	2016 \$'M
Trade payables	91.0	85.5
Other payables and accruals	86.6	93.3
	177.6	178.8

Refer to note 38(m) for the Group's accounting policy on trade and other payables.

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15. Borrowings

	2017	2016
	\$'M	\$'M
Unsecured		
US Private Placement Notes	62.4	_
Loans from related parties	_	0.5
Other	_	0.3
Total current	62.4	0.8
Unsecured		
Bank loans	307.8	293.9
US Private Placement Notes	_	64.7
Total non-current	307.8	358.6
Total borrowings	370.2	359.4

Bank loans are net of capitalised transaction costs of \$1.2 million (2016: \$1.1 million). Refer to note 38(n) for the Group's accounting policy on borrowings.

Financing facilities

The facility limits and maturity profile of the Group's main financing facilities are as follows:

FACILITY			AMOUNT	MATURITY
Syndicated Facility Agreement	Facility A	working capital tranche	\$135 million	1 July 2018
	Facility B	4 year revolver	\$130 million	1 July 2020
	Facility C	5 year revolver	\$335 million	1 July 2021
US Private Placement Notes (USPP)		10 year tenure	US\$48 million	17 December 2017
Uncommitted bank guarantee facility			\$60 million	31 December 2017

The USPP Notes have been swapped to AUD fixed rate debt to mitigate the foreign currency risk arising from these borrowings. Refer to note 30 for information on the derivative financial instruments. The USPP facility was fully drawn down at reporting date.

The headroom available in the Group's facilities at 30 June 2017 is summarised below:

		AVAILABLE \$'M	UTILISED \$'M	NOT UTILISED \$'M
Syndicated Facility Agreement	Facility A ¹	135.0	(79.1)	55.9
	Facility B ²	130.0	(130.0)	-
	Facility C ²	335.0	(165.0)	170.0
US Private Placement Notes (USPP)		62.4	(62.4)	-
Bank guarantee facilities ¹		62.9	(58.6)	4.3
		725.3	(495.1)	230.2

¹ These facilities include \$123.7 million (2016: \$115.3 million) in guarantees and letters of credit which only give rise to a liability where the Group fails to perform its contractual obligations.

The headroom available in the Group's facilities at 30 June 2016 is summarised below:

		AVAILABLE \$'M	UTILISED \$'M	NOT UTILISED \$'M
Syndicated Facility Agreement	Facility A	135.0	(58.0)	77.0
	Facility B	130.0	(130.0)	_
	Facility C	335.0	(165.0)	170.0
US Private Placement Notes (USPP)		64.7	(64.7)	_
Bank guarantee facilities		61.6	(57.3)	4.3
		726.3	(475.0)	251.3

² These facilities represent the amount drawn down as 'bank loans' excluding the capitalised transaction costs of \$1.2 million (2016: \$1.1 million).

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16. Issued capital

Issued and paid up capital is recognised at the fair value of the consideration received by the Company. Any transaction costs incurred by the Company arising on the issue of capital are recognised directly in equity as a reduction of the share capital received.

Ordinary shares participate in dividends and the proceeds on winding up of the Company in proportion to the number of shares held. Ordinary shares entitle their holder to one vote, either in person or by proxy, at a meeting of the Company. Ordinary shares have no par value and all issued shares are fully paid.

	2017	2017		2016	
	NUMBER	NUMBER			
	OF SHARES	\$'M	OF SHARES	\$'M	
Opening balance	1,586,344,605	2,076.4	1,579,914,690	2,072.1	
Issue of shares under dividend reinvestment plan	5,760,784	6.6	5,776,895	4.3	
Issue of shares under employee incentive plan	783,928	_	653,020	_	
Closing balance	1,592,889,317	2,083.0	1,586,344,605	2,076.4	

17. Reserves

	2017 \$'M	2016 \$'M
Asset revaluation reserve	29.2	34.9
Employee equity benefits reserve	11.2	8.4
	40.4	43.3

(a) Asset revaluation reserve

The asset revaluation reserve is used to record revaluations of non-landfill land and buildings. Refer to note 38(k) for further details on the Group's non-landfill land and buildings valuation policy.

	2017 \$'M	2016 \$'M
Opening balance	34.9	31.8
Revaluation of land and buildings (net of tax)	(5.7)	3.1
Closing balance	29.2	34.9

(b) Employee equity benefits reserve

The employee equity benefits reserve is used to record the value of equity benefits provided to employees as part of their remuneration. Refer to note 34 for further details on these share-based payment plans.

	2017	2016
	\$'M	\$'M
Opening balance	8.4	6.8
Share-based payment expense (net of tax)	2.8	1.6
Closing balance	11.2	8.4

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18. Dividends and distributions

The Company declared a fully franked dividend on ordinary shares for the financial year ended 30 June 2017 of 2.1 cents per share, being an interim dividend of 1.0 cents per share and final dividend of 1.1 cents per share. The record date of the final dividend is 14 September 2017 with payment to be made on 5 October 2017.

2017

Details of distributions in respect of the financial year are as follows:

	\$'M	\$'M
Dividends paid during the period		
Final dividend relating to prior period	14.3	12.6
Interim dividend relating to current period	15.9	12.7
	30.2	25.3
Dividends determined in respect of the period		
Interim dividend relating to current period	15.9	12.7
Final dividend relating to current period	17.5	14.3
	33.4	27.0

	2017	2016
	CENTS PER SHARE	CENTS PER SHARE
Dividends paid during the period	SHARE	SHARE
Final dividend relating to prior period	0.9	0.8
Interim dividend relating to current period	1.0	0.8
	1.9	1.6
Dividends determined in respect of the period		
Interim dividend relating to current period	1.0	0.8
Final dividend relating to current period	1.1	0.9
	2.1	1.7

Franking credit balance

The available amounts are based on the balance of the franking account at year end, adjusted for:

- (a) Franking credits that will arise from the payment of current tax liabilities;
- (b) Franking debits that will arise from the payment of franked or partially franked dividends recognised as a liability at the year end; and
- (c) Franking credits that will arise from the receipt of dividends recognised as receivables by the Tax Consolidated Group at the year end.

	2017 \$'M	2016 \$'M
30% franking credits available for subsequent financial years ¹	17.9	12.8

¹ The payment of the final 2017 dividend determined after 30 June 2017 will reduce the franking account by \$7.5 million.

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19. Capital management

When managing capital, the Group's objective is to ensure that it uses a mix of funding options, to optimise returns to equity holders and manage risk. The facility limits and maturity profile of the Group's main financing facilities are contained in note 15.

The capital structure of the Group comprises: debt, which includes borrowings; cash and cash equivalents; and equity attributable to equity holders of the parent, such equity comprising issued capital, reserves and retained earnings as disclosed in the Consolidated Balance Sheet. The Group is subject to and complies with externally imposed capital requirements.

The gearing ratio of the Group at reporting date was as follows:

Gearing ratio ¹	15.2%	14.9%
Total equity	1,825.0	1,781.5
Net debt	327.0	311.1
Less cash and cash equivalents	(43.2)	(48.3)
Non-current borrowings	307.8	358.6
Current borrowings	62.4	0.8
	2017 \$'M	2016 \$'M

¹ The gearing ratio is calculated as Net debt divided by Net debt plus Total equity.

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20. Property, plant and equipment

2017	NON-LANDFILL LAND AND BUILDINGS \$'M	LANDFILL ASSETS \$'M	LEASEHOLD IMPROVEMENTS \$'M	PLANT AND EQUIPMENT \$'M	CAPITAL WORK IN PROGRESS \$'M	TOTAL \$'M
Opening net book value	160.2	198.6	32.0	447.2	59.1	897.1
Additions	_	_	_	_	175.5	175.5
Acquisitions of businesses	_	_	_	9.2	_	9.2
Net movement in landfill assets ¹	_	23.4	_	_	_	23.4
Disposals	_	(5.2)	(0.1)	(1.2)	_	(6.5)
Transfer of assets	(5.8)	75.7	14.5	94.1	(174.1)	4.4
Revaluations	(8.9)	_	_	_	_	(8.9)
Impairment of assets ²	_	(1.9)	_	(2.5)	_	(4.4)
Depreciation	(2.2)	(48.9)	(2.7)	(99.5)	_	(153.3)
Closing net book value	143.3	241.7	43.7	447.3	60.5	936.5
Cost or fair value	150.0	564.8	51.1	1,434.9	60.5	2,261.3
Accumulated depreciation	(6.7)	(323.1)	(7.4)	(987.6)	_	(1,324.8)
Net book value	143.3	241.7	43.7	447.3	60.5	936.5

¹ Net movement in landfill assets reflects adjustments to the remediation provision for open landfill sites. Refer to accounting policy note 38(k).

² During the period impairments of \$4.4 million were recognised upon the early closure of the Wingfield Solvent Plant (Liquids & Industrial Services) and the Nuriootpa Landfill (Solids).

	NON-LANDFILL LAND AND BUILDINGS	LANDFILL ASSETS	LEASEHOLD	PLANT AND	CAPITAL WORK IN PROGRESS	TOTAL
2016	\$'M	\$'M	IMPROVEMENTS \$'M	EQUIPMENT \$'M	IN PROGRESS \$'M	\$'M
Opening net book value	153.9	142.6	32.8	441.8	89.3	860.4
Additions	_	_	_	_	164.1	164.1
Acquisitions of businesses	_	_	_	_	0.2	0.2
Net movement in landfill assets	_	28.9	_	_	_	28.9
Disposals	(0.5)	_	_	(2.0)	_	(2.5)
Transfer of assets	4.7	70.8	3.2	106.4	(187.7)	(2.6)
Transfer to assets held for sale	_	_	_	_	(2.2)	(2.2)
Revaluations	4.5	_	_	_	_	4.5
Project and site closures	(0.4)	_	_	_	(4.6)	(5.0)
Depreciation	(2.0)	(43.7)	(4.0)	(99.0)	_	(148.7)
Closing net book value	160.2	198.6	32.0	447.2	59.1	897.1
Cost or fair value	164.7	476.5	38.4	1,362.8	59.1	2,101.5
Accumulated depreciation	(4.5)	(277.9)	(6.4)	(915.6)	_	(1,204.4)
Net book value	160.2	198.6	32.0	447.2	59.1	897.1

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20. Property, plant and equipment (continued)

Accounting for landfill assets

The Group is responsible for a total of 15 landfills (2016: 17 landfills). Of the 15 landfills, nine are closed. Those that are open are expected to close between 2018 and 2062. The Group's remediation provisions are based on an average 30 year post-closure period.

It is the Group's policy at time of development or acquisition of a landfill and at each reporting date to:

- (a) Capitalise the cost of cell development to landfill assets;
- (b) Capitalise the cost of purchased landfill assets;
- (c) Depreciate the capitalised landfill assets over the useful life of the landfill asset or site; and
- (d) Recognise income generated from the landfill assets in the reporting period earned.

Refer to note 38(k) for further details on the Group's accounting policy on landfill assets.

Valuations of non-landfill land and buildings

Non-landfill land and buildings are shown at fair value in the Consolidated Balance Sheet, based on periodic valuations by external independent valuers, less subsequent depreciation of buildings. The current valuation selection process ensures that each property is valued at least every three years. The latest independent valuations were completed at 30 June 2017. Land and buildings are combined for the purposes of determining fair value as this is how management view its property and associated value. The fair values are reviewed at the end of each reporting period to ensure that the carrying value of land and buildings is not materially different to their fair values.

Any revaluation increment (net of tax) is credited to the asset revaluation reserve included in the equity section of the Consolidated Balance Sheet. Any revaluation decrement directly offsetting a previous increment in the same asset is directly offset against the surplus in the asset revaluation reserve, otherwise it is charged to the Consolidated Income Statement.

The following table shows an analysis of the fair values of land and buildings recognised in the Consolidated Balance Sheet by level of the fair value hierarchy:

AMOUNT

2017	LEVEL 1 \$'M	LEVEL 2 \$'M	LEVEL 3 \$'M	TOTAL ¹ \$'M	EXPENSED \$'M
Residential	_	0.2	_	0.2	(0.2)
Regional industrial	-	_	40.5	40.5	(0.4)
Metropolitan industrial	_	_	102.6	102.6	_
Total	_	0.2	143.1	143.3	(0.6)

Total	_	1.7	158.5	160.2	(0.2)
Metropolitan industrial	_	_	114.3	114.3	_
Regional industrial	_	_	44.2	44.2	(0.2)
Residential	_	1.7	_	1.7	_
2016					

¹ The amounts in this table are based on the most recent valuation for each property and include subsequent accumulated depreciation recognised.

Amounts taken to the Consolidated Income Statement are shown in change in fair value of land and buildings.

There were no transfers between levels during the year.

Level 2 valuations are based on a direct comparison approach whereby a property's fair value is estimated based on comparable transactions and are then adjusted to take into account any differences in the assets. The unit of comparison applied by the Group is the price per square metre (sqm).

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20. Property, plant and equipment (continued)

The following table presents the details of the valuation approaches used under Level 3:

	VALUATION TECHNIQUE	KEY UNOBSERVABLE INPUTS	RANGE 2017	RANGE 2016
Regional industrial Summation Price per square metre		\$2-250	\$5-250	
		Depreciation replacement cost	\$172-1019	\$207-1019
	Capitalisation	pitalisation Capitalisation rate		9.75%
	Leased income per square metre		\$125	\$125
	Direct comparison	Price per square metre	\$60-1401	\$60-1401
Metropolitan industrial	Summation	Price per square metre	\$15-360	\$15-360
		Depreciation replacement cost	\$35-726	\$35-671
	Capitalisation	Capitalisation rate	7%-10%	7%-10%
		Leased income per square metre	\$40-153	\$40-94
	Direct comparison	Price per square metre	\$70-1831	\$70-1831

Under the summation method a property's fair value is estimated based on comparable transactions for the land on a price per square metre basis together with an estimate of the cost to replace any buildings or structures on site less depreciation. Under the income capitalisation method, a property's fair value is estimated based on the normalised net operating lease income generated by the property, which is divided by the capitalisation rate (discounted by a rate of return). Significant increases/(decreases) in any of the significant unobservable inputs, in isolation, under the direct comparison, summation or capitalisation methods would result in a significantly higher/(lower) fair value measurement.

If non-landfill land and buildings were measured using the cost model, the carrying amounts would be as follows:

	2017 \$'M	2016 \$'M
Land		
Cost	75.2	82.2
Buildings		
Cost	72.4	71.1
Accumulated depreciation	(23.6)	(21.4)
Closing net book value	48.8	49.7

21. Intangible assets

	GOODWILL		OTHER INT	OTHER INTANGIBLES		TOTAL	
	2017 \$'M	2016 \$'M Restated ¹	2017 \$'M	2016 \$'M	2017 \$'M	2016 \$'M Restated ¹	
Opening net book value	1,219.9	1,219.5	348.1	344.2	1,568.0	1,563.7	
Additions	-	_	12.1	15.9	12.1	15.9	
Acquisitions of businesses	9.5	0.4	8.3	0.2	17.8	0.6	
Disposals	_	_	_	(1.7)	_	(1.7)	
Transfers from PP&E	_	_	_	1.6	_	1.6	
Amortisation	_	_	(12.6)	(12.1)	(12.6)	(12.1)	
Net book value	1,229.4	1,219.9	355.9	348.1	1,585.3	1,568.0	
Cost	1,229.4	1,219.9	428.2	407.8	1,657.6	1,627.7	
Accumulated amortisation	_	_	(72.3)	(59.7)	(72.3)	(59.7)	
Net book value	1,229.4	1,219.9	355.9	348.1	1,585.3	1,568.0	

¹ Refer to note 39.

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21. Intangible assets (continued)

Intangible assets are monitored at an operating segment level for the Solids business and at a cash-generating unit (CGU) level for the Liquids and Industrial Services business. CGUs for the Liquids and Industrial Services business consists of:

- Liquids & Hazardous Waste, excluding Hydrocarbons;
- Hydrocarbons; and
- Industrial Services.

The carrying amount of goodwill and intangible assets allocated to the operating segment or CGUs is as follows:

2017	SOLIDS \$'M	LIQUIDS & HAZARDOUS WASTE \$'M	INDUSTRIAL SERVICES \$'M	CORPORATE \$'M	TOTAL \$'M
Goodwill	1,123.1	58.4	47.9	_	1,229.4
Brand names	78.6	_	_	_	78.6
Other intangible assets	260.7	0.9	_	15.7	277.3
Total	1,462.4	59.3	47.9	15.7	1,585.3
2016 Restated ¹					
Goodwill	1,113.6	58.4	47.9	_	1,219.9
Brand names	78.6	_	_	_	78.6
Other intangible assets	258.4	1.0	_	10.1	269.5
Total	1.450.6	59.4	47.9	10.1	1.568.0

¹ Refer to note 39.

At 30 June 2017, other intangible assets include the Melbourne Regional Landfill asset of \$240.8 million (2016: \$242.2 million) and customer contracts of \$9.6 million (2016: \$5.2 million).

Annual impairment testing

After initial recognition, goodwill acquired in a business combination is measured at cost less any accumulated impairment losses. Goodwill and brand names are not amortised but are subject to impairment testing. In accordance with the Group's accounting policies, the Group performs its impairment testing annually at 30 June. Goodwill and non-current assets are however reviewed at each reporting period to determine whether there is an indicator of impairment. Where an indicator of impairment exists, a formal review is undertaken to estimate the recoverable amount of related assets.

Results of impairment testing

Based on impairment testing performed, the recoverable amounts of each CGU exceed the carrying amounts at 30 June 2017.

Key assumptions used for annual impairment testing

The recoverable amounts of the operating segment or CGUs is determined based on value-in-use calculations using five year forecasted cash flows of the CGUs and a terminal value calculation, other than those associated with landfill assets. Cash flows from the landfill assets are limited to the available airspace of the landfill. These calculations use cash flow projections based on actual operating results, the 2018 budget approved by the Board and the latest five year strategic plan adjusted for known developments and changes in information since the plan was formulated.

The terminal growth and discount rate assumptions used in the 30 June 2016 impairment testing were reviewed and have been determined to remain valid for the 30 June 2017 testing. The terminal value growth rate has been based on published long-term growth rates. The discount rate has been based on an industry Weighted Average Cost of Capital (WACC) with cash flow projections being adjusted for CGU specific risks.

Forecast revenue, EBITDA and capital spend assumptions used in the 30 June 2017 impairment testing have been adjusted for known and anticipated future operational changes and additional potential risk identified since 30 June 2016. These changes are reflected in the summary of key assumptions table below. Based on these key assumptions the recoverable amount of each CGU continues to exceed the carrying amounts at 30 June 2017.

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21. Intangible assets (continued)

The table below provides a summary of the key assumptions used in the impairment testing at 30 June 2017 and the corresponding percentages for 30 June 2016:

	SOLI	SOLIDS		LIQUIDS & HAZARDOUS WASTE		HYDROCARBONS		INDUSTRIAL SERVICES	
ASSUMPTIONS	JUNE 2017	JUNE 2016	JUNE 2017	JUNE 2016	JUNE 2017	JUNE 2016	JUNE 2017	JUNE 2016	
	4.8%	3.7%	5.5%	2.6%	2.9%	1.3%	1.9%	3.8%	
Revenue growth 1		/-				,.			
EBITDA growth ¹	7.0%	5.7%	11.4%	5.8%	3.6%	6.4%	7.3%	18.0%	
Capital spend rate ²	10.2%	10.1%	6.2%	5.2%	7.3%	6.8%	5.3%	4.3%	
Terminal value growth rate	3.0%	3.0%	2.0%	2.0%	2.0%	2.0%	2.0%	2.0%	
Post-tax discount rate	7.7%	7.7%	7.7%	7.7%	7.7%	7.7%	7.7%	7.7%	
Pre-tax discount rate	11.0%	11.0%	11.0%	11.0%	11.0%	11.0%	11.0%	11.0%	

- 1 Growth rates have been calculated with 30 June 2017 revenue and underlying normalised EBITDA as a base.
- 2 Reflects capital spend as a percentage of revenue, calculated as the five year average of forecast spend.

Revenue growth assumptions

Solids' forecast revenue growth is based on expected volume and price growth considering current business performance, benefits from acquired businesses and growth from targeted initiatives implemented across major markets in order to increase sales revenue. Growth rates have been determined with reference to external sources including the Reserve Bank of Australia GDP growth and CPI forecast, and industry specific forecasts that are closely linked to waste generation. The forecast revenue growth as at 30 June 2017 has been adjusted given an increase in forecast CPI and GDP growth. Growth in the short term also reflects recent major new commercial and municipal contract wins.

Liquid & Hazardous Waste, Hydrocarbons and Industrial Services forecast revenue growth considers GDP and CPI, adjusted for management's best estimate of growth achievable in the current economic and competitive environment.

EBITDA growth assumptions

EBITDA growth is primarily the result of changes in the revenue growth assumptions outlined above, together with the continued benefits of the Cost Reduction Program delivered partway through the 2017 financial year. Controls are in place to ensure that costs remain at the lower levels currently achieved.

The Liquid & Hazardous Waste CGU reflects an increase in the EBITDA growth from 30 June 2016 as the Cost Reduction Program is expected to deliver significant savings and increased earnings are expected to be leveraged from revenue growth.

The Industrial Services CGU reflects a decrease in the EBITDA growth from 30 June 2016 due to growth already achieved in the year ended 30 June 2017 mainly from cost reductions.

Capital spend assumptions

Capital spend incorporates consideration of industry benchmarks but also reflects the continued capital discipline as part of the overall Cost Reduction and Capital Efficiency Program. The Solids segment is the most capital intensive part of the business and Industrial Services CGU is the least as its primary source of revenue is technical labour services.

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21. Intangible assets (continued)

Impact of possible changes in key assumptions

Any variation in the key assumptions used to determine recoverable amount would result in a change to the estimated recoverable amount. If variations in assumptions had a negative impact on recoverable amount it could indicate a requirement for some impairment of non-current assets. If variations in assumptions had a positive impact on recoverable amount it could indicate a requirement for a reversal of previously impaired non-current assets, with the exception of goodwill.

Estimated reasonably possible changes (absolute numbers) in the key assumptions would have the following approximate impact on impairment of each CGU as at 30 June 2017:

	REASONABLY POSSIBLE CHANGE	SOLIDS \$'M	HAZARDOUS WASTE \$'M	HYDROCARBONS \$'M	INDUSTRIAL SERVICES \$'M
Decrease in CAGR% – Revenue	1% to 2%	Nil – (245.7)	Nil – (74.6)	Nil	Nil – (18.3)
Decrease in CAGR% – EBITDA	2% to 3%	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil – (1.4)
Increase in capital spend rate	0.5% to 1%	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil
Decrease in terminal value growth rate	1%	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil
Increase in post-tax discount rate	0.3% to 1%	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil

Whilst the table above outlines management's best estimates of key assumptions and reasonably possible changes in these, changes in the level of business activity may also materially impact the determination of recoverable amount. Should the macroeconomic factors that are specific to the Australian domestic market change, this could impact the level of activity in the market as well as competition and thereby affect the Group's revenue and cost initiatives. If conditions change unfavourably, changes in recoverable amount estimates may arise.

Each of the sensitivities above assumes that the specific assumption moves in isolation, whilst all other assumptions are held constant. In reality, a change in one of the aforementioned assumptions may accompany a change in another assumption. Action is also usually taken to respond to adverse changes in economic assumptions that may mitigate the impact of any such change.

Modelling incorporating the assumptions identified in the key assumptions table provides that the recoverable amount exceeds the carrying amount (headroom) as outlined below. The recoverable amount of the operating segment or CGUs would equal its carrying amount if the key assumptions were to change as follows:

	SOLIDS \$'M	HAZARDOUS WASTE \$'M	HYDROCARBONS \$'M	INDUSTRIAL SERVICES \$'M
Headroom \$'M	580.4	82.2	30.6	31.0
Decrease in CAGR% – Revenue ¹	1.4%	1.0%	3.3%	1.2%
Decrease in CAGR% – EBITDA ¹	3.2%	4.1%	5.5%	2.9%
Increase in capital spend rate ¹	2.2%	1.6%	2.3%	1.0%
Decrease in terminal value growth rate 1,2	3.0%	3.5%	8.3%	1.8%
Increase in post-tax discount rate ¹	1.5%	2.6%	5.5%	1.4%

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Refer to note 38(I) for further details on the Group's intangible assets accounting policy.

¹ Percentage changes presented above represents the absolute change in the assumption value (for example post-tax discount rate increasing by 1.6% from 7.7% to 9.3%).

² Terminal value for Liquids and Hazardous Waste and Hydrocarbons would reflect negative value as it is currently modelled at 2%.

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22. Equity accounted investments

The Group holds a 50% interest in the following equity accounted investments but does not have control. Control is achieved when the Group is exposed, or has rights, to variable returns from its involvement with the investee and has the ability to affect those returns through its power over the investee. The Group does not have power over these entities either through management control or voting rights.

			OWNERSHIP	INTEREST	CARRYING OF INVES	
		REPORTING	2017	2016	2017	2016
NAME OF ENTITY	COUNTRY	DATE	%	%	\$'M	\$'M
Solids:						
Wonthaggi Recyclers Pty Ltd	Australia	30 June	50	50	0.7	0.5
Earthpower Technologies Sydney Pty Ltd	Australia	30 June	50	50	_	_
Liquids and Industrial Services:						
Total Waste Management Pty Ltd	Australia	31 December	50	50	5.5	4.6
Western Resource Recovery Pty Ltd	Australia	31 December	50	50	5.3	6.0
					11.5	11.1

Share of equity accounted investments' balance sheet

	2017 \$'M	\$'M
Total assets	39.6	29.0
Total liabilities	(16.7)	(6.8)
Net assets as reported by equity accounted investments	22.9	22.2
Share of net assets equity accounted	11.5	11.1

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Share of equity accounted investments' revenue and profit

Share of net profit recognised	1.2	1.3
Share of income tax expense	(0.5)	(0.4)
Share of profit before income tax	1.7	1.7
Profit before income tax (100%)	3.3	3.3
Expenses	(33.2)	(37.6)
Revenues (100%)	36.5	40.9
	\$'M	\$'M

Impairment losses and commitments

During the year the equity accounted investments were tested for impairment and no adjustments were made as a result (2016: nil). As at the reporting date the Group had no contractual obligation to provide funding for capital commitments of equity accounted investments (2016: nil).

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23. Employee entitlements

	2017 \$'M	2016 \$'M
Current		
Annual leave	23.2	22.6
Long service leave	11.5	11.8
Other	11.3	5.5
Total current employee entitlements	46.0	39.9
Non-current		
Long service leave	8.4	8.4
Total non-current employee entitlements	8.4	8.4

Refer to note 38(q) for the Group's accounting policy on employee entitlements.

During the year the Group contributed \$28.1 million (2016: \$28.5 million) to defined contribution plans. These contributions are expensed as incurred.

24. Provisions

	2017 \$'M	2016 \$'M
	\$ IVI	3 IVI
Current		
Rectification provisions	13.6	14.7
Remediation provisions	29.5	31.5
Other	12.5	13.6
Total current provisions	55.6	59.8
Non-current		
Rectification provisions	25.7	39.8
Remediation provisions	264.0	288.1
Other	12.9	13.6
Total non-current provisions	302.6	341.5

Included in other provisions is an amount of \$12.9 million (2016: \$12.8 million) in relation to workers compensation self-insurance of the Group under the Comcare scheme. The workers compensation self-insurance provision is reassessed annually based on actuarial advice.

The table below provides a roll forward of the provisions:

	RECTIFIC	ATION	REMEDIA	ATION	ОТН	ER	TOTAL	
	2017	2016	2017	2016	2017	2016	2017	2016
	\$'M	\$'M	\$'M	\$'M	\$'M	\$'M	\$'M	\$'M
Opening balance	54.5	70.4	319.6	315.1	27.2	26.1	401.3	411.6
Provisions made	_	_	9.3	20.3	16.5	10.1	25.8	30.4
Provisions used or reversed	_	_	_	_	(18.3)	(9.0)	(18.3)	(9.0)
Provisions disposed	(6.3)	_	(21.7)	_	_	_	(28.0)	_
Unwinding of discount	1.1	1.3	7.9	6.9	_	_	9.0	8.2
Change in assumptions ¹	(0.6)	_	11.5	8.2	_	_	10.9	8.2
Rectification and remediation spend	(9.4)	(17.2)	(33.1)	(30.9)	_	_	(42.5)	(48.1)
Closing balance	39.3	54.5	293.5	319.6	25.4	27.2	358.2	401.3

The change in assumptions represents changes in environmental guidelines and cost estimates.

The provision for remediation has been estimated using current expected costs and techniques applicable to the operation of each landfill and the disturbed area. These costs have been adjusted for the future value of the expected costs at the time of works being required. These costs have then been discounted to estimate the required provision at a rate of 2.81% (2016: 2.81%). Refer to note 38(o) for a summary of the accounting policy for provisions for landfill remediation and rectification.

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25. Other liabilities

	2017	2016
	\$'M	\$'M
Current		
Deferred settlement liabilities resulting from business combinations	5.7	4.9
Landfill creation liability	13.6	12.1
Deferred revenue	0.7	1.6
Other liabilities	2.1	4.6
Total current other liabilities	22.1	23.2
Non-current Non-current		
Deferred settlement liabilities resulting from business combinations	74.9	75.0
Landfill creation liability	58.5	28.4
Other liabilities	_	3.2
Total non-current other liabilities	133.4	106.6

26. Acquisition of Businesses and non-controlling interest

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Business combinations

During the year ended 30 June 2017, the Group completed four business combinations. Details of these business combinations are provided below:

BUSINESS ACQUIRED	DATE OF ACQUISITION	DESCRIPTION OF THE BUSINESS
Waste 2 Resources	1 July 2016	Collections business based in Brisbane, Queensland which
		operates in three sectors: Construction and demolition
		collections; Commercial and Industrial collections; and
		Resource recovery centres.
Young Ezy Bins	1 August 2016	General Waste collections business based in the Young Shire
		in Central New South Wales.
Matera Waste	8 September 2016	Construction and demolition collections business operating
		in Perth, Western Australia.
Warren Blackwood	30 September 2016	Leading waste collection and transfer station business in
		SouthWest Western Australia, servicing commercial and
		industrial customers and 13 municipal council contracts.

The aggregated fair value of the identifiable assets and liabilities of the four business combinations at their dates of acquisition were:

	2017
	\$'M
Assets	
Property, plant and equipment	9.2
Intangible assets	8.3
	17.5
Liabilities	
Employee entitlements	0.7
Deferred tax liability	2.3
	3.0
Total identifiable net assets at fair value	14.5
Goodwill arising on acquisition	9.5
Purchase consideration	24.0

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26. Acquisition of businesses and non-controlling interest (continued)

Business combinations (continued)

The intangible assets identified as part of the acquisitions included customer contract and customer relationship intangibles. These intangible assets were valued based on the expected cash flows from the customers of the acquired businesses, applying the existing contracted terms for the customer contracts and an expected attrition rate of the customer base for the customer relationship intangible. Goodwill acquired comprises the value of expected synergies arising from integration of the acquired businesses and is non-deductible for income tax purposes.

	2017
	\$'M
Cash	23.5
Contingent consideration	0.5
Total purchase consideration	24.0
	2017
	\$'M
Transaction costs of the acquisitions (included in cash flows from operating activities)	1.6
Cash consideration paid (included in cash flows from investing activities)	23.5
Net cash flow on acquisition	25.1

From the dates of acquisition to 30 June 2017, the businesses contributed \$20.8 million of revenue and \$1.2 million to profit before tax to the Group, after amortisation of customer intangibles of \$1.0 million. If the businesses had all been acquired at the beginning of the reporting period, revenue of \$24.1 million and profit before tax of \$1.3 million, after amortisation of customer intangibles of \$1.2 million would have been contributed to the Group.

Acquisition of additional interest in Cleanaway Refiners Pty Ltd

On 25 July 2016 the Group acquired the non-controlling interest in Cleanaway Refiners Pty Ltd for \$2.5 million. Prior to the acquisition the Group held a 50% controlling interest in this entity.

	2017 \$'M
Cash consideration paid to non-controlling shareholders	2.5
Carrying value of the additional interest in Cleanaway Refiners Pty Ltd	(6.6)
Gain recognised in retained earnings	(4.1)

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There were no significant business combinations during the year ended 30 June 2016.

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27. Subsidiaries

The Group's principal subsidiaries at 30 June 2017 are set out below.

	EFFECTIVE INTEREST		
	2017 %	2016 %	
Baxter Business Pty Ltd ²	100	100	
Cleanaway Hygiene Pty Ltd ²	100	100	
Cleanaway Industrial Solutions Pty Ltd ²	100	100	
Cleanaway Landfill Holdings Pty Ltd ²	100	100	
Cleanaway Operations Pty Ltd ²	100	100	
Cleanaway Organics Pty Ltd ²	100	100	
Cleanaway Pty Ltd ²	100	100	
Cleanaway Recycling Pty Ltd ²	100	100	
Cleanaway Refiners Pty Ltd ^{1, 2}	100	50	
Cleanaway Resource Recycling Pty Ltd ²	100	100	
Cleanaway Solid Waste Pty Ltd ²	100	100	
Cleanaway Superior Pak Pty Ltd ²	100	100	
Cleanaway Waste Management Limited (Parent entity)	100	100	
Enviroguard Pty Ltd ²	100	100	
Environmental Recovery Services Pty Ltd ²	100	100	
ERS Australia Pty Ltd ²	100	100	
Landfill Land Holdings Pty Ltd ²	100	100	
Landfill Operations Pty Ltd ²	100	100	
Mann Waste Management Pty Ltd ²	100	100	
Nationwide Oil Pty Ltd ²	100	100	
NQ Resource Recovery Pty Ltd ²	100	100	
Olmway Pty Ltd ¹	50	50	
Rubus Holdings Pty Ltd ²	100	100	
Rubus Intermediate One Pty Ltd ²	100	100	
Rubus Intermediate Two Pty Ltd ²	100	100	
Transpacific Baxter Pty Ltd ²	100	100	
Transpacific Biofuels Pty Ltd ¹	50	50	
Transpacific Cleanaway Holdings Pty Ltd ²	100	100	
Transpacific Co Pty Ltd ²	100	100	
Transpacific Environmental Services Pty Ltd ²	100	100	
Transpacific Resources Pty Ltd ²	100	100	
Transwaste Technologies Pty Ltd ²	100	100	
Transwaste Technologies (1) Pty Ltd ²	100	100	
Western Landfill Pty Ltd ²	100	100	
Waste Management Pacific (SA) Pty Ltd ²	100	100	
Waste Management Pacific Pty Ltd ²	100	100	

¹ Control is achieved when the Group is exposed, or has rights, to variable returns from its involvement with the investee and has the ability to affect those returns through its power over the investee. As subsidiaries, the Group has power over the investees through management control and the casting vote of Olmway Pty Ltd and Transpacific Biofuels Pty Ltd. The Group has the capacity to dominate decision making in relation to the relevant activities so as to enable those entities to operate as part of the Group in pursuing its objectives. The Group acquired the non-controlling interest of Cleanaway Refiners Pty Ltd on 25 July 2016. Refer to note 26 for details.

These subsidiaries are parties to a deed of cross guarantee with Cleanaway Waste Management Limited created on 29 June 2007 pursuant to ASIC Class Order 98/1418 and are relieved from the requirement to prepare and lodge an audited Financial Report. Refer to note 28 for Consolidated Statement of Profit or Loss and Other Comprehensive Income and Consolidated Balance Sheet of the entities who are a party to the Deed of Cross Guarantee.

³ All entities were incorporated in Australia.

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28. Deed of cross guarantee

The Consolidated Statement of Profit or Loss and Other Comprehensive Income and the Consolidated Balance Sheet of the entities who are a party to the Deed of Cross Guarantee are:

STATEMENT OF PROFIT OR LOSS AND OTHER COMPREHENSIVE INCOME	2017 \$'M	2016 \$'M
Revenue	1,460.8	1,432.6
Other income	22.4	2.2
Labour related expenses	(589.4)	(610.3)
Collection, recycling and waste disposal expenses	(359.0)	(340.3)
Fleet operating expenses	(131.8)	(140.9)
Property expenses	(40.1)	(31.4)
Other expenses	(70.0)	(55.9)
Share of profits from equity accounted investments	1.2	1.3
Profit from operations before depreciation and amortisation	294.1	257.3
Depreciation and amortisation expense	(165.9)	(156.8)
Impairment of assets	(4.4)	_
Change in fair value of non-landfill land and buildings	(0.6)	(0.2)
Profit from operations	123.2	100.3
Net finance costs	(34.1)	(34.4)
Profit before income tax	89.1	65.9
Income tax expense	(30.4)	(18.8)
Profit after income tax	58.7	47.1
Other comprehensive income		
Revaluation of land and buildings	(5.7)	3.1
Net comprehensive income recognised directly in equity	(5.7)	3.1
Total comprehensive income for the year	53.0	50.2

Refer to note 27 for details of subsidiaries who are a party to the Deed of Cross Guarantee.

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28. Deed of cross guarantee (continued)

	2017	2016
BALANCE SHEET	\$'M	\$'M Restated
Assets		
Current assets		
Cash and cash equivalents	43.2	47.6
Trade and other receivables	247.9	223.9
Inventories	11.1	14.4
Other assets	32.6	33.6
Total current assets	334.8	319.5
Non-current assets		
Other financial assets	2.6	89.6
Property, plant and equipment	936.5	866.5
Intangible assets	1,585.1	1,563.7
Equity accounted investments	11.5	10.6
Deferred tax assets	87.7	109.3
Total non-current assets	2,623.4	2,639.7
Total assets	2,958.2	2,959.2
I inhilitation		
Liabilities Current liabilities		
	177.6	173.2
Trade and other payables	10.7	173.2
Income tax payable	62.4	0.3
Borrowings Employee benefits	46.0	39.6
Provisions	55.6	59.8
Other liabilities	22.1	22.9
Total current liabilities	374.4	306.5
Non-current liabilities	374.4	300.5
Borrowings	307.8	358.6
Employee benefits	8.4	8.3
Provisions	302.6	341.5
Other liabilities	133.6	109.4
Total non-current liabilities	752.4	817.8
Total liabilities	1,126.8	1,124.3
Net assets	1,831.4	1,834.9
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Equity		
Issued capital	2,083.0	2,076.4
Reserves	40.0	41.7
Retained earnings	(291.6)	(283.2)
Total equity	1,831.4	1,834.9

The effect of the deed is that all subsidiaries that are parties to the deed have guaranteed to pay any deficiency in the event of winding up of any subsidiary or if they do not meet their obligations under the terms of overdrafts, loans, leases or other liabilities subject to the guarantee.

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29. Parent entity

	2017 \$'M	2016 \$'M
Current assets	17.6	14.2
Total assets	2,648.1	2,620.9
Current liabilities	80.0	12.9
Total liabilities	389.0	465.2
Issued capital	2,083.0	2,076.4
Retained earnings	164.9	70.9
Reserves	11.2	8.4
Total equity	2,259.1	2,155.7
Profit/(loss) for the period	124.0	(6.7)
Total comprehensive income/(loss) for the period	124.0	(6.7)

The parent entity guarantees the contractual commitments of its subsidiaries as requested.

30. Derivative financial instruments

	2017 \$'M	2016 \$'M
Derivatives – at fair value	8.3	10.9
	8.3	10.9

The derivative balance relates to a foreign currency swap held by the Group to hedge against foreign currency movements in the USPP Notes. Refer to note 38(j) for the Group's accounting policy on derivative financial instruments.

31. Financial risk management

The Group is exposed to market risk, credit risk and liquidity risk. The Group has in place a Treasury Policy that focuses on managing these risks. The policy is reviewed by the Audit and Risk Committee and approved by the Board. The treasury activities are reported to the Audit and Risk Committee and Board on a regular basis with the ultimate responsibility being borne by the Chief Financial Officer (CFO).

The Group's overall financial risk management focuses on mitigating the potential financial effects to the Group's financial performance. The Group also enters into derivative transactions to manage the interest rate and currency risks arising from the Group's operations and its sources of finance. It is the Group's policy that no speculative trading in financial instruments shall be undertaken.

(a) Market risk

Market risk is the risk that the fair value of future cash flows of a financial instrument will fluctuate because of changes in market prices. Market risk includes foreign currency risk and interest rate risk.

Foreign currency risk

Foreign currency risk arises as a result of having assets and liabilities denominated in a currency that is not the Group's functional currency (balance sheet risk) or from transactions or cash flows denominated in a foreign currency (cash flow risk). Foreign currency risk is not material to the Group.

The US Private Placement (USPP) Notes currency risk has been economically hedged by a foreign currency swap for the currency exposure which has been in place since inception and converts to AUD fixed rate debt. Although the Group's related foreign currency risk has been economically hedged, hedge accounting has not been applied. The foreign currency risk associated with the USPP Notes is fully hedged by the related foreign currency swap arrangement.

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31. Financial risk management (continued)

The value of the USPP Notes at 30 June 2017 and 30 June 2016 is shown in the table below:

US PRIVATE PLACEMENT NOTES	USD \$'M	AUD \$'M
30 June 2017	48.0	62.4
30 June 2016	48.0	64.7

Interest rate risk

Interest rate risk is the risk that the fair value of the financial instrument or cash flows associated with the instrument will fluctuate due to changes in market interest rates. The Group's exposure primarily relates to its exposure to variable interest rates on borrowings.

At 30 June 2017, there were no interest rate swaps in place.

At the reporting date the interest rate profile of the Group's interest bearing financial instruments was:

	30 JUNE 2017		30 JUNE 2	016
	WEIGHTED		WEIGHTED	
	AVERAGE		AVERAGE	
	INTEREST RATE	BALANCE	INTEREST RATE	BALANCE
	%	\$'M	%	\$'M
Fixed rate instruments				
USPP borrowings (USD)	10.8	(62.4)	10.8	(64.7)
Other	_	_	8.0	(8.0)
		(62.4)		(65.5)
Variable rate instruments				
Borrowings	3.1	(307.8)	3.6	(293.9)
		(307.8)		(293.9)

The Group's fixed rate borrowings are carried at amortised cost and therefore not subject to interest rate risk since neither the carrying amount nor the future cash flows will fluctuate due to a change in market interest rates.

An analysis of the interest rates over the 12 month period was performed to determine a reasonable possible change in interest rates on the variable rate borrowings. A change of 100 basis points in interest rates, based on borrowings at the reporting date would have increased/(decreased) profit by \$3.1 million (2016: \$2.9 million).

(b) Credit risk

Credit risk is the risk of financial loss to the Group if a customer or counterparty to a financial instrument fails to meet contractual obligations, with the maximum exposure being equal to the carrying amount of these instruments. Management has a credit policy in place and exposure to credit risk is monitored on an ongoing basis. Credit evaluations are performed on all customers requiring credit over a certain amount. The Group does not require collateral in respect of financial assets. For certain export sales the Group requires the vendor to provide a letter of credit.

The Group minimises concentrations of credit risk by undertaking transactions with a large number of customers. In addition, receivable balances are monitored on an ongoing basis with the intention that the Group's exposure to bad debts is minimised.

Credit risk on foreign exchange contracts is minimal as counterparties are large Australian and international banks with acceptable credit ratings determined by a recognised ratings agency. Credit risk from balances with banks and financial institutions is managed by the Group in accordance with the Group's Treasury policy where it only deals with large reputable financial institutions.

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31. Financial risk management (continued)

The Group's maximum exposure to credit risk at the reporting date was:

		2017	2016
CARRYING AMOUNT	NOTES	\$'M	\$'M
Cash and cash equivalents	11	43.2	48.3
Trade and other receivables	12	247.9	224.3
Derivative financial instruments	30	8.3	10.9
		299.4	283.5

Refer to note 12 for an analysis of credit risk and impairment associated with the Group's trade receivables balance.

(c) Liquidity risk

Liquidity risk is the risk that the Group will not be able to meet its financial obligations as they fall due. The Group's objective is that the Group has access to sufficient cash resources to meet its financial obligations as they fall due, including taxes and dividends, and to provide funds for capital expenditure and investment opportunities as they arise.

The Group regularly reviews existing funding arrangements and assesses future funding requirements based upon known and forecast information. The Group's liquidity position is reported to the Board on a monthly basis.

The headroom in the Group's syndicated facilities at 30 June 2017 is \$230.2 million (2016: \$251.3 million). The current portion of the Group's borrowings at 30 June 2017 is \$62.4 million (2016: \$0.8 million). The Group considers liquidity risk to be low due to the level of headroom available and the maturity profile of existing facilities.

The following table discloses the contractual maturities of financial liabilities, including estimated interest payment and excluding the impact of netting agreements:

2017	< 1 YEAR \$'M	1 – 2 YEARS \$'M	2 – 5 YEARS \$'M	> 5 YEARS \$'M	CONTRACTUAL CASH FLOWS \$'M	CARRYING AMOUNT \$'M
US Private Placement Notes	65.1	-		_	65.1	62.4
Unsecured bank loans	9.7	23.2	309.4	_	342.3	307.8
Trade and other payables	177.6	_	_	_	177.6	177.6
Other liabilities	21.4	22.1	65.1	119.3	227.9	154.8
Total	273.8	45.3	374.5	119.3	812.9	702.6
2016						
US Private Placement Notes	7.0	68.2	_	_	75.2	64.7
Loans from related parties	0.5	_	_	_	0.5	0.5
Unsecured bank loans	10.6	10.6	311.5	_	332.7	293.9
Trade and other payables	178.8	_	_	_	178.8	178.8
Other liabilities	21.6	22.4	30.0	209.6	283.6	128.2
Total	218.5	101.2	341.5	209.6	870.8	666.1

The Group has bank guarantees and insurance bonds in place in respect of its contractual performance related obligations. These guarantees and indemnities only give rise to a liability where the Group fails to perform its contractual obligations. In the event that the Group does not meet its contractual obligations, these instruments are immediately callable and have a maximum exposure of \$135.3 million (2016: \$128.7 million) in relation to these bank guarantees and insurance bonds. Refer to note 33(c) for details of the Group's guarantees.

(d) Financial assets and liabilities measured at fair value

All assets and liabilities for which fair value is measured or disclosed in the financial statements are classified within the fair value hierarchy on the basis of nature, characteristics and risks and described as follows based on the lower level of input that is significant to the fair value measurement as a whole.

- Level 1 the fair value is calculated using prices in active markets.
- Level 2 the fair value is estimated using inputs other than quoted prices included in Level 1 that are observable for the asset or liability, either directly (as prices) or indirectly (derived from prices).
- Level 3 the fair value is estimated using inputs for the asset or liability that are not based on observable market data.

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31. Financial risk management (continued)

There were no transfers between levels during the year.

The Group enters into currency rate swaps with financial institutions with investment grade credit ratings. These derivatives are valued using techniques with market observable inputs. The valuation techniques include forward pricing and swap models, using present value calculations.

The following table provides the fair value measurement hierarchy of the Group's derivative financial instruments:

2017	LEVEL 1 \$'M	LEVEL 2 \$'M	LEVEL 3 \$'M	TOTAL \$'M
Assets				
Derivative financial instruments – USD foreign currency swap	_	8.3	_	8.3
2016				
Assets				
Derivative financial instruments – USD foreign currency swap	_	10.9	_	10.9

The carrying value of all financial assets and liabilities other than derivative financial instruments approximate fair value.

32. Contingent liabilities

Taxation authority reviews

The New Zealand Taxation Authority is currently reviewing particular aspects of the Group's tax position which have arisen during the period of the Group's ownership of the New Zealand business. While assessments have been issued in respect of some aspects of this review, no amounts of tax are currently payable by the Group, as discussions with Inland Revenue in relation to these matters are still continuing and the tax audit process has not yet concluded. At this time, it is too early to identify the outcomes and related adjustments that may arise, if any. The timing, in respect of the resolution of these matters, will depend on the outcome of the continuing discussions with Inland Revenue, the completion of the tax audit process and the initiation and conclusion of any court proceedings, if deemed necessary.

Other claims

On 18 August 2014 a Cleanaway vehicle was involved in a motor vehicle accident on the South Eastern Freeway in Glen Osmond, South Australia. Tragically the incident caused the death of two members of the public, and two other persons were seriously injured. During the year ended 30 June 2017, Cleanaway was charged with traffic and work health and safety offences in relation to the incident and there is a potential that other claims may emerge in due course. The extent of Cleanaway's liability and the timing for these matters to be resolved is not known at this time.

Certain companies within the Group are party to various legal actions or commercial disputes or negotiations that have arisen in the normal course of business. It is expected that any liabilities or assets arising from these legal actions would not have a material effect on the Group.

33. Commitments

(a) Operating lease commitments

The Group leases property, plant and equipment under operating leases expiring over terms generally not exceeding ten years. Leases generally provide the Group with a right of renewal at which time all terms are renegotiated. Future minimum rentals payable under non-cancellable operating lease rentals are payable as follows:

	2017	2016
	\$'M	\$'M
Within one year	24.4	23.3
Between one and five years	61.9	64.2
More than five years	54.5	48.5
	140.8	136.0

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33. Commitments (continued)

(b) Capital expenditure and other commitments

Significant capital expenditure contracted for at the end of the reporting period but not recognised as liabilities is as follows:

	2017 \$'M	2016 \$'M
Property, plant and equipment	70.2	48.0
Intangible assets	5.5	3.4
	75.7	51.4

(c) Guarantees

The Group is, in the normal course of business, required to provide guarantees and letters of credit on behalf of subsidiaries, joint ventures and associates in respect of their contractual performance related obligations. These guarantees and indemnities only give rise to a liability where the entity concerned fails to perform its contractual obligations.

	2017 \$'M	2016 \$'M
Bank guarantees outstanding at balance date in respect of contractual performance	123.7	115.3
Insurance bonds outstanding at balance date in respect of contractual performance	11.6	13.4
	135.3	128.7

34. Share-based payments

Total share-based payment expense included in the Consolidated Income Statement is set out in note 17(b). Performance rights outstanding at the reporting date consist of the following grants:

OFFER	GRANT DATE	END OF PERFORMANCE OR SERVICE PERIOD	PERFORMANCE RIGHTS AT 30 JUNE 2016	GRANTED DURING THE PERIOD	VESTED DURING THE PERIOD	FORFEITED/ EXPIRED DURING THE PERIOD	PERFORMANCE RIGHTS AT 30 JUNE 2017
LONG TERM INCE	NTIVE PLAN						
2013 LTI	19 Jun 2013	30 Jun 2016	786,366	_	(191,598)	(594,768)	_
2014 LTI	24 Mar 2014	30 Jun 2017	1,480,949	_	_	(202,709)	1,278,240
2015 LTI	10 Mar 2015	30 Jun 2017	1,912,388	_	_	(92,460)	1,819,928
2016 LTI (A)	30 Oct 2015	30 Jun 2018	2,838,220	_	_	_	2,838,220
2016 LTI (B)	16 Mar 2016	30 Jun 2018	2,808,170	_	_	(284,054)	2,524,116
2017 LTI (A)	7 Oct 2016	30 Jun 2019	_	2,301,952	_	_	2,301,952
2017 LTI (B)	2 Nov 2016	30 Jun 2019	_	2,370,716	_	_	2,370,716
SHORT TERM INCE	ENTIVE PLAN						
2014 STI	1 & 29 Oct 2014	30 Jun 2016	592,330	_	(592,330)	_	_
2016 STI	7 Oct & 2 Nov 2016	30 Jun 2017	_	509,480	_	_	509,480
OTHER GRANTS							
One-off (A)	20 Aug 2015	3 Aug 2017	328,947	_	_	_	328,947
Total			10,747,370	5,182,148	(783,928)	(1,173,991)	13,971,599
Vested and exercisable at 30 June 2017					509,480		

The vesting date for LTI offers is on or after 14 days after the date on which the annual financial results of the Group for the financial year associated with the end of the performance period is released to the ASX. Other offers vest on or after the end of the relevant performance or service period.

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34. Share-based payments (continued)

(a) Long term incentive (LTI) plan

The Cleanaway LTI plan is designed to provide long-term incentives for senior executives to deliver long-term shareholder returns. Under the plan, participants are granted performance rights which only vest if certain performance standards are met.

Offers made in previous reporting periods

The following table outlines the terms of the outstanding LTI offers made in previous reporting periods which remain on issue:

PERFORMANCE PERIOD	2014 LTI AWARD 4 YEARS: 1 JULY 2013 TO 30 JUNE 2017	2015 LTI AWARD UP TO 4 YEARS: 1 JULY 2014 TO 30 JUNE 2018	2016 LTI AWARD UP TO 3 YEARS: 1 JULY 2015 TO 30 JUNE 2018
Overview	Performance rights, of which: Up to 50% vest if a certain relative TSR ranking is achieved against the constituents of the S&P/ASX 200 Industrial Sector Index Up to 50% vest if a certain earnings per share target is achieved	Performance rights, of which: Measured over 3 years to 30 June 2017 • Up to 25% vest if a certain relative TSR ranking is achieved against constituents of the S&P/ASX 200 Industrial Sector Index • Up to 25% vest if a certain Return on Invested Capital target is achieved Measured over 4 years to 30 June 2018 • Up to 50% vest if certain strategic initiatives are achieved	Performance rights, of which: Measured over 3 years to 30 June 2018 Up to 50% vest if a certain relative TSR ranking is achieved against the constituents of the S&P/ASX 200 Industrial Sector Index Up to 50% vest if a certain Return on Invested Capital target is achieved

Offer made in current reporting period - 2017 LTI award

During the period, the Group issued performance rights attached to the Group's LTI plan to the CEO (grant B) and other senior executives (grant A). The performance rights will vest in three tranches if the following performance hurdles, tested independently, are met:

- Tranche 1 Up to 50% of the performance rights vest if a certain relative TSR ranking is achieved against constituents of the S&P/ASX 200 Industrial Sector Index.
- Tranche 2 Up to 25% of performance rights vest if a certain Return on Invested Capital (ROIC) target is achieved.
- Tranche 3 Up to 25% of performance rights vest if a certain underlying earnings per share (EPS) compound annual growth rate (CAGR) target is achieved.

Performance rights granted during the period were fair valued by an external party using the Monte Carlo Simulation and Black Scholes model.

The following table sets out the assumptions made in determining the fair value of these performance rights:

SCHEME	2017 LTI – GRANT A	2017 LTI – GRANT B
Number of rights	2,301,952	2,370,716
Grant date	7 October 2016	2 November 2016
Performance period	1 July 2016 – 30 June 2019	1 July 2016 – 30 June 2019
Risk free interest rate (%)	1.65%	1.71%
Volatility 1 (%)	35.0%	35.0%
Fair value – Relative TSR tranche	\$0.86	\$0.86
Fair value – ROIC tranche	\$1.06	\$1.03
Fair value – EPS CAGR tranche	\$1.06	\$1.03

¹ Expected volatility is based on the historic volatility of Cleanaway shares over a range of periods.

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34. Share-based payments (continued)

The performance targets of the 2017 LTI award are set out in the table below.

Relative TSR performance measured over 3 years from 1 July 2016 to 30 June 2019 Relative Total Shareholder Return (TSR) Ranking against the constituents of the S&P/ASX200 Industrial Sector Index:

- Below 50th percentile 0% vesting
- At the 50th percentile 50% vesting
- 50th to 75th percentile straight line vesting between 50% and 100%
- Above 75th percentile 100% vesting

ROIC performance as measured for the year ending 30 June 2019 Return On Invested Capital (ROIC) to be achieved:

- < 4.5% 0% vesting
- 4.5% 20% vesting
- $> 4.5\% \le 5.5\%$ straight line vesting between 20% and 50%
- $> 5.5\% \le 6.5\%$ straight line vesting between 50% and 100%
- > 6.5% 100% vesting

EPS CAGR performance measured over 3 years from 1 July 2016 to 30 June 2019 Earnings per Share Compound Annual Growth Rate (EPS CAGR) to be achieved:

- < 7.5% 0% vesting
- 7.5% 20% vesting
- > 7.5% ≤ 10.0% straight line vesting between 20% and 50%
- $> 10.0\% \le 12.5\%$ straight line vesting between 50% and 100%
- > 12.5% 100% vesting

(b) Short term incentive (STI) plan

The Cleanaway STI plan is an annual plan that is used to motivate and reward senior executives across a range of performance measures over the financial year. Under the plan, participants are granted a combination of cash and rights to deferred shares if certain performance standards are met. The Group uses EBITDA targets as the main performance standard for the STI plan. Vesting of the performance rights granted is deferred for one year.

(c) Other grants

One-off grant A

On joining Cleanaway, the CEO was entitled to a one-off allocation of 328,947 performance rights to the value of \$250,000 at the grant date with vesting subject to a two-year service condition. The service condition has been met and these performance rights vested on 3 August 2017.

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35. Auditor's remuneration

Details of the amounts paid or payable to the auditor and its related practices for audit and non-audit services are set out below.

	2017 \$	2016 \$
Ernst & Young:		
Audit services	968,625	1,435,270
Audit related services	82,235	9,000
Non-audit services:		
Other advisory services	20,600	
	1,071,460	1,444,270

36. Events occurring after the reporting date

On 3 July 2017 the Group acquired the assets and business of SA Waste for \$12.2 million. The SA Waste business provides waste collection and resource recovery services in Adelaide, South Australia and owns and operates two resource recovery facilities. The initial accounting for the business combination was incomplete at the time the Group's financial statements were authorised for issue, and accordingly details of the financial effect of the business combination have not been disclosed.

On 17 August 2017 the Group entered into a funding agreement with the Clean Energy Finance Corporation. The agreement provides the Group with a \$90 million unsecured loan on a fixed rate 8 year term.

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37. Related party transactions

(a) Key management personnel

Disclosures relating to key management personnel (KMP) are set out in the Remuneration Report on pages 11 to 26.

The KMP compensation included in employee expenses are as follows:

	2017	2016
-	\$	\$
Short-term employee benefits	4,253,194	6,236,367
Post-employment benefits	127,451	142,099
Termination benefits	_	668,861
Equity compensation benefits	1,299,836	447,814
	5,680,481	7,495,141

Some of the Directors hold, or have previously held, positions in companies with which Cleanaway has commercial relationships which are based on normal terms and conditions on an arm's length basis. Transactions with entities where the relationship is limited to a common Non-Executive Directorship including any Chairperson roles are not considered related party transactions. The Board has assessed all of the relationships between the Group and companies in which Directors hold or held positions and has concluded that in all cases the relationships do not interfere with the Directors' exercise of objective, unfettered or independent judgement or their ability to act in the best interest of the Group.

During the year ended 30 June 2016, transactions that amounted to related party transactions were limited to transactions with NGT Marketing. Mr Martin Hudson, Non-Executive Director of the Group (until 26 October 2016), held a beneficial interest in NGT Marketing. The Group provided waste collections services to NGT Marketing for which it earned revenues on normal commercial terms. The value of these services were not material at \$2,466 for the year ended 30 June 2016. During the period from 1 July 2016 to when Mr Hudson resigned as Non-executive Director on 26 October 2016, the Group did not provide any services to NGT Marketing and therefore there were no related party transactions in the current reporting period.

(b) Wholly-owned Group transactions

The wholly-owned Group consists of Cleanaway Waste Management Limited and its subsidiaries listed at note 27. Transactions between Cleanaway Waste Management Limited and other entities in the wholly-owned Group during the years ended 30 June 2017 and 30 June 2016 consisted of:

- (i) Loans advanced by Cleanaway Waste Management Limited and other subsidiaries;
- (ii) Loans repaid to Cleanaway Waste Management Limited and other subsidiaries;
- (iii) The payment of interest on the above loans;
- (iv) The payment of dividends to Cleanaway Waste Management Limited and other subsidiaries;
- (v) Management fees charged to subsidiaries; and
- (vi) Sales between subsidiaries.

The above transactions are all eliminated on consolidation.

(c) Other related parties

There were no material transactions with, or amounts receivable from or payable to, other related parties during the years ended 30 June 2017 and 30 June 2016.

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38. Significant accounting policies

The following significant accounting policies have been adopted in the preparation and presentation of the Consolidated Financial Report. These policies have been consistently applied to all years presented unless otherwise stated.

(a) Revenue

Amounts disclosed as revenue represent the fair value of consideration received or receivable, including environmental levies but excluding goods and services taxes paid. Revenue from the sale of goods is recognised when the significant risks and rewards of ownership of the goods have passed to the buyer and can be measured reliably. Risks and rewards are considered passed to the buyer at the time of delivery of goods to customers. Revenue from the rendering of services is recognised upon completion of performing the services. Revenue is recognised for the major business activities as follows:

Solids

Revenue from collection and disposal of waste is recognised when the service has been performed. In some circumstances, revenue may be earned from the collection of the waste, however costs related to the treatment and disposal of that waste is yet to be incurred. Unprocessed waste may give rise to deferred revenue, where invoices to customers are raised in advance of performance obligations being completed, or require an accrual for the costs of disposing of residual waste to be created once the Group has an obligation for disposal. These amounts are reflected as deferred revenue or accruals in the financial statements as appropriate.

Liquids and Industrial Services

- Revenue from collection and treatment of liquid waste is recognised when the waste has been collected and treated.
- Contract revenue is measured by reference to labour hours incurred to date and actual costs incurred.
- Revenue from sale of oil and by-products is recognised on shipment or passing of control of the goods.

Interest

Interest revenue is recognised on an accruals basis, taking into account the interest rates applicable to the financial assets.

Dividends

Dividend revenue is recognised when the right to receive a dividend has been established. Dividends received from associates or joint venture entities are accounted for in accordance with the equity method of accounting.

(b) Repairs and maintenance

Plant and equipment of the Group is required to be overhauled on a regular basis. This is managed as part of an ongoing major cyclical maintenance program. The cost of this maintenance is recognised as an expense as incurred, except where it relates to the replacement of a component of an asset, or where it extends the useful life of the asset, in which case the costs are capitalised and depreciated in accordance with the Group's policy. Other routine operating maintenance, repair and minor renewal costs are also recognised as expenses as incurred.

(c) Finance costs

Finance costs are recognised as expenses in the period in which they are incurred.

Finance costs include foreign exchange movements of the US Private Placement (USPP) borrowings which are offset by a corresponding foreign currency swap agreement. This foreign currency swap has not been formally designated as a hedge and therefore does not qualify for hedge accounting. The derivative financial instrument is carried at fair value on the Consolidated Balance Sheet with any changes in fair value being recognised in finance costs in the Consolidated Income Statement.

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38. Significant accounting policies (continued)

(d) Income tax

The income tax expense or benefit for the period is the tax payable on the current period's taxable income based on the applicable income tax rate for each jurisdiction adjusted by changes in deferred tax assets and liabilities attributable to temporary differences and to unused tax losses.

The current income tax charge is calculated on the basis of the tax laws enacted or substantively enacted at the end of the reporting period in the countries where the Group's subsidiaries and associates operate and generate taxable income. Management periodically evaluates positions taken in tax returns with respect to situations in which applicable tax regulation is subject to interpretation. It establishes provisions where appropriate on the basis of amounts expected to be paid to the tax authorities.

Deferred income tax is provided in full, using the liability method, on temporary differences arising between the tax bases of assets and liabilities and their carrying amounts in the Consolidated Financial Statements. However, the deferred income tax is not accounted for if it arises from initial recognition of an asset or liability in a transaction other than a business combination that at the time of the transaction affects neither accounting nor taxable profit or loss. Deferred income tax is determined using tax rates (and laws) that have been enacted or substantially enacted at the reporting date and are expected to apply when the related deferred income asset is realised or the deferred income tax liability is settled.

Deferred tax assets are recognised for deductible temporary differences and unused tax losses only if it is probable that future taxable amounts will be available to utilise those temporary differences and losses. Deferred tax assets and liabilities are offset where there is a legally enforceable right to offset current tax assets and liabilities and they relate to income taxes levied by the same taxation authority on the same taxable entity, or on different tax entities, but they intend to settle current tax liabilities and assets on a net basis or their tax assets and liabilities will be realised simultaneously.

Current and deferred tax balances attributable to amounts recognised directly in equity are also recognised directly in equity.

The Company and all its wholly-owned Australian resident entities are part of a Tax-Consolidated Group under Australian taxation law. Cleanaway Waste Management Limited is the Head Entity in the Tax-Consolidated Group. The Tax-Consolidated Group has entered into a tax sharing and a tax funding agreement.

(e) Impairment of assets

A financial asset is assessed at each reporting date to determine whether there is objective evidence that it is impaired. Impairment losses on financial assets are directly written off to the Consolidated Income Statement. Impairment of loans and receivables is recognised when it is probable that the carrying amount will not be recovered in full due to significant financial difficulty or other loss event of the debtor.

Goodwill and intangible assets that have an indefinite useful life are not amortised but are tested annually for impairment, or more frequently if events or changes in circumstances indicate that they might be impaired. Other assets are reviewed for impairment whenever events or changes in circumstances indicate that the carrying amount may not be recoverable. An impairment loss is recognised for the amount by which the asset's carrying amount exceeds its recoverable amount. The 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 which are largely independent of the cash inflows from other assets or groups of assets (cash-generating units). Non-financial assets other than goodwill that previously suffered an impairment loss are reviewed for possible reversal of the impairment loss at each subsequent reporting date.

(f) Foreign currency

Foreign currency transactions are translated at the foreign exchange rate ruling at the date of the transaction. Monetary assets and liabilities denominated in foreign currencies at the reporting date are translated into Australian dollars at the foreign exchange rate ruling at that date. Foreign exchange differences arising on translation are recognised in the Consolidated Income Statement and are reported on a net basis. Non-monetary assets and liabilities that are measured in terms of historical cost in a foreign currency are translated using the exchange rate at the date of the transaction.

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38. Significant accounting policies (continued)

(g) Cash and cash equivalents

Cash and cash equivalents comprise cash at banks, short-term deposits and petty cash balances. Cash at bank earns interest at floating rates based on daily bank deposit rates. Short-term deposits are at call, and earn interest at the respective short-term deposit rates.

Effective 30 June 2017, the Group has changed the way in which it presents its Consolidated Statement of Cash Flows from the direct method to the indirect method. The indirect method provides a reconciliation from operating profit before tax to operating cash flows on the face of the Consolidated Statement of Cash Flows. This format is consistent with how cash flows are reported internally and is therefore considered more useful to readers of the Financial Report.

(h) Trade and other receivables

Trade receivables are amounts due from customers for goods sold or services performed in the ordinary course of business. Trade receivables are generally due for settlement within 30 days and therefore are all classified as current. Collectability of trade debtors is reviewed on an ongoing basis. Debts which are known as uncollectable are written off when identified. A provision for impairment is raised when collection of an amount is no longer probable.

The Group's exposure to credit risk related to trade and other receivables is disclosed in note 31(b).

(i) Inventories

Inventories are valued at the lower of cost and net realisable value. The cost of inventories is based on the method most appropriate to each particular class of inventory and includes expenditure incurred in acquiring the inventories, production or conversion costs and other costs incurred in bringing them to their existing location and condition. In the case of manufactured inventories and work in progress, cost includes an appropriate share of production overheads based on normal operating capacity.

(j) Derivative financial instruments

The Group has a derivative financial instrument in place to manage its exposure to foreign exchange movements in the value of the USPP borrowings which are denominated in USD.

Derivatives are initially recognised at fair value on the date a derivative contract is entered into and are subsequently remeasured to their fair value at each reporting date. As noted in note 31(a), this derivative is not designated as a hedge and therefore all fair value movements are recorded in finance costs in the Consolidated Income Statement.

(k) Property, plant and equipment

Landfill assets

The Group owns landfill assets. A landfill site may be either developed or purchased by the Group.

Landfill assets comprise the acquisition of landfill land, cell development costs, site infrastructure and landfill site improvement costs and the asset related to future landfill site restoration and aftercare costs (landfill remediation asset).

Landfill land will be recognised separately from other landfill related assets when it is considered to have value at the end of the landfill site's useful life for housing or commercial development. This land is not depreciated; it is carried at its original cost and tested for impairment.

Cell development costs include excavation costs, cell lining costs and leachate collection costs. Cell development costs are capitalised as incurred. Closed cells are capped and may return a future revenue stream to the Group, such as from the sale of landfill gas.

The landfill remediation assets comprises capping costs and costs to remediate and monitor the site over the life of the landfill including post closure. Capping costs together with cost of aftercare (see Provision for landfill remediation in note 38(o)) are recognised upon commencement of cell development. The depreciation, for cell development costs and the remediation asset, is calculated by the tonnes of airspace consumed during the reporting period divided into the total airspace available at the beginning of the reporting period, such that all costs are fully depreciated upon receiving last waste into the landfill. A landfill is deemed full when its permitted airspace is consumed and it cannot legally accept any more waste. Alternatively, a landfill may be deemed full earlier should other factors exist, for example, if it is not economically viable to continue accepting waste.

Site infrastructure and landfill site improvement costs include capital works such as site access roads and other capital costs relating to multiple cells on the landfill site. These costs are capitalised as incurred and depreciated using the useful life of the asset or the life of the landfill up until receiving last waste.

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38. Significant accounting policies (continued)

Landfill sales

A landfill may be disposed of as an operating landfill or it may be retained until post-closure and then sold. The Group's policy on landfill sales is as follows:

- If the landfill is sold as an operating landfill, recognise the profit on sale of an asset; or
- If the completed landfill is intended to be sold and meet the relevant requirements, transfer the landfill balance to non-current assets held for sale.

Non-landfill land and buildings

Non-landfill land and buildings are shown at fair value, based on periodic valuations (at least every three years) by external independent valuers, less subsequent depreciation of buildings. The fair values are recognised in the Consolidated Financial Statements of the Group, and are reviewed at the end of each reporting period to ensure that the carrying value of land and buildings is not materially different to their fair values.

Movements in market prices and the level of transactions impact the ability of the Group to estimate fair value.

Any revaluation increase arising on the revaluation of land and buildings is credited to the asset revaluation reserve, except to the extent that it reverses a revaluation decrease for the same asset previously recognised as an expense in profit or loss, in which case the increase is credited to the Consolidated Income Statement to the extent of the decrease previously charged. A decrease in carrying amount arising on the revaluation of land and buildings is charged as an expense in the Consolidated Income Statement to the extent that it exceeds the balance, if any, held in the asset revaluation reserve relating to a previous revaluation of that asset.

Depreciation on revalued buildings is charged to the Consolidated Income Statement. On the subsequent sale or retirement of a revalued property, the attributable revaluation surplus remaining in the asset revaluation reserve, net of any related deferred taxes, is transferred directly to retained earnings.

Plant and equipment

Plant and equipment is stated at cost less accumulated depreciation and impairment. Cost includes expenditure that is directly attributable to bringing the asset to the location and condition necessary for its intended use. In the event that settlement of all or part of the purchase consideration is deferred, cost is determined by discounting the amounts payable in the future to their present value as at the date of acquisition. Purchased software that is integral to the functionality of the related equipment is capitalised as part of that equipment.

Gains and losses on disposal of an item of property, plant and equipment are determined by comparing the proceeds from disposal with the carrying amount of the property, plant and equipment and are recognised net within "other income" in the Consolidated Income Statement. When revalued assets are sold, the amounts included in the revaluation reserve are transferred to retained earnings.

Depreciation

Depreciation is provided on property, plant and equipment, including freehold buildings but excluding land. Depreciation of assets, with the exception of landfill remediation and cell development assets, is calculated on a straight-line basis so as to write off the net cost or revalued amount of each asset over its expected useful life to the Group. Leasehold improvements are depreciated over the period of the lease or estimated useful lives, whichever is the shorter, using the straight-line method. Landfill remediation and cell development assets are depreciated on a usage basis over the individual landfill expected life.

Estimates of remaining useful lives are made on a regular basis for all assets, with annual reassessments for major items.

The expected useful lives are as follows:

Buildings and site improvements 15 to 40 years
Plant and equipment 2.5 to 20 years
Leasehold improvements 5 to 10 years
Landfill assets 1 to 50 years

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38. Significant accounting policies (continued)

(I) Intangible assets

Goodwill

Goodwill represents the excess of the cost of an acquisition over the fair value of the Group's share of the net identifiable assets of the acquired business, subsidiary or associate at the date of acquisition. Goodwill on the acquisition of businesses or subsidiaries is included in intangible assets. Goodwill on acquisition of associates is included in investments in associates. Goodwill is not amortised. Instead goodwill is tested for impairment annually, or more frequently if events or changes in circumstances indicate that it might be impaired, and is carried at cost less accumulated impairment losses. Gains and losses on the disposal of a business include the carrying amount of goodwill relating to the business sold.

Goodwill is allocated to cash-generating units for the purpose of impairment testing.

Research and development

Expenditure on research activities, undertaken with the prospect of gaining new technical knowledge and understanding, is recognised in the Consolidated Income Statement as an expense as incurred.

Expenditure on development activities, whereby research findings are applied to a plan or design for the production of new or substantially improved products and processes, is capitalised if the product or process is technically and commercially feasible and the Group has sufficient resources to complete development. The expenditure capitalised includes the costs of materials, direct labour and overhead costs that are directly attributable to preparing the asset for its intended use. Borrowing costs related to the development of qualifying assets are also capitalised. Other development expenditure is recognised in the Consolidated Income Statement as an expense as incurred. Capitalised development expenditure is stated at cost less accumulated amortisation and impairment losses.

Other intangible assets

Other intangible assets include customer contracts recognised on business combinations and licences. Other intangible assets that are acquired by the Group are stated at cost less accumulated amortisation and impairment losses.

Amortisation

Amortisation is charged to the Consolidated Income Statement on a straight-line basis over the estimated useful lives of intangible assets unless such lives are indefinite (e.g. brand names). Goodwill and intangible assets with an indefinite useful life are systematically tested for impairment at each reporting date. Other intangible assets are amortised from the date they are available for use. The estimated useful lives of customer contracts are 3 to 10 years.

(m) Trade and other payables

These amounts represent liabilities for goods and services provided to the Group prior to the end of the financial year which are unpaid. The amounts are unsecured and are usually paid within 45 days of recognition. Trade and other payables are presented as current liabilities unless payment is not due within 12 months after the reporting period.

Other payables and accruals includes tipping and disposal costs accruals as well as general accruals.

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38. Significant accounting policies (continued)

(n) Borrowings

Borrowings are initially recognised at fair value of the consideration received net of issue costs incurred. Subsequent to initial recognition, interest-bearing borrowings are stated at amortised cost with any difference between cost and redemption value being recognised in the Consolidated Income Statement over the period of the borrowings on an effective interest basis. Foreign exchange gains and losses arising on borrowings are reflected in finance costs in the Consolidated Income Statement.

Borrowings are derecognised when the obligation specified in the contract is discharged, cancelled or expired. The difference between the carrying amount of a financial liability that has been extinguished or transferred to another party and the consideration paid, including any non-cash assets transferred or liabilities assumed, is recognised in other income or other expenses.

(o) Provision for landfill remediation and rectification

Landfill sites are constructed to receive waste in accordance with a licence. These licences generally require that once a landfill is full, it is left in a condition as specified by the Environmental Protection Authority (EPA) or other government authorities, and monitored for a defined period of time (usually 30 years).

Therefore remediation occurs on an ongoing basis, as the landfill is operating, at the time the landfill closes and through post-closure. Remediation comprises:

- the costs associated with capping landfills (covering the waste within the landfill); and
- costs associated with remediating and monitoring the landfill in accordance with the licence or environmental requirements.

The constructive obligation to remediate the landfill sites is triggered upon commencement of cell development. Accordingly landfill remediation costs are provided for when development commences and at the same time a landfill remediation asset is recognised.

The provision is stated at the present value of the future cash outflows expected to be incurred, which increases each period due to the passage of time and is recognised in current and non-current provisions in the Consolidated Balance Sheet. The annual change in the net present value of the provision due to the passage of time is recognised in the Consolidated Income Statement as a time value adjustment in finance costs.

Due to the long term nature of remediation obligations, changes in estimates occur over time. Any change in the provision for future landfill site restoration and aftercare costs arising from a change in estimate of those costs, and related to landfill sites which are still accepting waste, is recognised as an addition or reduction to the remediation asset in the Consolidated Balance Sheet. Changes to the remediation provision once last customer waste is received, are expensed to the Consolidated Income Statement.

Rectification provisions differ to remediation. Rectification costs must be provided for at a reporting period end when there is an obligation to bring an asset back to the normal operating standard required under the licence and EPA or council requirements. Rectification provisions are calculated based on the net present value of all costs expected to rectify the site. All rectification costs are expensed to the Consolidated Income Statement.

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38. Significant accounting policies (continued)

(p) Provisions

A provision is recognised in the Consolidated Balance Sheet when the Group has a present legal or constructive obligation as a result of a past event, it is probable that an outflow of economic benefits will be required to settle the obligation, and a reliable estimate can be made of the amount of the obligation. If the effect of the time value of money is material, provisions are determined by discounting the expected future cash flows at a pre-tax rate that reflects current market assessments of the time value of money and, where appropriate, the risks specific to the liability.

(q) Employee entitlements

Wages and salaries, annual leave and sick leave

Liabilities for wages and salaries, including non-monetary benefits, annual leave and vesting sick leave expected to be settled within 12 months of the reporting date are recognised in other payables and employee benefits in respect of employees' services up to the reporting date and are measured at the amounts expected to be paid when the liabilities are settled.

Long service leave

The liability for long service leave expected to be settled within 12 months of the reporting date is recognised in employee benefits and is measured in accordance with the other employee benefits described above. The liability for long service leave expected to be settled more than 12 months from the reporting date is recognised in employee benefits 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. 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 the corporate bond rate with terms to maturity and currency that match, as closely as possible, the timing of estimated future cash outflows.

Short term incentive (STI) compensation plans

A liability for employee benefits in the form of STI's is recognised when it is probable that STI criteria has been achieved and an amount is payable in accordance with the terms of the STI plan. Liabilities for STI's are expected to be settled within 12 months and are measured at the amounts expected to be paid when they are settled.

Share-based payment transactions

Share-based payments are provided to Executives and employees via the Cleanaway Waste Management Limited Annual Incentive Plan and the Long Term Incentive Plan.

Share-based compensation payments are measured at fair value at the date of grant and expensed to employee benefit expense with a corresponding increase in the employee benefits reserve over the period in which the service and, where applicable, performance conditions are fulfilled. Fair value is measured by using the Monte Carlo simulation or the Black-Scholes option pricing model, the term of the Performance Right, the impact of dilution, the share price at grant date and expected price volatility of the underlying share, the expected dividend yield and the risk free interest rate for the term of the Performance Right.

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38. Significant accounting policies (continued)

(r) Fair value measurement

The Group measures financial instruments, such as derivatives and non-financial assets such as land and buildings, at fair value at each balance sheet date.

Fair value is the price that would be received to sell an asset or paid to transfer a liability in an orderly transaction between market participants at the measurement date. The fair value measurement is based on the presumption that the transaction to sell the asset or transfer the liability takes place either:

- In the principle market for the asset or liability, or
- In the absence of a principle market, in the most advantageous market for the asset or liability.

The principle or the most advantageous market must be accessible by the Group.

The fair value of an asset or liability is measured using the assumptions that the market participants act in their economic best interest

A fair value measurement of non-financial asset takes into account a market participant's ability to generate economic benefits by using the asset in its highest and best use.

The Group uses the following valuation techniques that are appropriate in the circumstances and for which sufficient data is available to measure fair value, maximising the use of relevant observable inputs and minimising the use of unobservable inputs:

- Level 1 Quoted (unadjusted) market prices in active markets for identical assets or liabilities;
- Level 2 Valuation techniques for which the lowest level input that is significant to the fair value measurement is directly or indirectly observable;
- Level 3 Valuation techniques for which the lowest level input that is significant to the fair value measurement is unobservable.

(s) Basis of consolidation

(i) Subsidiaries

The Consolidated Financial Report comprises the financial statements of the Group and its subsidiaries as at 30 June 2017. Control is achieved when the Group is exposed, or has rights, to variable returns from its involvement with the investee and has the ability to affect those returns through its power over the investee.

When the Group has less than a majority of the voting or similar rights of an investee, the Group considers all relevant facts and circumstances in assessing whether it has power over an investee, including:

- The contractual arrangement with the other vote holders of the investee;
- Rights arising from the contractual arrangements; and
- The Group's voting rights and potential voting rights.

The Group reassesses whether or not it controls an investee if facts and circumstances indicate that there are changes to one or more of the three elements of control. Consolidation of a subsidiary begins when the Group obtains control over the subsidiary and ceases when the Group loses control of the subsidiary.

Assets, liabilities, income and expenses of a subsidiary acquired or disposed of during the year are included in the Consolidated Income Statement from the date the Group gains control until the date when the Group ceases to control the subsidiary.

All intra-group balances, transactions and unrealised gains and losses resulting from intra-group transactions are eliminated in full.

Non-controlling interests represent the portion of profit or loss and net assets not held by the Group and are presented separately in the Consolidated Income Statement and within equity in the Consolidated Balance Sheet, separately from parent shareholders' equity.

If the Group loses control over a subsidiary it derecognises the related assets (including goodwill), liabilities, non-controlling interest and other components of equity, while any resultant gain or loss is recognised in the Consolidated Income Statement. Any investment retained is recognised at fair value.

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38. Significant accounting policies (continued)

(ii) Equity accounted investments

Equity accounted investments are those entities over which the Group has either significant influence (associate entities) or joint control and has rights to the net assets of the entity (joint venture entities). The Group does not have power over these entities either through management control or voting rights. Investments in associates and joint ventures are accounted for using the equity method of accounting and are collectively referred to as "equity accounted investments" in this report.

Under the equity method of accounting, the investments in associates and joint ventures are initially recognised at cost and adjusted thereafter to recognise the Group's share of the post-acquisition profits or losses of the associate or joint venture in the Consolidated Income Statement. Dividends received from associates and joint ventures are recognised as a reduction in the carrying amount of the investment.

Where the Group's share of losses in an associate or joint venture equals or exceeds its interest in the associate or joint venture, including any other unsecured long-term receivables, the Group does not recognise further losses, unless it has incurred obligations or made payments on behalf of the associate or joint venture.

Unrealised gains on transactions with associates and joint ventures are eliminated to the extent of the Group's interest in the associates and joint ventures. Unrealised losses are also eliminated unless the transaction provides evidence of an impairment of the asset transferred. Accounting policies of the associates and joint ventures have been changed where necessary to ensure consistency with the policies adopted by the Group.

(t) Business combinations

Business combinations are accounted for using the acquisition method, whereby the identifiable assets, liabilities and contingent liabilities (identifiable net assets) are measured using their fair values at the date of acquisition. Goodwill arises in a business combination when the consideration transferred to the acquiree is greater than the net of the acquisition-date amounts of the identifiable assets acquired and the liabilities assumed. Acquisition related costs, incurred in a business combination transaction, are expensed as incurred.

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39. New standards adopted

AASB 12, Income Taxes ('AASB 12')

Following the November 2016 publication of the IFRS Interpretation Committee's agenda decision addressing the expected manner of recovery of intangible assets with indefinite useful lives for the purposes of measuring deferred tax, the Group has retrospectively changed its related accounting policy. The Interpretations Committee considered a request to clarify how an entity determines the expected manner of recovery (through use or sale) when measuring deferred tax for an intangible asset with an indefinite useful life. They concluded that an entity determines its expected manner of recovery using the existing principles in AASB 12 *Income Taxes*, however in doing so also provided commentary that an entity may not amortise an intangible asset with an indefinite useful life, but this is not evidence that an entity is not consuming benefit through use. Previously, the Group reflected an accepted view that an indefinite life asset will only be recovered through sale, as it was not being amortised. As the Group considers it will recover the carrying value of its indefinite life intangible assets through use, it has implemented the guidance on a retrospective basis as an accounting policy change in accordance with AASB 108 *Accounting Policies, Changes to Accounting Estimates and Errors*. The impact of this change was as follows:

Impact of change on the Consolidated Balance Sheet:

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Increase/(decrease) of previously reported balances:	•
Intangible Assets: Goodwill	24.0
Deferred tax asset	(24.0)

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This change did not have an impact on the 2016 comparative amounts reported in the Consolidated Statements of Comprehensive Income and the Consolidated Statement of Cash Flows.

In addition, the Group has adopted new and revised Standards and Interpretations issued by the Australian Accounting Standards Board that are relevant to its operations and effective for the current reporting period.

New and revised Standards, amendments thereof and Interpretations issued by the Australian Accounting Standards Board that are relevant to the Group are limited to:

- AASB 2016-3 Amendments to Australian Accounting Standards arising from the Withdrawal of AASB 1031 Materiality;
- AASB 2015-2 Amendments to Australian Accounting Standards Disclosure Initiative: Amendments to AASB 101

The adoption of these new and revised Standards and Interpretations has not resulted in any changes to the Group's accounting policies and had no material effect on the amounts reported for the current or prior year.

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40. New standards and interpretations not yet adopted

A number of new standards, amendments to standards and interpretations are effective for annual periods beginning after 1 July 2017 and have not been applied in preparing these consolidated financial statements. Those which may be relevant to the Group are set out below. The Group does not plan to adopt these standards early.

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New standards

STANDARD/INTERPRETATION	REPORTING PERIODS BEGINNING ON OR AFTER	INITIALLY APPLIED IN THE FINANCIAL YEAR ENDING
AASB 9 Financial Instruments, and the relevant amending standards AASB 9 replaces AASB 139. This standard includes a model for classification and measurement, a single, forward-looking 'expected loss' impairment model and a substantially-reformed approach to hedge accounting. Based on an initial impact assessment, the new standard is not expected to significantly impact the Group's determination of doubtful debts or the accounting for derivative financial instruments.	1 January 2018	30 June 2019
AASB 15 Revenue from Contracts with Customers, and the relevant amending standards	1 January 2018	30 June 2019
AASB 15 replaces the existing revenue recognition standards AASB 111 Construction Contracts, AASB 118 Revenue and related Interpretations. AASB 15 specifies the accounting treatment for revenue arising from contracts with customers (except for contracts within the scope of other accounting standards). The core principle of AASB 15 is that an entity recognises revenue to depict the transfer of promised goods or services to customers in an amount that reflects the consideration to which the entity expects to be entitled in exchange for those goods or services. An entity recognises revenue in accordance with that core principle by applying the following steps: (a) Step 1: Identify the contract(s) with a customer		
(b) Step 2: Identify the performance obligations in the contract		
(c) Step 3: Determine the transaction price		
(d) Step 4: Allocate the transaction price to the performance obligations		
(e) Step 5: Recognise revenue when (or as) a performance obligation is satisfied.		
The Group is undertaking a comprehensive review of the implementation impacts of AASB 15 and has not yet reached a final determination of the impacts of this accounting standard. However, based on an initial impact assessment, the new standard is not expected to significantly impact revenue recognition or the treatment of contract costs of the Group.		
AASB 16 Leases, and the relevant amending standards	1 January 2019	30 June 2020
 AASB 16 supersedes AASB 117 Leases. The key features of AASB 16 from a lessee perspective are as follows: Lessees are required to recognise assets and liabilities for all leases with a term of more than 12 months, unless the underlying asset is of low value. A lessee measures right-of-use assets similarly to other non-financial assets 		
and lease liabilities similarly to other financial liabilities.		
 Assets and liabilities arising from a lease are initially measured on a present value basis. The measurement includes non-cancellable lease payments (including inflation-linked payments), and also includes payments to be made in optional periods if the lessee is reasonably certain to exercise an option to extend the lease, or not to exercise an option to terminate the lease. 		
The likely impact on the Group of adopting this new standard has not been		

determined.

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40. New standards and interpretations not yet adopted (continued)

Amendments from improvement projects		
STANDARD/INTERPRETATION		EXPECTED TO BE INITIALLY APPLIED IN THE FINANCIAL YEAR ENDING
AASB 107 Disclosure Initiative – Amendments to AAS 107	1 January 2017	30 June 2018
This amendment amends AASB 107 Statement of Cash Flows to help users of financial statements better understand changes in an entity's debt.		
AASB 112 Recognition of Deferred Tax assets for Unrealised Losses – Amendments to AASB 112	1 January 2017	30 June 2018
The AASB has issued amendments to AASB 112 <i>Income Taxes</i> to clarify the accounting for deferred tax assets for unrealised losses on debt instruments measured at fair value.		
The AASB has clarified that an entity needs to consider whether tax law restricts the sources of taxable profits against which it may make deductions on the reversal of that deductible temporary difference. Furthermore, the amendments provide guidance on how an entity should determine future taxable profits and explain the circumstances in which profit may include the recovery of some assets for more than their carrying amount.		
AASB 2 Classification and Measurement of Share-based Payment Transactions – Amendments to AASB 2	1 January 2017	30 June 2018
This amendment amends AASB 2 <i>Share-based Payment</i> in relation to the classification and measurement of share-based payment transactions. The amendments address three main areas:		
• The effects of vesting conditions on the measurement of a cash-settled share-based payment transaction		
• The classification of a share-based payment transaction with net settlement features for witholding tax obligations		
 The accounting where a modification to the terms and conditions of a share-based transaction change its classification from cash-settled to equity-settled. 		

The amendments from improvement projects identified above are not expected to have a material impact on the Group.

Directors' Declaration

In the Directors' opinion:

- (a) the financial statements and notes together with the additional disclosures included in the Directors' Report designated as audited, are in accordance with the *Corporations Act 2001*, including:
 - (i) giving a true and fair view of the Group's financial position as at 30 June 2017 and of its performance for the financial year ended on that date; and
 - (ii) complying with Australian Accounting Standards (including the Australian Accounting Interpretations), and the Corporations Regulations 2001;
- (b) the financial statements and notes also comply with International Financial Reporting Standards as disclosed in note 2;
- (c) there are reasonable grounds to believe that the Company will be able to pay its debts as and when they become due and payable;
- (d) this declaration has been made after receiving the declarations required to be made to the Directors in accordance with section s295A of the *Corporations Act 2001* for the financial year ended 30 June 2017; and
- (e) as at the date of this declaration, there are reasonable grounds to believe that the members of the closed Consolidated Group identified in note 27 will be able to meet any obligation or liabilities to which they are or may become subject to, by virtue of the deed of cross guarantee.

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

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Chairman and Non-Executive Director

Melbourne, 22 August 2017

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Chief Executive Officer and Managing Director

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Report on the Audit of the Financial Report

Opinion

We have audited the financial report of Cleanaway Waste Management Limited (the Company) and its subsidiaries (collectively the Group), which comprises the Consolidated Balance Sheet as at 30 June 2017, the Consolidated Statement of Comprehensive Income, Consolidated Statement of Changes in Equity and Consolidated Statement of Cash Flows for the year then ended, notes to the financial statements, including a summary of significant accounting policies, and the Directors' declaration.

In our opinion, the accompanying financial report of the Group is in accordance with the Corporations Act 2001, including:

- (a) giving a true and fair view of the consolidated financial position of the Group as at 30 June 2017 and of its consolidated financial performance for the year ended on that date; and
- (b) complying with Australian Accounting Standards and the Corporations Regulations 2001.

Basis for Opinion

We conducted our audit in accordance with Australian Auditing Standards. Our responsibilities under those standards are further described in the *Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Report* section of our report. We are independent of the Group 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* (the Code) that are relevant to our audit of the financial report in Australia. We have also fulfilled our other ethical responsibilities in accordance with the Code.

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

Key Audit Matters

Key audit matters are those matters that, in our professional judgment, were of most significance in our audit of the financial report of the current year. These matters were addressed in the context of our audit of the financial report as a whole, and in forming our opinion thereon, but we do not provide a separate opinion on these matters. For each matter below, our description of how our audit addressed the matter is provided in that context.

We have fulfilled the responsibilities described in the *Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Repor*t section of our report, including in relation to these matters. Accordingly, our audit included the performance of procedures designed to respond to our assessment of the risks of material misstatement of the financial report. The results of our audit procedures, including the procedures performed to address the matters below, provide the basis for our audit opinion on the accompanying financial report.

to the Members of Cleanaway Waste Management Limited



1. Carrying value of non-current assets, including brand name and goodwill

WHY SIGNIFICANT

HOW OUR AUDIT ADDRESSED THE KEY AUDIT MATTER

At 30 June 2017, the Group held \$1,308.9 million in intangible assets with indefinite useful lives. These intangible assets comprise goodwill and brand names and are monitored at an operating segment or cash generating unit ("CGU") level respectively for the Solids and Liquids businesses. In accordance with the requirements of Australian Accounting Standards, the Group annually tests these indefinite useful life assets for impairment.

The assessment of the carrying value of the intangible assets (the impairment test) incorporates judgments and estimates relating to discount rates, forecast revenue, EBITDA growth rates and levels of capital expenditure. In addition, various assumptions have been made for economic variables such as commodity prices, GDP and inflation rates as well as expected outcomes from the execution of the sales transformation and cost reduction programs currently in place. The Group prepared a value in use discounted cash flow model to assess the carrying value of non-current assets.

Note 21 to the financial report provides disclosure on the Group's impairment tests and highlights the impact of reasonably possible changes to key assumptions.

The audit procedures we performed included testing the mathematical accuracy of the discounted cash flow model and evaluation of the assumptions and methodologies used by the Group. We involved our valuation specialists to assist in the execution of these audit procedures.

In respect of the Group's discounted cash flow model, we assessed the judgments and estimates. In doing so, we:

- Assessed the assumptions in the Group's board approved forecasts;
- Considered the current year actual results in comparison to prior year forecasts in order to assess forecast accuracy;
- Assessed the key assumptions in comparison to independent economic and industry forecasts (where available);
- Assessed the assumptions for terminal growth rates;
- Considered the achievability of cost saving targets and associated initiatives;
- Considered the capital expenditure forecasts;
- Assessed the discount rates through comparing the cost of capital for the Group with comparable businesses; and
- Considered comparable businesses valuation multiples as a cross-check of the Group's cash flow model outcomes.

We performed sensitivity analysis in respect of the key assumptions to ascertain the extent of changes in those assumptions which either individually or collectively would be required for the intangible assets to be impaired.

We also assessed the adequacy of the disclosures made in the financial report – in particular those that have the most significant effect on the determination of the recoverable amount of the intangible assets.

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2. Valuation and completeness of the rectification and remediation provisions

WHY SIGNIFICANT

HOW OUR AUDIT ADDRESSED THE KEY AUDIT MATTER

Under the National Environment Protection Council Act 1994 the Group has an obligation and responsibility to rectify and remediate the land in which landfill activities occur. Such liabilities must be accounted for in accordance with Australian Accounting Standards – AASB 137 *Provisions, Contingent Liabilities, and Contingent Assets.*

At 30 June 2017, the Group held \$332.8 million in rectification and remediation provisions. The rectification and remediation provisions were based on a discounted cash flow model and incorporated critical estimates in relation to capping and post closure costs and a cost escalation rate, the timing of expected expenditure, the possibility of new practices and methodologies being available in the future and the determination of an appropriate discount rate. Refer to note 24 to the financial report for the Group's disclosure.

These estimates were developed based on the specific plans for each site, taking into consideration historical experience and emerging practice in relation to rectification and remediation activities. The audit procedures we performed included testing the mathematical integrity of the discounted cash flow model and evaluation of the assumptions and methodologies used by the Group. We involved our environmental specialists (specialising in remediated land) to assist in the execution of these procedures.

With respect to the Group's rectification and remediation provisions, we performed the following on the Group's discounted cash flow model:

- Assessed the competence, independence and objectivity of the external expert engaged by the Group involved in the development and maintenance of the rectification and remediation model;
- Assessed the cost estimates for capping and post closure activities with reference to available external data and relevant Environment Protection Authority ("EPA") regulations;
- Considered correspondence between the Group and the EPA;
- Assessed the remaining airspace in the landfills; and
- Assessed the discount rate applied with reference to observable market inputs and involvement from our valuation specialists.

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Information Other than the Financial Report and Auditor's Report Thereon

The Directors are responsible for the other information. The other information comprises the information included in the Company's 2017 Annual Report other than the financial report and our auditor's report thereon. We obtained the Directors' Report that is to be included in the Annual Report, prior to the date of this auditor's report, and we expect to obtain the remaining sections of the Annual Report after the date of this auditor's report.

Our opinion on the financial report does not cover the other information and we do not and will not express any form of assurance conclusion thereon.

In connection with our audit of the financial report, our responsibility is to read the other information and, in doing so, consider whether the other information is materially inconsistent with the financial report or our knowledge obtained in the audit or otherwise appears to be materially misstated.

If, based on the work we have performed on the other information obtained prior to the date of this auditor's report, we conclude that there is a material misstatement of this other information, we are required to report that fact. We have nothing to report in this regard.

Responsibilities of the Directors for the Financial Report

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

In preparing the financial report, the Directors are responsible for assessing the Group's ability to continue as a going concern, disclosing, as applicable, matters relating to going concern and using the going concern basis of accounting unless the Directors either intend to liquidate the Group or to cease operations, or have no realistic alternative but to do so.

Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Report

Our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial report as a whole is free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error, and to issue an auditor's report that includes our opinion. Reasonable assurance is a high level of assurance, but is not a guarantee that an audit conducted in accordance with the Australian Auditing Standards will always detect a material misstatement when it exists. Misstatements can arise from fraud or error and are considered material if, individually or in the aggregate, they could reasonably be expected to influence the economic decisions of users taken on the basis of this financial report.

As part of an audit in accordance with the Australian Auditing Standards, we exercise professional judgment and maintain professional scepticism throughout the audit. We also:

- Identify and assess the risks of material misstatement of the financial report, whether due to fraud or error, design and perform audit procedures responsive to those risks, and obtain audit evidence that is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion. The risk of not detecting a material misstatement resulting from fraud is higher than for one resulting from error, as fraud may involve collusion, forgery, intentional omissions, misrepresentations, or the override of internal control.
- Obtain an understanding of internal control relevant to the audit 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 Group's internal control.
- Evaluate the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of accounting estimates and related disclosures made by the Directors.
- Conclude on the appropriateness of the Directors' use of the going concern basis of accounting and, based on the audit evidence obtained, whether a material uncertainty exists related to events or conditions that may cast significant doubt on the Group's ability to continue as a going concern. If we conclude that a material uncertainty exists, we are required to draw attention in our auditor's report to the related disclosures in the financial report or, if such disclosures are inadequate, to modify our opinion. Our conclusions are based on the audit evidence obtained up to the date of our auditor's report. However, future events or conditions may cause the Group to cease to continue as a going concern.

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- Evaluate the overall presentation, structure and content of the financial report, including the disclosures, and whether the financial report represents the underlying transactions and events in a manner that achieves fair presentation.
- Obtain sufficient appropriate audit evidence regarding the financial information of the entities or business activities within the Group to express an opinion on the financial report. We are responsible for the direction, supervision and performance of the Group audit. We remain solely responsible for our audit opinion.

We communicate with the Directors regarding, among other matters, the planned scope and timing of the audit and significant audit findings, including any significant deficiencies in internal control that we identify during our audit.

We also provide the Directors with a statement that we have complied with relevant ethical requirements regarding independence, and to communicate with them all relationships and other matters that may reasonably be thought to bear on our independence, and where applicable, related safeguards.

From the matters communicated to the Directors, we determine those matters that were of most significance in the audit of the financial report of the current year and are therefore the key audit matters. We describe these matters in our auditor's report unless law or regulation precludes public disclosure about the matter or when, in extremely rare circumstances, we determine that a matter should not be communicated in our report because the adverse consequences of doing so would reasonably be expected to outweigh the public interest benefits of such communication.

Report on the Audit of the Remuneration Report

Opinion on the Remuneration Report

We have audited the Remuneration Report included in pages 11 to 26 of the Directors' Report for the year ended 30 June 2017.

In our opinion, the Remuneration Report of Cleanaway Waste Management Limited for the year ended 30 June 2017, complies with section 300A of the *Corporations Act 2001*.

Responsibilities

The Directors of the Company are responsible for the preparation and presentation of the Remuneration Report in accordance with section 300A of the *Corporations Act 2001*. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on the Remuneration Report, based on our audit conducted in accordance with Australian Auditing Standards.



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Brett Croft Partner Melbourne

22 August 2017

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