## **AROWANA**

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Subject: VivoPower International PLC (VivoPower) releases Results Presentation for the financial year ended 31 March 2018

The Directors of Arowana International Limited (ASX: AWN) note the release lodged today by its 61% subsidiary, VivoPower, of its Results Presentation in respect of the financial year ended 31 March 2018. This presentation follows VivoPower's release of its Annual Report and Accounts as submitted to the United States Securities and Exchange Commission on 19 July 2018 (and also lodged with the ASX by AWN on that date).

Attached is a copy of the Results Presentation as released by VivoPower.

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# RESULTS PRESENTATION

For the fiscal year ended March 31, 2018

July 26, 2018





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## **VIVOPOWER AT A GLANCE**

#### **WHO WE ARE**

- An international solar power developer...
- ... with one of the USA's largest solar power development portfolios...
- ... and impressive growth in the Australian Power Services business
- NASDAQ: VVPR

#### WHAT WE DO

- Create value through solar project development
- Recycle development capital at optimal stage
- Partner with developers, suppliers and investors
- Deliver critical power infrastructure services in Australia

#### **HOW WE EXECUTE**

- Drive development milestones
- Effective use of working capital
- Capital light model
- Promote global, sustainable citizenship



**Focused on US and Australian markets** 



650+ established power infrastructure customers



\$33.6 million revenues



1.8 GW in development



190 professionals



**Listed B Corporation** 



# **NEW CEO & CFO APPOINTED IN FY18; MANAGEMENT TEAM STREAMLINED**



Carl Weatherley-White Chief Executive Officer

- Over 25 years of renewable energy experience, with a focus on M&A, development, financing, private equity and joint ventures
- Formerly President & CFO of Lightbeam Electric Company
- · Previously Managing Director and Global Head of Project Finance at Barclays and Lehman Brothers
- BSc Hons in Neuroscience from Brown University, and a Graduate Fellowship in economics and political science at the University of Cape Town



**Art Russell** Chief Financial Officer

- Over 25 years of global experience in financial management and, business performance improvement
- Previously CFO of APC Technology Group PLC and CFO of the AVINCIS Group (acquired by Babcock International from KKR)
- BCom from University of Alberta and qualified CA in the UK and Canada



Philip Lowbridge
Managing Director – JA Martin (Australia)

- Over 32 years' experience in the electrical industry
- Started with JA Martin in 1986 as an apprentice and since that time he has been involved in all aspects of the business.
- Associate Diploma in Electrical Engineering from the Hunter Institute of Technology



**Dr. Rick Borry**Head of Development, Engineering & Asset Management

- Previously CTO at Principal Solar
- Founder of Capstone Solar leading project development and technology
- · Doctorate in chemical engineering from UC Berkeley



Adam Malcolm
Managing Director - Kenshaw Electrical (Australia)

- Over 25 years experience in overhaul and repair of rotating electrical plant and equipment.
- Accountable for overall EBIT results, leading and driving growth across all business areas of Kenshaw Electrical & NDT Services Group.
- Adv. Dip. Business Management & Dip. Occupational Health & Safety from Forsythes Training Centre



**Daniel De Boer** Executive Director (USA)

- · Previously Senior Vice President of Onyx Renewable Partners
- Prior to that, associate at D. E. Shaw's Buyout team
- MBA from the Wharton School at the University of Pennsylvania and Bachelor of Arts in Political Science from Yale University

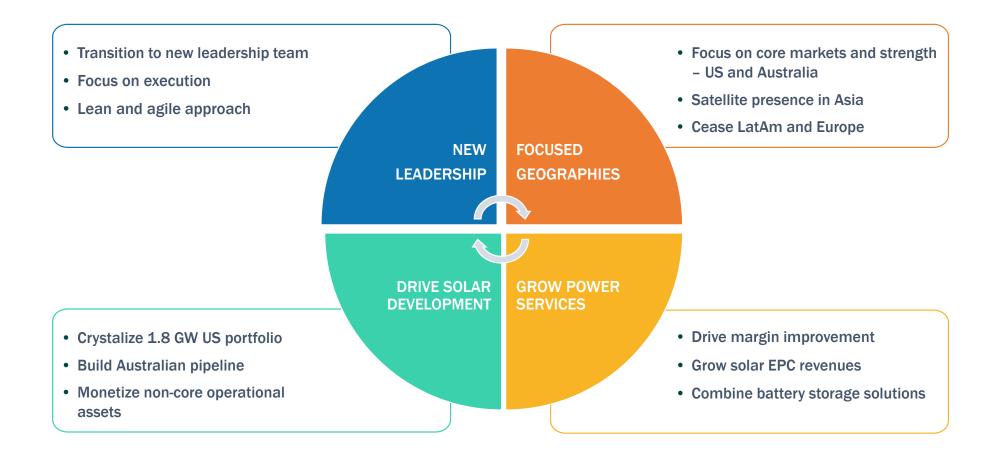


Matt Davis Principal (Australia)

- Previously Senior Associate at Renewable Energy Trust Capital, financing large-scale solar and wind assets in the U.S. and Canada
- Prior to that, Business Development Associate at Safari Energy
- BSc With Distinction in Management from Purdue University



## SIMPLIFIED AND FOCUSED BUSINESS MODEL





# **KEY CHALLENGES IN FY2018**



Trump tariffs adversely impacted development plan



Right sizing of cost base



Litigation commenced against former CEO





Slow development of solar pipeline in Australia



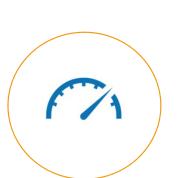
Improve execution with lean team



# **KEY RESULTS DELIVERED IN FY2018**



Top tier US solar developer with 1.8 GW portfolio



Outperformance of Aevitas power services unit in Australia



50% of US projects (941 MW) progressed to advanced stage



Strategic review initiated for 1.8 GW US solar portfolio



40% reduction in annual overhead run-rate (\$3.4 million)



Achieved full certification as a B Corporation



# FINANCIAL RESULTS SUMMARY FOR THE YEAR ENDED MARCH 31, 2018

Profit & Loss (US\$m)	2017	2018	Comments	
Solar Development				
Revenue	26.6	1.8	Initial 2 projects complete in FY17; no new projects in FY18 due to various industry headwing	
Gross Profit	26.6	0.8	Development fees represent VivoPower's project development profit	
Power Services				
Revenue	5.6	31.8	Full year of revenue from Aevitas vs. three months in FY17	
Gross Profit	0.7	4.3	Improved gross profit margin from 11.9% in FY17 to 13.6% in FY18	
Total				
Group Revenue	32.2	33.6	Full year of revenue from Aevitas vs. three months in FY17	
Group Gross Profit	27.3	5.1	Reflects strong increase from Aevitas offset by minimal solar project development	
Adjusted EBITDA *	18.9	(3.2)	Minimal higher margin solar development revenue in FY18 reduced profitability	
Restructuring	(5.8)	(1.9)	Transaction costs in FY17; business restructuring costs in FY18	
Impairment of assets	-	(10.2)	Relates to sale of minority stakes in North Carolina projects	
Impairment of goodwill	-	(11.1)	Impairment of VivoPower Pty Ltd (Australia) acquisition goodwill	
Profit/(Loss) for the year	5.3	(27.9)	FY18 negatively impacted by \$26.3m of one-time charges	
Loss/Earnings per share	\$0.81	(\$2.06)		

<sup>\*</sup> Adjusted EBITDA = Earnings before interest, taxes, depreciation and amortization, impairment of assets, impairment of goodwill, and restructuring costs. See reconciliation of non – IFRS measures at Page 18.



# **BALANCE SHEET AS AT MARCH 31, 2018**

Balance Sheet (US\$m)	2017	2018	Comments	
Project investments	18.1	14.1	Investment commitment to the ISS Joint Venture	
Other non current assets	51.9	40.9	Principally goodwill and intangibles arising on the 2016 business combination	
Cash	11.0	1.9 (1)	Receipt of IS-47 development fee \$13.8m reinvested in ISS JV.	
Trade and other receivables	19.8	7.9	Collected IS-47 development fee.	
Assets held for sale	-	11.5 (1)	Net realizable value on the sale of the NC projects	
Total assets	100.8	76.3		
Current liabilities	(12.2)	(20.6)	Short-term loan obligations (\$3.7m) and increased accruals and provisions related to restructuring and project development commitments.	
Long term liabilities	(24.0)	(18.7)	Reduced deferred tax obligation (\$3.8m), repayment of AUS project loan (\$0.9m), and movement of current portion of AWN loan to current liabilities (\$0.9m)	
Total liabilities	(36.2)	(39.3)		
Net assets (2)	64.6	37.0	Negatively impacted by current year loss	
Current Ratio	2.53	1.03		
Total Debt	20.3	22.3		

<sup>(1)</sup> Assets held for sale of \$11.5m were fully realized for cash subsequent to year-end

<sup>(2)</sup> Includes \$25.1m of equity instruments with mandatory conversion on June 30, 2021, to VivoPower ordinary shares at a price of \$10.20 per share.



# **RECONCILIATION OF ADJUSTED EBITDA TO IFRS FINANCIAL MEASURES**

Non-IFRS Financial Measures (US\$m)	2017	2018
Net income	5.6	(27.9)
Taxation	5.3	(6.3)
Interest income and expense	0.6	3.4
Transaction costs	5.8	-
Impairment of goodwill	-	11.1
Impairment of assets	-	10.2
Restructuring costs	-	1.9
One-off non-recurring costs (1)	0.9	3.1
Depreciation and amortisation	0.7	1.3
Adjusted EBITDA	18.9	(3.2)

<sup>(1)</sup> One-off non-recurring costs include non-recurring remuneration and consulting fees, restructuring expenses and abandoned acquisition costs



## SHORT TERM HEADWINDS OFFSET BY LONG TERM TAILWINDS

#### **SHORT TERM HEADWINDS**

Tariffs

Trump's tariffs adversely impacted VivoPower's development timing

Competition for off-take contracts

Utilities have scaled back standard offer contracts / intense competition in RFP opportunities

Low power prices

Solar competes on marginal cost of electricity, so projects are exposed to commodity price risk

#### **LONG TERM TAILWINDS**

· Lower cost & improvement in technology

Continued visibility into cost curve decline in module and balance of system

Increased demand for solar power

Strong demand from strategic and corporations - solar competes with conventional generation

Continued inflows of ESG and infrastructure capital

Low cost institutional investors seek long-term, stable cash flow profile of solar projects



# **VIVOPOWER STRATEGIC FOCUS: TWO GROWTH PILLARS**

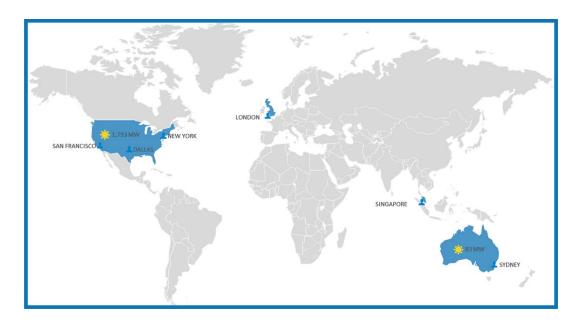
#### **Growth Pillar 1: Build Value Through Solar Development**

US	<ul><li>Utility Scale</li><li>1.8 GW portfolio</li><li>Mid and advanced stage of development</li></ul>
Australia	<ul> <li>Utility Scale and Rooftop</li> <li>83 MW pipeline / 2.5 MW operating</li> <li>Early and mid stage of development</li> </ul>

#### **Growth Pillar 2: Impressive Growth in Power Services**

J.A. Martin	<ul> <li>Specialized critical energy infrastructure services</li> <li>Long-standing clients across multiple industries</li> <li>Key growth initiative: solar engineering</li> </ul>
Kenshaw	<ul> <li>Electrical, mechanical and testing capabilities</li> <li>Power generation services, including back-up power</li> <li>Key growth initiative: battery storage solutions</li> </ul>

Note: Aevitas Group Ltd. encompass a range of electrical, mechanical and non-destructive testing services. Located in Australia's largest commercial and industrial belt have 650 active commercial, industrial and government customers.



#### LEGEND:



▲ VVPR offices



Note: Qualified pipeline refers to the total number of projects (measured by MW) which are subject to term sheet or letter of intent, pending diligence and financing or similar stage of discussion for potential acquisition.



# **VIVOPOWER USA: ONE OF THE LARGEST US SOLAR DEVELOPMENT PIPELINES**

#### JV partnership to develop 1.8 GW of solar assets by 2021

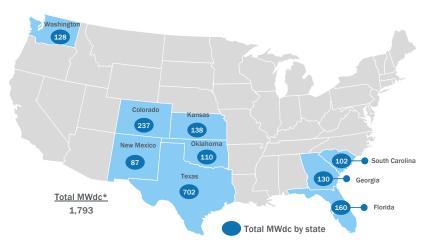
#### **Description**

JV Partner	Innovative Solar Systems (ISS)		
	1.8 gigawatts of utility scale projects		
	9 states across the United States		
Summary	Joint development with ISS until projects are "construction stage"		
	Modest investment of \$14.9 million (~\$0.01/W) relative to size of portfolio		
	VivoPower has the right to acquire construction stage projects at a fixed price. VivoPower can choose to fully develop projects or sell them to third parties for profit		
Outcomes	<ul> <li>Manage timing of development pipeline to maximise profits (by reducing build costs)</li> <li>3 to 5 year development profit profile</li> </ul>		

#### **Strategic Highlights**

- Strong alignment with JV Partner with complementary capabilities
- Risk mitigated capped investment prevents downside risk with strong upside
- ✓ Diversified opportunity across states that are experiencing high solar growth

#### **Development Pipeline**



<sup>\*</sup> Note: Exact MWdc subject to change through engineering process. Totals may not sum due to rounding.



## VIVOPOWER AUSTRALIA: STRONG MULTI FACTOR TAILWINDS UNDERPIN GROWTH

Diversification across utility-scale solar, commercial, industrial, government rooftop solar and power services business

#### **SOLAR DEVELOPMENT AUSTRALIA**

#### **Utility Scale Solar**

- 83+ MW NSW development portfolio established
- · Experienced Australian development partner
- · High-quality, fast developing sites in strategic locations
- Small to medium scale projects construction ready in 4-8 month
- Initial project (18MW) expected to be construction ready in late 2018

#### Commercial, Industrial and Government (CIG) Rooftop Solar

- 2.1 MW across 80 customer rooftop sites nationwide
- Stable, contracted revenue projects which may be monetized over time
- Alliance with ReNu Energy (sale of Amaroo)
- NSW Government preferred solar PPA supplier
- · Leverage Aevitas customer base



#### **AEVITAS (POWER SERVICES)**

#### **Critical Power Infrastructure Services in NSW, Australia**

 Provided through 2 well reputed business units, J.A. Martin and Kenshaw Electrical

#### Over 650+ active customers Australia-wide

 Highly diversified industry exposure across solar farms, data centres, aged care and health, water, government, infrastructure, mining services

#### Outperformance in FY18 with strong outlook for FY19 and beyond

- Very strong solar industry tailwinds
- Exposure to continued data centre customer growth
- · Strong capex investment in aged care and health
- Continued capex investment growth in water treatment
- Biggest infrastructure boom in NSW history
- Mining services experiencing strong rebound

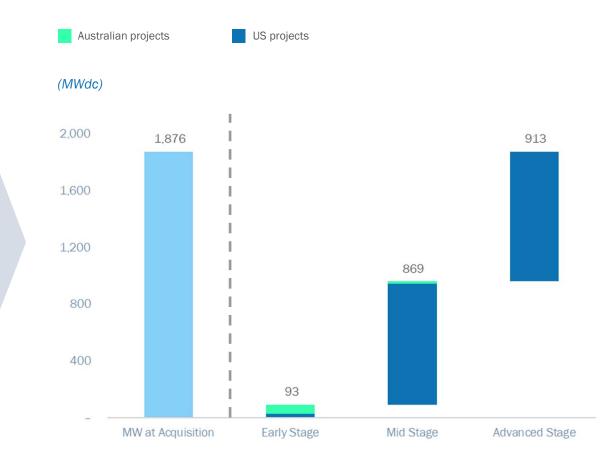


# **VIVOPOWER: SIGNIFICANT PORTFOLIO ADVANCEMENT IN FY2018**

#### STAGES OF DEVELOPMENT

- Early Stage
  - Land Control
  - Preparing for Permit and Transmission Applications
- Mid Stage
  - Transmission Interconnection Study
  - Permitting
  - Resource Analysis
- Advanced Stage
  - Interconnection Agreement
  - Power Purchase Agreement
- Construction Stage
  - Engineering
  - Procurement
  - Construction
- Operations Stage
  - Commissioning

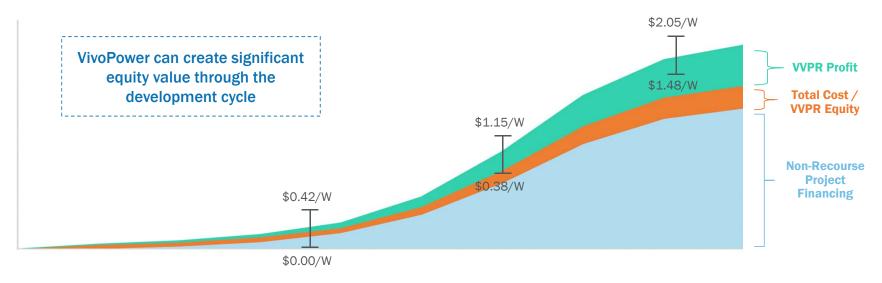






# **VALUE CREATION OVER DEVELOPMENT LIFE CYCLE**

#### **Illustrative Project Fair Market Value (\$/W)**



	Development	Construction	<b>O</b> perations
VivoPower	Limited capital at risk	Recycle profits Third party capital	Stable, recurring revenues Long-term (35+ years)
Potential Equity Value per Watt (DC) <sup>(1)</sup>	\$0.05-\$0.08	\$0.08-\$0.15	\$0.15-\$0.25

#### Note:

The vertical bars in the chart above represent the range of fair market value for solar projects in different phases of the development cycle.

These ranges are based on Deloitte's regression analysis of transaction values for solar assets between 2014 – 2016. Assumes EUR / USD exchange rate of 1.17 as of July 13, 2018. (1) Management estimates in current market conditions for utility-scale solar assets in the US.



# **VIVOPOWER PROJECT DEVELOPMENT FINANCIAL OBJECTIVES**

(US\$ in millions, unless where otherwise stated)	NC-31 & NC-47 Actual	3 – 5 Year Outlook
MW Converted (1)	91.3	938 - 1,876
Time frame for conversion (2)	1 year	~75% in next three years
ROE for converted projects	1.85x	1.5 - 2.5x
Equity in converted projects (3)	\$13.7	\$94 - \$188
Revenues from project conversion (\$ per watt) (4)	\$0.28	\$0.15 - \$0.25
Revenues from project conversion (4)	\$25.4	\$188 - \$375
Annual Asset Management Revenues (\$1.75 / kW) (5)		\$1.6 - \$3.3
Annual Project Distributions (\$8.50 / kW) (6)		\$8.0 - \$15.9

#### **Commentary**

- (1) 3-5 year outlook represents management's estimated success for 1.8 GW development portfolio.
- (2) Weighted average period from initial investment to the sale of solar projects to third parties.
- (3) Estimated equity invested in solar projects prior to sale to third parties.
- (4) Total revenues received from the sale of solar projects to third parties.
- (5) Estimated revenues for managing solar projects under asset management agreements.
- (6) Estimated equity distributions from solar project operations from retained equity.



## **KEY PRIORITIES FOR FY2019**



# RECYCLE CAPITAL

Monetize non-core, minority equity in NC Projects for \$11.5 million<sup>1</sup>

Monetize Australian operating solar assets



# AGGRESSIVELY DRIVE US DEVELOPMENT PORTFOLIO

Complete strategic review for 1.8 GW US solar portfolio

Set monetization plan for US portfolio



# DRIVE EFFICIENCY GAINS

Roll out lean management across group

\$1m+ reduction in annual overhead



# MAXIMIZE AEVITAS GROWTH

Accelerate revenue growth across Power Services businesses

Drive higher margins

Deliver solar engineering and construction contracts



# INCREASE INVESTOR ENGAGEMENT

Expand engagement with institutional investors

July 2018 update: Response to the strategic review of the US portfolio has been robust, and multiple parties have expressed interest. We are actively pursuing this process and are on track to complete the strategic review pursuant to our FY19 priorities

1. Cash fully realized subsequent to year-end.





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