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Financial Report

For the Half-Year Ended 31 December 2023

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Directors' Report

The Directors present the consolidated financial statements of GBM Resources Limited for the half-year ended 31 December 2023.

Directors

The following persons were directors of GBM Resources Limited during the whole of the half-year and up to the date of this report, unless stated otherwise:

Guan Huat Sunny Loh Non-Executive Chairman
Peter Rohner Managing Director
Peter Thompson Non-Executive Director

Company Secretary

Kevin Hart Joint Company Secretary
Dan Travers Joint Company Secretary

Review of Operations

The consolidated net loss after income tax for the half-year was \$2,922,523 (31 December 2022: \$975,642), which includes exploration costs expensed and written off of \$38,465 (31 December 2022: \$191,548); net interest and finance costs of \$336,174 (31 December 2022: \$1,340,843 net income), and fair value losses of \$533,909 (31 December 2022: \$254,572 fair value gain).

At the end of the half-year the Group had \$254,428 (30 June 2023: \$1,901,042) in cash and at call deposits and approximately \$123,000 in listed shares that are available for trading.

Capitalised mineral exploration and evaluation expenditure at 31 December 2023 was \$45,522,633 (30 June 2023: \$45,629,203).

Exploration

Exploration expenditure incurred for the six months ended 31 December 2023 on the Company's wholly owned projects was \$1,478,061 (31 December 2022: \$3,404,154) and for the Farm-in projects was \$199,119 (31 December 2022: \$615,576).

During the half year, GBM undertook a systematic field review of identified high potential prospects across both the Twin Hills Gold Project and continued reviewing historical data at the Yandan Gold Project. Funding models to advance Twin Hills and Yandan exploration projects have been progressed with interested parties.

Work continued on the Mt Coolon Gold Project farm-in with Newcrest (now Newmont) with a multifaceted geophysical, geochemical and geological exploration program being completed. Expenditure during the reporting period was ~\$3.5 million, with a total expenditure on the farm-in to date of \$7.4 million.

Exploration activities also continued on other farm-in and joint venture projects.

Production – White Dam

In August 2023, the Company entered into a strategic binding agreement with Benagerie Gold & Copper Pty Ltd (BGC) to advance GBM's White Dam Project and BGC's Portia Gold Projects. BGC, via an associated company, mobilised its mining equipment at site to carry out activities enabling the treatment of remaining ROM pad material and rehandling/stacking of poorly irrigated heap leach material to increase gold production.

Gold production for the reporting period was 248 ounces with 246 ounces being sold during the period.

Directors' Report

Review of Operations (continued)

Corporate

During the reporting period, the Company raised \$1.1 million from the issue of 114,814,816 ordinary shares to institutional and sophisticated investors. Further work was undertaken on capital raising activities for a share placement and non-renounceable entitlement offer to be finalised in early 2024 to raise up to approximately \$3.5 million.

The Company continued with the rationalisation of its tenements. GBM entered into a Farm-In Agreement with Syndicated Minerals Pty Ltd (SM) under which SM can earn up to a 60% interest in selected commodities (Uranium, Rare Earth Elements, etc) on White Dam exploration licences EL 6435 and EL 6565. Non-core exploration lease EL 6299 was sold to Havilah Resources Limited for a consideration including \$100,000 cash payment (in stages) along with some development rights to two Havilah owned prospects Green and Gold and Wilkins, near White Dam.

Significant Changes in the State of Affairs of the Group

Other than as stated above and elsewhere in this report, there have been no significant changes in the state of affairs of the Group during the period ended 31 December 2023.

Events Subsequent to the Reporting Date

Other than the matters stated below, there has not arisen in the interval between the end of the reporting period and the date of this report, any item, transaction or event of a material and unusual nature likely, in the opinion of the Directors of the Company to affect substantially the operations of the Group, the results of those operations or the state of affairs of the Group in subsequent financial years.

- On 30 January 2024, a Pro-Rata Non-Renounceable Entitlement Offer closed. The Offer was on the basis of one New Share for every four Shares held in the Company at an issue price of \$0.009 per New Share. In addition, for each 2 New Shares issued, one option was issued with an exercise price of \$0.015 and expiring 24 months from the date of issue. At the date of this report, the Company has issued 143,158,720 New Shares and 71,579,344 Options under the Offer to raise approximately \$1.3 million (before costs).
- On 11 March 2024, a general meeting of shareholders was convened. One of the resolutions approved by shareholders related to amending the terms of the convertible notes held by Collins St Convertible Notes Pty Ltd (Collins Street) to allow \$900,000 of the convertible note debt to be converted into equity via the issue of 100,000,000 Shares (at an issue price of \$0.009) and 50,000,000 free attaching Options. In addition, the amendment of the conversion price from approximately \$0.06 to \$0.02 was approved.
- On 15 March 2024, the Company issued 100,738,888 shares under Tranche 2 of the Placement announced to the ASX on 20 December 2023 raising approximately \$907,000. A total of 105,924,993 free attaching options were issued in respect of Placement Shares issued under both tranches of the Placement. In addition, 100 million shares and 50 million free attaching options were issued to Collins Street for the conversion of \$900,000 of convertible note debt to equity.

Directors' Report

Auditor's Independence Declaration

A copy of the Auditor's Independence Declaration as required under Section 307C of the Corporations Act is set out on the following page.

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

DATED at Perth this 15th day of March 2024.

Peter Rohner
Managing Director



AUDITOR'S INDEPENDENCE DECLARATION

As lead auditor for the review of the consolidated financial report of GBM Resources Limited for the half-year ended 31 December 2023, I declare that to the best of my knowledge and belief, there have been no contraventions of:

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

Perth, Western Australia 15 March 2024 M R Ohm Partner

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Condensed Consolidated Statement of Profit or Loss and Other Comprehensive Income For the half-year ended 31 December 2023

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	Consolidated		
		31	31
		December	December
		2023	2022
	Note	\$	\$
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Revenue from metal sales	2	640,355	1,032,490
(Loss)/gain on sale of assets	3	(38)	231,621
Other revenue	3	47,338	228,104
		466.646	27.405
Interest and finance income		166,018	27,485
Interest and finance expenses		(502,192)	1,313,358
Net interest and finance (expenses)/income	3	(336,174)	1,340,843
Processing expenses		(1,350,127)	(1,609,749)
Royalty expenses		(54,328)	-
Employee expenses		(369,298)	(464,867)
Employee expenses – share based	16	(23,309)	(237,673)
Consulting and professional expenses		(135,729)	(281,619)
Exploration costs expensed and written off	8	(38,465)	(191,548)
Depreciation and amortisation expenses		(308,108)	(574,482)
Fair value (loss)/gain on investments	10	(533,909)	254,572
Foreign exchange gain/(loss)		-	(1,547)
Administration and other expenses		(460,731)	(701,787)
Loss before income tax		(2,922,523)	(975,642)
Loss before meome tax		(2,322,323)	(373,042)
Income tax benefit		_	_
income tax benefit		_	
Not loss for the half year attributable to the members			
Net loss for the half-year attributable to the members		(2,922,523)	(975,642)
of the parent entity			
Other comprehensive income		-	
Total comprehensive loss for the period attributable to		(2,922,523)	(975,642)
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Loss per share			
Basic loss per share (cents)		(0.5)	(0.2)
Diluted loss per share (cents)		(0.5)	(0.2)
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The above condensed consolidated statement of profit or loss and other comprehensive income should be read in conjunction with the accompanying notes.

Condensed Consolidated Statement of Financial Position As at 31 December 2023

Consolidated

		31 December	30 June
		2023	2023
	Note	\$	\$
Current assets			
Cash and cash equivalents	4	254,428	1,901,042
Trade and other receivables	5	68,729	387,495
Prepayments		869,602	523,343
Asset held for sale	6	133,964	132,775
Inventories	7	368,715	299,267
Financial assets	10	834,498	132,512
Total current assets		2,529,936	3,376,434
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Non-current assets			
Prepayments	13	658,332	1,045,011
Exploration and evaluation expenditure	8	45,522,633	45,629,203
Right-of-use assets	9	49,347	91,644
Property, plant and equipment		2,502,569	2,749,512
Financial assets	10	-	1,246,392
Bonds and security deposits	5	10,026,787	9,839,106
Total non-current assets		58,759,668	60,600,868
Total assets		61,289,604	63,977,302
		52,250,551	55,511,552
Current liabilities			
Trade and other payables	11	1,333,740	598,230
Employee leave liabilities		292,794	306,313
Lease liabilities	12	55,854	97,676
Borrowings	13	7,450,105	32,276
Provisions	14	117,751	30,000
Total current liabilities		9,250,244	1,064,495
Non-current liabilities			
Employee leave liabilities		136,629	128,285
Borrowings	13	-	7,360,421
Provisions	14	13,388,853	15,068,667
Total non-current liabilities		13,525,482	22,557,373
Total liabilities		22,775,726	23,621,868
NET ASSETS		38,513,878	40,355,434
Equity	4.5	66.026.663	CE 070 050
Issued capital	15	66,936,608	65,878,950
Option capital		193,694	193,694
Accumulated losses		(29,512,056)	(26,589,533)
Reserves		895,632	872,323
TOTAL EQUITY		38,513,878	40,355,434

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

Condensed Consolidated Statement of Changes in Equity For the half-year ended 31 December 2023

	Issued Capital	Option Capital	Accumulated losses	Share based payment reserve	Convertible Note Reserve	Total
	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
At 1 July 2022	62,217,473	977,990	(25,523,814)	773,056	-	38,444,705
Total comprehensive loss for the half-year: Loss for the half-year	-	-	(975,642)	-	-	(975,642)
Shares issued net of costs	- 1,598,473	-	(975,642) -	-	-	(975,642) 1,598,473
Issue of convertible notes	-	-	-	-	110,806	110,806
Exercise of options/rights	664,816	(9,522)	-	(226,727)	-	428,567
Cancellation of options Fair value of options/rights vesting	-	(968,468)	968,468	- 237,673	-	- 237,673
At 31 December 2022	64,480,762		(25,530,988)	784,002	110,806	39,844,582
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At 1 July 2023	65,878,950	193,694	(26,589,533)	761,517	110,806	40,355,434
Total comprehensive loss for the half-year: Loss for the half-year	_	_	(2,922,523)	_	_	(2,922,523)
Loss for the han-year	<u> </u>	<u> </u>	(2,922,523)	<u> </u>		(2,922,523)
Shares issued net of costs	1,038,604	_	-	-	-	1,038,604
Shares issued in lieu of services	19,026	-	-	-	-	19,026
Exercise of options/rights	28	-	-	-	-	28
Fair value of options/rights vesting	-	-	-	23,309		23,309
At 31 December 2023	66,936,608	193,694	(29,512,056)	784,826	110,806	38,513,878

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

Condensed Consolidated Statement of Cash Flows For the half-year ended 31 December 2023

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	Consonaatea	
	31	31
	December	December
	2023	2022
	\$	\$
Cash flows from operating activities		
Cash receipts from metal sales	938,417	1,032,490
Payments to suppliers and employees	(1,986,155)	(3,169,440)
Government assistance, grants and tax incentives	-	146,926
Interest received	166,018	27,485
JV management fee income	47,338	78,596
Interest and other costs of finance paid	(271,498)	(135,382)
Net cash used in operating activities	(1,105,880)	(2,019,325)
Cash flows from investing activities		
Refunds of bonds and security deposits	12,318	-
Payments to acquire property, plant and equipment	-	(26,726)
Funds provided by JV partner under farm-in agreement	441,822	956,088
Proceeds from sale of investments	10,459	1,832,409
Proceeds from sale of tenements	-	210,000
Payments for exploration and evaluation, including joint		
venture spend	(2,054,919)	(6,018,900)
Net cash used in investing activities	(1,590,320)	(3,047,129)
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Cash flows from financing activities		
Proceeds from the issue of shares	1,100,000	1,669,540
Share issue costs	(66,000)	(71,068)
Proceeds from the exercise of options	-	404,042
Proceeds from loans and borrowings	199,604	7,743,229
Repayment of loans and borrowings	(142,196)	(147,678)
Repayment of lease liabilities	(41,822)	(41,532)
Net cash from financing activities	1,049,586	9,556,533
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Net (decrease)/increase in cash held	(1,646,614)	4,490,079
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Cash at the beginning of the period	1,901,042	836,149
Effect of foreign currency exchange on cash	-	(1,547)
Cash at the end of the period	254,428	5,324,681

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

Notes to the Condensed Consolidated Financial Statements For the half-year ended 31 December 2023

NOTE 1 BASIS OF PREPARATION OF HALF-YEAR REPORT

These general purpose financial statements for the half-year reporting period ended 31 December 2023 have been prepared in accordance with Australian Accounting Standard AASB 134 *Interim Financial Reporting* and the Corporations Act 2001. Compliance with AASB 134 ensures that the financial statements comply with International Financial Reporting Standard IAS 134: Interim Financial Reporting.

The Group is a for profit entity for financial reporting purposes under Australian Accounting Standards.

The financial report has been prepared on the historical cost basis except for the revaluation of certain financial assets to fair value.

These half-year financial statements do not include all the notes of the type normally included in annual financial statements and therefore cannot be expected to provide as full an understanding of the financial performance, financial position and financing and investing activities of the Group as the full financial statements. Accordingly, these half-year financial statements are to be read in conjunction with the annual financial statements for the year ended 30 June 2023 and any public announcements made by GBM Resources Limited during the half-year reporting period in accordance with the continuous disclosure requirements of the Corporations Act 2001.

The same accounting policies and methods of computation have been followed in these half-year financial statements as compared with the most recent annual financial statements. These accounting policies are consistent with Australian Accounting Standards and with International Financial Reporting Standards.

Significant accounting judgements and key estimates

The preparation of half-year reports requires management to make judgements, estimates and assumptions that affect the application of accounting policies and the reported amounts of assets, liabilities, income and expense. Actual results may differ from these estimates.

In preparing this half-year report, the significant judgments made by management in applying the Group's accounting policies and the key sources of estimation uncertainty were the same as those that applied to the consolidated financial report for the year ended 30 June 2023.

For the purpose of preparing the half-year report, the half-year has been treated as a discrete reporting period.

Going Concern

The financial statements have been prepared on the going concern basis which contemplates the continuity of normal business activities and the realisation of assets and discharge of liabilities in the normal course of business.

As at 31 December 2023, the Group has cash assets of \$254,428, total current assets of \$2,529,936 and total current liabilities of \$9,250,244. The loss for the reporting period was \$2,922,523 and operating and investing cash outflows were \$2,696,200. In addition to the current liabilities highlighted above, the Group makes reference to the \sim \$3.2 million financial surety required as outlined in note 19(iv).

Notwithstanding these factors, the Directors are of the opinion that the Company is a going concern for the following reasons:

Subsequent to the end of the reporting period, the Company raised approximately \$1.3 million
pursuant to a non-renounceable entitlement issue and is currently seeking to place the remaining
shortfall securities thereby raising up to an additional \$0.36 million.

Notes to the Condensed Consolidated Financial Statements For the half-year ended 31 December 2023

NOTE 1 BASIS OF PREPARATION OF HALF-YEAR REPORT (continued)

- Following shareholder approval at a general meeting held on 11 March 2024, the Company has:
 - issued placement shares to directors to raise \$0.44 million;
 - issued placement shares to Collins St Convertible Notes Pty Ltd (Collins St) to raise \$0.46 million;
 - o converted \$0.9 million of the Collins St second convertible note debt into equity.
- Whilst the convertible note debt was required, under accounting standard AASB 101 Presentation of Financial Statements, to be classified as a current liability at 31 December 2023, had the note restructure discussions with the noteholder and required approvals been obtained prior to the end of the reporting period, the convertible note debt would have been classified as non-current. At the date of this report, the debt is non-current and repayable in 2025 pursuant to the terms and conditions of the convertible note agreement. (refer note 13).
- Negotiations for the divestment of certain assets are continuing.
- The remaining interest payable on the convertible notes has been prepaid.
- Expenditure on future exploration activity is largely discretionary and is entirely dependent on available cash.

The Directors will continue to manage the Group's activities with due regard to current and future funding requirements. The Directors reasonably expect that the Company will be able to raise sufficient capital to fund the Group's exploration and working capital requirements if required, and that the Group will be able to settle debts as and when they become due and payable.

The Group's ability to continue as a going concern and meet future working capital requirements is dependent on the above points being realised. Should the Company not be successful in generating the required cash flows, there is a material uncertainty that may cast significant doubt on the Group's ability to continue as a going concern and realise its assets and extinguish its liabilities in the normal course of business and at the amounts stated in the financial statements.

Adoption of new and revised accounting standards

The Group has adopted all of the new and revised standards and interpretations issued by the Australian Accounting Standards Board that are relevant to its operations and effective for the current half-year.

Any new or amended Accounting Standards or Interpretations that are not yet mandatory have not been early adopted by the Group for the reporting period ended 31 December 2023.

The consolidated half-year financial statements were approved by the Board of Directors on 15th March 2024.

Notes to the Condensed Consolidated Financial Statements For the half-year ended 31 December 2023

NOTE 2 SEGMENT INFORMATION

Operating segments are identified and segment information disclosed, where appropriate, on the basis of internal reports reviewed by the Company's Board of Directors, being the Group's Chief Operating Decision Maker, as defined by AASB 8.

The Group has identified its operating segments based on the internal reports that are reviewed and used by the Board of Directors in assessing performance and determining the allocation of resources. Reportable segments disclosed are based on aggregating operating segments, where the segments have similar characteristics. The Group has two operating segments, these being mineral exploration and resource development within Australia and production of minerals in Australia.

The following tables present revenue and profit information and certain asset and liability information regarding operating segments.

31 December 2023	Mineral Exploration	Mineral Production	Consolidated
31 3000m30. 2023	\$	\$	\$
Segment income	47,338	640,355	687,693
Net interest and finance expenses (note 3)	(335,945)	(229)	(336,174)
Other segment expenses	(1,457,194)	(1,816,848)	(3,274,042)
Segment profit/(loss)	(1,745,801)	(1,176,722)	(2,922,523)
Current assets	2,113,609	416,327	2,529,936
Non-current assets	54,822,281	3,937,387	58,759,668
Current liabilities	(8,296,988)	(953,256)	(9,250,244)
Non-current liabilities	(9,032,284)	(4,493,198)	(13,525,482)
Net assets	39,606,618	(1,092,740)	38,513,878

	Mineral	Mineral	Consolidated
31 December 2022	Exploration	Production	
	\$	\$	\$
Interest and financing income (note 3)	1,697,331	173,164	1,870,495
Other income	459,725	1,032,490	1,492,215
Segment income	2,157,056	1,205,654	3,362,710
Segment expenses	(2,042,548)	(2,295,804)	(4,338,352)
Segment profit/(loss)	114,508	(1,090,150)	(975,642)
Current assets	5,621,769	774,414	6,396,183
Non-current assets	51,797,272	7,790,165	59,587,437
Current liabilities	(1,229,604)	(457,837)	(1,687,441)
Non-current liabilities	(20,418,433)	(4,033,164)	(24,451,597)
Net assets	35,771,004	4,073,578	39,844,582

Notes to the Condensed Consolidated Financial Statements For the half-year ended 31 December 2023

NOTE 3 LOSS FROM ORDINARY ACTIVITIES

Included in loss before income tax are the following specific items of income/(expense):

Consolidated

	31 December 2023	31 December 2022
	\$	\$
Gain on disposal of exploration assets ¹ (Loss)/gain on disposal of investments Total gain on disposal of assets	(38) (38)	274,389 (42,768) 231,621

¹ Gain on sale of the Mayfield Project to C29 Metals Limited.

Consolidated

	31 December 2023 \$	31 December 2022 \$
Joint venture management fee income	47,338	78,595
Research and development rebate	-	146,926
Other income	-	2,583
Total other revenue	47,338	228,104
Interest income	166,018	27,485
Discount on rehabilitation provision	(106,995)	1,843,010
Convertible note establishment fee	-	(300,000)
Interest expense – convertible notes	(392,222)	(218,630)
Interest expense – leases	(1,654)	(2,810)
Interest expense – other	(1,321)	(8,212)
Net interest and finance (expenses)/income	(336,174)	1,340,843

NOTE 4 CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS

Consolidated

		31	30
		December	June
		2023	2023
		\$	\$
a)	Cash and cash equivalents		
	Cash at bank and on hand	254,428	1,901,042

Notes to the Condensed Consolidated Financial Statements For the half-year ended 31 December 2023

NOTE 4 CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS (continued)

b) Cash available for specific use

Included in cash and cash equivalents is \$27,989 (30 June 2023: \$209,428) relating to cash calls received in advance from farm in and joint venture partners. These funds are for specific use on tenements covered under the Cloncurry Joint Venture agreement.

NOTE 5 TRADE AND OTHER RECEIVABLES

	Consolidated	
	31	30
	December	June
	2023	2023
	\$	\$
Current		
Trade receivables	9,251	387,495
GST recoverable	35,344	-
Accrued income	24,134	
	68,729	387,495
Non-current		
Environmental bonds and security deposits for:		
Mount Coolon Gold Project	1,238,000	1,238,000
Yandan Project	5,277,151	5,077,151
White Dam	1,940,000	1,940,000
Twin Hills	1,467,656	1,467,656
Other	103,980	116,299
	10,026,787	9,839,106

NOTE 6 ASSETS HELD FOR SALE

	Consolidated	
	31	30
	December	June
	2023	2023
	\$	\$
White Dam tenement ¹	133,964	132,775
	133,964	132,775

¹ In August 2023, the Group entered into a sale agreement with Havilah Resources Limited (ASX: HAV) for the sale of non-core White Dam exploration lease EL 6299 for a cash consideration of \$100,000 (in stages) along with some development rights to two Havilah owned prospects Green and Gold and Wilkins. Capitalised exploration expenditure was transferred to assets held-for-sale.

Notes to the Condensed Consolidated Financial Statements For the half-year ended 31 December 2023

NOTE 7 INVENTORIES

	Consolidated	
	31	30
	December	June
	2023	2023
	\$	\$
Gold on hand	236,853	220,311
Reagents and consumables	131,862	78,956
	368,715	299,267

NOTE 8 EXPLORATION AND EVALUATION EXPENDITURE

Capitalised exploration costs at the end of the period

The capitalised exploration and evaluation expenditure of \$45,522,633 (30 June 2023: \$45,629,203) represents expenditure and acquisition costs incurred by the Group on its exploration assets.

The recoverability of the carrying amount of the exploration and evaluation assets is dependent upon successful development and commercial exploitation, or alternatively, sale of the respective areas of interest.

	Consolidated	
	31	31
	December	December
	2023	2022
	\$	\$
Capitalised exploration costs at the beginning of the		
period	45,629,203	37,442,813
Exploration and evaluation costs incurred (excluding		
joint venture costs incurred)	1,677,180	3,404,154
Capitalised rehabilitation costs (note 14)	(1,744,096)	2,904,714
Transfer (to)/from asset held for sale (refer note 6)	(1,189)	760,280
Exploration costs expensed	(38,465)	(191,548)

45,522,633

44,320,413

NOTE 9 RIGHT-OF-USE ASSETS

	Consolida	Consolidated	
	31	30	
	December	June	
	2023	2023	
	\$	\$	
Opening balance	91,644	176,239	
Depreciation expense	(42,297)	(84,595)	
	49,347	91,644	

The Group leases office space in Brisbane, Australia under an agreement for a term of 3 years.

Notes to the Condensed Consolidated Financial Statements For the half-year ended 31 December 2023

NOTE 10 FINANCIAL ASSETS DESIGNATED AT FAIR VALUE THROUGH PROFIT OR LOSS

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	31	30
	December	June
	2023	2023
	\$	\$
Current	834,498	132,512
Non-current	-	1,246,392
	834,498	1,378,904
Balance at the start of the period/year	1,378,904	1,634,642
Investments acquired – Novo ¹	-	1,665,493
Investments acquired – C29 Metals Limited ²	-	250,000
Disposal of investments ³	(10,497)	(1,889,214)
Fair value gain/(loss) on investment recognised through		
profit or loss ⁴	(533,909)	(282,017)
Balance at the end of the period	834,498	1,378,904

¹ Fair value of fully paid ordinary shares and warrants received from Novo Resources Corp (Novo), a TSX-V listed company, as consideration for the remaining 50% of the Malmsbury Project.

Investments designated at fair value through profit or loss have been measured at Level 1 in the fair value hierarchy.

NOTE 11 TRADE AND OTHER PAYABLES

Consolidated

	31	30
	December	June
	2023	2023
	\$	\$
Current		
Unspent funds received from farm-in partner	324,451	126,445
Acquisition costs payable ¹	12,500	12,500
Trade creditors ²	525,241	362,485
Sundry creditors and accruals	374,773	21,970
Employee liabilities	96,775	74,802
Share subscription liability	-	28
	1,333,740	598,230

² Fair value of fully paid ordinary shares received from C29 Metals Limited (ASX: C29) as part consideration for the Mayfield Project.

³ The fair value of shares sold.

⁴ Adjustment to carrying value of investments in shares based on TSX closing price and the AUD/CAD exchange rates at the end of each reporting period. The loss on the investment has been recognised in the Statement of Profit or Loss and Other Comprehensive Income.

Notes to the Condensed Consolidated Financial Statements For the half-year ended 31 December 2023

NOTE 11 TRADE AND OTHER PAYABLES (continued)

NOTE 12 LEASE LIABILITIES

	Consolidated	
	31	30
	December	June
	2023	2023
	\$	\$
Current liability	55,854	97,676
	6 months to	Year to
	31	30
	December	June
	2023	2023
	\$	\$
Movement in lease liabilities		
Opening balance	97,676	181,493
Principal repayments	(41,822)	(83,817)
Lease liabilities at the end of the period	55,854	97,676

During the current reporting period, \$1,654 interest expense on leases was recognised in the Statement of Profit or Loss and Other Comprehensive Income.

NOTE 13 BORROWINGS

	Consolidated	
	31	30
	December	June
	2023	2023
	\$	\$
Current		_
Secured loan ¹	17,626	32,276
Insurance premium funding	74,935	-
Convertible note liability ²	7,357,544	-
	7,450,105	32,276
Non-Current		
Secured loan ¹	-	2,877
Convertible note liability ²	-	7,357,544
	-	7,360,421
Total Borrowings	7,450,105	7,392,697

¹ Acquisition costs payable to Drummond Gold Limited pursuant to the acquisition of Mt Coolon Gold Mines Pty Ltd.

² Trade payables are non-interest bearing and are normally settled on 30 day terms.

Notes to the Condensed Consolidated Financial Statements For the half-year ended 31 December 2023

NOTE 13 BORROWINGS (continued)

Interest on the convertible notes is calculated at 10.5% per annum and is paid monthly in advance for the first 12 months from issue date. The remainder of the interest due has been prepaid and is classified as Prepayments on the Statement of Financial Position (current: \$786,323; non-current \$658,332).

In December 2023, the Company entered into a binding agreement with Collins Street to amend the Convertible Note Agreement to convert, subject to meeting a number of conditions precedent, \$900,000 of the outstanding face value of the second note and to amend the conversion price of the notes from approximately \$0.06 to \$0.02. Approval for these changes was obtained from shareholders on 11 March 2024.

At 31 December 2023, the convertible note debt was required, under accounting standard AASB 101 Presentation of Financial Statements, to be classified as a current liability. Had the note restructure discussions with the noteholder and required approvals (conditions) been obtained prior to the end of the reporting period, the convertible note debt would have been classified as non-current. At the date of this report, the debt is non-current and repayable in 2025 (Note 1 October 2025 and Note 2 in December 2025) pursuant to the terms and conditions of the convertible note agreement.

	6 months to	Year to
	31	30
	December	June
	2023	2023
	\$	\$
Movement in convertible note		
Opening balance	7,357,544	-
Proceeds from drawdown	-	10,000,000
Amounts classified as equity	-	(110,806)
Partial redemption of note	-	(2,531,650)
Closing balance	7,357,544	7,357,544

¹Loan agreements to finance vehicles/mobile equipment at the White Dam project.

² The Company entered into a convertible note (Note) agreement with Collins Street Convertible Notes Pty Ltd (Collins Street) for funding of up to \$10,000,000 via the issue of two convertible notes each with a face value of \$5,000,000. The convertible notes were issued on 21 October 2022 and 30 December 2022. Each note is due for repayment 3 years after its issue date. The second note was partially redeemed during the prior financial year.

Notes to the Condensed Consolidated Financial Statements For the half-year ended 31 December 2023

NOTE 14 PROVISIONS

	31	30
	December	June
	2023	2023
	\$	\$
Current		
Royalty Provision	117,751	30,000
Non-Current		
Rehabilitation Provision ²	11,179,343	12,816,444
Royalty Provision ¹	2,209,510	2,252,223
	13,388,853	15,068,667
Total Provisions	13,506,604	15,098,667

¹Under the acquisition of the White Dam Project, the consideration included future royalties payable on the JORC resources forming the White Dam Project.

The present value of the provision for future rehabilitation costs was reassessed during the reporting period. The unwinding of the discount on the rehabilitation provision is recognised in the Statement of Profit or Loss and Other Comprehensive Income as a financing expense.

NOTE 15 ISSUED CAPITAL

	6 months to 31 December 2023	Year to 30 June 2023	6 months to 31 December 2023	Year to 30 June 2023
	#	#	\$	\$
At the beginning of the period Share placements In lieu of services Exercise of options Exercise of rights Costs related to share issues	615,960,932 114,814,816 656,928 250 -	522,928,466 83,250,747 918,869 8,380,893 481,957	65,878,950 1,100,000 19,026 28 - (61,396)	62,217,473 3,070,340 31,325 654,816 59,375 (154,379)
At the end of the period	731,432,926	615,960,932	66,936,608	65,878,950

² At 30 June 2023, the value of the rehabilitation provision for the Yandan project was recognised at \$9.67 million which represented the Estimated Rehabilitation Cost (ERC) as advised by the Department of Environment and Science (DES). The Group appealed the DES' calculations with the Land Court of Queensland and in November 2023 a decision was agreed by the parties and handed down with an amount of the ERC being \$7.91 million.

Notes to the Condensed Consolidated Financial Statements For the half-year ended 31 December 2023

NOTE 16 SHARE BASED PAYMENTS

Options and Rights

During the reporting period, no options or performance rights were issued as an incentive or for the payment of services.

The fair value of options and rights is apportioned over the vesting period of these securities. A total vesting expense of \$23,309 is recognised in the consolidated statement of profit or loss and other comprehensive income during the reporting period for options (\$5,509) and performance rights (\$17,800) granted in prior periods.

Shares

During the reporting period and following shareholder approval, the Company issued 656,928 ordinary shares to Managing Director, Peter Rohner, as payment in lieu of directors' fees payable to Mr Rohner during the period 1 February 2023 to 31 March 2023.

NOTE 17 FAIR VALUE

The carrying amount of the financial assets and financial liabilities that are recognised in the condensed consolidated financial statements approximate their fair values.

The methods and valuation techniques used for the purposes of measuring fair value are unchanged from the previous reporting period.

NOTE 18 DIVIDENDS

No dividends were paid or proposed during the period.

The Company has no franking credits available as at 31 December 2023.

NOTE 19 CONTINGENCIES AND COMMITMENTS

(i) Contingent liabilities

There has been no change in contingent liabilities since the last annual reporting date.

(ii) Contingent assets

There has been no change in contingent assets since the last annual reporting date.

(iii) Exploration commitments

Minimum expenditure requirements for the following 12 months on the Group's exploration licences as at 31 December 2023 are approximately \$3.9 million.

(iv) Environmental Bonds

The Queensland State Government has a Financial Provisioning Scheme (FPS) to assist with managing environmental and rehabilitation obligations. Estimated Rehabilitation Costs (ERC) as advised by the Department of Environment and Science (DES) for the Yandan, Twin Hills, and Mount Coolon Gold Projects were re-assessed during the period, resulting in an increase of environmental bonds due of approximately \$3.2 million.

Notes to the Condensed Consolidated Financial Statements For the half-year ended 31 December 2023

NOTE 20 EVENTS OCCURRING AFTER THE BALANCE DATE

Other than the matters stated below, there has not arisen in the interval between the end of the reporting period and the date of this report, any item, transaction or event of a material and unusual nature likely, in the opinion of the Directors of the Company to affect substantially the operations of the Group, the results of those operations or the state of affairs of the Group in subsequent financial years.

- On 30 January 2024, a Pro-Rata Non-Renounceable Entitlement Offer closed. The Offer was on the basis of one New Share for every four Shares held in the Company at an issue price of \$0.009 per New Share. In addition, for each 2 New Shares issued, one option was issued with an exercise price of \$0.015 and expiring 24 months from the date of issue. At the date of this report, the Company has issued 143,158,720 New Shares and 71,579,344 Options under the Offer to raise approximately \$1.3 million (before costs).
- On 11 March 2024, a general meeting of shareholders was convened. One of the resolutions approved by shareholders related to amending the terms of the convertible notes held by Collins St Convertible Notes Pty Ltd to allow \$900,000 of the convertible note debt to be converted into equity via the issue of 100,000,000 Shares (at an issue price of \$0.009) and 50,000,000 free attaching Options. In addition, the amendment of the conversion price from approximately \$0.06 to \$0.02 was approved.
- On 15 March 2024, the Company issued 100,738,888 shares under Tranche 2 of the Placement announced to the ASX on 20 December 2023 raising approximately \$907,000. A total of 105,924,993 free attaching options were issued in respect of Placement Shares issued under both tranches of the Placement. In addition, 100 million shares and 50 million fee attaching options were issued to Collins Street for the conversion of \$900,000 of convertible note debt to equity.

Directors' Declaration

The Directors of GBM Resources Limited ("the Company") declare that:

- (a) the attached interim financial statements and notes thereto are in accordance with the Corporations Act 2001, including:
 - (i) complying with Australian Accounting Standard AASB134 *Interim Financial Reporting*, and the Corporations Regulations 2001, and other mandatory reporting requirements; and
 - (ii) giving a true and fair view of the Group's financial position as at 31 December 2023 and of its performance for the half-year ended on that date.
- (b) there are reasonable grounds to believe that the Company will be able to pay its debts as and when they become due and payable.

This declaration is made in accordance with a resolution of the Directors, made pursuant to s303(5) of the Corporations Act 2001.

Signed at Perth this 15th day of March 2024.

Peter Rohner
Managing Director



INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REVIEW REPORT

To the Members of GBM Resources Limited

Report on the Condensed Half-Year Financial Report

Conclusion

We have reviewed the half-year financial report of GBM Resources Limited ("the Company") and its controlled entities ("the Group"), which comprises the condensed consolidated statement of financial position as at 31 December 2023, the condensed consolidated statement of profit or loss and other comprehensive income, the condensed consolidated statement of changes in equity and the condensed consolidated statement of cash flows for the half-year ended on that date, selected explanatory notes, and the directors' declaration, for the Group comprising the Company and the entities it controlled at the half-year end or from time to time during the half-year.

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

- (a) giving a true and fair view of the Group's financial position as at 31 December 2023 and of its performance for the half-year ended on that date; and
- (b) complying with Accounting Standard AASB 134 Interim Financial Reporting and the Corporations Regulations 2001.

Basis for Conclusion

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

Material Uncertainty Related to Going Concern

We draw attention to Note 1 in the financial report, which indicates that a material uncertainty exists that may cast significant doubt on the Group's ability to continue as a going concern. Our conclusion is not modified in respect of this matter.

Responsibility of the Directors for the Financial Report

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

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Auditor's Responsibility for the Review of the Financial Report

Our responsibility is to express a conclusion on the half-year financial report based on our review. ASRE 2410 requires us to conclude whether we have become aware of any matter that makes us believe that the half-year financial report is not in accordance with the *Corporations Act 2001* including giving a true and fair view of the Group's financial position as at 31 December 2023 and its performance for the half-year ended on that date, and complying with Accounting Standard AASB 134 *Interim Financial Reporting* and the *Corporations Regulations 2001*.

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

Independence

In conducting our review, we have complied with the independence requirements of the *Corporations Act* 2001.

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HLB Mann Judd Chartered Accountants

Perth, Western Australia 15 March 2024 M R Ohm Partner

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