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## WAM CAPITAL JUNE 2003 INVESTMENT UPDATE & NTA

Since inception in August 1999 WAM Capital Ltd (WAM) has outperformed the overall sharemarket. WAM's portfolio (before all fees, costs, taxes and dividend) has increased by 155.9%\* compared to a 15.0% increase in the All Ordinaries Accumulation Index. In the twelve months ended 30<sup>th</sup> June 2003 WAM's portfolio (before all fees, costs, taxes and dividend) has increased by 12.3%\* compared to a 1.1% decrease in the All Ordinaries Accumulation Index.

- \* Adjusted for options exercised over the period.
- In June WAM's portfolio (before all fees, costs and taxes) increased by 3.5% while the All Ordinaries Accumulation Index rose by 1.3%.
- The NTA before tax was 129.2c a share, as at 30<sup>th</sup> June. \*
- The NTA after tax was 123.1c a share, as at 30<sup>th</sup> June. \*
- \* After the payment of the interim dividend of 4 cents a share fully franked.

WAM is an investment company whose mission is to provide superior returns to its investors over the medium to long term. WAM is managed by Wilson Asset Management (International) Pty Limited.

## MARKET OUTLOOK

The Australian sharemarket started the month of June on a positive note, but ended flat. Investors will now turn their attention to the upcoming full year results starting in early August. Signs of an improvement in company earnings should lead to higher share prices in the medium term.

## PORTFOLIO STRUCTURE & STRATEGY

As at 30<sup>th</sup> June 2003 equities made up approximately 74% of the portfolio, while fixed interest, cash, and listed debt made up the remaining 26%. We continue to focus on companies with strong earnings per share growth, trading on attractive earnings multiples, that are well positioned in growth industries and have proven management. We continue to research heavily to find companies that meet this profile.

## **DIVIDENDS**

The interim dividend of 4 cents a share fully franked was paid on the 18<sup>th</sup> April 2003.

The major securities held as at 30<sup>th</sup> June 2003 in the fund give exposure to:

OFM Investment Group Ltd Macquarie Bank Ltd Select Harvest Ltd Reckon Ltd Coles Myer Ltd

McGuigan Simeon Wines Ltd Australian Stock Exchange Ltd

RG Capital Radio Ltd

Roberts Ltd

IAG Reset Conv. Prefs. Loftus Capital Partners Ltd

OAMPS Ltd

Burns Philip Ltd 7.5 %( Conv. Pref.)

AMP Ltd Trust Ltd

Pacific Strategic Investments

PCH Group Limited

Independent Practitioners Networks Limited

OPSM Ltd

Metcash Trading Ltd

Bristile Ltd

Beston Wine Industry Trust

Port Douglas Reef Resorts Ltd (Conv. Note)

Timbercorp Ltd 9% (Conv. Pref.)

Reynolds Wines Ltd 8.75% (Conv. Pref.)

Sirtex Medical Ltd Greens Foods Ltd Ridley Corporation Ltd Ten Network Holdings Ltd Equity Capital Markets Ltd

Funtastic Limited AP Eagers Ltd Westfield Holdings Ltd Austin Group Ltd Promina Group Ltd Amity Oil Ltd

**PERFORMANCE** 

	Aug 99	Sep 99	Oct 99	Nov 99	Dec 99	Jan 00
Gross Portfolio *	+1.4%	+5.1%	+4.1%	+11.0%	+4.9%	-2.0%
All Ordinaries Accum.	-1.9%	-1.7%	+0.5%	+5.9%	+3.7%	-1.8%
	Feb 00	Mar 00	Apr 00	May 00	Jun 00	Jul 00
Gross Portfolio *	+5.4%	+5.3%	-5.7%	-2.9%	+3.6%	+2.9%
All Ordinaries Accum.	+1.6%	+0.5%	-1.5%	-1.3%	+7.7%	-1.3%
	Aug 00	Sep 00	Oct 00	Nov 00	Dec 00	Jan 01
Gross Portfolio *	+5.2%	-0.7%	+2.5%	+1.9%	+0.1%	+1.7%
All Ordinaries Accum.	+1.7%	+0.2%	-1.1%	+1.1%	-2.0%	+4.4%
	Feb 01	Mar 01	Apr 01	May 01	Jun 01	July 01
Gross Portfolio *	-0.2%	- 3.7%	+3.9%	+6.7%	+6.9%	-1.0%
All Ordinaries Accum.	-0.2%	- 4.8%	+5.7%	+1.6%	+3.8%	-4.5%
	Aug 01	Sep 01	Oct 01	Nov 01	Dec 01	Jan 02
Gross Portfolio *	+4.6%	-2.9%	+8.6%	+3.8%	+3.3%	+7.0%
All Ordinaries Accum.	-1.3%	-6.7%	+6.8%	+3.4%	+2.7%	+1.3%
	Feb 02	Mar 02	Apr 02	May 02	Jun 02	Jul 02
Gross Portfolio *	+3.1%	+4.9%	-0.4%	+0.7%	-2.2%	-3.0%**
All Ordinaries Accum.	-1.1%	+0.8%	-1.8%	+0.9%	-4.4%	-4.1%
	Aug 02	Sep 02	Oct 02	Nov 02	Dec 02	Jan 03
Gross Portfolio *	+3.9%**	-1.1%**	+1.1%**	+1.6%**	+1.5%**	+1.3%
All Ordinaries Accum.	+1.8%	-4.1%	+2.6%	+1.5%	-1.5%	-1.3%
	Feb 03	Mar 03	Apr 03	May 03	Jun 03	Since Inception
Gross Portfolio *	-1.7%	-0.4%	+3.8%	+1.5%	+3.5%	+155.9%
All Ordinaries Accum.	-5.1%	+3.4%	+4.4%	+0.5%	+1.3%	+15.0%

<sup>\*</sup>The change in the portfolio before all expenses, fees and taxes

<sup>\*\*</sup> Adjusted for options exercised over the period.

NTA before tax *	129.2c	
NTA after tax and before tax on unrealised gains*	126.4c	
NTA after tax *	123.1c	

<sup>\*</sup> This is after the payment of an interim dividend of 4 cents a share fully franked.

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