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Financial Statements

For the year ended 30 June 2022

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Directors' Report

For the year ended 30 June 2022

Directors

The Directors have pleasure in submitting the financial statements of First Super Pty Ltd (the Company) for the year.

The Directors of the Company at any time during or since the end of the financial year are:

Dean Brakell

Robyn Burns

Timothy Chatfield

Julie George

Janet Gilbert

Michael O'Connor (Co-Chair)

Candy Broad

Denise Campbell-Burns

Julie George

Scott McDine

Anthony Pavey

Mike Radda (Co-Chair) Casey Thompson (appointed 12 September 2022)

Frank Vari (resigned 7 August 2022)

Change in associate director status:

Casey Thompson ceased as an asssociate director and was appointed as a director on 12 September 2022.

Principal Activity

The principal activity of the Company during the financial year was to act as Trustee of First Super (the Fund).

Results

The Company has a profit after tax during the year of \$241,765 (2021: profit \$4).

Dividends

No amounts have been paid or are recommended to be paid by way of dividend during the financial year.

Events Subsequent to reporting date

Frank Vari resigned on 7 August 2022. Casey Thompson was appointed as a director (previously associate director) on 12 September 2022. There are no other significant events which have occurred subsequent to 30 June 2022.

Environmental Regulation and performance

The Company is not governed by any environmental regulations.

Proceedings on behalf of the Company

No person has applied for leave of court to bring proceedings on behalf of the company or intervene in any proceedings to which the company is a party for the purpose of taking responsibility on behalf of the company for all or any part of those proceedings. The company was not a party to any such proceedings during the year.

Auditor's Independence Declaration

The Auditor's Independence Declaration is set out on page 16 and forms a part of the Directors' Report for the financial year ended 30 June 2022. The Auditor continues in office in accordance with Section 327 of the Corporations Act 2001.

Directors' Report

Directors' Benefits

During or since the financial year end, the Directors of First Super Pty Ltd have received or become entitled to receive a benefit, by reason of a contract entered into by the Company or by any entity that the Company controlled or a body corporate that was related to the Company when the contract was made, or when the Directors received, or become entitled to receive, the benefit with:

- a Director or,
- a firm of which a Director is a member, or
- an entity in which a Director has a substantial financial interest.

The aggregate amount of emoluments received or due to be received by the Directors is shown in Note 17 of the financial statements.

This Directors' Report is made out in accordance with a resolution of the Directors.

Mike Radda
Mike Radda (Sep 27, 2022 19:16 GMT+10)

Director

Director

Dated this 20th day of September 2022 Melbourne

Statement of Profit or Loss and Other Comprehensive Income

For the year ended 30 June 2022

	Note	2022 \$	2021 \$
Revenue	6	1,199,642	763,001
Expenses	7	(877,867)	(762,995)
Profit/(Loss) before tax		321,775	6
Income Tax Expense/(Benefit)	8a	80,010	2
Profit/Loss for the year		241,765	4
Other Comprehensive Income		-	-
Total Comprehensive Income for the year		241,765	4

The Statement of Profit or Loss and Other Comprehensive Income is to be read in conjunction with the notes to the financial statements.

Statement of Financial Position

For the year ended 30 June 2022

	Note	2022 \$	2021 \$
CURRENT ASSETS			
Cash and cash equivalents	10	505,658	72,154
Prepayments		222,085	154,646
Receivables	9	-	122,339
Current tax asset	12	<u>-</u>	7,112
TOTAL CURRENT ASSETS		727,743	356,251
TOTAL ASSETS		727,743	356,251
CURRENT LIABILITIES			
Current tax liability	12	62,448	-
Sundry creditors/payables	11	341,683	284,853
TOTAL CURRENT LIABILITIES		404,131	284,853
NON CURRENT LIABILITIES			
Deferred tax liability/(asset)		15,219	4,770
TOTAL NON CURRENT LIABILITIES		15,219	4,770
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TOTAL LIABILITIES		419,350	289,623
NET ASSETS		308,393	66,628
EQUITY			
Contributed equity	13	270	270
Reserves	4.4	200 122	- 66.250
Retained earnings	14	308,123	66,358
TOTAL EQUITY	:	308,393	66,628

The Balance Sheet is to be read in conjunction with the notes to the financial statements

Statement of Cash Flows

For the year ended 30 June 2022

	Note	2022 \$	2021 \$
CASH FLOWS FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES Income received Operating expenses paid Income tax (paid)/benefit received Interest received		1,270,515 (837,358) - 347	950,055 (915,776) 1,010 6
NET CASH (USED) / FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES	15	433,504	35,295
NET INCREASE / (DECREASE) IN CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS		433,504	35,295
Cash and cash equivalents at the beginning of the financial year		72,154	36,859
Cash and cash equivalents at end of the financial year	10	505,658	72,154

The Statement of Cash Flows is to be read in conjunction with the notes to the financial statements

Statement of Changes in Equity

For the year ended 30 June 2022

2022:

	Notes	Capital \$	Reserves \$	Retained Earnings \$	Total Equity \$
Balance at 1 July 2021	13	270	-	66,358	66,628
Profit for the year	14	-	-	241,765	241,765
Total Comprehensive Income for the		-			
year		-	-	241,765	241,765
Transactions with owners in their capacity as owners					
Shares issued at cost		_	_	_	_
Balance at 30 June 2022		270	-	308,123	308,393

2021:

	Notes	Capital \$	Reserves \$	Retained Earnings \$	Total Equity \$
Balance at 1 July 2020	13	270	-	66,354	66,624
Profit/(loss) for the year	14	-	-	4	4
Total Comprehensive Income for the					
year		-	-	4	4
Transactions with owners in their capacity as owners Shares issued at cost			-	_	
Balance at 30 June 2021		270	-	66,358	66,628

The Statement of Changes in Equity is to be read in conjunction with the notes to the financial statements.

Notes to the Financial Statements

1. REPORTING ENTITY

The financial report of First Super Pty Ltd for the year ended 30 June 2022 was authorised for issue in accordance with a resolution by the Directors.

First Super Pty Ltd is a small proprietary company incorporated in Australia. The nature of the operations and principal activities of the Company was to act as the Trustee of First Super and to pay various trustee expenses on behalf of the fund.

First Super Pty Ltd is economically dependent on the fund First Super. First Super Pty Ltd is domiciled in Victoria, Australia and its registered office address: Level 2, 165 Bouverie Street, Carlton, Victoria, 3053.

2. BASIS OF PREPARATION

(a) Statement of compliance

The financial report is a general purpose financial report and has been prepared in accordance with the requirements of the Corporations Act 2001, Australian Accounting Standards and Interpretations issued by the Australian Accounting Standards Board as required by the Company's Registrable Superannuation Entity Licence conditions. The financial statements of the Company also comply with the International Financial Reporting Standards as issued by the International Accounting Standards Board (IASB).

The financial statements were approved by the Directors on 20 September 2022.

(b) Basis of measurement

The financial statements have been prepared on the historical cost basis.

(c) Functional and presentation currency

These financial statements are presented in Australian dollars, which is the Company's functional currency.

(d) Use of estimates and judgements

The preparation of financial statements in conformity with Australian Accounting Standards requires management to make judgements, estimates and assumptions that affect the application of accounting policies and the reported amounts of assets, liabilities, income and expenses. Actual results may differ from these estimates.

Estimates and underlying assumptions are reviewed on an ongoing basis. Revisions to accounting estimates are recognised in the period in which the estimate is revised and in any future periods affected.

(e) New accounting standards and interpretations

There were no new accounting standards and interpretations for the year ended 30 June 2022.

(f) New and amended standards not yet adopted by the Company

There are no other standards that are not yet effective and that would be expected to have a material impact on the Company in the current or future reporting periods and on foreseeable transactions.

3. SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

The accounting policies set out below have been applied consistently to all years presented in these financial statements.

Receivables

Receivables are recognised initially at fair value and subsequently at amortised cost less a provision for any uncollectible debts. An estimate for doubtful debts is made when collection of an amount is no longer probable. Bad debts are written off when identified. Amounts are generally received within 30 days of being recorded as receivables. Due to the short term nature of these receivables, the carrying amount of these receivables approximate fair value.

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Notes to the Financial Statements

3. SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

Cash and cash equivalents

Cash and cash equivalents comprise cash balances. Bank overdrafts that are repayable on demand and form an integral part of the Company's cash management are included as a component of cash and cash equivalents for the purpose of the statement of cash flows.

Trade Payables

These amounts represent liabilities for goods and services provided to the Company prior to the end of financial year which are unpaid. The amounts are unsecured and are usually paid within 30 days of recognition. Trade payables are presented as current liabilities unless payment is not due within 12 months after the reporting period. They are recognised initially at their fair value and subsequently measured at amortised cost using the effective interest method.

Provisions

Provisions are recognised when the economic entity has a legal, equitable or constructive obligation to make a future sacrifice of economic benefits to other entities as a result of past transactions or other past events, it is probable that a future sacrifice of economic benefits will be required and a reliable estimate can be made of the amount of the obligation.

Share Capital

Ordinary share capital is recognised at the fair value of the consideration received by the Company.

Revenue from contracts with customers

Revenue is recognised at an amount that reflects the consideration to which the Company is expected to be entitled in exchange for transferring goods or services to a customer. For each contract with a customer, the Company: identifies the contract with a customer; identifies the performance obligations in the contract; determines the transaction price which takes into account estimates of variable consideration and the time value of money; allocates the transaction price to the separate performance obligations on the basis of the relative stand-alone selling price of each distinct good or service to be delivered; and recognises revenue when or as each performance obligation is satisfied in a manner that depicts the transfer to the customer of the goods or services promised.

The Company receives revenue from First Super for director and trustee costs incurred in operating the Fund. These are disclosed in Note 6.

Notes to the Financial Statements

3. SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (continued)

Income tax

Income tax comprises of current and deferred tax.

Current and deferred tax are recognised in the statement of comprehensive income except to the extent that it relates to items recognised directly in equity or in other comprehensive income. Current tax is the expected tax payable or receivable on the taxable income or loss for the year, using tax rates enacted or substantively enacted at the reporting date, and any adjustment to tax payable in respect of previous years. Deferred tax is recognised in respect of temporary differences between the carrying amounts of assets and liabilities for financial reporting purposes and the amounts used for taxation purposes.

Deferred tax is not recognised for the following temporary differences: temporary differences on the initial recognition of assets or liabilities in a transaction that is not a business combination and that affects neither accounting nor taxable profit or loss, and temporary differences related to investments in subsidiaries and associates and jointly controlled entities to the extent that it is probable that they will not reverse in the foreseeable future.

Goods and services tax (GST)

Revenue, expenses and assets are recognised net of the amount of goods and services tax (GST), except where the amount of GST incurred is not recoverable from the taxation authority. In these circumstances, the GST is recognised as part of the cost of acquisition of the asset or as part of the expense.

Receivables and payables are stated with the amount of GST included. The net amount of GST recoverable from, or payable to, the ATO is included as a current asset or liability in the Statement of Financial Position.

Cash flows are included in the statement of cash flows on a net basis.

4. TRUST LIABILITIES AND RIGHT OF INDEMNITY	2022 \$	2021 \$
Liabilities of the Fund not recorded in the Financial Statements of the Company were:		
Trade and other payables	7,035,382	7,079,106
Benefits payable	718,719	749,438
Current tax payable/(receivable)	(8,792,108)	8,884,955
Deferred tax liabilities	49,826,796	68,951,677
Member benefit liabilities	3,593,587,642	3,500,987,322
Total liabilities	3,642,376,431	3,586,652,498
Right of indemnity for liabilities incurred by the Company on behalf of the Fund:		
First Super	3.642.376.431	3.586.644.168

The assets of the Fund, which lie behind the right of indemnity, are not directly available to meet any liabilities of the Company acting in its own right. At 30 June 2022, the assets of the Fund of \$3,642,376,431 (2021: \$3,607,332,710) were sufficient to discharge all of the liabilities.

5. FINANCIAL RISK MANAGEMENT POLICIES

(a) Interest Rate Risk

The Company is exposed to cash flow interest rate risk on financial instruments with variable interest rates. Financial instruments with fixed interest rates expose the Fund to fair value interest rate risk.

Financial assets

Cash and cash equivalents 505,658 72,154

Notes to the Financial Statements	2022	2021
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5. FINANCIAL RISK MANAGEMENT POLICIES (CONTINUED)

(b) Liquidity Risk

The Company manages liquidity risk by maintaining adequate cash reserves by continuously monitoring actual and forecast cash flows and matching the maturity profiles of financial assets and liabilities.

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Cash and cash equivalents	505,658	72,154
(c) Credit Risk		
The tables below reflect management's expectations of the settlement period for	all financial instruments.	
Receivables		
Less than 6 mths	-	122,339
		122,339
Sundry Creditors/payables		
Less than 6 mths	341,683	130,207
6 months - 1 year 1-5 years	-	150,802 3,844
1-0 years	341,683	284,853
6. REVENUE		
Revenues from operating activities		
Interest income	347	6
Revenue from Trustee Services	1,199,295	762,995
Total revenues from operating activities	1,199,642	763,001
7. EXPENSES		
Administration	877,867	762,995
Total Expenses	877,867	762,995
(a) Major components of income tax expense Income Tax expenses and assets arising from the levying of income tax of the Corthe provisions of Australian Accounting Standards AASB 112 - Income Taxes.	mpany have been determined in ac	cordance with
Income Tay (Penefit)/Expense		
Income Tax (Benefit)/Expense Current year income tax	69,561	6,775
Deferred income tax	10,449	(6,773)
Total	80,010	2
(b) Reconciliation between income tax expenses and the accounting profit before	e income tax operating result	
Changes in Net Assets before Tax	321,775	6
Prima facie income tax at 25% (2021: 27.5%)	80,444	2
Decrease in Tax Expenses Due to		
Adjustment due to change in tax rate	(434)	
Total income tax expense/(benefit) on operating profit	80,010	2
9. RECEIVABLES (CURRENT)		
First Super		122,339
Total Receivables (Current)		122,339
10. CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS		
Cash on hand	270	270
Cash at bank - NAB	505,388 505,658	71,884 72 15 4
	500,008	72,154

Notes to the Financial Statements	2022 \$	2021 \$
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11. PAYABLES (CURRENT)		
GST Liability	65,568	25,178
Other Payables	276,115	259,675
	341,683	284,853
12. CURRENT TAX ASSET/(LIABILITY)		
Current Tax Asset/(Liability)	(62,448)	7,112
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13. CONTRIBUTED EQUITY		
Issued and paid up capital		
270 ordinary shares of \$1 each, fully paid (2021: 270)	270	270
Total issued and paid up capital	270	270
14. RETAINED PROFITS		
Balance at the beginning of the period	66,358	66,354
Net profit	241,765	4
Total available for appropriation	308,123	66,358
15. STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS		
Reconciliation of the operating profit after tax to the net cash flows from operations		
Operating profit after tax	241,765	4
Depreciation and write-off of non-current assets	-	-
Changes in assets and liabilities		
Current tax asset	69,560	7,785
Deferred tax asset	-	-
Prepayment	(67,439)	(23,568)
Receivables	122,339	163,492
Payables	56,830	(105,645)
Deferred tax liability	10,449	(6,773)
Net cash flow from/(used in) operating activities	433,504	35,295

16. RELATED PARTY TRANSACTIONS

(a) Director and Key Management Personnel

The Key Management personnel for the Company during or since the end of the financial year were:

Director:

Dean Brakell Candy Broad
Robyn Burns Denise Campbell-Burns
Timothy Chatfield Julie George
Janet Gilbert Scott McDine
Michael O'Connor (Co-Chair) Anthony Pavey

Mike Radda (Co-Chair) Casey Thompson (appointed 12 September 2022)

Frank Vari (resigned 7 August 2022)

Change in associate director status:

Casey Thompson ceased as an asssociate director and was appointed as a director on 12 September 2022.

Other key management personnel

William Watson is the Chief Executive Officer of First Super Pty Ltd. Maxine Jacona resigned as Company Secretary of First Super Pty Ltd on 23 February 2022. Laurie Kennedy was appointed as interim Company Secretary on 23 February 2022 and resigned from this role on 11 May 2022. Lisa Rayner was appointed Company Secretary on 11 May 2022.

Notes to the Financial Statements

16. RELATED PARTY TRANSACTIONS (CONTINUED)

(b) Compensation of Key Management Personnel

Compensation of Key Management Personnel Director Remuneration ¹														
							ation from							
Directors	Position Held	FY Year	Meeting Fees Paid and Payable	Travel allowance and other expenses paid	Total remuneration	SBA ²	Frontier ³	Recipient Organisation/Entity						
Dean Brakell ⁴	Director	2021/2022	\$34,352	\$3,505	\$37,857	n/a	na	ACFA ⁵						
		2020/2021	\$35,695	\$1,815	\$37,510									
Cond. Brood	Independent	2021/2022	\$29,473	\$5,230	\$34,703	,	- /-	Ozada Bazad						
Candy Broad	Director	2020/2021	\$55,880	\$0	\$55,880	n/a	n/a	Candy Broad						
	6	2021/2022	\$36,645	\$8,563	\$45,208	,	,	5.1.5						
Robyn Burns	Director	2020/2021	\$35,200	\$0	\$35,200	n/a	n/a	Robyn Burns						
Denise	D : .	2021/2022	\$35,167	\$11,405	\$46,572	,	,							
Campbell - Burns	Director	2020/2021	\$38,115	\$0	\$38,115	n/a	n/a	CFMMEU ⁶						
T 1 0 5 1	Independent	2021/2022	\$41,225	\$0	\$41,225		,			,	,		,	T
Timothy Chatfield	Director	2020/2021	\$38,775	\$0	\$38,775	n/a	n/a	Timothy Chatfield						
		2021/2022	\$38,613	\$5,999	\$44,612	\$15,675	,							
Julie George	Director	2020/2021	\$36,905	\$1,815	\$38,720	\$8,250	n/a	Busi Culture Pty Ltd						
		2021/2022	\$45,957	\$15,482	\$61,439	n/a								
Janet Gilbert	Director	2020/2021	\$48,400	\$1,650	\$50,050		n/a	Janet Gilbert						
_		2021/2022	\$1,136	\$0	\$1,136	1		_						
Lisa Marty ⁷	Director	2020/2021	\$28,435	\$0	\$28,435	n/a	n/a	Lisa Marty						
		2021/2022	\$22,117	\$0	\$22,117			\$16,104	6					
Scott McDine	Director	2020/2021	\$33,275	\$0	\$33,275	n/a	\$16,187	CFMMEU ⁶						
Alex Millar8	Director	2020/2021	\$9,075	\$0	\$9,075	n/a	n/a	CFMMEU ⁶						
		2021/2022	\$73,537	\$15,380	\$88,917									
Michael O'Connor	Co-Chair	2020/2021	\$77,138	\$0	\$77,138	n/a	n/a	CFMMEU ⁶						
		2021/2022	\$36,423	\$9,419	\$45,842									
Anthony Pavey ⁹	Director	2020/2021	\$14,520	\$1,815	\$16,335	n/a	n/a	CFMMEU ⁶						
		2021/2022	\$46,292	\$0	\$46,292									
Mike Radda	Co-Chair	2020/2021	\$55,330	\$383	\$55,713	n/a	n/a	Sterad Pty Ltd						
	2021/2022		\$35,327											
Casey Thompson ¹⁰	Associate Director	2020/2021	\$10,438	\$1,815	\$12,253	n/a	n/a	CFMMEU ⁶						
Family Mari	Discostor	2021/2022	\$37,679	\$8,477	\$46,156	\$13,200	- /-	6						
Frank Vari	Director	2020/2021	\$41,140	\$0	\$41,140	\$3,300	n/a	CFMMEU ⁶						

Note:

¹ The remuneration above includes GST and Superannuation where applicable for current and former directors. Not all directors a re registered for GST.

² SBA = Super Benefits Administration Pty Ltd.

³ Frontier = Frontier Advisors Pty Ltd.

⁴Dean Brakell was appointed as a director on 1 January 2021.

⁵ ACFA = Australian Cabinet and Furniture Assocation.

⁶ CFMMEU = Construction Forestry Maritime Mining & Energy Union – Manufacturing Division.

⁷Lisa Marty resigned on 31 December 2020. The fee for 2021/2022 was for chairing a First Super sub-committee.

⁸ Alex Millar resigned on 13 November 2020.

⁹ Anthony Pavey was appointed as a director on 1 January 2021.

¹⁰ Casey Thompson was appointed as an associate director on 1 January 2021.

Notes to the Financial Statements

16. RELATED PARTY TRANSACTIONS (CONTINUED)

(b) Compensation of Key Management Personnel

Trade payables

Directors fees payable, which are shown as part of Note 11, at 30 June 2022 were \$156,235 (2021: \$100,028). These amounts are included in the table above.

_	Executive Remuneration							
Executive Officers	Position Held	FY Year	Paid - Cash Component	Superannuation Contributions includes SG and Salary Sacrifice	Other ¹	Total remuneration		
William Watson	050	2021/22	\$394,699	\$27,250	\$21,764	\$443,713		
william watson	CEO	2020/21	\$373,205	\$25,000	\$10,870	\$409,075		
Michelle Boucher ²	Deputy CEO	2021/22	\$291,328	\$24,172	\$8,489	\$323,989		
		2020/21	\$68,332	\$5,513	\$1,441	\$75,286		
	Executive Manager -	2021/22	\$173,745	\$12,611	\$0	\$186,356		
Maxine Jacona ³	Governance	2020/21	\$194,407	\$18,468	\$4,851	\$217,726		
Andrew Jewell	Executive Manager - Financial	2021/22	\$179,000	\$17,899	\$5,250	\$202,149		
Andrew Jewell	Advice and Education	2020/21	\$166,264	\$15,791	\$4,186	\$186,241		
Lauria Kannadi A	Risk Manager - Risk	2021/22	\$113,407	\$18,497	\$3,299	\$135,203		
Laurie Kennedy ⁴	Risk Mariager - Risk	2020/21	\$106,671	\$17,257	\$2,837	\$126,765		
Lisa Rayner ⁵	Exective Manager - Governance	2021/22	\$56,643	\$5,664	\$1,153	\$63,460		
Brad Weldon ⁶	Executive Manager - Member and Employer Services	2020/21	\$83,111	\$7,389	\$0	\$90,500		

Note:

⁶ Brad Weldon resigned on 26 November 2020.

17. AUDITORS REMUNERATION	2022 \$	2021 \$
Amounts received or due and receivable by the Auditors for Auditing services: Remuneration paid or payable for services provided by the auditor, BDO:		
BDO - Audit and review of the Financial Statements Other Assurance Services	6,000 - 6,000	5,000 - 5,000

First Super Pty Ltd pays for the audit of the Company and Australian Financial Services Licence. Other fees are paid by the fund.

18. SUBSEQUENT EVENTS

Frank Vari resigned as a director on 7 August 2022. Casey Thompson was appointed as a director (previously associate director) on 12 September 2022. There are no other significant events which have occurred subsequent to 30 June 2022.

¹ Other includes salary sacrificed benefits and long service leave accrued in the financial year.

² Michelle Boucher was appointed on 6 April 2021.

³ Maxine Jacona resigned as Executive Manager - Governance on 17 March 2022 and as Company Secretary on 23 February 2022. The "cash component' includes payment of Ms Jacona's accrued entitlements for annual leave (\$19,570) and long service leave (\$28,058). No additional benefit was paid upon Ms Jacona's resignation.

⁴ Laurie Kennedy works part-time. Mr Kennedy was the Company Secretary for the period from 23 February 2022 until 11 May 2022. The remuneration is for the full financial year.

⁵ Lisa Rayner was appointed on 19 April 2022 and as Company Secretary on 11 May 2022. The remuneration shown is for the period from 19 April 2022 to 30 June 2022.

Directors' Declaration

In the opinion of the directors of First Super Pty Limited ("the Company"):

The financial statements and notes that are set out here-in, and are in accordance with the Corporations Act 2001, including:

- (i) giving a true and fair view of the financial position of the Company as at 30 June 2022 and of its performance, for the financial year ended on that date.
- (ii) complying with Accounting Standards in Australia and the Corporations Regulations 2001: and
- (iii) there are reasonable grounds to believe that the Company will be able to pay its debts as and when they become due and payable.

The directors draw attention to Note 2(a) to the financial statements, which includes a statement of compliance with International Financial Reporting Standards.

Signed in accordance with a resolution of the directors.

Mike Radda
Mike Radda (Sep 27, 2022 19:16 GMT+10)

Director

Director

Dated this 20th day of September 2022

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DECLARATION OF INDEPENDENCE BY JAMES DIXON TO THE DIRECTORS OF FIRST SUPER PTY LTD

As lead auditor of First Super Pty Ltd for the year ended 30 June 2022, I declare that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, there have been:

- 1. No contraventions of the auditor independence requirements of the *Corporations Act 2001* in relation to the audit; and
- 2. No contraventions of any applicable code of professional conduct in relation to the audit.

JAMES DIXON Director

BDO Audit Pty Ltd

Melbourne, 20 September 2022



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INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT

To the members of First Super Pty Ltd

Report on the Audit of the Financial Report

Opinion

We have audited the financial report of First Super Pty Ltd (the Company), which comprises the statement of financial position as at 30 June 2022, the statement of profit or loss and other comprehensive income, the statement of changes in equity and the statement of cash flows for the year then ended, and notes to the financial report, including a summary of significant accounting policies, and the directors' declaration.

In our opinion the accompanying financial report of First Super Pty Ltd, is in accordance with the *Corporations Act 2001*, including:

- (i) Giving a true and fair view of the Company's financial position as at 30 June 2022 and of its financial performance for the year ended on that date; and
- (ii) Complying with Australian Accounting Standards and the Corporations Regulations 2001.

Basis for opinion

We conducted our audit in accordance with Australian Auditing Standards. Our responsibilities under those standards are further described in the *Auditor's responsibilities for the audit of the Financial Report* section of our report. We are independent of the Company in accordance with the *Corporations Act 2001* and the ethical requirements of the Accounting Professional and Ethical Standards Board's APES 110 *Code of Ethics for Professional Accountants (including Independence Standards)* (the Code) that are relevant to our audit of the financial report in Australia. We have also fulfilled our other ethical responsibilities in accordance with the Code.

We confirm that the independence declaration required by the *Corporations Act 2001*, which has been given to the directors of the Company, would be in the same terms if given to the directors as at the time of this auditor's report.

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

Other information

The directors are responsible for the other information. The other information obtained at the date of this auditor's report is information included in the directors' report, but does not include the financial report and our auditor's report thereon.

Our opinion on the financial report does not cover the other information and accordingly we do not express any form of assurance conclusion thereon.

In connection with our audit of the financial report, our responsibility is to read the other information and, in doing so, consider whether the other information is materially inconsistent with the financial report or our knowledge obtained in the audit, or otherwise appears to be materially misstated.



If, based on the work we have performed on the other information obtained prior to the date of this auditor's report, we conclude that there is a material misstatement of this other information, we are required to report that fact. We have nothing to report in this regard.

Responsibilities of the directors 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* and for 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.

In preparing the financial report, the directors are responsible for assessing the Company's ability to continue as a going concern, disclosing, as applicable, matters related to going concern and using the going concern basis of accounting unless the directors either intend to liquidate the Company or to cease operations, or has no realistic alternative but to do so.

Auditor's responsibilities for the audit of the Financial Report

Our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial report as a whole is free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error, and to issue an auditor's report that includes our opinion. Reasonable assurance is a high level of assurance, but is not a guarantee that an audit conducted in accordance with the Australian Auditing Standards will always detect a material misstatement when it exists. Misstatements can arise from fraud or error and are considered material if, individually or in the aggregate, they could reasonably be expected to influence the economic decisions of users taken on the basis of this financial report.

A further description of our responsibilities for the audit of the financial report is located at the Auditing and Assurance Standards Board website (http://www.auasb.gov.au/Home.aspx) at:

http://www.auasb.gov.au/auditors_responsibilities/ar4.pdf

This description forms part of our auditor's report.

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James Dixon Director

Melbourne, 20 September 2022