



NEW HOPE INTERNATIONAL LIMITED

ABN 73 098 895 526

2017 Annual Report

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2nd November, 2017

The Directors,
New Hope International Limited
46 Amy Street
REGENTS PARK NSW 2143

Dear Sirs,

We report the completion of our examination of the books of account and records of your company for the year ended 30 June 2017 and have pleasure in furnishing herewith the following Statements of Account: -

- (1) Statement of Profit or Loss and Other Comprehensive Income for the year ended 30 June 2017.
- (2) Statement of Financial Position as at 30 June 2017.
- (3) Statement of Changes in Members' Funds for the year ended 30 June 2017.
- (4) Statement of Cash Flows for the year ended 30 June 2017.
- (5) Notes to the Financial Statements for the year ended 30 June 2017.
- (6) Overseas Aid Programs Income Statement for the year ended 30 June 2017.
- (7) Overseas Aid Programs Balance Sheet as at 30 June 2017.
- (8) Overseas Aid Programs Statement of Changes in Members' Funds for the year ended 30 June 2017.
- (9) Notes to the Overseas Aid Programs Financial Statements for the year ended 30 June 2017.
- (10) Directors' Declaration and Independent Auditor's Report to the Members in respect of the financial report for the year ended 30 June 2017.
- (11) Disclaimer in respect of Additional Financial Data.
- (12) Detailed Income Statement for the year ended 30 June 2017.

Yours faithfully,

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STATEMENT OF PROFIT OR LOSS AND OTHER COMPREHENSIVE INCOME
FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2017

		2017	2016
		\$	\$
	Notes		
Revenue	2	106,450	152,137
Depreciation expense	3	(341)	(411)
Employee benefits expense		(63,830)	(70,713)
Other expenses		(58,101)	(94,861)
Profit / (loss) before income tax expense	3	<u>(15,822)</u>	<u>(13,848)</u>
Income tax expense	1(b)	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>
Profit / (loss) for the year		<u>(15,822)</u>	<u>(13,848)</u>
Other comprehensive income		<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>
Total comprehensive income attributable to members of the company		<u><u>(15,822)</u></u>	<u><u>(13,848)</u></u>

The statement of profit or loss and other comprehensive income should be read in conjunction with the notes to the financial statements.

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STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION
AS AT 30 JUNE 2017

		2017	2016
		\$	\$
	Notes		
Current assets			
Cash and cash equivalents	4	45,368	58,426
Trade and other receivables	5	22	44
Inventories	6	4,360	4,360
Total current assets		<u>49,750</u>	<u>62,830</u>
Non-current assets			
Property, plant and equipment	7	1,198	1,539
Total non-current assets		<u>1,198</u>	<u>1,539</u>
Total assets		<u>50,948</u>	<u>64,369</u>
Current liabilities			
Trade and other payables	8	2,461	60
Total current liabilities		<u>2,461</u>	<u>60</u>
Total liabilities		<u>2,461</u>	<u>60</u>
Net assets		<u>48,487</u>	<u>64,309</u>
Members' funds			
Reserves		21,087	28,793
Retained profits		27,400	35,516
Total members' funds		<u>48,487</u>	<u>64,309</u>

The statement of financial position should be read in conjunction with the notes to the financial statements.

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN MEMBERS' FUNDS
FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2017

	Aid and development fund	Retained profits	Total
Balance 1 July 2015	25,702	52,455	78,157
Profit/(loss) for year	-	(13,848)	(13,848)
Transfers (to)/from reserves			-
- Aid and development fund	3,091	-	3,091
Transfers to/(from) retained profits	<u> </u>	<u>(3,091)</u>	<u>(3,091)</u>
Balance 30 June 2016	28,793	35,516	64,309
Profit/(loss) for year	-	(15,822)	(15,822)
Transfers (to)/from reserves			-
- Aid and development fund	(7,706)	-	(7,706)
Transfers to/(from) retained profits	<u> </u>	<u>7,706</u>	<u>7,706</u>
Balance 30 June 2017	<u><u>21,087</u></u>	<u><u>27,400</u></u>	<u><u>48,487</u></u>

The statement of changes in members' funds should be read in conjunction with the notes to the financial statements.

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STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS
FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2017

	Notes	2017 \$ Inflows (Outflows)	2016 \$ Inflows (Outflows)
Cash flows from operating activities			
Donations and gifts received		84,057	93,745
Other income received		18,627	38,497
Publication sales		2,249	5,302
Effective teaching seminars		-	18,316
Interest received		119	161
Membership dues received		1,420	1,030
Payments to suppliers, employees and others		<u>(119,530)</u>	<u>(165,601)</u>
Net cash provided by / (used in) operating activities	9	<u>(13,058)</u>	<u>(8,550)</u>
 Cash flows from investing activities			
Payments for property, plant and equipment		<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>
Net cash provided by investing activities		<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>
 Net increase / (decrease) in cash held		(13,058)	(8,550)
Cash at the beginning of the financial year		<u>58,426</u>	<u>66,976</u>
Cash at the end of the financial year	4	<u><u>45,368</u></u>	<u><u>58,426</u></u>

The statement of cash flows should be read in conjunction with the notes to the financial statements.

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NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2017

NOTE 1 - STATEMENT OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

(a) Basis of accounting

New Hope International Limited has adopted the pronouncements of AASB 1053: Application of Tiers of Australian Accounting Standards and AASB 2010-2: Amendments to Australian Accounting Standards arising from Reduced Disclosure Requirements.

The financial statements are general purpose financial statements that have been prepared in accordance with Australian Accounting Standards - Reduced Disclosure Requirements of the Australian Accounting Standards Board, the Australian Charities and Not-for-profits Commission Act 2012 (ACNC Act) and the NSW Charitable Fundraising Act. The company is a not-for-profit entity for financial reporting purposes under Australian Accounting Standards.

Australian Accounting Standards set out accounting policies that the AASB has concluded would result in a financial report containing relevant and reliable information about transactions, events and conditions.

The financial statements, except for cash flow information, have been prepared on an accruals basis and are based on historical costs and do not take into account changing money values or, except where stated, current valuations of non-current assets. Cost is based on the fair values of the consideration given in exchange for assets.

The financial statements cover New Hope International Limited as an individual entity and were authorised for issue on 2nd November 2017 by the directors of the company.

New Hope International Limited is a company limited by guarantee, incorporated and domiciled in Australia. Its registered office and principal place of business is:

46 Amy Street
Regents Park NSW 2143.

The following is a summary of the principal accounting policies adopted in the preparation of the financial statements. These policies have been consistently applied, unless otherwise stated.

(b) Income Tax

New Hope International Limited is exempt from income tax.

(c) Revenue recognition

Revenue is recognised for the major business activities as follows:

(i) Donations and gifts

The timing of the recognition of donations and gifts depends on when control of these is obtained, usually upon receipt of the monies. Where monies were obtained on the condition that they be expended in a particular manner and the condition is undischarged as at the reporting date, the nature and amounts pertaining to those undischarged conditions are recorded as a liability.

(ii) Interest

Interest is recognised in the statement of comprehensive income when received.

(d) Investments

Interests in unlisted trusts are brought to account at cost and trust distributions reinvested are recognised in the statement of comprehensive income when receivable.

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NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
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NOTE 1 - STATEMENT OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

(e) Property, plant and equipment

Plant and equipment are measured on the cost basis. The carrying amount of plant and equipment is reviewed annually by directors to ensure it is not in excess of the recoverable amount from those assets. The recoverable amount is assessed on the basis of the expected net cash flows which will be received from the assets employment and subsequent disposal. The expected net cash flows have not been discounted to present values in determining the recoverable amount.

Depreciation of property, plant and equipment

Depreciation is calculated on a straight line basis to write off the net cost or revalued amount of each item of property, plant and equipment (excluding land and buildings) over its expected useful life to the company. The expected useful lives are as follows:

Computer equipment: 5 years
Other equipment: 6.75 to 10 years

(f) Inventory

Stock is valued at the lower of cost and net realisable value.

(g) Value of volunteers

The value of services provided by volunteers is not included in revenue or expenses because of the practical difficulties involved.

(h) Cash and cash equivalents

For the purposes of the Statement of Cash Flows, cash includes deposits at call with financial institutions and other highly liquid investments with short periods to maturity which are readily convertible to cash on hand and are subject to an insignificant risk of changes in value, net of outstanding bank overdrafts.

(i) Specific funds

These are funds that have originated from donations and are subject to specific conditions for their use. The company is responsible for all expenditure, and using these funds on the basis of eligible expenditure.

(j) Goods and Services Tax (GST)

Revenues, expenses and assets are recognised net of the amount of GST, except where the amount of GST incurred is not recoverable from the Australian Tax Office. In these circumstances the GST is recognised as part of the cost of acquisition of the asset or as part of an item of the expense.

(k) Investments and financial assets

The company classifies its investments as available-for-sale financial assets. Available-for-sale financial assets are assets not classified as financial assets at fair value through profit and loss, loans and receivables, or held-to-maturity investments. They are reflected at fair value and unrealised gains and losses arising from changes in fair value are taken direct to members' funds.

(l) Fair value

Fair value is determined based on current bid prices for all financial assets.

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	2017 \$	2016 \$
NOTE 2 - REVENUE		
Revenue from operating activities		
Donations and gifts	84,057	93,745
Consultancy income	450	-
Publication sales	2,227	388
Interest	119	161
International training seminars	-	18,316
Membership dues	1,420	1,030
Other income	18,177	38,497
Revenue from ordinary activities	<u>106,450</u>	<u>152,137</u>

NOTE 3 - PROFIT AND LOSS FROM ORDINARY ACTIVITIES

Profit from and loss from ordinary activities before income tax is arrived at after charging the following specific items:

Costs of publications	-	2,639
Auditors' Remuneration	-	-
Depreciation		
Plant and equipment	341	411

NOTE 4 - CURRENT ASSETS - CASH & CASH EQUIVALENTS

Cash at bank (CBA) - NHI No.1 account	4,262	9,583
Cash at bank (CBA) - Working account	15,148	10,294
Cash at bank (CBA) - Cash investment account	4,871	9,756
Cash at bank (CBA) - Overseas aid & development account	18,985	27,354
Travel money card (CBA) - Overseas aid & development account	2,102	1,439
	<u>45,368</u>	<u>58,426</u>

The above figures are reconciled to cash at the end of the financial year as shown in the statement of cash flows.

NOTE 5 - CURRENT ASSETS - TRADE & OTHER RECEIVABLES

Trade debtors	22	44
	<u>22</u>	<u>44</u>

NOTE 6 - CURRENT ASSETS - INVENTORIES

Stock on hand	4,360	4,360
	<u>4,360</u>	<u>4,360</u>

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	2017 \$	2016 \$
NOTE 7 - NON-CURRENT ASSETS - PROPERTY, PLANT AND EQUIPMENT (REFER NOTE 13)		
Plant and equipment		
Computer equipment - at cost	14,504	14,504
Less: Accumulated depreciation	<u>(14,009)</u>	<u>(13,890)</u>
	<u>495</u>	<u>614</u>
 Other equipment - at cost	 2,790	 2,790
Less: Accumulated depreciation	<u>(2,087)</u>	<u>(1,865)</u>
	<u>703</u>	<u>925</u>
 Total plant and equipment	 <u><u>1,198</u></u>	 <u><u>1,539</u></u>
NOTE 8 - CURRENT LIABILITIES - TRADE & OTHER PAYABLES		
Trade creditors	<u>2,461</u>	<u>60</u>
	<u><u>2,461</u></u>	<u><u>60</u></u>
NOTE 9 - RECONCILIATION OF NET CASH PROVIDED BY / (USED IN) OPERATING ACTIVITIES TO OPERATING PROFIT / (LOSS) AFTER TAX		
Operating profit / (loss) from ordinary activities after related income tax	(15,822)	(13,848)
Depreciation	341	411
Change in operating assets and liabilities		
(Increase) / decrease in receivables	22	4,914
(Increase) / decrease in inventories	-	360
Increase / (decrease) in payables	<u>2,401</u>	<u>(387)</u>
Cash flows provided by / (used in) operating activities	<u><u>(13,058)</u></u>	<u><u>(8,550)</u></u>
NOTE 10 - NON-CASH FINANCING AND INVESTING ACTIVITIES		
Acquisition of units in other corporations by means of trust distribution		
reinvestment	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>
	<u><u>-</u></u>	<u><u>-</u></u>

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NOTE 11 - SEGMENT INFORMATION

The company is engaged in Christian Education and Development both within and outside Australia.

NOTE 12 - RELATED PARTIES

The names of the Directors in office during the financial year are:

Susan L Skuthorpe	Craig Murison
John T Frisken (re-elected 2 December 2016)	Wendy Moran
Robert J Frisken	Mark Bensley
Grahame Kerr (re-elected 2 December 2016)	Elizabeth Hutton
Catriona Wansbrough	Alex Boland (appointed 25 February 2017)

Key management personnel compensation

The directors of the company are considered the key management personnel. No compensation is paid to any of the directors.

Remuneration of Directors:

	2017 \$	2016 \$
Amounts received or receivable by Directors of the company	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>
	2017 \$	2016 \$

NOTE 13 - MOVEMENTS IN CARRYING AMOUNTS OF PROPERTY, PLANT AND EQUIPMENT (REFER NOTE 7)

Balance at the beginning of the year	1,539	1,950
Additions	-	-
Depreciation	<u>(341)</u>	<u>(411)</u>
Carrying amount at the end of the year	<u>1,198</u>	<u>1,539</u>

NOTE 14 - EVENTS SUBSEQUENT TO REPORTING DATE

Since 30 June 2017, no material events that may have an impact on these financial statements have occurred.

The financial report was authorised for issue on the directors' declaration date by the board of directors.

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NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
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NOTE 15 - FINANCIAL RISK MANAGEMENT

The Company's financial instruments consist mainly of deposits with banks, short-term investments, accounts receivable and payables.

The totals for each category of financial instruments, measured in accordance with AASB 139 as detailed in the accounting policies to these financial statements, are as follows;

(a) Interest rate risk

The entity's exposure to interest rate risk, which is the risk that a financial instrument's value will fluctuate as a result of changes in market interest rates and the effective weighted average interest rates on classes of financial assets and financial liabilities, is as follows:

	Weighted average effective interest rate		Floating interest rate		Fixed interest rate within 1 year	
	2017	2016	2017	2016	2017	2016
	%	%	\$	\$	\$	\$
Financial assets						
- Cash	1	1	45,368	58,426	-	-
- Receivables	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total financial assets			45,368	58,426	-	-
Financial liabilities						
- Trade and sundry creditors	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total financial liabilities			-	-	-	-
	Fixed interest rate within 1 to 5 years		Non-interest bearing		TOTAL	
	2017	2016	2017	2016	2017	2016
	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
Financial assets						
- Cash	-	-	-	-	45,368	58,426
- Receivables	-	-	22	44	22	44
Total financial assets	-	-	22	44	45,390	58,470
Financial liabilities						
- other creditors	-	-	2,461	60	2,461	60
Total financial liabilities	-	-	2,461	60	2,461	60

(b) Credit risk

The maximum exposure to credit risk, excluding the value of any collateral or other security, at the reporting date to recognised financial assets is the carrying amount, net of any provisions for doubtful debts of those assets, as disclosed in the Statement of Financial Position and Notes to the Financial Statements.

(c) Net fair values

For other assets and other liabilities the net value approximates their carrying value.

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NOTE 16 - FUNDRAISING

New Hope International Limited undertakes fundraising appeals throughout the year; it holds authority to fundraise under the Charitable Fundraising Act 1991 (NSW); additional information and declarations to be furnished under this

Details of Aggregate Gross Income and Total Expenses of Fundraising Appeals

	2017	2016
	\$	\$
Gross proceeds from fundraising appeals		
General	12,022	4,966
Salary Deduction Appeal (Your Change Will Help)	24,850	29,428
Staff Support Income	25,704	33,638
Librarian Appeal	632	-
Maryanne Mercy Fund	-	-
Bangladesh	-	1,600
Kenya	-	580
Papua New Guinea	-	591
Uganda	20,273	22,942
	<u>83,481</u>	<u>93,745</u>
Less:		
Total costs of fundraising appeals		
General	-	-
Staff Stipends	27,363	32,636
Librarian Appeal	-	-
Maryanne Mercy Fund	-	-
Overseas Appeals	-	-
	<u>27,363</u>	<u>32,636</u>
Net Surplus obtained from fundraising appeals	<u>56,118</u>	<u>61,109</u>

Application of Funds

Funds raised for countries other than Australia are used to provide educational support for Christian School communities in these countries in these countries.

Forms of Appeal

General and personal appeals for other countries were made at various times throughout the year. The Maryanne Mercy Fund was set up upon the passing away of Maryanne Frisken on December 3rd, 2008 and assists orphans and widows in less developed countries of the world. The Maryanne Mercy Fund holds general and personal appeals from time to time throughout the year as an ongoing project.

Staff Support Income

Individual staff raise income and these funds are then used to pay their stipends.

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NOTE 16 - FUNDRAISING (CONTINUED)

Traders

New Hope International Limited uses volunteers to manage and co-ordinate its fundraising activities and as such does not engage commercial fundraising traders to secure donations.

Declaration by Chairperson as required by the Charitable Fundraising Act 1991 (NSW)

I, Robert Frisken, Chairperson of New Hope International Limited, declare that in my opinion:

- (a) The accounts for the year ended 30 June 2017 give a true and fair view of all income and expenditure of New Hope International Limited with respect to fundraising appeals; and
- (b) The statement of financial position as at 30 June 2017 gives a true and fair view of the state of affairs with respect to fundraising appeals; and
- (c) The provisions of the Charitable Fundraising Act 1991 (NSW) and the regulations under that Act and the conditions attached to the authority have been complied with; and
- (d) The internal controls exercised by New Hope International Limited are appropriate and effective for all income received and applied from any fundraising appeals.

Signed

Robert J Frisken
Chairperson
2nd November, 2017

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Schedule 1/1

OVERSEAS AID PROGRAMS
INCOME STATEMENT
FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2017

	Notes	2017 \$	2016 \$
Revenue			
Donations and gifts - monetary & non-monetary		20,845	25,713
Interest received		4	-
Total revenue		<u>20,849</u>	<u>25,713</u>
Expenses			
Overseas projects			
- funds to overseas projects	1	<u>28,555</u>	<u>22,622</u>
Total expenses		<u>28,555</u>	<u>22,622</u>
Excess of revenue over expenses (shortfall) from continuing operations		(7,706)	3,091
Funds available for future use at the beginning of the financial year		<u>28,793</u>	<u>25,702</u>
FUNDS AVAILABLE FOR FUTURE USE AT THE END OF THE FINANCIAL YEAR		<u><u>21,087</u></u>	<u><u>28,793</u></u>

The above income statement should be read in conjunction with the notes to the financial statements.

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Schedule 1/2

OVERSEAS AID PROGRAMS
BALANCE SHEET
AS AT 30 JUNE 2017

		2017	2016
		\$	\$
	Notes		
Current assets			
Cash and cash equivalents	2	<u>21,087</u>	<u>28,793</u>
Total assets		21,087	28,793
Total liabilities		<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>
Net assets		<u><u>21,087</u></u>	<u><u>28,793</u></u>
Members' funds			
Reserves		<u>21,087</u>	<u>28,793</u>
Total members' funds		<u><u>21,087</u></u>	<u><u>28,793</u></u>

The balance sheet should be read in conjunction with the notes to the financial statements.

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Schedule 1/3

OVERSEAS AID PROGRAMS
STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN MEMBERS' FUNDS
FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2017

	Retained profits	Reserves	Total
Balance 1 July 2015	-	25,702	25,702
Excess/(shortfall) of revenue over expenses	3,091	-	3,091
Amount transferred (to)/from reserves	<u>(3,091)</u>	<u>3,091</u>	<u>-</u>
Balance 30 June 2016	-	28,793	28,793
Excess/(shortfall) of revenue over expenses	(7,706)		(7,706)
Amount transferred (to)/from reserves	<u>7,706</u>	<u>(7,706)</u>	<u>-</u>
Balance 30 June 2017	<u>-</u>	<u>21,087</u>	<u>21,087</u>

The statement of changes in members' funds should be read in conjunction with the notes to the financial statements.

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NOTES TO OVERSEAS AID PROGRAMS
FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2017

Overseas Aid Programs

These notes relate directly to the previous schedules drawn up for the work of Overseas Aid Programs in accordance with the Code of Conduct of the Australian Council for International Development (ACFID). The figures represented have been summarised from the financial statements of New Hope International Limited.

Note 1. Funds to overseas projects by country

	2017	2016
	\$	\$
Phillipines	-	1,500
Tonga	36	618
Uganda	27,639	20,504
Bangladesh	880	-
	<u>28,555</u>	<u>22,622</u>

Note 2. Cash and cash equivalents

Cash at bank - CBA (Overseas Aid & Development)	18,985	27,354
Travel money card CBA - (Overseas Aid & Development)	2,102	1,439
	<u>21,087</u>	<u>28,793</u>

Note 3. Table of cash movements for designated purposes

	Cash available at beginning of year \$	Cash raised during year \$	Cash disbursed during year \$	Cash available at end of year \$
Librarian support program	1,084	576	36	1,624
Maryanne Mercy Fund	8,161	-	-	8,161
Uganda	10,667	20,273	27,639	3,301
Kenya	580	-	-	580
Bangladesh	1,600	-	880	720
Papua New Guinea	6,701	-	-	6,701
TOTAL	<u>28,793</u>	<u>20,849</u>	<u>28,555</u>	<u>21,087</u>

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DIRECTORS' DECLARATION

The directors of the company declare that:

1. the financial statements and notes are in accordance with the Australian Charities and Not-for-profits Commission Act 2012 (ACNC Act) and:
 - (a) comply with Australian Accounting Standards - Reduced Disclosure Requirements; and
 - (b) give a true and fair view of the company's financial position as at 30 June 2017 and of its performance for the year ended on that date;
2. in the directors' opinion there are reasonable grounds to believe that the company will be able to pay its debts as and when they become due and payable.

This declaration is made in accordance with a resolution of the directors and is signed in accordance with subsection 60.15(2) of the Australian Charities and Not-for-profits Commission Regulation 2013.

Director

Director

Date 2nd November, 2017

**INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT TO THE MEMBERS OF
NEW HOPE INTERNATIONAL LIMITED
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Opinion

We have audited the financial report of New Hope International Limited, which comprises the statement of financial position as at 30 June 2017, the statement of profit or loss and other comprehensive income, statement of changes in members' funds and statement of cash flows for the year then ended, and notes to the financial statements, including a summary of significant accounting policies, and the Directors' declaration.

In our opinion, the financial report of New Hope International Limited has been prepared in accordance with Division 60 of the Australian Charities and Not-for-profits Commission Act 2012, including;

- (a) giving a true and fair view of the company's financial position as at 30 June, 2017 and of its financial performance for the year then ended; and
- (b) complying with Australian Accounting Standards - Reduced Disclosure Requirements and the Australian Charities and Not-for-profits Commission Regulation 2013.

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 ethical requirements of the Accounting Professional and Ethical Standards Board's APES 110: Code of Ethics for Professional Accountants (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 believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion.

Report on other Regulatory Requirements

In our opinion:

- (a) the financial statements show a true and fair view of the financial result of fundraising appeals for the year ended 30 June 2017; and
- (b) the financial statements and associated records of the company have been properly kept during the year in accordance with the New South Wales Charitable Fundraising Act 1991 and its Regulations; and
- (c) money received as a result of fundraising appeals conducted during the year ended 30 June 2017 has been properly accounted for and applied in accordance with such Act and its Regulations; and
- (d) the company is solvent.

Information Other than the Financial Report and Auditor's Report Thereon

The directors are responsible for the other information. The other information comprises the information included in the company annual report for the year ended 30 June 2017, 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 misstated. If, based on the work we have performed, 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 - Reduced Disclosure Requirements and the Australian Charities and Not-for-profits Commission Act 2012 and for such internal control as the Directors determine is necessary to enable the preparation of a 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 relating 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 have no realistic alternative but to do so.

Our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial report as a whole is free from material

As part of an audit in accordance with Australian Auditing Standards, we exercise professional judgement and maintain professional scepticism throughout the audit. We also:

- Identify and assess the risks of material misstatement of the financial report, whether due to fraud or error, design and perform audit procedures responsive to those risks, and obtain audit evidence that is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion. The risk of not detecting a material misstatement resulting from fraud is higher than for one resulting from error, as fraud may involve collusion, forgery, intentional omissions, misrepresentations, or the override of internal control.
- Obtain an understanding of internal control relevant to audit 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.
- Evaluate the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of accounting estimates and related disclosures made by the directors.
- Conclude on the appropriateness of the directors' use of the going concern basis of accounting and, based on the audit evidence obtained, whether a material uncertainty exists related to events or conditions that may cast significant doubt on the company's ability to continue as a going concern. If we conclude that a material uncertainty exists, we are required to draw attention in our auditor's report to the related disclosures in the financial report or, if such disclosures are inadequate, to modify our opinion. Our conclusions are based on the audit evidence obtained up to the date of our auditor's report. However, future events or conditions may cause the company to cease to continue as a going concern.
- Evaluate the overall presentation, structure and content of the financial report, including the disclosures, and whether the financial report represents the underlying transactions and events in a manner that achieves fair presentation.

We communicate with the directors regarding, among other matters, the planned scope and timing of the audit and significant audit findings, including any significant deficiencies in internal control that we identify during our audit.

THOMAS DAVIS & CO.

J G RYAN

PARTNER

Chartered Accountants

SYDNEY,
2nd November, 2017

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DISCLAIMER

**TO THE MEMBERS OF
NEW HOPE INTERNATIONAL LIMITED
ABN 73 098 895 526**

The additional financial data presented in the following pages is in accordance with the books and records of New Hope International Limited which have been subjected to the auditing procedures applied in our statutory audit of New Hope International Limited for the year ended 30 June 2017.

It will be appreciated that our audit did not cover all details of the additional financial data. Accordingly, we do not express an opinion on such financial data and no warranty of accuracy or reliability is given.

Neither the firm nor any member or employee of the firm undertakes responsibility in any way whatsoever to any person (other than New Hope International Limited) in respect of such data, including errors or omissions therein however caused.

THOMAS DAVIS & CO.

J G RYAN PARTNER

Chartered Accountants

SYDNEY,
2nd November, 2017

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DETAILED INCOME STATEMENT
FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2017

	2017 \$	2016 \$
Income		
Donations and gifts	63,212	68,032
Donations and gifts - International Development Committee	20,845	25,713
Consultancy income	450	-
International training seminars	-	18,316
Other income received	18,177	38,497
Publication sales	2,227	388
Interest received	119	161
Membership dues	1,420	1,030
Total income	<u>106,450</u>	<u>152,137</u>
Expenses		
Audit fees	-	-
Aid and Development Fund disbursements	31,733	31,802
Bank charges	447	463
Books and publications	-	2,639
Computer expenses	31	582
Depreciation	341	411
General expenses	761	635
Insurance	2,366	2,238
International training seminars	-	14,765
Office expenses	2,151	1,897
Postage	107	170
Printing and stationery	299	2,009
Promotional expenses	5,015	16,111
Salaries and superannuation	63,830	70,713
Subscriptions	578	
Telephone and internet	40	-
Training and educational expenses	12,995	9,351
Travelling and entertainment	1,525	12,199
Website costs	53	-
Total expenses	<u>122,272</u>	<u>165,985</u>
PROFIT / (LOSS) BEFORE INCOME TAX EXPENSE	<u>(15,822)</u>	<u>(13,848)</u>

This is the additional financial data referred to in the Thomas Davis & Co. disclaimer dated 2nd November, 2017.

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DIRECTORS' REPORT

The Directors of New Hope International Limited submit the following report made in accordance with a resolution of the Directors in respect of the period from 1 July, 2016 to 30 June 2017.

Directors

The following, having been previously elected at an AGM, held office during the whole of the reporting period:

FRISKEN John T
FRISKEN Robert J
KERR Graham V
SKUTHORPE Susan L
MORAN Wendy
MURISON Craig B
WANSBROUGH Catriona
BENSLEY Mark
HUTTON Elizabeth

A new Director was appointed by the Board during 2016-2017.

BOLAND Alex (appointed 25 February 2017)

Two Directors retired from their position under Clause 43 of the Constitution and were re-elected at the AGM in 2016.

FRISKEN John T
KERR Graham V

Company's Aims

The aim of the company is expressed by its vision statement "Bringing hope to people through education and community development". It seeks to do this by networking Christian schools in Australia and New Zealand in order to:

- Enhance the opportunities for people in all countries to enjoy a better living standard through the improved provision of education, food and health support for the whole community.
- Initiate programs to assist organisations and governments within the Commonwealth of Australia and New Zealand or elsewhere to deliver better educational opportunities, as a more stable base for society and increased levels of welfare and support to their populations, thereby developing their quality of life and enhancing their economic potential.

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DIRECTORS' REPORT (CONTINUED)

Principal activity

The principal activity of the company during the year has been to work with Christian schools in Australia to become involved in training teachers in the less developed countries to be more effective teachers and to work together to bring hope to people in these countries in particular through education and community development. In doing this, the company has networked Christian schools and tertiary institutes in Australia, New Zealand and in other countries and has developed courses of training and community development. The company has alliances with Christian school groups in Australia and New Zealand and overseas through countries in the Pacific Islands, East Africa, the Francophone countries of Africa and in Asian countries. A major project is the Effective Teaching and Learning Series (ETLS), an inservice training program to equip trainers and educators in developing countries.

In the last 12 months assistance has been given to Australian schools which do mission visits to less developed countries by assisting them in being prepared and equipped to present the ETLS training. The Company also conducts training in Christian schools throughout the year which allows New Hope International to accredit educators as trainers in the Effective Teaching and Learning Series and therefore assisting the Company in training opportunities around the world.

Results

The result of the year's operation was a deficit of \$(15,822) 2017 - (2016: deficit of \$13,848).

Events subsequent to Balance Date

The Directors are not aware of any matter or circumstance not otherwise dealt with in the report that has significantly or may significantly affect the operations of the company, the results of those operations or the state of affairs of the company in subsequent financial years.

Likely Developments

It is anticipated that there will be further growth of the company and its operations during the coming 12 months as they continue to work alongside many less developed countries throughout the world. As the company continues to expand in more and more countries each year, its supporter base needs to grow and it is envisaged that the coming 12 months will see the company focus on promotion and awareness campaigns to see this support base increase.

Review of Operations

The company is a registered charity and receives the bulk of its income from donations from members and associates. As at June 30, 2017 the company had one full time staff, several part-time volunteer staff and a few casual staff which are paid to conduct the ETLS Training within Christian schools as a part of each schools professional development program. The company is endeavouring to expand its network of schools, which provides the support base for its operations. The company is expanding its range of services from which it receives income and in particular with development of professional development courses specifically suited to teachers working in Australian and New Zealand schools. The company has continued to receive sufficient funds to enable it to fulfil its objects.

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DIRECTORS' REPORT (CONTINUED)

Significant Changes

The Directors believe that there have not been any significant changes to its operations during the 2016/2017 financial year.

Auditors

Thomas Davis & Co were appointed as the auditors for the 2016-2017 financial year.

Qualifications and experience of Directors

John T Frisken B.Com, MICAA

John is an information systems consultant specialising in the implementation and review of large financial, asset management and digital technology infrastructure system projects in the healthcare, education, banking and utility industries. John is a Certified Information Systems Auditor and has eighteen year's experience in information systems control and security. John has assisted many organisations in the healthcare, utility, and banking industries to harness information technology to improve business performance and implement greater control over their business operations. John is a Partner of ISG Consulting, which is a leading IT Strategy & Information Security firm providing services to large organisations in the private and public sectors in Australia.

He is a specialist member of IT Chapter of the Institute of Chartered Accountants and a Certified Information Systems Auditor, Information Systems Audit & Control Association member. Prior to forming ISG Consulting with a number of other leading consultants, John was a Principal of Ernst & Young. During the last eight years he has undertaken a range of large and complex projects in the Health Care, Education, and Utility sectors, assisting organisations to re-engineer the business processes through the implementation of information technology. John has a sound understanding of the Australian and International Education and Health Care industries and is seeking opportunities with the establishment of New Hope International Limited to provide expertise to overseas countries wishing to improve the delivery of Health Care and Education Services using information technology. John is married to Annette. They have four children all of whom attend or have attended Christian schools.

Rev Robert (Bob) Frisken (President) AM Med, BA, BD (Hons) Cert Teach. (Chair)

Bob taught for 17 years in the NSW State education system where he was promoted to Commerce Master at Fort Street Boys High School. He resigned from teaching to undertake studies at Morling College in preparation for a vocation as a Baptist minister. He graduated with distinction from Morling College in 1974 and in 1975 was ordained as a Baptist Pastor by the NSW Baptist Union. He served as Pastor at St Marys Baptist Church and Dundas Baptist Church and currently serves as an Associate Pastor at Regents Park Community Church. In 1975 he was appointed as the founding Principal of Christian Community High School. He resigned from that position in 1988 to take up the role as Education Director for Christian Community Schools Ltd (CCSL) in 1979.

He was appointed as the Chair of the Institute of Christian Tertiary Education in 1985 and served in this capacity until ICTE was incorporated and then he became its President in 1991. He has served as a lecturer since 1987 and currently serves as a part-time lecturer of Southland College (The new name for ICTE). In 1991 he was also appointed as President of CCSL a position he held until 2002 when the company was wound up. He served as the Executive Officer of Christian Schools Australia (CSA) in 2001. He also served as a director of Macquarie Christian Studies Institute, the Australian Association of Christian Schools and the College of Christian Higher Education. Bob has served as President of New Hope International since its inception in November 2001. He has conducted training seminars for teachers and principals in overseas schools and has been a speaker at many Christian schools conferences. Bob and his late wife Maryanne have 3 sons and 10 grandchildren and a great grandson.

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DIRECTORS' REPORT (CONTINUED)

Qualifications and experience of Directors (continued)

Craig Murison

Dr Craig Murison was the Founding Principal of Mackay Christian College in 1984 when the school started with 17 students in Years 1 to 7. After 29 years as Principal of the College it now has an enrolment of over 1060 students in Pre-Prep to Year 12. In 2012 the College commenced Pre-Prep in their new purpose built Pre-Prep Learning Centre. The College boasts an excellent record in student achievement with almost 100% of students applying for a university place succeeding, and many others successfully completing School Based Apprenticeships and Traineeships, TAFE courses, or securing good work positions.

During his time at Mackay Christian College Craig has maintained a focus on creating a true learning community where students are encouraged to 'become all God wants them to be.' By providing quality education in a caring, values rich environment, Craig helps students develop the confidence and self-acceptance to succeed in a challenging world. He aligns his personal values of care for others, humility and courage with his organisational values of investing in people, innovation and integrity.

Craig has a Masters of Learning Management and in 2011 achieved his Professional Doctorate. He has spoken at numerous conferences on a variety of leadership issues including the National Christian Teachers Conference in Africa, co-authored four values based coaching manuals as well as other refereed published articles. Craig is a member of a number of Independent school committees, including the Education Advisory Subcommittee of Independent Schools Queensland (ISQ). He is currently a member of Associated Christian Schools and the Queensland Studies Authority Special Needs Committee. He is a member of the Board of Mackay Christian College, Mackay Christian Family, Mackay Christian Care, Gulf Christian College and New Hope International.

Craig sees himself as first and foremost a teacher with a passion for learning. He is married to Candace and has two adult children. He enjoys playing the saxophone and building model airplanes.

Susan Skuthorpe, BA, Dip Ed

Sue Skuthorpe is Principal of Charlton Christian College, NSW. After graduating from Newcastle University with English and History majors, she taught for twelve years in State High Schools. God then called her into Christian schooling. Sue was Principal of Mayfield Christian Community School (now Hunter), then she had the opportunity of working as the State Coordinator for Christian Community Schools NSW. In this position she travelled around the State to aid the establishment of new schools and provide encouragement for existing schools. When she left that position she spent a year in Real Estate then served as a Coordinator at Toongabbie Christian School before accepting her current position at Charlton Christian College. Sue is on the NSW State Council for Christian Schools Australia.

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DIRECTORS' REPORT (CONTINUED)

Qualifications and experience of Directors (continued)

Grahame Kerr

Grahame grew up in a home with one believing parent and attended a Methodist Sunday school until 15 years of age when he also left school. Grahame made a clear cut decision to follow the Lord at the age of 22 whilst serving in the Royal Australian Navy. Grahame and Robyn were married in 1971 while based at Harman in Canberra where they attended the Campbell Gospel Chapel.

Grahame moved to Brisbane in 1973 after the birth of their first son (Matthew) where they attend the Clayfield Gospel Hall until joining the staff of Silky Oaks Children Haven in Manly West in 1974 where they served in full time capacity until the end of 1976. During this time they had their second son (Stuart). In 1977 Grahame was appointed the assistant pastor at the Margaret St. Church of Christ in Toowoomba. In 1979 Grahame took up the Role as Pastor of the Dalby Gospel Chapel. Grahame and Robyn had Joshua in 1979 and Rebecca in 1981. In 1981 they began the Dalby Christian School where Grahame served as Administrator until 1985. Grahame and his family moved to Cairns for a period of 2 years as an itinerant Bible Teacher and was Chaplain to 3 state High Schools for 2 years before returning to Dalby to re- establish the school. For a brief period Grahame was appointed as the Queensland Coordinator for Christian Community Schools on a part time basis. In 1991 Grahame became the Eastern Europe Coordinator for GLO Ministries and served in this capacity for 6 years.

In 1997 Grahame was approached by Mueller College to commence a second campus on the Southside of Brisbane. Groves Christian College commenced in 1999. Since then in collaboration with many others they have commenced or rescued Livingstone Christian College on the Gold Coast, Staines Memorial College, Ipswich, Whitsunday Christian College Cannon Vale, Warwick Christian College, Burnet Youth Learning Centre and more recently been approved for a primary school in Cooktown. In 2007 Grahame was approached by Pastor Raju Sundas. Grahame took a trip to Nepal in January 2009 and the Board made a decision to proceed with the establishment of 'Educate Nepal'. This was done in collaboration with NHI and Pacific Hills Christian College. Grahame resigned as CEO of Christian Community Ministries at the end of 2009 to take up the role as Director of Mission to allow him to concentrate his latter years on assisting Nepal to establish Christian Communities with a primary emphasis on Shelter and education. Grahame formally retired on the 29th October 2010 and continued in this role part time until Dec 2012 when Transform the Nations was formed out of the work of Educate Nepal and he was appointed CEO on a volunteer basis in January 2013 and continues in that role with the support of his wife Robyn.

Catriona Wansbrough

Currently principal at St Andrews Christian College - Wantirna South since 2011. I enjoy serving God and stepping out for Him in my own inadequacies and seeing how He works. God has continually given me exciting work to do wherever I have lived. These experiences include: teaching students from kindergarten to Year 12 in government and non-government schools in NSW; being a school principal for 8 years in regional NSW; training teachers in Botswana; trainer of teachers and school executives in Tanzania, Uganda & Solomon Islands (NHI); assisting the writing of a new teacher training course in Tanzania (NHI); working as a community development worker in Botswana and Solomon Islands (AusAid & Australian Volunteers International).

My postgraduate studies in a Masters of Education (International Policy) from Melbourne University included the study of education in England, The Netherlands and Italy and has directed me in my research of education practices throughout the world, including a study tour of schools and colleges in these countries. I have a passion for Christian education – educating for eternity and enjoy witnessing the impact Christian education makes on peoples' lives, not just the students but their families as well. I have just been appointed on the State Council for CSA in Victoria; I sit on various local community committees, such as the Outer Eastern Prayer Breakfast; and, a member of Mitcham Baptist Church.

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DIRECTORS' REPORT (CONTINUED)

Qualifications and experience of Directors (continued)

Wendy Moran

Holding her Diploma in Business Administration, Wendy Moran is a professional Executive Assistant with over 20 years' business experience supporting CEO's and Managing Directors in large sales and marketing corporations. Wendy's career has predominantly been spent in the pharmaceutical industry. In her roles Wendy has offered an innovative approach to improving systems and supporting business operations. Her areas of expertise include strategic management of daily business, strong organisational skills, process improvements, multi-tasking and a priority approach to key business projects, key stakeholder development, and communications.

Mark Bensley

After investing 11 years as a principal with the QLD State Education Department, the Lord prompted me to move to the Independent sector in 2001. While I've always prided myself on being 'hands-on' as a principal, my role has increasingly taken me to the 'coaches box'. It has been a privilege to ignite and mobilise my staff to achieve great things as we create the conditions for leadership to become a collective responsibility and process. Throughout my career I have sought to maintain an active faith within the community in which I live and work. I seek to know Christ and make Him known while being an active witness in both evangelistic and discipleship ventures.

Some career highlights:

- 1997 - three weeks at the NASA Space Academy (Alabama, USA) after being named 'Teacher of the Year' as part of the National Excellence in Teaching Awards
- 2001 - three weeks of research at Greensboro University (North Carolina, USA) focusing on the Paideia Schooling Movement
- 2004-2013 - led the growth of a single-stream Christian College into a double-stream primary and triple-stream secondary Christian College
- 2007-2011 - Board member of Gulf Christian College (Normanton, QLD)
- 2008-2015 - taught at a number of Christian schools in Uganda while conducting teacher training, systems development and construction work for a number of ministries
- 2015 - Speaker at the ACSI East African Education Summit in (Kampala, Uganda)

My vision for Christian schooling is to see a passionate and vibrant movement with a kingdom perspective, embracing staff, students and families on their respective discipleship journeys. I see a professional team of innovative and reflective teachers, whose instruction is research-based and evidence-driven in every classroom every day. I see graduates who are men and women of faith and integrity and strong partnerships between the home, the church and the school.

In 2017 I'm looking forward to taking on a new role as Executive Officer for the Uniting Church Schools and Residential Colleges Commission based in Brisbane

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DIRECTORS' REPORT (CONTINUED)

Qualifications and experience of Directors (continued)

Elizabeth Hutton

Liz was educated at Newcastle University in Dip Mus Ed (degree status) and then completing a Masters in Education Policy (International) through Melbourne University. Her service and work in Christian Education has covered over 3 decades and commenced at Mayfield Christian Community School (now Hunter Christian School) followed by Greenpoint Christian College, Maitland Christian School and then Brindabella Christian College.

More recently she has been involved in mission work in Vietnam with an orphanage and school, seeking God's guidance in how she may best serve Jesus in this rapidly developing country. It has been her privilege and honour to explore and build a superb educational standard that does not compromise our Christian discipleship, through Christian education.

Liz is married to Graeme and has 3 adult sons and 8 grandchildren. Graeme and Liz live in Willoughby Sydney and attend Northside Baptist Church. Liz believes that her role in Christian education and the opportunities to help serve the local church in an international context, particularly in third world countries, is invigorating and fulfilling.

The Company is incorporated under the Corporations Act 2001 and is an entity limited by guarantee. If the Company is wound up, the constitution states that each member is required to contribute a maximum of \$10 each towards meeting any outstanding obligations of the Company. At 30 June 2017 the collective liability of members was \$280 (2016:\$280).

Alex Boland

While Alex has not worked in educational institutions, he regularly runs adult training classes. He also has appreciation of the importance of education, having grown up and currently living with teacher(s). He has a Bachelor of Business majoring in Economics and therefore has a skillset that are of benefit to NHI.

For the past 5.5 years he has worked as a Consultant for COPC Inc. During this time, he has completed projects in Australia, New Zealand, Indonesia, Singapore, Malaysia, Philippines, Thailand, Hong Kong, China, India, Sri Lanka and America. In Australia he has worked with groups such as the Australian Taxation Office, Department of Human Services, Avant, Commonwealth Bank, ANZ Bank, Aldi, Toll, Apple, Microsoft and others.

Since mid-2014 he has been based in Jakarta with his wife Beth (NHI's Regional Coordinator – Indonesia). He is passionate about learning, technology, travel and new cultures.

Insurance of Directors

The company continues to have current Public Liability, Voluntary Workers, Professional Indemnity and Association Liability Insurance, covering the directors and office bearers. These insurances have been taken out through Australian Christian Services Mutual Ltd, located in Melbourne.

Directors' Benefits

No Director of the company has, since the company commenced operations, received or became entitled to receive a benefit (other than a benefit included in the total amount of emoluments received and receivable by directors shown in the financial statements) by reason of a contract made by the company with the director or with a firm of which the director is a member, or with an entity in which a director has a substantial interest.

Auditor's Independence Declaration

A copy of the Auditor's Independence Declaration as required under Section 60-40 of the Australian Charities and Not-for-profits Commission Act 2012 (ACNC Act) is attached to this Directors' Report.

For and on behalf of the Board

Director

Director

Date 2nd November, 2017

**AUDITOR'S INDEPENDENCE DECLARATION UNDER SECTION 60-40
OF THE AUSTRALIAN CHARITIES AND NOT-FOR-PROFITS COMMISSION ACT 2012 (ACNC
ACT) TO THE MEMBERS OF**

**NEW HOPE INTERNATIONAL LIMITED
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I declare that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, during the year ended 30 June 2017 there have been no contraventions of:

- (a) the auditor independence requirements under section 60-40 of the ACNC Act in relation to the audit; and
- (b) any applicable code of professional conduct in relation to the audit.

THOMAS DAVIS & CO

J G RYAN

PARTNER

Chartered Accountants

SYDNEY,
2nd November, 2017