





# 2023 Annual report



Management commentary (no financial statements)





# CONTENTS

Chair and CEO Report	2
Financial Overview	5
Board and Management	6
Financial Report	9
Directors' Responsibility Statement	10
Notes to the Financial Statements	15
Independent Auditor's Report	50
Non-GAAP Financial Information	54
Corporate Governance	55
Additional Information	64
Corporate Directory	68

Management commentary (no financial statements)

## CHAIR AND CEO REPORT

Dear fellow shareholders, we are pleased to present to you the Geo 2023 annual report. The reporting period saw a considerable increase in investment in product and platform development, helping underpin ongoing sales success and improved retention in Q4. While this investment has driven increased EBITDA losses and cash outflows, it positions Geo strongly as we enter FY24 and also assess strategic options.

#### **Platform Investment**

FY23 saw the biggest platform investment in the life of the company, with a focus on feature enhancement, usability, stability and security. Importantly this investment also provides key functionality that enables the company to generate new revenue streams, which we expect to contribute up to 15% of overall revenues over time.

#### **New Customer Activity**

Customer acquisition / marketing spend increased by 42% on PCP, including investment in a new marketing technology stack and website available at www.geoop.com. This combination allows more effective digital lead generation, driving better quality leads which in turn improves sales outcomes.

Q4FY23 new licence sales set a four-year high, with a 18% increase in average customer size over PCP contributing to this growth. GEO continued to see the average licence per new customer increase in Q1FY24.

Total marketing costs will reduce in FY24 as the technology investment is now complete and marketing efforts are now focused on direct customer acquisition only.

#### **Subscription Revenues**

Subscription revenues declined 1.3% against PCP at \$3.1 million or +1.5% adjusting for the impact of a new billing system. Closing ARR for the period was in line with PCP.

#### **Customer Retention**

Annualised retention dipped below target in Q1FY23 primarily due to the churn of one large legacy health customer who required specialist health sector features. Customer retention subsequently reverted to target levels in Q2-Q4, averaging 91% annualised levels. We expect to maintain these levels as customers experience the improved performance and features of the upgraded platform.

#### **EBITDA and Net Profit**

The Company's EBITDA loss increased from \$2.01 million to \$4.81 million, primarily due to temporary, project-related Product & Engineering spend which has now been completed. After reporting date, following the release of platform and app upgrades, material reductions in headcount and cash salaries were implemented to provide a lower cost base for FY24.

The FY23 statutory net loss after tax increased by 92% to \$(6.1) million.

#### Cash

The Company ended the period with net cash and equivalents of \$0.9 million, down \$1.9 million from 30 June 2022. As at 30 June 2023 GEO had \$1.0 million in undrawn funding available under a facility provided by Pioneer Capital. Adjusted operating and investing cash burn increased by \$2.8 million versus PCP to \$5.6 million, broadly in line with EBITDA.

#### Outlook

GEO has entered FY24 with confidence. The cash burn guidance provided in March 2023 for the period to 31 December 2023 is maintained, with a \$110k forecast monthly run rate. Year-end MRR is now projected at ~\$360k. These targets are underpinned by:

- Increasing revenues: the price increases rolled out in Q3FY23, increased sales velocity delivered in Q4FY24, new revenuegenerating product features rolled out and higher customer retention due to product improvements; and
- Reducing costs the material reductions in headcount and cash salary cuts implemented after balance date.

#### **CEO commentary**

FY23 has been one of significant platform investment, sales optimisation and a continued commitment to our vision. The heavy expenditure programme in FY23 has revitalised our GeoOp platform and laid the foundation to diversify our revenue streams. Whilst it remains early in the rollout of our new features, customer feedback is positive and revenue generation has commenced.

We also initiated market entry into the UK and, pleasingly, the record Q4FY23 new customer acquisition results included a strong contribution from the UK.

Despite a challenging equity market, we secured \$3.7 million in funding in Q3FY23. Acknowledging the external economic uncertainty, and following the major platform improvements, we have reduced our cost base materially to extend cash runway. This positions GEO well as we enter FY24 and transition to breakeven.

I would like to thank the GEO team for their dedication, hard work and focus as we enter FY24 with confidence.

#### **Chair commentary**

With the considerable platform investment supporting continued sales success, I'm confident that Geo is in a substantially stronger position to now consider its strategic options. I thank the team for their relentless pursuit of innovation, and shareholders for their ongoing support.

TIM MOLLOY Chief Executive Officer

ROD SNODGRASS Chair

Management commentary (no financial statements)

Management commentary (no financial statements

months Balancer

10 560 2023

124 Otherd Street

Defendant How Did

Hard Sell HE CHINA BURGER STORE

AND THE PARTY OF THE Lan Month (120 ran)

15:00 PM

we want to and

\$

20

12:30 PM

12 100 2023

1630.04

48 Pet Street

1001 255

NUMBER BIRD

SDPH Street

Syland 2010

THE WARD IS TRACTOR

1800.04

Homese Street Mores Homese

Tell March Inc. Tell Martine Tell March Inc. Tell Martine Tell March 1990 (20) March 1990 (20) March 1990 (20)

88

1

TOOPH

2042702

IN PELSTERI

Sport of

130

0

NUMBER DISTANCE

12:00.044

4

44

son ben

States Land The States

Head Line Line Line Lines In the Constant of the Constant Internal Constant of the Constant Internal Constant of the Constant of the Internal Constant of the Constant of the

and

Scheburg

Vin Malanna

Andone Vanaman Alia Andrea Horne United States Horne United States Horne United States

NPA. CA

a 10

Mar Hannier, Mit Hen Lane Hannen (Prostanti Hanne Van Datar Mare Van Datar

States

O MISSIN

Jops

0

0

8

0

Ø

0 upter \*

0 84

2

 $\odot$ 

0

Theory Jan Service of

Net

C 6/08/10%

In-Products

\$108-1245

0

Property managements

44

Hen

\$108-12M

Ó.

1

\$

8

物

Post Conners under und enter

1

Hen

\$109-1245 (Here

0

Post Causing The stand and the state

170

8.008-TC38

Comp Manual (Calcope) - Calcope - Ca

10

InProdess

Land Married (128-1077) The scheme and Jos and

2

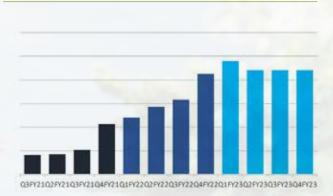
Management commentary (no financial statements)

## FINANCIAL OVERVIEW

YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE	2023	2022	VARIANCE	VARIANCE
	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	%
Revenues		1.00		
Recurring subscription revenue	3,072	3,113	(41)	-1.3%
Other revenues (incl. grants)	429	395	34	+8.6%
Total revenues	3,501	3,508	(7)	-0.2%
Geo Annual Recurring Revenue – at 30 June	3,265	3,332	(67)	-2.0%
Earnings				
Statutory net (loss) after tax	(6,124)	(3,180)	(2,944)	+92.6%
EBITDA	(4,813)	(2,009)	(2,804)	+139.6%
Operating & investing cash flows (excl. impact of funds in	nvested in term o	deposit) <sup>(1)</sup>		
Operating cash flows	(4,323)	(1,648)	(2,675)	+162.3%
Investing cash flows (excl. term deposit investment)	(1,258)	(1,09 <mark>1)</mark>	(167)	+15.3%
Total underlying operating & investing cash flows	(5,581)	(2,739)	(2,842)	+103.8%

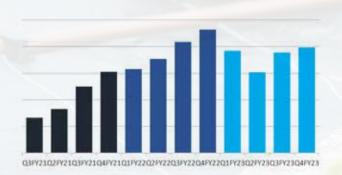
#### NEW CUSTOMER ACTIVITY - QUARTERLY TREND SUMMARY (Q1FY20 - Q4FY23)



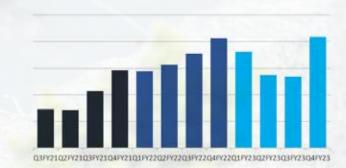


ANNUALISED NEW CUSTOMER GROWTH RATE /RETENTION

#### **NEW CUSTOMERS**



#### NEW LICENCES



<sup>1</sup> Cash invested in term deposits for a period greater than 90 days were classified as an investing cash outflow in FY22. Funds held by GEO on term deposit matured in November 2022. To allow for ease of comparison to prior period, the impact of cash invested in term deposit has been removed from Operating and Investing Cash Flows for the purpose of this summary



## DIRECTORS



#### Shailesh (Sal) Manga | Independent Non-Executive Director

Sal's background includes senior leadership roles in global and New Zealand companies over the past 15 years. His broad consulting experience with the world's most well-known technology brands has given a unique and informed perspective on Innovation and Product Design. Sal's current role is the Chief Operating Officer of Vector Technology Solutions. As well as governance, he focuses on working with Product Managers and the Customer Research team to help ensure that products have strong customer centric roadmaps that drive commercial success.



#### Roger Sharp | Non-Executive Director

For more than 30 years Roger has invested in, advised and run growth companies across several continents. His technology investment banking firm North Ridge Partners has invested and participated in or led numerous technology turnarounds. Roger is currently Chair of two ASX-200 technology companies, Webjet and Iress as well as Lotto New Zealand. He was previously Global Head of Technology for ABN AMRO Bank in London and CEO of ABN AMRO Asia in Hong Kong.



#### Rod Snodgrass | Independent Chair

Rod has extensive experience in strategy, innovation, digital growth and disruption. He is a founding partner in technology and venture firm, Maker Partners, and founder of strategy consultancy, The Exponential Agency. He was previously the Chief Customer Officer of Vector and prior to that was a member of the Spark leadership team for 10 years, holding senior positions including CEO of Spark Ventures, Chief Product Officer and Chief Strategy Officer. Rod is also a Non- Executive Director of Forsyth Barr, SMX, and Vital Communications. He holds a BCA from Victoria University, an Executive Management Diploma from Darden Business School, and is a Fellow Chartered Accountant and Member of the New Zealand Institute of Directors.



#### Ana Wight | Independent Non-Executive Director

Ana has over 15 years' experience across strategy and operations in the TMT sector across both B2B and B2C, and in corporate, management consulting, and start-up environments. Ana brings a blend of strategic and operational expertise, analytical thinking and rigour, and a strong bias for action and execution to the teams and organisations that she leads. Ana has a strong track record of creating high performing, highly engaged teams. Prior to her current role as GM Retail at Lightspeed, Ana was the CEO of Vend, leading through Vend's acquisition by Lightspeed. Before Vend, Ana held roles at McKinsey & Company (SVP), Microsoft, and Spark.



## MANAGEMENT



#### Tim Molloy | Chief Executive Officer

As a former CEO, CSO and non-executive director, Tim has a strong operational and growth focus with M&A and capital markets skills. Tim has delivered outstanding results for private equity-backed high growth service and technology businesses. Tim grew Exonet Business Software, a New Zealand-based software platform, before selling it to MYOB in 2007. Tim spent four years in senior roles at MYOB including Head of Corporate Development and Head of Online, participating in the successful private equity buyout and exit of MYOB to Bain Capital for A\$1.2bn. Subsequently he was appointed CEO of Console, a Macquarie Capital-backed SaaS property management and trust accounting solutions business.



#### Scott Player | Chief Revenue Officer

Scott brings more than two decades of leadership experience in building and running marketing and software businesses in Australia. He has broad experience in cross-channel sales and marketing and has led numerous revenue growth programmes throughout his career. Prior to joining GEO, Scott co-founded two software-as-aservice businesses (Hey You and Ordermentum) and co-founded three digital marketing services businesses (Airborne, Researchify, Acquirely).



#### Matt Fitzsimons | Chief Financial Officer (from 23 August 2022)

Matt is a Chartered Accountant with extensive SaaS industry experience. The first decade of Matt's professional career started at Deloitte and PwC, working in the business advisory and tax consulting team. He has a Bachelor of Commerce and a Masters in Tax and was most recently part of the financial leadership team at Ortto, a SaaS marketing automation solution.



# 2023 FINANCIAL REPORT

**Financial statements** 

## DIRECTORS' RESPONSIBILITY STATEMENT

The Directors of Geo Limited (the "Company") are pleased to present to shareholders the financial statements for Geo Limited and its subsidiaries ("GEO" or "the Group") for the year ended 30 June 2023.

The Directors are responsible for presenting financial statements in accordance with New Zealand law and generally accepted accounting practice, which present fairly in all material respects the financial position of the Group as at 30 June 2023 and the results of its operations and cash flows for the year ended on that date.

The financial statements of the Group have been prepared using accounting policies which have been consistently applied and supported by reasonable judgements and estimates and that all relevant financial reporting standards have been followed.

The Directors believe that proper accounting records have been kept which enable with reasonable accuracy the determination of the financial position of the Group and facilitate compliance of the financial statements with the Companies Act 1993, NZX Listing Rules, Financial Reporting Act 2013 and Financial Markets Conduct Act 2013.

The Directors ensure that they have taken adequate steps to safeguard the assets of the Group and to prevent and detect fraud and other irregularities. Internal control procedures are also considered sufficient to provide a reasonable assurance as to the integrity and reliability of the financial statements.

This Annual Report and the Financial Statements are signed on behalf of the Board on 29 September 2023 by:

Rod Snodgrass Chair

Ana Wight Non-Executive Director

### CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF PROFIT OR LOSS AND OTHER COMPREHENSIVE INCOME

For the year ended 30 June 2023

	11075	2023	2022
STATED IN NEW ZEALAND DOLLARS Revenue and other income	NOTE	\$'000	\$'000
	2(-)	2.076	2 4 4 2
Revenue from contracts with customers	3(a)	3,076	3,113
Other income	3(b)	425	395
Total revenue and other income		3,501	3,508
Expenses			
Research and development		(1,906)	(1,228)
Sales and marketing		(2,805)	(2,122)
Other expenses		(3,603)	(2,166)
Depreciation and amortisation		(1,246)	(1,072)
Total expenses	3(c)	(9,560)	(6,588)
Finance expense	3(d)	(65)	(100)
(Loss) from operations before tax		(6,124)	(3,180)
Income tax benefit	4(a)	-	-
Net (loss) for the year		(6,124)	(3,180)
Other comprehensive income			
Items that may be reclassified subsequently to profit or loss:			
(Loss)/gain on translation of foreign operations		332	(496)
Total comprehensive income for the year, net of tax attributable to shareholder	S	(5,792)	(3,676)
Earnings per share attributable to the ordinary equity holders:			
Profit or (loss)			
Basic (loss) per share (cents)	12	(3.22)	(2.13)
Diluted (loss) per share (cents)	12	(3.22)	(2.13)

The above Consolidated Statement of Profit or Loss and Other Comprehensive Income should be read in conjunction with the accompanying notes.

#### Financial statements

11

### CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN EQUITY

#### For the year ended 30 June 2023

STATED IN NEW ZEALAND DOLLARS	NOTE	SHARE CAPITAL \$'000	SHARE BASED PAYMENT RESERVE \$'000	FOREIGN CURRENCY TRANSLATION RESERVE \$'000	WARRANTS \$'000	RELATED PARTY LOANS – CONVERTIBLE NOTE \$'000	ACCUMULATED (LOSSES) \$'000	TOTAL EQUITY \$'000
Balance at 1 July 2021		34,809	293	292	-	236	(34,812)	818
(Loss) for the year		-	-	-	-	-	(3,180)	(3,180)
(Loss) on translation of foreign operations		-	-	(496)	-	-	-	(496)
Total comprehensive loss		-	-	(496)	-	-	(3,180)	(3,676)
Transactions with Owners in their capacity a	s owners							
Issue of shares	11	6,861	(224)	-	-	-	-	6,637
Share based payment	21(b)	-	435	-	-	-	-	435
Balance at 30 June 2022		41,670	504	(204)	-	236	(37,992)	4,214
(Loss) for the year		-	-	-	-	-	(6,124)	(6,124)
Gain on translation of foreign operations		-	-	332	-	-	-	332
Total Comprehensive Income		-	-	332	-	-	(6,124)	(5,792)
Transactions with Owners in their capacity a	s owners							
Issue of shares	11	2,062	(119)	-	-	-	-	1,943
Issue of shareholder warrants	16	-	-		127			127
Exercise of shareholder warrants	11	0	-	-	-	-	-	0
Convertible notes	13(b)	236	-	-	-	(236)	-	-
Share-based payment	20(b)	-	337	-	-	-	-	337
Balance at 30 June 2023		43,968	722	128	127	-	(44,116)	829

The above Consolidated Statement of Changes in Equity should be read in conjunction with the accompanying notes.

### CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION

As at 30 June 2023

STATED IN NEW ZEALAND DOLLARS	NOTE	2023 \$'000	2022 \$'000
Current assets			
Cash and cash equivalents	5(a)	909	2,786
Term investments	5(b)	10	1,260
Trade and other receivables	6	840	635
Total current assets		1,759	4,681
Non-current assets			
Property, plant & equipment	7	126	136
Intangible assets	8(a)	2,224	2,077
Contract acquisition assets	8(b)	217	167
Other assets	6	41	52
Total non-current assets		2,608	2,432
Total assets		4,367	7,113
Current liabilities			
Trade and other payables	10(a)	1,023	855
Contract liabilities and other deferred income	10(b)	756	637
Related party loans – convertible note	13(b)	-	1,264
Loan – Pioneer facility*	14(a)	1,545	
Pioneer warrants outstanding	14(b)	92	
Lease liabilities	15	66	120
Total current liabilities		3,482	2,876
Non-current liability			
Liability for long service leave		29	23
Lease liabilities	15	27	
Total non-current liabilities		56	23
Total liabilities		3,538	2,899
Net assets		829	4,214
Equity			
Share capital	11	43,968	41,670
Share-based payments reserve	21	722	504
Shareholder warrant reserve	16	127	
Related party loans – convertible note	13(b)	-	236
Accumulated losses		(44,116)	(37,992)
Foreign currency translation reserve		128	(204
Total equity		829	4,214

\*The Company incurred a technical breach of a Pioneer funding facility covenant by not drawing down on the facility prior to 30 June 2023, resulting in the loan being classified as a current liability. Pioneer waived the technical breach on 21 July 2023. The Company expects the facility to be reported as a Non-Current Liability in future.

The above Consolidated Statement of Financial Position should be read in conjunction with the accompanying notes.

## CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS

For the year ended 30 June 2023

		2023	2022
STATED IN NEW ZEALAND DOLLARS	NOTE	\$'000	\$'000
Cash flows from operating activities			
Cash was provided from (applied to):			
Receipts from customers		3,084	3,086
Grants received		315	316
Interest received		27	6
Payments to suppliers & employees		(7,640)	(4,916)
Payment of contract acquisition costs	8	(109)	(140)
Net cash (outflow) from operating activities	19(a)	(4,323)	(1,648)
Cash flows from investing activities			
Cash was provided from (applied to):			
Bonds matured/(purchased)		-	(1)
Cash matured/(put) on term deposit	5(b)	1,261	(1,260)
Purchase of property, plant and equipment	7	(22)	(29)
Capitalised development costs – application software	8	(1,167)	(1,061)
Capitalised trademark costs, contract acquisition costs and other intangibles	8	(69)	-
Net cash (outflow) from investing activities		3	(2,351)
Cash flows from financing activities			
Cash was provided from (applied to):			
Loan	14(a)	1,500	-
Loan – interest paid	14(a)	(16)	-
Related party convertible note repaid	13(b)	(250)	-
Related party loans interest paid	13(b)	(62)	(90)
Capital raising costs	11	(160)	(384)
Principal paid on lease liabilities		(117)	(120)
Interest paid on lease liabilities	3(d)	(3)	(10)
Issue of ordinary shares	11	1,216	7,021
Net cash inflow from financing activities	19(b)	2,108	6,417
Net increase in cash and cash equivalents		(2,212)	2,418
Cash and cash equivalents at start of the period		2,786	927
Exchange (losses)/gains on cash and cash equivalents		335	(559)
Balance at end of the year	5(a)	909	2,786

The above Consolidated Statement of Cash Flows should be read in conjunction with the accompanying notes.

For the year ended 30 June 2023

#### **1. CORPORATE ENTITY**

**Reporting Entity and Statutory Base** 

Geo Limited (the "Company") and its subsidiaries ("GEO" or "the Group") is a for-profit entity incorporated and domiciled in New Zealand, registered under the Companies Act 1993. The Company is an FMC reporting entity for the purpose of the Financial Markets Conduct Act 2013 and the Financial Reporting Act 2013. The Company's shares publicly trade on the NZX Main Board.

The registered office of the Company is located on Level 21, ANZ Centre, 171 Featherston Street, Wellington, New Zealand.

The financial statements represented are those for Geo Limited and its subsidiaries ("the Group").

The financial statements of the Group for the year ended 30 June 2023 were authorised for issue in accordance with a resolution of the Directors on 29 September 2023.

The principal activity of the Group is the development and commercial deployment of cloud-based mobile workforce productivity technologies.

#### 2. BASIS OF ACCOUNTING

#### Basis of Preparation

The consolidated financial statements of the Group are prepared in accordance with New Zealand Generally Accepted Accounting Practice ("NZ GAAP") and comply with the New Zealand equivalents to International Financial Reporting Standards ("NZ IFRS"). The financial statements comply with International Financial Reporting Standards ("IFRS"), Part 7 of Financial Markets Conduct Act 2013 and the NZX Listing rules.

Other than where described below, or in the notes, the financial statements have been prepared using the historical cost convention. Cost is based on the fair values of the consideration given in exchange for assets.

The financial statements are presented in New Zealand dollars and all values are rounded to the nearest thousand (\$000), except as otherwise indicated.

#### Going Concern

The consolidated financial statements have been prepared using the going concern assumption which assumes that the Group has the intention and ability to continue its operations for the foreseeable future.

The Group incurred a net loss of \$6,124,000 for the year ended 30 June 2023 (loss of \$3,180,000 for the year ended 30 June 2022).

The net cash outflow from operations and investing activities (excluding cash invested on term deposit) for the year ended 30 June 2023 was \$5,581,000 (net cash outflow of \$2,739,000 for the year ended 30 June 2022).

Directors note that at the time of this report, several known future circumstances and capital initiatives are in process and are expected to lead to a material improvement in net current assets, including:

- forecast receipt of approximately \$449,000 in Australian government research and development grants in October 2023;
- the Group has issued warrants which will enable shareholders to exercise in future. The Group anticipates it may raise further capital from warrants issued to existing shareholders, and
- the Group has historically funded its operations and development of its software-as-a-service platform via capital raisings conducted through the public equity markets. Based on this prior support and regular communications with both existing shareholders and external investors, the Directors have cause to believe that equity market funding will continue to be available in the future to allow the Group to continue to meet its commitments.

Given available cash and the current cashflow run rate, which will be positively impacted by forecast revenue increases, the Group estimates it has sufficient cash to fund its operations for at least 12 months from the date of signing these financial statements.

Directors note that while the Group's revenues from its core Geo product have remained relatively stable despite macroeconomic uncertainty, there remain uncertainties in meeting the forecasted financial performance. Forecast revenue growth is a key driver in the going concern assumption. If actual revenue growth is below forecast, the Group may not be able to meet loan covenant requirements.

The uncertainty of meeting forecasted financial performance creates a material uncertainty that may cast significant doubt on the Group's ability to continue as a going concern, and therefore may be unable to realise its assets and discharge its liabilities in the normal course of business. These

#### Financial statements

For the year ended 30 June 2023

consolidated financial statements do not include any adjustments relating to the recoverability and classification of recorded assets amounts, nor to the amounts and classification of liabilities that may be necessary should the Group be unable to continue as a going concern.

Notwithstanding the uncertainty to meet forecasted financial performance the Directors are confident that the Group remains a going concern and are confident of being able to meet forecasted financial performance.

Accordingly, the Directors believe the going concern assumption is valid and have reached this conclusion having regard to the circumstances which they consider likely to affect the Group during the period of one year from the date these financial statements are approved. The uncertainties associated with achieving forecast sales growth create a material uncertainty that may cast significant doubts on the Group's ability to continue as a going concern. If the Group is not a going concern, it may be unable to realise its assets and discharge its liabilities in the normal course of business.

#### Adoption of New or Revised Standards and Interpretations

No new or amended standards and interpretation that impact the financial statements have been adopted in the current year except for change in revenue recognition method compared to last year.

Certain new accounting standards and interpretations have been published that are not mandatory for 30 June 2023 reporting period of the Group. These standards are not expected to have a material impact on the current or future reporting periods, nor on foreseeable future transactions.

#### Critical Judgements, Estimates and Assumptions in Applying Accounting Policies

In the application of NZ IFRS, management is required to make judgements, estimates and assumptions about carrying values of assets and liabilities that are not readily apparent from other sources. The estimates and associated assumptions are based on historical experience and various other factors that are believed to be reasonable under the circumstances, the results of which form the basis of making the estimates. Actual results may differ from these estimates. The estimates and underlying assumptions are reviewed on an ongoing basis. Revisions to accounting estimates are recognised in the period in which the estimate is revised if the revision affects only that period or in the period of the revision and future periods if the revision affects both current and future periods.

#### Key Sources of Estimation Uncertainty and Key Judgements

Judgements made by management in the application of NZ IFRS that have significant effects on the financial statements and estimates with a significant risk of material adjustments in the next year are disclosed, where applicable, in the relevant notes to the financial statements.

The significant judgements, estimates and assumptions made by management in the preparation of these financial statements are outlined below:

- the application of the going concern assumption (refer to page 15 16);
- the determination of cash generating units (CGU) for impairment testing (refer to Note 8);
- the determination of whether impairment indicators exist for cash generating units (CGU) (Note 8);
- capitalised development costs determining whether the intangible assets to which the development expenditure relates meet the criteria for capitalisation. Judgement is required to ensure that costs capitalised as intangible assets meet each of the six criteria set out in Note 8 "Intangible Assets". This includes assessment of whether the software will generate future economic benefits given the Group is currently loss-making;
- the determination of useful lives of intangibles (Note 8);
- the determination of equity and debt components of convertible note (Note 13(b));
- the determination of equity and debt components of the Pioneer loan facility (Note 14), and
- the determination of non-recognition of deferred tax asset in relation to accumulated losses (Note 4).

Estimates and judgements are continually evaluated and are based on historical experience and other factors, including expectations of future events that are believed to be relevant under the circumstances.

#### Significant Accounting Policies

Significant accounting policies applied in the preparation of the consolidated financial statements are included in the notes to which they relate. Significant accounting policies that do not relate to a specific note are outlined below. These policies have been consistently applied unless otherwise stated.

#### **Financial statements**

For the year ended 30 June 2023

#### Change in Revenue Recognition

During the year, the Group revised its accounting policy in relation to revenue recognition. All subscription services of Geo are charged in advance on a monthly basis or annual basis. Geo previously recognised the monthly revenue in the month the invoice was raised, with revenue from annual invoices recognised throughout the year. Following the implementation of Zuora, Geo is able to efficiently allocate revenue from monthly and annual invoices to their respective service periods.

#### Segment

For the current financial year, the group only has Geo as its main product. Geo is a mobile workforce management and costing solution that helps users create, schedule, and assign jobs to field workers in real time. On site, workers can generate quotes, record job details, and attach photos. Once the jobs have been completed, workers can send invoices and organise fast payment. All customer records are available anywhere, at any time.

Geo incorporated a UK subsidiary during 2022, which sells the same Geo product and is considered to be within the same CGU. At a Group Level management reviews the performance of the operations for the ANZ and UK teams on a consolidated basis. Geo has determined that based on the information they use for the purposes of allocating resources and assessing performance, the Group only has a single operating segment for the year ended 30 June 2023, being the development and deployment of cloud-based application software.

The segment result is reflected in the financial statements. Financial information about geographical areas is not available and the cost to develop it for the year ended 30 June 2023 has been deemed to be excessive as compared to the nominal/limited insights it might provide to Chief Operating Decision Maker or users of the financial statements.

#### Basis of Consolidation

The consolidated financial statements prepared are issued in the name of the legal entity and parent, Geo Limited (the "Parent"). The consolidated financial statements incorporate the financial statements of the Parent and entities controlled by the Parent. Control is achieved when the Parent:

- has power over the investee;
- is exposed, or has the rights, to variable returns from its involvement with the investee; and
- has the ability to use its power to affect its returns.

Subsidiaries are fully consolidated from the date on which the Parent obtains control over subsidiaries and are de-consolidated from the date that control ceases. Inter-company transactions, balances and unrealised gains and losses on transactions between Group companies are eliminated. Accounting policies of subsidiaries are consistent with the policies adopted by the Group.

#### **Financial Instruments**

Financial assets and financial liabilities are recognised on the Group's Statement of Financial Position when the Group becomes a party to the contractual provisions of the instrument.

Financial assets and financial liabilities are initially measured at fair value. Transaction costs that are directly attributable to the acquisition or issue of financial assets and financial liabilities are added to or deducted from the fair value of the financial assets or financial liabilities, as appropriate, on initial recognition.

#### **Financial Assets**

All recognised financial assets are measured subsequently in their entirety at amortised cost on the classification of the financial assets.

#### Classification of financial assets

Debt instruments that meet the following conditions are measured subsequently at amortised cost:

- the financial asset is held within a business model whose objective is to hold financial assets in order to collect contractual cash flows; and
- the contractual terms of the financial asset give rise on specified dates to cash flows that are solely payments of principal and interest on the principal amount outstanding.

For the year ended 30 June 2023

#### Financial assets - subsequent measurement and impairment

Financial assets are subsequently measured at amortised cost using the effective interest method. The amortised cost is reduced by impairment losses. Interest income, foreign exchange gains and losses and impairment are recognised in profit or loss.

The Group recognises a loss allowance for expected credit losses (ECL) on financial assets that are measured at amortised cost. The amount of expected credit losses is updated at each reporting date to reflect changes since initial recognition of the respective financial assets.

The Group recognises lifetime ECL for trade and other receivables. The expected credit losses on these financial assets are estimated using a provision matrix based on the historical credit loss experience, adjusted for factors that are specific to the debtors, general economic conditions and an assessment of both the current, as well as the forecast, direction of conditions at the reporting date, including time value of money where appropriate.

#### Amortised cost and effective interest method

The effective interest method is a method of calculating the amortised cost of debt instruments and of allocating interest income over the relevant period.

The effective interest rate is the rate that exactly discounts estimated future cash receipts (including all fees paid or received that form an integral part of the effective interest rate, transaction costs and other premiums or discounts) excluding expected credit losses, through the expected life of the debt instrument, or where appropriate, a shorter period, to the gross carrying amount of the debt instrument on initial recognition.

Interest income is recognised using the effective interest method for debt instruments measured subsequently at amortised cost. For financial assets that have subsequently become credit-impaired, interest income is recognised by applying the effective interest rate to the amortised cost of the financial assets. If, in the subsequent reporting periods, the credit risk on the credit-impaired financial instrument improves so that the financial asset is no longer credit-impaired, interest income is recognised by applying the effective interest rate to the gross carrying amount of the financial asset.

#### Derecognition of financial assets

The Group derecognises a financial asset only when the contractual rights to the cash flows from the asset expire, or when it transfers the financial asset and substantially all the risks and rewards of ownership of the asset to another entity. On derecognition of a financial asset measured at amortised cost, the difference between the asset's carrying amount and the sum of the consideration received and receivable is recognised in profit or loss.

**Financial Liabilities and Equity** 

#### Classification as debt or equity

Debt and equity instruments are classified as either financial liabilities or as equity in accordance with the substance of the contractual arrangements and the definitions of a financial liability and an equity instrument.

#### Equity instruments

An equity instrument is any contract that evidences a residual interest in the assets of an entity after deducting all of its liabilities. Equity instruments issued by the Group are recognised at the proceeds received, net of direct issue costs. Rights to acquire an equity instrument are recognised at fair value on the date of issue.

#### **Financial Liabilities**

Financial liabilities are either measured at fair value through profit or loss (FVTPL) are initially recognised at fair value and are thereafter carried at fair value.

#### Financial liabilities measured subsequently at amortised cost

Financial liabilities that are not classified at FVTPL are measured subsequently at amortised cost using the effective interest method.

The effective interest method is a method of calculating the amortised cost of a financial liability and of allocating interest expense over the relevant period. The effective interest rate is the rate that exactly discounts estimated future cash payments (including all fees paid or received that form an integral part of the effective interest rate, transaction costs and other premiums or discounts) through the expected life of the financial liability, or (where appropriate) a shorter period, to the amortised cost of a financial liability.

The carrying amount and fair value of financial assets and financial liabilities are disclosed in Note 20(f).

#### GEO Limited Annual Report 2023

18

#### **Financial statements**

For the year ended 30 June 2023

#### Foreign Exchange Translation Reserve / Foreign Operations

The results and financial position of all foreign operations that have a functional currency different from New Zealand Dollars are translated into the presentation currency as follows:

- assets and liabilities for each Statement of Financial Position presented are translated at the closing rate at the date of that statement of financial position;
- income and expenses of the Statement of Profit or Loss and Other Comprehensive Income are translated at average exchange rates for the period; and
- all resulting exchange differences are recognised as other comprehensive income and accumulated in the foreign currency translation reserve.

#### Foreign Currency Transactions

Transactions in foreign currencies are initially recorded in the functional currency by applying the exchange rates ruling at the date of the transaction. Monetary assets and liabilities denominated in foreign currencies are retranslated at the rate of exchange ruling at reporting date. Non-monetary items measured in terms of historical cost in a foreign currency are translated using the exchange rate as at the date of the initial transaction. Nonmonetary items measured at fair value in a foreign currency are translated using the exchange rates at the date when the fair value was determined.

Foreign exchange gains and losses resulting from the settlement of such transactions, and from the translation at year end of exchange rates for monetary assets and liabilities denominated in foreign currencies, are recognised in profit or loss as an expense.

#### Consolidated Statement of Cash Flows

For the purpose of the consolidated cash flow statement, cash and cash equivalents includes cash on hand and in banks and investments in money market instruments net of outstanding bank overdrafts.

The consolidated cash flow statement is prepared exclusive of GST, which is consistent with the method used in the Consolidated Statement of Profit or Loss and Other Comprehensive Income.

Definition of terms used in the consolidated cash flow statement:

- operating activities include all transactions and other events that are not investing or financing activities;
- investing activities are those activities relating to the acquisition and disposal of current and non-current investments and any other non-current assets; and
- financing activities are those activities relating to changes in the equity and debt capital structure of the Group and those activities relating to the cost of servicing the Group's equity.

For the year ended 30 June 2023

#### 3. PROFIT OR LOSS BREAKDOWN

#### (a) Revenue from Contracts with Customers

	3,076	3,113
SMS revenue (ii)	4	-
Subscription revenue (i)	3,072	3,113
	2023 \$'000	2022 \$'000

#### Accounting policy

- (i) Subscription revenue relates to revenue received from customers subscribing to the Group's technology platform hosted in the cloud and mobile application software. Subscription revenue for most customers is billed on a monthly or annual basis and paid in advance by customers. Revenue is recognised over time as benefits are simultaneously received and consumed. Consideration received prior to the service being rendered is deferred and recognised in the Consolidated Statement of Financial Position as a contract liability and included within contract liabilities and other deferred income. Revenue for which services have been rendered but invoices not issued is recognised within the Consolidated Statement of Financial Position as a contract asset and included within trade and other receivables. This also includes training and implementation fees which are billed when incurred but are not a distinct performance obligation as they are highly interrelated with subscription revenue. Therefore, they are also recognised as revenue over time based on the subscription contract period.
- (ii) Geo released new product paid messaging in April 2023, customers who have activated the subscriptions from the portal are charged on per SMS sent. SMS revenue for all customers is billed on monthly basis and paid in arrears by customers. Revenue for SMS sent but invoices not issued is recognised within the Consolidated Statement of Financial Position as a contract asset and included within trade and other receivables.

#### (b) Other Income

	2023	2022
	\$'000	\$'000
Government grants (i)	398	376
Interest revenue (ii) – financial assets at amortised cost	27	19
	425	395

#### Accounting policy

- (i) Government grants are recognised in the period the corresponding research and development amortisation expense is incurred and when it is highly probable that the grant will be received and that the Group will comply with all attached conditions. Government grants is from Australian research and development tax incentives. This grant relates to Group's research and development investment. Grant revenue recognised for FY23 is more than FY22 due to increase in research and development activities conducted by the Group.
- (ii) Interest revenue is accrued on a time basis, by reference to the principal outstanding and the effective interest rate applicable, which is the rate that exactly discounts estimated future cash receipts through the expected life of the financial asset to that asset's net carrying amount.

For the year ended 30 June 2023

(c) Expenses

Interest – other

Total finance expense

Interest – lease liability	15	3	10
Interest – Pioneer	14(b)	36	-
Interest – related party loan		13	90
	NOTE	2023 \$'000	2022 \$'000
(d) Finance expense			
Total expenses		9,560	6,588
Other operating expenses		3,517	2,813
Loan fee	14(b)	25	-
Bad debt expense		-	4
Loss on disposal of assets		-	1
Net foreign exchange differences		521	(446)
Share based payments	21	337	435
Superannuation to defined contribution plans		253	190
Contractors		1,346	1,113
Employee benefits		2,189	1,334
Depreciation of property, plant & equipment	7	123	120
Taxation compliance services		11	12
- Auditors' fee for review of half year financial statements		5	-
- Audit year ended 30 June 2022		16	-
Auditors' fees for audit of the financial statements		100	60
Amortisation of contract acquisition assets	8(b)	57	
Amortisation of intangible assets	8(a)	1,060	952
	NOTE	\$'000	\$'000
		2023	2022

**Financial statements** 

13

65

-

100

For the year ended 30 June 2023

#### 4. TAXATION

#### Accounting policy

#### Goods and Services Tax (GST)

All items in the Consolidated Statement of Profit or Loss and Other Comprehensive Income are stated exclusive of GST.

All items in the Consolidated Statement of Financial Position are stated exclusive of GST with the exception of receivables and payables, which include GST.

#### Current Tax

Current tax is calculated by reference to the amount of income taxes payable or recoverable in respect of the taxable profit or tax loss for the period. The tax rates and tax laws used to compute the amount are those that are enacted or substantively enacted, at the reporting date in the countries where the Group operates and generates taxable income. Current tax for current and prior periods is recognised as a liability (or asset) to the extent it is payable (or refundable).

#### Deferred Tax

Deferred tax asset is recognised for all deductible temporary differences to the extent that it is probable that taxable profit will be available against which the deductible temporary difference can be utilised, unless the deferred tax asset arises from the initial recognition of an asset or liability in a transaction that is not business combination, at the time of the transaction, affects neither accounting profit nor taxable profit (tax loss) or at the time of the transaction, does not give rise to equal taxable and deductible temporary difference.

Deferred tax assets for deductible temporary differences arising from investments in subsidiaries are only recognised to the extent that it is probable that the temporary difference will reverse in the foreseeable future and that taxable profit will be available against which the temporary difference will be utilised.

The carrying amount of deferred tax assets is reviewed at the end of each reporting period and reduced to the extent that it is no longer probable that sufficient taxable profits will be available to allow all or part of the asset to be recovered.

(a) Reconciliation of income tax expense to prima facie tax payable:

	2023	2022
	\$'000	\$'000
(Loss) before tax	(6,124)	(3,180)
Benefit at 28%	1,715	890
Non-deductible expenses	(310)	(238)
Future benefit of tax losses not recognised	(1,210)	(519)
Effect of different tax rates of subsidiaries operating in other jurisdictions	(195)	(133)
Income tax benefit	-	-

#### (b) Deferred Tax Balances

The Group has an unrecognised deferred tax asset arising from tax losses of \$7,672,000 (2022: \$6,359,000). The Group has not recognised any deferred tax asset in the Statement of Financial Performance in relation to tax losses as there is uncertainty around probable future taxable profits. The carry forward of losses are subject to confirmation by the relevant tax authority.

	2023 \$'000	2022 \$'000
Opening DTA	6,359	5,810
Adjustments to DTA in respect to prior years	627	469
Losses utilised during the financial year	(1,222)	(1,813)
Losses gained during the financial year	6,118	4,084
Benefit at 28%	1,371	636
Effect of different tax rates of subsidiaries operating in other jurisdictions	(685)	(556)
Closing DTA	7,672	6,359

For the year ended 30 June 2023

#### (c) Tax Losses

The Group has losses to carry forward of approximately \$30,009,000 (2022: \$24,695,000) with a potential tax benefit of \$7,717,000 (2022: \$6,359,000). The tax losses are split between the following jurisdictions:

	Tax Losses Ś'000	Tax Effect \$'000	Rate
New Zealand	7,645	2,141	28%
Australia	22,121	5,530	25%
United Kingdom	243	46	19%

Tax losses are available to be carried forward and offset against future taxable income subject to the various conditions required by income tax legislation being complied with.

#### 5. (A) CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS

#### Accounting policy

Cash and cash equivalent comprise cash on hand, demand deposits, and other short-term highly liquid investments that are readily convertible to a known amount of cash and are subject to an insignificant risk of changes in value.

	2023	2022
	\$'000	\$'000
Cash at bank	909	2,786

\$139,000 NZD (2022: \$107,000 NZD) was held in Australian dollars, \$3,000 NZD (2022: \$3,000 NZD) was held in USD, \$1,000 NZD (2022: Nil) was held in GBP with the balance of \$766,000 (2022: \$2,676,000) held in NZD. One bank guarantee (not included in the amount above) over the lease premises is held by NAB totalling \$20,795 (2022: bank guarantees - \$31,541).

#### 5. (B) TERM INVESTMENTS

#### Accounting policy

Term investments comprise of term deposits which have a term of greater than three months and therefore do not fall into the category of cash and cash equivalents.

Investment in term deposit	10	1,260
	\$'000	\$'000
	2023	2022

For the year ended 30 June 2023

#### 6. TRADE AND OTHER RECEIVABLES

#### Accounting policy

Trade receivables, other receivables and prepayment are measured at initial recognition at fair value, plus transaction costs (if any) and are subsequently measured at amortised cost using the effective interest rate method less impairment losses. The Group has applied NZ IFRS 9 simplified approach to measuring expected credit losses which uses a lifetime expected credit loss allowance for all trade receivables. These are the expected shortfalls in contractual cash flows, considering the potential for default at any point during the life of the financial instrument. In calculating, the Group uses its historical experience, external indicators and forward-looking information to calculate the expected credit losses. The impairment of trade receivables is assessed on a collective basis (grouped based on the days past due), as they possess shared credit risk characteristics.

Carrying amount of the asset is reduced through the use of an allowance account, and the amount of the loss is recognised in profit or loss. When a receivable is uncollectible, it is written off against the allowance account for receivables. Subsequent recoveries of amounts previously written off are credited to profit or loss.

Trade receivables relate to the monthly or annual subscriptions charged for GEO's services. These are on an average credit period of 30 days. In accepting a new customer, the Group assesses the customer's credit quality and reviews credit performance monthly.

Grants receivable relate to Australian research and development tax incentive. Grants are recognised when there is reasonable assurance that the grant will be received and that the Group will comply with all attached conditions.

	2023	2022
	\$'000	\$'000
Current assets		
Trade receivables	82	57
Allowance for expected credit losses	(22)	(1)
Grants receivable	449	321
Prepayments	174	161
Sundry debtors	81	46
GST receivable	61	49
Withholding tax paid	15	2
	840	635
Non-current asset		
NZX and rental bond	41	52
	41	52

#### (a) Aging profile of trade receivables:

	2023				2022	
	GROSS \$'000	IMPAIRMENT \$'000	NET \$'000	GROSS \$'000	IMPAIRMENT \$'000	NET \$'000
Not past due	6	-	6	28	1	27
Past due 1 - 30 days	43	1	42	16	-	16
Past due 31 - 60 days	12	1	11	13	-	13
Past due 61 – 90 days	-	-	-	-	-	-
Past due over 90 days	21	21	-	-	-	-
Total	82	23	59	57	1	56

As at 30 June 2023, \$6,000 or 7% (2022: \$28,000 or 49%) of trade receivables were not past due.

For the year ended 30 June 2023

#### 7. PROPERTY, PLANT & EQUIPMENT

#### Accounting policy

All items of Property, Plant and Equipment are stated at historical cost less accumulated depreciation and accumulated impairment.

Depreciation on assets is charged on a diminishing-value basis to allocate the differences between their original cost and residual values over their estimated useful lives, as follows:

CATEGORY	ESTIMATED USEFUL LIFE
Computer equipment	1 - 5 years
Fixtures & fittings	4 - 15 years
Office furniture	4 - 15 years
Right-of-use-asset	Term of lease (1.5 years)

The assets' residual values and useful lives are reviewed and adjusted if appropriate at each reporting date. If an asset's carrying amount is greater than its estimated recoverable amount, the carrying amount is immediately written down to its recoverable amount.

For the year ended 30 June 2023

	COMPUTER EQUIPMENT \$'000	FIXTURES & FITTINGS \$'000	RIGHT-OF- USE ASSETS \$'000	TOTAL \$'000
At 30 June 2021				
Cost	77	8	424	509
Accumulated depreciation and impairment	(64)	(4)	(216)	(284)
Carrying amount at beginning of year	13	4	208	225
Year ended 30 June 2022				
Additions	26	3	-	29
Disposal (net of accumulated depreciation)	(1)	-	-	(1)
Depreciation	(11)	(1)	(108)	(120)
FX translation on accumulated amortisation	(2)	-	(7)	(9)
Foreign currency translation reserve	2	-	10	12
Carrying amount at 30 June 2022	27	6	103	136
At 30 June 2022				
Cost	105	11	434	550
Accumulated depreciation and impairment	(78)	(5)	(331)	(414)
Carrying amount at end of year 30 June 2022	27	6	103	136
Year ended 30 June 2023				
Additions	21	-	93	114
Depreciation	(20)	(1)	(102)	(123)
FX translation on accumulated amortisation	1	-	6	7
Foreign currency translation reserve	(2)	-	(6)	(8)
Carrying amount at end of year	27	5	94	126
At 30 June 2023				
Cost	126	11	521	658
Accumulated depreciation and impairment	(99)	(6)	(427)	(532)
Carrying amount at 30 June 2023	27	5	94	126

The Group's right-of-use assets are for the Group's premises in Sydney, Australia. The Sydney premises lease of four years expired on 31 May 2023. A lease agreement for a new Sydney premises was commencing in June 2023 with a term of 18 months through to December 2024.

For the year ended 30 June 2023

#### 8. (A) INTANGIBLE ASSETS

#### Accounting policy

#### Application Software

Costs that are directly associated with the development of software are recognised as internally generated intangible assets where the following criteria are met:

- completing the intangible asset so that it will be available for use or sale is technically feasible;
- there is an intention to complete the intangible asset and use or sell it;
- there is an ability to use or sell the intangible asset;
- the intangible asset is expected to generate probable future economic benefits;
- there are available technical, financial and other resources to complete the development and to use or sell the intangible asset; and
- the ability to measure reliably the expenditure attributable to the intangible asset during its development.

The amount initially recognised as internally generated intangible assets is the sum of the expenditure incurred from the date when the intangible asset first meets the recognition criteria listed above. Where no intangible asset can be recognised, development expenditure is charged to profit or loss in the period in which it is incurred.

Subsequent to initial recognition, internally generated intangible assets and other intangibles are reported at cost less accumulated amortisation and accumulated impairment losses. The useful lives of the Group's intangible assets are assessed to be finite.

The useful life of internally generated and acquired intangible assets is as follows:

CATEGORY	ESTIMATED USEFUL LIFE
Application software	2 – 7 years
Trademarks	10 years
Other intangibles	2 – 7 years

#### Impairment Consideration

Intangible assets with indefinite useful lives and intangible assets that are not yet available for use are tested for impairment annually, or more frequently if events or changes in circumstances indicate that they might be impaired, by estimating the asset's recoverable amount. Other assets are assessed for indicators of impairment at each reporting date. Where an indicator of impairment exists, the Group estimates the recoverable amount. The recoverable amount is the greater of fair value less costs to sell and value in use. In assessing value in use, the estimated future cash flows are discounted to their present value using a pre-tax discount rate that reflects current market assessments of the time value of money and the risks specific to the asset for which the estimates of future cash flows have not been adjusted.

If the recoverable amount of an asset (cash-generating unit) is estimated to be less than the carrying amount, the carrying amount of the asset (cashgenerating unit) is reduced to its recoverable amount. Where an impairment loss subsequently reverses, the carrying amount of the asset (cashgenerating unit) is increased to the revised estimate of its recoverable amount, but only to the extent that the increased carrying amount does not exceed the carrying amount that would have been determined had no impairment loss been recognised for the asset (cash-generating unit) in prior years. A reversal of an impairment loss is recognised in profit or loss immediately. Impairment losses on goodwill are not reversed.

For the year ended 30 June 2023

	trademarks \$ <b>'000</b>	APPLICATION SOFTWARE <b>\$'000</b>	OTHER INTANGIBLES \$'000	total \$ <b>'000</b>
At 30 June 2021				
Cost	91	5,251	108	5,450
Accumulated amortisation and impairment	(5)	(3,435)	(36)	(3,476)
Carrying amount at beginning of year	86	1,816	72	1,974
Year ended 30 June 2022				
Additions	-	1,061	-	1,061
Write off (net of accumulated amortisation) <sup>(i)</sup>	-	-	(61)	(61)
Amortisation	(15)	(904)	(6)	(925)
Foreign exchange movements	-	(54)	(1)	(55)
Foreign currency translation reserve	1	79	3	83
Carrying amount at end of year	72	1,998	7	2,077
At 30 June 2022				
Cost	92	6,391	50	6,533
Accumulated amortisation and impairment	(20)	(4,393)	(43)	(4,456)
Carrying amount at 30 June 2022	72	1,998	7	2,077
Year ended 30 June 2023				
Additions	8	1,168	53	1,229
Amortisation	(16)	(1,032)	(12)	(1,060)
Foreign exchange movements	-	34	-	34
Foreign currency translation reserve	-	(55)	(1)	(56)
Carrying amount at end of year	64	2,113	47	2,224
At 30 June 2023				
Cost	100	7,504	102	7,706
Accumulated amortisation and impairment	(36)	(5,391)	(55)	(5,482)
Carrying amount at 30 June 2023	64	2,113	47	2,224

<sup>(i)</sup> Write off resulting from change in accounting policy the year ended 30 June 2022 relating to Software-as-a-Service (SaaS) arrangements. Impact of prior period write off was deemed immaterial for restatement, hence was adjusted as part of operating expense in the 2022 financial year.

For the year ended 30 June 2023

#### (a) Application Software

The Application Software arises from capitalised development expenditure relating to the continued development of the Group's technology platform hosted in the cloud and mobile application software.

The Group has one CGU relating to the Company's operations to sell its mobile workforce software application.

#### Impairment considerations

The Group performs an impairment assessment annually unless there is an internal or external indicator for impairment, in which case an assessment is performed at an earlier point in time. For the impairment assessment, the Group makes a formal estimate of the recoverable amount and if the carrying value of the CGU exceeds its recoverable amount, the CGU will be considered impaired and written down to its recoverable value.

Management conducted the annual formal impairment assessment on the Geo CGU at 30 June 2023.

#### Impairment testing

For the year ended 30 June 2022 the recoverable amount of the Geo CGU was calculated based on fair value less costs of disposal. In line with recent announcements by regional corporate regulators regarding the valuation methods used for impairment testing of intangibles, the Company elected to calculate the recoverable amount of the Geo CGU using the value-in-use discounted cashflow model. Future cash flows were projected for five years based on the Board-approved budget, forecast and detailed business plan using the following key estimates:

- projected cash flows over a five year period;
- revenue growth rates of between 5% 27%;
- terminal growth rate of 2%, and
- a pre-tax discount rate of 17.5%.

Management determined the budgeted revenue growth rate based on both past experience and future expectation of the CGU performance. In determining the growth rates, management has considered new data tracking available across all aspects of the customer acquisition and retention processes, historical average growth rates and a detailed analysis of market opportunities for the CGU. The discount rates used were pre-tax and reflected specific risks relating to the CGU. The terminal growth rate is determined based on the long-term anticipated growth rate of the business.

After considering various alternative scenarios of the revenue growth rate and the valuation obtained, management concluded that no impairment is require for the Geo CGU.

Sensitivity to reasonably possible changes in assumptions

Throughout FY23 the Group expanded Product and Engineering resourcing to rapidly drive launch of the revitalised GeoOp platform, including the introduction of new revenue generating features. The implementation of a new marketing technology stack and Geo website saw customer acquisition / marketing spend increase 42% in FY23.

The completion of these initiatives, coupled with material reductions in headcount and cash salary cuts, a more efficient sales and marketing function delivering increased productivity, with price increases and new revenue streams to drive improved profitability.

Management recognises that the full benefits of these implemented strategic, product and operational changes are expected to drive profitability over the longer term and will provide meaningful positive contributions to EBITDA from FY25.

No impairment was recognised during the financial year, however, a change in any of the key assumptions noted below would result in a break-even position with no remaining headroom;

KEY ASSUMPTIONS	VALUE ATTRIBUTED	SENSITIVITY
Discount rate	17.50%	19.20%
Growth rate	2.0%	(1.05%)
Revenue growth (five-year Cumulative Average Growth Rate (CAGR))	11.30%	10.72%

For the year ended 30 June 2023

The recoverable amount of the Geo CGU of \$10.9 million at 30 June 2022 was calculated on the basis of fair value less costs of disposal in accordance with NZ IFRS 13: Fair Value Measurement. This valuation methodology yielded a higher recoverable amount than that obtained using a value in use valuation approach and therefore was the required approach to be used in calculating impairment under NZ IAS 36: Impairment of Assets. Fair value was determined using a revenue multiple of 3.5x. The revenue multiple applied was classified as level two on the fair value hierarchy and based on 12-month trailing revenue multiples of comparable companies, adjusted for a small company discount of 25% and a control premium of 25%.

#### (b) Trademarks and Other Intangibles

As at 30 June 2023, the Geo CGU had trademarks with a carrying value of \$64,000 (2022: \$72,000) and other intangibles \$48,000 (2022: \$7,000). There was no impairment indicator for the Geo CGU.

#### 8. (B) CONTRACT ACQUISITION ASSETS

#### Accounting policy

#### Contract acquisition assets

In accordance with NZ IFRS 15: Revenue from Contracts with Customers, the Group capitalises incremental costs of obtaining customer contracts. Costs that can be capitalised consist of sales commissions and partner referral fees that have a direct relationship to new revenue contracts obtained. Costs capitalised are amortised over the average period of benefit associated with the costs. The period of benefit for the contract acquisition asset is determined to be four years. Management has determined this as appropriate with reference to estimated customer lifespans and the useful lives of the software sold to which the commissions relate.

For the year ended 30 June 2023

	CONTRACT ACQUISITION ASSETS \$'000
At 30 June 2021	÷ 000_
Cost	56
Accumulated amortisation and impairment	(3)
Carrying amount at beginning of year	53
Year ended 30 June 2022	
Additions	140
Write off (net of accumulated amortisation) (i)	-
Amortisation	(27)
Foreign exchange movements	(1)
Foreign currency translation reserve	2
Carrying amount at end of year	167
At 30 June 2022	
Cost	198
Accumulated amortisation and impairment	(31)
Carrying amount at 30 June 2022	167
Year ended 30 June 2023	
Additions	109
Amortisation	(57)
Foreign exchange movements	1
Foreign currency translation reserve	(3)
Carrying amount at end of year	217
At 30 June 2023	
Cost	304
Accumulated amortisation and impairment	(87)
Carrying amount at 30 June 2023	217

#### 9. SUBSIDIARIES

	EQUITY I	NTEREST	BALANCE	COUNTRY OF	PRINCIPAL
SUBSIDIARY	2023	2022	DATE	INCORPORATION	ACTIVITY
Geo Workforce Solutions Pty Ltd (formerly Geo.tools Pty Ltd)	100%	100%	30 June	Australia	Software developer and supplier
GeoOp Trustees Limited	100%	100%	30 June	New Zealand	Trustee Company
Geo for Sales Pty Ltd (formerly Interface IT Operations Ltd)	100%	100%	30 June	Australia	Software developer and supplier
Interface IT Pty Ltd	100%	100%	30 June	Australia	Holding Company
GeoNext (UK) Limited	100%	100%	30 June	United Kingdom	Reseller

For the year ended 30 June 2023

#### **10. TRADE AND OTHER PAYABLES AND CONTRACT LIABILITIES**

#### Accounting policy

#### (a) Trade and Other Payables

Trade payables are initially recognised at fair value and subsequently carried at amortised cost using the effective interest rate method. They represent liabilities recognised when the Group becomes obligated to make future payments resulting from the purchase of goods and services.

Accrued charges represent amounts payable for supplies and services received but not invoiced at the reporting date.

#### **Employee Benefits**

Provision is made for benefits accruing to employees in respect of wages and salaries, annual leave and long service leave when it is probable that settlement will be required and benefits are capable of being measured reliably.

Provisions made in respect of employee benefits expected to be settled within 12 months are measured at their nominal values using the remuneration rate expected to apply at the time of settlement.

Provisions made in respect of employee benefits which are not expected to be settled within 12 months are measured at the present value of the estimated future cash outflows to be made by the Group in respect of services provided by employees up to reporting date and reported as a non-current liability.

	2023 \$'000	2022 \$'000
Trade and other payables	420	150
Accruals	440	581
Employee benefits	163	124
Total trade and other payables	1,023	855

The average credit period on trade and other payables represents an average of 30 days credit (2022: 30 days credit). The Group has financial risk policies in place to ensure that all payables are paid within payment terms.

#### (b) Contract Liabilities and Other Deferred Income

	2023	2022
	\$'000	\$'000
Deferred income (government grant)	279	232
Contract liability (subscription revenue)	477	405
Total contract liabilities and other deferred income	756	637

#### **Contract Liability**

#### (i) Revenue recognised in relation to carried-forward contract liability

The following table shows the amount of revenue recognised in the current reporting period that relates to carried forward contract liability balance at beginning of the period.

Subscription revenue	405	409
	\$'000	\$'000
	2023	2022

For the year ended 30 June 2023

#### (ii) Revenue expected to be recognised in relation to unsatisfied performance obligations

The following table shows the revenue expected to be recognised in the future relating to performance obligations that were unsatisfied (or partially satisfied) at the reporting date.

EXPECTED TIMING OF RECOGNITION	2023 \$'000	2022 \$'000
As at 30 June		
Subscription revenue	477	405

#### **11. SHARE CAPITAL**

#### Accounting policy

Debt and equity instruments are classified as either financial liabilities or as equity in accordance with the substance of the contractual arrangement.

All shares are ordinary shares, they have been fully paid and have no par value. Fully paid ordinary shares carry one vote per share, carry a right to dividends and a pro-rate share of net assets on a wind up.

Ordinary shares are classified as equity. Incremental costs directly attributable to the issue of new shares are shown in equity as a deduction, net of tax, from the proceeds.

		NUMBER	
	NOTE	OF SHARES	\$'000
Balance at 1 July 2021		113,676,493	34,809
Movements during the year			
Issue of shares under placement- related parties	i	675,000	90
Issue of shares under share purchase plan- other parties	ii	20,276,581	2,636
Issue of shares under placement	iii	845,694	101
Issue of shares under placement- related parties	iv	500,001	65
Issue of shares under share purchase plan- other parties	iv	33,230,772	4,320
Issue of shares under placement- related parties	v	275,423	33
Transaction costs for the issue of new shares		-	(384)
Balance at 30 June 2022		169,479,964	41,670
Movements during the year			
Issue of shares under Convertible note- related parties	i	12,500,000	1,250
Issue of shares under placement- related parties	ii	264,050	26
Issue of shares under placement- related parties	iii	398,124	43
Issue of shares under placement – related parties	iv	483,509	49
Issue of shares under share purchase plan- related parties	v	11,005,377	359
Issue of shares under share purchase plan- other parties	v	26,335,904	858
Issue of warrants under share purchase plan – reserve	vi	-	(127)
Issue of shares under exercised warrants – other parties	viii	13,105	0
Transaction costs for the issue of new shares		-	(160)
Balance at 30 June 2023		220,480,033	43,968

For the year ended 30 June 2023

#### 2022

During the year ended 30 June 2022, the Company issued shares as follows:

- i. On 4 October 2021, the Company issued 675,000 shares at \$0.13 per share to two directors in satisfaction of accrued and unpaid directors fees for the year ended 30 June 2021, being 337,500 shares to Rod Snodgrass and 337,500 shares to Shailesh Manga:
- ii. On 6 October 2021, the Company issued 20,276,581 shares at \$0.13 per share to non-related parties under a capital raising process.
- iii. On 6 October 2021, the Company issued 845,694 shares to the CEO, Tim Molloy as follows:
  - 470,134 shares at \$0.13 per share in lieu of short-term incentive entitlements for FY 21
  - 375,560 shares at \$0.10 per share in lieu of short-term incentive entitlements for FY 20
- iv. On 2 December 2021, the Company issued an additional 33,730,773 shares at \$0.13 per share via placement as follows:
  - 153,847 shares were issued to the CEO, Tim Molloy
  - 192,308 shares were issued to the CRO, Scott Player
  - 153,846 shares were issued to director, Rod Snodgrass.
  - 33,230,772 shares were issued to non-related parties under a capital raising process.
- v. on 31 May 2022, the Company issued 275,423 shares at \$0.118 per share to two directors in satisfaction of accrued and unpaid directors fees for the half year ended 31 December 2021, being 148,305 shares to Rod Snodgrass and 127,118 shares to Shailesh Manga.

2023

During the year ended 30 June 2023, the Company issued shares as follows:

- i. On 23 August 2022, the Company issued 12,500,000 shares at \$0.10 per share to Wentworth Financial Pty Limited, an entity associated with Director Roger Sharp, in part of settlement of a convertible note agreement.
- ii. On 16 November 2022, the Company issued 264,050 shares to the CEO, Tim Molloy at \$0.10 per share in lieu of short-term incentive entitlements for FY 22.
- iii. On 16 November 2022, the Company issued 398,124 shares to the CRO, Scott Player as follows:
  - 198,002 shares at \$0.118 per share in lieu of short-term incentive entitlements for FY 21
  - 200,122 shares at \$0.10 per share in lieu of short-term incentive entitlements for FY 22
- iv. On 16 November 2022, the Company issued 483,509 shares at \$0.10 per share to directors in satisfaction of accrued and unpaid directors fees for the year ended 30 June 2022, being 185,965 shares to Rod Snodgrass, 148,772 shares to Shailesh Manga and 148,722 shares to Ana Wight.
- v. On 5 April 2023, the Company issued an additional 37,341,281 shares at \$0.033 per share under renounceable rights issue:
  - 7,563,350 shares were issued to Wentworth Financial Pty Limited, an entity associated with Director, Roger Sharp
  - 1,599,703 shares were issued to the CEO, Tim Molloy
  - 942,415 shares were issued to the CRO, Scott Player
  - 37,193 shares were issued to Director, Ana Wight
  - 562,144 shares were issued to Director, Rod Snodgrass
  - 300,572 shares were issued to Director, Shailesh Manga
  - 26,335,904 shares were issued to non-related parties under rights issue
- vi. On 5 April 2023, the Company announced that the pro-rata renounceable rights issue and the associated issue of warrants had been completed, with 7,468,301 in shareholder warrants being allotted. Per Note 16, these warrants were valued at \$127,261 and the value transferred to the Shareholder Warrant Reserve.
- vii. On 7 June 2023, a non-related warrant holder exercised 13,105 warrants at \$0.033 per warrant and was issued one ordinary share in the Company for each warrant exercised.

#### **Financial statements**

For the year ended 30 June 2023

# **12. EARNINGS PER SHARE**

### Accounting policy

The Group presents basic and diluted earnings per share ("EPS") data for its ordinary shares:

- Basic EPS is calculated by dividing the Group profit or loss attributable to ordinary shareholders of the Company by the weighted average number of ordinary shares on issue during the period; and
- Diluted EPS is determined by adjusting the profit or loss attributable to ordinary shareholders and the weighted average number of shares on issue for the effects of any potential dilutive issue of ordinary shares.

	2023	2022
Net (loss) for the year (\$'000)	(6,124)	(3,180)
	(6,124)	(3,180)
Weighted average number of ordinary shares issued	190,300,173	149,617,228
Weighted average potential ordinary shares (convertible note & share options,	33,339,944	21,498,631
shareholder warrants)		
Weighted average number of ordinary shares for diluted earnings (loss) per share	190,300,173	149,617,228
Earnings per share		
Basic earnings (loss) per share (cents)	(3.22)	(2.13)
Diluted earnings (loss) per share (cents)	(3.22)	(2.13)

The following potential ordinary shares are anti-dilutive and are therefore excluded from the weighted average number of ordinary shares for the purpose of diluted earnings per share as per NZ IAS 33.

	2023	2022
Convertible notes	-	12,500,000
Share options	25,884,748	21,498,631
Shareholder warrants	7,455,196	
Total potential ordinary shares deemed anti-dilutive	33,339,944	33,998,631

For the year ended 30 June 2023

### **13. RELATED PARTY TRANSACTIONS**

### a. Remuneration

### Directors

At reporting date, the Directors of Geo Limited (the "Company") controlled 20.48% (2022: 13.46%) of the voting shares in the Company.

- (i) Roger Sharp, was appointed as a non-executive director on 5 May 2016 (and is a former Chair) and held (directly and indirectly) 18.34% (2022: 11.62%) of the shares and 20.25% of shareholder warrants (2022: nil) in the Company at reporting date.
  - a. During the year, the Company paid North Ridge Partners Pty Ltd, a company of which Roger Sharp is a director and shareholder:
    - i. \$50,000 (2022: \$56,250) for director and Chair fees in cash;
    - ii. \$22,000 for the provision of the Company's Chief Financial Officer (Peter Hynd) (2022: \$128,000); and
    - iii. \$261,000 consulting fees for acting as the Company's strategic and financial advisor in relation to potential corporate actions including capital raising, equity and debt investments (2022: \$255,000);
  - b. The amount owed to Mr. Sharp in respect of director's fees at year-end was \$4,167 (2022: \$4,167).
- (ii) Rod Snodgrass was appointed as an independent non-executive director on 15 October 2018 and as Chair of the Board on 1 September 2021. During the year Mr. Snodgrass was paid \$37,500 (2022: \$25,750) in director and chair fees in cash and \$37,500 (2022: \$62,275) in shares, in lieu of director fees. The amount owed to Mr. Snodgrass at year-end was \$18,750 (2022: \$18,750) in cash and \$18,750 (2022: \$18,750) in shares.
- (iii) Shailesh Manga was appointed as an independent non-executive director on 25 March 2019. During the year Mr. Manga was paid \$nil director fees in cash (2022: \$49,375) and \$15,000 (2022: \$60,225) in shares, in lieu of director fees. The amount owed to Mr. Manga at year-end was \$45,000 (2022: \$15,000) in cash and \$30,000 (2022: \$15,000) in shares.
- (iv) Ana Wight was appointed as an independent director on 1 January 2022. During the year Ms. Wight was paid \$37,500 director fees in cash
   (2022: \$nil) and \$15,000 (2022: \$nil) in shares, in lieu of director fees. The amount owed to Ms Wight at year-end was \$7,500 (2022: \$15,000) in cash and \$30,000 (2022: \$15,000) in shares.

### Key Management Personnel

Key management personnel are defined as those persons having authority and responsibility for planning, directing and controlling the activities of the Group, directly or indirectly and include the Chief Executive Officer and the executive team.

The following table summarises remuneration earned by key management personnel and directors:

	NOTE	2023 \$'000	2022 \$'000
Director fees - cash portion paid and accrued		148	135
- shares issued and accrued	20	98	81
Short term employee benefits and contractors		772	1,022
Share based options		227	212
		1,244	1,450

For the year ended 30 June 2023

# b. Related Party Loan Payable

#### Accounting policy

Related party loans are measured at initial recognition at fair value, less transaction costs (if any) and are subsequently measured at amortised cost using the effective interest rate method.

The Group has applied NZ IAS 32 to evaluate if the convertible note (related party loan) is a debt or equity instrument and determined that it is a compound financial instrument which has both debt and equity component. The Group has used the following steps to determine the debt and equity components of the compound financial instrument:

- 1. Identify the various components of the compound financial instrument.
- 2. Determine the fair value of the compound financial instrument as a whole.
- 3. Determine the fair value of the liability component of the convertible note by determining the fair value of future cash flows with the same parameters (maturity, coupon rate) but without the option to convert into issuer's shares (no changes in FY22 as no further drawdowns have occurred therefore no changes to interest used).
- 4. Determine the fair value of the equity component which is fair value of compound financial instrument as a whole less fair value of the liability component.
- 5. Allocate transaction costs to liability and equity components proportionally.

	2023 \$'000	Total \$'000	2022 \$'000	Total \$'000
Opening balance	1,500	-	1,500	-
Related party loan - debt component	-	1,264	-	1,264
Related party loan - equity component	-	236	-	236
Related party loan – debt component paid	(1,264)	(1,264)	-	-
Related party loan - equity component paid	(236)	(236)	-	-
Closing balance	-	-	1,500	1,500

On 23 August 2019, GEO entered into a facility agreement in the form of a convertible note of up to \$1,500,000, extendible by mutual agreement to \$2,000,000 with its major shareholder, North Ridge Partners Pty Limited to fund the Company's working capital requirements. The convertible note was subsequently assigned to Wentworth Financial Pty Limited. Both North Ridge Partners Pty Ltd and Wentworth Financial Pty Limited are companies associated with Roger Sharp, a non-executive director of the Company.

The facility was unsecured with a three-year term, with six monthly conversion windows unless redeemed for cash or converted to equity sooner. Interest on the loan was 6% annualised, compounded daily and payable quarterly in arrears. If the Company completed an equity raise, the principal and any capitalised interest could be paid by way of the issue of shares at \$0.10 per share. At any point prior to the conversion date, the Company could elect to repurchase the convertible notes at a premium.

The convertible note agreement for repayment was for 36 months which was converted and redeemed on 23 August 2022 as below:

- \$1,250,000 convertibles notes converted as ordinary shares at \$0.10 per share;
- repaid the subscription price of 250,000 Convertible Notes, being \$250,000 in cash.

For the year ended 30 June 2023

### **14. CURRENT LIABILITIES**

### a. Pioneer - Loan Facility

### Accounting policy

On 1 March 2023, the Company signed a Facility Agreement with Pioneer Capital Private Debt I LP (Pioneer). The purpose of the loan as defined in the Facility Agreement, is to finance the growth of the Company through the expansion of sales and support teams, new product development and roll-out and the general working capital requirements of the company.

The Group has applied NZ IAS 32 to evaluate if the Facility Agreement is a debt or equity instrument and determined that it is a debt instrument. The Group has used the following steps to determine the debt and equity components of the compound financial instrument:

1. Identify whether there is a contractual obligation to pay cash that the issuer cannot avoid.

#### 2. Identify whether the instrument has any characteristic that are similar to equity.

	NOTE	2023 \$'000	2022 \$'000
Opening balance		-	-
Loan drawdown		1,500	-
Loan fees – capitalised		25	-
Interest charged		36	-
Interest paid	19(b)	(16)	-
Closing balance		1,545	-

The Facility Agreement enables Geo to draw down up to \$2,500,000 of which \$1,500,000 has been drawn down in current financial year. Under the facility agreement Geo can capitalize up to \$440,000 interest of which \$20,000 has been capitalized in current year. The facility has a four year term and an effective interest rate of 14.4%.

The Company incurred \$141,551 in lender due diligence and associated transaction costs, reducing the net proceeds received by the Company from the initial loan drawdown to \$1,358,449. The Company elected to capitalise the \$25,000 loan fee.

The Company incurred a technical breach of a Pioneer funding facility covenant by not drawing down on the facility prior to 30 June 2023, resulting in the loan being classified as a current liability. Pioneer waived the technical breach on 21 July 2023. The Company expects the facility to be reported as a Non-Current Liability in future.

### b. Pioneer - Warrants

### Accounting policy

As part of the Facility Agreement, the Company also entered into a Warrant Deed with Pioneer. Under the terms of the Warrant Deed, Pioneer may exercise the warrant and subscribe for ordinary shares in the Company (up to 3% of fully diluted shares) by paying the lower of: the share issue price under the April 2023 renounceable rights issue, being \$0.033 per share, or the VWAP.

For the year ended 30 June 2023

# **15. LEASE LIABILITIES**

### Accounting policy

Under NZ IFRS 16 all qualifying leases are recognised as a right-of-use asset and a corresponding liability at the date at which the leased asset is available for use. Each lease payment is allocated between the liability and finance cost. The finance cost is charged to the consolidated Statement of Profit or Loss and Other Comprehensive Income over the lease period. The right-of-use asset is depreciated over the asset's lease term on a straight-line basis.

The lease payments are discounted using the incremental borrowing rate of 5.36%, being the rate that the lessee would have to pay to borrow the funds necessary to obtain an asset of similar value in a similar economic environment with similar terms and conditions. The Group has determined the appropriate incremental borrowing rate with reference to property yield rates and discount rates used for valuation of similar premises obtained from listed property investment companies.

Right of use assets are initially measured at the amount of the lease liability, reduced for any lease incentives received, and increased for:

- lease payments made at or before commencement of the lease;
- initial direct costs incurred; and
- the amount of any provision recognised where the group is contractually required to dismantle, remove or restore the leased asset.

The Group has leases for Sydney office, UK office and some office equipment. With the exception of short-term leases (UK office) and leases of lowvalue underlying assets (office equipment – printer), each lease is reflected on the statement of financial position as a right-of-use asset and a lease liability. The profit or loss includes operating expenses of \$6,600 (2022: \$3,400) which relates to short term leases or leases of low value.

### Lease liabilities

	2023	2022
LAND AND BUILDINGS	\$'000	\$'000
At 1 July	120	232
Lease – additions	93	-
Interest expense	3	10
Lease payments	(120)	(130)
Foreign exchange movements	(3)	8
At 30 June	93	120
The maturity of the lease liabilities is as follows:		
	2023	2022
	\$'000	\$'000
Less than 1 year	66	120
Later than 1 year but not more than five years	27	-
	93	120

Right-of-use asset balances are included in Note 7.

For the year ended 30 June 2023

## **16. SHAREHOLDER WARRANTS RESERVE**

### Accounting policy

On 10 March 2023, the Company announced a one for four pro-rata renounceable rights issue. In addition, one warrant would be issued for every five new shares allotted that could be exercised in the future to receive a fully paid, ordinary share in the Company.

The Group has applied NZ IAS 32 to evaluate if the shareholder warrants are a debt or equity instrument and determined that the shareholder warrants are an equity instrument.

	2023 \$'000	Total \$'000	2022 \$'000	Total \$'000
Opening balance	-	-	-	-
Allotment of options	127	127	-	-
Closing balance	127	127	-	-

A shareholder warrant may be exercised by paying the exercise price of NZD \$0.033 prior to the expiry date of 5 April 2027. Upon exercise, the warrant holder will receive one ordinary share in the Company.

	NUMBER	
NOTE	OF WARRANTS	\$'000
	-	-
i	2,246,360	38
1	5,221,941	89
ii	(13,105)	0
	7,455,196	127
	i	NOTE OF WARRANTS - i 2,246,360 I 5,221,941 ii (13,105)

i. On 5 April 2023, the Company announced that the pro-rata renounceable rights issue and the associated issue of warrants had been completed, with 7,468,301 in shareholder warrants being allotted:

- 1,512,671 warrants were issued to Wentworth Financial Pty Limited, an entity associated with Director, Roger Sharp
- 319,942 warrants were issued to the CEO, Tim Molloy
- 188,484 warrants were issued to the CRO, Scott Player
- 7,439 warrants were issued to Director, Ana Wight
- 112,429 warrants were issued to Director, Rod Snodgrass
- 105,395 warrants were issued to Director, Shailesh Manga
- 5,221,941 shares were issued to non-related parties under rights issue

ii. On 7 June 2023, a non-related warrant holder exercised 13,105 warrants at \$0.033 per warrant and was issued one ordinary share in the Company for each warrant exercised.

For the year ended 30 June 2023

# **17. CONTINGENT ASSETS, LIABILITIES AND CAPITAL COMMITMENT**

### Accounting policy

(a) Contingent Assets and Contingent Liabilities

Contingent assets and contingent liabilities are disclosed at the point at which the contingency is evident.

Contingent assets are disclosed if it is probable that the benefits will be realised. Contingent liabilities are disclosed if the possibility that they will crystallise is not remote.

There were no material contingent assets or contingent liabilities at 30 June 2023 (2022: \$Nil).

(b) Capital Expenditure Commitments

Capital commitments are future expenses to be incurred on contracts entered into before reporting date.

At 30 June 2023 the Group was committed to short term leases and the total commitment at that date was \$71,000 (2022: \$52,210).

### **18. SEGMENTAL REPORTING**

### Accounting policy

The accounting policies of the reportable segments are the same as the Group's accounting policy described. Segment profit represents the profit before tax earned by each segment without allocation of general and administration costs, director costs, capital raising costs, interest income, amortisation and depreciation. This is the measure reported to the chief operating decision makers for the purposes of resource allocation and assessment of segment performance. The chief operating decision maker for the Group is the Chief Executive Officer.

### Identification of Reportable Segments

Information reported to the chief operating decision makers for the purposes of resource allocation and assessment of segment performance focuses on the type of product delivered. The directors of the Company have chosen to organise the Group around differences in products and services. No operating segments have been aggregated in arriving at the reportable segments of the Group.

For the current financial year, the Group has Geo as the only reportable segment that is reported in the Statement of Profit & Loss and Comprehensive Income, Statement of Financial Position and Statement of Cash Flows. Comparative segment information has been provided for users understanding below.

### Entity-wide segment disclosures

For the current financial year, the group only has *Geo* as its main product. *Geo* is a mobile workforce management and costing solution that helps users create, schedule and assign jobs to field workers in real time. On site, workers can generate quotes, record job details and attach photos, signatures and files immediately. Once the jobs have been completed, workers can send invoices and organise fast payment. All customer records are available anywhere, at any time.

For both the years ended 30 June 2023 and 30 June 2022, financial information about geographical areas is not available and the cost to develop it has been deemed to be excessive.

#### Information about Major Customers

None of the Group's customers contributed 10% or more to the Group's revenue in either 2023 or 2022.

For the year ended 30 June 2023

# 19. (A) RECONCILIATION OF NET LOSS WITH CASH FLOWS FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES

	2023 \$'000	2022 \$'000
Net (loss) from operations for the year	(6,124)	(3,180)
Adjustments for non-cash items:		
Amortisation of intangible assets	1,117	952
Depreciation of property, plant and equipment	123	120
Loss on disposal of assets	-	1
Share based payment expenses	337	435
Unrealised foreign exchange loss	-	60
Other non-cash items	240	(174)
	(1,817)	(1,393)
Add/(deduct) financing activities:		
Lease and related party interest repayments	65	100
Movements in working capital:		
Accounts receivable and other receivables	205	131
Accounts payable and accruals	(286)	(92)
	(81)	39
Net cash (outflow) from operating activities	(4,323)	(1,648)

# 19. (B) RECONCILIATION OF LIABILITIES ARISING FROM FINANCING ACTIVITIES

				Non-cash changes				
	2021 \$'000	Cash Inflows \$'000	Cash Outflows \$'000	Under Operating Activity \$'000	Accrual/ Others \$'000	FX Movements \$'000	FV Changes \$'000	2022 \$'000
Lease liabilities	232	-	(130)	10	-	8	-	120
Related party loan – convertible note	1,264	-	(90)	90	-	-	-	1,264
Share capital	34,809	7,021	(384)	-	224	-	-	41,670
Closing balance	36,305	7,021	(604)	100	224	8	-	43,054
					1	Non-cash chang	jes	

Under Cash Cash Operating Accrual/ FX FV Changes 2022 Inflows Outflows Activity Others Movements \$'000 2023 \$'000 \$'000 \$'000 \$'000 \$'000 \$'000 \$'000 -Lease liabilities 120 -(120) 3 (3) 93 93 (952) Related party loan – convertible note 1,264 (312) -----1,545 Loan - Pioneer facility -1,500 (16) -61 --Pioneer warrants outstanding -----92 92 -Share capital 41,670 1,216 (160) 1,242 --43,968 -Closing balance 43,054 2,716 (608) 3 351 (3) 185 45,698

For the year ended 30 June 2023

### **20. FINANCIAL RISK MANAGEMENT**

The Group is subject to a number of financial risks including liquidity risk, credit risk and market risk. The Group does not enter into or trade financial instruments, including derivative financial instruments, for speculative purposes. Specific risk management objectives and policies are set out below:

### Accounting policy

### (a) Capital Risk Management

The capital structure of the Group consists of equity raised by issue of ordinary shares, convertible notes, equity reserves and accumulated losses.

The Group manages its capital to ensure that the Group will be able to continue as a going concern while also considering the dilutionary impact of capital initiatives to maximise the return to stakeholders. Capital comprises issued capital, convertible notes and retained losses as disclosed.

The Group's Board of Directors reviews the capital structure on a regular basis to ensure that entities in the Group are able to continue as going concern (see Note 2). The Directors consider that funding growth in recurring subscription revenues, given the high margin of incremental revenues, is the appropriate strategy to reduce the Company's current cash burn run rate and to move to a cash generative position within an appropriate timeframe.

The Group is not subject to externally imposed capital requirements.

### (b) Liquidity Risk Management

Liquidity risk is the risk that the Group will not have sufficient funds to meet commitments in relation to financial liabilities as they fall due.

Ultimate responsibility for liquidity risk management rests with the Board of Directors, who have built an appropriate liquidity risk management framework for the management of the Group's short, medium and long-term funding and liquidity management requirements. The Group manages liquidity risk by maintaining adequate reserves by continuously monitoring forecast and actual cash flows and matching the maturity profiles of financial assets and liabilities (Refer Note 2). The Group has also appointed North Ridge Partners Pty Limited as the Company's strategic and financial advisor in relation to potential corporate actions including capital raising, equity and debt investments.

The table below analyses the Group's financial liabilities into maturity groupings based on the remaining period from the end of financial year to the contractual maturity date.

### **Financial Liabilities**

	2023	2022
	\$'000	\$'000
Less than 12 months	2,497	2,036
Total financial liabilities	2,497	2,036

Financial liabilities include:

- \$nil (2022: \$1,264,000) liability component of related party loan (convertible note agreement) treated as compound financial instrument; and
- \$93,000 (2021: \$232,000) lease liability recorded in the Statement of Financial Position as required under NZ IFRS 16: Leases.
- \$1,545,000 (2022: Nil) component of Pioneer Loan Facility treated as compound financial instrument per Note 14.
- \$859,000 (2022 : 527,000) accounts payable and accrual excluding employee benefits, deferred income and contract liability per Note 10.

For the year ended 30 June 2023

### (c) Interest Rate Risk

Interest rate risk is the risk that changes in interest rates negatively impact the Group's financial performance, its cash flows or the value of its financial instruments.

The Group's interest rate risk arises from its cash balances that are placed on deposit at variable rates. The Group does not enter into forward rate agreements.

Management regularly reviews the company's banking arrangements to ensure the best returns on funds.

Interest rates on cash and cash equivalents ranged from 0% to 4.50% (2022: 0% to 1.65%).

### (d) Credit Risk

Credit risk refers to the risk that a counterparty will default on its contractual obligations resulting in financial loss to the Group. Financial instruments which potentially subject the Group to credit risk principally consist of cash at bank and accounts receivable. The Board monitors and manages the exposure to credit risk.

The maximum exposures to credit risk at reporting date are:

	2023	2022
	\$'000	\$'000
Cash and cash equivalents	909	2,786
Trade receivable	60	56
Grants receivable	449	321
Sundry debtors	81	46
Other assets – non-current	51	52
Total financial assets subject to credit risk	1,550	3,261

The Group has no significant concentration of credit risk other than cash and short-term deposits which are spread across three financial institutions to minimise credit risk, with those being ASB Bank (74%), BNZ Bank (10%) and National Australia Bank (16%). The Group's cash and short-term deposits are placed with high credit quality financial institutions including major banks who have at least an 'A' credit rating.

Regular monitoring of receivables is undertaken to ensure that the credit exposure remains within the Group's normal terms of trade. As at 30 June 2023, credit risk associated with receivables is considered minor with a major grant receivable from ATO (9% credit risk exposure). The Group does not have any other concentrations of credit risk.

The Group does not require any collateral or security to support financial instruments.

### (e) Foreign Exchange Risk

The Group is exposed to foreign currency movements against the New Zealand Dollar. International sales are made in the Australian, USA and UK markets primarily. The Company's Australian operations are funded directly from New Zealand.

As a result, the financial statements can be affected by movements in these foreign exchange rates.

The carrying amounts of the Group's foreign currency-denominated monetary assets and monetary liabilities at the end of the reporting period are as follows:

	ASSETS		L	LIABILITIES	
	2023	2022	2023	2022	
	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	
Currency of Australia	553	409	665	625	
Currency of USA	31	29	3	6	
Currency of UK	19	16	31	38	
Currency of EUR	2	-	-	-	

For the year ended 30 June 2023

The following sensitivity analysis is based on the foreign currency risk exposures in existence at the reporting date. As at 30 June 2023, had the New Zealand Dollar moved, as illustrated in the table below, with all other variables held constant, post-tax profit and loss and equity would have been affected as follows:

	2023			
	AUD	USD	OTHER	TOTAL
	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000
Increase in the value of the NZD by 10%				
Impact on profit or (loss)	(609)	-	(10)	(619)
Impact on equity	(1,922)	-	(25)	(1,947)
Decrease in the value of the NZD by 10%				
Impact on profit or (loss)	609	-	10	619
Impact on equity	1,922	-	25	1,947

	2022			
	AUD	USD	OTHER	TOTAL
	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000
Increase in the value of the NZD by 10%				
Impact on profit or (loss)	(397)	-	(16)	(413)
Impact on equity	(1,595)	-	(16)	(1,610)
Decrease in the value of the NZD by 10%				
Impact on profit or (loss)	397	-	16	413
Impact on equity	1,595	-	16	1,610

For the year ended 30 June 2023

# (f) Fair Value of Financial Instruments

There are no significant differences between the fair values and the carrying amounts of financial assets and liabilities in the Consolidated Statement of Financial Position as at balance date.

	FINANCIAL ASSETS AT AMORTISED COST \$'000	FINANCIAL LIABILITIES AT AMORTISED COST \$'000	FINANCIAL LIABILITIES AT FVTPL \$'000	TOTAL CARRYING VALUE \$'000
30 June 2023				
Assets				
Cash and cash equivalents	909	-	-	909
Term investments	10	-	-	10
Trade and other receivables	840	-	-	840
Other assets – non-current	41	-	-	41
Total financial assets	1,800	-	-	1,800
Liabilities				
Accounts payable	-	1,023	-	1,023
Lease liabilities	-	93	-	93
Loan – Pioneer facility	-	1,545	-	1,545
Pioneer warrants outstanding	-	-	92	92
Total financial liabilities	-	2,661	92	2,753
30 June 2022				
Assets				
Cash and cash equivalents	2,786	-	-	2,786
Term Investments	1,260	-	-	1,260
Trade receivables	425	-	-	425
Other assets – non-current	52	-	-	52
Total financial assets	4,521	-	-	4,521
Liabilities				
Accounts payable	-	652	-	652
Lease liabilities	-	120	-	120
Related party loans – convertible note	-	1,264	-	1,264
Total financial liabilities	-	2,036	-	2,036

For the year ended 30 June 2023

# **21. SHARE BASED PAYMENTS**

The share-based payment reserve is used to record the accumulated value of unexercised share options and vested share rights which have been recognised in the statement of comprehensive income. Share options are recognised in the reserve before they vest.

Equity settled share-based payments to employees, directors and others providing similar services are measured at the fair value of the equity instruments at the grant date. Details regarding the determination of the fair value of equity-settled share-based transactions are set out below.

The fair value determined at the grant date of equity-settled share-based payments is expensed on a straight-line basis over the vesting period with a corresponding increase in equity, based on the Group's estimate of equity instruments that will eventually vest. At the end of each reporting period, the Group revises its estimate of the number of equity instruments expected to vest. The impact of the revision of the original estimates, if any, is recognised in profit and loss such that the cumulative expense reflects the revised estimate, with a corresponding adjustment to the equity-settled share-based payment reserve.

### (a) Share Based Payments Reserve

	2023	2022
	\$'000	\$'000
Opening balance	504	293
Share based payment	337	435
Transfer to issued share capital (refer note 11)	(119)	(224)
Closing balance	722	504
(b) Share Based Payments		

	2023	2022
	\$'000	\$'000
2021 CEO Short term incentive	-	63
2022 CEO Short term incentive	-	26
2021 CRO Short term incentive	-	24
2022 CRO Short term incentive	-	20
Directors' fees	98	81
Employee share option scheme	239	221
Total for the year	337	435

### Directors' fees

During the year the Independent Directors of GEO were able to elect to receive 50% of their fees in GEO ordinary shares. The fair value of the shares issued is determined as the lesser of the volume weighted average prices over five and twenty business days preceding the date of issue.

During the year, director fees were accrued and paid for Rod Snodgrass, Ana Wight and Shailesh Manga for \$98,000 in shares. (2022: \$81,000). Refer Note 13.

For the year ended 30 June 2023

### Employee share option scheme

GEO introduced an employee share options scheme to drive longer-term performance and alignment between individual personnel and shareholders. The options were offered to some employees and key executive members of the Group. Options are only vested on the satisfaction of the performance hurdles/vesting conditions and the employees must remain in service throughout the vesting period. In accordance with the terms of the issue of the options, the holders are entitled to acquire shares at the exercise price during the exercise period.

The fair value of the options at grant date was determined using Black-Scholes-Merton pricing model taking into account the terms and conditions on which the share options were granted and expensed over the vesting period.

The Group has no legal or constructive obligations to repurchase or settle the options in cash. Details of the share options are outlined below 25,884,748 (2022: 21,498,631 share options granted):

Grant Date	Personnel Entitled	Exercise Price (\$)	Number of Options	Final Exercise Date
16/12/2020	Key Executives	\$0.15	3,805,500	16/12/2023
16/12/2020	Key Executives	\$0.15	3,805,500	30/06/2024
16/12/2020	Key Executives	\$0.15	3,805,500	30/06/2025
16/12/2020	Key Executives	\$0.15	1,268,500	1/07/2025
30/03/2021	Key Executives	\$0.15	2,273,530	31/03/2025
30/03/2021	Key employees	\$0.15	568,382	31/03/2025
30/03/2021	Key employees	\$0.15	568,382	31/03/2025
29/11/2021	Key employees	\$0.15	1,705,147	31/03/2025
29/11/2021	Key employees	\$0.15	1,705,147	31/03/2025
29/11/2021	Key employees	\$0.25	2,561,425	31/03/2025
31/12/2021	Key employees	\$0.15	(568,382)	Forfeited
30/09/2022	Key employees	\$0.20	1,728,697	1/10/2024
30/09/2022	Key employees	\$0.20	1,728,697	1/10/2025
30/09/2022	Key employees	\$0.20	1,728,723	1/10/2026
30/06/2023	Key employees	\$0.20	(800,000)	Forfeited

Movements in the number of options outstanding and their related weighted average exercise prices are as follows:

	Exercise Price (\$)	Number of Options
Outstanding at beginning of year		21,498,631
Granted – 30/09/2023	\$0.20 as above	5,186,117
Forfeited/expired	\$0.20 as above	(800,000)
Outstanding at the end of the year		25,884,748

Share-based payments expense is recognised over the vesting period, which is the period over which all the specified vesting conditions are to be satisfied. At year ended 30 June 2023, management estimated the number of options that are expected to vest to be 25,884,748, based on the non-market vesting and service conditions. Hence, \$227,000 share-based payments expense in relation to the employee share option scheme was recognised as at 30 June 2023. This also included \$1,000 reversal of employee share option scheme by way of forfeiture.

For the year ended 30 June 2023

The following table lists the significant inputs into the model used to calculate the fair value of options grants.

INPUTS	ASSUMPTIONS
Weighted average fair values at the measurement date (\$)	\$0.002 - \$0.041
Dividend yield (%)	0%
Expected volatility (%)	60%
Risk-free interest rate (%)	0.23% - 4.18%
Expected life of share options (years)	2.0 - 4.5 years
Exercise price (\$)	\$0.15 - \$0.20
Share price at grant date (\$)	\$0.05 - \$0.18
Model Used	Black-Scholes

The volatility input is measured as the standard deviation of continuously compounded share returns and is based on a statistical analysis of GEO's share price over a period consistent with the options expected life.

## 22. SIGNIFICANT EVENTS SUBSEQUENT TO REPORTING DATE

The following events occurred after 30 June 2023:

- 1. In August 2023, the company undertook a material restructuring to reduce its overheads upon completion of various technology projects, with a view to reducing cash burn and transitioning to profit.
- 2. On 29 August 2023, the Company announced the following Board and management changes, effective from 30 September 2023:
  - Independent Non-Executive Chair Rod Snodgrass will retire from the Board;
  - CEO Tim Molloy will be appointed as Executive Chair; and
  - Chief Revenue Officer Scott Player will be appointed as CEO.

After this announcement, it was proposed that these changes be deferred for a short period, likely to the second week of October 2023.

3. On 29 August 2023, the Company announced a strategic review to determine investor appetite for a sale, which could lead to a transaction or restructuring of the Company.

There were no other significant events after the reporting date.

# **INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT**



# INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT TO THE SHAREHOLDERS OF GEO LIMITED

# Opinion

We have audited the consolidated financial statements of Geo Limited ("the Company") and its subsidiaries (together, "the Group"), which comprise the consolidated statement of financial position as at 30 June 2023, and the consolidated statement of profit or loss and other comprehensive income, consolidated statement of changes in equity and consolidated statement of cash flows for the year then ended, and notes to the consolidated financial statements, including a summary of significant accounting policies.

In our opinion, the accompanying consolidated financial statements present fairly, in all material respects, the consolidated financial position of the Group as at 30 June 2023, and its consolidated financial performance and its consolidated cash flows for the year then ended in accordance with New Zealand equivalents to International Financial Reporting Standards ("NZ IFRS") and International Financial Reporting Standards ("IFRS").

# **Basis for Opinion**

We conducted our audit in accordance with International Standards on Auditing (New Zealand) ("ISAs (NZ)"). Our responsibilities under those standards are further described in the Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Consolidated Financial Statements section of our report. We are independent of the Group in accordance with Professional and Ethical Standard 1 International Code of Ethics for Assurance Practitioners (including International Independence Standards) (New Zealand) issued by the New Zealand Auditing and Assurance Standards Board, and we have fulfilled our other ethical responsibilities in accordance with these requirements. We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion.

Other than in our capacity as auditor we have no relationship with, or interests in, the Company or any of its subsidiaries.

# Material Uncertainty Related to Going Concern

We draw attention to Note 2 to the consolidated financial statements, which indicates that the Group incurred a net loss from operations of \$6,124,000 (2022: \$3,180,000), and net cash outflow from operating and investing activities of \$5,581,000 in 2023 (excluding cash matured on term deposits) (2022: \$2,739,000). As stated in Note 2, these events or conditions, along with other matters as set forth in Note 2, indicate that a material uncertainty exists that may cast significant doubt on the Group's ability to continue as a going concern. Our opinion is not modified in respect of this matter.

# **Key Audit Matters**

Key audit matters are those matters that, in our professional judgement, were of most significance in our audit of the consolidated financial statements of the current period. These matters were addressed in the context of our audit of the consolidated financial statements as a whole, and in forming our opinion thereon, and we do not provide a separate opinion on these matters. In addition to the matter described in the Material Uncertainty Related to Going Concern section, we have determined the matters described below to be the key audit matters to be communicated in our report.

# INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT



# Key audit matter

Intangible assets - Internally developed application software

The Group's internally developed application software for the year ending 30 June 2023 had a carrying value of \$2,111,000 after additions of \$1,168,000 were capitalised during the vear.

The Group's process for capitalising internally developed software involves judgment such as estimating time staff have spent developing the software and determining the value added to the software for that time spent.

We focussed on the capitalisation of internally developed application software as a key audit matter due to the material nature of the costs capitalised and high degree of judgment applied in determining whether costs are capitalised or expensed.

See Note 8(A) to the consolidated financial statements where the Group's capitalised costs and accounting policy for capitalising internally generated intangible assets are disclosed. How the matter was addressed in our audit

Our work focused on the Group's process for determining what should be capitalised and how much should be capitalised. Our procedures around this included the following:

- Understanding the nature and background of the capitalised application software products through inquiry of key management personnel;
- Assessing the nature of a sample of projects against the requirements of NZ IAS 38 to determine if they were capital in nature;
- Assessing the procedures applied by the Group to review the rates applied to capitalise payroll costs;
- Assessing capitalised costs with reference to actual payroll information for a sample of employees and contractors; and
- Assessing the adequacy of the disclosures related to the capitalised development costs in the consolidated financial statements.

Intangible assets - Geo cash generating unit (CGU) impairment assessment

Intangible assets make up \$2,224,000 of the Group's \$4,367,000 total assets, the most significant of which is the capitalised application software.

NZ IAS 36 requires that finite life intangible assets be tested for impairment annually and whenever there is an indication that they may be impaired. The impairment assessment model used requires significant judgment such as forecasting revenue growth rates, discount rates, and a terminal growth rate.

We focussed on the impairment assessment of intangible assets as a key audit matter due to the material nature of the intangible assets subject to impairment and the significant judgements made by management in assessing whether there are any indicators of impairment.

See Note 8(A) to the consolidated financial statements where the Group's impairment assessment and policy is disclosed. We assessed and challenged the factors that the Group considered in their impairment assessment. This included having regard to:

- Assessing whether the methodologies applied met the requirements of NZ IAS 36 Impairment of Assets;
- Considering the determination of the identified CGU and appropriateness of the CGU carrying amount;
- Performing sensitivity analysis for key drivers of the impairment models, including the sensitivity of the results to changes in the revenue multiples used, discount rates and margins forecasted;
- Involving our valuation specialists to assess the Group's discount and terminal growth rates used in management's calculations. Our valuation specialists were also involved in assessing the integrity of the discounted cash flow model, and considered the impact of the cost of debt on the discount rate;
- Assessing if there were significant changes in the extent or manner in which the associated software is used;
- Assessing the previous accuracy of the Group's cash flow forecasting to inform our evaluation of forecasts included in the discounted cash flow model;
- Assessing forecast cashflows associated to the capitalised development costs including



comparing forecasted revenue growth rates to historic growth and industry benchmarks;

- Reviewing amortisation periods applied by the Group to developed software relative to its experience of software lifecycle; and
- Assessing the adequacy of disclosures related to impairment considerations in the consolidated financial statements.

Other Information

The directors are responsible for the other information. The other information comprises the Annual Report, but does not include the consolidated financial statements and our auditor's report thereon.

Our opinion on the consolidated financial statements does not cover the other information and we do not express any form of audit opinion or assurance conclusion thereon.

In connection with our audit of the consolidated financial statements, our responsibility is to read the other information and, in doing so, consider whether the other information is materially inconsistent with the consolidated financial statements or our knowledge obtained in the audit or otherwise appears to be materially misstated. If, based on the work we have performed, we conclude that there is a material misstatement of this other information, we are required to report that fact. We have nothing to report in this regard.

Directors' Responsibilities for the Consolidated Financial Statements

The directors are responsible on behalf of the Group for the preparation and fair presentation of the consolidated financial statements in accordance with NZ IFRS and IFRS, and for such internal control as the directors determine is necessary to enable the preparation of consolidated financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

In preparing the consolidated financial statements, the directors are responsible on behalf of the Group for assessing the Group's ability to continue as a going concern, disclosing, as applicable, matters related to going concern and using the going concern basis of accounting unless the directors either intend to liquidate the Group or to cease operations, or have no realistic alternative but to do so.

Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Consolidated Financial Statements

Our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the consolidated financial statements as a whole are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error, and to issue an auditor's report that includes our opinion. Reasonable assurance is a high level of assurance but is not a guarantee that an audit conducted in accordance with ISAs (NZ) will always detect a material misstatement when it exists. Misstatements can arise from fraud or error and are considered material if, individually or in the aggregate, they could reasonably be expected to influence the decisions of users taken on the basis of these consolidated financial statements.

A further description of our responsibilities for the audit of the financial statements is located at the External Reporting Board's website at: https://www.xrb.govt.nz/assurance-standards/auditors-responsibilities/audit-report-1/.

This description forms part of our auditor's report.

52

# INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT



# Who we Report to

This report is made solely to the Company's shareholders, as a body. Our audit work has been undertaken so that we might state those matters which we are required to state to them in an auditor's report and for no other purpose. To the fullest extent permitted by law, we do not accept or assume responsibility to anyone other than the Company and the Company's shareholders, as a body, for our audit work, for this report or for the opinions we have formed.

The engagement partner on the audit resulting in this independent auditor's report is Mark Bewley.

BDO Wellington Audit Cimited

BDO WELLINGTON AUDIT LIMITED Wellington New Zealand 29 September 2023

# NON-GAAP FINANCIAL INFORMATION

For the year ended 30 June 2023

GEO's standard profit measure prepared under NZ GAAP is net profit after tax (NPAT). GEO has used a non-GAAP profit measure of earnings in this document (defined detailed and reconciled to GAAP measures below) and intends to do so in the future allowing investors to compare periods. The directors and management believe this measure provides useful information to readers to assist in understanding the Company's financial performance and position.

These measures are also used internally to evaluate performance of the business to establish operational goals and to allocate resources. Non-GAAP profit measures are not prepared in accordance with NZ GAAP (and therefore do not comply with International Financial Reporting Standards) are not uniformly defined and therefore have not been subject to audit or review. Therefore, the non-GAAP profit measures reported in this document may not be comparable with those that other companies report and should be viewed in isolation.

	2023	2022	VARIANCE	VARIANCE
YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	%
Revenues				
Recurring subscription revenue	3,072	3,113	(41)	-1.3%
Other revenues (incl. grants)	429	395	34	+8.6%
Total revenues	3,501	3,508	(7)	-0.2%
Geo Annual Recurring Revenue - at 30 June	3,265	3,332	(67)	-2.0%
Earnings				
Statutory net (loss) after tax	(6,124)	(3,180)	(2,944)	+92.6%
EBITDA (1)	(4,813)	(2,009)	(2,804)	+139.6%
Operating & investing cash flows (excl. impact of funds invested in te	rm deposit) <sup>(2)</sup>			
Operating cash flows	(4,323)	(1,648)	(2,675)	+162.3%
Investing cash flows (excl. term deposit investment)	(1,258)	(1,091)	(167)	+15.3%
Total underlying operating & investing cash flows	(5,581)	(2,739)	(2,842)	+103.8%

1. EBITDA is the statutory net loss from operations less interest, tax, depreciation, amortisation and write down of intangibles and does not have a standardised meaning prescribed by NZ GAAP.

 Cash invested in term deposits for a period greater than 90 days were classified as an investing cash outflow in FY22. Funds held by GEO on term deposit matured in November 2022. To allow for ease of comparison to prior period, the impact of cash invested in term deposit has been removed from Operating and Investing Cash Flows for the purpose of this summary.

For the year ended 30 June 2023

The objective of the Board of Geo Limited ("GEO") is to enhance shareholder value. The Board considers there is a strong link between good corporate governance and the achievement of this objective.

The Board considers that its corporate governance framework follows the recommendations set out in the NZX Corporate Governance Code 17 June 2022 edition (NZX Code), except as stated within this report. The information in this report is current as at the date of release of the 2023 Annual Report and has been approved by the Board of GEO.

The key corporate governance documents referred to in this report are available on GEO's website at www.geoop.com.

GEO is listed on the NZX Main Board and is subject to regulatory control and monitoring by both the NZX and the Financial Markets Authority (FMA).

### PRINCIPLE 1 – CODE OF ETHICAL BEHAVIOUR

Directors should set high standards of ethical behaviour, model this behaviour and hold management accountable for these standards being followed throughout the organisation.

GEO is committed to maintaining the highest ethical standards by Directors, staff and suppliers. GEO has a Code of Ethics to guide executives, management and employees in carrying out their duties and responsibilities. A copy of this is available on GEO's website.

The Code covers such matters as:

- expected conduct;
- confidentiality;
- use of assets;
- · corporate social responsibility; and
- acceptance of gifts.

The Code requires Directors and employees to promptly report material breaches of the Code. In addition, GEO has adopted a Whistleblowing Policy that sets out the processes by which suspected serious wrongdoing can be reported, and the whistleblower is protected.

GEO has a process to enable training for all new and existing employees to ensure awareness and understanding of the Code.

GEO has a Securities Trading Policy to explain expectations and requirements for dealing in GEO securities and to protect from the risk of breaching insider trading laws. A copy of this is available on GEO's website.

Details of Directors' share dealings are on page 64 of the 2023 Annual Report.

PRINCIPLE 2 - BOARD COMPOSITION AND PERFORMANCE

To ensure an effective Board, there should be a balance of independence, skills, knowledge, experience and perspectives.

The business and affairs of GEO are managed directly by the Board of Directors. The Board:

- establishes long-term goals and strategic plans to achieve those goals;
- reviews and adopts the annual budgets for financial performance and monitors results monthly;
- ensures preparation of the annual and half-yearly financial statements;
- manages risk by ensuring that GEO has implemented adequate systems of internal controls together with appropriate monitoring of compliance activities; and
- works with management to create shareholder value.

# Management commentary (no financial statements)

For the year ended 30 June 2023

GEO's Board operates under a written Board Charter which sets out the structure of the Board; the procedures for the nomination, resignation and removal of Directors; outlines the responsibilities and roles of the Chair and Directors; and identifies procedures to ensure that the Board meets regularly, conducts its meetings in an efficient and effective manner and that each Director is fully empowered to perform his or her duties as a Director of the Company and to fully participate in meetings of the Board. A copy of the Charter is available on GEO's website.

Management of GEO is undertaken by the executive team under the leadership of the CEO, through a set of delegated authorities that are reviewed as necessary.

Directors have direct access to and may rely upon GEO's senior management and external advisers. Directors have the right, with the approval of the Chair, to seek independent legal or financial advice at the expense of GEO for the proper performance of their duties.

During the year ended 30 June 2023 no instances have arisen whereby a Board committee or individual director has needed to seek independent legal or financial advice. However, the Board has access to appropriate internal and external expertise to support Board assurance activities:

- the Chief Executive Officer, Chief Financial Officer, and Chief Revenue Officer each have direct access to the Board and each of the Directors;
- the external Audit Firm Lead Partner has direct access to the Chair of the Audit and Risk Committee, and has "Board only" time without management present at Audit and Risk Committee meetings; and
- the Board has directly sought expert external valuation, financial, tax, and legal advice as required.

The following Board skills matrix outlines the capabilities of each member of the Board.

	Rod	Roger	Sal	Ana
	Snodgrass	Sharp	Manga	Wight
Strategic knowledge of SaaS businesses	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Entrepreneurship	Yes	Yes	Partial	Yes
Financial	Yes	Yes	Partial	Yes
Risk management/regulatory	Partial	Yes	Partial	Partial
Legal	No	Partial	No	No
People Leadership and Culture	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Listed Company Governance	Yes	Yes	No	Yes
Capital Markets	Partial	Yes	No	Yes
Strategic knowledge of SaaS businesses	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes

#### Board Composition and Appointment

The number of elected Directors and the procedure for their retirement and re-election at Annual Shareholders' Meetings are set out in the Constitution of the Company.

The Remuneration and Nomination Committee, where considered necessary assists the Board in reviewing the criteria for selection of Directors and making recommendations to the Board to ensure the most appropriate balance of skills, qualifications, experience and background to effectively govern GEO.

All directors are required to retire (though may be re-elected) not later than the third annual meeting following the director's appointment, or after three years, whichever is longer. Any Directors appointed since the previous annual meeting must also retire and are eligible for election.

The Board currently comprises four Directors: Independent Chair, Roderick Snodgrass, independent non-executive Directors, Shailesh Manga and Ana Wight, and non-executive Director, Roger Sharp. The CEO, Tim Molloy, is not currently a member of the Board. The biographies of the Directors and CEO are on pages 6-7 of the 2023 Annual Report and available on GEO's website.

In determining Director independence, the Board has applied the factors in establishing whether individual directors have "disqualifying relationships" as defined by the NZX Listing Rules. Having applied these factors, the Board has determined that:

- Messrs Snodgrass, Manga and Ms Wight do not have disqualifying relationships and therefore meet the criteria to be classified as independent directors; and
- Mr Sharp has a disqualifying relationship and therefore does not meet the criteria to be classified as an independent director. His disqualifying relationship arises by virtue of the significant shareholding he and his associates hold in the Company.

For the year ended 30 June 2023

The Board supports the separation of the roles of Chair and CEO on a permanent basis, although does allow for the appointment of an Executive Chair on a non-permanent basis if circumstances warrant.

Directors' interests disclosed in FY23 are described on page 66 of the 2023 Annual Report.

In compliance with the NZX Code, GEO provides written agreements to new Directors.

The Company encourages all Directors to undertake appropriate training and education so that they may best perform their duties. This may include attending presentations on changes in governance, legal and regulatory frameworks; attending technical and professional development courses; site visits and briefings from key executives; and attending presentations from industry experts and key advisers. In addition, updates are provided to the Board on relevant industry and company issues.

At appropriate times the Board considers individual and collective performance, together with the skill sets, training and development and succession planning required to govern the business. An evaluation of Board performance was undertaken in August 2023.

Company Secretariat Services are provided by an independent contractor, who is not a director, executive, or shareholder of the Company. The Audit and Risk Committee manages the independence of Company Secretariat services.

### Diversity

GEO does not have a formal Diversity Policy, and therefore does not assess diversity performance against measurable objectives. Notwithstanding the Company recognises the value of diversity of thinking and skills. This can arise through several different characteristics including but not limited to the following: gender, ethnic background, religion, age, marital status, culture, disability, economic background, education, language and sexual orientation. Different backgrounds, communication styles, life-skills and interpersonal skills are also considered of value in building diverse teams.

As at 30 June 2023, 23% of the Company's employees and contractors self-identified as female. None of its officers (being the CEO, CRO and CFO and direct reports with key functional responsibility) self-identified as female. The Company currently has one Director who self-identifies as female.

	2023	2022
Directors Self Identity		
Male	3	3
Female	1	1
Gender diverse	-	-
Officers		
Male	3	3
Female	-	-
Gender diverse	-	-

Board Meetings and Attendance

The Board meets as often as it deems appropriate, including sessions to review the performance of the business versus plans and to consider the strategic direction of GEO and its forward-looking business plans. Video and/or phone conferences are used when the international geographical spread of Directors and management mean that it is more efficient to do so.

For the year ended 30 June 2023

2022

The table below sets out Director attendance at Board and committee meetings during FY23.

2023	Board <sup>1</sup>	Audit and Risk <sup>2</sup>	Remuneration and Nomination
Roger Sharp	6	1	1
Rod Snodgrass	5	1	1
Shailesh Manga	5	1	1
Ana Wight	6	1	1

- 1. During the months where no formal board meeting is scheduled the board meets with management for a cadence call to provide directors with a business update. No formal decisions are made or minutes are taken during the cadence calls.
- 2. The FY23 unaudited results were reviewed by the Audit and Risk Committee members and recommended for approval to the Board by way of circularised resolution prior to being published on the NZX.

### **PRINCIPLE 3 – COMMITTEES**

The Board should use committees where this will enhance its effectiveness in key areas, while still retaining Board responsibility.

The Board has delegated a number of its responsibilities to committees to assist in the execution of the Board's responsibilities. These committees review and analyse policies and strategies that are within their terms of reference. They examine proposals and, where appropriate, make recommendations to the full Board. Committees do not take action or make decisions on behalf of the Board unless specifically mandated by prior Board authority to do so.

The committees meet as required and have charters which are approved and reviewed by the Board. Copies of committee charters can be found on the GEO website.

Minutes of each committee meeting are forwarded to all members of the Board, who are all entitled to attend any committee meeting. Each committee is empowered to seek any information it requires from employees in pursuing its duties and to obtain independent legal or other professional advice.

The membership and performance of each committee were evaluated as part of the 2023 Board performance evaluation.

The current committees of the Board are the Audit and Risk Management Committee, and the Remuneration and Nomination Committee. From time to time, special purpose committees may be formed to review and monitor specific projects with senior management.

In the case of a takeover offer, GEO will form an Independent Takeover Committee to oversee disclosure and response and engage expert legal and financial advisors to provide advice on procedure. A formal Takeover Response Policy can be found on GEO's website.

### Audit and Risk Management Committee

The Audit and Risk Management Committee provides a forum for the effective communication between the Board and external auditors, and to review and manage risk. The Committee reviews the annual and half-yearly financial statements prior to their approval by the Board, the effectiveness of internal control, risk, and management information systems, and the efficiency and effectiveness of the audit function.

The Committee must be comprised solely of Directors of GEO, have a minimum of three members, have a majority of independent Directors and have at least one Director with an accounting or financial background. The makeup of the current members of this committee complies with this recommendation.

Members as at 30 June 2023 were Ana Wight (Chair), Roger Sharp and Shailesh Manga. The Committee Chair is not the Chair of the Board.

Management may attend meetings at the invitation of the Committee. The Committee routinely has committee-only time with the external auditors without management present.

### Remuneration and Nomination Committee

The Remuneration and Nomination Committee is responsible for:

• remuneration: overseeing management succession planning, establishing employee incentive schemes, reviewing and approving the compensation arrangements for senior management, and recommending to the full Board the compensation of Directors; and

For the year ended 30 June 2023

nominations: ensuring the Board comprises Directors who collectively satisfy the Board's skill matrix (as updated from time-to-time), who
contribute actively to the development of strategy, who ensure that key personnel are in place to successfully manage the business, who
contribute to the Board's and its committees' reviews of their own performance and ensure that effective induction and training programmes
are in place for new and existing Directors.

Members as at 30 June 2023 were Shailesh Manga (Chair), Roger Sharp and Rod Snodgrass. A majority of members are independent Directors.

The Remuneration and Nomination Committee met formally and informally during the year, to oversee relevant matters such as recommended changes to Directors and senior management appointments and remuneration, and the establishment and review of senior management performance incentives and employee share option participation (including the terms of participation). A report from the Remuneration and Nomination Committee Chair is a standing item for each Board meeting.

Management may attend meetings only at the invitation of the Committee.

PRINCIPLE 4 – REPORTING AND DISCLOSURE

The Board should demand integrity in financial and non-financial reporting, and in the timeliness and balance of corporate disclosures.

GEO's Directors are committed to keeping investors and the market informed of all material information about the Company and its performance, in a timely manner. GEO has adopted a Continuous Disclosure Policy to ensure that material information is identified, reported, assessed and, where required, disclosed to the market in a timely manner. A copy of the Policy is available on the GEO's website.

In addition to all information required by law, GEO also seeks to provide meaningful information to ensure stakeholders and investors are well informed, including financial and non-financial information.

### Financial Information

Senior Management is responsible for implementing and maintaining appropriate accounting and financial reporting principles, policies, and internal controls designed to ensure compliance with accounting standards and applicable laws and regulations.

The Board's Audit and Risk Management Committee oversees the quality and integrity of external financial reporting, including the accuracy, completeness, balance and timeliness of financial statements. It reviews GEO's full and half year financial statements and makes recommendations to the Board concerning accounting policies, areas of judgement, compliance with accounting standards, stock exchange and legal requirements, and the results of the external audit.

For the financial year ended 30 June 2023, the Directors believe that proper accounting records have been kept that enable the determination of the Company's financial position with reasonable accuracy and facilitate compliance of the financial statements with the Financial Markets Conduct Act 2013. The CEO and Chief Financial Officer have confirmed in writing to the Board that GEO's external financial reports present a true and fair view in all material aspects.

GEO's full and half year financial statements are available on the Company's website.

### Non-financial information

GEO sets out, reports against and discusses its strategic objectives in a variety of communications including the Chair and CEO's commentary in shareholder reports. The Company recognises that financial reporting should be balanced, clear and objective.

Further, it provides non-financial disclosure at least annually, including any consideration of material exposure to environmental, economic and social sustainability risks, as well as other key risks.

### **PRINCIPLE 5 - REMUNERATION**

The remuneration of Directors and executives should be transparent, fair and reasonable.

Remuneration of Directors and senior executives is a key responsibility of the Remuneration and Nomination Committee. External advice is sought as required to ensure that remuneration is benchmarked to the market for senior management, Director and Board positions. GEO's guidelines in regard to remuneration are set out in a Remuneration Policy.

### **Director Remuneration**

The total remuneration pool available for Directors has been fixed by shareholders at a current maximum of \$250,000 per annum for all non-executive Directors. The Board determines the level of remuneration paid to Directors from that pool. Directors also receive reimbursement for reasonable travelling, accommodation and other expenses incurred in the course of performing their duties.

# Management commentary (no financial statements)

For the year ended 30 June 2023

Any proposed increases in the non-executive Director fee pool will be put to shareholders for approval. If independent advice is sought by the Board, it will be disclosed to shareholders as part of the approval process.

GEO shareholders have approved payment of up to two –thirds of Directors fees in GEO shares. From 1 July 2021, consistent with this approval, GEO has paid directors fees 50% in cash and 50% in shares. The fair value of shares issued during FY23 was calculated using the applicable five-day and 20-day volume weighted average prices.

# Board Role Approved Remuneration

The fees payable to a non-executive Chair currently amount to \$75,000 per annum, inclusive of all committee participation.

The fees payable to a non-executive Director currently amount to \$50,000 per annum, plus an incremental \$10,000 for chairing Board committees.

No additional Directors' fees are paid for membership (as opposed to chairing) of Board committees. GEO does not accrue or pay retirement benefits or issue share options to Directors. Whilst GEO strongly encourages Directors to own GEO shares to support shareholder alignment, it is not compulsory given that personal circumstances may mean share ownership is not appropriate or achievable.

Details of individual Directors' remuneration are provided on pages 36 and 47 – 49 of the 2023 Annual Report.

### Executive Remuneration

In general, executive remuneration comprises a fixed base salary and an at-risk short-term incentive payable annually. The CEO and selected executives also receive a long-term incentive in the form of a share plan. At-risk short-term incentives are paid against targets agreed with executives at the commencement of the period and are based on financial measures including earnings targets and progress against objectives related to the strategic plan and other personal objectives.

Executives' remuneration and entitlements are detailed under Employees' Remuneration information on page 36 of the 2023 Annual Report and are consistent with GEO's Remuneration Policy.

#### **CEO** Remuneration

The review and approval of the CEO's remuneration is the responsibility of the Board.

The CEO's remuneration comprises a fixed base salary including superannuation, an at-risk short-term incentive payable annually and a long-term incentive plan. At-risk short-term incentives are paid against targets agreed with the CEO and are based on financial measures including earnings targets and progress against objectives related to the strategic plan and other personal objectives.

For the year ended 30 June 2023

Remuneration received by the current CEO of GEO was as follows:

	2023	2022
	\$'000	\$'000
Timothy Molloy - appointed 10 February 2020		
Salary	350	377
Superannuation	30	29
Short-term incentives (STI)	-	88
Share-based payment	-	63
	380	557

The CEO, Timothy Molloy, entered an employment contract with effect from 10 February 2020 with fixed remuneration (including superannuation) of A\$330,000 plus incentives increasing to A\$380,000 with effect from 1 January 2021. The incentives comprise an annual short-term incentive (STI) and a long-term incentive plan (LTI).

The STI enables payment of up to 50% of salary, subject to meeting performance hurdles relating to profitability and meeting operational targets and is payable in cash and/or shares by mutual agreement.

Timothy Molloy's LTI consists of participation in GEO's Employee Share Option Plan whereby 12,685,000 share options to acquire ordinary shares in GEO were issued at an exercise price of \$0.15 per option, and vested as follows:

- 3,805,500 16 December 2020;
- 3,805,500 30 June 2021;
- 3,805,500 30 June 2022;
- 1,268,500 1 July 2022.

The final exercise date for the options is three years after vesting. The options do not require any financial or other hurdles to be satisfied for the options to be exercised.

Either party may terminate the CEO's employment contract on six months' notice. The CEO is not entitled to any redundancy payment on termination.

### PRINCIPLE 6 - RISK MANAGEMENT

Directors should have a sound understanding of the material risks faced by the issuer and how to manage them. The Board should regularly verify that the issuer has appropriate processes that identify and manage potential and material risks.

The Board has overall responsibility for the Company's system of risk management and internal control. The Board delegates day-to-day management of the risk to the CEO. In addition, the Audit and Risk Management Committee provides an additional and more specialised oversight of GEO's risks in addition to the oversight provided by the Board.

The Audit and Risk Management Committee's Charter details the specific responsibilities of the Committee in regards to risk assurance.

### **Risk Identification**

The executive team is required to regularly identify the major risks affecting the business and develop structures, practices and processes to manage and monitor these risks. It reports to the Board through a series of Risk Grids which are signed off by the relevant executive and reviewed at each Board meeting. The Chief Executive also provides a report on regulatory issues, fraud events, material control issues and cyber security issues at each Board meeting.

### Induction and Training

The Company's executive team runs an onboarding process for new employees during which the code of ethics, expense and securities trading policies, inter alia, are provided and explained on the first day of employment.

# Management commentary (no financial statements)

For the year ended 30 June 2023

### Insurance

GEO maintains insurance policies that it considers adequate to meet its insurable risks.

#### Health and Safety

The Board recognises that effective management of health and safety is essential for the operation of a successful business, and its intent is to prevent harm and promote wellbeing for employees, contractors and customers. The Board is responsible for ensuring that the systems used to identify and manage health and safety risks are fit for purpose, being effectively implemented, regularly reviewed and continuously improved.

Health and safety procedures are in place which GEO believes are appropriate for the size and nature of its business. A Health and Safety report is provided to the Board by the Chief Executive at each Board Meeting.

GEO has successfully implemented a hybrid working program, with all employees currently operating to a normal work rhythm from their homes and the GEO offices to address the changing work environment that has developed since the COVID-19 pandemic.

No health and safety incidents have been reported during FY23.

The Board is satisfied that major risks are reviewed through its existing risk review framework, which it continually reviews and strengthens. More details of GEO's financial risk management are available on pages 43 - 46 of the 2023 Annual Report.

### PRINCIPLE 7 – AUDITORS

The Board should ensure the quality and independence of the external audit process.

The Board is committed to ensuring audit independence, both in fact and appearance, so that GEO's external financial reporting is viewed as being highly objective and without bias.

The Audit and Risk Management Committee reviews the quality and cost of the audit undertaken by the Company's external auditors and provides a formal channel of communication between the Board, senior management and external auditors.

An External Auditor Independence Policy has been adopted and sets out the services that may or may not be performed by the external auditor.

The Audit and Risk Management Committee approves the auditor's terms of engagement, audit partner rotation (at least every five years) and audit fee and reviews and provides feedback in respect of the annual audit plan. The Board is aware that a lengthy audit firm tenure has the potential to compromise auditor independence, and therefore will rotate the audit firm after 10 years unless on balance it is not in the interests of GEO to do so. The Audit and Risk Management Committee periodically has time with the external auditor without management present. The Committee also assesses the auditor's independence on an annual basis.

For the financial year ended 30 June 2023, BDO Wellington Audit Limited was the statutory auditor for GEO. BDO Wellington Audit Limited, and the Lead Audit Partner were first appointed in May 2020.

All audit work at GEO is fully separated from non-audit services to ensure that appropriate independence is maintained. There were no other services provided by BDO in FY23. The amount of fees paid to BDO for audit and non-audit work to Deloitte are identified on Note 3(c) of the 2023 Annual Report.

BDO has provided the Committee with written confirmation that, in its view, it was able to operate independently during the year.

BDO Wellington Audit Limited attended the FY22 Annual Shareholders' Meeting and was available to answer questions from shareholders at that meeting. At the FY22 Annual Meeting shareholders authorised the Directors to fix the auditor's fees and expenses for the ensuing year.

GEO has a number of internal controls which are overseen by the Audit and Risk Management Committee and/or the Board. These include controls for information systems, cyber risk and information security, business continuity management, insurance, health and safety, conflicts of interest, and prevention and identification of fraud. The Company does not have an internal audit function.

For the year ended 30 June 2023

### PRINCIPLE 8 – SHAREHOLDER RIGHTS AND RELATIONS

The Board should respect the rights of shareholders and foster constructive relationships with shareholders that encourage them to engage with the issuer.

The Board is committed to open and regular dialogue and engagement with shareholders. GEO seeks to ensure that investors understand its activities by communicating effectively with them and giving them access to clear and balanced information.

During the financial year GEO raised approximately \$1.2 million from the issue of ordinary shares priced at \$0.033 per share by way of a 1 for 4 renounceable rights offer and warrant issue. One warrant was issued for every five new ordinary shares allotted under the rights issue. The warrant may be exercised at any time over four years from the date the warrant is issued by paying the exercise price of \$0.033 to receive an ordinary share in GEO.

GEO has a calendar of communications and events for shareholders, including but not limited to:

- Half and Full Year Results Announcements and Annual Report;
- market announcements;
- Annual Shareholders' Meeting;
- scheduled and ad hoc investor presentations to institutional investors and retail brokers;
- easy access to information through the GEO website www.geoop.com; and
- access to management and the Board via a dedicated email address.

Shareholders are actively encouraged to attend the Annual Shareholders' Meeting and may raise matters for discussion at this event and may vote on major decisions that affect GEO. Voting is by poll, upholding the 'one share, one vote' philosophy.

In accordance with the Companies Act 1993, GEO's Constitution and the NZX Main Board Listing Rules, GEO refers major decisions that may change the nature of the Company to shareholders for approval.

All shareholders are given the option to elect to receive electronic communications from the Company.

In addition to shareholders, GEO has a wide range of stakeholders and maintains open channels of communication for all audiences, including brokers, the investing community, regulators, staff, customers and suppliers.

The Notice of Annual Shareholders' Meeting held on 22 November 2022 was provided to shareholders within the 10 working days' notice requirement under the Companies Act 1993. The NZX Code recommends not less than 20 working days' notice. The period was shorter than the recommendation because GEO was, within the 20-working day period, determining whether there were additional matters that may require shareholder approval beyond director appointments and auditor remuneration. It transpired that no further approvals were required.

For the year ended 30 June 2023

### 1. DIRECTORS' REMUNERATION

Remuneration received by Directors of GEO was as follows:

	REMUNE	REMUNERATION		DR'S FEE
	2023	2022	2023	2022
	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000
Roger Sharp	-	-	50	54
Rod Snodgrass	-	-	75	55
Shailesh Manga	-	-	60	45
Ana Wight	-	-	60	30
Total	-	-	245	184

Roger Sharp's Director's fee is paid to North Ridge Partners Pty Ltd, a company of which Roger Sharp is a Director and shareholder.

During the year, consultancy fees of \$261,000 (2022: \$255,000) and CFO service fee of \$22,000 (2022: \$128,000) was paid to North Ridge Partners Pty Ltd. No other additional remuneration or benefits were paid to the directors of the Company or its subsidiaries.

# 2. DIRECTORS' QUOTED FINANCIAL PRODUCT HOLDINGS

Details of Director quoted financial products (including financial products that may convert to quoted financial products) (or the relevant associated entity in which the Director has a relevant interest) as at 30 June 2023 are set out below:

	ORDINARY SHARES HELD BY DIRECTORS AND ASSOCIATED ENTITIES		WARRANTS HELD BY DIRECTORS AND ASSOCIATED ENTITIES		
	2023	2022	2023	2022	
Roger Sharp	40,434,634	19,696,284	1,512,671	-	
Rod Snodgrass	2,810,723	2,062,614	162,374	-	
Shailesh Manga	1,502,859	1,053,515	60,115	-	
Ana Wight	185,965	-	7,439	-	

# 3. DIRECTOR SHARE DEALING

During the year to 30 June 2023, the following persons who are Directors (or the relevant associated entity in which the Director has a relevant interest) acquired or disposed of equity securities in GEO:

DATE	DIRECTOR	ASSOCIATED ENTITY	CLASS OF SHARE	ACQUIRED / (SOLD)
23 Aug 2022	Roger Sharp	Wentworth Financial Pty Ltd	Ordinary	12,500,000
06 Sept 2022	Roger Sharp	Wentworth Financial Pty Ltd	Ordinary	675,000
16 Nov 2022	Shailesh Manga	Shailesh Manga and Janine Manga as trustees of Manga	Ordinary	148,772*
		Family Trust		
16 Nov 2022	Rod Snodgrass	N/A	Ordinary	185,965*
16 Nov 2022	Ana Wight	Ana Maria Wigh & Landon Charles Canham Vulcan Trustee Co	Ordinary	148,772*
		(2017) Limited		
05 April 2023	Shailesh Manga	Shailesh Manga and Janine Manga as trustees of Manga	Ordinary	300,572
		Family Trust		
05 April 2023	Rod Snodgrass	N/A	Ordinary	562,144
05 April 2023	Roger Sharp	Wentworth Financial Pty Ltd	Ordinary	
				7,563,350
05 April 2023	Ana Wight	Ana Maria Wigh & Landon Charles Canham Vulcan Trustee Co	Ordinary	37,913
		(2017) Limited		
*Shares issued in lieu	of directors' fees			

For the year ended 30 June 2023

### 4. INSURANCE AND INDEMNITIES

In accordance with Section 162 of the Companies Act 1993 and GEO's constitution, GEO indemnifies and insures directors and officers against liability to other parties that may arise from their position. Details are recorded in the interests register as required by the Companies Act 1993.

### 5. USE OF COMPANY INFORMATION

The Board received no notices during the year from directors requesting to use the Company or Group information received in their capacity as directors which would not have been otherwise available to them.

### 6. EMPLOYEE REMUNERATION

During the year to 30 June 2023, employees, excluding executive directors, within the Group received remuneration and benefits which exceeded \$100,000 as follows:

The table includes base salary, short-term incentives and contributions paid to superannuation fund. The table does not include accrued benefits and annual short-term incentive (STI) and a long-term incentive plan (LTI).

	NUMBER OF	EMPLOYEES
	2023	2022
\$100,000 - \$110,000	-	1
\$110,001 - \$120,000	1	2
\$120,001 - \$130,000	1	2
\$130,001 - \$140,000	1	1
\$140,001 - \$150,000	1	2
\$150,001 - \$160,000	-	1
\$160,001 - \$170,000	4	1
\$170,001 - \$180,000	1	1
\$180,001 - \$190,000	-	-
\$190,001 – \$200,000	1	-
\$200,001 - \$210,000	-	-
\$360,001 – \$370,000	1	-
\$370,001 - \$380,000	1	-
\$490,001 - \$500,000	1	1
Total	13	12

### 7. DONATIONS

GEO has a policy of not making political donations, and no donations were made by GEO during the year ended 30 June 2023 (2022: \$Nil)

GEO facilitates an employee support scheme, Geo Assist, which collects donations periodically from employees for redistribution to employees' families in need.

For the year ended 30 June 2023

# 8. SUBSIDIARIES

At 30 June 2023, GEO has the following wholly owned subsidiary companies with the following Directors:

ENTITY	DIRECTORS
Geo Workforce Solutions Pty Ltd (Formerly Geo.Tools Pty Ltd)	Timothy Molloy
GeoOp Trustee Limited	Roger Sharp
InterfaceIT Pty Ltd	Timothy Molloy
Geo for Sales Pty Ltd (Formerly InterfaceIT Operations Pty Ltd)	Timothy Molloy
GeoNext (UK) Limited	Timothy Molloy

# 9. INTEREST REGISTER

Directors must provide notices disclosing interests pursuant to section 140(1) of the Companies Act 1993. No changes to interests were notified or recorded in GEO's Interests Register during the financial year ended 30 June 2023.:

DIRECTOR	DATE OF DISCLOSURE	NATURE OF DISCLOSURE
Roger Sharp	30 April 2022	Tourism New Zealand Board – Resigned as Deputy Chair
	01 June 2022	Whakatipu Hangarau Trust – Founder and Chair
Rod Snodgrass	29 August 2021	Woolaid - Director/ Shareholder
	24 February 2022	Maker Capital Nominees Ltd - Director/ Shareholder
	24 February 2022	Nexdo Limited – Director
	28 February 2022	Vend Limited – Director
	28 February 2022	Lightspeed Commerce Holdings NZ Limited – Director
Anna Miralat		

Ana Wight

## **10. SUBSTANTIAL PRODUCT HOLDER**

According to disclosed substantial product holder notices, the substantial product holders in GEO as at 11 September 2023 were as follows:

SUBSTANTIAL PRODUCT HOLDER	DATE OF DISCLOSURE	NUMBER OF ORDINARY SHARES	PERCENTAGE OF ORDINARY SHARES ON ISSUE
Roger Sharp (through relevant interests in North Ridge Partners Pty Limited,	05 April 2023	40,434,634	18.34%
Wentworth Financial Pty Ltd and various investment management			
agreements)			
Aaron Richard Bhatnagar	11 April 2023	20,075,000	9.11%
New Zealand Funds Management Limited	05 April 2023	16,467,759	7.47%

The above table is required to describe the substantial product holders as at 11 September 2023 based on disclosures received by GEO and NZX as at that date and reflects the percentage ownership at the time of those disclosures. Because no disclosure is required unless the percentage ownership increases or decreases by 1% or more, or as a result of dilution, the current ownership may be different (see table below).

For the year ended 30 June 2023

# **11. TWENTY LARGEST EQUITY SECURITY HOLDERS**

The names of the 20 largest holders of ordinary issued shares as at 11 September 2023 are listed below.

Wentworth Financial Pty Ltd32,362,19514.68New Zealand Central Securities Depository Limited29,433,05313.36Bhatnagar Securities Limited19,700,0008.94New Zealand Depository Nominee11,850,3095.37Turha Limited8,300,0003.76Wodi Wodi Pty Limited7,018,1423.18Hobson Wealth Custodian Limited6,124,1262.78Allan Michael Nobilo & Lynne Nobilo5,700,0032.59Jkm Family Investments Pty Limted5,085,8932.31FNZ Custodians Limited4,687,6962.13Blair Richard Watson Tallott4,080,0001.85Sandhurst Trustees Ltd & Equitable Investors Pty Ltd3,785,7761.72Timothy James Molloy3,031,1911.37Custodial Services Limited2,750,0001.25Phillip Hadfield Hardie Boys2,704,1631.23Carnethy Evergreen P/L2,085,9780.95Leveraged Equities Finance Limited1,892,2570.86Denise Lane Campbell1,892,2570.86		TOTAL UNITS	% OF ISSUED CAPITAL
Bhatnagar Securities Limited19,700,0008.94New Zealand Depository Nominee11,850,3095.37Turha Limited8,300,0003.76Wodi Wodi Pty Limited7,018,1423.18Hobson Wealth Custodian Limited6,124,1262.78Allan Michael Nobilo & Lynne Nobilo5,700,0032.59Jkm Family Investments Pty Limted5,085,8932.31FNZ Custodians Limited4,687,6962.13Blair Richard Watson Tallott4,055,9461.84Sandhurst Trustees Ltd & Equitable Investors Pty Ltd3,785,7761.72Timothy James Molloy3,031,1911.37Custodial Services Limited2,750,0001.25Philip Hadfield Hardie Boys2,704,1631.23Carnethy Evergreen P/L2,085,9780.95Leveraged Equities Finance Limited2,085,9780.95Denise Jane Campbell0,892,2570.86	Wentworth Financial Pty Ltd	32,362,195	14.68
New Zealand Depository Nominee11,850,3095.37Turha Limited8,300,0003.76Wodi Wodi Pty Limited7,018,1423.18Hobson Wealth Custodian Limited6,124,1262.78Allan Michael Nobilo & Lynne Nobilo5,700,0032.59Jkm Family Investments Pty Limted5,085,8932.31FNZ Custodians Limited4,687,6962.13Blair Richard Watson Tallott4,055,9461.84Sandhurst Trustees Ltd & Equitable Investors Pty Ltd3,785,7761.72Forsyth Barr Custodians Limited3,031,1911.37Custodial Services Limited3,031,1911.37Joseph Wallace Carson2,704,1631.23Philip Hadfield Hardie Boys2,704,1631.23Carnethy Evergreen P/L2,085,9780.95Leveraged Equities Finance Limited1,892,2570.95Denise Jane Campbell1,892,2570.88	New Zealand Central Securities Depository Limited	29,463,053	13.36
Turha Limited       8,300,000       3.76         Wodi Wodi Pty Limited       7,018,142       3.18         Hobson Wealth Custodian Limited       6,124,126       2.78         Allan Michael Nobilo & Lynne Nobilo       5,700,003       2.59         Jkm Family Investments Pty Limted       5,085,893       2.31         FNZ Custodians Limited       4,687,696       2.13         Blair Richard Watson Tallott       4,080,000       1.85         Sandhurst Trustees Ltd & Equitable Investors Pty Ltd       4,055,946       1.84         Forsyth Barr Custodians Limited       3,031,191       1.37         Custodial Services Limited       3,031,191       1.37         Loseph Wallace Carson       2,750,000       1.25         Philip Hadfield Hardie Boys       2,542,446       1.15         Carnethy Evergreen P/L       2,085,978       0.95         Leveraged Equities Finance Limited       1.892,257       0.86	Bhatnagar Securities Limited	19,700,000	8.94
Wodi Wodi Pty Limited       7,018,142       3.18         Hobson Wealth Custodian Limited       6,124,126       2.78         Allan Michael Nobilo & Lynne Nobilo       5,700,003       2.59         Jkm Family Investments Pty Limted       5,085,893       2.31         FNZ Custodians Limited       4,687,696       2.13         Blair Richard Watson Tallott       4,080,000       1.85         Sandhurst Trustees Ltd & Equitable Investors Pty Ltd       4,055,946       1.84         Forsyth Barr Custodians Limited       3,785,776       1.72         Timothy James Molloy       3,031,191       1.37         Custodial Services Limited       2,750,000       1.25         Philip Hadfield Hardie Boys       2,704,163       1.23         Carnethy Evergreen P/L       2,085,978       0.95         Leveraged Equities Finance Limited       2,085,978       0.95         Denise Jane Campbell       1,892,257       0.86	New Zealand Depository Nominee	11,850,309	5.37
Hobson Wealth Custodian Limited       6,124,126       2.78         Allan Michael Nobilo & Lynne Nobilo       5,700,003       2.59         Jkm Family Investments Pty Limted       5,085,893       2.31         FNZ Custodians Limited       4,687,696       2.13         Blair Richard Watson Tallott       4,080,000       1.85         Sandhurst Trustees Ltd & Equitable Investors Pty Ltd       4,055,946       1.84         Forsyth Barr Custodians Limited       3,785,776       1.72         Timothy James Molloy       3,686,371       1.67         Custodial Services Limited       3,031,191       1.37         Joseph Wallace Carson       2,750,000       1.25         Philip Hadfield Hardie Boys       2,704,163       1.23         Carnethy Evergreen P/L       2,085,978       0.95         Leveraged Equities Finance Limited       2,085,978       0.95         Denise Jane Campbell       1,892,257       0.86	Turha Limited	8,300,000	3.76
Autosoft weard Custodian Linited5,700,0032.59Allan Michael Nobilo & Lynne Nobilo5,085,8932.31Jkm Family Investments Pty Limted6,687,6962.13FNZ Custodians Limited4,080,0001.85Blair Richard Watson Tallott4,080,0001.85Sandhurst Trustees Ltd & Equitable Investors Pty Ltd4,055,9461.84Forsyth Barr Custodians Limited3,785,7761.72Timothy James Molloy3,686,3711.67Custodial Services Limited3,031,1911.37Joseph Wallace Carson2,704,1631.23Philip Hadfield Hardie Boys2,704,1631.23Carnethy Evergreen P/L2,685,9780.95Leveraged Equities Finance Limited1,892,2570.86	Wodi Wodi Pty Limited	7,018,142	3.18
Allan Michael Nobilo & Lynne Nobilo5,085,8932.31Jkm Family Investments Pty Limted4,687,6962.13FNZ Custodians Limited4,080,0001.85Blair Richard Watson Tallott4,055,9461.84Sandhurst Trustees Ltd & Equitable Investors Pty Ltd3,785,7761.72Forsyth Barr Custodians Limited3,686,3711.67Timothy James Molloy3,031,1911.37Custodial Services Limited3,031,1911.37Joseph Wallace Carson2,704,1631.23Philip Hadfield Hardie Boys2,704,1631.23Carnethy Evergreen P/L2,685,9780.95Leveraged Equities Finance Limited1,892,2570.86	Hobson Wealth Custodian Limited	6,124,126	2.78
Jkm Family Investments Pty Limted4,687,6962.13FNZ Custodians Limited4,080,0001.85Blair Richard Watson Tallott4,055,9461.84Sandhurst Trustees Ltd & Equitable Investors Pty Ltd3,785,7761.72Forsyth Barr Custodians Limited3,686,3711.67Timothy James Molloy3,031,1911.37Custodial Services Limited2,750,0001.25Philip Hadfield Hardie Boys2,704,1631.23Carnethy Evergreen P/L2,085,9780.95Leveraged Equities Finance Limited2,085,9780.95Denise Jane Campbell1,892,2570.86	Allan Michael Nobilo & Lynne Nobilo	5,700,003	2.59
FNZ Custodians Limited4,687,6962.13Blair Richard Watson Tallott4,080,0001.85Sandhurst Trustees Ltd & Equitable Investors Pty Ltd4,055,9461.84Forsyth Barr Custodians Limited3,785,7761.72Timothy James Molloy3,686,3711.67Custodial Services Limited3,031,1911.37Joseph Wallace Carson2,750,0001.25Philip Hadfield Hardie Boys2,704,1631.23Carnethy Evergreen P/L2,685,9780.95Leveraged Equities Finance Limited1,892,2570.86	Jkm Family Investments Pty Limted	5,085,893	2.31
Blair Richard Watson Tallott4,080,0001.85Sandhurst Trustees Ltd & Equitable Investors Pty Ltd4,055,9461.84Forsyth Barr Custodians Limited3,785,7761.72Timothy James Molloy3,686,3711.67Custodial Services Limited3,031,1911.37Joseph Wallace Carson2,750,0001.25Philip Hadfield Hardie Boys2,704,1631.23Carnethy Evergreen P/L2,542,4461.15Leveraged Equities Finance Limited2,085,9780.95Denise Jane Campbell1.892,2570.86		4,687,696	2.13
Sandhurst Trustees Ltd & Equitable Investors Pty Ltd4,055,9461.84Forsyth Barr Custodians Limited3,785,7761.72Timothy James Molloy3,686,3711.67Custodial Services Limited3,031,1911.37Joseph Wallace Carson2,750,0001.25Philip Hadfield Hardie Boys2,704,1631.32Carnethy Evergreen P/L2,542,4461.15Leveraged Equities Finance Limited2,085,9780.95Denise Jane Campbell1.892,2570.86		4,080,000	1.85
Forsyth Barr Custodians Limited3,785,7761.72Timothy James Molloy3,686,3711.67Custodial Services Limited3,031,1911.37Joseph Wallace Carson2,750,0001.25Philip Hadfield Hardie Boys2,704,1631.23Carnethy Evergreen P/L2,542,4461.15Leveraged Equities Finance Limited2,085,9780.95Denise Jane Campbell1.892,2570.86		4,055,946	1.84
Timothy James Molloy3,686,3711.67Custodial Services Limited3,031,1911.37Joseph Wallace Carson2,750,0001.25Philip Hadfield Hardie Boys2,704,1631.23Carnethy Evergreen P/L2,542,4461.15Leveraged Equities Finance Limited2,085,9780.95Denise Jane Campbell1.892,2570.86		3,785,776	1.72
Custodial Services Limited3,031,1911.37Joseph Wallace Carson2,750,0001.25Philip Hadfield Hardie Boys2,704,1631.23Carnethy Evergreen P/L2,542,4461.15Leveraged Equities Finance Limited2,085,9780.95Denise Jane Campbell1,892,2570.86		3,686,371	1.67
Joseph Wallace Carson2,750,0001.25Philip Hadfield Hardie Boys2,704,1631.23Carnethy Evergreen P/L2,542,4461.15Leveraged Equities Finance Limited2,085,9780.95Denise Jane Campbell1,892,2570.86		3,031,191	1.37
Philip Hadfield Hardie Boys2,704,1631.23Carnethy Evergreen P/L2,542,4461.15Leveraged Equities Finance Limited2,085,9780.95Denise Jane Campbell1,892,2570.86		2,750,000	1.25
Carnethy Evergreen P/L2,542,4461.15Leveraged Equities Finance Limited2,085,9780.95Denise Jane Campbell1,892,2570.86		2,704,163	1.23
Leveraged Equities Finance Limited2,085,9780.95Denise Jane Campbell1,892,2570.86		2,542,446	1.15
Denise Jane Campbell 1,892,257 0.86		2,085,978	0.95
		1,892,257	0.86
10141 17.98	Denise Jane Campbell Total	160,905,545	72.98

# **12. SPREAD OF SECURITY HOLDERS**

The spread of security holders of ordinary issued shares as at 11 September 2023 is listed below.

	SHAREHOLDERS		ISSUED CAPITAL	
	NUMBERS	%	NUMBER	%
1 - 1,000	19	2.34	9,300	0.01
1,001 - 5,000	245	30.17	846,154	0.38
5,001 - 10,000	123	15.15	927,529	0.42
10,001 - 50,000	231	28.45	5,887,207	2.67
50,001 - 100,000	44	5.42	3,103,650	1.41
100,001 and above	150	18.47	209,706,193	95.11
Total	812	100.00	220,480,033	100.00

# **CORPORATE DIRECTORY**

# Geo Limited Registered Office

Bell Gully Level 21, ANZ Centre 171 Featherston Street Wellington 6011 New Zealand Website: <u>www.geoop.com</u>

# Directors

Rod Snodgrass Shailesh Manga Roger Sharp Ana Wight

### Registry

Link Market Services Limited PO Box 91976 Auckland 1142 New Zealand Telephone: +64 9 375 5998 Fax: +64 9 375 5990

### Legal Advisors

Bell Gully Level 21, ANZ Centre 171 Featherston Street PO Box 1291 Wellington 6140 New Zealand

### Auditors

BDO Wellington Audit Limited Level 4, Chartered Accountants House 50 Customhouse Quay PO Box 10-340 Wellington, 6143 New Zealand

# Management commentary (no financial statements)

# 70 GEO Limited Annual Report 2023

# Management commentary (no financial statements)





www.geoop.com Management commentary (no financial statements)