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Mr Dipak Sanghvi President The Pharmacy Guild of Australia Victorian Branch Guild House 40 Burwood Road Hawthorn Vic 3122

Dear Mr Sanghvi

Re: Financial Report for The Pharmacy Guild of Australia, Victorian Branch for year ended 30 June 2007 – FR2007/428

I acknowledge receipt of the financial report of The Pharmacy Guild of Australia, Victorian Branch for the year ended 30 June 2007. The documents were lodged with the Registry on 8 October 2007 and subsequent correspondence of 5, 14 December 2007 and 27 February 2008.

The financial report has now been filed.

I make the following comments to assist you when you next prepare a financial report. You are not required to take any further action in respect of the report lodged.

Designated Officer's Certificate

Could you delete the words "certificates from the accounting officer and the Branch Committee" where appearing in the Designated Officer's Certificate and insert "Committee of Management Statement". The certificate was not included in the financial report and is not required.

Audit Report

Auditor's Qualification

It is not clear from the Report whether or not the Auditor is an approved Auditor. In this regard I draw your attention to the definitions of approved auditor in regulation 4 of the Workplace Relations (Registration and Accountability of Organisations) Regulations 2003. In all likelihood the Auditor is such a person however, it is our preference that this is made explicit in the Report. I recommend you draw this comment to the attention of your Auditors.

If you wish to discuss any of the matters referred to above I can be contacted on (03) 8661 7764.

Yours sincerely

Kevin Donnellan

Statutory Services Branch 12 March 2008



The PHARMACY GUILD of AUSTRALIA VICTORIAN BRANCH

27 February 2008

Mr Kevin Donnellan Statutory Services Branch Australian Industrial Registry GPO Box 1994 MELBOURNE VIC 3001

Dear Mr Donnellan

RE: Financial Report for the Pharmacy Guild of Australia, Victoria for Year Ended 30 June 2007 – FR2007/428

Thank you for your letter of 11 January 2008 regarding the financial report of the Pharmacy Guild of Australia, Victoria for the year ended 30 June 2007.

As noted in your letter, the full report was made available to members on the Guild website on 11 September 2007 before its presentation to a general meeting of members on 25 September 2007, that is less than 21 days beforehand.

We re-submitted the full report on 18 January 2008 and provided notice via the Guild website of a special General Meeting to be held on 5 February 2008. The full report was then tabled at the General Meeting on 5 February 2008.

Yours sincerely

Dipak Sanghvi PRESIDENT



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The following matter requires your attention before any action can be taken to file the above report.

Distribution of the full report to members

The financial reporting obligations set out in Schedule 1 of the Workplace Relations Act 1996 (the RAO Schedule) requires the reporting unit to undertake various steps in accordance with specified timelines. The Registry has produced a fact sheet which sets out in diagrammatic form (fact sheet 9) the requisite sequence. This document can be accessed at: http://www.airc.gov.au/legislation/fact sheets/09 fact sheet.pdf.

If the full report is to be presented to a General Meeting (which must be held within six months after the end of the financial year), the report must be provided to members 21 days before the General Meeting. Once the full report is presented to the meeting, it is to be lodged in the Australian Industrial Registry together with a Designated Officer's Certificate within 14 days.

In this instance the full report was made available to members on the Guild website on 11 September 2007 before its presentation to a general meeting of members on 25 September 2007, that is less than 21 days beforehand.

Consequently, I contacted your office and advised on 7 December 2007 that the documents would need to be represented to another meeting. Unfortunately, I may have misled Mr Michael Hook that the documents could be presented to a Committee of Management meeting on the mistaken belief that the 5% rule (Rule 47A) applied to branches in addition to the organisation. I now understand this is not the case. If that was the case I apologise.

The full report should properly be represented to a general meeting. The Branch should advise members that the documents will be presented to such a meeting. There is no need to provide the report to members again.

Please advise me when the report has been presented to a meeting so I may take the necessary steps to file the report.

If you wish to discuss any of the matters referred to above I can be contacted on (03) 8661 7764.

Yours sincerely

Kevin Donnellan

Statutory Services Branch 11 January 2008



The PHARMACY GUILD of AUSTRALIA VICTORIAN BRANCH

5 October 2007

Mr Robert Pfeiffer Statutory Services Branch Australian Industrial Registry GPO Box 1994 MELBOURNE VIC 3001

Dear Mr Pfeiffer

Please find attached a copy of the Annual Report for the Pharmacy Guild of Australia, Victoria for the year ended 30 June 2007. This was made available to members on the Guild website on 11 September and the Annual General Meeting was held on 25 September.

I trust that this meets the requirements under the Workplace Relations Act 1996. Should you have any questions relating to the Annual Report, please don't hesitate to contact me.

This Branch continues to operate under strict financial requirements, and I believe the signed independent audit report reflects the satisfactory performance of the Branch over the past twelve months.

Yours sincerely

Maurice V Sheehan

DIRECTOR





The PHARMACY GUILD of AUSTRALIA VICTORIAN BRANCH

DIPAK SANGHVI, President of the Victorian Branch of the Pharmacy Guild of Australia, certify that:

- The auditor's report, the accounts and statements, and the certificates of the accounting officer and of the Branch Committee in respect to the financial year commencing 1 July 2006 and ending 30 June 2007 were made available to members free of charge on Tuesday 11 September 2007.
- The enclosed documents are copies of the auditor's report, the accounts and statements, the certificates of the accounting officer and of the Branch Committee, prepared for the Branch in accordance with the Act in respect to the year ending 30 June 2007 and are as presented to the Annual General Meeting of the Pharmacy Guild of Australia, Victoria on 25 September 2007.

The Pharmacy Guild of Australia, Victoria

05/10/07 Date

For year ended 30 June 2007

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	2007	2006	2007	2006
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Income Statement

REVENUE FROM CONTINUING ACTIVITIES

Revenue from operating activities				
Member Contributions and Entrance Fees	1,658,179	1,664,542	1,658,179	1,664,542
Commissions	510,189	533,466	510,189	533,466
Consultancy	104,723	130,240	104,723	130,240
Member Services	22,406	199,192	22,406	199,192
Other Income	509,504	69,086	144,259	69,086
Training Income	1,101,942	949,877	1,101,942	949,877
Total revenues from operating activities	3,906,943	3,546,403	3,541,698	3,546,403
Revenue from non-operating activities				
Interest	107,194	141,105	106,606	132,993
Rental Income	290,019	278,285	290,019	278,285
Unit Trust Rental Income	199,542	258,725	199,542	258,725
Share of Profit PCA NU Systems Pty Ltd	1,565,029	616,378		
The Guild (Victoria) Computer Unit Trust			1,923,748	605,427
Management Fees		2,500		2,500
Management Fees Total revenues from outside the operating activities	2,161,784	2,500 1,296,993	2,519,915	2,500 1,277,930
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		2007	2006	2007	2006
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Income Statement (continued)					
Payment to Branches		2,158	2,311	2,158	2,311
Provision for Accrued Annual Leave		22,383	-4,199	22,383	-4,199
Provision for Long Service Leave		47,131	32,191	47,131	32,191
Public Relations and Consultancy		33,956	141,292	33,956	141,292
Salaries and Allowances - Elected Officials			42,525		42,525
Salaries and Allowances - Staff		1,101,674	1,078,801	1,101,674	1,078,801
Staff Training and Training Expenses		630,778	585,371	630,778	585,371
Superannuation		354,466	314,128	354,466	314,128
Travelling Expenses		43,355	41,305	43,355	41,305
Other Administrative Expenses	Note 3	424,280	379,606	424,158	379,483
Printing and Despatch		88,218	126,526	88,218	126,526
Rent		199,542	258,726	199,542	258,726
TOTAL EXPENSES FROM CONTINUING ACTIV	/ITIES	4,266,553	4,439,500	4,259,439	4,420,437
Surplus from Operations		1,802,174	403,896	1,802,174	403,896
Surplus/(Deficit) from Sale of Assets	•		-2,297	1,002,17	-2,297
Net Fighting Fund Income and Expense	Note 4	-53,341	-48,173	-53,341	-48,173
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SURPLUS (DEFICIT) FROM CONTINUING ACTIVITIES BEFORE INCOME TAX EXPENSE		1,748,833	353,426	1,748,833	353,426
INCOME TAX EXPENSE			**		**
SURPLUS (DEFICIT) FROM CONTINUING ACTIVITIES AFTER INCOME TAX EXPENSE	Note 5d	1,748,833	353,426	1,748,833	353,426
NET SURPLUS (DEFICIT) ATTRIBUTABLE TO THE PHARMACY GUILD OF AUSTRALIA, VIC		1,748,833	353,426	1,748,833	353,426

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		CONSOLIE	DATED	BRANCH	
		2007	2006	2007	2006
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Balance Sheet					
CURRENT ASSETS					
Cash and cash equivalents	Note 15a	823,724	321,695	822,934	317,501
Receivables	Note 6	479,400	543,810	3,532,539	2,248,201
Other	Note 7	53,080	104,044	53,080	104,044
TOTAL CURRENT ASSETS	***************************************	1,356,204	969,549	4,408,553	2,669,746
NON-CURRENT ASSETS					
Other financial assets	Note 8	3,227,229	2,237,200	175,020	175,020
Investments available for sale	Note 9	6,302,319	5,718,771	6,302,319	5,718,771
Property, plant and equipment	Note 10	252,066	317,542	251,946	314,300
TOTAL NON-CURRENT ASSETS		9,781,614	8,273,513	6,729,285	6,208,091
TOTAL ASSETS	N000000	11,137,818	9,243,062	11,137,838	8,877,837
CURRENT LIABILITIES					
Trade and other payables	Note 11	1,033,352	1,560,061	1,033,372	1,194,836
Provisions	Note 12	401,064	249,943	401,064	249,943
TOTAL CURRENT LIABILITIES		1,434,416	1,810,004	1,434,436	1,444,779
NON-CURRENT LIABILITIES					
Interest bearing liability	Note 13	199	69	199	69
Provisions	Note 14	12,474	74,640	12,474	74,640
TOTAL NON-CURRENT LIABILITIES		12,673	74,709	12,673	74,709
TOTAL LIABILITIES		1,447,089	1,884,713	1,447,109	1,519,488
NET ASSETS	**************************************	9,690,729	7,358,349	9,690,729	7,358,349
EQUITY					
Accumulated funds	Note 5d	7,419,614	5,617,440	7,419,614	5,617,440
Reserves	Note 5c	2,271,115	1,740,909	2,271,115	1,740,909
TOTAL EQUITY	COORDINATION	9,690,729	7,358,349	9,690,729	7,358,349

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	2007 \$	2006 \$
Statement of Recognised Income & Expense		
Net gain/(loss) on available-for-sale financial assets	583,548	863,651
Net income recognised directly in equity	583,548	863,651
Surplus/(deficit) for the period	1,748,833	353,426
Total recognised income & expense for the period	2,332,381	1,217,077

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2007	2006	2007	2006		
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Statement of Cash Flows		Inflows/	Inflows/	Inflows/	Inflows/
		(Outflows)	(Outflows)	(Outflows)	(Outflows)
Cash Flows from Operating Activities					
Receipts from Member Contributions,					
Commission and Member Services		5,168,119	6,590,263	4,719,891	5,643,707
Interest Income Received		107,194	141,104	106,606	132,993
Dividends Received		575,000	250,000	575,000	250,000
Fighting Fund Income		8,924	7,414	8,924	7,414
Interest paid (borrowing costs)		-131	-5,292	-131	-5,292
Payments to Suppliers and Employees		-5,307,311	-8,409,525	-4,855,091	-6,532,846
Net Cash Flows from Operating Activities	Note 15b	551,795	-1,426,036	555,199	-504,024
Cash Flows from Investing and Financing Act	ivities				
Payment for Property, Plant and Equipment		-49,766	-123,958	-49,766	-123,958
Proceeds from Sale of Investments			11,814		11,814
Payments to Bank Loan			-150,801		-150,801
Net Cash Flows Used in Investing and Finance	ing Activities	-49,766	-262,945	-49,766	-262,945
Net Increase in Cash Held		502,029	-1,688,981	505,433	-766,969
Add opening cash brought forward		321,695	2,010,676	317,501	1,084,470
Closing Cash Carried Forward	Note 15a	823,724	321,695	822,934	317,501

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For year ended 30 June 2007

Note 1 - Summary of Significant Accounting Policies

(a) Basis of accounting

The financial report is a general purpose financial report, which has been prepared in accordance with applicable Accounting Standards, Urgent Issues Group Consensus Views and comply with the Workplace Relations Act 1996. This financial report has been prepared in accordance with the historical cost convention, other than available for sale financial assets, which have been measured at fair value.

(b) Accounting Standards issued but not adopted

Except for the amendments to AASB 101 Presentation of Financial Statements and AASB 2007-4 Amendments to Australian Accounting Standards arising from ED 151 and Other Amendments, which The Pharmacy Guild of Australia, Victorian Branch has early adopted, Australian Accounting Standards and Interpretations that have recently been issued or amended but are not yet effective have not been adopted by The Pharmacy Guild of Australia, Victorian Branch for the annual reporting period ending 30 June 2007. These are outlined in the table below

Reference.	Title	Summary	Application date of standard*		Application date for Group*
AASB 2005-10	Australian Accounting Standards [AASB 132,	Amendments arise from the release in August 2005 of AASB 7 Financial Instruments: Disclosures.	2007	AASB 7 is a disclosure standard so will have no direct impact on the amounts included in the Group's financial statements. However, the amendments will result in changes to the financial instrument disclosures included in the Group's financial report.	1 July 2007
AASB 2007-3	Amendments to Australian Accounting Standards arising from AASIB & (AASIB 5), AASIB AASIB 007, AASIB 107, AASI	Amending stander! Insued as a consequence of AASIs in Operating Segments.	1 January 2009	AASIR 6 is a disclosure sprigard as will have no direct impact on the arrounds included in the Groups financial attainments. However the new standard is expected to have an impact on the Group's agament disclosures as argment interhadion bases on management reports are more petalled than those ourself well and a AASIR 114.	1 July 2009
AASB 7	Financial Instruments: Disclosures	New standard replacing disclosure requirements of AASB 132.	1 January 2007	Refer to AASB 2005-10 above.	1 July 2007
為大力政 形	Openating Segments	This new standard will replace AASB 134 Segment Recording and a topils a management approach to segment reporting.	2009.	Plener to A.ASID 2007-3 electure	5-A ₂ /y 2009

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(c) Principles of Consolidation

The consolidated accounts have been prepared by combining the Branch financial statements with the only controlled entity - Pharmacy Computers Australia Pty Ltd, as Trustee for The Guild (Victoria) Computer Unit Trust. Consistent accounting policies have been employed in the preparation and presentation of the consolidated accounts.

The financial statements of the subsidiary is prepared for the same reporting period as the parent entity, using consistent accounting policies.

All intercompany balances and transactions, including unrealised profits arising from intra-group transactions, have been eliminated in full.

(d) Cash and cash equivalents

Cash on hand and in banks and short-term deposits are stated at the lower of cost and net realisable value. For the purposes of the statement of cash flows, cash includes cash on hand and in banks, and money market investments readily convertible to cash within 30 days.

(e) Trade and other receivables

Trade receivables are recognised and carried at original invoice amount less a provision for any uncollectible debts. An estimate for doubtful debts is made when collection of the full amount is no longer probable. Bad debts are written-off as incurred.

Receivables from related parties are recognised and carried at the nominal amount due.

(f) Investments and other financial assets

Financial assets in the scope of AASB 139 Financial Instruments: Recognition and Measurement are classified as either financial assets at fair value through profit or loss, loans and receivables, held-to-maturity investments, or available-for-sale investments, as appropriate.

Available-for-sale investments are those non-derivative financial assets that are designated as available-for-sale. After initial recognition available-for-sale investments are measured at fair value with gains or losses being recognised as a separate component of equity until the investment is derecognised or until the investment is determined to be impaired, at which time the cumulative gain or loss previously reported in equity is recognised in profit or loss.

Impairment of financial assets - assesses at each balance sheet date whether a financial asset or group of financial assets is impaired.

(g) Plant & Equipment

All plant and equipment are measured at cost.

The carrying values of plant and equipment are reviewed for impairment at each reporting date, with recoverable amount being estimated when events of changes in circumstances indicate that the carrying value may be impaired.

Depreciation is provided on plant and equipment. Depreciation is calculated on a straight line basis so as to write off the net cost of each asset during the expected useful life. Major depreciation periods are:

	2006	2007
Plant and Equipment	5 to 15 years	5 to 15 years
Motor Vehicles	6 years	6 years

(h) Inventories

Inventories are valued at the lower of cost and net realisable value.

(i) Leases

Operating lease payments are charged as an expense in the period in which they are incurred.

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(j) Taxes

- (1) Income Tax The Pharmacy Guild of Australia is exempt from income tax under Section 50-15 of the Income Assessment Act.
- (2) Goods and services Tax (GST)

Revenues, expenses and assets are recognised net of the amount of GST except: where the GST incurred on a purchase of goods and services is not recoverable from the taxation authority, in which case the GST is recognised as part of the cost of acquisition of the asset or as part of the expense item as applicable receivables and payables are stated with the amount of GST included.

The amount of GST recoverable from, or payable to, the taxation authority is included as part of receivables and payables in the Statement of Financial Position.

Cash flows are included in the Statement of Cash Flows on a gross basis and the GST component of cash flows arising from investing and financing activities, which is recoverable from, or payable to, the taxation authority are classified as operating cash flows. Commitments and contingencies are disclosed net of the amount of GST recoverable from, or payable to, the taxation authority.

(k) Recoverable Amount of Non Current Assets

Non-current assets are written down to recoverable amount where the carrying value of any non current assets exceeds recoverable amount. Recoverable amount is determined as the discounted present value of the amount expected to be recovered through the cash inflows and outflows arising from the continued use and subsequent disposal of the non-current asset.

(I) Trade and Other Payables

Liabilities for trade creditors and other amounts are carried at cost which is the fair value of the consideration to be paid in the future for goods and services received, whether or not billed to the consolidated entity.

Payables to related parties are carried at the principal amount. Interest when charged by the lender, is recognised as an expense on the accrual basis.

(m) Loans and Borrowings

All loans are measured at the principal amount. Interest is recognised as an expense as it accrues.

(n) 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 capable of being measured reliably.

Provision made in respect of wages and salaries, annual and long service leave expected to be settled within 12 months is measured at their nominal amounts based on remuneration rates which are expected to be paid when the liability is settled.

Provision made in respect of long service leave which is not expected to be settled within 12 months is measured at the present value of the estimated future cash flows to be made by the Branch is respect of services provided by employees up to the reporting date.

Employee benefit expenses and revenues arising in respect to the following categories: wages and salaries, non-monetary benefits, annual leave, long service leave, sick leave and other leave benefits; and other types of employee benefits are recognised against profits on a net basis in their respective categories.

(o) Revenue Recognition

Direct costs for commissions, member services, installations and software support charges are offset against revenue for commissions and member services income. This reduces the revenue compared with cash receipts and cash payments. Service revenue including membership fees, training income, consultancy, interest and dividends from financial instruments are recognised as income when control of the right to receive existed.

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(p) Investment in Associate

The Group's investment in associate is accounted for using the equity method of accounting in the consolidated financial statements. The associate is an entity in which the group has significant influence and which is neither a subsidiary nor a joint venture.

Under the equity method, the investment in the associate is carried in the consolidated balance sheet at cost plus post-acquisition changes in the Group's share of net assets of the associate. Goodwill relating to an associate is included in the carrying amount of the investment and is not amortised. After application of the equity model, the Group determines whether it is necessary to recognise any additional impairment loss with respect to the Group's net investment in the associate. The consolidated income statement reflects the Group's share of the results of operations of the associate.

Note 2 - Information to be Provided to Members or Registrar

In accordance with the requirements of the Workplace Relations Act (1996), the attention of members is drawn to the provisions of sub sections (1) to (4) of Section 272, which reads as follows:

- (1) A member of a reporting unit, or a Registrar, may apply to the reporting unit for specific prescribed information in relation to the reporting unit to be made available to the person making the application.
- (2) The application must be in writing and must specify the period within which, and the manner in which, the information is made available. The period must not be less than 14 days after the application is given to the reporting unit.
- (3) A reporting unit must comply with an application made under subsection (1).

Note 3 - Other Administrative Expenses

Other administrative expenses represent items of expenditure which are individually immaterial and include as major items, Bank Fees, Clearing House, Insurance, Power and Light, Repairs, Maintenance and Telephone.

Note 4 - Fighting Fund

A Special meeting on 7 September 1989 adopted a resolution to establish a Victorian Fighting Fund. The Funds donated by Members and other interested parties have been used to organise electoral campaigns and support National endeavours, both legal and political, against Government changes to the Pharmaceutical Benefits Scheme. The surplus of these funds as at 30 June 2007 are held in a reserve pending future costs relating to this cause. All funds are invested and interest on the funds transferred to the reserve.

FIGHTING FUND RESERVE	2007 \$	2006 \$
Opening Balance 1 July 2006	149,992	198,165
Add: Interest transferred from Accumulated Funds	8,925	7,414
Less: Movements from Reserve	-62,266	-55,587
Closing Balance as at 30 June 2007	96,651	149,992

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Note 5 - Reserves and Accumu	lated Funds				
Fighting Fund Reserve	Note 5c	96,651	149,992	96,651	149,992
nvestment Revaluation Reserve Note 5c	Note 5c	2,174,465	1,590,917	2,174,465	1,590,917
		2,271,116	1,740,909	2,271,116	1,740,909

(a) Fighting Fund Reserve

Nature and purpose of reserve - The nature and purpose of the fighting fund reserve has been documented in Note 4.

(b) Investment Revaluation Reserve

Nature and purpose of reserve - The asset revaluation reserve is used to record increments and decrements in the value of non-current assets

	Batance 30/06/2006	Fransfer to Acctumisted Funds	Transfer from Accumulated Funds	Movements	Balance 30/06/2007
The state of the s				10 1 20	
(c) Movements in Reserve					
Description					
Fighting Fund Reserve	149,992	8,925	-62,266	44.44	96,651
Investment Revaluation Reserve	1,590,917	AA. AA.	4	583,548	2,174,465
	1,740,909	8,925	-62,266	583,548	2,271,116
		2007	DATED 2006	BRAN 2007	NCH 2006
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(d) Accumulated Funds					
Balance at the beginning of the year		5,617,440	5,215,841	5,617,440	5,215,841
Net Surplus (Deficit) attributable to members of The Pharmacy Guild of Australia, Victoria		1,748,833	353,426	1,748,833	353,426
Transfers to Accumulated Funds from Reserve		62,266	55,587	62,266	55,587
Total available for appropriation		7,428,539	5,624,854	7,428,539	5,624,854
Transfers from Accumulated Funds to Reserve		-8,925	-7,414	-8,925	-7,414
Balance at end year		7,419,614	5,617,440	7,419,614	5,617,440

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	NAME OF	CONSOLI	CONSOLIDATED		BRANCH	
		2007	2006	2007	2006	
		ASSOCIATION OF	1	1		
Note 6 - Receivables (current)						
Trade Debtors		441,478	491,568	441,478	491,568	
Provision for Doubtful Debts						
		441,478	491,568	441,478	491,568	
Other Debtors		37,922	52,242	37,922	52,242	
Controlled Entity				3,053,139	1,704,391	
		37,922	52,242	3,091,061	1,756,633	
		479,400	543,810	3,532,539	2,248,201	
(a) Related Party Receivables					•	
The Guild (Victoria) Computer Unit Trust				3,053,139	1,704,391	
(b) Terms and conditions					***************************************	
Terms and conditions relating to the above fina	ancial instrume	nts:				
(1) Trade Debtors are non-interest bearing and (2) Other Debtors and other receivables are no			nt terms betweer	n 30 and 90 day	5.	
Note 7 - Other Current Assets						
Prepayments		48,352	96,201	48,352	96,201	
Accrued Income		4,728	7,843	4,728	7,843	
		53,080	104,044	53,080	104,044	
Note 8 - Other Financial Assets (non-	-current)					
Investments in controlled entities						
Shareholding in Pharmacy Computers Aust Pty Ltd	100%			175,000	175,000	
Investment in The Guild (Victoria) Computer Unit Trust	100%			20	20	
Investment in associate						
Investment in PCA NU Systems Pty Ltd	50%	3,227,229	2,237,200			
		3,227,229	2,237,200	175,020	175,020	

The Branch has 100% ownership of Pharmacy Computers Australia Pty Ltd as trustee for The Guild (Victoria) Computer Unit Trust. The investment in PCA NU Systems Pty Ltd has been equity accounted. Share of Associate's profit is \$1,565,029

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	2007	2006	2007	2006
Note 9 - Investment Available for Sale	THE RESERVE TO SERVE THE PARTY OF THE PARTY		N. 10. 10. 10. 10. 10. 10. 10. 10. 10. 10	
At fair value				
Guild Properties (Victoria) Unit Trust	6,302,319	5,718,771	6,302,319	5,718,771

The Branch holds 3,306,937 units in the Guild Properties (Victoria) Unit Trust, the owner of 40 Burwood Road, Hawthorn.

The units are currently valued in accordance with advice from The Guild Properties Company Limited, as Trustee of the Unit Trust to \$1.905787467 per unit. There was a valuation completed at 30 June 2007.

Valuations - The fair value of investment in Guild Properties (Victoria) Unit Trust have been determined by independent valuation for the freehold land and building on freehold land held by the unit trust. Such valuations are performed on an open market basis, being the amounts for which the assets could be exchanged between a knowledgeable willing buyer and a knowledgeable willing seller in an arm's length transaction at the valuation date.

Note 10 - Property, Plant and Equipment

Office Furniture and Fittings				
At Cost	781,046	777,703	685,329	681,986
Accumulated Depreciation	-672,128	-607,800	-576,531	-515,208
	108,918	169,903	108,798	166,778
Branch Computer Facilities				
At Cost	369,590	351,515	235,820	217,745
Accumulated Depreciation	-291,654	-255,513	-157,884	-121,860
	77,936	96,002	77,936	95,885
Motor Vehicles				
At Cost	105,754	77,406	105,754	77,406
Accumulated Depreciation	-40,542	-25,769	-40,542	-25,769
	65,212	51,637	65,212	51,637
	252,066	317,542	251,946	314,300

Reconciliations of the carrying amounts of property, plant and equipment at the beginning and end of the current and previous financial year.

Office Furniture and Fittings				
Carrying amount at beginning	169,903	157,468	166,778	139,200
Additions	3,344	83,487	3,344	83,487
Disposals				
Add back accumulated depreciation from disposals			***	
Depreciation Expense	-64,329	-71,052	-61,324	-55,909
	108,918	169,903	108,798	166,778

	CONSOLI	CONSOLIDATED		BRANCH	
	2007	2006	2007	2006	
	1			5	
Note 10 - Property, Plant and Equipment (continue	ed)				
Branch Computer Facilities					
Carrying amount at beginning	96,002	94,601	95,885	90,688	
Additions	18,075	40,471	18,075	40,47	
Disposals		-4,188	***	-4,188	
Add back accumulated depreciation from disposals		1,084		1,084	
Depreciation Expense	-36,141	-35,966	-36,024	-32,170	
	77,936	96,002	77,936	95,88	
Motor Vehicles	***************************************				
Carrying amount at beginning	51,637	101,020	51,637	101,020	
Additions	28,347		28,347		
Disposals		-57,200		-57,20	
Add back accumulated depreciation from disposals		23,303		23,30	
Depreciation Expense	-14,772	-15,486	-14,772	-15,48	
	65,212	51,637	65,212	51,63	
Note 11 - Trade and Other Payables (current)					
Unsecured					
Controlled Entity			20	2	
Trade Creditors	469,111	885,212	469,111	519,96	
Prepaid Income	564,241	674,849	564,241	674,84	
	1,033,352	1,560,061	1,033,372	1,194,83	
Prepaid income represents 2007 subscriptions and deferred income	come received prior	to 30 June 2007	7.		
Aggregate amounts payable to related parties	,				

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	2007	2006	2007	2006
Note 12 - Provisions (current)				
Employee Entitlements				
Annual Leave	157,483	126,766	157,483	126,766
Long Service leave	243,581	123,177	243,581	123;177
reads	401,064	249,943	401,064	249,943
Note 13 - Interest Bearing Liabilities (non-current)				
Loan				
Bendigo Bank - Purchase of Building Units	199	69	199	69
Terms and conditions:				
The type of facility is a Commercial Business Loan over 10 years,	with a fixed 5 year	rate (Principal a	and interest), the	n variable

Note 14 - Provisions (non-current)

Employee Entitlements

for the remainder of the term.

Long Service Leave 12,474 74,640 12,474 74,640

Note 15 - Notes to the Statement of Cash Flows

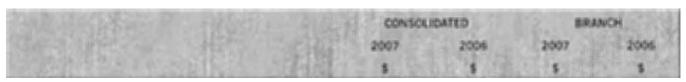
(a) Reconciliation of Cash

For the purposes of the Statement of Cash Flows, cash includes cash on hand and in banks, and investments in money market, net of items in the Balance Sheet as followsoutstanding bank overdrafts. Cash at the end of the financial year as shown in the Statement of Cash Flows is reconciled to the related instruments,

Cash at Beginning of the Year

Cash	260,015	830,846	255,821	812,840
Deposits at Call	61,680	1,179,830	61,680	271,630
	321,695	2,010,676	317,501	1,084,470
Cash at End of the Year				
Cash	437,422	260,015	436,632	255,821
Deposits at Call	386,302	61,680	386,302	61,680
	823,724	321,695	822,934	317,501

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Note 15 - Notes to the Statement of Cash Flows (continued)

(b) Reconciliation of Net Cash Provided by Operating Activities to Surplus for Year

Surplus / (Deficit) for the year after tax	1,748,833	353,426	1,748,833	353,426
Sulpius (Deficit) for the year after tax	1,740,033	333,420	1,740,000	333,420
Depreciation of Non-current Assets	115,242	122,504	112,120	103,564
Other Non Cash Income		29,595		29,595
Changes in Net Assets and Liabilities				
(Increase) / Decrease in Current Receivables	-1,284,338	72,169	-1,284,338	-900,948
(Increase) / Decrease in Current Other Assets	50,963	237,889	50,963	237,889
(Increase) / Decrease in Non-Current Assets	575,000	-366,380	**	***
(Decrease) / Increase Current Creditors	-742,990	-318,097	-161,464	-318,097
(Decrease)/ Increase in Current Provisions	151,121	-1,508,290	151,121	39,399
(Decrease) / Increase in Non-Current Provisions	-62,036	-48,852	-62,036	-48,852
Net Cash (Used In) / Provided By Operating Activities	551,795	-1,426,036	555,199	-504,024

W J Scott

Note 16 - Related Party Disclosures

(a) Director and executive disclosure

The following persons held positions on the Branch Committee or Directors during the reporting period:

The Pharmacy Guild of Australia, Victoria

D R Sanghvi (President) B R Robertson

D McLean R E Gymer

D S Nolte P Krassaris

R J C Foster (Branch Committee and Director)

G Tambassis

T E Riley M V Sheehan (Branch Director)

K Gray

B Baxter

PCA NU Systems Pty Ltd

W J Scott (Director PCA NU Systems Pty Ltd)
R J C Foster (Director PCA NU Systems Pty Ltd)
N Gibson (Director PCA NU Systems Pty Ltd)

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Note 16 - Related Party Disclosures (continued)

Compensation of Key Management Personnel

The aggregate amount of remuneration received or receivable by the members of the Branch Committee and Directors for the reporting period was as follows:

En	Short-Term ployee Benefits	Superannuation Contributions	Total
2007 Total Compensation	\$174,762	\$179,957	\$354,719
2006 Total Compensation	\$237,542	\$154,883	\$392,425

During the year some Branch Committee members participated as members in the member service provided and accordingly membership fees were paid in accordance with normal terms and conditions.

	2007	2006
	\$	\$
(b) Balances with Related Parties		
(i) Amounts payable to Related Parties		
Other Branches - Current		
The Pharmacy Guild of Australia (National Secretariat)	9,188	19,223
The Pharmacy Guild of Australia (WA)	2,374	2,542
Other Related Parties - Current		
Guild Insurance & Financial Services Ltd	4,905	81,952
(ii) Amounts Receivable from Related Parties.		
Other Branches - Current		
The Pharmacy Guild of Australia (National Secretariat)	112,051	103,855
Gold Cross Products and Services Pty Ltd	23,100	27,500
The Pharmacy Guild of Australia (NSW)	1 8, 641	27,936
Australian College of Pharmacy Practice, Victorian Branch	135	12,729
Other Related Parties - Current		
Guild Insurance & Financial Services Ltd	68,760	80,199

The following transactions took place with related parties during the reporting period:

Party	Type of Transaction	Terms - 2.30	2007	2006 \$
Other Branches				
The Pharmacy Guild of Australia National Secretariat	Membership contributions paid by Victorian Branch	61.94% of gross membership fees received	1,006,710	1,037,349
Gold Cross Products and Services Pty Ltd	Commission paid to Victorian Branch for distribution of its material	Based on membership % applied to gross Division income	101,539	107,400
The Pharmacy Guild of Australia (WA)	Income received from Vic Branch as interest less costs on Clearing House facilities.	Interest at normal commercial rates less actual costs	2,374	2,542

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Other Related Parties

Subsidiaries of The Pharmacy G	urid of Auntralia			
Gund lineurance Company Ltd.	Commission received from Guillo Insurance for Eupiness referred from Victiman Blanch menders.	Percentage of business repelled. Calculated on normal commercial farms	352,038	354,742
The Guild Properties Company Ltd.	Distribution received by Victorian Branch as interest on units held in Guild Properties (Victoria) Unit Trust	Normal Commercial Terms	199,542	258,725
	Building costs & maintenance paid by Victorian Branch to Guild Properties Company Ltd [Trustee Company of Guild Properties (Victoria) Unit Trust] as tenants of "Guild House", a property owned by the unit trust.	Normal Commercial Terms	85,782	64,972

Subsidiaries of the Pharmacy Guild of Australia, Victorian Branch

During the year the unit trust paid nil (2006 nil) to the unit holder, The Pharmacy Guild of Australia, Victorian Branch. Total distribution for the year was nil (2006 nil).

As at balance date \$3,053,139 (2006 \$1,704,391) is owing to the Pharmacy Guild of Australia, Victorian Branch.

The Pharmacy Guild of Australia, Victorian Branch owe the unit trust \$20 (2006 \$20) for issued units as at balance date.

Note 17 - Financial Instruments

a) Significant Accounting Policies

Details of the significant accounting policies and methods adopted, including the criteria for recognition, the basis of measurement and the basis on which revenues and expenses are recognised, in respect of each class of financial liability and equity instrument are disclosed in Note 1 to the accounts.

b) Interest Rate Risk

The following table details the economic entity's exposure to interest rate risk as at the reporting date.

	Average Indenest	Variable Interest	Floord Softenasti Rafle	Night linterests Beating	Tercal
	Rate %			SUPPLIE	1
2007					
Financial Assets					
Cash	5.45	437,422			437,422
Trade Receivables				441,478	441,478
Other Receivables				37,922	37,922
Other Current Assets				53,080	53,080
Bank Bills	6.10		350000		350,000
Short Term Deposits	5.95		36,302		36,302
	_	437,422	386,302	532,480	1,356,204

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	Average Interest	Warnadile Universit	Friend Interest	Non letterest Bearing	Total
	Marie %		3	1	His
Note 17 - Financial Instr	uments (continued)				
Financial Liabilities					
Trade Payables				469,111	469,111
Other liabilities	•			564,241	564,241
Provision for Tax				W 24	0
Employee entitlements		on NA		413,538	413,538
Loans	8.50	AR AR	199	M.A.	199
	_	**	199	1,446,890	1,447,089
2006	•				
Financial Assets					
Cash	4.95	260,015			260,015
Trade Receivables				491,568	491,568
Other Receivables				52,242	52,242
Other Current Assets			Al- ma	104,044	104,044
Bank Bills					
Short Term Deposits	5.45		61,680		61,680
		260,015	61,680	647,854	969,549
Financial Liabilities					
Trade Payables				885,212	885,212
Other liabilities				674,849	674,849
Provision for Tax					May MA
Employee entitlements				324,583	324,583
Loans	7.75		69		69
	_		69	1,884,644	1,884,713
	•				

c) Credit Risk

Credit risk refers to the risk that a counterparty will default on its contractual obligations resulting in financial loss to the economic entity.

The economic entity has adopted the policy of only dealing with creditworthy counterparts and obtaining sufficient collateral or other security where appropriate, as a means of mitigating the risk of financial losses from defaults.

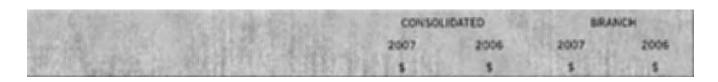
Credit risk relates only to receivables as shown in Note 6.

d) Net Fair Value

As at the reporting date the net fair value of assets and liabilities is not significantly different from the carrying amount in the balance sheet.

Net fair value was determined with reference to the carrying amount of assets and liabilities in the balance sheet determined In accordance with the accounting policies disclosed in Note 1 to the accounts.

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Note 18 - Subsequent Events

There have been no significant events which have occurred subsequent to 30 June 2007.

Note 19 - Contingent Liabilities

An issue has arisen in relation to the purchase of Units by The Pharmacy Guild of Australia, Victorian Branch in the Guild Property Trust Limited in 2002, from Guild Insurance and Financial Services Limited, a wholly owned subsidiary of The Pharmacy Guild of Australia. This is currently being reviewed and a decision on whether stamp duty to the approximate value of \$120,000 will be payable is yet to be decided.

Note 20 - Employee Entitlements

The aggregate employee entitlement liability is comprised of:

Annual Leave (Current)	157,483	126,766	157,483	126,766
Long Service Leave (Current)	243,581	123,177	243,581	123,177
Long Service Leave (Non-Current)	12,474	74,640	12,474	74,640
	413,538	324,583	413,538	324,583
Note 21 - Auditor's Remuneration				
Amounts received or due and receivable by Ernst & Young for:				
Auditing the accounts	35,678	35,893	35,678	35,893
Amounts received or due and receivable by others for:				
Auditing and other services	1,610	400	1,610	400
	37,288	36,293	37,288	36,293
Note 22 - Expenditure Commitments				
Loan From Bendigo Bank				
Not later than one year	199	69	199	69
Later than one year but not later than five years				•
	199	69	199	69

OPERATING REPORT

I, DIPAK RAJNIKANT SANGHVI, being the designated officer responsible for preparing this report for the financial year ended 30 June 2007 of The Pharmacy Guild of Australia Victorian Branch, report as follows:

(a) Principal Activities:

- (i) The Pharmacy Guild of Australia Victorian Branch is an employers' organisation servicing the needs of proprietors of independent community pharmacies and to represent their interests in industrial matters.
- (ii) The Pharmacy Guild of Australia Victorian Branch assists the National Council and the National Executive of The Pharmacy Guild of Australia ("the Guild") in carrying out the overall policy and objectives of the Guild.
- (iii) Included in the Annual Report are the various reports compiled by The Pharmacy Guild of Australia Victorian Branch's President, Director and Officers outlining the activities for the year. There were no significant changes in the nature of these activities during the year under review.

(b) Significant Financial Changes:

There have been no significant changes in The Pharmacy Guild of Australia Victorian Branch's financial affairs during the period to which this report relates.

(c) Members Advice:

- (i) under Section 174 of the Registration and Accountability of Organisations schedule (RAO) and Rule 36 of the rules of the Guild, a member may resign from membership by written notice addressed and delivered to the Branch Director;
- (ii) the register of members of the organisation was maintained in accordance with the RAO; and
- (iii) Section 272 of the RAO outlines members and the registrar's rights to certain prescribed information.
- (d) Officers of the organisation holding the position of a trustee of a superannuation entity, apart from their individual funds, were:

Robert Foster: The Pharmacy Guild of Australia Superannuation Fund.

(e) Prescribed and other Information:

(i) As at 30 June 2007, to which this report relates, the number of members of the organisation were 823, including honorary life members

As at 30 June 2007, the total number of employees employed by the reporting entity was 26.

During the reporting period, the following persons were members of the Branch Committee:

Mr D R Sanghvi (President)	Mr R J C Foster	Mr K Gray	Mr R E Gymer
Mr P Krassaris	Mr D McLean	Mr D S Nolte	Mr B R Robertson
Mr W J Scott	Mr G Tambassis	Ms B Baxter	Ms T E Riley

(f) Insurance of Officers:

During the financial year, The Pharmacy Guild of Australia Victorian Branch paid insurance to cover all officers of The Pharmacy Guild of Australia Victorian Branch covered by the insurance policy include all the committee of management. Other officers covered by the contract are the management of The Pharmacy Guild of Australia Victorian Branch. The liabilities insured include costs and expenses that may be incurred in defending civil or criminal proceedings that may be brought against the officers in their capacity as officers of The Pharmacy Guild of Australia Victorian Branch.

DIPAK RAJNIKANT SANGHVI

10 September 2007

COMMITTEE OF MANAGEMENT STATEMENT

On 10 September 2007, the Committee of Management of The Pharmacy Guild of Australia Victorian Branch passed the following resolution in relation to the general purpose financial report (GPFR) of the reporting unit for the financial year ended 30 June 2007.

The Committee of Management declares in relation to the GPFR that, in its opinion:

- (a) the financial statements and notes comply with the Australian Accounting Standards;
- (b) the financial statements and notes comply with the reporting guidelines of the Industrial Registrar;
- (c) the financial statements and notes give a true and fair view of the financial performance, financial position and cash flows of The Pharmacy Guild of Australia Victorian Branch for the financial year to 30 June 2007;
- (d) there are reasonable grounds to believe that The Pharmacy Guild of Australia Victorian Branch will be able to pay its debts as and when they become due and payable; and
- (e) during the financial year to which the GPFR relates and since the end of that year:
- (i) meetings of the committee of management were held in accordance with the rules of the organisation;
- (ii) the financial affairs of The Pharmacy Guild of Australia Victorian Branch have been managed in accordance with the rules of the organisation;
- (iii) the financial records of The Pharmacy Guild of Australia Victorian Branch have been kept and maintained in accordance with the RAO Schedule and the RAO Regulations;
- (iv) the financial records of the reporting unit have been kept, as far as practicable, in a consistent manner to each of the other reporting units of the organisation;
- (v) the information sought in any request of a member of The Pharmacy Guild of Australia Victorian Branch or a Registrar duly made under section 272 of the RAO Schedule has been furnished to the member or Registrar; and
- (vi) no orders have been made by the Commission under section 273 of the RAO Schedule during the period.

For Committee of Management: DIPAK RAJNIKANT SANGHVI

Title of Office held: BRANCH PRESIDENT

Signature:

MELBOURNE 10 SEPTEMBER 2007



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Independent auditor's report to the members of Pharmacy Guild of Australia, Victorian Branch

We have audited the accompanying financial report of Pharmacy Guild of Australia, Victorian Branch (the Branch), which comprises the balance sheet as at 30 June 2007, and the income statement, statement of recognised income and expense and cash flow statement for the year ended on that date, a summary of significant accounting policies, other explanatory notes and the Branch committee declaration of the consolidated entity comprising the Branch and the entities it controlled at the year's end or from time to time during the financial year.

Branch Committee's Responsibility for the Financial Report

The Branch Committee of the Branch are responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of the financial report in accordance with the Australian Accounting Standards (including the Australian Accounting Interpretations) and in accordance with the Workplace Relations Act. This responsibility includes establishing and maintaining internal controls relevant to the preparation and fair presentation of the financial report that is free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error; selecting and applying appropriate accounting policies; and making accounting estimates that are reasonable in the circumstances.

Auditor's Responsibility

Our responsibility is to express an opinion on the financial report based on our audit. We conducted our audit in accordance with Australian Auditing Standards. These Auditing Standards require that we comply with relevant ethical requirements relating to audit engagements and plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance whether the financial report is free from material misstatement.

An audit involves performing procedures to obtain audit evidence about the amounts and disclosures in the financial report. The procedures selected depend on our judgment, including the assessment of the risks of material misstatement of the financial report, whether due to fraud or error. In making those risk assessments, we consider internal controls relevant to the entity's preparation and fair presentation of the financial report in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the entity's internal controls. An audit also includes evaluating the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of accounting estimates made by the Branch Committee, as well as evaluating the overall presentation of the financial report.

We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our audit opinion.

Independence

In conducting our audit we have met the independence requirements of Australian professional ethical pronouncements.

Auditor's Opinion In our opinion:

- (i) the organisation kept satisfactory accounting records for the financial year ended 30 June 2007 which detailed the sources and nature of the income of the organisation (including income from members), and the nature and purposes of expenditure of the organisation; and
- (ii) the accounts and statements prepared under Section 273 of the Workplace Relations Act, 1996, (The Act), in relation to the year are properly drawn up so as to give a true and fair view of:
 - (a) the financial affairs of the organisation as at 30 June 2007;
 - (b) the income and expenditure and results of the organisation for the year ended on that date; and
 - (c) the cash flows of the organisation for the year ended on that date

and are in accordance with Australian Accounting Standards and other mandatory professional reporting requirements.

All information and explanations that, under Section 276(2) of the Act, officers or employees of the organisation were required to provide were provided.

Ernst & Young

R. Bruce Dungey

Partner Melbourne

Date: 10 Septem but 2007