# Salmat Update on Half Year to 31 December 2015

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# Agenda

- 1. Half year summary
- 2. Group financial performance
- 3. Business transformation
- 4. Outlook



#### **Summary**

- 'Focus, Simplify, Grow' transformation program on track.
- Successfully executed against several major transformation initiatives.
- Restructure completed: non-strategic and unprofitable services exited, redundant roles removed, operations streamlined.
- Sales momentum building:
  - Major contract renewals secured.
  - \$20m in new business signed.
  - Offset by ended/expired contracts.
- Acquisitions performing well Fuse and Netstarter integrated within Salmat.
- On track to earnings growth in FY16.
- Now finalising next-stage growth strategy post transformation.





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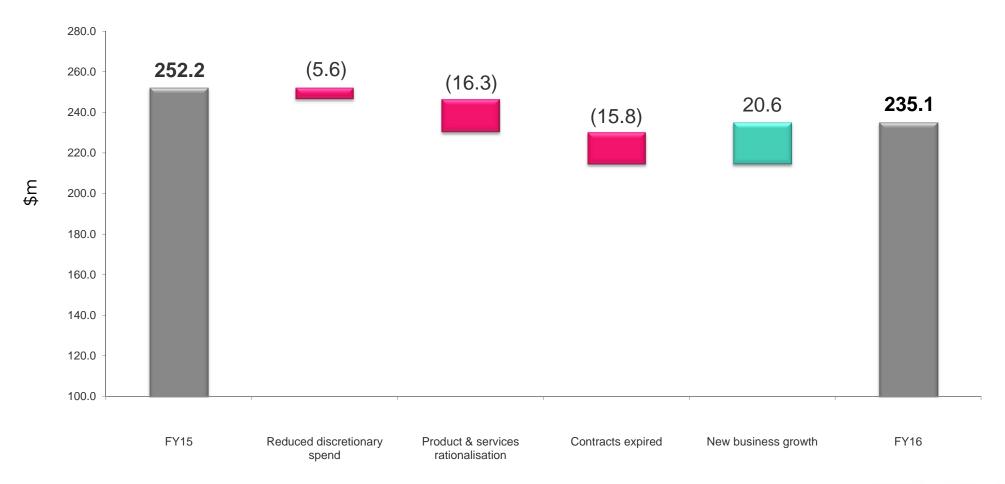
# Financial results - overview

\$ million	H1 2016	H1 2015	% change
Revenue	235.6	253.5	- 7.1
EBITDA	9.2	5.1	+ 80.4
Depreciation & Amortisation	(7.1)	(6.8)	+ 4.4
Net Interest	(0.9)	(0.9)	-
Underlying profit/(loss) before income tax	1.1	(2.6)	*
Significant items	-	(64.6)	*
Profit/(loss) before income tax	1.2	(67.2)	*
Income tax expense	(1.7)	(2.5)	- 32.0
Net (loss) after tax	(0.5)	(69.7)	+ 99.2



<sup>\*</sup> no meaningful figure

# Sales revenue bridge





# **EBITDA** bridge





#### **Balance sheet**

- Cash outflows included payment of deferred consideration, dividend to parties related to noncontrolling interest and prior year working capital.
- US denominated draw down to fund deferred consideration.
- Reduction in payables relating to expenses incurred in prior year

\$ million	31 Dec 15	30 Jun 15	Change A\$m
Cash and cash equivalents	44.1	48.6	-4.5
Accounts receivable	62.1	63.5	- 1.4
Fixed assets	17.0	19.9	-2.9
Goodwill and intangibles	93.1	94.2	-1.1
Other	21.4	21.7	-0.3
Total assets	237.7	247.9	-10.2
Current liabilities	93.9	106.7	-13.3
Borrowings	29.1	25.5	3.6
Other non-current liabilities	9.6	9.6	0.0
Total liabilities	132.6	141.8	-9.2
Equity	105.1	106.1	-1.0



#### **Cash flow summary**

- Restructuring costs and prior year expenses included in operating cash flow.
- Paid MicroSourcing deferred considerations.
- Dividend paid relates to MicroSourcing.
- Gain from sale of investment and a specific product line no longer part of the portfolio.

	\$ million
Net cash at 30 June 2015	23.1
Prior period working capital outflows	(6.9)
Net operating cash inflow	7.3
Capex	(2.4)
Dividend paid to non-controlling interest	(1.4)
Deferred consideration	(4.2)
Sale of investment/product	0.9
Net financing costs (incl interest)	(0.1)
Tax	(1.3)
Currency translation effect	(0.1)
Net cash at 31 December 2015	14.9



# **Segment information**

\$ million	H1 2016	H1 2015	% change
Sales revenue:  Media + Digital  Contact	136.0	154.2	- 11.8%
	99.1	98.0	+ 1.1%
EBITDA:  Media + Digital  Contact	12.7	15.8	- 19.6%
	2.7	1.7	+ 58.8%

Production volumes	H1 2016	H1 2015	% change
Catalogues	2.42b	2.54b	- 4.7%
Contact centre seat utilisation (average)	68.7%	60.3%	+ 13.9%





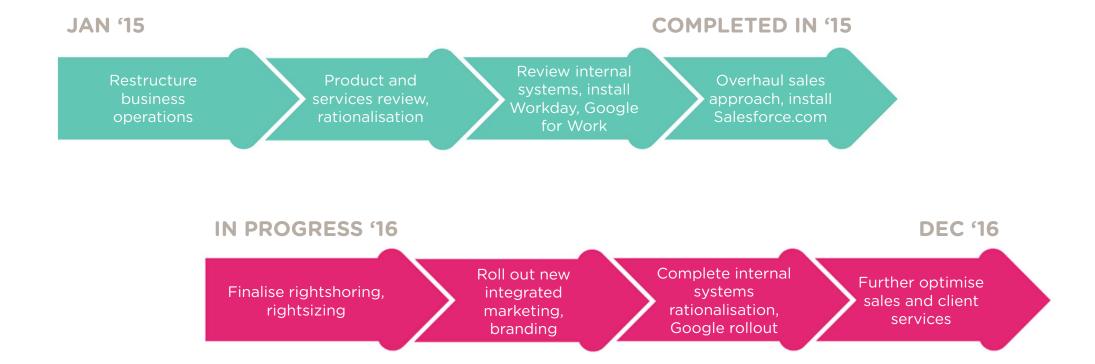
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# 'Connecting Salmat' transformation

- Two year program commenced in January 2015.
- Key objective is to Focus on areas of market leadership; Simplify every aspect of the business; Grow in a targeted and profitable manner.
- Products and services refined, internal systems consolidated, sales approach sharpened. Salmat is leaner and more efficient, with a common objective.
- Organisation redesign completed and implemented.
- Program is on track to achieve our targets:
  - More focused and profitable product and services portfolio.
  - Substantial and systemic cost reductions achieved (more to come).
  - Much stronger execution skills and disciplines across the business.
  - Successful program delivery (Workday, Google, Salesforce.com).



#### **Transformation timeline**





# Operations/IT/delivery update

#### **Progress made**

- Reach upgrade and customer consolidation completed.
- Restructure of all operations completed – common approach to service delivery across all of Salmat.
- Successful delivery of major projects, including ACMA Do Not Call Register.
- Successful go-live of Google for Work collaboration platform.
- Continued consolidation of operations and infrastructure.
- Substantial cost reductions.

#### Second half focus

- Improved client satisfaction through continued focus on service levels.
- Continued rationalisation and consolidation of operations and infrastructure.
- Continued lower cost to serve.



#### Sales update

#### **Progress made**

- Retention of major letterbox distribution contracts for next 2-3 years (\$60m+).
- Continued strong growth in media agency sales, local area marketing, MicroSourcing.
- Improved cross-selling across digital and ecommerce.
- Contact wins in Federal Government (Australia and New Zealand).
- Strong Contact pipeline (government, commercial).

#### Second half focus

- Close several major Contact deals.
- Leverage marketing capabilities and campaigns to drive greater overall momentum.
- Continue to drive sales effectiveness programme.



# Marketing update

#### **Progress made**

- Completion of product and services review resulting in a simpler portfolio.
- Centralised strategic product house implemented.
- Channel Marketing capability established: value proposition; lead optimisations; sales enablement and training.
- Launched first integrated campaign "Starts with Salmat".
- Next phase growth strategy development: evolution of marketing and customer experience.

#### Second half focus

- Re-fresh of the Salmat brand and value proposition – from junk mail provider to marketing services leader.
- Complete simplification and repositioning of the Letterbox+ capability (integrated physical and digital position).
- Introduction of Customer Marketing to optimises client profitability.
- New product launches: Mobile, Social and Promotions.
- Complete next-phase growth strategy (to be shared with investors at year end).



# **Acquisition update**

- MicroSourcing
  - On track to finalise remaining 50% ownership by end of FY16.
  - Performing strongly
- Netstarter
  - Performance on track (remaining performance-linked payments unlikely to change).
  - Good collaboration with other Salmat service areas leading to more bundled sales.
- Fuse
  - Exercised final 50% option in January 2016.
  - Team now integrated into Salmat premises.
  - Solid pipeline and sales picking up.
- Final instalments and performance-based payments from retained cash.





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# Next phase growth strategy now in development

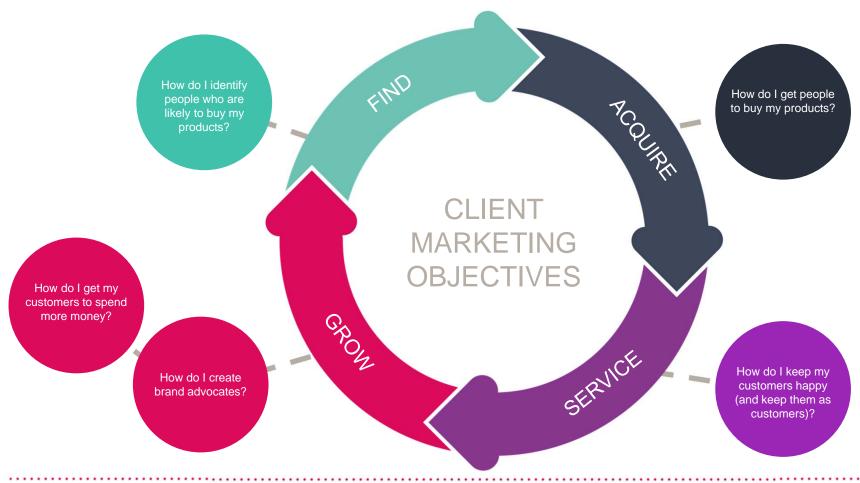
Our ambition: Salmat will be the market leader in providing integrated marketing solutions.

- Helping clients best utilise budgets to cost effectively target and **reach** more customers every week through letterbox and search.
- Helping clients plan marketing around the path to purchase and convert more opportunities through best in class digital and contact experiences, driven by email, SMS and competition programs.
- Helping clients serve customers more efficiently and grow business by combining traditional and digital channels.

Salmat's next-phase growth strategy will continue to build on the business transformation and the 'Start with Salmat' market positioning.



# Salmat's expertise: the fundamentals of marketing





#### **Summary**

- Making progress on overall business transformation: starting to flow into results.
- EBITDA performance for H1 was substantially up on pcp (78.4%).
- We have achieved \$20 million in new business growth, and have secured all major letterbox RFPs completed to date.
- Our ability to execute has improved across all parts of the organisation: we are a stronger, more disciplined business.
- There remains room for improvement:
  - Client retention aim to retain all customer contracts and build from that platform.
  - Sales momentum needs to be consistent across all parts of the business.
  - Continued optimisation of cost, reduced cost to serve, and improved margins.
- We continue to operate in a volatile market, so expect some bumps along the way.
- Maintaining target of 7-10% EBITDA margin over medium term.



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