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SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
Washington, D.C. 20549

**FORM 6-K**

**REPORT OF FOREIGN PRIVATE ISSUER PURSUANT TO RULE 13a-16 OR  
15d-16 UNDER THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934**

**For the month of February 2019**

**Prana Biotechnology Limited**

(Name of Registrant)

**Level 3, 460 Bourke Street, Melbourne, VIC 3000, Australia**

(Address of Principal Executive Office)

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PRANA BIOTECHNOLOGY LIMITED  
(a development stage enterprise)

The following exhibits are submitted:

- 99.1 Condensed Consolidated Financial Statements of Prana Biotechnology Limited and Subsidiaries (a development stage enterprise) as of December 31, 2018
  - 99.2 Operating and Financial Review and Prospects for the Six Months ended December 31, 2018
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SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned, thereunto duly authorized.

PRANA BIOTECHNOLOGY LIMITED  
(Registrant)

By: /s/ Geoffrey Kempler  
Geoffrey Kempler,  
Executive Chairman

February 28, 2019

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**INTERIM CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS  
OF PRANA BIOTECHNOLOGY LIMITED AND SUBSIDIARIES, OR THE  
GROUP (A DEVELOPMENT STAGE ENTERPRISE) AS OF DECEMBER 31, 2018  
IN AUSTRALIAN DOLLARS**

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**CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION**  
**(in Australian dollars)**  
**(Unaudited)**

	Notes	31 December 2018 A\$	30 June 2018 A\$
<b>ASSETS</b>			
<b>Current assets</b>			
Cash and cash equivalents		8,383,261	15,235,556
Trade and other receivables	7	5,589,569	3,152,410
Other current assets		112,678	266,625
<b>Total current assets</b>		<u>14,085,508</u>	<u>18,654,591</u>
<b>Non-current assets</b>			
Property, plant and equipment		60,019	71,422
<b>Total non-current assets</b>		<u>60,019</u>	<u>71,422</u>
<b>Total assets</b>		<u>14,145,527</u>	<u>18,726,013</u>
<b>LIABILITIES</b>			
<b>Current liabilities</b>			
Trade and other payables		2,671,111	2,055,247
Provisions		550,112	588,693
<b>Total current liabilities</b>		<u>3,221,223</u>	<u>2,643,940</u>
<b>Non-current liabilities</b>			
Provisions		1,338	916
<b>Total non-current liabilities</b>		<u>1,338</u>	<u>916</u>
<b>Total liabilities</b>		<u>3,222,561</u>	<u>2,644,856</u>
<b>Net assets</b>		<u>10,922,966</u>	<u>16,081,157</u>
<b>EQUITY</b>			
Contributed equity	8	144,013,274	143,910,328
Reserves	9	1,212,721	1,753,954
Accumulated losses		(134,303,029)	(129,583,125)
<b>Total equity</b>		<u>10,922,966</u>	<u>16,081,157</u>

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

**CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF PROFIT OR LOSS AND OTHER COMPREHENSIVE INCOME**  
**(in Australian dollars)**  
**(Unaudited)**

	Notes	<b>31 December 2018 A\$</b>	31 December 2017 A\$
<b>Income</b>			
Revenue from ordinary activities	5	66,364	117,168
Other income	5	2,426,518	1,360,238
<b>Expenses</b>			
Intellectual property expenses		(82,667)	(104,940)
General and administration expenses	6	(2,031,326)	(1,978,857)
Research and development expenses	6	(5,890,241)	(2,286,286)
Other operating expenses		(28,162)	(113,823)
Other gains/(losses)	6	199,287	(610,939)
<b>Loss for the period</b>		<u>(5,340,227)</u>	<u>(3,617,439)</u>
<b>Loss before income tax</b>		<u>(5,340,227)</u>	<u>(3,617,439)</u>
Income tax expense		-	-
<b>Other comprehensive loss</b>		-	-
<b>Other comprehensive income for the period, net of tax</b>		-	-
<b>Total comprehensive loss for the period</b>		<u>(5,340,227)</u>	<u>(3,617,439)</u>
		<b>Cents</b>	<b>Cents</b>
<b>Loss per share for profit attributable to the ordinary equity holders of the company:</b>			
Basic loss per share	4	0.99	0.68
Diluted loss per share	4	0.99	0.68

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

**CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS**  
**(in Australian dollars)**  
**(Unaudited)**

	Notes	<b>31 December 2018 A\$</b>	31 December 2017 A\$
<b>Cash flows from operating activities</b>			
Payments to suppliers and employees		(7,290,291)	(4,220,833)
R&D tax refund		-	3,022,673
Interest received		68,526	25,497
<b>Net cash (outflow) from operating activities</b>		<u>(7,221,765)</u>	<u>(1,172,663)</u>
<b>Cash flows from investing activities</b>			
Payments for property, plant and equipment		(3,273)	(3,338)
<b>Net cash (outflow) from investing activities</b>		<u>(3,273)</u>	<u>(3,338)</u>
<b>Cash flows from financing activities</b>			
Proceeds from issues of shares and other equity securities		166,086	-
Transaction costs relating to issue of equity		(23,140)	(37,835)
<b>Net cash inflow/ (outflow) from financing activities</b>		<u>142,946</u>	<u>(37,835)</u>
<b>Net (decrease) in cash and cash equivalents</b>		<u>(7,082,092)</u>	<u>(1,213,836)</u>
Cash and cash equivalents at the beginning of the financial year		15,235,556	21,734,957
Effects of exchange rate changes on cash and cash equivalents		229,797	(609,934)
<b>Cash and cash equivalents at end of period</b>		<u><b>8,383,261</b></u>	<u><b>19,911,187</b></u>

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

**CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN EQUITY**  
(in Australian dollars)  
(Unaudited)

	Notes	Attributable to owners of Prana Biotechnology Limited			Total A\$
		Contributed equity A\$	Reserves A\$	Accumulated losses A\$	
<b>Balance at 1 July 2017</b>		144,018,006	2,320,480	(122,648,452)	23,690,034
Loss for the period		-	-	(3,617,439)	(3,617,439)
<b>Total comprehensive income for the period</b>		-	-	<b>(3,617,439)</b>	<b>(3,617,439)</b>
<b>Transactions with owners in their capacity as owners:</b>					
Transaction costs		(119,435)	-	-	(119,435)
Employee share schemes - Share based payments		-	162,393	-	162,393
		<b>(119,435)</b>	<b>162,393</b>	-	<b>42,958</b>
<b>Balance at 31 December 2017</b>		143,898,571	2,482,873	(126,265,891)	20,115,553
<b>Balance at 1 July 2018</b>		143,910,328	1,753,954	(129,583,125)	16,081,157
Loss for the period		-	-	(5,340,227)	(5,340,227)
<b>Total comprehensive loss for the period</b>		-	-	<b>(5,340,227)</b>	<b>(5,340,227)</b>
<b>Transactions with owners in their capacity as owners:</b>					
Issue of ordinary shares	8	166,086	-	-	166,086
Share-based payment expenses		-	79,090	-	79,090
Transaction costs		(63,140)	-	-	(63,140)
Expired options/warrants		-	(620,323)	620,323	-
		102,946	(541,233)	620,323	182,036
<b>Balance at 31 December 2018</b>		<b>144,013,274</b>	<b>1,212,721</b>	<b>(134,303,029)</b>	<b>10,922,966</b>

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



**NOTES TO THE CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS**  
**(in Australian dollars)**

**Note 1: Basis of Preparation**

This condensed consolidated interim report for the half-year reporting period ending 31 December 2018 has been prepared in accordance with Accounting Standard AASB 134 Interim Financial Reporting and the Corporations Act 2001. These financial statements also comply with International Financial Reporting Standards ("IFRS") as issued by the International Accounting Standards Board ("IASB").

This condensed consolidated interim financial report does not include all the notes of the type normally included in an annual financial report. Accordingly, this report is to be read in conjunction with the annual report for the year ended 30 June 2018 and any public announcements made by Prana Biotechnology Limited ("the "Company") during the interim reporting period in accordance with the continuous disclosure requirements of the Corporations Act 2001.

The accounting policies adopted are consistent with those of the previous financial year and corresponding interim reporting period except for the adoption of new accounting standards as discussed below.

**(a) New and amended standards adopted by the Group**

A number of new or amended standards became applicable for the current reporting period and the Group had to change its accounting policies and make retrospective adjustments as a result of adopting the following standards:

The impact of the adoption of these standards and the new accounting policies are disclosed below. The other standards did not have any impact on the Group's accounting policies and did not require retrospective adjustments.

- AASB 9 Financial Instruments, and
- AASB 15 Revenue from Contracts with Customers.

**(b) Impact of standards issued but not yet applied by the entity**

*(i) AASB 16 Leases*

AASB 16 was issued in February 2016, effective for annual period beginning on or after 1 January 2019. It will result in almost all leases being recognised on the balance sheet, as the distinction between operating and finance leases is removed. Under the new standard, an asset (the right to use the leased item) and a financial liability to pay rentals are recognised. The only exceptions are short-term and low-value leases.

The accounting for lessors will not significantly change.

The standard will affect primarily the accounting for the Group's operating leases. As at the reporting date, the Group has non-cancellable operating lease commitments of A\$171,624. However, the Group has not yet determined to what extent these commitments will result in the recognition of an asset and a liability for future payments and how this will affect the Group's profit and classification of cash flows.

**(c) Going concern**

The Group is a development stage medical biotechnology company and as such expects to be utilising cash until the results of its research activities have become marketable. For the six months ended 31 December 2018, the Group incurred an operating loss of A\$5,340,227 and an operating cash outflow of A\$7,221,765 compared with an operating loss of A\$3,617,439 and an operating cash outflow of A\$1,172,663 for the six months ended 31 December 2017. As at 31 December 2018 the net assets of the Group stood at A\$10,922,966 compared with A\$16,081,157 at June 30, 2018 and our cash position decreased to A\$8,383,261 from A\$15,235,556 at 30 June 2018. The Group has recorded a Trade and Other Receivable at 31 December 2018 in the amount of A\$5,552,294 from the Australian Taxation Office comprising research and development tax incentive claims for the fiscal year 2018 (A\$3,251,673) and for the six-month period ended 31 December 2018 (A\$2,300,621). The Group expects to receive A\$3,251,673 relating to the research and development tax incentive claim for the fiscal year 2018 during the 6 months ended 30 June 2019 and also expects the research and development tax incentive to continue to be applicable in the subsequent years.

**Note 1: Basis of Preparation (continued)****(c) Going concern (continued)**

As stated in note 2, the Group has entered into a securities purchase agreement with Life Biosciences LLC (“Life Biosciences”) to raise up to A\$44.5 million. Life Biosciences will initially invest US\$7.5 million (approx. A\$10.6 million), with the agreement allowing Prana to raise an additional US\$2 million from other investors, totalling US\$9.5 million (approx. A\$13.4 million). This initial funding will be available following approval by the Company’s shareholders at an extraordinary general meeting to be held in April 2019. In addition to this initial investment, the Group may also receive up to approximately A\$31 million from Life Biosciences and other investors on exercise of short-term warrants being issued as part of the transaction. There is no commitment in this regard. The Group’s ongoing solvency is reliant on receipt of the initial US\$7.5 million commitment by Life Biosciences. There is uncertainty over the timing of the receipt as shareholder approval has not been obtained.

On this basis, the continuing viability of the Group and its ability to continue as a going concern and meet its debts and commitments as they fall due are dependent upon funding in the form of equity-based financing to fund future operations, together with maintaining implemented cost containment and deferment strategies.

Management and the directors believe that the Group will be successful in obtaining the necessary shareholder approval and receiving the US\$7.5 million equity funding as noted above. Accordingly, the Directors have prepared the financial report on a going concern basis, notwithstanding that there is a material uncertainty that may cast significant doubt on the Group’s ability to continue as a going concern and that it may be unable to realise its assets and liabilities in the normal course of business.

References to matters that may cast significant doubt about the Group’s ability to continue as a going concern also raise substantial doubt as contemplated by the Public Company Accounting Oversight Board (PCAOB).

**Note 2: Significant changes in the current reporting period**

On 28 December 2018, the Group announced that it had entered into a securities purchase agreement for a lead investment by Life Biosciences to raise up to approximately A\$44.5 million (approx. US\$31.4 million). Life Biosciences will initially invest US\$7.5 million (approx. A\$10.6 million), with the agreement allowing Prana to raise an additional US\$2 million from other investors, totalling US\$9.5 million (approx. A\$13.4 million). A further amount of up to approximately A\$31 million (approx. US\$21.9 million) would be invested by Life Biosciences and other investors on exercise of short-term warrants being issued as part of the transaction. Completion of the transaction is subject to approval by shareholders at the general meeting of shareholders and certain other customary completion conditions.

**Note 3: Segment information**

Operating segments are reported in a manner consistent with the internal reporting provided to the chief operating decision maker. The chief operating decision maker, who is responsible for allocating resources and assessing performance of the operating segments, has been identified as the Chief Executive Officer of the Company. For the current and previous reporting periods, the Group operated in one segment, being research into Parkinsonian movement disorders, Alzheimer’s disease, Huntington disease and other neurodegenerative disorders.

**Note 4: Loss per share****(a) Basic loss per share**

	Six months ended December 31,	
	2018 (cents)	2017 (cents)
From continuing operations attributable to the ordinary equity holders of the Group	0.99	0.68

**(b) Diluted loss per share**

	Six months ended December 31,	
	2018 (cents)	2017 (cents)
From continuing operations attributable to the ordinary equity holders of the Group	0.99	0.68

**(c) Reconciliation of earnings used in calculating loss per share**

	Six months ended December 31,	
	2018	2017
<i>Basic earnings per share</i>		
Loss attributable to the ordinary equity holders of the Group used in calculating basic loss per share:	5,340,227	3,617,439
<i>Diluted earnings per share</i>		
Loss attributable to the ordinary equity holders of the Group used in calculating diluted loss per share	5,340,227	3,617,439
Adjustments	-	-
Loss attributable to the ordinary equity holders of the Group used in calculating diluted loss per share	5,340,227	3,617,439

**(d) Weighted average number of shares used as denominator**

	Six months ended December 31,	
	2018 Number	2017 Number
Weighted average number of ordinary shares used as the denominator in calculating basic loss per share	536,789,698	533,891,470

Options that are considered to be potential ordinary shares are excluded from the weighted average number of ordinary shares used in the calculation of basic loss per share. Where dilutive, potential ordinary shares are included in the calculation of diluted loss per share. All the options on issue do not have the effect to dilute the loss per share. Therefore, they have been excluded from the calculation of diluted loss per share.

**Note 5: Interest and other income**

	<b>31 December 2018 A\$</b>	<b>31 December 2017 A\$</b>
<b><i>Interest and other income</i></b>		
Interest income	66,364	111,581
Other revenue	-	5,587
	<u>66,364</u>	<u>117,168</u>
<b><i>Other Income</i></b>		
R&D tax incentive	2,426,518	1,360,238
	<u>2,426,518</u>	<u>1,360,238</u>

**Note 6: Loss for the period**

	<b>31 December 2018 A\$</b>	<b>31 December 2017 A\$</b>
<b>Loss before income tax has been determined after:</b>		
<b>General and administration expenses</b>		
Depreciation on fixed assets	14,675	9,325
Employee expenses (non-R&D related)	332,529	492,458
Consultant and director expenses	432,684	403,673
Audit, internal control and other assurance expenses	100,847	93,060
Corporate compliance expenses	176,723	206,468
Office rental	73,743	88,606
Other administrative and office expenses	900,125	685,267
	<u>2,031,326</u>	<u>1,978,857</u>
<b>Research and development expenses</b>		
Employee expenses	1,256,939	1,001,117
Other research and development expenses	4,633,302	1,285,169
	<u>5,890,241</u>	<u>2,286,286</u>
<b>Other gains and losses</b>		
Foreign exchange loss / (gain)	(199,287)	610,939
	<u>(199,287)</u>	<u>610,939</u>

**Note 7: Financial assets and financial liabilities****(a) Trade and other receivables**

	<b>As at</b>	
	<b>December 31, 2018</b>	<b>June 30, 2018</b>
	<b>A\$</b>	<b>A\$</b>
<b><i>Current</i></b>		
R&D tax incentive receivable	5,552,294	3,125,775
Accrued interest income	10,518	12,680
Goods and services tax receivable	26,757	13,955
	<u>5,589,569</u>	<u>3,152,410</u>

**Note 7: Financial assets and financial liabilities (continued)****(b) Financial instruments measured at fair value**

The financial instruments recognised at fair value in the Statement of Financial Position have been analysed and classified using a fair value hierarchy reflecting the significance of the inputs used in making the measurements. The fair value hierarchy consists of the following levels:

- quoted prices in active markets for identical assets or liabilities (Level 1);
- inputs other than quoted prices included within Level 1 that are observable for the asset or liability, either directly (as prices) or indirectly (derived from prices) (Level 2); and
- inputs for the asset or liability that are not based on observable market data (unobservable inputs) (Level 3).

During the period, none of the Group's assets and liabilities had their fair value determined using the fair value hierarchy. No transfers between the levels of the fair value hierarchy occurred during the current or previous periods.

**Note 8: Contributed equity**

	Note	As at			
		December 31, 2018		June 30, 2018	
		No.	A\$	No.	A\$
Fully paid ordinary shares	(a)	536,975,050	144,053,274	533,891,470	143,910,328
Options for fully paid ordinary shares		-	-	-	-
		536,975,050	144,053,274	533,891,470	143,910,328

**a) Fully paid ordinary shares**

	As at			
	December 31, 2018		June 30, 2018	
	No.	A\$	No.	A\$
At the beginning of reporting period	533,891,470	143,910,328	533,891,470	144,018,006
Shares issued during the period	3,083,580	166,086	-	-
Transaction costs relating to share issues	-	(63,140)	-	(107,678)
At the end of reporting period	536,975,050	144,013,274	533,891,470	143,910,328

**Note 9: Reserves**

	Note	As at			
		December 31, 2018		June 30, 2018	
		No.	A\$	No.	A\$
Options over fully paid ordinary shares	(a)	25,400,000	1,212,721	25,216,490	1,753,954
		25,400,000	1,212,721	25,216,490	1,753,954

**Note 9: Reserves (continued)****(a) Options over fully paid ordinary shares**

	As at			
	December 31, 2018		June 30, 2018	
	No.	A\$	No.	A\$
At the beginning of reporting period	25,216,490	1,753,954	26,826,063	2,320,480
Movement during the period	183,510	(541,233)	(1,609,573)	(566,526)
At the end of reporting date	25,400,000	1,212,721	25,216,490	1,753,954

**Note 10: Reconciliation of profit after income tax to net cash flow from operating activities**

	31 December 2018 A\$	31 December 2017 A\$
Loss for the year	5,340,227	3,617,439
Depreciation	(14,675)	(9,325)
Accrued capital cost to equity	-	81,600
Non-cash employee benefits expense - share-based payments	(79,091)	(162,393)
Net foreign exchange differences	229,796	(609,934)
Decrease in provisions	38,159	112,749
Increase/(Decrease) in accounts receivable	2,437,159	(1,580,791)
Increase/(Decrease) in other current assets	(153,947)	60,687
(Increase) in accounts payable	(575,863)	(337,369)
	<u>7,221,765</u>	<u>1,172,663</u>

**Note 11: Related party transactions**

During the period from 1 July 2018 to 31 December 2018, the Group paid a total of A\$150,000 (excl. GST) in advisory fees to Montoya Pty Ltd, an associated entity of Mr Lawrence Gozlan, a director of the Group.

There were no other related party transactions other than those related to director and key management personnel remuneration and equity and transactions by the company and its subsidiaries.

**Note 12: Events occurring after the reporting date**

No matter or circumstance has occurred subsequent to period end that has significantly affected, or may significantly affect, the operations of the Group, the results of those operations or the state of affairs of the Group or economic entity in subsequent financial periods.

**Note 13: Changes in accounting policies**

This note explains the impact of the adoption of AASB 9 Financial Instruments and AASB 15 Revenue from Contracts with Customers on the Group's financial statements.

**(a) Impact on the financial statements**

As a result of the changes in the entity's accounting policies, prior year financial statements have not been restated.

## **Note 13: Changes in accounting policies (continued)**

### **(b) AASB 9 Financial Instruments – Impact of adoption**

AASB 9 replaces the provisions of AASB 139 that relate to the recognition, classification and measurement of financial assets and financial liabilities, derecognition of financial instruments, impairment of financial assets and hedge accounting.

The adoption of AASB 9 Financial Instruments from 1 July 2018 resulted in changes in accounting policies but no adjustments to the amounts recognised in the financial statements. The new accounting policies are set out in note 13(c) below. In accordance with the transitional provisions in AASB 9(7.2.15) and (7.2.26), comparative figures have not been restated or re-classified.

### **(c) AASB 9 Financial Instruments – Accounting policies applied from 1 July 2018**

#### *(i) Investments and other financial assets*

##### *Classification*

From 1 July 2018, the Group classifies its financial assets in the following measurement categories:

- those to be measured subsequently at fair value (either through OCI, or through profit or loss), and
- those to be measured at amortised cost.

The classification depends on the entity's business model for managing the financial assets and the contractual terms of the cash flows.

For assets measured at fair value, gains and losses will either be recorded in profit or loss or OCI. For investments in equity instruments that are not held for trading, this will depend on whether the Group has made an irrevocable election at the time of initial recognition to account for the equity investment at fair value through other comprehensive income (FVOCI).

##### *Measurement*

At initial recognition, the Group measures a financial asset at its fair value plus, in the case of a financial asset not at fair value through profit or loss (FVPL), transaction costs that are directly attributable to the acquisition of the financial asset. Transaction costs of financial assets carried at FVPL are expensed in profit or loss.

Financial assets with embedded derivatives are considered in their entirety when determining whether their cash flows are solely payment of principal and interest.

##### *Equity instruments*

The Group subsequently measures all equity investments at fair value. Where the Group's management has elected to present fair value gains and losses on equity investments in OCI, there is no subsequent reclassification of fair value gains and losses to profit or loss following the derecognition of the investment. Dividends from such investments continue to be recognised in profit or loss as other income when the Group's right to receive payments is established.

Changes in the fair value of financial assets at FVPL are recognised in other gains/(losses) in the statement of profit or loss as applicable. Impairment losses (and reversal of impairment losses) on equity investments measured at FVOCI are not reported separately from other changes in fair value.

For assets measured at fair value, gains and losses will either be recorded in profit or loss or OCI. For investments in equity instruments that are not held for trading, this will depend on whether the Group has made an irrevocable election at the time of initial recognition to account for the equity investment at fair value through other comprehensive income (FVOCI).

The Group reclassifies debt investments when and only when its business model for managing those assets changes.

##### *Impairment*

For assets measured at fair value, gains and losses will either be recorded in profit or loss or OCI. For investments in equity instruments that are not held for trading, this will depend on whether the Group has made an irrevocable election at the time of initial recognition to account for the equity investment at fair value through other comprehensive income (FVOCI).

**Note 13: Changes in accounting policies (continued)****(d) AASB 15 Revenue from Contracts with Customers – Impact of adoption**

The Group has adopted AASB 15 Revenue from Contracts with Customers from 1 July 2018 which resulted in changes in accounting policies. As the Group is still in the early stage of research and development for its products, it has neither generated revenue from contracts with customers, nor decided on the revenue strategy (licensing, sale of pharmaceutical products) for when the development phase is completed. Accordingly, the adoption of AASB 15 has no impact on the financial statements. In prior reporting periods, revenue and other income of the Group primarily comprised of interest income and R&D tax incentive which are not affected by the adoption of AASB 15.

**Note 14: Significant estimates and assumptions**

Estimates and judgements are continually evaluated and are based on historical experience and other factors, including expectations of future events that may have a financial impact on the entity and that are believed to be reasonable under the circumstances.

The Company and its two wholly-owned subsidiaries (the "Group") makes estimates and assumptions concerning the future. The resulting accounting estimates will, by definition, seldom equal the related actual results. The estimates and assumptions that have a significant risk of causing a material adjustment to the carrying amounts of assets and liabilities within the next financial period are discussed below.

The accounting policies adopted are consistent with those of the previous financial year and corresponding interim reporting period. The Group has adopted new accounting standards AASB 9 and AASB 15 as disclosed in note 13 and has appropriately changed accounting policies where needed.

**(a) R&D Tax Incentives**

A refundable research and development tax incentive offset of 43.5%, equivalent to a deduction of 150%, will be available to eligible small companies with an annual aggregate turnover of less than A\$20 million. Eligible companies can receive a refundable research and development tax incentive offset of 43.5% of their research and development spending.

The Group's research and development activities are eligible under an Australian Government tax incentive for eligible expenditure from 1 July 2011. Management has assessed these activities and expenditure to determine which are likely to be eligible under the incentive scheme. For the period to 31 December 2018 the Group has recorded an item in other income of A\$2,426,518 compared with A\$1,360,238 for the comparable 2017 period to recognise this amount which relates to this period.

**(b) Share-based payments**

The value attributed to share options and remuneration shares issued is an estimate calculated using an appropriate mathematical formula based on an option-pricing model. The choice of models and the resultant option value require assumptions to be made in relation to the likelihood and timing of the conversion of the options to shares and the value and volatility of the price of the underlying shares.

**Note 15: Net tangible assets**

	<b>As at</b>	
	<b>December 31, 2018</b>	<b>June 30, 2018</b>
Net tangible assets	10,922,966	16,081,157
No. of shares	536,975,050	533,891,470
Net tangible assets per share (in cents)	A\$ 2.03	A\$ 3.01



## OPERATING AND FINANCIAL REVIEW AND PROSPECTS

*The following discussion and analysis includes certain forward-looking statements with respect to the business, financial condition and results of operations of our company. The words "estimate," "project," "potential", "plan", "should", "expect", variations of such words and similar expressions are intended to identify forward-looking statements within the Private Securities Litigation Reform Act of 1995. These forward-looking statements are subject to risks and uncertainties that could cause actual results to differ materially from those contemplated by such forward-looking statements. Factors that could cause actual results to differ materially from those contemplated in any forward-looking statements made by us herein are discussed in filings we make with the United States Securities and Exchange Commission, or the SEC, including our Annual Report on Form 20-F. This discussion and analysis should be read in conjunction with our consolidated financial statements and notes thereto included in Exhibit 99.1.*

### BACKGROUND

Prana Biotechnology Limited, or the Company (or together with its subsidiaries, the Group), is a development stage enterprise incorporated under the laws of the Commonwealth of Australia on November 11, 1997. Our mission is to develop therapeutic drugs designed to treat the underlying cause of degeneration of the brain and the eye as the aging process progresses. The principal listing of our ordinary shares and listed options to purchase our ordinary shares is on the Australian Securities Exchange, or ASX. Since September 5, 2002, our American Depositary Receipts, or ADRs, have traded on the NASDAQ Capital Market under the symbol "PRAN."

Our interim consolidated financial statements appearing in Exhibit 99.1 are prepared in Australian dollars and in accordance with International Financial Reporting Standards, or IFRS, as issued by the International Accounting Standards Board, or IASB, and comply with both IFRS as issued by the IASB and Australian equivalents to International Financial Reporting Standards, or A-IFRS. In this report, all references to "U.S. dollars" or "US\$" are to the currency of the United States of America, and all references to "Australian dollars" or "A\$" are to the currency of Australia.

All of our current revenues are generated in Australian dollars, except for interest earned on foreign currency bank accounts, and the majority of our expenses are incurred in Australian dollars.

### OVERVIEW

We are a development stage enterprise at an early stage in the development of our pharmaceutical products that are designed to treat the underlying causes of neurodegeneration. We have incurred net losses since inception and expect to incur substantial and increasing losses for the next several years as we expand our research and development activities and move our product candidates into later stages of development. Our product candidates are in early to midstage development and we face the risks of failure inherent in developing drugs based on new technologies. The process of carrying out the development of our products to later stages of development may require significant additional research and development expenditures, including pre-clinical testing, manufacturing and clinical trials, as well as for obtaining regulatory approval. For additional details about our risks see Item 3.D., "Key Information – Risk Factors," of our Form 20-F for the year ended June 30, 2018.

To date, we have funded our operations primarily through the sale of equity securities, proceeds from the exercise of options, government grants, tax incentive payments, licensing and research collaborations and interest income.

Since completing our initial public offering and listing process on the ASX on March 28, 2000, we have concentrated our resources toward the pursuit of our disease targets. We have developed a diversified library of chemical compounds, which may yield future product candidates across various neurodegenerative indications. For additional details regarding our clinical trials see Item 4.A., "Information on the Company - History and Development of the Company," of our Form 20-F for the year ended June 30, 2018.

## HIGHLIGHTS FOR THE SIX MONTHS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2018

### *Operations*

Detailed below is an update on the status of the Group's research and development projects and overall operations for the half-year ended 31 December 2018.

The Group's 30 June 2018 Annual Report contains detailed background information relating to its operations including its research and development projects and collaboration partners and should be read in conjunction with this report.

### *PBT434 Movement Disorder clinical candidate update*

It has been previously reported that PBT434 is neuroprotective in animal models of disease. By blocking the pathologic accumulation and aggregation of alpha-synuclein, PBT434 prevents the formation of toxic alpha synuclein fibrils and downstream effects that lead to cellular dysfunction and ultimately cell death. There is evidence in Parkinson's disease animal models that PBT434 prevents neuronal loss and improves motor and/or cognitive impairment. There is also evidence that PBT434 prevents alpha-synuclein toxicity, preserves neurons and improves function in an animal model of Multiple System Atrophy (MSA), which is a form of atypical Parkinsonism. Data from these experiments were presented at the International Congress of Parkinson's Disease and Movement Disorders® in Hong Kong in October 2018. In addition to MSA, Prana is continuing to evaluate PBT434 in other animal models of atypical Parkinsonism such as Progressive Supranuclear Palsy.

Significant progress has been made on the Phase 1 study of PBT434, which is a single- and multiple- ascending dose trial in healthy volunteers. The study is progressing well as we have completed the single ascending dose phase of the study and we anticipate completing the multiple ascending dose phase, including elderly volunteers, in the first half of 2019.

### *PBT2 Huntington disease clinical development update*

We are continuing to review our options to either undertake additional non-clinical studies, pursue development opportunities at dosing levels permitted by the FDA, or pursue alternative therapeutic applications of PBT2.

### *Pipeline development from Translational Biology Program*

Continued progress has been made on identifying new development candidates by our discovery chemistry group over the reporting period. These product candidates are within new generation chemical scaffolds and have demonstrated key attributes required to address neurodegenerative processes.

We are also continuing to review other potentially suitable opportunities that may be highly attractive and can add significant shareholder value in the medium to longer term.

### *Cash*

The Group's cash on hand as at December 31, 2018 totaled A\$8.38 million. In addition, the Group has recorded a trade receivable at December 31, 2018 of A\$5.58 million from the Australian Tax Office. This amount is in respect of the 2018 and 2019 R&D tax incentive claims. The Group expects to receive payment of the fiscal year 2018 claim during the 12 months ended June 30, 2019.

### *Capital Raising*

We announced on 28 December 2018 that we had entered into a securities purchase agreement with Life Biosciences to raise up to A\$44.5 million. Under the terms of the agreement, Life Biosciences will initially invest US\$7.5 million (approx. A\$10.6 million), with the agreement allowing us to raise an additional US\$2 million from other investors, totaling US\$9.5 million (approx. A\$13.4 million). This initial funding will be subject to approval by shareholders at an extraordinary general meeting to be held in April 2019. In addition to this initial investment, we may also receive up to approximately A\$31 million from Life Biosciences and other investors on exercise of short-term warrants being issued as part of the transaction.

## SIX MONTHS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2018 COMPARED TO SIX MONTHS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2017

### *Revenue from ordinary activities*

Revenue from ordinary activities, consisting of interest income, decreased to A\$66,364 for the six months ended December 31, 2018 from A\$117,168 for the six months ended December 31, 2017, a decrease of A\$50,804, or 43.36%. The decrease in interest income is primarily attributable to decreased amounts of cash being carried in interest bearing accounts.

### *Other income*

Other income of A\$2,426,518 for the six months ended December 31, 2018 consists of the Group's estimate of R&D tax incentive claimable from the Australian Tax Office. This amount was calculated based on the tax incentive policy introduced by the Australian Government on July 1, 2011. The Group is entitled to 43.5% of tax incentives based on the total eligible research and development expenditure incurred during the period. This amount increased by A\$1,066,280, or 78.39% from A\$1,360,238 for the six months ended December 31, 2017. This increase in total R&D expenditures is primarily caused by the increase in the period attributable to the conduct of the Phase I study of the Group's lead product candidate PBT434.

### *General and administration expenses*

General and administration expenses increased to A\$2,031,326 for the six months ended December 31, 2018 from A\$1,978,857 for the six months ended December 31, 2017, which represented an increase of A\$52,469, or 2.65%. The increase in general and administration expenses was mainly caused by increased head office operating costs.

### *Research and development expenses*

Research and development expenses increased to A\$5,890,241 for the six months ended December 31, 2018 from A\$2,286,286 for the six months ended December 31, 2017, which represented an increase of A\$3,603,955, or 157.63%. The increase in research and development expenses in the six months ending December 31, 2018 was primarily due to the increased research and development activities in relation to the Group's lead product candidate PBT434 including the Phase I study.

### *Other gains and losses*

Other gains and losses consist of gains from foreign exchange for the periods. Gains from foreign exchange increased to A\$199,287 for the six months ended December 31, 2018 from a loss of A\$610,939 for the six months ended December 31, 2017, an increase of A\$810,226, or 132.62%. In the 2018 period the Australian dollar depreciated against the US dollar by 5.04%, while in the 2017 period the Australian dollar appreciated by 1.54%.

## **INFLATION AND SEASONALITY**

Management believes that inflation has had no material impact on the Group's operations or financial condition and that our operations are not currently subject to seasonal influences.

## **LIQUIDITY AND CAPITAL RESOURCES**

We are a development stage company and have had no sales income to date, and as of December 31, 2018 our accumulated deficit totaled A\$134,303,029. From inception until our initial public offering in March 2000 we financed our operations primarily through borrowings from two of our then directors, which were repaid from the proceeds of such offering. Since our initial public offering, we have financed our operations primarily through sales of equity securities, proceeds from the exercise of options, government grants, tax incentive payments, licensing and research collaborations and interest earned on investments. Please see our Annual Report on Form 20-F for the year ended June 30, 2018 for a discussion of our financing efforts prior to June 30, 2018.

We had A\$8,383,261 of cash and cash equivalents at December 31, 2018 compared to A\$15,235,556 at June 30, 2018.

We announced on 28 December 2018 that we had entered into a securities purchase agreement with Life Biosciences to raise up to A\$44.5 million. Under the terms of the agreement, Life Biosciences will initially invest US\$7.5 million (approx. A\$10.6 million), with the agreement allowing us to raise an additional US\$2 million from other investors, totaling US\$9.5 million (approx. A\$13.4 million). This initial funding will be subject to approval by shareholders at an extraordinary general meeting to be held in April 2019. In addition to this initial investment, we may also receive up to approximately A\$31 million from Life Biosciences and other investors on exercise of short-term warrants being issued as part of the transaction.

Capital expenditures for the six months ended December 31, 2018 were A\$3,273 and capital expenditures for the six months ended December 31, 2017 were A\$3,338. These expenditures were principally for computer equipment. We currently do not have significant capital spending or purchase commitments, but we expect to continue to engage in capital spending consistent with the level of our operations.

We believe that the Australian Government tax incentive scheme relating to eligible research and development activities, introduced on July 1, 2011, will provide us with significant benefits in future years. Such eligible R&D activities include but are not limited to:

- Core activities, which are experimental activities whose outcome cannot be known or determined in advance, but can only be determined by applying a systematic progression of work;
- Core activities conducted for the purpose of generating new knowledge (including new knowledge in the form of new or improved processes and materials); or
- Supporting activities that are directly related and designed to support the above.

Under the research and development incentive scheme, entities with an aggregated turnover for the income year of less than A\$20 million will be entitled to a 43.5% refundable tax offset. In the half-year ended December 31, 2018, we recorded A\$ 2,426,518 in other income with respect to funds we will receive in relation to the 2019 financial year under the research and development incentive scheme. In the half-year ended December 31, 2017, we recorded A\$1,360,238 in other income with respect to funds we will receive in relation to the 2018 financial year under the research and development incentive scheme.

### **Cash Flows**

Net cash used in operating activities increased to A\$7,221,765 for the six months ended December 31, 2018 from A\$1,172,663 for the six months ended December 31, 2017. Net cash used in operating activities consists of payments to suppliers and employees and the R&D Tax Incentive cash refund. The increase in net cash used in the 2018 period was due to the increased research and development activities in relation to the Group's lead product candidate PBT434 including the Phase I study and the delay in receiving the R&D tax incentive refund for the 2018 financial year.

Net cash used by investing activities decreased to A\$3,273 for the six months ended December 31, 2018 from A\$3,338 for the six months ended December 31, 2017. Cash flows used for investing activities was primarily attributable to payments for the purchase of computer and office equipment in both periods.

Net cash generated from financing activities increased to A\$142,946 for the six months ended December 31, 2018 from A\$37,835 used for the six months ended December 31, 2017. The increase is attributable to the issue of shares under our At-the-Market facility in the current period.

We realized a foreign exchange gain of A\$229,797 for the six months ended December 31, 2018 compared to a loss of A\$609,934 for the six months ended December 31, 2017. In the 2018 period the Australian dollar depreciated against the US dollar by 5.04%, while in the 2017 period the Australian dollar appreciated by 1.54%.

### **OFF-BALANCE SHEET ARRANGEMENTS**

We are not a party to any material off-balance sheet arrangements. In addition, we have no unconsolidated special purpose financing or partnership entities that are likely to create material contingent obligations.

### **CONDITIONS IN AUSTRALIA**

We are incorporated under the laws of, and our principal offices and research and development facilities are located in, the Commonwealth of Australia. Therefore, we are directly affected by political and economic conditions in Australia.

### **RISK FACTORS**

There have been no material changes in our risk factors reported in our Annual Report on Form 20-F for the year ended June 30, 2018.