Ionic Industries Limited

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Annual Report - 30 June 2019

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Ionic Industries Limited Corporate directory 30 June 2019

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Mr Simon Savage (CEO and Executive Director)

Mr Neil Wilson (Non-Executive Director)

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The directors present their report, together with the financial statements, on the consolidated entity (referred to hereafter as the 'consolidated entity') consisting of lonic Industries Limited (referred to hereafter as the 'company' or 'parent entity') and the entities it controlled at the end of, or during, the year ended 30 June 2019.

Directors

The following persons were directors of lonic Industries Limited during the whole of the financial year and up to the date of this report, unless otherwise stated:

Mr Peter Armitage (Executive Chairman) (appointed Executive Chairman effective 1 July 2019)

Mr Simon Savage (CEO and Executive Director)

Mr Christopher Gilbey (Non-Executive Director) (appointed 25 July 2018, resigned 4 October 2019)

Mr David DeTata (Non-Executive Director) (appointed 1 October 2018, resigned 3 April 2019)

Mr Merlin Allan (Non-Executive Director) (resigned 25 July 2018)

Mr Neil Wilson (Non-Executive Director) (appointed 4 October 2019)

Principal activities

During the financial year the principal continuing activities of the company consisted of graphene research and development.

There were two primary streams of activity: water treatment and supercapacitors.

The water treatment work consisted of finishing the partially government-funded CRC-P project on graphene oxide materials for water and wastewater treatment and establishing a jointly held business ("NematiQ") for the ongoing commercialisation of the technology with CleanTeQ Pty Ltd.

The supercapacitor work involved further development of commercial prototype devices to demonstrate the value and potential for graphene materials to be used in supercapacitors. The company also carried out a review of other potential graphene technologies with its research partners including graphene membranes for gas separation and graphene oxide barrier coatings.

Dividends

There were no dividends paid, recommended or declared during the current or previous financial year.

Review of operations

The loss for the consolidated entity after providing for income tax amounted to \$1,353,635 (30 June 2018: \$718,227).

The net assets of the company decreased by \$121,002 to \$261,270 as at 30 June 2019 (30 June 2018: \$382,272)

Working capital, being current assets less current liabilities, decreased by \$270,435 to \$97,296 (30 June 2018: \$367,731). The company had negative cash flows from operating activities for the period of \$351,666 (30 June 2018: \$841,558). The total net cash increase during the financial year amounted to \$86,422 (30 June 2018: \$233,015 decrease) due to higher research and development tax incentive cash receipts, offset by increase in corporate and research and development costs.

Significant changes in the state of affairs

On 30 September 2018, the Company completed a share placement issuing 967,098 fully paid shares at an issue price of \$0.04 (4 cents) per share raising \$38,684 (before costs). Also on this date the Company issued 368,181 fully paid ordinary shares in exchange for services provided.

On 18 March 2019, the Company completed a share placement issuing 1,190,268 fully paid shares at an issue price of \$0.04 (4 cents) per share raising \$47,611 (before costs).

On 12 April 2019, the Company completed a share placement issuing 2,400,000 fully paid shares at an issue price of \$0.05 (5 cents) per share raising \$120,000 (before costs).

On 26 June 2019, the Company completed a share placement issuing 59,852,968 fully paid shares at a range of an issue prices from \$0.01 (1 cents) to \$0.05 (5 cents) per share raising \$300,765 (before costs). Also on this date the Company issued 7,802,224 fully paid ordinary shares in exchange for services provided, and issued 21,600,000 for no consideration as a part of anti-dilution measures related to earlier investors.

There were no other significant changes in the state of affairs of the consolidated entity during the financial year.

Matters subsequent to the end of the financial year

On 14 October 2019, the Company completed a share placement issuing 110,000,000 fully paid shares at an issue price of \$0.005 (0.5 cents) per share raising \$550,000 (before costs).

On 25 October 2019, the Company issued 40,000,000 shares at an issue price of \$0.005 (0.5 cents) per share in settlement of liabilities amounting to \$200,000.

No other matter or circumstance has arisen since 30 June 2019 that has significantly affected, or may significantly affect the consolidated entity's operations, the results of those operations, or the consolidated entity's state of affairs in future financial years.

Likely developments and expected results of operations

The company will continue to pursue its graphene research and development through its ongoing relationship with Monash University, and through joint venture arrangements to commercialise the technologies with external industry partnerships.

The company's focus for the coming year will be to complete capital raisings and consider an Initial Price Offering (IPO) and list on the Australian Securities Exchange in order to fund its current planned activities.

Environmental regulation

The consolidated entity is not subject to any significant environmental regulation under Australian Commonwealth or State law

Information on directors

Name: Mr Simon Savage

Title: CEO and Executive Director

Experience and expertise: Simon has been a key contributor at Ionic over a number of years, supporting the

company's strategic planning and partnership initiatives. Simon's experience in business and project management, strategic planning and stakeholder engagement will be critical in focusing Ionic's research efforts, prioritising the commercialisation of

our most advanced technologies and concluding partnership agreements.

Name: Mr Peter Armitage

Title: Executive Chairman (appointed Executive Chairman effective 1 July 2019)

Qualifications: FCA FAICD

Experience and expertise: Peter began his professional career over 40 years ago with an international

accounting firm, specialising in start-ups and work-outs. After qualification he was invited into partnership of a national firm that he maintained until he set up his own practice in 1978, of which he remains principal. Since the early 1980's he has been a Director of a number of listed exploration companies in both Australia and New Zealand concentrating on fiscal aspects of project modelling and procurement of capital. Recently he has been responsible for a number of successful IPOs supervising Due Diligence and Corporate Governance matters as well as attending to all compliance matters. Mr Armitage has also been involved in various consulting assignments in Peoples Republic of China, Canada, USA, Hong Kong, and UK for Fortune 500 companies. Mr Armitage also holds a directorship in ASX listed entity

Enegex Limited (ASX:ENX).

Name: Mr Neil Wilson

Title: Non Executive Director (appointed 4 October 2019)

Qualifications: B.E(Hons). FIEAust CPEng Eng. Exec

Chartered Engineer

Experience and expertise: Neil has 50 years of manufacturing, Management and Research experience,

Chairman of Romar Engineering which holds several patents and two placements in Australian technology showcase. Neil is a member of UOW Centre of Excellence for Electromaterial Science, CSIRO and Lab 22, RMIT / SWINBOURNE SEAM ARC,

AIG, Institution of Engineers.

Name: Mr Christopher Gilbey

Title: Non-Executive Director (appointed 25 July 2018, resigned 4 October 2019)

Experience and expertise: Chris currently serves as the CEO and founder of Imagine Intelligent Materials.

Imagine built the first commercial graphene manufacturing plant in Australia and has pioneered the development of conductive coatings using graphene. It was the first to make leak detection geotextiles using graphene. Imagine's approach is to develop solutions and materials that can be deployed into existing manufacturing processes and supply chains with a QA certification process that allows users to trust the solution. Chris works extensively with leading researchers at universities in Australia and beyond, including Swinburne University, Deakin University, RMIT, CSIRO, the University of Wollongong and the University of Oklahoma. Imagine's graphene plant was the recipient of the Innovation, Research and Development Award from

Engineers Australia for 2016.

Name: Dr David DeTata

Title: Non-Executive Director (appointed 1 October 2018, resigned 3 April 2019)

Experience and expertise: David is an experienced scientific professional and public company director with over

14 years' experience in scientific research and investigations. Dr DeTata holds a Doctor of Philosophy in energetic materials analysis and Master of Business Administration from the University of Western Australia. David is Non-Executive

Director of Strategic Energy Resources Limited (ASX: SER).

Name: Mr Merlin Allan

Title: Non-Executive Director (resigned 25 July 2018)

Experience and expertise: Merlin has long experience with technology start-ups, founding several himself and

serving as executive and non-executive director in a number of listed and unlisted companies including SMS Management & Technology (ASX:SMX), YourCall Communications, UCMS and Zetta Group Pty Ltd. He has extensive experience commercialising early-stage technologies, working with universities, driving strategy

and managing mergers and acquisitions.

Company secretary

Ms Melanie Leydin (appointed 13 July 2019)

Ms Leydin holds a Bachelor of Business majoring in Accounting and Corporate Law. She is a member of the Institute of Chartered Accountants and is a Registered Company Auditor. She graduated from Swinburne University in 1997, became a Chartered Accountant in 1999 and since February 2000 has been the principal of chartered accounting firm, Leydin Freyer.

The practice provides outsourced company secretarial and accounting services to public and private companies specialising in the Resources, technology, bio science and biotechnology sector.

Melanie has over 23 years' experience in the accounting profession and has extensive experience in relation to public company responsibilities, including ASX and ASIC compliance, control and implementation of corporate governance, statutory financial reporting, reorganisation of Companies and shareholder relations.

Meetings of directors

The number of meetings of the company's Board of Directors ('the Board') held during the year ended 30 June 2019, and the number of meetings attended by each director were:

	Full Board	Full Board		
	Attended Hel	ld		
Mr Simon Savage	5	5		
Mr Peter Armitage	5	5		
Mr Christopher Gilbey	4	4		
Mr David DeTata	2	2		

Held: represents the number of meetings held during the time the director held office.

Shares under option

Unissued ordinary shares of Ionic Industries Limited under option at the date of this report are as follows:

Grant date	Expiry date	Exercise price	Number under option
26/06/2017	30/06/2020	\$0.020	83,218,204
09/10/2017	30/06/2020	\$0.020	28,750,805
31/10/2017	30/06/2020	\$0.020	2,233,601
26/11/2018	26/11/2023	\$0.060	6,000,000
27/11/2017	29/12/2021	\$0.040	10,000,000
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No person entitled to exercise the options had or has any right by virtue of the option to participate in any share issue of the company or of any other body corporate.

Shares issued on the exercise of options

There were no ordinary shares of lonic Industries Limited issued on the exercise of options during the year ended 30 June 2019 and up to the date of this report.

Indemnity and insurance of officers

The company has indemnified the directors and executives of the company for costs incurred, in their capacity as a director or executive, for which they may be held personally liable, except where there is a lack of good faith.

During the financial year, the company paid a premium in respect of a contract to insure the directors and executives of the company against a liability to the extent permitted by the Corporations Act 2001. The contract of insurance prohibits disclosure of the nature of the liability and the amount of the premium.

Indemnity and insurance of auditor

The company has not, during or since the end of the financial year, indemnified or agreed to indemnify the auditor of the company or any related entity against a liability incurred by the auditor.

During the financial year, the company has not paid a premium in respect of a contract to insure the auditor of the company or any related entity.

Proceedings on behalf of the company

No person has applied to the Court under section 237 of the Corporations Act 2001 for leave to bring proceedings on behalf of the company, or to intervene in any proceedings to which the company is a party for the purpose of taking responsibility on behalf of the company for all or part of those proceedings.

Auditor's independence declaration

A copy of the auditor's independence declaration as required under section 307C of the Corporations Act 2001 is set out immediately after this directors' report.

Auditor

Grant Thornton Audit Pty Ltd continues in office in accordance with section 327 of the Corporations Act 2001.

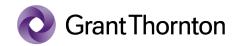
This report is made in accordance with a resolution of directors, pursuant to section 298(2)(a) of the Corporations Act 2001.

On behalf of the directors

Mr Simon Savage

CEO & Executive Director

30 October 2019



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Auditor's Independence Declaration

To the Directors of Ionic Industries Limited

In accordance with the requirements of section 307C of the Corporations Act 2001, as lead auditor for the audit of lonic Industries Limited for the year ended 30 June 2019, I declare that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, there have been:

- a no contraventions of the auditor independence requirements of the Corporations Act 2001 in relation to the audit; and
- b no contraventions of any applicable code of professional conduct in relation to the audit.

Grant Thornton Audit Pty Ltd Chartered Accountants

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T S Jackman
Partner – Audit & Assurance

Melbourne, 30 October 2019

Ionic Industries Limited Statement of profit or loss and other comprehensive income For the year ended 30 June 2019

Note 2019 2018 \$ Other income Research & development tax concession 236,012 310,611
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Expenses
Corporate expenses (234,523) (165,727)
Employee benefits expense (323,820) (279,467)
Depreciation expense (9,766) (3,773)
Share based payments 22 (698,847) (162,940)
Other expenses (45,788) (23,233)
Finance costs (3,650) (978)
Research and development costs (273,253) (392,720)
Loss before income tax expense (1,353,635) (718,227)
Income tax expense 4
Loss after income tax expense for the year attributable to the owners of lonic Industries Limited (1,353,635) (718,227)
Other comprehensive income for the year, net of tax
Total comprehensive loss for the year attributable to the owners of lonic
Industries Limited (1,353,635) (718,227)

Ionic Industries Limited Statement of financial position As at 30 June 2019

	Note	Consoli 2019 \$	dated 2018 \$
Assets			
Current assets Cash and cash equivalents Trade and other receivables Total current assets	5 6	276,735 294,433 571,168	190,313 329,863 520,176
Non-current assets Other receivables Plant and equipment Total non-current assets	7 8	137,500 30,393 167,893	17,857 17,857
Total assets		739,061	538,033
Liabilities			
Current liabilities Trade and other payables Borrowings Employee benefits Total current liabilities	9	311,739 127,881 34,252 473,872	126,305 - 26,140 152,445
Non-current liabilities Employee benefits Total non-current liabilities		3,919 3,919	3,316 3,316
Total liabilities		477,791	155,761
Net assets		261,270	382,272
Equity Issued capital Options reserves Accumulated losses	10 11	2,903,277 818,509 (3,460,516)	2,350,880 138,273 (2,106,881)
Total equity		261,270	382,272

Ionic Industries Limited Statement of changes in equity For the year ended 30 June 2019

Consolidated	Issued Capital \$	Options reserve	Accumulated losses \$	Total equity
Balance at 1 July 2017	1,716,692	-	(1,388,654)	328,038
Loss after income tax expense for the year Other comprehensive income for the year, net of tax	<u>-</u>	-	(718,227)	(718,227)
Total comprehensive loss for the year	-	-	(718,227)	(718,227)
Transactions with owners in their capacity as owners: Contributions of equity, net of transaction costs (note 10) Share-based payments (note 22)	609,521 24,667	- 138,273	<u>-</u>	609,521 162,940
Balance at 30 June 2018	2,350,880	138,273	(2,106,881)	382,272
Consolidated	Issued capital \$	Options reserve	Accumulated losses \$	Total equity \$
Consolidated Balance at 1 July 2018	1000.00	reserve		Total equity \$
	capital \$	reserve \$	losses \$	\$
Balance at 1 July 2018 Loss after income tax expense for the year	capital \$	reserve \$	losses \$ (2,106,881)	\$ 382,272
Balance at 1 July 2018 Loss after income tax expense for the year Other comprehensive income for the year, net of tax	capital \$	reserve \$	(2,106,881) (1,353,635)	\$ 382,272 (1,353,635)

Ionic Industries Limited Statement of cash flows For the year ended 30 June 2019

	Consolidated	
Note	2019 \$	2018 \$
		196,026 (1,037,584)
-	(030,937)	(1,037,364)
21	(351,666)	(841,558)
	(22,302)	-
7	(137,500)	
-	(159,802)	<u>-</u>
10	482,059	612,591
	127,881	-
	(8,400)	(3,070)
-	(3,650)	(978)
	597,890	608,543
	86,422	(233,015)
	190,313	423,328
5	276,735	190,313
	21 7 10	Note 2019 \$ 287,271 (638,937) 21 (351,666) 7 (22,302) 7 (137,500) (159,802) 10 482,059 127,881 (8,400) (3,650) 597,890 86,422 190,313

Note 1. General information

lonic Industries Limited is an unlisted public company limited by shares, incorporated and domiciled in Australia. Its registered office and principal place of business is:

Level 4, 100 Albert Road South Melbourne VIC 3205

A description of the nature of the consolidated entity's operations and its principal activities are included in the directors' report, which is not part of the financial statements.

The financial statements were authorised for issue, in accordance with a resolution of directors, on 30 October 2019. The directors have the power to amend and reissue the financial statements.

Note 2. Significant accounting policies

The principal accounting policies adopted in the preparation of the financial statements are set out either in the respective notes or below. These policies have been consistently applied to all the years presented, unless otherwise stated.

New or amended Accounting Standards and Interpretations adopted

The consolidated entity has adopted all of the new or amended Accounting Standards and Interpretations issued by the Australian Accounting Standards Board ('AASB') that are mandatory for the current reporting period.

Any new, revised or amended Accounting Standards or Interpretations that are not yet mandatory have not been adopted early.

Going concern

The financial report has been prepared on the going concern basis, which contemplates the continuity of normal business activities and the realisation of assets and settlement of liabilities in the ordinary course of business.

During the financial year ended 30 June 2019, the company incurred a loss after tax of \$1,353,635 (2018: \$718,227) and had net cash outflows from operating activities of \$351,666 (30 June 2018: \$841,558). At 30 June 2019 the company had net assets of \$261,270 (30 June 2018: \$382,272). The cash balance as at 30 June 2019 was \$276,735 (30 June 2018: \$190,313).

These conditions indicate that a material uncertainty exists as the Company's ability to continue as a going concern.

The company currently does not have a source of income and in order to continue as a going concern is therefore reliant on achieving a combination of the following:

- Securing additional funding through capital or debt raisings;
- Completing an Initial Public Offering (IPO);
- Receiving a Research & development tax concession refund for the 2019 financial year; and
- Commercialisation of proprietary technology.

The directors believe that the company will be able to continue as a going concern on the basis that there is a plan to raise capital through further interim capital raisings or an Initial Public Offering (IPO) and also in conjunction with the directors agreeing not to request payment of the amounts owing to them for directors fees. These initiatives will be adequate to ensure enough cash resources are available to continue to fund operating costs.

In support of this the directors note that after year end, on 14 October 2019, the company successfully raised \$550,000 (before costs), as disclosed in Note 19.

Research and Development

Expenditure on research activities undertaken with the prospect of gaining new scientific or technical knowledge and understanding, is recognised in profit or loss as an expense as incurred.

Note 2. Significant accounting policies (continued)

Expenditure on any development activities, whereby research findings are applied to a plan or design for the production of new or substantially improved products and processes, is capitalised if the product is technically feasible and the Group has sufficient resources to complete development. The expenditure capitalised includes the cost of materials, direct labour and overhead costs that are directly attributable to preparing the asset for its intended use.

Other development expenditure is recognised in the profit or loss as an expense as incurred. Capitalised development expenditure is stated at cost less accumulated amortisation and impairment losses.

Fair value measurement

When an asset or liability, financial or non-financial, is measured at fair value for recognition or disclosure purposes, the fair value is based on the price that would be received to sell an asset or paid to transfer a liability in an orderly transaction between market participants at the measurement date; and assumes that the transaction will take place either: in the principal market; or in the absence of a principal market, in the most advantageous market.

Fair value is measured using the assumptions that market participants would use when pricing the asset or liability, assuming they act in their economic best interests. For non-financial assets, the fair value measurement is based on its highest and best use. Valuation techniques that are appropriate in the circumstances and for which sufficient data are available to measure fair value, are used, maximising the use of relevant observable inputs and minimising the use of unobservable inputs.

Basis of preparation

These general purpose financial statements have been prepared in accordance with Australian Accounting Standards and Interpretations issued by the Australian Accounting Standards Board ('AASB') and the Corporations Act 2001, as appropriate for for-profit oriented entities. These financial statements also comply with International Financial Reporting Standards as issued by the International Accounting Standards Board ('IASB').

Historical cost convention

The financial statements have been prepared under the historical cost convention, except for, where applicable, the revaluation of financial assets and liabilities at fair value through profit or loss, financial assets at fair value through other comprehensive income, investment properties, certain classes of property, plant and equipment and derivative financial instruments.

Critical accounting estimates

The preparation of the financial statements requires the use of certain critical accounting estimates. It also requires management to exercise its judgement in the process of applying the consolidated entity's accounting policies. The areas involving a higher degree of judgement or complexity, or areas where assumptions and estimates are significant to the financial statements, are disclosed in note 3.

Parent entity information

In accordance with the Corporations Act 2001, these financial statements present the results of the consolidated entity only. Supplementary information about the parent entity is disclosed in note 18.

Principles of consolidation

The consolidated financial statements incorporate the assets and liabilities of all subsidiaries of lonic Industries Limited ('company' or 'parent entity') as at 30 June 2019 and the results of all subsidiaries for the year then ended. Ionic Industries Limited and its subsidiaries together are referred to in these financial statements as the 'consolidated entity'.

Subsidiaries are all those entities over which the consolidated entity has control. The consolidated entity controls an entity when the consolidated entity is exposed to, or has rights to, variable returns from its involvement with the entity and has the ability to affect those returns through its power to direct the activities of the entity. Subsidiaries are fully consolidated from the date on which control is transferred to the consolidated entity. They are de-consolidated from the date that control ceases.

Intercompany transactions, balances and unrealised gains on transactions between entities in the consolidated entity are eliminated. Unrealised losses are also eliminated unless the transaction provides evidence of the impairment of the asset transferred. Accounting policies of subsidiaries have been changed where necessary to ensure consistency with the policies adopted by the consolidated entity.

Note 2. Significant accounting policies (continued)

The acquisition of subsidiaries is accounted for using the acquisition method of accounting. A change in ownership interest, without the loss of control, is accounted for as an equity transaction, where the difference between the consideration transferred and the book value of the share of the non-controlling interest acquired is recognised directly in equity attributable to the parent.

Where the consolidated entity loses control over a subsidiary, it derecognises the assets including goodwill, liabilities and non-controlling interest in the subsidiary together with any cumulative translation differences recognised in equity. The consolidated entity recognises the fair value of the consideration received and the fair value of any investment retained together with any gain or loss in profit or loss.

Revenue recognition

The consolidated entity recognises revenue as follows:

Revenue from contracts with customers

Revenue is recognised at an amount that reflects the consideration to which the consolidated entity is expected to be entitled in exchange for transferring goods or services to a customer. For each contract with a customer, the consolidated entity: identifies the contract with a customer; identifies the performance obligations in the contract; determines the transaction price which takes into account estimates of variable consideration and the time value of money; allocates the transaction price to the separate performance obligations on the basis of the relative stand-alone selling price of each distinct good or service to be delivered; and recognises revenue when or as each performance obligation is satisfied in a manner that depicts the transfer to the customer of the goods or services promised.

Variable consideration within the transaction price, if any, reflects concessions provided to the customer such as discounts, rebates and refunds, any potential bonuses receivable from the customer and any other contingent events. Such estimates are determined using either the 'expected value' or 'most likely amount' method. The measurement of variable consideration is subject to a constraining principle whereby revenue will only be recognised to the extent that it is highly probable that a significant reversal in the amount of cumulative revenue recognised will not occur. The measurement constraint continues until the uncertainty associated with the variable consideration is subsequently resolved. Amounts received that are subject to the constraining principle are recognised as a refund liability.

Interest

Interest revenue is recognised as interest accrues using the effective interest method. This is a method of calculating the amortised cost of a financial asset and allocating the interest income over the relevant period using the effective interest rate, which is the rate that exactly discounts estimated future cash receipts through the expected life of the financial asset to the net carrying amount of the financial asset.

Government subsidies

Subsidies from the government including R&D tax incentive income, are recognised as revenue at their fair value where there is reasonable assurance that the grant will be received, the Company will comply with attached conditions and the R&D incentive is readily measurable. As the estimate is reliably measurable, the R&D tax incentive has measured on an accruals basis.

Current and non-current classification

Assets and liabilities are presented in the statement of financial position based on current and non-current classification.

An asset is classified as current when: it is either expected to be realised or intended to be sold or consumed in the consolidated entity's normal operating cycle; it is held primarily for the purpose of trading; it is expected to be realised within 12 months after the reporting period; or the asset is cash or cash equivalent unless restricted from being exchanged or used to settle a liability for at least 12 months after the reporting period. All other assets are classified as non-current.

A liability is classified as current when: it is either expected to be settled in the consolidated entity's normal operating cycle; it is held primarily for the purpose of trading; it is due to be settled within 12 months after the reporting period; or there is no unconditional right to defer the settlement of the liability for at least 12 months after the reporting period. All other liabilities are classified as non-current.

Deferred tax assets and liabilities are always classified as non-current.

Note 2. Significant accounting policies (continued)

Finance costs

Finance costs attributable to qualifying assets are capitalised as part of the asset. All other finance costs are expensed in the period in which they are incurred.

New Accounting Standards and Interpretations not yet mandatory or early adopted

Australian Accounting Standards and Interpretations that have recently been issued or amended but are not yet mandatory, have not been early adopted by the consolidated entity for the annual reporting period ended 30 June 2019. The consolidated entity's assessment of the impact of these new or amended Accounting Standards and Interpretations, most relevant to the consolidated entity, are set out below.

AASB 16 Leases

This standard is applicable to annual reporting periods beginning on or after 1 January 2019. The standard replaces AASB 117 'Leases' and for lessees will eliminate the classifications of operating leases and finance leases. Subject to exceptions, a 'right-of-use' asset will be capitalised in the statement of financial position, measured at the present value of the unavoidable future lease payments to be made over the lease term. The exceptions relate to short-term leases of 12 months or less and leases of low-value assets (such as personal computers and small office furniture) where an accounting policy choice exists whereby either a 'right-of-use' asset is recognised or lease payments are expensed to profit or loss as incurred. A liability corresponding to the capitalised lease will also be recognised, adjusted for lease prepayments, lease incentives received, initial direct costs incurred and an estimate of any future restoration, removal or dismantling costs. Straight-line operating lease expense recognition will be replaced with a depreciation charge for the leased asset (included in operating costs) and an interest expense on the recognised lease liability (included in finance costs). In the earlier periods of the lease, the expenses associated with the lease under AASB 16 will be higher when compared to lease expenses under AASB 117. However EBITDA (Earnings Before Interest, Tax, Depreciation and Amortisation) results will be improved as the operating expense is replaced by interest expense and depreciation in profit or loss under AASB 16. For classification within the statement of cash flows, the lease payments will be separated into both a principal (financing activities) and interest (either operating or financing activities) component. For lessor accounting, the standard does not substantially change how a lessor accounts for leases.

The company will adopt this standard from 1 July 2019 but no material impact is expected as the company currently has no leases.

Note 3. Critical accounting judgements, estimates and assumptions

The preparation of the financial statements requires management to make judgements, estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts in the financial statements. Management continually evaluates its judgements and estimates in relation to assets, liabilities, contingent liabilities, revenue and expenses. Management bases its judgements, estimates and assumptions on historical experience and on other various factors, including expectations of future events, management believes to be reasonable under the circumstances. The resulting accounting judgements and estimates will seldom equal the related actual results. The judgements, estimates and assumptions that have a significant risk of causing a material adjustment to the carrying amounts of assets and liabilities (refer to the respective notes) within the next financial year are discussed below.

Income tax

The consolidated entity is subject to income taxes in the jurisdictions in which it operates. Significant judgement is required in determining the provision for income tax. There are many transactions and calculations undertaken during the ordinary course of business for which the ultimate tax determination is uncertain. The consolidated entity recognises liabilities for anticipated tax audit issues based on the consolidated entity's current understanding of the tax law. Where the final tax outcome of these matters is different from the carrying amounts, such differences will impact the current and deferred tax provisions in the period in which such determination is made.

Recovery of deferred tax assets

Deferred tax assets are recognised for deductible temporary differences only if the consolidated entity considers it is probable that future taxable amounts will be available to utilise those temporary differences and losses.

Research & Development refund recognition

The company is entitled to a research & development refund and has taken the approach of accruing the expected refund based off what management expects to receive when the claim is submitted at a later date.

Note 4. Income tax

	Consolidated 2019 2018	
	\$	\$
Numerical reconciliation of income tax expense and tax at the statutory rate Loss before income tax expense	(1,353,635)	(718,227)
Tax at the statutory tax rate of 27.5%	(372,250)	(197,512)
Tax effect amounts which are not deductible/(taxable) in calculating taxable income: Current year temporary differences not recognised Net tax impact from non-deductible R&D expenses and non-assessable R&D rebate Share-based payments Non-deductible R&D expenses Non-assessable R&D rebate	585 192,183 149,202 (64,903) (95,183)	72,089 85,418 - - - (40,005)
Current year tax losses not recognised	95,183	40,005
Income tax expense		
	Consolid 2019 \$	lated 2018 \$
Tax losses not recognised Unused tax losses for which no deferred tax asset has been recognised	1,514,693_	1,168,578
Potential tax benefit @ 27.5%	416,541	321,359

The company has elected to apply the small business concessional income tax rate of 27.5% in determining the amount of deferred tax assets not recognised.

The above potential tax benefit for tax losses has not been recognised in the statement of financial position. These tax losses can only be utilised in the future if the continuity of ownership test is passed, or failing that, the same business test is passed.

The taxation benefits of tax losses and timing differences not brought to account will only be obtained if:

- (i) the entity derives future assessable income of a nature and of an amount sufficient to enable the benefit from the deductions for the losses to be realised.
- (ii) the consolidated entity continues to comply with the conditions for deductibility imposed by law, and
- (iii) no changes in tax legislation adversely affect the entity in realising the benefit from the deductions for the losses.

	Consolidated	
	2019 \$	2018 \$
Deferred tax assets not recognised Deferred tax assets not recognised comprises temporary differences attributable to:	00.400	00.000
Temporary differences	23,429	22,926
Total deferred tax assets not recognised	23,429	22,926

Note 4. Income tax (continued)

The above potential tax benefit, which excludes tax losses, for deductible temporary differences has not been recognised in the statement of financial position as the recovery of this benefit is uncertain.

Accounting policy for income tax

The income tax expense or benefit for the period is the tax payable on that period's taxable income based on the applicable income tax rate for each jurisdiction, adjusted by the changes in deferred tax assets and liabilities attributable to temporary differences, unused tax losses and the adjustment recognised for prior periods, where applicable.

Deferred tax assets and liabilities are recognised for temporary differences at the tax rates expected to be applied when the assets are recovered or liabilities are settled, based on those tax rates that are enacted or substantively enacted, except for:

- When the deferred income tax asset or liability arises from the initial recognition of goodwill or an asset or liability in a transaction that is not a business combination and that, at the time of the transaction, affects neither the accounting nor taxable profits; or
- When the taxable temporary difference is associated with interests in subsidiaries, associates or joint ventures, and the timing of the reversal can be controlled and it is probable that the temporary difference will not reverse in the foreseeable future.

Deferred tax assets are recognised for deductible temporary differences and unused tax losses only if it is probable that future taxable amounts will be available to utilise those temporary differences and losses.

The carrying amount of recognised and unrecognised deferred tax assets are reviewed at each reporting date. Deferred tax assets recognised are reduced to the extent that it is no longer probable that future taxable profits will be available for the carrying amount to be recovered. Previously unrecognised deferred tax assets are recognised to the extent that it is probable that there are future taxable profits available to recover the asset.

Deferred tax assets and liabilities are offset only where there is a legally enforceable right to offset current tax assets against current tax liabilities and deferred tax assets against deferred tax liabilities; and they relate to the same taxable authority on either the same taxable entity or different taxable entities which intend to settle simultaneously.

Note 5. Current assets - cash and cash equivalents

	Co	Consolidated	
	2019 \$	2018 \$	
Cash at bank	276,	735 190,313	

Accounting policy for cash and cash equivalents

Cash and cash equivalents includes cash on hand, deposits held at call with financial institutions, other short-term, highly liquid investments with original maturities of three months or less that are readily convertible to known amounts of cash and which are subject to an insignificant risk of changes in value.

Consolidated

Note 6. Current assets - trade and other receivables

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2019 \$	2018 \$
6,516	4,449
25,000	-
236,012	312,271
26,905	13,143
294,433	329,863
	2019 \$ 6,516 25,000 236,012 26,905

Note 6. Current assets - trade and other receivables (continued)

Due to the short term nature of the receivables, their carrying value is assumed to be approximately their fair value. No collateral or security is held. The consolidated entity has financial risk management policies in place to ensure that all receivable are received within the credit timeframe.

Accounting policy for trade and other receivables

Other receivables are recognised at amortised cost, less any allowance for expected credit losses.

Goods and Services Tax ('GST') and other similar taxes

Revenues, expenses and assets are recognised net of the amount of associated GST, unless the GST incurred is not recoverable from the tax authority. In this case it is recognised as part of the cost of the acquisition of the asset or as part of the expense.

Receivables and payables are stated inclusive of the amount of GST receivable or payable. The net amount of GST receivable from, or payable to, the tax authority is included in other receivables or other payables in the statement of financial position.

Cash flows are presented on a gross basis. The GST components of cash flows arising from investing or financing activities which are recoverable from, or payable to the tax authority, are presented as operating cash flows.

Commitments and contingencies are disclosed net of the amount of GST recoverable from, or payable to, the tax authority.

Note 7. Non-current assets - Other receivables

	Conso	Consolidated	
	2019 \$	2018 \$	
Other receivables	137,500		

Other receivables consist of a shareholder loan amounting to \$137,500 which was paid to Nematiq Pty Ltd ("Nematiq") during the year.

The consolidated entity has a 25% holding in Nematiq.

The loan is repayable once Nematiq has sufficient cashflows available, and interest on the loan may accrue at 5% per annum.

Note 8. Non-current assets - plant and equipment

	Consolidated	
	2019 \$	2018 \$
Plant and equipment - at cost	47,302	25,000
Less: Accumulated depreciation	(16,909)	(7,143)
	30,393	17,857
Computer equipment - at cost	-	1,207
Less: Accumulated depreciation		(1,207)
	- -	
	30,393	17,857

Accounting policy for property, plant and equipment

Plant and equipment is stated at historical cost less accumulated depreciation and impairment. Historical cost includes expenditure that is directly attributable to the acquisition of the items.

Note 8. Non-current assets - plant and equipment (continued)

Depreciation is calculated on a straight-line basis to write off the net cost of each item of property, plant and equipment (excluding land) over their expected useful lives as follows:

Plant and equipment 3-7 years
Office and computer equipment 3-7 years

The residual values, useful lives and depreciation methods are reviewed, and adjusted if appropriate, at each reporting date.

An item of property, plant and equipment is derecognised upon disposal or when there is no future economic benefit to the consolidated entity. Gains and losses between the carrying amount and the disposal proceeds are taken to profit or loss. Any revaluation surplus reserve relating to the item disposed of is transferred directly to retained profits.

Note 9. Current liabilities - trade and other payables

	Conso	Consolidated	
	2019 \$	2018 \$	
Trade payables Other payables	172,532 139,207	15,773 110,532	
	311,739	126,305	

Refer to note 13 for further information on financial instruments.

Included in other payables is \$77,796 owing to a previous Director of the company for accrued Directors fees to July 2016. The company will not pay these fees until such time where sufficient funds become available or if agreed and approved the company may issue shares in consideration for accrued fees.

Accounting policy for trade and other payables

These amounts represent liabilities for goods and services provided to the consolidated entity prior to the end of the financial year and which are unpaid. Due to their short-term nature they are measured at amortised cost and are not discounted. The amounts are unsecured and are usually paid within 30 days of recognition.

Note 10. Equity - issued capital

	Consolidated			
	2019 Shares	2018 Shares	2019 \$	2018 \$
Ordinary shares - fully paid	684,854,691	590,673,952	2,903,277	2,350,880

Note 10. Equity - issued capital (continued)

Movements in ordinary share capital

Details	Date	Shares	Issue price	\$
Balance	1 July 2017	550,153,388		1,716,692
Fully paid ordinary shares	9 October 2017	28,950,805	\$0.010	289,508
Options exercised	9 October 2017	157,000	\$0.020	3,140
Fully paid ordinary shares	31 October 2017	2,233,601	\$0.010	22,336
Consulting fees settled with shares	31 October 2017	666,665	\$0.010	6,667
Fully paid ordinary shares	1 March 2018	1,755,912	\$0.030	52,677
Consulting fees settled with shares	1 March 2018	333,333	\$0.030	10,000
Fully paid ordinary shares	20 April 2018	4,625,000	\$0.040	185,000
Fully paid ordinary shares	29 June 2018	1,398,248	\$0.040	55,930
Consulting fees settled with shares	29 June 2018	200,000	\$0.040	8,000
Options exercised	29 June 2018	200,000	\$0.020	4,000
Capital raising costs			\$0.000	(3,070)
Balance	30 June 2018	590,673,952		2,350,880
Share placement	30 September 2018	967,098	\$0.040	38,684
Consulting fees settled with shares	30 September 2018	218,181	\$0.040	8,727
Consulting fees settled with shares	1 January 2019	150,000	\$0.040	6,000
Share placement	18 March 2019	1,190,268	\$0.040	47,611
Share placement	12 April 2019	2,400,000	\$0.050	120,000
Share placement	26 June 2019	100,000	\$0.020	2,000
Share placement	26 June 2019	40,000,000	\$0.005	200,000
Consulting fees settled with shares	28 June 2019	7,802,224	\$0.005	39,010
Share placement	28 June 2019	19,752,968	\$0.005	98,765
Share placement*	28 June 2019	21,600,000	\$0.000	_
Capital raising costs			\$0.000	(8,400)
Balance	30 June 2019	684,854,691	_	2,903,277

^{*} Share placement on 28 June 2019 includes 21,600,000 shares issued for no consideration as a part of anti-dilution measures related to earlier investors.

Movements in options

Details	Date	Options	\$
Balance at the start of the year Options issued to Directors Options cancelled*	01/01/2015 26/11/2018 30/06/2019	144,202,610 30,000,000 (44,000,000)	138,273 680,236
Balance at the end of the year		130,202,610	818,509

^{*}Options cancelled were held by directors and cancelled as a part of a board resolution.

Ordinary shares

Ordinary shares entitle the holder to participate in dividends and the proceeds on the winding up of the company in proportion to the number of and amounts paid on the shares held. The fully paid ordinary shares have no par value and the company does not have a limited amount of authorised capital.

On a show of hands every member present at a meeting in person or by proxy shall have one vote and upon a poll each share shall have one vote.

Note 10. Equity - issued capital (continued)

Capital risk management

The consolidated entity's objectives when managing capital is to safeguard its ability to continue as a going concern, so that it can provide returns for shareholders and benefits for other stakeholders and to maintain an optimum capital structure to reduce the cost of capital.

Capital is regarded as total equity, as recognised in the statement of financial position, plus net debt. Net debt is calculated as total borrowings less cash and cash equivalents.

In order to maintain or adjust the capital structure, the consolidated entity may adjust the amount of dividends paid to shareholders, return capital to shareholders, issue new shares or sell assets to reduce debt.

The consolidated entity is subject to certain financing arrangements covenants and meeting these is given priority in all capital risk management decisions. There have been no events of default on the financing arrangements during the financial year.

Accounting policy for issued capital

Ordinary shares are classified as equity.

Incremental costs directly attributable to the issue of new shares or options are shown in equity as a deduction, net of tax, from the proceeds.

Note 11. Equity - Options reserves

	Consolidated	
	2019 \$	2018 \$
Options reserve	818,509	138,273

Options reserve

The reserve is used to recognise the value of equity benefits provided to employees and directors as part of their remuneration, and other parties as part of their compensation for services.

Note 12. Equity - dividends

There were no dividends paid, recommended or declared during the current or previous financial year.

Note 13. Financial instruments

Financial risk management objectives

The company's activities expose it to a number of financial risks: market risk (including interest rate risk) and liquidity risk. The company's overall risk management program focuses on the unpredictability of financial markets and seeks to minimise potential adverse effects on the financial performance of the company. The company uses different methods to measure different types of risk to which it is exposed. These methods include sensitivity analysis in the case of interest rate risk, ageing analysis for credit risk.

Risk management is carried out by the board of directors as a whole ('the Board'). The Board identifies and analyses the risk exposure of the company and appropriate procedures, controls and risk limits. The Board also identifies, evaluates and hedges financial risks within the company's operating units. Finance reports to the Board on a monthly basis.

Market risk

Foreign currency risk

The consolidated entity is not exposed to foreign currency risk.

Price risk

The consolidated entity is not exposed to any significant price risk.

Note 13. Financial instruments (continued)

Interest rate risk

The consolidated entity is not exposed to any significant interest rate risk.

Credit risk

The consolidated entity has adopted a lifetime expected loss allowance in estimating expected credit losses to trade receivables through the use of a provisions matrix using fixed rates of credit loss provisioning. These provisions are considered representative across all customers of the consolidated entity based on recent sales experience, historical collection rates and forward-looking information that is available.

Generally, trade receivables are written off when there is no reasonable expectation of recovery. Indicators of this include the failure of a debtor to engage in a repayment plan, no active enforcement activity and a failure to make contractual payments for a period greater than 1 year.

Liquidity risk

Vigilant liquidity risk management requires the consolidated entity to maintain sufficient liquid assets (mainly cash and cash equivalents) and available borrowing facilities to be able to pay debts as and when they become due and payable.

The consolidated entity manages liquidity risk by maintaining adequate cash reserves and available borrowing facilities by continuously monitoring actual and forecast cash flows and matching the maturity profiles of financial assets and liabilities.

Remaining contractual maturities

The following tables detail the consolidated entity's remaining contractual maturity for its financial instrument liabilities. The tables have been drawn up based on the undiscounted cash flows of financial liabilities based on the earliest date on which the financial liabilities are required to be paid. The tables include both interest and principal cash flows disclosed as remaining contractual maturities and therefore these totals may differ from their carrying amount in the statement of financial position.

Consolidated - 2019	Weighted average interest rate %	1 year or less \$	Between 1 and 2 years \$	Between 2 and 5 years \$	Over 5 years	Remaining contractual maturities \$
Non-derivatives Non-interest bearing Trade payables Borrowings Total non-derivatives	- 15.00%	311,739 127,881 439,620	- - -	- - -	- - -	311,739 127,881 439,620
Consolidated - 2018	Weighted average interest rate %	1 year or less \$	Between 1 and 2 years \$	Between 2 and 5 years \$	Over 5 years	Remaining contractual maturities \$
Non-derivatives Non-interest bearing Trade payables Total non-derivatives	-	126,305 126,305	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	126,305 126,305

The cash flows in the maturity analysis above are not expected to occur significantly earlier than contractually disclosed above.

Fair value of financial instruments

Unless otherwise stated, the carrying amounts of financial instruments reflect their fair value.

Note 14. Key management personnel disclosures

Directors

The following persons were directors of lonic Industries Limited during the financial year:

Non-Executive Directors

Mr Neil Wilson (appointed 4 October 2019)

Mr David DeTata (appointed 1 October 2018, resigned 3 April 2019)

Mr Merlin Allan (resigned 25 July 2018)

Mr Christopher Gllbey (appointed 25 July 2018, resigned 4 October 2019)

Executive Directors

Mr Simon Savage

Mr Peter Armitage (appointed Executive Chairman 1 July 2019)

Compensation

The compensation made to directors and other members of key management personnel of the company is set out below:

	Consoli	Consolidated	
	2019 \$	2018 \$	
Short-term employee benefits Post-employment benefits	304,998 18,822	264,825 14,642	
Share-based payments	698,847	156,273	
	1,022,667 _	435,740	

Note 15. Contingent liabilities

There were no contingent liabilities at 30 June 2018 or 30 June 2019.

Note 16. Commitments

As at 30 June 2019 the consolidated entity had a commitment to pay Clean TeQ Holdings Limited \$15,392 under a partnership agreement previously entered into in relation to developing, manufacturing and the application of graphene oxide membranes for water filtration applications. The consolidated entity has agreed with Clean TeQ Holdings Limited that this will be paid monthly at a rate of \$1,539 / month for 10 months.

In addition, the consolidated entity has commitments to fund its joint venture in Nematiq Pty Ltd cash for working capital purposes as and when required by the operation.

Note 17. Related party transactions

Parent entity

Ionic Industries Limited is the parent entity.

Subsidiaries

Interests in subsidiaries are set out in note 19.

Key management personnel

Disclosures relating to key management personnel are set out in note 14.

Transactions with related parties

There were no transactions with related parties during the current and previous financial year.

Receivable from and payable to related parties

At 30 June 2019 a total of \$104,750 (2018:\$77,796) of accrued fees for current and former directors has been included in other payables.

Note 17. Related party transactions (continued)

Loans to/from related parties

There were no loans to or from related parties at the current and previous reporting date.

Terms and conditions

All transactions were made on normal commercial terms and conditions and at market rates.

Note 18. Parent entity information

Set out below is the supplementary information about the parent entity.

Statement of profit or loss and other comprehensive income

	Parent	
	2019 \$	2018 \$
Loss after income tax	(1,353,635)	(718,227)
Total comprehensive loss	(1,353,635)	(718,227)
Statement of financial position		
	Pare	ent
	2019	2018
	\$	\$
Total current assets	571,168	520,176
Total assets	739,061	538,033
Total current liabilities	473,872	152,445
Total liabilities	477,791	155,761
Equity Issued capital Options reserve Accumulated losses	2,903,277 818,509 (3,460,516)	2,350,880 138,273 (2,106,881)
Total equity	261,270	382,272

Guarantees entered into by the parent entity in relation to the debts of its subsidiaries

The parent entity had no guarantees in relation to the debts of its subsidiaries as at 30 June 2019.

Contingent liabilities

The parent entity had no contingent liabilities as at 30 June 2019.

Capital commitments - Property, plant and equipment

The parent entity had no capital commitments for property, plant and equipment as at 30 June 2019.

Significant accounting policies

The accounting policies of the parent entity are consistent with those of the consolidated entity, as disclosed in note 2, except for the following:

- Investments in subsidiaries are accounted for at cost, less any impairment, in the parent entity.
- Investments in associates are accounted for at cost, less any impairment, in the parent entity.
- Dividends received from subsidiaries are recognised as other income by the parent entity and its receipt may be an
 indicator of an impairment of the investment.

Note 19. Interests in subsidiaries

The consolidated financial statements incorporate the assets, liabilities and results of the following subsidiary in accordance with the accounting policy described in note 2:

		Ownership interest	
Name	Principal place of business / Country of incorporation	2019 %	2018 %
KAP Energy Pty Ltd*	Australia	100.00%	_

^{*} This company was incorporated on 4 December 2018.

Note 20. Events after the reporting period

On 14 October 2019, the Company completed a share placement issuing 110,000,000 fully paid shares at an issue price of \$0.005 (0.5 cents) per share raising \$550,000 (before costs).

On 25 October 2019, the Company issued 40,000,000 shares at an issue price of \$0.005 (0.5 cents) per share in settlement of liabilities amounting to \$200,000.

No other matter or circumstance has arisen since 30 June 2019 that has significantly affected, or may significantly affect the consolidated entity's operations, the results of those operations, or the consolidated entity's state of affairs in future financial years.

Note 21. Reconciliation of loss after income tax to net cash used in operating activities

	Consolid 2019 \$	dated 2018 \$
Loss after income tax expense for the year	(1,353,635)	(718,227)
Adjustments for: Depreciation and amortisation Share-based payments Finance cost	9,766 698,847 3,650	3,773 162,940 -
Change in operating assets and liabilities: Decrease/(increase) in trade and other receivables Increase in prepayments Increase/(decrease) in trade and other payables Increase in employee benefits	62,497 (2,067) 220,561 8,715	(102,476) - (208,013) 20,445
Net cash used in operating activities	(351,666)	(841,558)

Note 22. Share-based payments

On 30 September 2018, the Company issued 150,000 fully paid ordinary shares in exchange for services provided at an issue price of \$0.04 (4 cents) per share.

On 26 November 2018, the company granted 30,000,000 unlisted options to Directors with an exercise price of \$0.06 (6 cents) expiring five years from the date of issue following shareholder approval granted at the Company's Annual General Meeting. The options were issued following the end of the period. Share based payments of \$698,847 were recognised in the statement of Profit and Loss and Other comprehensive income for the year ended on 30 June 2019.

The consolidated entity subsequently cancelled 24,000,000 options, in accordance with AASB 2 the expense related to these options have been recognised in full for the 30 June 2019 financial year.

Note 22. Share-based payments (continued)

Set out below are summaries of options granted during the financial year relating to share based payments (note excludes all free attaching options issued as part of shares issues):

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Grant date	Expiry date	Exercise price	Balance at the start of the year	Granted	Exercised	Expired/ forfeited/ other	Balance at the end of the year
27/11/2017	29/12/2021	\$0.040	30,000,000	_	-	(20,000,000)	10,000,000
26/11/2018	26/11/2023	\$0.060	-	30,000,000	-	(24,000,000)	6,000,000
			30,000,000	30,000,000	_	(44,000,000)	16,000,000
Weighted average exercise price		\$0.040	\$0.060	\$0.000	\$0.050	\$0.050	

^{*} Options noted above were issued to directors as approved by shareholders at the 2018 Annual General Meeting.

2018

Grant date	Expiry date	Exercise price	Balance at the start of the year	Granted	Exercised	Expired/ forfeited/ other	Balance at the end of the year
27/11/2017	29/12/2021	\$0.040	<u>-</u>	30,000,000	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	30,000,000
Weighted average exercise price			\$0.040	\$0.060	\$0.000	\$0.000	\$0.050

^{*} Options noted above were issued to directors as approved by shareholders at the 2017 Annual General Meeting.

Set out below are the options exercisable at the end of the financial year:

Grant date	Expiry date	2019 Number	2018 Number
26/06/2017	30/06/2020	83,218,204	83,218,204
09/10/2017	30/06/2020	28,750,805	28,750,805
31/10/2017	30/06/2020	2,233,601	2,233,601
27/11/2017	29/12/2021	10,000,000	30,000,000
26/11/2018	26/11/2023		
		130,202,610	144,202,010

^{*} The options listed above excluding the 30,000,000 options granted to directors do not relate to share based payments. These options were issued as free attaching options to shareholders who subscribed to share issues as an incentive offer.

For the options granted during the current financial year, the valuation model inputs used to determine the fair value at the grant date, are as follows:

Grant date	Expiry date	Share price at grant date	Exercise price	Expected volatility	Dividend yield	Risk-free interest rate	Fair value at grant date
26/11/2018	26/11/2023	\$0.040	\$0.060	79.00%	-	2.29%	\$0.022

Accounting policy for share-based payments

Equity-settled and cash-settled share-based compensation benefits are provided to employees.

Note 22. Share-based payments (continued)

Equity-settled transactions are awards of shares, or options over shares, that are provided to employees in exchange for the rendering of services. Cash-settled transactions are awards of cash for the exchange of services, where the amount of cash is determined by reference to the share price.

The cost of equity-settled transactions are measured at fair value on grant date. Fair value is independently determined using either the Binomial or Black-Scholes option pricing model that takes into account the exercise price, the term of the option, the impact of dilution, the share price at grant date and expected price volatility of the underlying share, the expected dividend yield and the risk free interest rate for the term of the option, together with non-vesting conditions that do not determine whether the consolidated entity receives the services that entitle the employees to receive payment. No account is taken of any other vesting conditions.

The cost of equity-settled transactions are recognised as an expense with a corresponding increase in equity over the vesting period. The cumulative charge to profit or loss is calculated based on the grant date fair value of the award, the best estimate of the number of awards that are likely to vest and the expired portion of the vesting period. The amount recognised in profit or loss for the period is the cumulative amount calculated at each reporting date less amounts already recognised in previous periods.

The cost of cash-settled transactions is initially, and at each reporting date until vested, determined by applying either the Binomial or Black-Scholes option pricing model, taking into consideration the terms and conditions on which the award was granted. The cumulative charge to profit or loss until settlement of the liability is calculated as follows:

- during the vesting period, the liability at each reporting date is the fair value of the award at that date multiplied by the expired portion of the vesting period.
- from the end of the vesting period until settlement of the award, the liability is the full fair value of the liability at the reporting date.

All changes in the liability are recognised in profit or loss. The ultimate cost of cash-settled transactions is the cash paid to settle the liability.

Market conditions are taken into consideration in determining fair value. Therefore any awards subject to market conditions are considered to vest irrespective of whether or not that market condition has been met, provided all other conditions are satisfied.

If equity-settled awards are modified, as a minimum an expense is recognised as if the modification has not been made. An additional expense is recognised, over the remaining vesting period, for any modification that increases the total fair value of the share-based compensation benefit as at the date of modification.

If the non-vesting condition is within the control of the consolidated entity or employee, the failure to satisfy the condition is treated as a cancellation. If the condition is not within the control of the consolidated entity or employee and is not satisfied during the vesting period, any remaining expense for the award is recognised over the remaining vesting period, unless the award is forfeited.

If equity-settled awards are cancelled, it is treated as if it has vested on the date of cancellation, and any remaining expense is recognised immediately. If a new replacement award is substituted for the cancelled award, the cancelled and new award is treated as if they were a modification.

Ionic Industries Limited Directors' declaration 30 June 2019

In the directors' opinion:

- the attached financial statements and notes comply with the Corporations Act 2001, the Accounting Standards, the Corporations Regulations 2001 and other mandatory professional reporting requirements;
- the attached financial statements and notes comply with International Financial Reporting Standards as issued by the International Accounting Standards Board as described in note 2 to the financial statements;
- the attached financial statements and notes give a true and fair view of the consolidated entity's financial position as at 30 June 2019 and of its performance for the financial year ended on that date; and
- there are reasonable grounds to believe that the company will be able to pay its debts as and when they become due and payable.

Signed in accordance with a resolution of directors made pursuant to section 295(5)(a) of the Corporations Act 2001.

On behalf of the directors

Mr Simon Savage

CEO & Executive Director

30 October 2019



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Independent Auditor's Report

To the Members of Ionic Industries Limited

Report on the audit of the financial report

Opinion

We have audited the financial report of Ionic Industries Limited (the Company), which comprises the statement of financial position as at 30 June 2019, the statement of profit or loss and other comprehensive income, statement of changes in equity and statement of cash flows for the year then ended, and notes to the financial statements, including a summary of significant accounting policies, and the Directors' declaration.

In our opinion, the accompanying financial report of the Company is in accordance with the *Corporations Act* 2001, including:

- a giving a true and fair view of the Company's financial position as at 30 June 2019 and of its performance for the year ended on that date; and
- b complying with Australian Accounting Standards and the Corporations Regulations 2001.

Basis for opinion

We conducted our audit in accordance with Australian Auditing Standards. Our responsibilities under those standards are further described in the *Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Report* section of our report. We are independent of the Company in accordance with the *Corporations Act 2001* and the ethical requirements of the Accounting Professional and Ethical Standards Board's APES 110 *Code of Ethics for Professional Accountants* (the Code) that are relevant to our audit of the financial report in Australia. We have also fulfilled our other ethical responsibilities in accordance with the Code.

We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion.

Material uncertainty related to going concern

We draw attention to Note 2 in the financial statements, which indicates that the Company incurred a net loss of \$1,353,635 and had net cash outflows from operating activities of \$351,666 during the year ended 30 June 2019. As stated in Note 2, these events or conditions, along with other matters as set forth in Note 2, indicate that a material uncertainty exists that may cast significant doubt on the Company's ability to continue as a going concern. Our opinion is not modified in respect of this matter.

Information other than the financial report and auditor's report thereon

The Directors are responsible for the other information. The other information comprises the information included in the Company's annual report for the year ended 30 June 2019, but does not include the financial report and our auditor's report thereon.

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Our opinion on the financial report does not cover the other information and accordingly we do not express any form of assurance conclusion thereon.

In connection with our audit of the financial report, our responsibility is to read the other information and, in doing so, consider whether the other information is materially inconsistent with the financial report or our knowledge obtained in the audit or otherwise appears to be materially misstated.

If, based on the work we have performed, we conclude that there is a material misstatement of this other information, we are required to report that fact. We have nothing to report in this regard.

Responsibilities of the Directors for the financial report

The Directors of the Company are responsible for the preparation of the financial report that gives a true and fair view in accordance with Australian Accounting Standards and the *Corporations Act 2001*. The Directors' responsibility also includes such internal control as the Directors determine is necessary to enable the preparation of the financial report that gives a true and fair view and is free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

In preparing the financial report, the Directors are responsible for assessing the Company's ability to continue as a going concern, disclosing, as applicable, matters related to going concern and using the going concern basis of accounting unless the Directors either intend to liquidate the Company or to cease operations, or have no realistic alternative but to do so.

Auditor's responsibilities for the audit of the financial report

Our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial report as a whole is free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error, and to issue an auditor's report that includes our opinion. Reasonable assurance is a high level of assurance, but is not a guarantee that an audit conducted in accordance with the Australian Auditing Standards will always detect a material misstatement when it exists. Misstatements can arise from fraud or error and are considered material if, individually or in the aggregate, they could reasonably be expected to influence the economic decisions of users taken on the basis of this financial report.

A further description of our responsibilities for the audit of the financial report is located at the Auditing and Assurance Standards Board website at: http://www.auasb.gov.au/auditors responsibilities/ar4.pdf. This description forms part of our auditor's report.

Grant Thornton Audit Pty Ltd Chartered Accountants

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Melbourne, October 30, 2019