

Central Australian Aboriginal Charitable Trust

Special purpose financial report
For the financial year ended 30 June 2008

CENTRAL AUSTRALIAN ABORIGINAL CHARITABLE TRUST

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FOR THE FINANCIAL YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2008

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FINANCIAL REPORT
FOR THE FINANCIAL YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2008

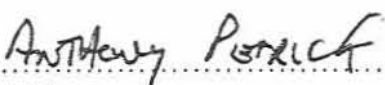
TRUSTEE'S DECLARATION

As detailed in Note 1 to the financial report, the trust is not a reporting entity because, in the opinion of the directors of the trustee company there are unlikely to exist users of the financial report who are unable to command the preparation of reports tailored so as to satisfy specifically all of their information needs. Accordingly, this special purpose financial report has been prepared to satisfy the directors' information needs.

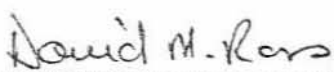
The directors of the trustee company declare that:

- (a) The attached financial report and notes thereto present fairly in accordance with the accounting policies described in Note 1 to the financial report, the financial position of the trust as at 30 June 2008 and the results of its operations for the financial year then ended; and
- (b) In the directors' opinion, there are reasonable grounds to believe that the trust will be able to pay its debts as and when they become due and payable.

Director's Signature


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Print Name

Director's Signature


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Print Name

Dated this THIRD day of DECEMBER 2008.

CENTRAL AUSTRALIAN ABORIGINAL CHARITABLE TRUST

SUMMARY INCOME STATEMENT
FOR THE FINANCIAL YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2008

	<u>2008</u> \$	<u>2007</u> \$
TOTAL INCOME	2,159,218	574,370
TOTAL EXPENSES	<u>820,682</u>	<u>489,539</u>
OPERATING SURPLUS/ DEFICIT	1,338,536	84,831
ACCUMULATED FUNDS BROUGHT FORWARD	<u>4,449,348</u>	<u>4,364,517</u>
ACCUMULATED FUNDS CARRIED FORWARD	<u>5,787,884</u>	<u>4,449,348</u>

Notes to the financial statements are set out on the attached pages.

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BALANCE SHEET
AS AT 30 JUNE 2008

	<u>Note</u>	<u>2008</u> \$	<u>2007</u> \$
CURRENT ASSETS			
Cash			
Pre-payments			
Receivables			
GST recoverable			
TOTAL CURRENT ASSETS		448,130	675,760
NON CURRENT ASSETS			
Property, Plant & Equipment			
Investments			
Receivables			
TOTAL NON CURRENT ASSETS		5,515,670	6,426,300
TOTAL ASSETS		<u>5,963,800</u>	<u>7,102,060</u>
CURRENT LIABILITIES			
Creditors and Accruals			
Borrowings		-	403,566
Withholding Tax Payable			
TOTAL CURRENT LIABILITIES		20,583	461,379
NON CURRENT LIABILITIES			
Borrowings		-	
TOTAL NON CURRENT LIABILITIES			
TOTAL LIABILITIES		<u>20,583</u>	<u>1,716,379</u>
NET ASSETS		<u>5,943,217</u>	<u>5,385,681</u>
EQUITY			
Settled Sum			
Reserves			
Accumulated Funds			
TOTAL EQUITY		<u>5,943,217</u>	<u>5,385,681</u>

Notes to the financial statements are set out on the attached pages.

CENTRAL AUSTRALIAN ABORIGINAL CHARITABLE TRUST

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE FINANCIAL YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2008

1. Summary of Accounting Policies

Financial Reporting Framework

The trust is not a reporting entity because in the opinion of the trustee there are unlikely to exist users of the financial report who are unable to command the preparation of reports tailored so as to satisfy specifically all of their information needs. Accordingly, this “special purpose financial report” has been prepared to satisfy the trustee’s reporting requirements.

The financial report has been prepared on the basis of historical cost and, except where stated, does not take into account current valuations of current assets.

The financial report has been prepared in accordance with the basis of accounting, but not the disclosure requirement, specified by all applicable Australian Accounting Standards.

Significant Accounting Policies

Accounting policies are selected and applied in a manner which ensures that the resultant financial information satisfies the concepts of relevance and reliability, thereby ensuring that the substance of the underlying transactions and other events is reported. The following significant accounting policies have been adopted in the preparation and presentation of the financial report:

Investments

All investments are carried at valuation except where in the opinion of the trustee, valuation is not materially different from cost in which case they are accounted for at cost.

Depreciation

Property, plant and equipment, other than freehold land, are depreciated over their estimated useful lives, using either the straight line or diminishing balance methods.

Profits and losses on disposal of property, plant and equipment are taken into account in determining the operating result for the year.

Goods and Services Tax (GST)

Revenues, expenses and assets are recognised net of the amount of GST. Receivables and payables are recognised inclusive of GST. The net amount of GST recoverable from, or payable to, the taxation authority is included as part of receivables or payables.

Income tax

The trust is not subject to income tax.

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Revenue recognition

Revenue from the sale of goods and disposal of other assets is recognised when the entity has passed control of the goods or other assets to the buyer.

Revenue from the provision of services is recognised when the services have been provided.

Segment Information

Central Australian Aboriginal Charitable Trust is a charitable trust, which has been established to invest money on behalf of the Aboriginal people of Central Australia.

	2008	2007
	\$	\$
2. Cash assets		
Cash at Bank and on hand	<u>112,961</u>	<u>71,250</u>
3. Receivables		
Interest		
CACT Reimbursement for Valuations		
Reimbursements for General Expenses		
Dividends receivable from NT Gas Pty Ltd		
Payment for 07/08 Consulting		
Beneficiary Entitlements:		
Alice Springs Real Estate Trust		
Central Australian Aboriginal Property Trust		
Centrefarm Management		

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4. Property, Plant & Equipment

	Cost		Accumulated Depreciation		Written Down Value	
	<u>2008</u>	<u>2007</u>	<u>2008</u>	<u>2007</u>	<u>2008</u>	<u>2007</u>
Plant & Equipment	71,357	62,388	40,953	33,382	30,404	29,006
Motor Vehicles	<u>26,570</u>	<u>26,570</u>	<u>19,430</u>	<u>17,357</u>	<u>7,140</u>	<u>9,213</u>
	<u>97,927</u>	<u>88,958</u>	<u>60,383</u>	<u>50,739</u>	<u>37,544</u>	<u>38,219</u>

5. Investments

	Qty held	% held	2008 \$	2007 \$
At cost				
Aboriginal Catering Services Pty Ltd	1	33.3%	1	1
Big O Pty Ltd	2	50%	200	200
Centrecorp Aboriginal Services Pty Ltd	1	100%	1	1
Central Railway Aboriginal Inv Pty Ltd	1	100%	1	1
NT Gas Pty Ltd	3	1.5%	3	3
Tancor Nominees	3	50%	3	3
Magnetic Pty Ltd	3	100%	3	3
CAAH Nominees Pty Ltd	1	50%	1	1
Kings Canyon Nominees	1	33.3%	1	1
Central Australian Aboriginal Property Trust	199,552	2.58%		
Central Australian Aboriginal Unit Trust	99	99%	99	99
Centrefarm Management Pty Ltd	5	100%	5	5
Community Bank – Bendigo				
At valuation				
Amadeus Gas Trust	1,500	1.5%		
Kings Canyon (Watarrka) Resort Trust		32.7%	<u>3,675,732</u>	<u>3,675,732</u>
			<u>4,136,250</u>	<u>4,917,250</u>

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	2008	2007
	\$	\$
5. Investments (continued)		
6. Receivables - Non Current		
Tancor Nominees Pty Ltd		
Big O Pty Ltd		
Tancor Supermarket Trust		

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	2008 \$	2007 \$
7. Creditors and accrued expenses		
Trade creditors		
Accrued expenses		
Management fees		
Other		
Deloitte Touche Tohmatsu for audit		
Creditors and Accruals	<u>9,052</u>	<u>39,798</u>
8. Borrowings		
Current		
Loan ATSI(1)	-	403,566
Non Current		
Loan ATSI(1)	-	-
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Total Borrowings	<u>-----</u>	<u>1,658,566</u>

(1) In 1991 a loan of \$800,000 was made to Centrecorp to purchase equity units in Kings Canyon (Watarrka) Resort Trust. The loan was renegotiated in July 1998 to an increased amount of \$3,779,509. The additional funds were used to increase Centrecorp's equity in the Kings Canyon (Watarrka) Resort Trust. The current liability is now aligned to new loan terms and conditions, which require annual repayments of \$456,296 on 15 October each year. This loan was paid out in the 07/08 financial year.

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	2008	2007
	\$	\$

9. Reserves

Asset revaluation reserve

10. Related Party Information

The Trustee of Central Australian Aboriginal Charitable Trust is Centrecorp Aboriginal Investment Corporation Pty Ltd.

The directors of the trustee company during the financial year were:

Owen Cole
Stephanie Bell
Anthony Petrick
David Ross
William Tilmouth

Directors entitlements paid during the financial year are:

Amount	No. of Directors
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Ownership interests in related parties:

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CENTRAL AUSTRALIAN ABORIGINAL CHARITABLE TRUST

**DETAILED STATEMENT OF INCOME AND EXPENDITURE
FOR THE FINANCIAL YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2008**

	<u>2008</u>	<u>2007</u>
	\$	\$
<u>Income</u>		
Consulting Services		
Interest Received		
Interest Received – Big “O”		
Donations Received		-
Mereenie Tour pass Sales		
NT Gas Pty Ltd Tariff Distributions		
Distribution of A/S Real Estate Trust		
Distribution of Tancor Supermarket Trust		
Distribution of Central Aust Aboriginal Property Trust		
Distribution of Centrefarm Management		
Imputation Credit Refund		
TOTAL INCOME	2,159,218	574,370
<u>Expenses</u>		
Accounting & Audit		
Advertising		
Bank Charges		
Computers & Photocopiers		
Consultants Fees		
Corporate Records		
Depreciation		
Directors’ fees	16,000	16,000
Donations	237,209	94,200
Insurances		
Interest Paid		
Journals and Periodicals		
Legal, Licences, Filing fees		
Management Costs		
Media		
Meetings		
Motor Vehicle Expenses		
Office & General Expenses		
Postage, Printing & Stationery		
Printing - Tour pass		
Rates & Taxes		
Repairs & Maintenance		

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STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL PERFORMANCE
FOR THE FINANCIAL YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2008 (continued)

	<u>2008</u>	<u>2007</u>
	\$	\$
<u>Expenses (continued)</u>		
Salaries & Wages		
Recruiting Costs		
Other Employee Expenses		
Subscriptions and Membership		
Superannuation		
Telephone & Facsimile		
Travel & Accommodation		
Training		
TOTAL EXPENSES	820,682	489,539
OPERATING SURPLUS	<u>1,338,536</u>	<u>84,831</u>