## REPORTS AND FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

VEDANTA LISHEEN HOLDINGS LIMITED

FOR THE FINANCIAL YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2018

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## DIRECTORS AND OTHER INFORMATION

**DIRECTORS** D. Naidoo (South Africa)

P.Singla (South Africa)

SECRETARY J.Grundlingh

REGISTERED OFFICE Deloitte & Touche House

Charlotte Quay Limerick Ireland

COMPANY NUMBER 257616

AUDITOR Ernst & Young

Chartered Accountants and Statutory Audit Firm

Riverview House Harvey's Quay

BANKER Barclays Bank Plc

47/48 St. Stephen's Green

Dublin 2

SOLICITOR James J Kelly & Son,

Solicitors, Patrick Street, Templemore, Co. Tipperary

#### DIRECTORS' REPORT

The directors present their report and the audited financial statements for the financial year ended 31 March 2018.

## PRINCIPAL ACTIVITIES AND REVIEW OF THE BUSINESS

The company is a holding company. The company's primary assets are its 100% participating interest in the Lisheen Mine Partnership, including its interest in Vedanta Lisheen Mining Limited, Killoran Lisheen Mining Limited, Killoran Lisheen Finance Limited and Vedanta Exploration Ireland Limited.

#### RESULTS AND DIVIDENDS

The result after tax for the financial year ended 31 March 2018 was a profit of US\$31.5M (2017: US\$Nil),

A dividend was both proposed & paid during the financial year US\$31.5M (2017: Dividend paid US\$Nil).

#### RISKS AND UNCERTAINTIES

In the company all activity is reallocated to group companies. Management has addressed the presence of risks and uncertainties in each of the company's subsidiary entities individually and has adequately responded to same.

Currency risk is analysed at Group level and a decision was made to retain USD as the functional currency.

#### SUBSEQUENT EVENTS

Details of subsequent events are given in note 12 to the financial statements.

#### FUTURE DEVELOPMENT

There is no future development to be disclosed.

## COMPOSITION OF THE GROUP

The Company is 100% owned by THL Zinc Holdings B.V., a company incorporated in the Netherlands. THL Zinc Holding BV is a subsidiary of Vedanta Limited. The ultimate parent company is Vedanta Resources Plc., a company incorporated in the United Kingdom.

Details of subsidiary companies are given in note 6 to the financial statements.

#### DIRECTORS

The directors who served throughout the year are listed on page 2. Stephen Wheston (28/02/18), Arun Kumar (24/01/18) and Kishore Kumar (24.01.2018) stepped down as Directors during the financial year. Pushpender Singla (24/01/2018) was appointed as a Director during the financial year.

The directors are not required to retire by rotation.

## DIRECTORS' REPORT (CONTINUED)

## DIRECTORS' AND SECRETARY'S INTERESTS

The directors and secretary had no interests in the shares of the company at either 1 April 2017 or 31 March 2018.

None of the directors have notified the company secretary of any interests in the shares of the ultimate parent company and its related companies.

#### ACCOUNTING RECORDS

To ensure that proper accounting records are kept in accordance with Section 281 to 285 of the Companies Act 2014, the directors have employed appropriately qualified accounting personnel and have maintained appropriate computerised accounting systems. The accounting records are located at the company's office at The Forum Sandton, Johannesburg, Gauteng.

#### GOING CONCERN

The directors, having made appropriate enquiries, consider it reasonable to assume that the company has adequate resources to continue for the foreseeable future and for this reason, have continued to adopt the going concern basis in preparing the accounts.

#### DISCLOSURE OF INFORMATION TO AUDITOR

The directors in office at the date of this report have each confirmed that:

- · as far as they are aware, there is no relevant audit information of which the company's statutory auditors are unaware; and
- · they have taken all the steps that they ought to have taken as directors in order to make themselves aware of any relevant audit information and to establish that the company's statutory auditors are aware of that information.

#### AUDITOR

The auditor, Ernst & Young, Chartered Accounts and Statutory Audit Firm, continues in office in accordance with Section 383 (2) of the Companies Act 2014.

Signed on behalf of the Board

Pushpender Singla

Director

Date: 20 June 2018

Deshnee Naidoo

Director

Date: 20 June 2018

#### DIRECTORS' RESPONSIBILITY STATEMENT

The directors are responsible for preparing the directors' report and the financial statements in accordance with applicable law and regulations.

Irish Company law requires the directors to prepare financial statements for each financial year. Under the law, the directors have elected to prepare the financial statements in accordance with accounting standards issued by the Financial Reporting Council and promulgated by the Institute of Chartered Accountants in Ireland (Generally Accepted Accounting Practice in Ireland), including Financial Reporting Standard 101 'Reduced Disclosure Framework'.

Under company law, the directors must not approve the financial statements unless they are satisfied that they give a true and fair view of the assets, liabilities and financial position of the company and of the profit or loss for that year and otherwise comply with the Companies Act 2014.

In preparing those financial statements, the directors are required to:

- · select suitable accounting policies and then apply them consistently;
- · make judgements and estimates that are reasonable and prudent;
- $\cdot$  state whether the financial statements have been prepared in accordance with applicable accounting standards, identifying those standards and note the effect and the reasons for any material departure from those standards; and
- · prepare the financial statements on the going concern basis unless it is inappropriate to presume that the company will continue in business.

The directors are responsible for ensuring that the company keeps or causes to be kept adequate accounting records which correctly explain and record the transactions of the company, enable at any time the assets, liabilities, financial position and profit or loss of the company to be determined with reasonable accuracy, enable them to ensure that the financial statements and directors' report comply with the Companies Act 2014 and enable the financial statements to be audited. They are also responsible for safeguarding the assets of the company and hence for taking reasonable steps for the prevention and detection of fraud and other irregularities.

Signed on behalf of the Board

Pushpender Singla

Director

Date: 20 June 2018

Deshnee Naidoo

Director

Date: 20 June 2018



## INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT TO THE MEMBERS OF VEDANTA LISHEEN HOLDINGS LIMITED

## **Opinion**

We have audited the financial statements of Vedanta Lisheen Holdings Limited ('the Company') for the year ended 31 March 2018, which comprise the Income Statement and Statement of Comprehensive Income, the Statement of Financial Position, the Statement of Changes in Equity and notes to the financial statements, including the summary of significant accounting policies set out in note 1. The financial reporting framework that has been applied in their preparation is Irish Law and Accounting Standards including FRS 101 Reduced Disclosure Framework (Irish Generally Accepted Accounting Practice).

In our opinion the financial statements:

- give a true and fair view of the assets, liabilities and financial position of the Company as at 31 March 2018 and of its profit for the year then ended;
- have been properly prepared in accordance with Irish Generally Accepted Accounting Practice; and
- have been properly prepared in accordance with the requirements of the Companies Act 2014.

## Basis for opinion

We conducted our audit in accordance with International Standards on Auditing (Ireland) (ISAs (Ireland)) and applicable law. Our responsibilities under those standards are further described in the Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Statements section of our report. We are independent of the Company in accordance with ethical requirements that are relevant to our audit of financial statements in Ireland, including the Ethical Standard issued by the Irish Auditing and Accounting Supervisory Authority (IAASA), and we have fulfilled our other ethical responsibilities in accordance with these requirements.

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

## Conclusions relating to going concern

We have nothing to report in respect of the following matters, in relation to which ISAs (Ireland) require us to report to you where:

- the directors' use of the going concern basis of accounting in the preparation of the financial statements is not appropriate: or
- the directors have not disclosed in the financial statements any identified material
  uncertainties that may cast significant doubt about the Company's ability to continue to adopt
  the going concern basis of accounting for a period of at least twelve months from the date
  when the financial statements are authorised for issue.



## INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT TO THE MEMBERS OF VEDANTA LISHEEN HOLDINGS LIMITED

#### Other information

The directors are responsible for the other information. The other information comprises the information included in the Director's Report other than the financial statements and our auditor's report thereon. Our opinion on the financial statements does not cover the other information and, except to the extent otherwise explicitly stated in our report, we do not express any form of assurance conclusion thereon.

In connection with our audit of the financial statements, our responsibility is to read the other information and, in doing so, consider whether the other information is materially inconsistent with the financial statements or our knowledge obtained in the audit or otherwise appears to be materially misstated. If we identify such material inconsistencies or apparent material misstatements, we are required to determine whether there is a material misstatement in the financial statements or a material misstatement of the other information. 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.

## Opinions on other matters prescribed by the Companies Act 2014

Based solely on the work undertaken in the course of the audit, we report that:

- in our opinion, the information given in the directors' report is consistent with the financial statements; and
- in our opinion, the directors' report has been prepared in accordance with the Companies Act 2014.

We have obtained all the information and explanations which we consider necessary for the purposes of our audit.

In our opinion the accounting records of the Company were sufficient to permit the financial statements to be readily and properly audited and the financial statements are in agreement with the accounting records.

## Matters on which we are required to report by exception

Based on the knowledge and understanding of the company and its environment obtained in the course of the audit, we have not identified material misstatements in the directors' report. The Companies Act 2014 requires us to report to you if, in our opinion, the disclosures of directors' remuneration and transactions required by sections 305 to 312 of the Act are not made. We have nothing to report in this regard.



## INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT TO THE MEMBERS OF VEDANTA LISHEEN HOLDINGS LIMITED

## Respective responsibilities

## Responsibilities of directors for the financial statements

As explained more fully in the directors' responsibilities statement set out on page 5, the directors are responsible for the preparation of the financial statements and for being satisfied that they give a true and fair view, and for such internal control as they determine is necessary to enable the preparation of financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

In preparing the financial statements, 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 management either intends 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 statements

Our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements as a whole are 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 ISAs (Ireland) 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 these financial statements.

A further description of our responsibilities for the audit of the financial statements is located on the IAASA's website at: <a href="http://www.iaasa.ie/getmedia/b2389013-1cf6-458b-9b8f-a98202dc9c3a/Description\_of\_auditors\_responsibilities\_for\_audit.pdf">http://www.iaasa.ie/getmedia/b2389013-1cf6-458b-9b8f-a98202dc9c3a/Description\_of\_auditors\_responsibilities\_for\_audit.pdf</a>.

This description forms part of our auditor's report.

## The purpose of our audit work and to whom we owe our responsibilities

Our report is made solely to the Company's members, as a body, in accordance with section 391 of the Companies Act 2014. Our audit work has been undertaken so that we might state to the Company's members those matters we are required to state to them in an auditor's report and for no other purpose. To the fullest extent permitted by law, we do not accept or assume responsibility to anyone other than the Company and the Company's members, as a body, for our audit work, for this report, or for the opinions we have formed.

Michael Keane

for and on behalf of

Ernst & Young Chartered Accountants and Statutory Audit Firm

Limerick

Date: 95 June 9018

# INCOME STATEMENT AND STATEMENT OF COMPREHENSIVE INCOME FOR THE FINANCIAL YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2018

	Notes	2018 US\$	2017 US\$
Interest receivable and Amilar income	3(a)	31 886 261	-
Interest receivable/payable and similar charges	3(b)	-	(40 422)
Amounts reallocated to group companies		(381 261)	40 422
PROFIT BEFORE TAXATION	4	31 505 000	
Taxation	5	-	*
PROFIT FOR THE YEAR	-	31 505 000	
Other Comprehensive Income		-	-
TOTAL COMPREHENSIVE INCOME/ (LOSS) FOR THE YEAR	=	31 505 000	

The accompanying notes form an integral part of the financial statements.

# STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION AS AT 31 MARCH 2018

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The accompanying notes form an integral part of the financial statements.

The financial statements were approved by the Board of Directors and signed on its behalf by:

Pushpender Singla Chief Financial Officer

Date: 20 June 2018

Deshnee Naidoo

Director

Date: 20 June 2018

## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN EQUITY FOR THE FINANCIAL YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2018

	Share Capital Presented as Called-up Equity	Profit and loss account	Total
	US\$	US\$	US\$
At 1 April 2016	12	964 914	964 926
Result for the financial year	w	•	*
Other Comprehensive Income	÷	-	wij.
Total comprehensive Income	-	-	-
Dividends paid on equity shares	•	-	<b>4</b> 9,
At 31 March 2017	12	964 914	964 926
Result for the financial year	-	31 505 000	31 505 000
Other Comprehensive Income	*	*	-
Total comprehensive income		31 505 000	31 505 000
Dividends paid on equity shares		(31 505 000)	(31 505 000)
At 31 March 2018	12	964 914	964 926

#### VEDANTA LISHEEN MINING LIMITED

#### NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE FINANCIAL YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2018

#### 1. ACCOUNTING POLICIES

Vedanta Lisheen Holdings Limited is a limited liability company incorporated in the Republic of Ireland. The registered office of the Company is in Deloitte & Touche House, Charlotte Quay, Limerick, Ireland.

These financial statements were prepared in accordance with applicable accounting standards issued by the Financial Reporting Council and promulgated by the Institute of Chartered Accountants of Ireland, including FRS 101 'Reduced Disclosure Framework' (Generally Accepted Accounting Practice in Ireland) and Companies Act 2014.

## STATEMENT OF COMPLIANCE AND BASIS OF ACCOUNTING

The company prepares its financial statements denominated in US dollars. The principal accounting policies adopted by the company are set out below.

#### BASIS OF PREPARATION

The company meets the definition of a qualifying entity under FRS 100 (Financial Reporting Standard 100) issued by the Financial Reporting Council. The financial statements have therefore been prepared in accordance with Financial Reporting Standard 101 (FRS 101) Reduced Disclosure Framework, as defined above. The financial statements have been prepared under the historical cost convention and in accordance with the Companies Act 2014.

FRS 101 sets out a reduced disclosure framework for a 'qualifying entity' as defined in FRS 101 which addresses the financial reporting requirements and disclosure exemptions in the financial statements of qualifying entities that otherwise apply the recognition, measurement and disclosure requirements of EU-adopted IFRS.

The preparation of financial statements in conformity with FRS 101 requires the use of certain critical accounting estimates. It also requires management to exercise its judgement in the process of applying the company's accounting policies. The areas involving a higher degree of judgement or complexity, or areas where assumptions and estimates are significant to the financial statements are disclosed in note 2.

The following exemptions from the requirements of IFRS have been applied in the preparation of these financial statements, in accordance with FRS 101:

- · The following paragraphs of IAS 1, 'Presentation of financial statements':
- 10(d), (statement of cash flows),
- 10(f) (a statement of financial position as at the beginning of the preceding period when an entity applies an accounting policy retrospectively or makes a retrospective restatement of items in its financial statements, or when it reclassifies items in its financial statements).
- 16 (statement of compliance with all IFRS),
- 38A (requirement for minimum of two primary statements, including cash flow statements),
- 38B D (additional comparative information),
- 40A D (requirements for a third statement of financial position),
- 111 (cash flow statement information), and

#### NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONTINUED) FOR THE FINANCIAL YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2018

## STATEMENT OF ACCOUNTING POLICIES - continued

- 134-136 (capital management disclosures).
- · IAS 7, 'Statement of cash flows'
- Paragraph 30 and 31 of IAS 8 'Accounting policies, changes in accounting estimates and errors' (requirement for the disclosure of information when an entity has not applied a new IFRS that has been issued but is not yet effective)
- · The requirements in IAS 24, 'Related party disclosures' to disclose related party transactions entered into between two or more members of a group.
- · IFRS 7, 'Financial Instruments: Disclosures'
- · Paragraphs 91 to 99 of IFRS 13, 'Fair value measurement' (disclosure of valuation techniques and inputs used for fair value measurement of assets and liabilities)

Where relevant, equivalent disclosures have been given in the group accounts of Vedanta Resources Pic. The group accounts of Vedanta Resources Pic. are available to the public and can be obtained as set out in note 11.

#### CONSOLIDATION

Consolidated accounts have not been prepared for the year ended 31 March 2018 as the company is exempt from the obligation to prepare and deliver group accounts under Lonsondated accounts nave not been prepared for the year ended 31 March 2018 as the company is exempt from the obligation to prepare and deliver group accounts under Section 299 of the Companies Act 2014, whereby the company and all of its subsidiary undertakings are included in the consolidated accounts for a larger group drawn up to the same date by both its parent, Vedanta Limited (formerly Sesa Sterlite Limited) and its ultimate parent, Vedanta Resources Pic. Those accounts have been prepared in a manner equivalent to consolidated accounts drawn up in accordance with the provisions of the Seventh Directive (83/349EEC). Consequently, the accounts present information about the company as an individual undertaking and not about its group. Details of subsidiary undertakings are included in note 6 of the accounts.

#### FINANCIAL ASSETS

Financial assets are stated at cost less a provision for permanent diminution in value,

## NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONTINUED) FOR THE FINANCIAL YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2018

#### 1. STATEMENT OF ACCOUNTING POLICIES - continued

#### CASH

Cash balance is comprised of restricted funds being escrow funds in respect of future redundancy payments to group entity employees. Cash at bank and bank deposits earn interest at floating rates based on daily deposit bank rates.

#### DIVIDENDS

Dividends to ordinary shareholders are recognised as a liability of the company when approved by the company's shareholders.

## FOREIGN CURRENCY TRANSLATION

The US dollar is both the functional currency and presentation currency of the company.

Transactions denominated in foreign currencies relating to revenues, costs and non-monetary assets are translated to US dollars at the spot rate of exchange prevailing at the date of transaction. Monetary assets and liabilities denominated in foreign currencies are translated to US dollars at the rate of exchange ruling at the Statement of Financial Position date. The resulting profits or losses are dealt with in the statement of comprehensive income.

#### SHARE CAPITAL

Ordinary shares are classified as equity.

#### TAXATION

#### Current tax

Current tax is the expected tax payable on the taxable income for the year, using tax rates enacted or substantively enacted at the Statement of Financial Position date.

#### Deferred tax

Deferred tax is provided using the balance sheet liability method, providing for temporary differences between the carrying amounts of assets and liabilities for financial reporting purposes and for the amounts used for taxation purposes. The following temporary differences are not provided for; goodwill not deductible for tax purposes, the initial recognition of assets or liabilities that affect neither accounting nor taxable profit, nor differences relating to investments in subsidiaries to the extent that they will probably not reverse in the foresceable future. The amount of deferred tax provided is based on the expected manner of realisation or settlement of the carrying amount of assets and liabilities, using tax rates enacted or substantively enacted at the end of the reporting period.

A deferred tax asset is recognised only to the extent that it is probable that future taxable profits will be available against which the asset can be utilised. Deferred tax assets are reduced to the extent that it is no longer probable that the related tax benefit will be realised.

#### NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONTINUED) FOR THE FINANCIAL YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2018

#### 1. STATEMENT OF ACCOUNTING POLICIES - continued

## 2. CRITICAL ACCOUNTING JUDGEMENTS AND KEY SOURCES OF ESTIMATION UNCERTAINTY

In the application of the Company's accounting policies, which are described in note 1, the directors are required to make judgements, estimates and assumptions about the carrying amounts of assets and liabilities that arenot readily apparent from other sources. The estimates and associated assumptions are based on historical experience and other factors that are considered to be relevant. Actual results may differ from these estimates.

As at 31 March 2018, the Company has no sources of accounting estimates and judgements significant to the financial statements.

#### 3. INTEREST

#### (a) Interest receivable and similar income

Interest receivable and similar income comprises bank interest receivable and gains on foreign currency translation.

Interest receivable and similar income is analysed as follows:

interest receivable and similar income is analysed as follows.	2018	2017
	us\$	US\$
Bank interest receivable	381 261	
Dividend income	31 505 000	
	31 886 261	

## (b) Interest payable and similar charges

Interest payable and similar charges comprises bank interest payable, losses on foreign currency translation and bank charges.

Interest payable and similar charges is analysed as follows:

	2018 US\$	US\$
Loss on foreign currency translation		40 422
Bank charges and similar costs		
		40 422

The net amount is reallocated to Lisheen Milling Limited.

## 4. PROFIT BEFORE TAXATION

2018	2017
us\$	US\$

Profit before taxation is stated after charging:

Directors' remuneration

- fees	*	-
- other emoluments including pension contributions	*	•
Auditor's remuneration	•	٠

Certain incidental costs are borne by other group companies. Any further disclosures required under Section 305 and Section 306 of the Companies Act 2014 are nil for both years.

The company has no employees.

## NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONTINUED) FOR THE FINANCIAL YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2018

## 5. TAXATION

No taxation charge arises in the current financial year or the preceding financial year as all taxable income and expenditure is realiocated to group companies.

The tax on profit differs from the charge at the standard rate of tax for the following reasons:  $\frac{1}{2} \int_{\mathbb{R}^{n}} \frac{1}{2} \int_{\mathbb{R$ 

		2018 US\$	2017 US\$
	Profit/(loss) on ordinary activities before tax	31 505 000	
	Profit/(loss)on ordinary activities before tax multiplied by the standard rate of corporation tax of 12.5%	3 938 125	3
	Factors affecting tax charge:		
	Non-taxable income	(3 938 125)	•
	Current tax charge for the financial year		
6.	FINANCIAL ASSETS		
		2018	2017
		US\$	US\$
Inves	itments in Subsidiarles		
Balan	ce at beginning of financial year	1 107	1 107
	red during the year	1.107	1107
Balan	ce at end of financial year	1 107	1 107

Details of the subsidiary and related companies, all of which are incorporated in the Republic of Ireland, are:

Name	Registered office	Nature of business	% Ordinary share capital
Vedanta Lisheen Mining Limited	Deloitte & Touche House, Charlotte Quay, Limerick Ireland	Mining and developing mining properties	100%
Lisheen Milling Limited	Deloitte & Touche House, Charlotte Quay, Limerick freland	Milling of ore into concentrates and sale to smelters.	100%
Killoran Lisheen Finance Limited	Deloitte & Touche House, Charlotte Quay, Limerick Ireland	Finance company	100%
Killoran Lisheen Mining Limited	Deloitte & Touche House, Charlotte Quay, Limerick Ireland	Mining and developing mining properties	100%
Vedanta Exploration Ireland Limited	Deloitte & Touche House, Charlotte Quay, Limerick Ireland	Exploration activities	100%

Details from the audited financial statements for financial year ended 31 March 2018:

	Profit for the financial year ended 2018 US\$	Net Assets At 31 March 2018 US\$
Vedanta Lisheen Mining Limited Lisheen Milling Limited Killoran Lisheen Finance Limited Killoran Lisheen Mining Limited Vedanta Exploration Ireland Limited	3 300 247 3 688 198 - (2 505 249)	7 568 975 22 516 959 273 579 32 450 100
7. DEBTORS (AMOUNTS FALLING DUE WITHIN ONE YEAR)	2018 US\$	2017 US\$
Amounts due from group companies	4 086 179 4 086 179	4 086 179 4 086 179

Intercompany balances are unsecured, non-interest bearing and repayable on demand.

## NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONTINUED) FOR THE FINANCIAL YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2018

## 8. CASH AT BANK

At 31 March 2018, the company's cash balance comprised restricted funds of US\$2,570 (2017: US\$2,688,232) being escrow funds in respect of future redundancy payments to group entity employees.

9.	CREDITORS: (	Amounte	falling due	within one	(reau

or order to rest (criticalities to the grant		
	2018	2017
	US\$	US\$
Amounts due to group companies	3 124 931	5 810 592
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Intercompany balances are unsecured, non-interest bearing and repayable on demand.

## 10. CALLED UP SHARE CAPITAL PRESENTED AS EQUITY

	2018 US\$	2017 US\$
Authorised: 15,000,000 ordinary shares of US\$1 each	15 000 000	15 000 000
Allotted, issued and fully paid: 12 ordinary shares of US\$1 each	12	12

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#### 11. PARENT COMPANY

The company's immediate parent is THL Zinc Holding BV, a company incorporated in the Netherlands. THL Zinc Holding BV is a subsidiary of Vedanta Limited (formerly known as Sesa Sterlite Limited). Vedanta Limited (formerly known as Sesa Sterlite Limited) is the smallest group company which prepares consolidated financial statements that are available to the public. The ultimate parent company is Vedanta Resources Plc., a company incorporated in the United Kingdom. The consolidated financial statements of Vedanta Resources Plc. may be obtained from the Companies House, Cardiff, Wales.

## 12. SUBSEQUENT EVENTS

There are no material events affecting the company since the financial year end.

## 13 DIVIDEND

A dividend was declared and paid totalling \$31.5m (2017; %). Dividend per share amounted to \$2,625,416.67.

## 14 COMMITMENTS

The company has provided a letter of support to its subsidiary Killoran Lisheen Mining Limited, for a period of 12 months.

## 15 APPROVAL OF FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

The directors approved the financial statements on 9050002018