

Interim Financial Report

A.B.N. 86 115 229 984

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For the Half Year Ended 31 March 2020

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Corporate Directory

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Legal Form of Entity Public Company

Country of Incorporation and Domicile Australia

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Directors' Report For the Half Year Ended 31 March 2020

The directors present their report together with the financial statements of Pilot Energy Limited ("the Company") and of the group, being the Company and its subsidiaries, for the half year ended 31 March 2020 and the auditor's report thereon.

1. General information

Information on directors

The directors of the company during the half year and to the date of this report are:

Non-Executive

Mr Bradley Lingo	Chairman of the Board, Non-Executive Director	Appointed 12 May 2020
Mr Michael Lonergan	Non-Executive Director	Appointed 8 December 2017
Mr Walker Li	Non-Executive Director	Appointed 20 September 2018
Dr Guoping Bai	Non-Executive Director	Appointed 14 June 2019

Chief Executive Officer

Mr Alan Teimoori resigned as acting Chief Executive Officer of the Company on 19 May 2020. A new CEO will be appointed in due course.

Company Secretary

Ms Lisa Dadswell was appointed to the position of Company Secretary on 31 August 2017.

2. Operating results and review of operations for the half year

Review of operations

Pilot Energy Limited is listed on the Australian Securities Exchange (ASX: PGY) and has 79,470,642 shares on issue. The Group is primarily involved in the evaluation, acquisition, exploration and development of conventional oil and gas resources.

Significant events during the period

Other than as detailed in the following Project Review, there were no significant events during the reporting period.

Financial Position

For the half year ended 31 March 2020, the Group generated a loss of \$32,781 (March 2019: Loss \$346,971) and had a net working capital deficit of \$703,711 as at March 2020 (September 2019: Deficit \$670,931).

The Group had a net cash outflow of \$23,050 for the half year ended 31 March 2020 (March 2019: Outflow \$504,265)

Dividends

The directors recommend that no dividend be provided for the half year ended 31 March 2020.

Corporate Governance

In recognising the need for the highest standards of corporate behaviour and accountability, the Directors of Pilot Energy Limited support, and have adhered to, the principles of good corporate governance. The Group's corporate governance statement can be viewed on the Company's website.

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2. Operating results and review of operations for the half year (continued)

Events subsequent to reporting date

The following events occurred subsequent to the end of the financial half year.

As per the announcement issued to the ASX on the 23rd of April 2020, the company appointed Mr Bradley Lingo as a Financial and Strategic Advisor to the Company. In a subsequent announcement on 13th May 2020, Mr Bradley Lingo was appointed as a Non-Executive Director and Chairman of the Company. Further to this, Dr Alan Teimoori has stepped down from his role as Acting Chief Executive Officer from 19th May 2020.

As per the announcement issued to the ASX on the 27th of May 2020, the company issued 21,458,332 shares at \$0.0144 per share as a result of converting an unlisted convertible note.

As per the announcement issued to the ASX on the 2nd of June 2020, the company raised \$100,000 through a share placement of 5,000,000 ordinary shares at 2 cents per share.

As per the announcement issued to the ASX on the 9th June 2020, Red Emperor Resources NL (ASX/AIM: RMP) has taken the decision not to exercise its option to acquire a 70% operated interest in the offshore Perth Basin exploration permit, WA-481P.

Since the declaration by the World Health Organisation on 11 March 2020 of the coronavirus as a pandemic, economic conditions have deteriorated as a result of the COVID-19 virus and the preventative measures introduced globally. Apart from the effects that this has had on investment markets, there has been no material effect on the operations of the company, the results of the operations or state of affairs of the company since balance date

Except for the above, no other matters or circumstances have arisen since the end of the financial half year which significantly affected or could significantly affect the operations of the Group, the results of those operations, or the state of affairs of the Group in future financial years.

Lead Auditor's Independence declaration

The auditor's independence declaration in accordance with section 307C of the *Corporations Act 2001* for the half year ended 31 March 2020 has been received and can be found on page 4 of the financial report.

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

Fradley W. Ligo

Mr Bradley Lingo Chairman

Dated at Sydney, New South Wales this 12th day of June 2020



PILOT ENERGY LIMITED ABN 86 115 229 984 AND CONTROLLED ENTITIES

AUDITOR'S INDEPENDENCE DECLARATION UNDER S 307C OF THE CORPORATIONS ACT 2001 TO THE DIRECTORS OF PILOT ENERGY LIMITED

I declare that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, during the half-year ended 31 March 2020 there have been no contraventions of:

- a. the auditor independence requirements as set out in the *Corporations Act 2001* in relation to the review; and
- b. any applicable code of professional conduct in relation to the review.

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Mark Schiliro Director

Sydney Dated this 12th day of June 2020

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Consolidated Statement of Profit or Loss and Other Comprehensive Income

	31 March 2020	31 March 2019
	\$	\$
Revenue from continuing operations	-	321,543
Joint Venture receipts	344,205	-
Administrative expenses	(36,257)	(39,781)
Employee benefit expenses	(35,144)	(83,415)
Professional fees	(43,971)	(100,037)
Exploration & Evaluation costs expensed	(256,099)	(429,134)
Other expenses	(5,812)	(16,105)
Loss before income tax	(33,078)	(346,929)
Income tax expense	-	-
Loss from continuing operations	(33,078)	(346,929)
Loss for the half year	(33,078)	(346,929)
Other comprehensive income Foreign currency translation difference	297	(42)
Total comprehensive loss for the period	(32,781)	(346,971)
Loss attributable to owners of the Company	(32,781)	(346,971)
Total comprehensive loss attributable to the owners of the Company	(32,781)	(346,971)
Loss per share (cents per share)		
Basic and diluted from continuing operations	(0.04)	(0.44)
Basic and Diluted (cents per share)	(0.04)	(0.44)

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Consolidated Statement of Financial Position

As at 31 March 2020

		Consolidated	
		31 March	30 September
		2020	2019
	Note	\$	\$
ASSETS			
CURRENT ASSETS			
Cash and cash equivalents		66,074	88,829
Trade and other receivables		60,103	1
TOTAL CURRENT ASSETS		126,177	88,830
NON-CURRENT ASSETS			
Trade and other receivables		29,092	29,093
TOTAL NON-CURRENT ASSETS		29,092	29,093
TOTAL ASSETS		155,269	117,923
LIABILITIES			
CURRENT LIABILITIES			
Trade and other payables		9,255	13,541
Employee benefits		2,653	2,653
Other Liabilities	4	817,980	743,567
TOTAL CURRENT LIABILITIES		829,888	759,761
TOTAL LIABILITIES		829,888	759,761
NET DEFICIENCY		(674,619)	(641,838)
EQUITY			
Issued capital	5	44,149,754	44,149,754
Reserves		-	189,000
Retained earnings		(44,824,373)	(44,980,592)
Total equity attributable to equity holders of the Company		(674,619)	(641,838)

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Consolidated Statement of Changes in Equity

	Issued Capital	Retained Earnings	Reserves	Total
	\$	\$	\$	\$
Balance at 1 October 2019 Loss attributable to members of the parent entity	44,149,754	(44,980,592) (32,781)	189,000 -	(641,838) (32,781)
Transactions with owners in their capacity as owners Expiry of Options		189,000	(189,000)	<u>-</u>
Balance at 31 March 2020	44,149,754	(44,824,373)	-	(674,619)
Balance at 1 October 2018 Loss attributable to members of the parent entity	43,672,930	(44,345,677) (346,971)	215,725	(457,022) (346,971)
Transactions with owners in their capacity as owners Issue of options during period	476,824	-	-	476,824
Balance at 31 March 2019	44,149,754	(44,692,648)	215,725	(327,169)

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Consolidated Statement of Cash Flows

	Consolidated	
	31 March	31 March
	2020	2019
	\$	\$
CASH FLOWS FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES:		
Payments to suppliers and employees	(124,720)	(126,865)
Payments for exploration, evaluation and development	(219,233)	(378,943)
Joint Venture Receipts	270,902	-
Interest received	1	1,543
Net cash (used in)/provided by operating activities	(73,050)	(504,265)
CASH FLOWS FROM INVESTING ACTIVITIES: Purchase of property, plant and equipment		-
Net cash used in investing activities	-	
CASH FLOWS FROM FINANCING ACTIVITIES:		
Proceeds from borrowings	50,000	-
Net cash provided by financing activities	50,000	-
Net (decrease) in cash and cash equivalents	(23,050)	(504,265)
Effect of exchange rate changes on cash and cash equivalents	295	194
Cash and cash equivalents at 1 October	88,829	601,549
Cash and cash equivalents at 31 March	66,074	97,478

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Notes to the Consolidated Financial Statements

For the Half Year Ended 31 March 2020

The interim financial report covers Pilot Energy Limited and its controlled entities ('the Group'). Pilot Energy Limited is a for-profit listed company, incorporated and domiciled in Australia.

Each of the entities within the Group prepare their financial statements based on the currency of the primary economic environment in which the entity operates (functional currency). The consolidated financial statements are presented in Australian dollars which is the parent entity's functional and presentation currency.

The financial report was authorised for issue by the Directors on 12th June 2020.

Comparatives are consistent with prior years, unless otherwise stated.

1 Basis of Preparation

This condensed interim financial report for the reporting period ending 31 March 2020 has been prepared in accordance with the requirements of the *Corporations Act 2001* and Australian Accounting Standard AASB 134: *Interim Financial Reporting*, and IAS 34: *Interim Financial Reporting*.

The interim financial report is intended to provide users with an update on the latest annual financial statements of Pilot Energy Limited and controlled entities (the Group). As such it does not contain information that represents relatively insignificant changes occurring during the half year within the Group. This condensed consolidated financial report does not include all the notes normally included in an annual financial report. It is therefore recommended that this financial report be read in conjunction with the annual financial statements of the Group for the year ended 30 September 2019, together with any public announcements made during the half year.

The same accounting policies and methods of computation have been followed in this interim financial report as were applied in the most recent annual financial statements.

The financial statements have been prepared on an accruals basis and are based on historical costs modified, where applicable, by the measurement at fair value of selected non-current assets, financial assets and financial liabilities.

Significant accounting policies adopted in the preparation of these financial statements are presented below and are consistent with prior reporting periods unless otherwise stated.

2 Summary of Significant Accounting Policies

Except as described below, the accounting policies applied by the Group in the consolidated interim financial report are the same as those applied by the Group in its consolidated financial report as at and for the year ended 30 September 2019. The following changes in accounting policy are also expected to be reflected in the Group's consolidated financial statements as at and for the year ending 30 September 2019.

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Notes to the Consolidated Financial Statements For the Half Year Ended 31 March 2020

2 Summary of Significant Accounting Policies (continued)

Going Concern

The directors have prepared the consolidated interim financial report on a going concern basis, which contemplates the realisation of assets and payment of liabilities in the normal course of business. As at 31 March 2020 the group had cash and cash equivalents of \$66,074 and a negative working capital of \$703,711. During the period the Group had net operating cash outflows of \$73,050. The Group incurred a loss of \$32,781 for the half year ended 31 March 2020.

The directors are aware that the Group's ability to continue as a going concern, and to fund its exploration and evaluation activities, is dependent on the Group securing further working capital sourced from one or more of the following alternatives:

- o Private placement
- o Entitlements issue
- o Share purchase plan
- o Borrowings from related or third parties
- o Farming out assets to recover past costs and reduce future expenditure obligations

These conditions indicate a material uncertainty that may cast doubt about the Group's ability to continue as a going concern, and therefore, that it may be unable to realise its assets and discharge its liabilities in the normal course of business.

The Directors have reviewed the Groups' financial position, forecast cash flows and any events subsequent to the reporting date such as those disclosed in Note 8 of the Financial Statements, and reasonably expect that the Group will be able to raise additional funds to meet future costs and satisfy its business plans for at least the next 12 months. The directors are therefore of the opinion that the use of the going concern basis is appropriate in the circumstances.

Should the entity not be able to continue as a going concern, it may be required to realise its assets and discharge its liabilities other than in the ordinary course of business, and at amounts that differ from those stated in the financial statements. The financial report does not include any adjustments relating to the recoverability and classification of recorded asset amounts or liabilities that might be necessary should the Group not continue as a going concern.

Judgement and Estimates

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

In preparing this consolidated interim financial report, the significant judgements 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 statements as at and for the year ended 30 September 2019.

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2 Summary of Significant Accounting Policies (continued)

Foreign Currencies

The primary economic environment in which the Group operates is Australia. The consolidated financial statements are therefore presented in Australian dollars.

Transactions in foreign currencies are initially recorded in Australian dollars at the exchange rate on that day. Foreign currency monetary assets and liabilities are translated into Australian dollars at the year-end exchange rate. Where there is a movement in the exchange rate between the date of the transaction and the year end, a foreign exchange gain or loss may arise. Any such differences are recognised in the Consolidated Statement of Profit or Loss and Other Comprehensive Income. Non-monetary assets and liabilities measured at historical cost are translated into Australian dollars at the exchange rate on the date of the transaction.

3 Operating Segments

The Group operates in one segment, being evaluation, acquisition, exploration and development of conventional oil and gas resources. Accordingly, under management's approach outlined, only one operating segment has been identified and no further disclosure is required in the financial statements.

4 Other Liabilities

	2020	2019
	\$	\$
Other liabilities		
Accrued Consulting Fees	439,780	439,780
Premium Funding	19,914	-
Loan from Southernpec	50,000	-
Convertible Loans	308,286	303,787
	817,980	743,567

5 Issued Capital

Ordinary Shares	Amount in \$		Number of shares	
	31 March 2020	30 September 2019	31 March 2020	30 September 2019
Balance, beginning of period	44,149,754	44,149,754	79,470,642	79,470,642
Balance, end of period	44,149,754	44,149,754	79,470,642	79,470,642

Options

During the reporting period 2,600,000 options expired (2019: 900,000 options expired).

At the date of this report, there are no options on issue in Pilot Energy Limited (2019: 2,600,000).

6 Contingent Liabilities

In the opinion of the Directors, the listed company did not have any contingent liabilities at 31 March 2020 (31 March 2019:None)

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7 Related Parties

There were no material changes in related party transactions since the end of the period, 30 September 2019.

8 Events Occurring After the Reporting Date

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Except for the above, no other matters or circumstances have arisen since the end of the financial half year which significantly affected or could significantly affect the operations of the Group, the results of those operations, or the state of affairs of the Group in future financial years.

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Directors' Declaration

In the opinion of the Directors of Pilot Energy Limited:

- 1. The interim financial statements and notes are in accordance with the Corporations Act 2001, including:
 - (a) complying with Australian Accounting Standard AASB 134: Interim Financial Reporting; and the Corporations Regulation 2001; and
 - (b) give a true and fair view of the consolidated group's financial position as at 31 March 2020 and of its performance for the half-year ended on that date.
- 2. There are reasonable grounds to believe that the Group will be able to pay its debts as and when they become due and payable.

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

Fradley W. Ligo

Mr Bradley Lingo Chairman

Dated at Sydney, New South Wales this 12th day of June 2020



PILOT ENERGY LIMITED ABN 86 115 229 984 AND CONTROLLED ENTITIES

INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REVIEW REPORT TO THE MEMBERS OF PILOT ENERGY LIMITED

Report on the Half-year Financial Report

We have reviewed the accompanying half-year financial report of Pilot Energy Limited, which comprises the consolidated statement of financial position as at 31 March 2020, consolidated statement of profit or loss and other comprehensive income, the consolidated statement of changes in equity, and the consolidated statement of cash flows for the half-year ended on that date, notes comprising a summary of significant accounting policies and other explanatory information and the directors' declaration.

Directors' Responsibility for the Half-year Financial Report

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

Auditor's Responsibility

Our responsibility is to express a conclusion on the half-year financial report based on our review. We conducted our review in accordance with Auditing Standard on Review Engagements ASRE 2410: *Review of a Financial Report Performed by the Independent Auditor of the Entity*, in order to state whether, on the basis of the procedures described, 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 Pilot Energy Limited's financial position as at 31 March 2020 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*. As the auditor of Pilot Energy Limited, ASRE 2410 requires that we comply with the ethical requirements relevant to the audit of the annual financial report.

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 review procedures. A review is substantially less in scope than an audit conducted in accordance with Australian Auditing Standards and consequently does not enable us to obtain assurance that we would become aware of all significant matters that might be identified in an audit. Accordingly, we do not express an audit opinion.

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Independence

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

Conclusion

Based on our review, which is not an audit, we have not become aware of any matter that makes us believe that the half-year financial report of Pilot Energy Limited is not in accordance with the *Corporations Act 2001*, including:

- (i) giving a true and fair view of Pilot Energy Limited's financial position as at 31 March 2020 and of its performance for the half-year ended on that date; and
- (ii) complying with AASB 134: Interim Financial Reporting and the Corporations Regulations 2001.

Emphasis of matter- Material Uncertainty Regarding Continuation as a Going Concern

We draw your attention to Note 2 in the financial report which indicates that the consolidated entity has experienced an operating loss and negative operating cash flows during the period ended 31 March 2020, and as of that date, the continuing viability of the consolidated entity and its ability to continue as a going concern and meet its debts and commitments as and when they fall due are dependent upon the consolidated entity's ability to achieve positive cash flows from the successful farming out of assets, the sale of surplus assets or the raising of funds through capital raisings or borrowings. These conditions, along with other matters as set forth in Note 2, indicate the existence of a material uncertainty that may cast doubt about the consolidated entity's ability to continue as a going concern and, therefore, the consolidated entity may be unable to realise assets and settle its liabilities in the normal course of business and at the amounts stated in the financial report.

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We also draw your attention to the Directors Report which describes the impact of the Coronavirus (COVID-19) on the Company, the stock market and general business conditions (including fund raisings, bank financing and general levels of business activity). The uncertainties relating to COVID-19 may affect the Company's ability to raise additional funds to complete its exploration and evaluation activities and continue as a going concern.

Our conclusion is not modified in respect of this matter.

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Mark Schiliro Director

Sydney Dated this 12th day of June 2020

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