Canterbury Surrey Hills Community Finance Limited ABN 96 099 590 593 Directors' Report

Your Directors submit their report of the company for the half year ended 31 December 2008.

Directors

The names of directors who held office during the half year and until the date of this report are:

Hans Diederick Menting

David Charles Orford

Elisabeth Kay Grant

Damien Leo Hudson

Robert Einar Stensholt

Juliann Ruth Byron

Trevor Roland Kempton

Leigh Smith

Derek Forbes Mortimer (resigned 27 August 2008)

Gordon Lennox McFarlane (appointed 24 September 2008)

Michael Ronald Hills (appointed 24 September 2008)

Catherine Anne van der Zee (appointed 24 September 2008)

Directors were in office for this entire period unless otherwise stated.

Principal activities

The principal activities of the company during the course of the financial period were in providing community banking services under management rights to operate franchised branches of Bendigo and Adelaide Bank Limited.

Review and results of operations

The net profit of the company for the financial period was \$52,818 (2007: \$102,227).

Directors recommended by way of notice of an extraordinary general meeting of the company to shareholders on 16 July 2008, that the company reduce its capital with a capital distribution to shareholders of 10 cents per ordinary share. This proposal was approved by shareholders and the return of capital of 10 cents per share was paid on 28 August 2008.

In September 2008 bonus shares were issued for no consideration at the rate of 1 share for every 1 held. During the period the company opened a new community bank branch in Ashburton.

Matters subsequent to the end of the reporting period

There are no matters or circumstances that have arisen since the end of the half year reporting period that have significantly affected or may significantly affect the operations of the company, the results of those operations or the state of affairs of the company.

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Auditor Independence Declaration

The directors received the following independence declaration from the auditor of the company:



Chartered Accountants

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Auditor's Independence Declaration

In relation to our review of the financial report of Canterbury Surrey Hills Community Finance Ltd for the half year ended 31 December 2008, to the best of my knowledge and belief, there have been no contraventions of the auditor independence requirements of the Corporations Act 2001 or any applicable code of professional conduct.

Warren Sinnott Partner Richmond Sinnott & Delahunty Bendigo 26 February 2009

Signed in accordance with a resolution of the Directors in Melbourne on 26 February 2009.

Hans Menting, Director

Condensed Income Statement for the half-year ended 31 December 2008

	Note	2008 <u>\$</u>	2007 <u>\$</u>
Revenue from ordinary activities		835,492	680,182
Salaries and employee benefit expense		(341,267)	(287,246)
Charitable donations and sponsorships		(110,175)	(26,190)
Depreciation and amortisation expense		(20,462)	(46,073)
Other expenses from ordinary activities		(292,340)	(172,415)
Profit from ordinary activities before income tax expense		71,248	148,258
Income tax expense relating to ordinary activities		18,430	46,031
Net profit attributable to members of the entity		52,818	102,227
Earnings per share (cents per share) - basic for profit for the half year - diluted for profit for the half year - dividends paid per share	5	2.21 2.21 -	10.17 10.17 2.00

Canterbury Surrey Hills Community Finance Limited ABN 96 099 590 593 Condensed Balance Sheet as at 31 December 2008

	Note	31-Dec 2008 <u>\$</u>	30-Jun 2008 <u>\$</u>
Current Assets			
Cash assets		336,344	462,500
Receivables		306,586_	210,519
Total Current Assets	•	642,930	673,019
Non-Current Assets			
Property, plant and equipment		314,607	93,667
Deferred income tax asset		15,456	33,886
Intangibles		220,789	63,053_
Total Non-Current Assets	-	550,852	190,606
Total Assets	-	1,193,782	863,625
Current Liabilities			
Payables		65,328	82,569
Provisions		28,118	26,640
Total Current Liabilities		93,446	109,209
Total Liabilities	-	93,446	109,209
Net Assets		1,100,336	754,416
Equity			
Issued capital	7	1,297,799	1,004,697
Accumulated iosses	-	(197,463)	(250,281)
Total Equity	=	1,100,336	754,416

Condensed Cash Flow Statement for the half-year ended 31 December 2008

	2008 <u>\$</u>	2007 <u>\$</u>
Cash Flows From Operating Activities	,	
Cash receipts in the course of operations Cash payments in the course of operations Interest received	808,447 (841,773) 13,206	715,915 (549,333) 11,328
Net cash flows from (used in) operating activities	(20,120)	177,910
Cash Flows From Investing Activities		
Payments for intangible assets Payments for property, plant and equipment	(168,529) (230,609)	(4,288)
Net cash flows from (used in) investing activities	(399,138)	(4,288)
Cash Flows From Financing Activities		
Member contributions	402,308	- (21,841)
Dividends paid Return of capital	(109,206)	(87,365)
Net cash flows used in financing activities	293,102	(109,206)
Net increase (decrease) in cash held	(126,156)	64,416
Opening cash brought forward	462,500	291,794
Closing cash carried forward	336,344	356,210

Condensed Statement of Changes in Equity for the half-year ended 31 December 2008

	Issued Capital <u>\$</u>	Retained Earnings \$	Total Equity <u>\$</u>
As at 1 July 2008	1,004,697	(250,281)	754,416
Net profit for the period	-	52,818	52,818
Issue of share capital	402,308	-	402,308
Return of share capital	(109,206)	-	(109,206)
Equity dividends	<u>-</u>		-
As at 31 December 2008	1,297,799	(197,463)	1,100,336
	Issued Capital \$	Retained Earnings <u>\$</u>	Total Equity <u>\$</u>
As at 1 July 2007	1,092,062	(450,344)	641,718
Net profit for the period	-	102,227	102,227
Return of share capital	(87,365)	-	(87,365)
Equity dividends		(21,841)	(21,841)
As at 31 December 2007	1,004,697	(369,958)	634,739

Canterbury Surrey Hills Community Finance Limited ABN 96 099 590 593 Notes to the Financial Statements

for the half-year ended 31 December 2008

1. Basis of preparation of the Half-Year Financial Report

(a) Basis of accounting

The half year financial report does not include all notes of the type normally included within the annual financial report and therefore cannot be expected to provide as full an understanding of the financial performance, financial position and financing and investing activities of the entity as the full financial report.

The half year financial report should be read in conjunction with the annual financial report of Canterbury Surrey Hills Community Finance Ltd as at 30 June 2008. It is also recommended that this half year financial report be considered together with any public announcements made by Canterbury Surrey Hills Community Finance Ltd during the half year ended 31 December 2008 in accordance with any continuous disclosure obligations arising under the Corporations Act 2001.

The half year financial report is a general purpose financial report which has been prepared in accordance with the requirements of the Corporations Act 2001, applicable Accounting Standards including AASB 134 "Interim Financial Reporting" and other mandatory professional reporting requirements (Urgent Issues Group Consensus Views).

For the purpose of preparing the half year financial statements the half year has been treated as a discrete reporting period.

(b) Statement of compliance

The half year financial report complies with Australian Accounting Standards, which include Australian equivalents to International Financial Reporting Standards ('AIFRS'). Compliance with AIFRS ensures that the half year financial report, comprising the financial statements and notes thereto, complies with International Financial Reporting Standards ('IFRS').

(c) Summary of significant accounting policies

The accounting policies have been consistently applied and are consistent with those applied in the 30 June 2008 financial statements.

2. Events subsequent to Reporting Date

There have been no events subsequent to reporting date that would materially effect the financial statements at the reporting date.

3. Contingent Assets and Liabilities

Since the last annual reporting date there has been no material change of any contingent assets or contingent liabilities.

Notes to the Financial Statements for the half-year ended 31 December 2008

4. Segment Reporting

The economic entity operates in the financial services sector where it provides banking services to its clients. The economic entity operates in one geographic area being Melbourne, Victoria.

5. Dividends Paid	2008 <u>\$</u>	2007 <u>\$</u>
Dividends paid during the half year Final unfranked dividend for the year ended 30 June 2008 of nil cents per share (2007: 2 cents)	-	21,841

6. Director and Related Party Disclosures

The names of directors who have held office during the half year ended 31 December 2008 are:

Hans Diederick Menting David Charles Orford

Elisabeth Kay Grant

Damien Leo Hudson

Robert Einar Stensholt

Juliann Ruth Byron

Trevor Roland Kempton

Leigh Smith

Derek Forbes Mortimer (resigned 27 August 2008)

Gordon Lennox McFarlane (appointed 24 September 2008)

Michael Ronald Hills (appointed 24 September 2008)

Catherine Anne van der Zee (appointed 24 September 2008)

No director or related entity has entered into a material contract with the company. No director's fees have been paid.

Directors shareholdings	<u>2008</u>	<u>2007</u>
	7.000	0.504
Hans Diederick Menting	7,002	2,501
David Charles Orford	10,002	5,001
Elisabeth Kay Grant	6,000	3,000
Damien Leo Hudson	12,802	6,401
Robert Einar Stensholt	14,000	5,001
Juliann Ruth Byron	8,000	4,000
Trevor Roland Kempton	-	-
Leigh Smith	40,000	13,500
Derek Forbes Mortimer (resigned 27 August 2008)	-	-
Gordon Lennox McFarlane (appointed 24 September 2008)	2,500	-
Michael Ronald Hills (appointed 24 September 2008)	2,000	-
Catherine Anne van der Zee (appointed 24 September 2008)	2,000	-

^{*} During the period bonus shares were issued for no consideration at the rate of 1 share for every 1 held. All directors who held shares at the date of the bonus share issue received these shares. Each bonus share has a face value of \$1 per share.

Notes to the Financial Statements for the half-year ended 31 December 2008

6. Director and Related Party Disclosures (Continued)

Directors shareholdings (Continued)

The following directors purchased additional shares during the period:

Hans Diederick Menting	2,000
Leigh Smith	13,000
Robert Einar Stensholt	3,998
Catherine Anne van der Zee (appointed 24 September 2008)	2,000
Gordon Lennox McFarlane (appointed 24 September 2008)	2,500
Michael Ronald Hills (appointed 24 September 2008)	2,000

Other than detailed above there were no other movements in directors shareholdings.

7. Share Capital

During the period it was resolved to make a return of capital of 10 cents per share.

Bonus shares were also issued for no consideration at the rate of 1 share for every 1 held and additional capital was raised for the opening of the Ashburton branch.

Canterbury Surrey Hills Community Finance Limited ABN 96 099 590 593 Directors Declaration for the half-year ended 31 December 2008

In accordance with a resolution of the directors of Canterbury Surrey Hills Community Finance Ltd, I state that:

In the opinion of the directors:

- (a) the financial statements and notes of the company:
 - (i) give a true and fair view of the company's financial position as at 31 December 2008 and its performance for the half-year ended on that date; and
 - (ii) comply with 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.

On behalf of the Board

Hans Diederick Menting

Director

Signed in Melbourne on this 26th day of February 2009

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26 February 2009

The Directors
Canterbury Surrey Hills Community Finance Limited
25 Chaucer Avenue
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Dear Directors

Auditor's Independence Declaration

In relation to our review of the financial report of Canterbury Surrey Hills Community. Finance Limited for the half year ended 31 December 2008, to the best of my knowledge and belief, there have been no contraventions of the auditor independence requirements of the Corporations Act 2001 or any applicable code of professional conduct.

Warren Sinnott Partner Richmond Sinnott & Delahunty

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Independent Review Report

To the members of Canterbury Surrey Hills Community Finance Ltd

Scope

The financial report comprises the condensed income statement, condensed balance sheet, condensed cash flow statement, condensed statement of changes in equity, accompanying notes to the financial statements and the directors' declaration for Canterbury Surrey Hills Community Finance Ltd for the half-year ended 31 December 2008.

The company's directors are responsible for preparing a financial report that gives a true and fair view of the financial position and performance of the company and that complies with Accounting Standard AASB 134 "Interim Financial Reporting", in accordance with the Corporations Act 2001. This includes responsibility for the maintenance of adequate accounting records and internal controls that are designed to prevent and detect fraud and error, and for accounting policies and accounting estimates inherent in the financial report.

Review Approach

We conducted an independent review of the half year financial report in order to make a statement about it to the members of the company, and in order for the company to lodge the half year financial report with the Australian Securities and Investments Commission.

Our review has been conducted in accordance with Australian Auditing Standards applicable to review engagements, in order to state whether, on the basis or procedures described, anything has come to our attention that would indicate that the financial report is not presented fairly in accordance with the Corporations Act 2001. Accounting Standard AASB 134 "Interim Financial Reporting" and other mandatory professional reporting requirements in Australia, so as to present a view which is consistent with our understanding of the company's financial position and of their performance as represented by the results of their operations and their cash flows.

A review is limited primarily to inquiries of company personnel and analytical procedures applied to the financial data. These procedures do not provide all the evidence that would be required in an audit, thus the level of assurance is less than that given in an audit. We have not performed an audit and accordingly, we do not express an audit opinion.

Independence

We are independent of the company, and have met the independence requirements of Australian professional ethical pronouncements and the Corporations Act 2001.

Review Statement

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 interim financial report of Canterbury Surrey Hills Community Finance Ltd is not in accordance with:

- (a) the Corporations Act 2001, including:
 - (i) giving a true and fair view of the company's financial position as at 31 December 2008 and its performance for the half year ended on that date; and
 - (ii) complying with Accounting Standard AASB 134 'Interim Financial Reporting' and the Corporations Regulations: and
- (b) other mandatory professional reporting requirements.

Richmond Sinnott & Delahunty Chartered Accountants

Warren Sinnott Partner

Signed at Bendigo on 26 February 2009