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## MARKET ANNOUNCEMENT

## **Dividend Donation Programme**

The Company is pleased to announce that it has joined in partnership with the "Investing In Hope" Dividend Donation programme of Children's Hospital Foundations Australia, an Australia wide national partnership of children's hospital foundations working together to fundraise in partnership with

national corporate and business organisations for sick and injured kids in Australian children's hospitals.

Please refer to their website for further information: <a href="https://www.childrenshospitals.org.au">www.childrenshospitals.org.au</a> and details of member hospital foundations in each State.

"Investing in Hope allows shareholders to receive a triple benefit in return for their donation. Shareholders can take advantage of imputation credits and still receive a taxdeductible charity receipt. Importantly, these donations also provide hope for millions of sick and injured children and their families – now and in the future", Noel Whittaker, Investing in Hope Ambassador for Children's Hospital Foundations Australia.



Royal Children's Hospital Foundation QLD Royal Children's Hospital Foundation VIC Sydney Children's Hospital Foundation NSW Women's and Children's Hospital Foundation SA Princess Margaret Hospital Foundation WA

The Company encourages all shareholders to participate in the Dividend Donation Programme, particularly those receiving smaller dividend cheques where the amount of the dividend can be less than the transaction and processing costs incurred by the Company with respect to payment of such dividend.

The Company will shortly be writing to shareholders to advise them of the one cent per share fully franked special dividend payment announced earlier today and enclosing various forms including a Dividend Donation Election Form - to receive instructions on joining the Company's Dividend Donation Programme by withholding their dividends for donation to Children's Hospital Foundations Australia.

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