

Wednesday, 5 September 2007

MARKET ANNOUNCEMENT

Shareholder Letter and Forms

We enclose a copy of a mail out to shareholders advising of the following matters:

- The declaration of a fully franked final dividend of 2 cents per share;
- Enclosing a <u>Dividend Donation Election Form</u> to receive instructions on whether shareholders would like join the Company's Dividend Donation Programme by withhold their dividends for donation to the Children's Hospital Foundations Australia (refer www.childrenshfa.com.au);
- Enclosing a <u>Tax File Number Form</u>; as the above final dividend is <u>fully franked</u>, withholding tax will not be deducted from dividend payments and remitted to the ATO even if the Company does not have shareholders' TFN on file;
- Enclosing a <u>Bank Account Transfer Form</u> to receive instructions for the payment of dividends via direct bank transfer;
- Enclosing an <u>Annual Report Election Form</u> to receive instructions on whether shareholders
 would like to receive a hard copy annual report by mail or an electronic version by email –
 as a consequence of recent changes in legislation, the default option for receiving annual
 reports has changed from a printed version to an electronic version available via the
 Company's website;
- An invitation to shareholders to register their email address with <u>info@orionequities.com.au</u> to receive the Company's ASX market announcements by email.

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Dear Shareholders,

DECLARATION OF FINAL DIVIDEND AND OTHER SHAREHOLDER MATTERS

I am pleased to advise that for the year ending 30 June 2007 the Company achieved a net profit¹ of \$16.5 million (pre tax) and \$9.4 million (post tax), being increases of 182% and 43% respectively over the pre tax and post tax results for the previous 2006 year.

The Directors have accordingly declared a final dividend as follows:

Dividend Rate	Record Date	Expected Payment Date	Franking
2 cents per share	17 September 2007	21 September 2007	Fully franked

Together with the interim dividend of 1.5 cents per share (100% franked) paid on 15 March 2007, this constitutes a total fully franked dividend for the year of 3.5 cents per share.

Details of the financial performance of the Company are contained in its unaudited Preliminary Final Report dated 31 August 2007 which is available for viewing and downloading from the Company's website: www.orionequities.com.au.

Tax File Number

If you have not previously provided your Tax File Number (**TFN**), please complete **Section A** of the enclosed **TFN/Bank Account Form**. As the above final dividend is <u>fully franked</u>, withholding tax will not be deducted from your dividend payment and remitted to the ATO even if the Company does not have your TFN on file by the Record Date.

Direct Crediting of Cash Dividend Payments

The Company offers shareholders the ability to receive their cash dividend payments by direct credit to an Australian bank account, rather than by cheque.

If you wish to receive your dividends via bank transfer, please complete **Section B** of the enclosed **TFN/Bank Account Form**. To apply for the above final dividend, your form will need to be received by the Record Date.

Annual Reports – Election Required to Receive a Printed Annual Report

The Australian Government recently introduced legislation allowing the default option for receiving annual reports to be via a Company's website.

You will now receive timely, cost effective and electronic annual reports unless you request a printed copy. You can choose to be notified by email when the annual report and other shareholder communications become available on our website at www.orionequities.com.au. Otherwise information on accessing your electronic annual report will be provided in your AGM mail pack.

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These results are in the process of being audited

Please refer to the enclosed **Annual Report Election Form** for further information.

Dividend Donation Programme

The Company has determined to join in partnership with the "Investing In Hope" Dividend Donation Programme of Children's Hospital Foundations Australia, an Australia wide national alliance of children's charities working together to fundraise in partnership with national corporate and business organisations for sick and injured kids in Australian children's hospitals. Please refer to their website for further information: www.childrenshfa.com.au and details of member hospital foundations in each State.

"Investing in Hope allows shareholders to receive a triple benefit in return for their donation. Shareholders can take advantage of imputation credits and still receive a tax-deductible charity receipt. Importantly, these donations also provide hope for millions of sick and injured children and their families – now and in the future", Noel Whittaker, Ambassador for Children's Hospital Foundations Australia.

It is also of assistance to the Company in processing smaller dividend cheques where the amount of the dividend can be less than the transaction and processing costs incurred by the Company with respect to such dividend.



Royal Children's Hospital Foundation QLD Royal Children's Hospital Foundation VIC Sydney Children's Hospital Foundation NSW Women's and Children's Hospital Foundation SA Princess Margaret Hospital Foundation WA

If you are interested in joining this programme, please complete the **Dividend Donation Election Form** to register your election.

If you wish to withhold your upcoming final dividend for donation to the Children's Hospital Foundation under this programme, please complete and return the **Dividend Donation Election Form** by the Record Date.

Email Register

To keep up to date with the Company's activities and announcements, please visit the Company's website www.orionequities.com.au. If you are not already receiving ASX Company announcements by email and would like to do so, please send your email address to info@orionequities.com.au.

If you require any assistance with regard to any of the forms mentioned in this letter, please contact Advanced Share Registry Services on telephone (08) 9389 8033 or by email to admin@advancedshare.com.au. A Reply Paid envelope is also enclosed for your convenience in returning your completed forms.

Yours Sincerely,

Farooq Khan Chairman

Telephone: (08) 9214 9797 Email: info@orionequities.com.au

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IMPORTANT NOTICE

The default option for receiving your annual report has changed from a printed version to an electronic version available via our website. You have the choice of continuing to receive the annual report in printed form.

PLEASE MAKE YOUR SELECTION ON THE BACK OF THIS LETTER.

Dear Shareholders,

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The Australian Government recently introduced legislation changing the default option for receiving annual reports. Companies are no longer required to mail out printed annual reports to shareholders. Instead, shareholders can now make an election as follows:

- (a) make a written request for a hard copy annual report to be mailed to you; or
- (b) make a written request for an electronic copy of the annual report to be emailed to you.

Please refer to the Annual Report Election Form on the back of this letter to make your annual report selection and return the form to our share registry, Advanced Share Registry Services.

If you take not action, a printed Annual Report will not be sent to you but information on accessing an electronic version of the Annual Report will be provided in your AGM pack.

An electronic version of the Company's Report will be available on the Company's website at www.orionequities.com.au for shareholders to view and or download at their convenience.

If you have any questions regarding this form, please contact Advanced Share Registry Services on (08) 9389 8033 or by email to admin@advancedshare.com.au. A Reply Paid envelope is also enclosed for your convenience in returning the completed form.

Yours Sincerely,

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Company Secretary

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