

Appendix 4C

Quarterly report for entities admitted on the basis of commitments

Introduced 31/3/2000. Amended 30/9/2001, 24/10/2005.

Name of entity

Cervantes Corporation Limited

ABN

79 097 982 235

Quarter ended ("current quarter")

31 December 2009

Consolidated statement of cash flows

Cash flows related to operating activities	Current quarter \$A'000	Year to date (6 months) \$A'000
1.1 Receipts from customers	0	
1.2 Payments for (a) staff costs	(22)	(46)
(b) advertising and marketing		
(c) research and development	(86)	(213)
(d) leased assets		
(e) other working capital	(26)	(79)
1.3 Dividends received		2
1.4 Interest and other items of a similar nature received	1	3
1.5 Interest and other costs of finance paid		
1.6 Income taxes paid		
1.7 Other –	8	9
Net operating cash flows	(125)	(324)

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	Current quarter \$A'000	Year to date (6 months) \$A'000
1.8 Net operating cash flows (carried forward)	(125)	(324)
1.9 Cash flows related to investing activities		
Payment for acquisition of:		
(a) businesses (item 5)		
(b) equity investments	(3)	(28)
(c) intellectual property		
(d) physical non-current assets		
(e) other non-current assets		
1.10 Proceeds from disposal of:		
(a) businesses (item 5)		
(b) equity investments	55	67
(c) intellectual property		
(d) physical non-current assets		
(e) other non-current assets		
1.11 Loans to other entities		(215)
1.12 Loans repaid by other entities		430
1.13 Other (provide details if material)		
Net investing cash flows	52	254
1.14 Total operating and investing cash flows	(73)	(70)
Cash flows related to financing activities		
1.15 Proceeds from issues of shares, options, etc.		
1.16 Proceeds from sale of forfeited shares		
1.17 Proceeds from borrowings		
1.18 Repayment of borrowings		
1.19 Dividends paid		
1.20 Other (provide details if material)		
Net financing cash flows		
Net increase (decrease) in cash held	(73)	(70)
1.21 Cash at beginning of quarter/year to date	280	277
1.22 Exchange rate adjustments to item 1.20		
1.23 Cash at end of quarter	207	207

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Payments to directors of the entity and associates of the directors

Payments to related entities of the entity and associates of the related entities

		Current quarter \$A'000
1.24	Aggregate amount of payments to the parties included in item 1.2	27
1.25	Aggregate amount of loans to the parties included in item 1.11	

1.26 Explanation necessary for an understanding of the transactions

Director's fees and serviced office rental.

Non-cash financing and investing activities

2.1 Details of financing and investing transactions which have had a material effect on consolidated assets and liabilities but did not involve cash flows

2.2 Details of outlays made by other entities to establish or increase their share in businesses in which the reporting entity has an interest

Financing facilities available

Add notes as necessary for an understanding of the position. (See AASB 1026 paragraph 12.2).

		Amount available \$A'000	Amount used \$A'000
3.1	Loan facilities	N/A	N/A
3.2	Credit standby arrangements	N/A	N/A

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Reconciliation of cash

Reconciliation of cash at the end of the quarter (as shown in the consolidated statement of cash flows) to the related items in the accounts is as follows.	Current quarter \$A'000	Previous quarter \$A'000
4.1 Cash on hand and at bank	20	29
4.2 Deposits at call	187	251
4.3 Bank overdraft		
4.4 Other (provide details)		
Total: cash at end of quarter (item 1.23)	207	280

Acquisitions and disposals of business entities

	Acquisitions (Item 1.9(a))	Disposals (Item 1.10(a))
5.1 Name of entity		
5.2 Place of incorporation or registration		
5.3 Consideration for acquisition or disposal		
5.4 Total net assets		
5.5 Nature of business		

Compliance statement

- 1 This statement has been prepared under accounting policies which comply with accounting standards as defined in the Corporations Act (except to the extent that information is not required because of note 2) or other standards acceptable to ASX.
- 2 This statement does ~~not~~* give a true and fair view of the matters disclosed.



Sign here: Date: 28 January 2010.....
 (Company secretary)

Print name:Patrick Joseph O'Neill.....

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Notes

1. The quarterly report provides a basis for informing the market how the entity's activities have been financed for the past quarter and the effect on its cash position. An entity wanting to disclose additional information is encouraged to do so, in a note or notes attached to this report.
2. The definitions in, and provisions of, *AASB 1026: Statement of Cash Flows* apply to this report except for the paragraphs of the Standard set out below.
 - 6.2 - reconciliation of cash flows arising from operating activities to operating profit or loss
 - 9.2 - itemised disclosure relating to acquisitions
 - 9.4 - itemised disclosure relating to disposals
 - 12.1(a) - policy for classification of cash items
 - 12.3 - disclosure of restrictions on use of cash
 - 13.1 - comparative information
3. **Accounting Standards.** ASX will accept, for example, the use of International Accounting Standards for foreign entities. If the standards used do not address a topic, the Australian standard on that topic (if any) must be complied with.

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Notes Attached to this Report

Cervantes Corporation Ltd has liquid assets and equities available for disposal if required totalling \$299,266 plus other assets and prefers not to liquidate these at this stage as the cash is not currently required for ongoing activities.

That the majority of the assessment work on the evaluation of gold projects has been completed and only nominal work and consultancy fees in assessing other projects is required for the time being going forward for the next 2 quarters.

Discussions with Zurich Securities Pty Ltd is in train for the potential utilisation of the placement facility approved by shareholders at the AGM on the 24 November 2009 to the Chinese group who are continuing dialogue with the Zurich Securities Pty Ltd and the Board and or other parties in the event that the Chinese do not proceed.

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