

HEXIMA LIMITED  
**ASX ANNOUNCEMENT**



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**APPENDIX 4D & INTERIM FINANCIAL REPORT**

MELBOURNE, AUSTRALIA (28 February 2025): Hexima Limited (ASX:HXL) provides the attached Appendix 4D and Interim Financial Report for the half year ended 31 December 2024.

**This announcement is authorised for release to ASX by Board of Hexima Limited.**

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# Hexima Limited

## Appendix 4D

### Half-year report

#### 1. Company details

|                   |  |
|-------------------|--|
| Name of entity:   | Hexima Limited                           |
| ABN:              | 64 079 319 314                           |
| Reporting period: | For the half-year ended 31 December 2024 |
| Previous period:  | For the half-year ended 31 December 2023 |

#### 2. Results for announcement to the market

|  |    |       |           |
|--|----|-------|-----------|
| Loss from ordinary activities after tax attributable to the owners of Hexima Limited | up | 6% to | \$406,473 |
| Loss for the half-year attributable to the owners of Hexima Limited                  | up | 6% to | \$406,473 |

##### Dividends

There were no dividends paid, recommended or declared during the current financial period.

##### Comments

The loss for the consolidated entity after providing for income tax amounted to \$406,473 (31 December 2023: \$384,769).

#### 3. Net tangible assets

|   | Reporting period<br>Cents | Previous period<br>Cents |
|---|---------------------------|--------------------------|
| Net tangible assets per ordinary security | <u>0.97</u>               | <u>1.52</u>              |

#### 4. Control gained over entities

Not applicable.

#### 5. Loss of control over entities

Not applicable.

#### 6. Dividends

##### Current period

There were no dividends paid, recommended or declared during the current financial period.

##### Previous period

There were no dividends paid, recommended or declared during the previous financial period.

#### 7. Dividend reinvestment plans

Not applicable

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**8. Details of associates and joint venture entities**

Not applicable.

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**9. Foreign entities**

*Details of origin of accounting standards used in compiling the report.*

The transactions of the foreign entity included in the Interim Consolidated Financial Report for Hexima Limited are accounted for in accordance with the Australian Accounting Standards (AASBs) adopted by the Australian Accounting Standards Board (AASB) and the Corporations Act 2001, and in compliance with the International Financial Reporting Standards (IFRSs) and interpretations adopted by the International Accounting Standards Board (IASB).

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**10. Audit qualification or review**

The financial statements were subject to a review by the auditors and the review report is attached as part of the Half-year Financial Report.

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**11. Attachments**

The Interim Consolidated Financial Report of Hexima Limited for the half-year ended 31 December 2024 is attached.

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Signed \_\_\_\_\_



Date: 28 February 2025

Geoffrey Kempler  
Chairman and Managing Director

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**Hexima Limited**

ABN 64 079 319 314

INTERIM CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL REPORT

For the half-year ended 31 December 2024

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# Corporate directory

## Directors

Mr Geoffrey Kempler  
Mr Justin Yap  
Mr Phillip Hains

Chairman and Managing Director  
Non-Executive Director  
Non-Executive Director

## Company Secretary

Ms Leanne Ralph

## Registered Office

Hexima Limited  
C/- Acclime, Level 3, 62 Lygon Street,  
Carlton, Victoria 3053, Australia

## Share Registry

C/- MUFG Corporate Markets  
A division of MUFG Pension & Market Services  
Level 12, 680 George Street,  
Sydney, NSW 2000, Australia

## Auditor

William Buck  
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181 William Street  
Melbourne Victoria 3000, Australia

## Stock Exchange

Australian Securities Exchange Ltd

## ASX code

HXL

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# Directors' Report

## DIRECTORS

The directors present their report, together with the financial statements, on the Group consisting of Hexima Limited ("the Company") and its controlled entities, for the interim period ended 31 December 2024.

The Directors of Hexima Limited at any time during or since the end of the half-year ended 31 December 2024 (the "Interim Period") are:

|                     |                                |                                  |
|---------------------|--------------------------------|----------------------------------|
| Mr Geoffrey Kempler | Chairman and Managing Director | Director since 5 September 2023  |
| Mr Justin Yap       | Non-Executive Director         | Director since 17 July 2018      |
| Mr Phillip Hains    | Non-Executive Director         | Director since 18 September 2023 |

## RESULTS AND REVIEW OF OPERATIONS

### Financial results

The Group recorded a loss of \$406,473 for the half-year ended 31 December 2024, compared to a loss of \$384,769 for the prior corresponding period

Net cash outflows for the half-year totalled \$584,974, compared to \$276,437 in the previous corresponding period.

As at 31 December 2024, the Group held \$1,675,749 in cash and receivables (30 June 2024: \$2,269,004).

### Review of operations

During the period Hexima continued efforts toward the proposed acquisition of 100% of the issued capital of Real Thing Entertainment Pty Ltd (Real Thing), which was announced on 24 July 2024.

The acquisition was subject to certain conditions precedent. Consequently, on 3 December 2024, Hexima announced that the acquisition would not proceed as there was insufficient confidence that these conditions could be met.

As a result of the delays and eventual cancellation of the acquisition, Hexima's listed securities were suspended from quotation on the ASX. The suspension will remain in effect until the company complies with Chapters 1 and 2 of the ASX Listing Rules.

Despite this, Hexima remains committed to exploring opportunities related to its biotech intellectual property portfolio, in which it retains royalty rights, and will continue to assess potential strategic opportunities.





### **Significant changes in the state of affairs**

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

### **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.

### **Subsequent events**

There have been no events subsequent to balance sheet date which would have a material effect on the Group's financial statements as at 31 December 2024.

This report is made pursuant to a resolution of the Directors.

Geoffrey Kempler  
Chairman and Managing Director

Phillip Hains  
Non-Executive Director

Dated 28 February 2025

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## Lead Auditor's Independence Declaration under Section 307C of the Corporations Act 2001

### To the directors of Hexima Limited

As lead auditor for the review of Hexima Limited for the half-year ended 31 December 2024, I declare that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, there have been:

- no contraventions of the auditor independence requirements as set out in the *Corporations Act 2001* in relation to the review; and
- no contraventions of any applicable code of professional conduct in relation to the review.

This declaration is in respect of Hexima Limited and the entities it controlled during the half-year.

William Buck

**William Buck Audit (Vic) Pty Ltd**

ABN 59 116 151 136

N. S. Benbow

**N. S. Benbow**

Director

Melbourne, 28 February 2025

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## INTERIM CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF PROFIT OR LOSS AND OTHER COMPREHENSIVE INCOME FOR THE HALF-YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2024

|  | Notes | Consolidated     |                  |
|--|-------|------------------|------------------|
|  |       | 31 Dec<br>2024   | 31 Dec<br>2023   |
| <b>Revenue</b>   |       | \$               | \$               |
| Research and development tax credits   |       | -                | 61,674           |
| Finance income   |       | 28,652           | 20,785           |
|  |       | <u>28,652</u>    | <u>82,459</u>    |
| <b>Expenses</b>  |       |                  |                  |
| Research and development   |       | -                | 25,566           |
| Employee benefits  |       | (28,990)         | (168,522)        |
| Finance expense  |       | (196)            | (106)            |
| Due diligence expenses   |       | (242,143)        | (92,923)         |
| Administration and compliance  |       | (142,927)        | (210,238)        |
| Other expenses   |       | (20,869)         | (21,005)         |
|  |       | <u>(435,125)</u> | <u>(467,228)</u> |
| <b>Loss before income tax expense</b>  |       | <b>(406,473)</b> | <b>(384,769)</b> |
| Income tax expense   |       | -                | -                |
| <b>Loss after income tax for the half-year<br/>attributable to the owners of Hexima Limited</b>    |       | <b>(406,473)</b> | <b>(384,769)</b> |
| Other comprehensive income for the half-year,<br>net of income tax                                 |       | -                | -                |
| <b>Total comprehensive loss for the half-year<br/>attributable to the owners of Hexima Limited</b> |       | <b>(406,473)</b> | <b>(384,769)</b> |
| <b>Earnings per share:</b>   |       |                  |                  |
| <b>Basic and diluted loss per share (cents)</b>  |       | (0.24)           | (0.23)           |

The accompanying notes form part of these interim financial statements



## INTERIM CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION AS AT 31 DECEMBER 2024

|   | Consolidated         |                      |
|---|----------------------|----------------------|
|   | 31 Dec<br>2024<br>\$ | 30 Jun<br>2024<br>\$ |
| <b>CURRENT ASSETS</b>   |                      |                      |
| Cash and cash equivalents                                       | 1,641,239            | 2,226,214            |
| Goods and services input tax credits receivable and prepayments | 34,510               | 42,790               |
| <b>TOTAL CURRENT ASSETS</b>                                     | <b>1,675,749</b>     | <b>2,269,004</b>     |
| <b>TOTAL ASSETS</b>   | <b>1,675,749</b>     | <b>2,269,004</b>     |
| <b>CURRENT LIABILITIES</b>                                      |                      |                      |
| Trade and other payables  | 61,888               | 148,670              |
| Share application monies refundable to director-related entity  | -                    | 100,000              |
| <b>TOTAL CURRENT LIABILITIES</b>                                | <b>61,888</b>        | <b>248,670</b>       |
| <b>TOTAL LIABILITIES</b>  | <b>61,888</b>        | <b>248,670</b>       |
| <b>NET ASSETS</b>   | <b>1,613,861</b>     | <b>2,020,334</b>     |
| <b>EQUITY</b>   |                      |                      |
| Issued capital  | 82,880,964           | 82,880,964           |
| Reserves  | 1,086,831            | 1,088,027            |
| Accumulated losses  | (82,353,934)         | (81,948,657)         |
| <b>TOTAL EQUITY</b>   | <b>1,613,861</b>     | <b>2,020,334</b>     |

The accompanying notes form part of these interim financial statements



## INTERIM CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN EQUITY

| <i>For the half-year ended 31 December 2024</i>             | Note | Ordinary Shares   | Equity option reserve | Equity compensation reserve | Accumulated Losses  | Total equity     |
|---|------|-------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------------|---------------------|------------------|
|   |      | \$                | \$                    | \$                          | \$                  | \$               |
| Opening balance at 1 July 2024                              |      | 82,880,964        | -                     | 1,088,027                   | (81,948,657)        | 2,020,334        |
| Net (loss) for the period                                   |      | -                 | -                     | -                           | (406,473)           | (406,473)        |
| <b>Total comprehensive (loss) for the period</b>            |      | -                 | -                     | -                           | (406,473)           | (406,473)        |
| <b>Transactions with owners recorded directly in equity</b> |      |                   |                       |                             |                     |                  |
| Transfer-expiry of options                                  |      |                   | -                     | (1,196)                     | 1,196               | -                |
| <b>Total transactions with owners</b>                       |      | -                 | -                     | (1,196)                     | 1,196               | -                |
| <b>Balance at 31 December 2024</b>                          |      | <b>82,880,964</b> | <b>-</b>              | <b>1,086,831</b>            | <b>(82,353,934)</b> | <b>1,613,861</b> |

| <i>For the half-year ended 31 December 2023</i>             | Note | Ordinary Shares   | Equity option reserve | Equity compensation reserve | Accumulated Losses  | Total equity     |
|---|------|-------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------------|---------------------|------------------|
|   |      | \$                | \$                    | \$                          | \$                  | \$               |
| Opening balance at 1 July 2023                              |      | 82,880,964        | 450,216               | 2,531,541                   | (83,080,471)        | 2,782,250        |
| Net (loss) for the period                                   |      | -                 | -                     | -                           | (384,769)           | (384,769)        |
| <b>Total comprehensive (loss) for the period</b>            |      | -                 | -                     | -                           | (384,769)           | (384,769)        |
| <b>Transactions with owners recorded directly in equity</b> |      |                   |                       |                             |                     |                  |
| Transfer-expiry of options                                  |      |                   | (450,216)             | -                           | 450,216             | -                |
| Vesting charge for equity-settled share-based payments      |      | -                 | -                     | 147,180                     | -                   | 147,180          |
| <b>Total transactions with owners</b>                       |      | -                 | (450,216)             | 147,180                     | 450,216             | 147,180          |
| <b>Balance at 31 December 2023</b>                          |      | <b>82,880,964</b> | <b>-</b>              | <b>2,678,721</b>            | <b>(83,015,024)</b> | <b>2,544,661</b> |

The accompanying notes form part of these interim financial statements



## INTERIM CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS FOR THE HALF-YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2024

|   | Consolidated   |                |
|---|----------------|----------------|
|   | 31 Dec<br>2024 | 31 Dec<br>2023 |
|   | \$             | \$             |
| <b>CASH FLOWS FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES</b>   |                |                |
| Cash paid to suppliers and employees  | (513,626)      | (394,389)      |
| Net cash used in operating activities   | (513,626)      | (394,389)      |
| <b>CASH FLOWS FROM INVESTING ACTIVITIES</b>   |                |                |
| Interest received   | 28,652         | 19,952         |
| Cash receipts from GST on sale of assets  | -              | 98,000         |
| Net cash from investing activities  | 28,652         | 117,952        |
| <b>CASH FLOWS FROM FINANCING ACTIVITIES</b>   |                |                |
| Share application monies repaid to director-related entity                            | (100,000)      | -              |
| Net cash used in financing activities   | (100,000)      | -              |
| Net decrease in cash and cash equivalents   | (584,974)      | (276,437)      |
| Effect on movements in exchange rates on foreign currency<br>denominated cash at bank | -              | -              |
| Cash and cash equivalents at 1 July   | 2,226,214      | 2,189,388      |
| Cash and cash equivalents at 31 December  | 1,641,240      | 1,912,951      |

The accompanying notes form part of these interim financial statements



## NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

### 1. REPORTING ENTITY

Hexima Limited (the “Company”) is a company domiciled in Australia. The address of the Company’s registered office is C/- Acclime, Level 3, 62 Lygon Street, Carlton, Victoria 3072.

The interim consolidated financial report as at and for the half-year ended 31 December 2024 is for the Company and its subsidiaries (together referred to as the Group).

The consolidated annual financial report of the Group as at and for the year ended 30 June 2024 is available upon request from the Company’s registered office at C/- Acclime, Level 3, 62 Lygon Street, Carlton, Victoria 3072 or at [www.hexima.com.au](http://www.hexima.com.au).

### 2. BASIS OF PREPARATION

#### (a) Statement of compliance

These general purpose financial statements for the interim half-year reporting period ended 31 December 2024 have been prepared in accordance with Australian Accounting Standard AASB 134 'Interim Financial Reporting' and the Corporations Act 2001, as appropriate for for-profit oriented entities. Compliance with AASB 134 ensures compliance with International Financial Reporting Standard IAS 34 'Interim Financial Reporting'.

These general purpose financial statements do not include all the notes of the type normally included in annual financial statements. Accordingly, these financial statements are to be read in conjunction with the annual report for the year ended 30 June 2024 and any public announcements made by the company during the interim reporting period in accordance with the continuous disclosure requirements of the Corporations Act 2001.

The accounting policies adopted are consistent with those of the previous financial year and corresponding interim reporting period, unless otherwise stated.

#### (b) New or amended Accounting Standards and Interpretations adopted.

The Group has adopted all of the new or amended Accounting Standards and Interpretations issued by the Australian Accounting Standards Board ('AASB') that are mandatory for the current reporting period. Any new or amended Accounting Standards or Interpretations that are not yet mandatory have not been early adopted. The adoption of these accounting standards and interpretations did not have any significant impact on the financial performance or position of the Group.

### 3. SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

The accounting policies applied by the Group in these consolidated interim financial statements are the same as those applied by the Group in its consolidated annual financial statements as at and for the year ended 30 June 2024.

### 4. ESTIMATES

The preparation of the interim financial report requires management to make judgements, estimates and assumptions that affect the application of policies and reported amounts of assets and liabilities, income and expenses. Actual results may differ from these estimates.

In preparing this interim financial report, the significant judgements made by management in applying the Group’s accounting policies and the key sources of estimation uncertainty that applied to the financial report as at and for the year ended 30 June 2024 also applied to this period.



## NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (continued)

### 4. ESTIMATES (continued)

#### Lodgement of research and development claims

In prior years, the entity has registered its research and development activities with AusIndustry and has accessed the refundable research and development tax offset for each claim year, which it has claimed through its submissions to the Australian Tax Office (ATO).

Under this self-assessment program, AusIndustry and the ATO have the right to audit these claims at any point up to 4 years from the date of lodgement of the Research and Development Tax Incentive Schedule (via the income tax return) for each relevant financial year. If the research and development activities or expenditure are found to be ineligible during this review, the ATO may potentially clawback these claims with penalties and interest. It is the directors' view that there is no probable likelihood that any potential action may take place based upon the following reasons:

- the industry environment in which the entity deals in is known for its research and development activities which have historically been supported through research and development claims; and
- the entity has a positive track record of not being selected for a compliance review by the ATO or AusIndustry.
- the entity keeps appropriate substantiating documentation on file to ensure that its Tax Incentive claims can be supported with contemporaneous evidence in the event of an AusIndustry or ATO review.

### 5. SEGMENT REPORTING

The Group's activities in the period have been classified under a "Corporate" segment as they have not been directly attributable to specific operating segments. All activities have taken place in Australia.

### 6. CONTINGENT LIABILITIES

The Group had no contingent liabilities as at 31 December 2024. (30 June 2024: Nil)





## DIRECTORS' DECLARATION

- 1) In the opinion of the Directors of Hexima Limited ("the Company"):
  - a) the interim consolidated financial statements and notes, set out on pages 7 to 12, are in accordance with the *Corporations Act 2001*, including:
    - i) giving a true and fair view of the Group's financial position as at 31 December 2024 and of its performance for the half-year ended on that date; and
    - ii) complying with Australian Accounting Standard *AASB 134 Interim Financial Reporting* and the *Corporations Regulations 2001*; and
  - 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.

Dated at Melbourne, 28 February 2025.

Signed in accordance with a resolution of the Directors:

Geoffrey Kempler  
Chairman and Managing Director

Phillip Hains  
Non-Executive Director

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## Independent auditor's review report to the members of Hexima Limited

### Report on the half-year financial report



#### Our conclusion

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 Hexima Limited (the Company), and its subsidiaries (the Group) does not comply with the *Corporations Act 2001*, including:

- giving a true and fair view of the Group's financial position as at 31 December 2024 and of its financial performance for the half-year then ended; and
- complying with Accounting Standard AASB 134 *Interim Financial Reporting* and the *Corporations Regulations 2001*.

#### What was reviewed?

We have reviewed the accompanying half-year financial report of the Group, which comprises:

- the consolidated statement of financial position as at 31 December 2024,
- the consolidated statement of comprehensive income/statement of profit or loss and other comprehensive income for the half-year then ended,
- the consolidated statement of changes in equity for the half-year then ended,
- the consolidated statement of cash flows for the half-year then ended,
- notes to the financial statements, including a summary of material accounting policy information, and
- the directors' declaration.

#### 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 Group in accordance with the auditor independence requirements of the *Corporations Act 2001* and the ethical requirements of the Accounting Professional and Ethical Standards Board's APES 110 *Code of Ethics for Professional Accountants (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.

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## Responsibilities 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.

## Auditor's responsibilities 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 2024 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.

William Buck

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Director  
Melbourne, 28 February 2025