



DACIAN GOLD LIMITED

ABN 61 154 262 978

Annual Financial Statements for the
Year Ended 30 June 2016

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CORPORATE DIRECTORY**Directors**

Rohan Williams	(Executive Chairman)
Barry Patterson	(Non-Executive Director)
Robert Reynolds	(Non-Executive Director)
Ian Cochrane	(Non-Executive Director) (Appointed 26 February 2016)

Company Secretary

Kevin Hart

Registered Office and Principal Place of Business

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Auditor

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Share Registry

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Stock Exchange Listing

The Company's shares are quoted on the Australian Securities Exchange. The home exchange is Perth, Western Australia.

ASX Code

DCN – Ordinary shares

Company Information

The Company was incorporated and registered under the Corporations Act 2001 in Western Australia on 23 November 2011.

The Company is domiciled in Australia.

Corporate Governance

In recognising the need for the highest standards of corporate behaviour and accountability, the Directors of the Company support and have adhered to the principles of corporate governance. The Company's corporate governance statement may be accessed on the Company's website at www.daciangold.com.au.

**DIRECTORS' REPORT
FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2016**

The Directors present the financial statements of Dacian Gold Limited ("the Company") and its controlled subsidiaries ("the Group") for the year ended 30 June 2016. In order to comply with the provisions of the Corporations Act 2001, the Directors Report is as follows:

Directors

The following persons were Directors of Dacian Gold Limited during or since the end of the year and up to the date of this report, were in office for this entire period unless stated otherwise:

Rohan Williams BSc (Hons), MAusIMM***(Executive Chairman)***

Mr Williams was founding CEO and Managing Director of Avoca Resources Ltd, and led that company from its \$7 million exploration IPO in 2002 until its merger with Anatolia Minerals in 2011 to form Alacer Gold Corp, which valued Avoca at \$1 billion. At the time of the merger, Avoca Resources Ltd was the third largest ASX listed Australian gold producer.

Serving as the merged group's Chief Strategic Officer until the end of 2011, Mr Williams resigned as a Non-Executive Director of Alacer Gold Corp on 10 September 2013.

Prior to his time with Avoca Resources Ltd, Mr Williams worked with WMC Resources Limited where he held Chief Geologist positions at St Ives Gold Mines and the Norseman Gold Operation. He has 25 years of experience, including over 19 years in the world class Kalgoorlie-Norseman gold belt.

Mr Williams also serves on the Board of the Telethon Kids Institute.

On 14 March 2014 Mr Williams became Executive Chairman of the Company. Prior to this date Mr Williams undertook the Chairman's role on a Non-Executive basis.

Other than as stated above Mr Williams has not served as a Director of any other listed companies, in the 3 years immediately before the end of 2016 financial year.

Robert Reynolds MAICD, MAusIMM***(Non-Executive Director)***

Mr Reynolds was the Non-Executive Chairman of Avoca Resources Ltd from 2002 until it merged with Anatolia Minerals to form Alacer Gold Corp in 2011. Mr Reynolds was Non-Executive Chairman of Alacer Gold Corp until 23 August 2011.

With over 35 years commercial experience in the mining sector, Mr Reynolds has worked on mining projects in a number of locations including Australia, Africa and across the Oceania region and has extensive experience in mineral exploration, development and mining operations.

Mr Reynolds was a long term Director of Delta Gold Limited and was a Director of Extorre Gold Mines Limited when it was acquired by Yamana Gold for CAD\$414 million on 22 August 2012. Mr Reynolds currently holds Directorships with Canadian companies Rugby Mining Limited and Exeter Resource Corporation. Mr Reynolds was previously a Director of ASX listed companies Chesser Resources, Convergent Minerals Limited and Global Geoscience Limited.

Other than as stated above Mr Reynolds has not served as a Director of any other listed companies, in the 3 years immediately before the end of 2016 financial year.

**DIRECTORS' REPORT
FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2016****Barry Patterson ASMM, MAusIMM, FAICD*****(Non-Executive Director)***

Mr Patterson is a mining engineer with over 50 years of experience in the mining industry and is a co-founder, and Non-Executive Director, of ASX listed GR Engineering Limited.

Mr Patterson was also a founding shareholder of leading engineering services provider JR Engineering, which became Roche Mining after being taken over by Downer EDI in 2002. He also co-founded contract mining companies Eltin, Australian Mine Management and National Mine Management.

Mr Patterson has served as a Director of a number of public companies across a range of industries. He was formerly the non-executive chairman of Sonic Healthcare Limited for 11 years, during which time the company's market capitalisation increased from \$20 million to \$4 billion, and Silex Systems Limited.

Other than as stated above Mr Patterson has not served as a Director of any other listed companies, in the 3 years immediately before the end of 2016 financial year.

Ian Cochrane BCom LLB (Appointed 26 February 2016)***(Non-Executive Director)***

Mr Cochrane is a corporate lawyer and was widely regarded as one of Australia's leading M&A lawyers until his retirement from the practice of law in December 2013.

Educated in South Africa where he completed degrees in Commerce and Law, he immigrated to Australia in 1986 and joined national law firm Corrs Chambers Westgarth and then Mallesons Stephen Jaques, specialising in Mergers & Acquisitions.

In 2006, Mr Cochrane co-established boutique law firm Cochrane Lishman, which was eventually acquired by the global law firm Clifford Chance in early 2011.

Mr Cochrane is currently the Chairman of VOC Group Limited and a Director and Deputy Chairman of diversified ASX-listed mining services group Ausdrill Limited. He is also a Director of Wright Prospecting Pty Ltd and Ardross Estates Pty Ltd.

He was previously Chairman of Little World Beverages Limited which produced the Little Creatures beers and was taken over by Lion Nathan in 2012. He was also previously a Director of Rugby WA and the West Australian Ballet.

Other than as stated above Mr Cochrane has not served as a Director of any other listed companies, in the 3 years immediately before the end of 2016 financial year.

Company Secretary**Kevin Hart B.Comm, FCA**

Mr Hart is a Chartered Accountant and was appointed to the position of Company Secretary on 27 November 2012. He has over 25 years' experience in accounting and the management and administration of public listed entities in the mining and exploration industry.

He is currently a partner in an advisory firm, Endeavour Corporate, which specialises in the provision of company secretarial and accounting services to ASX listed entities.

**DIRECTORS' REPORT
FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2016**

Interests in the Shares and Options of the Company

The following relevant interests in shares and options of the Company were held by the Directors as at the date of this report:

Director	Number of fully paid ordinary shares	Number of options over ordinary shares
Rohan Williams	5,924,637	5,000,000
Robert Reynolds	2,575,000	300,000
Barry Patterson	5,031,819	300,000
Ian Cochrane	196,464	300,000

The Directors' interests in options over ordinary shares as at the date of this report include the following options that are currently vested and exercisable:

Director	Number of options vested and exercisable
Rohan Williams	3,000,000
Robert Reynolds	300,000
Barry Patterson	300,000
Ian Cochrane	300,000

Further details of the vesting conditions applicable to these options are disclosed in the remuneration report section of this Directors' report.

Securities
Shares

During the period the Company issued 36,256,254 ordinary fully paid shares at 69 cents per share pursuant to a fully underwritten accelerated institutional and retail non-renounceable entitlement offer and share placement raising approximately \$25 million before costs.

During or since the end of the financial year, the Company issued ordinary shares as a result of the exercise of options as follows (there were no amounts unpaid on the shares issued):

Date options granted	Issue price of options (\$)	Number of shares issued
9 October 2012	83 cents each	750,000
28 February 2014	56 cents each	500,000

Options:

At the date of this report unissued ordinary shares of the Company under option are:

Number of Options	Exercise Price	Expiry Date
5,400,000	83 cents each	9 October 2017
500,000	56 cents each	28 February 2019
1,000,000	64 cents each	24 September 2019
2,000,000	45 cents each	17 November 2019
1,500,000	121 cents each	30 September 2020
1,650,000	122 cents each	31 January 2021
300,000	205 cents each	28 February 2021
500,000	372 cents each	30 June 2021

**DIRECTORS' REPORT
FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2016****Dividends**

No dividends have been paid or declared since the start of the financial year and the Directors do not recommend the payment of a dividend in respect of the financial year.

Principal Activities

The principal activity of the Company during the financial year was mineral exploration and development activities at its wholly owned Mt Morgans Gold Project in Western Australia.

There have been no significant changes in the nature of these activities during the financial year.

Significant Changes in the State of Affairs

There were no significant changes in the state of affairs of the Group during the financial year, not otherwise disclosed in this report.

Review of OperationsOperating results and financial position

The net loss after income tax for the financial year was \$21,832,884 (30 June 2015: \$8,048,428). Included in this loss for the financial year is an amount of \$19,141,580 (30 June 2015: \$6,501,354) in respect of exploration and evaluation costs not capitalised, and increases to provisions for rehabilitation liabilities of \$52,076 (2015: \$670,669).

At the end of the financial year the Group had \$9,648,425 (30 June 2015: \$4,624,894) in cash and at call deposits. Capitalised mineral exploration and evaluation expenditure is \$8,131,847 (30 June 2015: \$8,131,847).

Summary of Activities

During the 2016 financial year the Company has maintained its high level of exploration activity, primarily focussed on the Westralia and Jupiter deposits at the Mt Morgans Gold Project. The Company plans to complete the definitive Feasibility Study and pursue project financing by the end of calendar year 2016.

The Group has incurred exploration and feasibility costs of over \$21.8 million during the 2016 financial year, which has included completing in excess of 127,500 metres of drilling, comprising over 49,000 metres of diamond core drilling, over 53,000 of RC drilling and over 25,000 of RAB and air core drilling.

As a result of the extensive infill and extensional drill programs undertaken during the 2016 financial year, the Company announced Mineral Resource upgrades in July 2016. Refer to ASX announcements dated 19th and 28th July 2016 for Jupiter and Westralia respectively.

Since the end of the financial year the Company has commenced regional exploration programs and continues to advance the Mt Morgans Gold Project Feasibility Study targeting first production in the first quarter of calendar year 2018. The Company expects to announce maiden Ore Reserves for Jupiter and Westralia in the near future.

The Group incurred exploration and feasibility costs of \$19,141,580 during the 12 months ended 30 June 2016 (30 June 2015: \$6,501,354).

Further details of the Company's activities including significant drill results returned for the 2016 financial year are included in the Review of Operations in the Annual Report.

The Company confirms that it is not aware of any new information or data that materially affects the information included in the relevant ASX releases and the form and context of the announcements have not been materially modified. In the case of estimates of Mineral Resources, the Company confirms that all material assumptions and technical parameters underpinning the relevant market announcements continue to apply and have not materially changed.

**DIRECTORS' REPORT
FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2016****Events Subsequent to the Reporting Date**

There has not arisen in the interval between the end of the reporting period and the date of this report, any item, transaction or event of a material and unusual nature likely, in the opinion of the Directors of the Company to affect substantially the operations of the Group, the results of those operations or the state of affairs of the Group in subsequent financial years.

Likely Developments and Expected Results

The Group intends to continue to undertake appropriate exploration and evaluation activities sufficient to maintain tenure of its prospective mineral properties, until such time that informed decisions can be made in order to commercially exploit or relinquish such properties.

Environmental Regulation and Performance

The Group holds various exploration licences to regulate its exploration activities in Australia. These licences include conditions and regulations with respect to the rehabilitation of areas disturbed during the course of its exploration activities.

So far as the Directors are aware, all exploration activities have been undertaken in compliance with all relevant environmental regulations.

Officer's Indemnities and Insurance

During the year the Company paid an insurance premium to insure certain officers of the Company. The officers of the Company covered by the insurance policy include the Directors named in this report.

The Directors and Officers Liability insurance provides cover against all costs and expenses that may be incurred in defending civil or criminal proceedings that fall within the scope of the indemnity and that may be brought against the officers in their capacity as officers of the Company. The insurance policy does not contain details of the premium paid in respect of individual officers of the Company. Disclosure of the nature of the liability cover and the amount of the premium is subject to a confidentiality clause under the insurance policy.

The Company has not provided any insurance for an auditor of the Company.

Proceedings on behalf of the Company

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

No proceedings have been brought or intervened in on behalf of the Group with leave of the Court under section 237 of the Corporations Act 2001.

**DIRECTORS' REPORT
FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2016**

Non-audit Services

During the year Grant Thornton the Company's auditor, has not performed any other services in addition to their statutory duties:

	2016	2015
	\$	\$
<i>Total remuneration paid to auditors during the financial year:</i>		
Audit and review of the Company's consolidated financial statements	32,251	32,978
Other services	-	-
Total	32,251	32,978

The Board considers any non-audit services provided during the year by the auditor and satisfies itself that the provision of any non-audit services during the year by the auditor is compatible with, and does not compromise, the auditor independence requirements of the Corporations Act 2001 for the following reasons:

- all non-audit services are reviewed by the Board to ensure they do not impact the impartiality and objectivity of the auditor; and
- the non-audit services provided do not undermine the general principles relating to auditor independence as set out in APES 110 *Code of Ethics for Professional Accountants*, as they do not involve reviewing or auditing the auditor's own work, acting in a management or decision making capacity for the Group, acting as an advocate for the Group or jointly sharing risks and rewards.

**DIRECTORS' REPORT
FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2016****Remuneration Report (Audited)**

Remuneration paid to Directors and Officers of the Group is set by reference to such payments made by other ASX listed companies of a similar size and operating in the mineral exploration industry. In addition, reference is made to the specific skills and experience of the Directors and Officers.

Details of the nature and amount of remuneration of each Director, and other Key Management Personnel if applicable, are disclosed annually in the Company's Annual Report.

Remuneration Committee

The Board has adopted a formal Remuneration Committee Charter which provides a framework for the consideration of remuneration matters.

The Remuneration & Nomination Committee is responsible for reviewing and making recommendations to the Board which has ultimate responsibility for the following remuneration matters:

1. Setting remuneration packages for Executive Directors, Non-Executive Directors and other Key Management Personnel; and
2. Implementing employee incentive and equity based plans and making awards pursuant to those plans.

Non-Executive Remuneration

The Company's policy is to remunerate Non-Executive Directors, at rates comparable to other ASX listed companies in the same industry, for their time, commitment and responsibilities.

Non-Executive Remuneration is not linked to the performance of the Company, however to align Directors' interests with shareholders' interests, remuneration may be provided to Non-Executive Directors in the form of equity based long term incentives.

1. Fees payable to Non-Executive Directors are set within the aggregate amount approved by shareholders at the Company's Annual General Meeting;
2. Non-Executive Directors' fees are payable in the form of cash and superannuation benefits;
3. Non-Executive superannuation benefits are limited to statutory superannuation entitlements; and
4. Participation in equity based remuneration schemes by Non-Executive Directors is subject to consideration and approval by the Company's shareholders.

The maximum Non-Executive Directors fees, payable in aggregate are currently set at \$500,000 per annum.

Executive Director and Other Key Management Personnel Remuneration

Executive remuneration consists of base salary, plus other performance incentives to ensure that:

1. Remuneration packages incorporate a balance between fixed and incentive pay, reflecting short and long term performance objectives appropriate to the Company's circumstances and objectives; and
2. A proportion of remuneration is structured in a manner to link reward to corporate and individual performances.

Executives are offered a competitive level of base salary at market rates (based on comparable ASX listed companies) and are reviewed regularly to ensure market competitiveness.

Use of Remuneration Consultants

To date the Company has not engaged external remuneration consultants to advise the Board on remuneration matters.

**DIRECTORS' REPORT
FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2016****Remuneration Report (Continued)****Incentive Plans**

The Company provides long term incentives to Directors and Employees pursuant to the Dacian Gold Limited Employee Option Plan, which was last approved by shareholders on 16 November 2015.

The Board, acting in remuneration matters:

1. Ensures that incentive plans are designed around appropriate and realistic performance targets and provide rewards when those targets are achieved;
2. Reviews and improves existing incentive plans established for employees; and
3. Approves the administration of the incentive plans, including receiving recommendations for, and the consideration and approval of grants pursuant to such incentive plans.

Engagement of Non-Executive Directors

Non-Executive Directors conduct their duties under the following terms:

1. A Non-Executive Director may resign from his/her position and thus terminate their contract on written notice to the Company; and
2. A Non-Executive Director may, following resolution of the Company's shareholders, be removed before the expiration of their period of office (if applicable). Payment is made in lieu of any notice period if termination is initiated by the Company, except where termination is initiated for serious misconduct.

In consideration of the services provided by Mr Robert Reynolds, Mr Barry Patterson and Mr Ian Cochrane as Non-Executive Directors, the Company will pay them \$60,000 plus statutory superannuation per annum.

Messrs Reynolds, Patterson and Cochrane are also entitled to fees for other amounts as the Board determines where they perform special duties or otherwise perform extra services or make special exertions on behalf of the Company.

During the financial year ended 30 June 2016, the Company incurred no costs in respect of additional services provided by Directors.

Engagement of Executive Directors

The terms of Mr Rohan Williams Executive Services Agreement governing his role as Executive Chairman are summarised below.

In respect of his engagement as Executive Chairman, Mr Williams will receive a base salary of \$438,000 per annum inclusive of statutory superannuation (Total Fixed Remuneration, TFR). Any increase in salary is subject to the discretion of the Board.

The Company or Mr Williams may terminate the contract at any time by the giving of six months' notice. In addition, there are certain specific termination notice periods applicable to Company change of control events or ill health. The Company may elect to pay Mr Williams in lieu of part or all of the notice period specified in the contract.

Mr Williams may also receive a short term performance based reward in the form of a cash bonus up to, 40% of the TFR. The performance criteria, assessment and timing of which are determined at the discretion of the Board.

Mr Williams may participate in the Dacian Gold Limited Employee Option Plan and other long term incentive plans adopted by the Board.

**DIRECTORS' REPORT
FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2016****Remuneration Report (Continued)****Engagement of Executives**

Mr Grant Dyker commenced in the capacity of Chief Financial Officer on 10 February 2016. The terms of Mr Dyker's employment contract are summarised below.

Mr Dyker will receive a base salary of \$328,500 per annum inclusive of statutory superannuation.

The Company or Mr Dyker may terminate the contract at any time by the giving of six months' notice. In addition, there are certain specific termination notice periods applicable to Company change of control events or ill health. The Company may elect to pay Mr Dyker in lieu of part or all of the notice period specified in the contract.

Mr Dyker may be invited to participate in incentive schemes. The performance criteria, assessment and timing of which are determined at the discretion of the Board.

Mr Dyker may participate in the Dacian Gold Limited Employee Option Plan and other long term incentive plans adopted by the Board.

Voting and comments made at the Company's 2015 Annual General Meeting ('AGM')

At the last AGM 99.9% of the shareholders voted to adopt the remuneration report for the year ended 30 June 2015. The Company did not receive any specific feedback at the AGM regarding its remuneration practices.

Short Term Incentive Payments

The Board may, at its sole discretion, set the Key Performance Indicators (KPIs) for the Executive Directors or other Executive Officers. The KPIs are chosen to align the reward of the individual Executives to the strategy and performance of the Company.

Performance objectives, which may be financial or non-financial, or a combination of both, are determined by the Board.

No Short Term incentives are payable to Executives where it is considered that the actual performance has fallen below the minimum requirement.

Following a performance evaluation process in respect of the 12-month period ended 31 December 2015, Short Term incentive payments were made to Executives.

The Executive Chairman sets the KPIs for other members of staff, monitors actual performance and may recommend payment of short term bonuses to certain employees to the Board for approval.

Shareholding Qualifications

The Directors are not required to hold any shares in Dacian Gold under the terms of the Company's constitution.

**DIRECTORS' REPORT
FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2016**

Remuneration Report (Continued)

Consequences of Company Performance on Shareholder Wealth

In considering the Company's performance and benefits for shareholder wealth, the Board provide the following indices in respect of the current financial year and previous financial years:

	2016	2015	2014	2013
Loss for the year attributable to shareholders	\$21,832,884	\$8,048,428	\$5,620,640	\$5,806,907
Closing share price at 30 June	\$2.90	\$0.43	\$0.35	\$0.17

As an exploration company the Board does not consider the loss attributable to shareholders as one of the performance indicators when implementing Short Term Incentive Payments. The Board considers that the success of exploration and feasibility programs, safety and environmental performance, the securing of funding arrangements and responsible management of cash resources and the Company's other assets are more appropriate performance indicators to assess the performance of management.

Remuneration Disclosures

Current Directors and Key Management Personnel of the Group have been identified as:

Mr Rohan Williams	Executive Chairman
Mr Ian Cochrane	Non-Executive Director (Appointed 26 February 2016)
Mr Barry Patterson	Non-Executive Director
Mr Robert Reynolds	Non-Executive Director
Mr Grant Dyker	Chief Financial Officer (Appointed 4 February 2016)

**DIRECTORS' REPORT
FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2016**

Remuneration Report (Continued)

Remuneration Disclosures (Continued)

The details of the remuneration of each Director and member of Key Management Personnel of the Company is as follows:

30 June 2016	Short Term		Post Employment	Other Long Term		
	Base Salary and consulting fees \$	Short Term Incentive \$	Superannuation Contributions \$	Value of Options (i) \$	Total \$	Value of Options as Proportion of Remuneration %
Current Directors and Key Management Personnel:						
Rohan Williams	403,000	160,000	35,000	142,268	740,268	19.2%
Ian Cochrane	20,000	-	1,900	155,904	177,804	87.7%
Barry Patterson	46,667	-	4,433	-	51,100	0.0%
Robert Reynolds	46,667	-	4,433	-	51,100	0.0%
Grant Dyker (ii)	116,667	-	11,083	75,668	203,418	37.2%
Total	633,001	160,000	56,849	373,840	1,223,690	

- (i) The fair value of options is calculated at the date of grant using the Black Scholes option pricing model and allocated to each reporting period evenly over the period from grant date to vesting date. The value disclosed in the above tables is the portion of the fair value of the options recognised in the reporting period.
- (ii) Mr Dyker was appointed Chief Financial Officer on 4 February 2016 and commenced his role 10 February 2016.

30 June 2015	Short Term		Post Employment	Other Long Term		
	Base Salary and consulting fees \$	Short Term Incentive \$	Superannuation Contributions \$	Value of Options (i) \$	Total \$	Value of Options as Proportion of Remuneration %
Current Directors and Key Management Personnel:						
Rohan Williams	403,000	-	35,000	162,737	600,737	27.1%
Barry Patterson	40,000	-	3,800	5,243	49,043	10.7%
Robert Reynolds	40,000	-	3,800	5,243	49,043	10.7%
Total	483,000	-	42,600	173,223	698,823	

- (i) The fair value of options is calculated at the date of grant using the Black Scholes option pricing model and allocated to each reporting period evenly over the period from grant date to vesting date. The value disclosed in the above tables is the portion of the fair value of the options recognised in the reporting period.

**DIRECTORS' REPORT
FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2016**

Remuneration Report (Continued)

Details of Performance Related Remuneration

Total Short Term incentives paid to Directors or Key Management Personnel of the Company during the period ended 30 June 2016 was \$160,000. No Short Term incentives were paid to Directors or Key Management Personnel of the Company during the financial year ended 30 June 2015.

Options Granted as Remuneration

2016

During the 2016 financial year there were 300,000 options over unissued shares issued to the Company Director Mr Ian Cochrane, pursuant to the Dacian Gold Limited Employee Option Plan. Details of the options issued to Mr Cochrane are as follows:

Grant Date	Exercise price per Option	Expiry Date	Number of Options Granted	Vesting Date	Total Value of Options Granted
26 February 2016	\$2.05 each	28 February 2021	300,000	26 February 2016	\$155,904

During the 2016 financial year there were 1,500,000 options over unissued shares issued to Executive Mr Grant Dyker, pursuant to the Dacian Gold Limited Employee Option Plan. Details of the options issued to Mr Dyker are as follows:

Grant Date	Exercise price per Option	Expiry Date	Number of Options Granted	Vesting Date	Total Value of Options Granted
5 February 2016	\$1.22 each	31 January 2021	750,000	31 January 2018	\$224,333
5 February 2016	\$1.22 each	31 January 2021	375,000	31 January 2019	\$112,166
5 February 2016	\$1.22 each	31 January 2021	375,000	31 July 2019	\$112,166

2015

During the 2015 financial year there were 2 million options over unissued shares issued to the Company's Executive Chairman Mr Rohan Williams, pursuant to the terms of his Executive Services Agreement and following shareholder approval of the issue at the Company's 2014 annual general meeting. Details of the options issued to Mr Williams are as follows:

Grant Date	Exercise price per Option	Expiry Date	Number of Options Granted	Vesting Date	Total Value of Options Granted
18 November 2014	46 cents each	17 November 2019	2,000,000	18 November 2016	\$201,320

Exercise of Options Granted as Remuneration

There were no ordinary shares issued on the exercise of options previously granted as remuneration to Directors or Key Management Personnel of the Company during either the financial year ended 30 June 2015 or 30 June 2016.

**DIRECTORS' REPORT
FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2016**

Remuneration Report (Continued)

Equity instrument disclosures relating to key management personnel

Option holdings

Key Management Personnel have the following interests in unlisted options over unissued shares of the Company.

2016 Name	Balance at start of the year	Received during the year as remuneration	Other changes during the year	Balance at the end of the year	Vested and exercisable at the end of the year
R Williams	5,000,000	-	-	5,000,000	3,000,000
I Cochrane	-	300,000	-	300,000	300,000
R Reynolds	300,000	-	-	300,000	300,000
B Patterson	300,000	-	-	300,000	300,000
G Dyker	-	1,500,000	-	1,500,000	-

Share holdings

The number of shares in the Company held during the financial year by key management personnel of the Company, including their related parties are set out below. There were no shares granted during the reporting period as compensation.

2016 Name	Balance at start of the year	Acquisitions pursuant to share placements	Other changes during the year	Balance at the end of the year
R Williams	5,200,000	724,637	-	5,924,637
R Reynolds	2,100,000	475,000	-	2,575,000
B Patterson	4,100,000	931,819	-	5,031,819
I Cochrane ⁱ	-	-	196,364	196,364
G Dyker ⁱⁱ	-	-	137,455	137,455

ⁱ Ian Cochrane was appointed as a Director of the Company on 26 February 2016. The amount of shares held above represents his shareholdings at his date of appointment.

ⁱⁱ Grant Dyker was appointed as Chief Financial Officer on 4 February 2016. The amount of shares held above represents his shareholdings at his date of appointment.

Loans made to key management personnel

No loans were made to key personnel, including personally related entities during the reporting period.

Other transactions with key management personnel

During the financial year ended 30 June 2016 there have been no other transactions with, and are no amounts owing to or owed by Key Management Personnel.

There were no other transactions with key management personnel.

End of Remuneration Report

**DIRECTORS' REPORT
FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2016****Auditor's Independence Declaration**

A copy of the Auditor's Independence Declaration as required under Section 307C of the Corporations Act is set out on the following page.

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

DATED at Perth this 1st day of September 2016.



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Executive Chairman

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**Auditor's Independence Declaration
To the Directors of Dacian Gold Limited**

In accordance with the requirements of section 307C of the Corporations Act 2001, as lead auditor for the audit of Dacian Gold Limited for the year ended 30 June 2016, 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.



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**CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF PROFIT OR LOSS AND OTHER COMPREHENSIVE INCOME
FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2016**

		Consolidated	
		30 June 2016 \$	30 June 2015 \$
	Note		
Revenue	3	332,412	301,561
Total Revenue		332,412	301,561
Employee expenses	3	(1,237,520)	(563,361)
Share based employee expense	18	(629,723)	(295,179)
Depreciation and amortisation expenses	10	(245,595)	(215,319)
Corporate expenses		(304,702)	(136,151)
Occupancy expenses		(146,796)	(80,816)
Marketing expenses		(160,672)	(62,065)
Financing expenses		(31,202)	(3,539)
Exploration costs expensed and written off	11	(19,193,656)	(7,172,023)
Administration and other expenses		(438,605)	(154,031)
Loss before income tax		(22,056,059)	(8,380,923)
Income tax benefit/(expense)	4	223,175	332,495
Net loss for the period attributable to the members of the parent entity		(21,832,884)	(8,048,428)
Other comprehensive Income		-	-
Total comprehensive result for the period attributable to the members of the parent entity	17	(21,832,884)	(8,048,428)
Loss per share			
Basic and diluted loss per share (cents)	5	(18.5)	(8.4)

The above statement of profit or loss and other comprehensive income should be read in conjunction with the accompanying notes.

**CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION
AS AT 30 JUNE 2016**

		Consolidated	
		30 June 2016 \$	30 June 2015 \$
	Note		
Current assets			
Cash and cash equivalents	7	9,648,425	4,624,894
Trade and other receivables	8	90,123	418,034
Total current assets		9,738,548	5,042,928
Non-current assets			
Other financial assets	9	34,211	34,211
Property, plant and equipment	10	748,125	396,225
Exploration and evaluation assets	11	8,131,847	8,131,847
Total non-current assets		8,914,183	8,562,283
Total assets		18,652,731	13,605,211
Current liabilities			
Borrowings	12	-	18,265
Trade and other payables	13	3,378,228	1,437,632
Total current liabilities		3,378,228	1,455,897
Non-current liabilities			
Provisions	14	1,966,676	1,914,600
Trade and other payables	13	48,560	-
Total non-current liabilities		2,015,236	1,914,600
Total liabilities		5,393,464	3,370,497
Net assets		13,259,267	10,234,714
Equity			
Issued capital	15	53,515,696	29,204,822
Share based payments reserve	17	1,321,449	774,886
Accumulated losses	17	(41,577,878)	(19,744,994)
Total equity		13,259,267	10,234,714

The above statement of financial position should be read in conjunction with the accompanying notes.

**CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN EQUITY
FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2016**

	Consolidated			
	Issued capital \$	Accumulated losses \$	Share based payments reserve \$	Total \$
At 1 July 2014	29,227,606	(11,696,566)	479,707	18,010,747
Total comprehensive result for the period:				
- Loss for the period	-	(8,048,428)	-	(8,048,428)
- Costs incurred on release of securities from escrow	(22,784)	-	-	(22,784)
- Movement in share based payments reserve in respect of options vesting	-	-	295,179	295,179
At 30 June 2015	29,204,822	(19,744,994)	774,886	10,234,714
At 1 July 2015	29,204,822	(19,744,994)	774,886	10,234,714
Total comprehensive result for the period:				
- Loss for the period	-	(21,832,884)	-	(21,832,884)
- Issue of capital from capital raising	25,016,818	-	-	25,016,818
- Issue of capital from exercise of options	653,500	-	-	653,500
- Costs incurred in respect of capital raised	(1,442,604)	-	-	(1,442,604)
- Movement in share based payments reserve in respect of options vesting	-	-	629,723	629,723
- Transfer from share based payments reserve to issued capital on exercise of options	83,160	-	(83,160)	-
At 30 June 2016	53,515,696	(41,577,878)	1,321,449	13,259,267

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

**CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS
FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2016**

	Note	Consolidated	
		30 June 2016 \$	30 June 2015 \$
Cash flows from operating activities			
Interest received		316,771	243,506
Other income		15,641	69,730
Research & development tax concession income		555,670	-
Interest paid		(1,623)	(3,539)
Payments for exploration and evaluation		(17,412,277)	(5,527,770)
Payments to suppliers and employees		(2,142,236)	(968,478)
Net cash used in operating activities	7	(18,668,054)	(6,186,551)
Cash flows from investing activities			
Proceeds on redemption of bonds and security deposits		-	16,335
Payments for bonds and security deposits		-	(34,211)
Payments for plant and equipment		(525,564)	(65,470)
Net cash used in investing activities		(525,564)	(83,346)
Cash flows from financing activities			
Proceeds from issue of share capital (net of issue costs)		24,235,414	-
Repayment of borrowings		(18,265)	(31,310)
Payments on release of securities from escrow		-	(22,784)
Net cash used in financing activities		24,217,149	(54,094)
Net increase/(decrease) in cash held		5,023,531	(6,323,991)
Cash at the beginning of the period	7	4,624,894	10,948,885
Cash at the end of the period	7	9,648,425	4,624,894

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

**NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2016****Note 1 Summary of Significant Accounting Policies****(a) Basis of preparation of financial report**

These financial statements are general purpose financial statements, which have been prepared in accordance with requirements of the Corporations Act 2001 and comply with other requirements of the law.

The accounting policies below have been consistently applied to all of the years presented unless otherwise stated.

The financial statements have been prepared on a historical cost basis, except for available for sale investments and derivative financial instruments which have been measured at fair value. Cost is based on the fair values of consideration given in exchange for assets.

The financial statements are presented in Australian dollars.

These financial statements have been prepared on the going concern basis.

The financial report of the Company was authorised for issue in accordance with a resolution of Directors on 1st September 2016.

Statement of Compliance

The financial report of the Group complies with Australian Accounting Standards, which include Australian Equivalents to International Financial Reporting Standards (AIFRS), in their entirety. Compliance with AIFRS ensures that the financial report also complies with International Financial Reporting Standards (IFRS) in their entirety. The Company is a for profit entity for the purpose of preparing the financial statements.

Going Concern Basis for Preparation of Financial Statements

These financial statements have been prepared on the going concern basis which contemplates the continuity of normal business activities and the realisation of assets and discharge of liabilities in the normal course of business.

As at 30 June 2016, the Group has net current assets of \$6,360,320 (2015: \$3,587,031). These net current assets are considered sufficient by the Directors to meet all current minimum exploration expenditure commitments, settle all debts as and when they become due as well as operating cash outflows of the Group. In addition, should the Company require, the Board are confident of raising sufficient capital to fund the short term exploration and feasibility programs as well as fund the working capital requirements of the Group.

Material accounting policies adopted in the presentation of these financial statements are presented below:

(b) Revenue

Revenue is measured at the fair value of the consideration received or receivable. Amounts disclosed as revenue are net of returns, allowances and amounts collectable on behalf of third parties.

Interest income

Interest income is recognised on a time proportion basis and is recognised as it accrues.

(c) Income Tax

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

**NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2016****Note 1 Summary of Significant Accounting Policies (continued)****Income tax (continued)**

Deferred tax assets and liabilities are recognised for temporary timing differences at the tax rates expected to apply when the assets are recovered or liabilities are settled, based on those tax rates which are enacted or substantially enacted for each jurisdiction. The relevant tax rates are applied to the cumulative amounts of deductible and taxable temporary differences to measure the deferred tax asset or liability. An exception is made for certain temporary differences arising from the initial recognition of an asset or a liability. No deferred tax asset or liability is recognised in relation to those timing 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.

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

Deferred tax liabilities and assets are not recognised for temporary differences between the carrying amount and tax bases of investments in controlled entities where the parent 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 offset when there is a legally enforceable right to offset current tax assets and liabilities and when the deferred tax balances relate to the same taxation authority. Current tax assets and 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.

Amounts receivable from the Australian Tax Office in respect of research and development tax concession claims are recognised as a tax benefit in the year in which the claim is lodged with the Australian Tax Office.

(d) Other Taxes

Revenues, expenses and assets are recognised net of the amount of GST except:

- when the GST incurred on a purchase of goods and services is not recoverable from the taxation authority, in which case the GST is recognised as part of the cost of acquisition of the asset or as part of the expense item as applicable; and
- receivables and payables, which are stated with the amount of GST included.

The net amount of GST recoverable from, or payable to, the taxation authority is included as part of receivables or payables in the statement of financial position.

(e) Financing Costs

Net financing costs comprise interest payable on borrowings calculated using the effective interest method.

Borrowing costs are expensed as incurred and included in net financing costs.

(f) Cash and Cash Equivalents

Cash and short-term deposits in the statement of financial position comprise cash at bank and in hand. Cash equivalents are short term, highly liquid investments that are readily convertible to known amounts of cash and which are subject to an insignificant risk of changes in value. For the purposes of the statement of cash flows, cash and cash equivalents consist of cash and cash equivalents as defined above, net of outstanding bank overdrafts.

(g) Trade and Other Receivables

Trade receivables, which generally have 30–90 day terms, are recognised and carried at original invoice amount less an allowance for any uncollectible amounts. An allowance for doubtful debts is made when there is objective evidence that the Group will not be able to collect the debts. Bad debts are written off when identified.

**NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
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Note 1 Summary of Significant Accounting Policies (continued)

(h) Property, plant and Equipment

Property, plant and equipment is stated at cost, less accumulated depreciation and any accumulated impairment losses. Such cost includes the cost of replacing parts that are eligible for capitalisation when the cost of replacing the parts is incurred. Similarly, when each major inspection is performed, its cost is recognised in the carrying amount of the asset as a replacement only if it is eligible for capitalisation. The assets' residual values, useful lives and amortisation methods are reviewed, and adjusted if appropriate, at each financial year end.

Depreciation is calculated on a straight-line basis or written down value over the estimated useful life of the assets as follows:

Office & computer equipment	25%-50% straight line
Fixtures and fittings	33% written down value
Plant and equipment	33% written down value
Motor Vehicles	33% written down value

(i) Impairment

The carrying values of property, plant and equipment are reviewed for impairment at each reporting date, with recoverable amount being estimated when events or changes in circumstances indicate that the carrying value may be impaired. This assessment for impairment is discussed further in note 1(j).

(ii) De-recognition and Disposal

An item of property, plant and equipment is de-recognised upon disposal or when no further future economic benefits are expected from its use or disposal. Any gain or loss arising on de-recognition of the asset (calculated as the difference between the net disposal proceeds and the carrying amount of the asset) is included in profit or loss in the year the asset is de-recognised.

(i) Exploration and Evaluation Expenditure

Exploration and evaluation costs are written off in the year they are incurred, apart from acquisition costs and those costs that are incurred on an area of interest that contains a JORC reserve.

Capitalised exploration and evaluation expenditures in relation to specific areas of interest are recognised as an exploration and evaluation asset in the year in which they are incurred where the following conditions are satisfied:

- (i) the rights to tenure of the area of interest are current; and
- (ii) at least one of the following conditions is also met:
 - (a) the exploration and evaluation expenditures are expected to be recouped through successful development and exploration of the area of interest, or alternatively, by its sale; or
 - (b) exploration and evaluation activities in the area of interest have not at the reporting date reached a stage which permits a reasonable assessment of the existence or otherwise of economically recoverable reserves, and active and significant operations in, or in relation to, the area of interest are continuing.

Exploration and evaluation assets are initially measured at cost and include acquisition of rights to explore, studies, exploratory drilling, trenching and sampling and associated activities and an allocation of depreciation and amortisation of assets used in exploration and evaluation activities. General and administrative costs are only included in the measurement of exploration and evaluation costs where they are related directly to operational activities in a particular area of interest.

**NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2016****Note 1 Summary of Significant Accounting Policies (continued)****Exploration and Evaluation Expenditure (continued)**

Exploration and evaluation assets are assessed for impairment when facts and circumstances suggest that the carrying amount of an exploration and evaluation asset may exceed its recoverable amount. The recoverable amount of the exploration and evaluation asset (for the cash generating unit(s) to which it has been allocated being no larger than the relevant area of interest) is estimated to determine the extent of the impairment loss (if any). Where an impairment loss subsequently reverses, the carrying amount of the asset is increased to the revised estimate of its recoverable amount, but only to the extent that the increased carrying amount does not exceed the carrying amount that would have been determined had no impairment loss been recognised for the asset in previous years.

Where a decision has been made to proceed with development in respect of a particular area of interest, the relevant exploration and evaluation asset is tested for impairment and the balance is then reclassified to development.

(j) Impairment of Assets

The Group assesses at each reporting date whether there is an indication that an asset may be impaired. If any such indication exists, or when annual impairment testing for an asset is required, the Group makes an estimate of the asset's recoverable amount. An asset's recoverable amount is the higher of its fair value less costs to sell and its value in use and is determined for an individual asset, unless the asset does not generate cash inflows that are largely independent of those from other assets or groups of assets and the asset's value in use cannot be estimated to be close to its fair value. In such cases the asset is tested for impairment as part of the cash-generating unit to which it belongs. When the carrying amount of an asset or cash-generating unit exceeds its recoverable amount, the asset or cash-generating unit is considered impaired and is written down to its recoverable amount.

In assessing value in use, the estimated future cash flows are discounted to their present value using a pre-tax discount rate that reflects current market assessments of the time value of money and the risks specific to the asset. Impairment losses relating to continuing operations are recognised in those expense categories consistent with the function of the impaired asset unless the asset is carried at re-valued amount (in which case the impairment loss is treated as a re-valuation decrease).

An assessment is also made at each reporting date as to whether there is any indication that previously recognised impairment losses may no longer exist or may have decreased. If such indication exists, the recoverable amount is estimated. A previously recognised impairment loss is reversed only if there has been a change in the estimates used to determine the asset's recoverable amount since the last impairment loss was recognised. If that is the case the carrying amount of the asset is increased to its recoverable amount. That increased amount cannot exceed the carrying amount that would have been determined, net of depreciation, had no impairment loss been recognised for the asset in prior years. Such reversal is recognised in profit or loss unless the asset is carried at the re-valued amount, in which case the reversal is treated as a re-valuation increase.

After such a reversal the depreciation charge is adjusted in future periods to allocate the asset's revised carrying amount, less any residual value, on a systematic basis over its remaining useful life.

(k) Trade and Other Payables

Trade payables and other payables are carried at amortised costs and represent liabilities for goods and services provided to the Group prior to the end of the financial year that are unpaid and arise when the Group becomes obliged to make future payments in respect of the purchase of these goods and services.

**NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2016****Note 1 Summary of Significant Accounting Policies (continued)****(l) Interest Bearing Liabilities**

All loans and borrowings are initially recognised at the fair value of the consideration received less directly attributable transaction costs.

After initial recognition, interest-bearing loans and borrowings are subsequently measured at amortised cost using the effective interest method. Gains and losses are recognised in profit or loss when the liabilities are derecognised.

(m) Share Based Payments*Equity Settled Transactions:*

The Group provides benefits to employees (including senior executives) of the Group in the form of Options, whereby employees render services in exchange for Options (equity-settled transactions).

The cost of these equity-settled transactions with employees is measured by reference to the fair value of the equity instruments at the date at which they are granted. The fair value of the Options is determined by using an appropriate valuation model.

In valuing equity-settled transactions, no account is taken of any performance conditions, other than conditions linked to the price of the underlying Shares to which the Option relates (market conditions) if applicable.

The cost of equity-settled transactions is recognised, together with a corresponding increase in equity, over the period in which the performance and/or service conditions are fulfilled, ending on the date on which the relevant employees become fully entitled to the Option (the vesting period).

The cumulative expense recognised for equity-settled transactions at each reporting date until vesting date reflects:

- (i) the extent to which the vesting period has expired; and
- (ii) the Group's best estimate of the number of equity instruments that will ultimately vest.

No adjustment is made for the likelihood of market performance conditions being met as the effect of these conditions is included in the determination of fair value at grant date. The income statement charge or credit for a period represents the movement in cumulative expense recognised as at the beginning and end of that period.

No expense is recognised for Options that do not ultimately vest, except for Options where vesting is only conditional upon a market condition.

If the terms of an Option are modified, as a minimum an expense is recognised as if the terms had not been modified. In addition, an expense is recognised for any modification that increases the total fair value of the Option, or is otherwise beneficial to the employee, as measured at the date of modification.

If an Option is cancelled, it is treated as if it had vested on the date of cancellation, and any expense not yet recognised for the award is recognised immediately. However, if a new award is substituted for the cancelled Option and designated as a replacement award on the date that it is granted, the cancelled Option and new awards are treated as if they were a modification of the Option, as described in the previous paragraph.

(n) Share Capital

Shares are classified as equity. Incremental costs directly attributable to the issue of Shares pursuant to the Offer or Options are shown in equity as a deduction, net of tax, from the proceeds of issue.

**NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2016****Note 1 Summary of Significant Accounting Policies (continued)****(o) Basis of consolidation**

The financial statements consolidate those of Dacian Gold Limited and all of its subsidiaries as at 30 June 2016. The parent controls a subsidiary if it is exposed, or has rights to variable returns from its involvement with the subsidiary and has the ability to affect those returns through its power over the subsidiary. All subsidiaries have a reporting date of 30 June.

All transactions and balances between controlled entities are eliminated on consolidation, including unrealised gains and losses resulting from intra-group transactions. Where unrealised losses on intra-group asset sales are reversed on consolidation, the underlying asset is also tested for impairment from a group perspective. Amounts reported in the financial statements of subsidiaries have been adjusted where necessary to ensure consistency with accounting policies adopted by the Company.

Profit or loss and other comprehensive income of subsidiaries acquired or disposed of during the year are recognised from the effective date of acquisition, or up to the effective date of disposal, as applicable.

Non-controlling interests, presented as part of equity, represent the portion of a subsidiaries profit or loss and net assets that is not held by the Company. The company attributes total comprehensive income or loss of subsidiaries between the owners of the parent and the non-controlling interests based on their respective ownership interests.

(p) Critical accounting estimates and judgements

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 Group and that are believed to be reasonable under the circumstances.

Accounting for capitalised mineral exploration and evaluation expenditure

The Group's accounting policy is stated at 1(i). A regular review is undertaken of each area of interest to determine the reasonableness of the continuing carrying forward of costs in relation to that area of interest.

Mine restoration provisions estimates

The calculation of rehabilitation and closure provisions (and corresponding capitalised closure cost assets where necessary) rely on estimates of costs required to rehabilitate and restore disturbed land to its original condition. These estimates are regularly reviewed and adjusted in order to ensure that the most up to date data is used to calculate these balances.

Significant judgement is required in determining the provision for mine rehabilitation as there are many transactions and other factors that will affect the ultimate costs required to rehabilitate the mine site. Factors that will affect this liability include future development, changes in technology, price increases, changes in interest rates and changes in legislation.

Currently the Group bases its mine restoration provision on information provided by the Departments of Mines and Petroleum.

Measurement of share based payments

The Group records charges for share based payments. For option based share based payments, management estimate certain factors used in the option pricing model. These factors include volatility and exercise date of options. If these estimates vary the share based payment expense would have been different.

**NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2016****Note 1 Summary of Significant Accounting Policies (continued)****(q) Adoption of new and revised accounting standards**

In the financial year ended 30 June 2016, the Group has reviewed all of the new and revised Standards and Interpretations issued by the AASB that are relevant to its operations and effective for annual reporting periods beginning on or after 1 July 2015. It has been determined by the Group that, there is no impact, material or otherwise, of the new and revised standards and interpretations on its business and therefore no change is necessary to Group accounting policies.

The Group has also reviewed all new Standards and Interpretations that have been issued but are not yet effective for the financial year ended 30 June 2016. As a result of this review the Directors have determined that there is no impact, material or otherwise, of the new and revised Standards and Interpretations on its business and, therefore, no change necessary to Group accounting policies.

Note 2 Segment Information

The Group has identified its operating segments based on the internal reports that are reviewed and used by the Board of Directors in assessing performance and determining the allocation of resources.

Reportable segments disclosed are based on aggregating operating segments, where the segments have similar characteristics. The Group's sole activity is mineral exploration wholly within Australia, therefore it has aggregated all operating segments into the one reportable segment being mineral exploration.

The reportable segment is represented by the primary statements forming these financial statements.

**NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2016**

	Year ended 30 June 2016 \$	Year ended 30 June 2015 \$
Note 3 Revenue and Expenses		
Loss for the year includes the following specific income and expenses:		
Gain on disposal of assets	-	909
Other income	15,641	69,730
Interest income	316,771	230,922
Legal expenses	21,990	3,198
Insurance	79,591	35,057
Office rent	87,595	30,495
Employee expenses:		
Salaries and wages	3,246,853	1,442,864
Director fees and consulting expenses	113,333	80,000
Defined contribution superannuation	292,483	133,115
Consultant expenses	-	-
Other employment expenses	342,617	104,231
Less: allocated to exploration project costs	(2,757,766)	(1,196,849)
	1,237,520	563,361

Note 4 Income Tax

a) Income tax expense

Current income tax:

Current income tax charge (benefit)	(6,451,576)	(2,195,264)
Current income tax not recognised	6,451,576	2,195,264
Research and development tax concession ⁱ	(223,175)	(332,495)

Deferred income tax:

Relating to origination and reversal of timing differences	6,845,277	2,125,563
Deferred income tax benefit not recognised	(6,845,277)	(2,125,563)
Income tax expense/(benefit) reported in the Statement of Profit or Loss and Other Comprehensive Income	(223,175)	(332,495)

ⁱThe Research and tax concession benefit recognised in the year ended 30 June 2016 relates to an application made in respect of qualifying expenditure incurred during the 2013 financial year and lodged with AusIndustry during the period.

**NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2016**

	Year ended 30 June 2016 \$	Year ended 30 June 2015 \$
Note 4 Income Tax (continued)		
<i>b) Reconciliation of income tax expense to prima facie tax payable</i>		
Loss from continuing operations before income tax expense	(22,056,059)	(8,380,923)
Tax at the Australian rate of 30% (2015 – 30%)	(6,616,818)	(2,514,277)
<i>Tax effect of permanent differences:</i>		
Non-deductible expenses	189,927	88,554
Research and development tax concession	(223,175)	(332,495)
Capital raising costs claimed	(167,272)	(80,716)
<i>Tax effect of other differences:</i>		
Net deferred tax asset benefit not brought to account	6,594,163	2,506,439
Tax (benefit)/expense	(223,175)	(332,495)
<i>c) Deferred tax – Statement of Financial Position</i>		
<i>Liabilities</i>		
Prepaid expenses	-	(2,016)
Capitalised exploration expenditure	(2,115,457)	(2,439,554)
	(2,115,457)	(2,441,570)
<i>Assets</i>		
Revenue losses available to offset against future taxable income	13,633,829	7,436,385
Rehabilitation provision	590,003	574,380
Employee leave provisions	60,094	20,815
Other financial assets	8,874	-
Accrued expenses	9,069	18,000
Deductible equity raising costs	429,675	162,799
	14,731,544	8,212,379
Net deferred tax asset/(liability)	12,616,087	5,770,809

Deferred tax assets have been recognised to the extent that they extinguish deferred tax liabilities of the Company as at the reporting date.

Net deferred tax assets have not been recognised, in either reporting period, in respect of amounts in excess of deferred tax liabilities.

**NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2016**

	Year ended 30 June 2016 \$	Year ended 30 June 2015 \$
Note 4 Income Tax (continued)		
<i>d) Deferred tax – Statement of Profit or Loss and Other Comprehensive Income</i>		
<i>Liabilities</i>		
(Increase)/decrease in prepaid expenses	2,016	(871)
(Increase)/decrease in accrued income	-	3,775
(Increase)/decrease in capitalised exploration expenditure	324,097	(2,007,558)
<i>Assets</i>		
Increase/(decrease) in revenue losses available to offset against future taxable income	6,197,443	3,996,941
Increase/(decrease) in rehabilitation provision	15,623	201,201
Increase/(decrease) in employee leave provisions	39,279	9,850
Increase/(decrease) in other financial assets	8,874	-
Increase/(decrease) in accruals	(8,931)	(2,527)
Increase/(decrease) in deductible equity raising costs	266,876	(75,248)
Deferred tax benefit/(expense) not recognised	6,845,277	2,125,563

The deferred tax benefit of tax losses not brought to account will only be obtained if:

- (i) The Company derives future assessable income of a nature and an amount sufficient to enable the benefit from the tax losses to be realised;
- (ii) The Company continues to comply with the conditions for deductibility imposed by tax legislation; and
- (iii) No changes in tax legislation adversely affect the Company realising the benefit from the deduction of the losses.

All unused tax losses of \$45,446,094 (2015: \$24,787,951) were incurred by Australian entities.

**NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
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	Year ended 30 June 2016	Year ended 30 June 2015
Note 5 Earnings per Share		
	Cents	Cents
<i>a) Basic earnings per share</i>		
Loss attributable to ordinary equity holders of the Company	(18.5)	(8.4)
<i>b) Diluted earnings per share</i>		
Loss attributable to ordinary equity holders of the Company	(18.5)	(8.4)
<i>c) Loss used in calculation of basic and diluted loss per share</i>		
	\$	\$
Loss after tax from continuing operations	(21,832,884)	(8,048,428)
<i>d) Weighted average number of shares used as the denominator</i>		
	No.	No.
Weighted average number of shares used as the denominator in calculating basic and dilutive loss per share	118,222,614	96,100,000

At 30 June 2016 the Company has on issue 13,150,000 (2014: 10,150,000) unlisted options over ordinary shares that are not considered to be dilutive as the potential increase in shares on issue would decrease the loss per share.

Note 6 Dividends

No dividends were paid or proposed during the financial year ended 30 June 2015 or 30 June 2016.

The Company has no franking credits available as at 30 June 2015 or 30 June 2016.

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	30 June 2016	30 June 2015
	\$	\$

Note 7 Cash and Cash Equivalents

Cash at bank ¹	6,138,645	4,594,144
Deposits at call ²	3,509,780	30,750
	9,648,425	4,624,894

¹ Cash at bank earns interest at floating rates based on daily deposit rates.

² Short term deposits, the duration of which is dependent on the immediate cash requirements of the Group. These deposits earn interest at the respective short term interest rates.

At 30 June 2015 or 30 June 2016 the Group had no undrawn committed borrowing facilities.

Reconciliation to the Statement of Cash Flows:

For the purposes of the Statement of Cash Flows, cash and cash equivalents comprise cash on hand and at bank and investments in money market instruments, net of any outstanding bank overdrafts.

Cash and cash equivalents as shown in the Statement of Cash Flows is reconciled to the related items in the Statement of Financial Position as follows:

Cash and cash equivalents	9,648,425	4,624,894
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Non-cash financing and investing activities:

There have been no non-cash financing and investing activities for the year ended 30 June 2016 (30 June 2015: Nil).

Cash balances not available for use:

There are no amounts included in cash and cash equivalents not available for use as at 30 June 2016.

Other than an amount of \$30,750 on deposit in respect of the Company's corporate credit card facility there were no amounts included in cash and cash equivalents not available for use at 30 June 2015. During the period the terms of the facility were amended and the deposit was redeemed.

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	30 June 2016	30 June 2015
	\$	\$
Note 7 Cash and Cash Equivalents (continued)		
<i>Reconciliation of loss after tax to net cash outflow from operating activities:</i>		
Loss from ordinary activities after income tax	(21,832,884)	(8,048,428)
Depreciation	245,595	215,319
Share based payments expense	629,723	295,179
<i>Movement in assets and liabilities:</i>		
(Increase)/decrease in prepaid expenses	6,720	(2,905)
(Increase)/decrease in accrued income	332,495	(319,911)
(Increase)/decrease in other receivables	(5,540)	(53,950)
Increase/(decrease) in rehabilitation provision	52,076	670,669
Increase/(decrease) in employee leave provisions	130,930	32,832
Increase/(decrease) in trade and other payables	1,772,831	1,024,644
Net cash flow from operating activities	(18,668,054)	(6,186,551)

Note 8 Trade and Other Receivables

Current assets

R&D Concession tax benefit receivable	-	332,495
Other receivables	90,123	85,539
	90,123	418,034

The R&D concession included in the 30 June 2015 prior period comparative relates to an application made in respect of qualifying expenditure incurred during the 2014 financial year. This amount was received from the Australian Taxation Office during the period. The R&D concession recognised in the current period of \$223,175, as referred to in note 4 relates to qualifying expenditure incurred during the 2013 financial year. This amount was also received from the Australian Taxation Office during the period.

The Group has no trading activity and as such has no trading receivables. The Group does not consider any of its current receivables to be subject to impairment.

Note 9 Other Financial Assets

Non-current assets

Security Bonds and Deposits:

Balance at the start of the financial year	34,211	16,335
Bonds redeemed during the financial year	-	(16,335)
Bonds paid during the financial year	-	34,211
	34,211	34,211

Other financial assets at 30 June 2016 represent a security deposit of \$34,211 in respect of the Company's lease of its Perth administration office.

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	30 June 2016 \$	30 June 2015 \$
Note 10 Property, Plant and Equipment		
<u>Carrying values</u>		
<i>Office and computer equipment:</i>		
Cost	232,758	182,904
Depreciation	(177,399)	(124,892)
	55,359	58,012
<i>Plant and equipment:</i>		
Cost	940,661	629,427
Depreciation	(528,959)	(396,170)
	411,702	233,257
<i>Fixtures and fittings:</i>		
Cost	83,709	70,082
Depreciation	(43,834)	(26,516)
	39,875	43,566
<i>Motor vehicles:</i>		
Cost ¹	272,572	161,753
Depreciation	(143,345)	(100,363)
	129,227	61,390
<i>Work in progress:</i>		
Cost	111,962	-
	748,125	396,225
<u>Reconciliation of movements</u>		
<i>Office and computer equipment:</i>		
Opening net book value	58,012	91,587
Additions	49,854	25,163
Depreciation	(52,507)	(58,738)
	55,359	58,012
<i>Plant and equipment:</i>		
Opening net book value	233,257	348,145
Additions	311,234	-
Depreciation	(132,789)	(114,888)
	411,702	233,257
<i>Fixtures and Fitting:</i>		
Opening net book value	43,566	14,715
Additions	13,627	40,307
Depreciation	(17,318)	(11,456)
	39,875	43,566
<i>Motor Vehicles:</i>		
Opening net book value	61,390	91,627
Additions	110,818	-
Depreciation	(42,981)	(30,237)
	129,227	61,390
<i>Work in Progress:</i>		
Additions	111,962	-
	111,962	-
	748,125	396,225

¹ Included in the net book value of motor vehicles as at 30 June 2015 of \$61,390 are assets secured under finance leases of \$49,098. The Group had no assets secured under finance lease at 30 June 2016. Details of finance lease liabilities are included at note 12 and note 20b.

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	30 June 2016	30 June 2015
	\$	\$

Note 11 Deferred Exploration and Evaluation Expenditure

Deferred exploration costs at the start of the financial year	8,131,847	8,131,847
Exploration and evaluation costs incurred	19,141,580	6,501,354
Movement in provision for rehabilitation costs ¹	52,076	670,669
Exploration and evaluation costs expensed and written off	(19,193,656)	(7,172,023)
	8,131,847	8,131,847

The recoupment of costs carried forward in relation to areas of interest in the exploration and evaluation phase is dependent upon the successful development or commercial exploitation of the respective areas.

¹ The Group reviews its estimate for likely rehabilitation costs on an annual basis, and recognises the change in the resulting provision as an expense in the Statement of Profit or Loss and Other Comprehensive Income in line with the accounting policy for exploration and evaluation expenditure. Refer note 14 for details of the provision at the balance sheet date.

Note 12 Borrowings

Current liabilities		
Finance lease due within 12 months	-	18,265
Non-current liabilities		
Finance leases due after 12 months	-	-

The Group had no borrowings at 30 June 2016. Included in borrowings as at 30 June 2015 are amounts of \$18,265 owing in respect of finance lease liabilities in respect of the acquisition of motor vehicles included as assets of the Group.

See note 19 for financial instrument disclosures relating to borrowings.

There are no other financing facilities available to the Group as at 30 June 2016 (30 June 2015: Nil).

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	30 June 2016 \$	30 June 2015 \$
Note 13 Trade and other payables		
Current liabilities		
Trade and other payables	2,665,370	1,308,248
Accrued expenses	561,105	60,000
Employee leave liabilities	151,753	69,384
	3,378,228	1,437,632
Non-current liabilities		
Employee leave liabilities	48,560	-

Trade payables are non-interest bearing and normally settled on 30 day terms. See note 19 for financial instrument disclosures relating to trade and other payables.

Note 14 Provisions

Non-current liabilities		
Rehabilitation provision	1,966,676	1,914,600

The rehabilitation provision relates to the estimated obligations in relation to the environmental rectification works at the Mt Morgans Gold Project.

Reconciliation of movements in Rehabilitation Provision:		
Balance at the start of the financial year	1,914,600	1,243,931
Increase/(decrease) in rehabilitation provision during the financial year (note 11)	52,076	670,669
Balance at the end of the financial year	1,966,676	1,914,600

Note 15 Issued Capital

a) Ordinary shares

The Company is a public company limited by shares. The Company was incorporated in Perth, Western Australia. The Company's shares are limited whereby the liability of its members is limited to the amount (if any) unpaid on the shares respectively held by them.

Ordinary shares entitle the holder to participate in dividends and the proceeds on winding up of the Company in proportion to the number of and amounts paid on the shares held. On a show of hands every holder of ordinary shares present at a meeting in person or by proxy, is entitled to one vote, and upon a poll each share is entitled to one vote.

Ordinary shares have no par value. There is no limit to the authorised share capital of the Company.

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Note 15 Issued Capital (continued)

	2016 No.	2015 No.	2016 \$	2015 \$
<i>b) Share capital</i>				
Issued share capital	133,306,254	96,100,000	53,515,696	29,204,822
<i>c) Share movements during the year</i>				
Balance at the start of the financial year	96,100,000	96,100,000	29,204,822	29,227,606
Share issue	36,256,254	-	25,016,818	-
Exercise of options	950,000	-	736,660	-
Less share issue costs	-	-	(1,442,604)	(22,784)
Balance at the end of the financial year	133,306,254	96,100,000	53,515,696	29,204,822

During the period the Company issued 36,256,254 ordinary fully paid shares at 69 cents per share pursuant to a fully underwritten accelerated institutional and retail non-renounceable entitlement offer and share placement raising approximately \$25 million before costs.

d) Option plan

Information relating to the Dacian Gold Limited Limited Employee Option Plan is set out in note 18.

	30 June 2016 No	30 June 2015 No
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Note 16 Options

Options on issue at the start of the financial year	10,150,000	7,150,000
Options issued	3,950,000	3,000,000
Options exercised	(950,000)	-
	13,150,000	10,150,000

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Note 16 Options (continued)

a) Options issued during the year

During the financial year the Company issued 3,950,000 options over unissued shares (2015: 3,000,000), as follows:

Options issued to:	Number of options	Exercise price	Expiry date
An officer and employees of the Company pursuant to the Dacian Gold Limited Employee Option Plan	1,500,000	\$1.22	30 September 2020
An officer and employees of the Company pursuant to the Dacian Gold Limited Employee Option Plan	1,650,000	\$1.22	31 January 2021
A Director of the Company pursuant to the Dacian Gold Limited Employee Option Plan	300,000	\$2.05	28 February 2021
An employee of the Company pursuant to the Dacian Gold Limited Employee Option Plan	500,000	\$3.72	30 June 2021

b) Options exercised during the year

During the financial year the Company issued 950,000 shares on the exercise of options (2015: Nil).

c) Options on issue at the balance date

The number of options outstanding over unissued ordinary shares at 30 June 2016 is 13,150,000 (2015: 10,150,000).

The terms of these options are as follows:

<i>Number of options outstanding</i>	<i>Exercise price</i>	<i>Expiry date</i>
5,700,000	83 cents	9 October 2017
500,000	56 cents	28 February 2019
1,000,000	64 cents	24 September 2019
2,000,000	45 cents	17 November 2019
1,500,000	\$1.22	30 September 2020
1,650,000	\$1.22	31 January 2021
300,000	\$2.05	28 February 2021
500,000	\$3.72	30 June 2021

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Note 16 Options (continued)

e) Subsequent to the balance date

No options have been granted subsequent to the balance date and to the date of signing this report.

Subsequent to balance date and to the date of signing this report 300,000 options have been exercised at 83 cents per share.

Reconciliation of movement of options over unissued shares during the period including weighted average exercise price (WAEP)

	2016		2015	
	No.	WAEP (cents)	No.	WAEP (cents)
Options outstanding at the start of the year ⁱ	10,150,000	71.0	7,150,000	80.2
Options granted during the year	3,950,000	159.6	3,000,000	52.3
Options exercised during the year	(950,000)	68.8	-	-
Options outstanding at the end of the year	13,150,000	97.7	10,150,000	72.0

ⁱ Number and WAEP of options outstanding at 1 July 2015 has been adjusted in accordance with the terms and conditions of the Dacian Gold Limited Employee Option Plan. Details of the adjustment are noted below.

Adjustment to exercise price of unlisted options

As a result of the Company undertaking a pro rata entitlement offer of securities which was completed on 1 December 2015, the exercise price of a number of classes of options over unissued shares in the Company issued prior to the offer has been recalculated.

The resulting reduction in exercise price, reflected in the table below, was calculated in accordance with the terms and conditions of the options on issue and the Company's employee share option plan. Further details of the Dacian Gold Limited Employee Option Plan are included at note 18.

Date granted	Number of options	Expiry date	Original exercise price	Amended exercise price
9 October 2012	6,150,000	9 October 2017	84 cents	83 cents
28 February 2014	1,000,000	28 February 2019	57 cents	56 cents
25 September 2014	1,000,000	24 September 2019	65 cents	64 cents
18 November 2014	2,000,000	17 November 2019	46 cents	45 cents
5 October 2015	1,500,000	30 September 2020	\$1.22	\$1.21

Please note that any vesting conditions in relation to the options on issue remain unchanged.

Weighted average contractual life

The weighted average contractual life for un-exercised options is 33 months (2015: 30 months).

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Note 17 Accumulated Losses and Reserves

	2016		2015	
	Accumulated losses	Share based payments reserve (i)	Accumulated losses	Share based payments reserve (i)
	\$	\$	\$	\$
Balance at the beginning of the year	(19,744,994)	774,886	(11,696,566)	479,707
Loss for the period	(21,832,884)	-	(8,048,428)	-
Transfer from share based payments reserves to issued capital on exercise of options	-	(83,160)	-	-
Share based payments for the period	-	629,723	-	295,179
Balance at the end of the year	(41,577,878)	1,321,449	(19,744,994)	774,886

(i) The share based payments reserve is used to recognise the fair value of options issued but not exercised.

Note 18 Share Based Payments

During the financial year 3,950,000 options over unissued shares were issued pursuant to the Company's Employee Share Option Plan. These options have been valued and included in the financial statements over the periods that they vest. The share based payments expense for the period of \$629,723 (30 June 2015: \$295,179) relates to the fair value of options apportioned over their respective vesting periods.

Basis and assumptions used in the valuation of options.

The options issued during the year were valued using the Black-Scholes option valuation methodology.

Date granted	Number of options granted	Exercise price (cents)	Expiry date	Risk free interest rate used	Volatility applied	Value per Option (cents)
5 October 2015	1,500,000	122	30 September 2020	2.06%	65%	25.10
5 February 2016	1,650,000	122	31 January 2021	2.00%	60%	29.91
26 February 2016	300,000	205	28 February 2021	2.00%	60%	51.97
28 June 2016	500,000	372	30 June 2021	1.75%	60%	88.92

Historical volatility has been used as the basis for determining expected share price volatility. A discount of 30% in respect of a lack of marketability has been applied to the Black-Scholes option valuation to reflect the non-negotiability and non-transferability of the unlisted options granted.

Dacian Gold Limited Employee Option Plan

The establishment of the Dacian Gold Limited Employee Option Plan ('the Plan') was last approved by a resolution of the shareholders of the Company on 16 November 2015. All eligible Directors, executive officers and employees of Dacian Gold Limited who have been continuously employed by the Company are eligible to participate in the Plan.

The Plan allows the Company to issue free options to eligible persons. The options can be granted free of charge and are exercisable at a fixed price in accordance with the Plan. Options issued under the Plan have vesting periods prior to exercise, except under certain circumstances whereby options may be capable of exercise prior to the expiry of the vesting period.

During the financial year ended 30 June 2016, 3,950,000 (30 June 2015: 3,000,000) options over unissued shares were issued to a Director and employees, pursuant to the terms of the Dacian Gold Limited Employee Share Option Plan.

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The Group has exposure to a variety of risks arising from its use of financial instruments. This note presents information about the Group's exposure to the specific risks, and the policies and processes for measuring and managing those risks. The Board of Directors has the overall responsibility for the risk management framework and has adopted a Risk Management Policy.

(a) Credit risk

Credit risk is the risk of financial loss to the Group if a customer or counterparty to a financial instrument fails to meet its contractual obligations, and arises principally from transactions with customers and investments.

Trade and other receivables

The nature of the business activity of the Group does not result in trading receivables. The receivables that the Company does experience through its normal course of business are short term and the most significant recurring by quantity is receivable from the Australian Taxation Office, the risk of non-recovery of receivables from this source is considered to be negligible.

Cash deposits

The Directors believe any risk associated with the use of predominantly only one bank is addressed through the use of at least an A-rated bank as a primary banker and by the holding of a portion of funds on deposit with alternative A-rated institutions. Except for this matter the Group currently has no significant concentrations of credit risk.

The Directors do not consider that the Group's financial assets are subject to anything more than a negligible level of credit risk, and as such no disclosures are made.

(b) Liquidity risk

Liquidity risk is the risk that the Group will not be able to meet its financial obligations as they fall due. The Group's approach to managing liquidity is to ensure, as far as possible, that it will always have sufficient liquidity to meet its liabilities when due, under both normal and stressed conditions, without incurring unacceptable losses or risking damage to the Company's reputation.

The Group manages its liquidity risk by monitoring its cash reserves and forecast spending. Management is cognisant of the future demands for liquid finance resources to finance the Group's current and future operations, and consideration is given to the liquid assets available to the Group before commitment is made to future expenditure or investment.

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Note 19 Financial Instruments (continued)
Liquidity risk (continued)

The following are the contractual maturities of financial liabilities, including estimated interest payments and excluding the impact of netting agreements:

	Carrying amount	Contractual cash flows	6 months or less	6-12 months	1-2 years	2-5 years	More than 5 years
	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
2016							
Trade and other payables	2,665,370	2,665,370	2,665,370	-	-	-	-
	2,665,370	2,665,370	2,665,370	-	-	-	-
2015							
Trade and other payables	1,308,248	1,308,248	1,308,248	-	-	-	-
Finance lease liabilities	18,265	19,886	17,046	2,840	-	-	-
	1,326,513	1,328,134	1,325,294	2,840	-	-	-

(c) Market risk

Market risk is the risk that changes in market prices, such as foreign exchange rates, interest rates and equity prices will affect the Group's income or the value of its holdings of financial instruments. The objective of market risk management is to manage and control market risk exposures within acceptable parameters, while optimising any return.

Interest rate risk

The Group has significant cash assets which may be susceptible to fluctuations in changes in interest rates. Whilst the Company requires the cash assets to be sufficiently liquid to cover any planned or unforeseen future expenditure, which prevents the cash assets being committed to long term fixed interest arrangements; the Group does mitigate potential interest rate risk by entering into short to medium term fixed interest investments.

The Group does not have any direct contact with foreign exchange or equity risks other than their effect on the general economy.

At the reporting date the interest profile of the Group's interest-bearing financial instruments was:

	Carrying amount (\$)	
	30 June 2016	30 June 2015
Fixed rate instruments		
Financial assets	3,509,780	-
Variable rate instruments		
Financial assets	6,138,645	4,624,894

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Note 19 Financial Instruments (continued)

Cash flow sensitivity analysis for variable rate instruments

A change of 100 basis points in interest rates at the reporting date would have increased/(decreased) equity and profit or loss by the amounts shown below. This analysis assumes that all other variables remain constant.

	Profit or loss		Equity	
	1%	1%	1%	1%
	increase	decrease	increase	decrease
2016				
Fixed & variable rate instruments	96,484	(96,484)	96,484	(96,484)
2015				
Fixed & variable rate instruments	46,249	(46,249)	46,249	(46,249)

d) Fair values

Fair values versus carrying amounts

The fair values of financial assets and liabilities, together with the carrying amounts shown in the balance sheet are as follows:

	2016		2015	
	Carrying amount	Fair value	Carrying amount	Fair value
	\$	\$	\$	\$
Cash and cash equivalents	9,648,425	9,648,425	4,624,894	4,624,894
Trade and other receivables	90,123	90,123	418,034	418,034
Borrowings	-	-	(18,265)	(18,265)
Trade and other payables	(2,665,370)	(2,665,370)	(1,308,248)	(1,308,248)
Net financial assets	7,073,178	7,073,178	3,716,415	3,716,415

e) Impairment losses

The Directors do not consider that any of the Group's financial assets are subject to impairment at the reporting date.

No impairment expense or reversal of impairment charge has occurred during the reporting period, other than the write off of deferred exploration assets at note 11.

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	30 June 2016 \$	30 June 2015 \$
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Note 20 Commitments

a) Operating lease commitments:

Due within 1 year	97,680	92,082
Due after 1 year but not more than 5 years	41,400	135,584
Due after more than 5 years	-	-
	139,080	227,666

The operating lease commitment relates to the lease of the Group's Perth office and car parking for a 36 month term from 1 December 2014. The lease includes an option to extend for an additional 3 year period following expiry of the initial lease term on 30 November 2017.

	30 June 2016 \$	30 June 2015 \$
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b) Finance lease commitments:

Finance lease arrangements in respect of the purchase of 2 vehicles were fully repaid at the end of the financial year, see note 12.

Details of the cash obligations in relation to the finance leases are included at note 19b.

Due within 1 year	-	18,265
Due after 1 year but not more than 5 years	-	-
Due after more than 5 years	-	-
	-	18,265

Finance lease liabilities are secured over the underlying assets, see note 10.

c) Capital commitments:

The Company has no capital commitments contracted for at 30 June 2016 (30 June 2015: Nil).

d) Exploration commitments

The Group has certain obligations for payment of tenement rent, shire rates and to perform minimum exploration work on mineral leases held. These obligations may vary over time, depending on the Group's exploration programmes and priorities. At 30 June 2016, the Group had satisfied all of its exploration commitments pursuant to the leases, which are currently approximately \$3,138,118 per annum.

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Note 21 Contingencies
a) Contingent liabilities

Other than the below there are no material contingent liabilities at the reporting date.

The Company must pay Macquarie Bank a royalty of 1% of gross revenue earned on 491,617 troy ounces of gold produced on the Tenements and sold to an offtaker.

b) Contingent assets

There are no material contingent assets at the reporting date.

Note 22 Related Party Disclosures

Other than the key management personnel related party disclosure in the Remuneration Report and in note 23, there are no related party transactions to report.

Note 23 Key Management Personnel
(a) Directors and key management personnel

The following persons were Directors or key management personnel of the Company during the current and prior financial year:

Rohan Williams	Executive Chairman
Robert Reynolds	Non-Executive Director
Barry Patterson	Non-Executive Director
Ian Cochrane	Non-Executive Director
Grant Dyker	Chief Financial Officer

There were no other persons employed by or contracted to the Company during the financial year, having responsibility for planning, directing and controlling the activities of the Company, either directly or indirectly.

(b) Key management personnel compensation

Details of key management personnel remuneration are contained in the Audited Remuneration Report in the Directors' Report. A summary of total compensation paid to key management personnel during the year is as follows:

	2016	2015
	\$	\$
Total short-term employment benefits	793,001	483,000
Total share based payments	373,840	173,223
Total post-employment benefits	56,849	42,600
	1,223,690	698,823

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Note 24 Events Subsequent to the Reporting Date

There has not arisen in the interval between the end of the reporting period and the date of this report, any item, transaction or event of a material and unusual nature likely, in the opinion of the Directors of the Company to affect substantially the operations of the Company, the results of those operations or the state of affairs of the Company in subsequent financial years.

	30 June 2016	30 June 2015
	\$	\$

Note 25 Auditors Remuneration

Total remuneration paid to auditors during the financial year:

Audit and review of the Company's financial statements	32,251	32,978
Other services	-	-
Total	32,251	32,978

Note 26 Controlled Entities

	Ownership Interest	
	2016	2015
	%	%
Parent Entity		
Dacian Gold Limited		
Subsidiaries		
Dacian Gold Mining Pty Ltd ⁱ	100	-
Mt Morgans WA Mining Pty Ltd ⁱ	100	-

ⁱ During the year on 26 April 2016, these companies were incorporated. They are fully owned subsidiaries of the Company. The entities were dormant at 30 June 2016.

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Note 27 Parent Entity

Financial statements and notes for Dacian Gold Limited, the legal parent entity are provided below;

	Parent	
	30 June 2016	30 June 2015
	\$	\$
Financial position		
Current assets	9,738,548	5,042,928
Non-current assets	8,914,183	8,562,283
Total assets	18,652,731	13,605,211
Current liabilities	3,378,228	1,455,897
Non-current liabilities	2,015,236	1,914,600
Total liabilities	5,393,464	3,370,497
<i>Shareholders equity</i>		
Issued capital	53,515,696	29,204,822
Share based payments reserve	1,321,449	774,886
Accumulated losses	(41,577,878)	(19,744,994)
Total equity	13,259,267	10,234,714
Financial performance		
Loss for the year	(21,832,884)	(8,048,428)
Other comprehensive income/(loss)	-	-
Total comprehensive loss	(21,832,884)	(8,048,428)

The contingent liabilities and commitments of the parent entity are consistent with those disclosed in the financial report.

**DIRECTORS' DECLARATION
FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2016**

In the opinion of the Directors of Dacian Gold Limited (the 'Company'):

- a. The accompanying financial statements and notes of the Company and of the consolidated entity are in accordance with the Corporations Act 2001, including:
 - i. give a true and fair view of the Company's and consolidated entity's financial position as at 30 June 2016 and of its performance for the year then ended; and
 - ii. comply with Australian Accounting Standards, the Corporations Regulations 2001, professional reporting requirements and other mandatory requirements.
- 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 financial statements and notes thereto are in accordance with International Financial Reporting Standards issued by the International Accounting Standards Board.

This declaration has been made after receiving the declarations required to be made to the Directors in accordance with Section 295A of the Corporations Act 2001 for the financial year ended 30 June 2016.

This declaration is signed in accordance with a resolution of the Board of Directors.

DATED at Perth this 1st day of September 2016.



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Independent Auditor's Report To the Members of Dacian Gold Limited

Report on the financial report

We have audited the accompanying financial report of Dacian Gold Limited (the “Company”), which comprises the consolidated statement of financial position as at 30 June 2016, the consolidated statement of profit or loss and other comprehensive income, consolidated statement of changes in equity and consolidated statement of cash flows for the year then ended, notes comprising a summary of significant accounting policies and other explanatory information and the directors’ declaration of the consolidated entity comprising the Company and the entities it controlled at year’s end or from time to time during the financial year.

Directors’ responsibility for the financial report

The Directors of the Company are responsible for the preparation of the financial report that gives a true and fair view in accordance with Australian Accounting Standards and the Corporations Act 2001. The Directors’ responsibility also includes such internal control as the Directors determine is necessary to enable the preparation of the financial report that gives a true and fair view and is free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error. The Directors also state, in the notes to the financial report, in accordance with Accounting Standard AASB 101 Presentation of Financial Statements, the financial statements comply with International Financial Reporting Standards.

Auditor’s responsibility

Our responsibility is to express an opinion on the financial report based on our audit. We conducted our audit in accordance with Australian Auditing Standards. Those standards require us to comply with relevant ethical requirements relating to audit engagements and plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance whether the financial report is free from material misstatement.

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In making those risk assessments, the auditor considers internal control relevant to the Company's preparation of the financial report that gives a true and fair view in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the Company's internal control. An audit also includes evaluating the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of accounting estimates made by the Directors, as well as evaluating the overall presentation of the financial report.

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

Independence

In conducting our audit, we have complied with the independence requirements of the Corporations Act 2001.

Auditor's opinion

In our opinion:

- a the financial report of Dacian Gold Limited is in accordance with the Corporations Act 2001, including:
 - i giving a true and fair view of the consolidated entity's financial position as at 30 June 2016 and of its performance for the year ended on that date; and
 - ii complying with Australian Accounting Standards and the Corporations Regulations 2001; and
- b the financial report also complies with International Financial Reporting Standards as disclosed in the notes to the financial statements.

Report on the remuneration report

We have audited the remuneration report included in pages 8 to 14 of the directors' report for the year ended 30 June 2016. The Directors of the Company are responsible for the preparation and presentation of the remuneration report in accordance with section 300A of the Corporations Act 2001. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on the remuneration report, based on our audit conducted in accordance with Australian Auditing Standards.

Auditor's opinion on the remuneration report

In our opinion, the remuneration report of Dacian Gold Limited for the year ended 30 June 2016, complies with section 300A of the Corporations Act 2001.



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C A Becker
Partner - Audit & Assurance

Perth, 1 September 2016