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APPENDIX 4D

REPORT FOR THE HALF-YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2023

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ABN or equivalent company reference

Financial Half Year Ended ('current period') Financial Half Year Ended ('previous corresponding period')

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31 December 2023

31 December 2022

1. RESULTS FOR ANNOUNCEMENT TO MARKET

	Half-Year ended 31 December 2023 \$'000	Half-Year ended 31 December 2022 \$'000	Percentage Improvement / (Deterioration) over previous corresponding period	
Revenue from ordinary activities	1,593	1,431	11.3%	
Earnings before interest, taxation, depreciation and amortisation ("EBITDA") and share based payments	(937)	(1,000)	6.3%	
Loss after tax from ordinary activities attributable to members.	(1,582)	(1,522)	(3.9%)	
Net Loss for the period attributable to members	(1,582)	(1,522)	(3.9%)	
Dividends There were no dividends paid or payable for the half year	ended 31 Dec	cember 2023	3.	
Record date for determining entitlements to the final dividend.				

Commentary on results

Refer to the "Review of Operations" section included within the directors' report of that attached financial report for the half year ended 31 December 2023.

2. NET TANGIBLE ASSETS PER SHARE

	31 December 2023 \$/share	31 December 2022 \$/share
Net tangible asset backing per ordinary security	0.002	0.007

3. CONTROL GAINED OR LOST OVER ENTITIES IN THE YEAR

Control gained over entities

Not applicable.

Loss of control over entities

Not applicable.

4. DIVIDEND DETAILS

There were no dividends paid or payable for the half year ended 31 December 2023.

5. DIVIDEND REINVESTMENT PLAN

There was no dividend reinvestment plan in operation during the half year ended 31 December 2023.

6. INVESTMENTS IN ASSOCIATES AND JOINT VENTURES

Not applicable.

7. AUDIT QUALIFICATION OR REVIEW

Details of audit/review dispute or qualification (if any): None.

The financial statements were subject to a review by the auditors and their review report is attached as part of the Interim Financial Report for the half-year ended 31 December 2023.

8. ATTACHMENTS

The Interim Financial Report for the half-year ended 31 December 2023 is attached.

Dr. Garry Garside Non-executive Chairman 22 February 2024



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INTERIM FINANCIAL REPORT FOR THE HALF-YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2023

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Rent.com.au Limited Director's Report 31 December 2023

The directors present their report, together with the financial statements, on the consolidated entity (referred to hereafter as the 'the Group') consisting of Rent.com.au Limited (referred to hereafter as the 'Company' or 'parent entity') and the entities it controlled at the end of, or during, the half-year ended 31 December 2023.

Directors

The following persons were directors of Rent.com.au Limited during the whole of the financial halfyear and up to the date of this report, unless otherwise stated:

Dr. Garry Garside	(Non-Executive Chairman)
Mr. John Wood	(Non-Executive Director)
Mr. Sam McDonagh	(Non-Executive Director)
Mr. Philip Warren	(Non-Executive Director)

Principal Activities

The Group operates real estate websites focusing on the rental property market. The primary websites operated by the Group are <u>www.rent.com.au</u> and <u>www.rentpay.com.au</u>.

Review of Operations

The Consolidated Statement of Profit or Loss and Other Comprehensive Income shows a net operating loss after tax and non-controlling interest of \$1,581,695 (31 December 2022: \$1,521,684). The net operating loss for the half-year ended 31 December 2023 included non-cash share-based payments expenses of \$82,844 (31 December 2022: share-based payments expenses of \$126,147) associated with performance based convertible securities issued to staff. Earnings Before Interest, Tax, Depreciation, and Amortisation (and excluding non-cash share-based payments or sundry income) ("EBITDA") for the half-year ended 31 December 2023 was a loss of \$936,523 (31 December 2022: \$999,618).

The Group's revenue increased by 11.3% compared to the prior comparative period (the half-year ended 31 December 2022) driven mainly by a 136% increase in RentPay revenue and 11.5% improvement in advertising revenue.

The Group continued developing its RentPay rental payments platform further during the period, adding new features such as Mastercard Click to Pay functionality. During the half-year ended 31 December 2023, the Group incurred \$426,108 of capitalised development costs (31 December 2022: \$588,627) and a net operating loss (Earnings Before Interest, Tax, Depreciation, and Amortisation) of \$1,029,052 (31 December 2022: \$1,037,936) in further developing and commercialising the platform.

Significant changes in the state of affairs

There were no significant changes in the state of affairs of the Group during the financial half-year.

Events since the end of the financial reporting period

There were no significant events that occur since the end of the financial reporting period.

Auditor's independence declaration

A copy of the auditor's independence declaration as required under section 307C of the Corporations Act 2001 is set out immediately after this directors' report.

This report is made in accordance with a resolution of directors, pursuant to section 306(3)(a) of the Corporations Act 2001.

Rent.com.au Limited Director's Report 31 December 2023

On behalf of the directors

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Dr. Garry Garside Non-executive Chairman

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AUDITOR'S INDEPENDENCE DECLARATION

As lead auditor for the review of the financial report of Rent.com.au Limited for the half-year ended 31 December 2023, I declare that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, there have been no contraventions of:

- (i) the auditor independence requirements of the Corporations Act 2001 in relation to the review; and
- (ii) any applicable code of professional conduct in relation to the review.

RSM **RSM AUSTRALIA PARTNERS**

AIK KONG TING Partner

Perth, WA Dated: 22 February 2024

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Rent.com.au Limited General Information 31 December 2023

General information

The financial statements cover Rent.com.au Limited as a Group, consisting of Rent.com.au Limited and the entities it controlled at the end of, or during, the half-year. The financial statements are presented in Australian dollars, which is Rent.com.au Limited's functional and presentation currency.

Rent.com.au Limited is a listed public company limited by shares, incorporated and domiciled in Australia. Its registered office and principal place of business are:

Registered office 3 Craig Street Burswood WA 6100 **Principal place of business** 3 Craig Street Burswood WA 6100

A description of the nature of the Group's operations and its principal activities are included in the director's report, which is not part of the financial statements.

The financial statements were authorised for issue, in accordance with a resolution of directors, on 22 February 2024.

Rent.com.au Limited Statement of Profit or Loss and Other Comprehensive Income For the half-year ended 31 December 2023

Να	ote	Consolidated	
		31 Dec 2023 \$	31 Dec 2022 \$
Revenue	3	1,593,577	1,431,130
Other income	4	56,162	51,601
		1,649,739	1,482,731
Administration charges		(289,290)	(331,973)
Consulting costs		(24,000)	(30,341)
Depreciation and amortisation expense		(632,565)	(477,951)
Employee benefit expenses		(1,036,201)	(1,116,294)
Finance costs		(31,405)	(12,459)
Information technology costs		(252,348)	(256,978)
Share based payment expenses		(82,844)	(126,147)
Sales and marketing expenses		(430,898)	(352,130)
Other cost of sales		(497,363)	(343,032)
Loss before income tax expense		(1,627,175)	(1,564,574)
Income tax expense		-	
Loss after income tax expense for the half-year		(1,627,175)	(1,564,574)
Other comprehensive income		-	-
Total comprehensive loss for the half-year		(1,627,175)	(1,564,574)
Total comprehensive loss attributable to:			
Non-controlling interest		(45,480)	(42,890)
Owners of Rent.com.au Limited		(1,581,695)	(1,521,684)
Total comprehensive loss for the half-year		(1,627,175)	(1,564,574)
Earnings per share		Cents	Cents
Basic and diluted loss per share		(0.30)	(0.34)

The above statement of profit or loss and other comprehensive income should be read in conjunction with the accompanying notes.

Rent.com.au Limited Statement of Financial Position As at 31 December 2023

	Note	Con	solidated
Assets		31 Dec 2023	30 Jun 2023
		\$	\$
Current assets			
Cash and cash equivalents		2,046,407	1,508,606
Trade and other receivables		625,798	422,680
Total current assets		2,672,205	1,931,286
Non-current assets			
Plant and equipment		21,408	31,869
Right of use asset		142,461	183,164
Intangible assets	6	2,470,421	2,863,894
Total non-current assets		2,634,290	3,078,927
Total assets		5,306,495	5,010,213
Liabilities			
Current liabilities			
Trade and other payables		877,278	788,733
Borrowings		114,890	19,236
Lease liability		86,732	82,936
Employee benefits		267,876	299,142
Total current liabilities		1,346,776	1,190,047
Non-current liabilities			
Borrowings		3,888	13,429
Lease liability		70,040	114,374
Total non-current liabilities		73,928	127,803
Total liabilities		1,420,704	1,317,850
Net assets		3,885,791	3,692,363
Equity			
Issued capital	5	48,296,061	46,546,155
Share based payments reserve		6,808,564	6,737,867
Other reserve		243,726	243,726
Accumulated losses		(51,233,986)	(49,652,291)
Equity attributable to the owners		4,114,365	3,875,457
Non-controlling interest		(228,574)	(183,094)
Total equity		3,885,791	3,692,363

The above statement of financial position should be read in conjunction with the accompanying notes

Rent.com.au Limited Statement of Changes in Equity For the half-year ended 31 December 2023

	lssued capital	Share based payments reserves	Other reserve	Accumulated losses	Non- controlling interest	Total equity
Consolidated	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
Balance at 1 July 2023 Loss after income tax expense for the half-year	46,546,155 -	6,737,867 -	243,726 -	(49,652,291) (1,581,695)	(183,094) (45,480)	3,692,363 (1,627,175)
Total comprehensive loss for the half-year	-	-	-	(1,581,695)	(45,480)	(1,627,175)
Transactions with owners in their capacity as owners:						
Shares issued	2,002,224	(56,061)	-	-	-	1,946,163
Options Issued	-	43,914	-	-	-	43,914
Share issue costs	(252,318)	-	-	-	-	(252,318)
Share based payments	-	82,844	-	-	-	82,844
Balance at 31 December 2023	48,296,061	6,808,564	243,726	(51,233,986)	(228,574)	3,885,791

	lssued capital	Share based payments reserves	Other reserve	Accumulated losses	Non- controlling interest	Total equity
Consolidated	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
Balance at 1 July 2022	43,844,447	6,526,508	243,726	(45,896,461)	(89,743)	4,628,477
Loss after income tax expense for the half-year	-	-	-	(1,521,684)	(42,890)	(1,564,574)
Total comprehensive loss for the half-year	-	-	-	(1,521,684)	(42,890)	(1,564,574)
Transactions with owners in their capacity as owners:						
Shares issued	2,954,954	(36,465)	-	-	-	2,918,489
Share issue costs	(253,159)	-	-	-	-	(253,159)
Share based payments	-	126,147	-	-	-	126,147
Balance at 31 December 2022	46,546,242	6,616,190	243,726	(47,418,145)	(132,633)	5,855,380

The above statement of changes in equity should be read in conjunction with the accompanying notes

Rent.com.au Limited Statement of Cash Flows For the half-year ended 31 December 2023

	Note	Cons	solidated
		31 Dec 2023	31 Dec 2022
Cash flows from operating activities		\$	\$
Receipts from customers (inclusive of GST)		1,780,368	1,683,237
Payments to suppliers and employees (inclusive of GST)		(2,879,409)	(2,393,392)
		(1,099,041)	(710,155)
Other income		17,195	38,697
Interest received		38,967	12,904
Interest and other finance costs paid		(31,405)	(12,459)
Net cash used in operating activities		(1,074,284)	(671,013)
Cash flows from investing activities			
Payments for plant and equipment		-	(2,608)
Payments for intangible assets (net of R&D incentives)		(187,928)	(303,892)
Net cash used in investing activities		(187,928)	(306,500)
Cash flows from financing activities			
Proceeds from issue of share capital (net)		1,737,759	2,665,330
Proceeds from borrowings		690,743	-
Repayment of borrowings		(628,489)	(104,409)
Net cash provided by financing activities		1,800,013	2,560,921
Net increase in cash and cash equivalents		537,801	1,583,408
Cash and cash equivalents at the beginning of the financial half-year		1,508,606	2,230,272
Cash and cash equivalents at the end of the financial half-year		2,046,407	3,813,680
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The above statement of cash flows should be read in conjunction with the accompanying notes

Note 1. Material accounting policies

These general-purpose financial statements for the interim half-year reporting period ended 31 December 2023 have been prepared in accordance with Australian Accounting Standard AASB 134 'Interim Financial Reporting' and the Corporations Act 2001, as appropriate for for-profit oriented entities. Compliance with AASB 134 ensures compliance with International Financial Reporting Standard IAS 34 'Interim Financial Reporting'.

These general-purpose financial statements do not include all the notes of the type normally included in annual financial statements. Accordingly, these financial statements are to be read in conjunction with the annual report for the year ended 30 June 2023 and any public announcements made by the Group during the interim reporting period in accordance with the continuous disclosure requirements of the Corporations Act 2001.

The principal accounting policies adopted are consistent with those of the previous financial year and corresponding interim reporting period.

New or amended Accounting Standards and Interpretations adopted

The Group has adopted all of the new or amended Accounting Standards and Interpretations issued by the Australian Accounting Standards Board ('AASB') that are mandatory for the current reporting period. Any new or amended Accounting Standards or Interpretations that are not yet mandatory have not been early adopted.

Note 2. Operating segments

Identification of reportable operating segments

The Group operates as two operating segments with different revenue streams. The Board (the Chief Operating Decision Makers ('CODM') of the business) reviews performance of the Group both as a whole and as separate operating segments.

The Board evaluates Group performance by reference to revenue which is measured consistently with these consolidated financial statements, as well as measuring performance by evaluating EBITDA (earnings before interest, tax, depreciation and amortisation). The accounting policies adopted for internal reporting to the Board are consistent with those adopted in the financial statements.

The information is reported to the Board monthly.

Rent.com.au RentPay Total \$ \$ \$ Sales to external customers 1,349,473 220,732 1,570,205 Other Revenue - 51,182 51,182 Intersegment sales (27,810) - (27,810) Total Revenue 1,321,663 271,914 1,593,577 EBITDA 92,529 (1,029,052) (936,523) Depreciation and amortisation - - 38,967 Interest income 38,967 38,967 38,967 Interest charges - - 17,195 Other revenue - - 17,195	Consolidated 31 December 2023	Consolidated				
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EBITDA92,529(1,029,052)(936,523)Depreciation and amortisation(632,565)Share based payments(82,844)Interest income-38,967Interest charges(31,405)Other revenue17,195	Intersegment sales	(27,810)	-	(27,810)		
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Share based payments(82,844)Interest income38,967Interest chargesOther revenue17,195	EBITDA	92,529	(1,029,052)	(936,523)		
Interest income38,967Interest chargesOther revenue17,195	Depreciation and amortisation	-	-	(632,565)		
Interest charges(31,405)Other revenue17,195	Share based payments	-	-	(82,844)		
Other revenue - 17,195	Interest income			38,967		
	Interest charges	-	-	(31,405)		
Net loss - (1,627,175)	Other revenue	-	-	17,195		
	Net loss	-		(1,627,175)		

Note 2. Operating segments (continued)

Consolidated 31 December 2023			
Assets			
Segment assets	5,015,429	291,066	5,306,495
Total assets includes:			
Acquisition of non-current assets (net cost)	187,928	-	187,928
Liabilities			
Segment liabilities	1,412,554	8,150	1,420,704
			-

Consolidated 31 December 2022	Consolidated		
	Rent.com.au RentPay		Total
	\$	\$	\$
Sales to external customers	1,337,810	93,320	1,431,130
EBITDA	38,317	(1,037,935)	(999,618)
Depreciation and amortisation	-	-	(477,951)
Share based payments	-	-	(126,147)
Interest income	-	-	12,904
Interest charges	-	-	(12,459)
Other revenue	-	-	38,697
Net Loss	-		(1,564,574)

Note 3. Revenue

	Consc	lidated 31 Dec	2023	Co	Consolidated 31 Dec 2022		
	Timing of revenuerecognitionGoodsServicestransferred attransferreda point inover a periodtimeof time		Total	recog Goods transferred	of revenue gnition Services transferred over a period of time	Total	
	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	
Agent and landlord fees	8,898	31,937	40,835	9,980	42,351	52,331	
Renter products revenue	684,634	-	684,634	750,650	-	750,650	
Payment services	159,691	61,041	220,732	66,155	27,165	93,320	
Advertising sales	266,339	329,855	596,194	159,093	375,736	534,829	
Other revenue	51,182	-	51,182	-	-	-	
Total	1,170,744	422,833	1,593,577	985,878	445,252	1,431,130	

Note 4. Other income

	Consolidated	
	31 Dec 2023 \$	31 Dec 2022 \$
Interest revenue	38,967	12,904
R&D Incentive recognised in income ⁽¹⁾	17,195	38,697
Total other income	56,162	51,601

⁽¹⁾ During the half year, the Company received a R&D Tax Offset Incentive relating to the financial year ended 30 June 2023 of \$610,773, with \$17,195 recognized as government grant income and the balance of \$593,578 was offset against intangible assets.

Note 5. Issued capital

	Consolidated	
	31 Dec 2023	30 Jun 2023
	\$	\$
Ordinary shares fully paid	48,296,061	46,546,155
	Shares	Shares
Ordinary shares fully paid	629,649,562	513,654,211

Movements in ordinary share capital:

Ordinary Shares	31 Dec 2023		30 Jun 2023	
	Shares	\$	Shares	\$
At the beginning of the reporting period:	513,654,211	46,546,155	440,271,102	43,844,447
Share issue transaction costs	-	(252,318)	-	(253,246)
Issue of shares – performance shares August 2022 ⁽¹⁾	-	-	420,896	36,466
lssue of shares – rights issue December 2022 ⁽²⁾	-	-	72,962,213	2,918,488
Issue of shares – performance shares September 2023 ⁽³⁾	1,515,150	56,061	-	-
Issue of shares – rights issue December $2023^{(\!\!\!\!\!\!\!\!\!\!)}$	114,480,201	1,946,163	-	-
At the end of the reporting period	629,649,562	48,296,061	513,654,211	46,546,155

⁽¹⁾ On 5 August 2022, 420,896 performance rights were converted to ordinary shares.

- ⁽²⁾ On 9 December 2022, 5,708,665 shares were issued at \$0.04 per share. On 14 December 2022, 56,553,548 shares were issued at \$0.04 per share and on 15 December 2022, 10,700,000 shortfall shares were issued at grant date with fair value of \$0.04 per share.
- ⁽³⁾ On 1 September 2023, 1,515,150 performance rights were converted to ordinary shares.
- ⁽⁴⁾ On 11 December 2023, 12,471,657 shares were issued at \$0.017 per share, on 15 December 2023, 99,067,368 shortfall shares were issued at \$0.017 per share and on 18 December 2023, 2,941,176 shortfall shares were issued at \$0.017 per share.

	Consolidated	
	31 Dec 2023 \$	30 Jun 2023 \$
Software and website development at cost	9,733,933	9,546,005
Less accumulated amortisation	(7,263,512)	(6,682,111)
	2,470,421	2,863,894

Reconciliation of the written down values at the beginning and end of the current period and previous financial year are set out below:

	Consolidated	
	31 Dec 2023 \$	30 Jun 2023 \$
Balance at the beginning of the period	2,863,894	2,762,608
Additions	781,506	1,793,766
R&D Tax Offset Incentive (Note 4)	(593,578)	(638,206)
Amortisation	(581,401)	(1,054,274)
Written down balance at the end of the period	2,470,421	2,863,894

Note 7. Contingent assets and liabilities

There were no material changes to contingent liabilities or assets since 30 June 2023.

Note 8. Commitments

There are no changes to commitments since 30 June 2023.

Note 9. Events after the reporting period

No other matter or circumstance has arisen since 31 December 2023 that has significantly affected, or may significantly affect the Group's operations, the result of those operations or the Group's state of affairs in future financial years.

Note 10. Dividends

The directors do not recommend the payment of a dividend in respect of the half-year ended 31 December 2023.

Note 11. Options, performance rights and performance shares

During the half-year ended 31 December 2023, 18,908,523 performance rights were lapsed in accordance with their terms of issuance.

During the half-year ended 31 December 2023, pursuant to Rent.com.au Limited Employee Long-Term Incentive Plan, the Company issued the following performance rights:

Grant date	Number of rights	Fair value	Vesting conditions
3 October 2023	2,500,000	\$0.020	Remain employed with the Company until 30 June 2024.
3 October 2023	8,925,000	\$0.0088	Achieve 300% TSR growth by 30 June 2026
3 October 2023	2,231,250	\$0.0071	Achieve 400% TSR growth by 30 June 2026
3 October 2023	2,231,250	\$0.0063	Achieve 500% TSR growth by 30 June 2026
3 October 2023	1,575,000	\$0.020	Achieve >\$3.5 million revenue in FY24
3 October 2023	393,750	\$0.020	Achieve >\$4.0 million revenue in FY24
3 October 2023	393,750	\$0.020	Achieve >\$4.5 million revenue in FY24
3 October 2023	3,937,500	\$0.0071	Achieve 100k paying RentPay customers by 30 June 2026
3 October 2023	3,937,500	\$0.0063	Achieve >50% of FY26 revenue from new (since FY23) sources.

In the directors' opinion:

- the attached financial statements and notes comply with the Corporations Act 2001, Australian Accounting Standard AASB 134 'Interim Financial Reporting', the Corporations Regulations 2001 and other mandatory professional reporting requirements;
- the attached financial statements and notes give a true and fair view of the Group's financial position as at 31 December 2023 and of its performance for the half-year ended on that date; and
- there are reasonable grounds to believe that the company will be able to pay its debts as and when they become due and payable.

Signed in accordance with a resolution of directors made pursuant to section 303(5)(a) of the Corporations Act 2001.

On behalf of the directors

Dr. Garry Garside Non-executive Chairman

22 February 2024 Perth WA



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INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REVIEW REPORT

To the Members of RENT.COM.AU LIMITED

Report on the Half-Year Financial Report

Conclusion

We have reviewed the accompanying half-year financial report of Rent.com.au Limited (the Company) which comprises statement of financial position as at 31 December 2023, statement of profit or loss and other comprehensive income, statement of changes in equity and statement of cash flows for the half-year ended on that date, notes comprising a summary of significant accounting policies and other explanatory information, and the directors' declaration of the consolidated entity comprising the Company and the entities it controlled at the half-year end or from time to time during the half-year.

Based on our review, which is not an audit, we have not become aware of any matter that makes us believe that the half-year financial report of Rent.com.au Limited is not in accordance with the *Corporations Act 2001* including:

- (a) giving a true and fair view of the consolidated entity's position as at 31 December 2023 and of its performance for the half-year ended on that date; and
- (b) complying with Accounting Standard AASB 134 Interim Financial Reporting and Corporations Regulations 2001.

Basis for Conclusion

We conducted our review in accordance with ASRE 2410 *Review of a Financial Report Performed by the Independent Auditor of the Entity*. Our responsibilities are further described in the Auditor's Responsibilities for the Review of the Financial Report section of our report. We are independent of the Company in accordance with the auditor independence requirements of the *Corporations Act 2001* and the ethical requirements of the Accounting Professional and Ethical Standards Board's APES 110 Code of Ethics for Professional Accountants (including Independence Standards) (the Code) that are relevant to our audit of the annual financial report in Australia. We have also fulfilled our other ethical responsibilities in accordance with the Code.

We confirm that the independence declaration required by the *Corporations Act 2001*, which has been given to the directors of Rent.com.au Limited, would be in the same terms if given to the directors as at the time of this auditor's review report.

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Directors' Responsibility for the Half-Year Financial Report

The directors of Rent.com.au Limited are responsible for the preparation of the half-year financial report that gives a true and fair view in accordance with Australian Accounting Standards and the *Corporations Act 2001* and for such internal control as the directors determine is necessary to enable the preparation of the half-year financial report that is free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

Auditor's Responsibility for the Review of the Financial Report

Our responsibility is to express a conclusion on the half-year financial report based on our review. We conducted our review in accordance with Auditing Standard on Review Engagements ASRE 2410 *Review of a Financial Report Performed by the Independent Auditor of the Entity*, in order to state whether, on the basis of the procedures described, we have become aware of any matter that makes us believe that the half-year financial report is not in accordance with the *Corporations Act 2001* including: giving a true and fair view of the consolidated entity's financial position as at 31 December 2023 and its performance for the half-year ended on that date; and complying with Accounting Standard AASB 134 *Interim Financial Reporting* and the *Corporations Regulations 2001*.

A review of a half-year financial report consists of making enquiries, primarily of persons responsible for financial and accounting matters, and applying analytical and other review procedures. A review is substantially less in scope than an audit conducted in accordance with Australian Auditing Standards and consequently does not enable us to obtain assurance that we would become aware of all significant matters that might be identified in an audit. Accordingly, we do not express an audit opinion.

Perth, WA Dated: 22 February 2024

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