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ADORE BEAUTY GROUP LIMITED

APPENDIX 4E & FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2023

ACN: 636 138 988
ASX Code: ABY

Adore Beauty Group Limited
Appendix 4E
Preliminary final report

1. Company details

Name of entity:	Adore Beauty Group Limited
ABN:	78 636 138 988
Reporting period:	For the year ended 30 June 2023
Previous period:	For the year ended 30 June 2022

2. Results for announcement to the market

			\$'000
Revenues from ordinary activities	down	10 % to	180,588
Profit from ordinary activities after tax attributable to the owners of Adore Beauty Group Limited	down	123 % to	(559)
Profit for the year attributable to the owners of Adore Beauty Group Limited	down	123 % to	(559)

Dividends

No dividends were paid during the year ended 30 June 2023.

No dividend has been declared since the end of the financial year.

Comments

The loss for the consolidated entity after providing for income tax and non-controlling interests amounted to (\$559,000) (30 June 2022: \$2,377,000 profit).

Revenue for the year was \$180.6 million, which was a decrease of 9.6% over the previous year and up 14% on a 3-year compound annual growth rate (CAGR). Revenue growth was impacted by a decline in Active customers, which decreased 8% over the previous financial year to 801k and increased 11% on a 3-year CAGR basis. There were 311k new customers acquired compared to 399k in the previous year.

Further commentary on the operating results can be found in the 'Review of operations and financial performance' section within the Directors' Report of the Annual Financial report.

3. Net tangible assets

	Reporting period cents	Previous period cents
Net tangible assets per ordinary security	<u>34 cents</u>	<u>36 cents</u>

4. Control gained over entities

Not applicable.

5. Loss of control over entities

Not applicable.

6. Details of associates and joint venture entities

Not applicable.

7. Audit qualification or review

Details of audit/review dispute or qualification (if any):

The financial statements have been audited and an unmodified opinion has been issued.

8. Attachments

Details of attachments (if any):

The Annual Financial Report of Adore Beauty Group Limited for the year ended 30 June 2023 is attached.

9. Signed



Marina Go
Chair
23 August 2023
Melbourne

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Adore Beauty Group Limited

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**Annual Financial Report
30 June 2023**

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Adore Beauty Group Limited
Corporate directory
30 June 2023

Directors	Marina Go – Non-Executive Chair Kate Morris –Executive Director (transitioned to Non-Executive Director from 1st July 2023) James Height –Executive Director (transitioned to Non-Executive Director from 1st July 2023) Sandra Birkenleigh – Non-Executive Director Lisa Hennessy – Non-Executive Director
Company secretary	Stephanie Carroll Melissa Jones
Registered office	Level 1 421 High Street Northcote VIC 3070
Principal place of business	Level 1 421 High Street Northcote VIC 3070
Share register	Link Market Services Level 12 680 George Street Sydney NSW 2000 Phone: 1300 554 474
Auditor	Grant Thornton Audit Pty Ltd Collins Square, Tower 5 727 Collins Street Melbourne VIC 3008
Solicitors	Gilbert + Tobin Level 35 International Towers Sydney 200 Barangaroo Avenue Sydney NSW 2000
Stock exchange listing	Adore Beauty Group Limited shares are listed on the Australian Securities Exchange (ASX code: ABY)
Website	www.adorebeauty.com.au

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Adore Beauty Group Limited
Directors' report
30 June 2023

The Directors present their report, together with the financial statements, on the consolidated entity (referred to hereafter as the 'consolidated entity' or 'Adore Beauty') consisting of Adore Beauty Group Limited (referred to hereafter as the 'Company' or 'parent entity') and the entities it controlled at the end of, or during, the year ended 30 June 2023.

Directors

The following persons were directors of Adore Beauty Group Limited during the whole of the financial year and up to the date of this report, unless otherwise stated:

Marina Go
Kate Morris
James Height
Sandra Birkenleigh
Lisa Hennessy

Principal activities

Adore Beauty is Australia's largest pure play online retailer for beauty and personal care products.¹

Adore Beauty generates its revenue through online sales of beauty and personal care products to Australian and New Zealand consumers. Adore Beauty has a compelling range with over 12,000 products and more than 270 brands on offer. Adore Beauty fulfils orders from its customer fulfilment centre in Victoria.

There have been no changes in Adore Beauty's principal activities during the financial year.

Adore Beauty's registered office is Level 1, 421 High Street, Northcote, Victoria, Australia and it is listed on the Australian Securities Exchange under the code ABY.

Dividends

No dividends have been paid during the financial year or since the end of the financial year. No dividends were paid in the previous financial year.

Review of operations and financial performance

Revenue for the year was \$180.6 million, which was a decrease of 9.6% on the PCP and up 14% on a 3-year compound annual growth rate (CAGR) basis. Revenue returned to growth in the second half of the year, despite challenging conditions, up 0.5% on the prior corresponding period (PCP).

Revenue growth was impacted by new customer numbers, which declined 22% on the PCP and 6% on a 3-year CAGR basis. Returning customers¹ however increased 4% on the PCP to a record high of 490k, 31% on a 3-year CAGR and contributing 76% of all revenues. Active customers were 801k, which was a decrease of 8% on the PCP and up 11% on a 3-year CAGR basis.

Gross profit margin of 32.8% was down 0.5 percentage points on the PCP. Early benefits of margin optimisation and cost programs showed some improvements in gross profit margin in the second half.

Adore Beauty's statutory net loss after tax was (\$559,000), down from net profit after tax of \$2,377,000 in FY22.

Adore Beauty's ending cash balance was \$27.8 million as at 30 June 2023, which was down \$2.0 million on the prior year. This is primarily due to increased investment in inventory, above the prior year, to support continued growth. Investment was also made into our owned brand label, and website and mobile app development. With balance sheet flexibility, in FY24 Adore Beauty will continue to invest in key strategic initiatives, including owned brands, to support scaling revenue and margin expansion.

¹ Based on management estimates

Adore Beauty continues to focus on growing the business by delighting customers with its compelling customer value proposition. This includes offering a wide range of high-quality brands at great value, along with 130-day returns, free express shipping and complimentary samples for orders over \$65, plus even more benefits through our Adore Society loyalty program.

In tandem with this, Adore Beauty is executing on longer-term strategic initiatives to grow revenue, acquire and retain customers with higher lifetime value, improve gross profit margin and reduce expenses. Adore Beauty's strategic initiatives revolve around customer centricity, brand building and operational efficiency.

Adore Beauty continues to build its loyalty program and promote its mobile app, which launched in September 2020. The app also continues to grow in impact, contributing 21% of revenue in FY23. Additionally, Adore Beauty continues to develop its range, offering new brands and private label. The owned brand range continues to grow, with 38 private label products now available across the AB Lab, Viviology and Adore Beauty brands.

Please refer to the operational review section and the Group's FY23 results presentation for further commentary on the consolidated entity's financial and operational results.

Business strategies into the future

The Company has refined its future growth strategy - with focus on customer centricity, increasing brand awareness and operational optimisation through efficiency:

1) Customer centricity

Adore Beauty will focus on understanding the customer by:

- Anticipating future customer needs and wants through research, data and insights. In FY24, the business will deliver a "State of Beauty" report, which informs the strategy.
- Looking ahead, the business will also further develop its loyalty program and deliver customer experience enhancements, supported by the use of artificial intelligence and beauty technology.

2) Growing brand awareness

Adore Beauty will grow brand awareness through the following:

- 'In real life' brand activations
- Retaining focus on the core customer and expanding into the 41-50 year old female demographic
- Range and adjacency expansion
- Growing its margin enhancing private label offering
- Exploring any potential M&A opportunities

3) Delivering operational optimisation

Adore Beauty will deliver operational enhancements through a number of initiatives, for example:

- Marketing efficiency and effectiveness
- Further scaling the mobile app
- Partner terms

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Material business risks

There are a number of market, financial and operational risks both specific to Adore Beauty and externally that could have an adverse effect on the Company's future performance. Adore Beauty has a risk management framework in place with internal control systems to identify key business risks and mitigate them to an acceptable level. The material business risks are summarised below:

Risk	Description
External economic factors affecting continued growth	While the retail e-commerce market and the beauty and personal care market have been growing, there is no guarantee this will continue into the future. Adore Beauty is subject to factors outside its control including Australia's economic outlook, movements in the cash rate and unemployment rate, levels of building activity, instability in real estate and housing markets, consumer sentiment, global economic outlook, foreign economic shocks and adverse exchange rate instability. One or more of these factors could cause a contraction in the forecasted growth of retail e-commerce or the demand for beauty and personal care products.
Supply chain disruption	The Company's supply chain is important in ensuring that products are available for our customers. The key risks in Adore Beauty's supply chain include events of global significance that disrupt global supply chains and domestic disruption due to natural disasters such as bush fires and floods. If Adore Beauty's supply chain is significantly disrupted, this may have a material adverse effect on the Company's financial and/or operating performance.
New and existing competitors could adversely affect prices and demand for beauty and personal care products and decrease our market share	The beauty and personal care market is highly fragmented. Competition can arise from several sources including traditional physical retailers, omni-channel, mono-channel, multi-branded retailers, and online-only e-commerce competitors. Existing online competitors may strengthen their market share through increased funding or industry consolidation, an increase in brand awareness or attractiveness to customers, or through financial or operational advantages which allow them to compete aggressively on pricing. Competition may also come from third-party suppliers establishing their own online presence as opposed to utilising Adore Beauty's network. This may increase the cost of customer acquisition and lower margins due to pricing pressure. The Company's market share in the beauty and personal care segment may decline if competitors increase their focus on growing online sales through investment in the retail e-commerce market.
Supplier relationships	The success of Adore Beauty's business and its ability to grow relies on retaining its existing key supplier relationships and continue to attract suppliers on acceptable terms. Adore Beauty's supply agreements are negotiated on a case-by-case basis and there is no guarantee that these arrangements will be renewed on like terms. The deterioration of the Company's relationships with these suppliers or inability of these suppliers to renew contractual agreements on terms acceptable to Adore Beauty, or at all, may have a material adverse effect on the financial and/or operational performance in the future.
Health, safety and wellbeing risks	The health, safety and wellbeing of the Adore Beauty team and everyone who could be impacted by our business, including customers and suppliers, is our highest priority. A major health, safety or wellbeing incident could have adverse impacts on an employee, supplier or customer of Adore Beauty.
Employee recruitment and retention	The future success of Adore Beauty is dependent on its key personnel and its ability to attract and retain individuals that will complement our culture and

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retain an experienced and high performing team. Competition for key personnel within the retail e-commerce market could increase the demand and cost for quality employees. The Company's ability to meet its labour needs while controlling costs associated with hiring and training employees is subject to external factors such as unemployment rates, prevailing wage legislation and changing demographics. This may impact the Company's ability to achieve its financial and/or operational performance goals.

Performance and reliability of Adore Beauty's website, databases, its operating systems and internet

Adore Beauty's website, databases, IT, warehouse systems and management systems are critically important to our success in attracting and retaining customers and maximising sales conversion from those customers. Adore Beauty also relies on services provided by third party providers. The Company's financial and operational performance could be adversely impacted by a system failure within its own systems or to third-party suppliers of its systems and products. This may adversely affect the customer experience and reduce the attractiveness of its website to customers, limiting future sales.

Cyber and security risks

Adore Beauty could be subject to a range of cyber risks which could result in unauthorised access or disclosure of information held by the Company. A cybersecurity incident could adversely impact Adore Beauty's ability to operate and to meet the needs of its customers. Unauthorised disclosure of, or unauthorised access to, personal information under the control of the Adore Beauty could have an adverse impact on the Company's reputation, market position, financial performance and could result in regulatory action.

Significant changes in the state of affairs

There were no significant changes in the state of affairs of the consolidated entity during the financial year.

Matters subsequent to the end of the financial year

No matters or circumstance has arisen since 30 June 2023 that has significantly affected, or may significantly affect the consolidated entity's operations, the results of those operations, or the consolidated entity's state of affairs in future financial years.

Environmental regulation

The consolidated entity is not subject to any significant environmental regulation under Australian Commonwealth or any State law.

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Adore Beauty Group Limited
Directors' report
30 June 2022

Information on directors

Name:

Title:

Qualifications:

Experience and expertise:

Other current directorships¹:

Former directorships (last 3 years)²:

Special responsibilities:

Interests in shares:

Interests in options:

Contractual rights to shares:

Marina Go

Non-Executive Chair

B.Arts, MBA

Marina is an experienced independent non-executive director. She serves on the boards of a diverse range of listed and private entities across retail, convenience, energy and infrastructure. Marina has more than 25 years of leadership experience in the media industry, including CEO, GM and Publishing Director roles. She is a member of O'Connell Street Associates, the Australian Institute of Company Directors and Chief Executive Women.

Non-executive director of Autosports Group Ltd (appointed October 2016),

Non-executive director of Transurban Group (appointed 1 December 2021).

Non-executive director of Pro-Pac Packaging Ltd (appointed 2018, resigned 23 November 2021),

Non-executive director of Booktopia Group Ltd (appointed November 2020, resigned 31 March 2022)

Member of the Audit and Risk Management Committee

27,407 ordinary shares

None

None

Name:

Title:

Qualifications:

Experience and expertise:

Other current directorships¹:

Former directorships (last 3 years)²:

Special responsibilities:

Interests in shares:

Interests in options:

Contractual rights to shares:

Kate Morris

Executive Director (part-time)

(Transitioned to Non-Executive Director from 1st July 2023)

B.Bus. (Management)

Kate is a co-founder of Adore Beauty, and was Director and joint CEO with James Height since the Company's formation in 2000 until 2018 when she became an Executive Director. Kate is a two-time winner of the Telstra Business Women's Awards (2010 and 2014), and the first woman to be awarded the Industry Recognition Award for e-commerce at the StarTrack ORIA's in 2017. She resigned from her role as Chief Innovation Office at Adore Beauty on 30 June 2023.

Nil

Nil

Chief of Innovation (resigned 30 June 2023)

Member of the People and Remuneration Committee

10,400,000 ordinary shares

None

None

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Name:

James Height
Executive Director (part-time)
(Transitioned to Non-Executive Director from 1st July 2023)
B.Arts, B.Law, MBusMgt
James is a co-founder of Adore Beauty, and was Director and joint CEO since the Company's formation in 2000 until 2018 and then sole CEO between 2018 and August 2020. James was most recently the Chief Data Officer at Adore Beauty before resigning on 30 June 2023.

Title: Nil

Qualifications: Nil

Experience and expertise: Nil

Other current directorships¹: Nil

Former directorships (last 3 years)²: Nil

Special responsibilities: Chief of Data and Analytics (resigned 30 June 2023)

Interests in shares: 10,400,000 ordinary shares

Interests in options: None

Contractual rights to shares: None

Name:

Sandra Birkenleigh
Non-Executive Director
B.Com
Sandra is an experienced independent non-executive director. She serves on the boards of a diverse range of entities across financial services, convenience, retail and resource companies. Sandra was formerly a partner of PwC for 16 years. Sandra is a member of the Institute of Chartered Accountants in Australia and New Zealand, a member of the Australia Institute of Company Directors and a life member of the Governance, Risk and Compliance Institute of Australia and a Certified Compliance Professional (Fellow).

Title: Nil

Qualifications: Nil

Experience and expertise: Nil

Other current directorships¹: Non-executive director of Horizon Oil Ltd (appointed February 2016)
Non-executive director and Chair of Auswide Bank Ltd (appointed January 2015)

Former directorships (last 3 years)²: Nil

Special responsibilities: Chair of the Audit and Risk Management Committee
Member of the People and Remuneration Committee

Interests in shares: 7,407 ordinary shares

Interests in options: None

Contractual rights to shares: None

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Name: Lisa Hennessy
Title: Non-Executive Director
Qualifications: B.Sci (Electrical Engineering), MBA, GAICD
Experience and expertise: Lisa has extensive non-executive director experience across listed, private and not-for-profit organisations. Lisa is currently a Non-Executive Director of ASX listed Cleanspace Holdings Limited and served as Lead Independent and Non-Executive Director of Nitro Software Limited. Previously, Ms Hennessy has held executive roles within global organisations and enterprise software businesses, including Bain, General Electric and Del Monte Foods working across the USA, Australia and EMEA. Lisa is a graduate of Australian Institute of Company Directors

Other current directorships¹: Non-executive director of Cleanspace Holdings Ltd (appointed December 2021)

Former directorships (last 3 years)²: Non-executive director of Nitro Software Ltd (Resigned March 2023)

Special responsibilities: Chair of the People and Remuneration Committee
Member of the Audit and Risk Management Committee

Interests in shares: 50,000 ordinary shares
Interests in options: None
Contractual rights to shares: None

Joint Company Secretaries

Stephanie Carroll (BEC.) has held the role of Company Secretary since October 2020. Stephanie is Chief Financial Officer (CFO) of the Company. Stephanie is a Certified Practising Accountant and holds a Bachelor of Economics (Honours) from the University of Sydney.

Melissa Jones has held the role of Company Secretary since October 2020. Melissa is the General Manager of Company Matters, Link Group's governance and Company secretarial team. Melissa has over 20 years' experience as a lawyer, Company secretary and governance professional. Melissa is admitted as a Solicitor of the Supreme Court of New South Wales and holds a Bachelor of Laws (Honours).

Meetings of directors

The number of meetings of the Company's Board of Directors ('the Board') and of each Board committee held during the year ended 30 June 2023, and the number of meetings attended by each director were:

	Full board		People and Remuneration Committee		Audit and Risk Management Committee	
	Attended	Held	Attended	Held	Attended	Held
Marina Go	15	15			4	4
Kate Morris	14	15	4	4		
James Height	15	15				
Sandra Birkenleigh	15	15	4	4	4	4
Lisa Hennessy	15	15	4	4	4	4

Held: represents the number of meetings held during the time the director held office or was a member of the relevant committee.

The Board also convenes special committee meetings from time to time as may be required. There were two special purpose Board committee meetings held during the year.

1. Other current directorships' quoted above are current directorships for listed entities only and excludes directorships of all other types of entities, unless otherwise stated.
2. 'Former directorships (last 3 years)' quoted above are directorships held in the last 3 years for listed entities only and excludes directorships of all other types of entities, unless otherwise stated.

Remuneration Report

Dear Shareholder,

On behalf of the Board, we are pleased to present Adore Beauty's Remuneration Report for the financial year ended 30 June 2023.

Overview

- **Financial Performance**

The 2023 financial year saw the delivery of \$180.6 million in revenue, which was a decrease of 9.6% on the previous year but up 14% on a 3-year CAGR basis. FY23 was a year in a post lockdown environment, cycling periods of significant growth. It was also a year with some headwinds – including a return to bricks and mortar stores versus online, challenges in consumer sentiment and inflationary cost pressures. Improvements were seen in the second half of the financial year, with revenue returning to year-on-year growth and operational efficiency and cost management a key focus.

Customer loyalty proved resilient through FY23, with returning customers up 4% on the prior corresponding period and 31% on a 3-year CAGR basis. Gross profit margin was 32.8%, down 0.5 percentage points on prior year, improving in the second half.

Management worked through the year to deliver strategic initiatives aimed at driving long-term growth for Adore Beauty, including further support for the loyalty proposition, promotion of the Mobile App, plus increasing the product offer with further development in private label.

Our People

At Adore Beauty, team and culture are fundamental to the achievement of business goals and to the future success of the consolidated entity.

In January 2023 new Chief Executive Officer (CEO) Tamalin Morton joined the business, bringing significant retail experience from over two decades' retail leadership, including CEO, General Manager and Chief Operating Officer roles at Best Friends Pets and My Pet Warehouse, Australian Pharmaceutical Industries' Priceline (API), Kathmandu, and Spotlight Retail Group. The appointment also created the opportunity to review and re-focus on the strategic plan and opportunities.

With respect to people, there were several initiatives that were delivered in the financial year. Work was done to increase flexibility and wellbeing options available to all our employees, and the business was runner up in the AFR BOSS Best Places to Work list in 2023, in the retail hospitality and tourism category. In addition to our flexibility initiatives, the business continued its commitment to Diversity and Inclusion efforts in a number of key areas. These initiatives include early work on our first Reflect Reconciliation Action Plan (RAP) and the inclusion of an Acknowledgement of Country on our website. Other initiatives in 2023 were focused on greater allyship with the LGBTQIA+ community.

In 2023 the business also invested in both our Work Health & Safety and learning management systems to further enable our employees and enhance their overall employee experience, with Health & Safety remaining the top priority for Adore Beauty.

- **Key Management Personnel (KMP) Changes**

In August 2022, after 2 years of employment at Adore Beauty, Tennealle O'Shannessy resigned as CEO, with an effective end date of 30 December 2022. Following an extensive executive search, Tamalin Morton was appointed our new CEO, commencing on 9 January 2023.

As part of their planned transition, Kate Morris and James Height stepped down as Executive Directors on 30 June 2023. Both remain on the Board in their new capacity as Non-Executive Directors.

- **Remuneration Changes during the financial year**

Fixed Remuneration

As outlined in last year's report, the Board conducted a detailed remuneration benchmarking exercise for KMP. The People and Remuneration Committee considered Australian remuneration practices and benchmarks to ensure that we continuously attract, motivate and retain top talent in a highly competitive talent market. This included consideration of predominantly ASX-listed financially comparable company benchmarks, recognising that Adore Beauty primarily competes for talent in this market.

The total target CEO and CFO remuneration is in line with the Board's target of 50th percentile of benchmarked roles against participating companies with headcount 100 - 350; revenue \$100m - \$400m; excluding ASX 300. This review resulted in a market adjustment for the CFO (refer section 2a).

STI

Performance targets are linked directly to company financial results for FY23 and individual performance including alignment with values and behaviours. This plan was introduced in FY22 to retain and provide an incentive to Executive Management KMP and provides them with an 'at risk' incentive to remain clearly focused on the elements of the strategic plan that mostly impact profitable growth.

FY23 outcomes for Executive Management KMP (excluding incoming CEO Tamalin Morton) were based on the company full year results, with the overlay of an individual performance modifier. The CFO received no payment under the full year plan.

The Board approved a modified STI plan for the incoming CEO that focused on results for the second half of FY23, reflecting the period of her employment. Payment at 100% of target (100% of maximum) was approved for the CEO.

LTI

The first offer under the LTIP approved by shareholders at the FY22 AGM resulted in a rights award for the CFO. These awards will vest at the end of FY25, subject to achievement of relative Total Shareholder Returns (rTSR) and revenue growth targets (refer section 2c).

As announced at the time of the CEO's appointment, the Board structured a sign-on equity package of both options and performance rights (refer section 6). In determining the structure and quantum for this equity award, the Board took into consideration practices and benchmarks to ensure that Adore Beauty is able to attract, motivate and retain top talent while maintaining its alignment with increasing shareholder value.

Looking ahead to FY24

To focus on performance and retention, the Board will place a greater proportion of remuneration 'at risk' for KMP and senior executives. This includes increasing STI targets and limiting fixed remuneration increases. The stretch target has been increased to drive outperformance.

Goals will remain focused on profitable revenue growth.

Conclusion

FY23 was a year in a post lockdown environment, cycling periods of significant growth. The normalised environment saw consumers return to bricks and mortar stores, impacting online retail sales. It was also a year with some challenges in consumer sentiment and inflationary cost pressures.

Looking ahead to FY24, we see growth opportunities for the business. With this in mind, we are focused on ensuring our remuneration framework is market competitive, to support our business growth strategy whilst also reinforcing our strong company values and maintaining alignment to the expectations of our stakeholders.

Sincerely,

Lisa Hennessy
People and Remuneration Committee

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1. **Reward Overview**
 - a. **What does this report cover?**

The remuneration report provides a summary of remuneration arrangements for the consolidated entity's Key Management Personnel (KMP) for the financial year ended 30 June 2023. This report has been prepared in accordance with the requirements of the Corporations Act 2001 and its Regulations and subsequently audited by Adore Beauty's External Auditor.

- b. **Key Management Personnel (KMP)**

In this Report we refer to 'Executive KMP' which includes the Chief Executive Officer (CEO), Chief Financial Officer (CFO), the Executive Director & Chief of Data and Analytics, and the Executive Director & Chief of Innovation. Whilst the term 'Executive Management KMP' refers to the CEO and CFO only.

KMP are those persons having authority and responsibility for planning, directing and controlling the activities of the entity, directly or indirectly, including all directors.

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Remuneration report
30 June 2023

The KMP of the consolidated entity are outlined in the following table:

Name	Title	Independent	Term
Non-Executive Directors			
Marina Go	Non-Executive Chair	Yes	Full financial year
Sandra Birkenleigh	Non-Executive Director	Yes	Full financial year
Lisa Hennessy	Non-Executive Director	Yes	Full financial year
Executive Directors			
James Height	Executive Director & Chief of Data and Analytics	No	Full financial year. Transition to Non-Executive Director 1 July 2023
Kate Morris	Executive Director & Chief of Innovation	No	Full financial year. Transition to Non-Executive Director 1 July 2023
Executive Management			
Tamalin Morton	Chief Executive Officer		Appointed as Chief Executive Officer on 9 January 2023
Tennealle O'Shannessy	Chief Executive Officer		Resigned as Chief Executive Officer on 10 August 22, with an effective end date of 30 December 2022
Stephanie Carroll	Chief Financial Officer		Full financial year

c. Role of the People and Remuneration Committee

The People and Remuneration Committee is responsible for determining and reviewing remuneration arrangements for its directors and executives. The remuneration philosophy is to attract, motivate and retain experienced and high performing personnel.

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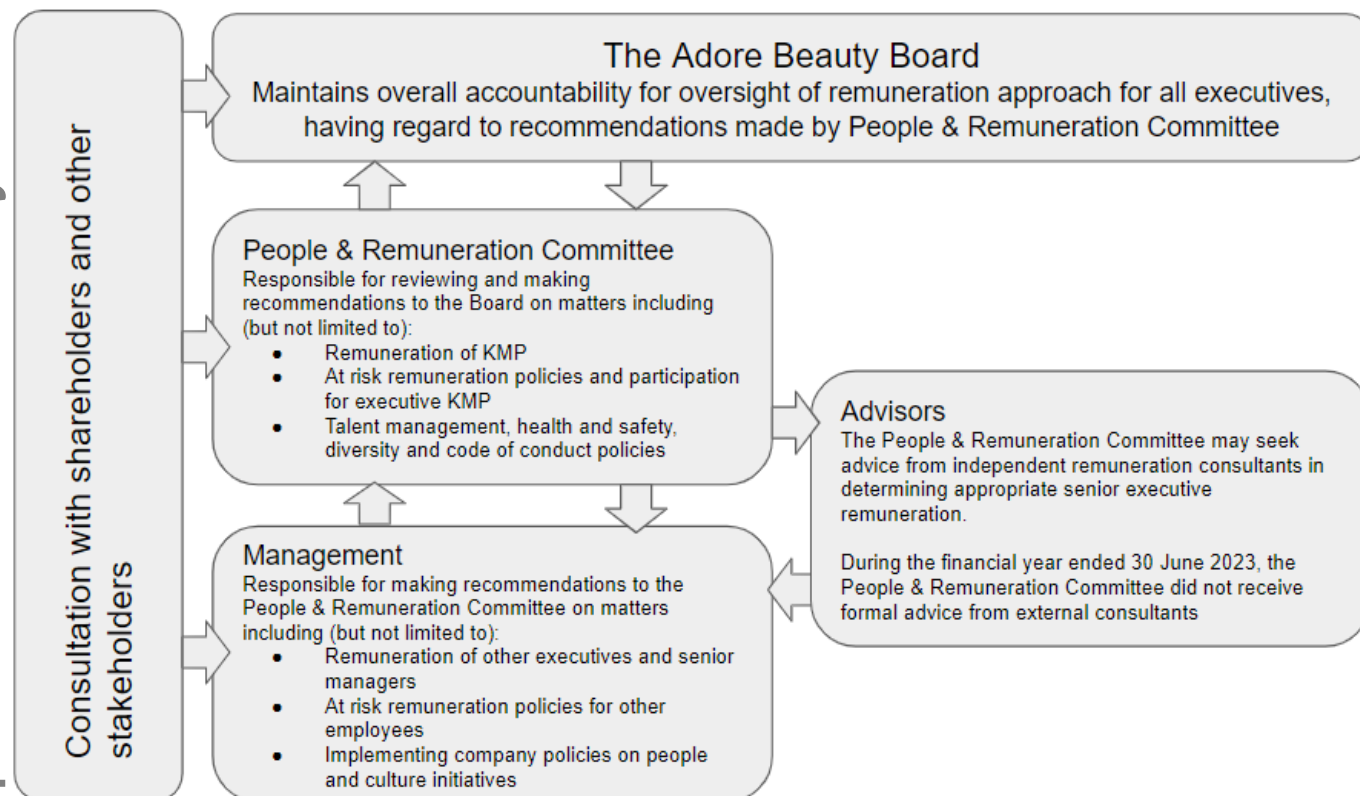
d. Governance framework

The reward framework is designed to align executive reward to shareholders' interests. The Board maintains overall accountability for the oversight of the remuneration approach for all Adore Beauty Executives and Non-Executive Directors (NED), having regard to the recommendations made by the People and Remuneration Committee. More information on the Board's role and Adore Beauty corporate governance policies for KMP can be found on Adore Beauty's website at:

<https://www.adorebeautygroup.com.au/investor-centre/>

In accordance with best practice corporate governance, the structure of Non-Executive Director, Executive Director, and Executive KMP remuneration is separate.

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During the financial year ended 30 June 2023, the People and Remuneration Committee did not obtain advice or a recommendation from any remuneration consultants.

e. Remuneration framework

The executive reward framework consists of the following components:

- fixed remuneration, comprising base salary and Company contributions to superannuation;
- short-term performance incentive;
- retention incentive;
- long term performance incentive; and
- non-monetary benefits

In combination, these components comprise the executive's total reward as outlined in the table below. As part of their development, the Executive Management KMP remuneration at Adore Beauty has been evolving so that for FY23, the table below reflects our remuneration framework.

For FY23 a modified remuneration framework for the CEO was approved by the Board, upon commencement date in role (9 January 2023). The structure included fixed remuneration, a modified short-term incentive (detailed in section 2B) and a sign-on equity package (detailed in section 6).

Remuneration Component	Payment Vehicle	Benchmark	Performance Measures	Link to Strategy	
Fixed Remuneration	Cash Salary and Retirement Benefits (i)	Reference to the market median remuneration for similar roles in ASX listed companies of similar size to Adore Beauty.	Scope and responsibilities of role; together with skills, experience, and performance of individual.	Market competitive fixed remuneration is paid to attract, motivate, and retain Executive KMP with the appropriate experience and talent to drive Adore Beauty's strategy.	
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Variable Remuneration	Short-term Incentive (STI)	Any award achieved will be delivered, following the release of end of year results as a cash payment.	Target opportunity based on a % of base salary (varies by role). Maximum opportunity of 120% of target.	Key Adore Beauty financial measures are used to determine any STI award payable. These measures represent the key priority areas for the current year. The measures relate to profit, revenue, and growth. An individual performance overlay applies.	Provides a reward linked to the delivery of short-term (1 year) objectives.
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	Retention Incentive	Deferred cash award in FY22, with payments made in FY23 and due in FY24.	Award based on a % of base salary, payable in 2 tranches.	Tenure together with ongoing satisfactory (or better) performance.	In the absence of an Executive LTI grant in FY22, this one-off award provides a bridge to the FY23 LTI grant due to vest in 2025.
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Long-Term Incentive (LTI)	Performance Rights with vesting based on the delivery of set performance measures over a 3-year performance period. Grants are made using market value.	Grant based on a % of base salary.	External Measure: Relative Total Shareholder Return (50%) + Internal Measure: Revenue Growth (with EBITDA margin underpin) 50%	The LTI builds Executive KMP equity ownership. It aligns the interests of KMP with shareholders.	
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Total Remuneration		On-target level based on market median for companies of similar size to Adore Beauty.			

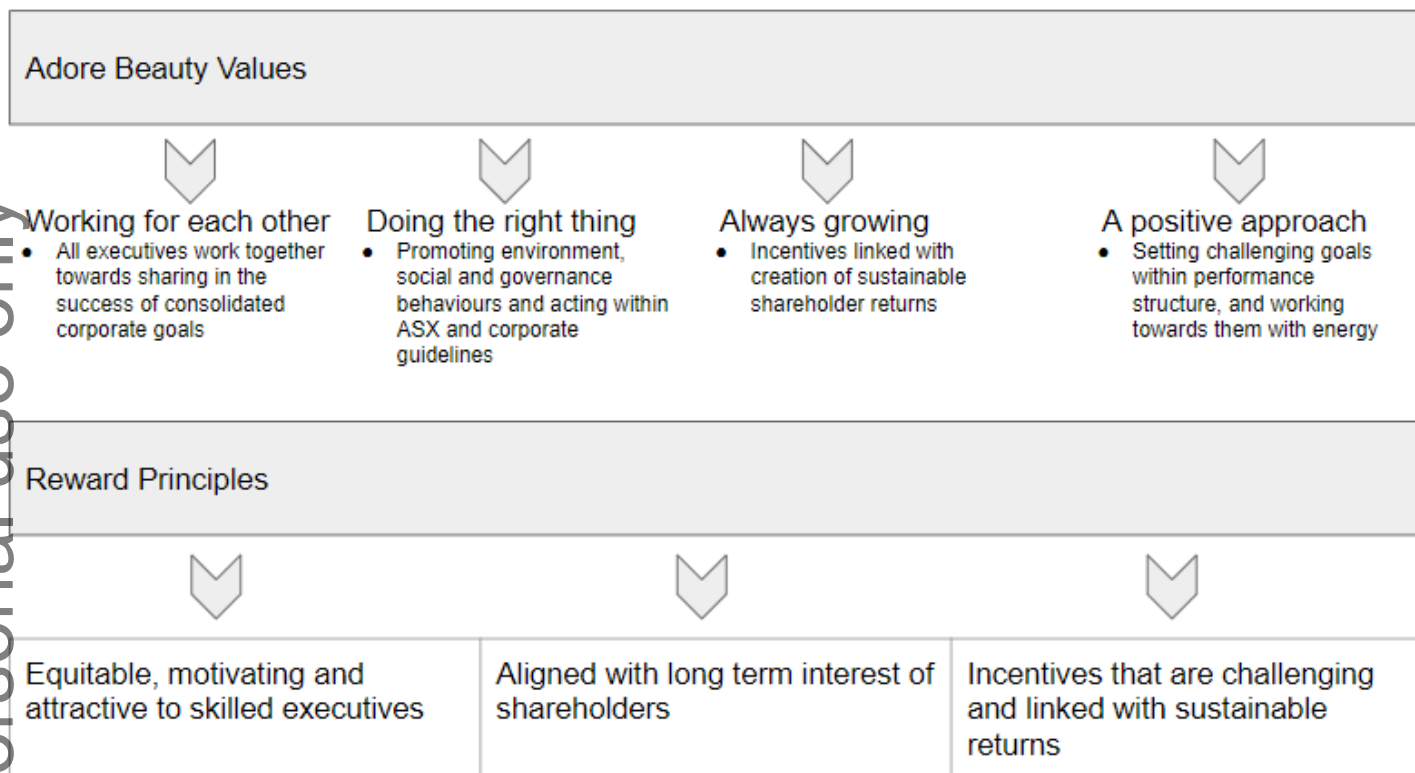
(i) Retirement Benefits are delivered under defined contribution superannuation funds for all KMP. Retirement benefits are set by reference to relevant legislation.

f. Reward Principles

The structure of Adore Beauty remuneration is aligned to business outcomes that deliver value to shareholders. Systems of evaluation for performance of senior executives are based on predetermined KPIs, including alignment with our values.

The Board retains discretion on variable remuneration to mitigate the risk of unintended consequences and to alter outcomes in certain circumstances.

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2. Executive Remuneration

a. Fixed remuneration

During the year ended 30 June 2023 the Board undertook a comprehensive benchmarking exercise to explore the peer group relativity of fixed remuneration, as well as consideration of market position at total target remuneration. This considered the relative size, revenue, and industry of comparator companies within Australia. In recognising that the roles have changed since the listing, the Board thought it prudent to review benchmarks now to ensure that Executive Management KMP of the appropriate calibre and experience are retained and attracted as Adore Beauty builds out its growth strategy in an ASX listed environment.

Following the comprehensive benchmarking exercise, a fixed remuneration increase of 27.5% was approved for the CFO. This recognises the increased responsibilities as CFO of a listed entity. Accompanying the remuneration increase, the notice period for the CFO was increased from 3 months to 6 months, reflecting the key nature of the role. In line with the Superannuation Guarantee legislation, an adjustment was made effective 1 July 2022 to company contributions for Executive KMP.

b. Short term remuneration

The maximum incentive for the CFO was limited to \$79,200. Upon appointment in January 2023, a tailored STI plan was established for the CEO for the remainder of FY23. The maximum incentive offered to the CEO upon appointment in January 2023 was limited to \$100,000 for FY23. The Executive Directors did not participate in the STI program.

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While retaining the STI performance metrics of Revenue and EBITDA, the Board made EBITDA both a gateway and a target for FY23. This lifted the importance of EBITDA from purely a gateway to amplify the focus on profitable growth in FY23.

Who was invited to participate?	The CEO and CFO were the only KMP who were invited to participate in FY23. The Executive Directors did not participate. Other members of senior management were also eligible to participate, provided they were employed on 1 January 2023 (minimum of 6 months service).
What is the performance measurement period?	For CFO the corresponding performance period was 1 July 2022 - 30 June 2023 For CEO the corresponding performance period was 1 January 2023 – 30 June 2023
What were potential earnings?	The CFO had a target opportunity based on a percentage of base salary as follows: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 20% of base salary at target (24% at maximum, ie \$79,200 at maximum) • For FY23 the maximum STI opportunity was 120% of the target opportunity. The CEO had a maximum opportunity of \$100,000 for FY23.
How is it paid?	The CFO receives their reward in cash. The CEO receives their reward as 50% in cash and 50% in the form of Adore Beauty equity. Superannuation may be payable, subject to the Superannuation Guarantee and Maximum Contribution Base.
Is there a gateway?	Yes, there is a minimum level of financial performance that must be reached to ensure alignment with shareholder interests.
How is performance measured?	For the CFO, the STI is based on two equally weighted financial components: Revenue and underlying EBITDA; and individual performance. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Financial Results: three levels of performance (threshold, target and stretch) are based on Company budget. For FY23 target EBITDA must be achieved for any payment to be made. • Individual Performance: The individual performance rating may reduce the payment. The maximum individual performance modifier is 100%. Performance between target and stretch, the payment is based on straight line interpolation. Results between threshold and target are a cliff payment, there is no linear interpolation. The Board reserves the right to exercise discretion. The approved plan for the CEO relating to H2 is based on two equally weighted financial components: Revenue and operating EBITDA (i.e. full year EBITDA less Share Based Payment expenses). <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Financial Results: One metric each for revenue and operating EBITDA based on approved level for H2.
When is it paid?	The STI award is determined after the end of the financial year following a review of performance against measures. Payments are made in September, following the release of statutory audited results.
What happens if a participant leaves?	If a participant resigns or is terminated prior to payment, no STI is awarded. The Board reserves the right to apply discretion in the case of a participant leaving due to ill health, death, redundancy or other circumstances.

At the end of the 2023 financial year, the Board met to review performance against the established STI targets and consequent payments.

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Neither EBITDA nor Revenue targets for the full year plan were met, resulting in no STI payment being made to the CFO.

The Revenue and EBITDA thresholds for the CEO's H2 plan were reached, resulting in a payment of \$100,000, 50% to be paid in cash and 50% as equity.

Name	STI maximum % of base salary	Actual Outcome		Actual Earned as % of Maximum Opportunity
		STI earned as % of base salary	Total STI earned \$	
Tamalin Morton	39.2%	39.2%	\$100,000	100%
Stephanie Carroll	24%	-	-	-

c. Long term Remuneration

Equity awards were made to Executive Management KMP and selected senior employees under the new Long Term Incentive Plan,

Who was invited to participate?	The CFO was the only KMP who was invited to participate in FY23. The Executive Directors did not participate. Other members of senior management were also invited to participate. The CEO did not participate in the FY23 LTI Plan, but was offered a sign-on equity package upon commencement (refer section 6)
How is it paid?	Awards are in the form of performance rights. Each performance right is a right to acquire one ordinary share at no cost to the participant, subject to meeting vesting conditions over the performance period.
What is the performance period?	3 years: 1 July 2022 – 30 June 2025
What are potential earnings?	The CFO has the opportunity of up to 20% of base salary.
How is performance measured?	<p>Awards are determined by performance against two equally weighted measures:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Relative Total Shareholder Return (rTSR) against a peer group determined by the Board prior to the offer. Revenue Growth, subject to an EBITDA margin hurdle. <p>Performance is measured for each of the above measurements at the end of the three-year performance period.</p>
How are payouts determined?	<p>Awards are subject to two equally weighted measures: a market measure – Relative TSR; and a non-market measure – Compound Annual Growth Rate, with an EBITDA margin hurdle.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Relative TSR (50% weighting) <p>The Company's TSR over the performance period will be assessed against selected companies in retail and ecommerce (TSR Peer Group) at 30 June 2025 to assess performance.</p> <p>The proportion of performance shares that will vest will be determined by calculating the percentile ranking of the Company's TSR performance relative to the TSR performance of the TSR Peer Group in line with the following vesting schedule:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Below 50th %ile - no vesting At 50th %ile - 50% vesting 75th %ile or above - full (100%) vesting <ul style="list-style-type: none"> If the RTSR ranking is between 50th and 75th %ile, pro-rata straight line vesting

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	<p>will occur between 50% and 100%</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Revenue growth (50% weighting) with minimum EBITDA margin gateway <p>If the EBITDA margin hurdle has been achieved at the end of the performance period (as defined in the Company's long-term plan), revenue growth targets will be tested. The proportion of performance shares that will vest will be determined by the revenue CAGR targets in line with the following vesting schedule:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Less than target revenue CAGR - nil vesting ○ At target revenue CAGR - 50% vesting ○ At or above stretch revenue CAGR - full (100%) vesting <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ If the CAGR% is between target and stretch, pro-rata straight line vesting will occur between 50% and 100%
Are there any malus or clawback provisions?	Malus and clawback apply to any awards made under this plan
What happens if a participant leaves?	<p>If a participant is classified as a 'bad leaver' (resigns or is terminated with cause or due to poor performance), all unvested awards will be forfeited or lapse.</p> <p>The Board reserves the right to apply discretion in the case of a 'good leaver' (leaving due to ill health, death, redundancy or other circumstances). In this case, a pro-rated portion of unvested awards may remain 'on foot' and be subject to applicable vesting provisions.</p>

d. Service agreements

Remuneration and other terms of employment for Executive KMP are formalised in service agreements. Details of these agreements are as follows:

Name: Tamalin Morton

Title: Chief Executive Officer

Agreement commenced: 9 January 2023

Term of agreement: Ongoing employment

Details: Base salary for the year ending 30 June 2023 of \$510,000 plus superannuation capped at the maximum contribution base as referred to in the *Superannuation Guarantee Administration Act 1992 (Cth)*. Base salary is reviewed annually by the People and Remuneration Committee. Eligible to participate in short-term and long-term incentive programs. 6-month termination notice by either party, non-solicitation and non-compete clauses.

Name: Stephanie Carroll

Title: Chief Financial Officer

Agreement commenced: 20 April 2020

Term of agreement: Ongoing employment

Details: Base salary for the year ending 30 June 2023 of \$330,000 plus superannuation capped at the maximum contribution base as referred to in the *Superannuation Guarantee Administration Act 1992 (Cth)*. Base salary is reviewed annually by the People and Remuneration Committee. Eligible to participate in short-term and long-term incentive programs. 6-month termination notice by either party, non-solicitation and non-compete clauses.

Key management personnel have no entitlement to termination payments in the event of removal for misconduct.

e. Looking ahead to FY24

FY23 saw the final element of the remuneration mix introduced; the LTIP. The Executive Management KMP remuneration mix has developed from purely fixed remuneration to a balance of fixed and variable remuneration. In FY24, we do not intend to make significant changes, but consolidate the existing offer.

In compliance with the increase in the Superannuation Guarantee rate, an adjustment was made for Executive KMP that was effective from 1 July 2023. For clarification, all contributions to superannuation for KMP are made in line with the Superannuation Guarantee rate, limited by the Maximum Contribution Base.

3. Non-Executive Directors' remuneration

Fees and payments to Non-Executive Directors reflect the demands and responsibilities of their role. Non-Executive Directors' fees and payments are reviewed annually by the People and Remuneration Committee. The People and Remuneration Committee may, from time to time, receive advice from independent remuneration consultants to ensure Non-Executive Directors' fees and payments are appropriate and in line with the market. The Chair's fees are determined independently to the fees of other Non-Executive Directors based on comparative roles in the external market. The Chair is not present at any discussions relating to the determination of their own remuneration. Non-Executive Directors do not receive cash or equity incentives.

The maximum aggregate Directors' remuneration for the purposes of the ASX Listing Rules and the Constitution is \$800,000 per annum of which \$440,000 is currently used.

The following annual fees are payable to Non-Executive Directors:

- Chair – Marina Go \$200,000
- Non-Executive Director – Sandra Birkenleigh \$100,000
- Non-Executive Director – Lisa Hennessy \$100,000

The following annual committee fees are payable to the Chair of the Audit and Risk Management Committee and the People and Remuneration Committee:

- Audit and Risk Management Committee – Sandra Birkenleigh \$20,000
- People and Remuneration Committee – Lisa Hennessy \$20,000

Directors do not receive any additional fees for being a member of a Board committee. All Directors' fees include superannuation payments required by law.

Details of the Non-Executive Directors' remuneration during the reporting period are given in the table below:

	Year	Cash salary and fees	Superannuation	Total
Non-Executive Directors:				
Marina Go	2023	\$180,996	\$19,004	\$200,000
	2022	\$171,612	\$17,161	\$188,773
Sandra Birkenleigh	2023	\$108,597	\$11,403	\$120,000
	2022	\$112,727	\$11,273	\$124,000
Lisa Hennessy (i)	2023	\$108,597	\$11,403	\$120,000
	2022	\$8,264	\$826	\$9,090
Total of Non-Executive Directors	2023	\$398,190	\$41,810	\$440,000
	2022	\$292,603	\$29,260	\$321,863

(i) Represents remuneration from 3 June 2022 to 30 June 2022.

4. Share-based compensation

Issue of shares

The CFO was awarded 41,512 Performance Rights during FY23 that will vest at the end of FY25, subject to achievement of rTSR and revenue growth targets (refer section 2c).

The CEO was awarded 1,500,000 Performance Rights in 3 tranches on commencement of employment. The performance conditions for vesting are outlined in section 6.

Issue of options

500,000 options over ordinary shares were granted to the CEO upon commencement of employment. These will vest, subject to continued employment over a three-year period from the commencement date (9 January 2023):

- 100,000 Options to vest on the six-month anniversary of the Commencement Date; and
- the remaining 400,000 Options to vest on a quarterly basis following the six-month anniversary of the Commencement Date and ending on the three-year anniversary of the Commencement Date in equal tranches. Refer to section 6.

5. Company performance and remuneration outcomes

Consolidated entity performance and link to remuneration

Remuneration for certain individuals is directly linked to the performance of the consolidated entity. Incentive Payments are at the discretion of the People and Remuneration Committee. Refer to the tables below for details of the earnings and total shareholders return for the last two years.

The key financial metrics of the consolidated entity for the two years to 30 June 2023 are summarised below:

	2023 \$'000	2022 \$'000
Sales revenue	180,588	199,660
Operating EBITDA (i)	90	6,019
Reported EBITDA (ii)	632	5,337
(Loss)/profit before income tax	(1,451)	3,307

(i) Operating EBITDA represents Earnings Before Share Based Payments, Interest, Tax, Depreciation and Amortisation.

(ii) Reported EBITDA represents Earnings Before Interest, Tax, Depreciation and Amortisation.

The factors that are considered to affect total shareholders return ('TSR') are summarised below:

	2023	2022
Share price at financial year end (\$)	\$0.80	\$1.05
Total dividends declared (cents per share)	Nil	Nil
Basic earnings per share (cents per share)	(0.59c)	2.53c

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Details of the Executive Directors' remuneration during the reporting period are given in the table below:

	Year	Short-term benefits			Post-employment benefits	Long-term benefits	Share-based payments		Total
		Cash salary and fees	Cash Bonus	Annual leave	Superannuation	Long service leave	Equity settled shares	Equity settled options/rights	
Executive Directors:									
Kate Morris (i)	2023	\$189,989	-	(\$3,617)	\$19,509	(\$4,020)	-	-	\$201,861
	2022	\$185,803	-	\$3,617	\$18,580	\$4,020	-	-	\$212,020
James Height (i)	2023	\$241,054	-	(\$12,751)	\$19,509	(\$4,865)	-	-	\$242,947
	2022	\$185,803	-	\$12,751	\$18,580	\$4,865	-	-	\$221,999
Other Key Management Personnel:									
Tamalin Morton (ii) (iv)	2023	\$246,607	\$50,000	\$18,775	\$12,646	\$253	\$50,000	\$236,275	\$614,556
	2022	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Tennealle O'Shannessy (iii) (vii) (viii)	2023	\$324,740		(\$27,664)	\$12,646	-	-	(\$934,400)	(\$624,678)
	2022	\$510,520	\$35,417	\$27,664	\$23,568	-	\$104,081	\$520,960	\$1,222,210
Stephanie Carroll (ix)	2023	\$330,520	\$45,900	\$40,241	\$25,292	\$4,451	\$4,238	\$62,893	\$513,535
	2022	\$255,520	\$48,450	\$11,643	\$23,568	-	\$10,408	\$46,933	\$396,522
Total of Executive Personnel	2023	\$1,332,910	\$95,900	\$14,984	\$89,604	(\$4,181)	\$54,238	(\$635,232)	\$948,224
	2022	\$1,137,646	\$83,867	\$55,675	\$84,296	\$8,885	\$114,489	\$567,893	\$2,052,751

(i) Cash salary and fees includes working from home allowance paid during COVID-19 lockdown periods.

(ii) Represents remuneration from 9 January to 30 June 2023.

(iii) Represents remuneration from 1 July to 30 December 2022.

(iv) Cash bonus includes STI payment for FY23.

(v) Share based payments represent the share based payment expense recognised under AASB 2. The negative amounts relate to options and rights forfeited during the year.

(vi) Non-monetary benefits reflect change in annual leave accrual between 30 June 2022 and 30 June 2023.

(vii) Includes payment of accrued and unused annual and long service leave upon end of executive employment.

(viii) Includes payment in lieu of notice.

(ix) Cash bonus for 2023 includes retention incentive paid in FY23, plus accounting accrual for retention incentive payable in FY24. Cash Bonus for 2022 includes STI payment for FY22 plus accounting accrual for retention incentive paid in FY23

6. Additional disclosures relating to key management personnel

Shareholding

The number of shares in the Company held during the financial year by each director and other members of key management personnel of the consolidated entity, including their personally related parties, is set out below:

	Balance at the start of the year	Received as part of remuneration	Additions (ii)/ Vested	Disposals/ Other	Balance at the end of the year
Kate Morris	10,400,000				10,400,000
James Height	10,400,000				10,400,000
Marina Go	27,407				27,407
Sandra Birkenleigh	7,407				7,407
Lisa Hennessy			50,000		50,000
Tamalin Morton (iii)					-
Tennealle O'Shannessy (i)	868,502			(217,125)	651,377
Stephanie Carroll (i)	86,850				86,850
	21,790,166	-	50,000	(217,125)	21,623,041

(i) Management shares are loan backed shares pursuant to which the Company has loaned participant monies to fund part or all of the purchase of management shares under a Management Equity Plan. The loan attaching to the shares is limited recourse and must be repaid out of any proceeds from the sale of the loan shares. Subject to the participant continuing to be employed or engaged by the Company or a subsidiary of the Company:

- (a) 25% of the loan shares will vest on completion of the IPO (6 October 2020),
- (b) a further 25% of the loan shares vested on 30 June 2021,
- (c) a further 25% of the loan shares vested on 30 June 2022, and
- (d) the final 25% of the loan shares vested on 30 June 2023.

(ii) Shares were purchased on market. No awards were made or vested during the year.

(iii) Tamalin Morton will be awarded shares as part of remuneration as part of her FY23 STI award (refer section 2b). These have not yet been awarded so the number of shares is not confirmed.

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Reconciliation of options movement (detailing awards, vested outcome, and expiry during the year)

Executive	Plan	Year	Grant Date	Fair Value at Grant	Exercise Price	Expiry Date	Movement					At 30 June 2023		
							1-Jul-22	Granted (awards)	Exercised	Other changes	30-Jun-23	Vested	Unvested	Exercisable
Tamalin Morton	Options	2023	27-Jan-23	\$0.52	\$1.53	27-Jan-33	-	500,000	-	-	500,000	-	500,000	-
Tamalin Morton	Performance Rights	2023	27-Jan-23	\$0.30	\$0.00	30-Nov-26	-	1,500,000	-	-	1,500,000	-	1,500,000	-
Tennealle O'Shannessy	Options	2021	6-Oct-20	\$3.52	\$6.75	30-Jun-26	555,000	-	-	(555,000)	-	-	-	-
Stephanie Carroll	Options	2021	6-Oct-20	\$3.52	\$6.75	30-Jun-26	50,000	-	-	-	50,000	-	50,000	-
Stephanie Carroll	Performance Rights	2023	15-Nov-22	\$1.64	\$0.00	30-Sep-27	-	41,512	-	-	41,512	-	41,512	-

The vesting conditions for the awards are detailed below.

2021 Options

Options will vest based on performance of the Company measured at the end of the performance period at 30 June 2024, subject to participant's continued employment. Of the total number of options granted:

- 50% are subject to the satisfaction of a vesting condition relating to the Company's revenue at the end of the performance period (Revenue component); and
- 50% are subject to the satisfaction of a vesting condition relating to the Company's EBITDA growth during the performance period (EBITDA component).

Revenue component

In order for any options in the Revenue component to vest, a threshold level of performance must be achieved. The percentage of options comprising the Revenue component that vest, if any, will be determined over the performance period by reference to the below vesting schedule.

Company's revenue at the end of the performance period and % of options that vest:

- Less than threshold revenue – Nil
- Equal to threshold revenue – 50%
- Between threshold and maximum revenue – Straight line pro-rata vesting between 50% and 100%
- At or above maximum revenue – 100%

Threshold and maximum level of performance set by the Board.

EBITDA component

In order for any options in the EBITDA component to vest, a threshold level of performance must be achieved. The percentage of options comprising the EBITDA component that vest, if any, will be determined over the performance period by reference to the below vesting schedule.

Company's EBITDA at the end of the performance period and % of options that vest.

- Less than threshold EBITDA – Nil
- Equal to threshold EBITDA – 50%
- Between threshold and maximum EBITDA – Straight line pro-rata vesting between 50% and 100%

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- At or above maximum EBITDA – 100%
Threshold and maximum level of performance set by the Board.

Performance will not be retested if any of the Vesting Conditions are not satisfied at the end of the performance period. Any options that remain unvested at the end of the performance period will lapse immediately.

2023 Performance Rights (S Carroll)

Performance Rights will vest based on performance of the Company measured at the end of the performance period at 30 June 2025, subject to participant's continued employment. Of the total number of options granted:

- 50% are subject to the satisfaction of a vesting condition relating to the Company's relative Total Shareholder Return (rTSR) at the end of the performance period (TSR component); and
- 50% are subject to the satisfaction of a vesting condition relating to the Company's EBITDA growth at the end of the performance period (EBITDA component).

TSR component

In order for any options in the Revenue component to vest, a threshold level of performance must be achieved. The percentage of options comprising the TSR component that vest, if any, will be determined over the performance period by reference to the below vesting schedule.

Company's rTSR against comparator group at the end of the performance period and % of options that vest:

- Below 50th percentile – Nil
- Equal to 50th percentile – 50%
- Between 50th & 75th percentile – Straight line pro-rata vesting between 50% and 100%
- At or above 75th percentile – 100%

Threshold and maximum level of performance set by the Board.

EBITDA component

In order for any options in the EBITDA component to vest, a threshold level of performance must be achieved. The percentage of options comprising the EBITDA component that vest, if any, will be determined over the performance period by reference to the below vesting schedule.

Company's EBITDA at the end of the performance period and % of options that vest:

- Less than threshold EBITDA – Nil
- Equal to threshold EBITDA – 50%
- Between threshold and maximum EBITDA – Straight line pro-rata vesting between 50% and 100%
- At or above maximum EBITDA – 100%

Threshold and maximum level of performance set by the Board.

Performance will not be retested if any of the Vesting Conditions are not satisfied at the end of the performance period. Any options that remain unvested at the end of the performance period will lapse immediately.

2023 Performance Rights (T Morton)

Performance Rights awarded to the CEO upon commencement will vest, subject to participant's continued employment over the performance period (27 January 2023 to 27 November 2026) and to the Company's share price:

- Tranche 1 – 350,000 Performance Rights that vest if the VWAP of Adore Beauty shares for any consecutive 60 day period following the Grant Date reaches \$2.50 or higher.
- Tranche 2 – 500,000 Performance Rights that vest if the VWAP of Adore Beauty shares for any consecutive 60 day period following the Grant Date reaches \$4.75 or higher.
- Tranche 3 – 650,000 Performance Rights that vest if the VWAP of Adore Beauty shares for any consecutive 60 day period following the Grant Date reaches \$6.75 or higher.

If not vested prior, these performance rights lapse 90 days after FY26 results announcement.

2023 Options (T Morton)

Options awarded to the CEO upon commencement will vest, subject to continued employment (9 January 2023):

- 100,000 Options to vest on the six-month anniversary of the Commencement Date; and
- the remaining 400,000 Options to vest on a quarterly basis following the six-month anniversary of the Commencement Date and ending on the three year anniversary of the Commencement Date in equal tranches.

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Summary of Loan Funded Management Equity (detailing awards, vested outcome, and changes during the year)

Executive	Number of Loan Shares Held	Grant Date	Loan amount	Vesting	At 30 June 2023 Vested	At 30 June 2023 Unvested
Tennealle O'Shannessy	651,377	31-Aug-20	\$651,377	Subject to the participant continuing to be employed or engaged by the Company or a subsidiary of the Company: a. 25% of the Loan Shares vested on completion of the IPO; b. a further 25% of the Loan Shares vested on 30 June 2021; c. a further 25% of the Loan Shares vested on 30 June 2022; and d. the final 25% of the Loan Shares was due to vest on 30 June 2023. This tranche was forfeited as the participant resigned before vesting date.	651,377	-
Stephanie Carroll	86,850	31-Aug-20	\$86,850	Subject to the participant continuing to be employed or engaged by the Company or a subsidiary of the Company: a. 25% of the Loan Shares vested on completion of the IPO; b. a further 25% of the Loan Shares vested on 30 June 2021; c. a further 25% of the Loan Shares vested on 30 June 2022; and d. the final 25% of the Loan Shares vested on 30 June 2023.	86,850	-

Management shares are loan backed shares pursuant to which the Company has loaned participant monies to fund part or all of the purchase of management shares under a Management Equity Plan. The loan attaching to the shares is limited recourse and must be repaid out of any proceeds from the sale of the loan shares.

The final 25% tranche of Tennealle O'Shannessy's loan share plan was forfeited on the participant's resignation and as a result the shares were bought back by the Company.

Note: treatment of Loan Shares in the event that the participant ceases employment with the Company. If either participant:

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is a "Bad Leaver" she will be entitled to retain her vested Loan Shares and her unvested Loan Shares will be forfeited in accordance with the terms of the Loan Funded Share Plan Deed. The participant will be considered a "Bad Leaver" in circumstances where she is terminated as a result of gross misconduct, criminal activity, fraud, material breach of her employment contract, due to becoming disqualified from managing a corporation, poor performance or resignation by the participant other than where such resignation was caused by a material reduction in the compensation payable to the participant, a material reduction in the responsibilities of the participant or a material breach by Adore Beauty of the terms of the participant's employment contract.

Management Equity - Future Vesting Profile

Executive	Plan	Grant Year	Grant Amount	% Vesting previous periods	Vesting in FY23	% incentive at risk	Vesting % FY24	Movement			Comments
								Vesting % FY25	Vesting % FY26	Vesting % FY27	
Tamalin Morton	Options	2023	500,000	0%	0%	100%	44%	32%	24%		
	Performance Rights	2023	1,500,000	0%		100%					Rights vest subject to share price and lapse 27 th November 2026
Kennealle O'Shannessy	Options	2021	555,000	75%	0%	0%					All awards lapsed on resignation
	Loan Funded Management Equity Plan	2021	868,502	75%	0%	0%					25% awards lapsed on resignation
Stephanie Carroll	Options	2021	50,000	0%	0%	100%	100%				
	Loan Funded Management Equity Plan	2021	86,850	100%	0%	0%					
	Performance Rights	2023	41,512	0%	0%	100%		100%			

Other transactions with key management personnel and their related parties

During the financial year, payments for goods from director-related entities of Kate Morris and James Height of \$32,196 (2022: \$25,092) were made. The current trade payable balance as at 30 June 2023 was \$5,395 (2022: \$5,170). All transactions were made on normal commercial terms and conditions and at market rates.

This concludes the remuneration report, which has been audited.

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Shares under option

Unissued ordinary shares of Adore Beauty Group Limited under option at the date of this report are as follows:

Grant date	Expiry date	Exercise price	Number under option
6/10/2020	30/06/2026	\$6.75	50,000
27/01/2023	27/01/2033	\$1.53	500,000

No person entitled to exercise the options had or has any right by virtue of the option to participate in any share issue of the Company or of any other body corporate.

Shares issued on the exercise of options

No ordinary shares of Adore Beauty Group Limited were issued during the year ended 30 June 2023 and up to the date of this report on the exercise of options granted.

Indemnity and insurance of officers

The Company has indemnified the directors and executives of the Company for costs incurred, in their capacity as a director or executive, for which they may be held personally liable, except where there is a lack of good faith.

During the financial year, the Company paid a premium in respect of a contract to insure the directors and executives of the Company against a liability to the extent permitted by the Corporations Act 2001. The contract of insurance prohibits disclosure of the nature of the liability and the amount of the premium.

Indemnity and insurance of auditor

The Company has not, during or since the end of the financial year, indemnified or agreed to indemnify the auditor of the Company or any related entity against a liability incurred by the auditor.

During the financial year, the Company has not paid a premium in respect of a contract to insure the auditor of the Company or any related entity.

Proceedings on behalf of the Company

No person has applied to the Court under section 237 of the Corporations Act 2001 for leave to bring proceedings on behalf of the Company, or to intervene in any proceedings to which the Company is a party for the purpose of taking responsibility on behalf of the Company for all or part of those proceedings.

Non-audit services

Details of the amounts paid or payable to the auditor for non-audit services provided during the financial year by the auditor are outlined in note 21 to the financial statements.

The directors are satisfied that the provision of non-audit services during the financial year, by the auditor (or by another person or firm on the auditor's behalf), is compatible with the general standard of independence for auditors imposed by the Corporations Act 2001.

Adore Beauty Group Limited
Directors' report
30 June 2023

The directors are of the opinion that the services as disclosed in note 21 to the financial statements do not compromise the external auditor's independence requirements of the Corporations Act 2001 for the following reasons:

- all non-audit services have been reviewed and approved to ensure that they do not impact the integrity and objectivity of the auditor; and
- none of the services undermine the general principles relating to auditor independence as set out in APES 110 Code of Ethics for Professional Accountants issued by the Accounting Professional and Ethical Standards Board, including reviewing or auditing the auditor's own work, acting in a management or decision-making capacity for the Company, acting as advocate for the Company or jointly sharing economic risks and rewards.

Officers of the Company who are former partners of Grant Thornton Audit Pty Ltd

There are no officers of the Company who are former partners of Grant Thornton Audit Pty Ltd.

Rounding of amounts

The Company is of a kind referred to in Corporations Instrument 2016/191, issued by the Australian Securities and Investments Commission, relating to 'rounding-off'. Amounts in this report have been rounded off in accordance with that Corporations Instrument to the nearest thousand dollars, or in certain cases, the nearest dollar.

Auditor's independence declaration

A copy of the auditor's independence declaration as required under section 307C of the Corporations Act 2001 is set out immediately after this directors' report.

Auditor

Grant Thornton Audit Pty Ltd continues in office in accordance with section 327 of the Corporations Act 2001.

This report is made in accordance with a resolution of directors, pursuant to section 298(2)(a) of the Corporations Act 2001.

On behalf of the directors



Marina Go
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Auditor's Independence Declaration

To the Directors of Adore Beauty Group Limited

In accordance with the requirements of section 307C of the *Corporations Act 2001*, as lead auditor for the audit of Adore Beauty Group Limited for the year ended 30 June 2023, I declare that, 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.

Grant Thornton

Grant Thornton Audit Pty Ltd
Chartered Accountants

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C S Gangemi
Partner – Audit & Assurance

Melbourne, 23 August 2023

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General information

The financial statements cover Adore Beauty Group Limited as a consolidated entity consisting of Adore Beauty Group Limited and the entities it controlled at the end of, or during, the year. The financial statements are presented in Australian dollars, which is Adore Beauty Group Limited's functional and presentation currency.

Adore Beauty Group Limited is a listed public Company limited by shares, incorporated and domiciled in Australia. Its registered office and principal place of business are:

Registered office & principal place of business

Level 1
421 High Street
Northcote VIC 3070

A description of the nature of the consolidated entity's operations and its principal activities are included in the directors' report, which is not part of the financial statements.

The financial statements were authorised for issue, in accordance with a resolution of directors, on 23rd August 2023. The directors have the power to amend and reissue the financial statements.

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Adore Beauty Group Limited
Consolidated statement of profit or loss and other comprehensive income
For the year ended 30 June 2023

	Note	Consolidated	
		2023 \$'000	2022 \$'000
Revenues	4	180,588	199,660
Cost of sales		<u>(121,328)</u>	<u>(133,117)</u>
Gross profit		59,260	66,543
Other income		251	26
Expenses:			
Advertising and marketing expense		(26,685)	(28,204)
Employee benefits expense	5	(18,604)	(20,044)
Initial public offering and transaction costs		-	(205)
Depreciation and amortisation expense	5	(2,148)	(1,856)
Finance costs	5	(186)	(200)
Other operating expenses	5	<u>(13,339)</u>	<u>(12,753)</u>
(Loss)/profit before income tax expense		(1,451)	3,307
Income tax benefit/(expense)	6	<u>892</u>	<u>(930)</u>
(Loss)/profit after income tax expense for the year		(559)	2,377
Other comprehensive income			
Other comprehensive income for the year, net of tax		-	-
Total comprehensive (loss)/income for the year		<u><u>(559)</u></u>	<u><u>2,377</u></u>
		Cents	Cents
(Loss)/earnings per share			
Basic (loss)/earnings per share	30	(0.59) cents	2.53 cents
Diluted (loss)/earnings per share*	30	(0.59) cents	2.51 cents

*The options issued are not included in the diluted EPS as they are non-dilutive

*The above statement of profit or loss and other comprehensive income
should be read in conjunction with the accompanying notes*

Adore Beauty Group Limited
Consolidated statement of financial position
As at 30 June 2023

	Note	Consolidated 2023 \$'000	2022 \$'000
Assets			
Current assets			
Cash and cash equivalents		27,761	29,766
Trade and other receivables		2,512	1,049
Current tax receivable	6	1,795	2,253
Inventories	7	21,079	17,491
Other current assets		2,201	1,042
Total current assets		<u>55,348</u>	<u>51,601</u>
Non-current assets			
Property, plant and equipment	8	726	763
Right-of-use assets	9	502	992
Intangibles	10	3,852	3,242
Deferred tax asset	6	1,983	2,630
Total non-current assets		<u>7,063</u>	<u>7,627</u>
Total assets		<u>62,411</u>	<u>59,228</u>
Liabilities			
Current liabilities			
Trade and other payables	11	20,657	18,482
Contract liabilities	12	3,777	1,034
Lease liabilities		482	548
Employee benefits	14	911	1,061
Total current liabilities		<u>25,827</u>	<u>21,125</u>
Non-current liabilities			
Lease liabilities		142	624
Employee benefits		225	161
Total non-current liabilities		<u>367</u>	<u>785</u>
Total liabilities		<u>26,194</u>	<u>21,910</u>
Net assets		<u>36,217</u>	<u>37,318</u>
Equity			
Issued capital	15	102,076	102,076
Reserves	16	(66,991)	(66,449)
Retained earnings	17	1,132	1,691
Total equity		<u>36,217</u>	<u>37,318</u>

The above consolidated statement of financial position should be read in conjunction with the accompanying notes

Adore Beauty Group Limited
 Consolidated statement of changes in equity
 For the year ended 30 June 2023

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Note	Issued capital \$'000	Foreign currency translation reserve \$'000	Corporate re-organisation reserve \$'000	Share based payments reserve \$'000	Retained profits/ (Accumulated losses) \$'000	Total equity \$'000
	102,076	(5)	(68,104)	978	(686)	34,259
Transactions with owners						
	-	-	-	682	-	682
16	-	-	-	682	-	682
Comprehensive income						
	-	-	-	-	2,377	2,377
	-	-	-	-	2,377	2,377
	102,076	(5)	(68,104)	1,660	1,691	37,318
	102,076	(5)	(68,104)	1660	1,691	37,318
Transactions with owners						
	-	-	-	(542)	-	(542)
16	-	-	-	(542)	-	(542)
Comprehensive income						
	-	-	-	-	(559)	(559)
	-	-	-	-	(559)	(559)
	102,076	(5)	(68,104)	1,118	1,132	36,217

The above consolidated statement of changes in equity should be read in conjunction with the accompanying notes

Adore Beauty Group Limited
Consolidated Statement of cash flows
For the year ended 30 June 2023

	Note	Consolidated 2023 \$'000	2022 \$'000
Cash flows from operating activities			
Receipts from customers (inclusive of GST)		196,198	219,235
Receipts from fees and commissions (inclusive of GST)		986	-
Payments to suppliers and employees (inclusive of GST)		<u>(198,472)</u>	<u>(215,135)</u>
		(1,288)	4,100
Interest received		251	26
Interest and other costs of finance		(140)	(135)
Income taxes received/(paid)		<u>1,997</u>	<u>(781)</u>
Net cash from operating activities	28	<u>820</u>	<u>3,210</u>
Cash flows from investing activities			
Payments for intangible assets	10	(2,067)	(1,781)
Payments for property, plant and equipment	8	<u>(171)</u>	<u>(106)</u>
Net cash used in investing activities		<u>(2,238)</u>	<u>(1,887)</u>
Cash flows from financing activities			
Repayment of lease liabilities		(541)	(494)
Payments of finance charges on lease liabilities		<u>(46)</u>	<u>(65)</u>
Net cash from used in financing activities		<u>(587)</u>	<u>(559)</u>
Net (decrease)/increase in cash and cash equivalents		(2,005)	764
Cash and cash equivalents at the beginning of the financial year		<u>29,766</u>	<u>29,002</u>
Cash and cash equivalents at the end of the financial year		<u><u>27,761</u></u>	<u><u>29,766</u></u>

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

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Note 1. Significant accounting policies

The principal accounting policies adopted in the preparation of the financial statements are set out below. These policies have been consistently applied to all the years presented, unless otherwise stated.

New or amended Accounting Standards and Interpretations adopted

The consolidated entity has adopted all the new or amended Accounting Standards and Interpretations issued by the Australian Accounting Standards Board ('AASB') that are mandatory for the current reporting period. The adoption of these Accounting Standards and Interpretations has not had a material effect on the consolidated entity.

Any new or amended Accounting Standards or Interpretations that are not yet mandatory have not been early adopted.

New or amended Accounting Standards which have been issued not yet effective

The consolidated entity has considered Accounting Standards and Interpretations which have been issued but are not yet effective, identifying the following which are relevant to the consolidated entity:

- AASB 2020-1 Amendments to Australian Accounting Standards – Classification of Liabilities as current or non-current
- AASB 2022-6 Amendments to Australian Accounting Standards – Non-current Liabilities with Covenants
- AASB 2021-2 Amendments to Australian Accounting Standards – Disclosure of Accounting Policies and Definition of Accounting Estimates

When these amendments are first adopted for the year ending 30 June 2024, there will be no material impact on the financial statements.

The following Accounting Standards and Interpretations are most relevant to the consolidated entity:

Basis of preparation

These general purpose financial statements have been prepared in accordance with Australian Accounting Standards and Interpretations issued by the Australian Accounting Standards Board ('AASB') and the Corporations Act 2001, as appropriate for for-profit oriented entities. These financial statements also comply with International Financial Reporting Standards as issued by the International Accounting Standards Board ('IASB').

Historical cost convention

The financial statements have been prepared under the historical cost convention.

Critical accounting estimates

The preparation of the financial statements requires the use of certain critical accounting estimates. It also requires management to exercise its judgement in the process of applying the consolidated entity's accounting policies. The areas involving a higher degree of judgement or complexity, or areas where assumptions and estimates are significant to the financial statements, are disclosed in note 2.

Parent entity information

In accordance with the Corporations Act 2001, these financial statements present the results of the consolidated entity only. Supplementary information about the parent entity is disclosed in note 25.

Note 1. Significant accounting policies (continued)

Principles of consolidation

The consolidated financial statements incorporate the assets and liabilities of all subsidiaries of Adore Beauty Group Limited ('Company' or 'parent entity') as at 30 June 2023 and the results of all subsidiaries for the year then ended. Adore Beauty Group Limited and its subsidiaries together are referred to in these financial statements as the 'consolidated entity'.

Subsidiaries are all those entities over which the consolidated entity has control. The consolidated entity controls an entity when the consolidated entity is exposed to, or has rights to, variable returns from its involvement with the entity and has the ability to affect those returns through its power to direct the activities of the entity. Subsidiaries are fully consolidated from the date on which control is transferred to the consolidated entity. They are de-consolidated from the date that control ceases.

Intercompany transactions, balances and unrealised gains on transactions between entities in the consolidated entity are eliminated. Unrealised losses are also eliminated unless the transaction provides evidence of the impairment of the asset transferred. Accounting policies of subsidiaries have been changed where necessary to ensure consistency with the policies adopted by the consolidated entity.

The acquisition of subsidiaries is accounted for using the acquisition method of accounting. A change in ownership interest, without the loss of control, is accounted for as an equity transaction, where the difference between the consideration transferred and the book value of the share of the non-controlling interest acquired is recognised directly in equity attributable to the parent.

Where the consolidated entity loses control over a subsidiary, it derecognises the assets including goodwill, liabilities and non-controlling interest in the subsidiary together with any cumulative translation differences recognised in equity. The consolidated entity recognises the fair value of the consideration received and the fair value of any investment retained together with any gain or loss in profit or loss.

Operating segments

The consolidated entity operates in one segment being the sale of beauty and personal care products through its online platform. This operating segment is based on the internal reports that are reviewed and used by the Board of Directors (who are identified as the Chief Operating Decision Makers ('CODM')) in assessing performance and in determining the allocation of resources. There is no aggregation of operating segments.

Foreign currency translation

The financial statements are presented in Australian dollars, which is Adore Beauty Group Limited's functional and presentation currency.

Foreign currency transactions

Foreign currency transactions are translated into Australian dollars using the exchange rates prevailing at the dates of the transactions. Foreign exchange gains and losses resulting from the settlement of such transactions and from the translation at financial year-end exchange rates of monetary assets and liabilities denominated in foreign currencies are recognised in profit or loss.

Revenue recognition

Sale of goods

The consolidated entity's contracts with customers generally include one performance obligation being the sale of goods. Revenue from the sale of goods is recognised at the point in time when the customer obtains control of the goods, which is generally at the time of delivery. Cash payment is generally received at the point of sale.

Note 1. Significant accounting policies (continued)

A right of return is held by customers. Adore Beauty has measured the value of this right of return, presented within other assets, and corresponding refund liability, presented within other payables, at the end of the reporting period based on the amount of consideration received from customers for which the consolidated entity does not expect to be entitled based on its refund policy and historical refund rates.

Commission revenue

Adore Beauty has agreements with select brands, whereby its performance obligation is to facilitate the sale of the Brands' products through Adore Beauty's website. Adore Beauty is the agent in such transactions as it does not control the specified goods before they are transferred to the retail customer. Control of products under such arrangements are retained by the Brand until the products are sold to the retail customer, and does not at any point, transfer to Adore Beauty. Therefore, whilst gross proceeds are received, Adore Beauty recognises revenue on a net basis, being the commissions received on eligible sales, at the point in time when Adore Beauty has satisfied its performance obligation.

Marketing revenue

Marketing revenue is recognised over time as the services are rendered based on a fixed price. Marketing revenue is generated through short-term contracts with Brands to provide individualised marketing campaigns or advertising space on Adore Beauty's website for an agreed period of time. Where consideration for such campaigns is received at inception of the contract, it is initially recognised as a contract liability and recognised as revenue over the period the services are rendered.

Interest income

Interest income is recognised as interest accrues using the effective interest method. This is a method of calculating the amortised cost of a financial asset and allocating the interest income over the relevant period using the effective interest rate, which is the rate that exactly discounts estimated future cash receipts through the expected life of the financial asset to the net carrying amount of the financial asset.

Other income

Other income is recognised when it is received or when the right to receive payment is established.

Contract liabilities

Contract liabilities represent the consolidated entity's obligation to transfer goods or services to a customer and are recognised when a customer pays consideration, or when the consolidated entity recognises a receivable to reflect its unconditional right to consideration (whichever is earlier) before the consolidated entity has transferred the goods or services to the customer.

Gift voucher liability

Gift vouchers are considered a prepayment by a customer for goods to be delivered in the future. The consolidated entity has an obligation to transfer the goods in the future – creating a performance obligation. The consolidated entity recognises a current gift voucher liability as a contract liability for the amount of the prepayment and recognises revenue when the customer redeems the gift voucher and the entity fulfils the performance obligation related to the transaction, or where breakage is applied. Breakage, being the customer's unexercised right, is estimated and recognised as revenue in proportion to the pattern of rights exercised by the customer and the likelihood of the gift voucher being redeemed by the customer is remote.

Income tax

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

Note 1. Significant accounting policies (continued)

Deferred tax assets and liabilities are recognised for temporary differences at the tax rates expected to be applied when the assets are recovered or liabilities are settled, based on those tax rates that are enacted or substantively enacted, except for:

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

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.

The carrying amount of recognised and unrecognised deferred tax assets are reviewed at each reporting date. Deferred tax assets recognised are reduced to the extent that it is no longer probable that future taxable profits will be available for the carrying amount to be recovered. Previously unrecognised deferred tax assets are recognised to the extent that it is probable that there are future taxable profits available to recover the asset.

Deferred tax assets and liabilities are offset only where there is a legally enforceable right to offset current tax assets against current tax liabilities and deferred tax assets against deferred tax liabilities; and they relate to the same taxable authority on either the same taxable entity or different taxable entities which intend to settle simultaneously.

Adore Beauty Group Limited (the 'head entity') and its wholly-owned Australian subsidiaries, have formed an income tax consolidated group under the tax consolidation regime. The head entity and each subsidiary in the tax consolidated group continue to account for their own current and deferred tax amounts. The tax consolidated group has applied the 'separate taxpayer within group' approach in determining the appropriate amount of taxes to allocate to members of the tax consolidated group.

In addition to its own current and deferred tax amounts, the head entity also recognises the current tax liabilities (or assets) and the deferred tax assets arising from unused tax losses and unused tax credits assumed from each subsidiary in the tax consolidated group.

Assets or liabilities arising under tax funding agreements with the tax consolidated entities are recognised as amounts receivable from or payable to other entities in the tax consolidated group. The tax funding arrangement ensures that the intercompany charge equals the current tax liability or benefit of each tax consolidated group member, resulting in neither a contribution by the head entity to the subsidiaries nor a distribution by the subsidiaries to the head entity.

Current and non-current classification

Assets and liabilities are presented in the statement of financial position based on current and non-current classification.

An asset is classified as current when: it is either expected to be realised or intended to be sold or consumed in the consolidated entity's normal operating cycle; it is held primarily for the purpose of trading; it is expected to be realised within 12 months after the reporting period; or the asset is cash or cash equivalent unless restricted from being exchanged or used to settle a liability for at least 12 months after the reporting period. All other assets are classified as non-current.

A liability is classified as current when: it is either expected to be settled in the consolidated entity's normal operating cycle; it is held primarily for the purpose of trading; it is due to be settled within 12 months after the reporting period; or there is no unconditional right to defer the settlement of the liability for at least 12 months after the reporting period. All other liabilities are classified as non-current.

Deferred tax assets and liabilities are always classified as non-current.

Note 1. Significant accounting policies (continued)

Cash and cash equivalents

Cash and cash equivalents includes cash on hand, deposits held at call with financial institutions, other short-term, highly liquid investments with original maturities of three months or less that are readily convertible to known amounts of cash and which are subject to an insignificant risk of changes in value.

Trade and other receivables

Trade and other receivables include amounts due from suppliers for rebates earned in the ordinary course of the business. Receivables expected to be collected within 12 months of the end of the reporting period are classified as current assets. Trade and other receivables are initially recognised at fair value and subsequently at fair value less any provision for impairment.

The consolidated entity has applied the simplified approach to measuring expected credit losses, which uses a lifetime expected loss allowance. To measure expected credit losses, trade receivables have been grouped based on days overdue.

Inventories

The first in, first out (FIFO) method of inventory valuation is used. Costs of purchased inventory are determined after deducting rebates and discounts received or receivable.

Stock in transit and stock on hand are stated at the lower of cost and net realisable value. Cost is comprised of purchase and delivery costs, net of rebates and discounts received or receivable.

Net realisable value is the estimated selling price in the ordinary course of business less the estimated costs necessary to make the sale.

Property, plant and equipment

Plant and equipment is stated at historical cost less accumulated depreciation and impairment. Historical cost includes expenditure that is directly attributable to the acquisition of the items.

Depreciation is calculated on a straight-line basis to write off the net cost of each item of property, plant and equipment (excluding land) over their expected useful lives as follows:

Computer equipment	50%
Plant and equipment	2.5% - 20%

The residual values, useful lives and depreciation methods are reviewed, and adjusted if appropriate, at each reporting date.

Leasehold improvements are depreciated over the unexpired period of the lease or the estimated useful life of the assets, whichever is shorter.

An item of property, plant and equipment is derecognised upon disposal or when there is no future economic benefit to the consolidated entity. Gains and losses between the carrying amount and the disposal proceeds are taken to profit or loss. Any revaluation surplus reserve relating to the item disposed of is transferred directly to retained profits.

Right-of-use assets

A right-of-use asset is recognised at the commencement date of a lease. The right-of-use asset is measured at cost, which comprises the initial amount of the lease liability, adjusted for, as applicable, any lease payments made at or before the commencement date net of any lease incentives received, any initial direct costs incurred, and, except where included in the cost of inventories, an estimate of costs expected to be incurred for dismantling and removing the underlying asset, and restoring the site or asset.

Note 1. Significant accounting policies (continued)

Right-of-use assets are depreciated on a straight-line basis over the unexpired period of the lease or the estimated useful life of the asset, whichever is the shorter. Where the consolidated entity expects to obtain ownership of the leased asset at the end of the lease term, the depreciation is over its estimated useful life. Right-of-use assets are subject to impairment or adjusted for any remeasurement of lease liabilities.

The consolidated entity has elected not to recognise a right-of-use asset and corresponding lease liability for short-term leases with terms of 12 months or less and leases of low-value assets. Lease payments on these assets are expensed to profit or loss as incurred.

Intangible assets

Intangible assets acquired separately are initially recognised at cost. Indefinite life intangible assets are not amortised and are subsequently measured at cost less any impairment. Finite life intangible assets are subsequently measured at cost less amortisation and any impairment. The gains or losses recognised in profit or loss arising from the derecognition of intangible assets are measured as the difference between net disposal proceeds and the carrying amount of the intangible asset. The method and useful lives of finite life intangible assets are reviewed annually. Changes in the expected pattern of consumption or useful life are accounted for prospectively by changing the amortisation method or period.

Product development

Product development costs are capitalised when it is probable that the project will be a success considering its commercial and technical feasibility; the consolidated entity is able to use or sell the asset; the consolidated entity has sufficient resources and intent to complete the development; and its costs can be measured reliably. Capitalised development costs are amortised on a straight-line basis over the period of their expected benefit, being their finite life of up to 10 years.

Patents and trademarks

Significant costs associated with patents and trademarks are deferred and amortised on a straight-line basis over the period of their expected benefit, being their finite life of 10 years.

Website and mobile app

Website and mobile app costs are capitalised when it is probable that the project will be a success considering its commercial and technical feasibility; the consolidated entity is able to use or sell the asset; the consolidated entity has sufficient resources and intent to complete the development; and its costs can be measured reliably. Significant costs associated with the development of the revenue generating aspects of the website, including the capacity of placing orders, are deferred and amortised on a straight-line basis over the period of their expected benefit, being their finite life of 4 years.

Impairment of non-financial assets

Non-financial assets are tested 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 of disposal and value-in-use. The value-in-use is the present value of the estimated future cash flows relating to the asset using a pre-tax discount rate specific to the asset or cash-generating unit to which the asset belongs. Assets that do not have independent cash flows are grouped together to form a cash-generating unit.

Trade and other payables

These amounts represent liabilities for goods and services provided to the consolidated entity prior to the end of the financial year and which are unpaid. Due to their short-term nature they are measured at amortised cost and are not discounted. The amounts are unsecured and are usually paid within 30 days of recognition.

Borrowings

Loans and borrowings are initially recognised at the fair value of the consideration received, net of transaction costs. They are subsequently measured at amortised cost using the effective interest method.

Note 1. Significant accounting policies (continued)

Lease liabilities

A lease liability is recognised at the commencement date of a lease. The lease liability is initially recognised at the present value of the lease payments to be made over the term of the lease, discounted using the interest rate implicit in the lease or, if that rate cannot be readily determined, the consolidated entity's incremental borrowing rate. Lease payments comprise of fixed payments less any lease incentives receivable, variable lease payments that depend on an index or a rate, amounts expected to be paid under residual value guarantees, exercise price of a purchase option when the exercise of the option is reasonably certain to occur, and any anticipated termination penalties. The variable lease payments that do not depend on an index or a rate are expensed in the period in which they are incurred.

Lease liabilities are measured at amortised cost using the effective interest method. The carrying amounts are remeasured if there is a change in the following: future lease payments as a result of a change in an index or a rate used; residual guarantee; lease term; certainty of a purchase option and termination penalties. When a lease liability is remeasured, an adjustment is made to the corresponding right-of-use asset, or to profit or loss if the carrying amount of the right-of-use asset is fully written down.

Finance costs

Finance costs attributable to qualifying assets are capitalised as part of the asset. All other finance costs are expensed in the period in which they are incurred.

Provisions

Provisions are recognised when the consolidated entity has a present (legal or constructive) obligation as a result of a past event, it is probable the consolidated entity will be required to settle the obligation, and a reliable estimate can be made of the amount of the obligation. The amount recognised as a provision is the best estimate of the consideration required to settle the present obligation at the reporting date, taking into account the risks and uncertainties surrounding the obligation. If the time value of money is material, provisions are discounted using a current pre-tax rate specific to the liability. The increase in the provision resulting from the passage of time is recognised as a finance cost.

Employee benefits

Short-term employee benefits

Liabilities for wages and salaries, including non-monetary benefits, annual leave and long service leave expected to be settled wholly within 12 months of the reporting date are measured at the amounts expected to be paid when the liabilities are settled.

Other long-term employee benefits

The liability for long service leave not expected to be settled within 12 months of the reporting date are measured at the present value of expected future payments to be made in respect of services provided by employees up to the reporting date using the projected unit credit method. Consideration is given to expected future wage and salary levels, experience of employee departures and periods of service. Expected future payments are discounted using market yields at the reporting date on corporate bonds with terms to maturity and currency that match, as closely as possible, the estimated future cash outflows.

Defined contribution superannuation expense

Contributions to defined contribution superannuation plans are expensed in the period in which they are incurred.

Share-based payments

Equity-settled share-based compensation benefits are provided to employees.

Equity-settled transactions are awards of shares, or options over shares, that are provided to employees in exchange for the rendering of services.

Note 1. Significant accounting policies (continued)

The cost of equity-settled transactions are measured at fair value on grant date. Fair value is independently determined using either the Monte Carlo simulation approach or Black-Scholes option pricing model that takes into account the exercise price, the term of the option, 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 option, together with non-vesting conditions that do not determine whether the consolidated entity receives the services that entitle the employees to receive payment. No account is taken of any other vesting conditions.

The cost of equity-settled transactions are recognised as an expense with a corresponding increase in equity over the vesting period. The cumulative charge to profit or loss is calculated based on the grant date fair value of the award, the best estimate of the number of awards that are likely to vest and the expired portion of the vesting period. The amount recognised in profit or loss for the period is the cumulative amount calculated at each reporting date less amounts already recognised in previous periods.

Fair value measurement

When an asset or liability, financial or non-financial, is measured at fair value for recognition or disclosure purposes, the fair value is based on 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; and assumes that the transaction will take place either: in the principal market; or in the absence of a principal market, in the most advantageous market.

Fair value is measured using the assumptions that market participants would use when pricing the asset or liability, assuming they act in their economic best interests. For non-financial assets, the fair value measurement is based on its highest and best use. Valuation techniques that are appropriate in the circumstances and for which sufficient data are available to measure fair value, are used, maximising the use of relevant observable inputs and minimising the use of unobservable inputs.

Assets and liabilities measured at fair value are classified into three levels, using a fair value hierarchy that reflects the significance of the inputs used in making the measurements. Classifications are reviewed at each reporting date and transfers between levels are determined based on a reassessment of the lowest level of input that is significant to the fair value measurement.

For recurring and non-recurring fair value measurements, external valuers may be used when internal expertise is either not available or when the valuation is deemed to be significant. External valuers are selected based on market knowledge and reputation. Where there is a significant change in fair value of an asset or liability from one period to another, an analysis is undertaken, which includes a verification of the major inputs applied in the latest valuation and a comparison, where applicable, with external sources of data.

Issued capital

Ordinary shares are classified as equity.

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

Dividends

Dividends are recognised when declared during the financial year and no longer at the discretion of the Company.

Earnings per share

Basic earnings per share

Basic earnings per share is calculated by dividing the profit attributable to the owners of Adore Beauty Group Limited, excluding any costs of servicing equity other than ordinary shares, by the weighted average number of ordinary shares outstanding during the financial year, adjusted for bonus elements in ordinary shares issued during the financial year.

Note 1. Significant accounting policies (continued)

Diluted earnings per share

Diluted earnings per share adjusts the figures used in the determination of 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.

Goods and Services Tax ('GST') and other similar taxes

Revenues, expenses and assets are recognised net of the amount of associated GST, unless the GST incurred is not recoverable from the tax authority. In this case it is recognised as part of the cost of the acquisition of the asset or as part of the expense.

Receivables and payables are stated inclusive of the amount of GST receivable or payable. The net amount of GST recoverable from, or payable to, the tax authority is included in other receivables or other payables in the statement of financial position.

Cash flows are presented on a gross basis. The GST components of cash flows arising from investing or financing activities which are recoverable from, or payable to the tax authority, are presented as operating cash flows.

Commitments and contingencies are disclosed net of the amount of GST recoverable from, or payable to, the tax authority.

Rounding of amounts

The Company is of a kind referred to in Corporations Instrument 2016/191, issued by the Australian Securities and Investments Commission, relating to 'rounding-off'. Amounts in this report have been rounded off in accordance with that Corporations Instrument to the nearest thousand dollars, or in certain cases, the nearest dollar.

Note 2. Critical accounting judgements, estimates and assumptions

The preparation of the financial statements requires management to make judgements, estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts in the financial statements. Management continually evaluates its judgements and estimates in relation to assets, liabilities, contingent liabilities, revenue and expenses. Management bases its judgements, estimates and assumptions on historical experience and on other various factors, including expectations of future events, management believes to be reasonable under the circumstances. The resulting accounting judgements and estimates will seldom equal the related actual results. The judgements, estimates and assumptions that have a significant risk of causing a material adjustment to the carrying amounts of assets and liabilities (refer to the respective notes) within the next financial year are discussed below.

Note 2. Critical accounting judgements, estimates and assumptions (continued)

Share-based payment transactions

The consolidated entity measures the cost of equity-settled transactions with employees by reference to the fair value of the equity instruments at the date at which they are granted. The fair value is determined using the Black-Scholes pricing model for options subject to non-market performance conditions such as continued employment, and Monte Carlo simulation method for Fair value of awards with Relative TSR performance condition. The accounting estimates and assumptions relating to equity-settled share-based payments would have no impact on the carrying amounts of assets and liabilities within the next annual reporting period but may impact profit or loss and equity.

Revenue from contracts with customers involving the sale of goods

When recognising revenue in relation to the sale of goods to customers, the key performance obligation of the consolidated entity is considered to be the point of delivery of the goods to the customer, as this is deemed to be the time that the customer obtains control of the promised goods and therefore the benefits of unimpeded access.

Determination of variable consideration

Judgement is exercised in estimating variable consideration which is determined having regard to past experience with respect to the goods returned to the consolidated entity where the customer maintains a right of return pursuant to the customer contract. Revenue will only be recognised to the extent that it is highly probable that a significant reversal in the amount of cumulative revenue recognised under the contract will not occur when the uncertainty associated with the variable consideration is subsequently resolved.

Lease term

The lease term is a significant component in the measurement of both the right-of-use asset and lease liability. Judgement is exercised in determining whether there is reasonable certainty that an option to extend the lease will be exercised, when ascertaining the periods to be included in the lease term. In determining the lease term, all facts and circumstances that create an economical incentive to exercise an extension option, or not to exercise a termination option, are considered at the lease commencement date. Factors considered may include the importance of the asset to the consolidated entity's operations; comparison of terms and conditions to prevailing market rates; incurrence of significant penalties; existence of significant leasehold improvements; and the costs and disruption to replace the asset. The consolidated entity reassesses whether it is reasonably certain to exercise an extension option, if there is a significant event or significant change in circumstances.

Income tax

The consolidated entity is subject to income taxes in the jurisdictions in which it operates. Significant judgement is required in determining the provision for income tax. There are many transactions and calculations undertaken during the ordinary course of business for which the ultimate tax determination is uncertain. The consolidated entity recognises liabilities for anticipated tax audit issues based on the consolidated entity's current understanding of the tax law. Where the final tax outcome of these matters is different from the carrying amounts, such differences will impact the current and deferred tax provisions in the period in which such determination is made.

Recovery of deferred tax assets

Deferred tax assets are recognised for deductible temporary differences only if the consolidated entity considers it is probable that future taxable amounts will be available to utilise those temporary differences and losses.

Note 2. Critical accounting judgements, estimates and assumptions (continued)

Estimation of useful lives of intangible assets

The consolidated entity determines the estimated useful lives and related amortisation charges for its finite life intangible assets. The consolidated entity has reviewed the useful lives of intangible assets in the year, including by comparison to comparable companies, and concluded that the useful lives adopted remains appropriate. The useful lives could change significantly as a result of technical innovations or some other event. The amortisation charge will increase where the useful lives are less than previously estimated lives, or technically obsolete or non-strategic assets that have been abandoned or sold will be written off or written down

Impairment of non-financial assets other than goodwill and other indefinite life intangible assets

The consolidated entity assesses impairment of non-financial assets other than goodwill and other indefinite life intangible assets at each reporting date by evaluating conditions specific to the consolidated entity and to the particular asset that may lead to impairment. If an impairment trigger exists, the recoverable amount of the asset is determined. This involves fair value less costs of disposal or value-in-use calculations, which incorporate a number of key estimates and assumptions.

For impairment testing, assets are grouped together into the smallest group of assets that generates cash inflows from continuing use that are largely independent of the cash inflows of other assets or group of assets (cash generating unit).

The recoverable amount of an asset or cash generating unit (CGU) is the greater of its value in use and its fair value less costs of disposal. Value in use is based on the estimated future cash flows, discounted to their present value using a pre-tax discount rate that reflects current marketing assessments of the time value of money and the risks specific to the asset or CGU.

An impairment loss is recognised if the carrying amount of an asset or CGU exceeds its recoverable amount. Impairment losses are recognised in the Profit or Loss. They are allocated to reduce the carrying amount of assets in the CGU on a pro-rata basis. An impairment loss is reversed only to the extent that the asset's carrying amount does not exceed the carrying amount that would have been determined, net of depreciation, if no impairment loss had been recognised.

There was no impairment of assets in the financial year.

Note 3. Operating segments

Identification of reportable operating segments

The consolidated entity operates in one segment being the sale of beauty and personal care products through its online platform. Sales are predominantly through the Australian geographical region, with New Zealand sales being immaterial. This operating segment is based on the internal reports that are reviewed and used by the Board of Directors (who are identified as the Chief Operating Decision Makers ('CODM')) in assessing performance and in determining the allocation of resources. There is no aggregation of operating segments.

The operating segment information is the same information as provided throughout the financial statements and therefore not duplicated. The information reported to the CODM is on at least a monthly basis.

Major customers

During the current and previous financial year, no individual customer contributed more than 10 per cent of the consolidated entity's revenue.

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Note 4. Revenue

	Consolidated	
	2023 \$'000	2022 \$'000
Revenue from contracts with customers and suppliers		
Sale of goods – point in time	179,697	199,660
Commission revenue – point in time	594	-
Marketing revenue – over time	297	-
Total revenue	<u>180,588</u>	<u>199,660</u>

Note 5. Expenses

	Consolidated	
	2023 \$'000	2022 \$'000
Profit before income tax includes the following specific expenses:		
<i>Depreciation</i>		
Plant and equipment	208	232
Buildings right-of-use assets	483	493
Total depreciation	<u>691</u>	<u>725</u>
<i>Amortisation</i>		
Website	1,443	1,118
Patents and trademarks	12	11
Product development	2	2
Total amortisation	<u>1,457</u>	<u>1,131</u>
Total depreciation and amortisation	<u>2,148</u>	<u>1,856</u>
<i>Finance costs</i>		
Interest and finance charges paid/payable on borrowings	140	135
Interest and finance charges paid/payable on lease liabilities	46	65
Finance costs expensed	<u>186</u>	<u>200</u>
<i>Other operating expenses</i>		
Bank and merchant fees	4,477	4,738
Website, software, other IT costs	4,456	4,004
Net foreign exchange loss	30	270
Other	4,376	3,741
Total other operating expenses	<u>13,339</u>	<u>12,753</u>
<i>Employee benefits expense</i>		
Salaries, wages and contractor payments	17,160	17,407
Share-based payments expense	(542)	682
Defined contribution superannuation expense	1,315	1,300
Annual and long service leave	(86)	(75)
Other employee benefits expenses	757	730
	<u>18,604</u>	<u>20,044</u>

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Note 6. Income tax expense

	Consolidated	
	2023 \$'000	2022 \$'000
<i>Income tax expense</i>		
Current tax benefit	1,539	514
Deferred tax benefit/(expense) - origination and reversal of temporary differences	<u>(647)</u>	<u>(1,444)</u>
Aggregate income tax benefit/(expense)	<u>892</u>	<u>(930)</u>
<i>Numerical reconciliation of income tax expense and tax at the statutory rate</i>		
(Loss)/profit before income tax expense	<u>(1,451)</u>	<u>3,307</u>
Tax at the statutory tax rate of 30% (2022: 30%)	435	(992)
Tax effect amounts which are not deductible/(taxable) in calculating taxable income:		
Non-deductible expenditure	(49)	(77)
Impact of ACA step downs	286	286
Share based payments	163	(205)
Sundry items	<u>57</u>	<u>58</u>
Income tax benefit/(expense)	<u>892</u>	<u>(930)</u>
<i>Current tax receivable</i>		
Current tax receivable	<u>1,795</u>	<u>2,295</u>
<i>Deferred tax assets/(liabilities) comprises tax losses and temporary differences attributable to:</i>		
Employee benefits	341	367
Plant and equipment	(1,081)	(763)
Right-of-use asset	(37)	(54)
Right of return asset	(110)	-
Refund liability	174	-
Gift voucher liability	274	-
Capitalised fees	160	293
Accrued expenses	181	67
IPO Costs – blackhole expenditure ^(a)	1,790	2,684
Other items	27	36
Tax losses carried forward	<u>264</u>	<u>-</u>
Deferred tax asset	<u>1,983</u>	<u>2,630</u>
<i>Movements:</i>		
Opening balance	2,630	4,074
Credited to profit or loss	(647)	(1,444)
Credited to equity	-	-
Closing balance	<u>1,983</u>	<u>2,630</u>

(a) Blackhole expenditure is capital expenditure that is not otherwise deductible and that relates to a business carried on for a taxable purpose. It is deductible under ITAA 1997 s40-880 over 5 years at the rate of 20%, provided the deduction is not denied by some other provision.

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Note 7. Current assets – inventories

	Consolidated	
	2023 \$'000	2022 \$'000
Finished goods	20,466	17,389
Less provision for stock obsolescence	(100)	(100)
Stock in transit	713	202
	<u>21,079</u>	<u>17,491</u>

Note 8. Non-current assets - property, plant and equipment

	Consolidated	
	2023 \$'000	2022 \$'000
Plant and equipment - at cost	1,757	1,586
Less: accumulated depreciation	(1,031)	(823)
	<u>726</u>	<u>763</u>

Reconciliations

Reconciliations of the written down values at the beginning and end of the current and previous financial year are set out below:

Consolidated	\$'000
Balance at 1 July 2021	889
Additions	106
Disposals	-
Depreciation expense	(232)
Balance at 30 June 2022	<u>763</u>
Additions	171
Disposals	-
Depreciation expense	(208)
Balance at 30 June 2023	<u><u>726</u></u>

Note 9. Non-current assets - right-of-use assets

	Consolidated	
	2023 \$'000	2022 \$'000
Land and buildings - right-of-use	2,324	2,334
Less: accumulated depreciation	(1,822)	(1,342)
	<u>502</u>	<u>992</u>

Lease remeasurements to right-of-use assets during the year were a loss of \$7,000 (2022: \$320,000 gain).

The consolidated entity leases land and buildings for its offices and warehouse under agreements of between one to three years with, in some cases, options to extend. The leases have various escalation clauses. On renewal, the terms of the leases are renegotiated.

The consolidated entity leases office equipment under agreements of less than two years. These leases are of low-value, so have been expensed as incurred and not capitalised as right-of-use assets.

Reconciliations

Reconciliations of the written down values at the beginning and end of the current and previous financial year are set out below:

Consolidated	\$'000
Balance at 1 July 2021	1,165
Additions	320
Depreciation expense	(493)
Balance at 30 June 2022	<u>992</u>
Lease remeasurements	(7)
Depreciation expense	(483)
Balance at 30 June 2023	<u><u>502</u></u>

Note 10. Non-current assets - intangibles

	Consolidated	
	2023 \$'000	2022 \$'000
Website and mobile app – at cost	8,390	6,330
Less: accumulated amortisation	(4,640)	(3,197)
	<u>3,750</u>	<u>3,133</u>
Patents and trademarks - at cost	115	112
Less: accumulated amortisation	(28)	(17)
	<u>87</u>	<u>95</u>
Product development - at cost	21	18
Less: accumulated amortisation	(6)	(4)
	<u>15</u>	<u>14</u>
	<u><u>3,852</u></u>	<u><u>3,242</u></u>

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Note 10. Non-current assets – intangibles (continued)

Reconciliations

Reconciliations of the written down values at the beginning and end of the current and previous financial year are set out below:

Consolidated	Website & mobile app \$'000	Patents & trademarks \$'000	Product development \$'000	Total \$'000
Balance at 1 July 2021	2,472	104	16	2,592
Additions	1,779	2	-	1,781
Amortisation expense	(1,118)	(11)	(2)	(1,131)
Balance at 30 June 2022	<u>3,133</u>	<u>95</u>	<u>14</u>	<u>3,242</u>
Additions	2,060	4	3	2,067
Amortisation expense	(1,443)	(12)	(2)	(1,457)
Balance at 30 June 2023	<u><u>3,750</u></u>	<u><u>87</u></u>	<u><u>15</u></u>	<u><u>3,852</u></u>

Note 11. Current liabilities - trade and other payables

	Consolidated	
	2023 \$'000	2022 \$'000
Trade payables	17,543	16,037
Accrued expenses	1,450	1,111
Refund liability	581	-
Other payables	1,083	1,334
	<u><u>20,657</u></u>	<u><u>18,482</u></u>

Refer to note 19 for further information on financial instruments.

Note 12. Current liabilities – contract liability

	Consolidated	
	2023 \$'000	2022 \$'000
Gift voucher liability	2,665	1,034
Deferred revenue	1,112	-
	<u><u>3,777</u></u>	<u><u>1,034</u></u>

Note 13. Non-current liabilities - borrowings

Adore Beauty has a facility agreement with Commonwealth Bank of Australia (the Lender) for the provision of debt financing of \$10 million, comprising a three-year multi-option revolving facility (Banking Facility). If capital expenditure is funded by the Banking Facility, the annual capital expenditure that may be funded under the Banking Facility is limited to \$5 million in any financial year. Subject to customary carve-outs, the Banking Facility will be guaranteed by Adore Beauty and each other wholly-owned subsidiary of Adore Beauty required to meet the guarantor coverage test of 85% of consolidated EBITDA and total assets of the Group Companies. The Lender under the Banking Facility will have a general security over all of the assets of the Group Companies that are guarantors.

Assets pledged as security

Financial facilities are secured by a guarantee by the Company and each of its wholly owned subsidiaries. The lender has general security over all of the assets of the Group Companies that are guarantors.

Financing arrangements

Unrestricted access was available at the reporting date to the following lines of credit:

	Consolidated	
	2023	2022
	\$'000	\$'000
Total facilities		
Multi-option revolving credit facility	10,000	10,000
	<u>10,000</u>	<u>10,000</u>
Used at the reporting date		
Multi-option revolving credit facility	-	-
	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>
Unused at the reporting date		
Multi-option revolving credit facility	10,000	10,000
	<u>10,000</u>	<u>10,000</u>

Refer to note 19 for further information on financial instruments.

Note 14. Current liabilities - employee benefits

	Consolidated	
	2023	2022
	\$'000	\$'000
Employee benefits	911	1,061
	<u>911</u>	<u>1,061</u>

Amounts not expected to be settled within the next 12 months

The current provision for employee benefits includes all unconditional entitlements where employees have completed the required period of service and also those where employees are entitled to pro-rata payments in certain circumstances. The entire amount is presented as current since the consolidated entity does not have an unconditional right to defer settlement.

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Note 15. Equity - issued capital

	2023 Shares	Consolidated 2022 Shares	2023 \$'000	2022 \$'000
Ordinary shares - fully paid	93,907,372	94,124,497	102,076	102,076

Movements in ordinary share capital

Details	Date	Shares	\$'000
Balance at beginning of the period	30 June 2022	94,124,497	102,076
Cancellation of forfeited employee shares	5 June 2023	(217,125)	-
Balance at end of period	30 June 2023	93,907,372	102,076

Ordinary shares

Ordinary shares entitle the holder to participate in dividends and the proceeds on the winding up of the Company in proportion to the number of and amounts paid on the shares held. The fully paid ordinary shares have no par value and the Company does not have a limited amount of authorised capital.

On a show of hands every member present at a meeting in person or by proxy shall have one vote and upon a poll each share shall have one vote.

Cancellation of forfeited shares

During the period there was a cancellation of employee shares in accordance with the Company's Loan Funded Share Plan (Plan) of 217,125 shares. These shares did not vest and were forfeited in accordance with the terms Plan. No cash was outlaid for the forfeiture of the shares.

There is no current on-market share buy-back.

Capital and going concern risk management

The consolidated entity's objectives when managing capital is to safeguard its ability to continue as a going concern, so that it can provide returns for shareholders and benefits for other stakeholders and to maintain an optimum capital structure to reduce the cost of capital.

Capital is regarded as total equity, as recognised in the statement of financial position, plus net debt. Net debt is calculated as total borrowings less cash and cash equivalents. In order to maintain or adjust the capital structure, the consolidated entity may adjust the amount of dividends paid to shareholders, return capital to shareholders, issue new shares or sell assets to reduce debt.

The consolidated entity would look to raise capital when an opportunity to invest in a business or Company was seen as value adding relative to the current Company's share price at the time of the investment.

The capital risk management policy remains unchanged from the 30 June 2022 Annual Report.

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Note 16. Equity – reserves

	Consolidated	
	2023 \$'000	2022 \$'000
Corporate re-organisation reserve	(68,104)	(68,104)
Share based payments reserve	1,118	1,660
Foreign currency reserve	(5)	(5)
	<u>(66,991)</u>	<u>(66,449)</u>

Corporate re-organisation reserve

The reserve represents the difference between the fair value of the consideration paid and the book value of assets and liabilities acquired in a business combination.

Share based payments reserve

The reserve is used to recognise share-based payments accrued as part of employee remuneration, including management equity plan shares that have vested but not yet exercised.

Foreign currency reserve

The reserve is used to recognise exchange differences arising from the translation of the financial statements of foreign operations to Australian dollars. It is also used to recognise gains and losses on hedges of the net investments in foreign operations.

Movements in reserves

Movements in each class of reserve during the current and previous financial year are set out below:

Consolidated	Share based payments \$'000	Foreign currency \$'000	Corporate re-organisation \$'000	Total \$'000
Balance at 1 July 2021	978	(5)	(68,104)	(67,131)
Share-based payment transactions	<u>682</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>682</u>
Balance at 30 June 2022	1,660	(5)	(68,104)	(66,449)
Share-based payment transactions	<u>(542)</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>(542)</u>
Balance at 30 June 2023	<u>1,118</u>	<u>(5)</u>	<u>(68,104)</u>	<u>(66,991)</u>

Note 17. Equity – retained earnings

	Consolidated	
	2023 \$'000	2022 \$'000
(Accumulated losses)/retained earnings at the beginning of the financial year	1,691	(686)
(Loss)/profit after income tax expense for the year	<u>(559)</u>	<u>2,377</u>
Retained earnings at the end of the financial year	<u>1,132</u>	<u>1,691</u>

Note 18. Equity - dividends

No dividend has been declared during or since the end of the financial year.

Note 18. Equity - dividends

Franking credits

	Consolidated	
	2023	2022
	\$'000	\$'000
Franking credits available for subsequent financial years based on a tax rate of 30%	2,747	4,743

The above amounts represent the balance of the franking account as at the end of the financial year, adjusted for:

- franking credits that will arise from the payment of the amount of the provision for income tax at the reporting date
- franking debits that will arise from the payment of dividends recognised as a liability at the reporting date
- franking credits that will arise from the receipt of dividends recognised as receivables at the reporting date

Note 19. Financial instruments

Financial risk management objectives

The consolidated entity's activities expose it to a variety of financial risks: market risk (including foreign currency risk, price risk and interest rate risk), credit risk and liquidity risk. The consolidated entity's overall risk management program focuses on the unpredictability of financial markets and seeks to minimise potential adverse effects on the financial performance of the consolidated entity.

Risk management is carried out by senior finance executives ('finance') under policies approved by the Board of Directors ('the Board'). These policies include identification and analysis of the risk exposure of the consolidated entity and appropriate procedures, controls and risk limits. Finance identifies, evaluates and hedges financial risks within the consolidated entity's operating units. Finance reports to the Board on a monthly basis.

Market risk

Foreign currency risk

Foreign exchange risk arises from future commercial transactions and recognised financial assets and financial liabilities denominated in a currency that is not the entity's functional currency. The risk is measured using sensitivity analysis and cash flow forecasting.

The consolidated entity is not exposed to any significant foreign currency risk.

Price risk

The consolidated entity is not exposed to any significant price risk.

Interest rate risk

The consolidated entity is not exposed to any significant interest rate risk.

Credit risk

Credit risk refers to the risk that a counterparty will default on its contractual obligations resulting in financial loss to the consolidated entity. The consolidated entity has a strict code of credit, including obtaining agency credit information, confirming references and setting appropriate credit limits. The consolidated entity obtains guarantees where appropriate to mitigate credit risk. The maximum exposure to credit risk at the reporting date to recognised financial assets is the carrying amount, net of any provisions for impairment of those assets, as disclosed in the statement of financial position and notes to the financial statements. The consolidated entity does not hold any collateral.

The consolidated entity has adopted a lifetime expected loss allowance in estimating expected credit losses to trade receivables through the use of a provisions matrix using fixed rates of credit loss provisioning. These provisions are considered representative across all customers of the consolidated entity based on recent sales experience, historical collection rates and forward-looking information that is available.

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Note 19. Financial instruments (continued)

Generally, trade receivables are written off when there is no reasonable expectation of recovery. Indicators of this include the failure of a debtor to engage in a repayment plan, no active enforcement activity and a failure to make contractual payments for a period greater than 1 year.

Liquidity risk

Vigilant liquidity risk management requires the consolidated entity to maintain sufficient liquid assets (mainly cash and cash equivalents) and available borrowing facilities to be able to pay debts as and when they become due and payable.

The consolidated entity manages liquidity risk by maintaining adequate cash reserves and available borrowing facilities by continuously monitoring actual and forecast cash flows and matching the maturity profiles of financial assets and liabilities.

Financing arrangements

Unused borrowing facilities at the reporting date:

	Consolidated	
	2023 \$'000	2022 \$'000
Multi-option revolving credit facility	10,000	10,000

Subject to the continuance of satisfactory credit ratings, the multi-option revolving credit facility may be drawn at any time and is subject to annual review by the bank.

Remaining contractual maturities

The following tables detail the consolidated entity's remaining contractual maturity for its financial instrument liabilities. The tables have been drawn up based on the undiscounted cash flows of financial liabilities based on the earliest date on which the financial liabilities are required to be paid. The tables include both interest and principal cash flows disclosed as remaining contractual maturities and therefore these totals may differ from their carrying amount in the statement of financial position.

Consolidated - 2023	Weighted average interest rate %	1 year or less \$'000	Between 1 & 2 years \$'000	Between 2 & 5 years \$'000	Over 5 years \$'000	Remaining contractual maturities \$'000
Trade and other payables	-	20,076	-	-	-	20,076
Refund liability		581	-	-	-	581
Lease liabilities	5%	482	142	-	-	624
Total		21,139	142	-	-	21,281

Consolidated - 2022	Weighted average interest rate %	1 year or less \$'000	Between 1 and 2 years \$'000	Between 2 and 5 years \$'000	Over 5 years \$'000	Remaining contractual maturities \$'000
Trade and other payables	-	18,482	-	-	-	18,482
Lease liabilities	5%	548	482	142	-	1,172
Total		19,030	482	142	-	19,654

The cash flows in the maturity analysis above are not expected to occur significantly earlier than contractually disclosed above.

Note 19. Financial instruments (continued)

Fair value of financial instruments

Unless otherwise stated, the carrying amounts of financial instruments reflect their fair value.

Note 20. Key management personnel disclosures

Compensation

The aggregate compensation made to directors and other members of key management personnel of the consolidated entity is set out below:

	Consolidated	
	2023	2022
	\$	\$
Short-term employee benefits	1,841,984	1,631,086
Post-employment benefits	131,414	120,832
Long-term benefits	(4,181)	8,885
Share-based payments	(580,994)	682,382
	<u>1,388,223</u>	<u>2,443,185</u>

Note 21. Remuneration of auditors

During the financial year the following fees were paid or payable for services provided by Grant Thornton Audit Pty Ltd, the auditor of the Company, its network firms and unrelated firms:

	Consolidated	
	2023	2022
	\$	\$
<i>Audit services – Grant Thornton Audit Pty Ltd</i>		
Audit or review of the financial statements	<u>155,000</u>	<u>127,000</u>
<i>Other services – Grant Thornton Australia Limited</i>		
Tax advisory services	53,000	8,000
Other advisory services	24,000	-
	<u>232,000</u>	<u>135,000</u>

Note 22. Contingent liabilities

The consolidated entity has no contingent liabilities as at 30 June 2023 (2022: \$nil).

Note 23. Commitments

There were no material capital commitments at reporting date that were not recognised as liabilities.

Note 24. Related party transactions

Parent entity

Adore Beauty Group Limited is the parent entity.

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Note 24. Related party transactions (continued)

Subsidiaries

Interests in subsidiaries are set out in note 26.

Key management personnel

Disclosures relating to key management personnel are set out in note 20 and the remuneration report included in the directors' report.

Transactions with related parties

The following transactions occurred with related parties:

	Consolidated	
	2023	2022
	\$	\$
Payment for goods and services:		
Purchase of goods from director related entities	<u>32,196</u>	<u>25,092</u>

Receivable from and payable to related parties

The following balances are outstanding at the reporting date in relation to transactions with related parties:

	Consolidated	
	2023	2022
	\$	\$
Current payables:		
Trade payables to director related entities	<u>5,395</u>	<u>5,170</u>

Loans to/from related parties

There were no loans to or from related parties at the current and previous reporting date.

Terms and conditions

All transactions were made on normal commercial terms and conditions and at market rates.

Note 25. Parent entity information

Set out below is the supplementary information about the parent entity.

Statement of profit or loss and other comprehensive income

	Parent	
	2023	2022
	\$'000	\$'000
(Loss) after income tax	<u>(1,097)</u>	<u>(1,986)</u>
Total comprehensive loss	<u>(1,097)</u>	<u>(1,986)</u>

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Note 25. Parent entity information (continued)

Statement of financial position

	Parent	
	2023 \$'000	2022 \$'000
Total current assets	2,076	2,538
Total assets	95,080	96,760
Total current liabilities	28	69
Total liabilities	1,684	1,726
Equity		
Issued capital	102,076	102,076
Reserves	1,118	1,660
(Accumulated losses)	(9,798)	(8,702)
Total equity	93,396	95,034

Guarantees entered into by the parent entity in relation to the debts of its subsidiaries

- (i) The parent entity has entered into a cross deed of guarantee with the subsidiaries listed in note 26.
- (ii) The parent entity has provided a guarantee in respect of a facility agreement with Commonwealth Bank of Australia (the Lender) for the provision of debt financing of \$10 million. Refer to note 13 for further information in respect of the facility.

Capital commitments - Property, plant and equipment

The parent entity had no capital commitments for property, plant and equipment as at 30 June 2023 and 30 June 2022.

Significant accounting policies

The accounting policies of the parent entity are consistent with those of the consolidated entity, as disclosed in note 1, except for the following:

- Investments in subsidiaries are accounted for at cost, less any impairment, in the parent entity.
- Investments in associates are accounted for at cost, less any impairment, in the parent entity.
- Dividends received from subsidiaries are recognised as other income by the parent entity and its receipt may be an indicator of an impairment of the investment.

Note 26. Interests in subsidiaries

The consolidated financial statements incorporate the assets, liabilities and results of the following wholly-owned subsidiaries in accordance with the accounting policy described in note 1:

Name	Principal place of business / Country of incorporation	Ownership interest	
		2023 %	2022 %
Tate Midco Pty Ltd	Australia	100.00%	100.00%
Tate Bidco Pty Ltd	Australia	100.00%	100.00%
Adore Beauty Pty Ltd	Australia	100.00%	100.00%
Northside Brands Pty Ltd	Australia	100.00%	100.00%
Jakat Pte Ltd	Singapore	100.00%	100.00%

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Note 27. Events after the reporting period

No matter or circumstance has arisen since 30 June 2023 that has significantly affected, or may significantly affect the consolidated entity's operations, the results of those operations, or the consolidated entity's state of affairs in future financial years.

Note 28. Reconciliation of profit after income tax to net cash from operating activities

	Consolidated	
	2023 \$'000	2022 \$'000
(Loss)/profit after income tax expense for the year	<u>(559)</u>	<u>2,377</u>
Adjustments for:		
Depreciation and amortisation	2,148	1,856
Share-based payments	(542)	682
Interest expense reclassified to financing activities	46	65
Change in operating assets and liabilities:		
(Increase)/decrease in trade and other receivables	(1,463)	(390)
Increase in inventories	(3,588)	(2,547)
Increase in current tax receivable	458	(1,295)
Decrease/(increase) in deferred tax assets	647	1,444
Decrease/(increase) in other current assets	(1,159)	1,063
Increase in trade and other payables	4,918	31
(Decrease)/increase in employee benefits	<u>(86)</u>	<u>(76)</u>
Net cash from operating activities	<u><u>820</u></u>	<u><u>3,210</u></u>

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Note 29. Changes in liabilities arising from financing activities

Consolidated	Bank loans \$'000	Lease Liability \$'000	Total \$'000
Balance at 1 July 2021	-	1,346	1,346
Net cash used in financing activities	-	(494)	(494)
Lease remeasurements	-	320	320
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Balance at 30 June 2022	-	1,172	1,172
Net cash used in financing activities	-	(541)	(541)
Lease remeasurements	-	(7)	(7)
Balance at 30 June 2023	<hr/> <hr/>	<hr/> <hr/>	<hr/> <hr/>

Note 30. Earnings per share

	Consolidated	
	2023	2022
	\$	\$
(Loss)/profit after income tax attributable to the owners of Adore Beauty Group Limited	<u>(559,000)</u>	<u>2,377,000</u>
	Number	Number
Weighted average number of ordinary shares used in calculating basic earnings per share	93,907,372	94,124,497
Adjustments for calculation of diluted earnings per share:		
Options over ordinary shares	<hr/> -	<hr/> 605,000
Weighted average number of ordinary shares used in calculating diluted earnings per share	<hr/> <u>93,907,372</u>	<hr/> <u>94,729,497</u>

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Note 31. Share-based payments

(a) Management Equity Plan

(i) Details of the Management Equity Plan of the Company

The Company previously established an equity incentive plan under which key personnel received ordinary shares as part of their incentive arrangements (Management Equity Plan). Equity issued under the Management Equity Plan will be dealt with as follows to ensure that participants continue to be motivated to achieve sustained growth for shareholders following listing on the Australian Stock Exchange (Listing). Key personnel were entitled to convert their existing management shares into ordinary shares immediately prior to the Company Listing. The existing management shares are loan backed shares pursuant to which the Company has loaned participants monies to fund part or all of the purchase of management shares under a Management Equity Plan. The ordinary shares issued on conversion of the management shares (Loan Shares) will continue to be subject to loan repayment and may also be subject to vesting conditions and continued employment.

A summary of the material terms and conditions of the Loan Shares is as follows:

- The loan attaching to Loan Shares is limited recourse and must be repaid out of any proceeds from the sale of the Loan Shares.
- The Loan Shares are subject to the Company's Securities Trading Policy and to escrow arrangements as part of the Listing.

(ii) Management Equity Plan shares issued during the period

During the period, the Company granted nil Loan Shares to eligible personnel.

(iii) Movements in Management Equity Plan Shares during the period

The following reconciles the management equity plan shares outstanding at the beginning and end of the period.

	Year ended 30/6/23 No.	Year ended 30/6/22 No.
Balance at the beginning of the period	2,643,820	2,643,820
Granted during the year	-	-
Cancellation of forfeited shares during the year	(217,125)	
Balance at the end of the period	2,426,695	2,643,820

(b) Long-term Incentive Plan

(i) Details of the Long-Term Incentive Plans of the Company

The Company has established a long-term incentive plan (LTIP) to assist in the motivation, retention and reward of eligible employees. The LTIP is designed to align the interests of employees with the interests of Shareholders by providing an opportunity for employees to receive an equity interest in the Company. The LTIP provides flexibility for the Company to grant performance rights to acquire shares, subject to the terms of individual offers.

Plan	Granted (Awards)	Grant Date	Fair Value at Grant	Vesting Date
CEO Options				
Tranche 1	100,000	27/01/2023	\$0.49	10/07/2023
Tranche 2	40,000	27/01/2023	\$0.50	9/10/2023
Tranche 3	40,000	27/01/2023	\$0.50	9/01/2024
Tranche 4	40,000	27/01/2023	\$0.51	9/04/2024
Tranche 5	40,000	27/01/2023	\$0.52	9/07/2024
Tranche 6	40,000	27/01/2023	\$0.52	9/10/2024
Tranche 7	40,000	27/01/2023	\$0.53	9/01/2025
Tranche 8	40,000	27/01/2023	\$0.54	9/04/2025
Tranche 9	40,000	27/01/2023	\$0.54	9/07/2025
Tranche 10	40,000	27/01/2023	\$0.55	9/10/2025

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Tranche 1 ¹	40,000	27/01/2023	\$0.56	9/04/2026
CFO Options				
Options	50,000	06/10/2020	\$3.52	30/06/2026
Performance rights	41,512	15/11/2022	1.64	30/06/2025
CEO Performance Rights				
Tranche 1 ¹	350,000	27/01/2023	\$0.58	
Tranche 2 ²	500,000	27/01/2023	\$0.29	
Tranche 3 ³	650,000	27/01/2023	\$0.17	
2023 Performance Rights				
Performance Rights	109,402	15/11/2022	\$1.64	30/06/2025

¹Tranche 1 will vest if the volume weighted average price of Adore Beauty shares for any consecutive 60 day period following the Grant Date is \$2.50 or higher.

²Tranche 2 will vest if the volume weighted average price of Adore Beauty shares for any consecutive 60 day period following the Grant Date is \$4.75 or higher.

³Tranche 3 will vest if the volume weighted average price of Adore Beauty shares for any consecutive 60 day period following the Grant Date is \$6.75 or higher.

(ii) Long-Term Incentive Plan options or performance rights issued during the period:

There were 1,650,914 performance rights issued during the period.

(iii) Share options exercised during the year

There were no share options exercised during the period year or the prior corresponding period.

Note 31. Share-based payments (continued)

(v) Movements in share options and performance rights during the period

The following reconciles the share options and performance rights outstanding at the beginning and end of the period.

	Year ended 30/6/23	Year ended 30/6/23 Weighted average exercise price	Year ended 30/6/22	Year ended 30/6/22 Weighted Average Exercise Price
	Number of Options/Rights		Number of Options/rights	
Balance at the beginning of the year	605,000	\$6.75	605,000	\$6.75
Options granted during the year	500,000	\$1.53	-	-
Performance rights granted during the year	1,650,914	Nil	-	-
Forfeited during the year	(555,000)	\$6.75	-	-
Balance at the end of the year	2,155,914	\$2.00	605,000	\$6.75

(vi) The following share-based payment options and performance rights were in existence at the end of the current period.

Option series	Number	Grant date	Vesting date	Expiry date	Exercise price	Fair value at grant date
Performance rights (i)	150,914	15/11/2022	31/08/2025	30/09/2027	Nil	\$1.64
Performance rights (ii)	1,500,000	27/01/2023		27/11/2026	Nil	
New options(iii)	500,000	27/01/2023	27/01/2033	27/01/2033	\$1.53	\$0.52
Options (iv)	50,000	06/10/2020	30/06/2024	30/06/2026	\$6.75	\$3.52

No options have vested to date.

- (i) Performance rights vest on 31 August 2025 subject to the participant's continued employment and the achievement of below equally weighted measures over the performance period (1 July 2022 to 30 June 2025):
- Market measure – relative TSR (50% weighting):
The Company's TSR over the performance period will be assessed against selected companies in retail and ecommerce (TSR Peer Group) at 30 June 2025 to assess performance. The proportion of performance shares that will vest will be determined by calculating the percentile ranking of the Company's TSR performance relative to the TSR performance of the TSR Peer Group in line with the following vesting schedule:
 - Below 50th %ile - nil vesting
 - At 50th %ile - 50% vesting
 - between 50th and 75th %ile, pro-rata straight line vesting will occur
 - 75th %ile or above - full (100%) vesting
 - Non-market measure – CAGR of EBITDA (50% weighting):
If the EBITDA margin hurdle (as defined in the Company's long term plan) has been achieved at the end of the performance period, revenue growth targets will be tested. The proportion of performance shares that will vest will be determined by the revenue CAGR targets in line with the following vesting schedule:
 - Less than target revenue CAGR - nil vesting
 - At target revenue CAGR - 50% vesting
 - Between target and stretch, pro-rata straight line vesting will occur
 - At or above stretch revenue CAGR - full (100%) vesting
- (ii) Performance Rights awarded to the CEO upon commencement have been valued using the Monte Carlo simulation approach and will vest, subject to participant's continued employment and to the Company's share price over the performance period (27 January 2023 to 27 November 2026):
- Tranche 1 – 350,000 Performance Rights that vest if the VWAP of Adore Beauty shares for any consecutive 60 day period following the Grant Date reaches \$2.50 or higher. Fair value at grant date of \$0.58.
 - Tranche 2 – 500,000 Performance Rights that vest if the VWAP of Adore Beauty shares for any consecutive 60 day period following the Grant Date reaches \$4.75 or higher. Fair value at grant date of \$0.29.
 - Tranche 3 – 650,000 Performance Rights that vest if the VWAP of Adore Beauty shares for any consecutive 60 day period following the Grant Date reaches \$6.75 or higher. Fair value at grant date of \$0.17.
 - If not vested prior, these performance rights lapse 27 November 2026.
- (iii) Fair value of options based on Black-Scholes pricing model. Options vest in tranches described at note 31 (b)(i) subject to the participant's continued employment.
- (iv) Options vest subject to the participant's continued employment over the performance period (6 October 2020 to 30 June 2024).

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Note 32. Deed of cross guarantee

The following entities are party to a deed of cross guarantee under which each Company guarantees the debts of the others:

Adore Beauty Group Ltd
Adore Beauty Pty Ltd
Tate Midco Pty Ltd
Tate Bidco Pty Ltd
Northside Brands Pty Ltd

By entering into the deed, the wholly-owned entities have been relieved from the requirement to prepare financial statements and directors' report under Corporations Instrument 2016/785 issued by the Australian Securities and Investments Commission.

The above companies represent a 'Closed Group' for the purposes of the Corporations Instrument.

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As at 30 June 2023, the results of the 'Closed Group' are as follows:

	2023
	\$'000
Statement of profit or loss and other comprehensive income	
Revenue	180,588
Cost of sales	(121,328)
Other income	251
Advertising and marketing expense	(26,685)
Employee benefits expense	(18,630)
Depreciation and amortisation expense	(2,148)
Finance costs	(186)
Other operating expenses	(13,309)
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Loss before income tax benefit	(1,447)
Income tax benefit	892
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Loss after income tax benefit	(555)
Other comprehensive income	
Other comprehensive income for the year, net of tax	-
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Total comprehensive loss for the year	<u>(555)</u>
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Equity - retained profits	
Accumulated losses at the beginning of the financial year	(1,702)
Loss after income tax expense	555
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Accumulated losses at the end of the financial year	<u>(1,147)</u>
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Note 32. Deed of cross guarantee (continued)

	2023 \$'000
Statement of financial position	
Current assets	
Cash and cash equivalents	27,663
Trade and other receivables	2,512
Current tax receivable	1,795
Inventories	21,079
Other current assets	<u>2,201</u>
	<u>55,250</u>
Non-current assets	
Property, plant and equipment	726
Right-of-use assets	502
Intangibles	3,852
Deferred tax	1,983
Intercompany receivables	60
Investment in subsidiaries	<u>58</u>
	<u>7,181</u>
Total assets	<u>62,431</u>
Current liabilities	
Trade and other payables	20,656
Contract liabilities	3,777
Lease liabilities	482
Employee benefits	<u>911</u>
	<u>25,826</u>
Non-current liabilities	
Lease liabilities	142
Employee benefits	<u>225</u>
	<u>367</u>
Total liabilities	<u>26,193</u>
Net assets	<u>36,238</u>
Equity	
Issued capital	102,076
Reserves	(66,985)
Retained profits/(Accumulated losses)	<u>1,147</u>
Total equity	<u>36,238</u>

Adore Beauty Group Limited
Directors' declaration
30 June 2023

In the directors' opinion:

- the attached financial statements and notes comply with the Corporations Act 2001, the Accounting Standards, the Corporations Regulations 2001 and other mandatory professional reporting requirements;
- the attached financial statements and notes comply with International Financial Reporting Standards as issued by the International Accounting Standards Board as described in note 1 to the financial statements;
- the attached financial statements and notes give a true and fair view of the consolidated entity's financial position as at 30 June 2023 and of its performance for the financial year ended on that date;
- there are reasonable grounds to believe that the Company will be able to pay its debts as and when they become due and payable; and

The directors have been given the declarations required by section 295A of the Corporations Act 2001.

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

On behalf of the directors



Marina Go
Chair

23 August 2023

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Independent Auditor's Report

To the Members of Adore Beauty Group Limited

Report on the audit of the financial report

Opinion

We have audited the financial report of Adore Beauty Group Limited (the Company) and its subsidiaries (the Consolidated Entity), which comprises the consolidated statement of financial position as at 30 June 2023, the consolidated statement of profit or loss and other comprehensive income, consolidated statement of changes in equity and consolidated statement of cash flows for the year then ended, and notes to the consolidated financial statements, including a summary of significant accounting policies, and the Directors' declaration.

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

- a giving a true and fair view of the Consolidated Entity's financial position as at 30 June 2023 and of its 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 Consolidated Entity in accordance with the auditor independence requirements of the *Corporations Act 2001* and the ethical requirements of the Accounting Professional and Ethical Standards Board's APES 110 *Code of Ethics for Professional Accountants (including Independence Standards)* (the Code) that are relevant to our audit of the 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 judgement, were of most significance in our audit of the financial report of the current period. These matters were addressed in the context of our audit of the financial report as a whole, and in forming our opinion thereon, and we do not provide a separate opinion on these matters.

Key audit matter

How our audit addressed the key audit matter

Revenue recognition – Note 1 and Note 4

There is a presumed risk that revenue may be misstated due to improper revenue recognition in accordance with ASA 240 *The Auditor's Responsibilities Relating to Fraud in an Audit of a Financial Report*.

The Consolidated Entity recognises revenue at an amount that reflects the consideration to which they expect to be entitled in exchange for transferring goods to a customer. Revenue from the sale of goods is recognised at the point in time when the customer obtains control of the goods, which is generally at the time of delivery and the performance obligation is satisfied in accordance with AASB 15 *Revenue from Contracts with Customers*.

Given the Consolidated Entity recognises revenue when they make a delivery to customers, they must assess all orders shipped but not yet delivered at the end of the reporting period for correct revenue recognition.

Due to the management judgement involved in this assessment and the daily volume of online transactions, revenue recognition is a key audit matter.

Our procedures included, amongst others:

- Obtaining a detailed understanding of the underlying processes for revenue recognition, through discussion with individuals across the organisation and review of relevant documentation;
- Using data analytics to risk profile revenue transactions throughout the year, identifying and testing transactions which are higher risk;
- Testing a sample of revenue transactions throughout the year to evaluate the occurrence and accuracy of the amounts recorded during the year;
- Validating management's assessment of contract liabilities at year-end;
- For year-end revenue specifically, assessing management's estimates (including input data and assumptions) on cut-off of revenue and developing an independent auditor's estimate, to assess whether management's estimates made are reasonable;
- Reviewing management's assessment of the refund liability and right-of-return asset based on customer terms and percentage of actual returns during the year; and
- Assessing whether the disclosures in the financial statements, including critical judgements and estimates, are appropriate.

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 Consolidated Entity's annual report for the year ended 30 June 2023, but does not include the financial report and our auditor's report thereon.

Our opinion on the financial report does not cover the other information and we do 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, 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 Consolidated Entity's ability to continue as a going concern, disclosing, as applicable, matters related to going concern and using the going concern basis of accounting unless the Directors either intend to liquidate the Consolidated Entity 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.

A further description of our responsibilities for the audit of the financial report is located at the Auditing and Assurance Standards Board website at: http://www.auasb.gov.au/auditors_responsibilities/ar1_2020.pdf. This description forms part of our auditor's report.

Report on the remuneration report

Opinion on the remuneration report

We have audited the Remuneration Report included in the Directors' Report for the year ended 30 June 2023.

In our opinion, the Remuneration Report of Adore Beauty Group Limited, for the year ended 30 June 2023 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.

Grant Thornton Audit Pty Ltd
Chartered Accountants

C S Gangemi
Partner – Audit & Assurance

Melbourne, 23 August 2023