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**ALE PROPERTY GROUP (ALE)
ANNUAL REPORT 2006**

Please find attached a copy of the ALE Annual Report that will be mailed to ALE's stapled security holders on Friday 29 September 2006.

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raising the bar

ALE PROPERTY GROUP OWNS
A PORTFOLIO OF 106 PUBS
LOCATED THROUGHOUT THE
FIVE MAINLAND STATES
OF AUSTRALIA.



\$300 million+

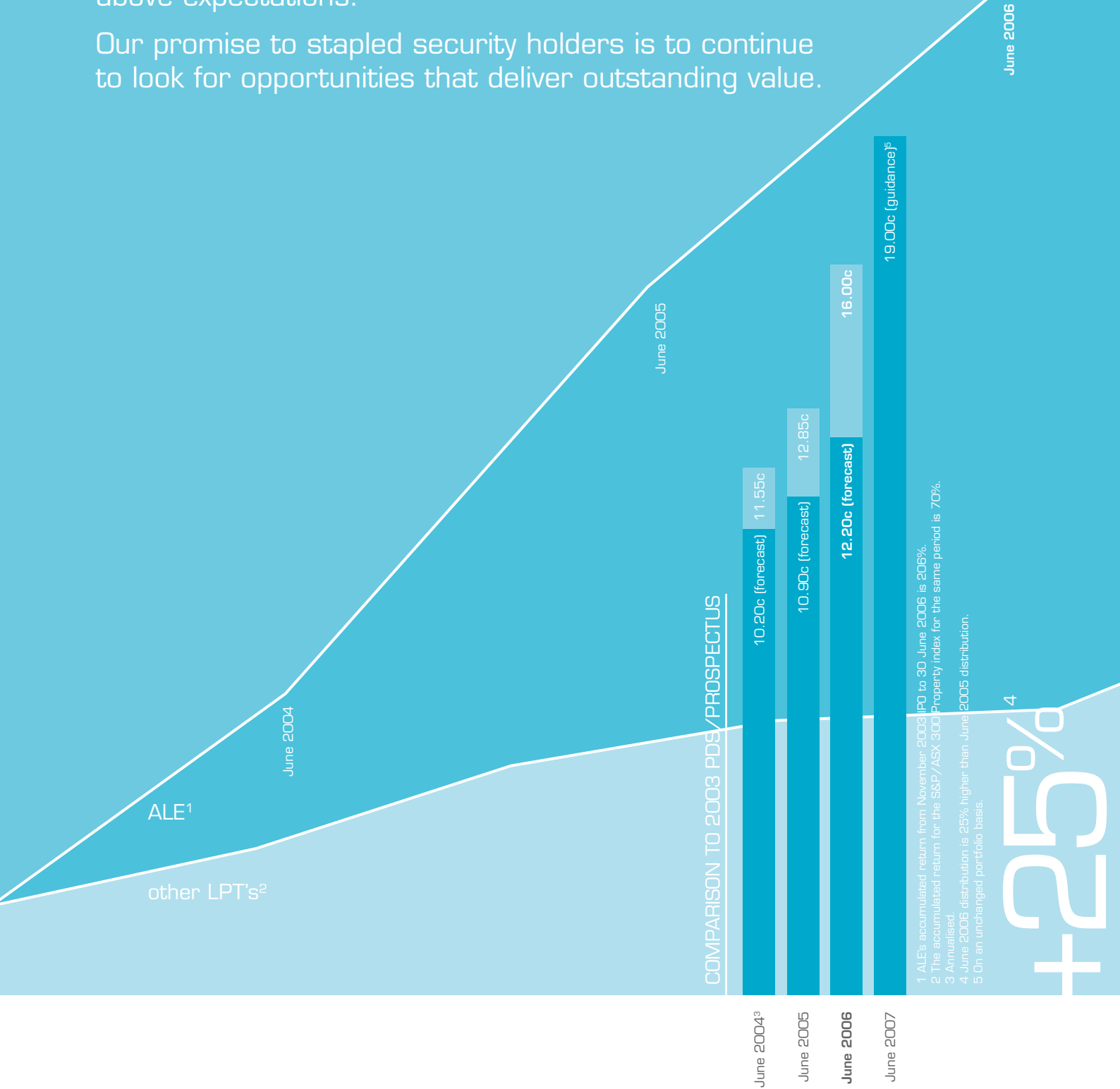
In under three years ALE's initial investor equity of around \$91 million has grown to more than \$300 million in market capitalisation and distributions paid – growth that has delivered well above other listed property trusts

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ALE sets high standards. In the past three years we have consistently outperformed all forecasts.

This year is no exception. Major initiatives have enabled ALE to raise the bar again and deliver results above expectations.

Our promise to stapled security holders is to continue to look for opportunities that deliver outstanding value.

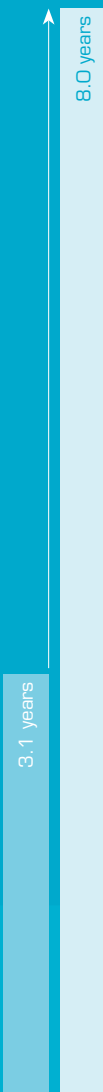


major debt refinancing

provides longer term and more cost effective financing structure

MAJOR DEBT REFINANCING

Extended debt maturity¹



Extended cash hedging term¹



Reduced cash interest rate FY07



Increased interest cover ratio FY07³



¹ Weighted average.
² Estimate - will vary with OPI.
³ Ratio of net operating cash flow to net cash interest obligations.

During the year ALE completed a major refinancing.

Our new capital structure:

- partly matches ALE's indexed lease assets with a CIB¹
- extends ALE's debt maturities
- extends ALE's term of fixed interest rates
- reduces and defers ALE's refinancing risk
- reduces ALE's credit margins
- increases ALE's FY06 distributions and expected FY07 distribution
- increases certainty of distribution growth for an extended period
- provides undrawn CMBS² facilities to enhance future acquisition capacity.

1 capital (inflation) indexed bond.

2 commercial mortgage backed securities.

8 year
average

lengthening ALE's debt maturity and interest rate hedging to an average eight years

THE REFINANCING ALSO WON AN INDUSTRY AWARD FOR INNOVATION, BEING:

- / THE FIRST CAPITAL (INFLATION) INDEXED BOND (CIB) ISSUED BY AN AUSTRALIAN LPT
- / THE FIRST CIB TO BE INCLUDED IN A CMBS TRANSACTION
- / THE FIRST SUPER-SENIOR SECURITY STRUCTURE FOR BOTH AUSTRALIAN CMBS AND CIB TRANSACTIONS
- / THE FIRST SPLIT MATURITY AUSTRALIAN CMBS TO ISSUE TRANCHES FROM FIVE YEARS THROUGH TO 17.5 YEARS
- / THE LONGEST TENOR OF CIB ISSUED BY ANY LPT AT 17.5 YEARS

growing the portfolio value

\$66 million ↑

\$66 million increase in the value of the portfolio
including revaluations and two new acquisitions



BERWICK INN HOTEL, MELBOURNE, VIC
ACQUIRED AT A 6% DISCOUNT TO CURRENT VALUATION

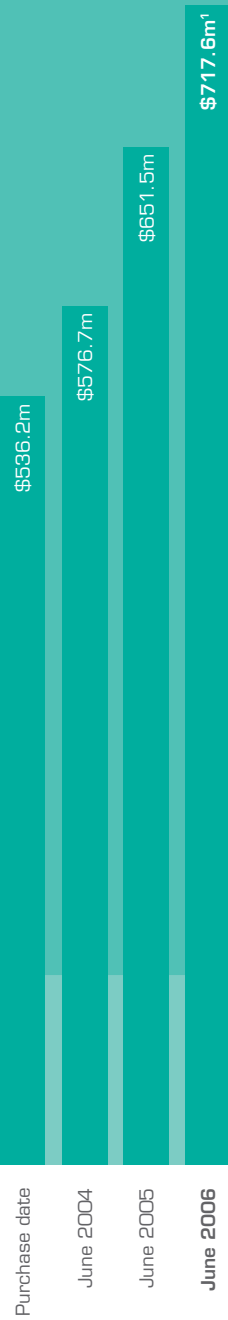
CBX HOTEL, CALOUNDRA, QLD
ACQUIRED AT A 16% DISCOUNT TO CURRENT VALUATION

ALE continued to build its portfolio with the purchase of the historic Berwick Inn Hotel, Melbourne. Established in 1857, the Berwick Inn Hotel is leased to Australian Leisure and Hospitality (ALH) on terms similar to those on ALE's other 105 pubs.

Other highlights of ALE's portfolio include:

- an increase in value to \$717.6 million for the year
- acquisition of the completed CBX Hotel, Caloundra
- the continued expansion of operations by major tenant ALH, thereby creating greater security for ALE
- remaining lease terms of more than 22 years
- increasing returns underpinned by rents indexed to inflation.

GROWTH IN PROPERTY VALUES



¹ Adopted valuation of \$717.6 million does not include any premium for valuation on a portfolio basis.

+10%

outlook: secure and growing

and is based on our
“building blocks of certainty”

distribution growth
(multiple of CPI)

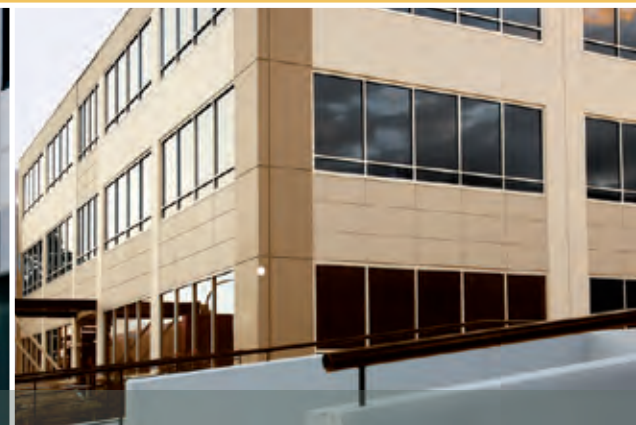
68% gearing
(hedged for an average eight years)

A- tenant
(ALH 75% owned by Woolworths)

25 year lease term (22 years
remaining + 4x10 year options)

106 pubs/\$717.6 million
(trading for an average 56 years)

We continue to examine a number of potential new acquisitions, both in the pub sector and in other sectors of the commercial real estate market, consistent with our ongoing objective of acquiring quality property with secure and long term rental income.



THE ABOVE PICTURES DO NOT REPRESENT

CURRENT ASSETS OF ALE



Distributable profit for the year rose \$2.9 million to \$14.6 million, representing a 25% increase over the previous period. Distributions per security totalled 16.0 cents for the year ending 30 June 2006. ALE expects to pay distributions of at least 19.0 cents per stapled security for the year ending 30 June 2007 on an unchanged portfolio basis.

Dear investor,

On behalf of your Board, it is my pleasure to report to you on the performance for the year ending 30 June 2006.

Following on from last year's strong result, ALE has again achieved significant growth in capital value and distributable profit. Distributable profit for the year rose \$2.9 million to \$14.6 million, representing a 25% increase over the previous period. The net profit of \$52.2 million for the first time included property revaluations (as required under the new AIFRS accounting standards).

For the year ended 30 June 2006, ALE has paid distributions totalling 16 cents per stapled security. This is 25% higher than last year and 16% higher than guidance provided by the Board in December 2005. ALE expects to pay distributions of at least 19 cents per stapled security for the year ending 30 June 2007 on an unchanged portfolio basis.

For the third successive year, ALE is able to report that the value of the portfolio has increased – this year by \$66.1 million, or 10.2%.

The valuation increase was driven by an uplift in the property market and an improved market understanding of the nature of ALE's portfolio and lease structure. ALE stands alone as a property trust with a very long lease expiry and a very high quality rental income stream.

ALE invested significant Board and management time and security holder money investigating acquisition opportunities that matched ALE's investment strategy.

In February 2006, ALE purchased the historic Berwick Inn Hotel, Victoria in its first acquisition since listing but, in applying its patient and disciplined approach, ALE did not proceed with a number of other opportunities. ALE believes that the current market's strength has encouraged others to take pricing and risk positions which your Board was not prepared to entertain.

Capital management has been high on the agenda this year. On 1 September 2005, at the absolute low point of the interest rate cycle, ALE extended its interest rate hedging to provide further assurance of future distributions to investors. In May 2006, ALE completed an award-winning refinancing of its senior debt facilities. "INSTO" magazine recognised ALE for its innovative debt structure, which included the first use of an AAA rated Capital Indexed Bond by an Australian listed property trust.

The key benefits of the debt refinancing are:

- a reduction in ALE's cash interest payments;
- a lengthening of ALE's average debt maturities and interest rate hedging terms; and
- the incorporation of a partial inflation-linked interest component, which matches ALE's inflation-linked rental income.

When combined with ALE's growth in property income, the results of the debt refinancing are:

- an increase in the distribution paid for June 2006;
- a further increase in the expected distribution for June 2007; and
- a lower expected volatility of long-term distributions.

I express my gratitude to Managing Director Andrew Wilkinson and his management team for their continued excellent performance this year. In particular, the team's innovation in capital management during the year will provide substantial long-term benefits to stapled security holders.

The Board continues to review its corporate governance functions in light of market best practice. ALE strengthened its compliance and risk management function by appointing David Lawler in December 2005 as an independent member of its Audit, Compliance and Risk Management Committee. Details of David's experience are provided on page 29.

This year's annual general meeting will be held at the Radisson Hotel, Sydney at 10 am on 9 November 2006. An agenda will be sent out to stapled security holders in advance of the meeting.

Once again, thank you for your continued support of ALE.

Peter Warne
Chairman

\$14.6 million ↑

distributable profit increased to
\$14.6 million for FY06

| | FY04 ¹ | FY05 | FY06 | Change |
|-------------------------------------|-------------------|----------|-----------------|-----------|
| Distributable Profit ² | \$8.0m | \$11.7m | \$14.6m | \$2.9m ↑ |
| Distribution per Stapled Security | 7.50¢ | 12.85¢ | 16.0¢ | 3.15¢ ↑ |
| Portfolio Value | \$576.7m | \$651.5m | \$717.6m | \$66.1m ↑ |
| Gearing ³ | 80% | 72% | 68% | 4% ↓ |
| Tax Deferred Distribution | 100% | 100% | 100% | |
| Management Expense Ratio | 0.40% | 0.24% | 0.24% | |
| Stapled Security Price ⁴ | \$1.31 | \$2.06 | \$2.70 | \$0.64 ↑ |
| Net Assets per Stapled Security | \$1.41 | \$2.17 | \$2.64 | \$0.57 ↑ |

1 FY04 effectively commenced November 2003.

2 Distributable Profit includes add backs for non-cash accounting items.

3 Total Liabilities as a % of Total Assets.

4 At 30 June.

Distributable Profit Compared to FY05

| | \$m |
|------------------------------------|-------------|
| Distributable Profit FY2005 | 11.7 |
| Increased Property Income | 1.8 ↑ |
| Increased Interest Income | 0.0 ↑ |
| Reduced Management Costs | 0.6 ↑ |
| Increased Land Tax | (0.0) ↓ |
| Acquisition Costs ¹ | (1.6) ↓ |
| Refinancing Benefits | 2.1 ↑ |
| Distributable Profit FY2006 | 14.6 |

1 Net of recoveries.

MAJOR ANNOUNCEMENTS

29 AUGUST 2006

- JUNE FULL-YEAR RESULTS
- JUNE FULL-YEAR REPORT

12 JULY 2006

- ALE WINS INSTO AWARD FOR REFINANCING

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- INCREASE IN PROPERTY VALUATIONS AND NET ASSETS
- FINAL DISTRIBUTION DECLARATION
- FY07 DISTRIBUTION GUIDANCE

8 MAY 2006

- REFINANCING FINAL RESULTS

6 APRIL 2006

- ALE ACQUIRES BERWICK INN HOTEL
- MAJOR DEBT REFINANCING PLAN

21 FEBRUARY 2006

- DECEMBER HALF-YEAR RESULTS
- DECEMBER HALF-YEARLY REPORT

15 DECEMBER 2005

- INCREASE IN PROPERTY VALUATIONS
- INTERIM DISTRIBUTION DECLARATION

8 NOVEMBER 2005

- CPI BASED RENTAL INCREASES

24 OCTOBER 2005

- AGM 2005 RESULTS

1 SEPTEMBER 2005

- EXTENSION OF INTEREST RATE HEDGING



I am delighted to report to you for the third successive year a very pleasing result for ALE. Significant increases in distributions and property values have been achieved, together with a reduction in risk and ongoing interest costs through an innovative capital management programme.

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**Distributable profit \$14.6 million
(up by 24.6%)**

For the year ending 30 June 2006 ALE substantially increased its distributable profit and has paid total distributions of \$14.5 million, or 16.0 cents per stapled security. This is 24.5% higher than the distribution for 2005 and 15.9% higher than the guidance given halfway through the year.

The distribution for FY06 is 100% tax deferred. The distribution for FY07 is also expected to be 100% tax deferred.

Major contributors to distributable profit include:

Income

**Property income \$47.6 million
(up by 3.5%)**

- ALE's total income from its properties rose 3.5% in the year, driven by inflation based rental increases averaging 2.96% across the portfolio and the addition of rental income from ALE's new acquisition, the Berwick Inn Hotel, Victoria.

**Interest income \$1.2 million
(up by 0.5%)**

- ALE holds cash on deposit in order to provide security for its senior debt facilities and provide liquidity for its ongoing operations.
- ALE's efficient cash management combined with marginally increased interest rates have led to higher interest income during the year.

Expenses

**Cash interest expense \$29.0 million
(down by 7.4%)**

- Marginal increase in expense due to 100% debt funding of the Berwick Inn Hotel purchase in February 2006.
- Reduction in expense due to lower cash interest rate under the new financing arrangements (from 10 May to 30 June).
- Reduction in expense due to one-off refinancing items (realisation of interest rate swap benefits, less refinancing costs).

Land tax \$1.2 million (up by 1.1%)

- ALE pays land tax in Queensland only. The small land tax increase this year was due to the addition of the CBX Hotel, Caloundra to ALE's portfolio. All other regular property outgoings are paid by ALE's tenant, Australian Leisure and Hospitality Group Limited (ALH).

**Management expense \$4.0 million
(up by 34%)**

- During the year ALE incurred a net \$1.6 million on costs associated with an acquisition that did not proceed.
- Offsetting this increase, ALE was able to reduce management costs in other areas by \$0.6 million.
- ALE's internal management structure enabled ALE's management expense ratio (MER) to be maintained at 0.24%. This is one of the lowest in the listed property trust (LPT) sector, which has an average MER of around 0.6%.

Net profit \$52.2 million (AIFRS)

Under the Australian equivalents to International Financial Reporting Standards (AIFRS), the calculation of net profit for ALE includes a number of non-cash and therefore non-distributable items, including in particular the revaluation of the property portfolio during the period.

Including these non-cash items, ALE's net profit for the year is \$52.2 million, with the major contributing factors being portfolio revaluations of \$50.3 million (up by 7.7%).

- DTZ revalued 90 of ALE's properties during the year. Based upon advice from DTZ, the directors revalued the remaining properties in the portfolio on a pro-rata basis.
- Total portfolio value of \$717.6 million, represents revaluation increases of \$50.3 million or 7.7% over the June 2005 figure, plus an additional \$15.9 million in respect of the purchase of the Berwick Inn Hotel, Victoria.
- The portfolio revaluations show an improvement in the average portfolio capitalisation rate to 6.57% (excluding development properties).
- The portfolio continues to be valued on a single property basis and accordingly excludes any premium that may be evident from a portfolio valuation. DTZ's view is that a portfolio valuation would show a premium based on the ability of the properties to be sold in various sized parcels to different sectors of the property investor market.

Capital management

In FY06 ALE made use of the flexibility built into its 2003 senior debt arrangements and refinanced its existing commercial mortgage backed securities (CMBS) in favour of a more efficient, longer-term and asset-matched debt structure.

In a debt refinancing which won the "INSTO" asset backed security award, ALE is the first Australian listed property trust to issue (AAA rated) Capital Indexed Bonds (CIBs).

The CIBs lower ALE's cash interest payments, extend ALE's debt and interest rate hedging terms while also matching ALE's interest expense to its inflation-linked rental stream.

As at 30 June 2006 ALE's gearing was 68.2%, which compares with 88.6% at IPO and 71.5% at 30 June 2005.

Borrowings currently comprise:

\$125 million of 2023, AAA rated Capital Indexed Bonds (CIBs):

- fixed interest rate is 3.40% p.a. (including margin)
- capital balance and interest increase with national inflation (CPI), closely matching the property rental profile.

\$225 million of 2011 commercial mortgage backed securities (CMBS):

- current hedged interest rate is 6.034% p.a. (including margin).



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\$150 million of 2011 ALE Notes:

- listed on the ASX (code LEPHB)
- fixed interest rate is 7.265% (including margin).

Accordingly, ALE's FY07 weighted average cash borrowing rate has reduced from 6.52% p.a. to 5.72% p.a. ALE's average weighted debt term has extended from 3.1 years to eight years.

The refinancing also improved ALE's interest cover ratios. The net cash flow generated by ALE (rental income less management expenses and land tax) for FY07 is expected to cover net cash interest obligations by 1.66 times. This compares to a cover of 1.48 times for FY06.

Acquisitions

ALE continues to seek suitable opportunities to add to its existing portfolio. During 2006, ALE selectively reviewed a number of opportunities that were consistent with the following acquisition criteria:

- long-term indexed leases

- tenants with sustainable capacity to pay rent
- properties that are strategically important to the tenant's core business
- other features that provide for the tenant or third parties to assume significant property risks and costs.

During the year ALE and its advisers spent considerable time pursuing acquisition opportunities which met ALE's previously specified investment criteria. In addition to management time, ALE incurred a net \$1.6 million in due diligence costs associated with an acquisition that did not proceed. Whilst disappointing, ALE was confident that its ultimate risk position and pricing were at levels that did not sacrifice security holder value.

ALE is in an excellent position to make value accretive acquisitions, however, management and the Board will continue to be patient and disciplined to ensure that the quality of its property holdings are maintained.

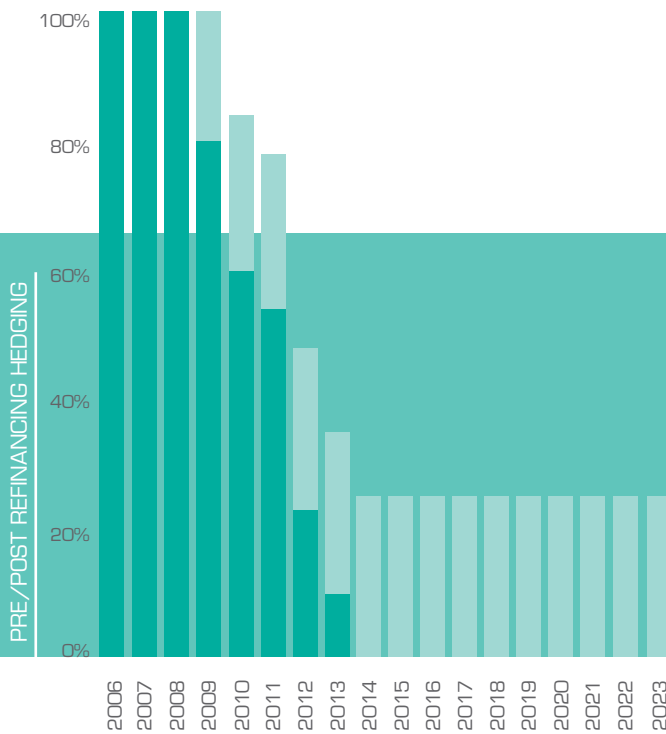
In October 2005, ALE acquired the recently completed CBX Hotel, Caloundra on Queensland's Sunshine Coast under its development agreement with Foster's Group Limited (Foster's) and ALH. Two of the remaining three properties are under development by Foster's and ALH, with completion times as follows:

- Narrabeen Hotel, NSW December 2006
- Burleigh Heads Hotel, QLD December 2007.

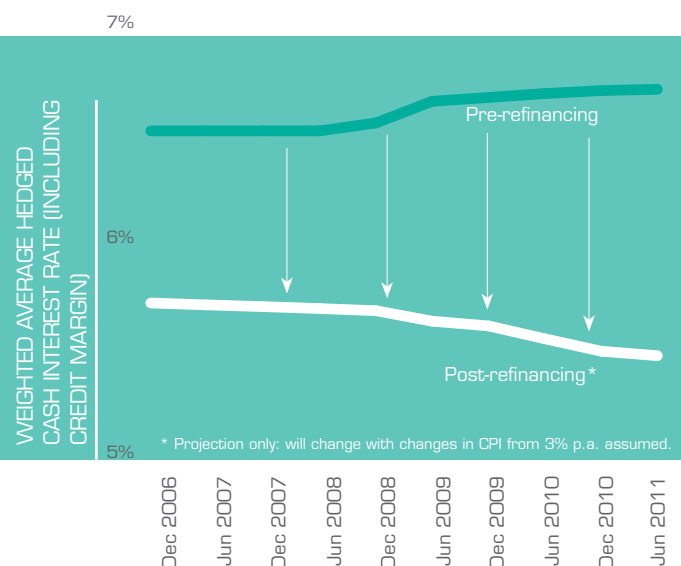
The Parkway Hotel, NSW is currently the subject of discussion between ALE, ALH and Foster's. The outcome of those discussions will be communicated to the market on completion.

ALH and Foster's are assuming the development risk for each of these three properties.

In February 2006, ALE purchased the Berwick Inn Hotel, Victoria for \$15.0 million, adding its first property to the portfolio since listing in November 2003. As at June 2006, rent represents 7.2% of the purchase price. The property is leased to ALH on terms equivalent to the leases in the remainder of the portfolio. The Berwick Inn Hotel is a landmark historic hotel in Victoria and adds additional value to ALE security holders. The property was independently valued at \$16.0 million at 30 June 2006.



■ Amounts hedged pre-refinancing
 ■ Additional amounts hedged as part of refinancing



* Projection only: will change with changes in CPI from 3% p.a. assumed.

Investment performance

ALE's story remains based on the solid foundations of:

- long-term leases – certainty of rental income
- inflation indexation – strong likelihood of rental growth
- interest rate hedging – certainty of cost containment, and
- internal management – maximum returns to investors.

These features provide:

- security of distributions, and
- relative certainty of distribution growth.

In the year under review, ALE's stapled security price increased from \$2.06 to \$2.70. Combined with the distributions paid, the total return for stapled security holders over the year was 39.4%, making ALE a standout performer when compared to the LPT sector average of 17%.

Where some other property trusts pay performance fees to external managers, ALE's significant current year outperformance flows directly to its stapled security holders.

Outlook

The outlook for the year to June 2007 is positive. Current expectations are for a CPI increase of between 3.5% and 4% for the year ending September 2006. The actual CPI increase will be announced in late October 2006 and will be reflected in rental increases commencing November 2006. This increase in rent is expected to have a positive impact on the value of the property portfolio and therefore the Net Assets per stapled security.

Interest savings achieved through the refinancing will continue to have a positive impact on future earnings and distributable cash flow. Management will also continue to work to identify opportunities where further interest hedging and savings may be achieved.

As part of the refinancing (described above) ALE obtained indicative rating agency approval for further issuance of \$74 million of senior debt which would enable ALE to raise funds for an acquisition if required.

This capacity, combined with one of the lowest costs of capital in the market, leaves ALE well positioned to participate in additional transactions that will provide value to ALE stapled security holders.

In terms of acquisitions, ALE remains focused on property with long-term secure leases both in the pub and

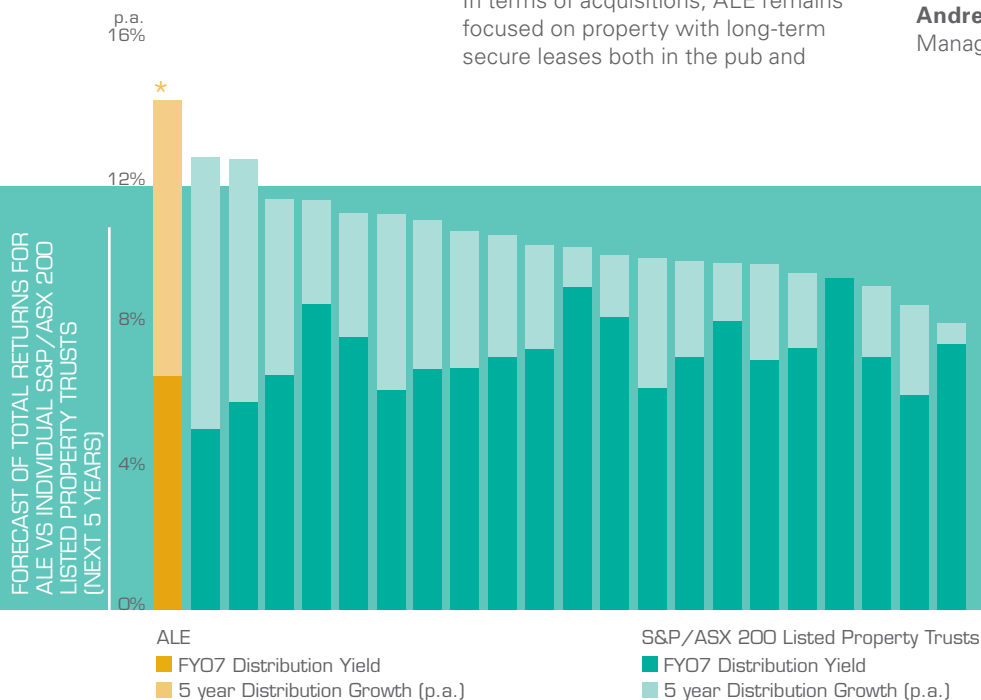
other commercial property sectors. ALE will continue to pursue value accretive opportunities.

Given ALE's current interest rate hedging and gearing position, inflation indexed increases in property rentals substantially flow through to stapled security holders at a distribution growth rate equivalent to a multiple of inflation.

In addition ALE reaffirms guidance given on 15 June 2006 that, on an unchanged portfolio basis, it expects to pay distributions of at least 19.0 cents for the full year ending 30 June 2007. This guidance is based upon the distribution of around 4.0 cents per security of capitalised interest accruing to the balance of the CIBs. In future years the Board of ALE will make a decision regarding the distribution of the CIBs' capitalised interest having regard to acquisition opportunities, gearing levels and other matters.

Once again, I thank ALE's Board, management team and investors for continued support in what has been a year of significant performance.

Andrew Wilkinson
Managing Director



Source: Macquarie, September, 2006.
Note: This is not a forecast by ALE Property Group.
* ALE's distribution for 2007 is expected to be 100% tax deferred.
This may provide some investors with additional after tax returns.



ANDREW SLADE



BRENDAN HOWELL



DARREN BARKAS

Andrew Wilkinson

BBus, CFTP

Managing Director

Andrew was appointed Managing Director of the Company in November 2004. He joined ALE as Chief Executive Officer at the time of its listing in November 2003.

Andrew has over 25 years experience in banking, corporate finance and funds management.

He was previously a corporate finance partner with PricewaterhouseCoopers where he specialised in providing financial and strategic advice on significant property and infrastructure portfolios. Over his eight year period with the firm he held a number of senior positions and was also one of the founding members of the NSW Government's Infrastructure Council.

Andrew's prior career also includes 15 years in finance and investment banking with organisations including ANZ Capel Court and Schroders where he was involved in leading the financing arrangements for a range of major projects.

Andrew has a Bachelor of Business degree from the University of Technology, Sydney and is a professional member of the Finance and Treasury Association.

Andrew Slade

BEcon (Actuarial Studies)

Investment and Acquisitions Manager – Securitised Property

Andrew joined ALE in July 2005.

Andrew has 16 years experience in investment banking and structured finance. Andrew spent 10 years with Oxley Corporate Finance, where he was involved with a range of structured, project and property finance transactions, the latter involving major Australian companies and listed property trusts. For the last six years Andrew has acted as principal of Slade Financial Consulting, where he has provided advice on structured property and asset based financing arrangements for the private sector as well as for the NSW and SA Governments.

Andrew has a Bachelor of Economics degree, majoring in Actuarial Studies, from Macquarie University.

Brendan Howell

BEcon, GDipAppFin (Sec Inst)

Company Secretary and Compliance Officer

The company secretary is Mr Brendan Howell. Brendan was appointed to the position of company secretary in September 2003.

Brendan has a Bachelor of Economics from the University of Sydney and a Graduate Diploma in Applied Finance and Investment from the Securities Institute of Australia, and over 16 years experience in the funds management industry. He was formerly an associate member of both the Securities Institute of Australia and the Institute of Chartered Accountants in Australia. Brendan has a property and accounting background and has previously held senior positions with a leading Australian trustee company administering listed and unlisted property trusts. For over seven years Brendan has been directly involved with MIA Services Pty Limited, a company which specialises in funds management compliance, and acts

as an independent consultant and external compliance committee member for a number of property, equity and infrastructure funds managers. Brendan also acts as an independent director for several unlisted public companies, some of which act as responsible entities.

Darren Barkas

BCom, GDipAppFin (Sec Inst),
GradDipAppCorpGov, CPA, ACIS, F Fin
Group Financial Controller
and Assistant Company Secretary

Darren joined ALE as Property Trust Manager in January 2004 and was appointed Group Financial Controller and Assistant Company Secretary in March 2005.

Darren has 20 years experience in accounting, taxation, treasury, financial control and operational management inclusive of 10 years within property funds management. Darren previously held a number of senior financial positions within the property division of AMP Capital investors where, over a seven year period, he was responsible for a wide range of financial, taxation, unit pricing and registry functions for a number of listed and unlisted property funds. At ALE, Darren's experience has expanded to include company secretarial and property portfolio administration and management functions.

Darren has a Bachelor of Commerce degree from the University of Wollongong, a Graduate Diploma in Applied Finance and Investment from the Financial Services Institute of Australasia and a Graduate Diploma in Applied Corporate Governance from Chartered Secretaries Australia.

Darren is a member of CPA Australia, the Institute of Chartered Secretaries and Administrators and Chartered Secretaries Australia and is a fellow of the Financial Services Institute of Australasia.

property portfolio

106 properties strategically located

Our portfolio continues to go from strength to strength as we acquire quality properties well located in the areas in which people live and work.

BRISBANE/QUEENSLAND

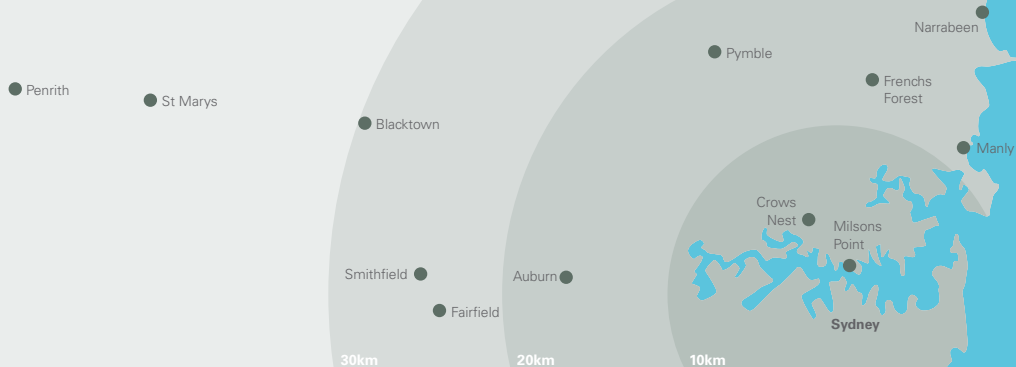


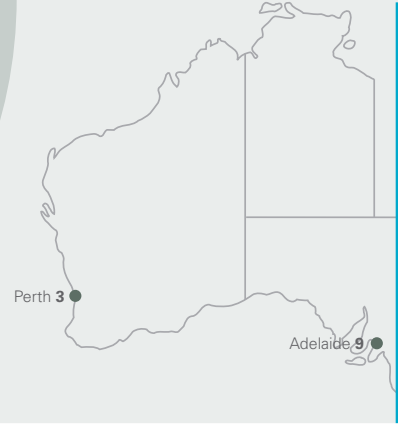
BREAKFAST CREEK HOTEL, BRISBANE, QLD



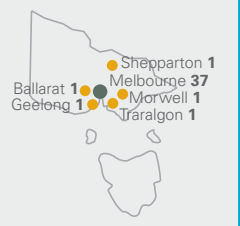
NEW BRIGHTON HOTEL, MANLY, NSW

SYDNEY/NEW SOUTH WALES





PERTH/WESTERN AUSTRALIA +
ADELAIDE/SOUTH AUSTRALIA



MELBOURNE/VICTORIA



NEW BRIGHTON HOTEL,
71 The Corso, Manly, NSW

Prime real estate set on a pedestrian mall and located 50m from the beach. Huge tourist destination, busy seven days a week.

NEW BRIGHTON HOTEL,
MANLY, NSW



NEW SOUTH WALES (INCLUDING SYDNEY CITY AND SUBURBAN LOCATIONS) – 12 HOTELS BLACKTOWN INN HOTEL, Blacktown, NSW /
BROWN JUG HOTEL, Fairfield, NSW / COLYTON HOTEL, St Marys, NSW / CROWS NEST HOTEL, Crows Nest, NSW /
KIRRIBILLI HOTEL, Milsons Point, NSW / MELTON HOTEL, Auburn, NSW / NARRABEEN SANDS HOTEL, Narrabeen, NSW /
NEW BRIGHTON HOTEL, Manly, NSW / PARKWAY HOTEL, Frenchs Forest, NSW / PIONEER TAVERN, Penrith, NSW /
PYMBLE HOTEL, Pymble, NSW / SMITHFIELD HOTEL, Smithfield, NSW



RAMSGATE HOTEL,
HENLEY BEACH, SA



RAMSGATE HOTEL,
328 Seaview Road, Henley Beach, SA

Popular local venue located right across the road from community amphitheatre, beach and pier.

SOUTH AUSTRALIA (INCLUDING ADELAIDE CITY AND SUBURBAN LOCATIONS) – 9 HOTELS ABERFOYLE HUB TAVERN, Aberfoyle Park, SA / ENFIELD HOTEL, Clearview, SA / EUREKA HOTEL, Salisbury, SA / EXETER HOTEL, Exeter, SA / FINSBURY HOTEL, Woodville North, SA / GEPPS CROSS, Blair Athol, SA / HENDON HOTEL, Royal Park, SA / STOCKADE TAVERN, Salisbury, SA / **RAMSGATE HOTEL, Henley Beach, SA**



SAIL AND ANCHOR PUB BREWERY,
64 South Terrace, Fremantle, WA

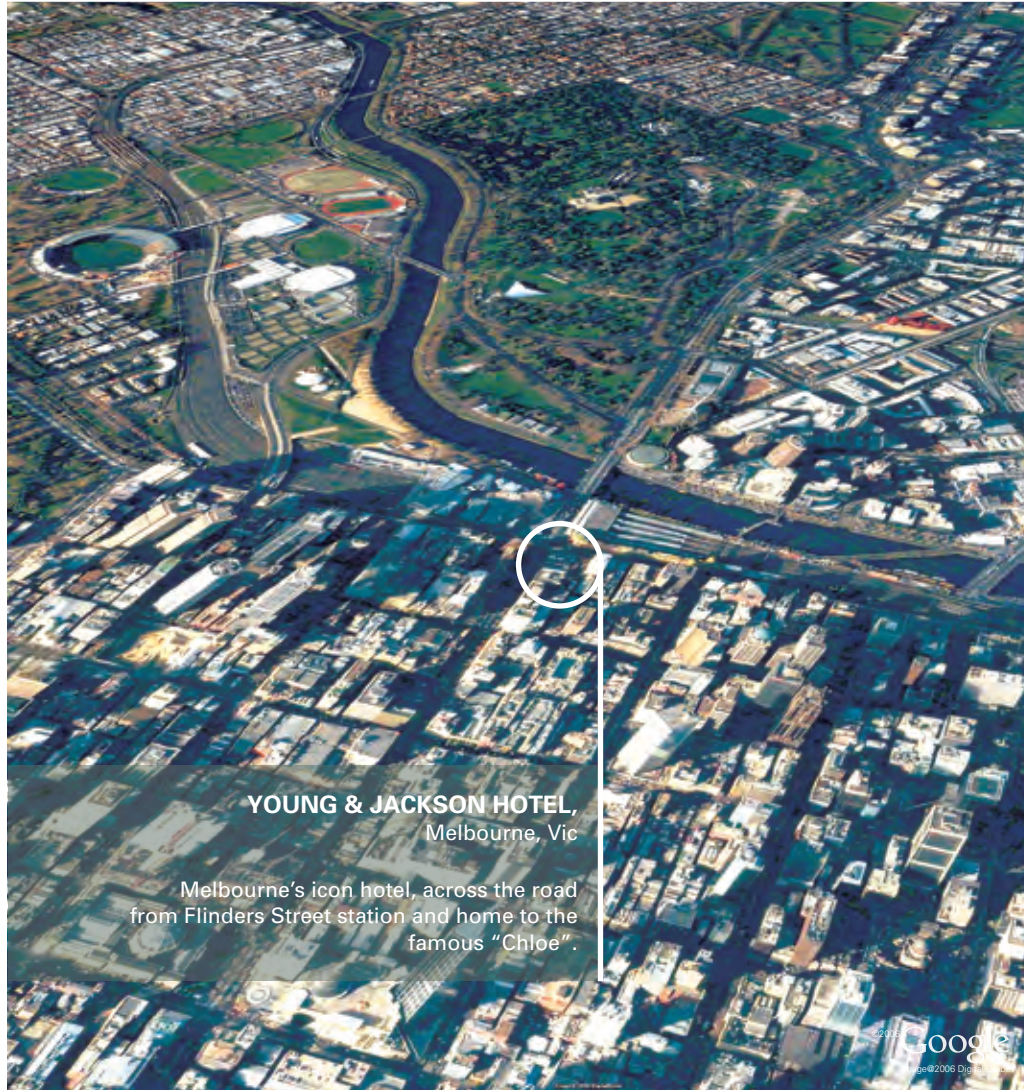
The premier hotel in the heart of Fremantle, in close proximity to parks, sporting fields and the marina.

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SAIL AND ANCHOR PUB
BREWERY, FREMANTLE, WA



WESTERN AUSTRALIA (INCLUDING PERTH CITY AND SUBURBAN LOCATIONS) – 3 HOTELS QUEENS TAVERN, Highgate, WA /
SAIL AND ANCHOR PUB BREWERY, Fremantle, WA / WANNEROO VILLA TAVERN, Wanneroo, WA



YOUNG & JACKSON HOTEL,
Melbourne, Vic

Melbourne's icon hotel, across the road from Flinders Street station and home to the famous "Chloe".

VICTORIA (INCLUDING MELBOURNE CITY AND SUBURBAN LOCATIONS) – 42 HOTELS ASHLEY HOTEL, Braybrook, Vic / BAYSWATER HOTEL, Bayswater, Vic / BERWICK INN, Melbourne, Vic / BLACKBURN HOTEL, Blackburn, Vic / BLUE BELL HOTEL, Wendouree, Vic / BURVALE HOTEL, Nunawading, Vic / CLUB HOTEL, Ferntree Gully, Vic / CRAMERS HOTEL, Preston, Vic / DAVEY'S HOTEL, Frankston, Vic / DEER PARK HOTEL, Deer Park, Vic / DONCASTER INN HOTEL, Doncaster, Vic / ELSTERNWICK HOTEL, Elwood, Vic / ELTHAM HOTEL, Eltham, Vic / FERNTREE GULLY HOTEL & MOTEL, Ferntree Gully, Vic / GATEWAY HOTEL, Corio, Vic / KEYSBOROUGH HOTEL, Keysborough, Vic / MAC'S HOTEL, Melton, Vic / MEADOW INN HOTEL, Fawkner, Vic / MITCHAM HOTEL, Mitcham, Vic / MORWELL HOTEL, Morwell, Vic / MOUNTAIN VIEW HOTEL, Glen Waverly, Vic / OLINDA CREEK HOTEL, Lilydale, Vic / PIER HOTEL/21ST CENTURY, Frankston, Vic / PLOUGH HOTEL, Mill Park, Vic / PRINCE MARK HOTEL, Doveton, Vic / RIFLE CLUB HOTEL, Williamstown, Vic / ROSE SHAMROCK AND THISTLE HOTEL, Reservoir, Vic / ROYAL EXCHANGE HOTEL, Traralgon, Vic / ROYAL HOTEL (SUNBURY), Sunbury, Vic / ROYAL HOTEL ESSENDON, Essendon, Vic / SANDBELT HOTEL, Moorabbin, Vic / SANDOWN PARK HOTEL, Noble Park, Vic / SANDRINGHAM HOTEL, Sandringham, Vic / SOMERVILLE HOTEL, Somerville, Vic / STAMFORD INN HOTEL, Rowville, Vic / SYLVANIA HOTEL, Campbellfield, Vic / TUDOR INN HOTEL, Cheltenham, Vic / THE VALE HOTEL (previously the Springvale Hotel), Mulgrave, Vic / VICTORIA HOTEL, Shepparton, Vic / VILLAGE GREEN HOTEL, Glen Waverly, Vic / WESTMEADOWS TAVERN, Westmeadows, Vic / **YOUNG & JACKSON HOTEL, Melbourne, Vic**

YOUNG & JACKSON HOTEL,
MELBOURNE, VIC



PELICAN WATERS HOTEL,
Pelican Waters Boulevard, Pelican Waters, Qld

Redeveloped in 2004, the Pelican Waters Hotel sits on the waterfront only 5km from Caloundra, on Queensland's beautiful Sunshine Coast.

PELICAN WATERS HOTEL,
PELICAN WATERS, QLD

QUEENSLAND COAST – 16 HOTELS ANGLERS ARMS HOTEL, Southport, Qld / BALACLAVA HOTEL, Cairns (Earlville), Qld / BURLEIGH HEADS HOTEL, Burleigh Heads, Qld / CBX HOTEL, Caloundra, Qld / DALRYMPLE HOTEL, Garbutt, Qld / EDGE HILL TAVERN, Manooora, Cairns, Qld / IMPERIAL HOTEL, Beenleigh, Qld / KIRWAN TAVERN, Townsville, Qld / MIAMI HOTEL, Miami, Qld / MOUNT PLEASANT HOTEL, North Mackay, Qld / NOOSA REEF HOTEL, Noosa Heads, Qld / PALM BEACH HOTEL, Palm Beach, Qld / **PELICAN WATERS HOTEL, Pelican Waters, Qld** / THE VALE HOTEL AND AIKENVALE MOTEL, (Aikenvale), Townsville, Qld / WILSONTON HOTEL, WILSONTON, Toowoomba, Qld / WOREE TAVERN, Woree, Cairns, Qld



BREAKFAST CREEK HOTEL,
2 Kingsford Smith Drive, Breakfast Creek, Qld

Set at the mouth of Breakfast Creek on the Brisbane River, the Breakfast Creek Hotel is arguably the most famous watering hole in Queensland.

**BREAKFAST CREEK HOTEL,
BREAKFAST CREEK, QLD**



QUEENSLAND (INCLUDING BRISBANE CITY AND SUBURBAN LOCATIONS) – 24 HOTELS ALBANY CREEK TAVERN, Albany Creek, Qld / ALBION HOTEL, Albion, Qld / ALDERLEY ARMS HOTEL, Alderley, Qld / **BREAKFAST CREEK HOTEL, Breakfast Creek, Qld** / CAMP HILL HOTEL, Camp Hill, Qld / CHARDONS CORNER HOTEL, Annerly, Qld / EDINBURGH CASTLE HOTEL, Kedron, Qld / FERNY GROVE TAVERN, Ferny Grove, Qld / FOUR MILE CREEK, Strathpine, Qld / HAMILTON HOTEL, Hamilton, Qld / HOLLAND PARK HOTEL, Holland Park, Qld / KEDRON PARK HOTEL, Kedron Park, Qld / LAWNTON TAVERN, Lawnton, Qld / MT GRAVATT HOTEL, Mt Gravatt, Qld / NUDGEE BEACH HOTEL, Nudgee, Qld / OXFORD 152, Bulimba, Qld / PETRIE HOTEL, Petrie, Qld / PRINCE OF WALES, Nundah, Qld / RACEHORSE HOTEL, Booval, Qld / REDLAND BAY HOTEL, Redland Bay, Qld / ROYAL EXCHANGE HOTEL, Toowong, Qld / SPRINGWOOD TAVERN, Springwood, Qld / STONES CORNER TAVERN, Stones Corner, Qld / SUNNYBANK HOTEL, Sunnybank, Qld

BOARD OF DIRECTORS



PETER WARNE



ANDREW WILKINSON



JOHN HENDERSON



JAMES McNALLY



HELEN WRIGHT

Peter H Warne BA

Chairman and Independent Director

Peter was appointed as Chairman and non-executive director of the Company in September 2003.

Peter began his career with the NSW Government Actuary's Office and the NSW Superannuation Board before joining Bankers Trust Australia Limited (BTAL) in 1981. Peter held senior positions in the Fixed Income Department, the Capital Markets Division and the Financial Markets Group of BTAL and acted as a consultant to assist with integration issues when the investment banking business of BTAL was acquired by Macquarie Bank Limited in 1999.

Peter is also a board member of two other listed entities being ASX Limited and Macquarie Capital Alliance Group.

Peter graduated from Macquarie University with a Bachelor of Arts, majoring in Actuarial Studies. He qualified as an associate of, and received a Certificate of Finance and Investment from, the Institute of Actuaries, London.

Andrew Wilkinson BBus, CFTP

Managing Director

Andrew's qualifications and experience are outlined on page 13.

John Henderson BBldg, MRICS, AAPI

Independent Director

John was appointed as a non-executive director of the Company in August 2003.

John has been a Director of Marks Henderson Pty Ltd since 2001 and is actively involved in the acquisition of investment property. Previously an International Director at Jones Lang LaSalle and Managing Director of the Sales and Investment Division, he was responsible for overseeing the larger property sales across Australasia, liaising with institutional and private investors, and coordinating international investment activities.

John graduated from the University of Melbourne and is a member of the Royal Institution of Chartered Surveyors, is an associate of the Australian Property Institute and is a licensed real estate agent.

James McNally BBus (Land Economy), DipLaw

Executive Director

James was appointed as an executive director of the Company in June 2003.

James has over 12 years experience in the funds management industry having worked in both property trust administration and compliance roles for Perpetual Trustees Australia Limited and MIA Services Pty Limited, a company that specialises in compliance services to the funds management industry.

James provides compliance and management services to several Australian fund managers. He is currently an external member on a number of compliance committees for various responsible entities and acts as a Responsible Officer for a number of companies that hold an Australian Financial Services Licence, including the Company.

James' qualifications include a Bachelor of Business in Land Economy (Hawkesbury Agricultural College) and a Diploma of Law (Legal Practitioners Admission Board). He is a registered valuer and licensed real estate agent.

Helen Wright LLB, MAICD

Independent Director

Helen was appointed as a non-executive director of the Company in September 2003.

Helen was a partner of Freehills, a leading Australian firm of lawyers, from 1986 to 2003. She practised as a commercial lawyer specialising in real estate projects including development and financing and related taxation and stamp duties. Helen is the Statutory and Other Offices Remuneration Tribunal for NSW and serves on the Province Management Advisory Council of the Little Company of Mary (Calvary Hospitals). Until recently Helen was a member of the Boards of the Sydney Harbour Foreshore Authority, Australian Technology Park Precinct Management, and Cooks Cove Redevelopment Authority and was Deputy Chair of the Australia Day Council of NSW to December 2002. Prior boards include Darling Harbour Authority, UNSW Press Limited and MLC Homepack Limited.

Helen has a Bachelor of Laws from the University of NSW, and in 1994 completed the Advanced Management Program at the Harvard Graduate School of Business.

The Board of Directors of Australian Leisure and Entertainment Property Management Limited (the "Company") is accountable to stapled security holders for the performance of ALE.

Set out below is a summary of the main corporate governance practices of ALE. These practices have been in effect during the year ended 30 June 2006.

Roles of the Board and management

The Board's responsibilities encompass the following:

- 1 review and approval of the strategic direction of ALE
- 2 oversight of ALE, including its controls and accountability systems
- 3 appointing and, where appropriate, removing the Managing Director (MD)
- 4 ratifying the appointment of and, where appropriate, the removal of the Acquisitions Manager, Group Financial Controller and the Company Secretary
- 5 input to and final approval of management's development of corporate strategy and performance objectives
- 6 review and ratification of systems of risk management and internal compliance and control, codes of conduct, and legal compliance
- 7 monitoring of senior management performance and implementation of strategy, and ensuring appropriate resources are available
- 8 approving and monitoring the progress of major capital expenditure, capital management, acquisitions and divestitures
- 9 approving and monitoring financial and other reporting, and
- 10 establishing and maintaining ethical standards.

The Board delegates to the MD responsibility for implementing strategic direction, and for managing the day-to-day operations of ALE. The MD consults with the Chairman, in the first place, on matters which are sensitive, extraordinary or of a strategic nature.

In carrying out its responsibilities, the Board undertakes to serve the interests of stapled security holders, employees, customers and the broader community honestly, fairly, diligently and in accordance with applicable laws.

Board composition

The full Board determines the Board size and composition, subject to limits imposed by the Company's Constitution.

The Board has determined that it is currently appropriate to have five directors, three of whom, including the Chairman, are non-executive.

The three non-executive directors, Peter Warne, John Henderson and Helen Wright, are independent directors as defined under section 601JA of the Corporations Act, and satisfy the principles of independence as outlined in the ASX Corporate Governance Council Recommendations.

The Chairman is selected by the full Board annually at the first meeting following the annual general meeting (AGM), and is an independent director.

The Board has implemented an annual performance evaluation process for management, directors, the Board and its committees. Part of this process is to also ensure that the Board and its committees maintain an appropriate balance of skills, experience and expertise.

Details of the performance evaluation process for management are set out in the directors' report in the financial report commencing on page 30.

To assist the Board in undertaking its own performance evaluation and that of directors, last year it appointed a specialist governance adviser to review the performance of the Board.

The adviser's report was favourable and provided a number of minor suggestions that the Board has considered going forward to further enhance current practice.

During the second half of this year, the Board will review its own performance and that of its directors and committees, and will continue to undertake these reviews on an annual basis. The Board may obtain the assistance of external consultants where required to assist it in this process.

Under the Company's Constitution, a director may not hold office for a continuous period in excess of three years or past the third annual general meeting following the director's appointment, whichever is the longer, without submitting for re-election. If no director would otherwise be required to submit for re-election but the ASX Listing Rules require that an election of directors be held, the director to retire at the AGM is

the director who has been longest in office since their last election.

Peter Warne and Helen Wright will be retiring and standing for re-election as directors of the Company at its next AGM.

Independent professional advice

After prior approval of the Chairman, directors may obtain independent professional advice at the expense of the Company on matters arising in the course of their Board duties.

Ethics and conduct

In accordance with ALE'S Code of Conduct, all directors and employees are expected to perform their duties professionally and act with the utmost integrity and objectivity, striving at all times to enhance the reputation and performance of ALE.

Audit, Compliance and Risk Management Committee

To assist it in carrying out its responsibilities, the Board has established an Audit, Compliance and Risk Management Committee. This is a standing committee that is composed of four members, being three non-executive independent directors and an independent consultant.

Helen Wright, an independent director, has been appointed as Chair of the Committee. The other members of the Committee are Peter Warne and John Henderson, also independent directors, and independent consultant David Lawler.

The Audit, Compliance and Risk Management Committee meets at least four times a year.

As the Board comprises 50% or more independent directors, an independent compliance committee has not been appointed. The Board has, however, determined that the Audit, Compliance and Risk Management Committee fulfil this role.

Details of the members of the Audit, Compliance and Risk Management Committee and their attendance at meetings are set out in the directors' report in the financial report on page 30.

Given the small number of staff within the Company, the Company does not have an internal audit function.

Board and executive remuneration

Details of Board and executive remuneration are set out in the directors' report in the financial report commencing on page 30.

Independence and materiality thresholds

The Board considers that a director is independent if the director is a non-executive director and:

- 1 is not a substantial shareholder of the Company or an officer of, or otherwise associated directly with, a substantial shareholder of the Company
- 2 within the last three years has not been employed in an executive capacity by the Company or another Group member; or been a director after ceasing to hold any such employment
- 3 within the last three years has not been a principal of a material professional adviser or a material consultant to the Company or another Group member, or an employee materially associated with the service provided
- 4 is not a material supplier or customer of the Company or other Group member, or an officer of or otherwise associated directly or indirectly with a material supplier or customer
- 5 has no material contractual relationship with the Company or another Group member other than as a director of the Company
- 6 has not served on the Board for a period which could, or could reasonably be perceived to, materially interfere with the director's ability to act in the best interests of the Company, and
- 7 is free from any interest and any business or other relationship which could, or could reasonably be perceived to, materially interfere with the director's ability to act in the best interests of the Company.

Peter Warne is also a director and the Chairman of Next Financial Limited (Next Financial) which acts as an Investment Manager. Next Financial holds on behalf of its clients 4,254,837 stapled securities in the ALE Property Group. Peter Warne is not involved in any of the decision making processes regarding Next Financial's holding in the ALE Property Group. Procedures have been put into place to ensure Peter Warne's independence and confidentiality of information are maintained.

Remuneration Committee

The Board has established a Remuneration Committee composed of three non-executive independent directors. Peter Warne is chairman of the Committee.

Details of members and meetings held are set out in the directors' report in the financial report on page 30.

Trading in securities

ALE has a Trading Policy with which all directors and employees must comply. Directors, employees and their associates may not utilise information obtained by their position for personal gain or for gain of another person. Each director and employee must ensure that any information in their possession that is not publicly available and which may have a material effect on the price or value of ALE's stapled securities, ALE Notes or any derivatives based on either of these (collectively "ALE Securities") is not provided to anyone who may be influenced to subscribe for, buy or sell ALE Securities.

Directors, employees and their associates may buy or sell ALE Securities only during the four week periods following:

- the release of the half-year results
- the release of the full-year results, and
- close of the AGM.

The Chairman may, in special circumstances, authorise the sale by a director or employee of ALE Securities outside the relevant four week periods outlined above.

All directors and employees are also precluded from buying or selling ALE Securities at any time if they are aware of price sensitive information that has not been made public.

In accordance with provisions of the Corporations Act 2001 and the Listing Rules of the ASX, directors advise the ASX of any transaction conducted by them in ALE Securities.

Details of directors' and employees' holdings in ALE Securities are set out in the directors' report in the financial report on page 29.

Investor relations

ALE is committed to the provision of timely, full and accurate disclosure of material information concerning ALE. ALE has a policy that security holders have equal access to ALE's information and has procedures to ensure that all price sensitive information is disclosed to the ASX in accordance with the continuous disclosure requirements of the Corporations Act 2001 and the Listing Rules of the ASX.

The Board encourages full participation of security holders at the AGM. The external auditor will attend the AGM to answer any questions concerning the audit and content of the auditor's report.

ALE website

All information provided to the ASX is also posted on the ALE website, www.alegroup.com.au.

The ALE website includes various corporate governance documents and policies, such as the Board's Charter, ALE's Code of Conduct and the Audit, Compliance and Risk Management Committee's Charter.

Distributions

Distributions are paid to security holders every six months.

ASX Corporate Governance Council Principles

ALE has adopted best practice corporate governance principles consistent with the ASX Corporate Governance Council Principles of Good Corporate Governance and Best Practice Recommendations.

ALE has not fully complied with the following recommendation:

- 2.4 – Nomination Committee
Given the number of staff employed by the Company and the size of the Board, the Board has determined that it does not require a separate Nomination Committee and that the Board will fulfil these functions.

ALE PROPERTY GROUP ANNUAL FINANCIAL REPORT 30 JUNE 2006

COMPRISING AUSTRALIAN LEISURE AND ENTERTAINMENT
PROPERTY TRUST AND ITS CONTROLLED ENTITIES

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The ALE Property Group ("ALE") comprises Australian Leisure and Entertainment Property Trust ("Trust") and its controlled entities being ALE Direct Property Trust ("Sub-Trust"), ALE Finance Company Pty Limited ("Finance Company") and Australian Leisure and Entertainment Property Management Limited ("Company") as the responsible entity of the Trust.

The registered office and principal place of business of the Company is:

Level 8
15-19 Bent Street
Sydney 2000

The directors of the Company present their report, together with the consolidated financial report of ALE for the year ended 30 June 2006.

Directors

The following persons were directors of the Company during the year and up to the date of this report unless otherwise stated:

| Name | Type | Appointed |
|-------------------------------------|---------------|------------------|
| P H Warne (Chairman) | Non-executive | 8 September 2003 |
| J P Henderson | Non-executive | 19 August 2003 |
| H I Wright | Non-executive | 8 September 2003 |
| A F O Wilkinson (Managing Director) | Executive | 16 November 2004 |
| J T McNally | Executive | 26 June 2003 |

Principal activities

During the year the principal activities of ALE consisted of investment in property and property funds management. There has been no significant change in the nature of these activities during the year.

Significant changes in the state of affairs

In the opinion of the directors, there were no significant changes in the state of affairs of ALE that occurred during the year.

Matters subsequent to the end of the financial year

The directors are not aware of any matter or circumstance occurring after balance date which may affect ALE's operations, the results of those operations or the state of affairs of ALE.

Likely developments and expected results of operations

ALE will continue to maintain its defined strategy of identifying opportunities to increase the profitability of ALE and its value to its stapled security holders.

In accordance with the leases of its investment properties, ALE will receive increases in rental income in line with increases in the consumer price index. The directors are not aware of any other future developments likely to significantly affect the operations and/or results of ALE.

Distributions and dividends

Trust distributions paid or payable to stapled security holders during the year were as follows:

| | 2006 \$'000 | 2005 \$'000 |
|---|----------------|----------------|
| Final Trust distribution for the year ended 30 June 2006 of 9.20 cents (2005: 6.60 cents) per stapled security to be paid on 31 August 2006 | 8,354 | 5,993 |
| Interim Trust distribution for the year ended 30 June 2006 of 6.80 cents (2005: 6.25 cents) per stapled security paid on 28 February 2006 | 6,174 | 5,675 |
| Total full year distribution for the year ended 30 June 2006 16.00 cents (2005: 12.85 cents) | 14,528 | 11,668 |

No provisions for or payments of Company dividends have been made during the year (2005: nil).

Review and results of operations

ALE achieved a net profit in accordance with Australian equivalents to International Financial Reporting Standards (AIFRS) of \$52.2 million for the year ended 30 June 2006. With the introduction of AIFRS reporting standards, this amount includes several items not included in last year's accounting results. Figures for the year ending 30 June 2005 are shown in accordance with AIFRS.

The directors have produced a table below which separates the cash profit available to be distributed to stapled security holders and the non-cash items which make up the total net profit. The directors believe this will help stapled security holders gain a more complete understanding of the results of operations of ALE.

| | CONSOLIDATED | |
|--|------------------------|------------------------|
| | 30 June 2006 \$'000 | 30 June 2005 \$'000 |
| Distributable profit from operations | | |
| Property income (including rent and interest) | 47,586 | 45,996 |
| Interest income from cash deposits | 1,181 | 1,175 |
| Management expenses | (4,006) | (2,989) |
| Land tax | (1,151) | (1,139) |
| Interest expenses (cash – including swaps and refinancing) | (29,032) | (31,342) |
| Total distributable profit | 14,578 | 11,701 |
| Other profit items | | |
| Fair value adjustments to investment properties | 50,256 | 74,800 |
| Fair value adjustments to derivatives | 7,028 | – |
| Finance costs (non-cash) | (18,227) | (6,429) |
| Income tax expense/(benefit) | (1,428) | 49 |
| Total other profit items | 37,629 | 68,420 |
| Total net profit | 52,207 | 80,121 |

Distributable profit per stapled security for the year ended 30 June 2006 is 16.06 cents, an increase of 25% over last year. After all fair value movements, basic earnings per stapled security for the year ended 30 June 2006 are 57.50 cents per stapled security.

| | Note | CONSOLIDATED | |
|--|-------|-----------------------|-----------------------|
| | | 30 June 2006 Cents | 30 June 2005 Cents |
| Earnings and distribution per stapled security: | | | |
| Basic and diluted earnings per stapled security | 10(a) | 57.50 | 88.24 |
| Distributable earnings per stapled security (i.e. basic earnings before fair value, income tax and other adjustments) | 10(b) | 16.06 | 12.89 |
| Distribution per stapled security for the year | 10(c) | 16.00 | 12.85 |

Summary of financial highlights:

Distributable profit increased by 25% to \$14.6 million.

Distributions paid increased by 25% to 16.00 cents per stapled security.

Total property portfolio value increased by 10.2% to \$717.6 million.

Net assets per stapled security increased by 22% to \$2.64 per stapled security.

Information on directors

Mr Peter Warne B.A,
Chairman and Non-executive Director.

Experience and expertise

Peter was appointed as Chairman and non-executive director of the Company in September 2003.

Peter began his career with the NSW Government Actuary's Office and the NSW Superannuation Board before joining Bankers Trust Australia Limited (BTAL) in 1981. Peter held senior positions in the Fixed Income Department, the Capital Markets Division and the Financial Markets Group of BTAL and acted as a consultant to assist with integration issues when the investment banking business of BTAL was acquired by Macquarie Bank Limited in 1999.

Peter is also a board member of two other listed entities being ASX Limited and Macquarie Capital Alliance Group.

Peter graduated from Macquarie University with a Bachelor of Arts, majoring in Actuarial Studies. He qualified as an associate of, and received a Certificate of Finance and Investment from, the Institute of Actuaries, London.

Mr John Henderson B.Bldg, MRICS, AAPI,
Non-executive Director.

Experience and expertise

John was appointed as a non-executive director of the Company in August 2003.

John has been a Director of Marks Henderson Pty Ltd since 2001 and is actively involved in the acquisition of investment property. Previously an International Director at Jones Lang LaSalle and Managing Director of the Sales and Investment Division, he was responsible for overseeing the larger property sales across Australasia, liaising with institutional and private investors, and coordinating international investment activities.

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Ms Helen Wright LL.B, MAICD,
Non-executive Director.

Experience and expertise

Helen was appointed as a non-executive director of the Company in September 2003.

Helen was a partner of Freehills, a leading Australian firm of lawyers, from 1986 to 2003. She practised as a commercial lawyer specialising in real estate projects including development and financing and related taxation and stamp duties. Helen is the Statutory and Other Offices Remuneration Tribunal for NSW and serves on the Province Management Advisory Council of the Little Company of Mary (Calvary Hospitals). Until recently Helen was a member of the Boards of the Sydney Harbour Foreshore Authority, Australian Technology Park Precinct Management, and Cooks Cove Redevelopment Authority and was Deputy Chair of the Australia Day Council of NSW to December 2002. Prior boards include Darling Harbour Authority, UNSW Press Limited and MLC Homepack Limited.

Helen has a Bachelor of Laws from the University of NSW, and in 1994 completed the Advanced Management Program at the Harvard Graduate School of Business.

Mr Andrew Wilkinson B. Bus CFTP,
Managing Director.

Experience and expertise

Andrew was appointed Managing Director of the Company in November 2004. He joined ALE as Chief Executive Officer at the time of its listing in November 2003.

Andrew has over 25 years experience in banking, corporate finance and funds management.

He was previously a corporate finance partner with PricewaterhouseCoopers where he specialised in providing financial and strategic advice on significant property and infrastructure portfolios. Over his eight year period with the firm he held a number of senior positions and was also one of the founding members of the NSW Government's Infrastructure Council.

Andrew's prior career also includes 15 years in finance and investment banking with organisations including ANZ Capel Court and Schroders where he was involved in leading the financing arrangements for a range of major projects.

Andrew has a Bachelor of Business degree from the University of Technology, Sydney and is a professional member of the Finance and Treasury Association.

Mr James McNally B.Bus (Land Economy), Dip. Law,
Executive Director.

Experience and expertise

James was appointed as an executive director of the Company in June 2003.

James has over 12 years experience in the funds management industry having worked in both property trust administration and compliance roles for Perpetual Trustees Australia Limited and MIA Services Pty Limited, a company that specialises in compliance services to the funds management industry.

James provides compliance and management services to several Australian fund managers. He is currently an external member on a number of compliance committees for various responsible entities and acts as a Responsible Officer for a number of companies that hold an Australian Financial Services Licence, including the Company.

James' qualifications include a Bachelor of Business in Land Economy (Hawkesbury Agricultural College) and a Diploma of Law (Legal Practitioners Admission Board). He is a registered valuer and licensed real estate agent.

Company Secretary

The company secretary is Mr Brendan Howell. Brendan was appointed to the position of company secretary in September 2003.

Brendan has a Bachelor of Economics from the University of Sydney and a Graduate Diploma in Applied Finance and Investment from the Securities Institute of Australia, and over 16 years experience in the funds management industry. He was formerly an associate member of both the Securities Institute of Australia and the Institute of Chartered Accountants in Australia. Brendan has a property and accounting background and has previously held senior positions with a leading Australian trustee company administering listed and unlisted property trusts. For over seven years Brendan has been directly involved with MIA Services Pty Limited, a company which specialises in funds management compliance, and acts as an independent consultant and external compliance committee member for a number of property, equity and infrastructure funds managers. Brendan also acts as an independent director for several unlisted public companies, some of which act as responsible entities.

Independent member of Audit, Compliance and Risk Management Committee (ACRMC)

Mr David Lawler B.Bus, CPA,
Independent ACRMC Member

Experience and expertise

David was appointed to ALE's ACRMC on 9 December 2005 and has 25 years experience in internal auditing in the banking and finance industry. He was the Chief Audit Executive for Citibank in the Philippines, Italy, Switzerland, Mexico, Brazil, Australia and Hong Kong. He was Group Auditor for the Commonwealth Bank of Australia.

David is an audit committee member of the Australian Office of Financial Management, the Defence Materiel Organisation, Austrade, the Australian Sports Anti-Doping Authority and the Australian National University.

David has a Bachelor of Business Studies from Manchester Metropolitan University in the UK. He is a Fellow of CPA Australia and President of the Institute of Internal Auditors – Australia.

Directorships of listed entities within the last three years

The following director held directorships of other listed entities within the last three years and from the date appointed up to the date of this report unless otherwise stated:

| Director | Directorships of listed entities | Type | Appointed |
|-----------|--|---------------|---------------|
| P H Warne | SFE Corporation Limited ^(a) | Non-executive | October 2000 |
| P H Warne | Australian Stock Exchange Limited | Non-executive | July 2006 |
| P H Warne | Macquarie Capital Alliance Group | Non-executive | February 2005 |

(a) In July 2006, the Australian Stock Exchange Limited (ASX) and SFE Corporation Limited (SFE) merged with the SFE becoming a wholly owned subsidiary of the ASX. Peter was appointed to the board of the ASX on 25 July 2006.

Special responsibilities of directors

The following are the special responsibilities of each director:

| Directors | Special responsibilities |
|-----------------|--|
| P H Warne | Chairman of the Board. Member of the Audit, Compliance and Risk Management Committee (ACRMC) (resigned as Chairman on 15 August 2005, continuing as member). Chairman of the Remuneration Committee. |
| J P Henderson | Member of the ACRMC. Member of the Remuneration Committee. |
| H I Wright | Chair of the ACRMC (appointed Chair 15 August 2005). Member of the Remuneration Committee. |
| A F O Wilkinson | Chief Executive Officer and Managing Director of the Company. Responsible Officer of the Company under the Company's Australian Financial Services Licence (AFSL). |
| J T McNally | Responsible Officer of the Company under its AFSL. |

Key management personnel interests in stapled securities and options

The following key management personnel and their associates held or currently hold the following stapled securities in ALE:

| Name | Role | Number held at the start of the year | Purchases/(sales) | Number held at 30 June 2006 |
|-----------------|-------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|-------------------|-----------------------------|
| P H Warne | Non-executive Director | 453,400 | 196,600 | 650,000 |
| J P Henderson | Non-executive Director | 40,000 | 15,000 | 55,000 |
| H I Wright | Non-executive Director | 100,000 | – | 100,000 |
| A F O Wilkinson | Executive Director | 51,998 | 16,002 | 68,000 |
| A J Slade | Investment and Acquisitions Manager | – | 12,000 | 12,000 |
| D S Barkas | Group Financial Controller | 46,810 | 1,517 | 48,327 |

The following director currently holds options over stapled securities of ALE:

| Name | Director | Number held at the start of the year | Purchases/(sales) | Number held at 30 June 2006 |
|-----------------|--------------------|--------------------------------------|-------------------|-----------------------------|
| A F O Wilkinson | Executive Director | 300,000 | – | 300,000 |

Meetings of directors

The numbers of meetings of the Company's board of directors and of each Board committee held during the year ended 30 June 2006 and the number of meetings attended by each director at the time the director held office during the year were:

| Director | BOARD MEETINGS | | AUDIT, COMPLIANCE AND RISK MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE MEETINGS | | REMUNERATION COMMITTEE MEETINGS | |
|-----------------|-------------------|----------|--|----------|---------------------------------|----------|
| | Held ¹ | Attended | Held ¹ | Attended | Held ¹ | Attended |
| P H Warne | 15 | 15 | 5 | 5 | 2 | 2 |
| J P Henderson | 15 | 15 | 5 | 5 | 2 | 2 |
| H I Wright | 15 | 15 | 5 | 5 | 2 | 2 |
| A F O Wilkinson | 15 | 15 | – | – | – | – |
| J T McNally | 15 | 15 | – | – | – | – |
| Member of ACRMC | | | | | | |
| D J Lawler | – | – | 3 | 2 | – | – |

1 "Held" reflects the number of meetings which the director or member was eligible to attend.

Remuneration report

The remuneration report is set out under the following main headings:

- A Principles used to determine the nature and amount of remuneration
- B Details of remuneration
- C Service agreements
- D Equity based compensation

The information provided under these headings includes remuneration disclosures that are required under Accounting Standard AASB 124 Related Party Disclosures. These disclosures have been transferred from the financial report and have been audited.

A Principles used to determine the nature and amount of remuneration (audited)

The objectives of the Company's executive reward framework is to ensure that reward for performance is transparent, reasonable, competitive and appropriate for the results delivered. The framework aligns executive reward with achievement of strategic objectives and creation of value for the stapled security holders, and conforms with market best practice for the delivery of reward.

The Board ensures that executive reward satisfies the following key criteria for good reward governance practices:

- competitiveness and reasonableness
- acceptability to the stapled security holders
- performance linkage/alignment of executive compensation
- transparency
- capital management.

In consultation with external remuneration consultants, the Company has structured an executive remuneration framework that is market competitive and complementary to the reward strategy of the organisation.

Alignment to stapled security holders' interests:

- has economic profit as a core component of plan design
- focuses on sustained growth in stapled security holder wealth, consisting of distributions, dividends and growth in the stapled security price and delivering constant return on assets as well as focusing the executive on key non-financial drivers of value
- attracts and retains high calibre executives.

Alignment to the reward framework's participants' interests:

- rewards capability and experience
- reflects competitive reward for contribution to growth in stapled security holders' wealth
- provides a clear structure for earning rewards
- provides recognition for contribution.

Remuneration report (continued)

The framework provides a mix of fixed and variable pay and a blend of short and long-term incentives. As executives gain seniority within the Company, the balance of this mix shifts to a higher proportion of "at risk" rewards, depending upon the nature of the executive's new role.

The overall level of executive reward takes into account the performance of ALE over a number of periods with greater emphasis given to the current year. Over the past year ended 30 June 2006 the total return on ALE's stapled securities (inclusive of distribution returns) was 39.4% (2005: 68.4%).

Non-executive directors

Fees and payments to non-executive directors reflect the demands which are made on and the responsibilities of the directors. Non-executive directors' fees and payments were set by the Board in September 2003. The Board may obtain the advice of independent remuneration consultants to ensure that non-executive directors' fees and payments are appropriate and in line with the market. The Chairman's fees are determined independently from the fees of the non-executive directors, based on comparative roles in the external market. The Chairman is not present at any discussion relating to the determination of his own remuneration. Non-executive directors do not receive options over shares.

Directors' fees

The current base remuneration was set in September 2003. The directors' fees are inclusive of committee fees.

Non-executive directors' fees are determined within an aggregate directors' fee pool limit which will be periodically recommended for approval by shareholders. The maximum currently stands at \$335,000 per annum, comprised of \$260,000 per annum for non-executive directors and \$75,000 per annum for the executive director (inclusive of a responsible officer fee of \$5,000 per annum) and excluding the managing director's remuneration. The maximum amount for non-executive directors can only be increased at a general meeting of the Company.

Retirement allowances for directors

No retirement allowances for directors are offered by the Company in line with recent guidance on non-executive directors' remuneration.

Executive pay

The executive pay and reward framework has three components, the combination of which comprises the executive's total remuneration:

- base pay and benefits
- short-term performance incentives
- other remuneration such as superannuation.

Base pay and benefits

Structured as a total employment cost package which may be delivered as a combination of cash and prescribed non-cash benefits at the discretion of the executives and the Board.

Executives are offered a competitive base pay that comprises the fixed component of their remuneration. External remuneration consultants provide analysis and advice to ensure base pay is set to reflect the market for comparable roles. Base

pay for senior executives is reviewed annually to ensure that executive pay is competitive with the market. Executive pay is also reviewed on promotion.

There is no guaranteed base pay increase in any executive contract.

Short-term incentives (STI)

The short-term incentive arrangements in place at the Company have been designed to link annual STI bonus awards to executive performance against agreed key performance indicators (KPIs) including the financial performance of the Company during the year in question.

Each executive has a target STI opportunity depending on the accountabilities of the role and the impact on the performance of the Company.

Each year the remuneration committee considers the appropriate targets and KPIs to link the STI plan and the level of payout if targets are met. This includes setting any maximum payout under the STI plan and minimum levels of performance to trigger payments of STI.

For the year ended 30 June 2006, the KPIs link to STI plans were based on Company, individual, business and personal objectives. The KPIs required performance in managing operating and funding costs, compliance with legislative requirements, risk management, increasing security holder value as well as other key strategic non-financial measures linked to drivers of performance in future economic periods.

The Board is responsible for assessing whether the KPIs have been met. To facilitate this assessment, the Board receives detailed reports on performance from management.

The STI payments may be adjusted up or down in line with over or under achievement against the target performance levels. This is at the discretion of the Board.

The STI target annual payment is reviewed annually.

Long-term incentives (LTI)

A long-term incentive in the form of options over ALE stapled securities, exercisable between November 2006 and November 2007 (except if the Company is subject to takeover, then to February 2007) was provided to the Managing Director, Mr Wilkinson, in November 2003 at an issue price of \$1.036.

Stapled security options granted

No options over unissued shares of the Company or of the unissued units of the Trust were granted during or since the end of the financial year.

Remuneration report (continued)
B Details of remuneration (audited)
Amount of remuneration

Details of the remuneration of the key management personnel for the current year and for the comparative year are set out below in tables 1 and 2. The cash bonuses are dependent on the satisfaction of performance conditions as set out in the section headed "Short-term incentives", above. All other elements of remuneration are not directly related to performance.

Table 1 Remuneration details 1 July 2005 to 30 June 2006

Details of the remuneration of the key management personnel for the year ended 30 June 2006 are set out in the following table:

| KEY MANAGEMENT PERSONNEL | | SHORT-TERM EMPLOYEE BENEFITS | | | POST EMPLOYMENT BENEFITS | EQUITY BASED PAYMENT | |
|--------------------------|--|------------------------------|-----------------|------------------------|--------------------------------|----------------------------|-------------|
| Name | Role | Salary and fees \$ | STI bonus \$ | Non- monetary \$ | Superannuation \$ | Options \$ | Total \$ |
| P H Warne | Non-executive Director | 110,092 | – | – | 9,908 | – | 120,000 |
| J P Henderson | Non-executive Director | 70,000 | – | – | – | – | 70,000 |
| H I Wright | Non-executive Director | 64,220 | – | – | 5,780 | – | 70,000 |
| A F O Wilkinson | Executive Director | 261,758 | 100,000 | – | 12,139 | 7,993 | 381,890 |
| J T McNally | Executive Director | 75,000 | – | – | – | – | 75,000 |
| B R Howell | Company Secretary | 75,000 | – | – | – | – | 75,000 |
| A J Slade | Investment and Acquisitions Manager | 138,831 | 40,000 | – | 11,539 | – | 190,370 |
| D S Barkas | Group Financial Controller | 99,803 | 20,000 | 26,600 | 10,477 | – | 156,880 |
| | | 894,704 | 160,000 | 26,600 | 49,843 | 7,993 | 1,139,140 |

Table 2 Remuneration details 1 July 2004 to 30 June 2005

Details of the remuneration of the key management personnel for the year ended 30 June 2005 are set out in the following table:

| KEY MANAGEMENT PERSONNEL | | SHORT-TERM EMPLOYEE BENEFITS | | | POST EMPLOYMENT BENEFITS | EQUITY BASED PAYMENT | |
|--------------------------|----------------------------|------------------------------|-----------------|------------------------|--------------------------------|----------------------------|-------------|
| Name | Role | Salary and fees \$ | STI bonus \$ | Non- monetary \$ | Superannuation \$ | Options \$ | Total \$ |
| P H Warne | Non-executive Director | 110,092 | – | – | 9,908 | – | 120,000 |
| J P Henderson | Non-executive Director | 70,000 | – | – | – | – | 70,000 |
| H I Wright | Non-executive Director | 64,220 | – | – | 5,780 | – | 70,000 |
| A F O Wilkinson | Executive Director | 191,954 | 65,000 | – | 15,081 | 7,993 | 280,028 |
| J T McNally | Executive Director | 81,250 | – | – | – | – | 81,250 |
| B R Howell | Company Secretary | 81,250 | – | – | – | – | 81,250 |
| D S Barkas | Group Financial Controller | 127,282 | 20,000 | 6,800 | 10,462 | – | 164,544 |
| | | 726,048 | 85,000 | 6,800 | 41,231 | 7,993 | 867,072 |

Cash bonuses

For each cash bonus included in the above tables, the percentage of the available bonus that was awarded for the year and the percentage that was forfeited because a person did not meet the performance criteria is set out below.

| Name | Paid % | Forfeited % |
|-----------------|-----------|----------------|
| A F O Wilkinson | 133 | – |
| A J Slade | 100 | – |
| D S Barkas | 100 | – |

Remuneration report (continued)

C Service agreements

On 10 November 2003, the Company entered into a three year service agreement with the Managing Director, Mr Wilkinson. The agreement stipulates the minimum base salary, inclusive of superannuation, for each of the first three years as being \$225,000, to be reviewed annually by the Board. A short-term incentive (which if earned, would be paid as a cash bonus each year) and a long-term incentive in the form of options over stapled securities, exercisable between November 2006 and November 2007 (except if ALE is subject to takeover, then to February 2007) are also provided.

In the event of the termination of Mr Wilkinson's employment contract, amounts are payable for unpaid accrued entitlements, proportion of bonus and option entitlements as at the date of termination. In the event of redundancy, termination amounts are payable for base salary, inclusive of superannuation and bonus and option entitlements for the balance of the contract.

The employment contracts of Mr Barkas and Mr Slade may be terminated at one month's notice.

There are no other director or executive service agreements.

Letters of appointment have been entered into by each director (excluding the Managing Director) confirming their remuneration and obligations under the Corporations Law and Company constitution.

A letter of appointment has been entered into with MIA Services Pty Limited for the use of the services of Brendan Howell as Company Secretary and as a Responsible Officer of the Company on a continuous basis that may be terminated at any time.

D Equity based compensation

Options over unissued stapled securities of ALE were granted in November 2003 to Mr Wilkinson as disclosed in an ASX Announcement dated 10 November 2003. Mr Wilkinson has the right to subscribe for up to 300,000 shares at a fixed price of \$1.036 exercisable from 10 November 2006 or earlier, if Mr Wilkinson's employment is terminated other than for cause or unsatisfactory performance. The options will remain exercisable until 10 November 2007, unless ALE is subject to a takeover, in which case the period of exercise would be reduced to 11 February 2007.

The options value disclosed above as part of specified executive remuneration is the assessed fair value at grant date of options granted, allocated equally over the period from grant date to vesting date. The fair value of \$24,000 at grant date has been independently determined by using a Black-Scholes option pricing model. This technique takes into account factors such as the exercise price, the term of the option, the vesting and performance criteria, the impact of dilution, the non-tradable nature of the option, 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.

Stapled securities under option

Unissued stapled securities of ALE under option at the date of this report are as follows:

| Date options granted | Expiry date | Issue price of stapled securities | Number under option |
|----------------------|-------------------|-----------------------------------|---------------------|
| 10-Nov-03 | 10 November 2007* | \$1.036 | 300,000 |

* Unless ALE Property Company is subject to a takeover, in which case the period of exercise would be shortened to 11 February 2007.

Stapled securities issued on the exercise of options

To date no stapled securities of ALE have been issued on the exercise of options.

Insurance of officers and auditor

During the financial year, the Company paid a premium of \$29,844 (2005: \$41,766) to insure the directors and officers of the Company. The auditor of the Company is in no way indemnified out of the assets of the Company.

Under the constitution of the Company, current or former directors and secretaries are indemnified to the full extent permitted by law for liabilities incurred by that person in the discharge of their duties. The constitution provides that the Company will meet the legal costs of that person. This indemnity is subject to certain limitations.

Past employment with external auditor

Mr Wilkinson, Managing Director, previously held a position as a corporate advisory partner without any audit responsibilities of ALE's external auditor, PricewaterhouseCoopers. Mr Wilkinson resigned his partnership prior to accepting the appointment as Chief Executive Officer of ALE on 24 November 2003.

Non-audit services

The Company may decide to employ the auditor on assignments additional to its statutory audit duties where the auditor's expertise and experience with the Company are important.

The board of directors has considered the position and in accordance with the advice received from the ACRMC and is satisfied that the provision of the non-audit services is compatible with the general standard of independence for auditors imposed by the Corporations Act 2001. The directors are satisfied that the provision of non-audit services by the auditor, as set out below, did not compromise the auditor independence requirements of the Corporations Act 2001 for the following reasons:

- all non-audit services have been reviewed by the ACRMC to ensure that they do not impact the impartiality and objectivity of the auditor
- none of the services undermine the general principles relating to auditor independence as set out in Professional Statement F1, including reviewing or auditing the auditor's own work, acting in a management or decision making capacity for the Company, acting as an advocate for the Company or jointly sharing economic risk and rewards.

Details of amounts paid or payable to the auditor (PricewaterhouseCoopers) for audit and non-audit services provided during the year are set out below:

| | 2006 \$ | 2005 \$ |
|--|----------------|----------------|
| Audit services | | |
| PricewaterhouseCoopers Australian firm: | | |
| Audit and review of the financial reports of ALE and other audit work required under the Corporations Act 2001 | | |
| – in relation to current year | 135,400 | 125,750 |
| – in relation to prior year | 1,500 | 60,000 |
| Total remuneration for audit services | 136,900 | 185,750 |
| Other assurance services | | |
| PricewaterhouseCoopers Australian firm: | | |
| General accounting advice (including AIFRS) | 26,173 | 29,944 |
| Due diligence services – acquisitions not proceeding | 142,250 | 31,300 |
| Assurance services – internal control review | 9,000 | 7,000 |
| Total remuneration for other assurance services | 177,423 | 68,244 |
| Total remuneration for assurance services | 314,323 | 253,994 |
| Taxation services | | |
| PricewaterhouseCoopers Australian firm: | | |
| Tax compliance services | 9,000 | 15,000 |
| Due diligence services – acquisitions not proceeding | 223,000 | – |
| Tax consulting services | 25,135 | 24,190 |
| Total taxation services | 257,135 | 39,190 |

Includes amounts allocated to the Company of \$314,323 for assurance services (2005: \$253,994) and \$257,135 for taxation services (2005: \$39,190).

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 on page 35.

Environmental regulation

Whilst ALE is subject to significant environmental regulation in respect of its property activities, the directors are satisfied that adequate systems are in place for the management of its environmental responsibility and compliance with the various licence requirements and regulations. Further, the directors are not aware of any material breaches of these requirements. On two of the properties ongoing testing is being undertaken and if further work is required indemnities are held in excess of any remediation amounts likely to be required.

Rounding of amounts

ALE is an entity of the kind referred to in Class Order 98/100, issued by the Australian Securities and Investments Commission, relating to the "rounding off" of amounts in the directors' report. Amounts in the directors' report and financial report have been rounded off in accordance with the Class Order to the nearest thousand dollars, unless otherwise indicated.

This report is made in accordance with a resolution of the directors.



P Warne
Director

Sydney

Dated this 29th day of August 2006

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Auditor's Independence Declaration

As lead auditor for the audit of Australian Leisure and Entertainment Property Trust for the year ended 30 June 2006, 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.

This declaration is in respect of Australian Leisure and Entertainment Property Trust during the period.



S J Hadfield

Partner

PricewaterhouseCoopers

Sydney

29 August 2006

CONSOLIDATED INCOME STATEMENTS
FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2006

| | Note | CONSOLIDATED | | PARENT ENTITY | |
|---|-------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|
| | | 2006 \$'000 | 2005 \$'000 | 2006 \$'000 | 2005 \$'000 |
| Revenue | | | | | |
| Rent from investment properties | 2 | 45,583 | 43,766 | – | – |
| Interest – investment arrangements | 2 | 2,003 | 2,230 | – | – |
| Distributions | 3 | – | – | 25,589 | 20,939 |
| Interest from cash deposits | 4 | 1,181 | 1,175 | 4 | – |
| Total revenue | | 48,767 | 47,171 | 25,593 | 20,939 |
| Other income | | | | | |
| Fair value adjustments to investment properties | 14 | 50,256 | 74,800 | – | – |
| Fair value adjustments to derivatives | 6 | 7,028 | – | 77 | – |
| Other income | | 600 | – | – | – |
| Total other income | | 57,884 | 74,800 | 77 | – |
| Total income | | 106,651 | 121,971 | 25,670 | 20,939 |
| Expenses | | | | | |
| Finance costs – (cash and non-cash) | 5 | 47,259 | 37,771 | 12,573 | 13,013 |
| Management fees | | – | – | 2,276 | 2,185 |
| Queensland land tax expense | | 1,151 | 1,139 | – | – |
| Other expenses | 8 | 4,606 | 2,989 | 100 | 296 |
| Total expenses | | 53,016 | 41,899 | 14,949 | 15,494 |
| Profit before income tax | | 53,635 | 80,072 | 10,721 | 5,445 |
| Income tax expense/(benefit) | 9 | 1,428 | (49) | – | – |
| Profit after income tax | | 52,207 | 80,121 | 10,721 | 5,445 |
| Profit attributable to the stapled security holders of ALE | | 52,207 | 80,121 | 10,721 | 5,445 |
| | | Cents | Cents | Cents | Cents |
| Basic and diluted earnings per stapled security | 10(a) | 57.50 | 88.24 | 11.81 | 6.00 |
| Distribution per stapled security for the year | 10(c) | 16.00 | 12.85 | 16.00 | 12.85 |

The above consolidated income statements should be read in conjunction with the accompanying notes.

RECONCILIATION OF DISTRIBUTIONS TO STAPLED SECURITY HOLDERS

| | | | | | |
|---|----|-----------------|-----------------|---------------|----------------|
| Profit attributable to the stapled security holders of ALE | | 52,207 | 80,121 | 10,721 | 5,445 |
| Total distribution (non-cash) adjustments | 10 | (37,629) | (68,420) | 3,807 | 2,960 |
| Available for distribution | | 14,578 | 11,701 | 14,528 | 8,405 |
| Distributions paid or provided for | | 14,528 | 11,668 | 14,528 | 11,668 |
| Available and undistributed | 10 | 50 | 33 | – | (3,263) |

Basic and diluted earnings per stapled security before fair value, income tax and other amounts is disclosed in note 10 of this financial report.

CONSOLIDATED BALANCE SHEETS
AS AT 30 JUNE 2006

| | Note | CONSOLIDATED | | PARENT ENTITY | |
|--|-------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|
| | | 2006 \$'000 | 2005 \$'000 | 2006 \$'000 | 2005 \$'000 |
| Current assets | | | | | |
| Cash and cash equivalents | 11 | 28,992 | 19,477 | 305 | 9 |
| Receivables | 12 | 1,012 | 371 | 24,714 | 22,956 |
| Derivative – interest rate swaps | 7 | 5,250 | – | 88 | – |
| Loans and deposits – investment properties | 15 | 13,662 | 11,746 | – | – |
| Current tax asset | 9 | 7 | – | – | – |
| Other | 13 | 55 | 5,793 | 12 | 2,305 |
| Total current assets | | 48,978 | 37,387 | 25,119 | 25,270 |
| Non-current assets | | | | | |
| Investment properties | 14 | 695,470 | 625,000 | – | – |
| Loans and deposits – investment properties | 15 | 8,465 | 14,713 | – | – |
| Investments in controlled entities | 17 | – | – | 210,943 | 210,943 |
| Plant and equipment | 16 | 101 | 141 | – | – |
| Deferred tax asset | 21 | 578 | 99 | – | – |
| Other | 13 | – | 13,585 | – | 5,423 |
| Total non-current assets | | 704,614 | 653,538 | 210,943 | 216,366 |
| Total assets | | 753,592 | 690,925 | 236,062 | 241,636 |
| Current liabilities | | | | | |
| Payables | 18 | 7,599 | 6,963 | 2,773 | 2,770 |
| Derivative – interest rate swaps | 7 | 229 | – | – | – |
| Provisions | 19(a) | 8,415 | 6,026 | 8,354 | 5,994 |
| Other | 19(b) | 4,327 | 341 | – | 302 |
| Total current liabilities | | 20,570 | 13,330 | 11,127 | 9,066 |
| Non-current liabilities | | | | | |
| Borrowings | 20 | 492,065 | 480,783 | 142,539 | 150,783 |
| Deferred tax liability | 22 | 1,648 | – | – | – |
| Total non-current liabilities | | 493,713 | 480,783 | 142,539 | 150,783 |
| Total liabilities | | 514,283 | 494,113 | 153,666 | 159,849 |
| Net assets | | 239,309 | 196,812 | 82,396 | 81,787 |
| Equity | | | | | |
| Contributed equity | 23 | 81,787 | 81,787 | 81,787 | 81,787 |
| Retained profits/(loss) | 24 | 157,501 | 115,012 | 609 | – |
| Reserve | 25 | 21 | 13 | – | – |
| Total equity | | 239,309 | 196,812 | 82,396 | 81,787 |
| Net assets per stapled security | | \$2.64 | \$2.17 | \$0.91 | \$0.90 |

The above consolidated balance sheets should be read in conjunction with the accompanying notes.

CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF CHANGES IN EQUITY
FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2006

| | Note | CONSOLIDATED | | PARENT ENTITY | |
|--|------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| | | 2006 \$'000 | 2005 \$'000 | 2006 \$'000 | 2005 \$'000 |
| Total equity at the beginning of the year | | 196,812 | 128,351 | 81,787 | 88,010 |
| Adjustment on adoption of AASB 132 and AASB 139 to retained profits | 26 | 4,544 | – | 4,416 | – |
| Deferred tax asset recognised on adoption of AASB 132 and AASB 139 | | 266 | – | – | – |
| Restated total equity at the beginning of the financial year | | 201,622 | 128,351 | 86,203 | 88,010 |
| Profit for the year | | 52,207 | 80,121 | 10,721 | 5,445 |
| Total recognised income and expenses for the year | | 52,207 | 80,121 | 10,721 | 5,445 |
| Transactions with equity holders in their capacity as equity holders: | | | | | |
| Employee share options | 25 | 8 | 8 | – | – |
| Distribution paid or payable | 10 | (14,528) | (11,668) | (14,528) | (11,668) |
| | | (14,520) | (11,660) | (14,528) | (11,668) |
| Total equity at the end of the year | | 239,309 | 196,812 | 82,396 | 81,787 |

The above consolidated statements of changes in equity should be read in conjunction with the accompanying notes.

CONSOLIDATED CASH FLOW STATEMENTS
FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2006

| | Note | CONSOLIDATED | | PARENT ENTITY | |
|--|------|-----------------|-----------------|----------------|----------------|
| | | 2006 \$'000 | 2005 \$'000 | 2006 \$'000 | 2005 \$'000 |
| Cash flows from operating activities | | | | | |
| Receipts from tenant and others | | 54,127 | 48,143 | – | 30 |
| Payments to suppliers and employees | | (8,539) | (11,008) | (28) | (805) |
| Interest received – bank deposits and investment arrangements | | 3,120 | 3,505 | 4 | 16 |
| Loans to related entities | | – | – | (2,055) | – |
| Interest received – interest rate swap terminations | | 2,729 | – | 1,635 | – |
| Interest received – interest rate swaps | | 729 | 527 | 740 | 713 |
| CMBS prepayment interest – May 2006 | | (558) | – | – | – |
| Borrowing costs paid | | (33,087) | (32,127) | – | – |
| Net cash inflow/(outflow) from operating activities | 28 | 18,521 | 9,040 | 296 | (46) |
| Cash flows from investing activities | | | | | |
| Investment property acquisition | | (15,000) | – | – | – |
| Investment property acquisition costs | | (882) | – | – | – |
| Payments for plant and equipment | | (28) | (168) | – | – |
| Net cash (outflow) from investing activities | | (15,910) | (168) | – | – |
| Cash flows from financing activities | | | | | |
| CMBS issued – February 2006 | | 15,000 | – | – | – |
| CMBS repaid – May 2006 | | (345,000) | – | – | – |
| CMBS issued – May 2006 | | 225,000 | – | – | – |
| CIB issued – May 2006 | | 125,873 | – | – | – |
| CMBS and CIBs prepaid borrowing costs | | (1,801) | – | – | – |
| Distributions paid | | (12,168) | (12,485) | – | – |
| Net cash inflow/(outflow) from financing activities | | 6,904 | (12,485) | – | – |
| Net increase/(decrease) in cash and cash equivalents held | | | | | |
| | | 9,515 | (3,613) | 296 | (46) |
| Cash and cash equivalents at the beginning of the year | | 19,477 | 23,090 | 9 | 55 |
| Cash and cash equivalents at the end of the year | 11 | 28,992 | 19,477 | 305 | 9 |
| Non-cash investing activities | | | | | |
| Investment property acquisition and costs | | 4,332 | – | – | – |

The CBX Hotel, Caloundra, Queensland was acquired in September 2005. A loan, deposit and costs were funded in November 2003 in relation to this property. These amounts were applied to the acquisition resulting in no cash flow impact on acquisition.

The above consolidated cash flow statements should be read in conjunction with the accompanying notes.

Note 1 Summary of significant accounting policies

This general purpose financial report for the year ended 30 June 2006 has been prepared in accordance with the Australian equivalents to International Financial Reporting Standards (AIFRS), other authoritative pronouncements of the Australian Accounting Standards Board, Urgent Issues Group Interpretations and the Corporations Act 2001. The financial report includes separate financial statements for Australian Leisure and Entertainment Property Trust ("the Trust") as an individual entity and the consolidated entity, the ALE Property Group ("ALE"), consisting of the Trust and its subsidiaries.

(a) Basis of preparation

The principal accounting policies adopted in the preparation of the financial report are set out below. These policies have been consistently applied to all the periods presented, unless otherwise stated.

Application of AASB 1 First-time Adoption of Australian Equivalents to International Financial Reporting Standards (AIFRS)

This annual financial report is the first ALE annual financial report to be prepared in accordance with AIFRS. AASB 1 First-time Adoption of Australian Equivalents to International Financial Reporting Standards has been applied in preparing these consolidated financial statements.

The financial statements of ALE up until 30 June 2005 had been prepared in accordance with previous Australian Generally Accepted Accounting Principles (AGAAP). AGAAP differs in certain respects from AIFRS. When preparing the ALE annual financial statements for the year ended 30 June 2006, management has amended certain accounting, valuation and consolidation methods applied in the previous AGAAP financial statements to comply with AIFRS. With the exception of financial instruments, the comparative figures were restated to reflect these adjustments. ALE has taken the exemption available under AASB 1 to only apply AASB 132 Financial Instruments: Disclosure and Presentation and AASB 139 Financial Instruments: Recognition and Measurement from 1 July 2005.

Reconciliations and descriptions of the effect of transition from previous AGAAP to AIFRS on ALE's equity and its net profit are given in note 38 to the year end financial report.

Historical cost convention

These consolidated financial statements have been prepared under the historical cost convention, as modified by the revaluation of financial assets and liabilities (including derivative instruments) at fair value through profit or loss, certain classes of property, plant and equipment and investment property.

(b) Accounting for ALE

ALE, the stapled entity, was formed by stapling together the units in the Trust and the shares in the Company. For the purposes of financial reporting, the stapled entity reflects the consolidated entity. The parent entity and deemed acquirer in this arrangement is the Trust. The basis of this approach is consistent with current practice in relation to the financial reporting obligations of stapled entities under UIG 1013 Interpretation of Consolidated Financial Reports in relation to Pre-Date-of-Transition Stapled Arrangements. The consolidated results reflect the performance of the Trust and its subsidiaries including the Company from 1 July 2005 to 30 June 2006.

The stapled securities of ALE are quoted on the Australian Stock Exchange under the code LEP and comprise one unit in the Trust and one share in the Company. The unit and the share are stapled together under the terms of their respective constitutions and can not be traded separately. Each entity forming part of ALE is a separate legal entity in its own right under the Corporations Act 2001 and Australian Accounting Standards.

The Company is the Responsible Entity of the Trust.

(c) Principles of consolidation

The consolidated financial statements incorporate the assets and liabilities of all subsidiaries as at balance date and the results for the period then ended. The Trust and its controlled entities together are referred to in this financial report as ALE or the consolidated entity. Entities are fully consolidated from the date on which control is transferred to the Trust. They are deconsolidated from the date that control ceases.

Subsidiaries are all those entities (including special purpose entities) over which ALE has the power to govern the financial and operating policies, generally accompanying a shareholding of more than one-half of the voting rights. The existence and effect of potential voting rights that are currently exercisable or convertible are considered when assessing whether ALE controls another entity.

All balances and effects of transactions between the subsidiaries of ALE have been eliminated in full.

(d) Cash and cash equivalents

For the purposes of the cash flow statement, cash and cash equivalents includes cash at bank, deposits at call and short-term money market securities which are readily convertible to cash.

Note 1 Summary of significant accounting policies (continued)

(e) Receivables

Trade debtors are recognised initially at fair value and subsequently measured at amortised cost, less provision for doubtful debts. Trade receivables are due for settlement no more than 30 days from the recognition.

Collectibility of trade receivables is reviewed on an ongoing basis. Debts which are known to be uncollectible are written off. A provision for doubtful receivables is established when there is objective evidence that all amounts due may not be collected according to the original terms of the receivables. The amount of any provision is the difference between the asset's carrying amount and the present value of estimated future cash flows, discounted at the effective interest rate. The amount of the provision is recognised in the income statement.

(f) Investment property

Properties (including land and buildings) held for long-term rental yields and that are not occupied by ALE are classified as investment properties.

Investment property is initially brought to account at cost which includes the cost of acquisition, stamp duty and other costs directly related to the acquisition of the properties. The properties are subsequently revalued and carried at fair value. Fair value is based on active market prices, adjusted for any difference in the nature, location or condition of the specific asset or where this is not available, an appropriate valuation method which may include discounted cash flow projections and the capitalisation method. The fair value reflects, among other things, rental income from the current leases and assumptions about future rental income in light of current market conditions. It also reflects any cash outflows that could be expected in respect of the property.

Subsequent expenditure is capitalised to the properties' carrying amount only when it is probable that future economic benefits associated with the item will flow to ALE and the cost of the item can be reliably measured.

Land and buildings (including integral plant and equipment) that comprise investment property are not depreciated.

The carrying value of the investment property is reviewed at each reporting date and is independently revalued at least every three years. Changes in the fair values of investment properties are recorded in the income statement.

(g) Plant and equipment

Plant and equipment including office fixtures, fittings and operating equipment are stated at historical cost less depreciation. Historical cost includes expenditure that is directly attributable to its acquisition. Subsequent costs are included in the asset's carrying amount or recognised as a separate asset, as appropriate, only when it is probable that future economic benefits associated with the item will flow to ALE and the cost of the item can be measured reliably. All other repairs and maintenance are charged to the income statement during the financial period in which they are incurred.

Depreciation

Land is not depreciated. Depreciation on depreciable plant and equipment (office fixtures, fittings and operating equipment) is calculated using the straight line method or diminishing method to allocate their cost or revalued amounts, net of their residual values, over their estimated useful lives. The estimated useful life of depreciable plant and equipment is as follows:

| | |
|-----------------------------------|--------------|
| Furniture, fittings and equipment | 4 – 13 years |
| Software | 3 years |
| Leasehold improvements | 3 years |

The assets' residual values and useful lives are reviewed, and adjusted if appropriate, at each balance sheet date.

An asset's carrying amount is written down immediately to its recoverable amount if the asset's carrying amount is greater than its estimated recoverable amount.

Gains and losses on disposals are determined by comparing proceeds with carrying amount. These are included in the income statement.

(h) Investments and financial assets

Financial assets classified as loans and deposits are non-derivative financial assets with fixed or determinable payments that are not quoted in an active market and arise when money and services are provided to a debtor with no intention of selling the receivable.

Loans and receivables are carried at amortised cost using the effective interest rate method. Under this method, fees, costs, discounts and premiums directly related to the financial asset are spread over its effective life.

From 1 July 2004 to 30 June 2005

ALE has taken the exemption available under AASB 1 to apply AASB 132 and AASB 139 only from 1 July 2005. ALE has applied previous AGAAP to the comparative information on financial instruments within the scope of AASB 132 and AASB 139.

Adjustments on transition date: 1 July 2005

The nature of the main adjustments to make this information comply with AASB 132 and AASB 139 are that, with the exception of held-to-maturity investments and loans and deposits which are measured at amortised cost, fair value is the measurement basis. Changes in fair value are either taken to the income statement or an equity reserve. At the date of transition (1 July 2005) changes to carrying amounts were taken to retained profits/(loss).

Note 1 Summary of significant accounting policies (continued)**(i) Trade and other payables**

These amounts represent liabilities for goods and services provided to ALE prior to the end of the period which are unpaid at the balance sheet date. The amounts are unsecured and are usually paid within 30 days of recognition.

(j) Borrowings

Interest bearing liabilities are initially recognised at cost, being the fair value of the consideration received, net of issue and other transaction costs associated with the borrowings.

After initial recognition, interest bearing liabilities are subsequently measured at amortised cost using the effective interest rate method. Under this method, fees, costs, discounts and premiums directly related to the financial liability are spread over the expected life of the borrowings on an effective interest rate basis.

Prior to 1 July 2005, issue and other transaction costs associated with borrowings were capitalised and amortised on a straight line basis.

Interest bearing liabilities are classified as current liabilities unless an unconditional right exists to defer settlement of the liability for at least 12 months after the balance sheet date.

(k) Derivatives**From 1 July 2004 to 30 June 2005**

ALE has taken the exemption available under AASB 1 to apply AASB 132 and AASB 139 from 1 July 2005. ALE has applied previous AGAAP in the comparative information on financial instruments within the scope of AASB 132 and AASB 139.

The following sets out how derivatives were accounted for under previous AGAAP.

Interest rate swaps

The net amount receivable or payable under interest rate swap agreements was progressively brought to account over the period to settlement. The amount recognised was accounted for as an adjustment to interest and finance charges during the period and included in other debtors or other creditors at each reporting date.

Where an interest rate swap was terminated early and the underlying hedged transaction was:

- (a) still expected to occur as designated: the gains or losses arising on the swap upon its early termination continued to be deferred and were progressively brought to account over the period during which the hedged transactions were recognised.
- (b) no longer expected to occur as designated: the gains or losses arising on the swap upon its early termination were recognised in the income statement at the date of termination.

Adjustments on transition date: 1 July 2005

The nature of the main adjustments to make this information comply with AASB 132 and AASB 139 are that derivatives are measured on a fair value basis. Changes in fair value are either taken to the income statement or an equity reserve (refer below). At the date of transition (1 July 2005) changes in the carrying amounts of derivatives were taken to retained earnings or reserves.

For further information concerning the adjustments on transition date reference should be made to:

- Derivative financial instruments – note 26.
- Reserves and retained profits – note 24.

From 1 July 2005

Derivatives are initially recognised at fair value on the date a derivative contract is entered into and are subsequently remeasured to their fair value at each reporting date. The accounting for subsequent changes in fair value depends on whether the derivative is designated as a hedging instrument, and if so, the nature of the item being hedged. ALE designates certain derivatives as either; (1) hedges of the fair value of recognised assets or liabilities or a firm commitment (fair value hedge); or (2) hedges of the cash flows of recognised assets and liabilities and highly probable forecast transactions (cash flow hedges).

ALE documents at the inception of the hedging transaction the relationship between hedging instruments and hedged items, as well as its risk management objective and strategy for undertaking various hedge transactions. ALE also documents its assessment, both at hedge inception and on an ongoing basis, of whether the derivatives that are used in hedging transactions have been and will continue to be highly effective in offsetting changes in fair values or cash flows of hedged items. The fair values of various derivative financial instruments used for hedging purposes are disclosed in note 7.

To date ALE has not designated any of its derivatives as cash flow hedges and accordingly ALE has valued them all at fair value with movements recorded in the income statement.

(l) Provisions

Provisions are recognised when there is a present legal or constructive obligation as a result of past events; it is more likely than not that an outflow of resources will be required to settle the obligation; and the amount has been reliably estimated. Provisions are not recognised for future operating losses.

Note 1 Summary of significant accounting policies (continued)

(m) Distributions and dividends

Provision is made for the amount of any distributions or dividends declared, being appropriately authorised and no longer at the discretion of the entity, on or before the end of the financial year but not distributed at balance date.

(n) Contributed equity

Ordinary units and ordinary shares are classified as contributed equity.

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

Distributions to stapled security holders that include a return of capital are shown in equity as a transfer from (reduction of contributed) equity.

(o) Revenue recognition

Rental income from operating leases is recognised on a straight line basis over the lease term. An asset will be recognised to represent the portion of an operating lease revenue in a reporting period relating to fixed increases in operating lease revenue in future periods. These assets will be recognised as a component of investment properties.

Interest and investment income is brought to account on a time proportion basis using the effective interest rate method and if not received at balance date is reflected in the consolidated balance sheet as a receivable.

(p) Expenses

Expenses including borrowing costs, operating expenses, Queensland land tax and other outgoings are brought to account on an accruals basis.

(q) Employee benefits

(i) Wages and salaries, annual leave and sick leave

Liabilities for wages and salaries, including non-monetary benefits and annual leave expected to be settled within 12 months of the reporting date are recognised as a current liability in respect of employees' services up to the reporting date and are measured at the amounts expected to be paid when the liabilities are settled. Liabilities for non-accumulating sick leave are recognised as an expense when the leave is taken and measured at the rates paid or payable.

(ii) Share based payments after 7 November 2002 and vested after 1 January 2005

The fair value of options granted are recognised as an employee benefit expense with a corresponding increase in equity. The fair value is measured at grant date and recognised over the period during which the employees become unconditionally entitled to the options.

The fair value at grant date is independently determined using a Black-Scholes option pricing model that takes into account the exercise price, the term of the option, the vesting and performance criteria, the impact of dilution, the non-tradable nature of the option, 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.

The fair value of the options granted excludes the impact of any non-market vesting conditions (for example, profitability and sales growth targets). Non-market vesting conditions are included in assumptions about the number of options that are expected to become exercisable. At each balance date, the entity revises its estimate of the number of options that are expected to become exercisable. The employee benefit expense recognised each period takes into account the most recent estimate.

Upon the exercise of options, the balance of the share based payments reserve relating to those options is transferred to contributed equity.

(iii) Bonus plans

Liabilities and expenses for bonuses are recognised where contractually obliged or where there is a past practice that has created a constructive obligation.

(iv) Long service leave

ALE will begin to recognise liabilities for long service leave when employees reach a qualifying period of continuous service. The liability for long service leave is recognised in the provision for employee benefits and measured as the present value of expected future payments to be made in respect of services provided by employees up to the reporting date using the projected unit credit method. Consideration is given to expected future wage and salary levels, experience of employee departures and periods of service. Expected future payments are discounted using market yields at the reporting date on national government bonds with the terms to maturity and currency that match, as closely as possible, the estimated future cash flow.

(v) Retirement benefit obligations

ALE pays fixed contributions to employees' funds and ALE's legal or constructive obligations are limited to these contributions. The contributions are recognised as an expense as they become payable. Prepaid contributions are recognised as an asset to the extent that a cash refund or a reduction in the future payments is available.

Note 1 Summary of significant accounting policies (continued)**(r) Income tax****(i) Trusts**

Under current legislation, Trusts are not liable for income tax, provided that their taxable income and taxable realised gains are fully distributed to security holders each financial year.

(ii) Companies

The income tax expense or revenue for the reporting period is the tax payable on the current reporting period's taxable income based on the Australian company tax rate adjusted by changes in deferred tax assets and liabilities attributable to temporary differences between the tax bases of the assets and liabilities and their carrying amounts in the financial statements and to unused tax losses.

Deferred tax balances are calculated using the balance sheet method. Under this method, temporary differences arise between the carrying amount of assets and liabilities in the financial statements and the tax bases for the corresponding assets and liabilities. However, an exception is made for certain temporary differences arising from the initial recognition of an asset or liability. No deferred tax asset or liability is recognised in relation to these temporary differences if they arose in a transaction, other than a business combination, that at the time of the transaction did not affect either accounting profit or taxable profit or loss. Similarly, no deferred tax asset or liability is recognised for temporary differences between the carrying amount and tax bases of investments in controlled entities where the parent entity is able to control the timing of the reversal of the temporary differences and it is probable that the differences will not reverse in the foreseeable future. Deferred tax assets and liabilities are recognised for temporary differences at the tax rates expected to apply when the assets are recovered or liabilities settled.

Deferred tax assets are recognised for 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.

Deferred tax assets and liabilities are offset when there is a legally enforceable right to the offset current tax assets and liabilities and when the deferred tax balances relate to the same taxation authority. Current tax assets and tax liabilities are offset where the entity has a legally enforceable right to offset and intends either to settle on a net basis, or to realise the asset and settle the liability simultaneously.

Current and deferred tax balances attributable to amounts recognised directly in equity are also recognised directly in equity.

(s) Earnings per stapled security**(i) Basic earnings per stapled security**

Basic earnings per stapled security is calculated by dividing the profit attributable to the equity holders of ALE by the weighted average number of stapled securities outstanding during the reporting period.

(ii) Diluted earnings per stapled security

Diluted earnings per stapled security adjusts the figures used in the determination of basic earnings per stapled security to take into account the after income tax effect of interest and other financing costs associated with dilutive potential stapled securities and the weighted average number of stapled securities assumed to have been issued for no consideration in relation to dilutive potential stapled securities.

(t) Goods and services tax (GST)

Revenues, expenses and assets are recognised net of the amount of associated GST, unless the GST incurred is not recoverable from the taxation authority. In this case it is recognised as part of the cost of 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 recoverable from, or payable to, the taxation authority is included with other receivables or payables in the balance sheet.

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 taxation authority, are presented as operating cash flow.

(u) New accounting standards and UIG interpretation

Certain new accounting standards and UIG interpretations have been published that are not mandatory for 30 June 2006 reporting periods. ALE's assessment of the impact of these new standards and interpretations is set out below.

(i) UIG 4 Determining whether an Asset Contains a Lease

UIG 4 is applicable to annual periods beginning on or after 1 January 2006. ALE has not elected to adopt UIG 4 early. It will apply UIG 4 in its 2007 financial statements and the UIG 4 transition provisions. ALE will therefore apply UIG 4 on the basis of facts and circumstances that existed as of 1 July 2006. Implementation of UIG 4 is not expected to change the accounting for any of ALE's current arrangements.

(ii) AASB 7 Financial Instruments: Disclosures and AASB 2005-10 Amendments to Australian Accounting Standards [AASB 132, AASB 101, AASB 114, AASB 117, AASB 133, AASB 139, AASB 1, AASB 4, AASB 1023 and AASB 1038]

AASB 7 and AASB 2005-10 are applicable to annual reporting periods beginning on or after 1 January 2007. ALE has not adopted the standards early. Application of the standards will not affect any of the amounts recognised in the financial statements, but will impact the type of information disclosed in relation to ALE's financial instruments.

Note 1 Summary of significant accounting policies (continued)

(v) Segment reporting

A business segment is a group of assets and operations engaged in providing products or services that are subject to risks and returns that are different to those of other business segments. A geographical segment is engaged in providing products or services within a particular economic environment and is subject to risks and returns that are different from those of segments operating in other economic environments.

(w) Functional and presentation currency

Items included in the financial statements of each of the ALE entities are measured using the currency of the primary economic environment in which the entity operates ("the functional currency"). The consolidated financial statements are presented in Australian dollars, which is ALE's functional and presentation currency.

(x) Critical accounting estimates and assumptions

Estimates and judgements are continually evaluated and are based on historical experience and other factors, including expectations of future events that may have a financial impact on the entity and that are believed to be reasonable under the circumstances. Fair value estimates of investment properties and derivatives are particularly reliant on estimates and judgements.

(y) Rounding of amounts

The financial report of ALE has been prepared in accordance with Class Order 98/100 issued by the Australian Securities and Investments Commission, relating to the "rounding off" of amounts in the financial report to the nearest thousand dollars, unless otherwise stated. Amounts in the financial report have been rounded off in accordance with that Class Order.

(z) Financial risk management

ALE's activities expose it to a variety of financial risks; market risk (including fair value interest rate risk), credit risk, liquidity risk and cash flow risk. ALE's overall risk management program focuses on the unpredictability of financial markets and seeks to minimise potential adverse effects on the financial performance of ALE. ALE uses derivative financial instruments such as interest rate swaps to hedge certain risk exposures (note 20 provides further information).

(i) Credit risk

The major credit risk is the risk that the tenant will fail to perform its contractual obligations including honouring the terms of the lease agreements either in whole or in part. Credit risk has been minimised primarily by ensuring, on a continuous basis, that the tenant has appropriate financial standing and by the various security arrangements that are in place.

A secondary credit risk exists in respect of the loans to Foster's Group Limited made by ALE under the conditional sale contracts of properties under development. Credit risk has been minimised primarily by ensuring, on a continuous basis, that Foster's Group Limited has appropriate financial standing and by the various security arrangements that are in place.

The credit risk on financial assets of ALE which have been recognised in the consolidated balance sheet is generally the carrying amount net of any provision for doubtful debts.

(ii) Liquidity and cash flow risk

Liquidity risk is the risk that ALE will experience difficulty in either realising or otherwise raising sufficient funds to satisfy commitments. Cash flow risk is the risk that the future cash flows will fluctuate. The risk management guidelines adopted are designed to minimise liquidity and cash flow risk through actively managing significant exposures to large creditors and ensuring counterparties have appropriate financial standing.

(iii) Market risk

Market risk is the risk that the value of ALE's investment properties will fluctuate as a result of changes in valuations. To the extent controllable, this risk is managed by ensuring that all activities are transacted in accordance with mandates, overall investment strategy and within approved limits. Market risk analysis is conducted regularly on a total portfolio basis.

| Note | CONSOLIDATED | | PARENT ENTITY | |
|---|-------------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|
| | 2006 \$'000 | 2005 \$'000 | 2006 \$'000 | 2005 \$'000 |
| Note 2 Rent from investment properties and interest from investment arrangements | | | | |
| Rent from investment properties | 45,583 | 43,766 | – | – |
| Interest – investment arrangements | 2,003 | 2,230 | – | – |
| | 47,586 | 45,996 | – | – |
| As at 30 June 2006 the weighted average investment property rental yield was 6.57% (2005: 7.06%) and the weighted average investment arrangements loan interest as a percentage of investment property loans, deposits and costs equated to a yield of 8.65% (2005: 8.48%). | | | | |
| All of ALE's investment property lease rentals are reviewed to state based CPI annually. None of the lease rentals are subject to fixed increases. | | | | |
| Note 3 Distributions | | | | |
| Distributions | – | – | 25,589 | 20,939 |
| | – | – | 25,589 | 20,939 |
| Trust distribution from the Sub-Trust to the Trust. As this is a transaction within the consolidated group it is eliminated on consolidation. | | | | |
| Note 4 Interest income | | | | |
| Operating bank and term deposit interest | 1,181 | 1,175 | 4 | – |
| | 1,181 | 1,175 | 4 | – |
| As 30 June 2006 the weighted average interest rate earned on cash was 5.83% (2005: 5.59%) | | | | |
| Note 5 Finance costs – (cash and non-cash) | | | | |
| Cash excluding refinancing costs | | | | |
| Commercial Mortgage Backed Securities (CMBS) interest expense | 20,371 | 20,953 | – | – |
| Capital Indexed Bonds (CIBs) interest paid or payable | 454 | – | – | – |
| ALE Notes interest expense | 10,898 | 10,898 | 10,898 | 10,898 |
| Swaps interest (benefit) | (a) – | (528) | – | (713) |
| Other expenses | 165 | 201 | 39 | 42 |
| | (b) 31,888 | 31,524 | 10,937 | 10,227 |
| Non-cash excluding refinancing costs | | | | |
| CIBs interest capitalised | 527 | – | – | – |
| Amortised costs – Pre May 2006 CMBS | 2,789 | 3,461 | – | – |
| Amortised costs – May 2006 CMBS and CIBs | 21 | – | – | – |
| Amortised costs – ALE Notes | 1,227 | 2,308 | 1,227 | 2,308 |
| Amortisation of ALE Notes premium | 409 | 478 | 409 | 478 |
| | (c) 4,973 | 6,247 | 1,636 | 2,786 |
| Cash and non-cash refinancing costs | | | | |
| Pre May 2006 CMBS prepayment break cost | 558 | – | – | – |
| Write off unamortised balance of prepaid costs – refinanced pre May 2006 CMBS | 9,840 | – | – | – |
| | (d) 10,398 | – | – | – |
| Finance costs (cash and non-cash) | 47,259 | 37,771 | 12,573 | 13,013 |

Note 5 Finance costs – (cash and non-cash) (continued)

(a) Swaps interest (benefit)

Under AIFRS the swap interest for the 2006 year is included in fair value adjustments to derivatives (note 6).

(b) Cash excluding refinancing costs

Finance costs expensed during the period that have either been paid or are payable in cash at balance date.

(c) Non-cash excluding refinancing costs

Amortisation of prepaid borrowing costs (paid upfront) and the capitalised components of the ALE Notes premium and CIBs interest (payable on maturities in September 2011 and November 2023 respectively).

(d) Cash and non-cash refinancing costs

As a result of refinancing \$345 million of CMBS with new CMBS and CIBs during May 2006 \$558,000 of prepayment interest (cash) was incurred on the refinanced fixed rate CMBS and \$9,840,000 of unamortised prepaid borrowing costs (non cash) relating to the \$345 million of refinanced CMBS was expensed.

In reconciling profits/(loss) after tax to amounts available for distribution to stapled security holders the \$4,973,000 of non-cash expenses at note 5(c) and the \$9,840,000 of non-cash expenses included at note 5(d) were both added back thereby recognising that their non-cash nature increases cash profits available for distribution. Note 10 contains further information.

| Note | CONSOLIDATED | | PARENT ENTITY | |
|--|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|
| | 2006 \$'000 | 2005 \$'000 | 2006 \$'000 | 2005 \$'000 |
| Note 6 Fair value adjustments to derivatives | | | | |
| Interest rate swaps fair value adjustments net gain/(loss) | 3,648 | – | (2,171) | – |
| Swaps interest net (receivable)/payable at balance date | (26) | – | – | – |
| Swap interest benefit received/receivable | 3,406 | – | 2,248 | – |
| | 7,028 | – | 77 | – |
| Interest expenses and benefits under interest rate swap contracts are recognised within the movement of interest rate derivative fair values. | | | | |
| Note 7 Derivative assets/(liabilities) | | | | |
| Asset | 5,250 | 0 | 88 | 0 |
| Liability | (229) | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Net asset/(liability) | 5,021 | – | 88 | – |
| ALE is exposed to changes in interest rates and uses interest rate swaps to hedge these risks. From 1 July 2005 these interest rate swaps are carried on the consolidated balance sheet at fair value. Changes in fair value are recognised in the consolidated income statement. ALE has not restated its comparative figures for this change (note 1(a) provides further information). | | | | |
| Note 8 Other expenses | | | | |
| Legal fees | 58 | 143 | – | – |
| Insurance | 85 | 111 | – | – |
| Occupancy costs | 105 | 92 | – | – |
| Property condition and compliance audits | 106 | 52 | – | – |
| Trustee and custodian fees | 116 | 112 | 99 | 96 |
| Auditors' remuneration | 144 | 182 | – | – |
| Property valuation fees | 216 | 243 | – | – |
| Salaries, fees and related costs | 1,233 | 906 | – | – |
| Prepaid (at IPO) advisory costs | – | 174 | – | 174 |
| Acquisition proposal due diligence | (a) 2,189 | 177 | – | – |
| Other | 354 | 797 | 1 | 26 |
| | 4,606 | 2,989 | 100 | 296 |

(a) Costs incurred by the Company, as responsible entity for the Trust, in relation to property acquisitions that did not proceed to completion. The amount disclosed is before recoveries from third parties.

| | Note | CONSOLIDATED | | PARENT ENTITY | |
|---|------|-----------------|-----------------|----------------|----------------|
| | | 2006 \$'000 | 2005 \$'000 | 2006 \$'000 | 2005 \$'000 |
| Note 9 Income tax | | | | | |
| Current tax (benefit) | | (7) | – | – | – |
| Deferred tax expense | | 1,435 | (49) | – | – |
| | | 1,428 | (49) | – | – |
| Deferred income tax expense included in income tax expense comprises: | | | | | |
| Decrease/(increase) in deferred tax asset (note 21) | | (213) | (49) | – | – |
| (Decrease)/increase in deferred tax liabilities (note 22) | | 1,648 | – | – | – |
| | | 1,435 | (49) | – | – |
| Reconciliation of income tax expense to prima facie tax payable | | | | | |
| Profit before the income tax expense | | 53,635 | 80,072 | 10,721 | 5,445 |
| Less: Profit attributable to the entities not subject to tax | | (48,908) | (80,244) | (10,721) | (5,445) |
| Profit/(loss) before income tax expense subject to tax | | 4,727 | (172) | – | – |
| Tax at the Australian tax rate 30% (2005: 30%) | | 1,418 | (52) | – | – |
| Tax effect of amounts which are not deductible (taxable) in calculating taxable income: | | | | | |
| Expenditure held on balance sheet | | (9) | – | – | – |
| Share based payments | | 2 | – | – | – |
| Entertainment | | 1 | 1 | – | – |
| Under provision in prior years | | 16 | 2 | – | – |
| Income tax expense | | 1,428 | (49) | – | – |
| Amounts recognised directly in equity | | | | | |
| Aggregate current and deferred tax arising in the year and not recognised in net profit or loss but directly debited or credited to equity: | | | | | |
| Fair value adjustments to derivatives | | (266) | – | – | – |
| | | (266) | – | – | – |
| Note 10 Distributions | | | | | |
| Reconciliation of profits/loss after tax to amounts available for distribution: | | | | | |
| Profit after income tax | (a) | 52,207 | 80,121 | 10,721 | 5,445 |
| Plus/(Less) | | | | | |
| Fair value adjustments to investment properties | | (50,256) | (74,800) | – | – |
| Fair value adjustments to derivatives | | (7,028) | – | (77) | – |
| Employee share option expense | | 8 | 8 | – | – |
| Interest rate derivatives net receipts | | 3,406 | – | 2,248 | – |
| Non-cash excluding refinancing costs | 5 | 4,973 | 6,247 | 1,636 | 2,786 |
| Non-cash refinancing costs | 5 | 9,840 | – | – | – |
| Income tax expense/(benefit) | | 1,428 | (49) | – | – |
| Prepaid IPO costs | | – | 174 | – | 174 |
| Total distribution (non-cash) adjustments | | (37,629) | (68,420) | 3,807 | 2,960 |
| Available for distribution | (b) | 14,578 | 11,701 | 14,528 | 8,405 |
| Distributions paid or provided for | (c) | 14,528 | 11,668 | 14,528 | 11,668 |
| Available and undistributed | | 50 | 33 | – | (3,263) |

Note 10 Distributions (continued)

| | CONSOLIDATED | | PARENT ENTITY | |
|--|---|---|---|---|
| | 2006 Stapled securities on Issue | 2005 Stapled securities on Issue | 2006 Stapled securities on Issue | 2005 Stapled securities on Issue |
| Divide note 10 (a), (b) and (c) (above) by stapled securities on issue to calculate cents per stapled security | 90,800,100 | 90,800,100 | 90,800,100 | 90,800,100 |
| | Cents | Cents | Cents | Cents |
| (a) Basic and diluted earnings per stapled security | 57.50 | 88.24 | 11.81 | 6.00 |
| (b) Basic and diluted earnings per stapled security before fair value adjustments, non-cash amortisation of borrowing costs and prepaid advisory fees | 16.06 | 12.89 | 16.00 | 9.26 |
| (c) Distribution per stapled security | 16.00 | 12.85 | 16.00 | 12.85 |
| Note | \$'000 | \$'000 | \$'000 | \$'000 |

Note 11 Cash assets and cash equivalents

| | | | | |
|--------------------------|---------------|---------------|------------|----------|
| Cash at bank and in hand | 4,783 | 202 | 5 | 9 |
| Deposits at call | 18,709 | 13,775 | 300 | – |
| Cash reserve | 5,500 | 5,500 | – | – |
| | 28,992 | 19,477 | 305 | 9 |

The cash reserve of \$5.5 million is required to be held as a cash reserve as part of the terms of the CMBS issue in order to provide liquidity against CMBS obligations to scheduled CMBS maturity on 20 May 2011 and final maturity on 20 May 2015.

During the year ended 30 June 2006 all cash assets were placed on deposit with either the ANZ Banking Group Limited, Commonwealth Bank of Australia Limited or Macquarie Bank Limited. As at 30 June 2006 the weighted average interest rate on all cash assets was 5.83% (2005: 5.59%).

Note 12 Receivables

| | | | | |
|---------------------------------------|--------------|------------|---------------|---------------|
| Accounts receivable | 880 | 303 | – | 100 |
| Interest receivable | 132 | 68 | – | – |
| Loan to related party – the Company | – | – | 699 | 350 |
| Loan to related party – the Sub-Trust | – | – | 24,015 | 22,506 |
| | 1,012 | 371 | 24,714 | 22,956 |

Accounts receivable comprise expenditure incurred by ALE that are recoverable from its tenant, Australian Leisure and Hospitality Group Pty Limited, or from Foster's Group Limited and other parties.

Note 13 Other

Current

| | | | | |
|-------------------------------------|-----------|--------------|-----------|--------------|
| Prepaid capitalised borrowing costs | (a) – | 5,754 | – | 2,301 |
| Other prepaid expenses | 55 | 39 | 12 | 4 |
| | 55 | 5,793 | 12 | 2,305 |

Non-current

| | | | | |
|-------------------------------------|-----------|---------------|-----------|--------------|
| Prepaid capitalised borrowing costs | (a) – | 13,585 | – | 5,423 |
| | – | 13,585 | – | 5,423 |
| Total | 55 | 19,378 | 12 | 7,728 |

| | CONSOLIDATED | | PARENT ENTITY | |
|--|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|
| | 2006 \$'000 | 2005 \$'000 | 2006 \$'000 | 2005 \$'000 |
| Note 13 Other (continued) | | | | |
| (a) Reconciliation of capitalised borrowing costs: | | | | |
| Opening unamortised lead manager's incentive fee | – | 25,109 | – | 10,032 |
| Amount expensed during the year | – | (5,769) | – | (2,308) |
| | – | 19,340 | – | 7,724 |

The prepaid borrowing costs of \$28.8 million incurred in November 2003 were, until 1 July 2005, being expensed in a straight line over the remaining term of the five year period to which it related.

From 1 July 2005 ALE has adopted AASB 132 Financial Instruments: Disclosure and Presentation and AASB 139 Financial Instruments: Recognition and Measurement. This has resulted in all capitalised borrowing costs being disclosed as a reduction in borrowings (note 20). The fee of \$28.8 million has, since 1 July 2005, been expensed from inception not on a straight line basis, but on an amortised costs basis that applies an effective yield equivalent to the interest rate required to discount all cash flows on the fixed rate CMBS, ALE Notes and capitalised borrowing costs back to the face value of the fixed rate borrowings at inception.

The amortised cost on an effective yield basis results in prepaid capitalised borrowing costs being expensed at a lower rate in the earlier years and at a higher rate in the later years of the term when compared to the straight line basis. The amortisation adjustment required as at 30 June 2005 has been applied directly to retained profits/ (loss) (for further information refer to note 26).

Note 14 Investment properties

Reconciliation

A reconciliation of the carrying amounts of investment properties at the beginning and end of the year is set out below:

| | | | | |
|---|----------------|----------------|----------|----------|
| Carrying amount at beginning of the year | 625,000 | 550,200 | – | – |
| Acquisitions | 20,214 | – | – | – |
| Net gain from fair value adjustments | 50,256 | 74,800 | – | – |
| Carrying amount at the end of the year | 695,470 | 625,000 | – | – |

Note 14 Investment properties (continued)

| Property | Date acquired | Cost including additions \$'000 | Valuation type and date | Fair value 30 June 2006 \$'000 | Fair value 30 June 2005 \$'000 | Fair value gains (losses) 30 June 2006 \$'000 |
|---|---------------|---------------------------------|-------------------------|--------------------------------|--------------------------------|---|
| New South Wales | | | | | | |
| Blacktown Hotel, Blacktown | Nov-03 | 5,470 | B | 7,100 | 6,600 | 500 |
| Brown Jug Hotel, Fairfield Heights | Nov-03 | 5,659 | B | 7,300 | 6,900 | 400 |
| Colyton Hotel, Colyton | Nov-03 | 8,205 | B | 10,600 | 9,900 | 700 |
| Crows Nest Hotel, Crows Nest | Nov-03 | 8,771 | B | 11,400 | 10,600 | 800 |
| Kirribilli Hotel, Kirribilli | Nov-03 | 5,847 | B | 7,300 | 6,850 | 450 |
| Melton Hotel, Auburn | Nov-03 | 3,112 | A | 3,900 | 3,700 | 200 |
| New Brighton Hotel, Manly | Nov-03 | 8,865 | A | 11,200 | 10,500 | 700 |
| Pioneer Hotel, Penrith | Nov-03 | 5,848 | A | 7,600 | 6,800 | 800 |
| Pymble Hotel, Pymble | Nov-03 | 2,830 | A | 3,450 | 3,250 | 200 |
| Smithfield Tavern, Smithfield | Nov-03 | 4,150 | A | 5,500 | 5,100 | 400 |
| Total New South Wales properties | | 58,757 | | 75,350 | 70,200 | 5,150 |
| Queensland | | | | | | |
| Albany Creek Tavern, Albany Creek | Nov-03 | 8,394 | B | 10,500 | 9,600 | 900 |
| Albion Hotel, Albion | Nov-03 | 4,433 | A | 5,800 | 5,200 | 600 |
| Alderley Arms Hotel, Alderley | Nov-03 | 3,301 | B | 4,300 | 4,100 | 200 |
| Anglers Arms Hotel, Southport | Nov-03 | 4,433 | B | 5,700 | 5,300 | 400 |
| Balaclava Hotel, Cairns | Nov-03 | 3,301 | A | 4,100 | 3,800 | 300 |
| Breakfast Creek Hotel, Breakfast Creek | Nov-03 | 10,656 | A | 12,000 | 11,700 | 300 |
| Caloundra Hotel, Caloundra | Oct-05 | 4,332 | C | 5,500 | – | 1,168 |
| Camp Hill Hotel, Camp Hill | Nov-03 | 2,264 | A | 2,900 | 2,750 | 150 |
| Chardons Corner Hotel, Annerly | Nov-03 | 1,415 | A | 1,800 | 1,500 | 300 |
| Dalrymple Hotel, Townsville | Nov-03 | 3,207 | C | 4,050 | 3,700 | 350 |
| Edge Hill Tavern | Nov-03 | 2,358 | A | 3,100 | 3,000 | 100 |
| Edinburgh Castle Hotel, Kedron | Nov-03 | 3,112 | B | 3,900 | 3,600 | 300 |
| Ferny Grove Tavern, Ferny Grove | Nov-03 | 5,847 | A | 7,100 | 6,600 | 500 |
| Four Mile Creek, Strathpine | Jun-04 | 3,672 | B | 4,900 | 4,600 | 300 |
| Hamilton Hotel, Hamilton | Nov-03 | 6,602 | A | 7,700 | 7,400 | 300 |
| Holland Park Hotel, Holland Park | Nov-03 | 3,773 | B | 5,100 | 4,600 | 500 |
| Imperial Hotel, Beenleigh | Nov-03 | 2,452 | B | 3,200 | 2,900 | 300 |
| Kedron Park Hotel, Kedron Park | Nov-03 | 2,264 | A | 2,900 | 2,700 | 200 |
| Kirwan Tavern, Townsville | Nov-03 | 4,433 | C | 5,750 | 5,300 | 450 |
| Lawnton Tavern, Lawnton | Nov-03 | 4,433 | A | 5,400 | 5,100 | 300 |
| Miami Hotel, Miami | Nov-03 | 4,055 | B | 5,400 | 4,800 | 600 |
| Mount Gravatt Hotel, Mount Gravatt | Nov-03 | 3,207 | B | 4,000 | 3,700 | 300 |
| Mount Pleasant Tavern, Mackay | Nov-03 | 1,792 | C | 2,300 | 2,200 | 100 |
| Noosa Reef Hotel, Noosa Heads | Jun-04 | 6,874 | A | 9,700 | 8,300 | 1,400 |
| Nudgee Beach Hotel | Nov-03 | 3,018 | A | 3,900 | 3,500 | 400 |
| Oxford 152, Bulimba | Nov-03 | 4,999 | B | 6,300 | 5,600 | 700 |
| Palm Beach Hotel, Palm Beach | Nov-03 | 6,885 | B | 8,800 | 8,000 | 800 |
| Pelican Waters, Caloundra | Jun-04 | 4,237 | B | 5,200 | 4,800 | 400 |
| Petrie Hotel, Petrie | Nov-03 | 1,698 | C | 2,150 | 1,900 | 250 |
| Prince of Wales Hotel, Nundah | Nov-03 | 3,395 | B | 4,300 | 3,900 | 400 |
| Racehorse Hotel, Booval | Nov-03 | 1,792 | B | 2,600 | 1,900 | 700 |
| Redland Bay Hotel, Redland Bay | Nov-03 | 5,187 | B | 6,500 | 5,900 | 600 |
| Royal Exchange Hotel, Toowong | Nov-03 | 5,753 | B | 7,200 | 6,700 | 500 |
| Springwood Hotel, Springwood | Nov-03 | 9,148 | B | 11,400 | 10,300 | 1,100 |
| Stones Corner Hotel, Stones Corner | Nov-03 | 5,376 | A | 7,500 | 6,500 | 1,000 |
| Sunnybank Hotel, Sunnybank | Nov-03 | 8,205 | B | 10,200 | 9,600 | 600 |
| Vale Hotel Motel, Townsville | Nov-03 | 5,659 | C | 7,300 | 6,700 | 600 |
| Wilsonton Hotel, Toowoomba | Nov-03 | 4,527 | C | 5,500 | 5,300 | 200 |
| Woree Tavern, Cairns | Nov-03 | 1,037 | C | 1,250 | 1,100 | 150 |
| Total Queensland properties | | 171,526 | | 217,200 | 194,150 | 18,719 |

Note 14 Investment properties (continued)

| Property | Date acquired | Cost including additions \$'000 | Valuation type and date | Fair value 30 June 2006 \$'000 | Fair value 30 June 2005 \$'000 | Fair value gains (losses) 30 June 2006 \$'000 |
|--|---------------|------------------------------------|-------------------------|--------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|---|
| South Australia | | | | | | |
| Aberfoyle Hub, Aberfoyle Park | Nov-03 | 3,301 | B | 4,200 | 4,000 | 200 |
| Enfield, Clearview | Nov-03 | 2,452 | A | 3,350 | 3,150 | 200 |
| Eureka, Salisbury | Nov-03 | 3,301 | B | 4,200 | 4,100 | 100 |
| Exeter, Exeter | Nov-03 | 1,886 | B | 2,500 | 2,350 | 150 |
| Finsbury, Woodville North | Nov-03 | 1,603 | B | 2,100 | 1,950 | 150 |
| Gepps Cross, Blair Athol | Nov-03 | 2,169 | B | 2,900 | 2,850 | 50 |
| Hendon, Royal Park | Nov-03 | 1,604 | A | 2,150 | 2,100 | 50 |
| Ramsgate, Henley Beach | Nov-03 | 3,773 | A | 5,000 | 4,850 | 150 |
| Stockade Tavern, Salisbury | Nov-03 | 4,433 | B | 5,900 | 5,500 | 400 |
| Total South Australian properties | | 24,522 | | 32,300 | 30,850 | 1,450 |
| Victoria | | | | | | |
| Ashley, Braybrook | Nov-03 | 3,961 | B | 5,400 | 5,000 | 400 |
| Bayswater, Bayswater | Nov-03 | 9,903 | B | 13,400 | 12,600 | 800 |
| Berwick Inn, Berwick | Feb-06 | 15,883 | A | 16,000 | – | 117 |
| Blackburn, Blackburn | Nov-03 | 9,431 | B | 12,600 | 11,700 | 900 |
| Blue Bell, Wendouree | Nov-03 | 1,981 | C | 2,900 | 2,700 | 200 |
| Burvale, Nunawading | Nov-03 | 9,714 | B | 13,800 | 12,400 | 1,400 |
| Club Hotel, Ferntree Gully | Nov-03 | 5,093 | A | 6,900 | 6,500 | 400 |
| Cramers, Preston | Nov-03 | 8,300 | A | 12,200 | 10,900 | 1,300 |
| Daveys, Frankston | Nov-03 | 2,546 | A | 3,600 | 3,400 | 200 |
| Deer Park, Deer Park | Nov-03 | 6,979 | B | 9,800 | 9,200 | 600 |
| Doncaster Hotel/Motel, Doncaster | Nov-03 | 12,166 | A | 16,200 | 15,100 | 1,100 |
| Elsternwick, Elwood | Nov-03 | 3,301 | B | 4,500 | 4,200 | 300 |
| Eltham, Eltham | Nov-03 | 4,716 | B | 6,800 | 6,300 | 500 |
| Ferntree Gully, Ferntree Gully | Nov-03 | 4,716 | A | 7,400 | 6,900 | 500 |
| Gateway, Corio | Nov-03 | 3,112 | C | 4,650 | 4,300 | 350 |
| Keysborough, Keysborough | Nov-03 | 9,620 | B | 12,800 | 12,000 | 800 |
| Mac's Melton, Melton | Nov-03 | 6,885 | B | 9,100 | 8,500 | 600 |
| Meadow Inn, Fawkner | Nov-03 | 8,111 | B | 10,700 | 10,000 | 700 |
| Mitcham, Mitcham | Nov-03 | 8,583 | B | 11,400 | 10,600 | 800 |
| Morwell, Morwell | Nov-03 | 1,509 | A | 2,300 | 2,100 | 200 |
| Mountain View, Glen Waverly | Nov-03 | 7,168 | A | 10,500 | 9,800 | 700 |
| Olinda Creek, Lilydale | Nov-03 | 3,961 | B | 5,300 | 4,900 | 400 |
| Pier, Frankston | Nov-03 | 8,017 | A | 10,600 | 9,500 | 1,100 |
| Plough, Mill Park | Nov-03 | 8,488 | B | 11,200 | 10,500 | 700 |
| Prince Mark, Doveton | Nov-03 | 9,809 | A | 13,500 | 12,600 | 900 |
| Rifle Club, Williamstown | Nov-03 | 2,735 | B | 4,100 | 3,800 | 300 |
| Rose Shamrock & Thistle, Reservoir | Nov-03 | 2,641 | B | 3,700 | 3,400 | 300 |
| Royal Essendon, Essendon | Nov-03 | 4,338 | B | 5,900 | 5,500 | 400 |
| Royal Exchange, Traralgon | Nov-03 | 2,169 | B | 3,300 | 2,900 | 400 |
| Royal Sunbury, Sunbury | Nov-03 | 3,112 | B | 4,100 | 4,000 | 100 |
| Sandbelt Club, Moorabbin | Nov-03 | 10,846 | B | 15,400 | 14,400 | 1,000 |
| Sandown Park, Noble Park | Nov-03 | 6,319 | B | 8,400 | 7,800 | 600 |
| Sandringham, Sandringham | Nov-03 | 4,527 | B | 6,700 | 6,200 | 500 |
| Somerville, Somerville | Nov-03 | 2,641 | A | 4,000 | 3,800 | 200 |
| Stamford, Rowville | Nov-03 | 12,732 | A | 17,000 | 15,900 | 1,100 |
| Sylvania, Campbellfield | Nov-03 | 5,376 | A | 7,300 | 6,800 | 500 |
| Tudor Inn, Cheltenham | Nov-03 | 5,470 | B | 7,500 | 7,000 | 500 |
| Vale, Mulgrave | Nov-03 | 5,565 | B | 7,700 | 7,100 | 600 |
| Victoria, Shepparton | Nov-03 | 2,264 | C | 3,450 | 3,200 | 250 |
| Village Green, Mulgrave | Nov-03 | 12,544 | B | 16,200 | 15,100 | 1,100 |
| Westmeadows, Westmeadows | Nov-03 | 2,735 | B | 3,800 | 3,700 | 100 |
| Young & Jackson, Melbourne | Nov-03 | 6,130 | B | 7,700 | 7,100 | 600 |
| Total Victorian properties | | 266,097 | | 359,800 | 319,400 | 24,517 |

Note 14 Investment properties (continued)

| Property | Date acquired | Cost including additions \$'000 | Valuation type and date | Fair value 30 June 2006 \$'000 | Fair value 30 June 2005 \$'000 | Fair value gains (losses) 30 June 2006 \$'000 |
|--|---------------|------------------------------------|-------------------------|--------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|---|
| Western Australia | | | | | | |
| Queens Tavern, Highgate | Nov-03 | 4,810 | A | 5,860 | 5,635 | 225 |
| Sail & Anchor Hotel, Fremantle | Nov-03 | 3,112 | C | 3,610 | 3,465 | 145 |
| Wanneroo Villa Tavern, Wanneroo | Nov-03 | 1,132 | C | 1,350 | 1,300 | 50 |
| Total Western Australian properties | | 9,054 | | 10,820 | 10,400 | 420 |
| Total investment properties | | 529,956 | | 695,470 | 625,000 | 50,256 |

Valuation type and date

- A Independent valuations conducted during April 2006 with a valuation date of 30 June 2006.
- B Independent valuations conducted during May 2006 with a valuation date of 30 June 2006.
- C Directors' valuations conducted May 2006 with a valuation date of 30 June 2006.

Investment properties

All investment properties are freehold and 100% owned by ALE and are comprised of land, buildings and fixed improvements. The plant, equipment and liquor and gaming licences are owned by the tenant.

Leasing arrangements

The investment properties are leased to a single tenant under long-term "triple net" operating leases with rentals payable monthly in advance. ALE has incurred no lease incentive costs to date.

Valuation of investment properties

The basis of valuation of investment properties is fair value being the amounts for which the properties could be exchanged between willing parties in an arm's length transaction, based on current prices in an active market for similar properties in the same location and condition and subject to similar leases.

Independent valuations

In accordance with ALE's policy of independently valuing at least one-third of its property portfolio annually, 90 properties were independently valued during April and May 2006 on an as at 30 June 2006 basis. The independent valuations are identified as "A" (conducted April 2006) or "B" (conducted May 2006) in the investment property table under the column labelled "Valuation type and date" (above). All of these valuations were completed by Peter Spiller (AAPI) of DTZ Australia (NSW) Pty Ltd.

Directors' valuations

90 of ALE's portfolio of 103 completed properties (an additional three property acquisitions remain subject to completion, refer to note 15) were independently valued during April and May 2006. The remaining 13 completed properties were subject to directors' valuations as at 31 May 2006. The directors' valuations were determined by taking each property's net rent as at 31 May 2006 and capitalising it at a rate equal to the latest independently determined capitalisation rate for that property adjusted by the average change in capitalisation rate evident in the April and May 2006 independent valuations on a state by state basis. The latest independent valuation for the directors' valuation properties was 30 June 2005 for all except Caloundra, Queensland which was completed by Peter Spiller (AAPI) of DTZ Australia (NSW) Pty Ltd on 30 September 2005.

Conditional acquisition of development properties

During November 2003 ALE entered into conditional sale contracts with subsidiaries of Foster's Group Limited to acquire seven properties that were subject to development plans. The conditional sale contracts are conditional upon satisfactory completion of the developments. At 30 June 2006, three of the properties are yet to be acquired (note 15 contains further information).

Note 15 Loans and deposits – investment properties

Deposits and acquisition costs on all of the properties are classified as non-current assets due to them forming a part of the acquisition of investment properties (a non-current asset) under the conditional sale contracts.

As at 30 June 2006:

| Property | Expected acquisition quarter ending | Deposits (10% of purchase price) \$'000 | Loans (90% of purchase price) \$'000 | Costs \$'000 | Total acquisition costs \$'000 |
|---|-------------------------------------|---|--------------------------------------|--------------|--------------------------------|
| Current | | | | | |
| Narrabeen Sands Hotel, Narrabeen | Dec 2006 | – | 7,914 | – | 7,914 |
| Parkway Hotel, Frenchs Forest, NSW | Dec 2006 | – | 5,748 | – | 5,748 |
| | | – | 13,662 | – | 13,662 |
| Non-current | | | | | |
| Burleigh Heads Hotel, Burleigh Heads | Dec 2007 | 658 | 5,914 | 114 | 6,686 |
| Narrabeen Sands Hotel, Narrabeen | Dec 2006 | 879 | – | 152 | 1,031 |
| Parkway Hotel, Frenchs Forest, NSW | Dec 2006 | 638 | – | 110 | 748 |
| | | 2,175 | 5,914 | 376 | 8,465 |
| Total loans and deposits – investment properties | | 2,175 | 19,576 | 376 | 22,127 |
| Total investment properties (note 14) | | | | | 695,470 |
| Total investment properties and loans and deposits – investment properties | | | | | 717,597 |

As at 30 June 2005:

| Property | Expected acquisition quarter ending | Deposits (10% of purchase price) \$'000 | Loans (90% of purchase price) \$'000 | Costs \$'000 | Total acquisition costs \$'000 |
|---|-------------------------------------|---|--------------------------------------|--------------|--------------------------------|
| Current | | | | | |
| Caloundra Hotel, Caloundra, QLD | | – | 3,832 | – | 3,832 |
| Narrabeen Sands Hotel, Narrabeen | | – | 7,914 | – | 7,914 |
| | | – | 11,746 | – | 11,746 |
| Non-current | | | | | |
| Caloundra Hotel, Caloundra, QLD | | 426 | – | 74 | 500 |
| Narrabeen Sands Hotel, Narrabeen | | 879 | – | 152 | 1,031 |
| Burleigh Heads Hotel, Burleigh Heads | | 657 | 5,915 | 114 | 6,686 |
| Parkway Hotel, Frenchs Forest, NSW | | 638 | 5,748 | 110 | 6,496 |
| | | 2,600 | 11,663 | 450 | 14,713 |
| Total loans and deposits – investment properties | | 2,600 | 23,409 | 450 | 26,459 |
| Total investment properties (note 14) | | | | | 625,000 |
| Total investment properties and loans and deposits – investment properties | | | | | 651,459 |

ALE paid deposits and made loans to subsidiaries of Foster's Group Limited during November 2003 equal to the purchase prices in the conditional sale contracts for each of the properties. ALE receives monthly interest on the loans equal to the rent otherwise payable on the properties. As at 30 June 2006 the annual interest payable was \$1,914,000 (2005: \$2,244,000). This equates to a weighted average interest rate of 9.78% (2005: 9.59%) on the loan amount of \$20,723,000 (2005: \$23,409,000) and a weighted average interest rate of 8.80% (2005: 8.63%) on the purchase price of \$22,898,000 (2005: \$26,009,000).

Under the conditional sale contracts ALE will acquire legal title to each of these properties on completion of the relevant development at the purchase price agreed at the November 2003 exchange of contracts. Independent valuations will be undertaken on each of the developments when complete and, if necessary, the purchase price will be adjusted down to reflect the value. If the completion valuation results in an increase in value there will be no adjustment to the purchase price. ALE and members of Foster's Group Limited had rights to rescind the conditional sale contracts in the event that the developments were not completed by November 2005. Formal agreements were completed between the parties during July 2006 expanding the extension of the applicable sunset dates to enable the completion of the developments over extended timetables.

Note 15 Loans and deposits – investment properties (continued)

Current and non-current asset classifications

The Narrabeen Hotel (subject to development completion) and the Parkway Hotel (subject to discussion between ALE, ALH and Foster's Group Limited) are expected to be acquired by ALE and the loans repaid by 31 December 2006. As a result the loans are classified as current assets.

The loan to the Foster's Group Limited on the remaining property, Burleigh Heads Hotel, is classified as a non-current asset due to expected development completion and acquisition by ALE after 30 June 2007.

Note 16 Plant and equipment

| | Furniture, fittings and equipment \$'000 | Software \$'000 | Office fitout \$'000 | Total \$'000 |
|--------------------------------|--|--------------------|-------------------------|-----------------|
| At 30 June 2004 | | | | |
| At cost | 2 | 18 | – | 20 |
| Accumulated depreciation | – | (4) | – | (4) |
| Net book value | 2 | 14 | – | 16 |
| Year ended 30 June 2005 | | | | |
| Opening net book value | 2 | 14 | – | 16 |
| Additions | 57 | 25 | 86 | 168 |
| Depreciation charge | (12) | (7) | (24) | (43) |
| Closing net book value | 47 | 32 | 62 | 141 |
| At 30 June 2005 | | | | |
| Cost | 59 | 43 | 86 | 188 |
| Accumulated depreciation | (12) | (11) | (24) | (47) |
| Net book value | 47 | 32 | 62 | 141 |
| Year ended 30 June 2006 | | | | |
| Opening net book value | 47 | 32 | 62 | 141 |
| Additions | – | 29 | – | 29 |
| Depreciation charge | (13) | (25) | (31) | (69) |
| Closing net book value | 34 | 36 | 31 | 101 |
| As at 30 June 2006 | | | | |
| Cost | 59 | 72 | 85 | 216 |
| Accumulated depreciation | (25) | (36) | (54) | (115) |
| Net book value | 34 | 36 | 31 | 101 |

| CONSOLIDATED | | PARENT ENTITY | |
|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|
| 2006 \$'000 | 2005 \$'000 | 2006 \$'000 | 2005 \$'000 |

Note 17 Investment in controlled entities

Unlisted units in controlled trust
– Sub-Trust

| | | | |
|----------|----------|----------------|----------------|
| – | – | 210,943 | 210,943 |
| – | – | 210,943 | 210,943 |

The Trust owns 100% of the issued units of the Sub-Trust (note 35 contains further information).

Note 18 Payables

Trade creditors
Interest accrued on CMBS
Interest accrued on CIBs
Interest accrued on ALE Notes
Other accruals

| | | | |
|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|
| 254 | 44 | – | – |
| 1,355 | 3,046 | – | – |
| 492 | – | – | – |
| 2,747 | 2,747 | 2,747 | 2,747 |
| 2,751 | 1,126 | 26 | 23 |
| 7,599 | 6,963 | 2,773 | 2,770 |

| | CONSOLIDATED | | PARENT ENTITY | |
|--|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|
| | 2006 \$'000 | 2005 \$'000 | 2006 \$'000 | 2005 \$'000 |
| Note 19 Provisions and other liabilities | | | | |
| (a) Provisions | | | | |
| Provision for distribution | 8,354 | 5,994 | 8,354 | 5,994 |
| Provision for annual leave | 46 | 22 | – | – |
| Provision for superannuation | 15 | 10 | – | – |
| | 8,415 | 6,026 | 8,354 | 5,994 |
| (b) Current liabilities – other | | | | |
| Unearned rental income for the month of July 2006 received in June 2006 | 3,905 | – | – | – |
| GST on unearned rental income for the month of July 2006 received in June 2006 | 391 | – | – | – |
| Unearned interest income for July 2006 | 31 | 39 | – | – |
| Other | – | 302 | – | 302 |
| | 4,327 | 341 | – | 302 |
| Note 20 Borrowings | | | | |
| CMBS – opening balance | 330,000 | 330,000 | – | – |
| CMBS – issued February 2006 (Berwick acquisition) | 15,000 | – | – | – |
| CMBS pre May 2006 – prepaid | (345,000) | – | – | – |
| CMBS May 2006 – issued | 225,000 | – | – | – |
| | 225,000 | 330,000 | – | – |
| Closing CMBS | | | | |
| CMBS pre May 2006 – borrowing costs | (17,280) | – | – | – |
| CMBS pre May 2006 – amortised borrowing costs | 17,280 | – | – | – |
| | – | – | – | – |
| CMBS pre May 2006 – unamortised costs | | | | |
| CMBS May 2006 – prepaid borrowing costs | (1,128) | – | – | – |
| CMBS May 2006 – amortised borrowing costs | 3 | – | – | – |
| | (1,125) | – | – | – |
| CMBS May 2006 – unamortised costs | | | | |
| CIBs – issued May 2006 | 125,873 | – | – | – |
| Capitalised interest | 527 | – | – | – |
| | 126,400 | – | – | – |
| Closing CIBs | | | | |
| Prepaid CIBs borrowing costs | (768) | – | – | – |
| Amortised CIBs borrowing costs | 19 | – | – | – |
| | (749) | – | – | – |
| CIBs – unamortised costs | | | | |
| | 150,000 | 150,000 | 150,000 | 150,000 |
| ALE Notes on issue | | | | |
| ALE Notes – prepaid borrowing costs | (11,520) | – | (11,520) | – |
| ALE Notes – amortised borrowing costs | 3,037 | – | 3,037 | – |
| | (8,483) | – | (8,483) | – |
| ALE Notes – unamortised costs | | | | |
| | 1,022 | 783 | 1,022 | 783 |
| | 492,065 | 480,783 | 142,539 | 150,783 |
| Comprising (from above): | | | | |
| CMBS on issue | 225,000 | 330,000 | – | – |
| CIBs on issue | 125,873 | – | – | – |
| CIBs capitalised interest | 527 | – | – | – |
| ALE Notes on issue | 150,000 | 150,000 | 150,000 | 150,000 |
| ALE Notes premium | 1,022 | 783 | 1,022 | 783 |
| CMBS May 2006 – unamortised costs | (1,125) | – | – | – |
| CIBs – unamortised costs | (749) | – | – | – |
| ALE Notes – unamortised costs | (8,483) | – | (8,483) | – |
| | 492,065 | 480,783 | 142,539 | 150,783 |

Note 20 Borrowings (continued)

From 1 July 2005 ALE adopted AASB 132 Financial Instruments: Disclosure and Presentation and AASB 139 Financial Instruments: Recognition and Measurement. This has resulted in all capitalised borrowing costs being disclosed as a reduction in borrowings; previously these costs were disclosed as prepaid capitalised borrowing costs.

CMBS borrowings of \$330 million at 30 June 2005 were increased to \$345 million during February 2006 in order to fund the acquisition of the Berwick Inn, Victoria (purchase price \$15.0 million). The \$345 million of CMBS borrowings were refinanced during May 2006 with \$225 million of new CMBS and \$125.9 million of CIBs.

A 3.40% p.a. (including credit margin) fixed rate of interest applies to the CIBs and is payable quarterly with the outstanding balance of the CIBs escalating periodically in line with the relevant consumer price index. The amount of the escalation is referred to as capitalised interest and is not payable until maturity of the CIBs.

The CMBS and CIBs borrowings are secured by, among other things, first ranking real property mortgages over all but four of the investment properties. The CMBS and CIBs have scheduled maturity dates of 20 May 2011 and 20 November 2023 respectively. The ALE Notes were issued on 7 November 2003 with an expected maturity date of 30 September 2011. A 2.5% redemption premium of \$3.75 million is payable on the expected maturity date.

ALE's \$225 million of CMBS variable interest rate exposure of is fully hedged (100% fixed) up until November 2009. This has been achieved by the use of variable rate borrowings swapped to fixed rates by using interest rate swaps.

At 30 June 2006, the notional principal amounts and periods of expiry of the interest rate derivative contracts are as follows:

| | | | Consolidated 2006 \$'000 |
|---|---|-----|--------------------------------|
| Expiry periods | | | |
| Less than 1 year | | | – |
| 1-3 years | \$50 million on 20-Nov-08 \$50 million on 20-May-09 (\$50 million) on 20-May-09 | (a) | 50,000 |
| 3-4 years | \$50 million on 20-Nov-09 (\$20 million) on 20-Nov-09 \$50 million on 20-May-10 | | 80,000 |
| 4-5 years | \$30 million on 20-Nov-10 | | 30,000 |
| 6-7 years | \$15 million on 20-Nov-12 \$50 million on 20-Nov-12 | (b) | 65,000 |
| 7-8 years | \$50 million on 20-Nov-13 | (b) | 50,000 |
| Total expiries | | | 275,000 |
| | (\$50 million) forward rate commences 20-Nov-08 | (a) | |
| | \$100 million forward rate commences 20-Nov-08 | (b) | (50,000) |
| Expiries excluding derivatives yet to commence | | | 225,000 |

ALE's weighted average interest rate on all borrowings and interest rate swaps as at 30 June 2006 was 6.034% (2005: 6.524%).

Note 20 Borrowings (continued)
Assets pledged as securities

The ALE Notes are unsecured. The carrying amounts of assets pledged as security for CMBS and CIBs borrowings are:

| | CONSOLIDATED | |
|--|----------------|----------------|
| | 2006 \$'000 | 2005 \$'000 |
| Current assets | | |
| Cash reserve | 5,500 | 5,500 |
| Non-current assets | | |
| Total investment properties | 695,470 | 625,000 |
| Less: Properties not subject to mortgages | | |
| Imperial Hotel, Beenleigh, QLD | (3,200) | (2,900) |
| Petrie Hotel, Petrie, QLD | (2,150) | (1,900) |
| Woree Tavern, Cairns, QLD | (1,250) | (1,100) |
| Wanneroo Villa Tavern, Wanneroo, WA | (1,350) | (1,300) |
| Properties subject to first mortgages | 687,520 | 617,800 |
| Total assets | 693,020 | 623,300 |

In the unlikely event of a default by ALE's tenant, Australian Leisure and Hospitality Group Limited (ALH), if the assets pledged as security are insufficient to fully repay CMBS and CIBs borrowings, the CMBS and CIBs holders are also entitled to recover the amount unpaid from the business assets of ALH.

| | CONSOLIDATED | | PARENT ENTITY | |
|---|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|
| | 2006 \$'000 | 2005 \$'000 | 2006 \$'000 | 2005 \$'000 |
| Note 21 Deferred tax asset | | | | |
| The balance comprises temporary differences attributable to: | | | | |
| Amounts recognised in profit or loss | | | | |
| Derivative – interest rate swaps | 71 | – | – | – |
| Employee benefits | 19 | 10 | – | – |
| Acquisition proposal due diligence | 381 | – | – | – |
| CIBs amortisation | 28 | – | – | – |
| Other accruals | 79 | 77 | – | – |
| Other provisions | – | 12 | – | – |
| Net deferred tax assets | 578 | 99 | – | – |
| Movements: | | | | |
| Opening balance at 1 July 2005 | 99 | 50 | – | – |
| Change on adoption of AASB 132 and AASB 139 | 266 | – | – | – |
| Credited/(charged) to the income statement (note 9) | 213 | 49 | – | – |
| Credited/(charged) to equity | – | – | – | – |
| Closing balance at 30 June 2006 | 578 | 99 | – | – |
| Deferred tax assets to be recovered within 12 months | 196 | 99 | – | – |
| Deferred tax assets to be recovered after more than 12 months | 382 | – | – | – |
| | 578 | 99 | – | – |

| | CONSOLIDATED | | PARENT ENTITY | |
|---|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|
| | 2006 \$'000 | 2005 \$'000 | 2006 \$'000 | 2005 \$'000 |
| Note 22 Deferred tax liability | | | | |
| The balance comprises temporary differences attributable to: | | | | |
| Amounts recognised in profit or loss | | | | |
| Derivative – interest rate swaps | 1,575 | – | – | – |
| Interest income earned but not received | 15 | – | – | – |
| CIBs interest amortisation | 47 | – | – | – |
| CIBs and CMBS amortisation of costs | 10 | – | – | – |
| Prepaid expense | 1 | – | – | – |
| Net deferred tax liability | 1,648 | – | – | – |
| Movements: | | | | |
| Opening balance at 1 July 2005 | – | – | – | – |
| Change on adoption of AASB 132 and AASB 139 | – | – | – | – |
| Charged/(credited) to income statement (note 9) | 1,648 | – | – | – |
| Charged/(credited) to equity | – | – | – | – |
| Acquisition of subsidiary | – | – | – | – |
| Closing balance at 30 June 2006 | 1,648 | – | – | – |
| Deferred tax liabilities to be recovered after more than 12 months | 16 | – | – | – |
| Deferred tax liabilities to be recovered within 12 months | 1,632 | – | – | – |
| | 1,648 | – | – | – |
| Note 23 Contributed equity | | | | |
| Balance at the beginning of the year | 81,787 | 88,010 | 81,787 | 88,010 |
| Transfer (to) distribution to stapled security holders | – | (6,223) | – | (6,223) |
| | 81,787 | 81,787 | 81,787 | 81,787 |

The Trust issued 9,080,010 of no income voting units (NIVUS) to the Company fully paid at \$1.00 each in November 2003. The NIVUS are not stapled to shares in the Company, have an issue and withdrawal price of \$1.00, carry no rights to income from the Trust and entitle the holder to no more than \$1.00 per NIVUS upon the winding up of the Trust. The Company has a voting power of 9.09% in the Trust as a result of the issue of NIVUS.

Movements in the number of fully paid stapled securities during the period were as follows:

| | Number of securities | Number of securities | Number of securities | Number of securities |
|---------------------------------------|----------------------|----------------------|----------------------|----------------------|
| Stapled securities on issue: | | | | |
| Balance at the beginning of the year | 90,800,100 | 90,800,100 | 90,800,100 | 90,800,100 |
| Issue of securities | – | – | – | – |
| Balance at the end of the year | 90,800,100 | 90,800,100 | 90,800,100 | 90,800,100 |

Stapled securities

Fully paid ALE stapled securities were issued at \$1.00 per stapled security. Each stapled security comprises one share in the Company and one unit in the Trust. They cannot be traded or dealt with separately. Stapled securities entitle the holder to participate in dividends/distributions and the proceeds on any winding up of ALE in proportion to the number of and amounts paid on the securities held. On a show of hands every holder of stapled securities present at a meeting in person or by proxy, is entitled to one vote. On a poll each ordinary shareholder is entitled to one vote for each fully paid share and each unitholder is entitled to one vote for each fully paid unit.

| | Note | CONSOLIDATED | | PARENT ENTITY | |
|--|------|---|---|---|---|
| | | 2006 \$'000 Number of securities | 2005 \$'000 Number of securities | 2006 \$'000 Number of securities | 2005 \$'000 Number of securities |
| Note 24 Retained profits/(loss) | | | | | |
| Balance at the beginning of the year | | 115,012 | 40,336 | – | – |
| Adjustment on adoption of AASB 132 and AASB 139 | 26 | 4,544 | – | 4,416 | – |
| Deferred tax asset recognised on adoption of AASB 132 and AASB 139 | | 266 | – | – | – |
| Profit attributable to stapled security holders of ALE | | 52,207 | 80,121 | 10,721 | 5,445 |
| Transfer from contributed equity | | – | 6,223 | – | 6,223 |
| Total available for appropriation | | 172,029 | 126,680 | 15,137 | 11,668 |
| Distributions provided for or paid during the year | | (14,528) | (11,668) | (14,528) | (11,668) |
| Balance at the end of the year | | 157,501 | 115,012 | 609 | – |

| | Note | CONSOLIDATED | | PARENT ENTITY | |
|--|------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|
| | | 2006 \$'000 | 2005 \$'000 | 2006 \$'000 | 2005 \$'000 |
| Retained earnings balance at the end of the year is comprised of the following amounts: | | | | | |
| Fair value adjustments – investment properties (non-cash) | (a) | 165,515 | 115,259 | – | – |
| Fair value adjustments to derivatives (non-cash) | (a) | 5,021 | – | 88 | – |
| Transfer from contributed equity | | 6,223 | 6,223 | 6,223 | 6,223 |
| Amortised costs – pre May 2006 CMBS (non-cash) | (b) | (17,280) | (3,461) | – | – |
| Amortised costs – ALE Notes (non-cash) | (b) | (3,037) | (2,308) | (3,037) | (2,308) |
| Amortised costs – May 2006 CMBS (non-cash) | | (19) | – | – | – |
| Accrued ALE Notes premium (non-cash) | (c) | (1,022) | (783) | (1,022) | (783) |
| CI Bs capitalised interest (non-cash) | | (527) | – | – | – |
| Income tax (expense)/benefit (non-cash) | | (1,428) | 49 | – | – |
| Other | | 4,055 | 33 | (1,643) | (3,132) |
| | | 157,501 | 115,012 | 609 | – |

(a) Unrealised fair value gains have not been distributed.

(b) Borrowing costs that were funded in November 2003 by the issue of ALE stapled securities.

(c) ALE Notes premium payable in on ALE Notes termination (scheduled September 2011).

Note 25 Reserve

| | | | | |
|--------------------------------------|-----------|-----------|----------|----------|
| Balance at the beginning of the year | 13 | 5 | – | – |
| Employee share option expense | 8 | 8 | – | – |
| | 21 | 13 | – | – |

Options over unissued stapled securities of ALE were granted during a previous financial period to Andrew Wilkinson as disclosed in an ASX Announcement dated 10 November 2003. Mr Wilkinson has the right to subscribe for up to 300,000 shares at a fixed price of \$1.036 exercisable from 10 November 2006 or earlier, if Mr Wilkinson employment is terminated other than for cause or unsatisfactory performance. The options will remain exercisable until 10 November 2007, unless ALE is subject to a takeover, in which case the period of exercise would be reduced to 11 February 2007. When exercised each option is converted to one ordinary unit and one ordinary share.

The options value disclosed above as part of key management remuneration is the assessed fair value at grant date of options granted, allocated equally over the period from grant date to vesting date. The fair value of \$24,000 at grant date has been independently determined by using a Black-Scholes option pricing model. This technique takes into account factors such as the exercise price, the term of the option, the vesting and performance criteria, the impact of dilution, the non-tradable nature of the option, 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.

Note 26 Adjustment on adoption of AASB 132 and AASB 139 to retained profits

Reconciliation of the AIFRS adjustment, being an increase of \$4,544,000 to opening retained profits on 1 July 2005, as disclosed in the consolidated statements of changes in equity.

| Expenses/(benefits) | CONSOLIDATED | | |
|---|--|--|--|
| | AIFRS income/ (expenses) to 30 June 2005 \$'000 | AGAAP income/ (expenses) to 30 June 2005 \$'000 | Increase to retained profits 1 July 2005 \$'000 |
| Derivatives interest rate swaps – net asset | 1,373 | – | 1,373 |
| CMBS pre May 2006 – amortised borrowing costs | (4,651) | (5,665) | 1,014 |
| ALE Notes – amortised borrowing costs | (1,810) | (3,796) | 1,986 |
| ALE Notes premium | (612) | (783) | 171 |
| | (5,700) | (10,244) | 4,544 |

Note 27 AASB 132 Financial Instruments: Disclosure and Presentation and AASB 139 Financial Instruments: Recognition and Measurement

ALE has taken the exemption available under AASB 1 to only apply AASB 132 Financial Instruments: Disclosure and Presentation and AASB 139 Financial Instruments: Recognition and Measurement from 1 July 2005 and has not restated any comparative period figures for the resulting adjustments. The adjustments have instead been taken directly to retained earnings as at 1 July 2005.

(a) Interest rate derivatives

Potential variability in future distributions arise predominantly from financial assets and liabilities bearing variable interest rates. For example, if financial liabilities exceed financial assets and interest rates rise, to the extent that interest rate derivatives (swaps) are not available to fully hedge the exposure, distribution levels would be expected to decline from the levels that they would otherwise have been.

ALE also has long-term leased property assets and fixed interest rate liabilities that are currently intended to be held until maturity. The market value of these assets and liabilities are also expected to change as long-term interest rates fluctuate. For example, as long-term interest rates rise the market value of both property assets and fixed interest rate liabilities may fall (all other market variables remaining unchanged). These movements in property assets and fixed interest rate liabilities impact upon the net equity value of ALE.

The contracts are settled on a net basis and the net amount receivable or payable at the reporting date is included in derivatives – interest rate swaps. The contracts require settlement of net interest receivable or payable every 90 days. The settlement dates coincide with the dates on which interest is payable on the underlying CMBS and CIBs debt.

(b) Interest rate risk

ALE's exposure to the interest rate risk and the effective weighted interest rate by maturity periods is set out in the following table. For interest rates applicable to each class of asset or liability refer to individual notes to the financial statements.

Exposure arises predominantly from liabilities bearing variable interest rates as the consolidated entity intends to hold fixed assets and liabilities to maturity.

| Note | Floating interest rate \$'000 | FIXED INTEREST MATURING IN | | | Non-interest bearing \$'000 | Total \$'000 |
|---|-------------------------------------|-----------------------------|---------------------------|--------------------------------|-----------------------------------|------------------|
| | | 1 year or less \$'000 | 1 to 5 years \$'000 | More than 5 years \$'000 | | |
| 2006 | | | | | | |
| Financial assets | | | | | | |
| Cash and cash equivalents | 11 | 4,783 | 24,209 | – | – | 28,992 |
| Receivables | 12 | – | – | – | 1,012 | 1,012 |
| Loans to Foster's Group Limited | 15 | – | 13,662 | 5,914 | – | 19,576 |
| | | 4,783 | 37,871 | 5,914 | 1,012 | 49,580 |
| Weighted average interest rate | | 5.65% | 7.06% | 11.53% | – | 7.31% |
| Financial liabilities | | | | | | |
| Payables | 18 | – | – | – | 7,599 | 7,599 |
| Borrowings – ALE Notes | 20 | – | – | – | 150,000 | 150,000 |
| Borrowings – CMBS | 20 | 225,000 | – | – | – | 225,000 |
| Borrowings – CIBs | 20 | – | – | – | 126,400 | 126,400 |
| Derivatives – interest rate swaps | 20 | (225,000) | – | 110,000 | 115,000 | – |
| | | – | – | 110,000 | 391,400 | 7,599 |
| Weighted average interest rate | | – | – | 6.04% | 4.64% | – |
| Net financial assets/(liabilities) | | 4,783 | 37,871 | (104,086) | (391,400) | (6,587) |
| | | | | | | (459,419) |

Note 27 AASB 132 Financial Instruments: Disclosure and Presentation and AASB 139 Financial Instruments: Recognition and Measurement (continued)
(b) Interest rate risk (continued)

| | Note | Floating interest rate \$'000 | FIXED INTEREST MATURING IN | | | Non-interest bearing \$'000 | Total \$'000 |
|---|------|-------------------------------------|-----------------------------|---------------------------|--------------------------------|-----------------------------------|------------------|
| | | | 1 year or less \$'000 | 1 to 5 years \$'000 | More than 5 years \$'000 | | |
| 2005 | | | | | | | |
| Financial assets | | | | | | | |
| Cash | 11 | 202 | 19,275 | – | – | – | 19,477 |
| Receivables | 12 | – | – | – | – | 371 | 371 |
| Loans to Foster's Group Limited | 15 | – | 11,746 | 11,663 | – | – | 23,409 |
| | | 202 | 31,021 | 11,663 | – | 371 | 43,257 |
| Weighted average interest rate | | 5.15% | 7.11% | 9.59% | – | – | 7.71% |
| Financial liabilities | | | | | | | |
| Payables | 18 | – | – | – | – | 7,016 | 7,016 |
| Borrowings – ALE Notes | 20 | – | – | – | 150,000 | – | 150,000 |
| Borrowings – CMBS | 20 | 230,000 | – | 100,000 | – | – | 330,000 |
| Derivatives – interest rate swaps | 20 | (230,000) | – | 200,000 | 30,000 | – | – |
| | | – | – | 300,000 | 180,000 | 7,016 | 487,016 |
| Weighted average interest rate | | – | – | 6.19% | 6.79% | – | 6.43% |
| Net financial assets/(liabilities) | | 202 | 31,021 | (288,337) | (180,000) | (6,645) | (443,759) |

(c) Credit risk

The major credit risk is the risk that the tenant will fail to perform its contractual obligations including honouring the terms of the lease agreements either in whole or in part. Credit risk has been minimised primarily by ensuring, on a continuous basis, that the tenant has appropriate financial standing and by the various security arrangements that are in place.

A secondary credit risk exists in respect of the loans to Foster's Group Limited made by ALE under the conditional sale contracts of properties under development. Credit risk has been minimised primarily by ensuring, on a continuous basis, that Foster's Group Limited has appropriate financial standing and by the various security arrangements that are in place.

The credit risk on financial assets of ALE which have been recognised in the consolidated balance sheet is generally the carrying amount net of any provision for doubtful debts.

(d) Liquidity and cash flow risk

Liquidity risk is the risk that ALE will experience difficulty in either realising or otherwise raising sufficient funds to satisfy commitments. Cash flow risk is the risk that the future cash flows will fluctuate from the expected. The risk management guidelines adopted are designed to minimise liquidity and cash flow risk by monitoring and planning for significant exposures to large creditors and ensuring counterparties have appropriate financial standing.

In order to have the CMBS and CIBs rated, ALE has put in place a liquidity facility equal to approximately six months debt service of the CMBS and CIBs.

(e) Market risk

Market risk is the risk that the value of ALE's investment properties will fluctuate as a result of changes in market prices. To the extent controllable, this risk is managed by ensuring that all activities are transacted in accordance with mandates, overall investment strategy and within approved limits. Market risk analysis is conducted regularly on a total portfolio basis.

| | CONSOLIDATED | | PARENT ENTITY | |
|--|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|
| | 2006 \$'000 | 2005 \$'000 | 2006 \$'000 | 2005 \$'000 |
| Note 28 Reconciliation of profit after income tax to net cash inflows from operating activities | | | | |
| Profit/(loss) for the year | 52,207 | 80,121 | 10,721 | 5,445 |
| Fair value adjustment to investment property | (50,256) | (74,800) | – | – |
| Fair value adjustment to derivative financial instruments | (7,028) | – | (77) | – |
| Fair value adjustment to derivative financial instruments – swap interest | 3,406 | – | 2,248 | – |
| Finance costs amortisation – May 2006 refinance write off | 9,840 | – | – | – |
| Finance costs amortisation | 4,973 | 5,769 | 1,227 | 2,307 |
| Income tax expense/(benefit) | 1,428 | (49) | – | – |
| Employee share options | 8 | 8 | – | – |
| Depreciation | 68 | 48 | – | (88) |
| (Increase) in receivables | (719) | (61) | (100) | – |
| (Increase) in loan to related party | – | – | (13,833) | (8,890) |
| (Increase)/decrease in other assets | (16) | 210 | – | 185 |
| Increase/(decrease) in payables | 611 | (2,685) | 3 | 1,163 |
| Increase in provisions | 29 | – | – | – |
| Increase/(decrease) in other liabilities | 3,970 | 479 | 107 | (168) |
| Net cash inflow/(outflow) from operating activities | 18,521 | 9,040 | 296 | (46) |

Note 29 Key management personnel disclosures

(a) Directors

The following persons were directors of ALE Property Group comprising Australian Leisure and Entertainment Property Trust and its controlled entities during the financial year:

| Name | Type | Appointed |
|-------------------------------------|---------------|------------------|
| P H Warne (Chairman) | Non-executive | 8 September 2003 |
| J P Henderson | Non-executive | 19 August 2003 |
| H I Wright | Non-executive | 8 September 2003 |
| A F O Wilkinson (Managing Director) | Executive | 16 November 2004 |
| J T McNally | Executive | 26 June 2003 |

(b) Other key management personnel

The following persons also had authority and responsibility for planning, directing and controlling the activities of ALE, directly or indirectly, during the year.

| Name | Type | Appointed |
|------------|--|-------------------|
| A J Slade | Investment and Acquisitions Manager | 18 July 2005 |
| D S Barkas | Group Financial Controller | 29 January 2004 |
| B R Howell | Company Secretary and Compliance Officer | 26 September 2003 |

(c) Compensation for key management personnel

The following table sets out the compensation for key management personnel in aggregate. Refer to the remuneration report in the directors' report for details of the remuneration policy and compensation details by individual.

| | CONSOLIDATED | |
|------------------------------|------------------|----------------|
| | 2006 \$'000 | 2005 \$'000 |
| Short-term employee benefits | 1,081,304 | 817,848 |
| Post employment benefits | 49,843 | 41,231 |
| Share based payments | 7,993 | 7,993 |
| | 1,139,140 | 867,072 |

Note 29 Key management personnel disclosures (continued)

ALE has taken advantage of the relief provided by Corporations Regulation CR2M.6.04 and has transferred the detailed remuneration disclosures to the directors' report. The relevant information can be found in the remuneration report on pages 30 to 33.

The table sets out the equity holdings for key management personnel in aggregate.

| Name | Role | Number held at the start of the year | Purchases/(sales) | Number held at 30 June 2006 |
|-----------------|-------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|-------------------|-----------------------------|
| P H Warne | Non-executive Director | 453,400 | 196,600 | 650,000 |
| J P Henderson | Non-executive Director | 40,000 | 15,000 | 55,000 |
| H I Wright | Non-executive Director | 100,000 | – | 100,000 |
| A F O Wilkinson | Executive Director | 51,998 | 16,002 | 68,000 |
| D S Barkas | Group Financial Controller | 46,810 | 1,517 | 48,327 |
| A J Slade | Investment and Acquisitions Manager | – | 12,000 | 12,000 |

The following director currently holds options over the stapled securities of ALE:

| Name | Role | Number held at the start of the year | Purchases / (sales) | Number held at 30 June 2006 |
|-----------------|--------------------|--------------------------------------|---------------------|-----------------------------|
| A F O Wilkinson | Executive Director | 300,000 | – | 300,000 |

Note 30 Remuneration of Auditors

| | CONSOLIDATED | | PARENT ENTITY | |
|---|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|
| | 2006 \$'000 | 2005 \$'000 | 2006 \$'000 | 2005 \$'000 |
| Audit services | | | | |
| PricewaterhouseCoopers Australian firm: Audit and review of the financial reports of ALE and other audit work under the Corporations Act 2001 | | | | |
| – in relation to current year | 135,400 | 125,705 | – | – |
| – in relation to prior year | 1,500 | 60,000 | – | – |
| Total remuneration for audit services | 136,900 | 185,705 | – | – |
| Other assurance services | | | | |
| PricewaterhouseCoopers Australian firm: General accounting advice (including AIFRS) | 26,173 | 29,944 | – | – |
| Due diligence services | 142,250 | 31,300 | – | – |
| Controls assurance services | 9,000 | 7,000 | – | – |
| Total remuneration for other assurance services | 177,423 | 68,244 | – | – |
| Total remuneration for assurance services | 314,323 | 253,949 | – | – |
| Taxation services | | | | |
| PricewaterhouseCoopers Australian firm: Tax compliance services | 9,000 | 15,000 | – | – |
| Due diligence services | 223,000 | – | – | – |
| Tax consulting services | 25,135 | 24,190 | – | – |
| Total taxation services | 257,135 | 39,190 | – | – |

Note 31 Related party transactions
(a) Parent entity, subsidiaries and associates

Details are set out in note 35.

(b) Key management personnel

Key management personnel and their compensation is set out in note 29.

(c) Transactions with related parties

For the year ended 30 June 2006 the Company had charged the Trust \$2,276,000 in management fees (2005: \$2,185,000) and the Finance Company had charged the Sub-Trust \$20,642,000 in interest (2005: \$20,949,000).

Note 31 Related party transactions (continued)

(c) Transactions with related parties (continued)

Peter Warne is a director of Next Financial Limited ("Next"), which is a private investment manager which operates accounts on behalf of investors. All of Next's investment securities are held by Fortis Clearing Sydney Pty Ltd ("Fortis") as custodian for clients. Fortis held 4,254,837 stapled securities of ALE as at 30 June 2006 (2005: 4,400,314). Mr Warne does not make any investment decisions as part of his role at Next which relate to securities in ALE.

ALE has entered into two associate motor vehicle leases with the spouse of Darren Barkas. The leases commenced on 15 March 2005; as at 30 June 2006 payments under the leases totalled to \$5,000 (2005: \$2,000).

(d) Terms and conditions

All related party transactions are conducted on normal commercial terms and conditions.

Outstanding balances are unsecured and are repayable in cash and callable on demand.

Note 32 Commitments

(a) Capital commitments

Other than amounts required under the conditional sale contracts to acquire properties under development (these amounts are fully represented in investment property deposits and loans in note 15), the directors are not aware of any capital commitments as at the date of this report.

(b) Lease commitments

ALE has entered into a non-cancellable operating lease for its office premises at Level 8, 15-19 Bent Street, Sydney. The minimum net lease commitments under this lease are:

| | CONSOLIDATED | | PARENT ENTITY | |
|--|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|
| | 2006 \$'000 | 2005 \$'000 | 2006 \$'000 | 2005 \$'000 |
| Commitments for minimum lease payments in relation to non-cancellable operating leases are payable as follows: | | | | |
| Within one year | 74 | 71 | – | – |
| Later than one year but not later than five years | 4 | 74 | – | – |
| Later than five years | – | 4 | – | – |
| | 78 | 149 | – | – |

Note 33 Earnings per stapled security

| | Cents | Cents | Cents | Cents |
|---|---------------------------------|---------------------------------|---------------------------------|---------------------------------|
| Basic and diluted earnings per ALE stapled security | 57.50 | 88.24 | 11.81 | 6.00 |
| | Number of stapled securities | Number of stapled securities | Number of stapled securities | Number of stapled securities |
| Weighted average number of stapled securities used as the denominator in calculating earnings per stapled security | 90,800,100 | 90,800,100 | 90,800,100 | 90,800,100 |
| Weighted average number of stapled securities and potential stapled securities used as the denominator in calculating diluted earnings per stapled security | 90,800,100 | 90,800,100 | 90,800,100 | 90,800,100 |

Note 34 Contingent liabilities and contingent assets

Put and call option

For all of the investment properties, at the end of the initial lease term of 25 years (2028 for most of the portfolio), and at the end of each further term (four 10 year terms), there is a call option for the landlord (or its nominee) and a put option for the tenant to require the landlord (or its nominee) to buy plant, equipment, goodwill, inventory, all then current consents, licences, permits, certificates, authorities or other approvals, together with any liquor licence, held by the tenant in relation to the premises. The gaming licence is to be included or excluded at the tenant's option. These assets are to be purchased at current value as determined by the valuation methodology set out in the lease. The landlord must pay the purchase price on expiry of the lease.

Bank guarantee

The Company has entered into a bank guarantee of \$23,834 in respect of its office tenancy at Level 8, 15-19 Bent Street, Sydney. This guarantee may give rise to a liability if the Company does not meet its obligations under the terms of the lease.

Note 35 Investments in controlled entities

The Trust owns 100% of the issued equity of the Sub-Trust. The Sub-Trust owns 100% of the issued equity of the Finance Company. The Trust owns none of the issued equity of the Company, but is deemed to be its "acquirer" under AIFRS.

Note 36 Segment information
Business segment

ALE operates solely in the property investment and property funds management industry and has no business segmentation.

Geographical segment

ALE owns property solely within Australia.

Note 37 Events occurring after reporting date

The directors are not aware of any matter or circumstance occurring after balance date which may materially affect ALE's operations, the results of those operations or the state of affairs of ALE.

Note 38 Explanation of transition to Australian equivalents to IFRS

There was no difference between profit and equity under previous Australian Generally Accepted Accounting Principles (AGAAP) for the Trust (parent entity).

(1) Reconciliation of ALE (consolidated) profit under previous AGAAP to profit under Australian equivalents to IFRS (AIFRS) for the year ended 30 June 2005

| | Note | Consolidated 30 June 2005 previous AGAAP \$'000 | Consolidated 30 June 2005 effect of transition to AIFRS \$'000 | Consolidated 30 June 2005 AIFRS \$'000 |
|--|------|--|--|---|
| Revenue | | | | |
| Property rental income and loan interest | | 45,996 | – | 45,996 |
| Revaluation of investment properties | (a) | – | 74,800 | 74,800 |
| Interest income | | 1,175 | – | 1,175 |
| Total revenue | | 47,171 | 74,800 | 121,971 |
| Expenses | | | | |
| Borrowing costs excluding amortisation | | 31,524 | – | 31,524 |
| Borrowing costs (non-cash) amortisation | | 6,247 | – | 6,247 |
| Land tax expense | | 1,139 | – | 1,139 |
| Property valuation expenses | | 244 | – | 244 |
| Acquisition proposal due diligence | | 177 | – | 177 |
| Salaries, fees and related costs | (b) | 991 | 8 | 999 |
| Insurance for directors and officers | | 42 | – | 42 |
| Insurance other | | 70 | – | 70 |
| Legal fees | | 143 | – | 143 |
| Corporate advisory services | | 92 | – | 92 |
| Occupancy costs | | 92 | – | 92 |
| Annual reports | | 52 | – | 52 |
| Registry fees | | 62 | – | 62 |
| Accounting fees | | 65 | – | 65 |
| Tax reviews and advice | | 68 | – | 68 |
| Interest rate risk advice | | 49 | – | 49 |
| Other expenses | | 834 | – | 834 |
| Total expenses | | 41,891 | 8 | 41,899 |
| Profit before tax | | 5,280 | 74,792 | 80,072 |
| Income tax (benefit) | | (49) | – | (49) |
| Profit after tax | | 5,329 | 74,792 | 80,121 |

Note 38 Explanation of transition to Australian equivalents to IFRS (continued)

(2) Reconciliation of ALE (consolidated) equity reported under previous AGAAP to equity under AIFRS as at the end of the last reporting period under previous AGAAP: 30 June 2005

| | Notes | Consolidated 30 June 2005 previous AGAAP \$'000 | Consolidated 30 June 2005 effect of transition to AIFRS \$'000 | Consolidated 30 June 2005 AIFRS \$'000 |
|--|-------|--|--|---|
| Current assets | | | | |
| Cash and cash equivalents | | 19,477 | – | 19,477 |
| Receivables | | 371 | – | 371 |
| Prepayments and other assets | | 5,793 | – | 5,793 |
| Investment properties – loans and deposits | | 11,746 | – | 11,746 |
| Total current assets | | 37,387 | – | 37,387 |
| Non-current assets | | | | |
| Property investments | | 625,000 | – | 625,000 |
| Development properties – loans, deposits and costs | | 14,713 | – | 14,713 |
| Prepayments and other assets | | 13,585 | – | 13,585 |
| Plant and equipment | | 141 | – | 141 |
| Deferred tax asset | | 99 | – | 99 |
| Total non-current assets | | 653,538 | – | 653,538 |
| Total assets | | 690,925 | – | 690,925 |
| Current liabilities | | | | |
| Payables | | 7,002 | – | 7,002 |
| Provisions | | 6,026 | – | 6,026 |
| Other | | 302 | – | 302 |
| Total current liabilities | | 13,330 | – | 13,330 |
| Non-current liabilities | | | | |
| Interest bearing liabilities – CMBS | | 330,000 | – | 330,000 |
| Interest bearing liabilities – ALE Notes | | 150,000 | – | 150,000 |
| ALE Notes premium | | 783 | – | 783 |
| Deferred tax liability | | – | – | – |
| Total non-current liabilities | | 480,783 | – | 480,783 |
| Total liabilities | | 494,113 | – | 494,113 |
| Net assets | | 196,812 | – | 196,812 |
| Equity | | | | |
| Contributed equity | | 81,787 | – | 81,787 |
| Asset revaluation reserve | (a) | 115,259 | (115,259) | – |
| Share based payments reserve | (b) | – | 13 | 13 |
| Retained profits | | (234) | 115,246 | 115,012 |
| Total equity | | 196,812 | – | 196,812 |
| Net assets per stapled security | | \$2.17 | – | \$2.17 |

Note 38 Explanation of transition to Australian equivalents to IFRS (continued)
(3) Reconciliation of ALE (consolidated) equity reported under previous AGAAP to equity under AIFRS under previous AGAAP: 30 June 2004 as at the date of transition 1 July 2004

| | Note | 1 July 2004 previous AGAAP \$'000 | 1 July 2004 effect of transition to AIFRS \$'000 | 1 July 2004 AIFRS \$'000 |
|--|------|--|---|--------------------------------|
| Current assets | | | | |
| Cash | | 23,090 | – | 23,090 |
| Receivables | | 325 | – | 325 |
| Prepayments and other assets | | 6,018 | – | 6,018 |
| Development property loans | | 11,746 | – | 11,746 |
| Total current assets | | 41,179 | – | 41,179 |
| Non-current assets | | | | |
| Property investments | | 550,200 | – | 550,200 |
| Development properties – loans, deposits and costs | | 14,713 | – | 14,713 |
| Prepayments and other assets | | 19,344 | – | 19,344 |
| Plant and equipment | | 16 | – | 16 |
| Deferred tax asset | | 59 | – | 59 |
| Total non-current assets | | 584,332 | – | 584,332 |
| Total assets | | 625,511 | – | 625,511 |
| Current liabilities | | | | |
| Payables | | 9,694 | – | 9,694 |
| Provisions | | 6,845 | – | 6,845 |
| Other | | 309 | – | 309 |
| Total current liabilities | | 16,848 | – | 16,848 |
| Non-current liabilities | | | | |
| Interest bearing liabilities – CMBS | | 330,000 | – | 330,000 |
| Interest bearing liabilities – ALE Notes | | 150,000 | – | 150,000 |
| ALE Notes premium | | 304 | – | 304 |
| Deferred tax liability | | 8 | – | 8 |
| Total non-current liabilities | | 480,312 | – | 480,312 |
| Total liabilities | | 497,160 | – | 497,160 |
| Net assets | | 128,351 | – | 128,351 |
| Equity | | | | |
| Contributed equity | | 88,010 | – | 88,010 |
| Asset revaluation reserve | (a) | 40,459 | (40,459) | – |
| Share based payments reserve | (b) | – | 5 | 5 |
| Retained profits | | (118) | 40,454 | 40,336 |
| Total equity | | 128,351 | – | 128,351 |
| Net assets per stapled security | | \$1.41 | – | \$1.41 |

Note 38 Explanation of transition to Australian equivalents to IFRS (continued)

(4) Reconciliation of cash flow statement for the year ended 30 June 2005

The adoption of AIFRSs has not resulted in any material adjustments to the cash flow statement.

(5) Notes to the reconciliations

(a) Investment property

Under previous AGAAP, ALE recognised valuation increments and decrements on investment property in the asset revaluation reserve. Under AASB 140 Investment Property, all movements in investment property are recognised directly in the consolidated income statement.

As a result, the net increase in the fair value of the investment properties of \$74,800,000 for the 12 months ended 30 June 2005 has been recognised directly in the consolidated income statement.

At the date of transition on 1 July 2004 the effect of AASB 140 Investment Property on the combined balance sheet was to reduce the asset revaluation reserve by \$40,459,000 (i.e. to zero) and increase opening retained earnings by \$40,459,000. The effect at 31 December 2004 and 30 June 2005 was \$40,459,000 and \$115,259,000 respectively with the asset revaluation being reduced to zero in both cases.

There was no effect on total equity.

(b) Equity based compensation benefits

Under previous AGAAP, ALE recognised no expense for options granted over unissued stapled securities to the managing director for nil monetary consideration. Under AASB 2 Share-based Payment, ALE is required to recognise an expense for those options issued to employees after 7 November 2002 that vest after 1 January 2005. The options are measured at their grant date based on their fair value and the aggregate amount is allocated evenly over the vesting period.

The fair value of the options issued to Andrew Wilkinson on 10 November 2003 was \$24,000 at grant date. The vesting period is three years ending 10 November 2006.

As a result, expenses for the half year ended 31 December 2004 of \$4,029 and for the full year ended 30 June 2005 of \$7,992 have been recognised directly in the combined income statement.

At the date of transition on 1 July 2004 the effect of AASB 2 Share-based Payment on the combined balance sheet was to reduce the retained profits by \$5,124 and increase the opening share based payments reserve by \$5,124. The effect at 31 December 2004 and 30 June 2005 was \$9,153 and \$13,117 respectively.

In the directors' opinion:

- (a) the financial statements and notes set out on pages 36 to 69 are in accordance with the Corporations Act 2001, including:
 - (i) complying with Accounting Standards, the Corporations Regulations 2001 and other mandatory professional reporting requirements; and
 - (ii) giving a true and fair view of the Company's financial position as at 30 June 2006 and of its performance as represented by the results of its operations, changes in equity and its cash flows, for the financial year ended on that date; and
- (b) there are reasonable grounds to believe that the Company will be able to pay its debts as and when they become due and payable.
- (c) The actual remuneration disclosures set out on pages 30 to 33 of the directors' report comply with Accounting Standards AASB 124 Related Party Disclosures and the Corporations Regulations 2001.

The directors have been given the declarations by the Managing Director and the Group Financial Controller as required by section 295A of the Corporations Act 2001.

This declaration is made in accordance with a resolution of the directors.



P Warne
Director

Sydney

Dated this 29th day of August 2006

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Independent audit report to the stapled security holders of ALE Property Group

Matters relating to the electronic presentation of the audited financial report

This audit report relates to the financial report and remuneration disclosures of ALE Property Group for the financial year ended 30 June 2006 included on ALE Property Group's web site. The directors of Australian Leisure and Entertainment Property Management Limited (the Responsible Entity) are responsible for the integrity of the ALE Property Group's web site. We have not been engaged to report on the integrity of this web site. The audit report refers only to the financial report and remuneration disclosures identified below. It does not provide an opinion on any other information which may have been hyperlinked to/from the financial report or the remuneration disclosures. If users of this report are concerned with the inherent risks arising from electronic data communications they are advised to refer to the hard copy of the audited financial report and remuneration disclosures to confirm the information included in the audited financial report and remuneration disclosures presented on this web site.

Audit opinion

In our opinion:

1. the financial report of ALE Property Group:
 - gives a true and fair view, as required by the Corporations Act 2001 in Australia, of the financial position of Australian Leisure and Entertainment Property Group as at 30 June 2006, and of their performance for the year ended on that date, and
 - is presented in accordance with the Corporations Act 2001, Accounting Standards and other mandatory financial reporting requirements in Australia, and the Corporations Regulations 2001; and
2. the remuneration report contained in pages 30 to 33 of the directors' report comply with Accounting Standard AASB 124 Related Party Disclosures (AASB 124) and the Corporations Regulations 2001.

This opinion must be read in conjunction with the rest of our audit report.

Scope

The financial report, remunerations disclosures and directors' responsibility

The financial report comprises the balance sheets, income statements, cash flow statements, statements of changes in equity, accompanying notes to the financial statements, and the directors' declaration for both Australian Leisure and Entertainment Property Trust (the Trust) and ALE Property Group (the Group), for the year ended 30 June 2006. The consolidated entity comprises both Australian Leisure and Entertainment Property Trust and the entities that it controlled that year, including Australian Leisure and Entertainment Property Management limited and its controlled entities.

The company has disclosed information about the remuneration of directors and executives (remuneration disclosures) as required by AASB 124, under the heading "remuneration report" on pages 30 to 33 of the directors' report, as permitted by the Corporations Regulations 2001.

The directors of the Australian Leisure and Entertainment Property Management Limited (the Responsible Entity) are responsible for the preparation and true and fair presentation of the financial report in accordance with the Corporations Act 2001. This includes responsibility for the maintenance of adequate accounting records and internal controls that are designed to prevent and detect fraud and error, and for the accounting policies and accounting estimates inherent in the financial report. The directors are also responsible for the remuneration disclosures contained in the directors' report.

Audit approach

We conducted an independent audit in order to express an opinion to the stapled security holders of the Group. Our audit was conducted in accordance with Australian Auditing Standards, in order to provide reasonable assurance as to whether the financial report is free of material misstatement and the remuneration disclosures comply with AASB 124 and the Corporations Regulations 2001. The nature of an audit is influenced by factors such as the use of professional judgement, selective testing, the inherent limitations of internal control, and the availability of persuasive rather than conclusive evidence. Therefore, an audit cannot guarantee that all material misstatements have been detected. For further explanation of an audit, visit our website <http://www.pwc.com/au/financialstatementaudit>.

Independent audit report to the stapled security holders of ALE Property Group (continued)

We performed procedures to assess whether in all material respects the financial report presents fairly, in accordance with the Corporations Act 2001, Accounting Standards and other mandatory financial reporting requirements in Australia, a view which is consistent with our understanding of the Group's financial position, and of their performance as represented by the results of their operations, changes in equity and cash flows. We also performed procedures to assess whether the remuneration disclosures comply with AASB 124 and the Corporations Regulations 2001.

We formed our audit opinion on the basis of these procedures, which included:

- examining, on a test basis, information to provide evidence supporting the amounts and disclosures in the financial report and remuneration disclosures, and
- assessing the appropriateness of the accounting policies and disclosures used and the reasonableness of significant accounting estimates made by the directors.

Our procedures include reading the other information in the Annual Report to determine whether it contains any material inconsistencies with the financial report.

While we considered the effectiveness of management's internal controls over financial reporting when determining the nature and extent of our procedures, our audit was not designed to provide assurance on internal controls.

Our audit did not involve an analysis of the prudence of business decisions made by directors or management.

Independence

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



PricewaterhouseCoopers



S J Hadfield

Partner

Sydney
29 August 2006

**AUSTRALIAN LEISURE AND
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The directors of Australian Leisure and Entertainment Property Management Limited ("Company") present their report for the year ended 30 June 2006.

The registered office and principal place of business of the Company is:

Level 8
15-19 Bent Street
Sydney 2000

Directors

The following persons were directors of the Company during the whole of the year and up to the date of this report unless otherwise stated:

| Name | Type | Appointed |
|-------------------------------------|---------------|------------------|
| P H Warne (Chairman) | Non-executive | 8 September 2003 |
| J P Henderson | Non-executive | 19 August 2003 |
| H I Wright | Non-executive | 8 September 2003 |
| A F O Wilkinson (Managing Director) | Executive | 16 November 2004 |
| J T McNally | Executive | 26 June 2003 |

Principal activities

During the year the principal activities of the Company consisted of property funds management and acting as responsible entity for the Australian Leisure and Entertainment Property Trust ("Trust"). There has been no significant change in the nature of these activities during the year.

Dividends

No provisions for or payments of Company dividends have been made during the year (2005: nil).

Review of operations

A summary of the revenue and results for the year is set out below:

| | 2006 \$ | 2005 \$ |
|---|--------------------|------------------|
| Revenue | | |
| Management fees | 2,276,395 | 2,185,120 |
| Interest income | 45,143 | 20,382 |
| Total revenue | 2,321,538 | 2,205,502 |
| Other income | 600,000 | - |
| Total income | 2,921,538 | 2,205,502 |
| Expenses | | |
| Salaries, fees and related costs | 1,214,597 | 979,197 |
| Acquisition proposal due diligence | 2,188,800 | 177,343 |
| Other expenses | 740,963 | 1,189,359 |
| Total expenses | 4,144,360 | 2,345,899 |
| Loss before income tax | (1,222,822) | (140,397) |
| Income tax (benefit) | (370,462) | (39,368) |
| (Loss) attributable to the shareholders of the Company | (852,360) | (101,029) |
| | Cents | Cents |
| Basic and diluted earnings per share | (0.94) | (0.11) |
| Dividend per share for the year | - | - |
| | \$ | \$ |
| Net assets per share | 0.09 | 0.10 |

Significant changes in the 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 year.

Matters subsequent to the end of the financial year

The directors are not aware of any matter or circumstance occurring after balance date which may affect the Company's operations, the results of those operations or the state of affairs of the Company.

Likely developments and expected results of operations

The Company will continue to maintain its defined strategy of identifying opportunities to increase the profitability of ALE and its value to its shareholders.

The directors are not aware of any future developments likely to significantly affect the operations and/or results of the Company.

Environmental regulation

Whilst the Company is not subject to significant environmental regulation in respect of its property activities, the directors are satisfied that adequate systems are in place for the management of its environmental responsibility and compliance with the various licence requirements and regulations. Further, the directors are not aware of any material breaches of these requirements. On two of the properties ongoing testing is being undertaken and if further work is required indemnities are held in excess of any expenditure amounts required.

Information on directors

Mr Peter Warne B.A,
Chairman and Non-executive Director.

Experience and expertise

Peter was appointed as Chairman and non-executive director of the Company in September 2003.

Peter began his career with the NSW Government Actuary's Office and the NSW Superannuation Board before joining Bankers Trust Australia Limited (BTAL) in 1981. Peter held senior positions in the Fixed Income Department, the Capital Markets Division and the Financial Markets Group of BTAL and acted as a consultant to assist with integration issues when the investment banking business of BTAL was acquired by Macquarie Bank Limited in 1999.

Peter is also a board member of two other listed entities being ASX Limited and Macquarie Capital Alliance Group.

Peter graduated from Macquarie University with a Bachelor of Arts, majoring in Actuarial Studies. He qualified as an associate of, and received a Certificate of Finance and Investment from, the Institute of Actuaries, London.

Mr John Henderson B.Bldg, MRICS, AAPI,
Non-executive Director.

Experience and expertise

John was appointed as a non-executive director of the Company in August 2003.

John has been a Director of Marks Henderson Pty Ltd since 2001 and is actively involved in the acquisition of investment property. Previously an International Director at Jones Lang LaSalle and Managing Director of the Sales and Investment Division, he was responsible for overseeing the larger property sales across Australasia, liaising with institutional and private investors, and coordinating international investment activities.

John graduated from the University of Melbourne and is a member of the Royal Institution of Chartered Surveyors, is an associate of the Australian Property Institute and is a licensed real estate agent.

Ms Helen Wright LL.B, MAICD,
Non-executive Director.

Experience and expertise

Helen was appointed as a non-executive director of the Company in September 2003.

Helen was a partner of Freehills, a leading Australian firm of lawyers, from 1986 to 2003. She practised as a commercial lawyer specialising in real estate projects including development and financing and related taxation and stamp duties. Helen is the Statutory and Other Offices Remuneration Tribunal for NSW and serves on the Province Management Advisory Council of the Little Company of Mary (Calvary Hospitals). Until recently Helen was a member of the Boards of the Sydney Harbour Foreshore Authority, Australian Technology Park Precinct Management, and Cooks Cove Redevelopment Authority and was Deputy Chair of the Australia Day Council of NSW to December 2002. Prior boards include Darling Harbour Authority, UNSW Press Limited and MLC Homepack Limited.

Helen has a Bachelor of Laws from University of NSW, and in 1994 completed the Advanced Management Program at the Harvard Graduate School of Business.

Mr Andrew Wilkinson B. Bus, CFTP,
Managing Director.

Experience and expertise

Andrew was appointed Managing Director of the Company in November 2004. He joined ALE as Chief Executive Officer at the time of its listing in November 2003.

Andrew has over 25 years experience in banking, corporate finance and funds management.

He was previously a corporate finance partner with PricewaterhouseCoopers where he specialised in providing financial and strategic advice on significant property and infrastructure portfolios. Over his eight year period with the firm he held a number of senior positions and was also one of the founding members of the NSW Government's Infrastructure Council.

Andrew's prior career also includes 15 years in finance and investment banking with organisations including ANZ Capel Court and Schrodgers where he was involved in leading the financing arrangements for a range of major projects.

Andrew has a Bachelor of Business degree from the University of Technology, Sydney and is a professional member of the Finance and Treasury Association.

Information on directors (continued)

Mr James McNally B.Bus (Land Economy), Dip. Law, Executive Director.

Experience and expertise

James was appointed as an executive director of the Company in June 2003.

James has over 12 years experience in the funds management industry having worked in both property trust administration and compliance roles for Perpetual Trustees Australia Limited and MIA Services Pty Limited, a company that specialises in compliance services to the funds management industry.

James provides compliance and management services to several Australian fund managers. He is currently an external member on a number of compliance committees for various responsible entities and acts as a Responsible Officer for a number of companies that hold an Australian Financial Services Licence, including the Company.

James' qualifications include a Bachelor of Business in Land Economy (Hawkesbury Agricultural College) and a Diploma of Law (Legal Practitioners Admission Board). He is a registered valuer and licensed real estate agent.

Company secretary

The company secretary is Mr Brendan Howell. Brendan was appointed to the position of company secretary in September 2003.

Brendan has a Bachelor of Economics from the University of Sydney and a Graduate Diploma in Applied Finance and Investment from the Securities Institute of Australia, and over 16 years experience in the funds management industry. He was

formerly an associate member of both the Securities Institute of Australia and the Institute of Chartered Accountants in Australia. Brendan has a property and accounting background and has previously held senior positions with a leading Australian trustee company administering listed and unlisted property trusts. For over seven years Brendan has been directly involved with MIA Services Pty Limited, a company which specialises in funds management compliance, and acts as an independent consultant and external compliance committee member for a number of property, equity and infrastructure funds managers. Brendan also acts as an independent director for several unlisted public companies, some of which act as responsible entities.

Independent member of Audit, Compliance and Risk Management Committee (ACRMC)

Mr David Lawler B.Bus, CPA, Independent Audit Committee Member

Experience and expertise

David has 25 years experience in internal auditing in the banking and finance industry. He was the Chief Audit Executive for Citibank in the Philippines, Italy, Switzerland, Mexico, Brazil, Australia and Hong Kong. He was Group Auditor for the Commonwealth Bank of Australia.

David is an audit committee member of the Australian Office of Financial Management, the Defence Materiel Organisation, Austrade, the Australian Sports Anti-Doping Authority and the Australian National University.

David has a Bachelor of Business Studies from Manchester Metropolitan University in the UK. He is a Fellow of CPA Australia and President of the Institute of Internal Auditors – Australia.

Directorships of listed companies within the last three years

The following director held directorships of other listed entities within the last three years and from the date appointed up to the date of this report unless otherwise stated:

| Director | Directorships of listed entities | Type | Appointed |
|-----------|--|---------------|---------------|
| P H Warne | SFE Corporation Limited ^(a) | Non-executive | October 2000 |
| P H Warne | Australian Stock Exchange Limited | Non-executive | July 2006 |
| P H Warne | Macquarie Capital Alliance Group | Non-executive | February 2005 |

(a) In July 2006, the Australian Stock Exchange Limited (ASX) and SFE Corporation Limited (SFE) merged with the SFE becoming a wholly owned subsidiary of the ASX. Peter was appointed to the board of the ASX on 25 July 2005.

Special responsibilities of directors

The following are the special responsibilities of each director:

| Director | Special responsibilities |
|-----------------|--|
| P H Warne | Chairman of the Board. Member of the Audit, Compliance and Risk Management Committee (ACRMC) (resigned as Chairman on 15 August 2005, continuing as a member). Chairman of the Remuneration Committee. |
| J P Henderson | Member of the ACRMC. Member of the Remuneration Committee. |
| H I Wright | Chair of the ACRMC (appointed Chair 15 August 2005). Member of the Remuneration Committee. |
| A F O Wilkinson | Chief Executive Officer and Managing Director of the Company. Responsible Officer of the Company under the Company's Australian Financial Services Licence (AFSL) |
| J T McNally | Responsible Officer of the Company under the Company's AFSL. |

Directors' and key management personnel interests in stapled securities and options

The following directors, key management personnel and their associates held or currently hold the following stapled security interests in the Company:

| Name | Role | Number held at the start of the year | Purchases/(sales) | Number held at 30 June 2006 |
|-----------------|-------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|-------------------|-----------------------------|
| P H Warne | Non-executive Director | 453,400 | 196,600 | 650,000 |
| J P Henderson | Non-executive Director | 40,000 | 15,000 | 55,000 |
| H I Wright | Non-executive Director | 100,000 | – | 100,000 |
| A F O Wilkinson | Executive Director | 51,998 | 16,002 | 68,000 |
| A J Slade | Investment and Acquisitions Manager | – | 12,000 | 12,000 |
| D S Barkas | Group Financial Controller | 46,810 | 1,517 | 48,327 |

The following director currently holds options over shares of the Company:

| Name | Director | Number held at the start of the period | Purchases/(sales) | Number held at 30 June 2006 |
|-----------------|----------|--|-------------------|-----------------------------|
| A F O Wilkinson | Director | 300,000 | – | 300,000 |

Meetings of directors

The numbers of meetings of the Company's board of directors held and of each Board committee during the year ended 30 June 2006 and the number of meetings attended by each director at the time the director held office during the year were:

| Director | BOARD MEETINGS | | AUDIT, COMPLIANCE AND RISK MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE MEETINGS | | REMUNERATION COMMITTEE MEETINGS | |
|-----------------|-------------------|----------|--|----------|---------------------------------|----------|
| | Held ¹ | Attended | Held ¹ | Attended | Held ¹ | Attended |
| P H Warne | 15 | 15 | 5 | 5 | 2 | 2 |
| J P Henderson | 15 | 15 | 5 | 5 | 2 | 2 |
| H I Wright | 15 | 15 | 5 | 5 | 2 | 2 |
| A F O Wilkinson | 15 | 15 | – | – | – | – |
| J T McNally | 15 | 15 | – | – | – | – |
| Member of ACRMC | | | | | | |
| D J Lawler | – | – | 3 | 2 | – | – |

1 "Held" reflects the number of meetings which the director or member was eligible to attend.

Remuneration report

The remuneration report is set out under the following main headings:

- A Principles used to determine the nature and amount of remuneration
- B Details of remuneration
- C Service agreements
- D Equity based compensation

The information provided under these headings includes remuneration disclosures that are required under Accounting Standard AASB 124 Related Party Disclosures. These disclosures have been transferred from the financial report and have been audited.

A Principles used to determine the nature and amount of remuneration (audited)

The objectives of the Company's executive reward framework is to ensure that reward for performance is transparent, reasonable, competitive and appropriate for the results delivered. The framework aligns executive reward with achievement of strategic objectives and creation of value for shareholders, and conforms with market best practice for the delivery of reward. The Board ensures that executive reward satisfies the following key criteria for good reward governance practices:

- competitiveness and reasonableness
- acceptability to shareholders
- performance linkage/alignment of executive compensation
- transparency
- capital management.

In consultation with external remuneration consultants, the Company has structured an executive remuneration framework that is market competitive and complementary to the reward strategy of the organisation.

Remuneration report (continued)

Alignment to stapled security holders' interests:

- has economic profit as a core component of plan design
- focuses on sustained growth in stapled security holder wealth, consisting of distributions, dividends and growth in share price and delivering constant return on assets as well as focusing the executive on key non-financial drivers of value
- attracts and retains high calibre executives.

Alignment to the reward framework's participants' interests:

- rewards capability and experience
- reflects competitive reward for contribution to growth in stapled security holders' wealth
- provides a clear structure for earning rewards
- provides recognition for contribution.

The framework provides a mix of fixed and variable pay and a blend of short and long-term incentives. As executives gain seniority within the Company, the balance of this mix shifts to a higher proportion of "at risk" rewards, depending upon the nature of the executive's new role.

The overall level of executive reward takes into account the performance of ALE over a number of periods with greater emphasis given to the current year. Over the year ended 30 June 2006 the total return on ALE's stapled securities (inclusive of distribution returns) was 39.4% (2005: 68.4%).

Non-executive directors

Fees and payments to non-executive directors reflect the demands which are made on and the responsibilities of the directors. Non-executive directors' fees and payments were set by the Board prior to listing in 2003. The Board may obtain the advice of independent remuneration consultants to ensure that non-executive directors' fees and payments are appropriate and in line with the market. The Chairman's fees are determined independently from the fees of the non-executive directors, based on comparative roles in the external market. The Chairman is not present at any discussion relating to the determination of his own remuneration. Non-executive directors do not receive options over shares.

Directors' fees

The current base remuneration was last reviewed with effect from September 2003. The directors' fees are inclusive of committee fees.

Non-executive directors' fees are determined within an aggregate directors' fee pool limit which will be periodically recommended for approval by shareholders. The maximum currently stands at \$335,000 per annum, comprised of \$260,000 per annum for non-executive directors and \$75,000 per annum for the executive director (inclusive of a responsible officer fee of \$5,000 per annum) and excluding the Managing Director's remuneration. The maximum amount for non-executive directors can only be increased at a general meeting of the Company.

Retirement allowances for directors

No retirement allowances for directors are offered by the Company in line with recent guidance on non-executive directors' remuneration.

Executive pay

The executive pay and reward framework has three components, the combination of which comprises the executive's total remuneration:

- base pay and benefits
- short-term performance incentives
- other remuneration such as superannuation.

Base pay and benefits

Structured as a total employment cost package which may be delivered as a combination of cash and prescribed non-cash benefits at the discretion of the executives and the Board.

Executives are offered a competitive base pay that comprises the fixed component of their remuneration. External remuneration consultants provide analysis and advice to ensure base pay is set to reflect the market for comparable roles. Base pay for senior executives is reviewed annually to ensure that executive pay is competitive with the market. Executive pay is also reviewed on promotion.

There is no guaranteed base pay increase in any executive contract.

Short-term incentives (STI)

The short-term incentive arrangements in place at the Company have been designed to link annual STI bonus awards to executive performance against agreed key performance indicators (KPIs) including the financial performance of the Company during the year in question.

Each executive has a target STI opportunity depending on the accountabilities of the role and the impact on the performance of the Company.

Each year the remuneration committee considers the appropriate targets and KPIs to link the STI plan and the level of payout if targets are met. This includes setting any maximum payout under the STI plan and minimum levels of performance to trigger payments of STI.

Remuneration report (continued)

For the year ended 30 June 2006, the KPIs link to STI plans were based on Company, individual, business and personal objectives. The KPIs required performance in managing operating and funding costs, compliance with legislative requirements, increasing security holder value as well as other key strategic non-financial measures linked to drivers of performance in future economic periods.

The Board is responsible for assessing whether the KPIs have been met. To facilitate this assessment, the Board receives detailed reports on performance from management.

The STI payments may be adjusted up or down in line with over or under achievement against the target performance levels. This is at the discretion of the Board.

The STI target annual payment is reviewed annually.

Long-term incentives (LTI)

A long-term incentive in the form of options over ALE stapled securities, exercisable between November 2006 and November 2007 (except if the Company is subject to takeover, then to February 2007) was provided to the Managing Director, Mr Wilkinson, in November 2003 at an issue price of \$1.036.

Stapled security options granted

No options over unissued shares of the Company were granted during or since the end of the year.

B Details of remuneration (audited)

Amount of remuneration

Details of the remuneration of the key management personnel for the current year and for the comparative year are set out below in tables 1 and 2. The cash bonuses are dependent on the satisfaction of performance conditions as set out in the section headed "Short-term incentives", above. All other elements of remuneration are not directly related to performance.

Table 1 Remuneration details 1 July 2005 to 30 June 2006

Details of the remuneration of the key management personnel for the year ended 30 June 2006 are set out in the following table:

| KEY MANAGEMENT PERSONNEL | | SHORT-TERM EMPLOYEE BENEFITS | | | POST EMPLOYMENT BENEFITS | EQUITY BASED PAYMENT | |
|--------------------------|-------------------------------------|------------------------------|--------------|-----------------|--------------------------|----------------------|-----------|
| Name | Role | Salary and fees \$ | STI bonus \$ | Non-monetary \$ | Superannuation \$ | Options \$ | Total \$ |
| P H Warne | Non-executive Director | 110,092 | – | – | 9,908 | – | 120,000 |
| J P Henderson | Non-executive Director | 70,000 | – | – | – | – | 70,000 |
| H I Wright | Non-executive Director | 64,220 | – | – | 5,780 | – | 70,000 |
| A F O Wilkinson | Executive Director | 261,758 | 100,000 | – | 12,139 | 7,993 | 381,890 |
| J T McNally | Executive Director | 75,000 | – | – | – | – | 75,000 |
| B R Howell | Company Secretary | 75,000 | – | – | – | – | 75,000 |
| A J Slade | Investment and Acquisitions Manager | 138,831 | 40,000 | – | 11,539 | – | 190,370 |
| D S Barkas | Group Financial Controller | 99,803 | 20,000 | 26,600 | 10,477 | – | 156,880 |
| | | 894,704 | 160,000 | 26,600 | 49,843 | 7,993 | 1,139,140 |

Table 2 Remuneration details 1 July 2004 to 30 June 2005

Details of the remuneration of the key management personnel for the year ended 30 June 2005 are set out in the following table:

| KEY MANAGEMENT PERSONNEL | | SHORT-TERM EMPLOYEE BENEFITS | | | POST EMPLOYMENT BENEFITS | EQUITY BASED PAYMENT | |
|--------------------------|----------------------------|------------------------------|--------------|-----------------|--------------------------|----------------------|----------|
| Name | Role | Salary and fees \$ | STI bonus \$ | Non-monetary \$ | Superannuation \$ | Options \$ | Total \$ |
| P H Warne | Non-executive Director | 110,092 | – | – | 9,908 | – | 120,000 |
| J P Henderson | Non-executive Director | 70,000 | – | – | – | – | 70,000 |
| H I Wright | Non-executive Director | 64,220 | – | – | 5,780 | – | 70,000 |
| A F O Wilkinson | Executive Director | 191,954 | 65,000 | – | 15,081 | 7,993 | 280,028 |
| J T McNally | Executive Director | 81,250 | – | – | – | – | 81,250 |
| B R Howell | Company Secretary | 81,250 | – | – | – | – | 81,250 |
| D S Barkas | Group Financial Controller | 127,282 | 20,000 | 6,800 | 10,462 | – | 164,544 |
| | | 726,048 | 85,000 | 6,800 | 41,231 | 7,993 | 867,072 |

Remuneration report (continued)**Cash bonuses**

For each cash bonus included in the above tables, the percentage of the available bonus that was awarded for the year and the percentage that was forfeited because a person did not meet the performance criteria is set out below.

| Name | Paid % | Forfeited % |
|-----------------|--------|-------------|
| A F O Wilkinson | 133 | – |
| A J Slade | 100 | – |
| D S Barkas | 100 | – |

C Service agreements

On 10 November 2003, the Company entered into a three year service agreement with the Managing Director, Mr Wilkinson. The agreement stipulates the minimum base salary, inclusive of superannuation, for each of the first three years as being \$225,000, to be reviewed annually by the Board. A short-term incentive (which if earned, would be paid as a cash bonus each year) and a long-term incentive in the form of options over stapled securities, exercisable between November 2006 and November 2007 (except if the Company is subject to takeover, then to February 2007) are also provided.

In the event of the termination of Mr Wilkinson's employment contract, amounts are payable for unpaid accrued entitlements, proportion of bonus and option entitlements as at the date of termination. In the event of redundancy, termination amounts are payable for base salary, inclusive of superannuation and bonus and option entitlements for the balance of the contract.

The employment contracts of Mr Barkas and Mr Slade may be terminated at one month's notice.

There are no other director or executive service agreements.

Letters of appointment have been entered into by each director (excluding the Managing Director) confirming their remuneration and obligations under the Corporations Law and Company constitution.

A letter of appointment has been entered into with MIA Services Pty Limited for the use of the services of Brendan Howell as Company Secretary and as a Responsible Officer of the Company on a continuous basis that may be terminated at any time.

D Equity based compensation

Options over unissued stapled securities were granted in November 2003 to Mr Wilkinson as disclosed in an ASX Announcement dated 10 November 2003. Mr Wilkinson has the right to subscribe for up to 300,000 shares at a fixed price of \$1.036 exercisable from 10 November 2006 or earlier, if Mr Wilkinson's employment is terminated other than for cause or unsatisfactory performance. The options will remain exercisable until 10 November 2007, unless ALE is subject to a takeover, in which case the period of exercise would be reduced to 11 February 2007.

The options value disclosed above as part of specified executive remuneration is the assessed fair value at grant date of options granted, allocated equally over the period from grant date to vesting date. The fair value of \$24,000 at grant date has been independently determined by using a Black-Scholes option pricing model. This technique takes into account factors such as the exercise price, the term of the option, the vesting and performance criteria, the impact of dilution, the non-tradable nature of the option, 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.

Stapled securities under option

Unissued stapled securities under option at the date of this report are as follows:

| Date options granted | Expiry date | Issue price of stapled securities | Number under option |
|----------------------|-------------------|-----------------------------------|---------------------|
| 10-Nov-03 | 10 November 2007* | \$1.036 | 300,000 |

* Unless ALE Property Company is subject to a takeover, in which case the period of exercise would be shortened to 11 February 2007.

Stapled securities issued on the exercise of options

No stapled securities have been issued on the exercise of options, to date.

Insurance of officers

During the financial year, the Company paid a premium of \$29,844 (2005: \$41,766) to insure the directors and officers of the Company. The auditor of the Company is in no way indemnified out of the assets of the Company.

Under the constitution of the Company, current or former directors and secretaries are indemnified to the full extent permitted by law for liabilities incurred by that person in the discharge of their duties. The constitution provides that the Company will meet the legal costs of that person. This indemnity is subject to certain limitations.

Past employment with external auditor

Mr Wilkinson, Managing Director, previously held a position as a corporate advisory partner without any audit responsibilities of ALE's external auditor, PricewaterhouseCoopers. Mr Wilkinson resigned his partnership prior to accepting the appointment as Chief Executive Officer of ALE on 24 November 2003.

Non-audit services

The Company may decide to employ the auditor on assignments additional to its statutory audit duties where the auditor's expertise and experience with the Company are important.

The board of directors has considered the position and in accordance with the advice received from the ACRMC is satisfied that the provision of the non-audit services is compatible with the general standard of independence for auditors imposed by the Corporations Act 2001. The directors are satisfied that the provision of non-audit services by the auditor, as set out below, did not compromise the auditor independence requirements of the Corporations Act 2001 for the following reasons:

- all non-audit services have been reviewed by the ACRMC to ensure that they do not impact the impartiality and objectivity of the auditor
- none of the services undermine the general principles relating to auditor independence as set out in Professional Statement F1, including reviewing or auditing the auditor's own work, acting in a management or decision making capacity for the Company, acting as an advocate for the Company or jointly sharing economic risk and rewards.

Details of amounts paid or payable to the auditor (PricewaterhouseCoopers) for audit and non-audit services provided during the year are set out below:

| | 2006 \$ | 2005 \$ |
|---|----------------|----------------|
| Audit services | | |
| PricewaterhouseCoopers Australian firm: | | |
| Audit and review of the financial reports of the ALE Property Group and other audit work required under the Corporations Act 2001 | | |
| – in relation to current year | 135,400 | 125,750 |
| – in relation to prior year | 1,500 | 60,000 |
| Total remuneration for audit services | 136,900 | 185,750 |
| Other assurance services | | |
| PricewaterhouseCoopers Australian firm: | | |
| General accounting advice (including AIFRS) | 26,173 | 29,944 |
| Due diligence – acquisitions not proceeding | 142,250 | 31,300 |
| Assurance services – internal control review | 9,000 | 7,000 |
| Total remuneration for other assurance services | 177,423 | 68,244 |
| Total remuneration for assurance services | 314,323 | 253,994 |
| Taxation services | | |
| PricewaterhouseCoopers Australian firm: | | |
| Tax compliance services | 9,000 | 15,000 |
| Due diligence services | 223,000 | – |
| Tax consulting services | 25,135 | 24,190 |
| Total taxation services | 257,135 | 39,190 |

Includes amounts allocated to the Company of \$314,323 for assurance services (2005: \$253,994) and \$257,135 for taxation services (2005: \$39,190).

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 on page 82.

This report is made in accordance with a resolution of the directors.



P Warne
Director

Sydney

Dated this 29th day of August 2006

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Auditor's Independence Declaration

As lead auditor for the audit of Australian Leisure and Entertainment Property Management Limited for the year ended 30 June 2006, 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.

This declaration is in respect of Australian Leisure and Entertainment Property Management Limited during the period.



S J Hadfield

Partner

PricewaterhouseCoopers

Sydney

29 August 2006

INCOME STATEMENT
FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2006

| | Note | 2006 \$ | 2005 \$ |
|---|------|--------------------|------------------|
| Revenue | | | |
| Management fees | 2 | 2,276,395 | 2,185,120 |
| Interest income | | 45,143 | 20,382 |
| Total revenue | | 2,321,538 | 2,205,502 |
| Other income | 3 | 600,000 | – |
| Total income | | 2,921,538 | 2,205,502 |
| Salaries, fees and related costs | | 1,214,597 | 979,197 |
| Insurance | | 85,285 | 111,557 |
| Accounting services | | 69,028 | 64,762 |
| Taxation services | | 30,535 | 68,277 |
| Corporate advisory services | | (28,521) | 140,603 |
| Auditors' remuneration | 4 | 136,900 | 185,750 |
| Registry fees | | 66,513 | 62,131 |
| Legal fees | | 57,973 | 143,013 |
| Occupancy costs | | 104,116 | 91,622 |
| Depreciation expense – plant and equipment | | 37,387 | 22,248 |
| Travel and accommodation | | 32,160 | 27,068 |
| Acquisition proposal due diligence | 3 | 2,188,800 | 177,343 |
| Other expenses | | 149,587 | 272,328 |
| Total expenses | | 4,144,360 | 2,345,899 |
| (Loss) before income tax | | (1,222,822) | (140,397) |
| Income tax (benefit) | 5 | (370,462) | (39,368) |
| (Loss) after income tax | | (852,360) | (101,029) |
| (Loss) attributable to the shareholders of the Company | | (852,360) | (101,029) |
| | | Cents | Cents |
| Basic and diluted earnings/(loss) per share | | (0.94) | (0.11) |
| Dividends paid and payable per share | | – | – |

The above income statement should be read in conjunction with the accompanying notes.

BALANCE SHEET
AS AT 30 JUNE 2006

| | Note | 2006 \$ | 2005 \$ |
|--------------------------------------|------|-------------------|------------------|
| Current assets | | | |
| Cash and cash equivalents | 7 | 483,114 | 156,682 |
| Receivables | 8 | 851,028 | 186,087 |
| Prepayments and other assets | | 38,279 | 31,275 |
| Total current assets | | 1,372,421 | 374,044 |
| Non-current assets | | | |
| Plant and equipment | 6 | 102,354 | 140,636 |
| Investment in related party | 9 | 9,080,010 | 9,080,010 |
| Deferred tax asset | 10 | 472,153 | 97,936 |
| Total non-current assets | | 9,654,517 | 9,318,582 |
| Total assets | | 11,026,938 | 9,692,626 |
| Current liabilities | | | |
| Payables | 11 | 2,258,234 | 460,501 |
| Provisions | 12 | 61,174 | 33,279 |
| Loan from related party | 13 | 699,144 | 349,847 |
| Current tax liability | 5 | 1,918 | – |
| Total current liabilities | | 3,020,470 | 843,627 |
| Non-current liabilities | | | |
| Deferred tax liability | 14 | 1,837 | – |
| Total non-current liabilities | | 1,837 | – |
| Total liabilities | | 3,022,307 | 843,627 |
| Net assets | | 8,004,631 | 8,848,999 |
| Equity | | | |
| Contributed equity | 15 | 9,080,010 | 9,080,010 |
| Retained profits/(loss) | 16 | (1,096,488) | (244,128) |
| Reserves | 17 | 21,109 | 13,117 |
| Total equity | | 8,004,631 | 8,848,999 |
| Net assets per share | | 0.09 | 0.10 |

The above balance sheet should be read in conjunction with the accompanying notes.

| | 2006 \$ | 2005 \$ |
|---|------------------|------------------|
| Total equity at the beginning of the year | 8,848,999 | 8,942,035 |
| Profit/(Loss) for the year | (852,360) | (101,029) |
| Total recognised income and expenses for the year | (852,360) | (101,029) |
| Transactions with equity holders in their capacity as equity holders: Employee share options | 7,992 | 7,993 |
| Total transactions with equity holders in their capacity as equity holders | 7,992 | 7,993 |
| Total equity at the end of the year | 8,004,631 | 8,848,999 |

Total recognised income and expense for the year is attributable to members of the Company.

The above statement of changes in equity should be read in conjunction with the accompanying notes.

STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS
FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2006

| | Note | 2006 \$ | 2005 \$ |
|---|------|-----------------|------------------|
| Cash flows from operating activities | | | |
| Other revenue (management fee and expense recovery) | | 10,172,856 | 9,159,166 |
| Payments to suppliers and employees | | (9,856,116) | (8,961,779) |
| Interest received – bank deposits and investment arrangements | | 38,397 | 19,858 |
| Net cash inflow from operating activities | 21 | 355,137 | 217,245 |
| Cash flows from investing activities | | | |
| Payments for plant and equipment | | (28,705) | (168,033) |
| Net cash (outflow) from investing activities | | (28,705) | (168,033) |
| Net increase in cash and cash equivalents held | | 326,432 | 49,212 |
| Cash and cash equivalents at the beginning of the year | | 156,682 | 107,470 |
| Cash and cash equivalents at the end of the year | 7 | 483,114 | 156,682 |

The above statement of cash flows should be read in conjunction with the accompanying notes.

Note 1 Summary of significant accounting policies

This general purpose financial report for the year ended 30 June 2006 has been prepared in accordance with the Australian equivalents to International Financial Reporting Standards (AIFRS), other authoritative pronouncements of the Australian Accounting Standards Board, Urgent Issues Group Interpretations and the Corporations Act 2001.

(a) Basis of preparation

The principal accounting policies adopted in the preparation of the financial report are set out below. These policies have been consistently applied to all the periods presented, unless otherwise stated.

Application of AASB 1 First-time Adoption of Australian Equivalents to International Financial Reporting Standards (AIFRS)

This annual financial report is the first Company annual financial report to be prepared in accordance with AIFRS. AASB 1 First-time Adoption of Australian Equivalents to International Financial Reporting Standards has been applied in preparing the financial statements.

The financial statements of the Company up until 30 June 2005 had been prepared in accordance with previous Australian Generally Accepted Accounting Principles (AGAAP). AGAAP differs in certain respects from AIFRS. When preparing the Company annual financial statement for the year ended 30 June 2006, management has amended certain accounting, valuation and consolidation methods applied in the previous AGAAP financial statements to comply with AIFRS. The comparative figures were restated to reflect these adjustments. The Company has taken the exemption available under AASB 1 to apply AASB 132 Financial Instruments: Disclosure and Presentation and AASB 139 Financial Instruments: Recognition and Measurement from 1 July 2005.

Reconciliations and descriptions of the effect of transition from previous AGAAP to AIFRS on the Company's equity and its net profit are given in note 27 to the year end financial report.

Historical cost convention

The financial statements have been prepared under the historical cost convention, as modified by the revaluation of financial assets and liabilities (including derivative instruments) at fair value through profit or loss and certain classes of property, plant and equipment.

(b) Cash and cash equivalents

For the purposes of the cash flow statement, cash and cash equivalents includes cash at bank, deposits at call and short-term money market securities which are readily convertible to cash.

(c) Receivables

Trade debtors are recognised initially at fair value and subsequently measured at amortised cost, less provision for doubtful debts. Trade receivables are due for settlement no more than 30 days from the recognition.

Collectibility of trade receivables is reviewed on an ongoing basis. Debts which are known to be uncollectible are written off. A provision for doubtful receivables is established when there is objective evidence that all amounts due may not be collected according to the original terms of the receivables. The amount of any provision is the difference between the asset's carrying amount and the present value of estimated future cash flows, discounted at the effective interest rate. The amount of the provision is recognised in the income statement.

(d) Plant and equipment

Plant and equipment including office fixtures, fittings and operating equipment are stated at historical cost less depreciation. Historical cost includes expenditure that is directly attributable to its acquisition. Subsequent costs are included in the asset's carrying amount or recognised as a separate asset, as appropriate, only when it is probable that future economic benefits associated with the item will flow to the Company and the cost of the item can be measured reliably. All other repairs and maintenance are charged to the income statement during the financial period in which they are incurred.

Depreciation

Depreciation on depreciable plant and equipment (office fixtures, fittings and operating equipment) is calculated using the straight line method to allocate their cost or revalued amounts, net of their residual values, over their estimated useful lives. The estimated useful life of depreciable plant and equipment is as follows:

| | |
|-----------------------------------|--------------|
| Furniture, fittings and equipment | 4 – 13 years |
| Software | 3 years |
| Leasehold improvements | 3 years |

The assets' residual values and useful lives are reviewed, and adjusted if appropriate, at each balance sheet date.

An asset's carrying amount is written down immediately to its recoverable amount if the asset's carrying amount is greater than its estimated recoverable amount.

Gains and losses on disposals are determined by comparing proceeds with carrying amount. These are included in the income statement.

(e) Investments and financial assets

Financial assets classified as loans and deposits are non-derivative financial assets with fixed or determinable payments that are not quoted in an active market and arise when money and services are provided to a debtor with no intention of selling the receivable.

Loans and deposits are carried at amortised cost using the effective interest rate method. Under this method, fees, costs, discounts and premiums directly related to the financial asset are spread over its effective life.

(f) Trade and other payables

These amounts represent liabilities for goods and services provided to the Company prior to the end of the period which are unpaid at the balance sheet date. The amounts are unsecured and are usually paid within 30 days of recognition.

Note 1 Summary of significant accounting policies (continued)

(g) Provisions

Provisions are recognised when there is a present legal or constructive obligation as a result of past events; it is more likely than not that an outflow of resources will be required to settle the obligation; and the amount has been reliably estimated. Provisions are not recognised for future operating losses.

(h) Dividends

Provision is made for the amount of any dividends declared, being appropriately authorised and no longer at the discretion of the entity, on or before the end of the financial year but not distributed at the balance date.

(i) Earnings per stapled security

(i) Basic earnings per share

Basic earnings per share is calculated by dividing the profit attributable to the equity holders of the Company by the weighted average number of shares outstanding during the reporting period.

(ii) Diluted earnings per share

Diluted earnings per share adjusts the figures used in the determination of basic earnings per share to take into account the after income tax effect of interest and other financing costs associated with dilutive potential shares and the weighted average number of shares assumed to have been issued for no consideration in relation to dilutive potential shares.

(j) Contributed equity

Ordinary shares are classified as contributed equity.

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

(k) Revenue

Management fee income is brought to account on an accruals basis, and if not received at balance date is reflected in the balance sheet as a receivable.

(l) Interest income

Interest income is recognised on a time proportion basis using the effective interest method.

(m) Expenses

Expenses including operating expenses and other outgoings are brought to account on an accruals basis and, if not paid at balance date, are reflected in the balance sheet as payables.

(n) Employee benefits

(i) Wages and salaries, annual leave and sick leave

Liabilities for wages and salaries, including non-monetary benefits and annual leave expected to be settled within 12 months of the reporting date are recognised as a current liability in respect of employees' services up to the reporting date and are measured at the amounts expected to be paid when the liabilities are settled. Liabilities for non-accumulating sick leave are recognised as an expense when the leave is taken and measured at the rates paid or payable.

(ii) Share based payments after 7 November 2002 and vested after 1 January 2005

The fair value of options granted is recognised as an employee benefit expense with a corresponding increase in equity. The fair value is measured at grant date and recognised over the period during which the employees become unconditionally entitled to the options.

The fair value at grant date is independently determined using a Black-Scholes option pricing model that takes into account the exercise price, the term of the option, the vesting and performance criteria, the impact of dilution, the non-tradable nature of the option, 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.

The fair value of the options granted excludes the impact of any non-market vesting conditions (for example, profitability and sales growth targets). Non-market vesting conditions are included in assumptions about the number of options that are expected to become exercisable. At each balance date, the entity revises its estimate of the number of options that are expected to become exercisable. The employee benefit expense recognised each period takes into account the most recent estimate.

Upon the exercise of options, the balance of the share based payments reserve relating to those options is transferred to contributed equity.

(iii) Bonus plans

Liabilities and expenses for bonuses are recognised where contractually obliged or where there is a past practice that has created a constructive obligation.

(iv) Long service leave

The Company will begin to recognise liabilities for long service leave when employees reach a qualifying period of continuous service. The liability for long service leave is recognised in the provision for employee benefits and measured as the present value of expected future payments to be made in respect of services provided by employees up to the reporting date using the projected unit credit method. Consideration is given to expected future wage and salary levels, experience of employee departures and periods of service. Expected future payments are discounted using market yields at the reporting date on national government bonds with the terms to maturity and currency that match, as closely as possible, the estimated future cash flow.

Note 1 Summary of significant accounting policies (continued)**(n) Employee benefits (continued)****(v) Retirement benefit obligations**

The Company pays fixed contributions to employees' funds and the Company's legal or constructive obligations are limited to these contributions. The contributions are recognised as an expense as they become payable. Prepaid contributions are recognised as an asset to the extent that a cash refund or a reduction in the future payments is available.

(o) Income tax

The income tax expense or revenue for the reporting period is the tax payable on the current reporting period's taxable income based on the Australian company tax rate adjusted by changes in deferred tax assets and liabilities attributable to temporary differences between the tax bases of the assets and liabilities and their carrying amounts in the financial statements and to unused tax losses.

Deferred tax balances are calculated using the balance sheet method. Under this method, temporary differences arise between the carrying amount of assets and liabilities in the financial statements and the tax bases for the corresponding assets and liabilities. However, an exception is made for certain temporary differences arising from the initial recognition of an asset or liability. No deferred tax asset or liability is recognised in relation to these temporary differences if they arose in a transaction, other than a business combination, that at the time of the transaction did not affect either accounting profit or taxable profit or loss. Similarly, no deferred tax asset or liability is recognised for temporary differences between the carrying amount and tax bases of investments in controlled entities where the parent entity is able to control the timing of the reversal of the temporary differences and it is probable that the differences will not reverse in the foreseeable future. Deferred tax assets and liabilities are recognised for temporary differences at the tax rates expected to apply when the assets are recovered or liabilities settled.

Deferred tax assets are recognised for 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.

Deferred tax assets and liabilities are offset when there is a legally enforceable right to the offset current tax assets and liabilities and when the deferred tax balances relate to the same taxation authority. Current tax assets and tax liabilities are offset where the entity has a legally enforceable right to offset and intends either to settle on a net basis, or to realise the asset and settle the liability simultaneously.

Current and deferred tax balances attributable to amounts recognised directly in equity are also recognised directly in equity.

(p) Goods and services tax (GST)

Revenues, expenses and assets are recognised net of the amount of associated GST, unless the GST incurred is not recoverable from the taxation authority. In this case it is recognised as part of the cost of 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 recoverable from, or payable to, the taxation authority is included with other receivables or payables in the balance sheet.

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 taxation authority, are presented as operating cash flow.

(q) New accounting standards and UIG interpretation

Certain new accounting standards and UIG interpretations have been published that are not mandatory for 30 June 2006 reporting periods. The Company's assessment of the impact of these new standards and interpretations is set out below.

(i) UIG 4 Determining whether an Asset Contains a Lease

UIG 4 is applicable to annual periods beginning on or after 1 January 2006. The Company has not elected to adopt UIG 4 early. It will apply UIG 4 in its 2007 financial statements and the UIG 4 transition provisions. The Company will therefore apply UIG 4 on the basis of facts and circumstances that existed as of 1 July 2006. Implementation of UIG 4 is not expected to change the accounting for any of the Company's current arrangements.

(ii) AASB 7 Financial Instruments: Disclosures and AASB 2005-10 Amendments to Australian Accounting Standards [AASB 132, AASB 101, AASB 114, AASB 117, AASB 133, AASB 139, AASB 1, AASB 4, AASB 1023 and AASB 1038]

AASB 7 and AASB 2005-10 are applicable to annual reporting periods beginning on or after 1 January 2007. The Company has not adopted the standards early. Application of the standards will not affect any of the amounts recognised in the financial statements, but will impact the type of information disclosed in relation to the Company's financial instruments.

(r) Critical accounting estimates and assumptions

Estimates and judgements are continually evaluated and are based on historical experience and other factors, including expectations of future events that may have a financial impact on the entity and that are believed to be reasonable under the circumstances.

(s) Financial risk management

The Company's activities expose it to a variety of financial risks; market risk (including currency risk, fair value interest rate risk and price risk), credit risk, liquidity risk and cash flow interest rate 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.

Note 1 Summary of significant accounting policies (continued)

(s) Financial risk management (continued)

(i) Credit risk

The major credit risk is the risk that the Trust will fail to perform its obligations including honouring the terms of management fee and expense recovery arrangements either in whole or in part. Credit risk has been minimised primarily by ensuring, on a continuous basis, that the Trust has appropriate financial standing.

The credit risk on financial assets of ALE which have been recognised in the balance sheet is generally the carrying amount net of any provision for doubtful debts.

(ii) Liquidity and cash flow risk

Liquidity risk is the risk that the Company will experience difficulty in either realising or otherwise raising sufficient funds to satisfy commitments. Cash flow risk is the risk that the future cash flows will fluctuate. The risk management guidelines adopted are designed to minimise liquidity and cash flow risk through actively managing significant exposures to large creditors and ensuring counterparties have appropriate financial standing.

2006
\$

2005
\$

Note 2 Management fees

Management fees

2,276,395

2,185,120

Fees charged to the Trust by the Company for management and responsible entity services.

Expense recovery and management fee receipts (inclusive of GST) of \$10,172,856 (2005: \$9,159,166) disclosed in the statement of cash flows is comprised predominantly of recoveries of Trust expenditure paid by the Company and then recovered from the Trust. No margins or fees are charged by the Company on recoverable costs, as a result expense recoveries are not disclosed in the income statement as revenue but are netted off against the relevant expenses incurred.

Note 3 Transaction costs and other income

Acquisition proposal due diligence

2,188,800

177,343

Amounts (recovered) following non-completion (disclosed as other income)

(600,000)

–

Net costs incurred

1,588,800

177,343

Costs incurred and recovery received by the Company, as responsible entity for the Trust, in relation to potential property acquisitions that did not proceed to completion.

Note 4 Auditors' remuneration

Audit services

PricewaterhouseCoopers Australian firm:

Audit and review of the financial reports of the Group and other audit work under the Corporations Act 2001

– in relation to current year

135,400

125,750

– in relation to prior year

1,500

60,000

Total remuneration for audit services

136,900

185,750

Other assurance services

PricewaterhouseCoopers Australian firm:

General accounting advice (including AIFRS)

26,173

29,944

Due diligence services

142,250

31,300

Controls assurance services

9,000

7,000

Total remuneration for other assurance services

177,423

68,244

Total remuneration for assurance services

314,323

253,994

Taxation services

PricewaterhouseCoopers Australian firm:

Tax compliance services

9,000

15,000

Due diligence services

223,000

–

Tax consulting services

25,135

24,190

Total taxation services

257,135

39,190

Includes amounts allocated to the Company of \$314,323 for a assurance services (2005: \$253,994) and \$257,135 for taxation services (2005: \$39,190).

| | 2006 \$ | 2005 \$ |
|---|------------------|-----------------|
| Note 5 Income tax expense/(benefit) | | |
| Current tax expense /(benefit) | 1,918 | (8,940) |
| Deferred tax (benefit) | (372,380) | (30,428) |
| | (370,462) | (39,368) |
| (Increase) in deferred tax asset | (374,217) | (30,428) |
| Increase in deferred tax liabilities | 1,837 | – |
| | (372,380) | (30,428) |
| Reconciliation of income tax expense to prima facie tax payable | | |
| (Loss) before the income tax expense | (1,222,822) | (140,397) |
| Tax at the Australian tax rate 30% | (366,847) | (42,119) |
| Tax effect of amounts which are deductible (taxable) in calculating taxable income: | | |
| Expenditure held on balance sheet | (9,203) | – |
| Share based payments | 2,398 | – |
| Entertainment | 735 | 642 |
| Under provision in prior years | 2,455 | 2,109 |
| | (3,615) | 2,751 |
| Income tax (benefit) | (370,462) | (39,368) |

Note 6 Plant and equipment

| | Furniture, fittings and equipment \$'000 | Software \$'000 | Office fitout \$'000 | Total \$'000 |
|--------------------------------|--|--------------------|-------------------------|-----------------|
| At 30 June 2004 | | | | |
| At cost | 2,214 | 17,845 | – | 20,059 |
| Accumulated depreciation | (149) | (3,365) | – | (3,514) |
| Net book value | 2,065 | 14,480 | – | 16,545 |
| Year ended 30 June 2005 | | | | |
| Opening net book value | 2,065 | 14,480 | – | 16,545 |
| Additions | 57,499 | 25,918 | 84,616 | 168,033 |
| Depreciation charge | (12,287) | (7,541) | (24,114) | (43,942) |
| Closing carrying value | 47,277 | 32,857 | 60,502 | 140,636 |
| At 30 June 2005 | | | | |
| Cost | 59,713 | 43,763 | 84,616 | 188,092 |
| Accumulated depreciation | (12,436) | (10,906) | (24,114) | (47,456) |
| Net book value | 47,277 | 32,857 | 60,502 | 140,636 |
| Year ended 30 June 2006 | | | | |
| Opening net book value | 47,277 | 32,857 | 60,502 | 140,636 |
| Additions | – | 28,705 | – | 28,705 |
| Depreciation charge | (12,392) | (24,995) | (29,599) | (66,986) |
| Closing net book amount | 34,885 | 36,567 | 30,903 | 102,354 |
| As at 30 June 2006 | | | | |
| Cost | 59,713 | 72,468 | 84,616 | 216,796 |
| Accumulated depreciation | (24,828) | (35,901) | (53,713) | (114,442) |
| Net book value | 34,885 | 36,567 | 30,903 | 102,354 |

| | Note | 2006 \$ | 2005 \$ |
|---|------|------------------|------------------|
| Note 7 Cash and cash equivalents | | | |
| Cash at bank | | 459,196 | 132,764 |
| Deposits at call | (a) | 23,918 | 23,918 |
| | | 483,114 | 156,682 |
| (a) The deposit represents an office occupancy security deposit. | | | |
| As at 30 June 2006 the weighted average interest rate earned on cash was 5.64% (2005: 4.82%). | | | |
| Note 8 Receivables | | | |
| Accounts receivable | | 847,213 | 184,631 |
| Interest receivable | | 3,815 | 1,456 |
| | | 851,028 | 186,087 |
| Note 9 Investment in related party | | | |
| Trust No Income Voting Units (NIVUS) | | 9,080,010 | 9,080,010 |
| The Company was issued \$9,080,010 of NIVUS in the Trust for cash consideration of \$6,200,010 and non-cash consideration of \$2,880,000 in November 2003. The NIVUS have only been issued to the Company and are held by the Company in order to satisfy the net tangible asset condition in its Australian Financial Services Licence. The NIVUS are not stapled to shares in the Company, have an issue and withdrawal price of \$1.00, carry no rights to income from the Trust and entitle the holder to no more than \$1.00 per NIVUS upon the winding up of the Trust. The Company has a voting power of 9.09% in the Trust as a result of the issue of NIVUS. | | | |
| Note 10 Deferred tax asset | | | |
| The balance comprises temporary differences attributable to: | | | |
| Amounts recognised in profit or loss | | | |
| Employee benefits | | 18,611 | 9,984 |
| Acquisition proposal due diligence | | 381,312 | – |
| Other accruals | | 72,230 | 75,884 |
| Other provisions | | – | 12,068 |
| Net deferred tax assets | | 472,153 | 97,936 |
| Movements: | | | |
| Opening balance at 1 July 2005 | | 97,936 | 67,508 |
| Credited/(charged) to the income statement (note 5) | | 374,217 | 30,428 |
| Closing balance at 30 June 2006 | | 472,153 | 97,936 |
| Deferred tax assets to be recovered within 12 months | | 186,169 | 97,936 |
| Deferred tax assets to be recovered after more than 12 months | | 285,984 | – |
| | | 472,153 | 97,936 |
| Note 11 Payables | | | |
| Trade creditors | | 264,370 | 64,403 |
| Creditor accruals | | 1,993,864 | 396,098 |
| | | 2,258,234 | 460,501 |
| Note 12 Provisions | | | |
| Provision for annual leave | | 45,902 | 23,144 |
| Provision for superannuation | | 15,272 | 10,135 |
| | | 61,174 | 33,279 |

| | 2006 \$ | 2005 \$ |
|--|----------------|----------------|
| Note 13 Loan from related party | | |
| Loan from the Trust | 699,144 | 349,847 |
| The loan is non-interest bearing, of no fixed term and is repayable on demand. | | |
| Note 14 Deferred tax liability | | |
| The balance comprises temporary differences attributable to: | | |
| Amounts recognised in profit or loss | | |
| Interest income earned but not received | 1,145 | – |
| Prepaid expense | 692 | – |
| Net deferred tax liability | 1,837 | – |
| Movements: | | |
| Opening balance at 1 July 2005 | – | – |
| Charged to income statement (note 5) | 1,837 | – |
| Closing balance at 30 June 2006 | 1,837 | – |
| Deferred tax liabilities to be recovered within 12 months | 1,837 | – |
| Deferred tax liabilities to be recovered after more than 12 months | – | – |
| | 1,837 | – |

Note 15 Contributed equity

| | 2006 \$ | 2005 \$ |
|---|-------------------|-------------------|
| (a) Share capital | | |
| Issued share capital 90,800,100 fully paid at \$0.10 each | 9,080,010 | 9,080,010 |
| (b) Movements in ordinary share capital | | |
| There was no movement during the year | – | – |
| Balance at the end of the period | 9,080,010 | 9,080,010 |
| Movements in the number of fully paid shares | | |
| | No. of shares | No. of shares |
| Shares on issue | | |
| Opening balance | 90,800,100 | 90,800,100 |
| Issue of shares | – | – |
| Closing balance | 90,800,100 | 90,800,100 |

Shares

Fully paid stapled security interests in the Company and the Trust were issued at \$1.00 per stapled security. Each stapled security comprises one \$0.10 share in the Company and one \$0.90 unit in the Trust. They cannot be traded or dealt with separately. Stapled securities entitle the holder to participate in dividends/distributions and the proceeds on any winding up of the Company in proportion to the number of and amounts paid on the securities held. On a show of hands every holder of stapled securities present at a meeting in person or by proxy, is entitled to one vote. On a Company poll each ordinary shareholder is entitled to one vote for each fully paid share, and on a Trust poll each unitholder is entitled to one vote for each fully paid unit.

| | 2006 \$ | 2005 \$ |
|--|--------------------|------------------|
| Note 16 Retained profits/(loss) | | |
| Balance at the beginning of the year | (244,128) | (143,099) |
| Net (loss) attributable to ordinary shareholders | (852,360) | (101,029) |
| Balance at the end of the year | (1,096,488) | (244,128) |
| Note 17 Reserves | | |
| Balance at the beginning of the year | 13,117 | 5,124 |
| Employee share option expense | 7,992 | 7,993 |
| Balance at the end of the year | 21,109 | 13,117 |

Note 18 Segment information

Business segment

The Company operates solely in the property funds management industry and has no business segmentation.

Geographical segment

The Company operates solely within Australia.

Note 19 Events occurring after reporting date

The directors are not aware of any matter or circumstance occurring after balance date which may materially affect the Company's operations, the results of those operations or the state of affairs of the Company.

Note 20 Contingent liabilities

The directors are not aware of any material contingent liabilities as at the date of this report.

| | 2006 \$ | 2005 \$ |
|--|----------------|----------------|
| Note 21 Reconciliation of profit after income tax to net cash inflows from operating activities | | |
| (Loss) for the year | (852,360) | (101,029) |
| Depreciation | 66,986 | 43,943 |
| Income tax (benefit) | (370,462) | (39,368) |
| Non-cash employee benefits expense – share based payments | 7,992 | 7,993 |
| (Increase)/decrease in receivables | (664,941) | 34,291 |
| (Increase) in other assets | (7,004) | (3,002) |
| Decrease in loan to related party | – | 646,548 |
| Increase/(decrease) in loan from related party | 349,297 | (362,825) |
| Increase/(decrease) in provisions | 27,895 | (1,652) |
| Increase/(decrease) in payables | 1,797,733 | (7,654) |
| Net cash inflows from operating activities | 355,137 | 217,245 |

Note 22 AASB 132 Financial Instruments: Disclosure and Presentation and AASB 139 Financial Instruments: Recognition and Measurement

The Company has taken the exemption available under AASB 1 to only apply AASB 132 Financial Instruments: Disclosure and Presentation and AASB 139 Financial Instruments: Recognition and Measurement from 1 July 2005 and has not restated any comparative period figures for the resulting adjustments. The adjustments have instead been taken directly to retained earnings as at 1 July 2005.

(a) Interest rate risk

The Company's exposure to the interest rate risk and the effective weighted interest rate by maturity periods is set out in the following table. For interest rates applicable to each class of asset or liability refer to individual notes to the financial statements.

Exposure arises predominantly from assets bearing variable interest rates as the Company intends to hold fixed assets and liabilities to maturity.

Note 22 AASB 132 Financial Instruments: Disclosure and Presentation and AASB 139 Financial Instruments: Recognition and Measurement (continued)
(a) Interest rate risk (continued)

| | Note | FIXED INTEREST MATURING IN | | | | Non-interest bearing \$ | Total \$'000 |
|---|------|------------------------------|----------------------|--------------------|-------------------------|----------------------------|--------------------|
| | | Floating interest rate \$ | 1 year or less \$ | 1 to 5 years \$ | More than 5 years \$ | | |
| 2006 | | | | | | | |
| Financial assets | | | | | | | |
| Cash | 7 | 458,896 | 23,918 | – | – | 300 | 483,114 |
| Receivables | 8 | – | – | – | – | 851,028 | 851,028 |
| | | 458,896 | 23,918 | – | – | 851,328 | 1,334,142 |
| Weighted average interest rate | | 5.65% | 5.60% | – | – | – | 2.04% |
| Financial liabilities | | | | | | | |
| Payables | 11 | – | – | – | – | 2,258,234 | 2,258,234 |
| Loan from related party | 13 | – | – | – | – | 699,144 | 699,144 |
| | | – | – | – | – | 2,957,378 | 2,957,378 |
| Weighted average interest rate | | – | – | – | – | – | – |
| Net financial assets/(liabilities) | | 458,896 | 23,918 | – | – | (2,106,050) | (1,623,236) |

| | Note | FIXED INTEREST MATURING IN | | | | Non-interest bearing \$ | Total \$'000 |
|---|------|------------------------------|----------------------|--------------------|-------------------------|----------------------------|------------------|
| | | Floating interest rate \$ | 1 year or less \$ | 1 to 5 years \$ | More than 5 years \$ | | |
| 2005 | | | | | | | |
| Financial assets | | | | | | | |
| Cash | 7 | 132,464 | 23,918 | – | – | 300 | 156,682 |
| Receivables | 8 | – | – | – | – | 186,087 | 186,087 |
| | | 132,464 | 23,918 | – | – | 186,387 | 342,769 |
| Weighted average interest rate | | 4.75% | 5.25% | – | – | – | 2.20% |
| Financial liabilities | | | | | | | |
| Payables | 11 | – | – | – | – | 460,501 | 460,501 |
| Loan from related party | 13 | – | – | – | – | 349,847 | 349,847 |
| | | – | – | – | – | 810,348 | 810,348 |
| Weighted average interest rate | | – | – | – | – | – | – |
| Net financial assets/(liabilities) | | 132,464 | 23,918 | – | – | (623,961) | (467,579) |

(b) Credit risk

Credit risk is the risk that the Trust will fail to perform its contractual obligations to the Company, including honouring the terms of its constitution, either in whole or in part. Credit risk has been minimised primarily by ensuring that the Trust has appropriate financial standing.

The credit risk on financial assets of the Company which have been recognised in the balance sheet is generally the carrying amount net of any provision for doubtful debts.

(c) Liquidity and cash flow risk

Liquidity risk is the risk that the Company will experience difficulty in either realising or otherwise raising sufficient funds to satisfy commitments. Cash flow risk is the risk that the future cash flows will fluctuate. The risk management guidelines adopted are designed to minimise liquidity and cash flow risk through actively managing significant exposures to large creditors and ensuring counterparties have appropriate financial standing.

(d) Net fair value of assets and liabilities

The net fair value of assets and liabilities included in the balance sheet approximates their carrying values.

Note 23 Commitments

(a) Capital commitments

The directors are not aware of any capital commitments as at the date of this report.

(b) Lease commitments

The Company has entered into a non-cancellable operating lease for its office premises at Level 8, 15-19 Bent Street, Sydney. The minimum net lease commitments under this lease are:

| | 2006 \$ | 2005 \$ |
|--|---------------|----------------|
| Commitments for minimum lease payments in relation to non-cancellable operating leases are payable as follows: | | |
| Within one year | 73,361 | 70,843 |
| Later than one year but not later than five years | 3,867 | 71,188 |
| Later than five years | – | 3,825 |
| | 77,228 | 145,856 |

Note 24 Related party transactions

(a) Parent entity, subsidiaries, joint ventures and associates

The Company has no parent entity, subsidiaries, joint ventures or associates.

(b) Key management personnel

Key management personnel and their compensation are set out in note 25.

(c) Transactions with related parties

For the year ended 30 June 2006 the Company had charged the Trust \$2,276,000 in management fees (2005: \$2,185,000).

Peter Warne is a director and chairman of ALE and of Next Financial Pty Limited ("Next"), which is a private investment manager which operates accounts on behalf of investors. All such securities are held by Fortis Clearing Sydney Pty Ltd ("Fortis") as custodian for clients. Fortis held 4,254,837 stapled securities of ALE as at 30 June 2006 (2005: 4,400,314). Mr Warne does not make any investment decisions as part of his role at Next which relate to securities in ALE.

ALE has entered into two associate motor vehicle leases with the spouse of Darren Barkas. The leases commenced on 15 March 2005. For the year ended 30 June 2006 payments under the leases totalled to \$5,000 (2005: \$2,000).

(d) Terms and conditions

All related party transactions are conducted on normal commercial terms and conditions.

Outstanding balances are unsecured and are repayable in cash and callable on demand.

Note 25 Key management personnel

(a) Directors

The following persons were directors of the Company during the financial year:

| Name | Type | Appointed |
|-------------------------------------|---------------|------------------|
| P H Warne (Chairman) | Non-executive | 8 September 2003 |
| J P Henderson | Non-executive | 19 August 2003 |
| H I Wright | Non-executive | 8 September 2003 |
| A F O Wilkinson (Managing Director) | Executive | 16 November 2004 |
| J T McNally | Executive | 26 June 2003 |

(b) Other key management personnel

The following persons also had authority and responsibility for planning, directing and controlling the activities of the Company, directly or indirectly, during the year.

| Name | Title | Appointed |
|----------------|--|-------------------|
| Andrew Slade | Investment and Acquisitions Manager | 18 July 2005 |
| Darren Barkas | Group Financial Controller | 29 January 2004 |
| Brendan Howell | Company Secretary and Compliance Officer | 26 September 2003 |

Note 25 Key management personnel (continued)
(c) Compensation for key management personnel

The following table sets out the compensation for key management personnel in aggregate. Refer to the remuneration report in the directors' report for details of the remuneration policy and compensation details by individual.

| | 2006 \$ | 2005 \$ |
|------------------------------|------------------|----------------|
| Short-term employee benefits | 1,081,304 | 817,848 |
| Post employment benefits | 49,843 | 41,231 |
| Share based payments | 7,993 | 7,993 |
| | 1,139,140 | 867,072 |

The Company has taken advantage of the relief provided by the Corporations Regulations CR2M.6.04 and has transferred the detailed remuneration disclosures to the directors' report. The relevant information can be found in the remuneration report on pages 77 to 80.

(d) Equity holdings of key management personnel

The table sets out the share holdings for key management personnel in the Company:

| Name | Role | Number held at the start of the year | Purchases/(sales) | Number held at 30 June 2006 |
|-----------------|-------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|-------------------|-----------------------------|
| P H Warne | Non-executive Director | 453,400 | 196,600 | 650,000 |
| J P Henderson | Non-executive Director | 40,000 | 15,000 | 55,000 |
| H I Wright | Non-executive Director | 100,000 | – | 100,000 |
| A F O Wilkinson | Executive Director | 51,998 | 16,002 | 68,000 |
| D S Barkas | Group Financial Controller | 46,810 | 1,517 | 48,327 |
| A J Slade | Investment and Acquisitions Manager | – | 12,000 | 12,000 |

The following director currently holds options over shares in the Company:

| Name | Role | Number held at the start of the year | Purchases/(sales) | Number held at 30 June 2006 |
|-----------------|----------|--------------------------------------|-------------------|-----------------------------|
| A F O Wilkinson | Director | 300,000 | – | 300,000 |

Note 26 Earnings per share

| | 2006 \$ | 2005 \$ |
|---|------------|------------|
| (a) Basic earnings per share | | |
| Attributable to equity holders of the Company | | |
| Basic and diluted earnings per equity holders of the Company | (0.94) | (0.11) |
| Attributable to security holders of the stapled entity | | |
| Basic and diluted earnings per stapled security | | |
| Basic and diluted earnings per stapled security before financing costs attributable to the Company security holders divided by the average number of securities | (0.94) | (0.11) |
| Basic and diluted earnings per stapled security using realised operating income | (0.94) | (0.11) |
| | Number | Number |
| (b) Weighted average number of shares used as the denominator | | |
| Weighted average number of shares used as the denominator in calculating earnings per share | 90,800,100 | 90,800,100 |
| Weighted average number of ordinary shares and potential ordinary shares used as the denominator in calculating diluted earnings per share | 90,800,100 | 90,800,100 |

Note 27 Explanation of transition to Australian equivalents to IFRS

(1) Reconciliation of ALE profit under previous Australian Generally Accepted Accounting Principles (AGAAP) to profit under Australian equivalents to IFRS (AIFRS)

As at the end of the last reporting period under previous AGAAP: 30 June 2005

| | Note | Previous AGAAP \$ | Effect of transition to AIFRS \$ | AIFRS \$ |
|--|------|-------------------------|---|------------------|
| Revenue | | | | |
| Management fees | | 2,185,120 | – | 2,185,120 |
| Interest income | | 20,382 | – | 20,382 |
| Total revenue | | 2,205,502 | – | 2,205,502 |
| Expenses | | | | |
| Salaries, fees and related costs | (a) | 886,204 | 7,993 | 894,197 |
| Corporate advisory services | | 140,603 | – | 140,603 |
| Auditors' remuneration | | 182,625 | – | 182,625 |
| Registry fees | | 62,131 | – | 62,131 |
| Legal fees | | 143,013 | – | 143,013 |
| Occupancy costs | | 91,622 | – | 91,622 |
| Accounting fees | | 75,707 | – | 75,707 |
| Depreciation expense – plant and equipment | | 22,248 | – | 22,248 |
| Travel and accommodation | | 27,068 | – | 27,068 |
| Acquisition proposal due diligence | | 177,343 | – | 177,343 |
| Other expenses | | 529,342 | – | 529,342 |
| Total expenses | | 2,337,906 | 7,993 | 2,345,899 |
| (Loss) before income tax | | (132,404) | (7,993) | (140,397) |
| Income tax (benefit) | | (39,368) | – | (39,368) |
| (Loss) after income tax | | (93,036) | (7,993) | (101,029) |

Note 27 Explanation of transition to Australian equivalents to IFRS (continued)
(2) Reconciliation of equity reported under AGAAP to equity under AIFRS

(a) As at the end of the last reporting period under previous AGAAP: 30 June 2005

| | Note | Previous AGAAP \$ | Effect of transition to AIFRS \$ | AIFRS \$ |
|----------------------------------|------|-------------------------|---|------------------|
| Current assets | | | | |
| Cash and cash equivalents | | 156,682 | – | 156,682 |
| Receivables | | 186,087 | – | 186,087 |
| Prepayments and other assets | | 31,275 | – | 31,275 |
| Total current assets | | 374,044 | – | 374,044 |
| Non-current assets | | | | |
| Plant and equipment | | 140,636 | – | 140,636 |
| Investment in related party | | 9,080,010 | – | 9,080,010 |
| Deferred tax asset | | 97,936 | – | 97,936 |
| Total non-current assets | | 9,318,582 | – | 9,318,582 |
| Total assets | | 9,692,626 | – | 9,692,626 |
| Current liabilities | | | | |
| Payables | | 460,501 | – | 460,501 |
| Provisions | | 33,279 | – | 33,279 |
| Loan from related party | | 349,847 | – | 349,847 |
| Total current liabilities | | 843,627 | – | 843,627 |
| Total liabilities | | 843,627 | – | 843,627 |
| Net assets | | 8,848,999 | – | 8,848,999 |
| Equity | | | | |
| Contributed equity | | 9,080,010 | – | 9,080,010 |
| Accumulated losses | | (231,011) | (13,117) | (244,128) |
| Share based payments reserve | (a) | – | 13,117 | 13,117 |
| Total equity | | 8,848,999 | – | 8,848,999 |

Note 27 Explanation of transition to Australian equivalents to IFRS (continued)

(2) Reconciliation of equity reported under AGAAP to equity under AIFRS (continued)

(b) At the date of transition to AIFRS: 1 July 2004

| | Note | 1 July 2004 previous AGAAP \$ | 1 July 2004 effect of transition to AIFRS \$ | 1 July 2004 AIFRS \$ |
|--|------|--|--|----------------------------|
| Current assets | | | | |
| Cash | | 107,470 | – | 107,470 |
| Receivables | | 220,378 | – | 220,378 |
| Loan to related party | | 646,548 | – | 646,548 |
| Prepayments and other assets | | 22,315 | – | 22,315 |
| Total current assets | | 996,711 | – | 996,711 |
| Non-current assets | | | | |
| Receivables | | 5,958 | – | 5,958 |
| Plant and equipment | | 16,545 | – | 16,545 |
| Investment in related party | | 9,080,010 | – | 9,080,010 |
| Deferred tax asset | | 58,568 | – | 58,568 |
| Total non-current assets | | 9,161,081 | – | 9,161,081 |
| Total assets | | 10,157,792 | – | 10,157,792 |
| Current liabilities | | | | |
| Payables | | 468,154 | – | 468,154 |
| Provisions | | 34,931 | – | 34,931 |
| Other | | 712,672 | – | 712,672 |
| Total current liabilities | | 1,215,757 | – | 1,215,757 |
| Total liabilities | | 1,215,757 | – | 1,215,757 |
| Net assets | | 8,942,035 | – | 8,942,035 |
| Equity | | | | |
| Contributed equity | | 9,080,010 | – | 9,080,010 |
| Share based payments reserve | (a) | – | 5,124 | 5,124 |
| Accumulated losses | | (137,975) | (5,124) | (143,099) |
| Total equity | | 8,942,035 | – | 8,942,035 |
| Net assets per stapled security | | \$0.10 | – | \$0.10 |

(3) Reconciliation of cash flow statement for the year ended 30 June 2005

The adoption of AIFRS has not resulted in any material adjustments to the cash flow statement.

(4) Note to the reconciliations

(a) Equity based compensation benefits

Under previous AGAAP, the Company recognised no expense for options granted over unissued stapled securities to the managing director for nil monetary consideration. Under AASB 2 Share-based Payment, the Company is required to recognise an expense for those options issued to employees after 7 November 2002 that vest after 1 January 2005. The options are measured at their grant date based on their fair value and the aggregate amount is allocated evenly over the vesting period.

The fair value of the options issued to Andrew Wilkinson on 10 November 2003 was \$24,000 at grant date. The vesting period is three years ending 10 November 2006.

As a result, expenses for the half year ended 31 December 2005 of \$4,029 and for the full year ended 30 June 2005 of \$7,993 have been recognised in the income statement.

At the date of transition on 1 July 2004 the effect of AASB 2 Share-based Payment on the balance sheet was to reduce the retained profits by \$5,124 and increase the opening share based payments reserve by \$5,124.

In the directors' opinion:

- (a) the financial statements and notes set out on pages 83 to 99 are in accordance with the Corporations Act 2001, including:
 - (i) complying with Accounting Standards, the Corporations Regulations 2001 and other mandatory professional reporting requirements; and
 - (ii) giving a true and fair view of the Company's financial position as at 30 June 2006 and of its performance as represented by the results of its operations, changes in equity and its cash flows, for the financial year ended on that date; and
- (b) there are reasonable grounds to believe that the Company will be able to pay its debts as and when they become due and payable.
- (c) The actual remuneration disclosures set out on pages 77 to 80 of the directors' report comply with Accounting Standards AASB 124 Related Party Disclosures and the Corporations Regulations 2001.

This declaration is made in accordance with a resolution of the directors.



P Warne

Director

Sydney

Dated this 29th day of August 2006

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Independent audit report to the stapled security holders of Australian Leisure and Entertainment Property Management Limited

Matters relating to the electronic presentation of the audited financial report

This audit report relates to the financial report and remuneration disclosures of Australian Leisure and Entertainment Property Management Limited (the Company) for the financial year ended 30 June 2006 included on ALE Property Group's web site. The Company's directors are responsible for the integrity of the ALE Property Group's web site. We have not been engaged to report on the integrity of this web site. The audit report refers only to the financial report and remuneration disclosures identified below. It does not provide an opinion on any other information which may have been hyperlinked to/from the financial report or the remuneration disclosures. If users of this report are concerned with the inherent risks arising from electronic data communications they are advised to refer to the hard copy of the audited financial report and remuneration disclosures to confirm the information included in the audited financial report and remuneration disclosures presented on this web site.

Audit opinion

In our opinion:

1. the financial report of Australian Leisure and Entertainment Property Management Limited:
 - gives a true and fair view, as required by the Corporations Act 2001 in Australia, of the financial position of Australian Leisure and Entertainment Property Management Limited as at 30 June 2006, and of their performance for the year ended on that date, and
 - is presented in accordance with the Corporations Act 2001, Accounting Standards and other mandatory financial reporting requirements in Australia, and the Corporations Regulations 2001; and
2. the remuneration report contained in pages 77 to 80 of the directors' report comply with Accounting Standard AASB 124 Related Party Disclosures (AASB 124) and the Corporations Regulations 2001..

This opinion must be read in conjunction with the rest of our audit report.

Scope

The financial report, remunerations disclosures and directors' responsibility

The financial report comprises the balance sheets, income statements, cash flow statements, statements of changes in equity, accompanying notes to the financial statements, and the directors' declaration for Australian Leisure and Entertainment Property Management Limited (the company), for the year ended 30 June 2006.

The company has disclosed information about the remuneration of directors and executives (remuneration disclosures) as required by AASB 124, under the heading "remuneration report" on pages 77 to 80 of the directors' report, as permitted by the Corporations Regulations 2001.

The directors of the Company are responsible for the preparation and true and fair presentation of the financial report in accordance with the Corporations Act 2001. This includes responsibility for the maintenance of adequate accounting records and internal controls that are designed to prevent and detect fraud and error, and for the accounting policies and accounting estimates inherent in the financial report. The directors are also responsible for the remuneration disclosures contained in the directors' report.

Audit approach

We conducted an independent audit in order to express an opinion to the members of the Company. Our audit was conducted in accordance with Australian Auditing Standards, in order to provide reasonable assurance as to whether the financial report is free of material misstatement and the remuneration disclosures comply with AASB 124 and the Corporations Regulations 2001. The nature of an audit is influenced by factors such as the use of professional judgement, selective testing, the inherent limitations of internal control, and the availability of persuasive rather than conclusive evidence. Therefore, an audit cannot guarantee that all material misstatements have been detected. For further explanation of an audit, visit our website <http://www.pwc.com/au/financialstatementaudit>.

We performed procedures to assess whether in all material respects the financial report presents fairly, in accordance with the Corporations Act 2001, Accounting Standards and other mandatory financial reporting requirements in Australia, a view which is consistent with our understanding of the company's and the consolidated entity's financial position, and of their performance as represented by the results of their operations, changes in equity and cash flows.

Independent audit report to the stapled security holders of Australian Leisure and Entertainment Property Management Limited (continued)

We also performed procedures to assess whether the remuneration disclosures comply with AASB 124 and the Corporations Regulations 2001.

We formed our audit opinion on the basis of these procedures, which included:

- examining, on a test basis, information to provide evidence supporting the amounts and disclosures in the financial report and remuneration disclosures, and
- assessing the appropriateness of the accounting policies and disclosures used and the reasonableness of significant accounting estimates made by the directors.

Our procedures include reading the other information in the Annual Report to determine whether it contains any material inconsistencies with the financial report.

While we considered the effectiveness of management's internal controls over financial reporting when determining the nature and extent of our procedures, our audit was not designed to provide assurance on internal controls.

Our audit did not involve an analysis of the prudence of business decisions made by directors or management.

Independence

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

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Partner

Sydney
29 August 2006

28 August, 2006

The Directors
Australian Leisure and Entertainment Property
Management Limited
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**Subject: Management Statement Letter to Directors on
ALE Property Group's Financial Reports
for the year ended 30 June 2006.**

Dear Directors,

We confirm to the best of our knowledge and belief that the Financial Reports for the year ended 30 June 2006 of:

- ALE Property Group, being Australian Leisure and Entertainment Property Trust and its controlled entities;
- Australian Leisure and Entertainment Property Management Limited; and
- ALE Finance Company Pty Limited

present a true and fair view, in all material respects, of the financial condition and operational results of their respective entities and are in accordance with relevant accounting standards and requirements of the Corporations Act 2001.

The above statement is founded on a system of risk management and internal compliance and control which implements the policies adopted by the Board.

We confirm that all risk management and internal compliance and control systems are operating efficiently and effectively in all material respects.

Yours sincerely



Andrew Wilkinson
Managing Director



Darren Barkas
Group Financial Controller



Brendan Howell
Company Secretary

STAPLED SECURITY HOLDER INFORMATION

The equity holder information set out below was applicable as at 31 August 2006.

A. Distribution of equity securities

Analysis of numbers of equity security holders by size of holding:

| Number of securities | CLASS OF EQUITY SECURITY | | |
|----------------------|------------------------------------|--------------------------|---|
| | Number of stapled security holders | Number of option holders | Number of No Income Voting Unit (NIVUS) holders |
| 1 – 1,000 | 91 | – | – |
| 1,001 – 5,000 | 754 | – | – |
| 5,001 – 10,000 | 554 | – | – |
| 10,001 – 100,000 | 1,080 | – | – |
| 100,001 and over | 11 | 1 | 1 |
| Total | 2,490 | 1 | 1 |

The stapled securities are listed on the ASX and each stapled security is comprised of one share in Australian Leisure and Entertainment Property Management Limited ("Company") and one unit in Australian Leisure and Entertainment Property Trust ("Trust"). The options are stapled security options. The NIVUS have been issued by the Trust to the Company.

300,000 options have been issued, all under an employee incentive plan. The options and the NIVUS are unquoted equity securities, i.e. not listed on the ASX.

There were four holders of less than a marketable parcel of stapled securities.

B. Equity security holders

The names of the 20 largest holders of stapled securities are listed below:

| Rank | Name | Number of stapled securities | % of issued capital |
|--------------|--|------------------------------|---------------------|
| 1 | National Nominees Limited | 11,132,237 | 12.26 |
| 2 | ANZ Nominees Limited | 6,392,378 | 7.04 |
| 3 | J P Morgan Nominees Australia Limited | 6,092,194 | 6.71 |
| 4 | Westpac Custodian Nominees Limited | 4,706,485 | 5.18 |
| 5 | Fortis Clearing Nominees P/L | 4,210,050 | 4.64 |
| 6 | Mr Kenneth Charles Ferris and Mrs Dorothy Mayferris | 2,217,867 | 2.44 |
| 7 | Lady Jean Falconer Griffin | 1,859,120 | 2.05 |
| 8 | T W Hedley Pty Ltd | 1,652,928 | 1.82 |
| 9 | Citicorp Nominees Pty Limited | 1,580,074 | 1.74 |
| 10 | T W Hedley Pty Ltd | 1,561,606 | 1.72 |
| 11 | RBC Dexia Investor Services Australia Nominees Pty Limited | 1,085,586 | 1.20 |
| 12 | RBC Dexia Investor Services Australia Nominees Pty Limited | 810,000 | 0.89 |
| 13 | T W Hedley Pty Ltd | 763,297 | 0.84 |
| 14 | ARGO Investments Limited | 610,000 | 0.67 |
| 15 | UBS Wealth Management Australia Nominees Pty Ltd | 556,500 | 0.61 |
| 16 | Caergwrl Investments Pty Ltd | 500,000 | 0.55 |
| 17 | Mrs Shemara Wikramanayake | 460,500 | 0.51 |
| 18 | Bond Street Custodians Limited | 385,000 | 0.42 |
| 19 | Pineross Pty Ltd | 325,000 | 0.36 |
| 20 | Mr Kenneth Charles Ferris and Mrs Dorothy May Ferris | 273,491 | 0.30 |
| Total | | 47,174,313 | 51.95 |

C. Substantial holders

Substantial holders of ALE (as per notices received as at 31 August 2006) are set out below:

| | Number held | Percentage of voting rights |
|--|-------------|-----------------------------|
| Stapled security holder | | |
| UBS Nominees Pty Limited | 9,595,726 | 10.57% |
| Deutsche Bank Group | 9,482,014 | 10.44% |
| Australia and New Zealand Banking Group Limited | 7,165,395 | 7.89% |
| ING Australia Holdings Limited and related companies | 7,269,917 | 8.01% |

ANZ and each of the ANZ subsidiaries is taken under s 608(3)(a) of the Corporations Act 2001 to have the same relevant interest in ALE Property Group as ING Australia Limited (INGA), by reason of ANZ having voting power above 20% in INGA.

D. Voting rights

The voting rights attaching to each class of equity securities are set out below:

(a) Stapled securities

On a show of hands every stapled security holder present at a meeting in person or by proxy shall have one vote and upon a poll each stapled security will have one vote.

(b) NIVUS

Each NIVUS entitles the the Company to one vote at a meeting of the Trust. 9,080,000 NIVUS have been issued by the Trust to the Company and 90,800,100 units have been issued by the Trust to stapled security holders. The NIVUS therefore represent 9.09% of the voting rights of the Trust.

(c) Options

No voting rights.

Stock Exchange Listing

The ALE Property Group (ALE) is listed on the Australian Stock Exchange (ASX). Its stapled securities are listed under ASX code: LEP and its ALE Notes are listed under ASX code: LEPHB.

Distribution Reinvestment Plan

ALE has not established a distribution reinvestment plan.

Electronic Payment of Distributions

Security holders may nominate a bank, building society or credit union account for payment of distributions by direct credit. Payments are electronically credited on the payment dates and confirmed by mailed payment advice.

Security holders wishing to take advantage of payment by direct credit should contact the registry for more details and to obtain an application form.

Publications

The Annual Report is the main source of information for stapled security holders. In addition, a half-year report for the six months to December is released to the ASX and posted on the ALE website in February each year. The half-year report is also mailed on request.

Periodically ALE may also send releases to the ASX covering matters of relevance to investors. These releases are also posted to the ALE website.

Website

The ALE website, www.alegroup.com.au, is a useful source of information for security holders. It includes details of ALE's property portfolio, current activities and future prospects.

Annual Tax Statement

Accompanying the final stapled security distribution payment, normally in August each year, will be an annual tax statement which details the tax deferred components of the year's distribution.

Distributions

Stapled security distributions are paid twice yearly, normally in February and August.

Annual General Meeting

The annual general meeting of the Company and a meeting of the Trust will be held at the Press Room, Lower Ground level, Radisson Hotel, Sydney at 10 am on 9 November 2006.

A copy of the notice of meeting will be mailed to stapled security holders and made available to download from ALE's website in late September 2006.

Security Holder Enquiries

Please contact the registry if you have any questions about your holding or payments.

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