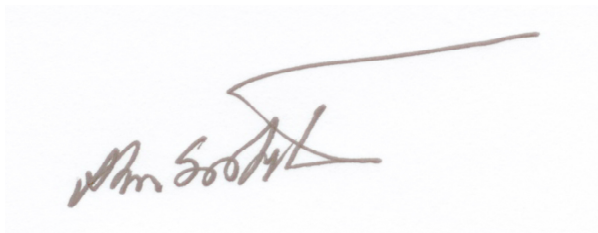


COMPANY ANNOUNCEMENT
FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE TO THE BSX MARKET

24TH October 2006-10-23

See Attached

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Alan Gostelow
Company Secretary

BSX Additional Information

Additional information required by the Bendigo Stock Exchange Limited and not shown elsewhere in the Annual Report is as follows> The Information is current as at 24th October 2006.

1. Substantial Shareholders – Ten Largest Shareholders

Rank	Shareholder	# of Ordinary Shares	% of Ordinary Shares
1	Croweaters Super Fund a/c	50,001	6.7%
2	South Coast Super Fund a/c	50,000	6.7%
3	Mr Geoff & Mrs Rosemary Brooks	50,000	6.7%
4	Hall Family Super Fund a/c	30,001	4.0%
5	Walsh Family Super Fund a/c	30,001	4.0%
6	Mrs Sybil & Mr John Fowler	25,001	3.3%
7			
8			
9			
10			
		Total	

Voting Rights

Each Shareholder has one vote.

Distribution of Shareholders

The number of shareholders, by size of holding is:

	Size of Holding	# of Holders	# of Shares
1	- 1,000	103	67,653
1,001	- 5,000	75	237,853
5,001	- 10,000	22	209,500
10,001	- 100,000	8	235,004
100,000 and over			
		Total	208
			750,010

Address and Telephone Number of the Office at which the Securities Register is Kept

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Share Registry Office
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BENDIGO Victoria 3552

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