

CORPORATE GOVERNANCE STATEMENT

INTRODUCTION

The Board and management of Bod Australia Limited (Bod or Company) recognises that the Company's employees, shareholders, regulators, and other stakeholders expect Bod to conduct its operations ethically and with integrity. Bod is committed to maintaining a high standard of corporate governance which reflects Bod's values and the expectations of its stakeholders.

The Board has adopted a suite of charters and key corporate governance documents which articulate the corporate governance policies and procedures adopted by Bod.

These documents are available in the Corporate Governance section of the Company's website:

<https://bodscience.com/investors/corporate/>

This Corporate Governance Statement (Statement), which is current as at 15 September 2022 and has been approved by the Company's Board, explains how Bod complies with the ASX Corporate Governance Council's Corporate Governance Principles and Recommendations – 4th Edition' published in February 2019 (ASX Principles and Recommendations), in relation to the year ended 30 June 2022.

In addition to the ASX Principles and Recommendations, the Board has considered the following characteristics of Bod in determining its corporate governance policies and procedures including:

- The stage of development of the Company.
- Cost versus benefit of additional corporate governance requirements or processes.
- Size of the Board.
- Board's experience in the pharmaceuticals sector.
- Organisational reporting structure, number of reporting functions, operational divisions, and employees.
- Relatively simple financial affairs with limited complexity and quantum.
- Relatively small market capitalisation and economic value of the entity; and
- Direct shareholder feedback.

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ABN 89 601 225 441

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ASX Recommendation	Compliant?	Comment
1.1 Principle 1 – Lay Solid Foundations for management and oversight		
<p>ASX Recommendation 1.1</p> <p>A listed company should disclose:</p> <p>(a) the respective role and responsibilities of its Board and management; and</p> <p>(b) those matters expressly reserved to the Board and those delegated to management.</p>	Yes	<p>The Board is responsible for the corporate governance of the Company. The Board develops strategies for the Company, reviews strategic objectives and monitors performance against those objectives.</p> <p>In general, the Board assumes (amongst others) the following responsibilities:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Setting objectives, goals, and strategic direction with a view to maximising investor value. 2. Oversight of control and accounting systems. 3. Monitoring investment policies. 4. Approving and monitoring progress of major capital expenditure, capital management, acquisitions, and divestments. 5. Approving annual operating and capital expenditure budgets for Bod Australia. 6. Approving financial statements and reports for publication. 7. Monitoring financial performance. 8. Reviewing, ratifying, and monitoring systems of risk management, internal compliance and control, codes of conduct, and external compliance. 9. Monitoring financial and other reporting. 10. Monitoring the implementation of business standards and codes of ethical behaviour. 11. Monitoring and approving financial benefits to related parties. 12. Determining the independence of non-executive Directors. 13. Determining the process of evaluation of the performance of the Board, its committees, and Directors. 14. Monitoring and evaluating the desirable competencies of the Directors, including the range and experience of the Directors. 15. Considering Board and Executive Management succession planning issues. 16. Appointing, reviewing, and monitoring the independence of the external auditors. <p>The Chairman’s responsibilities include leadership of the Board and the efficient organisation and conduct of the functioning of the Board.</p> <p>There is a clear division of responsibilities between the Chairman and the CEO. The Board has delegated to the CEO the authority to manage the day-to-day affairs of the Company. The Board ensures that the CEO is appropriately qualified and experienced to discharge her responsibilities.</p>

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<p>ASX Recommendation 1.2</p> <p>A listed company should:</p> <p>(A) undertake appropriate checks before appointing a person, or putting forward to security holders a candidate for election as a director; and</p> <p>(b) provide security holders with all material information in its possession relevant to a decision on whether to elect or re-elect a director.</p>	Yes	<p>Bod carefully considers the character, experience, education, and skillset of potential candidates for appointment to the Board and conducts appropriate background checks to verify the suitability of the candidate, prior to their election. Based on the Company's level of knowledge of the potential candidate, these may include checks as to the person's character, experience, education, and bankruptcy history, but may not include criminal record checks for potential candidates that are well known to the Board. The Company has appropriate procedures in place to ensure that material information relevant to a decision to elect or re-elect a director, is disclosed in the relevant notice of meeting provided to shareholders. Director profiles are also included on the Company's website and in the Directors', Report included in the Company's Annual Report.</p>
<p>ASX Recommendation 1.3</p> <p>A listed company should have a written agreement with each director and senior executive setting out the terms of their appointment.</p>	Yes	<p>In addition to being set out in the Board Charter, the roles and responsibilities of Directors are formalised in a letter of appointment which each Director receives and commits to on their appointment. The letters of appointment specify the term of appointment, time commitment envisaged, expectations in relations to committee work or any other special duties attaching to the position, reporting lines, remuneration arrangements, disclosure obligations in relation to personal interests, confidentiality obligations, insurance and indemnity entitlements and details of the Company's key governance policies.</p> <p>Each Key Management Personnel ("KMP") enters a service contract which sets out the material terms of employment, position description, reporting lines, remuneration arrangements and termination rights and entitlements. A summary of the employment contract for each KMP is provided in the Remuneration Report included in the Company's Annual Report.</p>
<p>ASX Recommendation 1.4</p> <p>The Company Secretary of a listed company should be accountable directly to the Board, through the Chair, on all matters to do with the proper functioning of the Board.</p>	Yes	<p>The Company Secretary is accountable directly to the board, through the Chair, on all matters to do with the proper functioning of the board.</p>
<p>ASX Recommendation 1.5</p> <p>A listed company should:</p> <p>(a) have a diversity policy which includes requirements for the Board or a relevant committee of the Board to</p>	No	<p>The Board values diversity and recognises the benefits it can bring to the organisation's ability to achieve its goals. Accordingly, the Company is in the process of developing a diversity policy. This policy will outline the Company's diversity objectives in relation to gender, age, cultural background, and ethnicity. It will include requirements for the Board to establish measurable objectives for achieving diversity, and for the Board to assess annually both the objectives, and the Company's progress in achieving them.</p>

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<p>set measurable objectives for achieving gender diversity and to assess annually both the objectives and the company's progress in achieving them.</p> <p>(b) disclose that policy or a summary of it; and</p> <p>(c) disclose as at the end of each reporting period the measurable objectives for achieving gender diversity set by the Board or a relevant committee of the Board in accordance with the company's diversity policy and its progress towards achieving them, and either:</p> <p>(1) the respective proportions of men and women on the Board, in senior executive positions and across the whole organisation (including how the company has defined "senior executive" for these purposes); or</p> <p>(2) if the company is a "relevant employer" under the Workplace Gender Equality Act, the company's most recent "Gender Equality Indicators", as defined in and published under that Act.</p>	<p></p>	<p>The Company is not a "relevant employer" under the Workplace Gender Equality Act.</p> <table style="width: 100%; border-collapse: collapse;"> <thead> <tr> <th style="width: 60%;"></th> <th style="text-align: center;">Number of Total</th> <th style="text-align: center;">Women as a proportion of the total</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>Board of Directors</td> <td style="text-align: center;">1</td> <td style="text-align: center;">5 20%</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Senior Management (excluding Non-Executive Directors)</td> <td style="text-align: center;">2</td> <td style="text-align: center;">4 50%</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Whole Organisation (excluding Non-Executive Directors)</td> <td style="text-align: center;">9</td> <td style="text-align: center;">15 60%</td> </tr> </tbody> </table> <p>For the purposes of the above analysis, Senior Management includes the Chief Executive Officer and the direct reports to the Chief Executive Officer.</p>		Number of Total	Women as a proportion of the total	Board of Directors	1	5 20%	Senior Management (excluding Non-Executive Directors)	2	4 50%	Whole Organisation (excluding Non-Executive Directors)	9	15 60%
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<p>ASX Recommendation 1.6</p> <p>A listed company should:</p> <p>(a) have and disclose a process for periodically evaluating the performance of the Board, its committees, and individual directors; and</p> <p>(b) disclose, in relation to each reporting period, whether a performance evaluation was undertaken in the reporting period in accordance with that process.</p>	<p>No</p>	<p>The Board has not conducted a formal performance evaluation for Directors other than the Managing Director</p> <p>Given the stage of the Company's development, the Board believes that a formal performance evaluation is not required at this point in time as no efficiencies or other benefits would be gained from a formal performance evaluation.</p> <p>The Chairman is responsible for evaluating the Board and informal discussions are undertaken during the year. As the Company grows and develops, it will continue to consider the efficiencies and merits of a more formal performance evaluation of the Board, its committees, and individual Directors.</p>												

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<p>ASX Recommendation 1.7</p> <p>A listed company should:</p> <p>(a) have and disclose a process for periodically evaluating the performance of its senior executives; and</p> <p>(b) disclose, in relation to each reporting period, whether a performance evaluation was undertaken in the reporting period in accordance with that process.</p>	Yes	<p>Given the size and the nature of the Company's operations, the performance of each executive is monitored on an ongoing basis by the non-executive Directors. The Non-Executive Chairman conducted a formal performance evaluation of the Chief Executive Officer and the Chief Technology Officer, the results of which were reported to the Remuneration and Nominations Committee and the Board of Directors.</p> <p>The Chief Executive Officer conducted a formal performance evaluation of all senior executives other than the Chief Technology Officer.</p> <p>Details regarding the remuneration of all Key Management Personnel are disclosed in Remuneration Report which is included in the Annual Report for the year ended 30 June 2022.</p>

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Principle 2: Structure the Board to add value		
<p>ASX Recommendation 2.1</p> <p>The Board of a listed company should have a nomination committee which</p> <p>(1) has at least three members, a majority of whom are independent directors: and</p> <p>(2) is Chaired by an independent director, and disclose</p> <p>(3) the charter of the committee;</p> <p>(4) the members of the committee; and</p> <p>(5) as at the end of each reporting period, the number of times the committee met throughout the period and the individual attendances of the members at those meetings; or</p> <p>(b) if it does not have a nomination committee, disclose that fact and the processes it employs to address Board succession issues and to ensure that the Board has the appropriate balance of skills, knowledge, experience, independence, and diversity to enable it to discharge its duties and responsibilities effectively.</p>	Yes	<p>The Board has established a Remuneration and Nominations Committee which has three members, the majority of whom are independent. The Remuneration and Nominations Committee is Chaired by an independent director and comprised the following members as at 30 June 2022</p> <p>a) Mr George Livery, Non-Executive Director, Chair of the Committee b) Mr David Baker, Non-Executive Chairman c) Mr Hanno Cappon, Non-Executive Director</p> <p>The Remuneration and Nominations Committee met three times during the year ended 30 June 2022 with all members of the Committee at that time in attendance.</p> <p>The Charter of the Remuneration and Nominations Committee provides that the principal role of the Committee is to assist and advise the Board on matters relating to:</p> <p>a) The overall remuneration strategies and policies of the Company. b) The remuneration of the Chief Executive Officer (CEO), the CEO's senior executive direct reports and Non-Executive Directors. c) Matters relating to the composition, structure, succession planning and performance of the Board. d) Matter relating to senior executive selection and performance; and e) Other matters as required.</p> <p>The Remuneration and Nomination Committee Charter is available in the Corporate Governance section of the Company's website https://bodscience.com/investors/corporate/</p>
<p>ASX Recommendation 2.2</p> <p>A listed company should have and disclose a Board skills matrix setting out the mix of skills and diversity that the Board currently has or is looking to achieve in its membership.</p>	Yes	<p>In line with recommendation 2.2, the Board has developed a Board skills matrix, to simplify the process for identifying any 'gaps' in the Board's skills, expertise and experience. The Board monitors the skills, expertise and experience that are relevant to the Company and assess those requirements against the collective attributes of the Directors. The Board skills matrix will be reviewed by the Directors on annual basis.</p> <p>A summary of the breadth and depth of the Board's experience and skills appears below.</p>

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<p>ASX Recommendation 2.4</p> <p>A majority of the Board of a listed company should be independent directors.</p>	No	<p>Recommendation 2.4 that suggests a majority of the Board should be independent, the Company currently has two independent Directors and three non-independent Directors and as such the majority of Directors are non-independent. The Board believes that its current composition is appropriate to deliver on the Company's stated objectives. The size and scope of the Company's activities does not justify the cost of appointing further independent Directors at this stage of its development.</p>
<p>ASX Recommendation 2.5</p> <p>The Chair of the Board of a listed company should be an independent director and, in particular, should not be the same person as the CEO of the company.</p>	Yes	<p>The Chair of the Board, Mr David Baker is an independent director. The CEO of the Company is Joanne Patterson.</p>
<p>ASX Recommendation 2.6</p> <p>A listed company should have a program for inducting new directors and provide appropriate professional development opportunities for directors to develop and maintain the skills and knowledge needed to perform their role as directors effectively.</p>	Yes	<p>When a new director joins the Board, they are provided with information about the Company including the Constitution, Board and Committee Charter's, policies, and director duties information.</p> <p>Professional development opportunities are made available to all directors on an as needs basis.</p>

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Principle 3: Act ethically and responsibly		
<p>ASX Recommendation 3.1</p> <p>A listed company should articulate and disclose its values.</p>		<p>The Company's values are embodied within the Code of Ethics and Conduct for Directors and Corporate Code of Conduct which are available on the Company's website.</p>
<p>ASX Recommendation 3.1</p> <p>A listed company should:</p> <p>(a) have a code of conduct for its directors, senior executives, and employees; and</p> <p>(b) disclose that code or a summary of it.</p>	Yes	<p>The Board recognises the need to observe the highest standards of corporate practice and business conduct. Accordingly, the Board has adopted a formal Code of Conduct ("Code") to be followed by all employees (including temporary employees and contractors) and officers.</p> <p>The key aspects of this Code are to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Act with honesty, integrity, and fairness in the best interests of the Company. • Act in accordance with all applicable laws, regulations, policies and procedures. • Have responsibility and accountability for individuals for report and investigating reports of unethical practices. • Other matters including but not limited to ethical conduct, business conduct, confidentiality, privacy, security of information, and conflicts of interest.
<p>ASX Recommendation 3.3:</p> <p>A listed entity should:</p> <p>(a) have and disclose a whistleblower policy; and</p> <p>(b) ensure that the board or a committee is informed of any material incidents reported under that policy.</p>	Yes	<p>The Company has adopted a Whistleblower Policy intended to support and protect persons who speak up about any unlawful, unethical, or irresponsible behaviour within the organisation, a copy of which is available in the Corporate Policy section of the Company's website. The Board are informed of material incidents reported under the Company's Whistleblower Policy.</p>
<p>ASX Recommendation 3.4:</p> <p>A listed entity should:</p> <p>(a) have and disclose an anti-bribery and corruption policy; and</p> <p>(b) ensure that the board or a committee is informed of any material breaches of the policy.</p>	Yes	<p>The Company has adopted an Anti-Bribery and Corruption Policy ("ABCP") which links to the Code of Conduct by which the Company expects its operations and business dealings to be managed. The ABCP prohibits the giving of bribes or other improper payments and specifies the controls around the giving of donations and the acceptance of gifts or hospitality by officers of the Company. The ABCP requires the Board to be informed of any material breaches of the ABCP. The ABCP is available in the Corporate Policy section of the Company's website.</p>

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Principle 4: Safeguard integrity in corporate reporting		
<p>ASX Recommendation 4.1</p> <p>The Board of a listed company should:</p> <p>(a) have an audit committee which:</p> <p>(1) has at least three members, who are non-executive directors and a majority of whom are independent directors; and</p> <p>(2) is chaired by an independent director, who is not the Chair of the Board,</p> <p>and disclose:</p> <p>(3) the charter of the committee;</p> <p>(4) the relevant qualifications and experience of the members of the committee; and</p> <p>(5) in relation to each reporting period, the number of times the committee met throughout the period and the individual attendances of the members at those meetings; or</p> <p>(b) if it does not have an audit committee, disclose that fact and the processes it employs that independently verify and safeguard the integrity of its corporate reporting, including the processes for the appointment and removal of the external auditor and the rotation of the audit engagement partner.</p>	<p>Yes</p>	<p>The Board has established an Audit, Risk and Compliance Committee comprising the following members:</p> <p>a) Mr David Baker, Non-Executive Director, Chair of the Committee</p> <p>b) Mr George Livery, Non-Executive Director</p> <p>c) Mr Akash Bedi, Non-Executive Director</p> <p>The Audit, Risk and Compliance Committee has three members, the majority of whom are independent and is Chaired by an independent director.</p> <p>The Audit, Risk and Compliance Committee met twice during the year ended 30 June 2022 with all members of the Committee at the time of the meeting in attendance for both meetings.</p> <p>The Charter of the Audit, Risk and Compliance Committee provides that the principal role of the Committee is to assist and advise the Board on matters relating to:</p> <p>a) Financial reporting.</p> <p>b) Risk management.</p> <p>c) Evaluating the effectiveness of the financial control environment; and</p> <p>d) Review of the internal and external audit functions.</p>

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Principle 4: Safeguard integrity in corporate reporting		
<p>ASX Recommendation 4.2</p> <p>The Board of a listed company should, before it approves the company's financial statements for a financial period, receive from its CEO and CFO a declaration that, in their opinion, the financial records of the company have been properly maintained and that the financial statements comply with the appropriate accounting standards and give a true and fair view of the financial position and performance of the company and that the opinion has been formed on the basis of a sound system of risk management and internal control which is operating effectively.</p>	<p>Yes</p>	<p>The CEO and CFO are required to provide a written declaration to the Board in relation to the release of any financial statements by the Company that, in their view:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • the Company's financial reports are founded on a sound system of risk management and internal compliance and control which implements the financial policies adopted by the Board. • the Company's risk management and internal compliance and control system is operating effectively in all material respects. • the Company's financial statements and notes thereto comply with the accounting standards; and • the Company's financial statements and notes thereto give a true and fair view of the consolidated entity's financial position as at the appropriate reporting date and of its performance for the financial year ended on that date.
<p>ASX Recommendation 4.3</p> <p>A listed entity should disclose its process to verify the integrity of any periodic corporate report it releases to the market that is not audited or reviewed by an external auditor.</p>	<p>Yes</p>	<p>The Company has an effective system of internal control and multiple review and approval stages which it applies to public documents that are not reviewed or audited by its external auditor</p>

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Principle 5: Make timely and balanced disclosure		
<p>ASX Recommendation 5.1</p> <p>A listed entity should:</p> <p>(a) have a written policy for complying with its continuous disclosure obligations under the Listing Rules; and</p> <p>(b) disclose that policy or a summary of it.</p>	Yes	<p>The Company has a Disclosure and Communication Policy which is published on the Company's website.</p> <p>The Disclosure and Communication Policy seeks to promote investor confidence and the rights of shareholders by:</p> <p>(a) Complying with the continuous disclosure obligations imposed by law. (b) Ensuring that the Company's announcements are presented in a factual, clear, and balanced way. (c) Ensuring that all shareholders have equal and timely access to material information concerning the Company. (d) Communicating effectively with shareholders and making it easy for them to participate in general meetings.</p>
<p>ASX Recommendation 5.2</p> <p>A listed entity should ensure that its board receives copies of all material market announcements promptly after they have been made.</p>	Yes	<p>The Company ensures that Directors are provided with a copy of all material market releases either prior to, or promptly after, lodgement</p>
<p>ASX Recommendation 5.3</p> <p>A listed entity that gives a new and substantive investor or analyst presentation should release a copy of the presentation materials on the ASX Market Announcements Platform ahead of the presentation.</p>	Yes	<p>The Company ensures that any new substantive investor or analyst presentation is released on the ASX Markets Announcements Platform ahead of being presented, or made available to, investors or analysts.</p>

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Principle 6: Respect the rights of security holders		
<p>ASX Recommendation 6.1</p> <p>A listed company should provide information about itself and its governance to investors via its website.</p>	Yes	<p>The Company discloses information about itself including its: Corporate Governance Statement, Corporate Governance Policies, past announcements, investor updates and other relevant information on the Company website. Shareholders and other interested parties may also subscribe for email alerts using the Company's website.</p>
<p>ASX Recommendation 6.2</p> <p>A listed company should design and implement an investor relations program to facilitate effective two-way communication with investors.</p>	Yes	<p>The Board aims to keep shareholders informed of all major developments affecting the Company's activities and its state of affairs through announcements to the ASX and releases to the media. The Company's commitment to respect the rights of shareholders is set out in the Communications Policy, which is available on the Company's website.</p>
<p>ASX Recommendation 6.3</p> <p>A listed company should disclose the policies and processes it has in place to facilitate and encourage participation at meetings of security holders.</p>	Yes	<p>The Board encourages full participation of shareholders at the annual general meeting. Shareholders who are unable to attend general meetings are encouraged to lodge proxy appointments in advance of the meeting.</p>
<p>ASX Recommendation 6.4</p> <p>A listed entity should ensure that all substantive resolutions at a meeting of security holders are decided by a poll rather than by a show of hands.</p>	Yes	<p>The Company has adopted the process required by ASX Guidance Note 35 which stipulates that all Listing Rule resolutions be decided by poll. The Company has extended the conduct of a poll to all resolutions proposed at shareholder meetings</p>
<p>ASX Recommendation 6.5</p> <p>A listed company should give security holders the option to receive communications from, and send communications to, the company and its security registry electronically.</p>	Yes	<p>Shareholders may elect to receive electronic notifications when the Annual Report is available on the Company's website and may electronically lodge proxy instructions for items of business to be considered at general meetings.</p>

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Principle 7: Recognise and manage risk		
<p>ASX Recommendation 7.1</p> <p>The Board of a listed company should:</p> <p>(a) have a committee or committees to oversee risk, each of which:</p> <p>(1) has at least three members, a majority of whom are independent directors; and</p> <p>(2) is chaired by an independent director, and disclose:</p> <p>(3) the charter of the committee;</p> <p>(4) the members of the committee; and</p> <p>(5) as at the end of each reporting period, the number of times the committee met throughout the period and the individual attendances of the members at those meetings; or</p> <p>(b) if it does not have a risk committee or committees that satisfy (a) above, disclose that fact and the processes it employs for overseeing the company's risk management framework.</p>	<p>Yes</p>	<p>Recommendation 7.1 is that the Board should establish a committee to oversee risk.</p> <p>The Charter of the Audit, Risk and Compliance Committee includes as one of the principal roles of the committee providing assistance and advice to the Board on matters related to risk management. The specific responsibilities of the Audit, Risk and Compliance Committee in relation to risk management include:</p> <p>a) Evaluating whether Management is setting the appropriate 'control culture' by communicating the importance of internal control and management of risk.</p> <p>b) Gaining an understanding of and review the areas of greatest strategic and operational risk to the organisation and how these are managed.</p> <p>c) Ensuring that Management has appropriate processes for identifying, assessing, and responding to risks in a manner that is in accordance with the Company's risk appetite, and that those processes are operating effectively.</p> <p>d) Reviewing, at least annually, the effectiveness of the Company's Risk Management Framework and systems for identifying, monitoring, and managing significant business risks across the Company's businesses.</p> <p>e) Considering whether the Risk Management Framework effectively identifies areas of potential, material risk including economic, environmental, and social sustainability risks.</p> <p>f) Considering post implementation reviews on Board approved projects.</p> <p>The Audit, Risk and Compliance Committee comprised the following members at 30 June 2020:</p> <p>a) Mr David Baker, Non-Executive Director, Chair of the Committee</p> <p>b) Mr George Livery, Non-Executive Director</p> <p>c) Mr Akash Bedi, Non-Executive Director</p> <p>The Audit, Risk and Compliance Committee has three members, the majority of whom are independent. The Chair of the Audit, Risk and Compliance Committee is an independent director.</p> <p>The Audit, Risk and Compliance Committee met twice during the year ended 30 June 2022 with all members in attendance for both meetings.</p>

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ASX	Recommendation	7.2	No
<p>The Board or a committee of the Board should:</p> <p>(a) review the company's risk management framework at least annually to satisfy itself that it continues to be sound; and</p> <p>(b) disclose, in relation to each reporting period, whether such a review has taken place.</p>			<p>The Company recognises the importance of a comprehensive yet commercially workable risk management framework. The Risk Management Policy is currently in the process of being developed by the Board and will be designed to assist the Company in managing the level of risk within acceptable parameters for the Company, rather than eliminating risk as such.</p> <p>The Risk Management Policy will assist the Board to achieve the Company's objectives through thorough and competent strategic decision making and the conduct of efficient, effective, and robust business processes that allow the Company to take opportunities when they arise while meeting required standards on accountability, compliance, and transparency.</p>
ASX Recommendation 7.3			Yes
<p>A listed company should disclose:</p> <p>(a) if it has an internal audit function, how the function is structured and what role it performs; or</p> <p>(b) if it does not have an internal audit function, that fact and the processes it employs for evaluating and continually improving the effectiveness of its risk management and internal control processes.</p>			<p>The Company does not have an internal audit function. The Board considers the policies and procedures currently implemented are sufficient for a Company of its size and complexity.</p>
ASX Recommendation 7.4			Yes
<p>A listed company should disclose whether it has any material exposure to economic, environmental, and social sustainability risks and, if it does, how it manages or intends to manage those risks.</p>			<p>Recommendation 7.4 is that the Board should disclose whether it has any material exposure to economic, environmental, and social sustainability risks and if so, how it manages those risks. The Company does not have any material exposure to environmental or social risks.</p> <p>The Directors' Report included in the Annual Report for the year ended 30 June 2022 includes a summary of the Company's significant business risks and how those risks are managed by the Company.</p>

Principle 8: Remunerate fairly and responsibly		
<p>ASX Recommendation 8.1</p> <p>The Board of a listed company should:</p> <p>(a) have a remuneration committee which:</p> <p style="padding-left: 20px;">(1) has at least three members, a majority of whom are independent directors; and</p> <p style="padding-left: 20px;">(2) is chaired by an independent director,</p> <p>and disclose:</p> <p style="padding-left: 20px;">(3) the charter of the committee;</p> <p style="padding-left: 20px;">(4) the members of the committee; and</p> <p style="padding-left: 20px;">(5) as at the end of each reporting period, the number of times the committee met throughout the period and the individual attendances of the members at those meetings; or</p> <p>(b) if it does not have a remuneration committee, disclose that fact and the processes it employs for setting the level and composition of remuneration for directors and senior executives and ensuring that such remuneration is appropriate and not excessive.</p>	<p>Yes</p>	<p>The Board has established a Remuneration and Nominations Committee which has three members, the majority of whom are independent. The Remuneration and Nominations Committee is Chaired by an independent director and comprised the following members as at 30 June 2020:</p> <p>a) Mr George Livery, Non-Executive Director, Chair of the Committee</p> <p>b) Mr David Baker, Non-Executive Chairman</p> <p>c) Mr Hanno Cappon, Non-Executive Director</p> <p>The Remuneration and Nominations Committee met three times during the year ended 30 June 2022 with all members of the Committee at that time in attendance.</p> <p>The Charter of the Remuneration and Nominations Committee provides that the principal role of the Committee is to assist and advise the Board on matters relating to:</p> <p>a) The overall remuneration strategies and policies of the Company;</p> <p>b) The remuneration of the Chief Executive Officer (CEO), the CEO's senior executive direct reports and Non-Executive Directors including awards under the Company's Short-Term and Long-Term Incentive Plans;</p> <p>c) Matters relating to the composition, structure, succession planning and performance of the Board.</p> <p>d) Matter relating to senior executive selection and performance; and</p> <p>e) Other matters as required.</p>
<p>ASX Recommendation 8.2</p> <p>A listed company should separately disclose its policies and practices regarding the remuneration of non-executive directors and the remuneration of executive directors and other senior executives.</p>	<p>Yes</p>	<p>The Board reviews and approves the Company's remuneration policy to ensure that the Company can attract and retain executives and Directors who will create value for Shareholders, having regard to the amount considered to be commensurate for an entity of the Company's size and level of activity as well as the relevant Directors' time, commitment, and responsibility.</p> <p>The Board is also responsible for reviewing any employee incentive and equity-based plans including the appropriateness of performance hurdles and total payments proposed.</p> <p>The policies and practices regarding the remuneration of non-executive directors and the remuneration of executive directors and other senior executives is disclosed in the Remuneration Report included in the Company's Annual Report.</p>

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Principle 8: Remunerate fairly and responsibly

ASX Recommendation 8.3

A listed company which has an equity based remuneration scheme should:

- (a) have a policy on whether participants are permitted to enter transactions (whether using derivatives or otherwise) which limit the economic risk, of participating in the scheme; and
- (b) disclose that policy or a summary of it.

Yes

The Board is also responsible for reviewing any employee incentive and equity-based plans including the appropriateness of performance hurdles and total payments proposed.

A summary of the Company's remuneration framework is provided in the Remuneration Report included in the annual financial statements for the year ended 30 June 2022.

The rules of the Company's Employee Incentive Scheme prohibit participants from entering transactions which limit the economic risk, of participating in the scheme.