Preliminary final report

Name of issuer						
VENTUREAXESS GROUP LIMITED						
ACN or ARBN	Half y		minary (tick)	Financia period')	al year er	nded ('Current
42 087 426 953				30 June	2008	
For announcement to the	market					
Extracts from this statement for ani		to the market (see n	ote 1).			
						\$A,000
D			4.400	,	1-	074
Revenue (item 1.1)		up	1429	6	to	271
Drofit for the period (' 4 o			from	loss of	40	12
Profit for the period (item 1.9	"	up	(263)		to	12
			(200)	,		
Profit for the period attribut		up		loss of	to	11
members of the parent (iten	n 1.11)		(221))		
Dividends			Current pe	eriod	Previous	corresponding
Dividends			Our crit po	ciioa		period
Franking rate applicable:			Not applic	able	'	
					Not a	applicable
Final dividend (preliminary fin 10.14)	nal report on	ly)(item 10.13-	Not ap	plicable		Not applicable
10.14)						
Amount per security						
Franked amount per securi	ity					
Interim dividend (Half yearly	, ranant anh	/itam 10 11	Not an	plicable		Not applicable
10.12)	report only,	(item 10.11 –		ļ		
Amount per security						
Franked amount per accurity						
Franked amount per securi	ıty					
Short details of any bonus or cash issue or other item(s) of importance not previously released to the						
market:						

Consolidated income statement (The figures are not equity accounted)

(see note 3)

(as per paragraphs 81-85 and 88-94 of AASB 101: Presentation of Financial Statements)

		Current period - \$A'000	Previous corresponding period - \$A'000	
1.1	Revenues (item 7.1)	271	112	
1.2	Expenses, excluding finance costs (item 7.2)	(250)	(375)	
1.3	Finance costs	(9)	-	
1.4	Share of net profits (losses) of associates and joint ventures (item 15.7)	-	-	
1.5	Profit (loss) before income tax	12	(263)	
1.6	Income tax expense (see note 4)	-	42	
1.7	Profit (loss) from continuing operations	12	(221)	
1.8	Profit (loss) from discontinued operations (item 13.3)	-	-	
1.9	Profit (loss) for the period	12	(221)	
1.10	Profit (loss) attributable to minority interests	1	-	
1.11	Profit (loss) attributable to members of the parent	11	(221)	
1.12	Basic earnings per security (item 9.1)	0.05 cents	(1.49) cents	
1.13	Diluted earnings per security (item 9.1)	0.05 cents	(1.49) cents	
1.14	Dividends per security (item 9.1)		, ,	

Comparison of half-year profits

(Preliminary final statement only)

		Current period - \$A'000	Previous corresponding period - \$A'000
2.1	Consolidated profit (loss) after tax attributable to members reported for the 1st half year (item 1.11 in the half yearly statement)	5	(99)
2.2	Consolidated profit (loss) after tax attributable to members for the 2nd half year	6	(122)

Consolidated balance sheet

(See note 5)

(as per paragraphs 68-69 of AASB 101: Financial Statement Presentation)

	Current assets	Current period - \$A'000	Previous corresponding period - \$A'000
3.1	Cash and cash equivalents	27	9
3.2	Trade and other receivables	564	11
3.3	Inventories		
3.4	Other current assets (provide details if material)		
3.5	Total current assets	591	20
	Non-current assets		
3.6	Available for sale investments		
3.7	Other financial assets		
3.8	Investments in associates		
3.9	Deferred tax assets		
3.10	Exploration and evaluation expenditure capitalised (see para. 71 of AASB 1022 – new standard not yet finalised)		
3.11	Development properties (mining entities)		
3.12	Property, plant and equipment (net)	1	-
3.13	Investment properties		
3.14	Goodwill	1,953	-
3.15	Other intangible assets		
3.16	Other (provide details if material)		
3.17	Total non-current assets	1,954	-
3.18	Total assets	2,545	20
	Current liabilities		
3.19	Trade and other payables	194	68
3.20	Short term borrowings		
3.21	Current tax payable		
3.22	Short term provisions		
3.23	Current portion of long term borrowings		
3.24	Other current liabilities (provide details if material)		
		194	68
3.25	Liabilities directly associated with non-current assets classified as held for sale (para 38 of AASB 5)		
3.26	Total current liabilities	194	68
	Non-current liabilities		

		Current period -	Previous
		\$A'000	corresponding period - \$A'000
3.27	Long-term borrowings		
3.28	Deferred tax liabilities		
3.29	Long term provisions		
3.30	Other – related parties	379	174
3.31	Total non-current liabilities	379	174
3.32	Total liabilities	573	242
3.33	Net assets	1,972	(222)
	Equity		
3.34	Share capital	4,374	2,205
3.35	Other reserves		
3.36	Retained earnings (losses)	(2,416)	(2,427)
	Amounts recognised directly in equity relating to non-current assets classified as held for sale		
3.37	Parent interest	1,958	(222)
3.38	Minority interest	14	-
3.39	Total equity	1,972	(222)

Consolidated statement of changes in equity

(as per paragraphs 96-97 of AASB 101: Presentation of Financial Statements)

		Current period – A\$'000	Previous corresponding period – A\$'000
	Revenues recognised directly in equity:		
	Expenses recognised directly in equity:		
4.1	Net income recognised directly in equity		
4.2	Profit for the period	12	(221)
4.3	Total recognised income and expense for the period	12	(221)
	Attributable to:		
4.4	Members of the parent	11	(221)
4.5	Minority interest	1	-
	Effect of changes in accounting policy (as per AASB 108: Accounting Policies, Changes in Accounting Estimates and Errors):		
4.6	Members of the parent entity		
4.7	Minority interest		

Consolidated statement of cash flows

(See note 6)

(as per AASB 107: Cash Flow Statements)

		Current period - \$A'000	Previous corresponding period - \$A'000
	Cash flows related to operating activities		
5.1	Receipts from customers	346	64
5.2	Payments to suppliers and employees	(266)	(392)
5.3	Net interest received (paid)	(8)	2
5.4	Income taxes paid (received)	-	42
5.5	Other (provide details if material)		
5.6	Net cash used in operating activities	72	(284)
	Cash flows related to investing activities		
5.7	Payments for purchases of property, plant and equipment		
5.8	Proceeds from sale of property, plant and equipment	-	17
5.9	Payment for purchases of equity investments		
5.10	Proceeds from sale of equity investments		
5.11	Loans to other entities		
5.12	Loans repaid by other entities		
5.13	Interest and other items of similar nature received		
5.14	Dividends received		
5.15	Other - repayment of security deposit	-	13
5.16	Net cash used in investing activities	-	30
	Cash flows related to financing activities		
5.17	Proceeds from issues of securities (shares, options, etc.)	65	(94)
5.18	Proceeds from borrowings	-	174
5.19	Loan note - acquisition of VentureAxess Ltd	(300)	
	Cash – on acquisition of VentureAxess Ltd	181	-
5.20	Debt forgiveness	-	61
5.21	Other – return of capital	-	(1)
5.22	Net cash used in financing activities	(54)	140
	Net increase (decrease) in cash and cash equivalents	18	(114)
5.23	Cash at beginning of period (see Reconciliations of cash)	9	123
5.24	Exchange rate adjustments to item 5.23		
5.25	Cash at end of period (see Reconciliation of cash)	27	9

Reconciliation of cash provided by operating activities to profit or loss

(as per paragraph Aus20.1 of AASB 107: Cash Flow Statements)

		Current period	Previous
		\$A'000	corresponding period \$A'000
6.1	Profit/(loss) (item 1.9)	12	(221)
	Adjustments for:		
6.2	Depreciation	6	15
6.3	Debt forgiveness	-	(61)
6.4	Loss on sale of fixed assets	-	6
	Directors options write back	-	(38)
6.5	(Increase)/decrease in trade and receivables	76	31
6.6	Increase/(decrease) in creditors and accruals	(22)	(12)
6.7	Increase/(decrease) in employee entitlements	-	(4)
6.8	Increase/decrease in		
6.9	Increase/decrease in		
6.10	Net cash from operating activities (item 5.6)	72	(284)

Notes to the financial statements

Details of revenues and expenses (see note 16)

(Where items of income and expense are material, disclose nature and amount below in accordance with paragraphs 86-87 of AASB 101: Presentation of Financial Statements)

		Current period - \$A'000	Previous corresponding period - \$A'000	
	Revenue			
	Fund management fees	189	-	
	Consulting fees	77	-	
	Software fees	4	33	
7.1	Interest received	1	2	
	Other	-	77	
	Total Revenue	271	112	
	Expenses			
	Consultancy	31	137	
	Employment costs	47	24	
	Establishment costs	38	8	
7.2	Depreciation	6	15	
	Interest paid	9	-	
	Other costs	128	191	
	Total Expenses	259	375	
	Profit (loss) before tax	12	(263)	

Ratios		Current period	Previous corresponding period
	Profit before tax / revenue		
8.1	Consolidated profit (loss) before tax (item 1.5) as a percentage of revenue (item 1.1)	4.4%	(134.8)%
	Profit after tax / equity interests		
8.2	Consolidated profit (loss) after tax attributable to members (<i>item 1.11</i>) as a percentage of equity (similarly attributable) at the end of the period (<i>item 3.37</i>)	0.6%	(99.5)%

Earnings per Security

9.1

	2008 Basic & fully diluted earnings per share 0.05 cents (based on attributable profits of \$11,271 and weighted average shares in issue of 24,546,085)				
	2007 Basic & fully diluted loss per share (1.49) cents (based on attributable losses of \$221,469 and weighted average shares in issue of 14,862,911)				
Divide	nds				
10.1	Date the dividend is payable	Not applicable			
10.2	Record date to determine entitlements to the dividend (i.e. on the basis of registrable transfers received up to 5.00 pm if paper based, or by 'End of Day' if a proper ASTC/CHESS transfer)	Not applicable			
10.3	If it is a final dividend, has it been declared?				
	(Preliminary final report only)				
10.4	The dividend or distribution plans shown below are in operation.				
Not ap	plicable				
	st date(s) for receipt of election notices to the and or distribution plans	Not applicable			
10.5	Any other disclosures in relation to dividends or distributions				
None					

Provide details of basic and fully diluted EPS in accordance with paragraph 70 and Aus 70.1 of AASB 133: Earnings per Share below:

Dividends paid or provided for on all securities

(as per paragraph Aus126.4 AASB 101: Presentation of Financial Statements)

		Current period - \$A'000	Previous corresponding period - \$A'000	Franking rate applicable
	Dividends paid or provided for during the reporting period	Not applicable	Not applicable	Not applicable
10.6	Current year interim			
10.7	Franked dividends			
10.8	Previous year final			
10.9	Franked dividends			
	Dividends proposed and not recognised as a liability	Not applicable	Not applicable	Not applicable
10.10	Franked dividends			

Dividends per security (as per paragraph Aus126.4 of AASB 101: Presentation of Financial Statements)

		Current year	Previous year	Franking rate applicable
	Dividends paid or provided for during the reporting period	Not applicable	Not applicable	Not applicable
10.11	Current year interim			
10.12	Franked dividends – cents per share			
10.13	Previous year final			
10.14	Franked dividends – cents per share			
	Dividends proposed and not recognised as a liability	Not applicable	Not applicable	Not applicable
10.15	Franked dividends – cents per share			

Exploration and evaluation expenditure capitalisedTo be completed only be issuers with mining interests if amounts are material. Include all expenditure incurred regardless of whether written off directly against profit

		Current period \$A'000	Previous corresponding period \$A'000
11.1	Opening balance		
11.2	Expenditure incurred during current period		
11.3	Expenditure written off during current period		
11.4	Acquisitions, disposals, revaluation increments, etc.		
11.5	Expenditure transferred to Development Properties		
11.6	Closing balance as shown in the consolidated balance sheet (item 3.10)		

Development properties

(To be completed only by issuers with mining interests if amounts are material)

		Current period \$A'000	Previous corresponding period \$A'000
12.1	Opening balance		
12.2	Expenditure incurred during current period		
12.3	Expenditure transferred from exploration and evaluation		
12.4	Expenditure written off during current period		
12.5	Acquisitions, disposals, revaluation increments, etc.		
12.6	Expenditure transferred to mine properties		
12.7	Closing balance as shown in the consolidated balance sheet (item 3.11)		

Discontinued Operations

(see note 18)

(as per paragraph 33 of AASB 5: Non-current Assets Held for Sale and Discontinued Operations)

		Current period – A\$'000	Previous corresponding period – A\$'000
13.1	Revenue		
13.2	Expense		
13.3	Profit (loss) from discontinued operations before income tax		
13.4	Income tax expense (as per para 81 (h) of AASB 112)		
13.5	Gain (loss) on sale/disposal of discontinued operations		
13.6	Income tax expense (as per paragraph 81(h) of AASB 112)		

Movements in Equity

(as per paragraph 97 of AASB 101: Financial Statement Presentation)

		Number issued	Number listed	Paid-up value (cents)	Current period – A\$'000	Previous correspondin g period – A\$'000
14.1	Preference securities					
	(description)					
14.2	Balance at start of period					
14.3	a) Increases through issues					
14.4	a) Decreases through returns of capital, buybacks etc.					
14.5	Balance at end of period					
14.6	Ordinary securities					
	(description)					
14.7	Balance at start of period	14,862,911	14,862,911		2,205	2,216
14.8	a) Increases through issues	14,882,768	14,882,768		2,169	
14.9	b) Decreases through returns of capital, buybacks etc.	-	-		-	(11)
14.10	Balance at end of period	29,745,679	29,745,679		4,374	2,205
14.11	Convertible Debt Securities					
	(description & conversion factor)					
14.12	Balance at start of period					
14.13	a) Increases through issues					
14.14	b) Decreases through maturity, converted.					
14.15	Balance at end of period					

		Number issued	Number listed	Paid-up value (cents)	Current period – A\$'000	Previous correspondin g period – A\$'000
14.16	Options					
	(description & conversion factor)					
14.17	Balance at start of period	8,865,029	8,865,029		-	-
14.18	Issued during period	9,011,392	9,011,392		-	-
14.19	Exercised during period					
14.20	Expired during period					
14.21	Balance at end of period	17,876,421	17,876,421		-	-
14.22	Debentures					
	(description)					
14.23	Balance at start of period					
14.24	Increases through issues					
14.25	b) Decreases through maturity, converted					
14.26	Balance at end of period					
14.27	Unsecured Notes					
	(description)					
14.28	Balance at start of period					
14.29	Increases through issues					
14.30	b) Decreases through maturity, converted					
14.31	Balance at end of period					
14.32	Total Securities					

		Current period – A\$'000	Previous corresponding period – A\$'000
	Reserves		
14.33	Balance at start of period		
14.34	Transfers to/from reserves		
14.35	Total for the period		
14.36	Balance at end of period		
14.37	Total reserves		
	Retained earnings		
14.38	Balance at start of period	(2,427)	(2,205)
14.39	Changes in accounting policy		
14.40	Restated balance		
14.41	Profit (loss) for the period	11	(222)
14.42	Total for the period	11	(222)
14.43	Dividends	-	-
14.44	Balance at end of period	(2,416)	(2,427)

Details of aggregate share of profits (losses) of associates and joint venture entities

(equity method)

(as per paragraph Aus 37.1 of AASB 128: Investments in Associates and par	ragraph Aus 57.3 of AASB 131: Interests in Joint
Ventures)	

Name of	f associate or joint venture entity	Not a	oplicable	
Reportin	ng entities percentage holding	Not a	pplicable	
			Current period - \$A'000	Previous corresponding period - \$A'000
15.1	Profit (loss) before income tax			
15.2	Income tax			
15.3	Profit (loss) after tax			
15.4	Impairment losses			
15.5	Reversals of impairment losses			
15.6	Share of non-capital expenditure co for (excluding the supply of inventor			
15.7	Share of net profit (loss) of association joint venture entities	iates and		
				•
Control (See note	gained over entities having materi	al effect		
16.1	Name of issuer (or group)	VentureAxe	ss Limited	
	<u> </u>			# A1000
				\$A'000
16.2	Consolidated profit (loss) after tax of the date in the current period on whi			66
16.3	Date from which profit (loss) in item 1	6.2 has been	calculated	1 November 2007
16.4	Profit (loss) after tax of the <i>issuer</i> (o previous corresponding period	r <i>group</i>) for t	the whole of the	31

Loss of control of entities having material effect (See note 8)

17.1	Name of issuer (or group)	Not applicable	
			\$A'000
17.2	Consolidated profit (loss) after tax of current period to the date of loss of c		
17.3	Date from which the profit (loss) in ite	em 17.2 has been calculated	
17.4	Consolidated profit (loss) after tax of controlled during the whole of the pre		
17.5	Contribution to consolidated profit (lo leading to loss of control	oss) from sale of interest	

Material interests in entities which are not controlled entities

The economic entity has an interest (that is material to it) in the following entities.

		Percentage of ownership interest (ordinary securities, units etc) held at end of period or date of disposal		units etc) held 1.9)		
18.1	Equity accounted associated entities	Current period	Previous corresponding period	Current period \$A'000	Previous corresponding period \$A'000	
				Equity accounted		
18.2	Total					
18.3	Other material interests			Non equity accounted (i.e. part of item 1.9)		
18.4	Total					

Reports for industry and geographical segments

Information on the industry and geographical segments of the entity must be reported for the current period in accordance with AASB 114: Segment Reporting. Because of the different structures employed by entities, a pro forma is not provided. Segment information should be completed separately and attached to this statement. However, the following is the personation adopted in the Appendices to AASB 114 and indicates which amount should agree with items included elsewhere in this statement.

		Current period - \$A'000	Previous corresponding period - \$A'000
	Segments		ρεποα - ψΑ σσσ
	Revenue:		
19.1	External sales		
19.2	Inter-segment sales		
19.3	Total (consolidated total equal to <i>item 1.1</i>)		
19.4	Segment result		
19.5	Unallocated expenses		
19.6	Operating profit (equal to item 1.5)		
19.7	Interest expense		
19.8	Interest income		
19.9	Share of profits of associates		
19.10	Income tax expense		
19.11	Net profit (consolidated total equal to item 1.9)		
	Other information		
19.12	Segment assets		
19.13	Investments in equity method associates		
19.14	Unallocated assets		
19.15	Total assets (equal to item 3.18)		
19.16	Segment liabilities		
19.17	Unallocated liabilities		
19.18	Total liabilities (equal to item 3.32)		
19.19	Capital expenditure		
19.20	Depreciation		
19.21	Other non-cash expenses		

The company only operates from one location in Australia and derives all its revenue in Australia.

NTA Backing				
(see note 7)				
20.1	Current period	Previous corresponding period		
	0.02 cents	(1.50) cents		
Net tangible asset (deficit) backing per ordinary security				
Non-cash financing and investing activities Details of financing and investing transactions which have had a material effect on consolidated assets and liabilities but did not involve cash flows are as follows. If an amount is quantified, show comparative amount.				
21.1 Not applicable				
International Financial Reporting Standards				
Under paragraph 39 of AASB 1: First –time Adoption of Australian Equivalents to International Financial Reporting Standards, an entity's first Australian-equivalents-to-IFRS's financial report shall include reconciliations of its equity and profit or loss under previous GAAP to its equity and profit or loss under Australian equivalents to IFRS's. See IG63 in the appendix to AASB 1 for guidance.				
22.1				
Under paragraph 4.2 of AASB 1047: Disclosing the Impacts of Adopting Australian Equivalents to International Financial Reporting Standards, an entity must disclose any known or reliably estimable information about the impacts on the financial report had it been prepared using the Australian equivalents to IFRSs or if the aforementioned impacts are not known or reliably estimable, a statement to that effect.				
22.2				

Comments by directors

Comments on the following matters are required by the Exchange or, in relation to the half yearly statement, by AASB 134: Interim Financial Reporting. The comments do not take the place of the directors' report and statement (as required by the Corporations Act) but may be incorporated into the directors' report and statement. For both half yearly and preliminary final statements, if there are no comments in a section, state NIL. If there is insufficient space in comment, attach notes to this statement.

Basis of accounts preparation

If this statement is a half yearly statement, it is a general purpose financial report prepared in accordance with the listing rules and AASB 134: Interim Financial Reporting. It should be read in conjunction with the last annual report and any announcements to the market made by the issuer during the period. This report does not include all notes of the type normally included in an annual financial report [Delete if inapplicable.]

A description of each event since the end of the current period which has had a material effect and is

	not related to matters already reported, with financial effect quantified (if possible). In a half yearly report, provide explanatory comments about any seasonal or irregular factors affecting operations (as per paragraphs 16(b), 16(b) and Aus 16.1 of AASB 134: Interim Financial Reporting)
	Nil
	Any other factors which have 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.
	Nil
	Franking credits available and prospects for paying fully or partly franked dividends for at least the next year
	Nil
•	Changes in accounting policies, estimation methods and measurement bases since the last annual report are disclosed as follows.
	(Disclose changes in the half yearly statement in accordance with paragraph16(a) of AASB 134: Interim Financial Reporting. Disclose changes in the preliminary final statement in accordance with paragraphs 28-29 of 108: Accounting Policies, Changes in Accounting Estimates and Errors.)
	Nil
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An <i>issuer</i> shall explain how the transition from previous GAAP to Australian equivalents to IFRS' affected its reported financial position, financial performance and cash flows. (as per paragraph 38 of AASB 1: First-time Adoption of Australian Equivalents to International Financial Reporting Standards)
Nil
Revisions in estimates of amounts reported in previous periods. For half yearly reports the nature and amount of revisions in estimates of amounts reported in previous annual reports if those revisions have a material effect in this half year (as per paragraph 16(d) of AASB 134: Interim Financial Reporting)
Nil
Changes in contingent liabilities or assets. For half yearly reports, changes in contingent liabilities and contingent assts since the last annual report (as per paragraph 16(j) of AASB 134: Interim Financial Reporting)
Nil
The nature and amount of items affecting assets, liabilities, equity, profit or loss, or cash flows that are unusual because of their nature, size or incidence (as per paragraph 16(c) of AASB 134: Interim Financial Reporting)
Nil
Effect of changes in the composition of the entity during the interim period, including business combinations, acquisition or disposal of subsidiaries and long-term investments, restructurings and discontinued operations (as per paragraph 16(i) of AASB 134: Interim Financial Reporting)
Nil

Annual meeting

(Preliminary final statement only)

The annual meeting will be held as follows:

Place	To be announced
Date	To be announced
Time	To be announced
Approximate date the annual report will be available	30 September 2008

Compliance statement

1. This statement has been prepared under accounting policies which comply with accounting standards as defined in the *Corporations Act* or other standards acceptable to the Exchange (see note 13).

Identify other standards used	

- 2. This statement, and the financial statements under the *Corporations Act* (if separate), use the same accounting policies.
- 3. This statement does give a true and fair view of the matters disclosed (see note 2).
- 4. This statement is based on financial statements to which one of the following applies:

The financial statements have been Thaudited.

The financial statements have been subject to review by a registered auditor (or overseas equivalent).

√ The financial statements are in the process of being audited or subject to review.

The financial statements have *not* yet been audited or reviewed.

5. If the accounts have been or are being audited or subject to review and the audit report is not attached, details of any qualifications will follow immediately they are available. The *issuer* has a formally constituted audit committee.

Sign here:

Date: 13 September 2008

Print name: Emyr Jones (Director)