

Appendix 4E

Preliminary Final Report to the Australian Stock Exchange

Name of Entity	Boom Logistics Limited
ABN	28 095 466 961
Financial Year Ended	30 June 2009
Previous Corresponding Reporting Period	30 June 2008

Results for Announcement to the Market

	\$'000	Percentage increase /(decrease) over previous corresponding period
Revenue from ordinary activities	399,504	(3%)
Profit / (loss) from ordinary activities after tax attributable to members	(27,486)	(247%)
Net profit / (loss) for the period attributable to members	(27,486)	(247%)
Dividends (distributions)	Amount per security	Franked amount per security
Final Dividend	nil	nil
Interim Dividend	1.0 cent	1.0 cent
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Record date for determining entitlements to the dividends (if any)	NA	
Brief explanation of any of the figures reported above necessary to enable the figures to be understood:		
<p>In line with the market guidance on 7 July, an underlying full year operating result of \$12.0 million was achieved, prior to the following one off items:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • James Equipment goodwill impairments (\$18.8m); • Assets held for sale and other asset impairments (\$18.3m); • James Equipment crane inventory and stock impairments (\$2.6m); • One off redundancy and restructure costs (\$3.1m); • Tax benefit on one off charges \$7.2m; and 		

- Closed periods' (2002-2004) tax charge (\$3.9m).

(1) - Accounting errors corrected through the 2008 financial statements resulted in a negative retained earnings balance in the parent entity at 30 June 2008. The consolidated entity had adequate profits to pay a dividend. However, as the dividends paid from the subsidiary entities to the parent entity were effected post 30 June 2008, under Corporations Law, a final dividend could not be paid. Consequently, Boom declared an interim dividend in 2009 in lieu of the final dividend for 2008.

Dividends

Date the dividend is payable	NA
Record date to determine entitlement to the dividend	NA
Amount per security	nil
Total dividend	nil
Amount per security of foreign sourced dividend or distribution	NA
Details of any dividend reinvestment plans in operation	NA
The last date for receipt of an election notice for participation in any dividend reinvestment plans	NA

NTA Backing

	Current Period	Previous corresponding period
Net tangible asset backing per ordinary security (cents per share)	\$0.89	\$0.96

Other Significant Information Needed by an Investor to Make an Informed Assessment of the Entity's Financial Performance and Financial Position

The consolidated entity achieved a net loss after tax of \$27,486,000 for the financial year.

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After a strong start to the financial year, the operating result was impacted in the second half by the deterioration in the macro economic environment, specifically leading to the following factors that impacted the Boom business:

- a downturn in the resources, non-residential construction and industrial services markets;
- a slowdown in projects and production levels of major customers;
- some mining and industrial sites going into care and maintenance;
- increased competitive pressures due to lower overall market demand for lifting services; and
- a depressed capital equipment market.

Commentary on the Results for the Period

The earnings per security and the nature of any dilution aspects :

The underlying net profit was \$12 million. However, basic EPS as at 30 June 2009 was negative 16.1 cents compared to positive 10.9 cents at 30 June 2008. The reduction was predominantly due to a number of one off accounting adjustments.

Refer to the Income Statement in the 2009 Financial Report for disclosure of basic and diluted EPS.

At the end of the financial year, there were nil unissued ordinary shares in respect of which options were outstanding.

Returns to shareholders including distributions and buy backs :

Returns to shareholders during the financial year included the payment of 1 cent per share interim dividend in April 2009 and an interim dividend (refer to page 2 for further details) of 1 cent per share for the 2008 financial year paid in October 2008.

The results of segments that are significant to an understanding of the business as a whole:

Boom Logistics Limited operates in two segments:

- *Lifting Solutions*: the hire of lifting equipment to various industries; and
- *Crane Sales and Service*: the sale of mobile cranes, associated spare parts and after sales service.

Refer to note 31 in the attached 2009 Financial Report for further information on these segments.

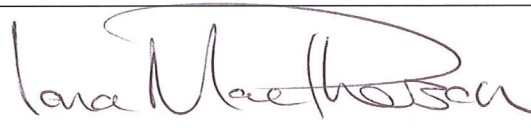
<p>Discussion of trends in performance :</p> <p>Other than the impacts described above, there were no other significant fluctuations in performance during the financial year.</p>
<p>Any other factor which has affected the results in the period or which are likely to affect results in the future, including those where the effect could not be quantified:</p> <p>NA</p>

Audit/Review Status

<p>This report is based on accounts to which one of the following applies: (Tick one)</p>			
The accounts have been audited	✓	The accounts have been subject to review	
The accounts are in the process of being audited or subject to review		The accounts have not yet been audited or reviewed	
<p>If the accounts have not yet been audited or subject to review and are likely to be subject to dispute or qualification, a description of the likely dispute or qualification:</p> <p>NA</p>			
<p>If the accounts have been audited or subject to review and are subject to dispute or qualification, a description of the dispute or qualification:</p> <p>NA</p>			

Attachments Forming Part of Appendix 4E

Attachment #	Details
1	2009 Financial Report
2	Independent Audit Report

Signed By Company Secretary	
Print Name	Iona MacPherson
Date	19 August 2009