

TELECO INSURANCE (NZ) LIMITED

FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

For the year ended 30 June 2013

This annual report is signed on behalf of the Board by:



Richard Quince
DIRECTOR



Mark Laing
DIRECTOR

26 November 2013



COMPANY DIRECTORY

Nature of business:	Insurance
Registered Office:	Level 2 Telecom Place 167 Victoria Street West, AUCKLAND, 1142
Company registration number	509425
Directors	Richard Quince, Mark Leslie Laing,
Shareholder	Telecom Corporation of New Zealand Limited
Auditors	KPMG 10 Customhouse Quay Wellington
Bankers	Westpac Banking Corporation



STATEMENT OF COMPREHENSIVE INCOME

FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2013

	Notes	30 June 2013	30 June 2012 (restated)
		\$000's	\$000's
Insurance premiums		6,632	4,040
Expenses			
Claims incurred	2	(5,174)	(2,359)
Operating expenses	3	(222)	(88)
Underwriting surplus		1,236	1,593
Investment income	4	2,081	1,869
Profit before income tax		3,317	3,462
Income tax	5	(929)	(955)
Total Comprehensive Income for the period		2,388	2,507

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN EQUITY

FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2013

	Share Capital	Retained Earnings (restated)	Total Equity (restated)
	\$000's	\$000's	\$000's
Balance at 1 July 2011	1	24,343	24,344
Profit for the year	-	2,507	2,507
Total comprehensive income for the period	-	2,507	2,507
Balance at 30 June 2012	1	26,850	26,851
Balance at 1 July 2012	1	26,850	26,851
Profit for the year	-	2,388	2,388
Total comprehensive income for the period	-	2,388	2,388
Balance at 30 June 2013	1	29,238	29,239

The accompanying notes form part of and are to be read in conjunction with these financial statements.

BALANCE SHEET

AS AT 30 JUNE 2013

	Notes	30 June 2013	30 June 2012 (restated)
		\$000's	\$000's
ASSETS			
Current assets:			
Cash		1	-
Interest receivable		30	44
Amounts owing from related parties	11	36,945	33,682
GST receivable		3	-
Deferred tax	6	44	29
Total current assets		37,023	33,755
Non-current asset:			
Investments – government securities		500	500
Total assets		37,523	34,255
LIABILITIES AND EQUITY			
Current liabilities:			
Tax payable	5	944	984
Amounts owing to related parties	11	666	249
Fire Service levies payable		50	50
Unearned revenue		317	227
Outstanding claims liability	7	807	394
Total current liabilities		2,784	1,904
Non-current liabilities:			
Redeemable preference shares	8	5,500	5,500
Total liabilities		8,284	7,404
Equity:			
Retained earnings	9	29,238	26,850
Share capital		1	1
Total equity		29,239	26,851
Total liabilities and equity		37,523	34,255

CASH FLOW STATEMENT

FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2013

	Notes	30 June 2013	30 June 2012
		\$000's	\$000's
Cash flow from operating activities			
Cash received from insurance premiums		6,346	5,194
Cash paid for replacement handsets		(3,934)	(1,751)
Interest income		2,095	1,829
Cash paid for other operating activities		(637)	(621)
Tax paid		(984)	(1,018)
Net cash flows applied from operating activities		2,886	3,633
Cash flow from investing activities			
(Increase) in intercompany investments		(2,885)	(3,633)
Net cash flows applied (to) investing activities		(2,885)	(3,633)
Net cash flow		1	-
Net cash at beginning of period		-	-
Net cash position at end of period		1	-

The accompanying notes form part of and are to be read in conjunction with these financial statements.

Approved by the directors



Richard Quince

DIRECTOR

Authorised for issue on 26 November 2013



Mark Leslie Laing

DIRECTOR



NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

Note 1 ACCOUNTING POLICIES

OWNERSHIP AND ACTIVITIES

Teleco Insurance (NZ) Limited (the "Company") was incorporated in New Zealand on 18 July 1991 in the name of Telecom North Limited as a wholly-owned subsidiary of Telecom Corporation of New Zealand Limited (the "parent company" or "Telecom"). The Company changed its name to Teleco Insurance (NZ) Limited effective from 1 August 1995. Telecom and its subsidiaries together form the "Telecom Group".

The principal activity of the Company is to provide insurance policies for mobile phone handsets sold by the Telecom Retail Business unit. The Company has a credit rating with Standard and Poor's of BBB+, which was reaffirmed on 25 June 2013.

BASIS OF PREPARATION

The Company is a profit-orientated entity. The Company is a reporting entity for the purposes of the Financial Reporting Act 1993 and its financial statements comply with that Act.

These financial statements have been prepared in accordance with New Zealand Generally Accepted Accounting Practice ("NZ GAAP"). They comply with the New Zealand equivalents to New Zealand International Financial Reporting Standards ("NZ IFRS") and other applicable Financial Reporting Standards as appropriate for profit-orientated entities.

The introduction of the Insurance (Prudential Supervision) Act 2010 has resulted in all insurers carrying on insurance business in New Zealand being required to be licensed by the Reserve Bank of New Zealand ("RBNZ"). The Company was granted full license on 10 June 2013. In accordance with the terms of the license, the Company is deemed to be an issuer under section 4(i)(da) of the Financial Reporting Act 1993.

For the year ended 30 June 2013, in line with the previous paragraph, the Company is no longer able to take advantage of the Differential Reporting exemptions and have prepared full financial statements under NZ IFRS as required for all issuers.

The accounting policies set out in the Statements of Accounting Policies have been applied in preparing financial statements for the year ended 30 June 2013 and for the comparative information presented for the year ended 30 June 2012. The preparation of the financial statements under NZ IFRS for the year ended 30 June 2013 has resulted in a restatement of the comparative information for the year ended 30 June 2012 to account for the deferred tax asset balances detailed in Note 6, which were not previously recognised under the Differential Reporting Framework. No other changes have been made as a result of the implementation of full NZ IFRS in the financial statements.

PRESENTATION CURRENCY

The financial statements are presented in New Zealand dollars, the Company's functional currency.

MEASUREMENT BASIS

The measurement basis adopted in the preparation of these financial statements is historical cost, with the exception of surplus funds (or cash) invested with TCNZ Finance Limited ("TCNZ Finance") and the outstanding claims liability. Both of these are stated at fair value.

PREMIUM REVENUE

Premium revenue comprises amounts charged to the policy holders. The earned portion of premiums received and receivable is recognised as revenue. Premium is earned over the indemnity period based on the pattern of risks underwritten, from the date of attachment of risk. Unearned revenue comprises the element of the monthly premiums paid in advance by customers part way through the month preceding the year-end, that relates to insurance coverage post the year-end reporting date.

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FOREIGN CURRENCIES

Foreign currency transactions are translated to New Zealand dollars at the exchange rate ruling at the date of the transactions.

NON-DERIVATIVE FINANCIAL INSTRUMENT

Government Securities held to maturity are non-derivative financial assets that are measured at amortised cost using the effective interest method.

TAXATION

The taxation expense charged to earnings includes both current and deferred tax and is calculated after allowing for non-temporary differences. Current tax is calculated on the basis of the tax laws enacted or substantively enacted at the balance sheet date.

Deferred taxation is recognised using the liability method on temporary differences between the tax bases of assets and liabilities and their carrying amounts in the financial statements, except for temporary differences arising on initial recognition of an asset or liability (unless arising in a business combination or impacting profit or loss). Future tax benefits are recognised where realisation of the asset is probable. Deferred tax is determined based on tax rates and laws that have been enacted or substantively enacted at the balance sheet date.

Current and deferred tax is recognised in the income statement, except when the tax relates to items charged or credited directly in equity or other comprehensive income, in which case the tax is also recognised in equity and other comprehensive income.

CLAIMS AND OUTSTANDING CLAIMS LIABILITY

Claims incurred expense consists of payment for claims and the movement in the outstanding claims liability. Claims represent the benefits paid or payable to the policyholder on the occurrence of an event giving rise to a claim according to the terms of the policy. Claims expenses are recognised in the profit and loss according to the point in time when the event giving rise to the claim occurs. The claims liability includes a central estimate of claims reported but not yet paid; claims incurred but not yet reported; expected direct and indirect claims settlement costs, plus a risk margin.

The value of outstanding claims has not been discounted because the period between the date of claim and the settlement date is short (within one year) and the valuation estimates of an expected level of payment allows for current inflation.

The variation in outcome of the claims liability will be small because the valuation of claims for replacement mobile handsets is based on current retail prices, the number of open claims relating to the financial year is known, and the insurance settlement date is short.

FINANCIAL ASSETS BACKING GENERAL INSURANCE LIABILITIES

The company's financial assets consist primarily of surplus funds invested with TCNZ Finance, and these funds are used to back both general insurance liabilities and financial liabilities arising under non-insurance contracts. Financial assets have been valued based on historical cost, with the exception of the funds invested with TCNZ Finance which are classified at fair value.

INTEREST INCOME

Interest income is recognised on an effective yield basis.

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	30 June 2013	30 June 2012
	\$000's	\$000's
<i>Note 2 CLAIMS INCURRED</i>		
Claims incurred in current year	(4,659)	(1,898)
Risk margin adopted	(105)	(51)
Claims management fee	(410)	(410)
Total claims incurred expense	(5,174)	(2,359)

Claims incurred in current year relate fully to risks borne in the current year.

	30 June 2013	30 June 2012
	\$000's	\$000's
<i>Note 3 OPERATING EXPENSES</i>		
Credit rating fee	(51)	(53)
Other administrative expenses	(171)	(35)
Total operating expenses	(222)	(88)

Audit fees for the year ended 30 June 2013 of \$8,750 (2012: \$7,500) were paid on the Company's behalf by a fellow subsidiary of the parent company. These are not recharged to the Company. Directors' fees paid for the year ended 30 June 2013 were \$7,500 (2012: nil). The company had no employees in the current year (2012: nil).

	30 June 2013	30 June 2012
	\$000's	\$000's
<i>Note 4 INVESTMENT INCOME</i>		
Government securities – interest income	17	24
Intercompany interest income (refer note 11)	2,064	1,845
Total investment income	2,081	1,869

	30 June 2013	30 June 2012
	\$000's	(restated) \$000's
<i>Note 5 INCOME TAX</i>		
Current income tax		
Current year income tax	944	984
Deferred income tax		
Provisions	(15)	(15)
Adjustment in respect of prior periods	-	(14)
	929	955

	30 June 2013	30 June 2012
Profit before income tax	3,317	3,462
Income tax expense (at current rate of 28%)	929	969
Adjustment for non-deductible items	15	15
Total income tax charge for the period	944	984
Opening balance of tax liability	984	1,018
Tax paid and inter-group allocation	(984)	(1,018)
Closing balance of tax payable	944	984

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	30 June 2013	30 June 2012 (restated)
	\$000's	\$000's
<i>Note 6 DEFERRED TAX</i>		
Balance at the beginning of the year	29	-
Adjustment in respect of prior periods	-	14
Relating to current period	15	15
Balance at close of the year	44	29

The adoption of full NZ IFRS in the financial statements, as discussed on page 4, has resulted in a restatement of the comparative information for the year ended 30 June 2012 to recognise a deferred tax asset of \$29,000, which was not previously accounted for under the Differential Reporting Framework.

	30 June 2013	30 June 2012
	\$000's	\$000's
<i>Note 7 OUTSTANDING CLAIMS LIABILITY</i>		
Outstanding claims liability	702	343
Risk margin (15%)	105	51
Total current outstanding claims liability	807	394

The Outstanding Claims Liability is calculated retrospectively based on claims reported but not yet settled at the end of June, plus claims incurred prior to the year-end but not yet reported (IBNR). The IBNR is calculated using an average term to settlement based on historic settlement patterns, which for the current and previous financial years was deemed to be 50% of the total claims settlement value for the month subsequent to the year-end date.

The variation in outcome of the claims liability will be small because the valuation of claims for replacement mobile handsets is based on current retail prices, the number of open claims relating to the financial year is known, and the insurance settlement date is short.

Paul Rhodes FNZSA FIA is the Appointed Actuary for the Company. He is a Fellow of the New Zealand Society of Actuaries and a Fellow of the Institute of Actuaries (London).

The actuary is satisfied as to the nature, sufficiency and accuracy of the data used to determine the outstanding claims liability and there were no qualifications contained in the actuarial advice.

The actuary has nominated a 15% risk margin based on industry benchmarking as reasonable to allow for uncertainty in the central estimate of claims and to achieve a 75% probability of sufficiency of the provision. A 1% increase / (decrease) in the risk margin assumption would increase / (decrease) the reported profit, outstanding claims liabilities and equity of the company for the year by \$7,000.

The liability adequacy test which was performed as at 30 June 2013 identified a surplus for the company (30 June 2012: surplus).

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Reconciliation of Movement in Claims Liability:

	30 June 2013 \$000's	30 June 2012 \$000's
Balance at beginning of year	394	239
Claims notified	4,628	1,857
Claims paid	(4,410)	(1,793)
Movement in risk margin	54	51
Movement in claims incurred but not reported (IBNR)	141	40
Balance at end of year	<u>807</u>	<u>394</u>

Note 8 REDEEMABLE PREFERENCE SHARES

The Company has 550 fully paid redeemable preference shares on issue (2012: 550), each with a value of \$10,000. The shares have no fixed repayment date and the holder, Telecom Corporation of New Zealand Limited, can ask for repayment at any time by providing written notice to the Company. The holder has no intention of requesting repayment within the next year.

Redeemable preference shares have no voting rights. The holder of the preference shares has the right on winding up of the Company to payment in priority to the holders of ordinary shares of the Company of the redemption amounts of each preference share held, calculated as at the date of distribution. All other rights conferred to the holder of either ordinary or preference shares are the same.

Note 9 EQUITY

As at 30 June 2013 there were 100 fully paid \$1 ordinary shares on issue (2012:100). Each share confers on the holder the right to vote at any meeting of shareholders.

The Company maintains equity in the form of retained earnings of \$29,239,000 (2012: \$26,851,000), and the Directors believe that this is an appropriate level to cover its exposure to risk based on annual aggregate exposure and loss history.

Note 10 RISK MANAGEMENT

The Company is exposed to a number of risks in the normal course of business, primarily insurance risk, financial risk (liquidity risk and interest rate risk), credit risk and capital adequacy.

a. Insurance risk

The Company's main insurance risk is from the increasing value of smart phones which will impact on claim costs in the future. Therefore, the main risk management objective is to manage the magnitude and the volatility of claim costs. Aon New Zealand Limited, the claims administrator, also actively manages claim activity, with assistance from the Telecom Fraud team. The Company will review the premium rates by having the appointed actuary regularly review the premium rates to ensure that prices reflect risk.

For the Company a broader risk is the reliance on one line of business in a niche market (namely mobile handset insurance for post paid customers). If something were to arise that negatively affects this niche, such as reduced use of mobile phones, it would have a flow on impact on the Company's financial position. This is the same risk that the parent company has and the Company accepts this risk.

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The probability of catastrophe risk causing a large number of handset replacement claims is low as the value of policies is relatively low and policyholders are geographically widespread throughout New Zealand.

b. Financial risk.

Liquidity risk.

The risk of being unable to pay claims and operating expenses in a timely manner is negated by the Company holding surplus funds of \$35,687,652 (2012: \$32,802,508) in an on-call current account with TCNZ Finance Limited.

The Company has entered into an agreement with Westpac Banking Corporation to guarantee \$16.7m of the \$35.7m funds held by TCNZ Finance Limited, in order to mitigate the risk of asset concentration of these funds being held by a related party.

All financial liabilities, including outstanding claims liabilities and with the exception of the redeemable preference shares, are treated as current with all net cash flows from recognised insurance liabilities expected to be incurred within the subsequent financial year.

Westpac New Zealand Limited has current credit ratings as follows:

Standard and Poor's	AA-
Moody's Investor Services	Aa3

Interest risk.

There is minimal interest rate risk as surplus funds invested with TCNZ Finance Limited earn a fixed interest rate (6%). An interest risk exists when Government securities mature and a new security is purchased. These Government securities are held by the Company and mature in April 2015.

c. Credit risk.

The Company incurs credit risk related to financial assets of \$37,523,000 (2012: \$34,255,000).

Except for \$500,000 invested in Government securities, the Company's funds are invested by TCNZ Finance Limited. The board of directors of TCNZ Finance Limited have approved a credit risk policy that limits exposure with counterparties by placing its cash and short-term investments with high credit quality financial institutions and sovereign bodies, and it also limits the amount of credit exposure to any one of these financial institutions.

The New Zealand Government's current long-term domestic currency ratings are as follows:

Standard and Poor's	AA+
Moody's Investor Services	Aaa

Telecom (which guarantees TCNZ Finance's debt) has credit ratings from Standard & Poor's and Moody's Investors Services on its indebtedness. Details of current ratings at 30 June 2013 are as follows:

<u>Standard & Poor's</u>		<u>Moody's Investors Services</u>	
Long Term Senior Debt	A-	Long Term Senior Debt	A3
Short Term Debt	A-2	Short Term Debt	P-2
Outlook	Stable	Outlook	Stable

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d. Capital adequacy.

Capital management policies and objectives.

With the implementation of the Insurance (Prudential Supervision) Act 2010 ("the Act") all general insurance entities carrying on business in New Zealand are required to be licensed by the Reserve Bank of New Zealand. The Company was granted a full licence in the current financial year. The Company is now managing its capital in accordance with the requirements of the Act.

Under the Solvency Standard for Non-life Insurance Business ("the solvency standard") issued by the Reserve Bank of New Zealand, the Company is required to maintain a solvency margin as determined under the solvency standard at or above the minimum solvency capital level.

The Company satisfied all externally imposed capital requirements which they were subject to during the year ended 30 June 2013.

The Company has embedded in its capital management framework the necessary tests to ensure continuous and full compliance with the solvency standard.

Capital composition.

The Company manages its capital by considering both regulatory and economic capital. The primary source of capital used in total equity attributable to owners. Total equity attributable to owners equates to "capital" as defined in the solvency standard and shown below.

Regulatory capital is made up of two components, actual solvency capital and minimum solvency capital, with the difference representing the solvency margin. The calculation of the solvency margin for the Company is detailed below:

	30 June 2013 \$000's	30 June 2012 \$000's
Actual solvency capital	29,239	26,851
Minimum solvency capital	24,354	19,077
Solvency Margin	4,885	7,774
Solvency Ratio	1.20	1.41

Note 11 RELATED PARTIES

The Company's ultimate parent company is Telecom Corporation of New Zealand Limited. The Company has transactions with fellow subsidiaries as set out below:

Balances at 30 June	Amount owing by:		Amount owing to:	
	2013 \$000's	2012 \$000's	2013 \$000's	2012 \$000's
TCNZ Finance Limited	35,688	32,803	-	-
Telecom New Zealand Limited	1,257	879	(666)	(249)
Total of Related Party Balances at 30 June	36,945	33,682	(666)	(249)

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

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	2013	2012
	\$000's	\$000's
Transactions occurring during the year:		
TCNZ Finance Limited:		
Net operating cash transactions	820	1,789
Interest received	2,064	1,845
Telecom New Zealand Limited:		
Replacement mobile handsets	(4,410)	(1,793)

Surplus funds are invested with TCNZ Finance. Funds are held on-call and earn fixed interest at 6% (2012: 6%).

At 30 June 2013, the Company owes amounts to Telecom for the reimbursement of expenses paid to suppliers and for replacement mobile handsets provided to insurance claimants on the Company's behalf. No related party debts have been written off or forgiven during the year.

Note 12 CONTINGENT LIABILITIES

The Directors are not aware of any significant contingent liabilities at 30 June 2013 (30 June 2012: nil).

Note 13 CAPITAL COMMITMENTS

There are no capital commitments at 30 June 2013 (30 June 2012: nil).

Note 14 SUBSEQUENT EVENTS

There have been no events subsequent to balance date that impact these financial statements.



Independent auditor's report

To the shareholders of Teleco Insurance (NZ) Limited

Report on the financial statements

We have audited the accompanying financial statements of Teleco Insurance (NZ) Limited ("the company") on pages 1 to 11. The financial statements comprise the statement of financial position as at 30 June 2013, the statements of comprehensive income, changes in equity and cash flows for the year then ended, and a summary of significant accounting policies and other explanatory information.

Directors' responsibility for the financial statements

The directors are responsible for the preparation of financial statements in accordance with generally accepted accounting practice in New Zealand that give a true and fair view of the matters to which they relate, and for such internal control as the directors determine is necessary to enable the preparation of financial statements that are free from material misstatement whether due to fraud or error.

Auditor's responsibility

Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these financial statements based on our audit. We conducted our audit in accordance with International Standards on Auditing (New Zealand). Those standards require that we comply with ethical requirements and plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free from material misstatement.

An audit involves performing procedures to obtain audit evidence about the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. The procedures selected depend on the auditor's judgement, including the assessment of the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements, whether due to fraud or error. In making those risk assessments, the auditor considers internal control relevant to the company's preparation of the financial statements that give a true and fair view of the matters to which they relate 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. An audit also includes evaluating the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of accounting estimates, as well as evaluating the presentation of the financial statements.

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

Partners and employees of our firm may also deal with the company on normal terms within the ordinary course of trading activities of the business of the company. These matters have not impaired our independence as auditor of the company. The firm has no other relationship with, or interest in, the company.

Opinion

In our opinion the financial statements on pages 1 to 11:

- comply with generally accepted accounting practice in New Zealand;
- give a true and fair view of the financial position of the company as at 30 June 2013 and of its financial performance and cash flows for the year then ended.



Report on other legal and regulatory requirements

In accordance with the requirements of sections 16(1)(d) and 16(1)(e) of the Financial Reporting Act 1993, we report that:

- we have obtained all the information and explanations that we have required; and
- in our opinion, proper accounting records have been kept by Teleco Insurance (NZ) Limited as far as appears from our examination of those records.

KPMG

26 November 2013
Wellington



The Board of Directors
Teleco Insurance (NZ) Limited
42-52 Willis Street
Wellington

18 November 2013

Appointed actuary's review of actuarial information for Teleco Insurance (NZ) Limited

To the Directors of Teleco Insurance (NZ) Limited,

This letter has been prepared for Teleco Insurance (NZ) Limited ("Teleco") to meet the requirements of Section 78 of the Insurance (Prudential Supervision) Act 2010 ("the Act") in respect of Section 77 of the Act which requires that each Licensed insurer must ensure that the actuarial information contained in, or used in preparation of, the financial statements of the insurer is reviewed by the appointed actuary.

I have reviewed the following actuarial information included in the audited accounts for Teleco as at 30 June 2013:

- Outstanding claims liability
- Unearned premium liability

I have been provided with all the information and explanations that I have required to complete my review.

I am the appointed actuary to Teleco and am a Partner of PricewaterhouseCoopers New Zealand. I am independent of Teleco.

In my opinion:

- the actuarial information contained in the financial statements has been appropriately included in those statements; and
- the actuarial information used in the preparation of the financial statements has been used appropriately; and
- Teleco is maintaining a solvency margin as required under the Solvency Standard for Non-Life Insurance Business issued by the Reserve Bank of New Zealand.





Reliances and limitations

This letter has been prepared for Teleco and is provided in accordance with the terms set out in our statement of work dated 22 August 2013.

No distribution of this letter to third parties, other than as required by law is permitted by us. There may be requests for our report to be copied to third parties. We will be happy to consider these requests, as and when they arise.

Our responsibilities and liabilities are limited to Teleco and exist only in the context of their use of our letter. No liability or responsibility will be accepted by us in relation to the use of our report for any other purpose. We will not accept any liability or responsibility to any third party recipients.

We have relied on information provided to us in the course of carrying out our work. We perform some data validation checks but we have not verified all of the information provided to us, nor have we carried out anything in the nature of an audit. Accordingly, we express no opinion on the total reliability, accuracy or completeness of the information provided to us and upon which we have relied. We have no reason to believe that the information provided to us is inaccurate or misleading.

This letter must be read in its entirety. Individual sections of this report could be misleading if considered in isolation from each other. If distributed, this letter must be distributed in its entirety.

This letter is not considered an actuarial report under Professional Standard 9.1 of the New Zealand Society of Actuaries.

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Paul Rhodes', written in a cursive style.

Paul Rhodes, FNZSA, FIA