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BSX Listing Rules

Half yearly/Yearly Disclosure

References

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Chapter 3, BSX Listing Rules

HOBSON'S BAY COMMUNITY FINANCIAL SERVICES LIMITED

Name of entity

39 091 661 166

Half yearly (tick)



ABN, ACN or ARBN

Annual (tick)

31 DECEMBER 2009

Half year/financial year ended
(Current period)

Summary

				\$A,000
Sales revenue or operating revenue	up/down	7 %	to	1,216
Profit (loss) before abnormal items and after tax	up/down	10 %	to	157
Abnormal items before tax		gain (loss) of		—
Profit (loss) after tax but before outside equity interests	up/down	10 %	to	157
Extraordinary items after tax attributable to members		gain (loss) of		—
Profit (loss) for the period attributable to members	up/down	10 %	to	157.

Dividends (distributions)

Franking rate applicable

100%

Current period

Final

10 \$

Interim

— \$

Previous corresponding period

Final

12 \$

Interim

— \$

Record date for determining entitlements to the dividend, (in the case of a trust distribution)

17-11-2009

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Short details of any bonus or cash issue or other items(s) of importance not previously released to BSX:

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Consolidated profit and loss account

	Current period \$A'000	Previous corresponding period \$A'000
Sales revenue or operating revenue	1,216	1,136
Expenses from ordinary activities	985	926
Borrowing costs	—	—
Share of net profit (loss) of associates and joint venture entities	—	—
Profit (loss) from ordinary activities before tax	231	210
Income tax on ordinary activities	74	68
Profit (loss) from ordinary activities after tax	157	142
Outside equity interests	—	—
Profit (loss) from ordinary activities after tax attributable to members	157	142
Profit (loss) from extraordinary activities after tax attributable to members	—	—
Profit (loss) for the period attributable to members	157	142
Retained profits (accumulated losses) at the beginning of the financial period	503	465
Net transfers to and from reserves	—	—
Net effect of changes in accounting policies	—	—
Dividends paid or payable	140	168
Retained profits (accumulated losses) at end of financial period	520	439

Profit restated to exclude amortisation of goodwill

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	Current period \$A'000	Previous corresponding period \$A'000
Profit (loss) from ordinary activities after tax before outside equity interests and amortisation of goodwill	157	142
Less (plus) outside equity interests	—	—
Profit (loss) from ordinary activities after tax (before amortisation of goodwill) attributable to members	157	142

Revenue and expenses from operating activities

Details of revenue and expenses	Current period \$A'000	Previous corresponding period \$A'000
REVENUE	1,216	1,136
OPERATING EXPENSES	(985)	(926)

Intangible and extraordinary items

	Consolidated - current period		
	Before tax \$A'000	Related tax \$A'000	After tax \$A'000
Amortisation of goodwill	—	—	—
Amortisation of other intangibles	18	5	13
Total amortisation of intangibles	18	5	13
Extraordinary items (details)	—	—	—
Total extraordinary items	—	—	—

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Comparison of half year profits
(Annual statement only)

	Current year - \$A'000	Previous year - \$A'000
Consolidated profit (loss) from ordinary activities after tax attributable to members reported for the 1st half year	157	142
Consolidated profit (loss) from ordinary activities after tax attributable to members for the 2nd half year	—	—

Consolidated balance sheet

	At end of current period \$A'000	As shown in last annual report \$A'000	As in last half yearly statement \$A'000
Current assets			
Cash	963	1,072	1,078
Receivable	236	202	192
Investments	—	—	—
Inventories	8	13	9
Other (provide details if material)	—	—	—
Total current assets	1,207	1,287	1,279
Non-current assets			
Receivables	—	—	—
Investments	—	—	—
Inventories	—	—	—
Other property, plant and equipment (net)	827	844	845
Intangibles (net)	91	109	127
Other (provide details if material)	26	25	32
Total non-current assets	944	978	1,004
Total assets	2,151	2,265	2,283
Current liabilities			
Accounts payable	139	160	118
Borrowings	65	58	70
Provisions	59	(6)	62
Other (provide details if material)	—	—	—
Total current liabilities	263	212	250

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Non-current liabilities			
Accounts payable	—	—	—
Borrowings	—	183	191
Provisions	75	74	110
Other (provide details if material)	49	49	49
Total non-current liabilities	124	306	350
Total liabilities	387	518	600
Net assets	1,764	1,747	1,683
Equity			
Capital	1,130	1,130	1,130
Reserves	114	114	114
Retained profits (accumulated losses)	520	503	439
Equity attributable to members of the parent entity	—	—	—
Outside equity interests in controlled entities	—	—	—
Total equity	1,764	1,747	1,683
Preference capital and related premium included	—	—	—

Consolidated statement of cash flows

Cash flows related to operating activities	Current period \$A'000	Previous corresponding period \$A'000
Receipts from customers	1,297	1,231
Payments to suppliers and employees	(1,050)	(923)
Dividends received	6	35
Interest and other items of similar nature received	(6)	(42)
Interest and other costs of finance paid	(30)	(79)
Income taxes paid	—	—
Other (provide details if material)	—	—
Net operating cash flows	217	222
Cash flows related to investing activities		
Payments for purchases of property, plant and equipment	(2)	(2)

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Proceeds from sale of property, plant and equipment	—	—	—
Payment for purchases of equity investments	—	—	—
Proceeds from sale of equity investments	—	—	—
Loans to other entities	—	—	—
Loans repaid by other entities	—	—	—
Other (provide details if material)	—	—	—
Net investing cash flows	(2)	(2)	
Cash flows related to financing activities			
Proceeds from issues of securities (shares, options, etc.)	—	—	
Proceeds from borrowings	—	—	
Repayment of borrowings	(183)	(6)	
Dividends paid	(140)	(168)	
Other (provide details if material)	—	—	
Net financing cash flows	(323)	(174)	
Net increase (decrease) in cash held			
Cash at beginning of period (see Reconciliation of cash)	1,071	1,032	
Exchange rate adjustments	—	—	
Cash at end of period (see Reconciliation of cash)	963	1,078	

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.

NIL

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Reconciliation of cash

Reconciliation of cash at the end of the period (as shown in the consolidated statement of cash flows) to the related items in the accounts is as follows.

	Current period \$A'000	Previous corresponding period \$A'000
Cash on hand and at bank	246	282
Deposits at call	717	796
Bank overdraft	—	—
Other (provide details)	—	—
Total cash at end of period	963	1078

Ratios

	Current period	Previous corresponding period
Profit before tax/sales		
Consolidated profit (loss) from ordinary activities before tax as a percentage of sales revenue	19.0	18.5
Profit after tax/equity interests		
Consolidated profit (loss) from ordinary activities after tax attributable to members as a percentage of equity (similarly attributable) at the end of the period	8.9	8.4

Earnings per security (EPS)

	Current period	Previous corresponding period
Calculation of basic, and fully diluted, EPS in accordance with AASB 1027: Earnings per Share		
(a) Basic EPS	11.2	10.1
(b) Diluted EPS (if materially different from (a))	—	—

NTA backing

	Current period	Previous corresponding period
Net tangible asset backing per ordinary security	1.19	1.11

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Details of specific receipts/outlays, revenues/expenses

	Current period A\$'000	Previous corresponding period \$A'000
Interest revenue included	6	35
Interest revenue included but not yet received (if material)	—	—
Interest costs excluded from borrowing costs capitalised in asset values	6	10
Outlays (excepts those arising from the acquisition of an existing business) capitalised in intangibles (if material)	—	—
Depreciation (excluding amortisation of intangibles)	19	19
Other specific relevant items	—	—

Control gained over entities having material effect

Name of entity

N/A

Consolidated profit (loss) from ordinary activities and extraordinary items after tax of the entity since the date in the current period on which control was acquired

\$

Date from which such profit has been calculated

Profit (loss) from ordinary activities and extraordinary items after tax of the entity for the whole of the previous corresponding period

\$

Loss of control of entities having material effect

Name of entity

N/A

Consolidated profit (loss) from ordinary activities and extraordinary items after tax of the entity for the current period to the date of loss of control

\$

Date from which the profit (loss) has been calculated

Consolidated profit (loss) from ordinary activities and extraordinary items after tax of the entity while controlled during the whole of the previous corresponding period

\$

Contribution to consolidated profit (loss) from ordinary activities and extraordinary items from sale of interest leading to loss of control

\$

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Reports for industry and geographical segments

Segments

Operating Revenue

Sales to customers outside the economic entity

Inter-segment sales

Unallocated revenue

Total revenue

Segment result

Unallocated expenses

Consolidated profit from ordinary activities after tax (before equity accounting)

Segment assets

Unallocated assets

Total assets

) Comparative data for segment assets should be as at the
) end of the previous corresponding period
)

Dividends

Date the dividend is payable

25/11/2009

Record date to determine entitlements to the dividend (ie. on
the basis of registrable transfers received up to 5.00 pm)

17/11/2009

Amount per security

		Franking rate applicable	%	%	%
(annual report only)					
Final dividend:	Current year	10 ¢	N/A	100%	N/A
	Previous year	12 ¢	N/A	100%	N/A
(Half yearly and annual statements)					
Interim dividend:	Current year	— ¢	N/A	— ¢	N/A
	Previous year	— ¢	— ¢	— ¢	— ¢

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Total annual dividend (distribution) per security
(Annual statement only)

	Current year	Previous year
Ordinary securities	\$	\$
Preference securities	\$	\$

Total dividend (distribution)

	Current period \$A'000	Previous corresponding period - \$A'000
Ordinary securities	\$ 140	\$ 168
Preference securities	\$ —	\$ —
Total	\$ 140	\$ 168

Half yearly report – interim dividend (distribution) on all securities or Annual report – final dividend (distribution) on all securities

	Current period \$A'000	Previous corresponding period - \$A'000
Ordinary securities	\$ 140	\$ 168
Preference securities	\$ —	\$ —
Total	\$ 140	\$ 168

The dividend or distribution plans shown below are in operation.

**DIVIDENDS ARE REVIEWED BY DIRECTORS AFTER
THE END OF YEAR ACCOUNTS**

The last date(s) for receipt of election notices to
the dividend or distribution plans

Any other disclosures in relation to dividends (distributions)

NIL

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Equity accounted associated entities and other material interests

Equity accounting information attributable to the economic entity's share of investments in associated entities must be disclosed in a separate notice. See AASB 1016: Disclosure of information about Investments in Associated Companies.

Entities share of:

N/A

Current period
A\$'000

Previous corresponding
period A\$'000

Profit (loss) from ordinary activities before tax.

N/A

N/A

Income tax

Profit (loss) from ordinary activities after tax

Extraordinary items net of tax

Net profit (loss)

Outside equity interests

Net profit (loss) attributable to members

Material interests in entities which are not controlled entities

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

Name of entity

Percentage of ownership
interest held at end of period or
date of disposal

Contribution to profit (loss)
from ordinary activities and
extraordinary items after tax

**Equity accounted
associates and joint
venture entities**

Current period

Previous
corresponding
period

Current period
A\$'000

Previous
corresponding
period
A\$'000

N/A

Total

**Other material
interests**

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Total				

Issued and listed securities

Description includes rate of interest and any redemption or conversion rights together with prices and dates.

Category of securities

	Number issued	Number listed	Issue Price (cents)	Paid-up value (cents)
Preference securities (description)	—	—	—	—
Changes during current period	—	—	—	—
Ordinary securities	1,403,133	1,403,133	100	100
Changes during current period	—	—	—	—
Convertible debt securities (description and conversion factor)	—	—	—	—
Changes during current period	—	—	—	—

			Exercise price	Expiry date
Options (description and conversion factor)	—	—	—	—
Changes during current period	—	—	—	—
Exercised during current period	—	—	—	—
Expired during current period	—	—	—	—

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Debentures	—	—
Unsecured Notes	—	—

Discontinuing Operations**Consolidated profit and loss account**

	Continuing operations		Discontinuing operations		Total entity	
	Current period - \$A'000	Previous corresponding period - \$A'000	Current period - \$A'000	Previous corresponding period - \$A'000	Current period - \$A'000	Previous corresponding period - \$A'000
Sales revenue or operation revenue	1216	1136	—	—	1216	1136
Other revenue	—	—	—	—	—	—
Expenses from ordinary activities	985	926	—	—	985	926
Profit (loss) before tax	231	210	—	—	231	210
Less tax	74	68	—	—	74	68
Profit (loss) from ordinary activities after tax	157	142	—	—	157	142

Consolidated statement of cash flows

	Continuing operations		Discontinuing operations		Total entity	
	Current period - \$A'000	Previous corresponding period - \$A'000	Current period - \$A'000	Previous corresponding period - \$A'000	Current period - \$A'000	Previous corresponding period - \$A'000
Net operating cash flows	217	222	—	—	217	222
Net investing cash flows	(2)	(2)	—	—	(2)	(2)

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Net financing cash flows	(323)	(174)	—	—	(323) (174)

Other disclosures

	Current period A\$'000	Previous corresponding period A\$'000
Carrying amount of items to be disposed of:	—	—
- total assets	—	—
- total liabilities	—	—
Profit (loss) on disposal of assets or settlement of liabilities	—	—
Related tax	—	—
Net profit (loss) on discontinuance	—	—

Description of disposals

—

Comments by directors**Basis of accounts preparation**

If this statement is a half yearly statement it should be read in conjunction with the last annual report and any announcements to the market made by the entity during the period.

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Material factors affecting the revenues and expenses of the entity for the current period including seasonal or cyclical factors

NIL

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)

NIL

Franking credits available and prospects for paying fully or partly franked dividends for at least the next year

\$304 K FRANKING CREDITS AT 31 DECEMBER 2009
WHICH ARE AVAILABLE FOR FUTURE DIVIDENDS

Changes in accounting policies since the last annual report and estimates of amounts reported in prior years are disclosed as follows.

NIL

Changes in the amounts of contingent liabilities or assets since the last annual report are disclosed as follows.

NIL

Additional disclosure for trusts

Number of units held by the management company or responsible entity to their related parties.

N/A

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A statement of the fees and commissions payable to the management company or responsible entity.

Identify:

- Initial service charges
- Management fees
- Other fees

N/A

Annual meeting
(Annual statement only)

The annual meeting will be held as follows:

Place

Date

Time

Approximate date the annual report will be available

—
—
—
—

Compliance statement

- 1 This statement has been prepared under accounting policies which comply with accounting standards as defined in the Corporations Law.
- 2 This statement, and the financial statements under the Corporations Law (if separate), use the same accounting policies.
- 3 In the case of a half-yearly report the same accounting standards and methods of computation are/are not* (*delete one*) followed as compared with the most recent annual accounts.
- 4 This statement does/does not* (*delete one*) give a true and fair view of the matters disclosed.
- 5 This statement is based on financial statements to which one of the following applies:
(*Tick one*)
 - ☐ The financial statements have been audited.
 - ☒ 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.
- 6 If the accounts have been or are being audited or subject to review and the audit report is not attached, details of any qualifications are attached/will follow immediately they are available* (*delete one*).
- 7 The entity has/does not have* (*delete one*) a formally constituted audit committee.

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Sign here:


(Director/Company secretary)

Date: 10.3.2010

Print name:

MICHAEL PERNER

Notes

True and fair view If this statement does not give a true and fair view of a matter (for example, because compliance with an Accounting Standard is required) the entity must attach a note providing additional information and explanations to give a true and fair view.

Income tax If the amount provided for income tax in this statement differs (or would differ but for compensatory items) by more than 15% from the amount of income tax *prima facie* payable on the profit before tax, the entity must explain in a note the major items responsible for the difference and their amounts.

Additional information An entity may disclose additional information about any matter, and must do so if the information is material to an understanding of the financial statements. The information may be an expansion of the material contained in this statement, or contained in a note attached to the statement.

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Interim Financial Report

For the half year ended 31 December 2009

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DIRECTORS' REPORT

The directors present their report, together with the financial statements of the Hobson's Bay Community Financial Services Ltd for the half year ended 31 December 2009.

Directors

The directors of the Company at any time during the financial year are:

H Da Silva	M S Pernar	W M Gray	G Glasson
G Inserra	B J Cahoon	A D Shanahan	
F J Porter	G J Murdoch	M A Boyd	

Principal Activities

During the period the company continued to operate the Laverton / Altona Meadows Community Bank, Altona Community Bank and Point Cook Community Bank with the support of the Bendigo Bank Ltd.

Operating Results

The Laverton Branch made a net profit for the half year of \$166,096. The Altona Branch made a net profit for the half year of \$47,657. The Point Cook Branch made a net loss for the half year of (\$56,842). The overall net profit of the company after providing for income tax was \$156,911 (2008 \$141,667).

Review of Operations

The net assets of the company have increased by \$16,574 from 01 July 2009 to \$1,764,079 during the half year.

The company has continued to grow with assets under management now exceeding \$267.7 million at the date of this report.

Significant Changes in State of Affairs

In the opinion of the directors there were no significant changes in the state of affairs of the company that occurred during the half-year which have not been disclosed in this report.

Matters Subsequent to the End of the Reporting Period

No other matters or circumstances have arisen since the end of the financial year which significantly affected or may significantly affect the operations of the company, the results of those operations, or the state of affairs of the company in subsequent financial years.

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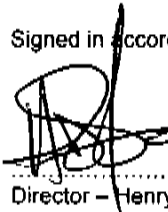
Audit Services

The Company's Auditor has not provided any non audit services during the period.

Auditor's Independence Declaration

A copy of the Auditor's Independence Declaration as required under Section 307C of the Corporations Act is included on page 5 of the Report

Signed in accordance with a resolution of the Board of Directors.



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Director - Henry DaSilva



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Director - Michael Stephen Pernar

Dated this 3 day of MARCH 2010

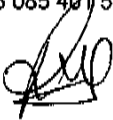
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AUDITOR'S INDEPENDENCE DECLARATION

I declare that to the best of my knowledge and belief, during the half year ended 31 December 2009 there have been:

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

Ross Clarke Pty Ltd
Certified Practising Accountants
ABN 63 085 401 583



Ross Clarke Director

Dated this 3 day of MARCH - 2010

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**STATEMENT OF COMPREHENSIVE INCOME FOR THE HALF YEAR
ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2009**

	Note	31-12-2009	31-12-2008
		\$	\$
Revenues from Ordinary Activities	2	<u>1,215,818</u>	<u>1,135,962</u>
Amortisation of franchise fee	3	(17,987)	(17,989)
Depreciation of furniture & equipment	3	(19,139)	(18,506)
Employment expenses		(539,562)	(535,421)
Other expenses from ordinary activities		<u>(407,969)</u>	<u>(354,361)</u>
Total Expenses from Ordinary Activities		<u>(984,657)</u>	<u>(926,277)</u>
Profit from Ordinary Activities before Income Tax		231,161	209,685
Income Tax (Expenses) relating to Ordinary Activities	5	(74,250)	(68,018)
Profit from Ordinary Activities after Income Tax		156,911	141,667
Profit attributable to extraordinary items		-	-
Net Profit Attributable to Members		<u>156,911</u>	<u>141,667</u>
Overall Operations			
Basic & Diluted earnings per share (cents per share)	17	11.18	10.09

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STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION AS AT 31 DECEMBER 2009

	Note	31-12-2009	30-6-2009
		\$	\$
Current Assets			
Cash assets	6	963,330	1,071,702
Receivables	7	235,597	202,756
Other	8	8,013	12,958
Total Current Assets		1,206,940	1,287,416
Non-Current Assets			
Property, Furniture and Equipment	9	827,367	844,170
Deferred tax asset	10	26,092	25,005
Intangible assets	11	90,936	108,923
Total Non-Current Assets		944,395	978,098
Total Assets		2,151,335	2,265,514
Current Liabilities			
Payables	12	138,731	159,637
Tax liabilities	14	58,974	(5,621)
Provisions	15	65,102	58,419
Total Current Liabilities		262,807	212,435
Non-Current Liabilities			
Interest-bearing liabilities	13	-	183,168
Tax Liabilities	14	48,866	48,866
Provisions	15	75,583	73,540
Total Non-Current Liabilities		124,449	305,574
Total Liabilities		387,256	518,009
Net Assets		1,764,079	1,747,505
Equity			
Issued capital	16	1,130,008	1,130,008
Retained Profits/(Accumulated Losses)		520,050	503,476
Revaluation Reserve		114,021	114,021
Total Equity		1,764,079	1,747,505

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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN EQUITY FOR THE HALF YEAR ENDED
31 DECEMBER 2009**

	Issued Capital	Revaluation Reserve	Retained Profits (Accumulated Losses)	Total
Balance 1/07/2008	1,130,008	114,021	465,328	1,709,357
Dividend paid during year	-	-	(168,205)	(168,205)
Profit attributable to members of the company	-	-	141,667	141,667
Balance 31/12/2008	1,130,008	114,021	438,790	1,682,819
Balance 1/07/2009	1,130,008	114,021	503,476	1,747,505
Dividend paid during year	-	-	(140,337)	(140,337)
Profit attributable to members of the company	-	-	156,911	156,911
Balance 31/12/2009	1,130,008	114,021	520,050	1,764,079

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STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS FOR THE HALF YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2009

	Note	31-12-2009	31-12-2008
		\$	\$
Cash Flow from Operating Activities			
Receipts from Bendigo Bank Limited		1,297,300	1,231,274
Payments to suppliers and employees		(1,050,356)	(922,578)
Interest received		6,599	34,521
Interest and other costs of finance		(6,168)	(42,162)
Income tax paid		(29,906)	(78,878)
Net cash provided by (used in) operating activities	19	<u>217,469</u>	<u>222,177</u>
Cash Flow from Investing Activities			
Purchases of Property, Plant & Equipment		<u>(2,336)</u>	<u>(1,856)</u>
Net cash provided by (used in) investing activities		<u>(2,336)</u>	<u>(1,856)</u>
Cash Flow from Financing Activities			
Dividends Paid		(140,337)	(168,205)
Repayment of borrowings		<u>(183,168)</u>	<u>(6,450)</u>
Net cash provided by (used in) financing activities		<u>(323,505)</u>	<u>(174,655)</u>
Net increase (decrease) in cash held		(108,372)	45,666
Cash at the beginning of the year		1,071,702	1,032,008
Cash at the end of the year	18	<u>963,330</u>	<u>1,077,674</u>

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Note 1: Statement of Accounting Policies

The significant accounting policies adopted in the preparation of this financial report are:

(a) Basis of Preparation

The half year financial statements are general purpose financial statements that have been prepared in accordance with the requirements of the Corporations Act 2001, Australian Accounting Standard AASB 134: Interim Financial Reporting, Australian Accounting Interpretations and other authoritative announcements of the Australian Accounting Standards Board.

It is recommended that these financial statements be read in conjunction with the annual financial statements for the year ended 30 June 2009 and any public announcements made by Hobson's Bay Community Financial Services Limited during the half year in accordance with the continuous disclosure requirements arising under the Corporations Act 2001.

The following is a summary of the material accounting policies adopted by the company in the preparation of the financial statements. These accounting policies have been consistently applied, unless otherwise stated.

The half year financial statements do not include disclosures of the type normally in the annual financial statements.

(b) Revenue Recognition

Revenues are recognised at fair value of the consideration received net of the amounts of goods and services tax (GST). Exchanges of goods or services of the same nature and value without any cash consideration are not recognised as revenues.

Franchise Revenue

Franchise revenue is recognised when the services are provided.

Interest Income

Interest income is recognised when it accrues.

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(c) Income Tax

The charge for current income tax expense is based on the profit for the year adjusted for any non-assessable or disallowed items. It is calculated using tax rates that have been enacted or are substantially enacted by the balance sheet date.

Deferred tax is accounted for using the balance sheet liability method in respect of temporary differences arising between the tax bases of assets and liabilities and their carrying amounts in the financial statements. No deferred income tax will be recognised from the initial recognition of an asset or liability where there is no effect on accounting or taxable profit or loss.

Deferred tax is calculated at the tax rates that are expected to apply to the period when the asset is realised or liability is settled. Deferred tax is credited in the income statement except where it relates to items that may be credited directly to equity, in which case the deferred tax is adjusted directly against equity.

Deferred income tax assets are recognised to the extent that it is probable that future taxable profits will be available against which deductible temporary differences can be utilised.

The amount of benefits brought to account or which may be realised in the future is based on the assumption that no adverse change will occur in income taxation legislation, and the anticipation that the company will derive sufficient future assessable income to enable the benefit to be realised and comply with the conditions of deductibility imposed by the law.

(d) Property, Plant and Equipment

Each class of property, plant and equipment is carried at cost or fair value less where applicable any accumulated depreciation and impairment losses.

Property

Freehold land and buildings are shown at their fair value (being the amount for which an asset could be exchanged between knowledgeable willing parties in an arm's length transaction), based on a valuation by Landlink Property Group Pty Ltd, independent valuers dated 12th March 2008.

Plant and Equipment

Plant and equipment are measured on the cost basis less depreciation and impairment losses.

The carrying amount of plant and equipment is reviewed annually by the directors to ensure it is not in excess of the amount recoverable from these assets.

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(e) Leases

Leases of fixed assets, where substantially all the risks and benefits incidental to the ownership of the asset, but not the legal ownership, are transferred to the Company are classified as finance leases. Finance leases are capitalised, recording an asset and a liability equal to the present value of the minimum lease payments, including any guaranteed residual value.

Leased assets are depreciated on a straight line basis over their estimated useful lives where it is likely that ownership of the assets will be obtained or over the term of the lease. Lease payments are allocated between the reduction of the lease liability and the lease interest expense for the period.

Lease payments for operating leases, where substantially all the risks and benefits remain with the lessor, are charged as expenses in the periods in which they are incurred.

(f) Investments

Non-current investments are measured on the cost basis. The carrying amount of investments is reviewed annually by the directors to ensure it is not in excess of the recoverable amount of these investments. The recoverable amount is assessed from the quoted market value for shares in listed companies or the underlying net assets for other non-listed corporations. The expected net cash flows from investments have not been discounted to their present value in determining the recoverable amounts.

Dividends are brought to account in the profit and loss account when received.

(g) Franchise Fee

The Franchise Fee is initially recorded at the amount, which the Franchisee paid the Franchisor. The Franchise Fee is amortised on a straight line basis over the life of the agreement. The balance is reviewed annually and any balance representing future benefits for which the realisation is considered to be no longer probable is written off.

(h) Employee Entitlements

Provision is made for the company's liability for employee benefits arising from services rendered by employees to balance date. Employee benefits that are expected to be settled within one year have been measured at the amounts expected to be paid when the liability is settled, plus related on-costs. Employee benefits payable later than one year have been measured at the present value of the estimated future cash outflows to be made for those benefits.

The company contributes to a superannuation fund as required by law. Contributions are charged against income as they are made.

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(i) Cash

For the purpose of the statement of cash flows, cash includes cash on hand and at call deposits with banks or financial institutions and investments in money market instruments maturing within less than two months, net of bank overdrafts.

(j) Comparative Figures

Where required by Accounting Standards comparative figures have been adjusted to conform to changes in presentation for the current financial year.

(k) Payables

Liabilities are recognised for amounts to be paid in the future for goods, or services received, whether or not billed to the Company. Trade accounts payable are normally settled within 60 days.

(l) Receivables

Trade Debtors

The Bendigo Bank Limited is the company's only trade debtor. Accounts are settled every 30 days and no provision has been made for any portion of the amount due to be doubtful.

(m) Goods and Services Tax

Revenues, expenses and assets are recognised net of the amount of goods and services tax (GST), except where the amount of GST incurred is not recoverable from the Australian Tax Office (ATO). In these circumstances the GST is recognised as part of the cost of acquisition of the asset or as part of an item of expense.

Receivables and payables in the statement of financial position are shown inclusive of GST.

The net amount of GST recoverable from, or payable to, the ATO is included as a current asset or liability in the statement of financial position.

Cash flows are included in the statement of cash flows on a gross basis. The GST components of cash flows arising from investing and financing activities which are recoverable from, or payable to, the ATO are classified as operating cash flows.

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	Note	31-12-2009	31-12-2008
		\$	\$
Note 2: Revenue			
Operating Activities:			
Franchise income		1,209,219	1,101,441
Interest revenue		6,599	34,521
Other operating revenue:			
- Other income		-	-
Total Revenue from Ordinary Activities		<u><u>1,215,818</u></u>	<u><u>1,135,962</u></u>

Note 3: Profit from Ordinary Activities

Profit from ordinary activities before income tax has been determined after:

Charging as expense:

Amortisation of non-current assets:			
- Franchise fee		17,987	17,989
Total amortisation expenses		<u>17,987</u>	<u>17,989</u>
Bad and doubtful debts		3,637	4,098
Interest paid		6,168	10,097
Depreciation of non-current assets:			
- Plant and equipment		19,139	18,506

Note 4: Auditors' Remuneration

Remuneration of the auditor of the company for:

Audit Services		5,000	5,480
Other services		-	-
		<u><u>5,000</u></u>	<u><u>5,480</u></u>

Note 5: Income Tax

The prima facie tax payable on operating profit is reconciled to the income tax provided in the accounts as follows:

Operating profit before income tax		<u>231,161</u>	<u>209,685</u>
Prima facie income tax payable on operating profit @ 30%		69,348	62,906
Add:			
Tax effect of:			
Amortisation of franchise fee		5,396	5,396
Capital works/Tax Break deduction		(494)	(284)
Income tax expense attributable to ordinary activities		<u><u>74,250</u></u>	<u><u>68,018</u></u>

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	Note	31-12-2009	30-6-2009
Note 6: Cash Assets			
Bank accounts:			
- Cash at Bank		244,349	259,911
- Term Deposits		717,366	811,626
- Cash on hand		1,615	165
		<u>963,330</u>	<u>1,071,702</u>
Note 7: Receivables			
Current			
Trade debtors		<u>235,597</u>	<u>202,756</u>
Note 8: Other Assets			
Current			
Prepayments		<u>8,013</u>	<u>12,958</u>
Note 9: Property, Furniture and Equipment			
Land and Buildings:			
- At valuation		<u>529,000</u>	<u>529,000</u>
Furniture and equipment:			
- At cost		620,566	618,230
- Less accumulated depreciation		<u>(322,199)</u>	<u>(303,060)</u>
		<u>298,367</u>	<u>315,170</u>
Leased assets:			
- At cost		15,615	15,615
- Less accumulated amortisation		<u>(15,615)</u>	<u>(15,615)</u>
		<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>
Total Property, Furniture and Equipment		<u>827,367</u>	<u>844,170</u>

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	Note	31-12-2009	30-6-2009
		\$	\$
Note 10: Deferred Tax Assets			
Deferred Tax asset		<u>26,092</u>	<u>25,005</u>
The deferred tax asset is made up of the following estimated tax benefits:			
- timing differences		<u>26,092</u>	<u>25,005</u>
 Note 11: Intangibles			
Franchise fee:			
- At cost		179,881	179,881
- Less accumulated amortisation		<u>(88,945)</u>	<u>(70,958)</u>
		<u>90,936</u>	<u>108,923</u>
 Note 12: Payables			
Current			
Unsecured:			
- Trade creditors		85,328	75,940
- Other creditors and accruals		<u>53,403</u>	<u>83,697</u>
Total Current Liabilities		<u>138,731</u>	<u>159,637</u>
 Note 13: Interest-Bearing Liabilities			
Non-Current			
Bank loan		<u>--</u>	<u>183,168</u>

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	Note	31-12-2009	30-6-2009
		\$	\$
Note 14: Tax Liabilities			
Current			
Current tax liability		5,815	(46,130)
GST payable		46,655	30,955
Amounts withheld from salary and wages		6,504	9,554
		<u>58,974</u>	<u>(5,621)</u>
Non-Current			
Deferred Tax Liability		<u>48,866</u>	<u>48,866</u>
Note 15: Provisions			
Current			
Employee entitlements		<u>65,102</u>	<u>58,419</u>
Non-Current			
Employee entitlements		<u>75,583</u>	<u>73,540</u>
Aggregate employee entitlements liability		140,685	131,959
Number of employees at end of year		13	14
Note 16: Issued Capital			
1,403,133 Ordinary shares		<u>1,130,008</u>	<u>1,130,008</u>

Ordinary shares participate in dividends and the proceeds on winding up of the company in proportion to The number of shares held.

At shareholder meetings each member is entitled to one vote either when a poll is called, or otherwise each shareholder has one vote on a show of hands.

Note 17: Earnings per Share

Earnings used to calculate basis EPS	156,911	141,667
Number of ordinary shares used to calculate basic EPS	1,403,133	1,403,133

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	Note	31-12-2009	31-12-2008
		\$	\$
Note 18: Reconciliation of Cash			
For the purpose of the statement of cash flows, cash includes cash on hand and in banks and investments in money market instruments, net of outstanding bank overdrafts.			
Cash at the end of the year as shown in the statement of cash flows is reconciled to the related items in the balance sheet as follows:			
Cash at bank		244,349	280,672
Term Deposits		717,366	796,078
Cash on hand		1,615	924
		<u>963,330</u>	<u>1,077,674</u>

Note 19: Reconciliation of Net Cash Provided by/Used in Operating Activities to Net Profit

Operating profit after income tax	156,911	141,667
Depreciation	19,139	18,506
Amortisation of franchise fee	17,987	17,989
Increase/(decrease) in deferred tax asset	(1,087)	84
Increase/(decrease) in provision for income tax	51,945	(8,593)

Changes in assets and liabilities net of effects of purchases and disposals of controlled entities:

(Increase) decrease in trade and term debtors	(32,841)	19,689
(Increase) decrease in prepayments	4,945	2,041
Increase (decrease) in trade creditors and accruals	(20,906)	(3,622)
Increase (decrease) in employee entitlements	8,726	27,355
Increase (decrease) in sundry provisions	12,650	7,061
Net cash provided by operating activities	<u>217,469</u>	<u>222,177</u>

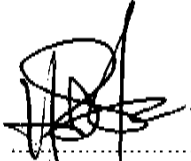
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DIRECTORS' DECLARATION

The directors of the company declare that:

1. The financial statements, notes and cashflow statement.
 - (a) comply with Accounting Standards and the Corporations Law; and
 - (b) give a true and fair view of the financial position as at 31 December 2009 and performance for the half year ended on that date.
2. In the directors' opinion there are reasonable grounds to believe that the company 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.



Director - Henry DaSilva



Director - Michael Stephen Pernar

Dated this 3 day of MARCH

2010

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INDEPENDENT REVIEW REPORT TO THE MEMBERS

Scope

We have reviewed the financial statements of Hobson's Bay Community Financial Services Limited for the half-year ended 31 December 2009 as set out on pages 3 to 19. The company's directors are responsible for the financial statements. We have performed an Independent review of the financial statements in order to state whether, on the basis of the procedures described, anything has come to our attention that would indicate that the financial statements are not presented fairly in accordance with Accounting Standard AASB 134: Interim Financial Reporting and other mandatory professional reporting requirements in Australia and statutory requirements, so as to present a view which is consistent with our understanding of the company's financial position, and performance as represented by the results of its operations and its cash flows, and in order for the company to lodge the financial statements with the Australian Securities and Investments Commission.

Our review has been conducted in accordance with Australian Auditing Standards applicable to review engagements. 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 provided is less than given in an audit. We have not performed an audit and, accordingly, we do not express an audit opinion.

Independence

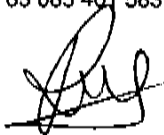
In conducting our review, we followed applicable independence requirements of Australian professional ethical pronouncements and the Corporations Act 2001.

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 financial statements of HOBSON'S BAY COMMUNITY FINANCIAL SERVICES LTD are not in accordance with:

- a. the *Corporations Act 2001*, including:
 - (1) giving a true and fair view of the company's financial position as at 31 December 2009 and of its performance for the half year ended on that date; and
 - (11) complying with Accounting Standard AASB 134: Interim Financial Reporting and the Corporations Regulations 2001.
- b. other mandatory professional reporting requirements in Australia.

Ross Clarke Pty Ltd
Certified Practising Accountants
ABN 63 085 401 583



Ross Clarke Director

Dated this 3 day of MARCH 2010

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BSX INFORMATION

Each shareholder is entitled to 1 vote, irrespective of the number of shares held.

There are no substantial shareholders (holding more than 5% of voting rights) as each shareholder is entitled to 1 vote. Normally holding more than 5% of total issued shares would create a substantial shareholder, but this is not applicable due to the voting restrictions of the Company.

There were 108 shareholders holding less than a marketable parcel of shares.

There were no restricted securities on issue.

All shares on issue are ordinary shares fully paid to \$1 per share. There are no unquoted equity securities.

The security register (share register) is kept at:

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