



30<sup>th</sup> July 2004  
ASX Companies Announcements Office,

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**Appendix 4C – Quarterly cash report**

Dear Sirs,

Following is the above report for the quarter ended 30<sup>th</sup> June 2004.

The cash position as at 30<sup>th</sup> June was in line with budget.

The company advises that since the end of the quarter it has completed a placement of 21,000,000 shares to institutional and sophisticated investors at \$0.10c per share that raised \$2.1m before costs.

Cash reserves following receipt of the above placement monies are approximately \$3.0m which is in excess of two quarters of net operational cash spend based on the June quarter figure. The company has introduced measures designed to reduce operational cash spend. Some cost savings have already been implemented and others will take some months to come into full effect but are expected to reduce annualised operational expenses substantially in FY04/05 compared with FY03/04

Also the company is now beginning to see the results of its marketing program for the proTract range of probiotics that it launched in May and receipts from customers are expected to exceed those of the June quarter which will reduce the September quarter net operational cash spend accordingly.

Yours sincerely,

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Company Secretary

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# Appendix 4C

## Quarterly report for entities admitted on the basis of commitments

Introduced 31/3/2000. Amended 30/9/2001

Name of entity

VRI BioMedical Limited

ABN

97 084 464 193

Quarter ended ("current quarter")

30 June 2004

### Consolidated statement of cash flows

Cash flows related to operating activities	Current quarter \$A'000	Year to date (12 months) \$A'000
1.1 Receipts from customers	313	827
1.2 Payments for		
(a) staff costs	(348)	(2,025)
(b) advertising and marketing	(293)	(667)
(c) research and development	(161)	(606)
(d) leased assets	-	-
(e) other working capital	(864)	(2,955)
1.3 Dividends received	-	-
1.4 Interest and other items of a similar nature received	23	93
1.5 Interest and other costs of finance paid	-	(20)
1.6 Income taxes paid	-	-
1.7 Other (provide details if material)	-	-
<b>Net operating cash flows</b>	<b>(1,330)</b>	<b>(5,353)</b>

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	Current quarter \$A'000	Year to date ( 9 months) \$A'000
1.8 Net operating cash flows (carried forward)	(1,330)	(5,353)
<b>Cash flows related to investing activities</b>		
1.9 Payment for acquisition of:		
(a) businesses	-	-
(b) equity investments	-	-
(c) intellectual property	-	-
(d) physical non-current assets	(15)	(35)
(e) other non-current assets	-	-
1.10 Proceeds from disposal of:		
(a) businesses (item 5)	-	-
(b) equity investments	-	-
(c) intellectual property	-	-
(d) physical non-current assets	-	-
(e) other non-current assets	-	-
1.11 Loans to other entities	-	-
1.12 Loans repaid by other entities	-	-
1.13 Other (provide details if material)	-	-
<b>Net investing cash flows</b>	<b>(15)</b>	<b>(35)</b>
<b>1.14 Total operating and investing cash flows</b>	<b>(1,345)</b>	<b>(5,388)</b>
<b>Cash flows related to financing activities</b>		
1.15 Proceeds from issues of shares, options, etc. (net of costs)	486	4,372
1.16 Proceeds from sale of forfeited shares	-	-
1.17 Proceeds from borrowings	-	-
1.18 Repayment of borrowings	-	-
1.19 Dividends paid	-	-
1.20 Other - Government grants	162	731
<b>Net financing cash flows</b>	<b>648</b>	<b>5,103</b>
<b>Net increase (decrease) in cash held</b>	<b>(697)</b>	<b>(285)</b>
1.21 Cash at beginning of quarter/year to date	1,762	1,350
1.22 Exchange rate adjustments to item 1.20	-	-
<b>1.23 Cash at end of quarter</b>	<b>1,065</b>	<b>1,065</b>

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**Payments to directors of the entity and associates of the directors**

**Payments to related entities of the entity and associates of the related entities**

		Current quarter \$A'000
1.24	Aggregate amount of payments to the parties included in item 1.2	45
1.25	Aggregate amount of loans to the parties included in item 1.11	-
1.26	Explanation necessary for an understanding of the transactions	
<b>Refer to letter above.</b>		

**Non-cash financing and investing activities**

- 2.1 Details of financing and investing transactions which have had a material effect on consolidated assets and liabilities but did not involve cash flows

- 2.2 Details of outlays made by other entities to establish or increase their share in businesses in which the reporting entity has an interest

**Financing facilities available**

*Add notes as necessary for an understanding of the position. (See AASB 1026 paragraph 12.2).*

		Amount available \$A'000	Amount used \$A'000
3.1	Loan facilities	Nil	Nil
3.2	Credit standby arrangements	Nil	Nil

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### Reconciliation of cash


Reconciliation of cash at the end of the quarter (as shown in the consolidated statement of cash flows) to the related items in the accounts is as follows.	Current quarter \$A'000	Previous quarter \$A'000
4.1 Cash on hand and at bank	260	512
4.2 Deposits at call	805	1,250
4.3 Bank overdraft	-	-
4.4 Other (provide details)	-	-
<b>Total: cash at end of quarter</b> (item 1.22)	1,065	1,762

### Acquisitions and disposals of business entities

	Acquisitions <i>(Item 1.9(a))</i>	Disposals <i>(Item 1.10(a))</i>
5.1 Name of entity		
5.2 Place of incorporation or registration		
5.3 Consideration for acquisition or disposal		
5.4 Total net assets		
5.5 Nature of business		

### Compliance statement

- 1 This statement has been prepared under accounting policies which comply with accounting standards as defined in the Corporations Act (except to the extent that information is not required because of note 2) or other standards acceptable to ASX.
- 2 This statement does give a true and fair view of the matters disclosed.

Sign here:  ...Date: 30<sup>th</sup> July 2004  
 Company Secretary)

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### Notes

1. The quarterly report provides a basis for informing the market how the entity's activities have been financed for the past quarter and the effect on its cash position. An entity wanting to

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disclose additional information is encouraged to do so, in a note or notes attached to this report.

2. The definitions in, and provisions of, *AASB 1026: Statement of Cash Flows* apply to this report except for the paragraphs of the Standard set out below.
  - 6.2 - reconciliation of cash flows arising from operating activities to operating profit or loss
  - 9.2 - itemised disclosure relating to acquisitions
  - 9.4 - itemised disclosure relating to disposals
  - 12.1(a) - policy for classification of cash items
  - 12.3 - disclosure of restrictions on use of cash
  - 13.1 - comparative information
3. **Accounting Standards.** ASX will accept, for example, the use of International Accounting Standards for foreign entities. If the standards used do not address a topic, the Australian standard on that topic (if any) must be complied with.

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