

## Appendix 4E

## Preliminary Final Report

Name of entity	ABN reference
IRESS Limited	47 060 313 359

**1. REPORTING PERIODS**

Financial year ended (‘current period’)	Financial year ended (‘previous corresponding period’)
31 December 2018	31 December 2017

**2. RESULTS FOR ANNOUNCEMENT TO THE MARKET**

Key information	Current period \$'000	Previous corresponding period \$'000	Percentage change increase	Amount increase \$'000
Revenue from ordinary activities	464,624	429,952	8.06%	34,672
Profit before income tax expense	84,969	77,765	9.26%	7,204
Net profit attributable to the members of the parent company	64,096	59,755	7.27%	4,341

**3. DIVIDENDS**

Dividend	Period	Payment date	Amount per security Cents	Franked amount per security at 30% tax
Final dividend*	31 December 2018	22 March 2019	30.0	40%
Interim dividend	30 June 2018	28 September 2018	16.0	60%
Final dividend	31 December 2017	23 March 2018	28.0	60%

\* The record date for the final dividend is 28 February 2019. A dividend reinvestment plan will operate in respect of the final dividend.

**4. NTA BACKING**

Net tangible assets backing per ordinary share	Current period Cents	Previous corresponding period Cents
Net tangible assets backing per ordinary share	(78.36)	(81.48)

NTA backing for the Group is negative reflecting the nature of a software company whereby the majority of the assets relate to intangible assets recognised and human capital responsible for creating and maintaining IRESS products that has not been recognised.

**5. FINANCIAL STATEMENTS**

For additional Appendix 4E disclosures, refer to the Directors' Report, audited Financial Report for the year ended 31 December 2018 and the Media Release lodged with the Australian Securities Exchange on 21 February 2019.