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CAQ Holdings Limited December 2023 Quarter Activities Report

Operations Review

While COVID restrictions resulted in a change to the Exhibition opening schedule and a minor contraction the property leasing business remained relatively steady in December 2022 Quarter.

Leasing revenue totalled RMB2.85 million during the December 2022 Quarter, slightly down from RMB3.30 in the September 2022 Quarter, representing a decrease of approximately 13%. This reduction was attributable to one-off rental relief provided to a small number of tenants during the Hainan Island COVID lock down period.

The Hainan local government has terminated the lock down recently which has now enabled the decoration works of shops to be continued. The COVID lockdown during the quarter had the effect of further delaying the opening of the Exhibition Centre. It is anticipated that the first and second floors of the Exhibition Centre will open after the Chinese New Year. The leasing receipts for the Exhibition Centre will begin after the opening of the first and second floors.

The decoration/refit works of Factory A were completed during the quarter with installation and testing works of machineries now in progress. It was expected the operation will be started in March 2023. The leasing receipts in respect of Factory A are expected to commence started in February 2023 in accordance with the tenancy agreement.

The existing vacancy (including areas subject to negotiation) rate being:

Warehouse (41,750m ²)	24%	(12% in September 2022)
Factories (17,784m ²)	28%	(28% in September 2022)
Exhibition Centre*	0%	(0% in September 2022)
Administrative Building	46%	(47% in September 2022)

Work is continuing on securing new tenants for all areas with a number of contracts under negotiation.

During the December 2022 Quarter CAQ's receipts from customers was \$621k (RMB2.90 million) which was slightly down on the September 2022 quarter \$651k (RMB3.03 million).

The inventories of Kingmall continue to be sold online. Kingmall is searching new suppliers of goods and negotiation was in progress.

Financial

At the end of the Quarter the Group had cash at bank of \$0.819m.

Payments to director related parties and their associates during the quarter totalled \$36k.

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Authorisation

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Appendix 4C

Quarterly cash flow report for entities subject to Listing Rule 4.7B

Name of entity

CAQ Holdings Limited and its controlled entities

ABN

86 091 687 740

Quarter ended ("current quarter")

31 December 2022

Consolidated statement of cash flows	Current quarter \$A'000	Year to date (12 months) \$A'000
1. Cash flows from operating activities		
1.1 Receipts from customers	621	2,599
1.2 Payments for		
(a) research and development	-	-
(b) product manufacturing and operating costs	-	-
(c) advertising and marketing	-	-
(d) leased assets	-	-
(e) staff costs	(358)	(1,457)
(f) administration and corporate costs	(362)	(1,752)
1.3 Dividends received (see note 3)	-	-
1.4 Interest received	3	10
1.5 Interest and other costs of finance paid	-	-
1.6 Income taxes paid	-	-
1.7 Government grants and tax incentives	41	45
1.8 Other (provide details if material)	(50)	1,116
1.9 Net cash from / (used in) operating activities	(105)	561
2. Cash flows from investing activities		
2.1 Payments to acquire or for:		
(a) entities	-	-
(b) businesses	-	-
(c) property, plant and equipment	(336)	(365)
(d) investments	-	-
(e) intellectual property	-	-
(f) other non-current assets	-	-

Consolidated statement of cash flows		Current quarter \$A'000	Year to date (12 months) \$A'000
2.2	Proceeds from disposal of:		
	(a) entities	-	-
	(b) businesses	-	-
	(c) property, plant and equipment	-	-
	(d) investments	-	695
	(e) intellectual property	-	-
	(f) other non-current assets	-	-
2.3	Cash flows from loans to other entities	-	-
2.4	Dividends received (see note 3)	-	-
2.5	Other (loan to a Joint Venture)	-	-
2.6	Net cash from / (used in) investing activities	(336)	330

3.	Cash flows from financing activities		
3.1	Proceeds from issues of equity securities (excluding convertible debt securities)	-	-
3.2	Proceeds from issue of convertible debt securities	-	-
3.3	Proceeds from exercise of options	-	-
3.4	Transaction costs related to issues of equity securities or convertible debt securities	-	-
3.5	Proceeds from borrowings	-	-
3.6	Repayment of borrowings	(349)	(414)
3.7	Transaction costs related to loans and borrowings	-	-
3.8	Dividends paid	-	-
3.9	Other (bank loan interest)	(44)	(181)
3.10	Net cash from / (used in) financing activities	(393)	(595)

4.	Net increase / (decrease) in cash and cash equivalents for the period		
4.1	Cash and cash equivalents at beginning of period	1,705	541
4.2	Net cash from / (used in) operating activities (item 1.9 above)	(105)	561
4.3	Net cash from / (used in) investing activities (item 2.6 above)	(336)	330

Consolidated statement of cash flows		Current quarter \$A'000	Year to date (12 months) \$A'000
4.4	Net cash from / (used in) financing activities (item 3.10 above)	(393)	(595)
4.5	Effect of movement in exchange rates on cash held	(52)	(18)
4.6	Cash and cash equivalents at end of period	819	819

5.	Reconciliation of cash and cash equivalents at the end of the quarter (as shown in the consolidated statement of cash flows) to the related items in the accounts	Current quarter \$A'000	Previous quarter \$A'000
5.1	Bank balances	804	1,666
5.2	Call deposits	-	-
5.3	Bank overdrafts	-	-
5.4	Other (cash)	15	39
5.5	Cash and cash equivalents at end of quarter (should equal item 4.6 above)	819	1,705

6.	Payments to related parties of the entity and their associates	Current quarter \$A'000
6.1	Aggregate amount of payments to related parties and their associates included in item 1	36
6.2	Aggregate amount of payments to related parties and their associates included in item 2	-
<u>Amounts paid to related parties associated with the Directors in Item 6.1</u>		
Director Fee \$36,000		
Note: if any amounts are shown in items 6.1 or 6.2, your quarterly activity report must include a description of, and an explanation for, such payments		

7. Financing facilities

Note: the term "facility" includes all forms of financing arrangements available to the entity.

Add notes as necessary for an understanding of the sources of finance available to the entity.

	Total facility amount at quarter end \$A'000	Amount drawn at quarter end \$A'000
7.1 Loan facilities	2,639	2,639
7.2 Credit standby arrangements	-	-
7.3 Other (please specify)	-	-
7.4 Total financing facilities	2,639	2,639

7.5 Unused financing facilities available at quarter end

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7.6 Include in the box below a description of each facility above, including the lender, interest rate, maturity date and whether it is secured or unsecured. If any additional financing facilities have been entered into or are proposed to be entered into after quarter end, include a note providing details of those facilities as well.

Lender : Bank of Hainan; Date : 60 months from date of drawing
Facilities : RMB12,404,800 (AUD2,639,000); Drawdown : RMB12,404,800 (AUD2,639,000)
Rate : 6.5% per annum; Secured : Commercial and administrative building

8. Estimated cash available for future operating activities	\$A'000
8.1 Net cash from / (used in) operating activities (item 1.9)	(105)
8.2 Cash and cash equivalents at quarter end (item 4.6)	819
8.3 Unused finance facilities available at quarter end (item 7.5)	0
8.4 Total available funding (item 8.2 + item 8.3)	819
8.5 Estimated quarters of funding available (item 8.4 divided by item 8.1)	7.8
<p><small>Note : if the entity has reported positive net operating cash flows in item 1.9, answer item 8.5 as "N/A". Otherwise a figure for the estimated quarters of funding available must be included in item 8.5.</small></p>	

8.6 If item 8.5 is less than 2 quarters, please provide answers to the following questions:

8.6.1 Does the entity expect that it will continue to have the current level of net operating cash flows for the time being and, if not, why not?

Answer: N/A

8.6.2 Has the entity taken any steps, or does it propose to take any steps, to raise further cash to fund its operations and, if so, what are those steps and how likely does it believe that they will be successful?

Answer: N/A

8.6.3 Does the entity expect to be able to continue its operations and to meet its business objectives and, if so, on what basis?

Answer: N/A

Note : where item 8.5 is less than 2 quarters. All of questions 8.6.1, 8.6.2 and 8.6.3 above must be answered.

Compliance statement

- 1 This statement has been prepared in accordance with accounting standards and policies which comply with Listing Rule 19.11A.
- 2 This statement gives a true and fair view of the matters disclosed.

Date: 30 January 2023.

Authorised by: Mr M Siu on behalf of the Board

Notes

1. This quarterly cash flow report and the accompanying activity report provide a basis for informing the market about the entity's activities for the past quarter, how they have been financed and the effect this has had on its cash position. An entity that wishes to disclose additional information over and above the minimum required under the Listing Rules is encouraged to do so.
2. If this quarterly cash flow report has been prepared in accordance with Australian Accounting Standards, the definitions in, and provisions of, *AASB 107: Statement of Cash Flows* apply to this report. If this quarterly cash flow report has been prepared in accordance with other accounting standards agreed by ASX pursuant to Listing Rule 19.11A, the corresponding equivalent standard applies to this report.
3. Dividends received may be classified either as cash flows from operating activities or cash flows from investing activities, depending on the accounting policy of the entity.
4. If this report has been authorised for release to the market by your board of directors, you can insert here: "By the board". If it has been authorised for release to the market by a committee of your board of directors, you can insert here: "By the [name of board committee – eg Audit and Risk Committee]". If it has been authorised for release to the market by a disclosure committee, you can insert here: "By the Disclosure Committee".
5. If this report has been authorised for release to the market by your board of directors and you wish to hold yourself out as complying with recommendation 4.2 of the ASX Corporate Governance Council's *Corporate Governance Principles and Recommendations*, the board should have received a declaration from its CEO and CFO that, in their opinion, the financial records of the entity have been properly maintained, that this report complies with the appropriate accounting standards and gives a true and fair view of the cash flows of the entity, and that their opinion has been formed on the basis of a sound system of risk management and internal control which is operating effectively.